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City Notes.

MEET IN RAUB'S HALL.—The Cab, Coach and Hackmen will meet tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at Raub's hall.

CANVASS HAS BEGUN.—The canvass for names for Williams' City Directory has begun.

NIGHT DISPATCHER.—Morris Quinn has been made night engine dispatcher at the Lackawanna round house to succeed Will A. Smith who has been promoted to a foremanship.

SERMON ON THE MOUNT.—Rev. A. H. Smith will give an exposition of the "Sermon on the Mount" before the Baptist Ministerial conference Monday morning in the Penn Avenue church.

TERRITORY EXTENDED.—J. B. Cummings, superintendent of the Olyphant water company, has been appointed to superintend Archibald Water company also. John Carroll, who was superintendent of the latter company, has resigned.

D. L. & W. PAY-DAYS.—The employees of the Diamond breaker, mines and washery and the stores shaft were paid yesterday.

STRAYED A LONG WAY OFF.—Laura Dugan, a 5-year-old girl, strayed away from her home at 811 Hamilton street early yesterday afternoon and was found about 8 o'clock last night wandering about West Market street in North Scranton.

SCANTONIAN HONORED.—At the annual election of the Pennosa Medical society of the University of Pennsylvania, held last week, Joseph A. Wagner, of this city, was accorded the rare honor of being elected president for the ensuing year.

BOARD HAS ORGANIZED. James Young Elected President and Emil Bonn, Clerk.

The board for the inspection of candidates for mine inspector, appointed Thursday by the court, met yesterday and organized by electing James Young, of Dunmore, president, and Emil Bonn, clerk.

The board will meet Monday, April 21, in the board of control rooms, city hall, to examine candidates.

EXAMINATIONS FOR THE MISSION. Are Acknowledged with the Thanks of the Mission.

The management of the Florence Mission gratefully acknowledge the following donations, during the month of March:

ket, cabbage; Clarke's store, sugar, butter; Mrs. Sherman, crackers, stove polish; Palmer, butter; Acme market, meat; Dickinson, tea; Chappell, meat and groceries; Castles, meat; Mrs. R. J. Foster, meat; E. G. Courson, tea; Mrs. Drew and Mrs. Bircher, fifteen yards bleached muslin; R. E. Comegys, pictures; friend, literature; Mrs. D. B. Hand, dishes, etc.; What-soever circle, West Pittston, infants' clothing and pillow slips.

A VERSATILE ENTERTAINER. J. Williams Macey Gave a Performance Packed with Good Things.

A very good-sized audience gathered in the High School auditorium last night and was kept in splendid spirits for over two hours by J. Williams Macey, one of the most versatile and really humorous entertainers ever heard of in this city.

MAIL CARRYING CONTRACT. Has Been Awarded to Preston Brown of Green Ridge.

The contract for carrying the United States mail between the Central post office and West Scranton station has been awarded to Preston Brown, of Green Ridge. There were ten bidders.

Strikes and Spares.

The revised list of averages for the second series of games played by the Northeastern Pennsylvania Bowling League is printed below, and it shows that two members of the Backus team, Charles Moore and Billy Hopkins got first and second places respectively.

MOORE'S AVERAGE OF 179 IS THE HIGHEST YET MADE IN A LEAGUE CONTEST IN THIS CITY.



CHARLES MOORE, High Man of the Northeastern Pennsylvania Bowling League.

city, but is only a little higher than the one made by Billy Hopkins during the first series, a fraction over 178.

The Backus team not only took the championship by winning the most games, but it also takes first place with the highest number of pins and the highest team average.

These last honors for the first series, also, and thus fairly and squarely deserves to be recognized as the best all around aggregation of bowlers in this part of the state.

Table with columns: Name, Games, Average. Lists players like Moore, Backus, Hopkins, Backus, Wardell, S. B. C., Weikman, S. B. C., McCracken, E. C. W., Rowland, G. R. W., Taylor, G. R. W., Wolf, B. W., Riehl, E. B., Mason, G. R. W., Phillips, E. B., Bartel, E. B., O'Connell, S. B. C., Davis, W. E. W., Wetling, E. C. W., Wagoner, W. E. W., Gold, S. B. C., Fairbank, Backus, Chapman, G. R. W., Weigand, W. E. W., Moore, E. B., Davis, E. C. W., Madenspaeder, E. B., Wagoner, W. E. W., Deane, E. C. W., Yost, W. E. W., Weidell, G. R. W., Seaman, G. R. W., Gorman, S. B. C., Williams, E. C. W., Brownell, E. B., Carr, W. E. W., Robbins, W. E. W., Peckham, Backus, Land, W. E. W., Foley, S. B. C., Pryor, S. B. C., Roger, S. B. C., Dander, E. B., Owens, E. C. W., Nicholas, G. R. W., Gachinski, E. B., Belzer, W. E. W., Gunster, E. B., P. Robbins, E. B.

The team averages were as follows:

Table with columns: Name, Average. Lists teams like Backus, Green Ridge Wheelmen, Scranton Bicycle club, Electric City Wheelmen, West End Wheelmen.

The thing that is interesting bowlers

FIGHTING A MINE FIRE

SERIOUS BLAZE IN RICHMOND NO. 3 MINE.

Fire is Located in the No. 2 Dunmore Vein and Has Been Raging for Some Time—Men Working Eight Hour Shifts Have Been Fighting the Fire Constantly but They Have Made Little Progress Up to Date—Fire is the Occasion of Falls.

Little progress is being made in the fight against the fire that has been raging for three weeks in the No. 2 Dunmore vein of the Ontario & Western company's Richmond No. 3, colliery at the city line, near Preebuck.

It is hoped, however, that the extreme measure of flooding the mine will not have to be resorted to in conquering the blaze.

REFERRED TO COUNCIL. Matter of New Price Schedule for Team Work to be Considered.

At a meeting of the General Teamster's union held last night in Raub's hall the matter of fixing a new rate of \$4 per day for team work and general team hire was discussed and was finally referred for decisive action to the joint committee which comprises representatives from all the team owners and driver's locals in the city.

It was stated last night by a prominent member of the union that the article printed in an evening paper on Thursday night in which it was inferred that a new wage scale had been presented by the drivers to the local team owners is absolutely false, and that no such demand has been made.

In this city most, just at present, is the tournament which is to be conducted on the Hampe alleys, between May 1 and May 31, inclusive.

For the player making the highest individual average for thirty games, a gold medal.

For the two men, playing as a team, making the highest average for twenty games, bowling ball and canvas bag for each.

For the team of five men making the highest average for fifteen games, bowling ball and canvas bag for each player.

For the player making the highest number of spares for thirty games, a \$1 silk umbrella.

Contestants may play at any time between the hours of 2 p. m. and 2 a. m. every day during the month of May, but must expressly state to the scorer before beginning to play that they intend that particular game to count in their tournament score.

A meeting will be held tomorrow afternoon at Zuleger's, in South Scranton, for the purpose of reorganizing the City Bowling League for a second series of games.

Representatives from the Becker alleys, in West Scranton, and the Auditorium alleys, in North Scranton, will be present to urge that teams from these alleys be taken into the league. It is probable that they will be admitted into the league, and that the Backus and Elks teams, from the Northeastern league, will also be taken in.

The captains of five of the teams in the City Bowling league met and defeated a picked team from North



"BILLY" HOPKINS, Second High Man of the Northeastern Pennsylvania Bowling League.

Scranton on Zuleger's alleys last night. The bowling was very poor on both sides. The score:

Table with columns: Name, Pins, Total. Lists players like Meister, Bircher, Roll, Jones, Lloyd, Henry, Edwards, Thomas, Davis, High scores, Davis, 179.

A match between the Backus and Back Diamond teams for the championship of the Northeastern league will be rolled some time next week and should attract a big crowd.

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M'LEOD-M'ILLIAN MATCH.

It will be a great exhibition of Wrestling Skill. When McLeod and McMillan meet next Monday night at the Scranton Bicycle club house, it is expected that a contest in which unusual skill will be exhibited will be witnessed.

GRANTED A DIVORCE. Mrs. Kate E. Lewis Secures a Separation from Her Husband.

Before Judge E. C. Newcomb and a jury, yesterday, the divorce case of Mrs. Kate E. Lewis against William E. Lewis was tried. After the divorce proceedings were begun, Lewis demanded a jury trial, and then left this community and has remained away from it ever since.

The testimony yesterday was to the effect that Lewis abused her and threatened to kill her, and that he had been improperly intimate with Mrs. Edith Hoskins, A. Mr. and Mrs. Hunt, of West Scranton, testified that Lewis had taken this woman to his place one night and introduced her as his wife.

L. P. Williams, by whom Lewis was employed as an insurance agent, testified that Lewis had confessed to him relations with the Hoskins woman.

The trial of the case of M. D. Brown & Co. against Mary A. Sweeney, executrix, was concluded before Judge Newcomb yesterday morning and a verdict of \$1,024.50 returned in favor of the plaintiffs.

When court adjourned the case of Louis Tedesco against the Guardia Rome society, of Old Forge, was on trial. Tedesco was a member of the society and said he was ill from February 24 to April 7, and sued to recover benefits at the rate of \$1 per week.

In the main court room, before Judge Kelly, the case of Frank Pierce against George Coppertwaite, a wage claim, went to the jury in the morning, but the jury did not agree until after court adjourned in the afternoon.

All of yesterday was consumed in No. 3, where Judge Simonton is presiding, but that particular case of F. P. Smythe against Edgar Wilson. At the close of the day, practically all of the evidence was in, and the case will go to the jury this morning.

COURT HOUSE NEWS NOTES.

In the estate of Arnold L. Ward, late of this city, letters of administration were yesterday granted to Attorney Henry Harding.

G. W. Ellis registered yesterday as a student-teacher in the state of New York.

COURT TO SETTLE DISPUTE. Witness Clerk Matter to be Called to Its Attention.

It was decided yesterday to allow the court to say whether the witness clerk shall be employed in the county commissioners' or in controllers' office.

BASE BALL NOTES. Two weeks from today the first exhibition game of the season will be played at Athletic park, between the Scranton and the Pittston Brothers team.

Roger Gordon, center fielder of the Scranton club, has left his home at Bancroft, Mich., for the East. He will stop over a few days at Conning, N. Y., before reporting here for duty.

Moses Roberson Hanged. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Jacksonville, Fla., April 4.—Moses Roberson, a negro, was hanged here today. He killed Deputy Sheriff Jenkins at Pablo Beach, Fla., several months ago.

MARRIED.

WHOLEY-HOWE.—At the home of the bride's mother in La Plaine, April 3, 1902, by Rev. J. N. Lee, Mr. Fred E. Wholey, of Factoryville, to Miss Pearl C. Howe, of La Plaine.

GRAND AND PETIT JURORS

DRAWN BY SHERIFF AND JURY COMMISSIONER.

The Grand Jurors Will Meet on Monday, May 5, to Pass Upon the Cases That Will be Brought Before Them—The Petit Jurors Will Serve During the Two Weeks' Term of Criminal Court Which Begins on Monday, June 2.

Grand Jurors, Monday, May 5. Lawrence Howard, laborer, Olyphant. Patrick McCaffrey, miner, Scranton.

Petit Jurors, Monday, June 2. John McHugh, student, Dunmore. John W. Clouse, blacksmith, Moscow.

G. M. Lewis, mason, Scott. P. J. Phyllis, school director, Minooka. Joseph L. Davis, miner, Olyphant. W. J. Stevens, farmer, North Abington.

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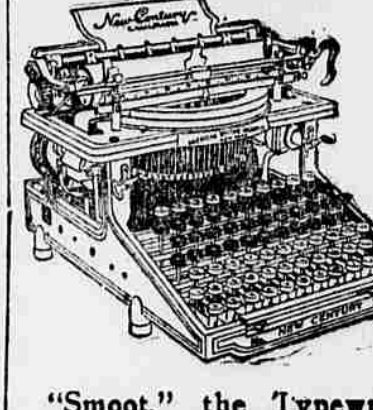
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Turquoise Stone Pins, brooch and belt, 25c value. Saturday special..... 13c
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