

The News of Carbondale.

TO PROVIDE WORK FOR STRIKING MINERS

Select Council Hurdles Ordinance Providing for One-third of a Mile of Sewer, in Order to Help Idle Men—Will Meet Again This Evening—Complaining Citizens Given a Hearing—Other Matters in Council.

As a means of providing work for some of the hundreds of idle miners in Carbondale, select council last evening hurried through two readings the ordinance...

Select council will meet again this evening to pass the ordinance on final reading, in order to expedite its journey to the mayor for his signature.

The ordinance was passed through its two readings on motion of Mr. Mannion, seconded by Mr. Humphrey.

Mr. Humphrey, however, wanted to be certain that there were founds to carry out the proposed improvements.

"You know," he said, "we have been paying a lot of bills on wind; and it would be well for us to know what we're doing."

The sewers, which are a part of the year's schedule, are located as follows:

On Ninth avenue, from Wyoming to Terrace street, 15 inch pipe, 140 feet.

On Terrace street, from Ninth to Eleventh avenue, 15 inch pipe, 425 feet.

On Belmont street, surface sewer, extending from Maple avenue to point near E. T. Corby's property, 8 inch pipe.

From Belmont street, extending through or along land of Watt Bros. and Scarry; 15 inch pipe, 135 feet.

On Belmont street, from Clark to Reynolds avenue, 15 inch pipe, 425 feet.

From Belmont street, near city line, to Lackawanna river; 24 inch pipe, 150 feet.

Through Porter property, on Birkett street, to Atkinson property, on Belmont street; 12 inch pipe, 150 feet.

On Archbald street, from near Tenth avenue to Eighth avenue; 12 inch pipe, 45 feet.

Complaints of Taxpayers. This seemed to be citizens' night in council, for the greater part of the evening was given over to listening to complaints from taxpayers.

Owen H. Loftus, of Seventh avenue, by his presentation of the troubles which property owners on Seventh avenue, between Main and Church streets, suffer from, succeeded in having the matter referred to City Engineer Kupp, with instructions that he make the necessary changes to correct what trouble exists.

Mr. Loftus reported that after every rain storm the properties on the east side of the avenue are flooded; the cellars are damp for weeks, and the dampness has been the cause of sickness in his family.

City Engineer Kupp explained to the council that the trouble was due to two causes. Seventh avenue, at this point, is the lowest place in the city, causing water to be back up Main street, and the drain pipe, which was an old one, was too small to carry off the water.

The remedy he proposed was the extension of an 18-inch pipe to the sewer basin. This council left to the care of the city engineer, who will take up the work at once.

School Controller P. F. Hughes, who was a spectator at the meeting, took occasion to make an earnest appeal to Delaware and Hudson tracks between the Lookout crossing and the Powderly line. This was for the accommodation and safety of the children who attended No. 4 school, and who are now obliged to cross the tracks, between these points, often being obliged to go over and between trains of coal cars that fill the yard at this point.

Mr. Hughes suggested that the crossing be established near McDonough's store. The property owners at this point, he said, were willing to surrender enough land to make an open roadway, provided councils stand the expense of grading, etc.

night and explained that he and Mr. Toolan had consulted an attorney, Ira H. Burns, of Scranton, and had been advised that the city of Carbondale was responsible for the damage caused by the flooding, and not the Delaware and Hudson company as suggested by City Solicitor Stuart.

Mr. Collins held that the city was liable since it lowered the Brooklyn bridge and narrowed the abutments. This choked the channel, causing the stream to leap over the embankment and flood the abutting properties.

The complaint and suggestions were referred to the street committee, the city solicitor and city engineer, with instructions to visit the scene of the flooding in order to formulate a report to be presented at a later meeting.

The routine business disposed of was as follows: Resolutions disposing of the Waterfield and Nicol sewer disputes. Adopted.

Resolution granting use of assessor's books to school board. Concurred.

Changing hydrant from Mooney property to corner Woodland and Delaware avenues. Concurred.

This Barret ordinance for a fire hydrant at Fallbrook and Scott streets passed two readings.

The Mannion resolution directing bids be advertised for lighting the city hall, Columbia and Mitchell houses, was adopted; also that \$18.45 paid by Patrick Duffy for widening Hospital street be refunded.

The bills ordered paid by common council were approved.

MRS. L. A. BASSETT'S BOOK. "Judith's Garden" Having a Big Sale Throughout Country.

It will be a source of satisfaction and pride to Carbondalians to learn that the latest literary production of one of the town's most esteemed residents is being flatteringly welcomed in the library centres of the country.

This refers to Mrs. L. A. Bassett's "Judith's Garden," which has won new friends for the authoress since copies reached the city.

"It is an exquisite, delicious, charming book, as fresh as new-mown hay, as fragrant as the odors from the garden of the gods. It is the story of a garden with three characters in the narrative—the woman, the man, and the garden; and the latter is a character that assumes distinct personality. The woman is delicate and refined and witty and interesting. The man is Irish, funny, original, happy, a delicious and perfect foil to the woman. His brogue is stunning, and his wit infectious and fetching. The garden is quite all right. There is movement in the book. Life is abundant, and it attracts. It is a book that will catch the interest of every lover of the novel, and their names legion—and will delight and comfort every reader. In make-up the book marks a distinct advance in typography, illustration, and binding. The spirit of the narrative is preserved in the delicate drawings and superb page borders."

INTEREST IN BABY SHOW. Efforts of Ladies' Guild Promise to Be Quite Successful.

Interest is increasing in the baby show which will be held at Trinity parish house from 2 until 6 o'clock Thursday evening. It is certain that a rare opportunity will be provided to see and admire all the cutest and most interesting babies in Carbondale; and it is certain, too, that a multitude will take advantage of this opportunity. The admission will be but 10 cents.

The babes eligible are all those under two years. Mesdames Stephen Whitmore, W. J. Baker and J. D. Stocker, all of Jermyn, will be the judges. No resident of Carbondale will have any will in the awarding of the prizes. This removes any possibility of interest or partiality.

How the prizes will be awarded is cleverly told by Mrs. N. H. Hiller, of Laurel street, as follows: On Thursday, June nineteenth, from three to six p. m., a baby show is planned for you. And prizes cute for them.

One for the fattest baby. Our scales are good and true. And one for the prettiest sweetheart. Does it not belong to you?

A prize for twins will be given. The mother should be proud. While for each little darling present. A souvenir is allowed.

"This all to be in the parish house, attendance but one dime. Two years or under the babies must be. We promise you a good time.

FORMER RESIDENT INJURED. Dangerous Condition of Edward Corby, Now of Scranton.

Edward Corby, son of E. T. Corby, a former resident of this city, now of Scranton, received a bad injury on Tuesday last. He was playing on the sidewalk in front of his home when he fell. Dr. Ely who is in attendance, thinks that the lad has concussion of the brain.

E. T. Corby, the boy's father, worked on the Carbondale Herald when it was in circulation and when that discontinued he was employed on the News. He was popularly known as "Tom" Corby.

FUNERAL OF MRS. MURPHY. Long Funeral Procession Follows Deceased to Grave.

The long funeral procession of friends who followed the late Mrs. B. J. Murphy to her sleeping place in St. Rose cemetery yesterday forenoon, amply attested the esteem in which the deceased was held in this community, and it bespoke the sorrow of many a heart endeared to the departed woman, whose Christian charity and sunshine won every one who came close to her.

A solemn high mass of requiem was sung in St. Rose church, with Rev. John B. White, of Denver, Col., nephew to the deceased, celebrant; Rev. Edward Devine, of Baltimore, Md., sub-deacon. Very Rev. E. Father Coffey delivered the sermon, in the course of which he dwelt on the exemplary life of the deceased.

At the grave the priest intoned the Benediculus from the canticle of Zachary.

The pall-bearers were John Malloy, Patrick McCabe, John Duffy, James Morrissey and Patrick Brown, of this city, and Edward Beard, of Honesdale.

Father McCabe, of Auburn; Father O'Byrne, of Scranton; Father Holmes, of Towanda, and Father Dixon and Father Gorman, of this city, were with-in the sanctuary during the mass.

DOG POISONER ABROAD. His Nefarious Work Destroys Valuable Canine of Dr. W. A. Spencer.

The nefarious work of indiscriminate distributing poison about for the purpose of killing dogs is being secretly carried on by some one.

The criminal mission of the guilty one, as usual, has affected dogs other than the ones perhaps which he endeavored to destroy. It might have been the intention of the poisoner to lessen the number of cures and, consequently, a nuisance, particularly by their howling yelping during the lonely hours of the night; but such an intention was not realized in one case at least.

Dr. W. A. Spencer's high bred dog came across the nose of the poisoned stuff, ate it and died some time after in great agony. The canine was valued at \$100, and cannot be duplicated hereabouts.

The poisoner, whoever he may be, is amenable to prosecution; a fact which is being borne in mind by the police who are on the alert for the dog hater and destroyer.

MARTIN DUFFY'S CASE. He Is in a Dangerous Condition Due to Attack of Appendicitis.

Martin Duffy, of Fallbrook street, a life-long resident of Carbondale, with a host of friends throughout the city, is in a dangerous condition at Emergency hospital.

Sunday Duffy was hurried to the hospital and hastened to the operating room where he was operated on for the removal of his appendix. Tuesday he was stricken and the disease spread so rapidly that when it was decided to remove him to the hospital he was in a desperate condition. It was an heroic move to avert a fatal end.

Last night he showed no increase of unfavorable symptoms. However, he is not out of danger, as the intestines are badly involved. The result of the attack cannot be foretold for a few days, though there is reason for some hope for his recovery.

FOR DISTRICT PRESIDENT. John W. Grant, of Jermyn, Hustling Candidacy Among Total Abstinence.

John W. Grant, of Jermyn, has made known his candidacy for president of this district of the Catholic Total Abstinence union of the Scranton diocese.

Mr. Grant has not only made known his candidacy, but has begun the preliminary work leading to his election in characteristically vigorous fashion. Mr. Grant comes before the delegates of the district as one of the most earnest and persevering among the total abstinence workers of the several societies. His voice has often been heard in conventions and his presence has always been a helpful factor. His acquaintance does not exclude a single member of the district, and his fellow-workers of the press see no reason why he cannot be predicted as a winner.

NOVEL ENTERTAINMENT. Will Be Offered at Ladies' Aid Social Tomorrow Afternoon.

The last of the Aid society socials, which the Presbyterian ladies have had, will be held at the home of Mrs. Percy Briggs at her home, on Jackson hill, tomorrow afternoon, commencing at 3 o'clock.

A rather novel form of entertainment is being prepared. All ladies are cordially invited. Refreshments will be served. The entire cost will be a nickel.

DR. WILLIAM NEALON. William A. Nealon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Nealon, of Pike street, will be graduated as a doctor of medicine at the University of Pennsylvania exercises in Philadelphia tomorrow.

Dr. Nealon won honors in his class, and after his graduation will go to Pittsburg to assume the duties of house surgeon of St. Francis hospital. The numerous friends of Dr. Nealon in Carbondale will rejoice in his success and will extend wishes for continued success in his profession.

THE PASSING THROG. H. A. Flynn, of Wilkes-Barre, was in town yesterday.

TAYLOR. Abner Griffiths, a resident of West Graham, was the victim of a stroke yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davenport of South Taylor, attended the obsequies of the late Christopher Matthewson, at Factoryville.

Children's Day was most fittingly observed at the First English Congregational church on Sunday last. The exercises took the place of the regular evening service, and an excellent programme consisting of singing, recitations, etc., was delightfully rendered, much to the delight of the audience present.

The decoration of the pulpit platform was very elaborate. During the exercises the pastor, Rev. Butland, gave a sermon which was very instructive to the young and the old.

The Taylor Hose company and Century Hose company No. 2, will play the second round of their series of the latter part of this week. The former company has won one game, and one more is all that is necessary to win the championship.

Misses Daisy Sweet and Margaret Williams spent the Sabbath as guests of friends in Moscow.

Mrs. Thomas Peacock, of Paxton, Ill., is visiting her brother, W. H. Davenport, and family, of South Main street.

Misses Grace Davenport and Margaret Jenkins visited friends in West Pittston, yesterday.

Patrick Dolgan and family, of North Taylor, attended the funeral of his sister at Wyoming, yesterday.

Mrs. W. J. Hoskins, sr., and daughter, Olga, of Atherton street, are visiting relatives in Edwardsville.

Miss Lizzie Davis, of Railroad street, visited friends in West Scranton yesterday.

Misses W. J. Thomas and Albert Williams will leave for Bronshoro today.

David Davis, of West Scranton, visited relatives in town yesterday.

OLYPHANT. Mr. and Mrs. William Collier, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nealon, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lyons and Miss Mary Lyons attended the funeral of John Lyons at Archbald yesterday.

John Watkins has been elected a delegate to attend the quarterly convention of the Congregational church at Spring Brook next Sunday.

Miss Anna Douger, of Wilkes-Barre, was guest of Miss Sadie O'Malley over Sunday.

Misses Nettie Bertley and Mame Thomas left yesterday for New York to sail tomorrow for Europe for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Levy, of New York, returned home yesterday after a visit with relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Smith, of Jermyn, were the guests of Burgess and Mrs. A. D. Haines on Sunday.

Mrs. P. J. Lavelle, of South Scranton, visited Mrs. Ellen Murphy, of Dunmore street, Sunday.

E. N. Ferguson is spending a few days at Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Jones, of Edwardsville, who have been visiting relatives in town, returned home yesterday.

Miss Isabel Rafter, of South Scranton, spent Sunday at the residence of James McNulty on Dunmore street.

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Scranton's Shopping Center. Of course we pay full prices for labor, or we couldn't get or keep the best employees. But after this point our business costs are probably the smallest, proportionately, of any store in town.

Women's Underclothes. Reopening of the White Sale. If you come in as great flocks as yesterday and the day before, you mustn't expect the variety to hold out.

What you will find are sheer nainsooks and cambric, in very summery and pretty styles. We omit details today—other news must be told; but the variety is still good.

\$1 Silk Grenadines 50c. Never in the world would it sell for so little if the line of colors were complete. But some are gone entirely, and the rest must follow. Still a good assortment.

This stuff with its loose, open, wiry mesh makes as cool a summer dress as anyone wants.

Tents for the Children. Lawn tents made of good strong duck—just the thing for the boys and girls to romp in and have a good time in the yard these hot summer days.

Size, 5 ft. x 5 ft., white.....\$2.75 | Size, 7 ft. x 7 ft., white.....\$4.00 | Size, 5 ft. x 5 ft., colored stripes.. 4.00 | Size, 7 ft. x 7 ft., colored stripes.. 5.50

A pole and sufficient number of stakes go with each tent. Easy to set up.

Connolly & Wallace

A special committee had previously been appointed, who made the favorable report. The franchise provides for the building of a trolley line through the principal streets within the borough limits. The construction shall begin on or before July 1, 1902.

Several Athens people are interested with the townwardians in the proposed road, and it is stated that plans are to connect with the trolley road at Athens, and at Waverly.

The unveiling and dedication of a beautiful monument was celebrated at Athens on Saturday, before a large gathering of people from the surrounding vicinity. It was dedicated and unveiled to the remembrance of the brave heroes who defended their country and its flag.

On the front of the monument is this inscription: "Pro Patria et Libertate." Presented to the Township of Athens, Bradford County, by Joseph Whipple and Charlotte Snell Sticker, of Orange, New Jersey.

The services on this memorable event were participated in by a large number of the old comrades of the county. The parade was also made up of the fire companies from Waverly, Athens and Sayre, and several bands enlivened the occasion.

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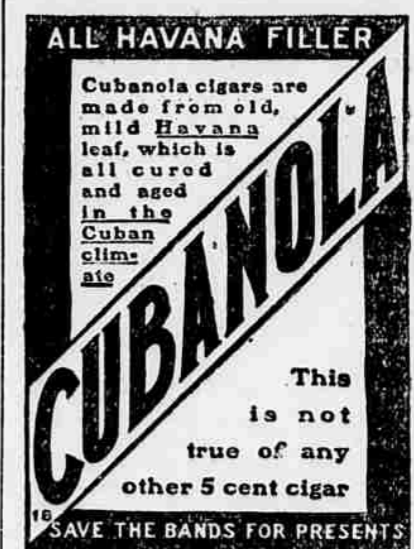
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Meldrum, Scott & Co. 126 WYOMING AVE. A Dainty Gown FOR \$1.75.

An item of interest, isn't it? An actual fact, though, for every piece of cotton goods in the store has been marked down for our Summer Dress Goods Sale.

One small lot of Foulards, sold at... 15c the yard, Regular 35c goods.

Batiste, Swiss and Dimity; dainty, new and exclusive designs, yd. 12c

Black and white striped Dimity, yd. 12c

Ox-blood Gingham, stripe and plaid, yd. 8c

French Percales, all styles, full patterns, per yard... 12c

Quality, value and satisfaction comprise the motive power in our business.

Proceeding Against the Manhattan. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. New York, June 16.—Police Magistrate Seller on application of District Attorney Jerome, issued a summons this afternoon directed against the Manhattan Elevated Railroad company, returnable on June 23. The railway company is charged with burying soft coal in violation of the sanitary code.