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PERSONALS.

School Controller B. T. Jayne is home from a fishing trip to Lake Poyntelle.

Dr. John O'Connell, of Philadelphia, formerly of Carbondale, was a Scranton visitor Saturday.

William Morrow, of England, has been visiting his niece, Miss Morrow, and other friends in Tripp park.

Dr. and Mrs. Scanlon spent yesterday at the guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. F. O'Malley at Harvey's lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Slato, of North Lincoln avenue, have returned from a two weeks' visit to Lake Ariel.

Miss Amanda Carr, of Webster avenue, left at midnight for Michigan, having been called there by the serious illness of a relative.

Miss Dora Robinson, of Clark's Green, who has been the guest of Miss Ida Lewis, of North Hyde Park avenue, has returned home.

John Mahoney, of Little Rock, Ark., is the guest of his mother at her home on Pittston avenue. He was away from this city twenty-four years.

Mrs. J. H. Fisher, of this city, and her guests, Mrs. Charles Hays, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. M. E. Summers, of Wilkes-Barre, are at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Fowler and daughter, Helen and Florence, of Jackson street, have returned from a trip to Albany and the Hudson river.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thayer, of South Irving avenue, have returned from an extended visit with relatives in Hamburg, Buffalo, also trip to Crystal Beach, Canada, and Niagara Falls.

The Messrs. Beatrice and Henrietta Dalton, of Adams avenue, leave today for Dalton, where they will spend the summer. Their governess, Miss Smith, of Philadelphia, accompanies them.

SIXTH WARD LOSES ONE MEMBER

REAPPOINTMENT OF COMMON COUNCILMEN.

Committee Met Saturday and Framed Its Report but Agreed to Withhold It for a Month Out of Deference to the Representatives from the Sixth Who Are Striving to Secure a Re-canvas of the Ward—Fifteenth Ward Gains the Member That Its Neighbor Loses.

Formal appointment of the representation in common council was made Saturday under the provisions of the second class city charter. The number of members remain at thirty-eight, but the representation of the Sixth and Fifteenth wards is changed, the former losing and the latter gaining one member.

The law provides that the apportionment shall be made by a committee of three commoners and two selectmen on the basis of resident taxables returned by the city assessors on or before July 1. The whole number of resident taxables, it is provided shall be divided by 40 and the quotient shall be the number determining the representation. Each ward shall have at least one member. A ward having resident taxables equal to this quotient plus a three-fifths fraction of the quotient shall be entitled to two members. A ward having resident taxables equal to twice the quotient, plus three-fifths of the quotient shall be entitled to three members and so on.

NUMBER OF TAXABLES. According to the returns of the assessors, Scranton has 22,760 resident taxables. The basic quotient is therefore 569. Three-fifths of this is 416. To be entitled to two councilmen a ward must have at least 1,100 resident taxables. To be entitled to three councilmen the number would have to be twice 694 plus 416 or 1,804.

The Sixth ward was found to be six short of the number entitling it to two members as at present. The Fifteenth ward showed a good growth during the year and was found entitled to two members instead of one as at present.

The apportionment committee, after formally making the apportionment, has no further duty in the premises except to make a report to the common council. There is no provision in the law for reviewing the report, as the work of the committee is only a matter of simple arithmetic; neither is there any provision for going back of the returns of the assessors; in fact there is an infernal prohibition against this in the clause specifying that the returns on which the compilation shall be based must be the returns of July 1 or previous thereto.

Selectman Regan and Commoners Calpin and McGroovy, of the Sixth ward, are protesting vigorously against having the representation of their ward decreased and are alleging that instead of showing a falling off in the number of resident taxables in their ward should show an increase over last year. They are demanding that the assessors make a new canvass of the resident taxables of their ward and threaten that, if it is not done, they will do in court towards securing a revision is not stated, and members of the apportionment committee declare they have no authority to interfere in the matter.

CAREFULLY COMPILED.

The city assessors assert that their returns were carefully compiled and are as correct as it is possible for such returns to be. They have made no formal reply, as yet, to the demand for a re-canvas of the Sixth, but do not hesitate to declare they can not see why it should be done. They are satisfied the returns are correct, and have sworn to their correctness. To agree to make a re-count would be equivalent to admitting that they swore to the correctness of something they weren't sure was correct.

Chairman Paine, of the apportionment committee, declares there is no legal or other reason for making a re-canvas of the Sixth or any other ward. Out of deference to the Sixth ward representatives, however, the committee decided to postpone making its formal report to council for a month.

MORRISSEY IN THE CITY.

Grand Master of the Trainmen Visits Local Organization. P. H. Morrissey, of Galesburg, Ill., grand master of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, was in the city yesterday, in company with A. F. Duffy, of Hinghamton, N. Y., chairman of the brotherhood's general committee on the Lackawanna system. They attended a meeting of Moses Taylor lodge of the trainmen at A. O. U. W. hall in the afternoon, and later conferred at Hotel Jermyn, where Mr. Morrissey was stopping. They left together for Hinghamton on the midnight train.

Mr. Morrissey said there was nothing of public interest attached to his visit. When asked concerning the relations between the trainmen and the striking miners, Mr. Morrissey said the miners had as yet made no call on the trainmen for assistance of any kind, and until a call was made, he, of course, could not say what the trainmen would be likely to do.

ANSWER NOT RECEIVED.

Street Car Men Postpone Action Until Tuesday. The executive committee of Division 168, of the Street Railway Employees and the Central Labor union met, Saturday night, to receive General Manager Silliman's answer to the ultimatum submitted by the street car men. President Shea reported that General Manager Silliman had sent word that he had not yet heard from President Clark but would hear from him before Tuesday, by which time the answer would be forthcoming.

The committee discussed the situation at length and adjourned until Tuesday without taking any action.



Wonderful Progress of a Child Aged Six.

Scranton, April 22, 1902.

Dear Sir:—It gives me great pleasure to note the wonderful progress my little daughter, Verna, aged six, has made in the short time she has studied at the Conservatory. I had doubts as to the desirability of having young children study the piano; but her progress far exceeds our expectations and I want to thank you for the kindly interest of yourself and faculty, and assure you of my intentions to have her continue under your tuition.

Yours truly, J. H. BISHOP.

"Description of Courses" in New Prospectus

THIRTEENTH RETURNS.

Arrived in the City from Camp Saturday Night After a Long and Tedious Ride.

Tired and exhausted, after a long and wearisome day's journey from Gettysburg, the Thirteenth regiment arrived in the city Saturday night. The first section of the train, bearing the commissioned officers and the greater number of companies reached the Delaware and Hudson station at 10:15 o'clock, and the other section came in about half an hour later, with the non-commissioned staff, a few stragglers, and portion of the baggage.

The homeward trip was just as monotonous and tiresome as the journey from here, Friday, July 11. It took almost fourteen hours, despite the fact that expectations were entertained of the trains reaching here in time for the men to eat supper in their own homes.

The regiment was aroused at 4 o'clock Saturday morning, by the bugler sounding the first call, and half an hour later, every man in camp was upon his feet, industriously engaged in getting his baggage ready for the wagons which were to convey it to the waiting box cars.

The passenger coaches for the Thirteenth were scheduled to leave at 7:45 o'clock, while the Ninth regiment of Wilkes-Barre was due to leave at 7 o'clock. Colonel Dougherty and his Luzerne warriors found their train awaiting them, when they marched down to the siding, but when the Thirteenth arrived, all in readiness for the day's traveling, they had to wait forty minutes before the passenger train's whistle was heard.

The Philadelphia and Reading was pursued as far as Allentown, which was reached at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. An exasperating wait had to be endured here, while the train was divided into two sections, and Lehigh Valley engines affixed. The latter road was then pursued, as far as Avoca, where the two sections were switched to the Delaware and Hudson.

There was another long wait here, and many of the men took advantage of it, by leaving the train and indulging with the big crowd of Avocans, who were out to welcome the regiment home. Colonel L. A. Waters and Lieutenant Colonel P. W. Stillwell were both with the first section, and when they arrived at the Delaware and Hudson station the men were met by their companies and marched to the Armory, where they deposited their equipment. Major George Whitney, of Honesdale, was in charge of the second section.

The last days of camp were quiet and uneventful. A pleasant occurrence marked the end of his first week as captain, for the new commander of Company K, Will Gould. Captain Gould's men presented him with a souvenir of the encampment, in the form of a handsome silk cushion, upon which were worked a picture of the historic battle of the Gettysburg, Thursday night, Major A. E. Keller duplicated Major Frank Robling's "pink tea" of the previous night and entertained a number of the regiment's officers.

This year's camp is universally conceded to be one of the most pleasant ever spent by the regiment, and was considered from every standpoint was a very successful week. The general health was excellent, the work in drilling and inspection beyond expectations, and even the weather was of a character with which not the least fault could be discovered.

TALK OF LABOR CANDIDATES.

Central Labor Union is Now Canvassing This Matter. Talk of the advisability of running labor candidates for the legislature in all four Lackawanna districts, occupied a good part of yesterday's session of the Central Labor union. The matter is being thoroughly canvassed and at each meeting it will be discussed. Final action in the matter will hardly be taken, the leaders say, until late in September. Sentiment is divided on the question, but a majority, it is claimed, favors the idea.

The street car men's case was reported upon and National Committee-man C. O. Pratt, of Cleveland, made an address.

The meeting adjourned at 3:30, and the union marched in a body to Guernsey hall to hear Rev. Thomas B. Payne's address on "Capital and Labor." The question of Labor day celebration was brought up for discussion, and it was decided to have a parade of the local unions and trades troupe during the morning. An excursion will be run to Lake Ariel in the afternoon.

ASKS \$5,000 DAMAGES.

E. Weiss Files Statement Against Alleged Assaultants. An action in trespass was instituted in court by E. Weiss, of South Washington avenue, Saturday, through attorney George Hort, against Morris Wint and Samuel, Harry and Edward Jurkavitz, who, he alleges, assaulted him, June 24, and inflicted serious injuries upon him. Weiss asks \$5,000 damages.

Weiss alleges in the statement he filed Saturday that he has been incapacitated from attending to his business affairs and, moreover, compelled to expend a large sum of money for medical treatment, since the date of the assault.

NINE WORKERS MADE RETURNS

THREE OF THEM ADVANCED IN THEIR POSITIONS.

Fred Kibler, Went Up Five Places and Miss Harpur and Elmer Williams Two Each—Complete Standing of Every Contestant Who Has Scored Since the Contest Began. What Has Been Done Since July 1.

Standing of Contestants

1. Charles Burns, Vandling	449
2. A. J. Kellerman, Scranton	344
3. Oscar H. Kipp, Elmhurst	333
4. Fred K. Gunster, Green Ridge	297
5. Wm. T. S. Rodriguez, Scranton	264
6. Herbert Thompson, Carbondale	227
7. Albert Freedman, Bellevue	221
8. Maxwell Shepherd, Carbondale	177
9. Chas. W. Dorsey, Scranton	108
10. L. E. Stanton, Scranton	94
11. Wm. Sherwood, Hartford	79
12. Homer Kresge, Hyde Park	61
13. J. A. Havenstrite, Moscow	60
14. Harry Madden, Scranton	58
15. Miss Beatrice Harpur, Thompson	49
16. Frank B. McCreary, Hallstead	44
17. William Cooper, Priceburg	38
18. Grant M. Decker, Hallstead	37
19. Leo Culver, Springville	37
20. Hec Culver, Springville	33
21. Walter Hallstead, Scranton	27
22. Harry Danvers, Providence	25
23. Louis McCusker, Park Place	23
24. Hugh Johnston, Forest City	23
25. Miss Jane Matthewson, Factoryville	19
26. Fred Kibler, South Scranton	19
27. C. C. Clark, Parkville	18
28. Louis Gere, Brooklyn	18
29. Miss Edna Coleman, Scranton	18
30. John Mackie, Providence	16
31. Elmer Williams, Elmhurst	16
32. Eddie Morris, South Scranton	15
33. Thomas Dempsey, Olyphant	13

Nine contestants scored points on Saturday in The Tribune's Educational Contest, as follows: Miss Beatrice Harpur, of Thompson, 9; Oscar H. Kipp, of Elmhurst, 3; Charles Burns, of Vandling, 2; Fred Kibler, of South Scranton, 4; Elmer Williams, of Elmhurst, 3; Miss Vivian Mickle, of Scranton, 1; Charles Dorsey, of Scranton, 5; and A. J. Kellerman, of Scranton, 5.

As a result Miss Harpur is advanced one position, passing Frank McCreary, of Hallstead; Fred Kibler goes up five places from the thirty-first and Elmer Williams helps himself up over the heads of two competitors.

Besides those whose names are published in the above table the following contestants have scored points: 34. Don C. Capwell, Scranton, 11; 35. Miss Mary Yeager, Green Ridge, 10; 36. Walter Ellis, Hyde Park, 8; 37. Emmanuel Buel, Hyde Park, 7; 38. Miss Vivian Mickle, Scranton, 7; 39. Charles O'Boyle, Scranton, 6; 40. Miss Nellie Avery, Scranton, 5; 41. Henry Collins, Kizers, 4; 42. Joseph Newman, Bellevue, 3; 43. Edgar Wilson, Jr., Scranton, 2; 44. Miss May Brown, Nicholson, 2; 45. R. D. Dorsey, Scranton, 1; 46. George Knickerbocker, Elmhurst, 1. The standing of the ten contestants who have scored the largest number of points in July follows:

Leading Contestants for July.

First Prize—Birdseye Maple Writing Desk.
Second Prize—Waterman Gold Fountain Pen.
1. C. W. Dorsey, 50
2. Albert Freedman, 49
3. A. J. Kellerman, 44
4. Herbert Thompson, 44
5. Maxwell Shepherd, 38
6. Fred Kibler, 37
7. Miss Beatrice Harpur, 37
8. Charles Burns, 33
9. Frank B. McCreary, 27
10. Elmer Williams, 25

The other contestants who have scored points since July 1 are: 11. Miss Mary Yeager, 10; 12. L. E. Stanton, 9; 13. Louis Gere, 8; 14. William H. Sherwood, 6; 15. Hendrick Adams, 6; 16. Miss Edna Coleman, 6; 17. Homer Kresge, 6; 18. J. A. Havenstrite, 5; 19. Oscar H. Kipp, 5; 20. Henry E. Collins, 4; 21. Hugh Johnston, 4.

Almost Given Away.

Tomorrow's Tribune will tell you what a small amount of money will do. See "Griffin's Art Shop."

BOYS FINED \$2 APIECE.

They Created Trouble in Rev. McVeigh's Gospel Tent.

Michael Wier and John Quinn, two young boys living in Pine Brook, were fined \$2 a piece by Magistrate Howe in police court yesterday morning, on the charge of disorderly conduct. This consisted in the stoning of Rev. McVeigh, an itinerant pastor, who conducted gospel services in a tent opposite the armory, Friday night.

On a number of occasions young boys have interfered with the services, and Friday night the minister went to the rear of the tent and ordered a number of lads, who were making loud remarks and behaving boisterously, to leave the tent.

They did so, but one of them threw a large stone at him, as he left the tent, and struck him a terrific blow over the eye. Rev. McVeigh notified the police, who arrested Wier and Quinn. Wier's father resisted arrest, and when arranged in police court, Saturday morning, insulted the court. He was fined \$20, \$10 for contempt of court and \$10 for resisting arrest. Rev. McVeigh could not identify either of the boys as having thrown the stone, but knew they were both in the crowd.

NEW BUILDING ASSOCIATION.

Has Been Chartered by a Number of Scrantonians.

The new Citizens' Building and Loan association, of Scranton, was incorporated at Harrisburg last week. The incorporators are Henry J. Ziegler, T. J. Snowden, Robert P. Koehler, William Delke, H. T. Harder, R. A. Zimmerman, and other well-known Building and Loan association men.

A new feature has been introduced into this association in the matter of the reduction of premiums, heretofore paid by the borrower. This association proposes to loan money at the rate of \$10 per month for \$1,000. It has also reduced its fines from 2 per cent to 1 per cent. Its offices are at 501 Cedar avenue and 414 Board of Trade building.

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