

The News of Carbondale.

TRUANT OFFICER AND TEACHERS ELECTED

Joseph Mannion Re-elected to Bring in the Runaways—Misses Nellie Killen and Mabel Edwards Elected as Additional Teachers—Other Business of School Board.

Though it was only a fifteen minute session, the school board at its meeting last night disposed of two interesting and important matters.

Joseph Mannion was re-elected truant officer, while Miss Nellie Killen, of Brooklyn street, and Miss Mabel Edwards, of Park street, were the successful applicants for the teachers' positions.

Two teachers' applications were received as follows: Miss Retta Farrell, Forest City; Mrs. H. J. McCutcheon, Waymart. They were filed, as is customary with the board.

In the report of the building committee, presented by Mr. Hughes, it was made known that the damage caused by lightning striking the Farview street school last week, is estimated at \$350.

The committee was directed to have the repairs made by the school board.

The supply committee's report, awarding the yearly supplies contract for books, etc., to M. J. Geary, of Wilkes-Barre, for \$350, was accepted.

Miss Killen, one of the successful teacher applicants, is a graduate of West Chester Normal school, and up to June she taught in the public schools at Linwood, a suburb of Philadelphia.

Miss Edwards if a member of the Carbondale High school class of '20, and is also a graduate of Westchester Normal school.

COUNCILS CHANGE LIGHT CONTRACT

Mr. Humphrey, in Select, Has Ordinance Amended to Read Five Years for Electric Light and Three Years for Gas—Passes First Reading.

When the ordinance awarding the street lighting contract came up for first reading in select council last night, Mr. Humphrey, seconded by Mr. Davis, had the measure amended so as to change the contract from one year to five years on electric lighting and from one to three years on gas lighting.

The former covers the hose houses; the latter the city building. Mr. Humphrey's idea is to secure the lower rates following from a long-term contract.

Mr. Mannion raised the question of the legality of the change in the ordinance, but the measure passed first reading.

The special committee reported that Dr. M. E. Maulan's compensation for attending the Thompson smallpox cases was \$500; twenty-five days at \$20 per day. This was adopted.

Miss Davis, the nurse, will continue to be employed, at special compensation, until the next meeting.

CLOSED DURING STRIKE. Merchant John Reese Prudently Closes His Store Door.

John Reese, the well known merchant, closed his store in the Anthracite building on Sixth avenue, yesterday, and will remain closed during the strike.

There were no legal steps whatever associated with the suspension of his trade; it was merely a prudent move until the depression following the coal strike shall have been removed.

Mr. Reese has been meeting his obligations promptly every week, and declared that so soon as it became apparent that he could not do this he would not delve into credit and possibly endanger himself, but would close.

Accordingly, he did not open his store yesterday, save to pay his usual weekly accounts. Mr. Reese will re-open after the strike or as soon as trade prospects are brighter.

AT CRYSTAL LAKE

Camping Party and Other Carbondale Visitors at Pretty Resort.

A party of well known Carbondale young men left yesterday for Crystal lake filled with expectations of a delightful week of camp life.

The camp in the grove close to the lake's shores. The camp has been dedicated "Idle Hour Glen."

The camp is made up of Joseph Rosler, Frank Quinn, Steve Nealon and James Nealon, of this city, and John Godwin, of Scranton.

Fred Wagner and family, of the Belmont section, left yesterday for Newton lake, where they will spend a few weeks.

Common Councilman George Hobbs and family will join the Wagner family today and share the cottage with them.

The Crescents Base Ball Club, of Carbondale, and Port Jervis base ball club will play a match game at Lake Lodore, July 23, the day of Never-sink lodge, 253, E. of R. T. of Port Jervis, excursion.

The Brotherhood will run a special train out of Carbondale at 1:30 p. m., July 23. Fare, round trip, 50 cents.

THE BAND WILL PLAY.

And Their Playing Will Be in the Interest of an Ice Cream Festival and Lawn Party.

On Wednesday evening of this week, at the home of Mrs. Benjamin Dimock, on Robinson avenue, there is to be a lawn party and ice cream festival.

The invitation is to be under the auspices of Mrs. Estabrook's class of the Berean Baptist church. One of the attractions on that occasion is to be the music which will be furnished by the band, which is composed exclusively of members of the Patriotic Order Sons of America.

It is said that the event will prove to be an interesting social for old and young.

OBITUARY.

At noon yesterday Harry the 10-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Young, of Archbold street, died.

He was 4 months and 30 days old son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Walsh, of Greene street, succumbed Sunday afternoon, after a week's illness with whooping cough.

The funeral will be held this afternoon, burial to be made in St. Rose cemetery.

Mary, the 1 month and 11 days' old daughter of Thomas and Theresa Nelson, of Pike street, died Sunday of cholera infantum. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon, interment being in St. Rose cemetery.

The funeral of Milton McMillen was held yesterday afternoon, Rev. Charles Lae officiating. Interment was at Princeton.

Mr. Singer Out of Danger. Attorney Henry B. Singer, of New York city, who was operated on in New York city last week for the cure of appendicitis, is now out of danger and is making rapid progress along the road to good health.

Mr. Singer is a patient at the Memorial hospital, where the celebrated comedian, David Warfield, was operated on for appendicitis a few weeks ago.

Mr. Singer's encouraging rally will be given at the home of his friends in this city and Scranton, who were greatly concerned over his condition.

On Their Vacations. Poor Director John McCabe, his guest, Patrick McGuire, of Kansas City, Mo., and Hotel Keeper John E. Regan, of North Scranton, are on a week's sojourn at Liberty, N. Y.

Claude Oliver, clerk in the Pioneer City laundry, left yesterday for Seneca Falls, N. Y., where he will spend two weeks' vacation.

Rexford Lathrop, of Park street, is spending his vacation at Preston Park lodge.

Insurance Official Here. W. F. King, of Newark, N. J., was a caller at the local office of the Prudential Insurance company yesterday.

Mr. King is the division manager of this district and the local office yesterday afternoon he gave a very instructive talk to the numerous agents of the company in the section, from which they received many pointers which will prove a help to them in their field work, and particularly during the strike depression.

Social on Gilbert Street Tonight. Mrs. Solomons, assisted by her circle, will give an ice cream social at the residence of Mrs. James Smith, Gilbert street, this evening.

There will be a grandophone entertainment with some of our best local talent. The Bly Bros., Miss Watkins, Wilbur Morgan and others. All are invited to come and help the Berean Baptist church.

Taking a Practical Course. Messrs. Mallory and Russell Spencer have accepted positions in the shops of Carbondale Machine company. They will work there during their vacation, getting practical knowledge of machinery, which will help them later in life as they look into to be mechanical engineers.

Mallory is a student at the Stevens institute.

Train's Narrow Escape. A train headed by Engineer John Miles, of this city, narrowly escaped being wrecked early yesterday morning while trying to cross a temporary bridge at Phillips, N. Y., which had been erected to replace the roadway which had been washed away by the recent heavy rains.

Mr. Alexander Improving. "Jack" Alexander, of Forest City, one of the leading business men of that place, who was operated on at Dr. Wheeler's private hospital last week for the cure of appendicitis, is making a good recovery and it is expected he will be among his numerous friends before many weeks.

An Accidental Shooting. There was an accidental shooting reported from the South Side yesterday. A man named Grady was in the woods with his gun, when the gun he had discharged, the bullet striking the lad's body, but not seriously injuring him.

Position in Pittsburg. Clyde Davenport, a former resident of Carbondale, now of Pittsburg, is visiting friends in this city. Mr. Davenport left for Pittsburg some four months ago and has secured a lucrative position there.

THE PASSING THROG. Misses Marguerite Martin, of Dunmore, and Catherine Rooney, of Scranton, returned home yesterday, after a visit with Miss May Moffitt.

Rev. Anthony Cerruti, pastor of the Italian church, of Lake Lodore, where he assisted in services.

Robbie Harrington, who has been spending several months with friends in Carbondale, is visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Vanaman, of Belmont street.

Mrs. Coates will leave in a short time for London, where she will spend the summer.

Mrs. E. C. Ely left yesterday to spend several weeks at her parents' home in Brooklyn, Susquehanna county.

Miss Lillian Gallagher is home, after several days' visit with friends in Scranton.

Dr. John O'Connell, resident physician at St. Agnes hospital, Philadelphia, and Charles P. Connor, assistant clerk of the select council of the Quaker City, returned to their duties yesterday.

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town over Sunday, and on Saturday evening attended Rose lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, where he gave an interesting talk on work pertaining to the order.—Hawley Cor.

Misses Anna O'Connor and Louise Clark, of Providence, were the guests of Miss Carmel O'Hearn Sunday.

John E. Morgan, of Salem avenue, returned to his home after a pleasant visit in this city.

Dr. F. L. McGraw and sister, of Scranton, spent Sunday with his brother, Dr. W. H. McGraw, on Sixth avenue.

Miss Ford, of Elmira, N. Y., spent Sunday in this city.

Miss Margaret Cleary, of Dunmore, is the guest of Miss Mary Keough, on Hickory street.

James Boylan and sister, Jennie, of Susquehanna, spent Sunday with relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Clune, of New York city, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Kennedy, on South Main street, returned home Saturday.

Messrs. Leo Dugan and Robert Evans, of Providence, spent the Sabbath in this city.

S. H. Williams, proprietor of Hotel American, is able to be about his duties, after several days' illness.

Dr. J. J. Thomson and wife, Attorney William E. Watt and wife, and W. G. Scurry and wife will leave today for Atlantic City, where they will spend a couple of days.

Mrs. Mary L. Crane, of Lincoln avenue, left yesterday for two weeks' stay at Preston Park.

Jacobus Stitt, of New Haven, Conn., is visiting his sister, Mary Shaft, on Wyoming street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Rounds, of Reynoldsburg, have returned from their recent visit with friends and relatives at Binghamton and Cortland, N. Y.

E. F. Justin, of Lake Ariel, is here for a few days.

Miss Jennie Deets, of Jersey City, formerly of this place, is spending a few days with friends in town.

Among the Olyphant people who spent Sunday evening in this city were: Misses Elizabeth McGinty, Nellie Farrell, Agnes Martin, Annie Gilliochy, Messrs. John O'Malley, P. J. McGinty, Edward O'Holman, James O'Malley and John Lynch.

Misses Catherine Little and Margaret McDonald left yesterday for a week's visit with Pittston friends.

John White, of Providence, is visiting at the home of John Holmes in Simpson.

Leon J. Bly, who recently returned from Syracuse university, officiated at the pipe organ in the Berean Baptist church Sunday, owing to the illness of the regular organist, Miss Grace Hall.

Miss Margaret McDonald, of Eighth avenue, stenographer in the Correspondence school, Scranton, is visiting her friends' vacation yesterday. She is visiting friends in Pittston.

JERMYN AND MAYFIELD. Flossie, the ten-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Price, of Cemetery street, is critically ill of congestion of the brain.

Dr. Chesbro, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Graves.

A daughter arrived yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hall, of Mayfield.

Elihu B. Nicholson, of Dundaff, spent Sunday with Jermyn relatives.

Dr. A. J. Baker, of Duryoo, was here yesterday in connection with Dr. Shields regarding the condition of the former's father, who has been quite ill for the past week.

The Retail Clerks' association will meet this evening.

Thomas M. Griffiths, of Third street, was taken suddenly ill Sunday morning. He has not yet recovered and last evening was suffering considerable pain.

Claude Stocker left yesterday on his vacation which will spend at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Annie Lander and Mrs. Susan Little, of Scranton, called on friends here yesterday.

Mrs. Job Hawkins and daughter, Mrs. Corneil, of Carbondale, were callers here yesterday.

parents on Susquehanna street, returned to Scranton, N. Y.

The teachers of the public schools returned from the summer school at Factoryville on Saturday.

Miss Margaret L. Howell, who resumed her position in Shultz's store on Lackawanna street after a two week's vacation.

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Advertisement for Connolly & Wallace, Scranton's Shopping Center, featuring a large decorative border and the text: 'Our Clearance Sales are a different sort than the ordinary kind you read about...'

Our Clearance Sales are a different sort than the ordinary kind you read about. We offer great stocks of the choicest summer goods at startling reductions.

Ready for a Busy Morning Very Attractive Dress Goods Sale

Our season is practically over, but yours is a long one yet, and in spite of the fact that these Fine Woolen Dress goods are as fresh as the day they landed, the prices are materially lessened, in some cases half.

- Albatross, 12 shades, 40 inches wide, regular price 50c. Now, yard..... 40c
Albatross, 5 shades, 52 inches wide, regular price \$1.50. Now, yard..... 75c
Embroidered Albatross, 5 shades, 42 in. wide, regular price \$1.25. Now, yard.... 75c
Crepes, all wool, 6 shades, 42 inches wide, value 75c. Now..... 58c
Crepe, silk and wool, 5 shades, 46 inches wide, value \$1.25. Now..... 98c
A finer quality, worth \$2.00. Now..... \$1.50
Vigoreaux Beige, 45 inches wide, all wool, 3 shades, regular 50c grade. Now, yard... 25c
Vigoreaux Batiste, 46 inches wide, 6 shades, worth \$1.25. Now..... 75c
All Wool Batiste, 9 shades, 46 inches, worth 65c. Now, yard..... 50c
A finer grade in silk and wool, 46 inches, 4 shades, worth \$1.00, at..... 75c
Mistrals, 4 shades, 46 inches, all wool, were \$1.00. Now..... 75c
Etamine, 7 shades, 46 inches, value \$1. Now..... 75c

Clearing-up Embroideries

The counter where the Embroideries are sold is overflowing today with good and useful Summer Embroideries at very much smaller prices than usual. We expect to see all the women who are thinking of making Children's Dresses, Summer Underclothes or Shirt Waists. We expect to sell a lot to women who will lay them away and use them for their sewing next winter.

- Lot No. 1—4c Yard—Edgings and insertings of Cambric and Nainsook, 100 pieces, regularly priced at from 6c to 8c yard.
Lot No. 2—6c Yard—Narrow and medium widths of Cambric and Nainsook Goods, worth 10c yard.
Lot No. 3—8c Yard—Our regular stock of Fine Edgings and Insertings in narrow, medium and wide widths, worth from 12 1/2c to 15c yard.
Lot No. 4—10c Yard—Cambric, Nainsook and Swiss Embroideries, fine lot of goods, worth from 15c to 20c yard.

At Men's Furnishing Counter

Ladies' and Men's Stocks in a large assortment of pretty stripes, were 50c. Now... 25c
Odd lots of Men's Ribbed Shirts and Drawers in ecru, pink and blue, mercerized finish, regular price \$1.00. Reduced to... 50c
All dollar Negligee Shirts in stripes. Now... 75c

At Hosiery Counter

Ladies' Fancy Silk and Lisle Stockings. \$1.50 qualities, reduced to \$1.00.
\$1.00 qualities, reduced to 50 cents.
50-cent qualities, reduced to 25 cents.
Ladies' Lisle Union Suits, in white and ecru, value \$1.50. Now..... \$1.00

Tailored Suits for Women

A Great Stir in the Cloak Room. The Newest Styles in Women's Tailor-Made Suits at half price and less. One Hundred Suits, divided into four lots, at these prices:

- \$5.00, \$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.50
The \$5.00 Lot Contains Suits formerly priced from \$10.00 to \$12.50.
The Lot at \$12.50 Are worth all the way from \$25 to \$35.

The prices on these suits are all very much less than the actual cost of making. It's a splendid opportunity to buy a suit for immediate wear and one for the coming fall.

Walking Skirts—Silk, Woolen, Mohair, Linen and Cotton, all at big reductions, \$3.50, \$5.00, \$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.50. Spring and Summer Jackets—Etons, Blouses, etc., all at half price and less.

Parasols for Exactly Half Price

We have a good large assortment yet and they are very pretty.

- All that were \$1.00, now..... 50c
All that were 1.25, now..... 63c
All that were 1.50, now..... 75c
All that were 1.75, now..... 88c
All that were 2.00, now..... \$1.00
All that were 2.50, now..... 1.25
All that were 2.75, now..... 1.38
All that were 3.00, now..... 1.50
All that were 3.75, now..... 1.88
All that were 5.00, now..... 2.50

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This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets, the remedy that cures a cold in one day.