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In and About The City

Board of Managers to Meet. The board of managers of the Florence mission will meet at the home this morning at 10 o'clock.

Central W. C. T. U. Meeting. The Central Woman's Christian Temperance union will meet this afternoon at 5 o'clock in Guernsey's hall.

Entertainment Friday Night. The King's Daughters of Elm Park church, are arranging for a very interesting megacene entertainment, to be held next Friday evening in the lecture room.

Cottage Prayer Meeting. The Christian Workers' league will hold cottage prayer meeting at the home of Miss Alice Williams, 117 Luzerne street, Tuesday evening, September 16, at 8 o'clock.

Meeting of Associated Charities. The board of associated charities of Scranton will meet this evening at 8 o'clock in the postmaster's room, post-office building.

They Are Now Operative. Recorder Connel yesterday signed the ordinance providing for sidewalks on Division street and the resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to locate the proposed new bridge at Race street.

Board of Health Report. The returns to the board of health showed twenty-eight deaths for last week. One was from whooping cough and one from typhoid fever.

Killed a Rattlesnake. A three-foot rattlesnake was killed on the west mountain on Sunday by a party of young men consisting of George Jones, Walter Guernsey, John Schroeder and Julius Levy.

Prayer for McKinley. At the regular meeting of the Chonouet Zion society, held in the Linden street temple on Sunday, a memorial prayer for the late President McKinley was offered by Rev. H. Lewis, who was in charge.

Fair at Montrose. The annual fair of the Susquehanna County Agricultural society will be held at Montrose today and tomorrow.

Returned from Oregon. Ex-Sheriff Charles Robinson, Victor Koch and John Benore have returned from Astoria, Oregon, where they went several weeks ago to complete the arrangements for the transfer of a large building plant in which they are interested.

Civil Service Exams. The local board of civil service examiners announced that on October 21 and 22 examinations will be conducted in the federal building for the positions of civil engineer and superintendent of construction in the quartermaster's department.

Dividing the Indebtedness. Attorney Louis Gramer, who was appointed by the court to ascertain the indebtedness of the township of Fell at the time the borough of Vandling was created out of it and to apportion the indebtedness between them, yesterday filed his report and it was approved.

Are Not Mail Boxes. The police say that a great many people mistake the waste paper cans on the various street corners for mail boxes and drop papers intended for delivery by Uncle Sam into them.

RESOLUTIONS OF SYMPATHY. Adopted at a Meeting of Methodist Ministers' Association.

FIRST DAY OF THE NEW TERM COMMON PLEAS LIST FOR TWO WEEKS READ.

Judge Newcomb is Presiding in the Main Court Room—Judge Edwards Spent Yesterday Hearing Applications for Naturalization, but Will Hear Common Pleas Cases Today.

The three weeks' term of common pleas was opened yesterday with Judge E. C. Newcomb on the bench in the main court room.

Continued—Bridget Gray against Mary McCormack and others, ejectment; W. W. Williams against John K. Jones, appeal; E. J. Winters against Henry Schmitt, divorce; Elizabeth Carmen against Scranton Railway company, trespass; B. M. Winton, administrator, against Lackawanna Coal company, limited, assumpsit; E. C. Bunell against Z. M. Ward, assumpsit; Lillian Anthony against T. Hunt Brock, appeal; E. R. Deby against M. M. Spencer, assumpsit; Bridget McLane against Dunmore borough, trespass; Michael McNiff against William Hart, appeal; Hannah J. Schlager against Nay Aug Falls and Elmhurst Boulevard company, trespass; Nolan Brothers against E. S. Peck, executor, appeal.

Settled—Edward Rooney against city of Carbonade, trespass; Joseph Melvin against A. P. Bedford, assumpsit; Mary Koch against C. L. Smith, reprieve; Safety Investment and Loan company against John K. Jones, sed. fa.; Peter Pipewicz against William Jarvis, trespass; S. W. Reynolds against Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad company, trespass; C. W. Kington against H. W. Palmer and others, executors, trespass; Lackawanna Roofing company against Mary Barrett, appeal.

John Campbell was the plaintiff in a case called before Judge Newcomb. He sued to recover wages from Joseph Cassese. The latter employed a man named Barber to move a building for him on West Lackawanna avenue.

Similar action was taken in the case of William Brown against Cassese, whose case was identical with that of Campbell. By agreement a verdict for \$750 was taken in the case of Annette Reynolds against Thomas Brooks and the Greenwood Coal company. The plaintiffs thought they had title to certain land near Moosic and cut 1,500 trees it contained.

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SIXTY-NINE MARRIAGE LICENSES. George W. Hukun, Aberdeen; Pearl W. Brink, Elmhurst; John H. Oakley, Dickson; Amelia Ritsch, Dickson; Olive Miller, Justus; Samuel Helmlock, Danville; Sadie Prehlar, Danville; Edward Wood, Danville; Margaret Louise Marcy, Carbonade; William A. Bates, Mansfield; Helen E. Leorch, Chichester; Eugene Masters, Chichester; Emma Applanall, Old Forge; Louis J. Robertson, Parsons; Myrtle O. Perry, Scranton; George M. Okell, Scranton; Laura Blanche Shaffer, Scranton.

SECOND REPORT OF THE GRAND JURY Men Who Tried to Hang Fireman John Flanigan Are Indicted—Big Batch of Ignored Bills.

The second report of the grand jury was made to the court yesterday morning, and among the true bills returned were a number against the men who tried to hang John Flanigan, a fireman at one of the collieries in Dunmore, during the early days of the strike.

MERRILL WILL CONTEST. It Again Comes Up in Orphans Court Yesterday Before Judge Vosburg.

In the estate of A. J. Merrill, deceased, in which the will of the decedent is contested, Attorney John P. Scragg, appeared in orphans court yesterday for the estate of the respondent.

MERCHANTS HERE TODAY Convention of the State Association Opens in This City This Afternoon at 2 O'Clock.

The sixth annual state convention of the Retail Merchants' association of Pennsylvania, which opens in this city today, will bring here upwards of 150 retail merchants, principally grocers from all parts of the state.

In the estate of James J. Crossdale and Walter D. Rounds, widow's appraisalment was confirmed last night. In the estate of John Reese, widow's appraisalment was excepted to.

TWO MISUSED WIVES. Miss Cora M. Jones, through Attorney R. A. Capwell, yesterday asked the court to divorce her from Gwilym Jones to whom she was married August 1, 1899.

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REGIMENTAL RIFLE MATCHES THEY WILL BE CONDUCTED ON OCTOBER 4.

Official Order Issued Last Night by First Lieutenant Carter, Inspector of Rifle Practice—An All-Comers' Individual Match Will Be Shot, and There Will Be Company and Staff Contests—Musician C. W. Moore Challenges Members of Rifle Team to Contest with Krag.

First Lieutenant Lewis P. Carter, Inspector of rifle practice for the Thirteenth regiment, issued an order last night providing for a regimental rifle tournament to be conducted on the Dickson City range on October 4.

INDIVIDUALS. Individuals shooting as individuals and connected with a team, shall choose for place and target by lot. They will shoot between the two companies and staff contests, at such times as the range officer may designate.

TEAMS. Company and staff teams to consist of four men and one reserve, only one of whom may be a commissioned officer in the company teams.

PRIZES. The winning company or staff team will hold in its possession for the year the proposed veteran's trophy. This is a suggestion of Colonel F. L. Hitchcock.

EXHIBITION MATCH. Musician Charles W. Moore challenges the other members of the rifle team to a contest with the Krag-Jorgensen rifle.

RIFLE AND AMMUNITION. The Springfield rifle with either ramrod, bolt or the old style of Springfield. Sight covers for front sights will be allowed, but no other artificial sights.

RANGES. The ranges to be shot over shall be 200, 500 and 900 yards. The regulations for rifle practice shall be as follows: Excepting that no sighting or warning shot shall be allowed, will govern this contest.

TIES. Ties to be decided in every case by the highest score at the higher ranges.

HANDICAPS. All competitors who have shot on brigade teams shall be handicapped six (6) points.

THE TROPHY. The trophy which the regimental team won at Mt. Gretna a few weeks ago will be on exhibition after Thursday of this week in one of the show-windows of the Connolly & Wallace store, on North Washington avenue.

Resolved, second, That we extend our heartfelt sympathy to the widow and children of our brother and pray that the consolation and help promised by our Father to the bereft may be graciously given to them in this hour of their need.

The Hardenbergh School of Music and Art Thursday, September 18th registration day. Private and class lessons. Carter Building, 604 Linden Street.

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