

The News of Carbondale.

SEMI-PROFESSIONALS THIS AFTERNOON

If the Weather Man Be Good the Scranton Team Will Be on Duffy's Field—No Foot Ball Game of the Indians, Today, as Expected—Other Sporting News.

The several thousand base ball cranks in Carbondale are hoping and praying that today will be a repetition of yesterday in the weather. The first semi-professional team of Scranton will be on Duffy's field this afternoon, and if the day is pleasant, perhaps the largest crowd of the season will turn out to see the game. The coming of the Scranton team to Carbondale has been anticipated for weeks, and there is the keenest interest in the meeting of the two teams. All that seems necessary now for a great afternoon of ball is the kindness of nature in bestowing a pleasant day.

Kelleher will pitch for the Crescents. The make-up of the team will be the same as in the game with the Taylor Reds on Thursday, with the exception that McAndrew and Kelleher change places, the former going into right field. Owney is at home in this garden, and when he plays in the field his batting is always the stronger. Walsh, of Mayfield, will, as usual, be in center field.

With the Semi-Professional team will come several players who have played in Carbondale a number of times this season. Wirth, catcher; Griffin, pitcher; Franco, shortstop; Tomhill, second base; McCue, third base; Calkin, Ferris, and Madenspacher, in fact all of the Semi-professional team but the first baseman, have been here, the only difference is that they have not all been together on the same team, though as many as four have.

Indians Won't Play Today. It is a big disappointment to the Carbondale Indians not to open the fall ball season today, as surely expected. A game had been fully arranged by Manager Jones, with Wynning Seminary at Kingston, but on Thursday word was received to the effect that the Seminary eleven could not accommodate the Indians. Instead the counter proposition was made to come to Carbondale and play here. Manager Jones, however, could not see any semblance of a handicap on the Seminary team, and he was not to be trifled with. He was not to be trifled with. He was not to be trifled with.

Some one connected with the Scranton High school eleven must have been disposed to "kidding" when he gave out to the writers of sports on the Scranton dailies that the High school team from Carbondale had four of the Carbondale Indians in the line-up at Scranton on Wednesday. One paper said the "Mighty Hansen" was one, and all had the name of McLain in the line-up, while the truthful fact is that Mac was father of the High school team of the Carbondale company with the game was on. Hansen, the "mighty Hansen," was likewise attending to his business in this city. The Hansen who substitute player on the Indians. Not a member of the Indians played with the Carbondale High school, and if any one of the keen young men of the Scranton High school cares to earn a new ball for his eleven he can do so by coming to Carbondale and picking out those alleged "four ringers" in the Indians' line-up.

This is no attempt to excuse the doings of the Carbondale High school; that is none of our concern, but Manager Jones doesn't care to have his eleven misrepresented.

Accident to Michael Casey. News received in this city a few days ago announced that Michael Casey, son of Edward Casey, supervisor of Carbondale township, suffered

the loss of three fingers while employed at one of the lumber camps in the southwestern part of the state. Mr. Casey left here with a number of men shortly after the setting in of the coal strike. There will be much regret among his friends on hearing of his misfortune.

A DRAMATIC TREAT. "Under Southern Skies" Appreciated by a Large Audience. Manager Parry of William Brady's production of "Under Southern Skies," received a pleasant surprise last night at the Grand when he looked over the audience as the curtain rose and observed nearly every seat taken. This surprise was shared by nearly everyone, and it was variously commented on as evidence that Carbondale must not be suffering so severely from the strike.

Those who made up the large audience were repaid in a splendid dramatic treat. This beautiful and touching story enacted under southern skies was warmly appreciated and the piece will be welcomed if it should return to Carbondale. The company is about the same as appeared last year, supporting Grace George as the star. The changes made in the story by making Miss George's part less conspicuous are quite acceptable. A new feature this year are four colored singers and dancers, two male and two female, which made a big hit. Their singing and dancing for besides not being a new feature, they were all of Brady's production, "Under Southern Skies" is splendidly staged.

Camp of Wanderers Come to Grief in Carbondale and Make a Hurdled Farewell—Such Presto Change Artists Not Accommodated Here. A camp of gypsies came Carbondale way a few days ago, making headquarters at No. 4 settlement, near Whittier's crossing. They were truly a weird band, and in person and in camp in clothing. Some of them doctored into town Thursday and yesterday, arousing resentment almost to anger by their unbecoming and their dress, which in some instances was just short of lewd. In short, they appeared to be fit subjects for new Sanitary Police.

Michael Gallagher, who yesterday carried off a number of the innocents of the town, hence their expulsion. The games was thus: "Signor, cross your palm with fifty cents and I will reveal your life secrets," the pseudo fortune teller would have said. Money's too valuable thought he, with the strike on and the end not in sight, so he hastened after Constable Moran and to him related his tale of loss. Like an officer, good and true, the constable with set teeth and a business look went on the trail of the fortune telling young man. She and three others were corralled and a series of lamentations and wails returned the price to the justice-demanding young man. Then with a gentle, fatherly look and a strong wink, Constable Moran hinted to the gypsies that if they were not here, they would maybe it could be located across the Moosies or further down the valley, but it was no use. This hint was as good as a knockout blow of Young Corbett's and soon thereafter three gypsy maids were speeding to their camp to make their farewell to Carbondale.

Moral: Don't make a mistake when you're looking for Gratville and get off at Carbondale.

Fast Run to Scranton by Engineer Bob Copeland on D. & H. Railroaders in Carbondale are discussing the record established by Engineer Bob Copeland on his run to Scranton early Thursday morning, and everywhere great Bob is being complimented on his achievement.

It was the special train to take the Pughano-Cassese wedding party to Scranton that made the cannon ball dash. It was 1:20 Thursday morning when the train left the city station. The connecting train left Scranton at 1:40 on the Lackawanna. "I can make it with safety," smiled Bob, with enough determination to make the smile significant. Then he pulled open the throttle and Engine 354 sailed on down the valley. The seventy passengers that made merry in the two coaches soon realized that the engine was doing something extra in speed-making, and when Archibald was left behind the train was thundering along at, perhaps, a 50-mile-an-hour clip. Fifty whistles were chopped off when the four-ton miles to Providence had been reached. Watches showed that the seventeen miles had been covered in eighteen minutes, a record-maker. Two minutes were left in which to make the Lackawanna express. On the return trip, the seventeen miles up the valley were made in twenty minutes. Throughout the run there was no noticeable jarring or jolting; one knew the train was flying, but the splendid roadbed combined to make the journey a rare experience.

MR. DAVIS' RESIGNATION. Tribune's Exclusive Announcement Was a Big Surprise—May Reconsider. The exclusive announcement in the Tribune yesterday that President John Davis, of select council, intended to resign from council created a surprise akin to a sensation. Perhaps but a few of his closest friends knew of his intention until they read of it in "The

Traverse. It was the topic of conversation yesterday. Now that it is generally known that Mr. Davis has resolved to give up his seat his friends are urging him to reconsider and remain. What will come from this persuasion will be awaited with interest.

A. C. TIFFANY INJURED. Met with Accident While in the Quaker City.

A. C. Tiffany, the contractor, came home from Philadelphia on a late Delaware and Hudson train last night, under the care of Dr. John Niles, the victim of an accident while visiting in the Quaker City. The telegram apprising the Tiffany family of the happening was exceedingly grave. Mr. Tiffany stated that he had fallen and was suffering from some fractures. However, there is no apprehension as to his condition. Mr. Tiffany was in Philadelphia on a pleasure trip with Dr. John Niles, when the mishap befell him. This circumstance was somewhat compensating, for besides not being a stranger, he had the care of a physician on the long journey. Mr. Tiffany was visiting the Pittsburgh Plate Glass company's plant when the accident occurred. He fell down stairs and then through an opening intended for an elevator shaft. His head was painfully lacerated, his shoulder was sprained and he suffered from a fracture near the hip. He reached home on the 10:30 Delaware and Hudson train, and was conveyed to his home in the ambulance.

ANARCHY IN THE SCHOOLS. Editor of The Tribune—Sir: In today's issue I see that another disgraceful scene has been enacted in Public School No. 3 by the pupils leaving the school because some pupils attended whose fathers were at work. If these children had their just deserts, they would get a good sound spanking from their parents, and if they do not do it, it would be well for the school board to take a day off and spank them themselves.

It is a most fortunate circumstance that the Sheridan cavalry came along just then and frightened them away, not telling to what length they would have gone. Let us, as parents, train up our children to realize that America is a free country, and every man has a right to work if he chooses, but not a right to hinder another from doing his wishes to.

Adolph Proatzsch Injured. Adolph Proatzsch, of Birckett street, employed as night watchman at the Empire Silk mill, met with a very painful accident while returning home from work yesterday morning. He was struck by a street car and was dragged a great distance before the car was stopped. He was taken to Dr. Thompson's private hospital, Scranton, where his wounds were dressed. He returned home yesterday evening.

John Kelley, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Kelley, of Birckett street, met with a distressing accident yesterday morning, while playing ball at the Central building school grounds. He was trying to catch a ball and fell down off the wall, breaking his arm. Dr. J. A. Kelley dressed the injured member.

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A union temperance service will be held in the Baptist church on Sunday evening. Rev. F. J. Caterer, of the Six-principle Baptist church, will preach the sermon.

Postmaster F. M. Tiffany has moved the postoffice from his old location into the front of his store. Charles and Marvin Purdy, who have been visiting, respectively, at Lake Ariel and in New York state, have returned to their home in Atlantic City after a two week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gannon, of South Main street.

A quiet wedding took place in St. James' church, Wednesday evening, when Thomas Sweeney and Miss Ella Dahlill were united in marriage. A large number of congratulations they enjoyed a short drive. They have not as yet decided where they will reside.

A warrant for the arrest of Mr. Mar-



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shall, of the Sterrick Creek hotel, was sworn out before Justice of the Peace Loftus, last evening. He will be given a hearing this morning.

Organizer Carney, of Archibald, gave a short address at the Mt. Jessup local meetings last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Curran and son, Thomas, of West Scranton, are visiting friends in town.

Attorney Murphy, of Scranton, was a caller in town last evening.

The funeral of Sarah, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor, of the Sheridan hotel, will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Union cemetery.

Mrs. M. K. Harnden spent yesterday with Hyde Park relatives. George Benton, of Carbondale, was a guest in town yesterday.

Rev. Fred Watkins, of Wyoming, will occupy the pulpit in the Presbyterian church tomorrow morning and evening. Regular Episcopal services will be held in St. George's mission, on Scott street, tomorrow afternoon at 3:30.

Rev. Rogers Israel, D. D., of Scranton, will have charge. A. V. Bower, of Scranton, will conduct the services in the Congregational church tomorrow evening at 6 o'clock. Services will be held at the usual hour in the Blakey Baptist church tomorrow morning and evening.

Holy communion will be celebrated at the morning service. Rev. David Spencer, D. D., pastor. Lackawanna street was cleaned yesterday by a force of men under the direction of Street Commissioner McAndrew.

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