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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 1906.

LOCAL BREVITIES

The Champlin Stock Co. at the Loomis Thursday, matinee and night

The Ferncliffe hotel located at Lake Carey was burned to the ground on Monday morning.

Delbert Washburn of Nichols, and Joseph Degan of Laquin, were operated upon at the hospital this forenoon.

Miss Agnes Sullivan of this place, who has been visiting friends in Towanda for the past two days, has returned home.

"A Wife's Deception" will be the matinee offering of the Champlin Stock Co. The Belle of Richmond will be presented on Thursday night.

On Monday afternoon about 4 o'clock the fine school building at Laport was entirely destroyed by fire. The building was valued at \$5,000 and was insured for \$2,000.

The meeting of the musicians of Sayre, Athens and Waverly, this evening to take further steps toward organizing a musicians' union.

NOW GET DOWN TO BUSINESS

Sewer Question and Town Hall Proposition Should Be Disposed of Before Summer Months Arrive

Now that the new council has been duly organized why not get down to business and dispose of some of the questions that have been agitating the citizens of Sayre borough for nearly a year. The sewer question is still in the hands of a council committee and so is the town hall proposition. Both questions have been dragging along under the plea that more time is needed and that questions of such importance can not be determined quickly. It will be conceded that matters of this character cannot be attended to in a minute, but it seems as if a year ought to be sufficient time for the council to make up its mind what is needed in the shape of sewers. A sewer system and a town hall for Sayre are needed badly and before the summer months arrive, both questions should be determined either one way or the other.

LOCAL MENTION

John Bull of this place has been appointed administrator of the estates of Stephen and Sarah Osborn, both deceased, in place of John R. Post, resigned.

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The condition of James Salerno, the Williamsport murderer who is soon to hang is rapidly becoming critical. He takes no nourishment only when forced to do so. A commission has been appointed to inquire into his sanity.

On Friday evening a recital will be given at the music store of D.S. Andrus & Co. The recital will be furnished by the Victor talking machine and all the new and distinctly up to date records will be used. Lovers of music who desire to hear something particularly fine should visit the D.S. Andrus store on Friday evening.

Hereafter anyone who desires to witness the drilling operations of the Athens Mining and Developing Company will be permitted to do so. Until today no one was allowed to go near the drill as it was contended that it would retard progress, but the promoters have decided to rescind this order and all who wish to see how a drill operates will be given an opportunity.

William Foyle, Towanda's newly elected burgess, has issued orders to the chief of police to carefully watch all houses of ill fame and observe by whom they are frequented and report the same to the chief burgess. Policemen are instructed to collect all evidence obtainable that would tend to convict any person or persons of conducting a bawdy house.

SCHOOL BOARD'S MONTHLY MEETING

Was Held in the High School Building Last Night—Usual Amount of Business Was Transacted

The regular monthly meeting of the Sayre school board was held last night. After the minutes of the two previous meetings had been read several bills, including fuel \$30.70, gas 8.85, and truant officer \$3.50, were ordered paid.

The salaries of the teachers, janitors and board officers were ordered paid when due.

The request of the senior class for an appropriation to help defray the expenses of commencement, was granted. The appropriation amounts to about \$15.

The request of the High School Alumni Association for the use of the high school hall on Friday evening, March 16, for the purpose of giving a lecture, the net profit to be divided between the library fund and the alumni association, was granted.

The question of the appointment of a sanitary physician to examine suspected cases of contagious diseases was brought up for discussion. It was the opinion of the board that it had no power to make such appointment.

The request that a student in the fourth ward building be transferred to the high school building was granted.

The board ordered a number of textbooks purchased for the eighth grade at the discretion of the superintendent, when needed.

A list of corporal punishments that had been inflicted during the year was given to the board by the superintendent, but the members did not see fit to read them.

At the request of the committee of the fourth ward building the board authorized the committee to purchase several maple trees and set them out around that building. The financial report showed the receipts to date were \$49,010.97; expenditures to date, \$46,344.07; expenditures for the past month, \$2,195.13.

PAPERS RECEIVED

This morning District Attorney Mills received a large official looking envelope from Governor Pennypacker. The envelope contained a request from Governor Pennypacker to the Governor of New York state for the return of Sexton Ferris, who is wanted here on a charge of stealing a number of headlight reflectors from the Lehigh Valley railroad company. The papers were sent to Governor Higgins this morning and it is expected that the necessary documents for Ferris' legal delivery to this state will be received in a day or two. Officer Robert DeGroof is named as the agent to whom Ferris shall be delivered.

STOLE KEG OF BRANDY

Burglars succeeded in forcing an entrance to the Lehigh Valley station at Audenried during the early hours of yesterday morning. The only booty they secured however, was a keg of black brandy doubtful vintage. They entered the station by forcing open the shutter and window of the gent's waiting room and once inside access to the freight room was easy. They carried the keg of brandy away with safety. The identity of the thieves is not known.

DEATH OF AN INFANT

Mott Luverne McCann, the four-months old child of Mr. and Mrs. John McCann of No. 318 South Lehigh avenue, died last night about eight o'clock of valvular disease of the heart. The child had been ill but a few days. The funeral will probably occur tomorrow afternoon. The arrangements are in charge of Rogers & Miller, the Athens undertakers.

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JAMES O'CONNELL ADDRESSED MACHINISTS

President of National Union Delivered a Highly Interesting Address Here Last Night

James O'Connell, president of the National Union of Machinists, addressed a public meeting in the Elmer building last night. The meeting was attended by a large crowd of local machinists, and the remarks made by Mr. O'Connell were of a highly interesting nature. His address was particularly directed against the piece work system which he characterized as being injurious both to the employer and employee. He insisted that machinists who were employed on piece work were likely to slight work in order to get it out quickly, and as a result bad workmen were thus created, while the employer is furnished an inferior quality of work. Mr. O'Connell also spoke against the "handy man," and said that the practice of using them where they did work usually accomplished by a machinist, should be discouraged. Mr. O'Connell is a forceful and entertaining talker and his address last night was listened to with great attention.

CHARGED WITH LARCENY BY BAILEE

Gately Furniture Co. Causes the Arrest of a Sayre Young Man This Morning

Roy Comstock, a young man about twenty years of age, was arrested here this morning by Constable Brougham on a warrant charging larceny by bailee. George H. Burns, a representative of the Gately Furniture company, who alleges that Comstock bought a suit of clothes of the company on the installment plan, and that after paying one or two payments he was in default. When asked by Burns to either make a payment or return the clothes, it is alleged that Comstock failed to do either, hence his arrest. He was arraigned this morning and demanded a hearing which was set for tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock. C.C. Yocum represents the prosecution.

ORDERED OUT OF TOWN

Charles McCarty, who says he was born in New York city, on the Bowery, pleaded guilty to intoxication in police court this morning. Officer Vogel found McCarty last night in the alley along side the Sayre house. He was helplessly drunk and it was necessary to secure one of the Lehigh Valley's trucks to convey the man to the borough lockup. When arraigned this morning he was in a most disreputable condition and had not recovered from the effects of the booze he had swallowed. He was remanded to a cell to sober up and was later told to leave town without delay. He started toward Waverly.

PLANNING FOR BIG DANCE

Trainmen's hall has been engaged by the Firemen's Relief Association for a big dance to be held on Friday evening, April 20. The affair is in charge of a committee, and plans are being made for one of the largest balls ever held in Sayre. First class music will be secured, and those who attend will be assured of a fine time.

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REV. E. C. PETRIE SPEAKS AT ELMIRA

Address Delivered by Him at That City Spoken of by the Press in Most Flattering Terms

The Elmira daily papers speak in the most flattering terms of an address delivered by the Rev. E. C. Petrie, pastor of the Sayre Presbyterian church, before the Current Topic Club of the former place on Monday evening last. "Mormonism" was the subject of Mr. Petrie's remarks and the Gazette and Free Press of last evening has the following to say concerning it: "The address on the subject was most ably composed and was well delivered and the members of the club learned much of this strange creed of which they had hitherto been in ignorance. He began his remarks by telling of the founding of Mormonism by Joseph Smith, who told of strange visions which came to him when he looked upon a curious crystal, found in digging a well near Palmyra. The Mormon church was founded with five or six members following these visions, and the wanderings of the Mormons from then until they finally took up their abode in the valley of the Salt Lake in Utah was graphically described.

"The speaker said that there are now 280,000 Mormons in Utah, or three-fifths of the population, and that Mormonism practically controls Wyoming, Idaho and Indian Territory, and thousands of Mormons people the states of California, Illinois, Michigan and Iowa besides.

"A short time ago Rev. Petrie traveled in Utah, and for a time saw the conditions as they exist in Salt Lake city, and he told of the strange customs of polygamy and of the practices which make Mormonism abhorred by civilized gentiles. The doctrine of Mormonism was explained and the important part that it plays in the politics of part of the land in which it reigns supreme was shown to be all powerful.

"Rev. Petrie dwelt on the lives of the more prominent Mormons—the Smiths, Brigham Young and Reed Smoot, prominent of late because of the efforts to deprive him of his chair in the United States Senate. Reed Smoot is not a polygamist, but the efforts to oust him must show that he is an apostle of the Mormon faith which by its oaths of allegiance binds one even above those of his country. An interesting discussion followed the address in which several additional points were brought out."

COMING NEXT WEEK

The forthcoming annual visit of the Murray & Mackey company will no doubt be warmly welcomed by the lovers of all that is good in comedy and melodrama. The opening play for Monday evening is Beware of Men. It is beyond question one of the strongest and most interesting plays that has ever visited this city. The author is one of the few dramatists who understands how to reach the heart and hold the attention of the audience. In addition to the play high class vaudeville will be introduced between the acts by Prevoti, the Three Merediths, Walter Eldridge, the San Marcos and Neil Hickey. For Monday evening a limited number of ladies' special 10c tickets will be sold.

MR. GINGER'S CHANGE

Edward Ginger, who has been the night foreman of machinists at the round house for some time past, has resigned to accept a day-position. Mr. Genger is one of the Lehigh Valley's most popular and respected employes, and the night machinists at the round house very much regret his decision to change.

Denny Norvak, an Austrian, who resides in Sayre has filed his notice of intention of becoming a citizen of the United States. He is 29 years of age and came to this country in 1901.

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