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Has removed to the old Postoffice site and
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The Valley Record
"All the news that's fit to print."
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1907.

LOCAL BREVITIES
Ruggles & Mee.
Try the Record.
"The Warning Bell" at the Loomis tomorrow evening.
Mrs. Keyser of Smithboro, who formerly was of Sayre, called on friends here today.
Ruggles & Mee, 146 Desmond street, Sayre, Pa., will open Thursday Feb. 28th.
Miss Clara Heayener and George Heayener are both confined to the house with the mumps.
Mrs. R. A. Holcomb, has gone to Philadelphia, where she will spend a week buying goods for her store in West Sayre, and looking up the styles of the season.
The merchant who uses stationery decorated with gurgling oil, axle grease or some other cheap advertising matter is to the home printer, what the mail order house is to the home merchant.
Best grade Lehigh Valley and Berne coal, well screened, prompt delivery; hard and soft wood. Both phones at yard and office at Raymond & Haupt's. D. Clancy Coal Co.
The school directors in session at Harrisburg last week asked the legislature for \$16,000,000 for educational purposes, and \$250 to defray their own expenses. The last request, to say the least, was very modest.
The person who makes an election bet doesn't generally know that he is violating a state law which provides that he be fined not more than \$500 or less than \$10, and imprisonment not less than ten days or more than six months.
Harry Bewley, who plays the part of Solomon Cochan in "The Beauty Doctor" is one of the cleverest of the parody singers of the day. To show his wonderful ability, he writes all the parodies he sings himself, adding to the strength of his specialty.
The home newspaper deserves the liberal patronage of the town and region in which it is published. It gives the home news as no outside paper can or does publish it, and helps advertise the town. It calls attention to home industries and home enterprises, and it goes out to the world as the representative of the people among whom it is published.
When you want a good meal in a nice quiet home-like place call at the Kasper Dining Room, 228 Desmond street. A clean tidy place, courteous treatment and home cooking. Our lunch counter is also supplied with the best of everything in the market. Home made sausage and backstreet cakes for your early breakfast. Call and see us. 542-f
For backache use DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. Nothing else so good for all troubles caused by impure blood. Sold by C. M. Driggs, Drugs.

BREVITIES
Try the Record.
Ruggles & Mee, 146 Desmond street.
Frank Morley went to Towanda this morning on business.
Ruggles & Mee, successor to Maney & Page.
"The Beauty Doctor," a musical comedy of unusual merit comes to the Loomis on Saturday evening.
Even Roosevelt must have been delighted with the strenuousness of his holiday work in Boston and vicinity.
Several Towandians attended the performance given by the Jeffersons at the Loomis last night, among them being Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson.
Judge Fanning is at Laporte, Sullivan county, holding court for Judge Terry, who has accompanied his daughter to Wilkes-Barre to undergo an operation for appendicitis.
This is the week when numerous conference committees in Congress will arrive at compromise conclusions.
We Americans are all invited to go to London next June and see if our own horses can do any better than they can at home.
Traveling by balloon in zero weather may be fun for enthusiasts, but most of us would still prefer a steam-heated train.
Can you blame Attorney Delmas for running away over Sunday, to some place where the New York reporters cannot get at him?
Great things are expected from Mr. Harriman's examination as to his railroad methods today, and it is hoped his memory will prove to be in good condition.
The House amendments to its committee's appropriation for the geological survey are evidence that the statesmen outnumber the politicians in that body after all.
Sentiment is sentiment and business is business, but far be it from us to intimate which governed the appropriation by Congress of \$32,900 for a national cemetery in which only four Union soldiers are buried.
"The Warning Bell," which appears at Loomis opera house tomorrow evening is particularly interesting play, of a kind to itself. Elaborate and beautiful in all the details of its production, it has all the charm and interest of the great sensational plays, with strong dramatic situations, powerful climaxes, bright comedy and dramatic and scenic surprises, but telling a most interesting and thrilling story through the vehicle of a drama of the highest literary and artistic merit, which rises far above the realms of sensational mel-drama, and takes its place among the greatest and best stage stories of the age. It is a success.
Bradford County's Wealth.
According to the last assessment of Bradford county, the total real estate is valued at \$19,968,425; 11,012 horses and mules at \$70,765; offices and occupations at \$453,666; mortgages, judgments and money at interest at \$3,126,574; dogs, 3,652; aggregate tax, county, state and poor, \$181,683.53.
Ruggles & Mee
Have a complete line of the best brand tailored Rochester clothing and a carefully selected line of gents' furnishings.
You ought to know what you are giving your baby. Use Cascasweet, and look at the wrapper. Every ingredient is there in plain English. Cascasweet is best corrective for the stomachs of babies and children. Sold by C. M. Driggs, Drugs.

CHARLES JOHNSON MUST BE HANGED

Supreme Court Refuses New Trial and the Governor Will Now Set Day for Execution.

Charles Johnson, convicted of complicity in the murder of Maggie Johnson and Annie Benjamin on September 18, 1904, must pay the penalty of his crime on the gallows, the Supreme court of the state having handed down a decision yesterday refusing him a new trial.

The facts leading up to the conviction of Johnson, are well known to every newspaper reader in Bradford county. Maggie Johnson was separated from her husband Bigler Johnson, a brother of Charles. Bigler had heard her call for help, came to her aid and she was taken to her room and laid upon the bed. It was at once seen that she was suffering terribly and physicians were sent for at once. Doctors Fish, Higgins, LaPlant Haines and Cummings responded, and after an examination they agreed that she had suffered a stroke of apoplexy. Within a half hour after the arrival of the physicians she lapsed into unconsciousness and remained in this state until death ensued.

The deceased was born at Wycox in 1858, and was married to her husband in 1882 at Towanda. Eight years ago they came to Sayre and took charge of the Sayre House where they have since resided. Besides her husband she is survived by eight children, Catherine, Mary, Nellie, Nora, Elizabeth, Timothy, Martin and John, all of Sayre. Her mother, who resides at State Road, one sister, Mary Lynch of Sayre, and three brothers, Thomas of Sayre, James of Colorado, and Peter of State Road, also survive. The funeral arrangements which will be in charge of Undertaker P. H. O'Shea, have not as yet been made.

JEFFERSONS GAVE FINE PERFORMANCE

Presented a Really Meritorious Comedy at the Loomis Last Night.

The Jeffersons, William and Joseph, supported by a well balanced and decidedly capable cast, presented "Playing the Game" to a small audience at the Loomis last evening. The production deserved much better patronage than it received and the theatregoers who remained at home missed a really first-class show. The Jeffersons are both exceedingly clever young men, and they have surrounded themselves with first-class people, among them being Aubrey Boucault, a young light comedian whose superior is yet to be seen at the Loomis. As Stuyvesant Howe, a New Yorker of high social position, he kept the audience in an uproar throughout the entire performance. He is really funny and possesses that indescribable something which has been called humor. In fact, Mr. Boucault was the center of attraction, notwithstanding the fact that both the Jeffersons are excellent comedians. They came in for a fair share of the honors, as did the remainder of a most excellent cast. A return engagement of the company would be greeted with a packed house.

FREIGHT CAR THIEVES EXCEEDINGLY ACTIVE

Another Car Was Broken Open on the Lehigh Last Night.

Freight car thieves are giving the Lehigh Valley no end of trouble recently. Nearly every day the special officers are notified that cars have been broken open and the contents tampered with. Yesterday a car was entered by unknown thieves near Yelder. Several boxes of merchandise were broken open, and the contents scattered about the car floor. Finding nothing of much value the merchandise was allowed to remain in the car. The officers of the Lehigh are making a determined effort to round up the gang which appears to be organized for the purpose of robbing Lehigh cars.

P. B. & E. ENGINES SOLD

Locomotives Which Have Been in the Towanda Yards Sent to Maine.

The two new P. B. & E. engines which have been standing in the Towanda yards for the past several months, on Monday were started on their journey to Maine, where they will be utilized at once on a railroad. The builders of the locomotives had a rush order for two engines, and as it will be some time before the P. B. and E. will be ready to operate, arrangements were made whereby the locomotives were secured by the builders for immediate shipment to Maine.

Two new engines will be built for the P. B. and E., and will be ready for delivery in time for use when the new road is opened.

CHURCH OF CHRIST SECURES A PASTOR

The Rev. H. F. Keltch to Assume Pastorate on April First.

The Rev. H. F. Keltch, who has been conducting a successful series of revivals in the Church of Christ at West Sayre, has returned to his home at Wadsworth, Ohio, but will return to Sayre on the first of April when he will become pastor of the church. During his stay in Sayre Mr. Keltch pleased his congregation so well and also the members of the church that it was decided to secure his services. Since the departure of the Rev. M. B. Wood the pulpit has been supplied by T. H. Shaffer, the well known Lehigh Valley special officer, who is a lay preacher of ability, and who has given the congregation excellent satisfaction.

You Sort of Can't Help It

If anything is calculated to make a person rave it's to see a man abusing a dumb animal without provocation. When a horse is doing the best it can and some brute of a man whips it unmercifully, a witness feels like wading into the fuss himself.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, safe sure pills. C. M. Driggs, Drugs.
Try the Record.

BRIDGET SCANNELL DIED SUDDENLY

Succumbed to a Stroke of Apoplexy at Her Home in Sayre Last Night.

Mrs. Bridget Scannell, wife of Michael Scannell, proprietor of the Sayre House, suffered a stroke of apoplexy at 6:30 o'clock last night and her death followed two hours later. The death of Mrs. Scannell will come as a shock to her friends and acquaintances. Just previous to the fatal attack Mrs. Scannell had been in her room and started to go down stairs. She had proceeded but a few steps when she called to Andrew Keillher, a boarder, to assist her as she feared she was going to fall. Mr. Keillher went to the woman's side, and in the meantime members of the family who heard her call for help, came to her aid and she was taken to her room and laid upon the bed. It was at once seen that she was suffering terribly and physicians were sent for at once. Doctors Fish, Higgins, LaPlant Haines and Cummings responded, and after an examination they agreed that she had suffered a stroke of apoplexy. Within a half hour after the arrival of the physicians she lapsed into unconsciousness and remained in this state until death ensued.

NOTORIOUS CROOK BEHIND THE BARS

Dangerous Criminal, Who Was Imprisoned in Postoffice Robbery at New Albany, Has Been Sent to Auburn Prison.

When "Cincinnati Red" alias William O'Dell, alias John T. Smith, alias Patrick Moore, was placed behind the bars in the Auburn State prison last week, one of the most notorious and dangerous criminals that ever visited Towanda or Bradford county, was put where he will make no disturbance for several years at least, says Today's Daily Review. He was sentenced in Corning to five years at hard labor in Auburn prison for interfering with the latter had robbed a meat market in that place some weeks ago. Policeman Patrick Corcoran of Waverly was instrumental in having the man brought to justice.

Robbed New Albany Postoffice.

In 1901, "Cincinnati Red" John Blair, better known as the "Toledo Blade" William Haines, alias Pop Elliott and Thomas Kelly, alias Thomas Casey, invaded Bradford county and going to New Albany, robbed the postoffice, securing about \$100 worth of plunder. They reached Waverly a few hours after the robbery and believing themselves safe in New York state, started in to have a high old time. A day or two after the New Albany robbery they went into a saloon and demanded drinks and being refused proceeded to shoot the place. "Red" was the ringleader of the gang and he made a desperate effort to shoot Tom Brown, proprietor of the saloon. "Red" was captured by Officer Corcoran, after a desperate struggle on the railroad track. The next day his pals went to Brown and told him not to prosecute the case. He said he would and they told him he would be sorry that night they forced an entrance to the saloon, and once inside deliberately smashed and wrecked everything in the place, going so far as to cut a bicycle tire in pieces, and turned on the beer spigots allowing the amber colored juice to run to waste.

Blair, Haines, Kelly and another man started overland through West ern Bradford county, and at Burlington they were noticed by parties who notified Chief of Police Miller and Constable Hollon of Towanda, who accompanied by John Morris, started in hot pursuit of the criminals. They were overtaken at East Troy and only when the officers had them covered with guns, did they give up. They were tried at Williamsport and sentenced to five years in Cherry Hill for their part in the New Albany robbery. Officers Miller and Hollon received \$200 apiece for capturing the men. Blair, "the Toledo Blade," deliberately murdered a policeman who had one of his pals under arrest in Jackson City, Mich., and is now serving a life sentence.

The whereabouts of the other members of the gang with the exception of "Red" is unknown but the chances are they are in prison, as they were bold, determined criminals.

Elopers Still Missing

Fred Berger, the Lehigh Valley brakeman, and Miss Annie Albertson who eloped on Friday, have not been apprehended as yet. Wm. Albertson a brother of the runaway girl tracked the couple as far as Mauch Chunk and at the latter place he learned that they had boarded a train for Buffalo. Chief Ferry telegraphed the police department of Buffalo to be on the alert for the elopers and apprehend them. The chief has heard nothing from the Buffalo police since he sent the message. Employees of the Lehigh Valley Railroad who knew Berger well, claim he was a regular lady's man, although not very fond of physical toil. It was learned yesterday that in addition to defrauding Mr. Albertson of a two months' board bill that he also held up Otto Quarlesina, proprietor of the Wagner House, for \$10. Berger is being bitterly denounced by all who knew him for his action in enticing the young girl away and it is safe to say that he will get a mighty chilly reception in the event of his returning to the city.

Entertained Whist Club

Mrs. J. H. Rounds entertained the Queen Whist Club at her home at 112 Center street last Saturday afternoon and evening. There were sixteen ladies present. In the afternoon four tables were played, Mrs. F. E. Jones won the first prize, and Mrs. Joseph Bowman the second. In the evening three tables were played and Mrs. Fred House won the first and Miss Mary Smith the second prize.

Mrs. Perry Estelle and Miss Mary Smith of Towanda were present. Excellent refreshments were served during the evening, and all present had a most enjoyable time.

TWENTY-THREE FATAL ACCIDENTS IN YEAR

Scranton, Pa.—Mine Inspector P. J. Moore, of the first anthracite district, makes report for the year 1906 that 2,253,205 tons of coal were mined in the fifty-four collieries of his district in the upper part of Lackawanna county, and the small portions of Wayne and Susquehanna counties included in the anthracite belt.

Other statistics were as follows: Total number of accidents, 73; fatal, 23; number of persons employed inside of mines, 6421; number of persons employed outside, 2991; number of fatal accidents inside of mines, 19; number of non-fatal accidents outside 5; number of tons of coal produced per fatal accident inside, 171,221; number of wives made widows, 12; number of children orphaned, 20; number of electric motors used inside, 29; number of new mines opened 8; number of new mines opened, 3; number of old mines abandoned, 3. There was a decrease of nearly 50 per cent in the number of fatal accidents as compared with the year 1905.

Piles of people have Piles. Why suffer from piles when you can use DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve and get relief. Sold by C. M. Driggs, Drugs.

New Hospital

Danville is to have a fine new hospital, the gift of an unknown donor. The institution will not only be for emergency cases, but will also be a treat for persons in search of health. It will be known as "Arkham." It will be built of brick, with a frontage of 133 feet and two large wings. One wing will be for men and one for women. There will be accommodations for 40 patients. The donor is a Danville business man, and the gift will cost him \$12,000. The hospital will be given to the people of Montour county and they will be expected to provide for its maintenance.

Workman Succumbs to Injuries

Daniel McGee, of East Broad street, the brakeman who was struck by a train at Black Creek Junction, died at the State Hospital at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

His death was most unexpected. The fatal striking spell occurred before his relatives could be summoned. His condition had been most favorable all morning.

McGee was born in Hazleton in 1881.—Hazleton Standard.

FATAL ACCIDENT AT TUNKHANNOCK

Two Lehigh Laborers Run Down By An Engine—One Fatally Injured, While the Other Loses a Leg.

With his left leg severed above the knee and suffering from an extensive fracture of the skull, Frank LaBarre, a laborer about 50 years old, died in the baggage car of the west-bound Black Diamond express yesterday afternoon while he was being hurried to the hospital at this place. Lying on a cot in the same car, with his left leg crushed off at the knee, was Samuel Mitchell, also a laborer, and both men were victims of the cruel car wheels. LaBarre's remains were brought to Sayre and taken to gramma's undertaking rooms, where Mitchell was taken to the hospital where his leg was amputated above the knee. He will recover.

The accident in which the men were injured occurred at Tunkhannock shortly before four o'clock yesterday afternoon. Train 33, a milk train in charge of Conductor Woodruff, stopped at Tunkhannock to take on four cars which had been left on a siding by a through train. The engine was coupled to the cars and was about to pull them out to the main track when a draw head broke. It was then necessary to throw the crippled car to another switch and in so doing the engine and car ran onto the main tracks. In the meantime a freight train came up behind the milk train and the rumbering of the wheels made so much noise that LaBarre and Mitchell, who were engaged in cleaning out the snow from a switch point, failed to hear the approach of the engine and the milk car. Both men were run down by the engine. LaBarre's left leg was cut off and his skull was fractured. Mitchell's left leg was severed, but he was otherwise uninjured. Both men were taken to the station at Tunkhannock and Dr. Beideman, a local physician, was summoned. When the Black Diamond arrived the injured men were placed on board. When near Wyalusing LaBarre succumbed to the injuries he had received. The remains were shipped to his home in Tunkhannock this morning. He leaves a wife and four children and had been employed as a laborer by the Lehigh for some time.

Mitchell is about twenty years of age and had also been in the employ of the Lehigh for several months.

The Average Man's Mail

The American Magazine for March presents all the facts about the Middle or Mean American. Every statement is backed by sufficient authority. A man named Ruggers and his wife are taken as the average. Here are the facts about their mail:

"Of communications from and to the outer world, Ruggers and his wife receive and send a rather considerable number during the year if we may take the average for the United States given in the Report of the Post Office Department, 1904. They send out 292 letters and 46 postal cards, and receive printed matter (mainly circulars to the number of 75), as well as 155 newspapers and 26 government publications and communications, making a total in all of 954. They only receive one send five telegraphic messages a year.

All devices of the higher art in the drama are eagerly awaiting the coming to this city at an early date of Madame Helena Modjeska. There is considerable added interest due to the fact it is known that this will positively be the last appearance here of this charming woman and world famous actress. Nothing will be left undone to make it an artistic success in every respect.

SEWER

Sayre, Pa., Feb. 9, 1907.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Borough Clerk until 7:30 o'clock P. M. Tuesday, March 12, 1907, for the construction of approximately the following trunk line sewer, including all labor and material.

4,400 feet 24-inch pipe.
1,960 feet 20-inch pipe.
590 feet 18-inch pipe.

The Town Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids. A certified check for \$500, payable to the Borough Treasurer, must accompany proposal.

For specifications, address
H. H. MERCEREAU, Borough Clerk
Sayre, Pa.

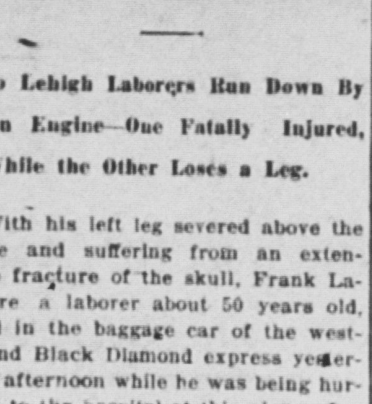
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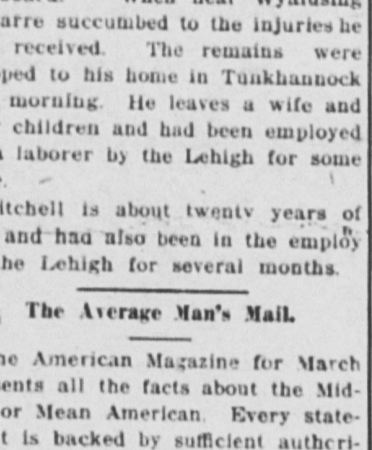
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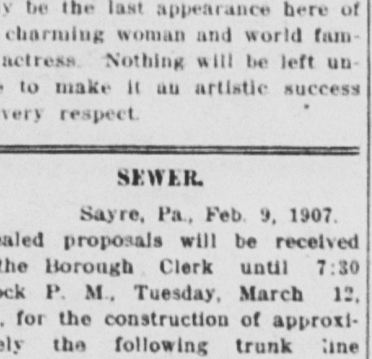


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