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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1907.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Ruggles & Mee. Advertise in The Record.

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Ruggles & Mee, successor to Maney & Page.

Miss Shearer of Hoover street, is very ill with cancer of the stomach.

Mrs. Most Carrier and child are both ill at their home on Hopkins street.

Born this morning to Mr. and Mrs. William Sealey, North Lehigh avenue, a daughter.

Mrs. T. F. Rogers of North Lehigh avenue, has returned from Lopez, where she has been visiting friends.

The house of A. Stroppe on Hoover street has been fumigated and the quarantine sign for diphtheria removed.

Miss Laura Lambert of the firm of Tabor & Lambert has been ill for several days but is now at her place of business.

Mrs. Manning of Hoover street, who has been ill for the past five weeks with typhoid fever is in a very critical condition.

Rodney Mercer, Esq., Towanda's well known lawyer, transacted business in Sayre last night.

Mrs. Sarah Stroppe of Shamokin, has returned to her home after visiting for a couple of months with her daughter, Mrs. Petrey of Hoover street.

Miss Ella Sheahan, who has charge of the millinery department at the Department store, is in New York selecting goods and studying the styles for the season's trade.

We, the members of the J. E. Wheelock hose company No. 5 take method of thanking the ladies for the aid they gave us at our hose company supper, also serving hot coffee the night of the coal pocket fire.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leonard of Hoover street, will give a dance at their home this evening in honor of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rockwell, who are going to move to Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Day will appear at the high school hall on next Tuesday evening. They give an excellent entertainment, and one that is sure to live long in the memory of all who hear it.

When you want a good meal in a nice quiet home-like place call at the Kasper Dining Room, 226 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 backbone eaten for your early breakfast. Call and see us.

BREVITIES

The Record for mine. Ruggles & Mee, 146 Desmond street.

Mrs. Will Adams of Hoover street, is critically ill.

"The Warning Bell" at the Loomis this evening.

Joseph Wagner of Spring street, has moved to Lincoln street.

Robert Rogers of North Lehigh avenue is on the sick list.

T. L. Dunkley of Draper street, is moving to 220 Spring street.

Charles Goodsell's child, Hoover street, is recovering from mumps.

Ruggles & Mee, 146 Desmond street, Sayre, Pa., will open Thursday Feb. 28th.

Mrs. G. E. Rosencrans is in Buffalo looking up new spring styles in millinery.

Justice of the Peace George Edmister boarded No. 8 for Towanda this morning.

C. C. West has been confined to his home on Park Place since last Saturday by illness.

Michael O'Laughlin of Nevada, has been visiting his brother, John O'Laughlin of Lehigh avenue.

Mrs. George Bodie of Spring street, and Miss Fuller of Waverly have returned from a visit to LeRoy.

You ought to be ashamed to borrow your neighbor's paper when you can get The Record each week day in the month for one cent a day.

The ice crop is nearly harvested. Nearly all the store houses in this vicinity are well filled, and the ice is said to be of a fine quality.

The Bradford county society hold a banquet at the Astor hotel in New York today. Several prominent people from this end of the county are in attendance.

Miss Helen Kasper, of West Pittston, has joined her father at this place. Mr. Kasper lately formed a co-partnership with his brother, John Kasper, and is in charge of the lower Desmond street restaurant.

The railroads are forced to pay fines and settle wreck damages and increase wages to employes. A level two cents a mile passenger rate is being exacted by some states. What are the roads to do except boost up freight rates?

Of course the current cold snap has killed the peach crop dearer than the preceding wave. But just the same the rosy-cheeked, downy fruit will appear in due season, in smaller baskets than ever, with the most luscious specimens at the top.

Separating the coal business from the railroad business will be of immeasurable benefit to the country in connection with the fuel problem. Consumers are perfectly willing to pay for coal and the cost of its transportation, but they very properly balk on putting up money for gross rebates on extras.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of the president, Mrs. M. B. Smith, 408 Desmond street, Thursday.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Baptist church will meet at the church tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock. The subject for the meeting will be the Baptist Missionary Training School at Chicago. Following the meeting a ten cent tea will be served from five to seven o'clock.

Best grade Lehigh Valley and Berks coal, well screened, prompt delivery; hard and soft wood. Both phones at yard and office at Raymond & Haupt's, D. Clary Coal Co.

CHARGES NICHOLS WITH LARCENY

State Game Warden Alleged to Have Stolen a Calf From F. E. Seager, in the Year 1905.

Yesterday afternoon Perley Nichols, a former resident of Sayre, but who for several months has been residing at Milan, waived a hearing before Justice Carey on a charge of larceny, and in default of \$300 bail was committed to the county jail at Towanda. Nichols was taken to Towanda by County Detective A. C. McGovern, where it was expected that the former would enter bail before Judge Fanning. That official, however, was in Sullivan county yesterday holding court and Nichols went before the Prothonotary and entered bail.

Nichols was arrested on complaint of F. E. Seager, who alleges that on or about June 15, 1905, a calf which was pasturing on the farm owned by Job McKinney, in Litchfield township, was stolen, and that Nichols is the man who did the job. It appears that Seager held a judgment note against Nichols and that the note was entered in the prothonotary's office. During the fore part of the summer of 1905, the sheriff levied upon Nichols' personal property. Nichols claimed his exemptions and put up the interpleader fee. He did not take advantage of this point, however, and a second fi fa was issued and placed in the hands of the sheriff. A second levy was made and the calf in question was a part of the property taken in custody by the sheriff. The calf, it is alleged, was turned over to Seager, and he arranged with McKinney to have the animal pastured. Shortly afterward the calf was missed from the field in which it had been confined and Mr. Seager was never certain what became of it until recently, when he says he found the calf, now grown to be a cow, in the possession of a man who lives in Litchfield township.

It will be alleged that Nichols can explain how the calf came to be missing from the farm of McKinney.

Nichols was formerly a brakeman in the employ of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company. He resided in Sayre, but severed his connection with the company and was recently appointed a state game warden, under Shoemaker, the Laceyville official; who has gained more or less newspaper notoriety on account of the manner in which he has prosecuted cases against alleged violators of the game laws.

When arraigned yesterday afternoon Nichols stated that his bondsmen lived in Towanda, but as it was necessary for the bondsmen to appear in person Nichols was compelled to go to Towanda to enter bail before the prothonotary.

Mme. Modjeska in "Macbeth."

Surrounded by what is practically an all-star company of players, carrying a wealth of magnificent scenery and costumes, and traveling in a private Pullman car, Madame Helena Modjeska will soon make her last to this city. As this season will mark her farewell appearance upon the American stage, where she has scored so many triumphs, unusual preparations have been made to ensure its artistic as well as financial success. Local theatregoers are fully alive to the importance of Madame Modjeska's early appearance here.

A Gibson Medallion.

Next Sunday's New York World will distribute the fifth Charles Dana Gibson medallion. This is a beautiful head, and is ready for framing. This series will be followed by several large size Gibson pictures (10x15 inches), entitled "Big Game," "When a Man is in Love," "Conspirators," &c., &c., all famous subjects. Get the set. These pictures are worth 50 cents to \$1.00 each. Every Sunday with The World.

Funeral Friday Morning.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Bridget Scannell, whose death occurred suddenly at the Sayre house on Monday evening, will be held Friday morning at 9 o'clock at the Church of the Epiphany, the Rev. J. L. Shanley officiating. Immediately after the services the funeral party will board a special Lehigh Valley train for Towanda where the interment will take place.

Pupils Gave Musicales.

The vocal pupils of Mrs. L. M. Rice and the piano pupils of Miss Rice gave a musicale and recital at the former's home on South Elmer avenue last evening. There were 28 numbers on the program, all of which were most delightfully rendered. A large number of friends of both instructors and pupils were present.

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Have a complete line of the best brand tailored Rochester clothing and a carefully selected line of gent's furnishings.

OFFICERS ROUND UP CAR SEAL BREAKERS

Three Men Locked in Car at Falls Yesterday, and Later Arrested by Lehigh Detectives.

At Tunkhannock yesterday afternoon Special Officers T. B. Shaffer and William Douglas, of the Lehigh Valley local detective force, arrested Anthony Ginley and James Daugherty of Dunmore, and John Caves of Oakmont, on the charge of having broken the seal on a freight car door. The arrest of the men was due largely to the efforts of the train crew on J-B-3. The men were seen to enter one of the freight cars in the train at Falls, and Conductor George Armstrong ordered them to be locked in. Before this could be accomplished, however, (Ginley left the car, but when he returned his two companions were safely locked within the car. Ginley was told to keep off the train but he persisted in having a ride and when the train pulled out he was on board.

Detectives Shaffer and Douglas were at Tunkhannock on business and Conductor Armstrong telegraphed the officers to be on hand when the train arrived at Tunkhannock. The train stopped a little below the town and the detectives were there to meet it. Ginley jumped off but was overhauled by Detective Douglas, and in the meantime Officer Shaffer was shown the car in which Dougherty and Caves were locked. The door was unlocked and the two men jumped out into the arms of the officers.

The three men were taken before Justice of the Peace Kutz of Tunkhannock, where charges of breaking a seal on a freight car door were entered against them. Dougherty and Caves admitted their guilt and were held to await the action of the next grand jury. Ginley declared that he was innocent and he demanded a hearing which was set for March 2.

Recently the Lehigh Valley has been persistently annoyed by freight car thieves, and while it is not known that the men arrested at Tunkhannock had taken anything from the car, it is believed that their arrest will go a long way toward breaking up the practice.

The members of the freight crew on B-J-3 are deserving of special commendation for the active part they took in confining the men in the car.

Yard Conductor Injured.

While coupling cars last night E. A. Bentley, a Lehigh Valley yard conductor, got his left hand caught between the bumpers, crushing the third finger so badly that the end of it had to be amputated at the hospital. The remainder of the hand was more or less lacerated. After having his hand dressed Mr. Bentley was taken to his home in Waverly.

Messrs. Gordon and Bennett, who have given us many of the best attractions that have appeared at the Loomis in the past season, promise us the best effort of their career in the new production, "The Warning Bell" which appears here this evening. The press throughout the country have been lavish in their praise of this new play and pronounce it one of the most worthy productions that has been seen in recent years. Not only is the play of high standard but the magnificent way which Gordon & Bennett have mounted it, is largely responsible for its unusual success.

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LOCAL COURT UPHOLD BY-HIGHER TRIBUNAL

Superior Court Affirms Ruling Handled Down in Pease Land Case.

Among the decisions handed down at Beranton on Monday by the superior court, was the affirmation of the judgment of the court of common pleas of Bradford county in the case of E. E. Pease vs. Samuel Doane and O. L. Haverly, terre tenant. It decides a most interesting point that heretofore has had no ruling in Pennsylvania, namely, that the ownership of land and the first mortgage against the same may be vested in the same person, and that equity will not allow a mortgage to be merged or extinguished in favor of subsequent liens, where it is to the interest of the owner to keep it alive.

Samuel Doane gave a mortgage on a farm in Windham township to Dr. E. E. Pease, amounting to \$1,156.85, which was entered as a first lien. Later Samuel Doane transferred the property to his father, Joseph Doane. Before his death Joseph Doane, for the protection of Pease, transferred the farm to Pease, the mortgagee, and he thus became the owner of both land and mortgage. There was another mortgage against the land of \$1,580, entered by the Athens National bank, under which the property was sold by the sheriff.

Pease began suit against O. L. Haverly, cashier, and Samuel Doane, to recover, and Judge Fanning held as stated above.

The Beauty Doctor.

Fun, clean and continuous, is one of the features of the "second edition" of "The Beauty Doctor" which Fred E. Wright brings to the Loomis opera house Saturday night with the largest company he has yet sent on tour and it comes this season with the favorites of last year retained but with many new faces among the comedians and chorus, with new ensembles and with many new musical numbers, all being credited as hits. The story of the comedy, as our theatregoers know, is a satire on the beauty craze, and the chief character being a specialist of the beauty creating order who advertises to make the old young and the homely beautiful. The experience of the customers of this beauty charlatan afford many a side-splitting incident. Gay old bachelors, old maids with a yearning to be beautiful, old men tottering apparently on the verge of a stage grave seek out the beauty doctor and their tribulations, set to music, are presented to the audience in the most humorously broad way possible, while the music is tuneful and lively and of the sort that lingers in the memory. There are dozen of new song hits since the play was last seen here—"Myron Brown, Farewell," being one of the substantial ones; "Come Down, Mr. Man in the Moon" is a semi-sentimental ballad with the dancing chorus accompaniment; "Angel Voices" is a topical trio that is a hit; "On a Paper and a Comb" by Miss Hylands and chorus is a number which receives three to ten encores nightly, and altogether "The Beauty Doctor" should please her patients as well this year or better than before.

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MRS. SLUYTER SENT HOME THIS MORNING

Woman Evidently Has Fits Which Are of an Incurable Nature.

Mrs. George Sluyter, the Towanda woman who has created more or less trouble for the local officials and who yesterday afternoon was found lying in the snow on South Elmer avenue, was sent to her home at Towanda this morning on Lehigh Valley train No. 8. Mrs. Sluyter was removed to the hospital yesterday afternoon, suffering from a fit. She had had several fits since she came here about a week ago, and they appear to be incurable. This morning the hospital authorities decided to send her home. The orderly was instructed to take her to the Lehigh station in time for the seven o'clock train. Just as the train rolled into the station Mrs. Sluyter was attacked by another fit, and it was necessary to postpone her departure until No. 8. The woman is in a deplorable condition and it would appear that she is totally incapable of caring for herself. She was placed on board of train No. 8 and went to Towanda where she has friends.

"The Warning Bell."

This evening at the Loomis opera house Gordon and Bennett will present the great scenic production, "The Warning Bell." The play is by the eminent author actor, Clarence Bennett, whose previous successes, "The Holy City" and "Royal Slave" are known to all. The Warning Bell is one of Mr. Bennett's best efforts. Telling of life on the Eastern Shore of New England, among the Cape Cod folks with a touching heart story, brimful of comedy and pathos. The scenic equipment is one of the heaviest carried by any organization, and the company is the best that could be secured. Remember the date.

Many Hunters Oppose Tax.

Harrisburg—A petition containing 5700 signatures, protesting against the hunters' tax bill, was presented by Mr. Wickersham of Dauphin, in the House Monday night.

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