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## MADISON MET WITH FEARFUL ACCIDENT

Lehigh Flagman Had Both Legs Crushed Off at Wende, N. Y., This Morning.

Hardy R. Madison, a Lehigh Valley flagman who resides at No. 111 Pleasant street, West Sayre, met with a frightful accident at Wende, N. Y., this morning in which both legs were crushed off, one just above the ankle and the other between the knee and the hip. The manner in which Madison met with the accident which costs him his legs is not definitely known, but from the best information obtainable it is supposed that he fell between the cars.

Madison has been employed as an extra conductor for some time but yesterday he was flagging on B-J-6, an eastbound freight train. He left the caboose at an early hour this morning to go to the head end of the train. It is presumed that he had not proceeded far when in some unaccountable manner he slipped and fell under the wheels. A trainman on the caboose saw Madison's cap lying along side the track, and this fact led to belief that he met with an accident. Madison was removed to a hospital at Buffalo. The injuries are of such a nature that but little hope is entertained for his recovery. His wife left for Buffalo on passenger train No. 5 this morning. Besides his wife the injured man has a large family dependent upon him for support.

## BOROUGH COUNCIL MET LAST NIGHT

Aside From Awarding Sewer Contract But Little Business Was Transacted.

A regular adjourned meeting of the borough council was held in the Packer hose rooms last evening, but aside from awarding the sewer contract to J. J. Higgins of Waverly, but little business was transacted.

The matter of purchasing the nozzles for the fire department was again taken up and the council decided to grant the request of the fire board and purchase three nozzles of the Larkin style.

It was decided to transfer the old Wilbur Hook and Ladder company's truck from Milltown to the hook's hose house on Packer avenue until such time as provisions are made for a team to haul the big truck.

The petition of the Waverly, Sayre and Athens Traction company for a franchise to lay tracks in the borough of Sayre down Keystone avenue to Lockhart street, over Lockhart street to Elmer avenue and down the latter thoroughfare to intersect with the present line was presented to the council by Superintendent Case. The petition was referred to a committee consisting of Councilmen Evans, Hasler, Keenen, Dobell and West, without reading.

## ITALIAN SPILLED BLOOD AT TOWANDA.

Murderously Assaulted "Monkey Jim" Vanderpool by Plunging a Long Bladed Knife Into the Latter's Shoulder.

"Jimmy Fay," an Italian, is in the county jail at Towanda charged with a murderous assault upon "Monkey Jim" Vanderpool in a saloon on South Main street, Towanda. Vanderpool and the native of Italy were in the place filling their systems with booze. The two men finally quarreled, and Vanderpool handed a style of language to the Italian that the latter failed to understand. The Italian became enraged and rushed from the saloon declaring that he would finish "Monkey Jim's" earthly career when he came out. The Italian lay in wait in the shadow of a building near the saloon and when "Monkey Jim" finally appeared on the street the Italian threatened him by brandishing a long bladed knife. The two men sparred for a moment and finally the Italian struck with the murderous looking knife. The sharp blade entered Vanderpool's left shoulder blade. Special Officer Allen, who was nearby, heard the noise of the fracas and he was quickly on the scene. Vanderpool with blood streaming down his clothing, staggered away and the officer reached for the Italian. The latter threatened to annihilate the officer, but when the latter shoved a revolver into his face the dusky son of Italy took a different view of the matter and submitted to arrest.

It was first thought that Vanderpool had been fatally injured, but the physician who dressed the wound says that it will not prove serious. The Italian who did the cutting will be given a hearing this evening.

## IMPORTANT DECISION.

Handed Down By Judge Fanning on Monday Settles Illegal Fishing.

A mooted question was settled by Judge Fanning on Monday, when he handed down an opinion which practically decides several fish cases in the county. In the case of the Commonwealth vs. J. E. Allen, charged with illegal fishing, the judge affirmed the conviction of Squire Meredith's court in which Allen was fined \$25 and costs.

Judge Fanning affirmed the decision, under a ruling of the superior court. Allen was convicted of fishing with a wire basket, and in his defense it was contended that there is no law making it an offense to fish for eels with a basket, but according to the ruling of the court, it is the method employed in fishing and not what is caught in fishing makes it unlawful.

There are several cases similar to the Allen case awaiting a settlement in the courts, having been carried up from the justice of the peace branches and the judge's opinion in the first one heard will probably mean the early settlement of them all where a conviction has already been had in a minor court.—Review.

## Subpoenas in Divorce.

Subpoenas in divorce have been awarded in the case of John Reynolds vs. Iva Reynolds, and also in the case of Beattie L. McCleary vs. Joseph McCleary.

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## COURT RETURNS THE JOHNSON PETITION

Without Comment Supreme Tribunal of the State Ignores Johnson's Plea For a Re-Argument.

Hope for Charles Johnson, the murderer confined in the Towanda jail, is slowly fading and unless the case should be taken to the board of pardons and that body should decide to interfere with the verdict of the jury, it is quite likely that the self-confessed murderer of Maggie Johnson and little Annie Benjamin will meet the same fate that Bigler did, who was hanged for his part in the crime in the Towanda jail yard in July, 1905.

Yesterday afternoon the law firm of Lilley & Wilson received back from the Supreme court the petition praying for a re-argument of the case. In returning the petition the court fails to file any statement of any nature whatever. Not even a line as to why the document is ignored and Johnson's attorneys therefore are rather discouraged.

The fact that the court returned the petition without comment is taken to mean that the highest tribunal in the state is satisfied that the conviction is just and that Johnson should meet the fate decided upon by the jury.

Attorney Wilson, however, is in hopes that the court will yet grant a re-argument of the case, but from the present status, it looks as if the decision would be allowed to stand.

## HIGGINS SECURES SEWER CONTRACT

Council in Executive Session Awards Job to Waverly Man at Meeting Last Night.

After nearly two years spent in considering the question the final steps for a trunk line sewer were taken last night when in executive session the borough council awarded the contract for constructing the line was awarded to J. J. Higgins of Waverly, his bid being the lowest and best. Mr. Higgins will construct the sewer for \$19,312.50. The next lowest bidder was John L. Shea & Co. of Sayre, their bid being \$19,669.00.

Immediately after the council met last evening a motion was made to go into executive session for the purpose of taking up the bids. After an hour of discussion behind closed doors the council again resumed open session and immediately thereafter Councilman Hassler moved that the contract for doing the sewer work be awarded to J. J. Higgins. The motion was carried unanimously and it was also decided to adjourn until next Friday evening. In the meantime the borough attorney will prepare an ordinance authorizing the contract to be signed.

According to the plans and specifications the work must begin not later than April 15th, but it is probable that it will commence shortly after the contract is signed. The bonds have not as yet been sold nor will they be until the council is in need of money with which to carry out the project.

## Confinement Telling on Johnson.

The long confinement which Charles Johnson, the convicted murderer, has undergone, is telling on him, and at times he becomes quite restless. There is nothing in life for him at present but to eat, think and sleep, and too much of these three things would wear on any person, under less mental strain than is Johnson. When visitors enter the jail the condemned man darkens his cell and goes to sleep. Night after night he walks the floor of his cell, having slept the greater part of the day, and being unable to gain find solace in the arms of Morpheus, the god of sleep, he tramps the weary hours away.

## Novelties in Furniture.

New novelties in Fine Furniture has just been received at the D. S. Andrus & Co. Piano and Music Store, 123 Desmond street, Sayre, Pa. Will be sold on the D. S. Andrus & Co. Easy Payment System if desired. Popular prices prevail. tu-3

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## The Valley Record

"All the news that's fit to print."

TUESDAY, MARCH 19, 1907.

## LOCAL BREVITIES

The Record for mine.

Additional Sayre News on page two.

"The Gambler's Daughter" at the Loomis this evening.

Ballentine's Celebrated Ales on draught at the Wilbur House Cafe. If

Easter post cards, wholesale and retail. Athens Racket store. 35 designs. tu-th.

Next Thursday is the last day for filing affidavits of money spent by candidates in the recent election.

Fashionable dressmaking done by Gleason and Stason at 110 Hospital Place. Valley phone 244. 247-261

DeWitt's Little Early Risers scatter the gloom of sick-headache and biliousness. Sold by C. M. Driggs, Drugs.

The King's Daughter of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. James on South Wilbur avenue tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

A social will be given this evening at the Baptist church parlors by the Philathia class. Refreshments will be served and everyone is invited to attend.

The Ladies' aid society of the Baptist church will meet on Thursday instead of Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. M. Angler, Park Place.

That a policeman's or constable's badge does not give a man authority to cite a citizen was the declaration of the Schuylkill county court in sentencing Constable Charles Kramer of West Grove township, to undergo imprisonment in the county jail for six months for assault and battery.

## BREVITIES

Additional Sayre News on page two. Read your own paper; don't borrow.

Harold L. Gillespie of Scranton, is in town today.

The Montrose Republican says that the farmers are preparing to gather sap for maple sugar with prospects that the crop of 1907 will be the finest in many years.

The delightful weather of yesterday contained all the elements of spring time. The snow storm of today, however, contains all the elements of genuine winter.

A bill has been introduced in the House at Harrisburg, requiring all railroads in this state to publish their time tables in the newspapers for the benefit of the public.

With hardly a dissenting voice the House of Representatives Tuesday killed the Teachers' Pension bill on reading and the members had a lot of fun doing it.

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A prominent physician claims that there will be no diphtheria, scarlet fever or worms for children if they eat plentifully of onions every day, especially when there is a scarcity of fresh fruit.

A Philadelphia man, whose wife was killed by a ferocious dog, refuses to destroy the animal because it is worth \$50. That comes pretty near fixing the value of a wife in Philadelphia.

When a Shickshiny man went to Tunkhannock to open a pool and billiard room, he discovered that a special state law prohibited such amusements in Wyoming county. Bowling alleys are also included in the games prohibited.

President E. B. Thomas says that the Lehigh Valley Railroad Co. does not intend to issue any notes or any securities of any kind, as the resources are sufficient to take care of the necessities of the company for an indefinite period.

Wilkes-Barre Council have been for a year incubating an ordinance to regulate the fees for cab service in that city. The ordinance was introduced more than a year ago and has been revised and re-revised. In the form in which it is about to be adopted not more than 25 cents may be charged for transporting a single person to any point between Academy street and Courtwright avenue, while for points on the Heights or farther south in the city 50 cents may be charged.

## TRACTION COMPANY WANTS FRANCHISE

Asks Council for Permission to Lay New Tracks on Certain Streets in Sayre Borough.

In order to complete the plans for a ten-minute service the W. S. & A. Traction company has asked the council for a franchise to extend its tracks in Sayre borough. Or in other words the company wants to extend its South Waverly line through to Sayre over Keystone avenue to Lockhart street, thence to Elmer avenue and thence to the corner of Packer avenue and South Elmer and intersect with the old line.

The petition to the company was presented to the council last night by Superintendent Case, and without reading it was referred to a special committee appointed by the president of the council. The proposed line will give to Sayre a belt line and will also enable the company to establish a ten minute service between Sayre and Waverly and Sayre and Athens. What action the council will take is a matter of speculation.

## KAUFMAN DENIES ALLEGATION.

Says Haviland Duped Him to the Tune of \$3,500.

The Scranton Tribune of Monday, concerning the statement given out by "Specialist" Haviland, the man who feeced a lot of other people out of their money, and has said that Harry Kaufman wanted to help fix up a scheme to do the job, says:

"When Broker Kaufman was shown the interview, he grew very warm under the collar and branded Haviland as a liar. Showing a set of books containing the list of the Scranton investors, he pointed to the names of seven of his family, and demanded to know if he would have gotten his own relatives to lose their money in a game he knew to be crooked. He declared that he got \$300 out of the stock specialist's dealings, and said that on the contrary he had lost \$3,500.

"Kaufman declared that he has been duped by Haviland, and says he has evidence that none of the sales of Rich reported were ever made."

## Harry Shores Resigns.

Harry Shores, who for many years has been the popular and genial clerk at the Wilbur House, has severed his connection with that hostelry, having tendered his resignation last night. Mr. Shores has not yet announced his plans for the future further than to say that he will go to Towanda for a time and enjoy a much needed rest.

Mr. Shores' determination to leave Sayre will be sincerely regretted by a host of friends. He has been the clerk at the Wilbur house for years, during which time he has gained a wide circle of friends by his pleasant manner and upright business methods. He was well liked by the traveling public who will also hope to see him in a similar position ere long.

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