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**G. W. KEITER,
SHENANDOAH, PENNA.**

STORMING OF FORT FLYNN.

Chief Burgess Burns Attempted to Attack the Wall.

THE FLYNNS APPEARED IN ARMS.

Burgess Burns Causes Their Arrest and He is Arrested on a Charge of Trespass on Complaint of Anthony Flynn. The War to Continue.

Chief Burgess Burns has obeyed the orders of the Borough Council and served the notice on Anthony Flynn to tear down the stone wall he constructed across the natural water course in the First ward and the Board of Health met last night to consider the advisability of co-operating with the borough officials in the matter, and met again this morning, upon the scene, and a small American flag which Mr. Flynn planted on top of it floated defiantly in the breeze as the members of the Board of Health surveyed the domain of general disturbance.

It is quite evident that the Board of Health does not propose to take any part in the matter if it can possibly avoid doing so. Last night three members of the Board, Messrs. Morrison, Malone and Holman, met in response to a call for a special meeting and listened to remarks by Borough Solicitor Pomeroy, who also read the resolution adopted by the Borough Council. He also told the Board that although the Council had proceeded as far as it has, the law has really taken the law out of its hands and vested full power in the Board of Health and it is the duty of the Board to ascertain if a nuisance exists. If a nuisance does exist, the Board should abate it.

Mr. Morrison said the Board decided over a year ago that a nuisance existed in the center of Mr. Flynn's lot.

Health Officer Conry interjected the remark that the Borough Council at that time said the borough had nothing to do with the nuisance, as it was on private property.

Solicitor Pomeroy said the existing case and the one of a year ago were not parallel. At that time a private nuisance did exist, but now there arises a nuisance of a public character by reason of Mr. Flynn erecting the stone wall. A year ago only Mr. Flynn was complaining, while to-day complaint comes from the entire neighborhood.

After some discussion the Board, on motion of Mr. Malone, decided to meet at 8:30 this morning and visit the premises to see what jurisdiction the Board had in the matter.

Accordingly all the members of the Board and Health Officer Conry and Chief Burgess Burns assembled at the appointed place and hour. Mr. Flynn made no objection to their entry upon the premises, but he and a half a dozen relatives watched closely that no stone in the new furnace wall was removed. The wall is a solid one, large enough, in the language of one of the visitors, to sustain a cannon. After a brief view of the premises the Board retired to the residence of Health Officer Conry, on the opposite side of Emerick street, and a special meeting was held.

President Spalding said he didn't see where the Board of Health was concerned in the matter and he didn't feel like becoming entangled in the suit pending between the borough and Mr. Flynn, or any that it may have with the other property owners.

Mr. Morrison's view was quite different. He said it was evident that nuisances existed on the premises of J. B. Mousgatan, Michael Graham, Health Officer Conry and other property owners and he thought the proper course would be to compel them to abate the nuisance and then let them prosecute Mr. Flynn for creating it. He considered that it was the duty of the property owners, in the first place, to take action against Mr. Flynn when he started to build the stone wall.

Mr. Malone said Council had taken action in the matter and it rested with that body. It was a question of law between the borough and Mr. Flynn and not for the Board to mix up in it.

Mr. Holman was of the same opinion, but thought some disinfectants ought to be used in Mr. Flynn's cellar.

Mr. Malone said the borough had given parties privilege to connect sewers with the creek and he did not think the law gave anybody a right to license, or maintain a nuisance.

Health Officer Conry thought the borough ought to accept the proposition of himself and other property owners, which is to divert the channel of the creek from the Flynn property and run it through the rear of the adjoining properties. All the owners are perfectly willing to give the right of way and the cost would not exceed \$400, which could be raised by Council compelling all who have sewer connections on the creek to pay their pro rata shares, or discontinue their connections.

Mr. Morrison was still of the opinion that the most effective and regular means would be to prosecute the property owners who are now maintaining nuisances, and let them attend to Mr. Flynn. Mr. Morrison said he based his opinions upon the advice of the Borough Solicitor.

Finally Mr. Malone moved that the Board adjourn to meet next Wednesday evening, at 7:30, and Mr. Holman amended that a special meeting of the Borough Council be invited at the same time, making the meeting a joint one, and the motion was amended and carried.

It is now alleged that the Flynn and several other properties are located on land which is or should be a continuation of Hickberry alley and that the borough never surrendered the land. It is also alleged that the same is true concerning Peach alley. Upon learning that the Board of Health had again delayed action in the matter this morning Chief Burgess Burns reported to Borough Solicitor Pomeroy, who stated that in order to purge the borough of liability for damages it would be necessary for the officers to enforce the resolution. Chief Burgess Burns then summoned Supervisor Llewellyn, who in turn called upon George Knott, Robert Fishburn and John Prosser, to go to the scene as workmen. On the way Prosser heard some people say there might be trouble and he quickly surrendered his pick and retraced his steps up town.

The Burgess and his party proceeded down to the Flynn property. As they walked up the alley at the side of the house from

Emerick street the Flynn family at once sprung to arms. Anthony Flynn appeared at a rear second story window with a revolver in hand and threatened to load the first shot who attempted to step upon his property. His wife ran to the stone wall and stood with her back to it and faced the others and the large crowd that gathered. She had large stones in her hands and also threatened violence. Flynn's son-in-law kept moving from one side of the yard to the other, telling Flynn and his wife to stay where they were. Meanwhile Mr. Flynn was pointing the revolver in all directions from his position at the window and if the revolver had been accidentally discharged it is hard to tell what course the bullet would have taken.

The Chief Burgess and his men refrained from going upon the property in face of the demonstration, but the Burgess left the workmen near the place and went to the office of Justice Lawler and swore out warrants for the arrest of Mr. and Mrs. Flynn and their son-in-law.

Constables Bolin and Phillips were sent down to arrest the Flynns and their son-in-law. Lawrence Giblin volunteered bail and appeared before Justice Lawler. His bond was accepted, but the Justice insisted that the accused would have to appear before him, personally, and the constables made a second trip.

Meanwhile Constable Bolin arrested Chief Burgess Burns on complaint of Anthony Flynn, the charge being trespass. Burns went before Justice Conry and entered bail, Constable Magozzi furnishing the security.

At Brown's Rialto Cafe.
Oyster soup will be served as free lunch to-night. Plenty for everybody.
Grand Army bean soup on Monday morning.
Meals served at all hours.

A Party.
There was a very pleasing gathering of children last evening at the home of Miss Marshall, 14 South Jardin street, last evening. The girls were evening dresses. Refreshments were served and dancing and music were indulged in until a late hour. The event was enjoyed by Eva Brewer, Emily Llewellyn, Minnie Wasley, Sarah Keiper, Ruth Baird, Gertrude Neiswander, Bessie Wasley, Mary Llewellyn, Mabel Marshall, Mary Lowe, Vashti Wasley, Stella and Edna Banteman, Girardville, William Sharp-reeks, Herbert Williams, Harvey Wells, Raymond Detzler, Thomas Williams, Charles Wells and James Chalmers, Charles Hughes, William Jones and Ephraim Boddall, of Wm. Penn.

If you want a fine wedding cake, let Otto make it for you.

"16 to 1"
The subject of Rev. Robert O'Boyle's sermon to-morrow evening in the Trinity Reformed church will be a very interesting one to everybody at this time. The subject of 16 to 1 is discussed by many of our people. Rev. O'Boyle will treat this subject from a religious standpoint to-morrow evening, at 6:30 o'clock. There will also be a song service at 6 o'clock, one half hour before the regular services. Everybody is welcome.

Mandolins—big stock just received at Braun's.

"The Miners' Advocate,"
We have received a copy of the Miners' Advocate, the first issue of which appeared yesterday. It is a weekly publication, devoted to the interests of the laboring classes, and the proprietors are Van Wert & Hart. We welcome the new candidate for public favor to the newspaper fold of the county, and bespeak for it a liberal patronage, especially from the laboring classes. It is neat typographically and edited with much ability.

For Rent.
Dougherty's hall, recently vacated by the United Evangelical church. Excellent location, steam heat and gas. Heat ventilated hall in town. Apply of Mrs. Mary Dougherty.

At the C. E. Convention.
The Junior Christian Endeavor Convention at Pottsville is being represented by the following town folks to-day: Misses Maggie Boddall, Ida and Lizzie Williams, Mame Kincaid, Bessie Ellis, May Dusto, Lillian Bevan, Belle Brown, Mabel and Jessie Glover, Mrs. David Evans, and Mrs. David Brooks, and Messrs. J. Arthur Hoover, A. B. Lewis and David Brooks, Rev. Alfred Heebner will deliver an address on evangelistic work.

The Last Two Days of Sport.
Don't miss the last races at Hazleton, October 23rd and 24th; \$1,000 in purses. Horse and bicycle races. Excursion rates from all points.
D. H. LEVANS, Sec'y.
10-13-196

Enters Journalism.
Mr. Guy Winters, of Mahanoy City, to-day resigned his position at the Pennsylvania Telephone Company's exchange in that city, which he held for four years, to join the Daily American staff. He will have charge of the circulation department. Mr. Winters is an able and active young man who makes many friends and will be a valuable acquisition to the American staff.

It's Queer How Quick
San-Tina cures coughs and colds, 25c. At Grubler Bros., drug store.

Attended The Fair.
Among the town folks who attended the Bloomsburg fair to-day, were the following: Messrs. Edward Kestor, Dr. J. W. Van Velsch, F. J. Brennan, L. A. Bamberger, George Krick, Dr. E. D. Longacre and E. A. Andrews. Many of them went to see "Allen Dore" to-day.

Democratic Mass Meeting.
A Democratic mass meeting will be held in Ferguson's theatre on Monday evening, 19th inst. Addresses will be made by Wilson P. Shephard, Esq., James W. Ryan, Esq., and others. All voters are requested to attend and hear the issues of the day discussed. At

Three Per Cent. Above.
The Schuykill coal exchange have fixed the rate of wages at 3 per cent. above the \$2.50 basis for the last half of October and the first half of November.

It Hits the Spot That's Right.
What? Pan-Tina for coughs and colds. At Grubler Bros., drug store.

New Wagon.
T. J. Broughall, the grocer, to-day put another new delivery wagon on the road. The wagon is painted in bright and attractive colors and presents a neat appearance.

TO MOLLIFY TOM WATSON

Populist Leaders Going to Georgia for That Purpose.

HIS LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE!

It is in Possession of One of the Committee, and Publication Will be Deferred. Will Not be Asked to Withdraw From the Contest.

CHICAGO, Oct. 17.—George F. Washburn, chairman of the Chicago branch of the Populist national campaign committee, and H. W. Reed, the committeeman from the state of Georgia, and the personal friend of Mr. Watson, left for the home of Mr. Watson last night. Mr. Washburn had with him the letter of Mr. Watson accepting the nomination of the Populist party for the vice presidency. The letter will not, in all probability, be made public until after the two gentlemen have had their interview with Mr. Watson.

It is said on the best of authority that the actual object of the visit to Mr. Watson is the desire to have a talk with him over the general situation, and to explain to him several matters in the conduct of the campaign from the Populist standpoint that have not yet met with the entire approval of the committee for the vice presidency. There will be an effort made to get Mr. Watson to consent to the removal of his name from the ticket in favor of Mr. Sewall, but there are said to be few wrinkles on Mr. Watson's brow that would look better if they were smoother, and it is to smooth them that Messrs. Washburn and Reed have gone to the south.

In reply to the statement that Mr. Washburn had been called to account by Chairman Jones, of the Democratic committee, and Chairman Butler of the Populist committee, and others because of his persistence in demanding the substitution of Mr. Watson for Mr. Sewall on the national ticket, Mr. Washburn said:

"This is just as willful and malicious as like as the statement that our executive committee admitted its report to Chairman Jones before issuing it to the public, or that Senator Jones had authorized our committee to make any overtures in the way of a cabinet position, or otherwise, to Mr. Watson to secure his silence."

"From the beginning of the campaign to the present time I have aggressively and fearlessly insisted upon the recognition of the rights of our candidate, Mr. Watson, and of the interests of the People's party, and shall continue to do so until the end of the campaign."

"The statement that there has been any friction with our Washington headquarters or with Senator Jones is also an infamous lie. My position has been fully understood and respected, and notwithstanding my advocacy of Mr. Watson's right my line of action has been in perfect harmony with Senator Butler and our committee, and while I have at all times presented our rights vigorously upon Senator Jones, there has at no time since my arrival here been an unpleasant word between us, or a single misunderstanding."

"Mr. Washburn, what have you to say in regard to the telegram from Mr. Watson to Mr. Smithberger, of Kansas, stating that the 'middle of the road' Populists had been sold out, and that their party had been made a footstool for Democratic politicians?"

"I do not believe that Mr. Watson said this or sent such a telegram. If it be true, he probably had reference to the state to which the telegram was sent, because in that state the Democrats endorsed the Populist state ticket and the Populist's legislative candidates, who are to elect a Populist United States senator. This was done in exchange for a straight Bryan and Swoell electoral ticket, with the understanding that all the electors shall vote for the vice presidential candidate receiving the highest number of electors outside of that state."

Death of a Noted Botanist.
PARIS, Oct. 17.—August Adolphe Lucien Treouil, the botanist, died yesterday. He was a member of the Institute, was born in 1818, studied pharmacy at Paris, but turned towards the study of botany, and in 1843 published several memoirs. These caused to be confided to him a scientific mission to the United States by the Museum of Natural History and by the minister of agriculture for research, especially of certain roots used by the savage tribes of North America. He wandered with the Osgood Indians in 1848 and was in Texas and Mexico the next year.

Burned to Death by Vitriol.
GUTHRIE, O. T., Oct. 17.—At Shawnee while James Wilson, a stockman, was getting shaved, Dr. Mahron, a prominent physician, entered the shop and began talking politics. Wilson said that McKinley was a plutocrat, and was incompetent. This enraged Mahron, who rushed to the barber chair and dashed a bottle of vitriol in Wilson's face. Wilson died in great agony, and Mahron was chased out of town by a mob.

Campaigning Generates in Ohio.
XENIA, O., Oct. 17.—Ten thousand people were in Xenia yesterday, and a monster procession from all parts of the county paraded the streets in a greeting to the soldier speakers, Generals Alger, Slekals, Sigel, Walker and Howard, and Corporal Tammor. They spoke from a stand in the middle of the crossing of the two main streets of the town. Many persons think it the largest meeting since Blaine was here in 1893.

Brennan's New Restaurant.
Hot lunch on Monday morning.

Fall Novelties.
It will pay you to purchase your fall supply of underwear, ladies' coats, caps and misses and children's coats, also dress goods of every description. An elegant assortment of carpets and oil cloths at

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The Volunteers of America.
Misses Trevison and Maud Holland, of town, have been accepted as cadets by Commander Billington Booth and will leave for New York to go under training. First Lieutenant Haslam will draft them on a Wednesday morning next. Monday evening next the Local Post will hold a large meeting in Dougherty's hall, when Staff Captain Lindsay will present the colors, elect officers and swear in recruits, assisted by First Lieutenant Haslam and wife and Cadet Emanuel, Lieutenant Haslam will locate Posts at Mahanoy City and Minersville.

At Kepeshinski's Arcade Cafe.
Hot Tamales to-night.
Hot lunch on Monday morning.

Farewell Party.
Miss Edna Carmichael was tendered a farewell party at her home on West Park street, last evening. Those present were Miss Margaret Boddall, Ida Williams, Anna Zerby, Mills Boyer, Grace Graham, Bertha Hallerman, Jennie Kincaid, Alice Townley, Jennie Tempert, May Dusto, Emma Powell, Geo Lewis and Mable Bernhardt; and Messrs. Fred Hutton, James Mader, Clyde Glover, Chas Matter, George Roxley, Roy Shank, John Stein, Harry Pratt, Burton Davis, John Major and Frank Carmichael. Refreshments were served.

Kendrick House Free Lunch.
Veal pot pie to-night.
Hot lunch on Monday morning.

Hon. D. D. Phillips Home Again.
Hon. D. D. Phillips, says the Ashland Telegram, left the state hospital Thursday afternoon, and is again at his home at Gordon. Mr. Phillips has improved very much of late, and his friends all hope that some influence and home associations will still further assist him on his way to recovery. His townspeople gave him a most cordial welcome home.

Show making and shoe selling in our line. We make them good and sell them cheap.
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Advertised Letters.
Letters addressed to the following named people remain unclaimed for at the local post office: Miss Nell Dixon, Max R. Jansky, George Miller, Mrs. Ida Plum, J. T. Brown.
M. MELLET, P. M.

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