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PERSONAL MENTION.

George Hillis transferred business at Pottsville today. Miss Lizzie Hoelmer and Robert Cohen have taken to the lake. Rev. John Grady, of Pottsville, is the guest of his parents at Girardville. Louis Chaus, of Allentown, was in town drumming up trade yesterday. S. C. Becker, of Pottsville, called to the territorialists in town yesterday. Dr. W. N. Stein was called to Pottsville today on account of legal business. Miss Mary Stuck is attending the Normal school graduation exercises at Kutztown. Miss Annie Lingham spent to-day in Mahanoy City as the guest of Miss Pearl Phillips. Miss Eva Hagendorf has returned from Hamburg, where she visited her aunt, Mrs. Harris. Mrs. Abraham Vost, of East Coal street, left today for Tamaqua, where she will spend a few weeks visiting friends. Miss Beeky Bostick, of Reading, who was a guest of the Yost family on West Centre street, returned to her home in Reading yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Portz, John and Frank Portz and Miss Sallie and Annie Portz attended the Kraits-Vorik wedding at Tamaqua yesterday. P. J. Fox, engineer at the Columbia brewery was entertained by the fair sex at East Creek last evening. Mr. Fox is a winner among them. J. Brown McLaughlin, ex-cashier of the Lehigh National bank, was registered at the Ferguson House last night. Mr. Brown had served in the capacity of cashier for that institution for 12 years. Butler Township Election. The election of teachers in Butler township was held at Tamaqua last evening. All the old teachers with the exception of Misses Maggie McCormick and Bridget Barrett were re-elected. Their positions will be filled by Miss Agnes Castello and Mr. Maurer.

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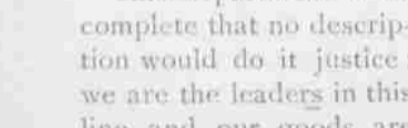
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THE PENNSY AND READING LITIGATION.

The P. & R. Railway Company filed an answer Tuesday in the Philadelphia Court of Common Pleas to the bill in equity filed by the Pennsylvania Railroad to have the court decree that an agreement made between the P. & R. and them in 1887 had the effect of leasing to the franchise and property of the respondent company. The latter deny the agreement is such fact.

Members at High Point Park. The members of the Shenandoah High school and many of their friends were enjoying an afternoon at High Point Park today.

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THE DIETRICH CASE.

Evidence Showing G's Were Made to the Poor Director.

The bribery case against Director of the Poor Neri Dietrich was continued at Pottsville with damaging effect to the accused. John Bowman, Esq., of Schuylkill Haven, testified that he saw an assessment list when having a conference with Dietrich and the name of Gordon Reed was on it. His assessment having been marked at \$200. The other assessments were: Isaac Huey, \$115; Wash Oims, \$125; J. H. Gillilan, \$150; Buchler \$75; Smith, \$75; Gressing, \$75; Jas. Webber, \$75. The witness also testified: "They paid me \$30 for himself, and gave me two checks for Gordon Reed, amounting to \$200; one was for \$45 and the other for \$155; the latter was on the Mineders' National Bank; this was sometime in January; the checks were drawn in my favor by Huey; I paid the amount in money to Dietrich; I got \$50 from James Webber, he sent it to me by his son; that was the latter part of December or first part of January; got \$75 from Gillilan, but don't remember who gave it to me; these parties were in the habit of coming to my office right along; Buchler gave me \$75 about the time the appointments were made; I received a total of \$450 from these people; I gave \$500 of it to Mr. Dietrich. Shortly after getting the Reed checks I met Dietrich in town; had a brief conversation with him, and told him I would see him on the train on my way to Schuylkill Haven; on the train I gave him \$300, stating that the boys had given it to him; I think I gave him a list containing the names of the persons who gave it; I told him at the time that I had \$150 yet and that I would see him and give it to him again; I paid him the \$300 about the latter part of January; I still have the remaining \$150 in my possession. Gordon Reed, steward at the Almshouse, was the next witness. He testified: "After the appointments Huey, Webber, Gillilan and myself talked over these matters and I went alone to see Mr. Bowman and said I was going to give Mr. Dietrich a present; I didn't tell him how much; I gave \$200; Samuel Huey paid it for me; I don't know how he paid it; he attended to the matter for me; I didn't have any money; Dietrich was only getting \$2 a day while the other directors were getting \$1,000 a year; this was one of the considerations which led me to make the present." Another reason given by the witness was that Dietrich had stuck to him two years. Dietrich, he said, never asked him for a cent, and the \$200 was the only money he ever gave Dietrich.

GETTING OUT.

Taxable Foreigners Are Getting Back to the Old Country.

From many parts of the region come reports that the Hungarian and other foreign element are getting out of the country. There are two reasons for this. Dull times has much to do with it, but the new three cents a day tax on the unaturalized follows is a pill that many of them cannot swallow, and they prefer to get out of the country rather than pay it. A party of twenty-three passed through Ashland yesterday from Shamokin, en route for New York, whence they will sell for their native land. Some of them had spoken in the country for eighteen months and spoke excellent English, and had saved money enough to make them rich in their own country. They say that times are much better on the other side now than they are here, and they seemed rather pleased at the idea of getting back to their native shores again. Reports from the Hasleton and Wilkesbarre regions say that they are getting out there too, in large numbers, and steamship agents are doing a land office business.

PITHY POINTS.

Apprentices Throughout the Country Chronoled for Hasty Formal.

Mrs. M. P. Brennan has resigned her position of organist of St. Mary's church, Mahanoy Place, and will be succeeded by Miss Kate Mahany, of Gilberton. D. D. Helm, Jr., of Shamokin, fell from a cherry tree and broke his leg. He fractured the same leg last February. Statistics show that the ranks of the Grand Army of the Republic are being thinned out of its old veterans at the rate of 100 daily. Every 15 minutes of the 24 hours the final tap summons a wearer of the blue to rest. Walter Nottelinger, 7 years of age, of Reading, mistook a bottle of ammonia for root beer and took a swallow. His mouth and throat are badly burned. Nearly 60 Berks county citizens have appealed to County Treasurer Kutz for the work of the mercantile appraiser. The silk weaver's strike at the Cutter silk mill, Bethlehem, is still unsettled. Most of the young people of town are out on bicycles every evening and on Sundays. They thoroughly enjoy the sport. Three Arabs with six rifles started out to peddle around town today. Where is the Mercantile Protective Association? Shamokin talks of building a new \$50,000 hotel. It is already pretty well supplied in that line. Tuberculosis prevails among cattle in Northumberland county. A cow in the herd of James Martz, of Reed's station, was found to be badly affected and was killed by order of the state authorities. Edward Haley, of Springfield, a suburb of Shamokin, was committed to jail yesterday charged with forging his father's name to a check for \$11.

MAHANAY CITY.

A Brakeman Sustains Injuries That May Prove Fatal.

MAHANAY CITY, June 24.—Peter O. Mallick, a brakeman on the freight train No. 36, fell from his train at about one o'clock this morning, near the Buck Mountain station and received injuries which it is feared will result fatally. He was standing on a gondola when the train passed through the tunnel on its way from Tamaqua to Sewberry Junction. Shortly after the train passed, Buck Mountain station Mallick reached for a ladder of a box car to which the gondola was coupled. He was standing on the edge of the car and as he reached for the ladder, swung his body over, but missed his footing and fell between the cars, which passed over his left leg at the ankle and over the right leg at the knee. His right arm was also bruised and mangled in a shocking manner. The crew was not aware of the accident and Mallick laid beside the track until 5 o'clock, when he was discovered by the engineer of engine No. 74, passing light. He stopped his engine and Mallick was brought to town and received temporary attendance, after which he was removed to the Mineders' hospital. Mallick remained unconscious from the time of the accident and when he heard the engine approach he signalled the engineer with his right arm. The victim is 32 years of age, resided at Shamokin and has a wife and two children. George Metro, a Hungarian residing at Maiseville and having charge of the trough lines at the Brookside washery, was almost suffocated to death yesterday afternoon. He was attempting to clean a main tank into the trough and had underrun a large part of it, when a large quantity of steam fell upon him. He was rescued just in time to prevent suffocation to death. Patrick Holland, a driver at the Mahanoy City colliery, had the index finger of his right hand partially mangled yesterday. Miss Mary Graham, of Bowman's, and Frank Kline, of town, were married in St. Catharines church this morning. J. Frank Dechant, representing the New York Tribune Press Air Fund, was in Delano today, endeavoring to get the people of that place to receive the children of the fund this summer. Philip J. Thomas, of Scranton, president of the Pennsylvania State Legislative Labor League and Scranton Building Trades Council, and general organizer of the American Federation of Labor, is in town to organize a branch of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America.

LEHIGH'S NEW PRESIDENT.

Ever since the acquisition of the Lehigh Valley property by the Morgan interests it has been understood that there was to be a change in the management. This arrangement is further believed, has the full approval of President Wilbur and his chief lieutenants. It has not been known just when the change would take place and there have been many rumors in reference to it. It was reported at the time that the Board of Directors tendered their resignations and while not having been accepted, it is understood that they will be, and of the old board, Eugene Delano, Thomas McKean and Joseph Wharton will be offered places in the new directory. It is reported in railroad circles that E. W. Winter, late President of the Northern Pacific Railroad, is to succeed E. P. Wilbur as president of the company.

DEEDS RECORDED.

From Mary Roberts et al. to Matilda Scott, premises in Pottsville. From Jonathan Bretz and wife to Samuel J. Clemens, premises in Rush township. From E. W. Central, administrator, to Daniel R. Boudler, premises in Pinegrove township. From Tills. Among the true bills filed by the Grand Jury yesterday were the following: Charles Jones, Shenandoah, assault and battery on the person of John K. Jones; J. Jerome O'Neil, Lost Creek, securing publication of a libelous article, oath of P. J. Ferguson.

ITALIAN SHANTY DESTROYED BY DYNAMITE.

Pittsburg, June 23.—A shanty used as a sleeping place for seven Italians employed on the work of excavating for the new city reservoir in Highland park was wrecked by a dynamite explosion about 1 o'clock in the morning. A laborer named Antonello was instantly killed, and his body was instantly torn to pieces. Another man was mangled, it is further alleged that the shanty had been made that the building would be blown up if not removed. Ten men are under arrest, being held as witnesses.

TO DEMAND SATISFACTION FROM PENN.

Washington, June 23.—The state department has resolved to again press the McClellan claim upon the Pennsylvania government and try to bring it to a settlement. The object sought is to secure an indemnity of \$50,000 for the ill treatment of McClellan, who was an American consular agent at Arequipa and also connected with the railroad company in Peru. During a revolution McClellan was seized and imprisoned and sentenced to be shot by the revolutionary element that afterwards obtained control of the government.

ALMOST FATAL TOOTH PULLING.

Mrs. Alice Fleming, of Shamokin, went to a dentist that town to have eight teeth pulled. To undergo the operation she was put under the influence of an anesthetic, but after a few of the teeth had been pulled the blood began to flow so freely there was danger of her choking and she was brought to the balance of the teeth were then pulled. The dentist stopped the bleeding by the usual treatment, but after the wound had arrived home the blood again began to flow in great quantity and she became so weak as to faint away. Her condition remained critical until yesterday and she is now declared out of danger.

ORANGE HUSBANDS.

William Hoppie and Miss Juliana Jones, of Ashland, were married at that place on Tuesday evening by Rev. O. S. Metzler, of the M. E. church, in the presence of a large number of friends in their own house. Miss Bonnie I. Babin, daughter of George Babin, and Howard W. Weston were married at the residence of the bride's father in Pottsville yesterday. Miss Emma Krebs, daughter of Mrs. Ellen Krebs, of Tamaqua, and Frank Lawrence York, of Baltimore, Md., were married at the former place yesterday.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

John Connelly and Mary Farrell, both of Middleport. Thom. Money and Mary Dericks, both of New Philadelphia. Oliver Lora and Christie Krantz, both of Brandenburg. Howard W. Weston and Bonnie I. Babin, both of Pottsville. Harry Lesley and Norma S. Scrom, both of Pinegrove.

DOUBLE TRACK.

Work upon the double-tracking of the Little Schuylkill branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway between Tamaqua and Reynolds station has been pushed forward so rapidly that it is expected to be completed by July 1st. The building of the additional track has made many changes along the line, not the least acceptable of which to the patrons of the road is the easing up of some of the sharp curves in the line, while in other places the course of the creek has been turned. The force of men employed for some time past is upward of 200 and it is stated that the company has spent upwards of \$40,000 in improvements thereabouts this summer.

MATCH GAME OF BALL.

The managers of the Famous and Cherry street base ball teams last night made arrangements for a game to be played at the Trotting park on July 5th for not less than \$20 a side.

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