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M'LAUGHLIN DEAD.

Publisher of the Philadelphia Times Explained This Morning. PHILADELPHIA, July 14.—Frank McLaughlin, publisher of the Philadelphia Times, died at his home here this morning. He had been confined to his room for several weeks by a complication of diseases, the result of a severe attack of rheumatism. Mr. McLaughlin was the founder of the Times and the principal owner.

EARLY MORNING ALARM.

Time Starts a Fire in a Lumber Yard—Little Damage. At five minutes after three o'clock this morning Polish people residing on the West side of Bowers street, just north of Lloyd, ran to the house of W. H. Glenn, the manager for the Shenandoah Lumber & Feed Company, and told him that there was a fire in that part of the company's lumber yard opposite their houses. Mr. Glenn hurried to box No. 15, at the corner of Bowers and Coal streets, and sent in an alarm. The whole town seemed to be wrapped in deep slumber and but few of the firemen responded to the alarm. Upon arrival at the lumber yard it was found that a large storage of new shingles close to a lime dump had been ignited. Two streams of water were put at work and the fire extinguished in a few minutes. Little damage was done. It was thought by some that a spark from a locomotive had started the fire, but it was evidently the lime that caused the trouble. Fire was started by the lime dump once before.

AN AFFLICTED FAMILY.

Diphtheria Kills Five Children Living at Brandonville.

The family of Lucian Long, of Brandonville, is sorely afflicted, the family having lost five children by death within three weeks. All the children were afflicted with malignant diphtheria and the fifth was buried yesterday. They were under eleven years of age. The sixth child in the family, an infant, is now suffering from the terrible disease.

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Dr. Swallow's Charges Retained. Harrisburg, July 14.—Rev. Dr. S. C. Swallow issues an address declaring that "the evidence submitted to the legislative committee on the origin of the Capitol fire, showing that it was of incendiary origin, was suppressed by the committee. Strong circumstantial evidence is now in our possession pointing toward the guilty parties. For more direct evidence, that will convict of the crime, we herewith offer \$1,000 reward."

Lehigh Valley's New President. Philadelphia, July 14.—The board of directors of the Lehigh Valley railroad held their meeting yesterday, accepted the resignation of R. P. Whitely as president, and elected as his successor Mr. Alfred Walter. Edward T. Stotesbury, of this city, and C. H. Coeter, of New York, were elected to the directorate. Ex-President Wilbur remains in the board of directors.

Smith & Bellis Restaurant. Open all night, basement Titman building. Vegetable soup, free, to-night. Hot lunch to-morrow morning. Hard shell and deviled crabs.

Bicycle Coupled Surprise. The predictions of the HERALD regarding an entire change in the position of the contestants in the popular bicycle contest at the Shenandoah drug store was verified last night when the day's count was displayed on the bulletin board in the show window. Rose Toole, who had a "lead pipe cinch" on first place, has now been consigned to second position, Miss Clara Whitehead leading him by 61 votes. Miss Annie McMeekin is now in third position, while John Conville and Miss Margaret Bailey are closely contending for fourth place. The vote cast yesterday exceeded that of Monday's, which indicated that the interest in the contest is becoming greater than ever. The excitement is just beginning. There are still several more weeks to pass before the contest closes, the date being September 15th.

Two Assassins Burst. Special to EVENING HERALD. MATHEWAN, N. Y., July 14.—Great excitement was occasioned here this morning, when it became known that two immense reservoirs two miles from this place burst, drowning a large number of the inhabitants of the valley below. Eleven bodies have been recovered. Twenty people are still missing.

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A Nice Operation. Dr. W. N. Stein yesterday performed a most operation on the hand of Joe Karyliski, of South Park alley. The patient sustained a crush of the thumb on the right hand and necrosis of the bone set in. Dr. Stein opened the member at the second joint and removed ten pieces of the affected bone. The operation gave the suffering patient much relief and promises to be highly successful in other respects without recourse to amputation.

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A Brakeeman's Mistake. One of the L. V. R. E. brakemen employed on Conductor John P. Schlier's train, and residing at Delano, was told by his wife that it was necessary to have goat's milk for their child. He came to town on Monday and bought what he considered was a very nice milk producer, and did not discover until he reached home that it was not that kind of a goat.

Deaths and Funerals. W. G. Munkel, a resident of Auburn, died of apoplexy Sunday afternoon aged 80 years. The funeral of the late John J. Walsh took place at Mahanoy Place yesterday, internment at Frackville. Among the floral offerings was a pillow from the choir of St. Mary's church, of which the deceased was a member.

The funeral of Sanford A. Evans took place from his late residence on South Jardin street, this afternoon. The services were held at the house, Rev. Alfred Heubner, pastor of the M. E. church, officiating. The pall bearers were: Messrs. A. F. Morgan, Charles McCutcheon, Samuel Davis, Harry House, Dr. D. John Price and W. H. Waters. The remains were interred in the Odd Fellows' cemetery.

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THE STRIKE IS GROWING.

More Men Join the Ranks of Idle Miners.

PREDICTION OF A GOVERNOR!

West Virginia's Chief Magistrate Thinks the Trouble Will be Speedily Settled by Arbitration—Debs and Sovereign Willing to Take a Hand.

Pittsburg, July 14.—There is a lull in the miners strike in this district, attributable to the fact that nearly every mine in the district is idle. To keep up the enthusiasm and prevent the strikers from becoming lukewarm in the cause, however, the officials have arranged for a series of meetings in different sections every day. Three meetings were held Monday at Hanington, Fayette City and West Newton, and at each place resolutions were adopted not to return to work until the officials gave the order. Yesterday a large meeting was held at Snowden, on the Wheeling division, and the men were unanimous in their determination to stand firm for the 49 cent rate. The miners on this division would any company will soon begin evicting them from their houses, and intimate that if this is attempted there will be trouble.

News reached the miners' headquarters yesterday afternoon that the diggers in the Cannel, Warner and Morgan mines, Heaver county, had thrown their sticks and joined the strike. The three pits employ about 200 men. The strike has also spread to Mercer county. Five mines are idle in that region. The men struck for an advance of ten cents per ton. An effort was made yesterday to resume work at the Eagle mine at Monongahela city. It is a co-operative concern, but when the miners learned of the strike of the stockholders was against resumption, and it was decided to keep the pit closed until the strike was settled. A delegation from Brownsville says the Knob, Beaumont, Empire and Albany mines have closed down, and the miners have joined in the general strike, with a determination to remain out until the question of wages is satisfactorily settled.

National President M. D. Hatchford, of the United Mine Workers, is expected in Pittsburg tonight or tomorrow, and he will meet the commissioners. District President Patrick Dolan came from his home in Cecil yesterday, where he has been sick for several days. He said the strike, as far as the miners are concerned, is progressing in good shape. When asked about arbitration, he said: "If arbitration brings a satisfactory settlement, then arbitration is the proper course."

President Dolan said a movement would shortly be made on the mines above the Pennsylvania railroad, that are still in operation, and a strong effort will be made to bring the men out. Governor Atkinson, of West Virginia, accompanied by his wife and a number of state officials, spent the day in Pittsburg, en route to Canada, where they will attend the convention of the Epworth League. Concerning the miners' strike he said: "The coal strike is not affecting West Virginia very much, and I do not believe the main body of our miners will go out. I do not anticipate any trouble whatsoever from the strike in our state, and believe that the coal over the country will be speedily settled by arbitration."

There is a bare possibility that the joint arbitration conference may yet lead to the termination of the miners' strike on the basis of the true and uniform agreement proposed by President DeArmitt, of the New York and Cleveland Coal Gas company, last year, but which failed for the reason that the 87 per cent. of the operators in this district required by DeArmitt could not be secured. Two sessions of the arbitration board were held yesterday, when the miners' representatives of Pennsylvania, Ohio, West Virginia, Indiana and Illinois being present. At the afternoon session President DeArmitt appeared before the board and laid out the conditions which exist from his point of view. He recited the history of the miners' struggle for better conditions. He told of the great uniformity movement in 1895-96, which failed of its purpose. Mr. DeArmitt said: "If the operators of the Pittsburg district will abolish their company stores, use a uniform screen, give honest weight, 1,000 pounds of coal for a ton, pay cash every two weeks, I will leave to any committee to settle the price of mining and pay it, no matter how high, providing all my competitors pay the same price. Unless these conditions can be brought about I will not agree to abolish the contract with my men, nor can I afford to do so."

Mr. DeArmitt pointed out the fact that his men were working today, when almost every other mine in the district was idle. He said that he fully intended to pay his men the district price whenever the other operators will meet his terms. If true uniformity was secured here, however, it would involve the interests of the other bituminous states, he said, that ultimately there would have to be a chain of uniformity agreements in all the states that would cost much money and require considerable time to accomplish. He promised the board all assistance in his power in securing a settlement upon the basis proposed, but said under no consideration would he treat with the United Mine Workers.

It has developed that a number of the operators have been going by planning a copy which is expected to bring dismay to the miners. It is the intention to at once equip the mines with machines and do away with a great many diggers. When the mines are ready to start, miners will be imported and put to work under heavy guard, and the strikers harried. With the co-operation of the other operators, J. A. Belder, of the Webster Gas Coal company, located on the Monongahela river, will take the initiative. The operators claim this plan becomes necessary because the work done by people are gobbling all of their contracts. It goes without saying that the diggers will resort to every possible means to prevent the carrying out of the proposed scheme. The Stickle Hollow tragedy of 1924, when seven striking miners were killed, is likely to be repeated soon.

SOVEREIGN AND DEBS With Willing to Take a Hand to the Miners' Strike. Columbus, O., July 14.—When asked in reference to the proposed action of the officials of the Wheeling and Lake Erie railroad in enjoining the miners from interfering with the operation of their mines President Hatchford said: "If it is lawful for men to cease work and strike against insufficient wages to support them we have violated no law; if it is not lawful we plead guilty. We do not fear to advise men to strike so long as they do so along lawful lines, and therefore we have no objection of the proposed injunction."

President Hatchford said he was confident of bringing out the West Virginia miners. A telegram was received from Grand Master Workman Sovereign, of the Knights of Labor, offering his personal services. Eugene V. Debs will arrive here today to consult with President Hatchford.

A special from Bellaire, O., says: The miners in Schick's mine, on the Baltimore and Ohio road, were yesterday persuaded to stop work, and with the closing of these mines all the miners in eastern Ohio are closed.

All Indiana Miners Idle. Terre Haute, Ind., July 14.—Yesterday President Knight, of the Indiana miners, was called to Clinton, where 500 men who have been working on an underground basis for two years, and taking whatever prices were offered, are anxious to join the union and help along the strike. In Sullivan county yesterday the Star City mines posted notices that no mining would be done until the strike was settled. This practically ends the mining in that county. Efforts have been made by several operators to secure settlements with their men, at the wages asked, but all offers were rejected until after the meeting of the national executive board, which will be held at Columbus at an early date. Every mine of importance in Indiana is now idle.

Newsweek, Cor. Main and Coal Sts. Hot lunch to-night. Hot soup to-morrow morning. Meals served at all hours.

Demanding Advantages. Justice Tolson last night prepared affidavits for 35 alien employees at the Knickerbocker colliery who were notified yesterday that they would be required to present the papers to-day to show their birth places, ages, occupations and terms of residence in the United States. The foreman will not be content with verbal statements.

Quick Meal Restaurant. Noodle soup, free, to-night. Hot lunch to-morrow morning.

Prof. Anthony Elected. An adjourned meeting of the Shamokin School Board held Monday evening. Prof. O. W. Anthony, of Washington, D. C., was elected teacher of mathematics in the high school, over Prof. Hoch, the present incumbent. Two of the directors were injured in the mines, but as their votes were necessary they were conveyed to the meeting in arrriages.

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Pottsville's Vermin Breeder. Pottsville's lock-up is infested with vermin and is in such filthy condition generally that prisoners incarcerated there request to be sent to jail, and when released threaten to bring action against the borough. This is a bad state of affairs for a town that has the pretensions of a city.

Baker's Cafe. Our free lunch to-night will consist of oxtail soup, fish cakes to-morrow morning.

A Fine Mess. Anglers throughout this section should keep shy of Roy Weidman and his father, Samuel Weidman, as they cannot handle the rod and reel with these sportsmen. Both anglers spent yesterday in the Brush valley, where they captured six beautiful trout as they were brought to town this morning. The largest measured 14 inches while the smallest measured 9 inches. They served as a palatable breakfast at the Weidman table this morning.

When bilious or constive, eat a Cascarets candy cathartic, cure guaranteed, 10¢, 25¢.

TRAMPLED BY A HORSE

An Accident That Aroused Mahanoy City People Last Night.

THE VICTIM WILL PROBABLY DIE

A Man's Thoughtless Act Causes a Horse to Run Away and in Jumping to a Pavement the Horse Ran Down and Dangerously Injured a Child.

Special to EVENING HERALD. MAHANOV CITY, July 14.—No little excitement was occasioned here last night by a serious accident resulting from the thoughtless act of an unknown man, and which in all probability will result in the death of a child.

John Jutko, a boy, was taking two horses to their stable. He rode on the back of one and led the other with the bridle strap. As he turned a corner two Polish men were obliged to stop on the crossing. One of the men struck the hind horse on the flank with a piece of broomstick, causing the animal to take fright and dash away. As it went along West Pine street at a mad pace the horse left the street and ran upon the sidewalk where Harry, the five-year-old son of George B. Yungst, was playing. The child was run down by the horse and terribly injured. Several people hurried to the assistance of the victim while others turned their attention to the horse and got it under control before it did any further damage.

When the injured child was picked up it was unconscious and blood flowed profusely from several ugly wounds. The child's body was trampled, which caused a fracture of three ribs and severe injuries to the stomach. There was also a cut several inches long on the head owing to the nature of the injuries and the unkind condition of the child on account of a recent illness, it is feared that the result will be fatal.

At first there was intense feeling against the boy who had charge of the horses, but when he and others explained how the runaway was started a more lenient view was taken by the bystanders who struck the horse. He could not be found. Had he been located the crowd would have undoubtedly hounded him roughly. Efforts are being made to put him under arrest.

POLITICAL POINTS. There will be lots of fun in state politics, resulting from the break between Hastings and Quay.

Charles D. Arter, of Tremont, is a candidate for Jury Commissioner. The sentiment among the Republicans seems to favor a change in the party notes. Somebody will be disappointed. Coyle has promised the Shenandoah post office to three different individuals.

Democratic candidates are becoming more numerous. Three of them are after the nomination for Sheriff. So far our townsman, Thomas J. Hight, is in the lead.

In reference to the Hoop-Hastings break, Sam Leach, the laid-leaded statesman from the banks of the Shenandoah, says in an interview: "There is trouble brewing, and I don't want to say anything about it at present."

Delegation to the county Republican convention in the various wards of town are springing up at a lively rate.

"Will the two disabled Judges resign?" is a question freely asked by friends of prospective candidates.

The cold water adherents, it is said, will give an active canvass this fall.

Wilhelm, Ego, Johnson and MacHenry for state delegate in the Second district. Both are confident of success.

Kendrick House Free Lunch. Purse of pea soup will be served, free, to all patrons to-night.

Tossed by Escaping Storm. Shamokin, Pa., July 14.—George Fetterolf and Harry Andrews, carpenters at Reliance mine, sustained fatal injuries yesterday by having been blown into a strong oak mine car by the bursting of a compressed air pipe. The air from the escaping pipe followed them and tossed them around like logs until their bodies were horribly lacerated and bruised and they were unconscious. The compressed air plant was just completed, and was to have been tried as soon as the men succeeded in making a leak, but the 800 pound pressure burst the column directly in front of them.

To Fight a New State Law. Pittsburg, July 14.—The alien tax law passed at the recent session of the legislature has been attacked in the United States courts. A bill in equity was filed yesterday in the United States circuit court, in which it is claimed that the act is not only unconstitutional, but is a violation of the treaties between the United States and Great Britain. The plaintiff is John Fraser, a subject of Great Britain, and the defendant is the McCowan and Tarley company, by whom Fraser is employed. Fraser's employers deducted 2 cents a day from his wages last week, in accordance with the new law.

At Keppich's's New Cafe. Vegetable soup will be served, free, to all patrons to-night.

Big Reward for Evidence. Harrisburg, July 14.—Gov. S. C. Swallow, the prohibition candidate for State Treasurer, who charged that the State Capitol building was set on fire, has issued the following statement: "The evidence submitted to the Legislature on the origin of the Capitol fire, showing that it was of incendiary origin, was suppressed by that committee. For reasons known to me and to them, Messrs. Hastings, Haywood and Mylin, Commissioners of the building, and Deputy Superintendent, have refused repeatedly the request to offer a reward for the conviction of the criminals."

Strong circumstantial evidence is now in our possession, pointing toward the guilty parties. For more direct evidence that will convict of the crime, we herewith offer \$1,000 reward.

"S. C. SWALLOW."

Meyers Improved. It was reported to-day that George Meyers, of town, a patient at the Miners' hospital, at Fountain Springs, was in a dangerous condition. A message from the hospital's superintendent stated that, to the contrary, the patient was much improved.

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Short Back Sailors, all colors, 25c. Sailor Hats, 10c. Trimmed Sailors, 15c. 20c. 25c. 30c. 75c. \$1.00. \$1.15. Black Meire Ribbon, 6 in. wide, all silk, 25c. Satin and Gros Grain Ribbon 4 in. wide, 15c.; 5 in. wide, 25c. a yard. Taffeta Ribbon, all wide widths, 20c. and 25c. per yard.

Infants Lace Caps reduced from 50c. down to 25c. Lace Hats, 20c. up. Morning Veils, 1 1/2 yards long, with border, \$1.00 and up. Silk and Grenadine, \$1.75 and up. Morning Bonnets, \$1.00. Hats, \$1.50 and up. Real Hair Switches, 6c. and up. All our offerings are reduced to bottom prices.

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