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CRIMINAL COURT.

A Number of Remonstrances Were Filed This Morning.

Pottsville, January 7.—The Board of Fire Trustees last evening re-elected John Johnson, of the Good Intent Company, President; Joseph B. Hollman, of the West End, Vice President; Frank W. Leeb, of the "Goodies," Secretary; and George F. Moore, of the West End, Treasurer. The fire police were sworn and elected Walter Reinhart, of the American Hose Company; George W. Taylor, of the Good Intent, First Lieutenant; and George Rogers, of the Humane, Second Lieutenant. Council will be asked to request the Penna. Railroad Company to give the firemen the right of way when responding to alarms. The officers entertained their fellow members at Howell's cafe after the meeting.

There must be something pugilistic in the air. At the hearing of the stock brokers charged with gambling in margins two prominent politicians advised their courts and tried hard to get a whisk at each other, and those of these present got between them while others framed a bet on the issue. The Justice says he'll hire a big hall for the next hearing.

Charles Arbos died, aged 74 years, after the second stroke of paralysis received within a week. He was a saddler and held the grammar school janitorship 17 years. His widow and nine children survive. Funeral Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

James Carter, waiter at the Penna. Hall Hotel, died this morning. He was 40 years of age. Controller Severn refused to approve a bill for a post mortem and a charge for expert testimony relative to the death of a miner at the Ashland hospital, caused by burns. The amount is \$15. The case stated will be presented to court. Mr. Severn suspects that many post mortems are unnecessary, and that some are made at the request of insurance companies.

Dud. W. Seligman, the latter, who was operated upon for appendicitis, is steadily improving at the Pottsville hospital.

The funeral of Charlotte A., wife of ex-Judge James Byam, took place this afternoon and was largely attended. A number were present from a distance.

LIQUOR LICENSES.

Next Wednesday, January 12th, is the time set for granting all license applications with the old tenders and to which no exceptions have been filed. Up to last evening remonstrances to ban twelve applications were on file at the Clerk of the Court's office. Hearings will be necessary where new licenses appear for new stands and in the case of exceptions. It is probable Judge Pershing will sit in license court.

County Treasurer Davis will accept nothing but cash and certified checks on payment of licenses. He has sent instructions in this course by the proper authorities. It is said it has occurred that checks have been given former county treasurers which upon presentation at the banks were not accepted. Subsequently, however, the amounts were made good.

FILED REMONSTRANCES.

Following is a list of applicants for liquor licenses in Shenandoah and nearby to whose applications remonstrances have been filed: Shenandoah—Enoch Bokun, Fifth ward; Joseph Wyatt, Second ward, attorney Chas. A. Snyder; Solomon Hank, Third ward, Attorney Kinck; Daniel F. Grow, West Mahanoy township, Attorney Kinck; Daniel Nieswenter, Union township, Attorney Houghwanton.

Mahanoy City—John O'Connell, Charles C. Burchill, M. J. Leahy, W. W. Lewis, John Glenn, Wm. D. Harris, Attorney Kinck; John Stellavich and John Smajda, W. W. Lewis, Attorney Snyder. Other exceptions are expected this afternoon. This is the last day for filing exceptions.

FINE SKATING.

Four or five are swinging about the upper landing of Dan's. The ice was flooded right before last night's snowiness. This is not an ad, but a favor to readers who like the sport.

CRIMINAL COURT.

Anthony Jurish, aggravated assault and battery, on oath of Magdalene Astromsky; guilty, \$1 fine, costs and 30 days. He was found guilty of a similar charge brought by Peter Astromsky and got \$1 fine, costs and 30 days.

Joseph Price, vagrancy, on oath of Michael Brennan; \$1 fine, costs and 30 days.

Aggie Banam, assault and battery, on oath of Mary Kovish and Joe Kovish; not guilty, each pay half the costs in each case.

John Zalavish, selling liquor on Sunday on oath of Andrew Pashey; not guilty, each pay half the costs.

John Hitz, assault and battery on oath of Joseph Frederici; bill ignored, prosecutor for costs.

Emma Sower, larceny, on oath of George W. Stager, jury out.

Ether Fiddler, cheating and defrauding and hawking and peddling, on oath of F. A. Agnes; bill ignored, prosecutor for costs.

Joseph Dishavage, larceny as bailee, on oath of Joe Sudakiss.

Wm. Morris, desertion and non-support, on oath of Mary A. Morris. Court directed Morris to pay the costs, \$16 a month to his wife's support and to give a \$300 bond.

Peter Stines, assault and battery to kill on oath of Peter Astromsky, not guilty, but each pay half the costs. A similar charge against Anthony Zuraw was not passed or dismissed.

Thomas Devine, larceny, on oath of the Coplin; bill ignored and prosecutor for costs.

Mike Smith, assault and battery, on oath of Theo. Switky; bill ignored, prosecutor for costs.

Stiney Viditis and John Smalgas, assault and battery, on oath of Peter Pashey; bill ignored, prosecutor for costs.

Aggie Banam, assault and battery, on oath of John Shouda; not guilty, prosecutor for costs.

Condy Burns, assault and battery and surety on oath of Mary Burns; \$10 fine, costs and 30 days.

Abe Addison, Wm. Barton, Beckie Johnson, Wm. Lee, Frank McGeece, Thomas Nolan and H. Richardson, all denizens of the slums were found guilty of being common nuisances on oath of Chief of Police Hiram Davis. Each got a sentence ranging from four to six months.

Marks Eckert, surety, on oath of Sarah Sheriff. Court heard the case and directed each to pay half the court costs and settle with their own witnesses.

Sarah and William Sheriff, surety, on oath of Marks Eckert. Court directed each to pay half the costs and their own witnesses.

Patrick Boyle and George Rice, vagrancy, on oath of Sam. G. Seifert; \$1 fine, costs and 30 days each.

Mat. Presko, selling liquor without license, on Sunday and to minors, on oath of Don. Barnett; on trial.

Charles Yancinokos, assault and battery, on oath of Lewis Wasser; bill ignored, prosecutor for costs.

George Oats and Wm. Coppeland, hunting on Sunday, on oath of D. P. Haupt, bill ignored, prosecutor for costs.

James Hishel, larceny, on oath of Thomas J. Reed; not guilty.

The grand jury spent the morning inspecting the Almshouse.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Edward Schneck and Clara Irene Fidler, Washington township.

Iris Lindemuth, Gilberton, and Lizzie Davis, of Turkey Run, Shenandoah.

Nathan Sweet and Libbie Levine, Shenandoah.

THE DEERIE CASE.

John F. Drehr, engineer of the P. & R. Railroad, was put on trial to-day, charged with the larceny of two linen table cloths and eleven napkins from H. Boyer & Sons' store, Pottsville. Drehr and a companion named Scott Allen went into the store during the

holidays and Drehr bought a table cloth and a dozen napkins. The goods were sent to the wrapping department. A package was returned and after Drehr and Allen left the store two table cloths and eleven napkins, valued at \$20, was missed. The saleslady reported the loss to Floor Walker Steel and summoned Chief of Police Davis. They overtook Drehr and Allen at the station and, upon opening the package found with them, revealed the missing articles. Here it was where the larceny in the case came. The defense claims the wrong package was handed to Drehr in the store and a mistake was made in the wrapping department. The case will go to the jury this evening.

THE DEMOCRATS.

A meeting of the Democratic Standing Committee has been called for next Saturday, in Union Hall, Pottsville at 10 a. m., for the purpose of electing a County Chairman, Secretary and delegate to the state convention. Joseph W. Moyer, Esq., of Pottsville, is mentioned for chairman, and Harry O. Bechtel, of Pottsville, for secretary.

Marie Linnhardt and others to William Leontovich, Esq. presiding in New London. Wm. Leontovich to Christians Knoolough, premises in New London.

Samuel Maurer and husband to Jacob Mohrbach, premises in M'Phersonport. Wm. H. Keesling to Mary C. Sharpless, premises in Cas township.

Emmanuel Smith and wife to Solomon Menget, premises in McKensburgh.

A Sensitive Man

Would use Kemp's Balsam for Throat and Lungs. It is curing more cases of Croup, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup and all Throat and Lung troubles, than any other remedy. The proprietor has authorized any drug store to give you a Sample Bottle FREE to convince you of this great remedy. Price 25c and 50c.

LATHROP WINS.

Selected Superintendent of the Hazleton Hospital.

The trustees of the Hazleton Hospital met yesterday afternoon and selected a superintendent for that institution to succeed Dr. Keller, resigned. The meeting was held behind closed doors.

By the time the meeting was called to order, the following medical men had gathered: Drs. Farquhar and Carr, of Pottsville; Morrison and Scattergood, of Philadelphia; Hughes, of Ashley; Lathrop, of Miners' Mills; Reese, of Fountain Springs; Thompson, of Wilkesbarre, and Stearns, of Hazleton hospital.

Dr. Lathrop, through the powerful political influence of the Lehigh Valley Company in that region, was elected on the eighth ballot. The ballots resulted as follows:

First ballot—Lathrop, 3; Farquhar, 2; Scattergood, 1; Morrison, 2. Second ballot—Lathrop, 1; Farquhar, 2; Scattergood, 2; Morrison, 1. Third ballot—Lathrop, 2; Scattergood, 3; Morrison, 2; Reese, 1. Fourth ballot—Lathrop, 1; Farquhar, 1; Scattergood, 3; Morrison, 2; Reese, 2. Fifth ballot—Lathrop, 2; Farquhar, 2; Scattergood, 1; Morrison, 1; Trapold, 1. Sixth ballot—Lathrop, 2; Scattergood, 2; Morrison, 2; Trapold, 1. Seventh ballot—Lathrop, 3; Farquhar, 1; Scattergood, 2; Morrison, 2. Eighth ballot—Lathrop, 6; Scattergood, 1; Morrison, 1.

For two years Dr. Lathrop has been on the medical staff of the Wilkesbarre hospital, and is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania. Dr. G. M. Hamilton, of town, was an applicant for the position.

Casarets stimulate liver, kidneys and bowels. Never sicken, weaken or irritate 10.

MAHANAY CITY.

Borough Council to Ask For an Increase of Debt.

Mahanoy City, Jan. 7.—At a meeting of the Borough Council last evening it was decided to take steps to place the question of increasing the borough debt \$50,000 for street paving before the people at the spring election.

A. C. Sherman resigned from the Board of Health and Thomas W. Parker was appointed his successor.

A public installation of the officers of Severe Post, G. A. R., took place last evening in the post room. There was a musical and literary program and John S. Deshiva made an address.

IN OLDEN TIMES

People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with transient action; but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently overcome habitual constipation, well-informed people will not buy other laxatives, which act for a time, but finally injure the system. Buy the genuine, made by the California Fig Syrup Co.

A Business Change.

H. W. Titman yesterday sold his interest in the C. E. Titman Lumber Company to G. C. Clouse, who has been Mr. C. E. Titman's private secretary for several years. The interests in the company are now held by C. E. Titman, president; G. C. Clouse, vice president and secretary; Dr. J. S. Kistler, treasurer; and John Robbins.

Sleighed to Ringtown.

Class A, of the Shenandoah High school, enjoyed a sleigh ride to Ringtown last night, in one of Nieswenter's large livery sleighs.

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108 & 112 East Centre Street.

CHEAP

FURNITURE.

Can be bought from us this year 35 per cent. cheaper than during any other season. This is our holiday inducement.

Fine Cane Seat Dining Room Chairs, . . . 75c

Square Extension Table Handsomely decorated, \$2.75

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For Christmas Gifts, \$1.00 up.

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At Factory Prices.

Call on us. No trouble to show goods.

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Word in Passing.

Dr. J. C. Hilde, of the Miners' Hospital, paid a professional visit to town to-day.

Miss Bowls D. Leivinton, of Hazleton, is the guest of the Levine family on East Coal street.

Postmaster Mellet and Health Officer Coury have returned home from a trip to the Quaker City.

H. A. Acker, general manager of the Grand Union Tea Company, looked after the affairs of the local branch to-day.

Mrs. Edward Mills and daughters, Mangle and Julia, and son Edward, are in West Chester, on a visit to the former's daughter, Vera, who took a higher veil at the recent wedding.

Mrs. Mary Carney, of Mahanoy City, and "Jack" Reon, of Park Place, were early morning visitors to town.

Miss Anna Wynn, of Mt. Carmel, will be a guest at the Hotel Finney for several days.

Mrs. and Mrs. John V. Mahoney, who were pronounced man and wife 16th of this month, returned to town last evening.

One for Rheumatism or neuralgia. Use a 2-cent bottle of Salsation Oil and find it according to directions. It will cure the worst case.

The Joyce case settled.

The case of Butler township vs. Peter Joyce, late treasurer of that district, has been settled through a decision of the Orphans Court that was returned to the Joyce estate. A certified check for \$700 payable to Thomas Pepper, and signed by Mrs. Margaret Joyce, widow of the late Peter Joyce, was honored by the Citizens' National Bank of Ashland, in which Mrs. Joyce had a deposit of \$800, which amount was attached by an appeal through the Court of the bondsmen of the late treasurer, Peter Joyce, who was discharged by the auditors of Butler township to the amount of almost \$500. The case was fought in the courts and cost a considerable interest in the township, and throughout the county. The decision of the Orphans' Court was absolute, and almost every expense connected with the case was saddled upon the Joyce estate, although Peter Joyce was only the treasurer of his fact as Butler township, and never received one cent of emolument during his holding the office. There is much sympathy for Mrs. Joyce throughout the township, who was clearly a victim of circumstances.

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