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BREAKERS CONSOLIDATED.

A Mammoth Breaker for Three of the Packer Collieries. Some time ago the HERALD published a rumor to the effect that the Lehigh Valley Coal Company was contemplating the erection of a mammoth breaker to take the combined output of several of its collieries. It was learned to-day that the project has assumed a shape of certainty and within the next twelve months the structure will be completed and in operation.

The breaker will be erected near the site of the present Packer No. 1 breaker. It will be a mammoth affair, one of the largest and best equipped in the anthracite region, with all the latest improved machinery for the preparation of coal for market. It will take the combined output of Packer collieries Nos. 2, 3 and 4.

This preliminary work has already started and will be continued until next spring when the erection of the new breaker will begin.

Democrats in Session. The meeting of the Democratic candidates in Potomac this morning, in accordance with an invitation from Chairman Meyer, attracted many prominent workers of the party to the county seat. All of the candidates were present with the exception of Henry Becker, of Tanawqua, who was unavoidably detained at home. Chairman Meyer stated to the press representatives that the assessments were not made, and that nothing was done outside of an informal talk over the political situation. Another meeting will be held next Saturday, when it is likely that the assessments of the candidates will be fixed. At that meeting Chairman Meyer will probably announce his decision as to whether or not he will continue in the dual position of county chairman and state secretary.

The Working Time. The P. & E. C. & I. Co. collieries will work five three-quarter days next week. The Wm. Penn colliery will work five days of 8 hours each on (Saturday) of five hours. These schedules are the same as those in force for several weeks past. The Lehigh Valley Coal Company had not issued orders up to a late hour this afternoon, but it is probable this week's schedule will be continued six full days.

Boy Injured. John, a 15-year-old son of Isaac Morgan, of West Lloyd street, was playing in a stable on Baugherty alley yesterday afternoon when an iron pipe fell from its fastenings and struck him on the lower jaw. It caused a gash three inches long and exposed the bone the entire length of the cut. Dr. Stein put eight stitches in the wound.

Victim Improving. Harold, the eight-year-old son of Henry Shoemaker, who had his arm torn off by a fan at the plant of the People's Ice Company, on Wednesday evening, is gradually improving. Yesterday the boy was able to sit up in a rocking chair.

Storing Soft Coal. The yards at Black Creek Junction are full of cars loaded with soft coal to be stored at Westport. At present eight men are at work all the time unloading the coal. Altogether 10,000 tons, or about 400 cars, of bituminous will be placed in storage there.

Boy's Arm Fractured. John R., a four-year-old son of John Taggart, of North Main street, fractured his right arm below the elbow by falling from the back of a companion on Main street this afternoon. The two bones were broken. Dr. Hamilton reduced the fracture.

Dragged by a Chain. August Spahr, of West Apple alley, sustained slight contusions of the back, sides and hips by being dragged some distance by a chain in motion at the Shenandoah City colliery yesterday afternoon. The injured man is confined to his home. Dr. Hamilton is in attendance.

New Butcher Shop. John E. Wetters, to-day opened a meat market at No. 2 South Main street, next to Broderick's grocery, where he will be pleased to receive the patronage of his many friends. Everything about the shop is clean and tidy and Mr. Wetters promises to furnish the public with everything first-class in his line.

The Defender Pleads. The Defender Hose Company is holding a picnic at Turkey Run to-day, and will continue it this evening. The public should give the affair generous support, as the proceeds are to be devoted to liquidating the debt on the company's hose house. The Defender boys are royal fellows and will give all their patrons a cordial reception.

Yeniah Shoemaker Injured. Yeniah Shoemaker, of South Main street, had both his legs injured this morning while engaged at work on a sewer excavation on West Cherry street. Large rocks and a quantity of earth fell and squeezed him against the side of the excavation. He was able to walk to his home, but he suffers from several lacerations and bruises.

Charged With Assault. Matt. Bubins, alias Lutichia, of Wm. Penn, has sworn out a warrant before Justice Toumey, charging "Blood and Thunder" Jenkin with striking him on the head with a revolver in a notorious row on East Centre street, known as "The Red Onion," last night.

Notice. The dry goods department of The Hub will open early next week. Mr. Spenser has just returned after a week's buying in New York, where he has selected a rare stock, and it will warrant the ladies of Shenandoah and vicinity in waiting to see and inspect before making next week's purchases.

Col. Schelley Ill. Col. J. K. P. Schelley, a former resident of town, is lying seriously ill at his home in Tanawqua, suffering from an attack of pleurisy. The Colonel's illness was of such a serious nature Wednesday night as to require a doctor's attendance four times. At present his condition is somewhat improved.

Woman loves a clear, healthy complexion. Pure blood makes it. Burdock Blood Bitters makes pure blood.

Dr. Clauser to Wed. The Wilkesbarre Record contained the following item of news in reference to a former resident of this town: "The engagement of Dr. H. S. Clauser, of Forty Fort, and Miss Mary M. Luke, of Kingston, is announced, the wedding to take place in the near future."

Advance in Anthracite. New York, July 29.—The anthracite companies announce that all orders for coal at prices prior to July 1 net filled on May 31 will be cancelled, and the advance of 25 cents per ton will then go into general effect.

Ten thousand demons gnawing away at one's vitals couldn't be much worse than the tortures of itching piles. Yet there's a cure. Doan's Ointment never fails.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

Proceedings at a Regular Meeting Held Last Night.

REMARKS MADE BY DR. SPALDING.

He Speaks Plainly Regarding Mortalities Among Children and Condenses the Milk Supply—Many Foreign Parents Seem Neglectful of Their Sick Children.

A regular monthly meeting of the Board of Health was held in the Council chamber last night with all the members in attendance, namely: Messrs. Spalding, Holman, Morrison, Malone and Schmidt.

The epidemic committee reported that there was but one case of dangerous contagious disease reported for the month. It was a case of diphtheritic croup. The child is now convalescent. This compares very favorably with the record in preceding years. For the month of July, 1898, the number of cases was four, and for 1897 the number was seven.

Mr. Schmidt precipitated a discussion of the complaint made by Councilman James, relative to the sanitary condition of the southern end of Jardin and West streets, and his threat to call the attention of the State Board of Health to the matter. Messrs. Schmidt and Malone and Health Officer Conry said they inspected the places and reached the conclusion that such nuisances as exist there can only be abated by the borough giving proper grades and compelling the property owners to pave and gutter, and to clean up West street. It was also stated that it would be in order for some Jardin street property owners to tear out the unsightly plank gutters in front of their properties and put in proper ones.

It was finally decided that the secretary be instructed to notify the Borough Council to furnish proper grades for the parts of Jardin and West streets complained of, and instruct the Chief Burgess to require the property owners to pave and gutter.

The report of the necrology committee showed that there were 37 deaths and 1 still birth during the month ending yesterday. For the same month in 1898 the record of mortality was 53 deaths and 2 still births, and for the preceding year the record was 67 deaths and 3 still births.

Referring to the necrology report Dr. Spalding called attention to the fact that 10 of the 37 cases were due to cholera infantum. He said there had been a great deal of sickness among children and it was surprising that there were not more deaths, particularly among the people of the foreign classes, many of whom do not appear to give their children proper care and attention. He cited one case of a child that took sick last Saturday. He was four years old and two months old and well developed. It was brought to his office and he prescribed for it. He saw no reason why the child should not recover, but the child was only treated once and the next day it died. He said there was a great deal of cholera infantum in the city, and he is much interested in public affairs.

Dr. Spalding also spoke upon the milk supply of the town and maintained that most of it was not fit for children, especially those of the foreign class. He recommended the use of goat's or malted milk and cited cases where much benefit had been derived from their use. One case was that of a child of Mr. Malone, a member of the Board, in which malted milk had been used with excellent results. Mr. Malone agreed with the statement.

Secretary Curtin reported that he issued 43 burial permits during the month, 40 for local interments and 3 transit. Of the local interments 5 were brought from outside places, namely: 2 from Wm. Penn, 1 from Connors and 2 from West Centre.

Health Officer Conry reported that he gave attention to eighteen cases of nuisance during the month. Mr. Schmidt asked if something could not be done with the farmers who bring unripe fruit and vegetables into the market and President Spalding said the Health Officer could act in such cases. Mr. Conry stated that he had been acting in that direction and hardly a day passes that he does not require somebody to carry to the public dump some fruits and vegetables that are unfit for use, although he made no reference to the cases in his written report.

President Spalding adjourned the Board until Monday, August 7th, when the reorganization will take place.

Cool Place for Cool Beverages. Hot weather makes cool places and cooling beverages in great demand and a good glass of cold soda water with the flavoring of pure fruit juices, a dash of phosphate, or a lump of ice cream, or some frozen fruit, is soon to hot weather victim. Kirin's pharmacy affords the relief desired. The store has recently been re-improved and re-decorated for the new large and beautiful orange fountain pours forth pure and ice cold soda with all the popular flavorings, and comfortable chairs make the store the very place where a good glass of soda can be enjoyed. Kirin's soda is in great demand, but the facilities are equal to all occasions and all customers receive prompt and polite attention, regardless of numbers. Overhead fans are the latest addition to the store, increasing its comforts. A large electric fan ornamented by a bunch of electric lights is a feature of the latest improvements.

Church Notices. Preaching services will be held in the Primitive Methodist church to-morrow morning and evening. The morning subject, "The Rich Provision That God Has Made in the Gospel for His Church." Sunday school at 2 p. m. Evening subject, "The Power of the sixth sermon on spiritual anatomy. Everybody welcome." The Lord's supper will be administered in the Reformed church to-morrow morning in the German language, and in the evening in the English, also privately to invalids in the afternoon and evening if requested. The offerings of the day will be devoted to the cause of missions.

Sight Probably Destroyed. Address Malone, a miner at the Buck Mountain colliery, met with an accident yesterday by which he will probably lose the sight of one of his eyes. When he was wedging a lump of coal a piece struck him in the eye.

Held For Threats. Andre Kuswara was last night put under \$500 bail by Justice Shoemaker, on complaint of Mrs. Mary Greenburg, who alleged that Kuswara came into her husband's store on West Centre street and threatened to assault her.

ADDRESS ON BANKRUPTCY

Commercial Law League Listens to an Argument for the Law. The feature of the session of the Commercial Law League yesterday at Ashbury Park, N. J., was the address on bankruptcy by E. C. Brandenburg, of the Department of Justice at Washington.

He said in part: "The bankruptcy law is receiving consideration alike from the lawyer, merchant and mechanic, and while much of the comment is favorable, there is no lack of criticism. From the latter, the layman might be led to believe that the law as found upon our statute books is an ill-digested attempt to afford relief to the business community. A hue and cry has been raised by many because a man's past obligations are in the sight of the law discharged and an opportunity given him to start life anew."

"It must be remembered that this right is founded upon the broad principles of equity which assist the unfortunate merchant to start life anew, enabling him in some way to make compensation for such discharge, and emanates from that higher plane of duty which one member of a society owes to another. It is not a mere technicality in the commercial world of himself."

Mr. Brandenburg further said that merchants are seeing cancelled on their books old accounts, which have for years been worthless, and which are still carried to a certain extent as assets. As a matter of fact, ninety-nine per cent of these accounts are absolutely valueless, and have been for years, and never would be satisfied. The creditors accordingly lose nothing by the discharge, but ultimately may profit by it, for if the bankrupt is permitted to start life anew, the assets are that if honest upon resuming business he will deal with the creditor, and in that way the latter may in some way be recouped for his losses.

ARCHBISHOP IRELAND HOME.

He Declares the Pope Is in Remarkably Vigorous Health. New York, July 29.—Among the passengers who arrived yesterday per steamer Britannic from Liverpool and Queenstown were Archbishop Ireland, the Rev. Thomas Bradbury, Harold Dickinson and the Rev. Creighton Spenser.

Archbishop Ireland talked to reporters last night at the Fifth Avenue hotel. He spoke of his sojourn abroad and of the condition of affairs as he found them, but declined to make any expression of his opinion of either religious or political matters. He spent three months in Rome and three months in France, Belgium, England and Ireland.

"In all the countries I visited," Archbishop Ireland said, "I found a strong desire for friendly relations between the United States and France. France is doing all she can to bring about a peace with England in trying to cultivate our friendship. 'I saw his holiness, the pope, three months ago. I saw him before his illness and after the operation. He is remarkably well. There is no doubt about that. There are more old men in Europe than in America, and our old men have a lot to learn from the old men of Europe. The holy father is a man of wonderful physical vigor, and likely to remain with us, his many years. His mind is sound, his health is good and he is much interested in public affairs.'"

Another Mine Explosion Victim Dead. Hazleton, Pa., July 29.—Charles Elman, one of the victims of Thursday's gas explosion at the Derringer colliery, died of his injuries yesterday. He leaves a wife and nine children, the youngest three weeks old. The other five victims are now out of danger.

To introduce our special brand silver knives and forks we offer them at cost, this week only. BRUMM'S.

Paving at Wilkesbarre. The city of Wilkesbarre will pave several streets with the same material adopted for this town, as the following resolution passed by the City Council will show: "That the proposal of Gibbons & Co., for taking up the chestnut block pavement on North street and replacing the same with Hamburg brick for the sum of \$1.13 per square yard, and the proposal of Fred Heidler for taking up the chestnut block pavement on Washington street and replacing the same with Cleardford brick for \$1.16 per square yard, be accepted."

Jacob Britt Elected Captain. Last evening Jacob Britt was unanimously elected captain of Company E, Eighth Regiment, of Mahanoy City. Lieutenant Harris, who commanded the company during the late war, withdrew as a candidate for captain just previous to the balloting, and will resume his old position as first lieutenant.

Deaths Recorded. The following deaths were filed: From Harriet Kline to Lizlie Reed, premises in Schuylkill Haven; Nathaniel Yarowski and wife to Hattie Seeman, premises in Potomac; Zion's E. E. I. church to Ella Schelley, premises in Tanawqua; Lehigh & Wilkesbarre Coal Co. to Michael Kiraly, premises in McAdoo.

Died From His Injuries. William Reese, the 12-year-old son of Michael Reese, of Cambria, who was injured by being carried up and down by the scrapers at Eagle Hill colliery, being badly mangled, died at his home yesterday.

One Bay Horse For Sale, Cheap. Good roadster and driver. Will worth its purchase. Apply at Carl's meat market. At

Four Dollar Rate For Puddlers. Reading, Pa., July 29.—The Reading Iron Company to-day advanced puddlers' wages to \$4 a ton.

Harrisburg, Pa., July 29.—On August 1 wages of puddlers in the Harrisburg mills will be advanced to \$4 a ton.

Cream Puffs on Ice all summer at George Scheider's bakery, 93 East Oak street. If

Base Ball. The Shenandoah base ball club will cross bats with the Brady team of Shamokin, at the latter's grounds, to-morrow afternoon.

The Keystone of Mahanoy City and the Columbus of the First ward will play at the Trotting park to-morrow afternoon.

Manager Enders, of the Shenandoah Browns, states that he will not recognize any challenges from the Columbia team, unless it is for a game to be played on a forfeit of money to the winning team.

THE TRIUMPH OF ORDER

Comes Slowly in Cleveland's Strike Troubles.

DYNAMITERS AGAIN AT WORK.

Another Car Blown Up While Returning From Euclid Beach—Conflict Between Mayor Farley and General Axline as to Authority Over the Troops.

Cleveland, July 29.—Slowly and surely law and order are triumphing over the lawlessness and disorder, and the city is beginning to assume its old-time appearance. Yesterday the street cars were well patronized, especially during the busy hours of the morning and evening. This is said to be the best indication that the government is winning in the struggle.

Mayor Farley is well pleased with the situation, but he has not relaxed his vigilance one whit and will not until the last vestige of disorder is wiped away. The mayor and Adjutant General Axline are at present involved in a controversy over what the troops shall do and what they shall not do. The adjutant general is of the opinion that the duty of the National Guard is merely to put down rioting, and not to do police duty. Whatever the duty of the National Guard may be, Mayor Farley holds that the troops are here under his authority, and that they will remain here until he feels that they can be dispensed with. The responsibility of preserving the order of the city rests upon the shoulders of the mayor, he says, and he proposes to see that his plan is not interfered with by any one. He declares that he is to be the judge as to when the troops are not wanted. There have been several outbreaks between Mayor Farley and Adjutant General Axline within the last few days over this question.

Rumors to the effect that the city council will endeavor to reconsider the resolution of Thursday night reached the ears of the mayor yesterday, and he did not like them. The mayor feels that he has the situation well in hand, and he fears that any action of the council whatever will be tantamounting with the lawless element of the city and will cause agitation which will simply prolong the trouble. After U-breeches have been healed and quiet has been absolutely restored the mayor would not object to any action of the council whatever will be tantamounting with the lawless element of the city and will cause agitation which will simply prolong the trouble. After U-breeches have been healed and quiet has been absolutely restored the mayor would not object to any action of the council whatever will be tantamounting with the lawless element of the city and will cause agitation which will simply prolong the trouble.

It is said that any such resolution as was proposed the other night can be adopted with a full council meeting and efforts are to be made to have every one present next Monday night. Perhaps a new proposition will be submitted asking the council to investigate not only the cause of the disturbances, but also the cause leading to the violation of the agreement entered into by the company and its employees at the end of the first strike.

The mayor takes but little interest in the talk of boycotting merchants. He believes that just as soon as quiet is restored and the fever is gone all such talk will cease. A boycott, he feels, is against natural laws, that a man will not pay six cents for an article that can be purchased for five, and a man will not walk a mile to make a purchase when he can get what he wants at a quarter of a mile.

It is said at the city hall that there are quite a number of the recent employees of the street railway company who could go back to work if permitted, but that they are hindered by the fact that some of the more radical employees and the leaders of the strike.

A car returning from Euclid Beach Park was blown up by dynamite about 11 o'clock last night while returning to the city. The explosion took place a short distance north of the Lake Shore railroad, about two miles east of the city limits. The front truck was demolished and the floor of the car shattered. There were no passengers on board and the motorman and conductor escaped without injury.

A bon to travelers. Dr. Fowler's Emetrol of Wild Strawberry, Cure dysentery, diarrhoea, seasickness, nausea. Pleasant to take. Perfectly harmless.

Black Diamond Dots. The Lawrence colliery, at Mahanoy Plains, will resume operations on Monday next.

Several months ago the Lykens Valley vein, the richest coal known in the region, was found at Alaska colliery. Preparations are now under way to sink another lift in No. 2 slope, to open up the vein.

Another fall occurred at Girard Mammoth colliery, at Haven Run, knocking down all the new timbers stood up the past two days. It is now feared the colliery will be idle another week.

Glance at our show windows for beautiful jewelry. Special prices on Ladies' Buckles and Neck Clasp. Orkin's, 7 South Main street. 7-17-1f

Christian Endeavor Rally. A rally of the Schuylkill County Union of Christian Endeavor societies will be held next Tuesday in Bethel Welsh Congregational church, Mahanoy City. Rev. Clarence E. Eberman, of Lancaster, the president of the Pennsylvania Union, will be present and deliver addresses in the afternoon and evening. Reese Rosner will be musical director. Entertainment will be provided for those who cannot return to their homes after the evening sessions. At 9 o'clock in the afternoon the Executive Committee of the Union will meet in the Sunday school room. At 3 o'clock the Union will meet in the main audience room when an excellent program will be rendered.

BERGHAM'S PILLS will dispel the "blues."

FREE LUNCHEONS TO-NIGHT.

RICKERT'S. Chicken soup to-night. Romulus, the strong boy, will again appear to-night.

CHAS. HANDEWICK'S. Mock turtle soup will be served, free, to all patrons to-night.

POOLER'S. Vocal and instrumental music by Prof. Watson and Flood to-night.

MAX LEVIT'S. Our Annual Mid-Summer Sale.

Of gents' fine straw and stiff hats is now occupying the attention of our customers, and keeps them guessing how we can sell such quality of goods, styles and shapes at such remarkably low prices. We are doing this in order to close them out, because we carry no stock over from one season to the other. Come early and secure first choice. This opportunity is very short.

Summer Shirts of all Kinds at Half Price.

Do not forget us for summer underwear. Our stock and prices are sure to meet with your favor.

MAX LEVIT UP-TO-DATE HATTER. CORNER MAIN AND CENTRE STREETS.

A Glimpse Of Our Stock

Will convince the most skeptical that we have by far the most complete and varied assortment in the city. The low prices are a still greater attraction. We take our stand on the side of reliable goods at small prices. Anybody who ever trades here knows we do business on that principle. We operate our store on a determined policy of fair, square dealing. This means that we give the customer the benefit of the lowest prices possible.

Extraordinary values in lawn and percale Shirt Waists—all are marked down to nearly one-half their usual price.

The 50c and 65c Kind for 25 Cents. The 75c. Kind for 39 Cents. The \$1.00 and \$1.25 Kind for 75 Cts.

Remnants of Wool Ingrain Carpets at 25c. each.

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One needs a cooling beverage that will gently tone up the system while it quenches the thirst.

Lauer's Beer and Porter

Just touches the spot. They are cooling, satisfying and invigorating. These brews will be furnished in case lots for family use by applying to

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6c For a window shade, or 5 for a quarter. Others for 10 cents and upwards. Shades made to fit any window. Come and get cut prices on carpets and oil cloths.

FRICKE'S CARPET STORE, 10 South Jardin Street.

COFFEE 3 lbs for 25c

The 10 cent coffee that is being advertised so much is not in it with this brand. We guarantee every pound sold. You will want none better for the money.

Magargle's, 26 EAST CENTRE STREET.