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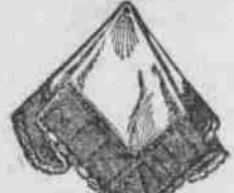
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At KEITER'S.

THE CAMP FIRE SHOOTING.

Joseph Weiser's Wife Alleges That He Was Robbed.

Mrs. Minerva Weiser, wife of Joseph Weiser, of Yatesville, who is under arrest for shooting John Gilligan at the G. A. R. camp fire in Fowler's grove on Monday night, was in town today and employed M. M. Burke, Esq., counsel to care for her husband's interests. Mrs. Weiser alleges that while her husband was being brought to town on Monday night, he was robbed of a watch, a chain made from her hair and a sum of money, the amount she does not know. Lawyer Burke says that Mrs. Weiser has placed with him evidence that will justify the arrest of parties whose names he withholds, and that warrants will be issued. Weiser is still in the lockup. Efforts have been made to get Gilligan to settle the case against the prisoner, and Mrs. Weiser made a call for that purpose today, but Gilligan will not consent.

UNIFORMS ADOPTED.

The Phoenix Fire Company Awards a Contract For Them.

At a special meeting last night the Phoenix Fire Company of town adopted a uniform which is similar in style to that used by the Columbia Hose Company. The contract was awarded to George Evans & Company, of Philadelphia. Mr. George Boetscher, the firm's representative, was in attendance at the meeting. Two hundred, or more, uniforms will be purchased.

A Phenomena.

A phenomenal storm swept over the town at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon. First there was the heaviest kind of thunder accompanied by sharp flashes of lightning. Then came torrents of rain, followed by a heavy fall of hail. The thunder, lightning, rain and hail then alternated in rapid succession, and at one time all prevailed simultaneously. Some of the hail stones that fell were as big as large sized grapes.

He Took A Rest.

While a small boy was leading a played-out horse down Pear alley to the fertilizer plant this morning the animal dropped at the rear of the Ferguson House. No amount of persuasion or force could get the animal on its feet again. It remained where it fell for about three hours, when some men lifted it to its feet. The horse then hobbled after the small boy, who had patiently stood guard all the time, amid the cheers of the assembled youngsters.

Held For Larceny.

William Kavaviesky, of West Cherry street, was arrested last night by Policemen Lattis and Watchman Crouse, and arraigned before Justice Touney, on a charge made by Pauline Wikowsky, proprietress of a saloon on East Lloyd street. The woman alleged that the accused took a ring valued at \$25 off her finger and refused to return it. The accused was put under \$300 bail.

Caught in the Act.

John Walsh was arraigned before Justice Shoemaker this morning by Constable Lake Walsh on complaint of Mrs. Linnie Snyder, who alleged that, while she was absent from her home, Walsh entered the house and stole a clock. She said he gained entrance through a window and she returned when he was handing out the clock to a confederate, who was not arrested. Charges of malicious mischief and assault and battery were also made. The accused was put under bail.

Big Crowd at Lakeside.

The attendance at the joint picnic of the First Baptist, Welsh Congregational, Welsh Presbyterian, Calvary Baptist and Primitive Methodist Sunday schools of town, at Lakeside today, was a record breaker. The P. & R. railway train that left town at 8 a. m. carried 800 persons. The sale was \$41 whole and \$20 half tickets. For the noon P. & R. train 154 whole and 60 half tickets were sold, making the total 1,075.

All bicycle sundries sold at profitable prices to the buyer for this month. Buy now and save money in the future. Orkin's jewelry store, 7 South Main street. 7-31-4f

Graphophone Entertainment.

Messrs. Robert Jones and Joseph Dunto last evening gave their fellow members of the Columbia Hose Company a graphophone entertainment in the company's reading room. It was highly appreciated.

Last Night's Concert.

The open-air concert given by the Lithuanian band on Beddall's avenue last night was enjoyed by a large gathering of people. The program included choice selections, all of which were artistically rendered.

Picnic To-morrow.

The German Lutheran Sunday school of town will hold a picnic in Stauffer's grove to-morrow. A large number of people will be in attendance and a good time is promised.

Umbrellas re-covered while you wait at Brumm's. 7-31-4f

Senator Leach Improving.

Senator S. A. Leach returned to his home at Schuylkill Haven yesterday after spending several days at Atlantic City. Next week he will return to the seashore with his family for the remainder of the summer. The Senator is slowly but steadily improving in health, which will be pleasant news for his numerous friends.

The New Deputy Coroner.

Former Justice of the Peace John J. Cardin has been appointed Deputy Coroner for Shenandoah, to succeed Dr. P. F. Burke, resigned. Mr. Cardin's long experience as a Justice makes him well qualified for the position.

Collar Bone Fractured.

Arthur Parrish, of West Centre street, sustained a fracture of the collar bone, on the left side, last evening. He was riding along West Lloyd street on a bicycle when it struck an obstacle and he was thrown to the ground. Dr. Hamilton reduced the fracture.

Held For Larceny.

Frank Drozda was arrested by Special Officer Anthony Alex to-day and committed by Justice Touney in default of \$300 bail on a charge of stealing \$24.50 from William Wychunas.

Charged With Fraud.

Kazimir Sklenicki was arraigned before Justice Shoemaker to-day, charged with obtaining groceries and meats from Joseph Yadoski by fraud. He was put under \$300 bail.

"Dick" Amour at Mt. Carmel.

Yesterday the household goods of Richard Amour were removed to Mt. Carmel, where he will make his future home. Mr. Amour will shortly assume an under boss position at the Richards colliery, at the first named place.

Mine Inspector's Report.

Mine Inspector Davis' report of accidents in the Fifth anthracite district, for the month of July, shows there were 7 fatal and 18 non-fatal deaths.

FIGHTING TENTH

Arrives at San Francisco Under Distressing Circumstances.

COLONEL HAWKINS DEAD.

Died While Bringing His Heroes Home From the Philippines.

LIEUT. COL. BARNETT IN COMMAND.

Owing to the Non-Arrival of the Regular Pennsylvania Reception Committee a Provisional Committee of Pennsylvanians in San Francisco Tended a Quiet Reception to the Returning Heroes, While Thousands of Grateful Citizens Turned Out to Express Welcome by Their Presence.

San Francisco, Aug. 2.—The United States transport Senator arrived last night from Manila with her flag at half mast on account of the death of Colonel Alexander Hawkins, commander of the Tenth Pennsylvania regiment, United States volunteers.

The Senator sailed from Manila on July 1 with 38 officers and 721 enlisted men. The transport was at Nagasaki on July 15, when Colonel Hawkins was taken ill with cancer of the bowels, from which he had been a sufferer during the greater part of his campaign in the Philippines, and for which he had undergone treatment in the military hospital at Manila. His illness continued during the following day, July 16, when the Senator was at Yokohama, and two days later he passed away at sea.

Colonel Hawkins' illness dated from the battle of Malolos, when he exposed himself almost recklessly in the disease breeding climate. He was respected and loved by every man of his command, and his death is deeply mourned by the troops. His body was placed in a hermetically sealed casket, and on the Sunday following his death impressive funeral services were conducted by the chaplain of the regiment, all of his men being in attendance.

The remains were placed in the stern of the vessel and lay in state, attended day and night by a guard of honor, during the remainder of the voyage. The casket was taken ashore this morning, with ceremonies befitting Colonel Hawkins' rank, and the remains of the dead commander will be sent to Pennsylvania for interment.

After the death of Colonel Hawkins the command of the regiment was vested in Lieutenant Colonel Barnett, who, like the dead commander, is popular among the enlisted men, and made a good record in the war.

Of the 739 officers and men whom Colonel Barnett brought to San Francisco three are privates in the Sixth artillery, U. S. A., and one is a member of the Nebraska regiment, who was left behind at Yokohama when his company sailed for this port on the Hancock. A dozen stowaways were also concealed in the hold, and were soon brought to light after leaving Yokohama.

The Senator had a good trip from Japan. With the exception of the illness and death of the regimental commander there was no sickness on board, barring a few cases of seasickness and half a dozen cases of dysentery. At the sight of land all the invalids were able to leave their bunks and line upon the main deck except one poor fellow who has developed symptoms of appendicitis, and who will be operated upon in the hospital here.

Out of respect to the dead regimental commander there was little cheering or other noisy demonstrations, but the men quietly expressed their delight at the first glimpse of the Golden Gate. Like the Oregon and Nebraska regiments, the Pennsylvania troops, prior to sailing from Manila, voted in favor of being mustered out in San Francisco.

When the Tenth Pennsylvania left for the Philippines last year the muster comprised 850 men. Twenty-four were killed in battle or died in the Manila hospital and the rest of the sick and wounded, to the number of seven, are on the hospital ship Relief, which will probably arrive here within the next few days.

The quarantine officer boarded the Senator about 7 o'clock and after a careful inspection passed crew and passengers. The transport had dropped anchor off the Fishermans street wharf, and it was decided that the regiment should not be landed until today. Under cover of darkness, however, two privates slipped off in a tug, dropping down by a rope which had been used to haul up the two sacks of mail matter sent out by the postmaster to the regiment.

As the official committee on reception to the regiment will not arrive here from Philadelphia until this evening, the substitute committee appointed informally undertook that duty. A tug had been chartered for to-day with the expectation that the Senator would not arrive last night, and arrangements made to go out to meet the transport with a band, stacks of flowers and tons of dainties for the soldiers. The premature appearance of the transport last evening, however, did not permit the carrying out of all these plans, but the committee, comprising John Barclay, of Greensburg, Pa., who had come out in advance of the regular committee, of which he is a member, to meet his badly wounded brother of the Tenth, who is on the Relief; John M. Bell, agent of the Piedmont Air line, of Philadelphia; Alex. Coulter, Greensburg, Pa.; M. M. Ogden, of Governor Gage's staff, formerly a Pittsburgh newspaper man; M. M. Lear, of Denver, Colo., formerly of Greensburg, whose brother, W. A. Lear, is a captain of the Tenth; Colonel Henry Hall, of the Pittsburgh Times, a member of Governor Stone's staff, and James A. Campbell, of the Philadelphia Times, hastily embarked and were

soon alongside the Senator, extending a warm greeting to their fellow Pennsylvanians, and welcoming the brave lads back to their native land.

Lieutenant Colonel Barnett, who is now in command of the regiment, in the course of his interview said: "The boys are all glad, of course, to get back home again, but their joy is tinged with sadness on account of the death of Colonel Hawkins. "The Colonel was a most kind and considerate commander, who took a keen, individual interest in his men, and it is little wonder that the boys feel his loss as a personal bereavement. "Colonel Hawkins was a sick man at the beginning of the campaign which ended in the capture of Malolos. The regimental surgeon had advised him to retire for rest and medical attention but the colonel peremptorily refused, declaring that he would go wherever his men went. When the final volley was fired at Malolos Colonel Hawkins was right in front of the firing line urging his men onward and encouraging them with his exhibition of personal bravery. After that decisive battle the colonel's sickness increased. The ailment developed rapidly in the unhealthy climate. After we embarked he sank steadily and his death at sea was not unexpected."

But despite the death of the commander the reception accorded the gallant Tenth when they landed today, two hours after the body of Colonel Hawkins had been brought ashore, was extremely cordial. There was less hurrahing than usual on an occasion of this kind, as a matter of course, but the cheering and cheering streets densely packed with admiring thousands, and at times it was impossible for them to refrain from expressing their welcome in cheers. But the men who had been fighting Filipinos marched stolidly on to the camp at the Presidio, apparently oblivious of the flattering reception accorded them by the grateful citizens of San Francisco.

The following is a list of the members of the Tenth Pennsylvanians who were killed in battle: Corporals Walter E. B. Down, Company D, and Jacob Landis, Company C; Privates Jesse Nouse, Company E; William H. Stillwagon, Company E; Jacob Hull, Jr., Company E; W. E. Bunker, Company E; Lee Snyder, Company E; John Brady, Company C; Robert L. Fox, Company I; Alonzo Newcomer, Company H; Fred James Jamine, Company C; Geo. A. Taylor, Company I; Bert Armburst, Company I.

Notice to Water Consumers. Beginning with Tuesday evening, August 1, the water will be shut off at 7 p. m. and remain off until 6 a. m. to be shut off at 9 a. m. and turned on at 3 p. m. This schedule is brought about from the fact that the supply of the old water company has become diminished to such an extent that they cannot longer supply the borough, as they have given seventeen days supply to date. The above will remain in force as long as the dry spell continues.

THOS. TRACEY, Chairman. JOSEPH BELL, C. T. STRAUGHN, J. P. BORDEN, PATRICK HAND, Committee.

Municipal League's Petition Granted. Harrisburg, Aug. 2.—Attorney General Elkin yesterday granted the petition of the Municipal League, of Philadelphia, that a suggestion be filed in the Dauphin county court for a writ of mandamus against Secretary of the Commonwealth Grist to compel the publication of certain proposed amendments to the constitution passed at the recent session of the legislature and voted by Governor Stone. Mr. Elkin says that no appropriation has been made to pay the expenses of advertising the resolutions, and the constitution forbids incurring expenses for which no appropriation has been made, and concludes by allowing the use of the name of the commonwealth in the matter.

Burdock Blood Bitters gives a man a clear head, an active brain, a strong, vigorous body—makes him fit for the battle of life.

To Resume After Fifteen Years. Reading, Pa., Aug. 2.—The ore mines at Hancock, near here, are to be operated again after they had lain 15 years. They are owned by James Tatham, of Philadelphia, and Thomas A. Edison is said to be interested in the reopening.

A Scotch Event at Pottsville. The Robert Burns Club, of Pottsville, have arranged for a Folk Lore concert, to be given at Union Hall, Pottsville, next Monday evening, and have engaged the services of Miss Augusta Ohmstrom Renard and Miss Rebecca Mackenzie, two of the most noted artists on the lyric stage, for the occasion, as well as other singers. A dance will follow at the conclusion of the concert.

Pleasure seekers will again be accommodated on Thursday, August 10th, with an excursion to the sea shore. Coaches will be directed to Atlantic City via Delaware river bridge route, making the trip most delightful.

Mrs. Beddall's Fortune. The Williamson estate, in which Mrs. Charles Beddall, of Tanawaga, is interested to the amount of \$500,000, was settled in Philadelphia last week. The respective amounts will now be paid over to the various heirs. Mr. and Mrs. Beddall were former residents of this town.

German Knights' Parade. The sword and equipment that is to be presented to the visiting organization having the largest number of men in line on the occasion of the parade at Ashland, under the auspices of the German Catholic Knights, on Tuesday, August 16th, is on exhibition and is much admired.

Try Our Meats, Butter and Eggs. They are sold as cheap as staple goods can be sold for, always fresh and well seasoned. Butter, Cherry and Chestnut streets. If

Tax Duplicates Issued. The Commissioners have issued duplicates to a number of the collectors. A number were issued to-day. The remaining collectors can secure their books as soon as they qualify.

FREE LUNCHEONS TO-NIGHT. Special lunch to-night. Vegetable soup to-morrow morning. CHAR. HENDERSON'S. Free soup will be served, free, to all patrons to-night.

FIRE IN A COLLIERY!

A Slight Blaze in the Knickerbocker Colliery Last Night.

LAGGINGS IGNITED BY A LAMP!

A Miner Fell Asleep and His Lamp, Which Hung on a Prop, Started the Blaze. The Falling Coal Awakened the Sleeper.

One of the most singular occurrences in a mine reported in this vicinity for some time occurred at the Knickerbocker colliery, Yatesville, last night.

A Polish miner working on the night shift in a gangway hung his lamp on a prop and started himself to take a rest. He was alone in the place and fell asleep. Sometimes after he was awakened by pieces of coal falling about him. As his eyes opened he saw a blaze above him and the gangway was full of smoke. He jumped up in fright and ran out to the bottom of the slope as fast as his legs could carry him, and told the men there that the gangway was on fire.

The report naturally created much alarm and there was a general hustling about on the part of the employes. While the night men and others hurried to the place indicated, messengers were sent to the surface for the inside foreman and outside employes sent messages to the district superintendent and Mine Inspector Stein, the impression at the time being that the fire was an extensive one.

An inspection of the gangway showed that the fire was not a serious one and it was soon extinguished. The lamp hung up by the miner had ignited a lagging and burned it through, so that the loose coal started to run. It was the falling of this coal that awakened the sleeping miner.

Notwithstanding the trivial nature of the blaze the Mine Inspector and other officials spent some time in examining the place, to make sure that the fire had not traveled under the laggings, or ignited the coal. They became satisfied in this respect and left the mine at about ten o'clock.

KILLED HIS WIFE.

John Thompson First Killed His Wife and Then Himself. Shamokin, Aug. 2.—That quiet farming country in what is known as Irish Valley, near here, was startled yesterday morning when they found that a murder and suicide had taken place in their midst. John Thompson, a farmer, first killed his wife and then himself.

For over a month the couple did not live together. The woman kept house for a man at Uniontown, near Shamokin. Saturday the husband took her home and on Sunday they were seen together, apparently happy, gathering huckleberries. That was the last time the woman was seen alive.

Yesterday Thompson gave a note to a man to take to Shamokin. The man's name was Bobb. He couldn't find the owner so he brought it back. Thompson could not be found at home and Bobb went to his own home. Later he opened the note and found it to contain these words: "My wife died this morning. Yesterday a party went into the house and found the wife on the bed with a bullet in her temple. Nearby lay Thompson with a bullet hole in his temple and a revolver in his hand.

It is supposed the woman was killed yesterday morning and that Thompson took his own life last night. He was 72 years old and she was 60. There seems to be no doubt but that he killed his wife and then himself through jealousy.

Want More Miners.

From Pottsville Tribune. It is said that the Silver Creek Coal Company is experiencing great difficulty in securing enough miners to cut the coal. For some time past the timber men who work on the outside were compelled to go into the mines and help mine the coal. A few years ago this foreign element were given the preference in setting work, forcing out the skilled and experienced miners, who moved with their families to other parts of the country. Now, after some bad and costly accidents and wrecks, the companies who did this are only too glad to take back all the miners they have lost. This state of affairs exists not only with this one company, but with nearly all in this region.

Early County Institute.

The annual teachers' county institute will be held at the Academy of Music, Pottsville, during the week commencing Monday, October 9. This is the earliest the county institute has been held for many years, the first week in November was generally selected.

One Bay Horse For Sale, Cheap.

Good roadster and driver. Well worth its purchase. Apply at Carl's meat market. 6t

Postponed Until September.

After hearing the testimony of Wm. M. Leybrand, A. J. Shortall and Deputy Controller Muldoon, Judge Marr adjourned his court until September, tying up the bond issue until that time.

BRECKMAN'S PILLS for stomach and liver ills.

A suit was heard before Justice McCormick at Ashland yesterday, in which Hermon Shanker sued David Davis to recover damages on a lot of cord wood that Davis had cut for charcoal purposes. After hearing the case the Justice entered judgment against Davis in the sum of \$105. M. M. Burke, Esq., was present at the hearing for the plaintiff.

"Billy, the Bootblack," Dead.

William Jones, more familiarly known here as "Billy, the Bootblack," died at the Northumberland county poor house yesterday, from consumption, aged 42 years. He was well known here. Several months ago he was nearly killed by highwaymen, who threw him in a box car, and he was more dead than alive when found. The assault no doubt hurried his death.

Cream puff on ice all summer at George Schoeder's bakery, 23 East Coal street. 4f

Rev. Maher Improving. The many friends of Father Maher, of Centralia, will be pleased to learn that an improvement is noted in his condition, and that he is now out of danger. Last week the attending physician had little hopes of his recovery.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company announces the next seashore excursion on Thursday, August 10th.

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.

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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.

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