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BRIEF ITEMS OF NEWS.

PARAGRAPHS GATHERED FROM ALL PARTS OF THE REGION.

Synopsis of Local and Miscellaneous Occurrences That Can Be Read Quickly. What the Folks of This and Other Towns are Doing.

Read the "A. B. C." of the money question in the *Tribune* supplement.

Fall styles in dry goods at Oswald's. The liquor license of Kate Wockwartz, Freeland, was transferred in court on Tuesday to Paul Fulka.

Richard Drumtra, of town, and Miss Rebecca Aubrey, of Eckley, were married yesterday by Rev. J. J. Kuntz.

An Austrian was killed in No. 2 mine, Drifton, on Monday. He attempted to cross the track at the foot of the slope and was struck by a descending car.

Jack James broke his right arm last night while enjoying a friendly bout with some friends, and John W. Slattery broke his left wrist while at the same kind of fun.

Last year the Lehigh Traction Company carried 2,694,066 passengers. The pay roll for the year contained 110 names and the amount disbursed for wages was \$56,460.

Judge Cyrus Pershing has made permanent the injunction to restrain the Schuylkill county treasurer and other officials from paying any money to constables for making their quarterly returns to court.

R. & G. corsets are sold at Oswald's.

The dead body of John Dugan, of Mahanoy City, was found across the Lehigh Valley tracks at Hazleton on Tuesday morning. For some time past he has lived at Beaver Meadow. The deceased was 40 years old.

"Old Dan Tucker" played to a small house on Tuesday night. The weather was very bad and prevented many from attending. Parts of the show was fair, but as a whole it was not up to the claims made for it.

The boys and girls arrested on Sunday afternoon for damaging chestnut trees in the Public park were given a hearing before Burgess McLaughlin on Monday. A fine of \$2.50 each was placed upon all who were found guilty. There were twelve boys and two girls caught injuring the trees.

It is stated that the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company has reduced the tolls on pea and buckwheat coal to points on its line in Pennsylvania and New York north of Coxtown 15 to 25 cents per ton. Heretofore the Lehigh Valley rate of freight on the small steam sizes has been the same as on the prepared sizes.

JEDDO NEWS.

The Bryan and Sewall Club of this place will meet this evening in the Japan school house and means will be adopted whereby they will be able to secure some leading silver advocates to address their meetings hereafter. An enrollment of about forty new members is expected at this meeting.

John Haughey, a bright young man of town, passed a very successful examination in bookkeeping yesterday at the Hazleton business college, which he has attended for some months.

Michael McHugh, of Japan, has resigned his position as driver at Hazle Brook and will depart for Philadelphia, where he expects to enter a grocery store as clerk.

The Jeddo ball club hereby challenges any team in the region, barring the Anthracite league teams. Address Manager of Jeddo base ball team, Jeddo, Pa.

Patrick McNeil, an employe of Oakdale No. 4, had his toes badly lacerated by a heavy rail falling on them.

A meeting of the Jeddo Base Ball Association will be held in Japan school house Friday night.

Edward Cannon and James Brislin, of this place, have accepted positions at Cranberry.

Misses Ellen Haughey and Rose Branigan visited friends in Eckley yesterday.

John Boyle, of Sugar Notch, formerly of this place, visited here on Tuesday.

DEATHS.

Fisher.—At Jeddo, September 30, John Fisher, aged about 40 years. Funeral tomorrow morning. Interment at Allentown. Breslin.

Gallagher.—At Freeland, September 30, Hugh Gallagher, aged 50 years. Funeral on Saturday at 9 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Ann's church. Interment at St. Ann's cemetery. Breslin.

McDermott.—At Jeddo, September 29, Mary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McDermott, aged 1 year and 5 months. Interred yesterday at St. Ann's cemetery. Breslin.

Rashkay.—At Highland, September 28, Julia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Rashkay, aged 4 years and 4 months. Interred yesterday at St. Ann's cemetery. McNulty.

Stibler.—At Eckley, September 30, Mrs. Joseph Stibler, aged 36 years. Funeral at 9 a. m. Interment at Greek Catholic cemetery. McNulty.

INSTANTLY KILLED.

Hugh Gallagher Met a Sudden Death at Highland Yesterday.

A fatal accident occurred near No. 2 breaker at Highland yesterday which resulted in the death of Hugh Gallagher, of this place. The latter was employed around the colliery as an outside hand. Yesterday he noticed that some slight repairs were needed on a set of latches on the loeie track, and set about to do the work.

While engaged at the job the loeie came along, pushing a train of six trucks. On account of the engine being behind, the engineer could not see Mr. Gallagher and it is supposed that he was so deeply interested in the work that he failed to hear the approaching train.

The first truck struck him and threw him forward, on the track, and the cars passed over his body, mangling it horribly. When picked up life was extinct.

Mr. Gallagher was immediately brought to his home at Centre and Main streets, from which place he will be buried on Saturday morning.

The deceased leaves a wife and one son, Dr. Joseph F. Gallagher, and one daughter, Mrs. John B. Keenan. B. J. Mooney, Esq., of Wilkesbarre, is his step-son, and Mrs. John McDonald, of Freeland, is his step-daughter.

A Terrific Storm.

A heavy wind storm struck this vicinity early yesterday morning with terrific velocity. It was a regular gale and as it howled and whistled through the streets, struck terror to the hearts of the timid. The storm at first was accompanied by rain, which ceased shortly, but the wind blew in terrible gusts until nearly morning. Loose articles on the streets were blown about indiscriminately and a number of swinging signs on the business streets were torn from their fastenings and hurled to the ground. The storm also blew down many fine trees outside of town.

What was probably the greatest amount of damage done was the partial destruction of the McKinley banner, which was raised a few weeks ago. It was twisted badly and the painting and lettering was almost obliterated.

Accident Which Cost a Life.

A sad accident occurred on Tuesday evening by which John Fisher, of Jeddo, lost his life. He was employed on Hazle township roads by Supervisor John Mohan, and while driving home a horse the animal took fright near Harleigh and ran away. Fisher was thrown to the ground and sustained injuries which resulted in his death an hour and a half later. Previous to his residing at Jeddo he lived at Lattimer for many years, and was well-known in Hazle township.

An Italian Demonstration.

The anniversary of the landing of Columbus will be appropriately celebrated by the Italian societies in Hazleton on October 12. A number of societies will participate and in all there will be several hundred men in line. There will be floats, one representing the landing of Columbus, and the other, composed of girls, representing the states of the union. The committee has asked the operators to suspend work at their collieries on that day.

Citizen Mill to Go Again.

The crowds who thronged the court room and corridors on Monday to be naturalized were more than Judges Woodward and Bennett could attend to, and after turning out several hundred voters an adjournment was taken until Friday, when another attempt will be made to accommodate the crowds who are asking for American citizenship to secure the right to vote at the coming presidential election.

Tenth of October Parade.

The Young Men's C. T. A. B. Corps and St. Patrick's cornet band have been assigned to positions in the first division of the temperance parade at Seranton on October 10. It is expected to be the largest turnout of temperance men ever held in the coal regions.

The St. Aloysius Society, of Wilkesbarre, will lead the parade. Daniel J. Gallagher, of that society, will command the first division.

Four Boilers Blow Up.

Four boilers exploded at the Harwood colliery Monday afternoon with terrific force, instantly killing Peter Pasker and fatally injuring Andrew and Michael Harga. Pasker was in charge of the boilers and it is supposed that he neglected to keep enough water in them. When he turned on the injector the explosion followed instantly. The building in which the boilers were located was wrecked.

Patents Granted.

Reported by C. A. Snow & Co., Washington, D. C.

G. W. Gable, Luzerne, nursery-chair.

W. Harvey, Jermyn, hand-loom.

J. R. Powell, Plymouth, cuspidor.

H. C. Reichardt, Pottsville, pneumatic action for musical instruments.

C. D. Sanderson, Throop, separator.

W. F. Woodring, Bethlehem, weather-strip.

There is nothing cheap about the Wear Well footwear except the price. It can't be lower. Try their shoes.

POLITICAL PICKUPS.

Some Democrats of the lower end think that there is not enough work being done in this county. While this is true of this section up to the present time, it is not so in the upper end. For the past ten days an average of four meetings daily have been held and addressed by county candidates and other speakers, and after Saturday evening's rally the crusade will be waged unceasingly in the lower end. Democrats have no reason to feel discouraged at the outlook in Luzerne. The leaders are working night and day, and encouraging reports are coming from every district.

An ox-roast and rally was held by the Democrats of Conyngham yesterday. Over 4,000 people of the vicinity listened to addresses and applauded enthusiastically. Judge Rhone and all the county candidates spoke. It was the greatest day that the Sugarloaf valley has ever seen. Several Freeland people were present and report that the farmers are unanimous for Bryan and silver. The agricultural districts will do nobly for the whole ticket.

William H. Rutledge, of Pittston, nominated for the legislature at a "split" convention in the fifth Luzerne district, whose name will be stricken from the Democratic column on the official ballot by the decision of the Dauphin county court, announces that he will run as an independent candidate for the legislature.

Mark Hanna has become an important person in this campaign. He is the man who owns the mortgage on McKinley's home and McKinley's tongue. The *Tribune* has secured a photograph of this famous gentleman, taken while he was at "work." See second page.

The Democratic candidates are unable to coax their opponents into a joint debate. It must be a poor cause that cannot stand an open discussion.

Ex-Deputy Attorney General Stranahan, of York, will address a Democratic meeting at Hazleton on the 12th inst.

The Upper Lehigh Silver Club is gaining members rapidly, and among the applicants are several Republicans.

Jeddo silverites will meet tonight to organize permanently.

Free silver literature at the *Tribune* office.

PERSONALITIES.

Swan Hartwell, who has spent the past two years at the mines and breakers of the Cross Creek Coal Company, becoming acquainted with the mining, preparation and inspection of coal, has returned to his home in New York city and will be employed there as a sales agent for Coxie Bros. & Co.

John S. McGroarty and wife have gone to California to visit the latter's mother, Mrs. M. L. Labrecht. Mrs. McGroarty will remain there until spring in the hope of improving her health.

Joseph Kennedy left Drifton today to take a course of study at Jefferson Medical college, Philadelphia. Joe intends to become an M. D. and his friends wish him unlimited success.

Dr. B. L. Wright, who recently resigned as physician at Eckley, has returned to Philadelphia. He is succeeded by Dr. Filbert.

John Shafer, a former resident of Birvanton, who has been living at Ashley for some years, removed to town again today.

Mrs. Henry J. Gillespie has returned to her home in Anaconda, Montana, after an extended visit to friends in this section.

Mrs. Bernard Ferry, of Eckley, went to Philadelphia today for treatment. She will visit the University hospital.

Hon. John Leisnering is expected home from his European tour about the middle of this month.

Miss Bella Brennan has accepted a position as bookkeeper in the Regalia factory at Hazleton.

Neil Dugan resumed his studies this week at Jefferson Medical college, Philadelphia.

Andrew Girra left yesterday to spend a week with friends at Passaic, New Jersey.

BASE BALL BRIEFS.

The Hazleton Athletics will play here next Sunday the second game of the series of three for the championship of the coal region. Both teams will be strengthened and a good contest can be expected. The Athletics, smarting under their defeat of last Sunday, are more determined than ever to down the Tigers, and will strain all efforts to win.

Baltimore club defeated Seranton on Monday and Wilkesbarre on Tuesday. The score in both games was 4 to 2.

McFadden and Boner have been promoted with handsome sweaters by some of their Mauch Chunk admirers.

The Fernouts play at Lehigh next Tuesday and expect to win.

For bed bugs, roaches and moths, buy "Tebuoy," the best insect destroyer in the world. Sold at A. Oswald's.

Neat footwear for ladies is sold very cheap at the Wear Well.

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FREE SILVER CLUB.

Freeland Voters Will Organize Tonight and Hold a Rally Saturday Evening.

Tonight the free silver voters of the North Side will meet to effect a permanent organization, and an invitation is extended to all citizens who are friendly to the cause, irrespective of past political affiliations, to attend the meeting and become members. Every man who believes in the doctrine advocated by William Jennings Bryan should attend this meeting and by his presence and voice help to form a club which will take its place among the leading political organizations of the county. Freeland and vicinity have the material to form a strong club, and the opportunity to establish one should be grasped by every worker.

The meeting will be held on the third floor of the Grand opera house, and will be opened promptly at 8 o'clock. After all who desire to become members are enrolled, permanent officers will be elected and arrangements will be completed for the rally on Saturday evening. Prominent silver men will address the new club.

On Saturday evening the meeting will be addressed by ex-Judge D. L. Rhone, of Wilkesbarre, who is an authority on the subject and is one of Luzerne county's original silver men. D. J. McCarthy, candidate for state senator, and as many of the county candidates as can attend, will also speak. Every voter is requested to attend the meeting on Saturday evening.

More About the Big Ballot.

The ballot which will be voted in the state this fall will contain nine columns. The surnames of the presidential candidates of each party are placed in the column just below the circle above the electors. To the right of the names of the candidates is a large square in which the voter by marking a cross votes for the entire thirty-two candidates for elector in that column. A voter desiring to vote for any other candidate below the electors in any other column will be required to put a cross mark opposite each name. This form of ballot differs materially from any used since the enactment of the Baker bill law in 1891. Colonel John A. Glenn, corporation deputy auditor general, has prepared the plan and the ballot is expected to give more general satisfaction than any yet adopted.

Wanted to See a Wreck.

William J. Powell, Joe Hoxie, Joe Franks, William Straughman, Mark Wilds and Joe Wilds, ranging in age from 10 to 14 years, and residing in Georgetown and Laurel Run borough, were arrested on Monday. The charge against them is that on September 21, wishing to see a railroad accident, they placed a large stone on the tracks of the Jersey Central road, near Prospect Rock station, and threw stones at a passenger train. Owing to the youthfulness of the boys, the burgess left them go on payment of \$2.50 costs.

Came to Settle Difficulties.

Monsignor Wauzywicz, an eminent Polish ecclesiastic, is in Seranton. He was sent to this country on a special mission by Cardinal Ledochowski, prefect of the propaganda at Rome, bearing upon the condition of the Polish Catholics in this country.

He is one of Pope Leo's private chamberlains and is a member of the German Reichstag. The visit of the monsignor is for the purpose of endeavoring to settle the disagreement among the Polish Catholics of this country.

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For an evening of rare enjoyment see "The White Crook Mammoth Spectacular Company," which will be the attraction at the Grand opera house on Saturday next. The company contains the fairest sopranos, the funniest comedians, the champion dancers, and the sweetest singers, forming the strongest combination ever offered the amusement loving public. Each and every act is artistly costumed as one bordering on extravagance, while the scenery is beautiful in its adaptation of each special feature. Novelty upon novelty will follow each other in rapid succession, and the entertainment in its entirety presents many innovations. Among the many artists are such well-known names as Gertrude Frey, the charming soprano; Anthony and West, original Milwaukee minstrels; Baily and Henderson, comedy sketch artists; John H. Kerr, the king of comedy; Truehart and Kennedy, eccentric knockabout comedians; Sam Green, monologue artist, and others as excellent will be seen with this first-class organization which cannot be out-rivalled in any feature.

BRYAN GAINS IN OHIO

MANY STANCH REPUBLICANS WORKING FOR SILVER.

Henry George Finds Democratic Prospects Very Bright in Mar: Hanna's Home. Labor Will Vote Solidly Against Gold and Plutocracy.

With such diligent inquiries as I could make I have not yet been able to find any evidence of the movement away from Bryan of which the high appointee of President Cleveland whom I met on my arrival here told me he had observed in journeying through the state. It is certainly not among the workmen of Cleveland, organized or unorganized. According to the best information I can get, the proportion of workmen who propose to vote for Bryan is even greater here than in Chicago and is generally expressed by such phrases as "McKinley is not in it," while polls privately taken by delegates among their fellows in the plasterers' national convention that met last week and in that of the carpenters now in session show that nine-tenths of the representatives from all parts of the Union are for Bryan.

That the Palmer Democrats of Ohio have not yet become a very mighty folk, in numbers at least, is shown by the fact that in order to get the 6,000 signatures required to put their electors on the official ticket they are obtaining the aid of Republicans, and that Republicans themselves, though they now talk very confidently of the campaign in Ohio, have not yet discovered any rapidly growing repugnance to silver, is best evidenced by such speeches as that of Cliff Beech, the Republican candidate for congress in the Twentieth district, who devotes himself almost entirely to the outright advocacy of free silver.

Ex-Judge E. J. Blandin of Cleveland, a lawyer of high standing and large practice, was nominated by the Democrats for judge of the supreme court. The office he did not want, as to take it would much reduce his income, yet as a stanch Democrat and an earnest free silver man he was willing to accept the nomination if, as he first thought might be the case, it would involve no danger of election; but, becoming convinced that if he remained on the ticket he would be elected, he last month declined and another nomination has been made in his place.

I asked Judge Blandin, whom I have known for years to have a character and reputation of an extremely careful and conservative man, whether he was still of opinion that it was necessary for him to decline the nomination in order to avoid the office or whether there was in any part of the state a counter-movement beginning.

His reply was that he could see the matter in no other light than that which induced him to decline; that there might have been some little sagging when the news of the Maine election was received, but that, if had been the case, it had been only temporary and that throughout northern Ohio the movement of the farmers to free silver was now going on faster than ever, while the defections from the Democratic vote were so small as hardly to be worth taking into account.

"Ohio," said the judge, "is a close state normally. At the last election the Republicans carried it by 35,000. State pride will, I think, do something to strengthen McKinley, and allowing 15,000 votes for that, the Republicans would have on a normal basis 50,000 this year."

"But in the last election the Populists polled, in round numbers, 60,000 votes. These, counting nothing for changes from our party to the other, would give Bryan Ohio by 10,000 majority. But, while I am confident that the Ohio Democrats will vote for McKinley are very, very few, I hear everywhere through the country of the stanchest kind of Republicans who are working and will vote for Bryan, and, while I know that no effort will be spared to give Governor McKinley the vote of his own state, I cannot see how that result can be accomplished."

This is the general impression that I got from careful and well-informed Democrats. That the Populists will this year vote for Bryan to a man there is no doubt, while I am told that the Probationists through the state are very largely for him, and of the turning of old Republicans to free silver I hear specifically on every hand.—Henry George in New York Journal.

Notice for Special Meeting.

A special meeting of Union Council, No. 303, American Legion of Honor, will be held this (Thursday) evening, at 8 o'clock, in the committee room at their regular meeting place, to make arrangements to attend the funeral of Companion Hugh Gallagher. All members are urgently requested to attend.

Wm. E. Bolles, commander.

PLEASURE CALENDAR.

October 4.—Base ball, Tigers vs. Athletics, at Hazleton, for championship of Lehigh region, at Tigers Athletic park. Admission, 15c.

October 6.—"The White Crook" at the Grand opera house. Admission, 25, 35 and 50 cents.

October 9.—Ninth annual ball of the Young Men's C. T. A. B. Corps at the Grand opera house. Admission, 50 cents.

October 23.—Fifth annual ball under the auspices of Division-19, A. O. H., at Yannes' opera house. Admission, 50 cents.

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