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ROWDIES RUN A TOWN.

DURYEA PEOPLE WERE TERRORIZED ON THURSDAY NIGHT.

Thanksgiving Celebrated With the Murder of One Man, Wounding of Three Others and Assaulting and Robbing of Three More—The Gang Captured.

A gang of roughs, of Duryea, a small town in the upper end of the county, started to celebrate Thanksgiving night, and between midnight and 3 o'clock Friday morning killed one man, seriously wounded two others, shot another one in the hand, and held up, assaulted and robbed three others. The victims are: Frank Lambert, aged 24, shot in head, back and leg, died Friday afternoon; Arthur Reed, shot in right thigh and dangerously wounded; Arthur Reed, shot in arm and body, in a precarious condition; William Mackinos, shot through the right hand; Lawrence Hearn, held up, robbed of watch and money and severely beaten; Mike Paskiski, held up, robbed of watch and money and severely beaten with a stone; John Zulosky, held up, robbed and badly bruised with stones and clubs.

Early Thursday night a number of men started to celebrate Thanksgiving in Andrew Palley's saloon, and they kept on drinking until midnight.

Shortly after midnight five young men, Frank Lambert, John Tave, Frank Cosgrove, Arthur Reed and George Brengel, all of Duryea, were on their way home from a party, when they stopped in the saloon to have a drink. A number of men were in the back room of the place and as soon as the five young men entered they walked out to the front room.

Lambert was treating and as he ordered the drinks for his friends a couple of members of the gang pushed their way in among them and called out that they would take whiskey on Lambert's treat. Lambert replied that he had not asked them to drink.

Will Cosgrove, the bartender, shoved drinks out to his friends despite Lambert's protests. Lambert refused to pay for them and was at once knocked down. Seeing that there was going to be trouble, he and his friends rushed for the door and ran down the street. The men started after them firing as they went and continuing to run and fire at the fleeing five.

Lambert was wounded in three places, one bullet lodging in the back of his head, another being imbedded in his spinal column and the third passing through his arm. He died the following afternoon. John Tave was shot in the thigh. Reed was shot in the body and another shot passed through his arm.

Word was then sent to Pittston, asking for police aid, and Detectives Brown and Bennett with four men hurried to the rescue. While they were on their way other crimes were being committed. Lawrence Hearn passed the saloon on his way home from a friend's house. The gang thrust a couple of revolvers in his face and went through his pockets, taking a watch and a couple of dollars, all he had of value.

They next encountered William Mackinos, who had about \$50 in his clothes. He determined not to give it up without a fight, and knocking the men aside dashed down the street with a dozen bullets flying after him, but the only one which took effect passed through his right hand.

Michael Paskiski passed down the street soon after, and was also told to hand over what he had. Paskiski was stubborn, but was soon brought to terms by being knocked down, and his money, \$18, and his watch were taken from him.

John Zulosky was treated equally as badly. He had \$23 and a watch, and as he would not give them up he was persuaded by a severe drubbing, in which his clothes were nearly torn to shreds. About 3 o'clock the men adjourned to the saloon and proceeded to complete their night's enjoyment by a final carousal.

They were thus engaged when the Pittston police reached the place and dashed into the saloon. The men taken completely by surprise and covered with revolvers, surrendered quietly and were handcuffed together. They were: R. Connors, John Lyon, Lewis Clark, William Cosgrove, John Bartley and James Flood. On the way to Squire Gilboy's office, at Pittston, Bartley and Flood made a bold dash for liberty and escaped.

Squire Gilboy heard the evidence and held the defendants for a further hearing.

Rev. Splinter's Lecture.

Rev. C. A. Splinter, a Dominican father of New York city, delivered a lecture at the Grand opera house on Thanksgiving evening on the subject "Marriage and Divorce." The speaker handled the subject in a brilliant manner, both from an intellectual and an oratorical standpoint. He showed great learning and evident deep study of the question, and admirably impressed upon his audience the fact of marriage being one of the important questions that should engage the most careful attention of the people of every country. In holding marriage to be a lifelong con-

tract, he contended that a divorce system which robbed marriage of its most vital characteristic, viz, indissolubility, was injurious to society.

The speaker deplored that the subject of marriage and divorce engaged so little attention from political economists, social students and writers for the press, believing that it should command attention in preference to many subjects which engage a great deal of thought today. He based his contention on the fact that many of the questions argued nowadays were but matters of the moment, while matrimony is a sacrament that has been practiced in all ages, and that numerous ill-timed marriages and the bad effects of a divorce system, which fostered a wrong conception of the sacredness of marriage at the outset, contributed in a large measure to much of the discontent which disturbs society at the present time.

However, the speaker voiced his great faith in the goodness of mankind, and eulogized happy marriages and happy homes as the keystone of the country's stability.

Rev. Splinter is possessed of a fine voice, which he controls with good effect.

Previous to the lecture a musical programme was rendered which was participated in by the following persons: Mrs. Dr. Corrigan, of Hazleton, recitation; Rev. Father Martin, of Fairview, vocal solo; Morgan DeFoy, of Freeland, vocal solo; Rev. J. V. Moylan, of Hazleton, piano solo; Miss Ella McLaughlin, of Freeland, vocal solo; Claude Stauffer, of Hazleton, on the violin; also selections by Watson's orchestra and St. Patrick's cornet band.

The attendance was not as large as the occasion called for.

"Scaldy" and Bonner Meet Again.

At the Art Athletic Club, Philadelphia, on Saturday night, the principal attraction was the wind-up, in which John Bonner, of Summit Hill, and "Scaldy" Quinn were the principals. The men met before about a year ago, in Schuylkill county, and the first contest was declared a draw, as was the second on Saturday evening. On account of the rivalry between the two men the match was interesting, but neither received much damage.

Little of interest occurred in the first round, Bonner showing the way, but failing to land but one effective blow. Twice Quinn slipped to the floor. The second was more lively and Quinn had the better of it. In the third the fighting was even, Quinn ducking cleverly away from a dozen well-aimed punches. He was too slippery for Bonner, who tried in vain to land.

In the fourth and last round both were eager and for a time set a merry pace. Bonner landed two good punches in the face and two on the wind, but "Scaldy" landed several swings on the stomach and had none the worst of it.

A Shooting Affray.

Constable Wm. Dougherty, of Wilkesbarre, fired on Charles Mulligan, an ex-school director of Wilkesbarre township, on Thursday evening. The ball lodged in the hand and took an upward course, tearing the flesh of the arm and shattering the bones of the forearm. It seems that a crowd had congregated and were telling stories, when someone displeased Dougherty by pulling his hat down over his eyes. He threatened to chastise the next man who touched him and a little later fired at Mulligan. Dougherty was arrested, and a physician was summoned to dress the wounded man's arm. It is thought that amputation will be necessary.

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"McFadden's Row of Flats." "Hilarity" will prove a refreshing novelty at the Grand opera house tomorrow evening. It is claimed by the management that this season's production eclipses all previous efforts. The specialty features are exceptionally good and serve to introduce Miss Rudy Lytton; Sisters Valentine and others. The comedy in "Hilarity" has been broadened. New music has been written and two entire new sets of scenery which show the apartments of Herman Balmer in McFadden's Row of Flats, which is especially deserving of the highest praise and must be seen to be appreciated. There is ample opportunity given the different members of the company during the action of the play to present their specialties, of which there are a great number and of a very high order. There is little doubt about the strength of the attraction and it will surely be greeted by a large audience.

An Unsatisfactory System.

After working last week as many hours as possible at their collieries, Coxie Bros. & Co. have made another change, and four seven-hour shifts are all that the employees will be allowed to toil this week. The collieries will work on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday only, remaining idle the other two days.

The employees are unable to understand the cause of these moves. Last week the breakers ran from twelve to nineteen hours daily, as long a pound of coal could be had, this week they will run only twenty-eight hours. All day on Thanksgiving and until late in the night the mines and breakers kept the men and boys there, and it is a queer system which compelled them to work on a national holiday and walk about idle so soon, today, afterward.

Coxie Bros. & Co. have been long enough in business to know how to arrange their working hours in a manner more satisfactory to their workmen. The present system makes the company's officials look ridiculous.

Mine Workers Back of a Case.

At the convention of the United Mine Workers of America, held at Pottsville on Friday, it was decided to push the suit which Thomas Pitt, a former employe of the Williams colliery, at that place, has instituted against the superintendent, William Smith, and the case will in all probability be tried at the next term of court. Mr. Pitt alleges that Superintendent Smith has been negligently guilty of an offense against the mine laws of the state, whereby a dangerous accident might have occurred to the persons employed in and about the colliery.

Work for Plymouth Men.

The old Cooper tunnel, at Plymouth, which caved in twenty-five years ago, is being reopened by the Delaware and Hudson Coal Company. There are about twenty-eight acres of clean coal yet to be taken out. A large force of company hands were started to work this week to remove the debris and timber the place. It is expected that by January 1 the old tunnel will be reopened and in condition to remove coal. This will give quite a boom to Plymouth, as it will be the means of employing a number of men.

Sermon by Father McNally.

The Feast of the Immaculate Conception, December 8, is one of the six important holidays in the Catholic Church calendar. It will be celebrated at St. Ann's church on Tuesday evening of next week by the Daughters of Mary Sodality with a reception, at which several new members will be admitted to the society. The sermon on this occasion will be preached by Rev. F. P. McNally, of Scranton, formerly curate at St. Ann's church. The services will be held in the church and will be free to all.

Operation on Senator Scott's Son.

John Scott, son of Senator-elect W. J. Scott, went to New York on Saturday to see the foot ball game and was seized with pains, which he attributed to indigestion. He went to a physician, who diagnosed his case as appendicitis and advised that an operation be performed while he was yet strong. Mr. Scott went at once to an hospital, where the troublesome appendix was removed. Mr. Scott did not let his parents know of the operation until it was successfully performed.

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The greatest corporation in the world is said to be the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. It has a capital of \$857,075,000, with 15,430 miles of track which traverses thirteen states. It has 3,756 engines and 158,524 cars of all kinds. The locomotives and cars, if placed in line, would reach from New York to Chicago. The annual revenue of this corporation is \$135,000,000, equal to \$372,506 each day or \$15,625 every hour of the day and night.

Mine Employes on Strike.

One thousand employes of the Patterson Coal Company, near Shamokin, went on strike on Tuesday morning because their wages were not paid on Saturday. Factory Inspector Campbell will have a conference with the mine officials. He will insist on their conforming with the semi-monthly pay law in the future. This colliery was idle six weeks while the breaker, which was destroyed by the recent wind storm, was being rebuilt.

Trolley Road Extension.

The surveys to extend the trolley road from Wilkesbarre to Hazleton have been completed. The proposed line will begin at Sugar Notch and run up the mountain side on an easy grade some distance alongside the Lehigh Valley tracks, then branch off across on a direct line to Milnesville; a total distance of twenty-four miles. It is said the work of grading and constructing the road will commence next spring.

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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.

The monthly institute of the borough school teachers will be held on Saturday next.

A. Oswald sells infants' shoes at 10c per pair.

The home of James J. Maloy was brightened on Thursday by the arrival of a young son.

Bed room suites, \$16, at Sweeney & Herron's, Hazleton.

A break in the electric circuit caused a delay until 8 o'clock last night in lighting the arc street lamps.

Room moulding, 1c per foot, at Sweeney & Herron's, Hazleton.

John M. Garman has been elected an honorary member of the renowned Clover Club, of Philadelphia.

Wall paper, 7c per double roll, at Sweeney & Herron's, Hazleton.

Despite the untiring work of the physicians of the town and vicinity, diphtheria prevails to a large extent in several North Side towns.

A. Oswald has a full line of men's and boys' dress and working gloves. Prices are very low.

"Hilarity" is playing to crowded houses in Schuylkill county and the company is besieged for return dates in every town where it appears. Our exchanges give it good notices.

Don't be imposed on by buying inferior footwear for the winter. The Wear Well has the best and cheapest.

A petition is being prepared by Butler valley farmers for a new road from Mt. Yeager to Freeland. As soon as a sufficient number of signatures are procured it will be presented to court.

All persons who have not yet paid their taxes for 1896 will please do so at once, as a penalty of 5 per cent will be added in December. Hugh Malloy, collector, Freeland.

While trying to catch a runaway mule on Thursday, James Ray, bookkeeper at Eckley store, became entangled in the harness and was dragged quite a distance. He was severely bruised about the body and is confined to his home.

Harrisburg defeated Hazleton on Thursday in a foot ball game by a score of 4 to 0. The visitors outplayed their opponents at every stage of the game, and would probably have made a larger score if fair decisions had been given.

Fitz and Webster and their talented companions in "A Breezy Time" gave Freeland people a good show on Friday evening, and their work was appreciated by the large audience. The company is a strong one and well balanced, and general satisfaction prevailed.

If you wish to order a musical instrument for a Christmas present call on T. J. Watson, East Main street, agent for mandolins, guitars, banjos, violins and autoharps. All grades at very low prices. All kinds of strings for instruments a specialty; complete stock always on hand.

There was a fight in Larksville on Friday night which may result in a murder. Frank Sherman was stabbed with a knife in the abdomen. He was taken to Wilkesbarre hospital, and the physicians there say he will die. It was dark when the fight occurred and his assailant is not known.

The ground near the new manhole at Centre and Walnut streets began sinking at 7 o'clock last evening. As the street lights were out at the time the spot was dangerous and Burgess McLaughlin procured signal lanterns to notify drivers of the danger. The recent heavy rain caused the earth to settle over the sewer line.

PERSONALITIES.

James Brennan, of Philadelphia, is a visitor at the residence of John Cannon, Centre street.

William O'Donnell, of Highbridge, N. J., is home on a visit to his parents.

Miss Bee Sweeney, of Oneida, is spending a week with Freeland friends.

Miss Daisy Birkbeck is home on a vacation from Lewistown seminary.

George Berger, of the Lehigh university, is in town for a few days.

PLEASURE CALENDAR.

December 24.—Entertainment under the auspices of Travelers' Athletic Association at Grand opera house. Tickets, 25 cents.

December 28.—Banquet and social, under the auspices of the Young Ladies of St. Ann's Parish, at Grand opera house. Tickets, 35 cents.

December 31.—Eighteenth annual ball of Tigers Athletic Club at Yannes' opera house. Admission, 50 cents.

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