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Leper at Large.

There is much excitement and indignation in the little town of Olyphant over the fact that Soo Lee, the alleged Chinese leper, is allowed the freedom of the place, the Board of Health not having as yet taken any action in the case.

Yesterday Soo Lee was about town delivering packages of laundry, but where he went he found people dodging over to the other side of the street. The packages of laundry he delivered at various houses were promptly burned.

The State Board of Health has been asked to send an expert in leprosy to Olyphant to examine Soo Lee and determine finally whether or not he is a leper.

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BREVITIES.

The directors and instructors of the Mining and Mechanical Institute held a conference at the home of Mrs. Eckley B. Cox, Drifton, last evening, with Dr. Thomas M. Drown, of Lehigh university. Several matters pertaining to the welfare of the institute were discussed.

Thomas Brown, Jr., John Dusheck and M. Capece and Misses Brown, Bonoma and Phillips comprised a jolly party that had an outing at the Pulpit Rock yesterday.

An infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davis was buried in Freeland cemetery yesterday afternoon from the residence of Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Porter, South Heberton.

A daughter was born this morning to Mr. and Mrs. Bart McClennan, Chestnut street.

A small stable at Foundryville was destroyed by fire yesterday.

Peter Gallagher, of Bayonne City, N. J., has taken up his residence in Highland.

John Meehan was discharged yesterday from the Miners' hospital and is at his home on Front street. He was suffering from a broken leg.

Smoke the John Smith. At Keiper's. Miss Ethel Phillips, of North Centre street, who has been ill with diphtheria, is recovering.

The Harro Garri Lodge of Hazleton will pay their Freeland brethren a visit on Sunday afternoon.

Dennis Gallagher is treating his home on Adams street to a coat of paint.

A number of silk mill employes have been suspended and others placed on short time. Low demand for the product of the mill is the cause.

Large numbers of people in town are anxiously awaiting excursions, picnics, etc., to get away from the heat.

Joseph V. Gallagher has been appointed administrator of the estate of his mother, the late Jane Gallagher, of Drifton. The estate is valued at \$4,500.

Edward Toy has taken up his residence in Philadelphia, where he has secured a position.

Two large parties of ladies from town spent yesterday at Laurytown almshouse.

The drawing for the piano to be disposed of by the Sisters of Mercy last evening has been postponed for one week.

The City Concert Company, of Hazleton, will arrive here via trolley this evening and picnic in the Public park.

Gentlemen, for hats and caps go to A. Oswald's. He has a nice variety.

A little son is now brightening the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yost, South Birkbeck street.

Mrs. Hadesty, of North Washington street, is on the sick list today.

The Pulpit Rock has numbers of visitors every evening and is considered one of the sights of the vicinity.

The directors of the Mining and Mechanical Institute have reappointed all the instructors of last term for the coming year.

J. B. Quigley has accepted a position at the brewery artesian well.

Frank Gillespie is placing carbons in electric light lamps during the time linemen are engaged at Upper Lehigh, wiring the breaker, etc.

A daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Patrick J. Boyle, Centre street.

The employes of the Upper Lehigh Coal Company and G. B. Markle & Co. will be paid tomorrow.

Carriages, bicycles and any old thing that will furnish transportation are being pressed into service by people to get away from duties for a time.

UPPER LEHIGH.

Our first base ball club will cross bats with either White Haven or Sandy Run tomorrow. A few days ago the team beat the married men of town by a score of 13 to 21.

Harry Argust is in the field as a candidate for the nomination of school director on the Republican ticket next spring. Harry is at present filling a one-year term on the board.

Pay day tomorrow.

Miss Lulu Krommes, who has been slightly indisposed for some time, is recovering.

The tally-ho party to Hazle park on Wednesday report having had a good time. The outlook is favorable for another trip before long.

Miss Kate Winters, of Freeland, spent yesterday with her sister, Mrs. George Wilmot, Jr.

Mrs. Albert Leisenring and family returned from Montrose yesterday.

Two of our families figured in a lawsuit in Squire Buckley's court at Freeland Wednesday evening.

M. S. Kemmerer's steeple-chase and high-jumping horses furnish considerable amusement for some of our riders.

Daniel Cunningham and wife have returned from an extended tour to Niagara Falls, New York and Chicago.

Hon. John Leisenring has moved his family into his beautiful summer home at Wildwood, N. J., for the summer.

The works were idle yesterday for the first time in over two weeks.

PERSONAL.

Lawyer John O'Neil, of Wilkesbarre, a nephew of J. P. McDonald, is in town to attend the sportsmen's meeting at the Grand opera house this evening.

Thomas Walk, of Wilkesbarre, is visiting his father, Thomas Walk, Sr., North Washington street.

Miss Bid Herron, of Wilkesbarre, is staying with Miss Rose Burke, of Walnut street, for a few days.

Mrs. Justus Troell, of Scranton, is spending a few weeks in town with her son, Alex.

Rev. H. L. McMenamin is visiting Wilkesbarre and Scranton friends.

Thomas Rogan, of Lansford, is visiting his father, Patrick Rogan, South Centre street.

Mrs. James Henry, of Birkbeck street, is visiting friends in Weatherly.

Mrs. Hugh Dolan, of Philadelphia, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Matthew Campbell, South Centre street.

Miss Emma Kline, of Danville, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Koons.

John and James Brennan, of Philadelphia, two excellent musicians, are the guests of Mrs. Dan Boyle, Carbon street.

Miss Minnie Sipple is visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Miss Annie Leggett, of Philadelphia, is visiting the Johnson families of town.

Miss Mary Haggerty, of Wilkesbarre, is the guest of Hugh Malloy and family.

Miss Elizabeth Stumpf, of Hazleton, the guest of Mrs. P. C. Poyser the past few days, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. Thomas Jefferson and Miss Emma Walk are the guests of Mrs. Charles Yost, Birkbeck street.

ROUND THE REGION.

Mrs. Thomas Swain, aged 65 years, died at her home in St. Clair from starvation. Several months ago her stomach began to contract and early last month it was found impossible to force food into it. She had not eaten a morsel for twenty-three days.

Reynold, the nine-year-old son of Oliver Loucks, died at Shenandoah yesterday in great agony after suffering from lockjaw. While celebrating the Fourth of July he accidentally shot himself in the left hand with a blank cartridge.

A threat of incendiarism, made months ago by some of the Butler mine strikers at Pitston is thought to have been put into execution when one of company's huge breakers was burned yesterday. The loss is \$100,000.

Richard Beck, 23 years old, of Brooklyn, while riding on a Central Railroad coal train Wednesday evening, fell under the wheels at Mauch Chunk and his right leg was severed at the knee.

Mrs. R. H. Hirsch, the wife of the publisher of the Tamaqua Recorder, died at her parents' home in Philadelphia on Wednesday.

The fishing dam at old Buck Mountain burst on Tuesday and thousands of fish were destroyed before the break could be repaired.

The county commissioners have given out a contract to place the court house lavatories in a sanitary condition at a cost of \$355.

The hostlers at Mauch Chunk Jersey Central round house are on strike for an increase from \$1.50 to \$1.80 per night.

Girl Takes Poison.

Miss Mary Rice, a handsome young woman, residing with her parents, mysteriously disappeared from Shamokin two weeks ago, since which time her many friends and relatives searched for her in vain, until Wednesday evening, when a detective found her working as a domestic in the St. Elmo hotel, Bloomsburg.

She knew him, and, divining his mission to take her home, excused herself and went to a bathroom, where she took a large dose of bedbug poison. She was soon found in a convulsion. By hard work physicians restored her to consciousness. She is in a critical condition and may not survive.

PLEASURE.

July 21.—Trolley party of Highland Social Club to Hazle park. Round trip tickets, 25 cents.

July 23.—Trolley excursion of Fearnots Athletic Association to Hazle park. Round trip tickets, 25 cents.

Secure.

The recruit was raw but Foxy. "I take no chances," he muttered, and placed over his heart not only a well-thumbed Bible, but a greasy pack of cards as well.

He now felt secure against the foe's bullets; but there was the embalmed horse meat yet to be reckoned with.—Detroit Journal.

Deep-Laid Scheme.

Mrs. Youngwife—Harry suggests that I give my last summer's gown to the servant girl.

Mrs. Oldum—Is the girl pretty?

Mrs. Youngwife—Yes, rather.

Mrs. Oldum—Then don't do it. He's evidently hunting for an excuse to kiss her in mistake for you.—Philadelphia Press.

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KENTUCKY DEMOCRATS.

Beckham Faction Gets Temporary Chairman.

Lexington, Ky., July 20.—The Democratic state convention met here at 2 o'clock yesterday.

Chairman Young of the state central committee called the convention to order and called for nominations for temporary chairman. Judge J. E. Robbins and H. Frank Peake were presented. Judge Robbins was the Beckham candidate.

Before the ballot was completed it was evident that Judge Robbins was the winner, but the Peake men continued to vote. Before the result of the ballot was announced, but not until all the 119 counties had been called, the name of Peake was withdrawn, and Robbins was selected as chairman by acclamation. The actual ballot was: Robbins, 646; Peake, 426. This result was greeted with a great demonstration by the Beckham men.

Judge Robbins was escorted to the platform and spoke at some length. Colonel Peake, who was chairman of the committee that escorted Judge Robbins to the platform and introduced the chairman, also spoke at length. After the usual committees had been appointed the convention took a recess until 8:30 p. m.

Wreck on Brooklyn Elevated Road.

New York, July 20.—A collision resulting in the loss of the life of one man, the slight injury of several passengers and a general panic occurred shortly after 6 o'clock last night on the Fifth avenue branch of the Brooklyn Elevated road near the Fulton street station. A train had come to a standstill on a curve because of some disarrangement of the electrical apparatus of the motor car. Walter H. Young, 40 years old, crawled under the car to see if he could locate the trouble. Two other guards also went under the car for the same purpose. A Rockaway Beach train crashed into the stalled train, which was crowded with passengers. A panic ensued. All the passengers were thrown from their seats to the floor of the car, and a number were cut by flying glass, besides being badly bruised and shaken up. Engineer Marshall was placed under arrest.

Boy Murderer Hanged.

Hartford, July 20.—For the ninth time within six years the gallows at the state prison at Wethersfield was brought into requisition shortly after midnight and as has been the case on every occasion since the introduction of the so called automatic gallows the execution was attended with the usual gruesome scenes. Charles B. Cross, upon whom the drop was sprung at 12:05 this morning, was the youngest murderer ever executed in Connecticut, being but 18 years of age. It was feared he would collapse as the fatal moment approached despite his frequent reiteration that he would die like a man, but he walked from the death chamber to the execution room unassisted and displayed no nervousness when the black cap was put on and the noose adjusted. When the trap was sprung, his neck was instantly broken, and at the end of three minutes Dr. Fox, the prison surgeon, pronounced him dead. The remains were buried in the prison graveyard.

Blime and Gray Meet.

Atlanta, July 20.—Five thousand members of the Grand Army of the Republic and the United Confederate Veterans lustily cheered the commanders of two organizations, General Albert D. Shaw and General John B. Gordon, as they sat together upon the stage of the Grand Opera House at the kindling of the camp fire of the blime and gray reunion here last night. The occasion was the formal burning of the remains of the surviving veterans of the Union and Confederate armies who fought in the battles around Atlanta in July, 1864. The auditorium of the theater was filled with the veterans who mingled in fraternal peace and cheered the battle tunes of "Dixie" and "Yankee Doodle" with equal enthusiasm. Upon the stage were seated distinguished soldiers, many of them commanding officers in the different engagements.

Referees in Bankruptcy.

Utica, N. Y., July 20.—Judge C. C. Case of the United States district court has filed the appointment of referees in bankruptcy for the northern district of New York as follows: William H. Constock of Utica for Oneida and Herkimer counties, Charles L. Stone of Syracuse for Onondaga, Cortland and Madison counties, William Lansing of Albany for Albany and Schoharie counties, Joseph Atwell of Watertown for Jefferson and Lewis counties and Edwin A. King of Troy for Rensselaer and Washington counties. The appointments are for two years.

Lightning Strikes a Funeral.

Cleveland, July 20.—At Chaffinch, O., lightning struck a church in which a funeral was in progress. The edifice was packed to the doors, and a panic ensued. The lightning ran down a pillar. Mrs. Simon Shade, who was leaning against it, was prostrated and may die. Twenty-five others were injured, two of them, Miss Doris Bowers and George Beeson, it is believed, fatally. Many women fainted. In the excitement the coffin fell from its supports to the floor. The church was but slightly damaged.

Fire in Boston Navy Yard.

Boston, July 20.—The long wooden building known as the mastsheep at the Charlestown navy yard was completely burned about midnight, together with its contents, which comprised more than 100 ship's cutters, barges and launches, many masts in various stages of completion, a quantity of hard pine lumber and patterns, entailing a loss of fully \$150,000.

Death From Hydrophobia.

Reading, Pa., July 20.—Mrs. Frank Remp, aged 27, wife of a well to do farmer in Cumru, this county, has died of hydrophobia after fearful agony. Her husband's hunting dog bit her eight months ago, and she had been worrying considerably in fear of rabies ever since.

Governor Allen Goes to Boston.

New York, July 20.—The United States converted yacht Maxfower, having on board Governor Allen of Porto Rico, who has just returned from Canton, O., where he met the president, sailed last evening for Boston.

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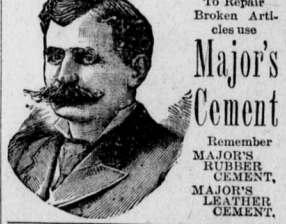
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