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FIRE DAMP KILLS TWO

Miners Mills the Scene of the Accident.

Mine Superintendents D. J. Williams and William Morgans the Victims at Pine Ridge Colliery.

Two men were killed, two seriously affected, and six others, constituting a rescuing party, were overcome by fire damp in the Pine Ridge colliery of the Algonquin Coal Company, at Miners Mills, yesterday. A second rescuing party was required to bring the others out. The dead are Mine Superintendent D. J. Williams and Assistant Mine Superintendent William Morgans. The mine adjoins the Delaware, where a fire has been raging for the past six weeks.

Early yesterday morning Superintendents Williams and Morgans with Fire Bosses William Early and Martin Fortune, went into the mine to investigate the extent of the damage by the fire, which had eaten its way from the Delaware into the Pine Ridge.

At 7 o'clock last night, when the four officials had not returned, those on the surface became alarmed for their safety, and a rescuing party of six men was sent down, while a great crowd of frightened people awaited anxiously at the mouth of the shaft for news from below. Two anxious hours passed, and when no sign came from the rescuers, the apprehension increased to such an extent that a second rescuing party of ten men was sent down at 9 o'clock.

Proceeding with the utmost caution they found the fire damp in dangerous quantities, and were compelled to fight their way along, foot by foot, brushing the suffocating fumes away with their coats and hastily erecting canvas brattices to guide the air current in their direction.

It was an hour before they found any of the men, and then they came upon four of the first rescuing party, overcome and unconscious, and lying along the gangway. They were carried to the foot of the shaft, and a dash made for the other two.

These were found some distance further in, overcome, and having with them Early and Fortune, and were nearly dead. A short distance further back they found the bodies of Williams and Morgans, and at half-past 10 o'clock they got all the men to the foot of the shaft by heroic work.

The first rescuing party found the four men, Williams, Morgans, Early and Fortune, along the gangway. The two former were dead, and the latter two nearly so. In attempting to drag them out they were overcome.

Williams and Morgans were among the most prominent mining officials in the Wyoming region.

Nurse Became His Bride.
Father E. S. Phillips, of St. Gabriel's church, yesterday consummated a pretty romance when he united in marriage Arthur J. Evans, of this city, to Miss Elizabeth Oakes, of Humboldt. The bride was a nurse at the Miners' hospital. Last summer Mr. Evans was a patient at the institution. After having been operated on, Miss Oakes took charge of the young man. The companionship soon ripened into love, which was clinaxed by marriage yesterday.

Miss Oakes is a daughter of George Oakes, of Humboldt, and is well known in this region. The groom is a Lehigh Traction conductor and was one of the members of the Eighteenth regiment when it was stationed in the Philippines during the war.—Hazleton Standard.

School Board Meeting.
The borough school board met Wednesday evening in regular monthly session with all members present, except Messrs. Bell and Brown. The following bills were ordered paid: Harry Rein-smith, repairing plastering, \$7; Lewis H. Lentz, material, 60c; Electric Light Co., light, 74c; Mathias Schwabe, coal, \$6.90; Coxse Bros. & Co., coal, \$28.50; American Book Company, books, \$16.18; Ginn & Co., books, \$7.50; H. C. Koons, curtains, \$7.95; W. E. Martin, \$9.86; E. B. Shellhamer, \$1.89; Salmon Iron Company, bars, \$1; total, \$88.03.

The bill of Harry Rein-smith called for \$10.75, but the board thought the bill excessive and allowed \$7 for the work.

Communications from a Wilkesbarre organization which supplies schools with flags were read, inquiring into the condition of the flags of the borough, also one from the state department pertaining to law on educational matters. Both were placed on file.

The fourth month of school not being completed, the supervising principal could not make a complete report. Treasurer VanHorn's report was read and showed a balance on hand of \$962.65.

Bells Will Ring.
Monday next being Christmas Day, according to the Russian calendar, which still governs the dates in the Greek Catholic Church, the day will be observed by the members of St. Mary's congregation at their church on Fern street with services of a very impressive order.

The ceremonies will begin at 12 p. m. Saturday night, at which hour a midnight mass will be celebrated. The church chimes will ring at 11 o'clock Sunday night, also at 12 o'clock, and at intervals during the mass. No alarm need be felt, therefore, by the people of town at the ringing of the bells.

Farewell to Pastor.
A number of the members of the English Baptist church congregation tendered a farewell supper to Rev. E. C. Murphy, their late pastor, on Wednesday evening, prior to his departure for Wyoming, this county. During the evening several addresses complimentary to the reverend gentleman and his work here were made, to which the minister made fitting replies.

On behalf of the congregation, Thomas Evans presented Rev. Murphy with a handsome dressing case as a token of their appreciation of his services.

Trouble on Jersey Central.
The negotiations for a new wage scale on the Central Railroad of New Jersey, carried on by the representatives of the employees' brotherhood and the company's officials, have not yet been satisfactorily settled. It is stated that an employment agency in New York has been commissioned by the railroad to hire all the non-union men possible and send them immediately to Jersey City. An agent of the company is also in Philadelphia organizing a contingent of 250 coal and iron police.

Injured Boy Is Home.
Perry Vanauker, a young son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Vanauker, of Main street, has been discharged from the Miners' hospital, having recovered from the injuries for which he was being treated.

On November 13 last the boy was hurt while participating as a spectator in a foot ball game near the Ridge street school. His left leg was fractured near the thigh, and that evening he was taken to the hospital.

Died in the West.
A telegram was received yesterday from Anaconda, Montana, announcing the death of Hugh Gallagher, of that city. No details have yet been received by his friends here. The deceased left this section some years ago to seek his fortune in the West, and when last heard from was enjoying good health.

He was a brother of James Gallagher, of Highland, who will have the remains forwarded to Freeland for burial.

One man was killed and six others severely injured at the Delaware and Hudson No. 2 colliery at Plymouth yesterday. The seven men were laying pipes to flush culm into abandoned workings, and John Radusky, who walked a couple of hundred yards ahead of the others, met the gas which exploded with terrific force and killed him.

Pepsin preparations often fail to relieve indigestion because they can digest only albuminous foods. There is one preparation that digests all classes of food, and that is Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It cures the worst cases of indigestion and gives instant relief, for it digests what you eat. Grover's City drug store.

ROUND THE REGION.
The first step in the proceedings to test whether or not the mayor of Wilkesbarre holds over for another year was instituted yesterday when City Solicitor McHugh applied for a mandamus to compel the addition of the office of mayor to be numbered among those to be voted on by the citizens at the coming election. The argument will be made next Monday.

The fire in the Delaware mine of the Delaware and Hudson Company at Hudson has been extinguished. Men fought the flames for two weeks, and at one time it looked as though the fire would spread. The adjoining collieries' coal to the value of \$8,000,000 was at stake and extra efforts were put forth to conquer the fiery element.

William Carey, of Honesdale, had both hands amputated and both feet will also be taken off in a few days. On December 21 Mr. Carey was leading a cow. The animal became frightened, threw him against a rock and he was rendered unconscious. When found next morning his limbs were so badly frozen that physicians could not save them.

Druggists of Wilkesbarre will contest in court the action of the State Pharmaceutical Board in requiring them to pay \$3 every three years for a renewal of their certificates.

Simon Savage, of Nanticoke, has begun suit against Rev. Novicki, pastor of St. Francis' congregation. Savage says that while a trustee of the church he was publicly charged with misappropriating church funds.

After a long deliberation on New Year's day by a number of prominent Welsh citizens representing churches of Nanticoke, Plymouth, Edwardsville, Plains, Pittston and Wilkesbarre, it was decided to hold a mammoth twentieth century istedford in Wilkesbarre on Memorial Day.

Suit was commenced against Wilkesbarre for \$10,000 damages yesterday by Thomas Clark. While driving along a street his wagon fell into a hole and he was severely injured.

A New York syndicate has offered to lease the works of the Hazleton Gas Company, but the directors of the company refused to consider the proposition.

Measles and diphtheria are affecting the school attendance at Tomhicken. Ellis Mainwaring went to Wilkesbarre to witness a New Year's celebration and was given knockout drops in a well-known resort. He is dying at his home in West Pittston.

Rev. John Picton, of Plymouth, 76 year of age, died on Wednesday of apoplexy. He was a resident of Plymouth for about twenty years and until about five years ago, when he resigned on account of ill health, was pastor of the Baptist church of that place.

Hugh Hughes, manager of the Hughes brewery, Pittston, was held up last night and an attempt made to sandbag him, but the footpad was frightened in his designs by the adroitness of his intended victim.

THEATRICAL.
"A Million a Minute," a musical comedy satirizing Wall street brokers and their doings, was presented at the Grand opera house last evening. It is not quite so swift as its title, nevertheless it traveled along at a rapid pace and its abundance of rapid-fire repartee compelled the audience to keep wide-awake to catch the numerous bright sayings with which the author has supplied the excellent company. There were lots of good songs sang by men and women who possess good voices, and when the rough edges are worn off the piece is bound to make a hit wherever it appears.

The next attraction will be "Grime's Cellar Door," on the 9th inst. James B. Mackie, the man who made Hoyt's "Bunch of Keys" famous, is still the comedian in this piece.

This season there is a large death rate among children from croup and lung troubles. Prompt action will save the little ones from these terrible diseases. We know of nothing so certain to give instant relief as One Minute Cough Cure. It can also be relied upon in grippe and all throat and lung troubles of adults. Pleasant to take. Grover's City drug store.

Special Meeting of A. O. H.
There will be a special meeting of Division No. 41, A. O. H., at the Grand opera house hall on Friday evening, January 4. By order of
Con McCole, president.

LOCAL NOTES WRITTEN UP

Short Items of Interest to All Readers.

Happenings of the Past Two Days in and Around Freeland Recorded Without Waste of Words.

The ice house and stable erected by the Central Pennsylvania Brewing Company has been completed, and the horses and wagons of the company were installed in their new quarters on Luzerne street this week.

Hon. H. W. Haworth returned yesterday from Harrisburg. "Jack" has no doubts of the ultimate triumph of Quay in his candidacy for the United States senatorship.

The barbers of town propose to petition the local authorities to enforce the ordinance relating to Sunday closing of barber shops.

In Luzerne county in 1900 there were 2,024 marriage licenses issued and 66 divorces granted. This is a decrease of 172 licenses and an increase of 4 divorces, compared with the totals for 1899.

Tobacco of all kinds at Kelper's. George Malinky is erecting a new aer-motor over his artesian well to take the place of the one which fell down a month ago while being repaired.

Politics in Foster township are attracting the attention of the voters, and the offices of school directors and supervisors promise to be hotly contested for by both parties.

A number of men employed in No. 5 colliery, Jeddo, quit work yesterday until a satisfactory price for working certain breasts has been arranged with the company. There are rumors that a general strike of Markle & Co.'s men may result from the trouble, but this is denied by prominent union leaders.

Rev. J. B. Kerschner, of town, will address a twentieth century meeting at the Reformed church, Rockport, this evening.

Gentlemen, for hats and caps go to A. Oswald. He has a nice variety. St. Ann's parochial school will reopen on Monday after a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Grace Coyle, of Bayonne City, N. J., was the guest of Mrs. P. B. Carr this week.

Rev. Daniel Herron returned yesterday to Long Island, N. Y., after a visit to his parents on Front street.

Daniel Kline returned yesterday from a short visit to county seat friends. The engagement of J. Donald Walk, of Jeddo, to Miss Rumbley, of Philadelphia, was announced yesterday.

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