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SLEIGHERS' CLOSE CALL

Freeland People Have Narrow Escape Today.

Frightful Accident Barely Averted at White Haven at 1 O'clock This Morning. Young Lady Injured.

A sleighing party of thirteen young people of town left for White Haven last evening, in a double sleigh driven by A. B. Smith, of Walnut street. The party spent a pleasant evening at White Haven, but met with a narrow escape from instant death on their way home. When crossing the Lehigh Valley Railroad at White Haven at 1 o'clock this morning the midnight freight came thundering along. The occupants of the sleigh became excited and three of them jumped out to save themselves from expected death.

Miss Annie Birkbeck, of Front street, was among those who jumped from the sleigh. She was found lying senseless in a pile of snow near the tracks. Medical aid was immediately summoned, and the young lady regained consciousness. She arrived here on the 9.30 o'clock train this morning, and was assisted to her home by her mother and another lady.

It seems as if Miss Birkbeck was the victim of shock, as all indications go to show that she was not struck, although she must have had a very close call. Fortunately the engine only grazed the rear end of the sleigh, otherwise an appalling accident would have resulted.

School Board Meeting

Messrs. Trevasik, Isaacs, Everitt, McCole and Timony were present at the school board meeting Wednesday evening. No quorum being present a messenger was despatched for some of the absentees. President Kline, being sick, could not attend. After a wait of half an hour Director Brown appeared and was chosen to preside.

The following bills were ordered paid: Freeland Water Company, water rent, \$22.92; E. B. Shellhamer, hauling coal, \$3.70; Wm. Birkbeck, supplies, \$5.20; Electric Light Co., light, \$7; Freeland Lumber Co., lumber, \$1.91; Henry Fisher & Co., supplies, \$5.61; R. C. Roth, supplies, \$1.35; Hudson School Furniture Co., furniture, \$210.20; Parlor Broom Co., brooms, \$1.20; Cox & Co., coal, \$9.75; W. E. Martin, supplies, \$23.30; Mrs. Matt. Murphy, cleaning, \$1; Matthias Schwabe, coal, \$6.90; W. R. Flad, supplies, \$2.30; total, \$295.11.

A letter was read from the state officials at Harrisburg, notifying the board that a collection of manufactured articles and raw material from different countries would be sent to Freeland provided a suitable case was prepared to receive them. The collection was procured through Representative Haworth. The secretary will correspond with the department to secure it.

A letter from the state superintendent was read and showed the corrected list of children in the borough to have been received. The state appropriation will not likely be received until June.

Regarding the heating of the Washington street building, Director Everitt recommended the placing of more radiators in the affected rooms. In the High school room the board will hold the contractor responsible, he having agreed to have 70 degrees registered in the room in severe weather. The committee was authorized to purchase from Mrs. Williamson radiators for use in the building.

The report of the treasurer was read and showed a balance on hand of \$144.43. The principal reported as follows for the fourth month: Enrollment, 851; last year, 790; average attendance, 720; last year, 648; per centage, 91; last year, 86; for the fifth month: Enrollment, 858; last year, 720; average attendance, 737;

Wm. Wehrman, Watchmaker.

Watches, from \$4 to \$25.
Clocks, from \$1 to \$5.
Centre street, below South.

MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS.

ELECTION NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that at the election to be held on the third Tuesday in February, 1901, being the nineteenth day of the month, the following of the Middle Coal Field Poor District are to be elected to wit:
One person for director to serve three years from April 1, 1901, whose residence must be in that part of the district known as the Weatherly or Middle district.
One person for auditor to serve from April 1, 1901, whose residence must be in that portion of the district known as the Mauch Chunk or Lower district.
S. W. Gangwere, William S. Lieb, Wilson S. Campbell, } Directors.

last year, 617; per centage 91; last year, 85.

The above figures show an increase in enrollment of 61 over last year during the fourth month and an increase of 130 during the fifth month; the averages of attendance for the two months show increases of 72 and 120 respectively; the percentages for the same months show increases of 5 and 6 respectively.

The following teachers have been designated to visit schools in the towns named, in accordance with the plan approved by the board: February 7, Mrs. Denny, Hazleton; February 12, Miss Kate Timony, Hazleton; February 21, Miss Kate Rogan, Shenandoah; February 26, Edgar Schmidt, Philadelphia; March 5, Miss Mattie Brown, Hazleton; March 7, Miss Mary Dougherty, Hazleton.

Bought the Engine.

The fire engine which was the cause of so much discussion at Monday evening's council meeting has been bought by the fire and water committee. The price agreed upon is \$1,000, of which one-third will be paid in cash and the balance in installments. The buying of an engine meets with the approval of all except a few of the people of town, as the necessity of protection for Hill property is well known; but the methods taken by one-half of council to purchase this engine are not creditable to the men who lent their aid to the railroad of the scheme.

To say the least, the haste shown in this purchase, and the shutting out of all other offers, was not warranted by the circumstances; nevertheless no fault will be found if the engine is capable of doing its intended work when the occasion arises, even though its purchase was in the interests of a political machine and not for the benefit of the Hill.

Sleighing Parties.

A very pleasant party of young folks enjoyed a sleigh ride this week to the Mountain Scenery hotel, where they dined and spent a pleasant day. The following were present: Misses Mary McBrierty, Mary Halpin, Nellie Cunningham, Grace O'Donnell, N. McLaughlin, L. Moerschbacher, R. Ferry, D. Burns, A. Gallagher, and A. Boyle, and Messrs. N. Malloy, J. Cunningham, B. Mallor, M. Halpin, A. Rielly, N. Boyle, A. Boezkowski and G. McBrierty.

Three or four parties leave town every day for some of the neighboring points. Laurytown was the objective point of several parties yesterday, Thursday being visiting day.

Several members of the German Social Club enjoyed a ride to Conyngham yesterday afternoon.

Horrible Specimens.

Notices intended to caution people against defacing or injuring the walls of the Municipal building have been painted on the inside walls of the structure. There are two on the first floor, one on the second and one on the third floor corridors. The total cost was \$4. The notices are painted in white on a black background, and read as follows:

NOTICE
A REWARD OF TEN DOLLARS WILL BE OFFERED FOR INFORMATION AGAINST AND CONVICTION OF ANY PERSONS INJURING OR DEFACEING THE WALLS OR BUILDING IN ANY MANNER.
By Order of Council.

Union Ball Tonight.

All the necessary preparations have been made by the committee of Local Union No. 1499, U. M. W., to accommodate the large number of people who will attend the ball to be held by the Local this evening at Yannes' opera house. It is a foregone conclusion that the attendance will be very large, but the committee has made ample arrangements for the disposition of the crowds and no one should remain away for fear that they cannot be accommodated.

Dance music will be furnished by St. Ann's band.

Died in New York.

Alex. Ewing died at his home in New York city yesterday morning from stomach trouble. The deceased was the husband of Miss Annie Lloyd, formerly of town, who, with two young sons, survive him. He was a brother-in-law of Clerk of Courts Reese Lloyd and the Messrs. Lloyd, of Freeland. Mrs. David Lloyd and two of her daughters are at New York to attend the funeral.

A powerful engine cannot be run with a weak boiler, and we can't keep up the strain of an active life with a weak stomach; neither can we stop the human machine to make repairs. If the stomach cannot digest enough food to keep the body strong, such a preparation as Kodol Dyspepsia Cure should be used. It digests what you eat and it simply can't help but do you good. Grover's City drug store.

Tobacco of all kinds at Keiper's.

ROUND THE REGION.

An echo of the late strike was heard in court yesterday. Thomas Williams, David Williams, William Schwab and William Collier, coal and iron policemen at the Clear Spring colliery, near Pittston, were charged with manslaughter. A man named Charles Mordus was seen loitering about the company's property one night. When told to surrender he ran away. A bullet from a Winchester killed him. The officers were discharged.

Recent experiments show that all classes of foods may be completely digested by a preparation called Kodol Dyspepsia Cure, which absolutely digests what you eat. As it is the only combination of all the natural digestants ever devised the demand for it has become enormous. It has never failed to cure the very worst cases of indigestion and it always gives instant relief. Grover's City drug store.

The most disastrous fire that ever visited Scranton broke out in the clothing store of Horan & Merrell, on Lackawanna avenue, yesterday afternoon, and swept easterly up the avenue, destroying nine other business houses, and causing a loss of over \$300,000.

"When the grip left me my nerves and heart were badly affected; but I began taking Dr. Miles' Nerve and Heart Cure and was soon all right."—Wm. Roericht, Eau Clair, Wis.

In a collision between an electric car and a sleigh filled with men and women, one woman was disfigured for life and several other persons injured last night. Mrs. E. Eddy, of Ashley, fell beneath the wheels. Four of her fingers were amputated and a portion of one of her ears severed.

For the weakness and prostration following grippe there is nothing so prompt and effective as One Minute Cough Cure. This preparation is highly endorsed as an unfailing remedy for all throat and lung troubles and its early use prevents consumption. It was made to cure quickly. Grover's City drug store.

The employees of the Klotz silk mill, at Carbondale, who have been on strike, will return to work at the scale of wages suggested by Rev. Thomas F. Coffey, who was arbitrator between the mill owners and operatives.

"I was given up to die from heart and nervous troubles caused by the grip. Six bottles each of Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and Nerve and Liver Pills cured me."—Mrs. John Wollet, Jefferson, Wis.

Just as Mrs. Mame Burns, of Tamaqua, who was preparing breakfast, left the kitchen yesterday morning, the waterback to the range exploded and the stove was blown to pieces, badly wrecking the kitchen.

Reports show a greatly increased death rate from throat and lung troubles, due to the prevalence of croup, pneumonia and grippe. We advise the use of One Minute Cough Cure in all of these difficulties. It is the only harmless remedy that gives immediate results. Children like it. Grover's City drug store.

Miss Bessie Bryden, a woman 60 years of age, was burned to death in the home of John Brown, Scranton. The house took fire while Miss Bryden was in it with Flossie E. Brown, aged 14 years. Both were safely out of the house when Miss Bryden darted back to secure some trifle from her bedroom. While she was there the roof fell in.

After spending three hours breaking into the depot of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company, at Shickshinny, and blowing open the safe with giant powder, burglars were rewarded by securing \$4 in cash and a pair of shoes.

There is always danger in using counterfeits of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. The original is a safe and certain cure for piles. It is a soothing and healing salve for sores and all skin diseases. Grover's City drug store.

Jesse Miller, aged 82 years, the oldest resident of Beaver Meadow, was found in bed yesterday dead from heart disease.

"My heart was badly affected by an attack of grip and I suffered intense agony until I began taking Dr. Miles' Heart Cure. It made me a well man."—S. D. Holman, Irsburg, Vt.

Michael Conniff, a justice of the peace and a prominent politician, died on Wednesday at his home in Wilkesbarre township, aged 45 years.

Rev. C. Body was in a serious condition at his home in St. Paris, O., but Dr. Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills pulled him through all right.

George Rowis, aged 17 years, a jig runner employed at the No. 7 Stockton colliery, was almost instantly killed on Wednesday by being caught by the jig shaft, with which he accidentally came in contact.

Persons who can not take ordinary pills find it a pleasure to take DeWitt's Little Early Risers. They are the best little pills ever made. Grover's City drug store.

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 case of Thomas Boyle, of Highland, charged with having caused the death of Joseph Brezenski last December, has been postponed until next term of court. It is understood that the county officials will enter a nolle prosequere in the case, the evidence tending to show that the killing was accidental.

Notices have been posted at the silk mill telling of an advance of 25 cents a week to all employees. The directors state that the increase would have been granted last fall, and the strike at the mill avoided, but that the business did not warrant it at that time.

Hot temperance drinks, at Keiper's. A meeting of the D. S. & S. Railroad employees will be held on Sunday afternoon to receive the report of the committee which conferred with Superintendent L. C. Smith regarding an increase in wages.

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

Mrs. Mary Boyle, widow of the late Michael Boyle, died from the grip at Ebervale yesterday afternoon, aged 51 years. She is survived by four sons and six daughters. The remains will arrive here via trolley Sunday afternoon and will be interred at St. Ann's cemetery.

Millions of people are familiar with DeWitt's Little Early Risers and those who use them find them to be famous little liver pills. Never gripe. Grover's City drug store.

William Wilkinson, of Highland, has leased the hotel of Mrs. George Hess, Butler township, now occupied by Louis Snyder, and will take charge on April 1.

Representative Haworth's bill to form a new county was considered by the committee on counties and townships yesterday. The committee decided to report it negatively.

Mrs. E. I. Masters, at her home in Monitor, Ind., used Dr. Miles' Nerve and Pills to cure after effects of grip.

The breaking of an axle on a Jersey Central train east of Pond Creek Junction blocked the road for several hours yesterday morning. The Lehigh Valley train due here at 9.30 a. m. was compelled to go round via Penn Haven.

Like bad dollars, all counterfeits of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve are worthless. The original quickly cure piles, sores and all skin diseases. Grover's City drug store.

A spirited horse owned by Dr. Geo. S. Wentz took fright yesterday morning and dashed up and down the streets at a rapid gait. On Main street the cutter was capsize and medicine was scattered in all directions. The horse did not stop until it reached its stable at Drifton.

Mrs. E. P. Green has recovered from an attack of the grip at Canaseraga, N. Y., by the use of Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.

Grip has a strong hold in this and neighboring towns and a large number of people are in a serious condition.

Earl Cameron will open a 5 and 10c store in the Brown block next week.

The engagement of Julius Dusbeck and Miss Annie Canty has been announced. They will be married next June.

"I was in bed five weeks with the grip—nerves shattered, stomach and liver badly deranged. Was cured with Dr. Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills."—D. C. Walker, Hallsville, O.

PLEASURE.

February 8.—Ball of Local Union No. 1499, U. M. W. A., at Yannes' opera house. Tickets, 50 cents.

February 20.—Cantata, entitled "The World for Christ," at P. M. church, Fern street. Tickets, 15 cents.

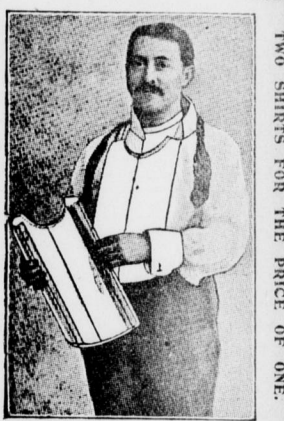
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