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TRI-WEEKLY

Beginning Wednesday, April 17, 1901, our stores will close every evening at 7 o'clock, except on Saturdays and the general pay days.

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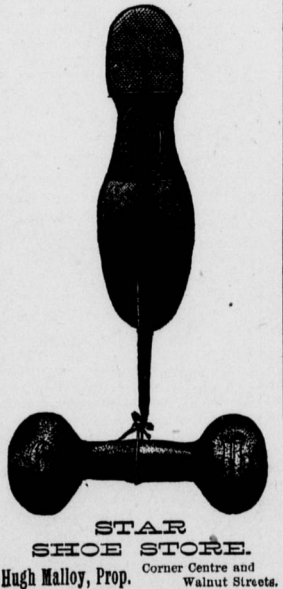
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CLAIMS BIG MONEY.

Romantic Story of a Judgment Note for \$84,500 Found in a Bible.

When George P. Richards, of Plymouth, held the position of clerk of the courts of Luzerne county, Abram Nesbitt, president of the Second National bank of Wilkesbarre and one of the wealthiest men in this section of the state, was his friend. Mr. Richards died March 17, 1893, leaving a large family and a widow, his second wife, a woman much younger than himself. This woman subsequently married an actor and later was divorced. After the second marriage she left Plymouth.

Now, after the former clerk of the courts has laid in the grave for years, a strange thing has happened. Mr. Nesbitt is notified by Mr. Richards' widow that he is indebted to her in the vast sum of \$84,500 on a judgment note for that amount made out four days prior to the death of her husband and by him indorsed over to the wife, Alice Richards. It is said that none was aware of its existence until a short time ago, when the former widow was carelessly turning over the old family bible, and the evidence of Mr. Nesbitt's alleged indebtedness was found nestling quietly between leaves of the sacred volume.

The magnitude of the sum involved, as well as the note itself, when revealed to Mr. Nesbitt, took him by surprise. He was at first inclined to regard the thing as a joke, but when he was served with a notice that a suit for the recovery of the money would follow unless he settled, he immediately called upon Congressman Henry W. Palmer and H. A. Fuller, whom he retained to defend him. Mr. Nesbitt not only declares that the note in question was never made by him, but that he never gave a judgment note in his life. He says the signature is an excellent imitation of his own.

Mary Weds Her Choice.

Mary Herman and James Kuchnik, of Plymouth, whose trials and tribulations were reported in Friday's Tribune, are to be married. Last week when she was to wed John Horabard she ran away from her home and took refuge with Kuchnik, a former sweetheart. Miss Herman had consented to marry Horabard, her parents' choice, but with-

MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—There will be sold at the sheriff's sale Saturday, May 11, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Auction room, Court-house, Wilkesbarre, the following real estate: All the right, title and interest of the defendant in and to the following described piece, parcel or tract of land, viz: All those certain lots or pieces of land being Nos. 12 and 13 in the addition and plot laid out by Mrs. Emily Jenkins in the village of Drums, Luzerne county, Pennsylvania, commencing at the corner of lots Nos. 9 and 10 on the outside of the road leading from Drums to Hazleton, thence by lot No. 11 sold to Charles Hains south sixty and three-fourths degrees east two hundred feet, thence by lands of the grantor (E. Jenkins) north thirty and one-fourth degrees east eighty feet thence by an alley north sixty and three-fourths degrees west two hundred feet to a post, thence along the side of the said road south thirty and one-fourth degrees west eighty feet to the place of beginning.

Improved with a two and one-half story dwelling, barn, hot-house, grape vines, fruit trees and outbuildings. Also all that certain lot or piece of land being lot No. 11 in the addition and plot laid out by Mrs. Emily Jenkins in the village of Drums, Luzerne county, Pennsylvania, commencing at the corner of lots Nos. 10 and 11 on the outside of the road leading from Drums to Hazleton, thence by lot No. 9 and 10 on the outside of the road leading from Drums to Hazleton, thence by lot No. 9 sold to George C. Farrer, south sixty and three-fourths degrees east two hundred feet to a corner of the other lands of the grantor (E. Jenkins) thence north thirty and one-fourth degrees east fifty feet to the place of beginning.

Also all that certain lot or piece of land being lot No. 10 in the addition and plot laid out by Mrs. Emily Jenkins in the village of Drums, Luzerne county, Pennsylvania, commencing at the corner of lots Nos. 9 and 10 on the outside of the road leading from Drums to Hazleton, thence by lot No. 9 sold to George C. Farrer, south sixty and three-fourths degrees east two hundred feet to a corner of the other lands of the grantor (E. Jenkins) thence north thirty and one-fourth degrees east fifty feet to the place of beginning.

Late the estate of the defendant in said writ named with the appurtenances. Seized and taken into execution at the property of Nathan Drasher at the suit of Elmira Mutual Building and Loan Association.

James G. Harvey, sheriff.

Chas. Orion Stroh, solicitor.

CHARTER NOTICE.—In the Court of Common Pleas, Luzerne County, No. May Term, 1901. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the court of common pleas of Luzerne county, or one of the Judges thereof, on Monday, May 13, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m., under the act of assembly of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "an act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 23, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "DRUMS COUNCIL, NO. 918, JUNIOR ORDER UNITED AMERICAN MECHANICS." The character and object is to educate its members in patriotism, to maintain free public schools, and the maintenance of a society for the relief of its members from sickness, and to establish a sick and funeral fund, from dues, etc., collected therein, and for these purposes to have, possess and said estate rights, benefits and privileges conferred by the said act of assembly and its supplements.

Chas. Orion Stroh, solicitor.

ESTATE OF JENNIE WENNER, late of Freeland deceased. Letters of administration upon the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands to present the same without delay to Mary A. Boyd.

FOR SALE.—\$800 for five-room dwelling and lot, 50x150 feet, on North Birkbeck street. \$1,000 for the John Duack property, 80x150 feet, on North Washington street. \$1,500 for the Charles Shiffer property, 70x150 feet, on West Walnut street. For particulars apply to C. O. Stroh.

In an hour of the wedding a bit of her spirit revived, and she fled to Kuchnik. In the end the girl was taken back home, and her lover locked up for abduction.

On Saturday Horabard, the jilted suitor, sent word that if Mary disliked him so much he would not ask her to marry him, and added the philosophic reflection that there were lots of other girls. Thereupon the girl's father had the charge of abduction withdrawn. He agreed yesterday afternoon that his daughter should marry Kuchnik.

A Boxing Carnival.

Under the auspices of the Sterling Athletic Club a boxing carnival will be given here on Wednesday evening. A great deal of interest in this sport has lately been shown in this section, and it is expected that the program arranged will make the affair a success.

The carnival will consist of three scientific exhibitions by well-known experts in the art, as follows: Jack Donohue and Thomas Cleary, of Philadelphia, ten rounds at 135-lb weight. Frank McGee and Jack Ashton, of Philadelphia, eight rounds at bantamweight.

Mazanta and Burke, of Wilkesbarre, six-round bout for the welter-weight championship of the anthracite region. The affair is expected to attract to town large numbers of the sporting fraternity of this and neighboring counties, as the men engaged to give exhibitions are considered among the best in their classes.

May Remain in Union.

The Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company recently issued a general notice to its fire, loader and driver bosses giving them the option of resigning membership in the United Mine Workers or resigning their positions at the mines by May 1 next.

The notice threatened to bring about a number of local strikes, but at a conference between Organizers Paul Pulaski and Miles Dougherty, of the Mine Workers, and Superintendents Veith and Doyle, representing the company, an understanding was reached, by which the men retain membership in the organization and also their positions at the mines.

The Markle Trouble.

The general meeting of union employes of Markle & Co. at the Grand opera house was largely attended on Friday evening. The questions in dispute between Markle & Co. and their workers were referred to the executive board of District No. 7, United Mine Workers. A meeting of the board will be held this week to take action in the matter.

A meeting of the executive boards of Districts 1, 7 and 9 will be held on Saturday at Hazleton, and if the Markle trouble is not adjusted by that time the matter will be further considered at that meeting.

Seriously Burned.

James McHugh, a son of Frank McHugh, Sr., of Eckley, was severely burned at his home last evening. In some manner the young man upset a lighted kerosene lamp, and the burning oil spread over his face, left arm, right hand and body, inflicting serious injuries.

This morning he was taken to the Miners' hospital for treatment, and a message from there this afternoon states that his condition is dangerous.

Philadelphia's Opinion.

Philadelphia Inquirer, Dec. 4, 1900.

The scenery and costumes used in "The Power Behind the Throne" are beautiful, especially the garden of music teacher Winter in the first act and the palace of the Duchess in the third act. Mildred Holland as Aria, the young girl, portrays that character in her true emotional style, and the encores were justly given. The audience went wild over her.

You will waste time if you try to cure indigestion or dyspepsia by starving yourself. That only makes it worse when you do eat heartily. You always need plenty of good food properly digested. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the result of years of scientific research for something that would digest not only some elements of food but every kind. And it is the one remedy that will do it. Grover's City drug store.

PLEASURE.

April 24.—Boxing carnival under the auspices of Sterling Athletic Club. Admission, 50c, 75c and \$1.

April 27.—Lecture by Rev. O. G. Langford, B. A., on "The Outlook for the Twentieth Century," at English Baptist church. Tickets, 25c.

April 30.—Ball of Local Union No. 1519, U. M. W. of A., at Yannes' opera house. Tickets, 50 cents.

May 4.—Benefit hop at Yannes' opera house. Tickets, 25 cents.

ROUND THE REGION.

A big fraud has been discovered in the Third mining district. Certificates entitling the holder to work in responsible positions in the mines have been sold to foreigners by unknown parties. The members of the examining board in the district are much stirred up about the matter. They will offer a reward for the arrest of the guilty parties. The penalty is \$500 fine and two years imprisonment.

The 75,000 union workmen in Scranton and vicinity are to have a magnificent labor temple. The Central Labor Union is back of the movement, but the plans have not matured yet. It is proposed that each union man contribute a dollar towards the project, which will cover all expenses.

"Last winter I was confined to my bed with a very bad cold on the lungs. Nothing gave me relief. Finally my wife bought a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure that effected a speedy cure. I cannot speak too highly of that excellent remedy."—Mr. T. K. Houseman, Manatawney, Pa. Grover's City drug store.

James Correll, aged 55 years, of Mahanoy City, who left his home a week ago, died last evening from the effects of a dose of laudanum. The man was found in an unconscious condition in a stable. Physicians were summoned, but Correll never regained consciousness.

At the Reliance colliery, Mt. Carmel, Saturday night Daniel Kramer fell down a manway and was instantly killed and Adam Paulshusky was burned to death by a spark falling into a keg full of powder, which exploded as he was bending over it.

"I had piles so bad I could get no rest nor find a cure until I tried DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. After using it once, I forgot I ever had anything like piles."—E. C. Boice, Somers Point, N. Y. Look out for imitations. Be sure you ask for DeWitt's. Grover's City drug store.

The strike at the Harry E. colliery, of the Temple Iron and Coal Company, ended by the strikers going back to work, after accepting some concessions from the company.

John Fetho, a section hand on the Ashley Planes, was run over by the twenty-ton truck Saturday afternoon and killed.

Sprung coughs are specially dangerous and unless cured at once, serious results often follow. One Minute Cough Cure acts like magic. It is not a common mixture but is a high grade remedy. Grover's City drug store.

To close application to his books has made a raving maniac out of nineteen-year-old August Ringler, of Scranton.

The body of William G. Samuels, a member of Company F, Twelfth United States infantry, who died over a year ago in Manila, was buried at Bloomsburg yesterday with military honors.

APHORISMS.

Sorrow's best antidote is employment.—Young.

All cruelty springs from hard heartedness and weakness.—Seneca.

Delicacy is to the mind what fragrance is to the fruit.—Poincelot.

Contentment is the only way to triumph over calamity.—Mme. de Maintenon.

The usual fortune of complaint is to excite contempt more than pity.—Johnson.

Consideration is the soil in which wisdom may be expected to grow and strength be given to every upspringing plant of duty.—Emerson.

All the while that thou livest ill thou hast the trouble, distraction and inconveniences of life, but not the sweet and true use of it.—Fuller.

Enjoy the blessings of the day if God sends them and the evils bear patiently and sweetly, for this day only is ours; we are dead to yesterday and not born tomorrow.—Jeremy Taylor.

For an International Shoot.

A. H. G. Gale, secretary of the Middlesex Gun club of London, has published a letter regarding an international pigeon shoot, in which he says:

"It appears that our friends on the other side are now anxious to try conclusions with the British, using the shotgun and first competing with clay birds. After this they will be willing to shoot a series of international matches against the British live bird trap shots for any amount of prizes suggested." After referring to the terms of the challenge Mr. Gale adds as a comment:

"The important question first to be determined is that of ways and means. The rules of the Middlesex club for clay bird shooting will not permit their taking the risk, even if they were financially strong enough to do so, but it struck me that it could soon be met by pooling \$5,000 or forming a syndicate of sportsmen who would take one or more \$50 shares. Mr. Irvine, the vice president of the Middlesex club, and myself can already place \$1,500. It, therefore, only requires 70 shares of \$50 each to be taken up."

BREVITIES.

Latest Happenings in and Around Freeland and the Surrounding Towns.

Suspecting that Pascel Scandalera intended removing to Chicago, County Detective Jones on Saturday caused him to be placed under \$500 bail for his appearance at the Capece trial. Scandalera is the manager of the barber shop in the building from which the shot is said to have been fired and is considered an important witness.

The scenery and mechanical effects in Porter J. White's "Faust" were very good at the Grand on Saturday evening. Owing to the inclement weather the audience was small, and the latter fact had a depressing effect upon the actors. The play lacked the snap and vigor which marked it heretofore.

Frank Gallagher, of Main street, and Mrs. Edward Brogan, of South Ridge street, are dangerously ill. Frank McKinley, of North Centre street; William F. Ward, of Washington street, and William O'Donnell, of Ridge street, are also very low.

The funeral of Frank Pancora, an Austrian resident of Drifton, took place yesterday afternoon and was attended by Local Union No. 1519, U. M. W. Services were conducted at the Italian Catholic church and the remains interred at St. Ann's cemetery.

Miss Maggie Smith, of North Washington street, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Gilbert Smith, left this morning for Philadelphia, where she will receive treatment at the Jefferson hospital.

Ice cold soda at Kelper's.

Jacob DeJohn and Henry Nagle, employees of Drifton shops, were hurt on Saturday by a large casting falling on them. Both were brought to their homes in town and will be unable to resume work for a few weeks.

John Callow, a Slovak, was buried yesterday at St. Ann's cemetery from his late residence, near Cox's field, west of town. The Freeland branch of the National Slavonian Society attended the funeral.

Thomas Cosgrove is removing today from Main street to the Third ward. Hugh O'Donnell and family, who recently returned from Bayonne, N. J., will occupy the vacated house.

People who are particular about their footwear and prefer a high-grade guaranteed shoe should inspect the Crawford. Sold at McMenamin's store.

One of the railroad "turnouts" at Upper Lehigh colliery is caving. On Saturday the depression was very marked, caused by the rains. Workmen are engaged filling up the cave.

Attorneys John T. Lenahan and Charles F. McHugh were in town on Saturday in connection with the Demerio murder, for which Nicholas Capece will be placed of trial next Monday.

The smoker to be held on Wednesday evening at the Grand opera house hall by Division 6, A. O. H., promises to be one of the most enjoyable affairs of the kind ever held in town.

William Lebar, of Jeddo, and Miss Maud Miller, of Silver Brook, were married on Saturday afternoon at Hazleton by Rev. R. B. Jack, of that city.

Skin troubles, cuts, burns, scalds and chafing quickly heal by the use of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is imitated. Be sure you get DeWitt's. Grover's City drug store.

John Cintash, a Slovak resident of Hazle Brook, died on Saturday from pneumonia at the age of 23 years. He will be buried at Hazleton.

Elmer Shaffer, of Drifton, left yesterday for Jefferson hospital, Philadelphia. He is suffering from appendicitis and will undergo an operation.

Miss Katie McHugh, of Jeddo, and Charles Holland, of Stockton, will be married at St. Ann's church on Wednesday.

Fifteen applicants from this vicinity went to the county seat this morning to apply for naturalization papers.

Active operations will begin at the new brewery tomorrow.

Mrs. C. A. Johnson and daughter, Miss Annie, of Allegheny City, are visiting relatives in town.

William Ferry, of Ridge street, returned on Saturday from a visit to Minersville.

James Goulden, of Upper Lehigh, attended the funeral of a relative at St. Clair on Saturday.

Charles Murrin will change his residence this week from Birkbeck to South street.

Patrick J. O'Donnell, of Elizabeth, N. J., spent yesterday in town visiting his brother, William, who is ill.

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