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GATHERING FOR THE PARADE

Preparations for Today's Big Demonstration.

An Army of Union Workingmen Will March Over the Principal Streets of Freeland This Morning.

Undaunted by the threatening weather, which greeted the thousands of Mine Workers and other organized workmen of lower Luzerne county as they arose this morning, the committee of the Central Labor Union is ready to carry out the program of the day.

As the Tribune is going to press the men who will take part in the big demonstration are gathering at their various meeting places, the local unions from the outside towns are on their way to Freeland, and every trolley car and train is bringing hundreds of visitors to town.

Unless an unusually heavy rain comes down before noon the parade will be the largest in point of numbers ever seen in Freeland. Since Friday nearly a dozen more unions of the United Mine Workers have decided to participate in the celebration here. The order and route of parade will be as announced in Friday's Tribune.

LABOR DAY AT WILKESBARRE.

The labor unions of the Wyoming valley are to hold the largest parade Wilkesbarre has ever seen on Labor Day. All business places are shut down, and all factories and mines are idle, while every labor organization in the valley will participate in the parade. It is expected there will be 20,000 men in line and 50,000 visitors in the city.

Mine Workers Adjourn.

The convention of the United Mine Workers concluded its deliberations on Friday. The delegates, many of whom went to Hazleton with the determination to take immediate steps towards compelling certain companies to respect the agreement of last fall, returned home perfectly satisfied with the decision reached by the committee on resolutions, and they will now patiently wait the result of Mr. Mitchell's efforts to bring about a satisfactory solution with the heads of the corporations.

The principal topic under discussion at Friday's sessions was the restriction of the output. There were also several other topics of no less importance, but definite action on most of them was left to the national president and the district officers. The relation of the firemen to the mine workers came in for a great deal of consideration. As a means of avoiding conflicts between the different organizations it was decided to take into the Mine Workers all men employed in and about the mines.

Resolutions denouncing the legislature for its alleged failure to enact into laws all the bills demanded by the mine workers were ruled out of order on the ground that the injection of politics was against the rules of the organization. The Board of Pardons was commended for its action in recommending the release of two of the strikers convicted of rioting at Onondia, and the board was petitioned to take favorable action on the cases of the ten other rioters who are still confined. The convention authorized the respective district executive boards to declare local strikes where last spring's agreements have been violated by the companies.

Preparations will be commenced at once by National President Mitchell and the three district presidents for bringing about a joint conference with the operators. They will collect all data relating to alleged breach of contracts and such other as may be necessary, and, armed with these, will seek an interview with each one of the presidents of the coal carrying roads in New York City.

Previous to adjournment President Mitchell made an address on the growth of the organization. Among the things he advocated was an eight-hour day. He also made brief references to many other matters of importance to the mine workers and their organization.

The convention authorized the executive officers to engage counsel to assist Attorney General Elkin in defending the constitutionality of the company store bill, which has been attacked by several corporations.

Witchcraft in Shamokin.

Jacob Shuck, of Shamokin, who was committed to jail recently on the charge of practicing witchcraft, was brought from prison on Saturday to answer charges preferred by Miss Lizzie Reyback. She alleges that Shuck called on her mother to treat her for sickness. It is alleged he ordered Miss Reyback to kill the black cat in the cellar, because he declared it had ninety-nine devils in it, and as long as it was about his spell over the sick would be futile. The cat was disposed of, but the patient grew no better.

The hoodoo doctor then made "devil" masks, as he called them, on the wall of the house to drive away the evil spirit, and borrowed a \$40 silver watch which belonged to Mrs. Reyback's deceased husband. It was not returned, and Mrs. Reyback died shortly afterwards. Shuck was remanded to jail in default of \$800 bail.

Edward O'Donnell Dead.

Edward O'Donnell, a resident of town for many years past, died at his home on Front street at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Death was due to injuries received at noon on Saturday by falling from the curbstone at the corner of Ridge and Main streets. In falling his head struck the curbing, inflicting a severe gash near the right temple. Chief of Police O'Donnell had him removed to his home, where he remained unconscious until death overtook him.

Mr. O'Donnell was a painter by trade, but for some time past had not followed his occupation. He was aged 53 years and is survived by a son in Jersey City and a daughter in Freeland.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment at Freeland cemetery.

Struck by Lightning.

At 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon an electrical storm passed over this section. The lightning flashes were exceedingly severe. A bolt struck the property of George Sweet, on the Hill, occupied by Moses Trantor and Harry Reinsmith. The building was badly damaged and both families had considerable furniture destroyed. On Front street a house owned by Mrs. William Johnson, and occupied by William Woodring and Mrs. Hodgins, was hit. At Jeddo a dwelling occupied by the Bodin family was struck.

Two Infants Dead.

Mary Showers, aged 9 months, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Showers, of North Centre street, died on Friday evening and was buried yesterday at St. Ann's cemetery.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. James Dougherty, of Highland, died on Saturday. The funeral will take place at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The Opening Attraction.

"Quo Vadis," as dramatized by Chas. W. Chase, won the applause of the continent last season, and it begins its second year with every indication of surpassing the tremendous success of 1900-1901. The company presenting this play is a competent one and every lover of the drama should attend the opera house this evening.

Neat, Clean and Attractive. From the Wooster, Ohio, Republican.

Today was Sun Bros.' show day in Wooster, and while the show had but little reputation in Wooster it drew a much larger crowd to the city than was expected. The spread of canvas is by long odds the cleanest, neatest and prettiest ever pitched on the fair ground. Everything about the outfit is new, and a prosperous air pervades everywhere. The parade at 1 o'clock was creditable, the band wagon and animal cage substantial looking and attractive, while the music by the band and the gaily caparisoned horses made a very good impression.

The performance given this afternoon was well attended, and as a whole was quite satisfactory, and well worthy of patronage. The menagerie, while small, is attractive and clean.

ROUND THE REGION.

Arthur Thomas and his wife, of Leo, near Wilkesbarre, both attempted suicide on Saturday. It is said they parted in anger that morning. After the husband went to work the wife took a large dose of laudanum and was found unconscious. When her husband heard it he tried to cut his throat. He was prevented and guarded by friends. The wife was saved after several hours' hard work by physicians.

Overtures have been made to Jermyn & Co., the Mount Jessup Coal Company and the Moosic Mountain Coal Company for the purchase of their coal properties. It is the general impression that the Erie Railroad Company is the corporation that is seeking to purchase the properties. By its recent purchases the Erie has become one of the largest coal producing companies in the upper anthracite coal region.

Elaborate preparations are being made for the celebration of Carbonade's semi-centennial, the first four days of this week. At midnight on Saturday all the church bells in the city rang and during yesterday special services were held in the churches. At 10 a. m. today occurs the trades display, in which 300 merchants will take part. Many other features are scheduled for the other days of the celebration.

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The Sunday Dispatch Publishing Company, organized by W. B. McGuire, formerly of the Times, which is to publish a new Sunday newspaper in Wilkesbarre, has purchased the Wilkesbarre Sunday News and on September 8 will publish the first issue. The new paper will be called the Sunday News-Dispatch. The Daily News will not publish a Sunday paper in the future.

James McCormick, aged 16 years, a door boy, met with a terrible death at Kohnoor colliery, Shenandoah. The cage on which he was being hoisted had just reached the surface, and when he was about to step off he slipped, falling backward down the shaft, a distance of 470 feet.

After a siege of seven months, during which the Sterling silk mill at Pittston has been idle on the account of a strike, matters were adjusted yesterday and operations will be resumed next Tuesday. An agreement has been reached between the representatives of the company and a committee of strikers.

Mrs. S. H. Allport, Johnstown, Pa., says: "Our little girl almost strangled to death with croup. The doctors said she couldn't live but was instantly relieved by One Minute Cough Cure. Grover's City Drug Store.

Andrew Breslin, of Lansford, who erected the Freeland brewery buildings, has been awarded the contract for the new school house at Weatherly. He was the lowest bidder, at \$54,000. Charles M. Schwab, the Steel Trust president, will pay the bill, and will also furnish the school rooms.

Mrs. William Smiley, of Plymouth, died of smallpox after a week's illness. This is the first case since the recent epidemic. Her husband and two children are quarantined.

A company of Scranton capitalists has secured a charter in Delaware for a beet sugar company with a capital of \$600,000. The company will operate in Canada.

The saloonkeepers of Wilkesbarre have organized to fight the speak-easies, and have started by securing the premises of the breweries to sell to no person who has not a license.

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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 funeral of the late Thomas Pettit took place yesterday afternoon. Many friends and relatives of the deceased assembled at the home on Walnut street to pay their last respects to the deceased. Services were conducted at the Park M. E. church by Rev. Schwartz and the remains were interred at Freeland cemetery.

Mrs. Robert Mellon, of Elizabeth, N. J., who has been seeking improved health at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Quigley, in Allegheny City, is dangerously ill and her recovery is doubtful.

William McIntyre, a young man of Coalade, died on Friday from injuries received in the mines. He was a grandson of Mrs. John Campbell, South Ridge street, and several Freeland and Eckley relatives attended the funeral yesterday.

Squire Buckley, Attorney McCarthy and Miss McTighe arrived in New York from their tour of Great Britain yesterday afternoon and reached Freeland late last night. All three are in excellent health.

Don't fail to pay a visit to the Public park this afternoon and evening. The picnic and games of the Central Labor Union will furnish pleasure and amusement for the most fastidious.

The following citizens of this vicinity will serve as jurors this week: William Kloese, Foster; M. J. Reed, Jeddo; Andrew Brannigan and Joseph Harry, Hazle. They will report at Wilkesbarre tomorrow.

John Zona, a former resident of town, will be placed on trial at Wilkesbarre on Thursday of next week to answer a charge of forgery, preferred against him by Francis Toth, of Hazleton.

At the Tigers park this afternoon the local club and McAdoo team will play ball. The game will be a good one, as both sides have selected strong nines.

Frank Solomon, of Pond Creek, one of Foster township's school teachers, has returned from an extended visit to Cuba.

James Paul and family, of Cox addition, have removed to Easton, where Mr. Paul, who is one of the shop strike victims, has secured employment.

Daniel Kline, Esq., will open a law office at White Haven next week.

The schools of Foster township will open tomorrow.

The Drifton-McAdoo ball game was postponed yesterday on account of wet grounds.

Miss Mary A. Harvey, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her brother, Charles Harvey, at Eckley.

St. Ann's parochial school will open tomorrow.

Mrs. T. Campbell and son, James, are at Atlantic City.

John Lynott, of Scranton, is the guest of Freeland relatives.

Mrs. Charles Seesholtz and children are visiting Nanticoke relatives.

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