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RICH WOMAN DIES A PAUPER

Fortune Sought the Owner, But Came Too Late.

While a Wilkesbarre Woman Languished in Alms-house, \$40,000 Awaited Her in New York City.

For seven years, while Mrs. Mary Minch, once a resident of Wilkesbarre, lay dying in the poorhouse, a fortune of \$40,000 was searching for her. Now she is dead, without ever knowing what she missed.

The fortune was left by Rudolph Back, a bookbinder, of Brooklyn, who died there November 27, 1893, without leaving a will. The banking house of Larenberg, Thalman & Co., of New York, was made administrator, and ever since has had agents looking for Mrs. Minch, who was known to be the next of kin. It was not until last night that she was found, or, rather, that it was discovered she had died at the poorhouse at Retreat last fall. She was known by the name of Mrs. Matthias.

Mrs. Minch in her youth was one of the belles of Wilkesbarre. She married Dr. Minch, who died thirty yeays ago, leaving nothing but debts. Reared in luxury, she suddenly found herself a pauper.

Then she led a precarious existence until, at the age of 79, she was sent to the poorhouse. This was in 1893, the very year that the fortune of which she never knew became hers. She lived until last fall, dying at the age of 86.

Meanwhile the banking firm had searched far and near for her, and it was only a short time ago that they got the clue which led to the inquiries made of Poor Director Tisch last night.

Called Off the Parade.

The board of government of the C. T. A. U. of Scranton diocese met Friday evening at Wilkesbarre to discuss the matter of holding the annual tenth of October parade. After hearing the final reports of the several railroads as to the rates, which were very unsatisfactory, it was decided to call the parade at Hazleton off.

After discussing the matter thoroughly, it was decided under the conditions to hold the parade in Wilkesbarre. The board also suggested that the proceeds of the picnic to be held on the occasion be given to the Mercy hospital.

As a result of the above conditions there will be no parade of any kind at Hazleton, nor will the societies of this district take part in the Wilkesbarre demonstration.

The Young Men's Corps, of town, will celebrate the date by holding a ball the previous evening at Krell's opera house.

Union Party at Work.

A meeting was held Saturday evening at Hazleton by adherents of the Union party, the new political organization which met last week in Philadelphia and nominated Judge Yorke for supreme court judge and Hon. E. A. Coray for state treasurer. The meeting was attended by several men who heretofore have been prominent in Fourth district politics.

A permanent organization was formed by electing W. F. Adams as chairman, H. E. Sweeney secretary, Jonathan Leibsonberger assistant secretary and E. L. Bullock treasurer.

The following committee of five was

PLEASURE.

October 9.—Ball of Young Men's C. T. A. B. Corps at Krell's opera house. Admission, 50 cents.

October 16.—Ball of St. Kasimer's Polish congregation at Krell's opera house. Admission, 25 cents.

October 28.—Ball of Local Union No. 1499, U. M. W. of A., at Krell's opera house. Admission, 25 cents.

Pan-American Exposition. Low fares via the Lehigh Valley Railroad to the Pan-American Exposition. Five-day tickets, good only in day coaches, will be sold on Tuesdays and Saturdays, May 1 to October 31, from Freeland at the rate of \$7 for the round trip.

Ten-day tickets will be sold from Freeland every day, May 1 to October 31, good on any train, except the Black Diamond express, at the rate of \$10 for the round trip.

MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS. FOR SALE.—Single six-room dwelling house on West Walnut street, property of Thos. E. Davies. Estate: lot is 70x150 feet, contains large stable, shanty, outbuildings, fine well, etc. Apply for terms to W. E. Davies, 625 Ridge street, Coxe addition, Freeland.

FOR RENT.—A good stable and wagon shed on Washington street, between Main and Front. For terms, etc., apply at once to Thos. A. Buckley, J. P.

named to take charge of the campaign in this district: George T. Brown, E. L. Bullock, H. E. Sweeney, Willard Young and Noah Moyer.

It is claimed that the Union party will poll a large vote in the Fourth district, and predictions are made that the new organization will carry two of the Republican wards in Freeland next November.

Death of James B. O'Donnell.

At 2 o'clock on Saturday afternoon death ended the sufferings of James B. O'Donnell, a popular young man of town who had been ill with stomach trouble for some time past. Though he had been ailing for several weeks, the disease did not assume a serious aspect until recently, and it was not until the 19th inst. that he was compelled to take to his bed.

From that date, however, he sank rapidly, and notwithstanding the fact that all that medical science could do was done for him his condition steadily grew hopeless and death finally claimed him as he was about to enter the fullness of manhood.

The deceased was a native of Freeland and was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh O'Donnell. He was aged 20 years, 11 months and 13 days. Besides his parents he is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Charles, Hugh, John, Maggie, Ellie and Grace.

The funeral will take place from the family residence on Walnut street at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning, and will be followed by a requiem mass at St. Ann's church. The interment will be made at St. Ann's cemetery.

Ball Players Return Home.

Bernard McFadden and Matt Broderick, both of whom covered themselves with glory on the ball field this season arrived home on Friday evening. The former began the season with Cincinnati National league team, but on account of having an overabundance of twirlers the management leased Barney to the St. Joseph, Mo., club of the Western league, with whom he played all summer and came out with a record which places him in the front rank of noted pitchers.

Broderick was one of the most prominent members of the great Atlantic City club, and the famed seaside resort never made a greater hero of any player than it did of Matt. His record as a shortstop is a phenomenal one. Both young men were royally welcomed home by their Freeland friends.

Exciting Alley Game.

The last half of the alley ball game between Gallagher brothers, of town, and Hanley and Girard, of Milnesville, took place at Gallagher's court, South Ridge street, yesterday afternoon, and was won by the former by a score of 81 to 77. The score at the end of the first half was 20 to 41 in favor of the Milnesville players. By winning yesterday's game the Freeland players have again shown their superiority over their opponents. This is the second time they defeated the Milnesville champions.

The game was attended by a large number of people who take an interest in the sport and the crowd cheered lustily when Freeland boys captured the most exciting alley game ever played in town.

Dangerous Target Practice.

A party of sportsmen from Freeland and Upper Lehigh spent yesterday at the Honey Hole. During the day they tested their ability as marksmen by shooting at a number of pigeons they had brought along. The spot selected was near the home of Samuel Cumter, and several shots entered his kitchen. His wife was struck on the arm several times and received numerous skin abrasions.

The Butler farmers are indignant and promise a warm reception to the next party of reckless shooters who locate at the Honey Hole.

Democratic Ox-Roast.

The Democratic county committee has completed arrangements for an ox roast to be held at Conyngham on Saturday, October 12. The Democratic agriculturists from the entire valley will be invited to turn out with keen appetites to partake of the Conyngham steer now being fattened for the feed. Hon. W. S. McLean, of Wilkesbarre, will address the gathering.

Sporting Notes.

Tonight Hugh Ward, of Plymouth, and Frank McGee, of Philadelphia, will meet in the Broadway Hall, Nanticoke, in a twenty-round go for \$200 a side.

Before 500 sports Charles Mulhall, of Summit Hill, got the decision over Walter Bergo, of Boston, in a twenty-round boxing contest at Tamaqua Saturday night.

Foot Race on Saturday.

A foot race will be run on Saturday at the Tigers park between Joseph Cull, of Ebersvale, and Thomas Howey, of Hazleton, for \$100 a side. Admission, 15c.

ROUND THE REGION.

The shareholders of the Pennsylvania Telephone Company, at the meeting in Harrisburg, arranged to issue \$1,144,400 worth of stock to take over the Central Pennsylvania Telephone and Supply Company, with offices at Williamsport. The transfer will be made October 1 and the business of the company, covering thirty-seven counties, will be directed from Harrisburg.

Charles Kipp, the Lehighland landlord against whom a petition is in circulation to have his license revoked because he is alleged to have made anarchistic expressions, appeared before a justice of the peace and made an affidavit in which he denies having made the expression credited to him.

Two men were instantly killed by being hurled down the ill-fated Twin shaft, in Pittston, last night. They were Captain John Wallace, engineer, of West Pittston and John Conley, of Pittston, fireman. Their mutilated bodies were found at the foot of the shaft.

Victor Schmalz, of Plainsville, was fined \$4.50 by Alderman Donohue. He was charged with repeating what he had heard about a young lady, and admitted it, but said it was all in fun. Donohue said he would put a stop to that kind of fun.

A new brewery is to be erected in Carbondale in the near future to compete with the Central Pennsylvania Brewing combine. Joseph Krautz, of Findlay, Ohio, is at the head of the movement.

Sam W. Boyd, who was editor of the Wilkesbarre Newsdealer when that paper was a factor in Luzerne county journalism, has assumed the editorship of the Wilkesbarre Telephone. He promises that when he gets fairly started there will be "something doing."

Ice cream soda at Keiper's.

It is said that the Pennsylvania Coal Company has issued orders to superintendents that all bosses and employees who refused to take the places of the firemen who struck recently be discharged at once.

At 5.30 o'clock this morning the employees of the Scranton Traction Company declared a strike, to take effect tomorrow morning at 5 o'clock, unless their grievances are adjusted before that time.

Bernard A. Dally, a well-known base ball and foot ball player, and for the last three years librarian for the Carnegie library at Homestead, died at the home of his parents in Mauch Chunk of typhoid fever.

Fire destroyed the large marble works of Judge J. W. Kuerbe, at Berwick, together with the judge's residence, adjoining the works. The loss is \$10,000, and the blaze is thought to have been the work of incendiaries.

Mrs. Dora W. Salsburg, a well known Wilkesbarre woman, died yesterday. She is survived by a large number of sons and daughters, including Louis K. Salsburg, deputy internal revenue collector of this district.

The American Car and Foundry Company, at Berwick, has given the puddlers an advance of 25 per cent in their wages and helpers and laborers in the rolling mill an advance in proportion.

THEATRICAL.

William Gill has dramatized Charles Clark Mun's popular novel, "Uncle Terry," a story of the Maine coast folks. The title role will be played by James R. Waite, one of the best delineators of the "Down East" character on the stage. "Uncle Terry" is a lighthousekeeper at Southport, Maine, a plain, homely man whose whole life interest is bound up and devoted to a little girl walf he picked up on the rock-bound coast. The characters in the book are all true to nature and alive today. The production and tour will be under the direction of H. D. Graham, and the play will be produced at the Grand opera house next week.

† † † The largest audience of the season saw "Pennsylvania" played on Saturday evening. The piece still contains many parts of "Underground," the title under which Dan Hart launched it several years ago. In its new form the drama is stronger and more attractive than before. Its realistic scenery and thrilling scenes should make it good for several seasons. The audience here was pleased with the production.

† † † In response to repeated requests from several patrons, Manager McMenamin has booked "Tennessee's Partner," and it will be seen here next month.

† † † The thrilling situations which abound in "The King of the Optum Ring" make the play popular wherever it appears. It comes to the Grand Friday evening.

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 Mrs. Thos. S. Beagle took place at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the family residence on Walnut street. Services were conducted by Rev. Langford, of the English Baptist church, and the remains were followed to Freeland cemetery by a large number of friends, including many people from Philadelphia, her former home.

Peter Stolz and Miss Francis Carter were united in marriage at 3 o'clock this afternoon by Rev. J. B. Kerschner. The ceremony was performed at St. John's Reformed parsonage. Nicholas Keller was groomsmen and Miss Annie Carter was bridesmaid.

While descending the steps of the cellar at her home one evening last week, Mrs. P. F. McNulty missed her footing and fell to the bottom. She sustained severe injuries, including a broken bone near the ankle of her left foot.

Mrs. George Wilmot, Sr., and daughter, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. George Wilmot, Jr., all of Upper Lehigh, left this morning to visit the Pan-American Exposition.

At a meeting of the Board of Health Friday evening, Health Officer Ward reported several nuisances existing in the borough, also one case of contagious disease.

The members of the Citizens' Hoax Company have everything in readiness to go to Philadelphia on Thursday, to take part in the parade of the state association of firemen.

Soda water—all flavors—at Keiper's.

John B. Houston and G. Mord Neuberger left today to resume their studies at Jefferson Medical college, Philadelphia.

District Deputy John W. Scott, of Hazleton, will install the newly-elected officers of Mt. Horeb Lodge, I. O. O. F., of town, on Thursday evening.

Sandy Run colliers will resume operations tomorrow.

Miss Maggie O'Neil is visiting Philadelphia friends.

Rev. Bernard J. O'Donnell, who came here to attend the funeral of his brother last week, left today for Lawrence, Mass.

Miss Mattie Lewis has entered the Conservatory of Music, Philadelphia, where she will pursue a course of study during the coming fall and winter.

Free lunch every Saturday at Bornhard Dinn's restaurant, Walnut street. A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. James Boner, Washington street, and a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dunmoyer, Front street.

Dr. W. W. Pealer removed his household goods today from Freeland to White Haven.

Miss Cassie McGarvey, who spent the summer here, returned on Saturday to Philadelphia.

Mrs. George C. Schaub and children are visiting the former's parents at Reading.

The family of the late Joseph Jaquot, of Jeddo, will remove to town tomorrow.

Workmen are preparing to repaint and fresco the walls and ceiling of St. Ann's church.

A pension of \$8 has been granted to Emma Kashner (widow), of White Haven.

Misses Mame McGowan, of Freeland, and Ella McTague, of Drifton, left this morning for Philadelphia.

The finest ice cream in town, all flavors, wholesale and retail, at Merkt's. Alexander Craig, charged with embezzling \$3,000 from Wilkesbarre Lace Weavers' Union, was not in court when his case was called and his bail was forfeited. Officers are searching for him.

Governor Stone has fixed November 12 as the date for the execution of John Lutz, who was convicted of murdering his wife at Pittston.

Several of the local coal companies refuse to employ men unless they present a pledge signed by a justice of the peace in which they agree to abstain from the use of liquor for one year.

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