

THE PLANS RECEIVED.

Work on the Miners' Cottage Hospitals Will be Begun This Summer.

EVERYBODY TO BE TREATED FREE.

The Coal Men Are Pleased With the Progress of the Work.

A DESCRIPTION OF THE BUILDINGS.

The plans and specifications of the four cottage hospitals to be erected for the care and maintenance of coal miners in the bituminous and semi-bituminous Pennsylvania regions by the State, were received in this city yesterday by Commissioner S. H. French...

Proposals will be received from Pittsburg contractors for the work, and the commission will meet June 12 in Philadelphia, to award the contract. The plans show that the hospitals will be 144 feet long and will be built of brick, stone and wood. They will be but one story in height, with the exception of the center, where there will be an upper story, 36 feet long...

PRETTY AND CONVENIENT.

A high, low and wide porch will encircle the whole building. At the entrance to the building will be the office and operating room, with a long corridor between them. Upon each side of the corridor will be the sick wards. On the sides of the wards will be windows looking out upon the grounds. As many windows as possible will be put in, thus affording sufficient ventilation. A large dining room will also be in the rear of the building. The hospitals will cost about \$15,000 each, exclusive of the furniture.

MERCER OR CONSELLVILLE.

The hospitals are not strictly intended for the use of men injured in the mines, but any other accidental cases will be taken in and treated at the expense of the State. Each hospital will be made up of the local doctors in the different localities. Many have already volunteered to attend their services gratis. Each hospital will have a separate chapel attached to it, where dead bodies may be placed, to await disposition by friends.

MAJOR HARPER BURIED.

Stupid but impressive Services Held at His Funeral. The funeral of the late Major Samuel C. Harper took place yesterday. At 10 o'clock the pastor of the Grace P. E. Church, Mr. Washington, conducted a short service at the home, on Grandview avenue, funeral cortege started for St. Anne's Church on Ninth street. Arriving at 3 o'clock the tier was carried to the church where the simple burial services of the Protestant Episcopal faith were held. The pallbearers were Judge Collier, Charles C. Baer, James B. Youngman, Mr. Buchanan, James Kerr, Jr., Prof. E. M. Carg, George E. Oliver and Stephen McCandless. After the services at the church the funeral procession proceeded to the cemetery. There the remains were interred. Special services were conducted at the grave by the "Blue Lodge" of the Masonic order.

A BURGALAR CHOKED.

By an Indignant Woman, Who Caught Him in Her Allegheny Home. Lily Warner, of Cedar avenue, Allegheny, yesterday reported that upon returning to her home, after shopping yesterday morning, she found her house occupied by an intruder, who had locked the door so that she could not unlock it with her key from the outside. The burglar had entered evidently by a window. By threats Miss Warner gained admittance, and, as she says, found inside a well-known Allegheny burglar, who had stolen one of her trunks of clothing and jewelry amounting to \$300 in value.

NOT ENOUGH TICKETS.

Allegheny County Wants More Ballots for the 18th of June. In the County Commission's election it was reported yesterday that the election tickets were ready to be sent out; that is, the number they had on hand. The commissioners received 160,000 tickets from Harrisburg, but this was not near enough, and they had to write for 100,000 more. The Harrisburg authorities estimated the voting population of Allegheny county to be 80,000, whereas the register shows it to be 108,000. The calculation on the number of tickets is made on the basis of 1 1/2 tickets for each voter under the Constitutional amendment and suffrage amendment. It is expected that the tickets will be distributed next week.

A Meeting of Superintendents.

There will be a meeting of Sunday school superintendents of all denominations in Pittsburgh and Allegheny in the lecture room of the Second Presbyterian Church, corner Penn avenue and Seventh street, Monday evening at 8 o'clock, to discuss interdenominational organization of superintendents. Those who are arranging the affair are Messrs. Wm. E. Maxon, of Baptist Church; S. Hamilton, of Methodist Episcopal Church; Nathan Jones, of Methodist Church; Charles H. Hays, of St. Paul's Episcopal Church; Edwin S. Gray, of Presbyterian Church.

Over One Thousand Dollars.

Some children, playing in front of the residence of Mrs. Nellie Wilson, on Bedford avenue near Elm street, yesterday, found a pocket handkerchief containing \$1,012 under an old pair of steps. They do not know the value of it and began tossing it around until they lost \$130. The money had been placed there for safe keeping by Mrs. Wilson.

OPINIONS ON PROHIBITION.

How the Leading Pastors of Reading Regard the Amendment.

From the Public Ledger of Philadelphia. READING, Pa., May 16.—About a dozen of the city fathers remain away from the meeting of Reading ministers called to take action with reference to the organization of a Ministerial Prohibition Association. These absentees were seen to-day and asked their reasons for remaining away, and it appears that they are opposed to prohibition. Their views are eagerly discussed.

Rev. Dr. William P. Orrick, Rector of Christ Cathedral, said: "Prohibition has not proved successful where it has been tried, and therefore I am willing to try the high license measure."

Rev. B. D. Zwingli, who is probably the most widely known clergyman in Eastern Pennsylvania, being pastor of six country congregations, said: "Personally I am conscientiously opposed to the prohibition amendment and do not hesitate to state so. I do not think that the Scriptures warrant any such thing as prohibition and regard such a thing as extreme."

Rev. J. B. Dalrymple, rector of St. Barnabas' Episcopal Church, said: "All experience shows that laws in advance of public opinion are unenforceable, and I should fear, in the case of prohibition in Pennsylvania, a result similar to that in Rhode Island."

Rev. W. H. Myers, of Grace Lutheran Church, said: "I am as much opposed to prohibition as I am opposed to drunkenness. I prefer a law that can be enforced, and not an extreme law that will become a dead statute. The law, as it is being proposed, is a law of the future, and I should fear, in the case of prohibition in Pennsylvania, a result similar to that in Rhode Island."

The voters of Massachusetts drove the prohibition amendment deeper into the ground than the Bunker Hill Monument stands above it. The cities were almost all against prohibition, and it is noticeable that some of them which, under the present local option system, grant no licenses were not the least hostile to the amendment. In view of the experience which Massachusetts has had with prohibition, the prohibition amendment in this State would be almost certain to fail.

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LOOKING FOR LEAKS.

Around the Grass-Grown Base of Herron Hill's Lofty Reservoir.

THEY EXIST BUT ARE NOT SERIOUS.

The Volume of Water Put Out by the Abandoned Coal Mines.

A SCRAP OF HISTORY ABOUT THOSE PITS.

Looking for a leak is familiar employment with a reporter. Yesterday afternoon, however, a DISPATCH representative received an assignment to such work in its literal meaning. It was to go hunting for those alleged leaks in the Herron Hill reservoir. Incidentally he was also instructed to explore the abandoned coal mines in Minersville. The reservoir leaks and the subterranean lakes of those mines have been publicly blamed during the past week for producing the big volume of water that is constantly swelling the great pond at Center avenue and Soho street.

A tramp around the Herron Hill reservoir and careful inspection of the ground developed beyond any doubt whatever the fact that it is leaking, and Mr. John W. McGimpsey, the watchman, who has only been of duty one day in seven years, states that it has leaked ever since he went on watch.

EASY REMEDY SUGGESTED.

Between the reservoir and Herron avenue a family named Rice lives. A boy belonging to the family stated that the spring in their lot was yielding more water than when they moved there April 1, but he didn't know the reason.

A lady stated that she noticed that the flowing water on Madison street was greater than usual, and she supposed it came from the reservoir. It was also stated that a stable of a man named Harrison, near the embankment on the north side, was loosed from its mooring by the water, causing the cart's epidemic to slip some years ago.

THE LEAKS ARE SMALL.

Messrs. Arthur and Williams made a study of the matter and came to the conclusion that the removal of the lining and re-puddling would be entirely unnecessary except to make a job for some hungry contractor.

AROUND MANAGERIAL HILL THE LEAKS ARE NOT DEEMED IMPORTANT.

Superintendent Brown, of the Water Department, said it was a mistake to believe that so much water came from the alleged leakage. He said it bubbled up from springs on some streets near the reservoir, and that the old coal mines furnished most of the water which comes from the upper end of Minersville.

THE OLD COAL MINES.

Many people believe the water that has been giving trouble comes from the abandoned coal pits, and a good bit of it does. By the way, there is some interesting ancient history connected with these coal pits, with only old residents are familiar.

BETTER BARGAINS MADE.

The Herrons did rather better on their coal possession than did Mr. Arthur, but their mines were not exhausted more than 25 years ago, and they got a part of the profit of coal mining themselves.

THEY WERE NOT WHOLLY ABANDONED TWO YEARS AGO.

Mr. George I. Whitney, who is interested in that locality some years ago, got coal for his own use out of his own property until the recent of natural gas made him tip his nose at "one of the essential elements of modern civilization."

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CHANGE IN MAKE-UP.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

ADVERTISEMENTS

That heretofore appeared on this page of THE DISPATCH will be found on the Eleventh Page, in the Second Part of this issue.

THE WANTS, For Sales, To Lets, Business Chances, Auction Sales, etc., are placed under their usual headings on the Eleventh Page.

RESORTS.

HOTEL NORMANDIE, ATLANTIC CITY, N. J. — NOW OPEN. — Under new management. Late of Colnated Hotel, Phila. T. C. GILLETTE, Prop'.

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