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**CITY NOTES.**  
John M. Ward, of New York city, is visiting his uncle, Judge Ward.  
Dr. J. G. Gaffney, yesterday sold the stock of notions of Anna J. Thomas, of Carbondale, for \$34.54.  
The gentlemen's driving club will hold its first meet at the Driving park Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.  
The Scranton Glass company's factory at Green Ridge shut down last Saturday for the annual summer vacation.  
The Scranton Callonian club entertained a number of the delegates to the recent convention at Fairview yesterday.  
The employees of the Elty Creek and Clinton collieries of the Delaware and Hudson Canal company were paid yesterday afternoon.  
The Penn Avenue Baptist church and Sunday school go to Lake Ariel, Saturday, July 7. Tickets 50 cents; children 30 cents. Train leaves at 8:30.  
The Oxford, Dodge and Bellevue collieries were paid yesterday. The employees of the Hampton and Sloan collieries and of the machine shops will be paid today.  
The will of George D. Couch, late of Carbondale, was admitted to probate yesterday by Register of Wills Koehler, and letters testamentary granted to Lydia J. Couch.  
Rev. G. L. Maise, pastor of Zion Evangelical church on Copouse avenue, will deliver a sermon next Sunday evening. The choir will prepare for the same on Friday evening.  
A party of local coal men will leave this city this morning for Richmond to inspect the new coal works at that place. They will leave this city on a special car attached to the 10:55 a. m. train over the New York, Ontario and Western railroad.  
Richard Pritchard, an old man who resides on Linden street, suffered a sun stroke Wednesday morning while walking about town. He was removed to his home here by Dr. B. H. Hand attended him. Yesterday Mr. Pritchard had almost entirely recovered.  
George Davis, aged 24, of Moosic, and Mary James, aged 18, of the West Side, took out a marriage license yesterday. They called upon Alderman Fitzsimmons and requested his honor to make them one. The alderman raised his hand over them and pronounced the words of the ceremony. They departed with happy smiles.  
The first party from the Young Men's Christian association took possession of the cottage at "Point O Woods," Great South Beach, yesterday. A second party will go down on Saturday. From the inquiries and applications for rooms it would seem that the association had struck a popular feature when it secured the pleasant cottage.  
There was only one new patient received at the Lackawanna hospital yesterday, and that was the man, Fadden, of whom mention was made in Monday's issue of THE TRIBUNE as having been found playing in the Lackawanna river at Love road. The officials at the hospital say that he is demoralized without a doubt, but that it is only temporary.  
A piano recital will be given at 108 Tenth street, Hyde Park, this evening by the pupils of Miss Anna R. Williams, and Mrs. Charles Metzgar, violinist. The program will be rendered by the following pupils: Misses Bertha Carson, Jessie Wert, May Pinnell, Sadie Colett, Jessie Bevan, Effie Fellows, Anna Merriman, Jessie Phillips, Grace Hinman, Nettie and Beattie Meers, Nellie Williams, Mary Phillips, May Edwards, Nellie Donnelly, Lavinia Phillips, Lois Fellows, Lizzie Hensler, Nellie Fellows, Harriet Ward, Grace Chamberlain, Mabel Christ and Master Robert Carson.  
Open All Night at Lehman's Spruce street.

**NO MORE TROLLEYS**  
Scranton Rapid Transit Company Wanted to Build Two New Lines.  
**COUNCIL REFUSES FRANCHISES**

The Mayor's Recommendation Not to Allow an Exonerator is Upheld by Only Three Members—Franchises Asked for Two New Trolley Lines in the North End—Linden Street Bridge Ordinance Again Delayed.  
The Scranton Rapid Transit company received its second knock out at last night's council meeting when the railway committee again reported adversely on the ordinance providing for the granting of two franchises to the Rapid Transit company.  
The routes, one from Peterburg into the city and the South Side route, both of which were held by the Scranton Traction company until annulled recently by the mayor. The first adverse report was made last month but Mr. Connell, of the Twelfth ward, at the last meeting succeeded in having the matter again referred to committee.  
After the majority's adverse report was submitted last night, a minority report was presented by M. E. Clark, of the Sixth ward. The report alleged that the Scranton Traction company furnished the public with poor service, charged two fares within the city limits in violation of the law and failed to keep the pavement within the track in proper repair. The minority report further stated that the granting of franchises to a new company would injure the business of the old company and the satisfaction of the people and that the franchises asked by the Scranton Rapid Transit company were in accordance with the wishes of the public. Other reasons were cited why the ordinance should pass.  
**TRACTION COMPANY SCORED.**  
After a motion to adopt the adverse report Mr. Connell moved to substitute the minority report. He said the Scranton Traction company had produced valuable franchises free of cost and had only given a poor service in return.  
The motion to adopt the minority report was lost by the following vote:  
Ayes—Thomas, Clark, Rocha, Wagner, Burns and Connell.  
Nays—Ross, Finn, Kelley, Williams, Schwick, Manley, McCann, Fellows, Kallow, Westphal and Lauer.  
Members Wagner, Connell and Thomas afterwards changed their votes to "nay," and the majority report was adopted.  
The license committee reported favorably on the pole tax ordinance, which was received without opposition and ordered printed. It provides that each pole supporting electric wires shall be taxed 50 cents, and that all shall be painted a uniform color. The ordinance is similar to the Browning measure, which was defeated last spring.  
A communication was received from Mayor Connell which stated that he did not recommend the application of Mrs. Katherine Ruane, of the Twelfth ward, for tax exoneration. Mr. Rocha said he could not agree with the mayor, but advocated the exoneration, which was for a small sum. He said corporations had been exempt from taxation and he thought councils should do by an individual as they had by rich companies.  
**LAUER UPHELD THE MAYOR.**  
Mr. Lauer upheld the mayor's recommendation, and said the clause in the communication that the exoneration would be illegal was true and the recommendation should be concurred in.  
President Cullenhead, Mr. Thomas and Mr. Lauer, only voted in accordance with the mayor's communication. Bids for constructing the sewer systems in Carbon, Jordan, Mineral and Sixty streets were referred to committee. The routes proposed are from Main avenue in Providence along Market street to Dickson avenue; also, a line beginning at the intersection of Penn avenue and Delaware street to Sunset avenue, to North Washington avenue, to Olyphant road, to city line; also, on Columbia avenue from Washington avenue to the boulevard.  
**A SOUTH SIDE SEWER.**  
An ordinance creating sewer district No. 17, in the Eleventh, Twelfth and Nineteenth wards, passed first and second readings. The ordinance providing for the purchase of fire department horses in addition to the number provided for in the recent appropriations created a discussion which resulted in laying the measure over until the next meeting. The funds with which the additional horses are proposed to be purchased are the amounts in excess of the actual cost of the first batch of animals purchased.  
The Linden street bridge ordinance, which was taken from committee at the previous meeting, came up for first reading, but was laid over for one week.  
An ordinance providing for better regulations in keeping sidewalks clear of snow and refuse and making owners responsible passed third and final reading. An adjournment was made until next Thursday evening.

**PROSPECT OF A BEEF FAMINE.**

The Supply of the Western Dressed Article is Running Very Low in This City.  
Three cars of meat were shipped Saturday and Sunday from Kansas City, Omaha and St. Louis for Scranton wholesale dealers, but unless the strike is settled and the cars reach here by Monday Scrantonians will find considerable difficulty in supplying their tables with fresh beef.  
From all the facts obtainable it is a reasonable conclusion to predict that next week the succulent prime rib roast will be conspicuous by its absence and that the old-fashioned epicure will start to die of either cat-gut spring chicken, old cow or crow.  
The fifty dressed cattle which were in the cold storages early this week are now in the refrigerators of the various retailers, and this supply, together with the few beaves secured from the near country districts, is all that has prevented a complete beef famine. This stock will be exhausted before Monday, after which the only available supply will be the cows, unfattened steers and young bulls of the farmers, none of which will cut up into very savory morsels.  
The larger retailers do not raise their prices, but the smaller dealers have added from 2 1/2 to 3 cents per pound. It is probable that next week the big shops will ask the same advance, or else be compelled to offer customers a tough and unwholesome quality of beef.  
Several retailers who were out into the country yesterday found that the farmers are aware of the scarcity of the western supply and want a high price for their good stock. At this season of the year prime native beef is scarce.  
Private advices from the west to the cold storages contained the information that there was no prospect of shipping any stock this week. The wholesalers were further advised to hold any stock for high prices. The instructions came too late, as all the western beef in the city had been sold and none has arrived since Sunday.  
It cannot be denied that the strike has materially affected the price or supply of grain, produce, etc., except California fruit, none of which has been received here.  
The wholesalers assured a TRIBUNE reporter that as soon as the embargo is raised, Scranton will get meat as quickly as New York, Philadelphia, Boston and other eastern cities.  
Several retailers, however, expressed the opinion that no live stock was coming into Chicago and when the strike is settled it will take a week or ten days to secure the cattle, and that two or three days more will ensue before the dressed product can be delivered in the eastern markets.

**TO BRUSH UP ON ANATOMY.**

Doctors Have Organized the Scranton Anatomical Society.  
The Scranton Anatomical society has been organized with the following members: Dr. N. L. East, Dr. P. E. Gunster, Dr. N. Longest, Dr. L. Weblau, Dr. D. B. Hand, Dr. A. H. Bernstein, Dr. W. E. Allen, Dr. George Reynolds, Dr. A. J. Kolb, Scranton; Dr. S. Lynch, Clark Summit; Dr. George C. Brown, Pleasant Valley, and Dr. C. C. Mackey, Waverly. The society yesterday adopted a charter through Attorney F. E. Foley.  
"The Anatomical society will be in a measure a school for physicians and surgeons," said one member of the society to a TRIBUNE reporter yesterday. "A perfect knowledge of anatomy is most essential to the physician, yet we are becoming more and more careless in that regard to the date on which we were graduated. To enable us to brush up our knowledge of anatomy this society was formed."  
"We will obtain suitable quarters for meetings where subjects will be dissected and discussed by the members."  
This is a Elix Season.  
Having bought the remaining stock of a leading manufacturer of Telford silk, although worth \$1.25 a yard, we will place them on our counters Saturday morning for only 75 cents. This is the greatest bargain in silk ever offered to the ladies of Scranton. Remember they are all good in new styles and were never offered for sale before in the city. Price good until goods are all sold.

**WILL OF MRS. EMMA SIVELY REED.**

She Made Bequests to Religious and Charitable Institutions.  
The will of the late Mrs. Emma Sively Reed, of Quincy avenue, was admitted to probate yesterday and letters testamentary granted to Almida Norton and Attorney George S. Horn.  
Mrs. Reed gave to her daughter, Almida Norton, known as Meda Reed, the building and land on the north-western side of Quincy avenue between Linden and McIntire streets, together with the household goods, furniture, stock of goods in her store and book account. To her brother, Charles H. Sively, and sisters, Mary Steinman, Sarah Jane Marsh and Hannah Jennings, share and share alike the coal and other minerals under lands at Dunwoody which were owned by Mrs. Reed.  
She also bequeathed to her brother and sisters the sum of \$1,000 each at the same amount to her sister in law, Mrs. Louisa Jones, of Trenton, N. J.; to her niece, Emma S. Scott, to the

**A STRONG CANDIDATE**

**JOHN R. JONES IN THE FIELD**

Possible Republican Choice for the District Attorney Nomination.  
His Clean-Cut Announcement is Made Openly Without Blazonry, Fearlessly Without Effrontery, Confidently Without Egotism—Successful Career as a Student and Lawyer—Valuable Services Rendered His Party.  
It is refreshing to learn nowadays the clean-cut, but unostentatious announcement of a candidacy for political office; it is refreshing to hear the announcement come from one who does not boast of pulls with delegates nor advantages in convention; it is refresh-

Jones will be strong and productive of enthusiasm.  
The candidacy of Mr. Jones being the effect of a successful career, it may not be out of place to mention one particular case conducted by him which attracted professional attention throughout the state and which may be mentioned as one of the causes of Mr. Jones' prominence in the legal world. Allusion is made to the famous trial of Augustina Noll who was indicted for murder and tried for his life during the week commencing Oct. 16, 1893. In conducting the defense, Mr. Jones demonstrated his astuteness as a tactician, magnetism as an orator and his ability as a lawyer.  
The public is familiar with the general history of the case which elicited such great attention. The defense took desperate chances, but through the skill and ability of Mr. Jones the jury was convinced to bring in a verdict of murder in the second degree. It was the popular opinion of lawyers present at the trial that a verdict of murder in the first degree was warranted by the crime.  
Mr. Jones occupied the six and one-



JOHN R. JONES, Candidate for the Republican District Attorney Nomination.

half hours between 11 o'clock in the morning and 5:30 in the afternoon, excepting an hour for dinner, in pleading for the prisoner's life and in asking the court to charge the jury according to fifty-three points of law arising from the case. It was a remarkable exhibition of superior knowledge of leading homicide decisions. Mr. Jones cited Roman law the briefs of which were prepared by such well known authorities as Professor James Bradley Thayer, LL. D., professor of criminal law at Harvard, and Professor Albert S. Wheeler, professor of Roman law at Yale.  
Judge Gunster's charge to the jury will go down in the legal history of the commonwealth as one of the most able charges in its history.  
In the defense of Paul Hydo, who was indicted for murder in 1890, Mr. Jones was also associated. His wise counsel and legal knowledge remain in the history of the case.  
After the foregoing history of Mr. Jones, incomplete in many respects, giving as fully as possible in limited space a pen picture of the probably next Republican candidate for district attorney—after such a pen picture it seems not amiss to mention what he has done in the political field and why his numerous friends consider him the most likely candidate for the office. Mr. Jones has been identified with the Republican party since his residence in the county. He has been a delegate to many conventions and he has nearly always made the nominating speech.  
Mr. Jones nominated R. W. Archibald for judge in 1881, Joseph A. Scranton for congress in 1885 and Hon. J. B. Van Borden for county treasurer on the same day. He was secretary of the 1891 convention and did assiduous and excellent service as a member of Republican county committee the same year. Michael Gilroy at the Fourth district Republican convention held in Carbondale several years ago was also nominated by Mr. Jones.

**EVIDENCE OF POPULARITY.**  
An evidence of Mr. Jones' magnetism and stalwartness came out at the convention which nominated John T. Howe for jury commissioner. Without previous announcement in an effective speech, Mr. Howe's name was presented by Mr. Jones and carried through by storm. In fact, every candidate nominated by him has been elected.  
The state convention which nominated M. S. Quay for treasurer in 1885, made Mr. Jones a member of the state committee. He was delegate also to the state convention of June 26, 1880.  
**IN THE HIGHER COURTS.**  
Today Mr. Jones is a member of the Supreme court of Pennsylvania, the United States Circuit court, the Pennsylvania Western District court and finally the great supreme court of the United States at the nation's capital.  
It seems proper that at this point the subject of this sketch will be remembered as the son of the late Edward Jones, of Olyphant, son of Lackawanna's Western District court judge, respected and esteemed by all who had ever known him. The name of Edward Jones accompanied its own to the grave as a synonym of honesty, character and unwavering fidelity.  
The announcement of John R. Jones' candidacy for the district attorney nomination is in a measure typical of the man; it was done openly but without any blazonry or trumpeting, fearlessly but without effrontery, confidently but without egotism. Republicans generally throughout the county indicate that the candidacy of Mr.

was made one of that body's vice-presidents and seconded the nomination of E. S. Osborn for congressman at large in a vigorous and effective speech. He attended as delegate the state convention of Aug. 17, 1887, was one of the committee on permanent organization, and labored zealously for Senator Davis, of Bradford county, for lieutenant governor. He represented Lackawanna at the Harrisburg convention in 1889 and was again appointed one of the vice-presidents of that body.  
As a member of the Blakely school board Mr. Jones has served two consecutive terms and has been secretary and president for three years. He is a director of the Blakely Poor district and is secretary of that body. Two years ago he was elected vice president by the meeting of the Poor Association of Pennsylvania, which assembled at Reading. When elected to that office he delivered an address on "Poor Houses and Poor Farms." We quote from his speech which is reported in the printed report of the proceeding of the convention:  
"But there is still room to improve the condition of the unfortunate pauper and to make his sad lot in life brighter and happier. He may suggest that our plans which have this object in view deserve our serious consideration. To my surprise, I have heard some poor directors remark in a cold, uncharitable manner, 'Anything is good enough for the pauper, they cannot expect much anyway.' This is not the proper spirit to stir. There is an air of coldness about the remark that is not in accord with a sympathetic heart."  
"Many of the inmates of our almshouses assisted in developing our anthracite and bituminous coal lands, manufactured our coke, felled our forests, filled our cultivated our farms, built our magnificent edifices, constructed our railroads, made our turnpikes and public roads, worked our iron and steel, in fact they were once engaged in all our varied industries and enterprises. Many of them once had pleasant and comfortable homes, surrounded by their families. But misfortune came at last and deprived them of all their earthly possessions. They were then thrown on the charity of the public—'Over the Hills to the Poor House.' It makes no difference what caused that misfortune, whether the weakness of their own characters or some unforeseen calamity, they are still entitled to our sympathy. And we should do everything in our power, in the regulation of the poor-house, consistent with a proper expenditure of the public taxes, to make their condition comfortable."  
After fighting for five years, both in the courts of Lackawanna county and the supreme court of Philadelphia, Mr. Jones succeeded in abolishing tolls from the main thoroughfare between Carbondale and Scranton, known as the Carbondale and Providence turnpike. He had all the chains taken down from the road and it has ever since been free to the public. For this he received the gratitude of the traveling public of Lackawanna county who had occasion to drive between Carbondale and Scranton.

**CAN HAVE SEPARATE EARNINGS.**

Mrs. Shellenbeger Granted the Benefits the Petitioner For.  
Mrs. Georgiana Shellenbeger was yesterday allowed by the court to take the benefits conferred by the woman's separate earnings act.  
Mrs. Shellenbeger's petition sets forth that she is the wife of Eugene Shellenbeger, but wants to do business in her own name, and therefore asks to be allowed separate earnings.  
The petition, by order of the court, was recorded in the office for the recording of deeds, and Mrs. Shellenbeger granted the benefits prayed for by her.  
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**DIED**

BILBOW—July 4, 1894, in Scranton, Matthew, son of Matthew and Mary Ellen Bilbow, aged 2 months. Funeral this afternoon at 3 o'clock from parents' residence, 418 Phelps street. Interment in Dunmore cemetery.  
HICKS—July 4, 1894, in Scranton, Florence, child of Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Hicks, aged 14 months. Funeral this afternoon at 8 o'clock. Interment in Hyde Park Catholic cemetery.  
JONES—July 4, 1894, in Scranton, Moses T. Jones, son of Howard Jones, Methodist Episcopal church today at 2 p. m. Services under the auspices of Southside lodge G. U. O. of O. F.  
KENNEDY—July 4, 1894, in Darynes, John, son of John T. Kennedy, of 344 South Washington avenue, Scranton. Funeral Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.  
LOCHER—July 5, 1894, Elizabeth Locher, aged 7 years. Funeral notice later.  
STANTON—July 4, 1894, Edward, son of Mrs. M. F. Stanton, aged 6 months and 18 days. Funeral this afternoon at 2 o'clock from residence, 737 Copouse avenue.  
TWISS—In Olyphant, the 2-year-old son of Joseph Twiss. Funeral this afternoon at 2 o'clock.