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BEFORE BREAKFAST. The custom of escorting prisoners into the central police station through the doorway leading to the cell room on the alley side of the building is adjudged a nuisance by the patrolmen. They often have troublesome prisoners in charge and do not like to take chances in trying to unlock the outer iron door or waiting until the electric bell is answered by the desk sergeant, who may be occupied in various ways. The patrolmen want the door kept unlocked, or they want to bring their prisoners into the station from the Mulberry street side of the building. Until Chief of Police Robbing became the executive head of the police department, the door to the cell room was kept unlocked. But reports that there had too ready access to the cells, and it was claimed, knew too much about what was going on in the police business, and orders were given to keep the door locked. This was not so much for the purpose of keeping prisoners within as it was to keep the alert newspaperer out. The electric push button is at present on strike. Under these circumstances it is easy to imagine what kind of trouble a blue-coat has to get a fighting and drunken malefactor through an iron-barred and locked outer doorway and the regular wooden doorway. Scranton is unique in its original police custom of dragging a prisoner direct to a cell instead of leading him first before the sergeant's desk, where the charge should be made in the prisoner's presence. He should there

Your nearest friend is your underwear. Our's is more than usually friendly this season. WATERS, THE HATTER, 205 Lacka. Ave.

BOY'S TERRIBLE FALL DOWN A SHAFT

Lost His Balance on the Carriage in the Mt. Pleasant Mines.

WENT THERE TO LOOK FOR WORK

Was Unsuccessful in Securing It and About 7:30 Got on a Carriage to Go to the Surface—Not Allowed to Be Raised or Lowered into Shafts, He Could Not Remain on His Feet and Tumbled Over.

Patrick Gallagher, 15 years of age, a son of Martin Gallagher, of Elm street, fell from a moving carriage in the shaft at the Mt. Pleasant colliery, West Scranton, shortly after 7:30 o'clock yesterday morning, when the mangled body was taken from the bottom line was extinct.

PERSONAL

L. L. Crane is in New York city. E. C. Mumford, of Honesdale, was in Scranton yesterday. District Attorney and Mrs. John R. Jones are in New York city. Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Bohemus and daughter are the guests of Scranton friends. Miss Winifred Melvin, of the South Side, returned last evening from a month's visit in Philadelphia.

Attorneys Lawrence M. Atkinson, of Honesdale, and J. Stanley Smith, of this city, have gone to Philadelphia to witness the Harvard-Pennsylvania foot ball game.

Hon. William H. Jessup, George A. Jessup, Miss Amy Jessup, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kinshard, Miss Ethel Jones and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. this city, attended the Thomas-Tripphart wedding in Wilkes-Barre Wednesday evening. Miss Jessup was one of the bridesmaids.

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Miss Richmond was chairman. Mrs. Rippe, Mrs. P. P. Christian, Mrs. J. T. Howe received the guests. At the coffee urns were Mrs. S. B. Price, Mrs. Bushnell, Mrs. Collins and Miss Mattie. In charge of tables and assisting in serving were: Mrs. F. D. Brewster, Mrs. La Rue, Mrs. Knapp, Mrs. Walter Henwood, Mrs. Sylvester, Mrs. Perkins, Mrs. Franklin, Miss Deacon, Mrs. Evans, Mrs. Northrup, Misses Sanderson, Torrey, Mattie, Atherton, Williams, Doster, Raub, Kriehbaum, Doersam, Evans, Linde, Young, Moore, Richmond, Jewell, Hills, Rippe, Meyer, Green, Meredith, Daniels, Slikman, Morcoran, Mrs. Buck, Powell, De Wilde, Brooks, Munson, Pierson, Burns, Northrup, Henwood, Gillespie, Oeterhout, Bailey, Jeffries, Dickson.

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WILL RUN COAL CARS. Scranton Railway Company Has a New Scheme for Carrying Fuel.

The street car company has put in a switch at the Columbus washery, on Washington avenue, and another at the power house on Providence road, and in the near future will commence hauling its fuel in specially equipped cars by way of the Washington avenue and Providence lines.

At present the work is done with teams by a private contractor, the culm being brought from the Diamond.

DIED. HUMPHREY.—Mrs. Jane Humphrey, at the Hillside Home, 55 years of age, funeral Friday afternoon.

CHRYSANTHEMUM SHOW OPEN.

Beautiful Array of Plants in Board of Trade Building.

The chrysanthemum show opened yesterday in the board of trade building with great success. Several managers of the Home for the Friendless were present to show courtesies to visitors. It is one of the finest ever given in this region, many perfect specimens of the flower of autumn are to be seen and the general effect among the tastefully arranged plants of prodigious size, is very striking.

Many favorites of the other seasons are to be noted and they are also several new varieties. The beautiful yellow "Major Bonneau" is perhaps one of those most admired but the "Canning," the "Mrs. Wheeler," the gorgeous "Golden Wedding," and the "Philadelphia" are among the beauties.

Not the least part of the exhibition is the gorgeous array of cut flowers for sale, as indeed are all the plants, jardiniere, rugs, etc. Many sales were made yesterday. Weichel furnished lovely jardiniere and vases which add much to the general display. Florists Clark, McClintock, Palmer, and Morel have been lavish with their flowers and the Lawrence orchestra gave much pleasure with its music yesterday. Today Bauer will provide music. Twenty-five cents is indeed little enough to pay for the admission and then it all goes for the Home which every one loves.

DR. LOBA'S LECTURE. He Delivered an Interesting Discourse on McAll Mission Work in Paris.

Profuse Illustrations. Rev. Dr. J. S. Loba, of Illinois, formerly of Paris, gave a lecture last evening before a large and discriminating audience at the Second Presbyterian church, illustrated by views of Paris and by scenes representing the McAll Mission work in France.

The lecture was most instructive and interesting. Dr. Loba is a pleasant speaker and his rapid delineation of his subject covered much ground in the course of his remarks. The views shown were very fine and embraced many beautiful bits of Paris, including scenes along the Seine with Notre Dame and many other points of interest in the background.

W. H. Williams, of New York city, eastern passenger agent of the Clynje Steamship company, is at the Hotel Jersey.

Alfred Wooten, tuner of the Elm Park church, will be the leading soloist at the concert given by the Musical Alliance at Factoryville this evening.

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Peculiar Accident to Matthew J. Bilbow at His Home on Phelps Street.

NO ONE WITH HIM AT THE TIME. It is Supposed That in Descending the Steps to the Basement of the House Where He Resided He Fell and Landed on His Head, Breaking His Neck—Coroner S. P. Longstreet Will View the Body Today.

Matthew J. Bilbow, aged 42 years, fell five feet down steps leading to his home in the basement of No. 418 Phelps street at 7:30 o'clock last evening. He died fifteen minutes afterward from a broken neck.

Just how the accident happened will never be known as Bilbow was alone at the time. The house is a large frame dwelling in which several families reside. The only entrance to Bilbow's apartments is in the basement in the rear. This part of the house is dark and the descent of the steps, five in number, leading to the basement, somewhat difficult.

At the bottom of the steps there is a small space between the windows and a stove wall. Bilbow, it is supposed, stumbled at the top and fell head foremost. A mark on the left side of his face is thought to be the place where he struck. No other mark was noticed on his body.

No person heard Bilbow fall; his 7-year-old son, Michael, upon opening the basement door found him lying still and limp in the small opening. Bilbow's feet extended across the steps.

The boy gave the alarm and Dr. J. F. Saltry was summoned who pronounced Bilbow dead. The remains were taken in charge by Undertaker Charlek.

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TENTH WARD POLITICS. Plenty of Aspirants for Election to Both Branches of Council.

Select Councilman Charles F. Wagner, of the Tenth ward will not seek a re-election. Edward F. Wenzel, the present representative of the ward in common council, will probably be Mr. Wagner's successor. William Honor is prominently mentioned Democratic candidate for the nomination.

To succeed Mr. Wenzel in the common council there are several aspirants. Warren LaFrance, H. A. Kaufman and Clarence Reynolds want the Republican nomination. The Democrats seem inclined to select Edward Hartman as their nominee.

CITY HAD BETTER SAVE UP. Another Big Damage Suit Instituted Against It Yesterday.

Emma Scott, of the West Side, instituted a \$20,000 damage suit against the city of Scranton yesterday. She was permanently injured, she alleges, by stumbling on an uneven place in the sidewalk on Washburn street, Feb. 19 last.

She is represented by Attorneys E. W. Thayer and D. J. Davis.

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ST. THOMAS LECTURE COURSE. Splendid Array of Talent Has Been Engaged.

An unusually good series of lectures has been arranged for the St. Thomas College course.

Dr. Stafford will lecture on Hamlet and Macbeth, Dec. 13 and 16. Martin Crawford, neologist, will lecture on "Leo XIII in the Vatican" Dec. 23. Dr. Austin O'Malley, of Notre Dame University, will lecture on "Dante's Paradisi," Jan. 4, and Rev. James McMill of St. John's church, Scranton, will lecture on "Patriotism" Jan. 25. Fr. O'Malley is a native of Wilkes-Barre and is well known here.

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It Was Withdrawn at the Hearing Before Alderman John. The case of Alexander Phillips against Edward Meyers for an alleged assault upon the late James Phillips, was withdrawn last evening at the hearing before Alderman John, of the West Side.

The coroner's jury having rendered a verdict giving the cause as alcoholism and exposure, no case remained against Mr. Meyers.

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