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CARBONDALE. Readers will please note that advertisements for job work and items for publication left at the establishment of Shannon & Co., newsmen, North Main Street, will not be accepted unless they are open from 8 a. m. to 10 p. m.

WAIVED A HEARING. Preferred to Have the Matter Settled in Court. The hearing in the case of Carlton G. Palmer, of Scranton, against Mrs. Kate May and Frederick Sluman, of this city, did not come off, the defendant preferring to have the matter settled in court.

BOND WITHDRAWN. J. G. Westcott Will Now Go to Jail on Charge of Enticing Girls. J. G. Westcott, who was arrested a few days ago on the charge of enticing girls, and who was released on bail is now in the county jail.

YESTERDAY'S STORM. The Streets Flooded by Water Pouring from the Hillsides. Yesterday's storm produced quite a change in the appearance of the streets, the torrents completely covering the pavement in some places with dirt and gravel to the depth of several inches.

Preparing for Next Season. The hustling managers of the opera house are having their building overhauled ready for next season. At present George Bradley, of New York city, an expert scenic artist is at work retouching the old scenes and painting new ones, so that the opera house will be able to offer a greater variety of scenery next year.

For Sunday Telephone. There will probably be a change in the hours of the telephone company shortly as most of the business men of the city have signed the petition circulated by Dr. Baiter, asking for Sunday telephones. The petition asks for service all day Sunday, instead of but two hours as is now the case.

PERSONAL AND OTHER ITEMS. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Benson, of Wyoming street, are at the state line attending a family reunion. James Morrison, of Niagara university, arrived home Wednesday evening for his summer vacation after an extended trip through Canada.

MIDSUMMER SALE. Of Carpets, Mattings, Oil Cloths, Linoleums, Window Shades, Lace Curtains, Chenille Curtains, Rugs and Carpet Sweepers. The above goods have been overhauled and marked down to nearly one-half their value. This sale will last during the month of July, to make room for fall goods. Come and get prices.

visit with friends in Moosic and Forty Fort. Mrs. George Van Kernen, of Passaic, N. J., who has been the guest of her father for several days, has returned home.

ARCHBALD. At a regular meeting of the school board was held Monday evening. All the members were present when President Barrett called the meeting to order. A bill of Drs. Kelly and Van Doren amounting to \$107.40 for vaccinating school children was ordered paid as well as other bills of trifling amount.

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TUNKHANNOCK. Mrs. Dr. Towksbury, Miss Mame Shook, Fred, Shook, B. W. Lewis, and son Harry are attending the Christian Endeavor convention at Washington.

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outside ticket of a third party, Mr. Fillmore received for the presidency 500,000 votes. In more recent years the office of vice-president has been of less prominence, but it has been held with distinction by at least two New York Republicans--Chester A. Arthur and Levi P. Morton--the former afterward president and the latter a candidate for that office.

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THE LEADER 124-126 Wyoming Ave.

OUR GREAT VALUE SALE CONTINUES. Bear in mind that never again will you have the opportunity to buy desirable merchandise at the rates we are offering.

Our great reduction sale in the cloak and suit department will continue, as we are determined not to carry over a single garment. One lot infants' dresses, worth 60c.

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SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS OFFERED AT THE FAIR 400 AND 402 LACKAWANNA AVE. FOR THIS WEEK. DRY GOODS, LADIES' AND GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, SUITS, SKIRTS AND WRAPPERS. All Reduced to 50c. ON THE DOLLAR.

SUMMER FURNISHINGS. MATTINGS. MATTINGS. MATTINGS. Every conceivable color and weave, in Japanese and Chinese. A liberal discount by the roll, each containing forty yards.

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CLOTHING FOR HOT WEATHER. The first thing to think about in hot weather is comfort. Then it is time to think about style, but we can sell you both together. There is no possible way in which a tailor can make better garments than our Ready Mades. We see to it that honest cloth is always used. We see to it that the makers from whom we order are reliable. The result is that we are selling clothing that we are actually proud of.

SCRANTON'S GREATEST POPULAR ONE PRICE SHOE HOUSE, 307 LACKAWANNA AVENUE. SUCCESS crowned the efforts of our Great Shoe Sale far more than we anticipated. The response has not only been general, but of the most satisfactory character.

UNPARALLELED OFFERINGS. Men's Fine Russia Calf Shoes, were \$5, now only \$3. Men's \$3.00 Russet Shoes reduced to \$2.00. Men's \$2.00 Russet Shoes reduced to \$1.50. Boys' Russet Shoes reduced to \$1.10. Youths' Russet Shoes reduced to \$1.00. Ladies' Fine Russet Shoes, B, C, D and E widths, all styles and colors, reduced to \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.25 and \$1.00.

SPECIAL TODAY: Ladies' Shoes only 70c. Men's Shoes only 89c. Boys' Shoes only 65c., 3 to 5 1/2. Child's Dongola button, 5c to 8, 45c.; 8 1/2 to 11, 55c. Ladies' Slippers only 42c. Misses' Russet Slippers only 89c. Child's Russet and Cleck Oxfords, sizes 9 to 11, at 65c.

CROWDS came yesterday and bought largely of the Shoes which we offered below the cost of production. The same unequalled prices will rule today. While the present special stock lasts we invite you to call and examine our goods before buying elsewhere. Remember, there is no trouble to show goods and you will be sure to save money by it. We have only one price to all, and our one price is 25 per cent. less than any shoe store in the city.

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