

West Side Department

MINERS' NARROW ESCAPE.

Gas Accumulated in the Dodge Mine and Exploded, but Fortunately Did but Little Damage.

What might have been a serious explosion of gas but happily resulted otherwise, occurred Saturday morning in the No. 14 vein, Dodge shaft. A counter-reading is being driven through a fault into some old workings by a night and day shift of men.

HE WILL PROBABLY ACCEPT.

Rev. L. R. Foster Will Make Answer Next Sunday Evening.

Rev. L. R. Foster, of Auburn Theological Seminary, will probably accept the call extended to him by the joint churches, the Summer Avenue Presbyterian and the Taylor Presbyterian.

WEST SIDE POLICE NOTES.

Henry Riker was arrested yesterday on a warrant sworn out before Alderman George P. Kellow, by A. H. Swartz, of 724 Lackawanna avenue.

MRS. HOWELLS' FUNERAL.

Funeral services were held over the remains of the late Mrs. Sarah Ann Howells at the Garfield avenue Mission church yesterday afternoon.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

The Epworth league of the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church will hold one of its interesting literary meetings in the church parlors tonight.

Large number of friends. The floral offerings were profuse. Interment was made in Washington street cemetery.

Miss Mary Thomas, of Ashley, spent yesterday with her parents on Luzerne street.

Miss Mamie Oliver, of Luzerne street, is entertaining her cousin, Miss Sarah Hoyle, of Carbondale.

WEST SIDE BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

HARRIST J. DAVIS, FLOREST—Cut flowers and floral decorations, 34 South Main avenue, two doors from Jackson street.

AMUSEMENTS.

Miss Minnie Lester will begin a week's engagement at the Frothingham this afternoon by producing the comedy drama "A Little Counterfeit."

BROKE UP A POKER GAME.

Patrolman Hawks swoops down on a crowd of youthful gamblers. Complaint was made to the police station yesterday afternoon that a crowd of young boys were playing cards in the rear of the "Truth" office on Mulberry street.

JERMYN.

As stated in Saturday's edition of this paper, Chairman Edmunds objected to the proposition as made by the committee from the Jermyrn council.

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THE FASHION

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Black Goods Budget.

Once in a while we are fortunate enough to get hold of certain lots of these standard dress stuffs at a liberal discount from their actual market value.

- 10 pieces of Black Broadcloth and Series, 35 inches wide, strictly all wool, remnant at bargain prices for less than 10c per yard. This week. 24c
6 pieces of Black Double Wavy Tricot Serge, full 45 inches wide, strictly all wool & grand bargain at 39c. This week. 39c
8 pieces of Black Herculite, 45 inches wide, all wool, the grandest bargain ever offered at 75c per yard. This sale. 49c
5 pieces of Black Broadcloth Wool Goods, 45 inches wide, in choice patterns, strictly all wool, worth fully 75c. This sale. 50c
6 pieces of Black Broadcloth Novelty Goods, all wool, made to retail at 80c per yard, choice patterns. This sale. 69c
6 pieces of Black Broadcloth Novelty Goods, new line of choice patterns, extra heavy quality, a bargain at 65c per yard. This sale. 50c
4 pieces of Black Broadcloth Sateen, equal to any quality ever sold for \$1.00 per yard, extra heavy. This sale. 73c

THE DICKSON MANUFACTURING CO. SCRANTON AND WILKES-BARRE, PA. Manufacture of Locomotives, Stationary Engines, Boilers, HOISTING AND PUMPING MACHINERY. General Office SCRANTON, PA.

The Spalding Bicycle. Experienced Riders Know That the SPALDING is the BEST BICYCLE BUILT. That's the reason more Spaldings will be ridden here this season than any other make.

C. M. FLOREY, AGENT. 222 WYOMING AVENUE. E. ROBINSON'S SONS Lager Beer Brewery. Manufacturers of the Celebrated Pilsener Lager Beer.

HENRY BELIN, Jr. General Agent for the Wyoming District. 118 WYOMING AVENUE. Dupont's Powder. Mining, Blasting and Sporting.

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YOUR TAILOR. Says \$25.00 for a Spring Suit. How carefully he takes your measure. But somehow the suit doesn't fit. Nor wear. Nor look well. You don't know why. We do.

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