

# THE FASHION

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## Greatest Fire Sale on Record

Reliable Dry Goods, Cloaks, Millinery, Etc. Never sold at such ridiculous prices. Here is the undeniable proof of this assertion:

### Millinery

Ladies' Sailors, all colors, and Children's Trimmed Hats at..... 25c

### Ladies' Corsets

High Grade Ladies' Summer Corsets, all sizes, each..... 25c

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All full size, best designs, and absolutely the best made. In no case will more than half the cost price to import will be asked. 35c up to \$45.00 Per pair.....

### Domestics

Best Muslins, wet but not otherwise damaged, per yard..... 33c

### Men's Shirts

Men's Natural Grey Underwear and Working Shirts, not damaged but smoky and wet. Your choice, each..... 25c

### Ladies' Jackets

Ladies' Spring Top Coats, lined throughout, stripped seams, not damaged, at..... \$2.75

## CARBONDALE.

### LET DIRECTORS CHOOSE.

#### School Controllers May Be Trusted to Serve the Public's Interest.

Much nonsensical criticism of the school board is being indulged in regarding the proposed addition to the high school. Some desire it on the front and some to the rear and all think they have reasons for their opinions and the right to express them.

However, one thing is certain. We have a board of intelligent men who are conversant with all the requirements of the situation and their judgment ought to be relied upon. Another thing is evident. They show a tendency to keep down the expense and as they are not a penny wise and pound foolish lot of fellows that is not a bad sign.

### DEATH OF W. K. ALLEN.

W. K. Allen died in Jersey City at 10 o'clock Saturday morning. Mr. Allen with his wife left this city in fairly good health about a week ago to visit his daughter, Mrs. J. E. Herbert, and it was at her home that his death occurred. Deceased was a man about seventy-three years of age and was born in Lincolnshire, England, coming to this city with his wife, then but a bride, in the early fifties. Mr. Allen was an active man naturally and soon proved his efficiency to the Delaware and Hudson company who retained him in their employ the greater part of his working life. He was a conscientious workman and would pass no pains in performing his duties. Six children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Allen and of them but one survives, the Mrs. Herbert mentioned above. He was also a faithful member of the Methodist Episcopal church. The body was brought to this city yesterday afternoon.

### SENT HIS TRUNK.

About 10 o'clock Saturday night a little \$12 trunk, tied with a ribbon and addressed to a member of the Cycle club was delivered at No. 41 Lincoln avenue. It contained a sandwich, piece of cake, night shirt, cuffs, hose, etc., and was interpreted as the gentle hint of a witty wife to her husband, who is an enthusiast in club affairs. About twenty members had a fifteen-minute laugh at Mr. —'s expense. He laughed too.

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Mrs. William E. Watt and daughter, Martha, have returned from Wilkes-Barre, where they visited relatives. Dr. Reed Burns of Scranton, was in this city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. John Clune of Dunduff street, have returned from a ten days' visit at New York and Washington, D. C. Miss E. Harte, of Brooklyn street, spent yesterday with Miss Agnes Sicily, of Honedale. T. F. Rogers spent Saturday in Wilkes-Barre. Miss Mary McGarry succeeds Miss Anna McMillan as operator at the telephone exchange. Albert Simons, of Spaeth's drug store, will tomorrow become clerk in D. W. Humphrey's grocery store, occupying the place made vacant by William Eaton, who is going on the



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## AVOCA.

The marriage of Miss Kate Moylan and John Hopkins, both residents of this town, was solemnized by Rev. M. F. Crane, in the parochial residence on Thursday evening. Miss Margaret Ward acted as bridesmaid and Martin Moylan, a brother of the bride, waited upon the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins will reside on York street.

M. J. Shaugnessy, of Williamsport, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. T. P. McGrell.

J. F. Conaboy has been drawn to serve as juror during the week beginning June 5 and Frank Parks to serve the following week.

The funeral of George John, who was killed in the Peckville mine on Thursday afternoon, will take place this afternoon. The remains will arrive in Avoca over the Delaware and Hudson road on the L. P. train. Interment will be in Langcliffe cemetery. Deceased was 23 years of age and a nephew of James Johns, formerly a resident of Avoca. He has been in the country but a few months. His parents are in England.

Avoca is to have of rare treat in the way of vocal and instrumental music. On May 23 several well known Welsh singers will be heard in Sarsfield Opera house. Admission, 50 and 75 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick McKeon have returned home after spending several months in Newport, N. Y.

Job Loughery, of the West Side, sustained severe bruises about the hand and arm on Thursday afternoon, while at work in the Phoenix mine, where he is engaged as driver.

The condition of Thomas Nolan, who fell from a twenty-foot ladder at the Excelsior works, a fortnight ago, has become alarming. He is suffering from concussion of the brain, besides other internal injuries.

A Dewey party, consisting of about ten couples, enjoyed a wagon ride to Pleasant Lake yesterday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. James Connolly, of Blakely street.

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## PECKVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sansonbaugh, of Scranton, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Taylor yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ziba Tinkler were the guests of friends at Pittston yesterday.

D. Scott, our tenor vocal artist, is having a room done off as an ice cream parlor and quick lunch room.

The members of the Wilson Fire company leave on the 1.05 Delaware and Hudson train this afternoon to take part in the firemen's parade at Scranton.

W. F. Ketchum is having the store building occupied by Taylor William Gunn lowered some four feet. It will add much to the building's appearance.

School will reopen as soon as the school directors can secure rooms adequate to take care of the large number of scholars.

At the beginning of the school house fire on Saturday there was only sixty pounds pressure on the Archibald Water company's mains. By repeated telephone messages to Archibald this pressure was increased to seventy-five pounds, which was almost useless to cope with the conflagration. The usual pressure is 110 pounds, and at 6.30 p. m. it stood at that figure. Council should investigate the matter at once, as our fire hydrants are costly ornaments for the taxpayers.

Mrs. Jane Stevens, of Scranton, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Taylor, yesterday.

James Williams, while attempting to extinguish a fire on the roof of E. Wagner's residence, Saturday, fell to the ground, a distance of eighteen feet, and sustained a sprained ankle and wrist.

Whit Wall, of Carbondale, was a visitor in town yesterday.

I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhoea ever since the war and have used all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found one remedy that has been a success as a cure, and that is Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.—P. E. Grisham, Gaars Mills, La. For sale by all druggists. Matthews Bros., wholesale and retail agents.

## NEW MILFORD.

A large audience enjoyed the closing exercises of our graded school at the opera house Thursday evening.

The following programme was rendered: Instrumental duet, Ina McCreary and Rachel Brundage; chorus; declamation, Richard Hall; chorus;

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# THE LEADER

Scranton Store, 124-126 Wyoming Avenue.

## For Monday— Some rare bargains in women's undermuslins

This is acknowledged the greatest underwear store in this section—and justly so, for there are few departments here that receive the attention, time and care that this one does. Furthermore, we are the sole agents in this city of the greatest muslin underwear manufacturers in the United States today, and are therefore in a position to supply continually the very newest and best at prices only made possible by extremely large orders. See these for today:

### Women's cambric corset covers

4c for ladies' 10c cambric corset covers, un-trimmed. 12c for ladies' 19c cambric corset covers, trim'd with emb'dry

19c for ladies' 29c cambric corset covers, V or square neck and elaborately trimmed with embroidery.

### Women's muslin drawers

12c for ladies' 19c muslin drawers, cluster of tucks. 25c for ladies' 39c muslin drawers, cluster of tucks and embroidery trimmed.

39c for ladies' muslin drawers with cambric ruffle and trimmed with embroidery; real value 59c.

37c for ladies' 59c muslin skirts, extra wide, with double ruffle and cluster of tucks. 49c for ladies' 69c muslin skirts. 59c for ladies' 79c muslin skirts.

### Women's muslin gowns

29c for ladies' 49c Mother Hubbard gowns of good muslin, tucked yoke and trimmed with cambric ruffle. One of the banner bargains of this great muslin underwear sale.

49c for ladies' 59c gown of good muslin, Mother Hubbard style, tucked yoke, trimmed with embroidery.

59c for 79c trimmed gowns. 69c for 89c trimmed gowns. 79c for 98c trimmed gowns.

### Special sale of wrappers

59c wrappers on Monday only at 29c—This price is special for Monday, AND MONDAY ONLY—all sizes and all colors—lined to the waist—value 59c..... 29c

\$1.50 summer wrappers, Monday at 59c—This is an exceptional lot—but last season's goods and principally large sizes. Some were as high as \$1.75—all of them are trimmed. Special on Monday only..... 59c

### Special sale of summer corsets

Very extraordinary offering in women's summer corsets of extra quality, real value 50c. Special Monday 29c

Another lot—much better quality—a corset you cannot get anywhere for less than 75c..... 39c

### Extraordinary Monday bargains in wash and domestic goods

6 1/2c for 12 1/2c cambrics, very special in value, printed cambrics, new patterns. 6 1/2c for 12 1/2c dotted swiss, several sizes of dot, good quality.

2 1/2c for 5c flannel, 5,000 yards of colored outing flannels. 3 1/2c for 6c indigo prints, 5 thousand yards of standard six-cent prints.

Piques—Several thousand yards of corded piques, real value 15c the yard. To close them out... 10c

15c linen huck towels at 9c—very exceptional offer for Monday only; real value 15c each..... 9c

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