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ONE CENT.

THE SURE ROAD TO OPULENCE LIES KNEE-DEEP THROUGH PRINTER'S INK

Republican State Ticket.

AUDITOR GENERAL.
GEN. DAVID MCMURTRIE GREGG
STATE TREASURER.
CAPT. JOHN W. MORRISON.

Delegates-at-Large to the Constitutional Convention.

A. S. L. SHIELDS, ISAIAH C. WEAR,
WM. I. SCHAEFFER, HERMAN KREMER,
LOUIS W. HALL, M. L. KAUFFMAN,
FRANK REEDER, H. M. EDWARDS,
H. C. M'COHMICK, GEO. S. SCHMIDT,
J. H. POMEROY, CYRUS ELDER,
JOHN CESSNA, JOHN S. LAMBLE,
WM. B. ROGERS, JAMES L. BROWN,
TERRENCE V. POWDERLY.

County Ticket.

Judge—Hon. D. B. Green.
Sheriff—Benjamin Smith.
Jury Commissioner—Maj. William Clark.

Poor Director—George Heffner.
Unexpired Term—Harry H. McGinnis

Constitutional Convention Delegates.

ROBERT ALLISON, Port Carbon.
S. BURD EDWARDS, Pottsville.
J. H. POMEROY, Shenandoah.
JOHN J. COYLE, Mahanoy City.

MAJOR MCKINLEY rode in one of the carriages in the Labor Day parade at Cincinnati. Labor is for the wage-earners' tariff.

The tariff question is the overshadowing issue in American politics to-day, and while the Democrats of Pennsylvania have resolved to the contrary the voters of the commonwealth understand that a vote for Gregg and Morrison is a vote in the interest of American labor and of the American farmer, while a vote for Wright and Tilden is a ballot for candidates whose election is being prayed for, night and day, on the other side of the Atlantic. If you want to sustain American interests to the exclusion of the interests of British Free Traders, vote the Republican ticket. If you want to vote to tickle the British and in a way to pauperize American labor vote the Democratic ticket and your purpose will be accomplished!

35 CENTS PER YD.
for a GOOD HOME MADE
RAG STAIR CARPET, taken out of the loom to-day.
C. D. FRICKE'S
Carpet Store, 10 South Jardin St., near Centre

THREE TIMES A WEEK!

We receive direct from the Creamery, same day as churned,

CHOICE CREAMERY BUTTER,

Also **FRESH DAIRY BUTTER** Every Week.

Just opened another lot of

NEW No. 1 MACKEREL,

This season's catch. Also Large Bloater Mackerel.

About 150 Bushels will close out our stock of **OLD WHITE OATS.** We have for sale 2,500 bushels of choice **NEW WHITE OATS.**

Chop of all kinds—Rye Chop, Corn Chop, Oats Chop, Corn and Oats Chop, Bran and Middlings.

Don't forget to examine our stock of

FLOOR OIL CLOTHS!

in all widths, quality and prices.

New All-wool Blankets, in White, Scarlet and Grey.

AT KEITER'S.

Partnership Change.

The book, stationery and news dealing firm of Laudig & Hooks has been dissolved. Mr. B. F. Laudig retains and the remaining partner, Mr. F. W. Hooks, has formed a partnership with Richard L. Brown and the business will hereafter be conducted at the old stand under the firm name of Hooks & Brown. Mr. Laudig, the retiring partner, has the satisfaction of knowing that he leaves a lucrative business that he built up by perseverance, energy and enterprise and during his business career here he has made a host of friends. Messrs. Hooks and Brown are young, energetic men who will prove worthy successors to Mr. Laudig.

A Shapeless Mass.

The horribly mutilated remains of William Mallis, a fifteen-year-old boy of Girardville, was found on Wednesday night on the P. & R. tracks near Big Mine Run junction. The body had been literally ground to pieces, and was scattered for a distance of several hundred yards along the tracks. The head had been severed from the body and cut in two from the base of the skull. Both limbs were cut off, and the trunk was a shapeless mass. The remains were delivered to the parents at Girardville. The manner in which the boy met his death is a mystery. It is supposed he slipped when trying to board a moving train.

More Bargains.

We have bought out an entire stock of children's merino vests and pantslets, from a jobber retiring from business. We will sell them at half the former retail price. They are no trash—good, clear stock. Also, a lot of children's woolen leggings at 40c—regular value 65c.

MORGAN'S BAZAAR.

W. O. T. U. Officers.

The following officers of the Women's Christian Temperance Union county organization were elected: President, Mrs. Charlotte Holloper, of Shenandoah; Vice President-at-Large, Mrs. Martey, Tower City; Recording Secretary, Miss Hattie Galien, Shenandoah; Treasurer, Mrs. J. M. Hopces, Mahanoy City.

A Fall.

Michael Bolinski, a Pole, fell from the scrapers to the ground, a distance of about 12 feet, at Indian Ridge colliery yesterday. He was only slightly injured, but was removed to his home in an ambulance.

The Children.

Send the children to Robbins' opera house Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, to see the Indians. Admission, 5 cents. Adults, 10 cents. 9-11-11.

Hol for Bargains.

Look at this:
Cashmere "Princess" hats, in all colors, at 15c, each—former price 50c.
Light colored plaid "Princess" hats at 12c—former price 40c.
Nellie Bly caps, 15c. and 25c.—former price 25c. and 50c.
All in good condition—no faded stock.
9-11-31. MORGAN'S BAZAAR.

EXTRA!

SERIOUS DAMAGES TO THE SOLDIERS' MONUMENT.

A TWO-TON GRANITE BLOCK FALLS

A Chain Breaks—The Monument so Badly Damaged the Dedication Ceremonies will Have to be Postponed.

Special to the Herald.

POTTSVILLE, Sept. 11, 2 p. m.—An accident occurred at the Soldiers' monument at noon by which the structure was so badly injured it is feared the dedication ceremonies arranged for October 1st will have to be postponed.

As a block of granite weighing about two tons was hoisted into the air the hoisting chain broke and the stone fell with a frightful crash.

Fortunately no person was injured.

In its descent the block of granite struck different parts of the monument.

A large piece was knocked off one corner of the block and the monument was extensively damaged.

PERSONAL.

Miss Gardner, of Wilkes-Barre, is the guest of Miss Hannah Tompat.

George Seager, who has been suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism, is able to be about again.

Clifford Robbins, of East Coal street, is about to enter one of the Philadelphia universities to study medicine.

W. J. Jacobs, one of Shenandoah's "Knights of the cross," combined pleasure with business at Mahanoy City yesterday.

John Stevens, of Ashland, who is now playing with the St. Louis base ball club, has signed a contract to play with the Boston league club in 1892.

John Senior and daughter, Miss Sallie A., arrived in town last night from New York City, where they arrived on Wednesday after a very enjoyable European trip. Mr. Senior and his daughter left town about two months ago and during their absence they visited Paris and many principal points in the northern and southern parts of England and Wales. The outward trip over the ocean was very pleasant, but the sea was a little rough on the way back.

HALF RATES

To Scranton via Pennsylvania Railroad.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company announces that on the occasion of the meeting of the Pennsylvania State League of Republican Clubs at Scranton, September 23d to 25th, excursion tickets will be sold from all stations on its system to Scranton at a single fare for the round trip. The tickets will be sold September 21st, 22d, and 23d, valid for the going trip on any of those days and to return until September 29th inclusive.

A Night Off.

In consequence of Robbins' opera house being engaged for the Welsh Baptist Sunday school festival to-night, Dr. Gillett's Kickapoo Indians will not give an exhibition this evening. The performances will be resumed to-morrow afternoon and continue every evening (Sunday excepted) thereafter.

Concert Each Evening.

Willie Kendrick, the phenomenal cornetist of the U. S. Marine Band, is home on a vacation and will play at his parents' home, the Kendrick House, each evening, rendering some of the most difficult and popular solos of the day, accompanied by the Kendrick orchestra. Change of programme each evening. 9-3-15

McGinnis Appointed.

County Commissioners Reed and DeTurk yesterday appointed Harry McGinnis to fill the Poor Directorship made vacant by the death of the late Charles R. Kane. County Commissioner B. was voted for James Culver, of Port Carbon.

Positively the Last.

To-morrow pleasure seekers will bid farewell to Columbia Park. The Columbia Glee Club will hold the last picnic in the park to-morrow. Don't forget to attend it. Positively the last event, as the park must be abandoned.

Madden Acquitted.

John Madden, who was charged with robbing the till of the Farmers' hotel in town, was tried at Pottsville yesterday and acquitted.

Festival To-night.

An ice cream festival and social will be held in Robbins' opera house to-night under the auspices of the Welsh Baptist Sunday school, commencing at 7 o'clock.

Always go to Coslett's, South Main street, for your prime oysters. 8-22-11

AN OBJECT OF ATTRACTION.

Superintendent Williams' Mine Drill Gaining Ground.

For several days past groups of men, the majority of them being miners, have been frequenting Luburg's hardware store, on North Main street. Seeing a group of the horny-handed sons of toil in the store yesterday afternoon a HERALD reporter stopped in to learn the object of attraction, and found it in a splendid little model of the mine drill patented by Mr. John L. Williams, the division superintendent for the Philadelphia & Reading C. & I. Co. The model is an exceedingly neat piece of work and it shows the use of the full-size machine very advantageously. It has attracted hundreds of miners to the store the past week. It is placed upon a box in front of a lamp of coal, so visitors may operate it and understand how it works, and see the advantages of the machine over other drills. The miners who have seen the model and who have used the drill in their work say the machine is destined to go to the front and outstrip all other styles. A description of the drill may not be out of place here. The accompanying cut has been kindly loaned to the HERALD by Mr. Williams.

The drill overcomes, in an effective and practical manner, nearly all the essential objections which heretofore have prevented any of the so-called labor-saving drilling machines from becoming popular among miners. The principal features of the drill are delineated in the accompanying cut and it is shown in a position ready for work. The main bar (A) is made of malleable iron, about 36 inches long and 1 1/2 inches thick. The forward end (F) is slightly beveled and tapered, the upper surface being provided with six steel spur teeth. Attached to the main bar by a slot bolt (J) is a brace rod (I) and wedge (G). By this contrivance the drill can be secured in position in less than ten seconds, by driving the wedge (G) underneath the forward end of main bar with a hammer, thus forcing the teeth firmly into the coal. The wedge (G), as already shown, being attached to the brace rod (I)—which is screw threaded at the back end (J)—is easily adjusted in the slotted bolt and held in place by lock or jam nuts. The brace rod (I) thus tightened prevents all vibration of the main bar (A) or the drill-operating feed bar (B) which it carries, thereby rendering the drill less liable to loss of power in cutting, because its course is kept true and free from friction. At the back end of the main bar (A), and attached to it by an ordinary bolt, is fitted a spherical socket, with ball bearing geared to the head-piece or nut. The head-piece is threaded on the inside to carry the tubular or hollow feed bar (B) through which the drill stem (C) passes. This drill stem (C) is fitted so as to revolve freely within the feed bar (B) through which it passes, in order to overcome all resistance on the bit (D) when hard substances are encountered, which is easily accomplished by merely turning a thumb screw (E) on the wheel end of the feed bar. This throws the drill stem (C) free from the feed bar (B), to revolve without being forced forward faster than the operator may desire to feed it, which he does in the same manner as if using the ordinary ratchet to drill iron. The crank handles (K) are supplied with extension levers, and the feed can be regulated fast or slow by turning the hand wheel (L) in connection with the cranks, or by using it to feed in ratchet style when cutting through hard rock or slate. The cog wheel (M) gives great additional power to the machine and is one of its material advantages. The feed bar (B) has a slot wherein a feathered key of the cog wheel (M) fits to enable the use of the crank handles (K) on the sides, which besides its increase motive power, is a great benefit when it is required to bore a hole close to the rib side. The bit (D) is made with three cutting points, which takes out the center and face of a hole quickly, while the twist of the bit (E) increases in spiral form all the way from point to heel, which makes it impossible for the cuttings to clog the hole, as they are carried backward and discharged at the mouth of the opening. This not only does away with a scraper, but ensures a free and easy working of the drill to any depth required.

The feed attachment of Mr. Williams' drill can be readily adjusted to the drills made by Howells, Bittenbender and others. The drill, however, is far superior to those of other make, as was amply demonstrated in the test before several prominent mine officials at the Kehley Run colliery. It is simple in all points of construction, does not exceed twenty-five pounds in weight, and can be sold at retail less than the price now charged for the others at a good profit.

Cameron Club.

A meeting of the J. Donald Cameron Club will be held in Retowich's hall on Friday, 11th inst., at 7:30 p. m. By order of the president. 9-10-21

J. F. FINNEY, Sec'y.

MORMONS ACTIVE

COMMISSIONERS FROM UTAH STILL SEEKING RECRUITS.

FULLY 200 ELDERS ARE ENGAGED

Laboring With Renewed Activity Throughout England and Scandinavia—The Proselyters All Young Men.

LONDON, Sep. 11.—The renewed activity of Mormon missionaries in England and in Scandinavia is attracting marked attention. As previously stated fully 200 elders from Utah are now engaged in the work of proselyting in the two countries mentioned. They are sent from Salt Lake City with commissioners, to stay one or two years, when they return, and their places are taken by fresh recruits.

In Yorkshire there are known to be eight at work, and more than this number are laboring in Lancashire. Two of these missionaries have been working in a small Lancashire village for nearly a year.

They do not hold public meetings, but endeavor to secure converts by private interviews. Their method is to visit the people in their own homes and in conversation with them to point out the beauty of the system of belief of the Latter Day Saints. They have a supply of which they freely distribute. These proselyters are young men.

A reporter happened to be visiting the cottage when one of these missionaries called. The cottage was occupied by three women weavers, and all single.

The elder said, after a pleasant greeting, "I will leave you this tract and will call again to answer you any questions you may desire to ask me about it."

The tract contained an outline of the doctrines and was entitled "The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Its Faith and Teaching." By Elder John Morgan.

A man, whom one of the elders visited, says: "I asked him a simple question, and that was enough. I said: 'Do you believe in a plurality of wives?' He replied in the affirmative. I then told him that that finished the job, so far as I was concerned.

To a man one of the elders showed a card containing the "articles of faith" of the Latter Day Saints, which asserted belief in the gift of prophecy, in visions, in the power of healing by prayer, etc. The man suggested to the elder that he go with him and cure a girl who had a withered hand. To this request the elder replied that he had seen sight restored to the blind by prayer, but that he would not visit the girl referred to, as faith was necessary on her part in order to bring about a cure.

This elder in the course of an interview said polygamists were of as pure life as others. They lived in accordance with the laws of Abraham. They were not prompted by vice, but were simply fulfilling God's will.

"There are no Mormons now living in polygamy," said he, "but they are obeying the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States. In Utah it is believed that the decision is unjust, and we fought it until the Church decided to abide by the decision.

"The decree, however, caused a great amount of suffering, in consequence of the forced separation of wives and children from their husbands and fathers.

"We believe that Christ will return to His own people, who will be gathered together in the United States. Our converts are still mostly drawn from England, Wales and Scandinavia."

Improved Mail Facilities.

Postmaster Geo. S. Kaiser, and his efficient aid, F. E. Strohmeier, are constantly devising means by which our mail facilities can be improved, and since they have been working together have succeeded in making several radical changes in the system that have been of much benefit to our business people. By their latest move, letters are now sent from Ashland to Scranton, Wilkes-Barre, Easton, Hazleton, Shenandoah and other points on the "cannon ball" train, leaving the P. & R. station at 6:12 p. m. Although they travel a longer distance to get to their destinations, they are received there much quicker than if they had been held until next morning and sent by the regular mail trains. They are packed direct to Philadelphia where they arrive at 11 p. m., and leave on midnight trains for points named. Thus it can be seen that a letter for Shenandoah, leaving on this train, travels two hundred and forty miles to reach a town that is only nine miles distant. Although it is packed to Philadelphia and travels this remarkable distance, it is back in Shenandoah at 4:24 next morning, which is somewhat of an improvement over the old way of sending a letter to Shenandoah, as heretofore the first mail from Ashland was received there at 10 a. m.—Ashland Telegram.

A Handsome Prize.

The Kickapoo Indians will give the prettiest lady a handsome prize Saturday night, at Robbins' opera house. Admission, 10 cents. 9-10-21

Four tinctures for 25 cents, at Dabb's. 11

MAHANOY PLANE

Items of Interest From Our Regular Correspondent.

"Labor Day" was appropriately observed in town. Everybody took a rest. Mr. Samuel Pothenus, of Montoursville, is the guest of Richard Metz.

Rev. Otto Reint and W. E. Fetzer were among those who represented our town at the Carol on Wednesday. They say the service was great.

Edward Davidson, an old time resident of this place, but now engaged in agricultural pursuits in the Ostawiech valley, paid our town a visit on Wednesday, and was kept busy shaking hands with his many friends who were delighted to see him again. Mr. Davidson has the appearance of being in every prosperous circumstance, a fact which we are well pleased to note.

The board walk fronting the Kaiser properties on Bridge street, which has long been in a rickety and unsafe condition, is being repaired with a solid and substantial plank pavement. Contractor Seaman, of Mifflinville, has the work in hand. C. D. Kaiser, of Mahanoy City, deserves much credit for this badly needed improvement.

Edward Stevens, employed in East Bear Ridge colliery, while starting a chute on Tuesday was caught by the rush of coal and badly injured about the legs.

Late on Wednesday night while a coal train was passing the depot, a coupling broke separating the train into two parts, one of which crashed into the other, piling six double cars on the track and obstructing traffic for a few hours.

Superintendent of plane R. bridge went to Gordon on Thursday, to attend the funeral of his brother, Joseph, who died at Keokuk, Iowa, from the result of injuries received in a railroad accident in that state. He leaves a wife and three children to mourn his loss.

On Wednesday morning John Spivey was married to Miss Sarah Tierney, both of this place. The ceremony took place at St. Mary's R. C. church, and was performed by Rev. Luhnran, pastor of the church. The young couple will commence housekeeping at once. Their many friends unite in wishing them bon jour.

The people of Gilberton borough are anxiously awaiting the advent of the promised electric lights, which are expected to throw some light on the whereabouts of our present street lamps.

List of uncanceled for letters remaining in the Mahanoy Plane post office, Sept. 10, 1891: Jas. McLaughlin, assessor, Wm. Durkin, W. Potts Ramsey, att'y, Peter Beckwin, H. E. Smith, Dominick Coliban, Jacob Kesseling, John Naughton, Alice Davis.

Pay Your Taxes

Notice is hereby given that all persons in arrears for 1890-91 taxes must make settlement at once, as the undersigned is determined to make his collections complete in the near future, even if arrests must be resorted to. CHRIST. SCHMIDT, Tax Collector. 9-10-31

Prime oysters, the best the market affords, always on hand at Coslett's. 8-22-11

Last Picnic.

Columbia park will be abandoned next September, as the site will thereafter be used as dumping ground for the Kehley Run colliery. The last event to be held in the park is a picnic of the Columbia Glee Club, to be held on Saturday, September 12th. 9-5-11

Second hand school books bought and sold at Max Reese's. 11

Hazleton vs. Shenandoah.

On Saturday next, at 2 p. m., the Hazleton base ball club will cross bats with Manager Sampson's team of town. It will be a great game. Admission to the grand stand, 10 cents.

Waters' Weiss beer is the best. John A. Reilly sole agent. 6-5-11

Another Lot

Of second-hand school books, just received from New York Clearing Sale Company. For sale at half price at Max Reese's. 9-5-11

Oysters are in season and the best in the market are at Coslett's. 8-22-11

Oysters.

Oysters are in season. Go to Schoener's. Families supplied. Parlors for ladies. 9-4-11

IT IS NEAR TIME

You are thinking of taking in your flowers, and you will want some pots. We got a lot of very cheap ones Monday, and when you are ready to plant don't forget that you can get them at

GRAF'S,

No. 122 North Jardin Street.