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ONE CENT.

P. J. **MONAGHAN**

28 South Main St.

HEADQUARTERS FOR

DRY GOODS!

Trimmings, Ladies' and Children's

COATS

Shades and Shadings.

Carpets and Oil Cloth

My fifty cent storm serge will compare favorably with 90c goods sold in Philadelphia and other cities. I am selling an all-wool Habit Cloth, worth 90c, for 30c per yard. I have the best 5c Corset in the region. Plain Flannels, worth 25c, sold here for 30c per yard; 4-4 wide Muslin sold for 5c per yard; the best Gray Flannel sold for 18c per yard, and a Good Flannel at 12c per yard. A good Blanket for 75c a pair.

Everything a Decided Bargain.

GENTS' Natural Wool Suits, worth \$25.00, sold now for \$22.00. Comfortables and Blankets cheap. Come at once and secure good values at old reliable stand, 28 South Main street, next door to Grand Union Tea Store.

SOLID and plated Silverware, Gold and Silver Watches, Diamonds, Precious Stones, Clocks, Bronzes, Optical Goods, Banquet, Parlor and Piano Lamps, unique in design with 75 and 250 candle power burners. All goods superior in finish and quality with rock bottom prices that withstand all opposition victoriously.

Repair work executed neatly and promptly at

Holderman's

Jewelry Store,

The most progressive establishment in the county.

Corner Main and Lloyd Streets.

JOHN F. PLOPPERT'S

Bakery: and Confectionery,

No. 29 East Centre Street.

Ice cream all the year 'round. Open Sundays. I am now making a superior quality of CREAM BREAD, something new. You want to try it, you'll use no other if you do.

Platt's Popular Saloon,

(Formerly Joe Wyatt's)

19 and 21 West Oak Street, SHENANDOAH, PA.

Bar stocked with the best beer, porter, ales, whiskeys, brandies, wines, etc. Finest cigars. Eating bar attached. Cordial invitation to all.

NEW MACKEREL.

New No. 1 Mackerel. New Large Bloater Mackerel. All Late Caught—White and Fat.

New Fishing Creek Buckwheat Flour.

NEW CANNED GOODS

We open our first invoice of **LANCY SUGAR CORN**. New packing and choice quality—2 cans for 25 cts. We have a **Cheaper Corn**, new packing, 3 cans for 25c. We never sell soaked goods at any price.

STRICTLY PURE VINEGAR—Try our Pure Catawba, Port Wine and Cider Vinegars.

MINCE MEAT.

We sell nothing but **"ALMORE'S BEST"**—It is always "the best," and always gives satisfaction.

MILL FEED.

One Car Choice Fine Middlings. One Car Fancy White Middlings. One Car Fine Chop—Our Own Make. We use only clean sound grain and **Guarantee Our Chop Strictly Pure Feed**

NEW RAG CARPETS—A large assortment—all prices. Some Fancy New Styles, 1 yard and 1 1/2 yard wide.

FOR SALE TO ARRIVE.

One car Fancy Minnesota Patent Flour—guaranteed equal to anything made. Three cars Choice Timothy Hay. One Car Choice White Oats. 50 barrels "Northwestern Daisy" Flour, quality guaranteed every time.

AT KEITER'S

Read!

And be convinced that

Dives, POMEROY Stewart

Have laid in the supply of

Comforts AND Blankets

And are prepared to meet the demands.

A Ten-day Sale will close out this lot:

100 pairs 10-4 Gray Blankets, at 75c a pair.
100 pairs 10-4 Gray Blankets, at 87 1/2c a pair.
100 pairs 10-4 Artie Gray Blankets, \$1.25 a pair.
100 pairs 10-4 Riverport 4-lb Gray Blankets, at \$1.25 a pair.
100 pairs 10-4 Riverport 5-lb Gray Blankets, at \$1.25 a pair.
100 pairs 10-4 Riverport 6-lb Gray Blankets, at \$2.00 a pair.
100 pairs 11-4 Gray Blankets, at \$2.25 a pair.
100 pairs 11-4 Extra Gray Blankets, \$2.75 a pair.
100 pairs 11-4 Very " " " 3.25 a pair.
100 pairs 11-4 " " " 3.75 a pair.

White Blankets:

500 pairs, ranging in price from 75c to \$12.50 a pair.
500 pairs Crisp Blankets.
500 pairs Well-made Comforts, from 60c to \$6.50 each.

Would ask special attention to our Down Comforts, especially those in this sale. The Comfort offered at \$6.50 are known to be sold at \$10.50 a pair. The above is not an exaggeration in number. Visit us and examine our line of coverlets before purchasing.

Headquarters for

Blankets, Comforts and Woolen Goods.

DIVES, POMEROY & STEWART

POTTSVILLE, PA.

C. GEO. MILLER, Manager.

25 CTS. PER YARD

OIL CLOTH.

Others for 35, 45, 50c and upwards. Parties having carpet rags should send them and have them made into a first-class carpet.

C. D. FRICKE'S

Carpet Store, 10 South Jardin St.

SAYS IT IS BLACKMAIL!

MRS. WEBB MAKES A SENSATIONAL CHARGE.

THE ACCUSED 'WILL FIGHT IT'

Dr. Erwin Declares That There is Absolutely Nothing in the Case and That the Court Will Vindicate Him.



HERE was a sensational report in town yesterday to the effect that one of our professional men had disappeared under a cloud. A HERALD reporter was sent out to locate the source of the report and found that it arose from a sensational law suit recently instituted against one of our townsmen, a dentist.

It appears that the complainant in the case is Mrs. Henry Webb, wife of a farmer residing at Roaring Creek. The defendant in the case is Dr. John W. Erwin, the dentist. The claim made by Mrs. Webb is that one day while she was in the dentist's office having her teeth operated upon he took undue advantage of her while she was under the influence of ether.

A HERALD reporter called upon the dentist yesterday afternoon. He frankly admitted that he had been arrested on a charge made by Mrs. Webb and that the case is awaiting trial at the Pottsville court. Dr. Erwin said, "There is absolutely nothing in the case and I do not think it is necessary that anything should be said about it. It will be time enough to publish after the court gives its decision, which will certainly be in my favor. The truth is the arrest came, upon me like a clap of thunder. It is a case of blackmail and I will fight it."

The finding of the doctor at his office was conclusive evidence of the falsity of the rumor that he had disappeared, and he does not intend to go away, as is intimated by the declaration that he intends to fight the case.

PERSONAL.

Robert Oliver is seriously ill. O. B. Williams, of Ashley, is visiting friends here.

George Ball, of Minersville, was in town to-day on business.

Daniel Neiswander is laid up with an attack of typhoid fever.

W. W. Lewis, of Mahanoy City, spent yesterday afternoon in town.

Miss Alice Metz, of Lost Creek, spent yesterday afternoon in town.

Trainmaster Brill and Road Foreman of Engines McMullen, of Delano, took in the show last night.

Rev. S. Cooper, formerly of town, will occupy the pulpit in the P. M. church to-morrow evening.

Joseph E. Kennard, of West Centre street, was made the happy father of a bouncing daughter last evening. The mother and babe are doing well.

J. D. Hughes, traveling salesman for Heebner & Paul, piano dealers of Pottsville, was in town and placed a fine instrument in Keogh's saloon on East Centre street.

Frank Reeber, formerly of Lost Creek and a graduate of the High School of town, left to-day for his home in Philadelphia after spending a few days with friends here.

Miss Emma Wasley, who has just returned from Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, Pa., last evening entertained a large number of her town and out-of-town friends at the residence of her mother on South White street.

CENTRALIA.

Miss Laura Watkins visited Shenandoah yesterday.

Bernard McBrearty, Joseph Browell and Wm. Beason, three of our promising young men, spent last evening with friends in Mt. Carmel.

James Thomas, a former townsman, but now of Reading, spent Thanksgiving Day with his mother, Mrs. S. Thomas.

Miss Sabina Lavelle and Miss Bridget McLane left on Tuesday for the Quaker City.

John Lynch spent yesterday with his brother James, at Mahanoy City.

John Chapman and Robert Stahler, who were injured by the cave-in at Centralia colliery last Saturday, are recovering.

Nov. 25.

Died.

FRITCHARD.—On the 25th inst., at Shenandoah, Pa., Maurey, son of David O. and Katie E. Fritchard, aged 3 years, 1 month and 16 days. Funeral will take place on Monday, 28th inst., at 3 p. m., from the family residence, 217 Poplar street. Interment in the Odd Fellows' cemetery. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend.

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A Runaway.

A horse belonging to H. W. Timm ran away on East Centre street this morning. The damage was limited to slight injury to the buggy.

Buy Keystone Flour. Be sure that the name Lesco & Co., Ashland, Ia., is printed on every sack.

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OBES OBSERVATIONS.

What He Sees and Hears During His Travels.

One would think that from the large number of poor girls and young women in the town a dozen or so who are ready and willing to lend a helping hand to their hard struggling parents could be picked. But such is not the case. The girls who seem to be the most willing to work come from the families that are not really in need of their help. A few days ago there was a great demand for girls to do household work. It was only after much difficulty that the places were filled. Nearly all the girls or young women who answered the call were willing to do the work, but preferred to live at home and did not wish to give the employing parties the benefit of their services in the evening. One young woman said, "No, I will not engage to live with the family. I will do what I can during the day, but the evening I want for myself." The gentlemen who were told this thought at first that it was a love of home that made the girls object to living with the families, but one of them determined to watch and see, and he has found that three of four girls who thought so much of home are among the most regular patrons of balls and skating parties. But there is another class of girls who do not seem to wish to work night and day. A manufacturing establishment of town has advertised several times the past few days for girls, and not one application has been made.

If the town was filled with prospering and well-to-do families a lack of working help might pass unnoticed, but with the present social condition of the town it is amazing to see so many let a chance to earn a few honest dollars every week pass through their hands rather than forfeit the frivolous and fleeting pleasures afforded by the ball rooms.

John S. Honsenick, of the hat and cap manufacturing firm of Robbins & Honsenick, spent yesterday in New York City looking after the interests of his firm. This home industry is on the highway of success. The firm recently secured a second contract from the government for 5,000 navy caps.

PHILLIPS ACQUITTED

The Jury so Decides After Five Hours' Deliberation.

The Phillips murder trial ended yesterday afternoon when the jury, after five hours' deliberation, acquitted the defendant.

John A. Nash made a strong plea for the prisoner yesterday morning and was followed by District Attorney Koch.

Judge Boehlert charged the jury at length and said that one of four verdicts could be found. The jury came in at 5:55 with a verdict of acquittal. Four ballots were taken. The first ballot stood 8 to 4, the minority for conviction. The second ballot stood 9 to 3; third, 10 to 2, and on the fourth ballot the entire 12 men voted for acquittal.

Get the Genuine.

If you suffer with lame back, especially in morning, Alcock's Porous Plasters are a sure relief.

If you cannot sleep, try an Alcock Plaster, well up between the shoulder blades—often relieves—sometimes cures. Try this before you resort to opiates.

If any of your muscles are lame—joints stiff—feel as if they wanted oiling—or if you suffer with any local pains or aches, these plasters will cure you.

If you use them once you will realize why so many plasters have been made in imitation of them. Like all good things, they are copied as closely as the law allows. Don't be duped by taking an imitation when it is as easy to get the genuine.

If you always insist upon having Alcock's Porous Plasters and never accept a substitute, you will not be disappointed.

"The Bandit King."

James H. Wallick, in "The Bandit King," played to a crowded house last night at Ferguson's theatre. Mr. Wallick has lost none of his old graceful style and charming manners, and captured the hearts of the audience at once. The company was well balanced and presented the play in first-class style.

The Place to Go.

Shenandoah people visiting the county seat (surnamed Pottsville) all call in the Academy Restaurant, either J. F. Cooney, the proprietor, greets you with a smile, or his genial brother, M. A. Cooney, welcomes you. It is the resort for all gentlemen from north of the mountain.

8-24-1c

Water Company Notice.

The Shenandoah Water and Gas Company gives notice that the water will be turned off at 6 p. m. on Monday, 28th inst., and remain off until 7 a. m. on Tuesday; and until further notice thereafter the water will be turned off from 6 p. m. to 7 a. m. and 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

11-26-1c S. D. Hess, Superintendent.

Deputies Appointed.

District Attorney-elect James W. Ryan yesterday announced his deputies. They are M. P. McLaughlin, Esq., Deputy, and Edgar W. Dechler, Esq., Assistant Deputy. Both are young men of more than ordinary ability and will do credit to their positions. Mr. Dechler is a nephew of Judge Boehlert.

Downs' Effix will cure any cough or cold no matter of how long standing.

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There are many common ailments sold but there is only one great pain cure for all forms of neuralgia, rheumatism, and all bodily pain. Its name is Red Flag Oil. Costs 25 cents. Sold at P. P. D. Kirlin's drug store.

HE IS AN OLD BIRD!

THE POLICE MAKE AN IMPORTANT ARREST.

A GURIOUS COLLECTION OF BOOTY

A Search Warrant Brings to Light Considerable Stuff That Was Stolen From the P. & R. C. & I. Company.



POLICEMEN HOLVEY and Williams have the credit for making one of the most important arrests made here for some time. The sneak thief they arrested Thursday night just after he had cleaned off a clothes line in a dark and lonely section of the town proves to be an old offender and one beyond all redemption.

The man arrested was known to the police as Simon Madalis, but his real name is Mike Molesis. This name was found on a miners' certificate granted on the 21st of last May by Examiners John McCutcheon, William Saeger and John H. Reese. The certificate was found in the prisoner's trunk and he claimed it as his own.

The arrest of this man will no doubt lead to a solution of a large number of mysterious burglaries and robberies that have taken place here during the past several months, and the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company is taking an active interest in the case. Molesis is very short and heavy built fellow with a most villainous looking countenance, which bears a strong resemblance to a gorilla. The lower part of his face is very prominent and slopes backward to the roots of the hair. His nose is small and flat and his eyes very small, piercing and deep-set. His whole appearance is that of a desperate character, and from the manner in which he testified before Squire Williams last night showed that he had little respect for an oath and would stop at nothing to get himself out of a difficulty.

Yesterday afternoon the police searched the house in the First ward at which Molesis made his home. A rich find rewarded them for their trouble. In the man's room they found a trunk filled with a most curious collection of articles. Two bags full were carried to the justice's office and spread out. The articles consisted of nineteen pair of men's drawers, nineteen shirts, seven dozen towels and a lot of other linen and cotton flannel pieces. The collection also included collar buttons, bunches of keys, half a dozen pocket knives, hatchets, hammers, punches, awls, carpenters' squares and chisels, lumbermen's calipers, such as are used at the collieries, padlocks, switchlocks bearing the monogram "P. & R.," boxes of caps and squibs, seven sticks of dynamite and an innumerable quantity of other articles, large and small, valuable and worthless.

When asked where he got the linen and cotton flannel articles Molesis said he brought them with him from England, where he purchased them for his own use. Notwithstanding the man cannot speak or understand the English language (or at least pretends not to) and the services of an interpreter were necessary for the hearing, the man swore that he resided in England seven years and this country four. When asked where he secured the carpenter's tools he said they were used by him when he was a carpenter in England. He was next asked about the dynamite, squibs and caps found in his trunk and said he bought them at the Suffolk colliery, where he was employed as a miner. Pushed on this question he swore that he has been a miner at that colliery for the past two years; that he has a brood there and receives \$1 yardage and \$1 a car. He stuck to this story notwithstanding some P. & R. checks but a few months old found in his trunk showed that he was employed as an outside laborer at \$1 per day. He was smart enough to tell the miner story in order to account for the dynamite and other explosives found in his trunk.

After an exhaustive examination Molesis was committed to the lockup pending further examination and additional searches by the police, who hope to bring more stolen property to light and learn something that will lead to the arrest of the man's accomplices. Investigation at Suffolk colliery to-day showed that Molesis and his son have worked at that place as sub-contractors for Otto Borer since December last. Borer will be at the hearing to-night. He claims to have lost a number of tools.

Best work done at Brennan's Steam Laundry. Everything white and spotless. Lace curtains a specialty. All work guaranteed.

"I have used Salvation Oil in my family and find it to be a splendid liniment. Mrs. Ella Journey, 728 6th St., Pottsville, Pa."

LOST CREEK CONFIRMATION.

Archbishop Ryan Confirms Over Four Hundred Candidates.

The announcement that Archbishop Ryan would administer the confirmation rites to four hundred candidates at Lost Creek yesterday drew many strangers to that town, and these, added to the people of town, made the largest crowd of people that had ever assembled there on any previous occasion.

The procession started promptly at 1:30 o'clock, in the following order: Chief Marshal, Thomas McKeon; Aids, P. J. Ferguson and Daniel Toland; T. A. B. Band, 21 men; Cadets, 65; T. A. B. Society, 60 men; St. Patrick's Society, 49 men; E. B. A., 65 men; B. V. M. Sodality, 58 members; Angel Sodality, 70 members; candidates for confirmation, 400.

The line of parade was to Wm. Penn, where the Archbishop was met and escorted to the church. After thanking the people and societies for their most gracious welcome, His Grace administered the sacrament of confirmation to the candidates. He was assisted by Rev. Fathers Daggett, of Lost Creek, and O'Reilly and Lenarkewicz, of Shenandoah.

At the conclusion of the ceremonies the Archbishop preached an eloquent sermon to the children and their parents. In his closing remarks he expressed his delight at seeing so many temperance men and cadets of temperance and so many of the sodality; as intemperance is the mother of many vices and impurities, so temperance is the mother of many virtues; and the increase of membership in these societies was evidence of an increase of sobriety, industry and morality in the community.

The exercises closed with benediction by His Grace.

Father Daggett, the parish priest, deserves the highest praise for the great work he has performed during his pastorate there, thinking nothing too much to do that would build up his church, and the moral tone of his parishioners.

GAUGHAN BURIED.

The Man Who Was Gored by a Bull at Wm. Penn Dies.

John C. Gaughan, who was so badly gored by a bull in the yard of his home at Wm. Penn on Monday last, was buried to-day. Gaughan lingered until about 9 o'clock on the morning of Thanksgiving Day, when he succumbed to an injury in his chest caused by the bull tramping upon him. The remains were first taken to the Lost Creek Catholic church and after service there they were taken to Centralia for interment.

Father Duffy's Funeral.

The body of Father Duffy will be laid at rest in the south side of the new church near the channel of St. Joseph's altar, Pottsville. Archbishop Ryan is expected to be present and at least one hundred clergymen will assist in the ceremonies. Pottsville will be thronged with visitors on the occasion and it is believed that it will be the largest assemblage ever gathered there to pay homage to the dead. In anticipation of a crush during the ceremonies the police force has been invited to be present to keep back the crowds. From 4 p. m. to-morrow until 10 a. m. night people will be permitted to view the remains at the church in Union Hall. The funeral will take place on Monday morning.

Committed to Jail.

Frank Reilly, married, and James Fox, John Conway, Irvin Weir, Michael Holman, James McGovern and Patrick Langton, of York Tunnel and Branchdale, were committed to prison in default of bail, charged with rape, on oath of Ellen Rowe, aged 14 years.

The Telegraphers Contest.

The telegraphers' sending contest at Schuylkill Haven Thursday evening attracted a large number of telegraphers. George C. Williams, of Reading, won the first prize, a gold medal, and J. O. Houg, of Branch Chunk, the second prize, a silver medal.

"Don't Tobacco Spit or Smoke Your Life Away."

Is the name of a little book just received, telling all about No-to-bac—the wonderful, harmless, guaranteed cure for chewing smoking—cigarette habit or snuff dipping. No-to-bac is the only guaranteed tobacco habit cure in the world—sold by druggists—Mention this paper. THE STERLING REMEDY CO., 45 Randolph St., Chicago—or Indiana Mineral Springs, Ind., and get a book mailed free. 11-11-13c-eod

Letter List.

The following letters remain uncalled for in the Shenandoah, Schuylkill county, Pa., post office, November 26, 1892:

Eagan May Knappa Phebe
Rigby Ellen Weaver Mrs. Daniel

Parties calling for advertised letters should please say "advertised." One cent will be charged on all advertised letters.

H. C. BOYER, P. M.

A Patriotic Sermon.

Rev. D. I. Evans, of the Welsh Baptist church, of town, will deliver a special sermon to the members of Major Jennings' Council, No. 367, Jr. O. U. A. M., to-morrow evening. Services begin at 6 o'clock.

To the Public.

It is important that chimneys should be cleaned to avoid fire. I, the undersigned, am engaged in sweeping chimneys for a fair price. Call on or address D. Bradley, 545 East Centre street, Shenandoah. 11-26-3c

A Great Stock.

Five thousand novels, the latest and best issued, selling at 25 cents other pieces, for sale at Max Reese's for 19 cents. The finest playing cards in the market 5 cents per pack.

"Pill of Trouble" is the unhappy sufferer with pains and rheumatism. Red Flag Oil is the famous and best cure for Rheumatism, Gout, Neuralgia and Lumbago. Costs 25 cents. Red Flag Oil is sold at P. P. D. Kirlin's drug store.