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A Big Drive

IS NOW ON AT

P. J.

MONAGHAN'S

28 South Main St.

Clearing Sale of Winter Goods!

Gents' red underwear that formerly sold for $1 will now go at 80c.

Special sale of Blankets.

Only a few more of those desirable Coats left over which will be sold regardless of cost.

Carpets and oil cloths at the lowest prices consistent with first-class goods.

Dress goods, notions, etc.

—THE MASTER—

House Painters and Decorators

Have adopted the following prices for paper-hanging and decorating for 1893,

Commencing March 1.

Per piece for Brown and White Blanks.....12½c
" " Gilt Papers.....15c
" " Embossed Papers.....18c
" " Decorating Ceilings.....18c
" " Joining or Butting.....18c
Four Cornices to be charged as 1 piece.....18c
Gluesizing, per room 12x14 feet.....50c
Larger and smaller rooms according to size.
Removing old paper and preparing walls, 25c per hour. All work guaranteed.

No Paper Hung by the Day.

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Barber Shop,

COR. MAIN AND OAK STS.

Everything in the tonsorial line done in first class style. A fine bath room attached.

Platt's Popular Saloon,

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19 and 21 West Oak Street,

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

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Amusements.

FERGUSON'S THEATRE.

P. J. FERGUSON, MANAGER.

Return Engagement—By Request.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15.

The powerful romantic actor,

Frederic Bryton,

—IN—

"FORGIVEN!"

A Touch of Nature in Four Acts, by Mr. Clay Greene.

"And I think in the lives of most men and women
There's a moment when all would go smooth and even
If only the dead could find out when
To come back and be forgiven."
—*Owen Meredith.*

Prices, 25, 50 and 75 Cents.

Reserved seats at Kirlin's drug store.

FERGUSON'S THEATRE.

P. J. FERGUSON, MANAGER.

SATURDAY, MARCH 18th

A stupendous production,

CIRCUS : DAY!

Glorious combination of

Farce, Comedy and Circus!

Biggest novelty on the road. A delightful comedy. A clever company of comedians. Sweet singers. Graceful dancers. The leading circus celebrities of both hemispheres. Special scenery. Added at an enormous expense, the talking horse,

MAHOMET

What a novelty to see an elaborate production of farce, comedy and circus performance on the open house stage. No sitting under health-destroying canvass. A clean, moral and instructive performance.

Prices, 25, 35 and 50 Cents.

Reserved seats on sale at Kirlin's drug store.

To Builders!

The season for building is almost at hand, and we have just replenished our stock of all kinds of Hardware, Nails and Builders' Supplies.

We also carry an immense line of Stoves, Ranges, Cutlery and Tinware. Roofing and Spouting our specialty.

Peter Griffiths,

GIRARDVILLE, PA.

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35 CTS. PER YARD FOR *Home-made Rag Carpet*

Taken out of the loom to-day. Others for 45, 50 and 55c, extra heavy. Brussels and Ingrain Carpets and Oil Cloths. Remnants will be sold almost at your own price.

C. D. FRICKE'S

Carpet Store, 10 South Jardin St.

C. T. HAVICE,

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Office—Northeast Cor. Main and Centre Sts Shenandoah, over Stein's drug store.

1893-NEW CARPETS-1893

For the Spring Trade.

New Patterns in Moquette, Body and Tapestry Brussels. All Prices, From 50 Cents up.

A Full Line of Ingrains, From 35 Cents up.

A Full Stock of Rag Carpets, New Rugs, Choice Pattern, At Low Prices.

Floor Oil Cloths and Linoleum, All Widths and Prices, from 25 cents up

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FLOUR. FLOUR.

Minnesota "Daisy" Family Patent.
White Wheat Pastry Flour.
Old Time Graham Flour.
High Grade Roller Flour, $4.50 per bbl.
Choice Fresh-ground Rye Flour.

Received Our First Invoice of Summer Sausage.

Another Shipment of Oranges Direct From Florida, Now on the Way.

Fry Creamery and Dairy Butter.

AT KEITER'S

TO CHECK EXHAUSTION.

A NOVEL COAL BILL INTRODUCED AT HARRISBURG.

A MINIMUM PRICE OF $5 PER TON

If the Bill Becomes a Law Mine Corporations and Dealers in Other States Will be Obliged to Have Licenses

AN important bill has been introduced in the Legislature at Harrisburg by Captain Broadhead, of Wilkes-Barre. The purpose of the bill is to protect the anthracite deposits of this state and incidentally to show the law makers of New York how far wide of the mark their understanding of the coal trade is.

The preamble of the bill sets forth that the anthracite coal bed of the world, comprising an area of only 470 square miles, is wholly contained within the State of Pennsylvania. That all the coal lands of the Wyoming regions, supplying 50 per centum of the total output, are now developed and are being mined, and there are practically no undeveloped coal lands in the Lehigh, Shamokin and Mt. Carmel regions; and at the present rate of mining, collieries in the Wyoming region, now producing 5,000,000 tons of coal yearly, will be exhausted within five years.

The bill further sets forth that the cost of coal in the ground has advanced from 10 to 50 cents per ton and the cost of mining coal has and will increase each year until its exhaustion, from the difficulty of mining lower, thinner and impurer veins. That neighboring states have attempted to regulate the the sale of anthracite coal, within their borders, and to fix a price therfore less than the price at which it is sold within said states, which is furnished to the producer by divine providence free of all cost, except that of harvesting, storing and delivering. And, further, that it is necessary for the production of the material interests of the Commwealth, that the present production of anthracite coal be regulated so as to prevent further waste, and to provide an adequate return to the citizens of the Commonwealth.

The bill then provides for the following enactments: That from and after July 1st, 1893, it shall be unlawful for any person, firm, corporation, joint stock company, or limited partnership association, to engage in the business of mining and selling anthracite coal except a license therefore shall have been previously obtained as hereinafter provided. That licenses shall be granted only to citizens of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, or to firms, the individual members comprising which are all citizens of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, or to joint stock companies, limited partnerships or corporations, organized, chartered or incorporated under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and having their places of business within the Commonwealth. Also, that licenses shall be granted upon a petition and bond and shall entitle the holder or holders thereof to engage in the business of mining and selling anthracite coal for the term and period of one year from the date of the issuance thereof.

The bill makes the additional provisions that from and after July 1st, 1893, it shall be unlawful for any licensed miner or vender of anthracite coal to sell any anthracite coal to any person or persons, natural or artificial, for transportation or use outside the State of Pennsylvania, for any less sum or price than $5 per ton of 2,240 pounds, delivered at the borders of the state. That it shall be unlawful for any transportation company or common carrier to move, take or transport anthracite coal, except that mined by a licensed miner and seller of anthracite coal, and all transportation companies or common carriers shall, before receiving any anthracite coal in their cars, boats or other vehicles, or on their tracks or canals, require the said miner and shipper to exhibit the license required. Provided, however, that if the said miner shall file with the transportation company or common carrier, a certificate from the secretary of the commonwealth that a license has been granted, the transportation company or common carrier may receive coal from such miner without the production of the original license. The penalties provided for violation of the law are a fine of not less than $10,000 for the first offense and not less than $20,000 for the second.

The honest public sentiment of the people of the United States is unanimously in favor of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. The dealers pronounce it to be the only standard cough remedy.

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

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Died.

SCHEETZ.—In Shenandoah, Pa., March 12, 1893, Peter Sheetz, aged 43 years and 5 months. Funeral Wednesday at 10 o'clock a. m.; High Mass in Annunciation church; interment in the Annunciation cemetery. Friends and relatives respectfully invited to attend. 3 13-2t

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Truth like gold is not the less so for having recently been brought out of the mine. Dr. Coxe's wonderful Cough Syrup bearing the full image of the former and the shining stamp of the latter, passes current everywhere.

Fresh Morris River Cove Oysters received daily at Coslett's. 2-22-tf

OVER 100,000 VOTES IN

THE TEACHERS' CONTEST IS STILL BOOMING.

Friends of the Teachers Continue Sending in the Coupons Every Day by the Thousands—Positions of the Three Leaders.

Nellie Baird	21596
Mame G. Wasley	21290
Agnes Stein	19837
Mary A. Connelly	7997
Malinda Fairchild	6942
Frank H. Williams	5805
Carrie Faust	2093
Bridget A. Burns	2728
Anna M. Dougher	2015
Mary A. Lafferty	1696
Lillie B. Phillips	1815
Carrie M. Smith	1351
Mary A. Stack	1345
Hattie Hess	929
James H. Lewis	562
Ella Clauser	556
Hannah Reese	540
Annie Mansell	428
Maggie Cavanaugh	413
Clara Cline	378
Sadie Daniell	286
Irene Shane	241
Jennie Ramage	169
Lizzie Lehr	121
Lizzie O'Connell	116
Votes polled yesterday	2887
Grand total	101316

Many people are surprised at the continued success of HERALD'S popular school teachers' contest. They say that they expected the competition would be brisk for the first four or five weeks, but after that time they expected to see the interest lag and remain dormant until the last month or six weeks. As a matter of fact the contest is more brisk now and has been the past two weeks than it was at any time during the first month and the indications are that it will be just as lively the next two weeks. The success of the venture has certainly been remarkable and far exceeds at this date the most sanguine expectations of the management. It was this that led to the offering of extra inducements to the contestants.

As will be seen by reference to the above table the contest between Misses Baird and Wasley is becoming quite close, but the former still holds the lead by over 300 votes. Miss Stein is also making rapid progress and will probably be above the 20,000-mark with the two leaders by to-morrow night. Miss Hess, who has been making a quiet poll will soon be above 1,000. Less than a hundred votes will put her there.

USE DANA'S SARSAPARILLA, ITS "THE KIND THAT CURES."

PERSONAL.

Harry Wasley is home from school.

James Muir, of Pottsville, was in town today.

Squire Horn, of Brandonville, was in town yesterday.

A. W. Leisenring, of Mauch Chunk, spent yesterday afternoon in town.

Miss Mullen, of Shamokin, is visiting Miss Nell Reilly, of South Main street.

Contractor M. P. Quinn, of Pottsville, was a visitor to town yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Thomas Lathlanc has gone to Minersville to spend a few days with friends.

Harris Seff, the popular South Main street merchant, is in New York city on business.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Broughall were the guests of Miss Salmon, of Hazleton, on Sunday.

Men who believed themselves to be under the plum tree anxiously awaited the dawn of this day.

The Democratic editors are all right, after all. President Cleveland denies drawing a line in that direction.

There is going to be some interesting times among the Democrats of town before the county convention meets.

Mrs. Samuel Davis, Mrs. Charles Hoffman and Mrs. Thomas left town this morning to spend the day at Pottsville visiting friends.

After awhile it will turn out that the Democratic President is no better than any body else. All the declaration of good intentions will turn out to be nothing but buncombe.

STREET PAVING.

The Contractors Have Fixed a Date for a Start.

Lewis and Thomas Grant, who have been awarded the street paving contracts by the Borough Council, spent some time yesterday looking over the squares to be paved and discussing the preliminaries. It is stated that the paving will start on Monday, April 3d, and the machinery and material will probably arrive here next week. The date fixed is, of course, subject to postponement should there be a change in the weather that will tend to keep the frost in the ground, but it is thought there is little danger of delay from that source.

The property owners on the Main street square between Centre and Lloyd streets are again taking an active interest in the paving question and it is quite likely that they will petition Council to also have that square paved. They claim that if a contract is given for that portion the contractors will cut the street down to grade on the same terms provided for in the contracts already made. Should the borough undertake to cut the street down to grade the cost will be almost as much as the *pro rata* share for paving.

Hand Hurt.

Richard Hornberger, employed at Suffolk colliery, had one of his hands badly cut by a fall of coal this morning.

Buy *Keystone* flour. Be sure that the name LESSIG & BARR, Ashland, Pa., is printed on every sack. 3-3-3taw

PAUL SUMMA'S LICENSE.

HIS DISAPPEARANCE CAUSES A LITIGATION.

PROTEST AGAINST A TRANSFER.

Mrs. Breen's Application for the License is Objected to on the Ground That Summa Has Not Consented to It

THE License Court still has a few cases hanging upon its hands for disposal and one of them is the license which was held by Paul Summa. The matter comes up again on an application to have the license transferred from Summa's name to that of Mrs. Breen, the owner of the property, and it led to quite a discussion before the court at Pottsville yesterday.

M. M. Burke, Esq., presented the petition for Mrs. Breen. With it was an affidavit by J. J. Raney, the agent for the property, which is located on the southwest corner of Main and Poplar streets, setting forth the usual formal facts in addition to a statement that Paul Summa has disappeared, his whereabouts are unknown, and that the place as conducted under his license was sold out under landlord's proceedings.

J. H. Pomeroy and T. R. Beddall, Esqs., appeared and remonstrated against the transfer. They raised the point that the consent of Paul Summa would be necessary to effect a transfer and added that Mrs. Breen, the owner of the premises, was making an application for the license with the intention of transferring it to Michael Pribula, now a resident of the First ward, and who was refused a license at the January term of court. The point was also raised that the court cannot grant a new license at this late date.

Mrs. Breen's counsel said in reply that a new license was not asked for and in support of his application for a transfer without the consent of Paul Summa he stated that all efforts to find the man had failed. Mr. Burke also stated that at the proper time he would produce two decisions made by the Luzerne county courts, where it was held that the consent of a license holder is not absolutely necessary to effect a transfer.

After listening to several statements on these several points the court decided to put the case on the calendar for argument next Monday morning, and a red hot argument it promises to be, as the parties on both sides seem determined to exhaust every advantage the law allows for and against the transfer. The point on the absence of Summa's consent is the first raised in the license court of this county and the result will be awaited with much interest. It has always been considered here that the consent of a holder of a license was essential to a transfer.

REVIVAL SEASON OPENED

Miss DeMerritt is at the Primitive Methodist Church.

Miss DeMerritt, the lady evangelist who has been doing royal revival service in Lackawanna and Luzerne counties for several weeks past, arrived in town yesterday and was at the Primitive Methodist church last evening.

The evangelist was to have appeared at the church on Sunday, but the floods in the Wilkes-Barre region prevented her coming until yesterday. There was a good-sized gathering in the church last evening and the meeting was an enthusiastic one.

Miss DeMerritt is a pleasant, cheerful little lady, with very fair complexion, light hair and a sweet-shaped face. She dresses in black. Her appearance and manner of speaking has a magnetic effect and throughout the address last evening the undivided attention of the listeners was held.

Rev. Proude opened the service with a few remarks on the contemplated work of Miss DeMerritt and after the singing of a number of hymns the evangelist was introduced.

Miss DeMerritt spoke for about half an hour, contrasting the condition of those who have become christians with that of those who have followed the wayward path or who have not accepted christianity as their guide. The evangelist spoke with much feeling and was quite emotional at times.

It was announced that Miss DeMerritt will conduct revival services in the church every evening for the next two weeks, Saturdays excepted.

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25 and 50 cents a bottle. No better investment can be had than a bottle of the celebrated imported Anchor Pain Expeller for rheumatic complaints. It has received the indorsements of prominent physicians, and is for sale at C. H. Hagenbuch, P. P. D. Kirlin, J. M. Hillan, and other druggists. 3t

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McAvoy Pleaded Guilty.

Michael McAvoy, of Glover's Hill, whom James Canfield charged with being implicated with him in stealing $137 from George Flook, pleaded guilty before the court at Pottsville yesterday. McAvoy had previously denied that he was in any way implicated in the case and furnished bail for trial, but upon learning that Canfield had pleaded guilty on Friday he decided to do likewise. The specific charge against him was receiving stolen goods, a part of the stolen money. Judge Ermentrout sentenced him to 60 days imprisonment, pay $1 fine and restore the property he received. Canfield restored $30 of the money and said he did not know what became of the rest, the implication being that McAvoy got it.

Holderman's jewelry store leads as ever.

TO FIGHT IT OUT.

Method Adopted by Two Men to Settle an Argument.

Two well known men of town indulged in a bare-fist fight last night and pounded each other in the dark until, by mutual consent, they decided to postpone hostilities to give daylight a chance to get around. Only three men were on the scene of battle. They were the two principals and the referee. The principals had a quarrel over something and agreed to go to a place near the site of the old Centennial colliery engine house to fight it out under the watchful eyes of the third party.

The men battled some time and their efforts to "swipe" each other were "dead earnest," but owing to the darkness that prevailed many blows missed the marks and the referee was obliged to keep dancing about to avoid some of the whacks. When the pugilist tired they agreed to meet again this afternoon or early this evening at some place near the old Columbia park. Nothing was heard of the men to-day. One of the principals was quite prominent at one time as a sprinter; the other has gained a reputation as a pigeon shooter, and the third, the referee, has figured quite prominently in social pugilistic circles. It is said that each of the principals received a black eye before they adjourned.

STILL ANOTHER.

One Story Confirmed by the Telling of Another.

"Say, young man," exclaimed one of our townsmen to a HERALD reporter yesterday, "you remember the story I told you a short time ago about the servant girl boiling a sponge and tendering it to her mistress on a plate with a knife and fork?"

"Yes, I wrote it up for the HERALD and some of the readers said it was the toughest thing they had seen for some time."

"What, the sponge?"

"No, the yarn," answered the reporter.

"Well, I tell you, young man, that story was true," continued the townsman; "and I have another that arises from the same place. The other day the mistress said to the servant, "Go up to Mr. ——'s room and *sweep*."

The servant and a broom disappeared to the upper part of the house. Seconds passed into minutes, and the minutes accumulated until over an hour had passed, but the servant did not return to the lower part of the house. The mistress became impatient and went up stairs to learn what laborious task was monopolizing the servant's time. Imagine her surprise when she found the girl sound asleep in Mr. ——'s bed. When asked to explain the girl innocently answered, "I *sleep*."

"Now, young man," said our townsman, after drawing a long breath, "this story is absolutely true. If the family holds on to that servant girl I expect to get enough material to fill a volume."

USE DANA'S SARSAPARILLA, ITS "THE KIND THAT CURES."

Points.

Letter carriers will now be paid extra for over time. The Supreme Court has so decided.

The transfers of liquor licenses continues.

The county court is still crippled, yet a great deal of work is being done.

The borough authorities are after those people who are maintaining nuisances on their properties.

Hicks predicts a storm on or about the 19th. Two feet of snow, thunder and lightning, &c.

That old established cough remedy, Downs Elixir, still more than holds its own in the public estimation, despite sharp and active competition. It is a "home remedy," and in this locality needs no word of praise from us, so well and favorably known is it. It is the standard remedy for coughs, colds and all throat troubles, with great numbers of our people, and their continued use and unsolicited recommendation of it speaks volumes in its favor.—*Burlington, Vt., Free Press, January 26, 1892.* 1m

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Coming Events.

March 16.—Tea party in Robbins' opera house, under the auspices of the Welsh Congregational church.

A Voice From Florida

Dr. W. F. Bynum, Live Oak, Florida, says: Red Flag Oil is one of the most successful pain cures I sell. It's an unfailing remedy for Rheumatism, Neuralgia and Sciatica. Red Flag Oil costs 25 cents. Sold at C. H. D. Kirlin's drug store.

Special A. P. L. A. Notice.

All members of the Star of Bethlehem Lodge, of town, and Pride of Schuylkill Lodge, of Gilberton, are requested to attend the meeting of Lady Harrison Lodge, A. P. L. A., in town to-morrow (Tuesday) evening, at 7 o'clock, as the grand officer will be present.

MAGGIE COYLE, W. M.
CASSIE LEWIS, Secretary. 3-13-2t

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Twelve Photos for 50c.

By sending us your cabinet, together with 50 cents, we will finish you one dozen photos.

1-2-tf W. A. KEAGEY.

Wanted,

To complete files, two copies each of the EVENING HERALD of January 1st, 2d and 4th, and February 5th, 1892. A liberal price will be paid for the same.

We are closing out a great many of our Carpets, Oil Cloths and Window Shades at cost, in order to make room for Spring goods.

C. D. Fricke,
2-9-tf 10 South Jardin St