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I am exclusive agent for the celebrated Belding's New Perfection Refrigerators, now in stock and on exhibition at our store, where you can see its working qualities. All prices and styles. Call and see them

AT COURT YESTERDAY.

RESULT OF THE HALEY SUIT AGAINST THE BOROUGH.

A VERDICT GIVEN FOR \$1,672.50.

Arbitrators Had Given the Claimant \$9,000—The Jury Had a Forty-Hour Deliberation. Another Warning.



CONSIDERABLE interest was manifested in the suit of Mrs. Ann Haley against the borough of Shenandoah, which was brought to recover damages for injuries sustained by a fall upon a defective pavement, but no one interested in the case had the slightest idea that the facts would so tax the intelligence of a jury to prolong a deliberation on a verdict for two days and nights.

The case was called for trial on Monday morning and Mrs. Haley went into court with the advantage of an award on arbitration amounting to \$9,000. The original claim was for \$10,000. At about 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon the case was concluded and the jury retired. Yesterday afternoon a verdict for \$1,672.50 was returned, after the jury had been locked up about 40 hours.

Shortly before 4 o'clock on Wednesday the jurors in the case appeared before Judge Albright, the Lehigh county judge who is acting in Judge Pershing's absence, and stated in writing that after a deliberation of 22 hours they had exhausted all means consistent in the case and had failed to reach a verdict. They said it seemed impossible to reach a verdict and asked to be discharged.

Judge Albright insisted upon a verdict and one of the jurors, D. M. Haas, of Gordon, answered, "Your honor, we stand 11 to 1, and we can't agree. It's no use trying." The judge said he wanted a verdict and upon offering to give any instructions that might be required and failing to hear a response he ordered the tipstaves to take the jurymen back to their room. A confinement of 18 hours more brought the stubborn juror to his senses.

After the jurors were discharged one of them stated that the "one" was John Woodward, of Pottsville, who wanted to give Mrs. Haley a verdict of \$5,000. The eleven had agreed upon \$1,250. Wednesday night Woodward reduced his figure to \$2,500 and Thursday morning he met his eleven colleagues on \$1,672.50 mark.

Of course the verdict is a practical victory and a great saving to the borough, for had the award of the arbitrators been confirmed by the jury the costs and other expenses would have made a call upon the borough treasury to the tune of considerable over \$10,000. But as it is the borough is paying dearly for neglect on the part of some of the old borough officials. Had the borough ordinance been enforced Mrs. Haley would not be crippled to-day and the taxpayers would not be obliged to pay out \$2,000 from which there can be no return and which, so far as they are concerned, is practically thrown away. Had the Chief Burgess, who was in office at the time Mrs. Haley was injured, performed his duty he would have compelled the property owner to comply with the borough ordinance and repair the damaged pavement, but he was very likely like many others who have held the same office a mere figure-head, or too lenient with the property owner and now the borough must pay the fiddler. Of course it sounds very nice to say that the borough can sue the property owner and make its account in this case balance, but the oldest inhabitant fails to remember a case where the borough has been mulcted for damages and has called upon the property owner responsible for the trouble to reimburse it. In this branch of public affairs there has been as much negligence as in any other.

The borough officials must be more vigilant in such matters and if the present Borough Council is not on the alert it will become entangled in several suits for damages. The new pavement in front of the Gleuwright property on North Main street is a dangerous trap. It is about three inches higher than the adjoining pavement and several citizens have already stumbled over it. Mr. Gleuwright says that complaints have been made repeatedly that his pavement was not at grade and he changed it to make it. It is the Council's duty to see if it is at grade, and if so, make the adjoining owners raise their pavements. If Mr. Gleuwright is wrong he should be compelled to comply with the ordinance. No time should be lost as this trap is in one of the most busy thoroughfares.

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Now for Oxford Ties. At the People's store will be found a big selection of ladies' Oxford ties, warranted solid and in the latest styles, at 75 cents and upwards. PEOPLE'S STORE, 121 North Main Street. 5-11-93

"There is a divinity that shapes our ends," Dr. Cuz's Wild Cherry and Seneca does the rest, whenever we take a bad cold.

THE TEACHERS' CONTEST

OVER TWENTY-FIVE HUNDRED VOTES YESTERDAY.

Miss Wasley Continues Leading on the Daily Averages—A Special Announcement for Teachers' Friends Will be Made Tomorrow.

Agnes Stein	66775
Mame H. Wasley	45874
Neille Baird	37094
Mary A. Connelly	31148
Mahala Fairchild	16544
Frank B. Williams	9841
Carrie Faust	6922
Carrie M. Smith	3280
Mary A. LaFerty	3179
Anna M. Dugler	3020
Bridget A. Burns	2549
Hattie Hess	2541
Mary A. Stack	1902
Lillie B. Phillips	1902
Irene Shane	1393
James R. Lewis	1249
Ella Clauser	995
Margie Cavanaugh	822
Clara Cline	818
Hannah Reese	792
Annie Massell	627
Sadie Daniel	599
Jennie Ramare	304
Minnie Dipper	185
Lizzie Lehe	179
Lizette O'Connell	131
Grand total	238073

Tomorrow the HERALD will have an important announcement to make concerning the proposed special palace car trip to Chicago and return in July, next, for the benefit of friends who wish to accompany the two teachers who may be victors in the World's Fair contest. Terms for a Pullman palace car for the trip, via Niagara Falls, and accommodations at Chicago have been secured and will be explained fully in the next issue.

Attention is directed to the fact that the entire World's Fair may be seen for one admission fee of 50 cents. For this amount all of the general buildings of the exposition company are open to the visitor. These buildings are located in Jackson park, which is 553 acres in extent. They are thirteen in number, and cover an area of more than 200 acres. Their galleries supply an additional floor space of nearly fifty acres. The cost of these buildings exceeds \$8,000,000, or more than double the cost of the great Paris exposition of 1889. In these buildings are contained all of the exhibits made by the countries of the world, the states of the Union and the individual exhibitors from all quarters of the globe. These exhibits make the exposition. Every exhibitor represented by them has been granted space by the exposition company, and his exhibit has been catalogued and placed in one of the buildings of the fair, according to the nature of the exhibit. All of these exhibits, be they competitive or merely illustrative of a science or industry, are open to the visitor who has first paid an admission fee of 50 cents at any of the general entrance gates of the park. This fee entitles the visitor to roam at will through the general, state and foreign government buildings. There is not a single building in Jackson park containing an exhibit that the visitor is debarred from entering after having gained admission to the exposition by the payment of 50 cents at the entrance gate.

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

New Arrivals.

Thirty Polish immigrants who had been quarantined at Ellis Island, N. Y., for two weeks, arrived in town early this morning. They were all men, young healthy and big, and were comfortably dressed. They loitered about the depot for some time until men and women of town arrived and led them away in different directions, in groups of twos and threes. There were only two instances where receptions seemed to be given by relatives and then there were profuse exchanges of kisses by both men and women. Excited chattering, wild gesticulations and the handling and reading of letters and pieces of paper marked the other receptions.

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Requires Attention.

The attention of the borough authorities is called to a gang of men who gather in front of the saloon at the corner of Main and Laurel streets. The complaint is that the loiterers are boisterous, block the pavement, and frequently insult people who are obliged to pass the place on their way to and from the Ferry depot. They gather there in the day time and evenings.

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Admiral.

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INDIAN RIDGE COLLIERY.

ITS EXTENSIVE ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS.

IT HAS ALMOST A NEW BREAKER

The Jig House Will be Put in Operation When the Colliery Starts—It is a Big Plant. Inside Changes.



WHEN operations are resumed at the Indian Ridge colliery the miners and workmen will almost feel as if they are going to a new mine. Some great alterations have been made inside and out since last January, when operations were suspended and many tons of coal will have to be run through the breaker before the cost of the alterations and improvements will have been made. It runs into the thousands of dollars. The breaker has been greatly improved. As one of the workmen put it, it has been turned completely inside out and back again. Forty men are now engaged on the breaker and are working hard to finish it by the first of the month, at which time, it is reported, the colliery will start again.

It will be impossible to detail all the alterations and improvements. Brief reference will suffice to give an idea of what has been done. Two sets of chain elevators have been added to the machinery outfit. One is large and has thirty buckets, 2 feet by 18 inches in size. The other, a smaller one, has forty buckets 10x12 inches in size. There have also been placed in the breaker three extra screens, four extra jigs and four extra scraper lines, two of which are for the steamboat coal and two for the bonny coal from the breaker to the rollers. A "shaker," which looks and operates like a riddle, is also being put in. Considerable work has also been spent on the coal pile, it has been completely remodeled and all the old timbers have been taken out and replaced by new ones. The breaker engine and jig engine have also come in for a share of the extensive repairs. So much for the breaker.

But there is the jig house, the largest in the region aside from those which are operated solely for jig purposes. This jig house was constructed as an addition to the breaker last August, but has never been put in use. When Indian Ridge starts up again the jig house will start with it. It is a mammoth affair and cost considerable money. During the idleness now in force this branch of the industry has received considerable attention. The jig plant covers an area of 50x90 feet and is 40 feet high. It contains eight jigs and eight sets of scrapers. It will give employment to a large number of hands and will in no wise decrease the force that was required to operate the breaker before the jig addition was built. The object of constructing it was not to reduce the force of hands, but to turn out better coal. In this plant the jigs will be operated by ropes and not by belts, which is the system in many other jig plants. The reason for this is that where belts are used they must be as near parallel as possible and as the conjunction of the jig house with the breaker makes parallel lines of motor power impossible the other system has been adopted and the ropes run in all directions, almost like the stiches in a crazy patch work quilt.

It would take one several hours to see all the repairs work that has been done in and about this breaker since it has been idle. To say that the breaker, so far as the interior is concerned, is new covers the ground.

But all the improvements have not been confined to the breaker. District Superintendent Bradigan has had more than that to attract his attention. While the great structure on top was donning its spring suit of clothes inside Foreman Thomas Campbell and Morgan Davis were giving the inside workings a treat in the shape of improvements. The old inside slope will be a dead letter when the colliery resumes operations. Its day of usefulness appear to have passed. It was instrumental in bringing thousands and thousands of tons of the dark wealth from the great depths to the surface, but as the locomotive has taken the place of the stage coach and as the telephone is fast supplanting the mail service, so has this veteran slope been superseded by other openings. The men who have been making repairs and improvements inside have driven a gangway from the bottom of the Buck Mountain shaft to connect with the bottom of the Buck Mountain slope (the one above referred to) and when the colliery is put in operation again all the coal will be hoisted up the inside shaft instead of up the slope. But to further insure the abandonment of this old slope the men are making a plane on the Buck Mountain vein. This plane will take the coal from the second lift of the Buck Mountain slope to the bottom of the shaft. This will do away with the old slope altogether and it will be obliged to take in its business single.

No one this side of the Broad Mountain knows when Indian Ridge colliery will resume operations, unless orders have been received within the last twelve hours. It

seems to be generally understood that the first of June will see the breaker working, but this understanding is not based upon any official information. It will take hard work to June 1st to get the breaker ready.

PERSONAL.

J. J. Dougherty spent to-day at the county seat.

Mrs. Thomas A. Evans, of East Centre street, is ill.

Rev. Robert O'Boyle and Henry Wiederhold have returned from Wilkes-Barre.

Editor R. C. Hunt, of the Frackville Item, illuminated the HERALD sanctum to-day by his presence.

J. K. Kehler, Sr., who has been on a visit to his son, M. H. Kehler, at Camden, N. J., returned home last evening.

William H. Reinhold has resigned his clerkship at the Shenandoah City colliery to accept a position in a store at Jeddo.

M. P. Fowler returned from Wilkes-Barre yesterday with his vest covered with mementoes of the Knights Templars celebration.

Mrs. Thomas Snyder has presented her husband with a young daughter, and the delighted papa wears a becoming smile in consequence.

Mrs. E. M. Beacham had her friends in town good bye this morning and left for New York City, and to-morrow she will sail for England to visit her mother near Bristol for the first time in thirty years.

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Points.

The School Board meets to-night.

The dealers have their plants and flowers on sale for Decoration Day.

There should be a full attendance at the Grand Army meeting to-night.

Contractor Grant gave the little girl who returned his lost ring five dollars.

Pineapples are now cheaper than they ever get this year. Only \$1.00 per dozen.

A movement to have Main street paved between Centre and Lloyd streets is again on foot.

James Grant has placed a new porch in front of the East Centre street property he purchased recently.

Whenever you have anything to sell or wish to buy make announcement in the EVENING HERALD.

The Councilmen have engaged carriages for the Decoration Day parade and tour of the town in the afternoon.

Contractor Meadham put the finishing touches on the new branch of the Pennsylvania Railroad yesterday.

The electric railway company will begin lowering the grade of its road between Oak and Cherry streets on Monday.

There is some talk of having the respective trotters of the horses owned by John A. Titman and C. G. New decided by a trotting race.

A visit to the West Shenandoah colliery resulted in no new gleanings. The colliery is simply idle. No repairs are being made and none are contemplated. The colliery is simply awaiting orders to resume operations.

People never tire watching the work of the steam roller used in the street paving work. It is an awkward looking thing, but responds readily to the motions of the lever in the hands of Foreman Gibson. It is 30 tons weight.

By Sunday Contractor Grant will have a section of the street paving work done to show the public the paving complete, the asphalt crossing, the sand layer and the foundation of broken stone, so that all may see the process by which the work is done.

"A stitch in time" often saves consumption. Down's Elixir used in time saves life. 1m

To Whom It May Concern.

Dr. A. E. Esterbrook, the expert dental surgeon, will be at the Ferguson House, Shenandoah, for a short time, commencing Monday, May 29th. Teeth extracted without administering gas, ether, chloroform, &c., positively without pain. Money paid for extracting allowed on new teeth. 11

Public Library Notice.

After this date no books will be issued from the Public Library until the second Thursday of June, 1893, but the library will be open for the return of books at the usual hours on Thursdays and Saturdays of each week. By order of the committee, FRANK HANNA, Librarian. Shenandoah, May 25, 1893. 3-12-93

St. Patrick's Society Notice.

All members of the St. Patrick's Society are requested to meet in their hall on Tuesday (Decoration Day) at 8 a. m. to make arrangements for participating in the Memorial exercises and parade. By order of the president. 5-26-93

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