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ONE CENT.

WILLIAMS.

Some Big Bargains in Parlor Suits

THIS WEEK.

On account of an over stock a cut of from \$5 to \$15 on each suit has been made.

Just Received Another Case of—

Ladies' Fancy Ribbed Vests!

Which I shall sell at the same price as before, viz., 14c, worth 20c. Secure a few as this will be the last case. The mill has closed them out.

For Commencement Day I offer a large assortment of White Goods, Swisses, Organdies, etc., at remarkably low figures. The Cream Hose, Gloves, Mittens and White and Cream Ribbons have just arrived.

Max Schmidt,

116-118 North Main Street, - Shenandoah, Pa.

ALL NEW.

You ought to come and see me in my

New Store!

And look through one of the largest and finest stocks of

New Shoes!

Ever brought to Shenandoah. New—everything—have been added to my already complete stock, and the new store is a thing of beauty and a profitable place to trade.

New Inducements

Offered to buyers of the best as well as the cheapest.

JOSEPH BALL, 14 S. MAIN STREET, SHENANDOAH, PA.

Prices lowest, when quality is considered.

One price to all.

Now in Order—House Cleaning.

All those in need of Carpets, Window Shades, Lace or Chenille Curtains, Rugs, Mats, etc., call at

J. J. PRICE'S, OLD RELIABLE, NORTH MAIN STREET.

Ice Cream Freezers.

Iron Hollowware.

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Iron Hollowware.

Clothes Baskets.

Dinner Sets.

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Sprinkling Cans.

Table Oil Cloth.

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GIRVIN, DUNCAN & WAIDLEY'S, 8 South Main Street.

WE OFFER TO-DAY

A line of NEW CARPETS in

Body and Tapestry Brussels.

Handsome New Patterns at Lowest P. Prices.

Also a Splendid Assortment of

New Rag Carpets,

Good Quality, Good Styles, Low Prices.

We also offer special bargains in

Linoleums and Oil Cloths

To Reduce Stock.

For Sale—Fifty Barrels

A Time Rye Flour, Fresh Ground

Our Own Make,

Old Time Graham Flour—A Choice Article.

AT KEITER'S

FRANEY

LATEST STATE NEWS.

Pattison Approves the New Naturalization Law.

THE STREATOR MUDDLE.

Important Happenings Throughout the State—A Number of Fourth-class Postmasters Appointed by Assistant Postmaster Maxwell.

Special to the Herald.

HARRISBURG, Pa., June 14.

GOVERNOR PATTISON

has approved the bill relating to the naturalization of aliens and prohibiting the payment of expenses connected therewith by officers and members of political organizations and by candidates.

The law provides that the certificates of naturalization shall be printed on parchment paper and it shall be unlawful for any officer or any member of any committee or organization of any political party, any candidate for office, or for any person in behalf of said committee, organization or candidate to pay or furnish the money to pay or in any way become responsible for the payment of the fees and expenses directly or indirectly incurred by an alien in attending upon any court for the purpose of and in obtaining his naturalization papers. The penalty for the violation of this section is \$50 fine to be paid into the county treasury.

If any person convicted and sentenced to pay a fine or fines shall refuse or fail to pay the same within ten days, he shall be committed to the county jail there to be held one day for every five dollars of the fine or fines which he has been sentenced to pay. It is provided, however, that said imprisonment shall not prevent the collection of said fine or fines and costs by legal process.

The most important of the measures vetoed by Governor Pattison yesterday was Senator McCarell's bill amending the corporation law of 1874 by providing for increase of tolls on bridges when authorized by the court of quarter sessions in certain cases.

There will be no Court-martial.

PHILADELPHIA, June 14.—The difficulty between Lieutenant Colonel Streator, of the Thirtieth regiment, who became prominent through the Lums affair at Homestead, and Captain Thurber T. Brister, of the State Penitentiary, which occurred in Washington at the inauguration of President Cleveland, has been settled. There will be no court-martial, as asked for by Captain Brister.

It seems the Thirtieth regiment and the Penitentiary were quarreled in the same building and, because of the noise made by the latter, Lieutenant Colonel Streator attempted to pass the sentinels to secure quiet. He was halted by Captain Brister, when the two officers had some words, charges followed and a court was asked by the captain. The charges have since in the hands of Major General Snowden since last March.

Pennsylvania Postmasters.

WASHINGTON, June 14.—Fourth-class postmasters were appointed in Pennsylvania yesterday as follows: Beavertown, Snyder county, Jacob G. Soyler, vice A. H. Bowersox, resigned; Berwyn, Montgomery county, Garrett McWhorter, vice Isaac Michener, resigned; Elk Grove, Columbia county, Mrs. Eliza J. Hess, vice J. J. Burcher, resigned; Fogelsville, Lehigh county, Richard J. Klotz, vice Ebanon F. Mohr, removed; Hampton, Adams county, George S. Diller, vice A. Myers, removed; Madison, Westmoreland county, Henry Wallace, vice Miss Sibble Albright, resigned; Mazonia, Union county, John L. Bittling, vice E. E. King, removed; Osborn, Mercer county, Elton H. Spears, vice John S. Clark, dead; Sawyer City, McKean county, Frank A. Meldrum, vice Clarence A. Williams, resigned.

To Pay off the Floating Debt.

HARRISBURG, June 14.—A meeting of the stockholders of the Pennsylvania Steel Company, which was recently placed in the hands of receivers, will be held at the office of the company Tuesday, August 15th, to act upon the proposed increase of the bonded indebtedness of the company from \$3,000,000 to \$9,000,000.

The increase is proposed in order to pay off the floating debt and permit the restoration of the property to the stockholders. Major Luther S. Bent, president of the company, and one of its receivers, stated in an interview here that there was no doubt but that the vote of the stockholders would be for the increase, as a majority had already declared themselves in its favor.

A Circassian Badly Injured.

HARRISBURG, June 14.—Charles Louch was kicked in the stomach while driving one of Walter Main's new and untraded circus horses in the parade yesterday afternoon. The accident occurred at Second and State streets and may prove a serious one to Louch, who is now receiving attention at the city hospital. It seems that the wagon is a trick one, the success of which depends largely on the part played by the horse. When the shafts locked up on the hind legs of the horse he didn't take kindly to it and kicked, striking the unfortunate driver in the stomach and breaking the wagon. Walter Main has been held for cruelty to animals.

The Kiehl Mystery.

A cloud of mystery still hangs over the death of young Kiehl, the particulars of which have been chronicled in these columns. The jury empaneled by Coroner Marshall have examined a number of witnesses but have not yet reached a verdict. Young Kiehl, who was Kiehl's companion on the day the latter met his death, still adheres to his original story, that he last saw Kiehl near his home at noon on Saturday. When questioned on the subject he shows signs of grief.

China Closets.

Call and look at those beautiful china closets just arrived. The finest ever offered in the coal region and have just arrived.

DISGRACEFUL PROCEEDINGS.

Constables and Revolvers Figure in Butler Township School Affairs.

Butler township are in a most demoralized state and the warring factions have completely covered themselves with disgrace. Saturday night there was a sequel to the bitter struggle of weeks past in which revolvers were flourished and for a time it looked as if blood would be shed.

The trouble arose from the act of Thomas Nolan in setting up a School Board of his own and attempting to get control of the books of the regular board, which consisted of Terrence Gintley, Owen Conry, Thomas Nolan, John Paul, George Miller and George Kessler. Unlawful acts were alleged against Nolan and he was deposed by the board, the vacancy being filled by the election of John L. Velle.

Nolan instituted mandamus proceedings to have himself re-instated and won a decision, but the School Board has appealed. Nolan refused to recognize the old board after the decision and without waiting for a result an appeal proceeded to organize a board of his own with George Miller and William Walters, of the east end, as associate members.

Meanwhile the old board met, wound up its business and adjourned. Then Sweeney and Carv, two of the township auditors and friends of Nolan, fixed a meeting at his house in Big Mine Run for auditing the school accounts and notified Secretary Kessler to produce the books. Kessler did not obey and the auditors placed a capias in the hands of two constables to require the attendance of the secretary and a school teacher named Maurer, who helped to keep the accounts. The constables were unsuccessful and the two men sought kept out of the way by advice of counsel.

Last Saturday evening the regular board met at Locust Dale and the two constables were in attendance. Nolan, Miller and Walters did not appear. Directors Gintley, Conry, L'Veille and Kessler proceeded with business and meanwhile a third constable appeared. It is said the Nolan members were waiting for the constables to bring Maurer, Kessler and the books to a meeting of the auditors at Big Mine Run.

When the constables attempted to take the men and books they met with resistance. The officers drew their revolvers and the directors did likewise. The situation was a critical one, but William Wilhelm, Esq., the regular board's attorney, was equal to the emergency and succeeded in invoking peace; but the constables were finally ejected and the board proceeded with its business, electing Richard Flynn treasurer.

Secretary Kessler was arrested on Saturday evening and escaped. On Sunday six constables surrounded and kept guard at his house, but it was reported that the secretary and all the township books were in Camden, N. J. This was controverted, however, by a statement that the sheriff has been notified that Kessler, Maurer and the books will be surrendered to him as soon as he produces a capias, and that all the regular board asks is protection.

'Tis a consummation devoutly to be wished for, that every one in the land knew the real merits of Dr. Cox's Wild Cherry and Seneca for hoarseness and croup.

OF for the Race.

Martin Fink, "Squire" Monaghan, James Smith and Tim O'Brien left this morning for Wilkes-Barre to be on hand in time for the race which Foley is to run with James Breahe, of Warrior Run, at West Side Park, to-morrow afternoon. They took plenty of money with them and said every dollar would be put on Foley if he takes what is found. It will be a one hundred yard race for \$300 a side. A number of sports will leave here to-morrow morning.

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Reading Employers' Grievances.

First Vice-President Voorhis, of the Reading railroad company, who says he voices the sentiments of the receivers of the company, has declined to consider the grievances of the employes and a meeting of the heads of the various railroad employes' organizations has been called for to-day, to settle the trouble. It is understood the men want better hours and pay, and a general change all along the lines.

A Fishing Party.

Col. J. K. P. Schaffly, accompanied by his two guests, E. K. Penrose, of Philadelphia, deputy internal revenue collector for the 1st district, and William G. Rutherford, select councilman of the 14th ward, Philadelphia, left town this morning on a fishing excursion. At Delano they were joined by John Toole and Harrison H. Keas, of Minersville, and a number of Pottsville anglers.

Criminal Court.

On Monday morning next, criminal court will open, and the District Attorney and his deputies are busy preparing for the two weeks' term. About 110 cases, it is estimated, will be filed for trial at this time.

Festive To-night.

The ladies connected with the Presbyterian church of town will hold an ice cream and strawberry festival in Robbins opera house this evening. Don't fail to go and enjoy yourselves.

Fair and Festival.

The English Lutheran church will hold a fair and festival in Robbins' opera house, from June 19th to 24th, inclusive. Admission 5 cents. 4-13-93

Survival of the fittest. Down's Elixir has outlived every other cough remedy simple because it is the best. 1m

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THE POPULAR CONTEST

"Herald's" Favorite Teachers' Vacation.

GIVE EARNEST SUPPORT.

The Weary Pedagogue will Find Pleasure at the World's Fair, Niagara Falls or Boston Through Your Influence—Vote Early and Often for Your Favorite.

THE wisdom of deferring the Herald's teachers' excursion to the World's Fair until July is shown by reports just received from the great white city. Many booms of prices have exploded and by the time the school teachers arrive in Chicago the scale of rates will be down to something like a civilized scale, and many shrewd schemes by which they may have been victimized will have become things of the past.

Like a bird of ill omen Steele Mackaye's unfinished and never-to-be-finished Spectatorium throws its shadow across the threshold of the Columbian Exposition. It is one of a hundred ill-fated schemes decorating the vicinity of Jackson Park, and when Mackaye threw up his hands last week some \$300,000 went up at the same time. Next comes the Alpine Hotel, which out-chicagoed Chicago in its barefaced fleecing of credulous people, having mostly from the western states. It has proved to be "a castle in Spain," and the chances of those who trusted money there to see the World's Fair are as light and airy as a soap bubble. The remnants of smaller schemes of which the public will never hear except by the wholesale, strew the observing man's path on every side.

Columbus may have touched into life a great continent, but his name conceals no hidden powers, and everything Columbian seems to be stricken with a blight. Columbian coffee houses, cigar stands, pop corn booths, lemonade bowls, chairs, and even Columbian luncheon have gone out of business. That widely known person, the Columbian boarding house keeper, has taken several tacks in her price, and now the ordinary visitor can afford a sleeping apartment more than once a week, in fact, you can get rooms for nearly what you offer, as the predicted rash has never come, and the recollection of rent day just past, is making every householder nervous about a future one. There are thousands of vacant rooms in every part of Chicago, and plenty of them going begging at a dollar a day. So far no fortunes have been made through the fair, but instead some very choice specimens of boggers are being daily turned out, who will have cause long to regret the day they first heard of World's Fair schemes.

Stellie Baird.....75591

Agnes Steil.....72998

Mame H. Wasley.....64123

Mary A. Connelly.....34775

Mahala Fairchild.....30475

Carrie Faust.....15979

Frank B. Williams.....1001

Irene Shann.....1184

Carrie M. Smith.....359

Mary A. Laferly.....3483

Hattie Hess.....3238

Anna M. Dengler.....3074

Clara Line.....883

Bridget A. Burns.....1001

Mary A. Stuck.....2079

James A. Lewis.....1250

Ella Ganser.....1008

Maggie Cavanaugh.....883

Clara Line.....883

Hannah Keene.....707

Annie Mansell.....947

Sadie Daniel.....656

Jennie Ramage.....394

Minnie Dipper.....184

Lizzie Lohr.....179

Lizzie O'Connell.....124

Votes polled yesterday.....702

Grand total.....34504

More people, adults and children, are troubled with catarrhs than with any other ailment. Dr. Henry Baxter's Mandrake Bitters will cure catarrhs and prevent the diseases which result from it. 1m

AN IMPOSING PAGEANT.

The German Catholic Societies Assemble at Mahanoy City.

The second annual convention and parade of the German Catholic Beneficial Union of Schuylkill county was held at Mahanoy City yesterday under very favorable circumstances. A large concourse of people was present from all parts of the county, and the town was regally decorated with bunting, the red, white and blue interspersed with the German colors presenting a very pretty scene along the route of parade. Chief Marshal Woll of Pottsville, moved the parade at 10:45 with the following organizations in line:

FIRST DIVISION.

Third Brigade Band.

St. John's Society, Pottsville.

St. Joseph's Band.

St. John's Society, St. Clair.

Minersville Band.

St. Joseph's Society, Minersville.

St. Bernard's Society, Pottsville.

St. Joseph's Society, Ashland.

St. Michael's Society, Shenandoah.

St. Mauritius Society, Ashland.

St. Joseph's Society, Mahanoy City.

St. Joseph's Band.

St. Fidelis Society, Mahanoy City.

Following this came carriages bearing the clergy and representative German citizens.

President Chris. Schmidt, of town, called the convention to order immediately after the parade, and after a preliminary organization had been effected, August Knecht

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DEFECTIVE GAS PIPES!

Proprietor Veale, in Whose Place the Accident Occurred, Was Badly Burned About the Face—Landlord Franey More Fortunate.

SINGULAR accident occurred in the basement of the Franey building, Main and Oak streets, last evening. There is a saloon in the basement, of which William Veale is proprietor. Mr. Franey occupies the first floor of the building for his furniture business and entrance to the saloon is gained by means of several broad stone steps leading from the Main street side under one of the show windows of Mr. Franey's store. All day yesterday Mr. Veale was bothered by a strong smell of gas in his saloon and he called the attention of the landlord to it repeatedly, but the cause of the nuisance could not be discovered.

Towards evening the smell became unbearable and Mr. Veale was unable to remain in the basement. Mr. Franey examined his store carefully and could find no leak. At about six o'clock Mr. Veale would examine the basement again. He had hardly disappeared down the steps when a loud report of an explosion was heard. Mr. Franey hurried into the basement and saw Mr. Veale running towards the rear of the saloon with his hands over his face. When he got just inside of the doorway, at the foot of the stone steps, Mr. Franey struck a match and as he did so there was another explosion and a great volume of smoke arose from beneath the bottom of the steps. Mr. Franey then sprinted to the rear of the saloon.

The cause of the trouble was then learned. A large sewer pipe runs into the building under the stone steps. In some unaccountable manner the pipe from a leaking pipe in the street got into the sewer pipe and during the day quite a body accumulated. When Mr. Veale went down to make his investigation he struck a match at the bottom of the steps and ignited the gas which was escaping from under the last step into the saloon. The next instant the gas in the sewer pipe ignited and exploded. Mr. Veale was facing the steps at the time and received the force. His face was pretty severely scorched and part of his hair and whiskers were burned, but fortunately they were not of a dangerous character. Mr. Veale was able to walk to his home, but his place of business was closed for the night. Mr. Franey was more fortunate. His hair was but slightly singed and he was disturbed more by the shock than anything else.

The matter has precipitated general discussion and may be brought to the attention of the Borough Council to-morrow night. Leaks in the gas pipes are becoming so numerous the question will no doubt be brought up in some shape at the next meeting.

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PERSONAL.

Mrs. J. S. Williams spent to-day visiting friends at Mahanoy City.

The wife of Supt. Bertelette, of Mahanoy Plane, is lying dangerously ill.

James Grant was among the townsmen who spent the day at the county seat.

Miss Ella M. McGinniss and Miss Mc-Nernie left for Pottsville this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Davis, of North Jordan street, spent to-day in St. Clair and Pottsville.

Miss Mary E. Hood, who had been visiting friends in St. Clair, returned home last evening.

John O'Hearn, James Coakley, George Keiper and Hugh Evans attended a picnic at Engel's Grove, Fountain Springs, last evening.

Frackville's School Board.

The School Board of Frackville has re-organized with the following result: President, G. W. Price; Secretary, Evan Thomas; Treasurer, Dr. Bieler. The election of principal resulted in L. K. Witt, the present incumbent, receiving 3 votes; Prof. Eiler, 1 vote, and Prof. Kroul, 2 votes. Not being able to obtain the required majority for any one candidate, the Board laid the matter over until next meeting. Miss Cora C. Myers, of Ashland, and Miss Irene Kirk, of Pottsville, were re-elected to their former positions.

Base Ball Notes.

The home management has secured Wm. Heckman, of the Shamokin team, to play short stop. He will play here in the game with Reading.

Shenandoah thinks she has the dandy team of the region. Though she lost by the score of 3 to 4 from the Cuban Giants, the game was a well played one. Better, the new pitcher is a good one, and no mistake.—Ashland Telegram.

Points.

Lawrence Mangum has removed his family from Franey's block, on West Coal street, to the Roberts property, corner Jardin and Lloyd streets.

The Board of Directors of the Palace theatre, Girardville, will rent that house next year to the highest bidder, and advertise for proposals in another column.

"Admiral" Speaks.

The report that I have been gathered into a cigarette trust lacks the support of even a thread to the yarn. I am not in a trust, nor ever will be.—"ADMIRAL."

"Admiral" is not made by a trust. For particulars address B. Labow & Co., Mahanoy City, Pa.

Every bottle of Arnica & Oil Liniment sold is warranted by the proprietors to give satisfaction or money will be refunded. 1m

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