

# EVENING HERALD.



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ONE CENT

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...Cheaper Than Ever.

Brocatelle Parlor Suits, \$25.00.  
Couches, \$4.75.

JOHN P. WILLIAMS & SON

A Peculiar Sale in November.

Ladies' Night Dresses.

But as this is such an extraordinary bargain which I picked up last week, they will be sold, giving the benefit to the customer.  
No. 418 Night Dress trimmed with featherstitch braid, all sizes, 40c.  
No. 514, a full tucked yoke, 50c.  
No. 426, Round neck, with ruffled and embroidered yoke, 50c.  
Remember, only one week. All are invited.

116-18 N. Main St.

*Don't Turn This Up.*

Successor to GIBSON, DUNCAIN & WATKINS,  
8 South Main Street,  
Chas. GIBSON,  
Probable until Saturday or Monday.  
Big Bargains as long as these last.  
We must make room for Holiday Goods.

**Big Cut in Shoes.**

**500 Ladies' Fine Shoes.**

Formerly sold for \$1.75, now go at **\$1.25.**

We have them in all styles and shapes—Plain Opera Button, Opera Tipped Buttoned, Philadelphia Toe Tipped Buttoned, Blucher Opera and Philadelphia toe.

We are selling Ladies Fine Over-gaiters at 25c a pair.

**Joseph Ball,**

14 South Main Street, Shenandoah, Pa.

**What 25c Will Buy.**

2 pounds Fancy Evaporated Peaches, Nectarines, Apricots, Pears or Apples.

2 pounds New French Prunes. Large and fine.

3 pounds New French Prunes. Medium.

2 pounds Pitted Cherries.

4 pounds New Large Muscatel Raisins.

3 pounds New Layer Raisins.

2 pounds New Sultana Seedless Raisins.

2 pounds New Citron or Lemon Peel.

2 pounds New Mixed Nuts consisting of Almonds, Filberts, Walnuts, Pecans and Cream Nuts.

4 pounds Lima Beans.

4 pounds Fresh Ginger Snaps.

5 pounds Dandy Oyster Crackers.

3 quarts New White Beans.

3 quarts New Green Peas.

2 quarts New Crop Open Kettle New Orleans Baking Molasses.

4 quarts Good Sugar Syrup.

3 quarts Better Quality Sugar Syrup.

2 quarts Best Sugar Syrup.

2 cans New California Peaches, Apricots, Pears or Egg Plums.

4 cans New String Beans.

3 cans New Marrow Peas.

2 cans Early June Peas.

3 cans New Cold Packed Tomatoes.

2 cans Tomatoes, extra size cans and extra quality.

4 cans Maryland Corn.

3 cans Sugar Corn.

2 cans Fancy Northern Sugar Corn.

4 bottles Fine Tomato Catsup.

1 dozen Fine Florida Oranges.

New Salmon 10 cents a can.

**FINE GOODS.**

New Mince Meat—the best.

Fancy Creamery Butter.

Strictly Pure Lard.

Old Time Graham Flour.

Full Cream Cheese.

New Norway Mackerel.

Old Time Rye Flour.

**AT KEITER'S.**

## WHY HE CUT HIS THROAT.

John Sitka Was Driven Desperate by Want.

## A CHANCE FOR RECOVERY.

The Man Calmly Smoked a Cigarette When He Believed His Life's Blood Was Ebbing.

The story told by John Sitka, the Hungarian who cut his throat at Yatesville yesterday, was one of great privation and hardship. Sitka was a homeless man and when he attempted to take his life it was only, as he says, after every door had been closed and he had spent fifteen nights in the bushes and had little or nothing to eat for almost a week. Yesterday he appealed to several people at Yatesville for assistance, but failed to secure any. He was turned off as a professional beggar. The outcast stole a table knife at one of the houses he visited and while resting at the Yatesville station of the Lakeside Railway he concluded to end his existence. The knife was a sharp one and cut deep into the throat, making a gash about three inches long and almost severing the larynx. Dr. W. N. Stein put eight stitches in the wound. The victim exhibited wonderful stamina and while the gash was being stitched did not give the least indication of suffering.

Constable Leitzel, of the First ward, was notified of the case by the motorman and conductor of a Lakeside Railway car, who stated that a Hungarian was sitting in the station at Yatesville with his throat cut and smoking a cigarette. In company with J. J. Reilly, the constable went to Yatesville and found Sitka lying on the highway between the Lakeside and Lehigh Valley stations. The man was covered with blood from the horrible wound in his throat and was apparently very weak, but still conscious. The Knickerbocker colliery officials furnished the stretcher and a resident of the neighborhood contributed a quilt for a covering. The victim was then placed on an electric car and brought to town. After receiving treatment in the Borough Council chamber he was taken to the Lehigh Valley station and sent to the Schuylkill Haven almshouse.

Before the train left, Sitka told a reporter that he left his wife and child in the old country about six years ago. He went to England and remained there about a year, when he came to the United States. Three months later he was struck by a train near New York city and suffered the loss of his left leg. After his recovery he wandered about the country in search of employment, but failed to get any. He eventually drifted into the coal fields and sought employment in the breakers, but at each place was told that young people were wanted for work. For several months he made a practice of soliciting alms at the colliery pay offices and with his collections he paid his way at cheap boarding houses; but the aid gradually dwindled and finally he found himself without funds. Fifteen weeks ago he found himself without shelter and he sought a place on the mountain near the Kehley Run colliery. He borrowed a place beside a large rock which sheltered him from the storms and during the day he visited the town and begged food. Monday night, he said, was bitterly cold on the mountain and he concluded to make another effort to secure shelter in the town. This proving unsuccessful he decided to take his life. After slashing himself he smoked a cigarette he had begged and calmly awaited the end. Notwithstanding the character of the wound the man has a chance for recovery.

A search of the clothing revealed a slip of paper bearing this address, "Jozef Krysztopowicz, East Centre street, 439." The party named acknowledged that Sitka remained with him a few days, but said he was only a charitable guest.

Best violin strings, Holderman's.

Mrs. Bridgeman, R. C. M., teaches violin (specialty) cello and piano. Corner of Jardin and Lloyd streets. 9-3-1f

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Good College Education.

Parents in search of a place where they can send their boys or girls to receive a thorough business education should make inquiries concerning The Wilkes-Barre Business College. They will find the course of tuition the very best and the cost very reasonable. Wade & Williams are the principals and they have an experienced corps of instructors. Send a postal card for a catalogue, from which full particulars may be gleaned.

McElhenney's Cafe To-night.

There is no disguising the fact that McElhenney is endeavoring to please the public, and, as he remarked the other day, in speaking of his lunches, "They come high, but the people must be catered to." He invites you to a clam chowder lunch to-night. Do not forget to call. He will have plenty for everybody.

November Band concert, Thursday evening, November 22nd, Robbins' opera house. Admission 10 cents, to cover expenses.

## PERSONAL.

Charles Strouse spent to-day at Pottsville.

Constable Thomas Tosh spent to-day at Freeland.

Burr Lewis, of Wm. Penn, spent last evening in town.

P. J. Ferguson and wife went to Scranton this morning.

Daniel Snyder, of Allentown, visited town relatives yesterday.

Henry Sampson, of North Jardin street, is confined to his bed by illness.

Mark D. Bowman, of Mahanoy City, was a town visitor last evening.

Benjamin Richards, A. J. Schoener and Capt. G. W. Johnson spent to-day at Hazleton.

John J. Rohland went to Hazleton this morning on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Hon. D. D. Phillips, of Gordon, spent yesterday in town looking after affairs in connection with the Lakeside Railway.

E. I. Bullock, of Audenried, general superintendent for the Dodson Coal Company, and W. K. Woodbury, Esq., of Pottsville, were arrivals in town this morning and drove to Catawissa.

Edward T. Westervelt, who was formerly connected with Kelly's millinery establishment, and was recently appointed general superintendent for the Home Friendly Society of Baltimore at Hazleton, to-day moved his family to the latter place.

Fresh oysters opened every day at the White House. Oysters in all styles prepared at short notice. 11-3-1f

## AMUSEMENTS.

"CELL 22."

Madame, and her son Augustin, Neuville, will be the attraction at Ferguson's theatre to-morrow evening, presenting for the first time in this city their new play entitled, "Cell 22," from the pen of the talented actress and author—Mme. Neuville, and written for her son Augustin, giving him an opportunity to show his peculiar style than in any of his other plays. The story is one of intense interest and well worked out, holding the interest and attention of the audience to the end. Mme. Neuville has a part entirely dissimilar to the emotional line of work to which she has been accustomed, and Augustin Neuville has a part which suits him exactly. The critics from our neighboring cities are loud in their praise of the play and the company presenting it. Mme. Neuville and Augustin have many friends and admirers in Shenandoah, they all remembering their appearance here in "The Boy Tramp" for the past three seasons; but this year, with a new play and the best company he has ever had, will be doubly welcome.

"MCKENNA'S FLIGHTS."

Dan Williams made people open their eyes at the Auditorium last night, his imitation of Billy Barry was so clever, in "McKenna's Flight," Barry and Fay's old piece, Williams was almost as good as the original Barry. The company is capable and the performance was much enjoyed by a good sized audience. It will be repeated to-night, to-morrow night and matinee—Bridgeport Post. At Ferguson's theatre on Saturday evening, November 24th.

First grand concert of the season by the Grant Band, Robbins' opera house, Thursday evening, November 22nd.

Miss Shane a Bride.

It will doubtless be a surprise to many to learn that Miss Irene Shane, one of the teachers in the second grade primary department of the local public schools, is a bride. She tendered her resignation to the school authorities yesterday and taught her class for the last time to-day. Miss Hannah Scanian has been assigned to take Miss Shane's class. The surprise is a double-decked one, in that it appears that Miss Shane was married to C. H. Lewis, formerly an employee of the HERALD, two years ago last August. The union was so successfully surrounded by secrecy that it has only just leaked out. Mr. Lewis has been residing in Philadelphia the past few months. He is expected here to-morrow.

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Rupture.

Cure guaranteed. No operation. Inquire at the Shenandoah drug store, No. 3 South Main street. 9-13-1f

Demand for Heaters.

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How's Your Window?

Does it need a new shade? All kinds at Fricke's carpet store. 11-9-1f

Go and hear the Grant Band concert next Saturday evening. Best ever given here. J. M. Schoppe, bandmaster.

## TOSH WAS IN A TEMPEST.

Mrs. Eisman Gave Him a Very Warm Reception.

## SMASHED THE FURNITURE.

The Only Whole Piece The Constable Got on the Levy Was a Stove—Law Will Follow.

Constable Thomas Tosh had a lively time in making a levy on a landlord's warrant yesterday afternoon. George Leitzel claimed that Mrs. Cassie Eisman moved out of one of his houses early last Sunday morning, leaving rent unpaid to the amount of \$50, and caused levy to be made. Leitzel and Tosh found the furniture in the house of Mrs. Hoffman, in Grant's row, on West Coal street. Mrs. Hoffman is Mrs. Eisman's sister.

When Tosh arrived at the house he found all the doors locked, but he raised a window which had not been fastened and crawled into the house. Mrs. Eisman flew into a terrible passion. She struck Tosh several times with a poker and commenced smashing the furniture with an ax. Two bureaus and several chairs were cut into kindling wood in short order and Tosh was like a jumping jack trying to steer clear of the flying pieces.

The enraged woman was covered with blood from cuts she sustained from splinters and shattering glass, and the constable declares that he was never in a more lively place in his life. After smashing all her furniture Mrs. Eisman sprang forward to demolish a stove with the axe, and at this point Tosh interfered and took the weapon from the woman.

After a while Mrs. Eisman cooled down and Tosh proceeded to see what was left for the levy, and the stove was all he could find. He opened the door to let Leitzel in and the two carried out the stove.

But this did not end the matter. Last night Mrs. Eisman caused Tosh's arrest.

Leitzel arrested on a complaint of forcible entry. Justice Williams heard the cases and put Tosh under \$300 bail on each charge and Leitzel under \$300 bail.

Mrs. Eisman claims that Constable Tosh choked her and Mrs. Hoffman alleges that the constable and Leitzel forced open the window by which entrance was gained with a crowbar and pole and that Tosh smashed the lock of a door with an ax. Tosh and Leitzel deny these allegations.

Oysters!

If you want good oysters go to E. Mohl's

105 East Centre street, next door to Dever's

baker shop. The best selected oysters in

the town. Private parlors for ladies.

9-13-1f