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## SHENANDOAH, PA, TUESDAY, JULY 16, 1895.

## ONE CENT.

# MYSTERIOUS CASE

Was Daniel Sweeney Killed by the Niagara Falls. Freight Train ?

A BUCK MOUNTAIN PROBLEM

The Story of the Affair as Told by Two Companions Who Were With the Unfortunate

## Man.

Daniel Sweeney, a well known resident Rush Kress. of Buck Mountain and having a large circle of friends in Mahanoy City and this own, was killed on the Philadelphia & Reading railroad early yesterday morning near the eastern outskirts of Mahanoy City. The circumstances of the man's death are shrouded by mystery, although it appears quite certain that he was struck by an early morning freight train. Yesterday was spent in investigating the case, but nothing more than conjecture has resulted

The body was found beside the track at 75c. each. Well-made pillow and bolster cases for 8, 10, 1212, 15, 18 and a place known as Gorman's siding by the engineer of a shifting engine. The back Philadelphia this morning. 25c. each. Men's fine white shirts, first-class in every way, only 35c. eachof the head was crushed in. Sweeney was a fine looking and powerful man. He at the HERALD office this morning. better than 50c. kind of other stores; Ladies' ribbed vests, all sizes, 7c. each, was 37 years of age, six feet tall and weighed 190 pounds. He had been emor 4 for 25c. Every department is up to date in prices and quality. Come ployed at the Buck Mountain colliery for two-shilling piece and a nickle. His in- day. L. J. Wilkinson, 29 S. Main St. side coat pocket on being examined revealed a membership card of Division No. 3, A. O. H., of Mahanoy City, and the name Daniel Sweeney. A photograph of a little child, taken in Philadelphia, and two checks on Buck Mountain colliery were also found in the pocket. Sweeney was single and has a brother residing in Germantown and a sister residing at Mauch Chunk. They have claimed the body.

> The mystery surrounding the accident is increased by statements that Sweeney was not accustomed to drink and was always a careful man in walking along the railroad. He frequently warned his companions to be careful in walking along the tracks.

The men who seem to have been the last Dennis Tolan, two residents of Buck Mountain, and the later Sweeney's room mate.

These two men have told their story to the authorities. They say that they were walking from Mahanoy City to Buck Mountain, along the P. & R. railroad, at 8.30 Sunday night, when they met Sweeney and upon his invitation they turned and accompanied him to Mahanoy City, where they remained until ten o'clock. At about and Sweeney left his companions and went into the bush. Lowe and and Tolan walked leisurely on until they reached the water tank, near Buck Mountain, where they sat down to wait for Sweeney. They waited until 12:30 when Tolan said, "I guess Dan has gone to the brush."

H. C. Boyer, W. J. Morgan and W. G. Hess are attending the annual meeting of State Editorial Association at Buffalo and Misses Mame and Gertle Yost are visit-

PERSONAL.

ing relatives at Wilkesbarre, Scranton and vicinity. Fred, Zerbey yesterday moved his house-

hold goods from Lost Creek to Hazleton, where the company for which he is superintendent has placed a handsome residence at his disposal.

John A. Reilly, Jr., George Goodman and Charles Kirlin spent last night in attendance at a party given in Centralia by

Leo Bamberger has returned from an extended commercial trip through the team of horses plunging madly towards westeran and southern states.

barre to spend several days visiting friends. Mrs. Flower Reese, Mrs. Robert O'Boyle, the Misses Davis and F. C. Reese attended the funeral of the late Miss Clara Jones at dashed along west Centre street the lumber Ashland.

day at the Quaker City.

T. F. Bradigan made a business trip to the tacket was about. Philadelphia today. Mr. and Mrs. John Coslett went to Louis Friedman made a business trip to Mt. Carmel and Shamokin.

Benjamin Potts, head brewer for the Flaherty had difficulty in retaining his about six years. On his person were Long Island Brawing Company, Brooklyn, seat, as the lumber kept his body moving found a silver watch and chain, while in N.Y., was the guest of Fred Aeckerle, of up an down like that of an acrobat on a his trouser pocket was found an English the Columbia Brewing Company, yester- spring-board. The horses dashed on to

Babies made happy with Loks' Syrup.

## Mr. Reese Complains

EDITOR HERALD :-- I wonder if the School Board has learned a lesson from captured by men who were near the scene. the metal. Council? Proposals were advertised for Council? Proposals were advertised for 150 or more desks. Three bids were put in, Max Reese, who represents the Oxford Perfect Automatic school desk, Mr. Evans-Burdock Blood Bitters keeps the blood pure, the digestion perfect. of the Western Desk Company, and Mr. P.J. O'Neil, of the Bloomsburg Desk Company. The bid of Max Reese was Mr. O'Neill, 83. The highest bidder, of course, got the contract, although Mr. Reese promised to send them a deak equal to any they had, and if not satisfactory, they would not need to take it, and the company guaranteed each desk for ten years. Now, my dear taxpayers, what is the use of advertising for proposals when one of the committee gets up and states 'we know what we have ; let well enough alone ?" What a smart argument. The committee on school furniture were Conry, Hooks, Edwards and Lee. Lee was chair-108.0

MAX REESE. Shenandonh, July 16, 1895.

Buy of the Maker.

We take pleasure in aunouncing to the public that we have opened a first class

THE NEWS GLEANINGS. An Exciting Afternoon Scene on OUR MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Main Street,

HORSES MAKE A WILD DASH

One of Them Bas a Timely Fall. Station Agent Martin Stops a Young Thief in a Flight With Money.

Main and Centre streets yesterday by a the drug store at the northeast corner and LADIES DRAWERS. Miss Mary Whalen has gone to Wilkes- threatening to drag a load of lumber into the place.

and got beyond control. As the horses on the wagon they dragged after them P. J. Ferguson and son, Dan, spent to- thundered like artillery and store keepers ran out from their places to learn what all

Flaherty, the driver, was exerting all his energies to halt the speeding horses and his mouth was moving in a manner that best sateen as well as demitees R. F. Coogan, of Lakeside, was a caller showed he was shouting to the team, but what he said was drowned by the noise of the bouncing lumber and the spectators price you never saw them sold lost the benefit of his articulations. at She Main street and made a bee line for the drug store. Some women in the neighborhood shrieked with fright and covered their faces with their hands to avoid see ing a disastrous mixture of horse flesh, lumber, drug clerks, soda water and toilet soaps and a mutilation of the "After

## He Was Striking Out.

A small boy in tattered clothes and with dirty face and hands presented himself at as is usually done-a practice which rethe ticket window of the Pennsylvania depot with a ten dollar bill and asked for a ticket for Philadelphia. Agent J. H. Martin eyed the boy suspiciously and asked him where he got the money. The answer was not satisfactory and Mr. Marfin concluded to investigate. The boy accompanied him up town and after some questioning admitted that the money belonged to his father. The boy's home was located on North Bowers street, where the lane or alley, ashes, glass, crockery, scrap mother was found. She said the money had been stolen. Judging from the seance indulged in between the mother and son after they got together to consider the matter the boy will not be able to sit on a railway car seat, or anything else, for several days.

Good Offer. Attention 1s call

THE BUSY STORE

Sale still continues. We added this week a number of other. garments, equal in quality---and reduced in price.

LADIES NIGHT GOWNS.

An extra number with tucked yoke, 50c. Another with feather A sensation was caused at the corner of stitch braiding 50c. Another with ruffles, 50c.

The best value you ever saw, The team was in charge of P. J. Flaherty with Embroidery, 50c.

LADIES SKIRTS.

In price none to equal them. MUSLIN REMNANTS.

Sc. Quality 5c.

Our odd number of pieces of and lawns, will be sold at a

Look in our window.

## Max Schmidt.

THOUGHTS OF THE MOMENT.

As Paragraphed by the Pen and Pencil

 $\begin{array}{c} {\rm Men.}\\ \Lambda \ {\rm good} \ {\rm tin} \ {\rm roof} \ {\rm is} \ {\rm better} \ {\rm thau} \ {\rm all} \ {\rm the} \end{array}$ taking" man's smiling photographic lightning rods. Shenandcah has plenty of countenance, but just as it reached the tin roofs, and for that reason lightning curbstone one of the horses fell and before seldom strikes in the borough, because the it could regain its feet both horses were electricity is distributed over the surface of

> One who is careful of his umbrella always opens it when it is wet and sets it somewhere, handle down, to dry; or, if this is not possible, he stands it closed, handle down, instead of with the tip downs sults in the accumulation of moisture in the thick gathers at the top and the subsequent rotting of the fabric.

Not all the bleycle ordinances now being passed so plentifully all over the country are designed to regulate the cyclist and their doings. One recently passed in Chicopee, Mass., imposes a fine of from \$2 to \$20 on any person throwing in any street, iron, tacks, nails, or any other articles liable to cause injury to the tires of bicycles.

Under a new ordinance in Grittin, Ga., a barroom in that town may not connect with another room, and must have but one doorway, for entrance or exit. Even if the proprietor of the har lives in the building In which it is situated, he must have a seperate entrance to his house, and from his offering two valuable properties on White bar must go out into the street in order to get into his home. The object of the ordinance is obvious.

FINE GROCERS, No. 122 North Main Street, Shenandoah, Pa.

# Special Sale of Oil Cloths, Preserving Jars and Jelly Glasses.

Best qualities of OIL CLOTHS from 22 to 85 cents per yard. All the latest patterns.

Mason's preserving jars at So cents a dozen.

Jelly glasses with tin lids at the lowest possible prices.

Do not forget that we carry the best brands of flour at lowest prices.

# REMEMBER

heavy and shell BARGLASSWARE in the county. All sizes constantly in stock.

Also a large line of beautiful table glassware, see our line.

EVENING

**BABY CARRIAGES** 

J. P. Williams & Son,

South Main Street, Shenandoah, Pa.

WILKINSONS

Our sheets are all 21/2 yards long, with 2 in. hem at the top; prices 50c. to

BEST MAKE! LOWEST PRICES!

PHLO

CHERRINGTON BROS.

That we carry the finest and cheapest line of 10:30 they arrived at the Gorman turnout

to see Sweeney alive are John Lowe and \$2.33 for each desk, Mr. Evans \$2.50, and

home, being sleepy and tired themselves. will just suit you, and which we supply On leaving the tank they were passed by a from our own workshops and wholesale freight, but had heard no sound of a per- departments . Honest well-made boots and on is distress. They went on their way shoes and rubbers at factory prices. Our home, having no more thought of their methods of doing business will be so just best make, will be sold at 45 cents. Do cycling, the touring season will doubtless

Schelfly House. Hot lunch tonight. Spring chicken. Hard and soft shell crabs.

# F. J. Portz & Son,

No. 21 North Main Street, Shenaudoah, Pa.

# New Carpets.

This week we offer a new line of choice patterns of Axminster and Moquette Carpets. A full stock of Velvet, Tapestry and Body Brussels. Also another lot of new Ingrains at 35 cents, exactly the same quality as we have been selling at 50 cents. Ingrain at 25 cents, reduced from 40 cents-All Wool Ingrains Extra Quality-A large stock of Rag Carpets, all prices and styles. New Moquette Rugs at low prices. Linoleums at re- club. He proposes to play either Ashland duced prices.

## Specials in Canned Goods.

We received today another lot of Fancy Northern Sugar Corn, 4 for 25 cents. The best we have had at the price. Also another lot of Fancy Cold Packed Tomatoes, 4 for 25 cents. Fine Table Peaches, 2 cans 25 cents. California Pears, 2 for 25 cents. Alaska Salmon, 10 cents a can.

## Today--A lot of Strictly Freshmade Fancy Dairy Butter.

## TO ARRIVE,

Three cars No. 1 Timothy Hay. Two cars Choice White Oats. One car Heavy Winter Wheat Middlings. One car Yellow Corn.

# At Keiter's.

A New Building.

Bowers street for the Shenandoah Heat & unless he cheats kimself by not coming to new building. Power Company.

Go to Maley's for ladies' silver belt for yourself, but don't all come at once.

buckles, 16 North Main street. tf

### Setley on Deck.

Setley, the erratic William, is once more with us and says he will take hold of a local base ball team for the balance of the summer if the people will support the or Mahanoy City next Sunday and will have a strong team on the field, and says the people will see the old battery-Fulmer and Sotley. The admission fee will be fixed at the old rate-15 cents.

### Plimmer Here Again.

sased from the county juli, celebrated his ing. The subscribers to bonds will proreturn here last night by getting drunk and cure a receipt for moneys paid on bonds. heralding the event in a very boisterous Regular bonds will be issued August 31st, manuer. Chief Tosh escorted him to the 1895, and can be procured upon the return Hotel de Burns.

Hastings Club, Attention !

The Daniel H. Hastings Club will meet this evening, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Titman building on East Centre street. All members are requested to attend.

When you want good roofing, 'plumbing gas fitting, or general timsmithing done call on E. F. Gallagher, 18 West Centre street. Dealer in stoves 34-11

### More Connections.

made two connections with the public Acker, Mrs. Jere. Boughey, and Mrs. with the water.

Luks' soothing syrup fore ross babies.

Both started for shoe store with an assortment of stock that

us for his shoes and save his hard-earned cash. We expect you all to come and see

Yours truly,

THE FACTORY SHOE STORE. Beddall Building, Corner of Main and Centre streets,

Shenandoab, Pa. Watson House Free Lunch.

Ox tail soup tonight.

Avoid the rush.

Calf's liver smothered with onions tomorrow morning.

## Bond Subscriptions.

district will receive subscriptions for notice. school bonds at the office of the Board of William Plimmer, the negro recently re- Directors in the West street school build-

> of the treasurer's ceceipt. There are still some bonds for sale, but as the issue is limited it would be well to call early.

the best:

## Off to a Convention.

The annual session of the State Camp of the Patriotic Order of True Americans is .

being held at Mauch Chunk. The follow. ing people left here this morning to attend Superintendent Betteridge yesterday the sessions; B. G. Hess, Mrs. Maud

water works for the benefit of sixteen Jacob S. Williams, District President, families residing at Glover's Hill. The representing Camp 6, Mrs. T. J. James, people of No. 3 are anxious to be supplied Mrs. John Knight, Mrs. Lucy James and

Miss Emma Seltzer, representing Camp 40.

The only baby medicine-Luks' Syrup.

street for sale.

### Overalls ! Overalls !

The great 9-ounce overalls, of the very 7-15-26

An unfailing specific for cholera morbus, cholera infantum, diarrhoea and all those other dangerous diseases incident to the summer season, is found in Dr. Fowler's Ext. of Wild Strawberry.

### 34 - 34 Warning to Fakirs.

It is come to the ears of Chief of Police Tosh that three fakirs were on a spree in the First ward last night and hunting Justice Toomey, Constable Giblin and Special Officer Mullahy to pick a fight with

Maley, the jeweler, for your wedding rings, 10 North Main street.

### A Steady Increase.

The demand for Columbia Beer is steadily on the increase. Each month, at its close, shows sales largely in excess of the previous month, which speaks well for the increasing product of the Columbia Brewing Company.

Hives are not dangerous to life, but they are a prolific breader of misery and pro-fanity. Doan's Ointment gives Instant relief, even in the worst cases of this and other exasperating diseases of the skin.

### Seronades.

The Lithuanian band serenaded Mr. and Mrs. Owen Brennan at their home on body who reads this paper, and when these are West Cherry street last night and also gone we will ge serenaded James L. Morgan, of West Coal stress.

Special This Week.

Ladies' vests, 5 cents; Brussels carpets, 42); cents; a nice unbleached muslin for 5 cents. P. J. MONAGHAN, 50 South Main street, Shenandoah. 8-11-11

comrade until they received the news yes- that a child can buy as well as a man. Our not miss this opportunity. Special bargain be unusually active. It is generally the prices we guarantee as the lowest ever in shirts. Do not forget that we still sell case that the new recruit is seized with a offered in this section of the state and we a good black stiff hat of finest quality at burning desire to take a long trip awheel, make it a rule to always refund the money \$2. Also nice Derbys at \$1. At Max and sooner or later finds himself with a Bricklayers have started work on a two- if, upon comparison, our goods are not Levit's Up-to-Date hat and gents' furnish. party bound for some point of attraction, atory building to be erected on North satisfactory. Thus nobody will be cheated ing store, 15 East Centre street, Titman's say a hundred miles away. Such journeys invigorate the mind and the body as well, if taken in a leisurely manner. The cost is small, well within the means of the average man, and, if he fails to reap a harvest of health and recreation, it is his own fault. A vacation spent awheel riding through the country is truly a good Investment.

> Give teething children Luks' soothing syrip.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever them in order to get square for the Lost Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Creek shell game arrests. Chief Tosh says Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and posithese people must behave themselves, or tively cures Piles, or no pay required. It The treasurer of the Shenandoah school they will get what they deserve on short is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by A. Wasley.

> Have your carpets, feathers and mattresses cleaned by the Steam Renovating Co., 32 East Coal street. 4-17-Sm

IF And told every man you met that you had to load of wood to sell, and every man you you met would in turn tell every man, you had be net that you had a load of HAD wood to will, it wand it coates that of time become preity well A known that you had a load of wood to sell, not directly LOAD you would not have any load of wood to sell. OF We have not seet a WOOD but we have loads of grocerise to ael and we TO SELL



122 North Jardin Street.



DANIEL OODEN, President, WILLIAM T. THEZISE, Secretary, 7-16-3t

Kirlin's compound blackberry cordial is