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We have opened with a full line of GREEN GROCERIES and TRUCK, wholesale and retail, which we receive daily in large quantities, and will be sold at close figures. . . . Remember that we also carry the choicest line of groceries in the town.

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We have just received a fine line of the most beautiful and artistic papers in the market, which we will sell at very reasonable prices. We have also in stock a great deal of last year's patterns which we are selling at a sacrifice. Come and see our line of goods. We have the most beautiful and artistic papers.

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The Last Clearing MILLINERY GOODS

Consisting of trimmed leghorn hats from \$1.25 to \$2.50. Large line of bull-top sailor and Knox hats from 25 cents to \$1.25. Plain sailor for 15c. Ladies' untrimmed hats from 20c. up. Silk mull hats \$1.00. Infants' caps 5c. up. Infants' and children's Mourning goods every cheap. Nuns veils from \$2.25 up.

MRS. J. J. KELLY,

No. 26 South Main Street, Shenandoah, Penna.

FOR SALE!

2 Cars No. 1 Old White Oats.

1 Car Choice Yellow Corn.

1 Car Hay.

100 Bbls. Choice Old Wheat
Flour.

25 Bbls. Fresh Ground Rye
Flour.

At KEITER'S.

IT LOOKS BAD FOR DURANT

Damaging Evidence Against the Alleged Church Murderer.

CHAIN OF EVIDENCE COMPLETE.

A Reputable Lady Member of the Church Who Saw the Prisoner and Miss Lamont Enter the Church on the Day of Her Mysterious Disappearance.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—A local paper says the last link in the chain of evidence against Theodore Durant has been discovered. A woman who lives across the street from Emmanuel church has reported to the police that she saw Durant and Blanche Lamont enter the church at 4:10 on April 3, the day of Miss Lamont's disappearance. The woman's name is Mrs. Leake, and she lives at No. 124 Bartlett street. She has been a member of the church for a number of years. She knew both Durant and Miss Lamont intimately, and therefore cannot be mistaken with regard to the identity of either. She says she has remained silent since the discovery of the bodies of the two girls because she did not wish to undergo the annoyance of being a witness in the case, and did not consent to divulge her information to the police until she became convinced that it was a duty she owed to the state.

On April 3 Mrs. Leake sat at the window of her residence nearly all the afternoon looking for her daughter, whom she expected to arrive from San Francisco. At 4 o'clock she saw a couple coming up the street, one of whom she instantly recognized as Durant; but at first she was puzzled over the identity of the girl. She thought that the young lady was Lucille Turner, but as the couple came nearer Mrs. Leake recognized the girl as Blanche Lamont. Miss Lamont wore a short schoolgirl's dress and carried a package of school books. The dress and the school books were afterwards found secreted in the church.

Mrs. Leake knew nothing detrimental to Durant. She had always considered him "such an exemplary young man," but notwithstanding that fact she thought it exceedingly imprudent for the girl to go into the church with him alone. She feared some one might have seen them and make unpleasant remarks. She imagined that they had some errand in the church and wanted to see her on the street again before she left the window. She waited a long time, but household duties finally called her to another part of her house, and she was obliged to give up her vigil.

Mrs. Leake's testimony completes the chain of evidence against Durant. Three schoolgirls saw Durant and Blanche Lamont riding on a Powell street car at 2:30 on the day that Miss Lamont disappeared. Attorney Quinlan saw the couple a few blocks from the church a few minutes before 4 o'clock. Now comes Mrs. Leake, who says she saw Durant and Miss Lamont enter the church a few minutes later. George King, the organist, has already testified that he entered the church about 5 o'clock and saw Durant coming down from the attic. Durant's hair was disheveled, his face was red, he was panting for breath, and was in a state of utter physical and nervous collapse. In answer to inquiries he explained that he had been engaged in repairing electric wires in the organ loft, and had been overcome by gas. An expert electrician afterwards examined the wires, and testified that no repairs of the nature Durant professed to have made had been made within six months.

The prisoner was somewhat disturbed today over the publication of Mrs. Leake's narrative, and showed signs of uneasiness for the first time since his arrest. No jurors were accepted yesterday, and the court adjourned until Monday.

Meeting With Success.
The family bottling system recently introduced by the Columbia Brewing Company is meeting with abundant success and increasing capacity daily, to such an extent that extra help has been employed in this department. To keep cool in this hot weather everybody should drink it.

The Old Phoenix Property.
As soon as the Phoenix Fire Company moves into its new quarters Samuel Davis, the grocer, now located at the northeast corner of Centre and Jardin streets, will move his business into the company's old building, which he purchased for \$2,200. He has already built a two-story warehouse at the rear and will in all probability remodel the front of the property.

Selling Out! Selling Out!!
The Pittsburg Novelty Store is disposing of its entire line of crockery and glassware, at lowest possible prices. Must be sold by September 15th. At the P. N. Store, 35 West Centre street, Shenandoah. 8-16-1w

Appointed Examiner.
Dr. J. P. Roberts has been appointed examiner for the local branch of the Royal Arcanum and had a large number of applicants on the rack yesterday. The examinations are as rigid as those of an old line life insurance company.

Auction To-night.
The balance of the grocery stock of Philip Coffey's, 34 East Centre street, including furniture and carpets, dried beef cutter and two screen doors will be sold regardless of price. Do not miss it. To-night at 7 p. m. 21

Lowest Rate of the Season
To Ocean Grove, via Pennsylvania Railroad, Thursday, August 23rd. Train leaves Shenandoah at 6:08 a. m. Round trip tickets good for return passage until August 29th, \$4.00.

Advertised Letters.
Letters addressed to the following named people remain unclaimed for at the local post-office: J. D. Alins, Charles Berry Wilson, Oscar Wittmayer, Alfred Watson, Secretary Brownsville Cornet Band.

DEMOCRATS MEET.

The Standing Committee Selects W. F. Shepherd as Chairman.

POTTSVILLE, Aug. 17.—The members of the Democratic County Standing Committee, in accordance with the call issued by Chairman B. J. Monaghan, met here this morning, at 10:30 o'clock, in Centennial hall. The attendance was very large. Chairman Monaghan presided and Secretary John Guither was at his desk. The principal business before the committee was the selection of a successor to the present chairman, who declined the office, and the naming of the time and place for holding the county convention. The committee decided to defer the question of selecting a date, and delegated that power to a committee of fifteen, which has authority, under the resolution passed, to fix the time and place of holding the county convention. This action was taken in order to allow the Republicans no advantage in fixing the date of their convention.

After ex-Senator B. J. Monaghan, of Shenandoah, had tendered his resignation as chairman, the committee selected W. F. Shepherd, Esq., of Pottsville, to succeed him.

Society House.
Clam chowder for lunch to-night.
Chicken soup.
Hard and soft shelled crabs.
Oysters.
Clams.
Deviled crabs.
Fish cakes.

A Model Beer Wagon.
One of the finest and largest beer wagons ever placed upon the road in this section is now being turned out by W. J. Dech, the wheelwright, for the Columbia Brewing Company. It is 12 1/2 feet long and 4 1/2 feet wide, while the body is 23 inches high. This is the fourteenth delivery wagon that Mr. Dech has built for this company. It is a model in every respect and fully attests the reputation his establishment bears for first-class work. The company will place it on the road for the first time on Monday.

The only baby medicine—Luk's Syrup.

A Water Strike.
While this town has a bountiful supply of water, other places throughout the region are suffering from its scarcity. At Morva a water strike is threatened. Owing to the drought the only source of supply, a small stream, has become dry, and the people have applied to the company to supply them with the water now being used for colliery purposes. They threaten to strike unless the company shall take some means to increase the present supply.

The only baby medicine—Luk's Syrup.

Are You Among the List?
The following traverse jurors have been drawn to serve for the term of court commencing Monday, September 16: John W. Hoskins, Joseph Witkanas and William Woomey, of Shenandoah; Steve Ettringham, Gilberton; Henry J. Litch, Charles Deiter, Michael Moss, Mahanoy City; Michael Carey, Mahanoy twp.; H. N. Emery, H. J. Constance, Ashland.

Employes Discharged.
Samuel Ebersole, Evan Daniels and James Darsett, of Shamokin, employed as miners by the P. & R. C. & I. Co., were recently dismissed from the company's service. No cause was given except that their services were not needed and the supposition is they were dismissed because of their prominence in the United Mine Workers Society.

Kendrick House Free Lunch.
Choice oysters on toast for lunch to-night. Finest and largest oysters and little neck clams in the market. Meals served at all hours.

"Y" Program.
The following is the program at the meeting of the "Y" this evening: Singing, "Y;" scripture reading, George Roxby; declamation, Miss Duato; select reading, Miss C. West; violin solo, Miss Brown; address, Mr. Brown; singing, "Y;" declamation, Miss Hares; select reading, Miss Price; instrumental solo, Miss Kehler; declamation, J. H. Danks; cornet solo, Thomas Rogers; critic, J. T. Lawson. Prayer meeting same as usual.

A Chance for Steady Work.

At the Mt. Pleasant mine, Port Oram, New Jersey. Contracts for "Tributing" iron ore in this mine will be given to lowest bidders, in the order in which they are received, on and after September 1st, 1895. For particulars apply to

THE MT. PLEASANT MINING COMPANY,
Port Oram, N. J.

Mrs. Gallagher Injured.

Mrs. Anthony Gallagher, of Rappahannock, while crossing the P. & R. R. at that place to visit a neighbor, was struck by a coal train and thrown to one side of the track. She received internal injuries, and is not expected to recover.

Thrown From His Horse.

Edward Williams, Jr., son of ex-Policeman Edward Williams, of South Jardin street, met with an accident yesterday while out riding. While on Coal street his horse became frightened by dogs, throwing him to the ground. He sustained cuts on the forehead and right knee.

Killed at Girardville.

Patrick Howe, a resident of Girardville and employed at Hammond colliery, met with instant death yesterday. It appears that the unfortunate man went into an abandoned breast with a naked lamp which caused an explosion of gas, resulting as above stated.

Everybody Wants to be in Style.

To be so purchase one of Max Levit's fashionable stiff hats, in all colors, from \$1.00 on and upward. At 15 East Centre street.

Babies made happy with Luk's Syrup.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH MEETS

The Newly Elected Officers Will Qualify Next Tuesday.

THE COMMITTEES TO BE REVISED

Health Officer-Elect Conry and Secretary-Elect Curtin Both Take the Oath of Office at Last Night's Meeting.

An adjourned meeting of the Board of Health was held in the Council Chamber last night for the purpose of winding up the business of the old board and effecting a reorganization.

Secretary Scanlan read the report of the epidemic committee, showing that during the past three weeks four cases of typhoid, one of scarletina and two cases of diphtheria were reported and thirty-nine burial permits were issued.

President Spalding announced that he proposed re-arranging the committees of the board so as to divide the present duties of the epidemic committee and create what will be known as the committee on necrology.

The president administered the oath of office to the new officers—Secretary-elect John W. Curtin and Health Officer-elect Conry, after which the board adjourned to meet again next Tuesday evening, by which time the new officers are to have their bonds for faithfully performance of duty ready for presentation.

Pending the qualification of the new officers Health Officer Miles and Secretary Scanlan will hold over.

The local board has been notified by the State Board that Dr. George H. Halberstadt has been appointed medical inspector for Schuylkill county. The board is to be enlightened as to the powers conferred upon Dr. Halberstadt at its next meeting.

Speaks for Itself.

Speak of your morning and evening lunches. This is the place. The largest schooner of beer in town and a meal for a nickel. At Welter's, 23 West Coal street. 8-16-2t

A Pleasant Surprise.

A pleasant party of ladies and gentlemen invited the home of Miss Sallie Beacham, on West Oak street, last evening, the occasion being a surprise tendered Miss Beacham by the members and friends of the M. E. church choir of town. The choir rendered some choice selections, interspersed with quartettes, duets and solos by Misses Wasley and Bevan, and Messrs. J. J. Price, Patterson, Hughes and J. Price, Jr., also piano solos by Miss Helen Price and Mr. John Hough. During the evening refreshments were served and Miss Beacham was presented with a large handsome volume entitled, "The Imperial Galaxy of Poetry and Art." The presentation speech was ably delivered by Mr. J. J. Price, and was feelingly responded to by Miss Beacham. Remarks were also made by Messrs. Preston and Hough. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson, Mrs. Edward Boddall, Misses Meredith, Wasley, Jeanette and Lillie Bevan, Beacham, Price, Brown and Hough; Messrs. J. J. Price, John and James Hough, J. Price, Jr., Thomas and Preston.

The Phoenix Picnic.

The Phoenix Hose Company, No. 2, has decided to continue its picnic, and will hold the same this afternoon and evening.

The Ashland-Centralia Road.

It was expected, says the Ashland Telegram, that a meeting between the officials of the Schuylkill Traction Company and the Shamokin-Mt. Carmel Electric Railway people would be held in that town yesterday, but it failed to take place. It is said that no move will be made in connecting the two lines unless the business people of the two towns evince an interest in the matter by putting money in the project. They have shown no intention of doing, and until they do the officials say they will not take any further steps. From present appearances it is extremely doubtful that the connecting link will be built.

Opening of the Schools.

The schools will open on Thursday next, August 23d. Admission tickets can be procured at the Superintendent's office, Main street building, on Tuesday and Wednesday forenoons. Parents are requested to send their children on the first day. The teachers will meet at the High school room on Wednesday, at 2 p. m.

M. P. WHITAKER, Supt.

At Ferguson's Theatre.

Chas. E. Blaney's second season with his successful farce-comedy, "A Baggage Check," will have the strongest cast ever seen in this funny play. It is headed by James T. Kelly and Lizzie Melrose, W. S. Sully, Chas. A. Morgan, Louis Martinetti, the Nichols sisters, Kittie Gilmore, Lida Clark, Anna Sanford and others. Their names should guarantee a great performance. Mr. Blaney says his play this season contains more good catchy music than a comic opera. At Ferguson's theatre, Monday, August 19.

Shares For Sale.

The Safe Deposit Building and Saving Association will open another series September 8th. This fund is especially successful. A large number of the principal business men of town carry stock in this fund. Shares can be had at the office of M. H. Master now. 8-12-13t-eod

Teachers' Institute.

The date for the opening of the Schuylkill county teachers institute has been fixed for November 11th. The sessions will be held in the Academy of Music, Pottsville.

THE BUSY STORE

116 and 118 North Main Street.

We are still on the close out of Summer Goods. The remarkable low price moves them. We are selling our 12 1-2c Summer Goods at 9 1-2c. This includes Demities, Percalles, Lawns, White Goods, &c., &c.

Our seamless toe hose is equaled by none in the market. Sizes 5 to 7 1/2, now at 5c.

A lot of Laces have just come in. Just what you want, any width. Narrow or wide we let you have at 5c a yard. At this price we could not continue to sell always. We would not like to lose money all the time.

BED SPREADS at a bargain. A small lot, what there is of them you may have at 55c. You must not think you get a \$5.00 spread. We mean you get more than your money's worth.

A lot of damaged Baby Robes reduced to about one half of retail value. Not much wrong with them, except wrinkled.

MAX SCHMIDT.

Mahanoy City Business College.

A branch of the well known Wilkesbarre Business College will open in Mahanoy City on Monday, September 9th. There will be three distinct courses: Commercial, Shorthand and Typewriting and Academic. Day and night sessions, first-class teachers, and commodious, well-equipped school apartments. Rates of tuition lower than any other first-class business college in Pennsylvania, and instruction equal to the best. To facilitate organizing the school, the management has decided to sell 100 charter membership scholarships, entitling the holder to a complete course in the Commercial and English branches and Shorthand and Typewriting, for only \$50. In night school, only \$40. Other schools charge at least from \$109 to \$150, for the same courses. Those desiring instruction in special branches chosen by themselves can have special rates on application. For further information in regard to Wilkesbarre or Mahanoy City colleges write to

G. W. WILLIAMS, Principal.

Go to Maley's for silver belts, ladies' buckles, 16 North Main street. 11

Foot Race.

A large crowd of people interested in athletic matters assembled at the Trotting park yesterday to witness the 100 yard foot race between Joseph Garvey, a Lithuanian of town, and John Carey, of Girardville. John Toole was referee and ex-Burgess James Smith was starter. The start was by pistol shot. The odds in betting were 4 to 1 in favor of Carey who won by 4 yards with ease. Considerable money changed hands.

Charles Kirhn, of town, is backed to run John Carey, of Girardville, for \$200 a side, at the Trotting park on Saturday. Tax Receiver Scanlan is stackholder, and John Toole and John Reilly will be starter and referee respectively. The parties have deposited \$20 each and to-day will put \$100 more.

Teething children should be treated with Luk's soothing syrup. 11

\$4.00 For the Round Trip to Ocean Grove And return via Pennsylvania Railroad, Thursday, August 23d. Tickets good for return passage until August 29th. Train leaves Shenandoah at 6:08 a. m. Stop-off permitted at Philadelphia on return trip. Camp meeting week. 8-17-3t

Engaging a Factory.

M. L. Kemmerer has a number of men employed in adding a third story to the building on North Market street in which he makes confectionery for his rapidly increasing trade.

Every day symptoms of digestive disorders—acid stomach, distress after eating, burning at pit of stomach, dull, heavy feeling—Burdock Blood Bitters never fails to correct any troubles of this sort.

FISHERMAN'S LUCK.

In fishing around the market we found a couple barrels of extra fine Norway mackerel cheap. Very fat and white. Not large. Weight about 3/4 of a pound. 14 cents a pound. We have the big ones, too; weigh 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 pounds, for little more money. These are the finest fish caught, and we can not always buy the small ones.

Graf's,

122 North Jardin St., Shenandoah.