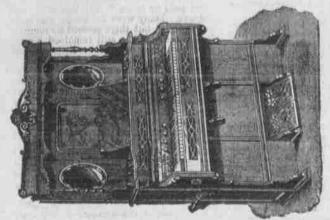
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we handle Butterick's paper patterns. Monthly allowed to remain on Oak, Main and West and his head was terribly crushed. Blow was ability from the standpoint of the memstyle sheet given away free,

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Man, supplied with reasoning and discerning powers, may improve his con- been invaluable. I hope he will reconsider the dition by the exercise of these faculties. This can be applied with very good on the water committee who can fill his effect in the purchase of Coffees and hr. Gable was evidently much affected by Teas. A good cup of Coffee depends the sensiments expressed by his coffeagues, Ham not only on the making-but the brand resignation be accepted. of Coffee, the grade, the roasting and preparation are very important factors. Council chamber. We feel confident that we can meet all those requirements. A delicious cup companies. of Coffee is a certainty if you use

Our Fancy Java, or our Fancy Blended Coffee.

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At KEITER'S.

The Borough Council Says Last Year's Rate Will be Sufficient.

THIRTEEN MILLS ARE ASSESSED

Eight for Expenses of the Borough and Five for Water-The Water Rents Will More Than Cover the Expenses. Other Council Proceedings.

Financial problems occupied the most of body was horribly mutilated. Both legs and the two hours and a half the Borough Council was in session last night, and after twisting, turning, weighing and viewing the questions in all their phases the members were on their way to Ringtown. finally succeeded in hitting upon a plan that will tide the borough ever until the returns begin to come in from the tax duplicate for ter are married. The children are Mrs. 1805. The Councilmen in attendance at the meeting were Messra, Metinire, D. R. James, Hand, O'Brien, Dougherty, Reese, T. J. James, Bochm, McElhenny, Gable, Straughn at the Kohinoor colliery; Mrs. David Davis, and Kane.

of waste water running over her property on dents of the Catawasa Valley in the vicinity Mayberry alley, was brought up again. The of Riegtown. Chief Burgess said he was at a loss as to know what to do. If he compelled the people to continue guttering done on the Egan property a hump in the alley would interfere, but the borough could lay a pipe

ment the latest, best fitting and Burgess should handle the matter, as it evibest made in the market. No- dentiy is a squabble among neighbors, and a Phuned oysters on toast for free lunch. where else will you get equal motion prevailed that all the parties con- to-night. qualities at prices as low as ours. should the trouble become a public nuisance. Masis served at all hours.

We are daily receiving new again. Mr. Ferguson asks that the alley be years of age, was killed by passenger train request was defeated.

> Centre streets and the Chief Burgess was a dissolute character. He is survived by a bers, are the committees on appropriations instructed to enforce the ordinances.

An adjourned meeting will be held next Tuesday evening to consider an ordinance relative to the refunding of the \$25,600 of old borough bonds falling due on January 1st,

The finance committee reported that it would be necessary to negotiate a loan, or take other steps to meet bills falling due until returns could be received from the 1895 Has arrived, and no where can you be duplicate and after considerable discussion hotter suited than at our store—pre-emin-ently the store of the fown. Call and see a loan of \$4,000 for 90 days was authorized.

On the question of tax lovy T. J. James, chairman of the finance committee, stated that it was believed the borough could get along through the ensuing year with the tax rate the same as last year, viz: 8 mills for borough taxes and 5 for water, provided, however, that the water duplicate will bring efficient revenue to run the water plant. for beautifying a home. The prices are This was assured by Councilmen Gable and MeEtheuny and the tax rate was fixed at the were broken and the front and rear cylinder committee. same rate as list year.

Mr. Gable made a report on matters conwas of a routine character, and closed it with MAX LEVIT'S, 15 East Centre street. the declaration that he wished to resign from the chairmanship of the water committee. At first he gave no particular reason for the has not yet named his official staff, beyond step, but upon being urged he stated that he that of first deputy, which goes to M. P. without consulting the committee.

After considerable talk over the duty of the third assistant. superintendent to consult the committee it was decided to lay Mr. Gable's resignation on the table until the next meeting. None of his colleagues wish to see the Councilman withdraw from the chairmanship and the bject of tabling the resignation was to give determined to press it last night.

tribute to Councilman Gable while the resignation was under discussion. He said, "Mr. Gable has practically done the work of the down to the rail, the weight resting upon his water committee and his services to it have body and legs. matter and not resign. There may be some one in Council, but certainly there is no one

but made no reply and insisted that the

It was decided that the water superintendent shall establish his office in the

The finance committee was instructed to collect the car taxes from the electric railway

Borough Solicitor Pomeroy was instructed to appeal to court from the award of \$75

ade in the Stauffer case. The water superintendent reported that he had placed a meter at M. L. Shoemaker's grade of hops and malt only, which is of the vacancies of those who were not re-elected, colliery at Turkey Rnn. He at the same highest known, and because it is said you. This committee is to confer with the Retime recommended that all fire plugs be ex- direct by the manufactures, which saves you publican committee for the purpose of the cold weather, and that the proper officers be directed to prevent people from throwing ashes and other refuse on the ends of the water mains, as it causes considerable expense and trouble in locating the boxes. A plug on West Poplar street is almost buried by ashes.

The Chief of Police report showed 22 arrests for the month of November and times were collected from 15. The collections amounted to \$30. Lodgings were furnished

The collections of the Chief Burgess for place to buy, to secure best shoe values. of street.

the menth of November, including police fines, amounted to \$67. The month was not a busy one in police circles outside of attend-

the Catavissa Railroad.

ABNER BITTING'S PATE. The Well Known Lumber Man Killed on

Abner Bitting, the retired timber contractor of Catawissa Valley, was found dead on the Catawissa milroad, about a mile north of the Ringtown station, at about seven o'clock last evening. It is believed he was struck by extra freight train engine No 159, which passed the point where the body was found, northward, at about six n'clock in the evening. The

was tarribly mangled. The body was found by J. S. Thornton and F. P. Michael, who The deceased was 65 years of age and left a wife and eight children. Most of the lat-Boyd Dresher, who resides on the Wasley farm at Ringtown; Mrs. A. J. Lauderman,

one of the arms were cut off and the head

whose husband is assistant outside foreman of Beaver Valley; and Thomas, George, The case of Mrs. Flaherty, who complains Lloyd, Elmer and Robert Bitting, all resi-

> many years and supplied the Kohinoor and West Shenandoul collieries, but retired from business about a year ago and was succeeded by his son, George. He resided about a mile north of Ringtown and is supposed to have been killed while on his way home

At Breen's Cafe.

Another Railroad Fatality.

depot at about 1:30 o'clock this afternoon. Complaints were made against wagons Both legs were cut from the victim's body wife, but no children.

A Gathering.

An evening sociable was held last evening at the home of Miss Chrisde Burkhart, on North Main street, by a number of young people, whose object it is to form a club and render a series of parlor entertainments during the winter. Among those who attended were the following: Misses Annie Keithan, Bertha Holderman, Annie Schaeffer, Cleo Lessig, May and Carrie Beddall, Gussie Reese and Carrie Levine.

Kendrick House Free Lunch. Oyster soup to-night.

West Shemmdoah Idle,

A breaking of the crank on the breaker engine of the West Shenandoah colliery expected repairs will be completed in time caps were knocked out.

The District Attorney's Deputies.

District Attorney-elect Edgar W Bechtel was not satisfied with the manner in which McLoughlin, who so ably filled the position the superintendent of water works was pro- of second deputy under District Attorney ceeding. The specific cause of complaint liyan. Who the other appointees will be was that the superintendent was in the habit remains to be seen. It is claimed they are of contracting bills and doing other things Robert S. Rashore, of Tremont, as second assistant, and James J. Moran, the present

Watson House Free Lunch. Fried oysters. A treat for to-night.

Hot lunch to-morrow morning,

Bruised by Falling Slate.

John Polchuck had his hips and shoulders him time to re-consider the step. He was badly squeezed yesterlay afternoon while at work in a gangway of the Turkey Run col-Councilman McElberny paid an excellent liery. He was in the act of sinking a leg hole when a piece of slate slipped out from the side of the gangway and forced him

Scheifly House. Clam soup to-night.

Finest lobsters in town

Chicken sonp. Little neck clams. Rappahannock oysters. Sardines. Swiss cheese. Fish cakes. Oysters in every style.

Oblinary.

Miss Ann Goughan, aged 65 years, died last night at her bome on West Cherry street She had no immediate relatives in town and made her home with the widow of her brother, James Gaughan, who was killed at the Shenaudoah City colliery about three

Columbia Beerl

It excels because: It is brewed of one

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church parsonage. Wm. Penn, on the 4th inst., when Abraham Mummey, of town, and Miss Laura Stone, of Win. Penn, were united in marriage by Rev. Ephriam Potts, pastor of the above church. On a New Footing.

Medicated red flannels at MAX LEVIT'S, Speaker Reed Has Not Yet Prepared His List.

MAY BE READY BARLY NEXT WEEK Counter this Wicek.

In the Upper House of Congress Senator Chandler Offers a Free Coinage Bill Which is Dependent Upon the Action of Foreign Countries.

Washington, Dec. 6.—Speaker Reed has begun for the first time to definitely out-line his list of committees on paper. After receiving members of the house all day Wednesday he sat down at 9 o'clock and worked until a late hour putting on paper the assignments he had decided upon, up to that time. Yesterday he gave more in terviews to members and listened to the presentation of their claims. No informa-tion has leaked from the speaker's room except remarks made by Mr. Read to the friends of a member who asked for the chairmanship of the committee on labor, which seemed to indicate that he had de-cided to give that place to Mr. Phillips, of Pennsylvania, whose name has been presented by the labor organizations.

The labor unions are taking an interest Mr. Bitting had been a timber contractor for in the committee on immigration, as well as the labor committee, and are endeavor-ing to bring about the selection of committeemen who will favor Senator Lodge's bill, which, among other things, would bur illiterate foreigners from entry. It is estimated that not less than 20 per cont. of the foreigners admitted under existing laws would be excluded by a system requiring their ability to read and write their own language, and this is what the

Inhor organizations wish to procure.

Probably the strongest pressure being brought to hear upon the speaker comes from various candidates for the committee.

SWINGING TOWEL, RACKS, made to sell at 15 cents, with us on ways and means. The Republicans will be catified to eleven places on this body if the party proportion of the last congress is maintained, and seven of the eleven will be new men. The influence of business interests of every class and see tion has been invoked, and many letters and petitions are pouring in.

Next to ways and means, in their desir-

and rivers and harbors, the two bodies which have charge of the distribution of

the largest sums of money.

Speaker Reed is considering a plan to divide the work on contested election cases by forming two election committees in greatly facilitate the work of disposing of the contests before the house, and would give the contestants who may be found to be cutified to sents for which others now hold certificates their rights sooner than they might obtain them otherwise. There are thirty-two contests on hand, and they will furnish too much work for one comevery case, and then votes upon it and reports to the house. It is said that the caused suspension of operations at that place yesterday and the colliery is still idle. It is yesterday and the colliery is still idle. It is scated the salary for the position during the time the contest was pending is paid for the colliery to start up to-morrow morn- to both of the claimants, as well as the exing. Both the crank and the connecting rod penses of conducting the case before the methods. Goods must go and dollars must

The house will probably adjourn after where profit vanishes. The furs, cloaks and its meeting today until next Monday or dress goods, share in the price reductions as nected with the public water works, which Men's and Boy's Woolen Sweaters. At Tuesday, At that time the announcement well as the holiday stock. The changes we of the committees by Speaker Reed is ex- intend making in the spring make quick pected. Speaker Reed, in his characterisie way, remarked yesterday: "If anybody tells you that he knows what I am going to do about the committees or any of them you can safely tell him he is a line. And if stc. a suit for defamation of character should ensue therefor I will testify in behalf of the defense.

> yesterday. Its only feature being the introduction of a bill by Senator Chandler, of New Hampshire, for the free coinage of the West street building. silver when England, France and Gor many would enact similar legislation and a resolution by his colleague, Senator Gal. A Renomme bat. Apply externally. Use linger, declaring it to be the sense of the all day and every day. Are you prepared to senate that it was unwise and inexpedient to retire the greenbacks. There was also a short speech by Senator Call, of Florida, in favor of the recognition of the Cuban Shipped to Reading.

revolutionists as belligerents.

The Republican senators met in caucus immediately after the adjournment of the senate. Senator Sherman, chairman of the caucus, announced the selection of the following senators as a committee to arrange the committees of the senate; Mitchell, Teller, Cullum, Quay, Platt, Chandler, Pettigrew, Gear and Pritchard. This committee was confirmed by the cau cus, which adjourned subject to call. When the committee has selected the committees the caucus will be called together to take action upon its arrange ments. The committee is about equally divided as to silver, four being for free coinage, while Chandler is very friendly to The committee will hold its first meeting on Monday next.

The Democratic senators also held a caucus, there being twenty-six senators present. The caucus decided upon the nomination of Senator Harris for president pro tempore in case the Republicans should decide to attempt to select one of their number to this office. The caucus also authorized the chairman, Senator Gorman, to appoint a steering committee, six of whom shall be old members, three to fill reaching an agreement as to the senate

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MAX SCHMIDT.

A STABBING AFFRAY.

Five Sien Held for Complicity in a Row at Lost Creek.

During a fight at Lost Creek, last Saturday night, Anthony Ready, of Dean's Patch, was stabled in the region of the heart. It was at first thought the wound was very slight, but Ready grew worse and was taken to the Miners' hospital. Last night it was deemed advisable to arrest men who are alleged to have taken part in the fracas and Constable Joe Peters, of Wm. Penn, assisted by Constable Thomas Bolin, of town, arrested Michael Murray, Michael McGraw, John Barrett, Patrick Hogan and Michael Davitt. mittee to grapple with. The business of All the num furnished \$500 bail each for a this committee corresponds largely to that of a court, as it hears all the evidence in to-night. Hogan and Regett cave bail beto-night. Hogan and Barrett gave bail before Justice Williams, in town. Ready is

The Holiday Show is Ready.

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Civil Service Examination.

A civil service examination of applicants The session of the senate was brief again for letter carrierships and clerkships in the

FOR THE HEAD.

William Neiswenter this morning shipped three fine sorrels to Reading, which were purchased from him yesterday by H. A. Acker, formerly of town, and who is new manager of the Reading branch of the Grand Union Tea Company, in whose service the horses will be used. The popularity and

horses into the centre of the horse-raising district of Pennsylvania.

abilities of Mr. Nebewenter as a horseman

speaks for itself, when he is shipping his

School Shoes. At Womer's. The best service for the least. money, that is why we shoe about half the

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