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VENEZUELA
The Monroe Doctrine and Schomburgk line are the all-engrossing subjects of the day. There can be no question regarding The

.. New England Piano

Because our customers (the arbitration committee) decided long ago in its favor, conceding every claim for durability, richness of tone, and beauty of finish.

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TWO CASES RENFREW DRESS GINGHAMS, light, medium and dark plaids, regular price 12½¢ per yard, our price, 6¢ per yard. No such bargain was ever before offered in Shenoykill county.

LADIES' KID GLOVES in black, tan and brown, worth \$1.00, at 75¢; better goods at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 per pair.

FIFTY PIECES JUST RECEIVED, BLACK AND COLORED HENRIETTAS, 45 inches wide, heavy material and fine lustre, 60¢, would be cheap at 90¢.

We have added to our stock a LARGE LINE OF CARPETS, in Ingrain, Tapestry and body Brussels, Moquettes and Velvets. It will be to your benefit to look through this line as you will find the prices very enticing. See our line of children's ready-made dresses. We handle Butterick's paper patterns.

P. J. GAUGHAN, - 27 N. Main St.

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MOQUETTES, VELVETS, BODY BRUSSELLS, TAPESTRY, INGRAIN AND RAG.

STYLES : AND : PRICES : ALWAYS : RIGHT.

J. J. PRICE'S, North Main St., Shenandoah, Pa.

Just opened another lot of our 49c shades.

THIS IS OUR EYE OPENER!

Special Drive in Ladies' Footwear!

Our Spring Line of Ladies' Shoes is being increased every day. Takes in everything good and attractive in the market.

OUR SPECIALTY SHOE.

We are making a drive in the Waverly ladies' shoe. 300 pair will be sold at \$2 a pair. Regular price is \$2.50. This may be the last of this line this season. We have them in C, D, EX EE widths. No better shoe is made for the money.

JOSEPH BALL, 14 S. MAIN STREET, SHENANDOAH.

General Agent for the Snag Proof Duck Boot.



ALFRED F. MORGAN.

A SHOE TALE!

Only the happy wearers of Morgan's Shoes can appreciate their real goodness of quality, fit and durability. The prices are right—a trial will tell a long story. See our special in ladies' shoes.

Alfred F. Morgan, No. 11 W. Oak Street.

FRESH BUTTER.

Direct from the best dairies in Pennsylvania, a lot of choice fresh Dairy Butter. We also receive, every other day, our usual supply of fancy fresh Creamery Butter.

OIL CLOTH

...AND...

LINOLEUM!

Will open next week, the largest stock and best patterns of New Flour Oil Cloth and Linoleum we have ever shown.

At KEITER'S.

Next Door to Coffee House.

A MURDERED MONARCH!

Persia's Ruler Assassinated While Entering a Shrine.

THE ASSASSIN UNDER ARREST!

The Dead Ruler is Succeeded by His Second Son, and There are Fears That the Eldest Son May Endeavor to Usurp the Throne.

TEHRAN, Persia, May 2.—The shah of Persia was shot and killed at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon while entering the shrine of Shah Abdul Azim, six miles south of this city. At first it was announced that he was only slightly wounded, but at 5 p. m. it was officially announced that he was dead. A physician attached to the German legation saw the shah's body. The assassin was a member of the Babi secret society, a criminal association which has hitherto made attempts upon the shah's life with a shot from a revolver. He was promptly arrested. The assassin's name is Mollah Reza, and he is supposed to be from Babes. He was disguised as a woman. The heir apparent was immediately advised of the assassination of his father, and will leave Teheran, where he was sojourning, for Teheran as soon as possible. At the beginning of the late shah's reign he put to death by thousands the mem-



THE MURDERED PERSIAN RULER.

bers of the Babi sect, whose crusade against the corruption of the public and private matters in Persia was so popular as to become a menace to the government.

Much discontent has existed for some time through the dearth of provisions, partly caused by the excessive issue of copper coins. Considerable alarm prevails here, and Prince Nabh Es Sultanah (third son of the late shah) has retired to his palace at the request of the government.

The chief apprehensions that now arise are lest the new shah's eldest brother, Zil Es Sultan, should attempt to dispute the accession. (The late shah is succeeded by his second son, and not the eldest son.) Zil Es Sultan is governor of Isfahan, and was for a long time the virtual ruler of Southern Persia, till the late shah, in 1890, greatly reduced his power and disbanded his regiments. Zil Es Sultan is a man of great ambition and of some capacity, but with a most unenviable reputation for cold blooded cruelty.

Nasr-Ed-Din, the shah, ascended the throne in 1848, and had been more free from the attempts of assassins than some of his predecessors. He was well known in Europe, where he had the reputation of being a shrewd and shifty politician and a vigorous ruler. He had visited Europe twice, and of late years had exhibited an inclination to be friendly to England. The heir of the shah was born in 1853, and is named Muzaffer Ed-Deen Mirza.

Mr. Curzon on the New Shah.

LONDON, May 2.—Mr. George N. Curzon, under secretary of state for foreign affairs, who is an acknowledged authority on Persia, considers the new shah of Persia a man of great intelligence, but says he has been so secluded all his life as to have no knowledge of the duties incumbent upon him as ruler of Persia.

The Fight for Women Delegates.

CLEVELAND, May 2.—In the Methodist conference yesterday the actual fight for the admission of women delegates was precipitated when Mr. Planes, of North Dakota, moved that a committee on credentials be appointed. This brought Dr. Buckley to the front, who challenged the rights of women to seats in the convention. A scene of the wildest confusion followed, in which Bishop Bowman threw up his hands in despair and exclaimed: "Are we in congress, or are we in a Methodist conference? Good Lord, brethren, cannot we stop this hooting and howling? The Lord help us." The question was finally disposed of by referring all questions of eligibility to a special committee. The committee will report on Monday, and in the meantime the women will be allowed seats in the convention.

Hammond Critically Ill.

PRETORIA, May 2.—John Hays Hammond was reported to have died from the shock he received when he heard of the commutation of his sentence. The rumor was false. But Mr. Hammond is completely prostrated by the illness from which he has been suffering for some years past, and the trying days through which he has lately gone came very near killing him. There is now a slight improvement, but his condition is still critical.

Five Boys at a Birth.

MAYFIELD, Ky., May 2.—Five children at one birth is the remarkable record of the wife of Oscar Lyons, a farmer living one mile west of town. The babies are all alive and show prospects of doing well. They are all boys. Four weigh four and a quarter pounds each and the fifth five pounds. The attending physician says there is every prospect that the babies may be reared. All are perfectly formed and have good lungs.

NOT YET DISMAYED.

Reed, Morton and Callum Still in the Presidential Fight to Win.

NEW YORK, May 2.—In a communication to The Commercial Advertiser Hon. Joseph H. Manly, of Augusta, Me., says: "Any speculation to the effect that friends of Speaker Reed mean to withdraw him from the contest, or that they are discouraged is baseless. There has never been a single instant during the campaign when we ever dreamed of such a thing. We do not now. We will not. McKinley will never be nominated. It will be the issue that will win at St. Louis. That issue will be sound money."

Ex-Senator T. C. Platt says: "I am of the opinion that McKinley has not captured enough votes to be nominated, but I am not prepared to disprove the figures of McKinley's managers just now. I expect to have something to say later on. At first glance the figures do not seem to me to have much substantial basis. But, I will say, and most emphatically, too, that Morton is still in the race and to stay. He is not going to be withdrawn. And we are not 'giving up' anything."

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., May 2.—Senator Callum's friends say that he will not withdraw from the presidential race. Many of the district delegates already elected from Illinois have pledged him their support, and if they desire to present his name and vote for him at St. Louis he will not take any steps to prevent them from doing so.

At Breon's Rialto Cafe.

Breon's hot tamales will be served as free lunch to-night. Steaming hot and plenty for everybody.

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL GAMES.

Opening Games of the Pennsylvania State League Season.

The baseball season of 1896 between the teams of the Pennsylvania State League was opened yesterday with the usual accompaniment of parades, brass bands and speeches. The games resulted as follows: At Easton—Athletic, 11; Easton, 3. At Pottsville—Shamokin, 0; Pottsville, 3. At Lancaster—Lancaster, 15; Carbondale, 2. At York—Hazleton, 16; York, 6.

Eastern League.

At Providence—Providence, 8; Wilkes Barre, 5. At Rochester—Rochester, 10; Buffalo, 7. At Syracuse—Syracuse, 9; Toronto, 1. At Springfield—Springfield, 10; Scranton, 6.

Atlantic Association.

At Newark—Newark, 10; Hartford, 4. At Paterson—Paterson, 8; New Haven, 4. At New York—Metropolitan, 15; Wilmington, 7.

Miss McConnell Taken to Lancaster.

LANCASTER, Pa., May 2.—Bertha McConnell, of Coatesville, the girl who shot Harry Thompson, her betrayer, in this city on March 21, and who then returned to Coatesville and shot herself, was brought to this city yesterday afternoon, and by direction of the district attorney placed in St. Joseph's Catholic hospital. Miss McConnell was unable to furnish \$500 bail at Coatesville, and the officials therefore determined to bring her here and place her in jail, but on her arrival here it was found that she had not sufficiently recovered from her self-inflicted wound to warrant her being locked up.

Freedman and Rusie Comprorised.

MUNCIE, Ind., May 2.—New York's big pitcher, Amos Rusie, left for New York yesterday to join the Giants, having come to terms with Manager Freedman. He has been here with his grandparents for a few days. It is understood that a compromise was made, in which one-half of the fine was remitted.

Foreclosure for the Reading Railroad.

PHILADELPHIA, May 2.—Foreclosure of the Reading railroad under the general mortgage was made certain yesterday, and the way paved at last for placing the company on a sound financial basis by Judge Acheson, in the United States circuit court, signing the decree filed last week for the sale at public auction of the railroad property.

Forty Miners Undoubtedly Dead.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., May 2.—The latest advices from Chihuahua state that a rescue party is still working in the mine that lately caved in, and several bodies have been recovered. The forty miners that were entombed must all be dead by this time, as they have been in there now a week.

If you want a fine wedding cake, let Otto make it for you.

"Y" Program.

The following program will be rendered at the meeting of the "Y" this evening: Singing; scripture reading, Miss Gable; solo, Miss Wasley; reading, Miss Brooks; duet, Misses Davis and Richards; instrumental solo, George Boxley; declamation, Miss Williams; singing; news of a week, Edward Danks; essay, John J. Kerslake; address, W. E. Powell; critic, Charles Basiore.

THREE SPECIAL HATS.

Our \$1.25 hat. Our \$1.50 hat. Our \$1.75.

Special prices and values for these hats in black and brown. Come early for your choice. Styles and goods guaranteed. At MAX LEVIT'S up-to-date hat store, 15 East Centre street.

Whitelock's Shoe Store for a man's or woman's dress shoe at \$1.00. Regular \$1.25 shoe. See them. It will be money to you.

Advertised Letters.

Letters addressed to the following named people remain uncalled for at the local post office: I. C. Newhard, James Kane, A. Brown, J. Meagle (package), Edward Dolan, (package).

THE FACTORY SHOE STORE.

Hickert's Cafe. Special hot lunch will be served on Monday morning.

Great Reductions.

In Ladies' and Children's russet and fine gondola shoes in endless varieties at Womer's, 124 N. Main street. 4-17-11

HELD ON SERIOUS CHARGES

Tillie Schultz Tells a Complete Story of Her Troubles.

ANOTHER ARREST THE RESULT!

Maurice Morrissey, of Lost Creek No. 2, Taken Into Custody Upon Statements Made by the Young Woman and Held in \$600 Bail.

Tillie Schultz, the young woman of Colorado whose pitiable plight was referred to in yesterday's HERALD, and who caused the arrest of Henry H. Seitzinger and wife of Ashland, but refused to disclose the name of the man in the case, changed her mind yesterday and gave information upon which a young man of Lost Creek No. 2 was drawn into the affair. This party is Maurice Morrissey.

Seitzinger and his wife kept a notorious den at Ashland. The Schultz girl had been an inmate of the house for a week and while in a state of delirium last Wednesday night escaped from it. The Seitzingers were subsequently arrested on a charge of abortion.

Last night Tillie Schultz went before Justice Garner, of Ashland, and made affidavit charging Maurice Morrissey with a, b, and attempted abortion. The warrant was placed in the hands of Constable August Schroeder, who sought the assistance of Detective Amour, and they sought the man at a dance in Wm. Penn, but found he had left there. It was reported that Morrissey anticipated that he would be drawn into the case and would give the police some trouble in locating and arresting him. From Wm. Penn the officers went to Lost Creek No. 2 and were joined there by another constable and Chief Burgess, James Woodward, of Ashland. Three of the officers took positions at the rear and sides of Morrissey's house and Amour stood in front. Willie Woodward was trying to gain entrance at the rear door Amour heard the noise of a window being raised. It was so dark that the noise could not be easily located, but in a moment or two Morrissey walked into the detective's arms. Morrissey carried his shoes in one hand. He was fully dressed for a journey, with the exception of his shoes. On hearing the noise at the rear of the house he stole out a window at the front, having no idea that anyone was on guard there. He showed no fight, however, as was expected and was taken to Ashland without trouble. Justice Garner committed him without bail. Morrissey is about 25 years of age and derives a living principally by playing a violin at dances.

The Seitzingers, contrary to all expectations, have secured bail. They were not confined in jail, for the reason that when they reached Pottsville they found a friend in J. H. Zerby, editor of the Pottsville Daily Republican, who furnished \$1,000 bail for them.

At noon to-day Morrissey, in company with an Ashland constable, went to Justice Shoemaker's office, in this town, and entered \$500 bail for trial, Lewis Klein furnishing the security.

Wagon House Free Lunch.

Special hot lunch to-night.

We call your attention to our beautiful line of silks and trimmings, ladies' capes, shirt waists, corsets and a complete line of dress goods. At P. J. MONAGHAN'S, 39 South Main street. 7-2-11

Literary Society Organized.

About 74 students of Wood's College last night organized a literary society and elected the following officers: President, Patrick Burke, Vice President, Martin Devitt; secretary, W. E. Powell; Financial Secretary, Miss Kate McDermott; Treasurer, Michael Gairley; committee on laws, Martin Devitt, G. L. Hafner, Edward Williams, William Wade and Mr. Scanlan; Program committee, Messrs. McDermott, Scanlan and Powell and Misses Guldin and McDermott.

Whitelock's Shoe Store (Egan Block) sells the CENTURY SHOE, latest style for spring in the new shades of tan, long drawn out narrow toes, for styles. See them; \$2.00 and \$3.00.

Trees Complained Of.

James R. Fetherolf, a farmer of Zion's Grove, wants \$5 from the borough for damages done to his wagon by boughs of willow trees spreading over West Centre street, between Jardin and West streets. Mr. Fetherolf says there are other trees in the town which also endanger wagons.

"Modes and Fabrics."

Fashion magazine for the month of May, now ready for distribution, free of charge, at 3-1-11 R. F. GILL'S.

New Uniforms.

The new uniforms of the policemen will be worn for the first time to-morrow night, and consist of blue double breasted sack coats and trousers. They present a very neat appearance and reflect much credit upon J. F. Galvin, the tailor, who was awarded the contract.

Latest in silk guards, see show window display, at Brumm's Jewelry store.

New Hose Arrives.

The 1,800 feet of new fire hose for the Phoenix and Columbia companies arrived yesterday and members of the companies spent this afternoon in putting it to a test, under the direction of the Fire Apparatus Committee of the Borough Council.

Do You Like Hard Boiled Eggs?

Well, that is what will be served as free lunch at the Kendrick House to-night. Everybody is invited to call and partake of them. Ladies' dining parlors attached.

Almond, walnut and filbert macaroons for sale at W. V. Otto's.

Better Drainage.

Operations will be begun on Monday to connect the drainage on the properties of John Costello and A. F. Morgan with the Main street sewer.

The largest line of Brussels carpets, all new patterns for this season, sold cheaper than elsewhere. At P. J. MONAGHAN'S, 21

REFUSES TO BE TREATED.

Dr. Stein Throws Up the Case of Mrs. Ziknski.

Mrs. Jane Ziknski is the woman who was shot twice in the fight on West Canal street between Lithuanians and Italians and, despite the fact that she is over seventy years of age, has been making good progress towards recovery. She has been under the care of Dr. W. S. Stein. A few days ago an abscess appeared on the victim's abdomen. It has grown very large. Dr. Stein says it is caused by the bullet that entered the woman's body and could not be located. He advised that an operation be performed and took Dr. Hamilton to the house this morning for that purpose, but the patient and her family would not allow anything to be done. Dr. Stein has withdrawn from the case. He says there is danger that the abscess will break internally, and in such event the patient may die. One of the questions that arise is what bearing the matter would have in case the woman should die and one of the Italians should be placed on trial charged with having fired the shots that killed her.

Bicker's Cafe Special To-night.

Stepper, chicken, oyster and clam soup. Blue Points. Little Neck Clams. Lobsters. Crabs. Roast, stewed and fried chicken. Veal Cutlets. Fresh and Salt Water Oysters. Lobster, crab and chicken salad.

If you want a nice sweet loaf of bread try Otto's.

Ex-Senator Wallace Dying.

Ex-United States Senator William A. Wallace, of Clearfield, Pa., is lying critically ill in New York city. He cannot survive but a few days longer.

THE VERY LATEST.

Stroll neckwear for May. Stunning novelties rich in taste at regular selling prices. At MAX LEVIT'S, 15 East Centre street.

10, 20, 35 cents and upward for window shades. A new lot just received. At G. D. Fricke's carpet store.

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For screen doors, plain and fancy. The prices will surprise you.

Soft wood window screens.

Hard wood window screens.

Landscape window screens.

Sprinkling cans in great variety.

We have a dozen styles of Hammocks, ranging in prices from 50 cents up.

Come to us for a 25c broom and a 10c bucket for 25c.

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8 S. Main Street.

Going to . . . Paper That . . . Room This Spring?

We have the largest assortment of low and high priced paper to be found. Over 800 different patterns. Brown back at 5¢. White back at 6¢, 7c and 7½c. Gilt at 6c, 7c, 8c and 8½c. Strictly first class goods.

Room Mouldings in all the Latest Colorings.

Send to us for an estimate before you have any work done. Please state what price paper you want and we will submit samples.

WINDOW ; SHADES.

We don't handle any "snaps" to catch the unsuspecting public. Everything in this line is sold strictly on its merits and we guarantee better value for your money than you obtain elsewhere.

We are the oldest established wall paper and window shade house in Shenandoah. You can fully trust such a firm.

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Out the worst tormentor in the quickest time. Only 10 cents.

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