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From W. B. Baker to Wm. H. Pearson et al., lot in Potsville.
From D. Geisler and wife to John Paul, Jr., land in Butler township.
From Jonathan Wulloghian et al., to Annie M. Leitzel, piece of ground in St. Clair.
From Thomas M. Russell to Jonathan Wulloghian, ground in St. Clair.
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Are coming—also suits and separate skirts. We need not tell you that we always sold more Cloaks and wraps than all our competitors combined and did it in a small store, too—our facilities for selling these garments are such no store in the county enjoys and we guarantee better goods at lower prices than ever.

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THE TEMPERANCE CAUSE.

The C. T. A. E. Convention at Shamokin Nearing a Close.
SHAMOKIN, Sept. 11.—The second day's session of the C. T. A. E. convention here was an interesting one. The hearing of reports from the different societies occupied an entire afternoon. The unions showing gains were: St. Patrick's, adults, of Barclay St.; St. Patrick's Ladies Society, of Shamokin; St. Anthony's, of Pittston; St. Patrick's, of Fall Brook; Ladies Society, of Pittston; St. Andrew's, of Bloomsburg.

Pittston is the richest union represented at the convention, having between \$14,000 and \$18,000 in real estate, furnishings and cash.

The wealth of the organizations of Shenandoah, Williamsport, Lost Creek and Bloomsburg are above the average.

Yesterday the various committees occupied the session, but only the committee on the revision of the constitution was ready for presentation to the conference. The report recommended several changes which will be taken up and acted upon at the proper time.

On suggestion of Mr. Graham, of Shenandoah, as the committee on Auditing and Resolutions was not ready to submit the results of their decisions, the remainder of the morning session was taken up with discussion of how to increase the formation of Cadet Corps and Ladies societies in the different parishes. These societies, he claimed, were a great help to the cause and special effort should be made to form and keep them permanently organized. He asked that those in whose localities these branches of the order were flourishing would give the delegates the benefit of their experience. Much valuable information was thus obtained.

The outing at Maysville park last evening was largely attended, and the delegates enjoyed themselves. They were royally entertained.

At to-day's session the next place for holding the convention will be selected; election of officers, and the appointment of national delegates and then the convention will close. J. J. Delaney of Shamokin, the present vice president, will likely be chosen as president.

How are your kidneys? I have tried Dr. Hobbs' Spargus Kidney Pills and find them an excellent thing in kidney disease. Received the box nearly a month ago, and they are undoubtedly O. K. S. C. H. Hagenbuch, Commercial Point, Ohio. For sale at Kirfin's drug store.

"Fair Play" Speaks.
EDITOR HERALD—Sir: I would like to say a few words in regard to the action of the minority members of our School Board and the means they used to accomplish their end.

When Mr. Bogart first applied for the position of superintendent of our schools the only objection they could find was that he was a stranger and from a distant part of the state, while we had other candidates well known and nearer home every way qualified to hold the position. However, Mr. Bogart was elected by a majority vote, and by fair and honorable means, but the minority refused to submit to the inevitable, or to the will of the majority, denying the right to others which they themselves would demand, namely: that to the victor belongs the spoils. On the other hand, they had recourse to that mean, despicable, unmanly method of tracing up a man's past life in order that they might find some overt or other act of his which might cast odium upon him, or that they might use as a weapon against him to prejudice public opinion to such an extent that his resignation would be asked for. In the dream of a little girl they discovered what they are pleased to term a most heinous crime. A committee of the School Board was sent to investigate these charges and reported them as false, and produced affidavits to substantiate their report. Mr. Bogart himself appeared before the Board and, in a clear, concise statement, declared his innocence. But the minority members placed no confidence in his words, alleging he was not sworn. A man guilty of such a crime as that imputed to Mr. Bogart would have little regard for any oath. (On the report of the committee the School Board, by a majority vote, exonerated Mr. Bogart, fully believing in his innocence and, I dare say, if any one of the minority members had the least suspicion of this man's guilt and had a hundred votes at his command every one would be cast against him. I consider it a reflection upon the members of the majority party to charge them with perfidy or favoritism, in a case of this kind, for I am sure that every member of said party is just as zealous in upholding the honor, virtue and morality of our schools as is any member of the minority. The minority party then called what they termed an indignation meeting, in order to appeal direct to the people, but as an indignation meeting it was a flat failure. Both the people and the indignation expressed by them were conspicuous by absence. A few hundred people, most of them present for curiosity sake, was certainly a poor showing of indignation on the part of the citizens of the largest town in the county; a town with a school system second to none in the state, especially when the said schools seemed to be in danger of being tainted by immorality. The resolutions adopted at this meeting were presented to the School Board and rejected, as they should be. Then, seeing defeat staring them in the face, they hounded this man to the wall and, resorting to one of the most outrageous and shameful acts ever perpetrated against the liberty of a private citizen, dragged him as a common criminal from his duties and his family to make him prove his innocence to the satisfaction of a few on a warrant sworn out by a man who would like to gain some notoriety. His Mr. Bogart been a fugitive from justice, or did he positively refuse to appear at Knoxville that he should be treated so? Echo answers, "no!" Or, has the case, Barbara Aub-like, taken another turn which only the few are aware of? Whatever it is, the fact remains that his enemies have played their last and best card, and I would wager that when Mr. Bogart shows his hand it will be a winning one. I am not defending Mr. Bogart, or any of his friends, nor would I under any consideration be in favor of having a man to superintend our schools who was guilty of the least taint of immorality; nor do I condemn the minority members for using every honorable means in their power to thoroughly sift the matter, but I do condemn the methods employed, for they were little less than damnable. I am an American and a Democrat, but I consider such action un-American and inconsistent with the American system.

FAIR PLAY.
Shenandoah, Pa., Sept. 10, 1896.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25 cents.

Charged With Embezzlement.
On a charge of embezzlement preferred by M. A. Brookman, an inspector of accounts for the Connecticut Indemnity Association, of Waterbury, D. D. Williams, of Tamaqua, was taken into custody Wednesday and taken before Justice Lutz for a hearing. He could not furnish the bail required for his appearance at court, so was yesterday removed to the county jail.

PERSONAL.

David Evans, of South Jardin street, is steadily recovering from his severe illness. Miss Julia Sullivan has returned to her home in New York, after spending a few pleasant weeks as the guest of her uncle, School Director Sullivan, and family, on East Lloyd street.

Misses Genevieve Gallagher, of Pittston; Vic. Stanton, of Scranton, and Katie Byrnes, of Hazleton, a trio of pretty young ladies, are the guests of Miss Hannah B. Morrison, our popular school teacher.

Water Superintendent Oscar Betteridge returned home last evening from Niagara Falls and Toronto, Canada. He was accompanied there by his son, Henry, who entered the Niagara University to take a course in general business studies.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Iddall and family, are spending a week's vacation at Silver Creek.

Miss Emma Williamson, who was the guest of friends for several weeks, left for her home in Philadelphia this morning.

Charles Haldeman, a late veteran of the war, is lying seriously ill at his home on Raspberry alley. He is suffering from a complication of diseases.

Miss Helly, of Philadelphia, and Misses Ryan and Cassidy, of East Centre street, were visitors to Mahanoy City last evening.

Miss Annie Clauser departed for Warwick, R. I., this morning, where she will again assume charge of a public school.

Mrs. S. W. Williams, of Wilkesbarre, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Gunter, on West Centre street.

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FACTORY SHOE STORE.

Orange Blossoms.
It is announced that Guy C. Sterner and Miss Bertie Leitzel, daughter of George B. Leitzel, both of town, were married on August 15th.

The friends of Grant Troutman will be somewhat surprised to know that he contemplates joining the ranks of the benedictines in the near future. The lucky lady is a resident of Srenbergh.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Linda McCarroll to Augustus Reed, on the 10th of this month. Both reside at Delano.

In St. Canice's church, Mahanoy City, Wednesday afternoon, a quiet wedding was consummated, the contracting parties being Michael Whalen and Miss Loretta Dunn, both of the above place.

Invitations are out announcing the wedding of Miss Ella Donahue, an accomplished young lady of Mahanoy City, and Thomas Manion, of St. Nicholas. It will take place next Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in St. Canice's church.

William Holt, the popular druggist of Prackville, and Miss Hannah Madara, of the same place, were married in Philadelphia on Monday. They arrived home last evening, and received a royal welcome.

James Kelly and Miss Annie Joyce, two popular young people of Mahanoy City, will be united in the bonds of matrimony in St. Canice's church at 2 o'clock next Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Katie Loeper and John Keitz, both of Ashland, were married yesterday. Rev. A. Nathe, of St. Maurice church, officiating. The young couple have the best wishes of a large circle of friends.

St. Joseph's church, Girardville, was the scene of a pretty wedding yesterday, the contracting parties being Patrick Neary and Mrs. Shortland, while Martin Malone was best man.

The truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth. That's our motto; and we add leather, solid leather and nothing but leather. That's the way our shoes are built.
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FIFTY POINTS.
Happenings Throughout the Region Chronicled for Hasty Perusal.

There are 243 scholars enrolled in the Girardville schools.

Commencing last evening 24 carpenters employed at Hersker's Theatre will work under the glare of two arc lights until midnight to rush the building to completion. Mr. Hersker expects to open the theatre about November 1st.

Ashland will have two campaign speeches on Monday next. Congressman Brinnin and Prof. M. Thorpe will speak on the gold and silver side respectively.

The Ashland School Board has received its state appropriation of \$7,989.31, about \$200 less than last year.

Harry Hurst, of St. Clair, who was injured at one of the collieries there, died at the Miners' Hospital Wednesday night.

Fires were lighted under the boilers of the Sunbury silk mill for the first time yesterday. In a week or ten days the mill will start up.

All of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company's pump houses at their collieries are being renovated and painted, which makes everything about the mines neat in appearance.

Richard Weeks, of Park Place, will shoot a match at pigeons with Harry Kimmel, of Centralia, for \$100 to \$200 a side, or more, at any place, except Centralia.

The Mahanoy City foot ball team will open the season on Saturday, September 19, with the Shamokin team in that town.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache. A pleasant laxative. All Druggists.

Brilliant Social Event.
Miss Carrie Belle Lewis last evening held a progressive enche party and entertained a number of friends at the home of her father, Superintendent William H. Lewis, in Wm. Penn. It was a brilliant affair and Misses Carrie and Maud Lewis distinguished themselves by the cordial and royal manner in which they received and entertained the guests. A collation prepared by a Philadelphia caterer was served at midnight. The first lady's prize was won by Miss Flora Fulton, of Shamokin; and Mrs. C. M. Bordner, of town, won the second. The first gentleman's prize was won by Mr. H. H. Zolick and the second by Dr. C. M. Bordner. The ladies and gentlemen who participated in the event were: Miss Jane and Mr. Walter Richter, of Mt. Carmel; Miss Miriam and Messrs. John and Casper Bucher and Mr. Harry Maize, of Lewisburg; Miss Frederica and Mr. Charles Woltjen and Miss Lulu Schalek, of Potsville; Mr. Walter Watson, of Scranton; Mr. Frank Clark, Hazleton; Dr. George Wentz, Drifton; Miss Kohler, Allentown; Misses James and Lessig and Mr. George D. Evans, Ashland; Mr. Will A. Steele, Seattle, Washington; Miss McMullan and Mr. Irvin Blakelee, Delano; Miss Flora Fulton, Shamokin; Miss Ella Calloway, Tamaqua; Misses Jessie Grant and Emille Krick, Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Bordner, and Messrs. John Grant, H. H. Zolick and L. A. Ramberger, of Shenandoah; Misses Jean Glover, Carrie Belle and Maud Lewis, and Messrs. W. H. Wilber and John Lewis and John Dyson, of Wm. Penn.

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

THE BOGART CASE.

The Superintendent at His Post of Duty Again.

Prof. C. D. Bogart is at his post of duty again as Superintendent of the public schools. Some people seem to have conceived the notion that the prosecution of the case has suspended the Superintendent from his office, but that is an error and it is hard to conceive how the impression got abroad. The Superintendent will continue his school work until such time as he may be called upon to go to Pittsburgh and prepare for the trial.

Detective Toole and James Smith arrived in town last evening. The latter has been devoting considerable time to explaining the position of the case. He disputes the assertion that Clara Yates was the only witness who appeared before the grand jury in the case, as stated in last night's HERALD. The assertion was made upon the strength of a statement made by Mr. J. J. Price, who returned from Pittsburgh Wednesday night. A clipping from the Pittsburgh Times, however, confirms Mr. Price with the statement: "Little Clara Yates, of Knoxville, was the only witness before the Grand Jury." Mr. Smith also says that the people of Shenandoah should thank him and Toole for what they have done in the case.

Many a day's work is lost by sick headache, caused by indigestion and stomach troubles. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the most effective pill for overcoming such difficulties. C. H. Hagenbuch.

FRANK LEWIS DIES.
Death Relieved Him of His Sufferings This Afternoon.

Frank Lewis, one of the three victims of the explosion of gas in the West Shenandoah colliery, died at his home on South West street at 7:50 this afternoon. He suffered intensely from his injuries, but might have recovered had he not also suffered from failure of the heart, for which he was treated by Dr. J. P. Roberts a short time before the accident.

The deceased was 39 years of age and is survived by his wife and one child. He was very well and favorably known and a popular member of John W. Stokes Lodge No. 215, I. O. O. F., and the Columbia H. & S. F. E. Co. He was a trustee of the latter organization for fifteen years. He was also assistant fire marshal of the borough.

Simon Ramakis and Peter Sabawick, the two other victims of the explosion, are making good progress towards recovery.

The whole system is drained and undermined by indolent ulcers and open sores. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve speedily heals them. It is the best pile cure known. C. H. Hagenbuch.

The Coal Trade.
From Seward's Trade Journal.

The hard coal trade continues quiet and there is really little to be said of it other than that tonnage moves off fairly at prices that are remunerative to the producer and carrier. These parties expect a very much better demand for coal during the next six weeks and are preparing for the same by a production that is in excess of present requirements. Another opinion that they can hold the market for the balance of this year at least. They have matters very much in their own hands, as it were; there is the possibility of some member of the organization, formed in January last, overstepping the bounds set as his percentage, by reason of the profitableness of the prices actually realized. It is well known that there is more money to some of the concerns under present conditions than to others who are burdened with debt. If prices as per circular could be realized, even these parties might show a good profit. The average individual when discussing trade conditions takes it for granted that there has been an advance of \$1.35 per ton within a year, but this margin has not actually existed, on any quantity, up to date.

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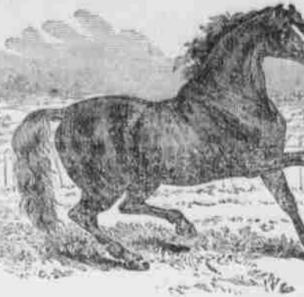
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MISCELLANEOUS.

AGENTS wanted to sell macintoshes and rubber clothing, shoes and a full line of rubber goods, (part or all of). Free samples, and protected ground to workers. Factory P. O. 1071, New York. 9-11-11

CHILD WANTED.—An experienced girl for general housework. No other need apply. Call on Dr. D. W. Straub, 21 S. White St. 9-12-21

FOR SALE.—A second-hand square piano. Apply at Williams & Son, furniture and music store. 7-28-11

SAIGON FOR SALE.—One of the finest 80 saloons in this valley, recently fitted up with fine fixtures and in a desirable location, is offered for sale to a live man, who has a little capital. It is a bargain. For further particulars apply at the HERALD office. 9-4-21

FOR SALE.—One of the best paying lumber yards in Shenandoah, centrally located. Everything connected with the yard, including teams, will be sold at a reasonable figure. For further information call on J. W. Johnson, North Main street. 8-21-11

IMPORTANT NOTICE.—The fences, dapping pavilion and stands at Columbia Park are open only to such advertisers who pay for space and all others will be considered as trespassers, whether the signs be painted, or tacked, or hung upon the fence. Map of the park can be seen at the Columbia Horse house. Terms for space may be secured from
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7-27-11

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Race Meet
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Saturday, Sept. 12
50-RIDERS-50
5-RACES-5
RACES START 4 P. M.

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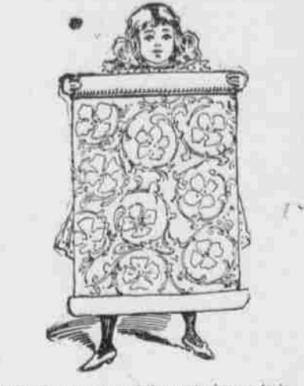
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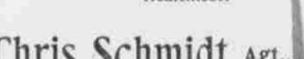
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