

**MAHANAY CITY.**

**Narrowly Escapes Drowning While Skating.**  
Y. CITY, Dec. 7.—A number of boys from 12 to 16 years of age were on the Primrose dam yesterday when it broke through the center. There was a heavy ice on the embankment and all the boys succeeded in reaching it. As he went towards the embankment he gave way and he was precipitated into the water. Twice he clutched at the ice to save himself from being held. The third time he succeeded in holding on. His head above the surface until he was got him out with the aid of a...

contested game of foot ball was played yesterday afternoon and resulted in the Park team over the Keystone score of 17 to 8.

Samuel, 17 years old and residing at 15 is at the Miners' hospital, from an abscess of his right ankle, from a severe sprain.

Rev. night operator at St. Nicholas, in the position as operator at Bear Son, and will be succeeded at St. by Thomas Manley, of Gilberton.

Quirk has received a message from "Road to Wealth" company, has his engagement with him on account of being by reason of the leading man's...

D. Lohr, new pastor of the English Church, preached his initial sermon...

Wyman and Mrs. Alvina Powell had a dog valued at \$50. Last night the dog was found in the street, and was awarded to Wyman. Mrs. Powell satisfied and Saturday night she was arrested on a charge of larceny. It is said he gave the dog to a friend, but the animal returned. A later it disappeared. He found it in Powell's yard and took it home. It was held in \$300 bail for trial at court. It has been some doubt expressed as to whether the dog was the same as the one that died from hydrophobia. Dr. Biddle, who was in attendance, his diagnosis was correct. It appears several years ago was bitten by an animal while hunting with friends, but was taken of it until the dog, a few days afterwards, went mad and was shot.

A fire was sounded at 11 o'clock on Saturday. The fire was discovered in a railroad street occupied by Slavov. It was caused by the woman of the wing a red-hot poker in a closet under the stove. The flames were out before much damage was done. The library connected with the building is now an established fact, and will be opened to the public. On Saturday books were received. It will be on the same principle as that of Shenandoah.

**FIFTY POINTS.**  
Throughout the Region Chronically for Hasty Perusal.

There is to have a new opera house. The amounting to \$512.40 have been the victims of the Mahanoy in which Mrs. Beardon and her husband died.

Contractors, of Girardville, have begun their contract on the new bridge crossing Lost Creek, on the estate, because of trouble with the Association.

Sprars, a former resident of Fishersville, was drowned in the Schuylkill river, on Saturday. He fell into the water in a fit.

Lindenmuth, a well-known resident of Fishersville, died yesterday, aged 81.

The Reading collieries began work yesterday.

The new Board of Health is: R. A. Z. Schock, J. R. Townsend, C. C. and Dr. W. M. Reber.

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St. Patrick's Day, which all Welshmen are proud to celebrate, will be celebrated by the St. Patrick Society, of Pottsville, by a...

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**PERSONAL.**

W. M. Hoppes and wife, of Mahanoy City, spent yesterday in town in attendance at the Evangelical dedication ceremonies.

Clarence Wise, of Shamokin, was a guest of town friends yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Beddall, of Port Carbon, spent yesterday in town as guests of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Broughall spent yesterday visiting friends at Pottsville.

Miss Annie Morrison visited friends at St. Clair.

Rev. Henry Naylon spent several hours at Pottsville yesterday.

C. D. Fricke was a guest of relatives at Pottsville yesterday.

Thomas Timmins spent Sunday in Frackville.

Harry Gaughan, of Centralia, was seen on our streets yesterday.

School Director W. T. Trezise visited friends at Minersville to-day.

Charles Stauffer spent yesterday afternoon in Ringtown among the fair sex of that place.

E. J. Keach, the butler, was a Tamagna visitor to-day.

Misses Joe Lynch, Annie Flaherty, Mazie Connors and Marie Lynch spent yesterday afternoon as the guests of Mahanoy Plane friends.

Mrs. Flaherty is lying dangerously ill at her home on West Oak street.

Mrs. F. E. Magargle, of South White street, spent Saturday at Pottsville.

D. D. Doors, of Wilkes-Barre, to-day removed his household effects to town, and will occupy the residence recently vacated by Milton Billman, on North White street.

E. J. Sponser, book-keeper for the Shenandoah Manufacturing Co., was yesterday greeted with a new addition to the family—a boy.

Mrs. J. M. Hughes, of Wm. Penn, was a visitor to friends in town and Mahanoy City to-day.

Harry Williams, of Mt. Carmel, was the guest of town friends yesterday.

Messrs. Leon Rabinowitz, Morris Miller, Jacob Levit, Charles Katz, Harry Levy and Harry Anderson formed a sextette from town, who spent Sunday among Hazleton acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. James Conkley enjoyed a drive through the Catawissa valley yesterday.

Ambrose Toole, of Pottsville, spent Sunday with his parents in town.

M. M. Burke, Esq., is in attendance at the Superior Court at Philadelphia.

Michael Byrne transacted business at Pottsville to-day.

Mrs. Stricker, of Catawissa, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Van Valzah, on East Oak street, yesterday.

Miss Lulu Deauer, accompanied by Charles Woodward, both of Pottsville, were the guests of Albert Hoover, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gillilan and family, of Schuylkill Haven, spent Sunday among town friends.

Miss Anna Midgley, of St. Clair, was a Sunday visitor to town.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fry, of West Oak street, spent yesterday at Ringtown.

Ladies' and gents' gold watches. At Maley's.

An Overcoat Offer.

This is an offer in which everybody is interested. The cold weather is here and the overcoat and a good warm suit is a man's best friend. Our overcoat are unprecedented in magnitude and unrivaled in excellence. No tailor can make any better at three times the price—in fact, no better made at any price. Free, unrestricted, unlimited choice of all our very finest imported overcoats for a limited time only. This offer has never been before attempted—never will be offered again and should bring the big piles down to the level we want them in less than ten days. Nothing better for a Christmas present for the father or son, or any other man, youth or boy, but in addition to our large line of clothing, hats, caps and gents' furnishing goods will also have a specially selected line of Christmas presents in fancy gloves, smoking jackets, etc. One of our winter caps may prevent your husband or son from having his ears frost-bitten. They are very cheap.

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**MR. FELLOWS' CONDITION.**

New York's District Attorney Rapidly Nearing the End.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Though the general condition of District Attorney Fellows is unchanged he is gradually growing weaker and sinking slowly. He still remains in the semi-comatose condition that has marked his illness since Friday. Last night Harry Fellows, son of the district attorney, told the reporters who



HON. JOHN R. FELLOWS

called at the house that his father's condition remained unchanged. However, he passed a restless night and it is believed that he is gradually losing strength. His physicians, Dr. Fleming and Dr. Rodenstein, remained with him throughout the night. Dr. Rodenstein said at midnight: "Mr. Fellows is sinking very rapidly. He is very weak, but his wonderful vitality will probably keep him alive until the morning. He is conscious and rational, but occasionally lapses into coma, from which, however, he recovers quickly."

Just before midnight Colonel Fellows, realizing that his end was near, summoned all the members of his family to his bedside. Mrs. Fellows, her two daughters and Harry Fellows, the youngest son, gathered around Colonel Fellows, who bade each in turn an affectionate farewell. John W. Fellows, Jr., was the only member of the family absent. He is expected to arrive this afternoon.

**American Federation of Labor.**

CINCINNATI, Dec. 7.—Next Monday the sixteenth annual convention of the American Federation of Labor meets here for a session of eight or ten days. The two English representatives have already arrived. There will be only 150 delegates, representing a membership of over 600,000. The paramount question this year will be to perfect a more complete organization of all workmen. More strenuous efforts will be made to have the eight-hour law go into effect May 1. The present officers are President, Sammie Gompers; vice president, P. J. McGuire, James Dunne and James O'Connell; secretary, August McGrath; treasurer, John L. Lennon. There are candidates usual for Gompers' place but it is the general opinion that he will be re-elected.

**First Rules for Methodists.**

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 7.—An original copy of the first printed "Rules for the Society of the People called Methodists" was unearthed yesterday in this city. It was published by John and Charles Wesley, over their own signatures, in 1743, and contains the first nucleus of the literature of the Methodist church, which now numbers over 5,000,000 members in the United States, worshipping in 63,000 religious edifices of their own. The circular is of four pages, and is filled to pieces with age and handling. The paper is yellow, and the print unreadable in places from the stains of time.

**Belligerent Italian Mine Strikers.**

SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 7.—Several hundred striking Italian miners are causing trouble at the Forest Coal company's mine at Archbald, a few miles north of this city, and excitement there is intense. Bloodshed was narrowly averted Saturday night by the employment of armed detectives to preserve order. The Italians objected to the deduction from their pay of the cost of the employment of expert overseers who were keeping watch over the miners to prevent the robbing of pillars in the mine. They also opposed the removal of coal stored in forty cars in the drift of the mine. The detectives dispersed the men and made eight arrests.

**An Offer Fizz Will Probably Decline.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—The Olympic Athletic club, one of the oldest and most influential institutions of the city, has offered Corbett and Fitzsimmons \$15,000 to fight ten rounds under its management. Corbett has accepted the proposition, which will now be laid before Fitzsimmons. It is not likely, however, that Fizz will agree to fight in San Francisco under any circumstances.

**Rid Yourself of Rheumatism.**

Buy Red Fish Oil, 25c. At Grubler Bros., drug store.

**Mr. Connell's Future.**

Philip J. Connell, clerk for the County Commissioners and who was the Democratic candidate for Clerk of the Courts, has decided to enter the business world. Mr. Connell will reside from the Commissioners' office on the first of the year, and he is now negotiating for the purchase of the saloon conducted by the late J. J. Ratigan, in Pottsville. There is no doubt that Mr. Connell, with his extensive acquaintance, will make the business venture a success.

**A GREAT WONDER.**

Large Crowds of Shenandoah People Greatly Admire It.

Saturday evening large crowds were attracted to the unoccupied store room at the Franey building, corner Main and Oak streets, where they witnessed the wonderful Automatic Art Gallery. Chief among the rare attractions is Bergman's marvelous Swiss Village, which for ingenuity of construction, uniformity of movements, complication of features and diversity of representations, has no parallel on the globe.

Visitors are astonished and inventors view and study with amazement the mysterious movements of machinery and workmen, and the precision with which all the activities of a complete village are operated. Life-like and natural representations, which pen nor tongue cannot exaggerate, are features of this, as well as Prof. Bergman's accompanying cabinet works representing every sphere in life in the most ingenious, beautiful and artistic style of automatic art.

Art, science and mechanism have reached their grandest, highest and most perfect type in these marvelous German productions. It is the first and only appearance in our town, and nobody can afford to miss it. The remarkable exhibition will remain a few days, only one night. The admission to all is only one dime, so everybody can see it. Ladies accompanied by children will find better accommodations in the day time on account of the large evening crowd. Mr. Birch, the manager, and his assistants, are all reputable people and deserve the patronage of every Shenandoahian.

**The Right Name in the Right Place.**

Pan-Tins for coughs and colds, 25c. At Grubler Bros., drug store.

**A Large Funeral.**

The last remains of Edmund Paul, of Mahanoy City, who died on Friday of hydrophobia, were laid at rest in the Protestant cemetery at that place yesterday afternoon. The service, which were conducted at his late residence, on West Pine street, were attended by a large concourse of friends who listened to a very impressive sermon preached by Rev. Hensel, of the United Evangelical church. Deceased was 37 years of age and is survived by his wife, but no children. He was President of the Mahanoy branch of the State Firemen's Relief Association and an active member of the Citizens' Fire Company and Lodge, No. 617, I. O. O. F., both organizations turning out in large numbers. Among the other organizations that attended the funeral were the Citizens' band, Humane Fire Company, Washington Hook & Ladder Co., German-American Fire Co., all of Mahanoy City; the American Hose Company, and a delegation of the Rescue Hook & Ladder Co. of town. The dirge, which was played by the Citizens' band, rendered a very realistic imitation of the scenes connected with the life of a volunteer fireman, by which the gongs of the fire apparatus were used. The funeral procession was viewed by hundreds of people who lined the sidewalks.

**Our 1896 X-mas Announcement.**

Election uncertainties, with their disturbing influences, are past. For December we anticipate the largest month's business we have ever done. Our selections have been made early and the busy hum heard in every department is an indication that the buyers agree with us that we have the best, newest and cheapest line of holiday goods in town. 12-4-1f R. F. GILL.

**Committed Suicide.**

Chester Bishock, a Hungarian, aged about 40 or 45 years, ended his life early yesterday morning at his boarding house in Pottsville by cutting his throat with a razor. The deed was performed in the presence of seven of his fellow boarders and was done so quick that none of them could interfere. Bishock was employed in the York Farm colliery. Saturday was pay day at the York Farm colliery. Bishock lost his pay check and therefore did not get his wages. He did not drink anything on Saturday, only taking one glass of beer in the evening before retiring at 9 o'clock. Yesterday morning he arose and told his boarding boss he was going to see a friend, but instead went up stairs where his seven companions were and asked one of them for a chew. Shortly after Bishock, quick as a flash, waved a razor and drawing it across his throat, fell to the floor dead.

**Ladies' and gents' gold rings. At Maley's.**

**Golden Jubilee.**

The fiftieth anniversary of the St. Vincent de Paul's church, at Minersville, yesterday, was attended by an immense throng of people. The Golden Jubilee services were held at 11 o'clock. The church was brilliantly decorated with plants and palms; the lighted candles, the rich new carpeting and other decorations made the scene a memorable one. In the congregation were seen many people, Catholics and Protestants, from different parts of the county. The celebrant of the mass was Rev. P. F. Fogarty, the beloved pastor of the church. Rev. Francis J. McGuire, rector of St. Patrick's, Pottsville, was deacon; Rev. Edward J. Keelan, curate of St. Vincent de Paul's, was sub-deacon, and Rev. Henry Naylon, of the Annunciation Church, Shenandoah, master of ceremonies. Within the sanctuary were the following well-known clergymen: Rev. C. A. Prendergast, of St. Mary's, Mahanoy Church; Rev. Peter Masson, of St. Mary's church, Minersville; Rev. John J. McDevitt, of Tremont; Rev. Jos. O'Connell, of Port Carbon; and Rev. F. J. Hamilton, of Heckscherville. The sermon was preached by Rev. J. F. Loughlin, D. D., of the Philadelphia Cathedral and Chancellor of the Archdiocese. The discourse was a brilliant one, the subject of which was "The Beauties of the Catholic Church." At vespers last evening Rev. Father McGettigan preached, taking for his subject "The Life and Influence of St. Vincent de Paul."

**New stock of Mandolins just received at Brumm's jewelry store.**

**Their Baggage Seized.**

On Saturday night the "Sweet Leaves of Shamrock" company played in Girardville, the receipts amounting to \$7.50. A constable from Minersville appeared with a warrant for a board bill amounting to \$50, and the Lehigh Valley Railroad had a bill for transportation. Will S. Rising, the leading man, is well known to theatre-goers in Shenandoah.

**Silver novelties at Maley's jewelry store.**

**Deeds Recorded.**

From Mary DeForest Wheeler to Richard H. Bergeman, lot in Pottsville.  
From Administrators of Wm. J. McCarthy to Johanna McCarthy, premises in St. Clair.  
From Evan Herbert et al to John Edgar Reed, premises in St. Clair.  
From S. Burd Edwards to John Edgar Reed, premises in St. Clair.  
From W. K. Woodbury, attorney in fact et al, to Margaret Burke, two lots in Pottsville.

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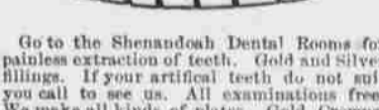
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FOR SALE.—A double property, on Line Street, Nos. 132 and 133, for sale cheap. Inquire of Mrs. Felix McLaughlan, on Line street. 10-16-1f

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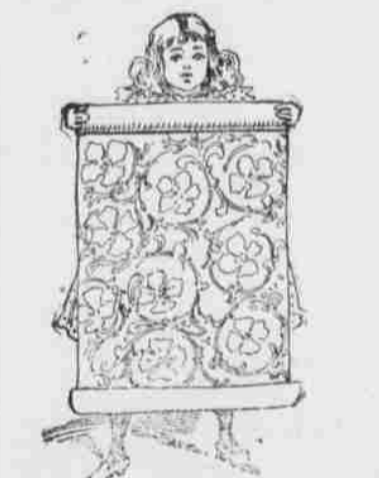
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