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The State Board of Pharmacy Take Steps in Town.

P. W. Bierstein & Co., who purchased Shapiro's drug store on South Main street about a month ago, were to-day served with official notice that they cannot continue the business under existing conditions.

1,000,000 Quarts of Huckleberries Winted at Women's, 124 North Main street Higher prices paid than anywhere else.

Frank Powell, a Pole residing on West 10th street, had several ribs broken, this morning by a fall of coal in the Ratschkocheck colliery.

Albert, son of Solomon Blackwell, of Locust Valley, died at the Harrisburg Home for the Infirm yesterday.

How were friendship possible? In mutual devotedness to the good and true—otherwise impossible; except as armed neutrality or hollow commercial league.

Married Men Preferred. Boss (to clerk applying for a job)—Married or single? Clerk—Single. Boss—Sorry; I only take married men as clerks.

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COTTOLENE. See this Pail! You will like it, but you won't like the imitations. Avoid them. Get one like it from your grocer and try Cottolelene.

MAHANY CITY. At a meeting of the German Protestant Cemetery Association last night the following officers were elected: President, Charles Scherer; Secretary, Peter Stuber; Treasurer, John C. Knapp; Steward, John Kayser; Trustees, Charles Scherer, Jacob Smith, Peter Stuber and Leon Eckert.

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL GAMES. National League. At Cincinnati—New York 4, Cincinnati 2. At Pittsburgh—Washington 12, Pittsburgh 6. At Cleveland—Boston 3, Cleveland 2.

At Newark—Newark 7, Reading 2. At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 7, Philadelphia 5. At Philadelphia—Richmond 4, Atlantic 3.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

William Butler, of East Lloyd street, is reported as being seriously ill. Morgan Davis, of West Cherry street, left for Atlantic City this morning.

William Suter, of St. Nicholas, was a visitor to town last evening. Michael Burke attended the McCabe obsequies at Minerva to-day.

Martin Mangan is disposing beverages at the Stouffer's drug store. E. C. Brad and Solomon Stauffer to-day visited at Landig's dam, near Ringtown.

A little baby girl has been added to the family of W. S. Reumann, of North Market street. Miss Esther Harnal, of Sayre town, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Meakin, yesterday.

John Coleman and Miss Scanton, of Girardville, are enjoying a trip to New York and Boston. Miss Tillie Cox has gone to Scranton and Wilkesbarre to spend two weeks in visiting friends.

Mrs. Elmer and son, Jabez, of Lethro, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Brown, on West Lloyd street. John Rugley has gone to Mr. Carmel to enter for the study of Melville & Mokatis, the battles.

Mrs. T. H. Van Dusen and William Neisewer were business transactors at Reading to-day. Sol. Huak to-day took possession of the residence of ex-Senator M. C. Watson, on South Main street.

John Hennessy, of Philadelphia, is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Hennessy, of South Chestnut street. Mrs. L. E. Clark, of South Main street, left this morning for points of interest in New York state, to spend a vacation.

Mrs. Vincent Molloy, of East Chestnut, is the guest of the former's daughter, Mrs. James Mullaly, on South White street. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Krell, of Tanques, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Acker, on North West street, yesterday.

Mrs. Bridget Molloy and Miss Nellie McCullough, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mrs. Michael Connelly, on South Bowers street. Miss Annie Connor, of New York, is enjoying the hospitality of her sister, Mrs. J. C. Calkley, at her residence on North Main street.

Mrs. Ruth Cross returned to her home at Mt. Carmel to-day, after spending several days among town acquaintances. Mrs. Cross was formerly Miss Ruth Williams, of town. Mrs. H. C. Boyer is reported as lying ill at the residence of her son-in-law, Fred J. Bensen, in Reading. She was stricken with illness while engaged in shopping the other day.

G. P. Walsh, of New York, accompanied by his personal friend, C. J. Quinn, our former townsman, visited the mines in this section to-day. Mr. Quinn was heartily greeted by his former townsmen. Mrs. Sarah Clomer, and daughter, Miss Ella and Annie, left this morning for Wilkesbarre and Scranton. The same evening will thus continue their journey to Toronto, Ont., to attend the convention of the Epworth League.

Mrs. Hiles and Mrs. Annie C. Wertz, who spent several days at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Peters, on East Centre street, returned to their homes in Lewisburg last evening. They took with them the latter's son, Wells, who will spend the summer in Lewisburg. Miss Margaret Douglas was a morning passenger to Delano, where she will join the family of A. P. Binkles, who will attend the annual encampment of the N. G. P. at Mt. Gretna. While at the latter place will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Binkles's son, James, who is Second Lieutenant of Co. K, 8th Regt., N. G. P., of Mahanoy City.

The anthracite trade has been more active in shipping coal during the past week, but the deliveries are being made chiefly on old contracts, that is, coal that was ordered before the new prices went into effect, on the 1st instant, and which is being taken now at the May circular figures. The present demand is chiefly for mixed cargoes of the domestic class, and as the available supply of broken and special grades is limited, orders are not being made with the dispatch desired. The output of coal this month is likely to reach nearer three and a half than three million tons. After August 1 it is expected that all of the mining and carrying companies will begin operating their breakers full time, and they will afterwards continue doing so until the close of the year. It is feared by some shippers that a shortage of cars will be found when the trade becomes more active, and that those who delay ordering their coal will either find inconvenience by delayed shipments or else be compelled to pay higher prices as the season advances. The anthracite trade has not yet reported any increased trade in the West due to the strikes in the bituminous fields west of the Alleghenies, but it is not unlikely that many will be compelled to either resort to the use of hard coal or else close down their factories and mills.

Pure blood and a good digestion are an insurance against disease and suffering. Burdock Blood Bitters keeps the blood pure, the digestion perfect.

Naturalization of Foreigners. The Schuylkill Bar Association, at its annual meeting yesterday, elected the following officers: President, George J. Wadlinger; Secretary, Charles E. Breukens; Treasurer, A. W. Schaefer. The Association decided to hold its annual meeting at Reading on September 1st. A lengthy preamble and resolutions, regulating naturalization of foreigners in this county, were adopted and presented to Court for its approval. It provides the first Saturday of each month, excepting August, as the dates for hearing petitions for the naturalization of aliens, and the same shall be observed to and the over for two full weeks, public notice to be given, and during which time every alien may be admitted as a naturalizing citizen of the United States. The petition further says: "Every applicant will be required to show that he can read and write, and speak and understand the English language, and that he has read and understands the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Pennsylvania. A petitioner not a resident of Schuylkill county, will be required to show on oath that his petition has not been rejected by any other court and that there is a satisfactory reason for applying before this court instead of the court of his domicile."

Half Rates to Toronto via Pennsylvania Railroad. For the Epworth League International Convention, to be held at Toronto, Canada, July 15 to 18, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell special tickets from all points on its line to Toronto and return at rate of single fare for the round trip. These tickets will be sold and good going July 14 and 15; good to return, leaving Toronto not earlier than July 19 or later than July 24, 1907, and will be good only for continuous passage from Toronto on date stamped.

For further information apply to ticket agents. Ask your grocer for the "Royal Patent" flour, and take no other brand. It is the best flour made.

Pottsville Hospital Appropriation. Governor Hastings has fixed Wednesday at noon to hear representatives of the Pottsville Hospital relative to the \$10,000 appropriation recommended for that institution, among those who are likely to wait upon His Excellency are Messrs. S. H. Kaestner, W. E. Schaefer, Guy E. Faragher, I. P. Jones and Representative G. C. Schrick.

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Female Cure is a blood purifier and a tonic. It is a safe and reliable remedy for all ailments of the female system. It is sold by all druggists.

Farthest in the World. Splendid Run of the Reading's Flyer to Atlantic City. Averaged 70 Miles an Hour.

The fastest regular train in the world was yesterday (July 2) put into service on the Reading's Atlantic City line, and for the ensuing days, the company, under a brilliant train, in an eminent run, making the entire distance from Camden to the shore in 48 minutes, or at an average speed of 70 miles an hour.

The new train is scheduled to carry passengers from this city to the shore in 60 minutes. Of that time eight minutes are allowed for the ferry to Camden and transfer to the shore, leaving 52 minutes for the run of 52 miles to Atlantic City. The train leaves Camden at 8:40 p. m., and the train is scheduled to leave Camden at 3:45, arriving at Atlantic City at 4:40.

The Record-Breaking Run Again. A slight delay at the ferry made the train 21 minutes late in leaving Camden, but it was just 5:50 when Engineer Charles Fahl pulled the throttle valve of the big Baldwin compound engine No. 1027, and began the record-breaking run. There were five cars in the train, a Pullman, a combination and three ordinary passenger cars. All five cars were filled with passengers.

The run through the outskirts of Camden, over the West Jersey tracks, and through near-by villages, was necessarily made at a slightly reduced rate of speed; but by the time Stratford, 10 miles out, was reached, the train was literally flying. There was no perceptible lag up until the shore, and on the other side of Pleasantville was reached, and a few minutes later the train glided into Atlantic City at 4:39, one and a half minutes ahead of the schedule time, and 48 minutes after leaving Camden, having made the run at an average speed of 70 miles an hour.

Nearly 90 Miles an Hour. While the 4 minutes were made up all along the route there were sections when a speed of nearly 90 miles an hour was reached. According to the regular schedule the seven miles from Brigantine Junction to Pleasantville are made in five minutes, or at a speed of 84 miles an hour. The 20 miles from Winslow Junction to Pleasantville are scheduled for 21 minutes, or 74.28 miles an hour, and in this run it is safe to say that the speed was nearly, if not quite, at the rate of 80 miles an hour for that distance, as it covers the section of the road best adapted for fast running—Pills, Record, July 8, 1907.

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New York Fashion Letter. Up to this time we have had a great deal of color in our gowns and combinations which heretofore were considered far too gay for street wear. Violet and red has perhaps been the most odd combination, white blue and green, cerise and purple, black and gold, have attracted their own share of notice. Now that the weather has settled and has become permanently warm, such combinations as these are almost entirely abandoned and dove gray and yellow, slate gray and pink, blue and white, lavender and coral, color hold sway in the soft materials for extremely warm weather. A large variety of shades in green are worn, sometimes two or three shades in one gown, and often one shade combined with cream, white or linen.

Almost all of the blouses, dresses, lawns, and suits are trimmed with colored silks and ribbons, the same color as the slip or a contrasting shade. As silk is rather expensive for these summer gowns, the stores are showing a large variety of lawns in solid colors, which makes a cool and durable lining. Some skirts have the outer material cut away to make over the pointed poke effects, leaving the plain lining for the yoke. This is often outlined with a band of lace, in erion, or two inch wide ribbon gathered in the centre to make a double ruffle.

The skirts are trimmed around the bottom quite a little. There are four narrow ruffles, either double or single, with lace at both edges, make a pretty finish for these dresses. The traveling gowns are sometimes trimmed with blue bands of the goods. Some of these are graduated, the narrow ones being near the top, while others use inch wide bands all the way.

Large varieties of latest mode can be found in the late numbers of McDowell's Fashion Journals, (published at 4 West 14th Street, New York). "La Mode de Paris" is \$3.50 a year; 35 cts. a single copy. "French Dressmaker" is \$3.00 a year, and 35 cts. a single copy.

If taken into the head by the nostrils two or three times a week, Thomas' Electric Oil will positively relieve the most offensive case of catarrh." Rev. E. F. Crane, Dunkirk, N. Y.

Deaths Recorded. From Eliza Reiser, et al., to Emma S. Strowbaker, premises in Reiser City. From Eliza Reiser, et al., to Louisa Strowbaker, premises in Reiser City. From Eliza Reiser, et al., to A. Evans, et al., premises in Reiser City. From Adian Strouso to Henry Gould, premises in Tanques.

When bilious or constive, eat a Casarets candy cathartic, cure guaranteed, 10c, 25c.

Little Girl Shoots Herself. An 8-year-old daughter of Henry Breta, of Trenton, was accidentally killed on Sunday night, from a shot discharged from her father's gun while she was in the act of handling the weapon during the absence of her parents. The lad entered the lower jaw, and death was instantaneous.

Marriage Licenses. Irving H. Snyder, of New York City, and Dora Gardner, of Trenton. Martin Drabel and Frances Zegman, both of Mahanoy City.

An unfailing specific for cholera morbus, cholera infantum, diarrhoea and all those other dangerous diseases incident to the summer season, is found in Dr. Fowler's Esol, of Wild Strawberry.

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PITHY POINTS.

Happenings Throughout the Country. The Burgess of Mt. Carmel has started a Sunday closing crusade. The St. Nicholas has arranged for a series of open-air concerts.

Potatoes are said to be scarce, and an advance in price will be the result. The employees of the P. & A. at Ashland and Girardville will be paid to-morrow.

Over thirty coal trains went over the Reading main line from Pottsville to Pottsville in duplicate circumstances, says the Journal. Farmer Aaron S. Knoll, aged 90 years, was drowned in a 12-foot mill dam, near Bernville, Berks county.

Berks county tax collectors have been notified that the taxes must all be in the county treasury by August 1. Saddle baker was sentenced to jail for four months at Reading for till tapping and took her 4-month-old baby along to prison.

A York syndicate, headed by George Bollmeyer, bought the Middletown Water Works for \$10,300, subject to a mortgage of \$3,000. Freeman Henry Minister, of Allentown, went to Quakertown to be married, and found his promised bride had eloped with another man.

Follow railroads found the corpse of fisherman Thomas Pressel between two cars at Allentown. He had been killed making a coupling. United States Commissioner Frank W. Grant, of Erie, has been re-appointed by the United States Court. He has held the office since 1873.

An explosion occurred in the mixing department of Oliver's powder mills, at Laurel Run, Lancaster county, and workmen had a hard time saving the building from flames. Benjamin Reddell, of Shenandoah, has removed his family and household effects to the Fallow property, corner of Parker and John streets, Girardville, which he recently purchased—Local.

John Hansparrner, of Big Mine Run, while huckleberrying on the Mahanoy mountain, shot a bald eagle of magnificent dimensions, measuring seven feet from tip to tip. Excursion to Atlantic City. The Philadelphia and Reading railway will run an excursion to Atlantic City, on Thursday, July 25th. Tickets will be good for ten days and good only on trains leaving here at 9:54 a. m. and 12:35 p. m. Fare for round trip from Shenandoah is \$2.50.

DIED. MCCARTHY.—On the 15th inst., at Scranton, Pa., Mrs. McCarthy, formerly of town. Funeral will take place on Thursday, 18th inst. Interment in the Annapolis cemetery, Shenandoah. The remains will arrive at the Lehigh Valley depot at 1:15 p. m. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend.

MINDER.—At Shenandoah, Pa., on the 21st inst., Mary Ann, wife of Thomas Minder, aged 72 years. Funeral will take place on Thursday, July 18th, 1907, at 2:00 o'clock p. m. services at the house, East Coal street. Interment in the Old Fellows' cemetery.

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