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Twenty-five Barrels Fresh Ground Old Process Rye Flour.

At KEITER'S.

COLORADO PROGRESSIVE.

The People of the Little Patch Organize a Fire Company.

A fire company was organized at a meeting of the citizens of Colorado on Tuesday evening and the following officers elected: Chief Marshal, P. J. Cuff; 1st Assistant, T. J. Dougherty; Foreman, Anthony McAndrew; Assistant, Thomas Moran; Line Director, Peter Kinney; Carriage Director, John Connelly; Ping Director, Daniel Greer; Chief Engineer, Michael Carey; 1st Engineer, Martin McLaughlin; 2nd Engineer, John Dougherty; 1st Stoker, Cornelius Sullivan; Tannery, Thomas Hill; Turnkey, John Gealey; Fire Hunter, W. H. Flaherty. A number of residents of Connors, Lost Creek and other places have made contributions to the company's fund, among them: Michael B. Nolan, \$10; Emanuel Kolp, \$10; E. J. Kenny, \$5; P. J. Cuff, \$7; Morgan Price, \$7; Patrick Maloney, \$6.21; Anthony McAndrew, \$6; John Moran, \$5; Dennis Curley, \$5; Anthony Greig, \$4.75; Thomas Dougherty, \$4.50; J. J. Greig, \$3.50. The company will hold a picnic at Lakeside on August 18th.

1,000,000 Quarts of Buckleberries Wanted at Women's, 124 North Main Street. Higher prices paid than anywhere else.

Before the Governor.

Governor Hastings yesterday heard arguments in favor of the appropriations to the Potomac Hospital, the Children's Home and the proposed Mahanoy hospital. Those who accompanied him were: John A. Relfy and Christ Schmidt, Shenandoah; E. S. Sullivan and David M. Graham, of Mahanoy City; Supt. E. W. Ash, of the Shenoy Hill Traction Company; Deputy Controller David W. Payne and Register of Wills, F. C. Reese. This hospital is not erected yet, neither has a site been secured. The plea made by Senator Copley was for friends to erect it, contending that it was very badly needed. He was followed by E. S. Sullivan, David W. Payne and F. C. Reese. It was contended that the people of the township, poor as they are, cannot afford to maintain a hospital as well as build it. Many of them are miners, and need assistance. Most of the township's sick now have to be sent to the Philadelphia hospital, 125 miles away. The miners, they contended, will put up the hospital itself, but ask aid for maintenance. The Governor sent the delegation to the State Board of Charities with a request that the committee should lay the subject fully before the members.

Smith & Belle Restaurant.

Open all night, basement Titman building. Cream of tomato soup to-night. Hot lunch to-morrow morning. Hard shell and deviled crabs.

Will Not Get Their Fees.

PITTSBURGH, July 14.—The residents of Shenandoah, Pa., who testified in the case of Professor C. D. Bogart will not get their fees. Alexander C. Herron, of the Clerk of Court's office, who was appointed Commissioner to re-tax the costs in the case, filed his report, showing the expense of the trial \$608 for Professor Bogart. He disallowed the proposals of John J. Toole, John A. Relfy, Jr., and John F. Higgins, as they were not material witnesses, and were not sworn in the case, and also disallowed the subpoena of Mr. Gibbon.

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Held for Trial.

Michael Keefe of town, was arraigned before a Justice at Big Spring last night, charged with making improper proposals to a young girl of that place and also intimidating her with a revolver. He was held for trial in default of bail. Keefe had previously presented a neighbor of the prosecutor in the case against him for selling liquor without a license, and it is intimated that the suit against him was instituted to bring about a settlement of the other.

"Dead Stuck" kills roaches, ants, moths and bedbugs. Non-poisonous. 25 cents. 4-15-30.

Jaunting Outfit.

Many children about town were delighted by the appearance of an English dog cart drawn by a beautiful Shetland pony on the streets last evening. Miss Annie Wallmar and John Graeber, two of Ashland's popular young folks, occupied seats in the cart and presented a swell appearance.

Cascarets stimulate liver, kidneys and bowels. Never sicken, weaken or grip. 10c.

Wedding Bells.

The marriage of William Short and Miss Ellie Davie, two prominent young people of Strasburg, occurred at high noon today. Yesterday a quiet wedding took place at the Reformed church parsonage, Tanawana, the contracting parties being Miss Nellie, daughter of Charles B. Wagner, the Mahanoy City grocer, and Prof. Calvin D. Yost, principal of the Mahanoy City High school.

Bickert's Care.

Our free lunch to-night will consist of pea soup. Clean soup to-morrow morning.

Leg Broken.

Joseph Sank, a Pole residing in Gilberton and employed as a miner at the Draper colliery, met with an accident in the mine at seven o'clock last night in which his right leg was broken between the ankle and knee by coal falling on it. The victim was removed to his home in Gilberton.

At Krepshinski's Arcade Cafe.

Liver and onions, free, to-night. Hot lunch to-morrow morning.

Democratic Convention.

Chairman Wm. A. Barr, of the Democratic County Committee, has issued a call for a meeting of the county standing committee to fix a time for the county convention. The meeting will be held at Centennial Hall, Pottsville, on Saturday, July 18, at 10 a. m.

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

Lehigh Pay To-morrow.

The employees of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company at Lost Creek and vicinity, will receive their regular semi-monthly pay to-morrow, instead of Saturday.

Just try a 10c box of Cascarets, the finest liver and bowel regulator ever made.

Evangelical Picnic.

The annual picnic of the United Evangelical Sunday school of town will be held at Lakeside on Friday, 25th inst. The picnic of this school are always well attended.

Kendrick House Free Lunch.

Cream of tomato soup will be served, free, to all patients to-night.

YOST HEIRS DEFEATED!

Verdict Rendered Against Them at Pottsville This Morning.

ACTION OF EJECTMENT SUSTAINED

The Jury Decides that the Warrant Under Which the Heirs Claim Title Did Not Cover the Land in Dispute For Many Years.

One of the most important land suits tried in this county for some time, and which has aroused general interest among the people of this valley, was disposed of at the Pottsville court this morning by a sealed verdict from the jury. The case is the ejectment suit of the City of Philadelphia, trustee for the Girard Estate, against John Yost. The real defendants in the suit were the Yost heirs in town, because being simply a possession holder for them and, through their permission, was allowed to make a clearing and erect a house on the tract of land in dispute. The land is located on the top of Locust Mountain, beyond the cemeteries and near the forks of the roads that branch off to Brandonville and Kingtown. The amount of land in dispute was about 37 acres, but the actual amount of land affected by the suit is about 275 acres, affecting three tracts held by the Girard Estate. There were several other possession holders on the mountain top, representing various claimants, but with the Girard Estate dealt summarily during the past few years, the employees of the Estate tearing and burning down the possession houses. In the Brocton case, however, the officials decided to make a stand for a test of title in court, so no summary action was taken. The suit for ejectment which has just been decided was instituted instead. To give all the facts leading on the case would require columns, as they cover a series of land transactions extending as far back as 1783. The real cause of contention appears to lie in an incorrect, or indefinite original survey upon which the land warrant under which the Yost heirs claim title was based. The Girard Estate claim that if the heirs had any title to the land on the mountain, it was at the foot of the mountain on the Catawissa Valley side. In other words the Girard Estate claimed that the original warrant under which the Yost heirs claim title was based, at the foot of the mountain, that the holder of that warrant found that the land so granted by the Commonwealth was covered by a previous warrant. He went before the State Board of Properties in 1804 and they decided against him. Since then, the Girard Estate officials claim, repeated attempts have been made to draw the southern boundary line of the land thus conveyed by said original warrant south to embrace the land covered by the injunction suit.

"It would seem," said a gentleman connected with the suit to-day, "that the Yost heirs really have no land under the warrant upon which they lay claim. The verdict rendered this morning shows their boundary line north to the foot of the mountain, and when the heirs get there they find title in other parties under a previous warrant." The suit thus concluded was a lengthy and expensive one in cost, money, and time, and over twenty surveys were among the witnesses. The costs amount to at least \$4,000. The case was tried before Judge Albright and a jury. At 1:35 o'clock yesterday afternoon the court concluded its charge to the jury. At 8:30 last evening a sealed verdict was returned. It was in favor of the Girard Estate. S. H. Kaercher, Esq., represented the defendant. A motion will be made for a new trial and should it be denied an appeal will be taken.

In conversation with a reporter this morning Mr. Kaercher said, "The result of this suit sets at rest all disputed titles to lands on Locust Mountain, including the Drusher, Yost, Wagner, Brocton and other lands. Although this suit did not involve these lands, it establishes a title that will make other law suits a waste of time and money, provided of course that the verdict is established on appeal, and I have not the slightest doubt of that. The importance of the case just tried," concluded Mr. Kaercher, "may be better understood when it is considered that the land involved in it also embraced the lead waters of the streams that feed the large reservoirs above Lost Creek. There is a little pocket of coal on the mountain and had the complainants sustained the title that they set up they would unquestionably have undertaken to develop the coal, and this would never be allowed, as it would destroy the whole water shed and not only deprive all the Packer collieries of water, but also take away the supply from the Borough of Girardville. It was to prevent this that the ejectment steps were taken. They were not based upon the intrinsic value of the land."

Five Accidents.

Peter Savinski, of South Main street, and employed at the Maple Hill colliery, sustained a severe contusion of the right foot yesterday by a fall of coal. He was attended by Dr. J. G. Clark.

Thomas Wretlich had his left arm injured by a fall of coal in the Turkey Run colliery yesterday. Dr. Church attended him.

William Bender, of Glover's Hill, had a small branch of an artery in one of his arms severed by a flying piece of rock in the St. Nicholas colliery to-day.

Cow Killed.

A cow was killed by a passenger train on the P. & E. railway yesterday afternoon. The owner of the cow is not known.

Volunteers Reopening.

The Volunteers of America will have a reopening in their hall, Wilkinson building, on Friday evening, July 16th. Everybody is invited to be present to give Lieut. M. Remont and wife a hearty welcome.

Achieving Fame.

Much comment is made by the numerous readers of the HERALD who know the value of advertising and read the large FAMOUS CLOTHING "ad" which appeared in our columns for the first time yesterday. The announcement is in the form of poetry composed by the firm's efficient cashier, Miss Lizzie Reese, who is being showered with congratulations by her numerous acquaintances for the composition.

Change of Engineers.

John C. Britton, of Turkey Run, has resigned his position as engineer at Garber & Seaman's colliery and become one of the workers at the Shenandoah public work engine at Brandonville, succeeding Emanuel Delcamp, Sr., resigned.

QUAY-HASTINGS AFFAIR.

No Rapture For the Present, and Probably None at All.

HARRISBURG, Pa., July 15.—It is apparent that the politicians who have expected a serious break between Governor Hastings and Senator Quay are somewhat at sea. Senator Durbin, who had a conference with the Governor yesterday, at the latter's request, did not hear the air, after the interview, of a man who had left a breach behind him. It is true, that the Governor's business with Durbin was about other matters than the United States Senatorship, and had to do with some political legislation local to Philadelphia, not taking in the Becker bill, but the satisfied manner of the two gentlemen after their talk somewhat emphasized the impression given out that neither Governor Hastings nor Senator Durbin's friend, the senior United States Senator, were drawing political daggers at each other.

But the Governor will veto the Becker bill, and will keep aloof from factional party quarrels. He will not, however, take occasion in his veto to attack Quay or Quay's friends, as has been reported. In short, the situation, so far as the material result is concerned as between the Executive and the Republican Senatorial leaders, remains as it was before the visit of Quay and Penrose here last week.

Before leaving here Senator Durbin said that he was not here on a harmony mission, and that he had asked the Governor to sign a couple of bills making appropriations to Philadelphia institutions, among them the Western and Gas Coal miners to throw down their tools. It is said the employees of this company are ready to join the strike, and that a successful agitation of the strike question among them may result in a (temporary) termination of work among the men of the Western and Gas Coal company and other pits in this section.

President Doan and Secretary Warner, of the mine workers, spent the day at the local headquarters receiving reports from hoodlums sent out to watch points where attempts would likely be made by the operators to start their plants. A minor from Hickel Hollow, where the mines of the Washington Coal and Coke company are located, reported that the men who have been working steadily throughout the strike would surely lay down their tools today and refuse to go in again until the trouble is over. "This war," said they, "is over." When they came out of the mine every evening. From expressions he heard from many of them, he said he was sure the "drumming" would have its effect. At the office of the company it was said that all the men were at work and no interference was expected. The company, however, had taken the precaution to engage a number of deputies, and will increase the force if necessary. A representative said they would protect their men and he believed they would all remain at work.

KENTUCKY'S GOLD DEMOCRATS.

They Will Welcome Silverites to the Party Once Again.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 15.—Notable and unique to a degree beyond any held for more than a score of years in Kentucky, was the convention which yesterday and last night brought to Louisville from all parts of the "Bleeding ground" the sturdy sons of Democratic forefathers with the purpose, as they put it, of sustaining true Democracy and bringing back to the fold those men who have strayed after a silver trail.

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Neelwender's, Cor. Main and Coal Sts.

Grand Army bean soup to-night. Hot lunch to-morrow morning. Meals served at all hours.

Reward For Information.

Sheriff Scott has received a circular letter from Messrs. Sipe & Harris, attorneys, of Harrisonburg, Va., offering a reward of \$200 for information concerning a young man named W. H. Hammon, who is supposed to have been abducted or decoyed from his home at McLearyville, Rockingham county, Va. The young man is nineteen years of age, and the only child of Dr. C. E. Hammon, a prominent physician of the above place.

Quick Meal Restaurant.

California bean soup to-night. Hot lunch to-morrow morning.

New Diplomats Named.

Washington, July 15.—The president yesterday sent a long list of nominations to the senate, among them the following: William L. Morry of California, minister to Nicaragua, Costa Rica and Salvador; James N. Allen of Ohio, minister resident and consul general to Corea; Harry M. DeLeon of Georgia, consul general at Guayaquil, Ecuador; William L. Sewell of Ohio, consul at Toronto, Ont.; Edward H. Ozman of Minnesota, consul at Stuttgart, Germany.

A Day Out.

The Thinkful Bee Society of town, comprising a number of prominent ladies of town, left this morning for Marysville park, near Shamokin, to spend the day. Several gentlemen escorted them.

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THE STRIKE MAY EXTEND

Efforts to Draw Other Pennsylvania Miners Into It.

DE ARMITT'S MEN STILL AT WORK.

The Attempts to Induce Them to Join the Strikers' Ranks Have Thus Far Proved Futile—West Virginia Miners Join the Strike.

PITTSBURGH, July 15.—The miners' strike will likely be extended eastward within the next 24 hours. The leaders have arranged for a mass meeting at the Penn Gas Coal company, on the Pennsylvania railroad. A number of speakers from different organizations will deliver addresses, and a strong effort will be made to induce the miners to throw down their tools. It is said the employees of this company are ready to join the strike, and that a successful agitation of the strike question among them may result in a (temporary) termination of work among the men of the Western and Gas Coal company and other pits in this section.

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Mid-Summer Sale of

Millinery Goods!

Largest line of Trimmed Hats and Bonnets. Nobby lines of Children's Trimmed Hats.

Street Back Sailors, all colors, 25c. Sailor Hats, 10c. Trimmed Sailors, 15c. 20c., 25c., 30c., 35c., \$1.00, \$1.15. Black Mofre Ribbon, 6 in. wide, all silk, 25c. Satin and Gros Grain Ribbon 4 in. wide, 10c.; 5 in. wide, 25c. a yard. Taffeta Ribbon, all wide widths, 20c. and 25c. per yard.

Infants Lace Caps reduced from 50c. down to 25c. Lace Hats, 20c. up. Mourning Veils, 1 1/2 yards long, with border, \$1.00 and up. Silk and Gros Grain, \$1.75 and up. Mourning Bonnets, \$1.00. Hats, \$1.50 and up. Bend Hair Switches, 65c. and up. All our offerings are reduced to bottom prices.

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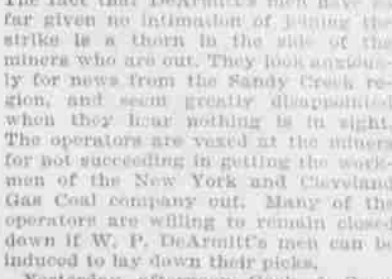
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