

SELECT NOTES

On the Sunday school lessons are now on sale. Publisher's price \$1.25. Our special price \$1.00. Only a few left at this price.

HOOKS & BROWN, 4 N. Main St.

MAHANOY CITY.

Heart Trouble Causes the Sudden Death of a Boy.

Mahanoy City, Jan. 10.—George Lutz, aged 11 years, Frank, his 13-year-old brother and several companions went to Hogue's grove to play yesterday afternoon. Frank caught sight of an eccentric old man who lives in the First ward and called to his companions to run. All started away except George, who turned to learn the cause of the alarm. He saw the old man and ran, but had gone only a few yards when he sank to the ground. His brother returned and found him gasping. A local Valley farmer took the boy into his house. The victim died before reaching his home. (Both were due to heart failure.)

Henry O. Brecht, an aged resident of Shrewsbury, is missing. He was over 60 years of age and lived alone. He earned a livelihood by making springs and selling them at the collieries. He applied for admission to the almshouse some time ago, but was not admitted on account of owning the house in which he lived.

A Rock Mountain Hungarian was struck by an engine near the P. & R. freight depot on Saturday. He was tossed high in the air, but fell clear of the track and only suffered from a few bruises.

Anthony Baskiewicz was in a critical condition. Early Sunday morning he was stopped by a gang of his countrymen who demanded money. When he said he had none they beat him with clubs and stones and kicked him. He recovered and made his way home. The doctors put 35 stitches in his head.

Dr. Bull's Pills are an admirable remedy for common family sicknesses, and have no superior as a mild, innocent laxative. They do not grip. Look for the Bull's Head Trade-mark.

Tyrons, Pa., Jan. 10.—A team of mules after attempting unsuccessfully to murder his wife, Mrs. Kate Hall, and together with their young son yesterday committed suicide by shooting himself. He was at times abusive toward his wife. He was beating her in the house of his sister, next door to his own home, when Mrs. Hall and her son interfered. This was contrary to her wish. He drew a revolver and fired at them, but his aim was faulty, and his sister escaped, while the nephew was shot in the hand. The abused wife in the meantime fled out of range, and heverly returned to his own home, where he blew his brains out.

WINTER GOODS

In this store are now receiving the attention of our many patrons. Every department of this leading Dry Goods house has its special attraction for those seeking good values. We have stocked our shelves and counter with all choice things and having bought in large quantities for cash, we are enabled to give you prices that none of our competitors throughout the county can touch.



We have just received another large lot of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Coats which will be sold 25 per cent. less than their real value.

Also a lot of Ladies' Fur and Plush Capes at manufacturer's prices. These garments will not last long and we would advise you to come early and make your purchase.

Compare our goods and prices with those of other houses and you will be astonished to see what a saving it will be to you to purchase from us.

BUTTERICK PATTERNS.

In using Butterick Patterns you run no risk of ruining your garment, but instead are assured a correct and fashionable fit. We keep a large stock of patterns always on hand and are prepared to fill orders without delay.

P. J. GAUGHAN, No. 27 North Main St.

GROGGERIES, FLOUR, FEED, HAY AND STRAW. Floor and Table Oil Cloths. E. B. FOLEY, 27 West Centre St.

Makes Women Beautiful.

The Unseen Power of a Modern Discovery For Renewing Youth and Rendering People Attractive.



No woman in America has probably done more to make women beautiful, and men more sympathetic and loving than Dr. J. C. Schack. The doctor is a highly successful and distinguished Dermatologist of New York. His face is known and respected throughout the South and North of America, and in addition to improving complexion, he has been the inventor, as a surgeon, of some of the most difficult operations known to science. These operations include the strengthening of debilitated nerves, making straggling, brittle, and broken hair grow again, and curing all sorts of skin diseases, but does not bandage or tamely acknowledge the help he has had from others. He recently said:

"While I have been the means of restoring thousands of women to the natural beauty which nature intended they should have, but which they lost, I would never have been able to do so if the women's blood was not out of order, natural functions in a disordered condition, so that I invariably restore a complexion or women who consult me to see, red of all, to their general health."

THE ROLL OF HONOR.

A Partial List of Pensioners Receiving Above \$45 Per Month.

In accordance with the disbursements of the New York Sun has commenced the publication of the roll of pensioners. Friday last it published the names of all receiving pensions above \$45 per month, 3,838 in all.

These are the cases of the badly injured veterans, those who suffered to such an extent that they require bodily assistance or regular medical attention, and the widows of distinguished officers whose services have given them good claims upon the gratitude of the nation.

As the list published on Friday is only one-third of one per cent. of the list of pensioners, it can be easily understood what a large list of names will be published. It makes no excuse for doing so, but states that, firstly, it desires to establish the principle that the pension list is a roll of honor, and that the pensioner whose name is on it has nothing to fear but much to gain by the publication of it, and that the policy of secrecy which has been followed since the beginning of the war, has been the means of committing many frauds which it hopes to see exposed.

On the list we find the widows of Genls. Grant and Garfield in receipt of pensions of \$5000 per annum. Mrs. Sheridan \$2500, the widow of Genl. Sherman, \$2000, the widow of Genl. Meade, \$1800, the widow of Genl. Sigel, \$1500, the widow of Genl. Sigel, \$1200, the widow of Genl. Sigel, \$1000, the widow of Genl. Sigel, \$800, the widow of Genl. Sigel, \$600, the widow of Genl. Sigel, \$400, the widow of Genl. Sigel, \$200.

Among the list of old veterans from this section we find the following in receipt of the amounts specified, viz: Adam Bunnens, \$400; Louis Gapp, \$350; Isaac J. Burton, \$300; John D. Bartholomew, \$250; Ben. Christian, \$200; Wm. Warlow, \$150; Saml. Hill, \$120; Len. Bittenbender, \$100; Jas. D. Hadden, \$80; Hadden, \$70; Aaron Garber, \$60; David Wanda, \$50; Joseph Walter, \$40; Wm. Wanda, \$30; M. V. B. Kosterbauer, \$20.

We shall continue to publish extracts from this list from time to time that may interest some of the Herald's numerous readers.

Takes the burn out; heals the wound; cures the pain. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil! the household remedy.

Deaths recorded. From Eliza Reimer et al., to Theodore G. Copley, premises in Porter township. From David F. Karg and wife to Godfrey Pless, premises in Ashland. From Leonard Minthorn Savings and Loan Association to Albert Gable et al., premises in Gordon. From John Brannigan and wife to Kate B. McKelvey, premises in Shenandoah.

The many testimonials received daily by the proprietors of Salvation Oil, emphasizing its value as a cure for rheumatism and rheumatism, furnish convincing proof of its great merits. It is par excellence the liniment.

Two Dollars for a Carcase. Telephone or telegraph to M. Ulrich & Son, Ashland, Pa., when you have a dead horse, mule or cow. They will pay \$2.00 and remove it promptly. 11-3047

Notice to Candidates!

All persons who wish to be candidates on the Citizens' ticket at the

SPRING ELECTION OF 1898.

In the Borough of Shenandoah, must present their names and the required fees to the Secretary of the Citizens' Standing Committee.

JAMES O. SAMPSELL, At No. 224 North Jardin street, not later than

Saturday, Jan. 15, 1898, at 7 o'clock p. m.

By order of the committee.

Fresh Oysters Received Daily. 60c TO \$1.00 PER HUNDRED. All kinds of Fresh and Salt Water Fish TO ARRIVE FOR FRIDAY. Local dealers supplied at wholesale rates. Fixed Nuts, 2 Pounds for 25 Cents.

COSLETT, 36 S. Main St. PHILA. CHEAP STORE. DEALER IN FRUIT, CONFECTIONERY, CIGARS AND TOBACCO. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. 29 West Centre Street.



especially that the secretions are in perfect condition. I wish to say that in this work I am

I have been largely aided by one of the greatest discoveries of modern times. By its use, in connection with my work, I have often been able to make women who were sallow, shrunken and prematurely old, attractive, bright, and practically youth-

COMMISSIONERS' CASE.

It Was Resumed This Morning Before Judge Bechtel.

Pottsville, Jan. 10.—The case of the Taxpayers' Association vs. ex-Commissioner Charles F. Allen and present Commissioners Frank Rente and John P. Martin, continues to attract much attention, and the court room was again crowded this morning. It was 10 o'clock Saturday night before the last jury was selected.

Ex-Sheriff Scott and Deputy Prothonotary Leib told how the jurors of 1897 were drawn in December, 1896, and Judge Bechtel overruled the motion to quash the array of jurors, made by the defense.

His Honor was very firm in urging counsel on both sides forward, and after he informed them that a jury would be selected on Saturday if it took all night, more speed was attained and the big crowd did not have to stay for supper altogether.

Attorney Lyon pleaded not guilty for Mr. Martin, Attorney Mar did the same for Mr. Rente, and Mr. Allen, in the absence of his counsel, did likewise for himself. Charles A. Berger, solicitor to the Commissioners, took a seat at the table for the defense during the afternoon, and Charles A. Snyder was added to the Commonswealth's array.

The defense had exceptions noted on every decision, indicating an intention to move for a new trial if this one goes against them.

The jurors are: Charles Saylor, lumber dealer, Pottsville; Samuel C. Boyer, merchant, Port Clinton; E. J. Kirlin, Justice of the Peace, Port Clinton.

Daniel Goman, fireman, Mahanoy Plains; Jacob Lurwick, painter, Port Carbon; Edward Shoenor, carpenter, Orwigsburg; Jacob Holwig, laborer, Pottsville; Wesley Seltzer, farmer, Orwigsburg.

Yonish C. Knapp, farmer, Mahanoy twp.; Fred. Eberle, barber, Pottsville; William C. Womer, box manufacturer, Pottsville; Harry Kries, laborer, Frailey.

It lasted but a few minutes of eleven o'clock this morning when Judge Bechtel told counsel the case could proceed. In the meanwhile he would examine the authorities cited, and by two o'clock should decide whether the indictments found last week would be admitted part of the proceedings.

John O. Ulrich, Mr. Allen's counsel, was on hand this morning looking somewhat the worse for his illness from tonsillitis.

Fergus Farquhar made the opening address for the prosecution. Among other things he said it was a moment for the witness to be sworn. He was appointed second assistant clerk Jan. 1, 1894, and a year later promoted first assistant. January 1, 1897, he was elected Chief Clerk. The witness produced the minutes of the Commissioners' office.

The minutes for Jan. 1, 1894, showed the organization of the Board and appointment of clerks and other employees.

Judge Ryan objected to part of the testimony because it was not forewarned by the bill of particulars. Judge Bechtel overruled the objection.

The witness then testified to the petition made to court by the Commissioners for leave to construct a new hospital and improvements at the almshouse at a cost of \$75,000. The minutes of July 8, 1895, showed that Solicitor John O. Ulrich was instructed to prepare a petition. July 11, 1895, a site was selected for the hospital. May 11, 1896, Architect Hill appeared before the Board and a contract for \$2,000 was made with him, in addition to the \$1,600 already paid him. The bids for the new hospital were read over and the contract awarded to Daniel McGuffey, of Pottsville, for \$53,015.12. Mar. 22, 1896, reference is made to the getting of an opinion on the legality of the almshouse improvements. On May 18, 1896, is recorded the court's order that it would not approve the project unless all bids were brought before the court and would come within the limit of \$75,000. May 21, 1896, the clerk was instructed to advise the Board of Public Charities of the court's action and request a meeting. June 1, 1896, the Commissioners met the Board at Harrisburg. June 4, 1896, the revised plans of improvements were received from Architect Hill. June 24 the Commissioners met at the Almshouse with the local Board of Charities to see whether the state appropriation of \$1.75 for each patient for each week, according to the act of June 1895. A resolution was offered by Mr. Rente to make the improvements suggested. W. R. Hill was employed as the architect. July 20, 1896, the bids were again opened for the almshouse improvements, the contract for the building of the hospital being awarded to Daniel J. McGuffey, of Pottsville, for \$51,012.25; for the boiler house, same party, \$8,833; laundry, to a Columbia, Pa., company, \$5,135; boilers, engines, etc., McGinness, Smith & Co., Pittsburg, \$7,960; plumbing, East, Pottsville, \$6,300.

Mr. Schack wanted to know if the plumb-



ing had been advertised for, and how it came there.

The witness knew nothing about it. Mr. Schack asked if the first bid had been returned to bidders.

Witness: "There is nothing about it on the minutes. These minutes were kept by Mr. Council. Some are in the handwriting of Clerk Schmidt."

"When were the July 20th bids advertised for?"

"I find no minutes recording the advertisement for the new bids. At 4:10 this afternoon Mr. Reber was still on the stand."

When bilious or constive, cut a Cascaeta candy tablet, cure guaranteed. 10c, 25c.

PITHY POINTS.

happenings throughout the County Chronicle for Busy Personal.

St. Clair and Mahanoy City will erect new school buildings.

William Hardy has removed his family from Girardville to this town.

Governor Hastings has issued a proclamation calling for assistance for the suffering Chinese.

Baymaster Gray, of the P. & R. railroad, will pay the employes at Mahanoy Plains on the 24th inst.

The York county grand jury has reported against the removal of the almshouse and the court has approved the report.

William Anshutz, a brickman on the Pottsville Railroad, fell from a train near Rockville and was instantly killed.

Ten men of foreign birth were granted naturalization papers on Saturday by Judge Koch. A number of others were continued until the next court.

Miss Annie Leonard, a Shamokin domestic, fell asleep Thursday night at the stove. She frequently falls into these long sleeps and cannot be aroused.

A Coroner's jury in the case of Mrs. Joseph Conchus, who died Wednesday at Pottsville, charges her husband and a midwife with criminal negligence.

The "Bride Elect" is the title of Susan's latest march. At Reunion's. 1-10-14

Two Fire Alarms. Shortly after two o'clock this afternoon a fire alarm was sounded from box No. 52, corner of Coal and Chestnut streets, and the fire department had a run for nothing. A Polish butcher on West Coal street started a fire, and was instantly killed.

Within twenty minutes after the firemen returned to their respective houses an alarm was sounded from box No. 42, corner of Centre and Gilbert streets. This alarm was caused by a defective flue in the Thomas McCallister property at the corner named. A small stove was carried from the second story and the trouble was over. There was no damage.

Mrs. J. Watson, 1022 Arizona St., Philadelphia, Pa., says: "I think Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is a splendid remedy. I had to cough night and day and one bottle relieved me wonderfully."

Wedding at Ringtown. On Saturday at the home of the bride's parents at Ringtown, Miss Kate Decker was united in the holy bonds of matrimony with Rimer Shirley, of the same place. A large number of guests were in attendance. The contracting parties received many gifts.

Among those in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Mr. and Mrs. Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. Noon, of Philadelphia.

It's Queer How Quick Pan-Tina cures coughs and colds, 25c. At Grubler Bros., drug store.

County Board A. O. H. The County Board of the A. O. H. held their regular quarterly meeting in Pottsville on Saturday. Each of the fifteen divisions in the county were represented by several delegates. Considerable important business was transacted.

One Minute Cough Cure cures quickly. That's what you want! C. H. Hagenbuch.

Word in Passing.

—Philip Cene, formerly of town and now engaged in the life insurance business at Philadelphia, was in town today making arrangements for the burial of his sister, who died yesterday.

—J. C. Brobst made a business trip to the county seat today.

—Among the townsmen who visited the Pottsville court house today were James Grant and John W. Weeks.

—E. J. Kirlin is still suffering from the grippe, but is improving.

—E. J. G. Washington, of Pottsville, was a guest of town friends yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Gillman, of Schuylkill Haven, spent yesterday in town as guests of relatives.

—Daniel Houser has given up the grocery business and turned his attention to selling cigars and soap.

—Carl Gorman, of Hazleton, was a guest of town friends yesterday.

—Postmaster Sellen and M. S. Malone spent today transacting business at Mt. Carmel.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brewer, of Shrewsbury, Pa., are at Hazleton. Mr. Brewer, who has long been in poor health, has come to Hazleton to try the invigorating waters of the health-restoring springs—The Scenic.

—Ex-Senator J. J. Coyle, of Philadelphia, was a visitor to town today.

—Miss Mattie Lee has entered the Miners' hospital at Fountain Springs with the intention of becoming a trained nurse.

—Harry Needham, of Philadelphia, has been called to town by the death of his father, Michael Needham.

—Miss Kate Higgins returned to Kutztown at noon today.

—Miss Mabel Jones, of Philadelphia, is spending with her aunt, Mrs. E. C. Brobst, on West Oak street.

—John Scott, of Hazleton, was a Sunday visitor to town.

—Mrs. Frederick Roberts, of North White street, is confined to her home by illness.

—Messrs. Dallas Sanders, John A. and E. S. Johnson, of Philadelphia, were registered at the Ferguson House on Saturday night. These gentlemen are largely interested in the Pottsville railway.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brodus, of Sunbury, were the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Krick, on South Main street, yesterday.

—Messrs. Harry and Patrick Dowling, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday at the parental household, on West Cherry street, yesterday.

IN OLDEN TIMES People overlooked the importance of permanently locating their efforts and were satisfied with transient action; but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently overcome habitual constipation, well-informed people will not buy other laxatives, which act for a time, but finally injure the system. Buy the genuine, made by the California Fig Syrup Co.

DEED.

COVY.—On the 4th inst., at Philadelphia, Pa., John A. Covy, of the County of Berks, and the late Thomas Covy, aged 50 years and 6 days, General will take place from the county residence, No. 1524 N. 27th street, Philadelphia, on Wednesday, 13th inst. High noon at St. Elizabeth's church, Philadelphia, at 9 a. m. The remains will arrive at Shenandoah on the 25th p. m. Philadelphia & Reading Railway train. Interment in the Annapolis cemetery. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR RENT—Store and dwelling, 120 North Main street, Ashland, Pa. Apply to C. W. Newlin, 122 North Main street. 1-10-14

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply at 22 East Centre street, Shenandoah, Pa. 1-10-14

NOTICE TO APPLICANTS FOR LICENSE.—A Notice is hereby given that cash, bank drafts or certified checks only will be received at this office in payment of license fees. DAVID B. DAVIS, County Treasurer, Pottsville, Pa.

FOR RENT—Store and dwelling, corner Coal and Vine streets. Apply to W. H. Hill, 14-17

NOTICE.—The undersigned is desirous of closing up his accounts either in cash or by notes for all bills that are due or over due this month. All contracts, and agreements, however, will be carried out. I shall place all over due accounts in the hands of proper parties for collection. ELLIS DAVIS, M. P. Fowler, 1-6-1m

FOR SCHOOL DIRECTOR. THOMAS H. SNYDER. (if your term—Third ward.) Subject to Citizens party rules.

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Pure sweetness. No danger from impure confectionery. We sell the purest and best. Always fresh, being made in our own establishment daily. An excellent assortment for the holidays. Look at our show windows or pay our store an inspection. We have all grades and at all prices.

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CONWAY'S FAMOUS 5 AND 10c STORE NO. 7, 102 North Main Street.

Saturday's big business proved that our Table Oil Cloth was correct, and prices right. The same with all our goods. The buying reached in volume beyond our fondest hopes. We will place on sale on TUESDAY, JANUARY 11th, at 8 o'clock a. m., 2,000 yards at 10c per yard; regular price 25c. WE ALSO HAVE ON SALE AT 9 O'CLOCK Large Earthen Tea Pots, Worth 35c, for 10c.

Table with 4 columns: Item, Our Price, Worth, Our Price. Items include Coal Hods, Galvanized Buckets, Large Glass Dish, Fry Pan, Meat Platter, China Fruit Holder, Fancy Bisquit Figures, Large Glass Butter Dish, Agate Colanders, Coffee and Tea Pots, Wash Basin, Flint Glass Tumblers, White Cup and Saucer, Tea Strainer, Dust Pan, Glass Pickle Dish, Glass Spoon Holder, China Fruit Saver, Cold Shower, Tin Colander, Rolling Pin, Wooden Spoons.

Notice.—Nothing sold on the first floor above 10c. Higher priced goods on second floor.

CONWAY'S Famous 5 & 10c Store No. 7, 102 North Main Street.

Next Door to Gill's Dry Goods Store.

Schuykill Dental Parlors, 7 North Jardin Street.

A first class dental parlor where all the branches of dentistry are skillfully executed.

Best Artificial Teeth, \$8.00. Good Set of Teeth, \$5.00. TEETH EXTRACTED WITH LAUGHING GAS OR VITALIZED AIR. NO CHARGES FOR EXTRACTING WHEN TEETH ARE ORDERED. BEST SILVER FILLING, GOLD FILLINGS, \$1.00 and up. TEETH EXTRACTED WITHOUT PAIN. 50 Cents and up 25 Cents. All our work is accompanied with a guarantee.

SKATES. SLEDS.

SPOONT'S, 108 & 112 East Centre Street. CHEAP FURNITURE.

Can be bought from us this year 35 per cent. cheaper than during any other season. This is our holiday inducement.

Fine Cane Seat Dining Room Chairs, 75c. Square Extension Table Handsomely decorated, \$2.75. Bed Room Suits in Eight Pieces, \$15.00.

ONE CARLOAD OF Plush - Rockers For Christmas Gifts, \$1.00 up. CARPETS AND OIL CLOTHS AT Factory Prices.

Call on us. No trouble to show goods. SPOONT'S, 108 & 112 East Centre Street.

Christ. Schmidt, RUPTURE CURED. A Specialist on Rupture from Williamsport will visit Shenandoah Every Thursday AT THE Ferguson House, from 9 a. m. till 1:30 p. m.

Rupture permanently and quickly Cured or no pay. Written guarantee to absolutely cure all kinds of Rupture without operation or detention from business. Absolutely no Danger. Examination Free. 100 persons cured in Sunbury, Shamokin, Mt. Carmel and vicinity who can be referred to. Charges and terms moderate and within reach of all. RODD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache, A pleasant laxative. All Druggists.