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For Sale—2000 bushels Choice Clipped White Oats.

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BARN DESTROYED.

A Ringtown Farmer Meets With a Heavy Loss. A large two-story barn located on the farm of Pierce Zimmerman, near Ringtown, was totally destroyed by fire early this morning.

AFTER A DESERTER.

Detail Arrives to Take Frank Deem Back to Camp McKenzie. Forst. Henry Hunter and Private Philip Brien arrived in Mahanoy City this afternoon as detail to take deserter Frank Deem back to Co. E, 5th Regt., at Camp McKenzie, Georgia.

For ten days Klondike Cough Cure, 15 cts. City Drug Store, 107 S. Main St. 1-18-101

The Little Irene Myers Company is drawing big audiences at Kaiser's opera house, Mahanoy City, and the engagement promises to be as successful as the one played here recently.

To Apply to be opened at Mahanoy City to-morrow, under the name of "The Manufacturers Outlet Company." It is understood to be a branch of the famous store of this place and the clothing merchants of Mahanoy City are up in arms.

Business Training School. Dougherty's hall, commencing Tuesday evening, January 17th, 1899. Terms, \$2.50 per month. 1-16-3t

Wedded at Lost Creek. At two o'clock this afternoon in St. Mary Magdalene's church, Lost Creek, Miss Bridget Haley was united in marriage with John Reddy.

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THE CONTEST FOR SENATOR

Quay, to be Successful, Must Force His Election at Once.

LOSCH EXPLAINS HIS POSITION!

Opposed to the Caucus Being Held at the Time, But Quay Receiving the Nomination, Felt Duty Bound to Support Caucus Nominee.

Harrisburg, Jan. 13.—The Senatorial fight may not be said to be fairly launched and the interest is intense.

Highly long the struggle will continue is largely a matter of conjecture—whether it will be decided for or against Quay will be determined before the close of the week.

The result of yesterday's vote, viewed from a disinterested standpoint, is no gain for the Quay forces. Senator Flinn, leader of the "insurgents," stated on Monday that Quay would not receive more than 113 votes, and as a matter of fact he received one less than that number.

TO-DAY'S VOTE.

The result on joint ballot to-day was announced as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Votes. Total: 248 Quay, 246 Flinn.

The anti-Quay forces lost two votes to-day, the Democrats increase their vote two, while Senator Quay merely holds his own.

MAGEE FORGING AHEAD.

The essence of the situation is that so long as the anti-Quay Republicans are united and the Democrats vote for Jenkins Senator Quay cannot be elected.

Although not a single vote was cast in either house for Senator Chris L. Magee of Pittsburg, he is regarded as a most important factor in the contest.

Change of Position. Hon. John W. Morgan, who held the position of assistant inside foreman at the Shenandoah City colliery yesterday afternoon.

Shooting Match. Robert Weeks, of Park Place, and Calvin Afiller, of Mahanoy City, have arranged a pigeon shooting match for \$25 a side, each man to shoot at 15 birds.

A Brick Season. M. J. O'Neill is experiencing a brick business season. To-day he placed a handsome Pease piano in Meade Peters' cafe and yesterday he put a beautiful Lester instrument in John W. Weeks' cafe.

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

Serenaded. The Grant band last evening serenaded Mr. and Mrs. Martin Billinger at their residence on East Coal street.

The Jurors' Allowance. Controller Muldoon has held up the orders of Coroners' Jurors where they have been allowed more than \$1, pending an opinion of his solicitor, S. H. Kaecher, Esq.

There's Just What You Want. Pan-Tina (Use) for coughs and colds. At Granter Bros., drug store.

Notaries Held Up. Among the many Notaries Public whose appointments by Gov. Hastings were not confirmed by the Senate, are the following from this county: T. T. Williams, P. W. Bierstein, S. G. M. Halloway, W. W. Lewis, and J. B. Cogle.

Fingers Crushed. Louis Feginski had the middle and ring fingers of his right hand crushed yesterday at the Maple Hill colliery, by having them caught between a spreader and a hook plate, while he was unloading a mine.

Elegant Lodge Room. Reilly's lodge room, on South Main street, has been elegantly refurnished and is now ready for occupancy. Call and inspect it. Reduced rental. 1-18-10t

Factory to Start. The shirt factory at Mahanoy City, which was destroyed by fire on Nov. 6th, last, has been re-established on a new site and will start up to-morrow with fifty hands.

The Little folks love Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Pleasant to take; perfectly harmless; positive cure for coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma.

which will insure his election. Several of the Schuylkill members are willing to go to Quay, but those from the Fourth district will not vote for him.

Senator Quay must force his election before the close of the present week, if he expects to succeed himself. There are at least a dozen members who attended the Republican caucus, and voted for Senator Quay in the House and Senate on joint ballot, who have already expressed their intentions of deserting the Quay ranks after the third or fourth ballot.

TRUBLE IN THE QUAY CAMP.

Under the surface it is known that several of Senator Quay's most prominent lieutenants are not on friendly terms. Ex-Senator Andrews and Frank Willing Leach have been at daggers' points for some time, and now Andrews and Chairman Elkin have parted company.

STONE'S APPOINTMENTS.

The chief events of the day were the change of the state administration, the balloting for United States senator and the delay in the cabinet appointments of the new governor.

It is announced on good authority that ex-State Senator Durham, the leader of the Quay forces in Philadelphia, will be appointed insurance commissioner by Governor Stone.

SENATOR HIGGINS' CONDITION.

Senator Higgins, of Schuylkill, is still confined to the hospital. Quite a number of his friends from that county called upon him during the inauguration.

PERSONAL MENTION.

George W. Haesler, of Allentown, is visiting relatives in town. Joseph Grainger, one of the most popular hoisting engineers at the Wm. Penn colliery, is laid up with the grip.

James McHale and Charles McLoughlin have returned to the barracks of the 51st Infantry, U. S. A., at Plattsburg, N. Y.

Rev. Harry Preston, of Mahanoy Place, conducted the revival services in the M. E. church last evening.

Among those who witnessed the inaugural ceremonies at Harrisburg were Paul W. Houck, Deputy Sheriff Frank Toole, John Coglietti and M. J. Lawlor, of town.

Joseph Devitt, of Pottsville, was a visitor to town last night. Mr. and Mrs. William Price, of South Jardin street, entertained a number of friends at their home last evening.

George L. Hafner, of town, as Division Commander of the Sons of America, last night installed the officers of Garfield Commandery at Mahanoy City.

Deaths and Funerals. William Cashion died yesterday at his home in Keffer's station end of the county, aged 60 years. He was an expert miner.

Charles Bittle, one of Pottsville's retired coal operators, died yesterday from the grip. He was 82 years old and is survived by his wife, son and daughter.

Katie, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Britton, of Glover's Hill, died yesterday from an illness following an attack of grip. The funeral will take place at 2 p. m. to-morrow and interment will be made in the Grange cemetery.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup will make a permanent cure in all cases of cough or cold on chest or lungs. It will cure when other remedies have failed. Physicians recommend it.

Little Locals.

Burglars entered the saloon of Felix Quinn at Mahanoy City last night, but only secured a box of cigars. Anthony Marofski, a miner at the Mores colliery, has his right leg crushed by a fall of coal yesterday afternoon.

Andrew Cusnock, a miner at the Buck Mountain colliery, had his head and shoulders badly lacerated to-day by a fall of coal. A dozen pigeons were stolen last night from the premises of Andrew Newisky, at Park Place. Some of the birds were of fancy breed.

Assaulted Mine Employees. Anthony Wisnawski was sent to the Pottsville jail to-day by Justice Brennan, of Mahanoy township, on a charge of attacking several employees at the Park Place colliery yesterday, among the victims being Edward Sykes, the outside foreman.

Coroner's Claim Allowed. Ex-Coroner D. S. Marshall made a final settlement with the Commissioners yesterday. Dr. Marshall's wife had acted as his clerk and claimed a salary of \$10 a month. Controller Muldoon refused payment until he had looked up the law. Mr. Marshall's claim was allowed. Ex-Judge Koch represented Dr. Marshall.

CENSURE VERDICT!

An Inquest Held on the Maple Hill Colliery Accident.

MISUNDERSTANDING ON SIGNALS!

The Man at the Bottom of the Shaft Held Responsible For Not Signaling the Engineer When He Wanted to Have Men Hoisted.

Dependy Coroner Burke and a jury composed of Messrs. J. J. Cardin, Martin O'Hara, Edward Murphy, Thomas S. Roberts, Thomas R. Hughes and Thomas Mullahy last night held an inquest in the case of George Bublik, who died at the Miners' hospital last Sunday from the effects of injuries received at the Maple Hill colliery the day before, and a verdict of censure was rendered.

The first witness was Edward Cople, inside foreman of the colliery, but he had no personal knowledge of the facts bearing upon the accident, as he was in the colliery office at the time it happened.

James B. Weil, who has been a hoisting engineer for twenty years and at Maple Hill colliery for over two years, testified that on the day of the accident he got orders to hoist twenty tanks of water for the breaker. The top and bottom men gave the signals to hoist. Ten tanks had been hoisted when a request was made for the tank in which to hoist men out of the mine.

William P. Moyer was the next witness and testified that he was employed at the colliery for about three years. He has been at the top of the shaft since last September. He received orders on the day of the accident to hoist water. He said all but three of the required number of tanks had been hoisted when he was notified that a man had been killed. The bottom man notified him. Moyer said he refused to hoist men before the water was hoisted.

Patrick Leonard, the bottom man, testified that he had been employed there since the sinking of the shaft, about seven years. He said he asked the top man for a tank to hoist men. He got a reply from the top man to hoist three more tanks of water, after which he could have a tank for men. Leonard says he opened the door of the tank to run the pump in, but ordered them out when he got the answer to hoist water and the top of the tank door closed, he caught Bublik's leg as the latter was scrambling up.

The jury rendered the following verdict: "That the said George Bublik came to his death by a misunderstanding by Patrick Leonard, bottom man, with William P. Moyer, top man, employed at Maple Hill colliery, and, from the evidence submitted, we place the responsibility for the accident upon the said Patrick Leonard, bottom man, for erring in counting the number of water tanks hoisted, and for failure to signal the engineer that he was about to hoist men."

Attend night school in the Dougherty building and learn book keeping, penmanship, short hand and type writing. 1-16-3t

Attachment for Debt. An attachment was issued by the court for Thomas Deo, of Lost Creek, on Monday for the purpose of having him pay the costs in the suit brought by him for misdemeanor in office against P. J. McLaughlin and Martin McLaughlin. This case, when before the Grand Jury last year, was ignored and the costs placed on the prosecutor. Deputy District Attorney McLaughlin called Deo for sentence yesterday, but he did not answer, hence the attachment. He had not appeared in court at a late hour this afternoon.

Classic Gingham, Embroideries, White Goods, Glinchams. Classic Glinchams really worth 10 cents, are going at 5 cents. R. F. Gill. 1-17-1t

Lifting Licenses. Quite a large number of applicants for old stands with the same bondsmen, whose licenses were ordered granted by court on Monday, have lifted their liquor licenses. So far about one hundred have been taken up, and in each case an affidavit was filed setting forth that no gambling device would be allowed in their places during the year.

Grand Hop. In Robbin's opera house, on Wednesday evening, Cleary's orchestra of ten pieces will furnish the music. 1-17-3t

To Be Wedded. Louis Huntington, of Mahanoy township, and Miss Ella May Snyder, of Mahanoy City, will be married to-morrow evening.

Louis Meyers and Miss Lizzie Schurz, both of Mahanoy City, will be married to-morrow morning in St. Fidelis' German Catholic church in that town.

Klondike Cough Cure. 25c bottle, 15c for 10 days. City Drug Store, 107 South Main street. 1-18-10t

Hold-Up at Sheatown. Yesterday morning three masked men entered the farm house of James Halderman, near Sheatown, and with drawn revolvers demanded from Mrs. Halderman her money, her husband having gone to his work. The thieves searched the place, and finding no goods departed for pastures new.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup has cured whooping cough when no other treatment would give relief. For a cup this remarkable remedy has no equal. It conquers croup at once.

FREE LUNCHEONS TO-NIGHT.

NEISWENDER'S. Baked beans and pork, free, to-night. Vegetable soup to-morrow morning. WEEKS'. Sour kront and mashed potatoes, free, to-night. Concert selections by Prof. Flood.

BEAN SOUP TO-NIGHT. Sour kront, pork and mashed potatoes to-morrow morning. KENTRICK HOUSE. Pea soup will be served, free, to all patrons to-night.

PETERS'. Pure of green peas, free, to-night. Choice selection of 10, 14 and 18 karat wedding rings. Orkin's, 129 S. Main St. 1-

MAX LEVIT'S.

Clearance Sale

Gent's Winter Underwear, Half Hose and Gloves.

Sold below manufacturer's Prices.

The last chance of the season.

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LADIES', MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S COATS.

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Select your garment from up-to-date styles. We have the right goods here at a large variety to select from at the right prices.

Ladies' Coats, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$5.00, \$6.00. \$8.00, \$9.00 to \$16.00.

Children's Coats, \$1.50 to \$7.50.

Par Collarettes, \$1.50 to \$15.00.

Our stock of dress goods has no equal. You will find here a large assortment of plain and fancy fabrics in foreign and domestic at bargain prices.

Our place is headquarters for lace, curtains, blankets, carpets, rugs, etc. Look through our line on second floor and get prices.

Butterick paper patterns, best in the world, sold by us.

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Furniture!

Parlor Suits, Chamber Suits, Diningroom Furniture, Fancy Rockers, Sideboards and Cheffions, Parlor Tables, Writing Desks and Book Cases, China Closets.

For the best Furniture of all descriptions at Bottom Prices go to

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106 S. Main St. Furniture Dealer and Undertaker

TOPSY-TURVY PRICES

During Inventory in all Departments.

Granite bread rafters, with lid, 79 cents. Granite dish pans, 14 quarts, 39 cents. Granite wash basin, 10 cents. Glass sets, sugar, cream, butter and spoon holder, 79 cents a set. One gallon glass pitchers, 10 cents. China cups and saucers, 49 cents a set. Show blacking box, fancy top, 89 cents. Window curtains, lace insertion, worth 75 cents, 39 cents. Shell water glasses, engraved, 5 cents.

See our odd pieces of glass and chinaware. They are marked at prices that will move them. A pretty line of toilet sets just received. They make a nice wedding present.

GIRVIN'S

Roy C. Rubright, Mgr. 8 South Main St.