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Four cans Early June Peas for 25 cents.
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Three cans New Lima Beans for 25 cents.
Three cans of New Alaska Salmon for 25 cents.
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Three Pounds of Mixed Nuts for 25 cents.
Four Qts. Fine Table Syrup for 25 cents.

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Our Fancy Tomatoes—extra large cans and extra quality. Honey-Suckle Sweet Sifted Peas. Extra fancy Maine Sugar Corn. Choice New York State Corn. California Lemon Cling Peaches—sliced. Fancy O. G. Java Coffee. Our 25c. Java Blend Coffee. Fancy California Prunes, extra size. Strictly Pure Kettle Rendered Lard. Fancy Head Rice. Fine Pure Sugar Syrup. Best Mince Meat.

Try our 6 and 8 cent Table Syrup. Florida Oranges—large, sweet and juicy. New Norway Mackerel, white and fat.

You can always find the best quality of Fresh Creamery and Dairy Butter at KEITER'S.

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CHARLESTON AT WORK.

The American Ship Shelled Malbon all This Morning.

Special to EVENING HERALD.

Manila, Feb. 11.—The Charleston, the American second-rate cruiser, shelled Malbon all this morning. There was desultory firing on the left. Aguinid had established his headquarters at this point for the purpose of rallying his forces for a decisive blow. Malbon was selected as the base of operations by the insurgents.

The loss on the American side is one killed and six wounded. It is believed that the insurgents' loss is heavy.

The American loss in the battle of yesterday at Calocan was three killed and thirty-two wounded.

The best gas mantle in the market for 25c. at Brunson's.

Probably the Man Wanted.

The Herald yesterday published an article stating that G. L. Price, a lawyer of Seattle, Wash., was seeking information of one named Gillilan, who lived in Pottsville fifty years ago, and at one time visited the West. Gillilan, of course, says his father answers to the description and he has communicated with the Seattle lawyer. Mr. Gillilan anxiously awaits the reply to his communication.

Prompt Payment.

To the Preferred Act. Co. of N. Y. Gentlemen—To those who appreciate prompt and equitable adjustment of claims, free from technical quibbling in settlement, and prepared to meet the mishaps arising from the exigencies of every day life, I most cheerfully recommend the Preferred Act. Co. as being an ideal association. Their representative, James B. Lally, of Ashland, headed me a check to-day fully covering my loss of account. Truly,

F. E. MAGAROLE.

Republican Club Banquet.

The Young Men's Republican Club of Mahanoy City today issued a large number of invitations for their annual banquet, to be held on the 23rd inst., at the Mahanoy House. Quite a number of invitations have been received here. An invitation has been extended to Claude G. Whetstone, of the editorial staff of the Philadelphia Inquirer, to be present and give an address.

Complaint by Teamsters.

Teamsters are making complaint that they are caused great inconvenience and annoyance by the snow thrown from the roof of the Schenck Traction Company. One complaint that he met with such an obstruction near the Kohinor bridge that caused him much trouble, and but for hardwork would have been obliged to take another route.

Lithuanian Band Ball.

The eleventh annual ball of the First Lithuanian band will be held in Robbins' opera house on Monday evening, February 13th. Music by a first class orchestra. Tickets 25 cents.

The "Y" Program.

The following program will be rendered at a meeting of the "Y" this evening: Singing, "Y"; scripture reading, Annie Yost; duct, Lilly and Emma Llewellyn; select reading, Lizzie Brooks; mandolin solo, Ethel Morgan; comic reading, Maggie Roberts; "How to make the most of the 'Y' profitable," by George James; critic to be appointed; question box; temperance doxology.

Sunday School Convention.

The annual convention of the Schenck county Sabbath School Association will open in St. Paul's German Reformed church, Mahanoy City, next Monday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, continue in the evening, and end on Tuesday afternoon of the next day. Rev. Charles Rhoads, D. D., and Mrs. J. W. Barnes will be in attendance at all the sessions.

McCauley's Business College.

Dougherty's hall, Shenandoah, Pa. Book-keeping, penmanship, shorthand and typewriting thoroughly taught. 2-6-99.

Suit for Damages.

Miss Mary Mellett has instituted suit for \$15,000 damages against the Lehigh Valley Co., alleging that she was permanently injured in 1897 by being thrown from the step of the car through the carelessness of the crew. Arbitrators will hear the case on March 2.

A Special Session.

A special session of the Grand Encampment of Pennsylvania will be held in Odd Fellows hall, Mahanoy City, on Thursday evening next. Officers of the Grand Encampment will be present and deliver addresses.

Coco Argoline, the genuine article, for sale at Kirlin's drug store. 10-6-99.

Revels Closed.

The series of revival meetings which opened in the Methodist Episcopal church on Jan. 1st closed last night. The results of the season were gratifying to the pastor and congregation.

Advertised Letters.

The following letters remain unclaimed for at the local post office: Mrs. Margaret Garland, Mrs. Rosa Harris, Mrs. Mary E. Mayhew, Wm. Mills. D. W. BRIDGES, P. M.

Held For Court Martial.

Sergt. Hunter and Private O'Brien, members of Co. E, 8th Regt. P. V., who were arrested in charge of Frank Deed, of Mahanoy City, when he escaped at Orange Court House, Va., have been placed under arrest and will be held for court martial. The deserter is still at large and no steps to re-arrest have been taken, although it is rumored that he will be caught again.

An Entertainment.

Mr. T. S. Leach, of Philadelphia, will give a stereoscopic and phonograph entertainment in the Methodist Episcopal church at Wan. Penn on Monday evening, for the benefit of the Sunday school. Admission fees of 10 and 15 cents will be charged.

Sled Damaged.

This morning while Borough Surveyor Gregory had his team tied to a post at Gilberton, a horse belonging to Nicholas Nedzinski chewed the cover of the cushion and otherwise damaged the back panel of the sled.

THE BEAR RIDGE CASE.

An Inquest on Michael Nichols' Death Held Last Night.

NO CONCLUSION WAS REACHED!

Another Hearing to be Held—Much of the Testimony Given is Withheld From Publication—Drs. Biddle and Donahoe Give Evidence as to the Victim's Injuries.

Mahanoy Plane, Feb. 11.—The case of Michael Nichols, who was fatally beaten in a shanty at Bear Ridge colliery and died at the Miners' hospital, was the subject of an inquest here last night.

The inquest was held at Shepp's hotel and attended by Deputy District Attorney M. P. McLaughlin, Coroner Biddle, Deputy Coroner Lawlor, the latter the official in charge of the Gilberton and Frackville districts.

The first step at the inquest was the reading of a written statement of the case sworn to by Dr. J. C. Biddle, of the Miners' hospital, in which he set forth that Nichols was brought to the hospital in an unconscious condition and remained in that state until death set in. Dr. Biddle also stated that the victim came to his death from hemorrhages external to and internal of the membranes of the brain, caused or due to the injuries on the outside. The doctor found 12 or 15 cuts on different parts of the victim's head and face, with a slight fracture of the skull on the left side, below the ear.

Dr. L. F. Doushoh, of Mahanoy Plane, was also a witness. He testified that he was the first physician called to attend the victim and his testimony was similar to that given by Dr. Biddle as to the nature of the injuries.

Other witnesses were called, but nothing of vital importance was developed, other than the statement already made by the watchman employed at the colliery, which discloses to some extent the stories told by Michael Nichols, the man held as prisoner in the Pottsville jail on suspicion of having had a hand in the murder.

Herlock declares that the assault was committed by four thugs and that he did not escape from the shanty to give an alarm until after he received a beating. He then notified the watchman. Herlock's face showed a few scratches, and no evidences of a severe beating. The watchman saw no traces about the colliery either before, or after the assault.

The coroner's jury did not render a verdict and another hearing is to be had, but when it is not stated. The District Attorney's office is waiting for the coroner's verdict in regard to the case, and it is generally believed that there is evidence at hand which cannot be given for publicity at the present time without danger of defeating the ends of justice. The case is becoming more interesting in connection with it are multiplying.

THE WEATHER MODERATES

Several of the Collieries Succeeded in Resuming Operations To-day.

A gratifying moderation in the weather set in this morning and the indications for a more moderate state of temperature are very promising. During the early hours of the day the weather was as severe as during the same period yesterday. At 9 a. m. the thermometer registered 19 degrees below zero and winds added to the discomfort. After that hour there was a gradual rise in the temperature until shortly after 1 p. m., when the mercury climbed over the zero mark for the first time since Thursday night. The thermometer reads taken for the six hours preceding the decided change were as follows: 8 a. m. 19 degrees below zero; 7:30 a. m. 16; 9 a. m. 12; 10:30 a. m. 10; 11:30 a. m. 3; 1 p. m. zero. The change was a welcome one, and it is now generally believed that the winter is over. A decline in the temperature is expected to-night and tomorrow, but not to the extent of the past two days.

Herold's efforts were made at the collieries of the P. & R. C. to-day to get them in operation. The miners' strike has but two instances. Turkey Run and Ellangowan collieries remained idle. Promises are made that they will be in operation with the other collieries on Monday.

The Wm. Penn colliery, which had been idle since the big snow, remained idle to-day, but announcement was made this afternoon that the place will be in operation on Monday.

The improvement of the weather conditions have resulted in better railway facilities and all trains on the railroads are now running much closer to their schedules with the exception of coal and freight trains, which are not moved as quickly after such embarrassments as those engaged in the passenger service.

Local electric railway traffic also shows much improvement this afternoon, particularly that on the Lakeside Railway, which is now open to the terminus at Main street. The Schenck Traction branch has not recovered to the same extent, but succeeded in getting its cars as far as the intersection of Main and Coal streets this afternoon. There is some doubt about the cars running over the Main street branch of the line to-day, owing to an appeal made to the borough authorities to insist that the company remove the snow as it taken from the track. The teamsters say that it is almost impossible sometimes to get their vehicles out of or across the ditch formed by the snow thrown on each side of the track.

Teachers' Institute.

The second day exercises of the Teachers' Institute of the First district are being held in the new opera house at Riegton today. This afternoon Deputy State Superintendent Henry Hotze made an address and he is to give a lecture this evening. Miss Epiphany Stein, daughter of Mrs. J. W. Stein, of Berlin, will give recitations, and County Superintendent Wells will make an address.

Under the Sheriff's Hammer.

Sheriff Toole has advertised sales for Saturday, March 11th. Among the properties to be sold are lots in this town, as follows: Property of Daniel Keigel, on Cherry street; properties of Owen Breunan, one on South Main street and one on Cherry street; the property of Jacob and Magdalena Loucks and John W. Baker, on South Jarden street; and the property of William Werner, consisting of a double block of three-story frame dwelling, on North Main street, and a 21 story dwelling house and stable.

Immense line of spectacles and eye glasses. Orkin's, 129 South Main street.

NO QUORUM PRESENT.

The Contending Forces at Harrisburg Awaiting Developments.

Special to EVENING HERALD.

Harrisburg, Feb. 11.—The Senatorial battle is practically suspended until Tuesday. The leaders have left the scene of contest and will not return until Monday afternoon. There was no quorum present to-day and there will be none on Monday. The vote was as follows: Quay 17, Jenks 4, and Dillzell 1.

There may be new developments in the McCarrill bill next week. It is said an effort will be made Monday night or Tuesday to secure two Democrats who favored postponement to move for reconsideration. If there is to be any further contest over the bill it cannot be deferred later than Thursday, as the time within which a motion to reconsider can be made will expire on that day.

There is some talk among the Democrats and anti-Quay Republicans of taking up the Magee jurors' bill, which gives to each side an equal number of challenges and is based on the New York state law, and substituting that for the McCarrill bill. This may be the final outcome.

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Rev. D. I. Evans, pastor of the First Baptist church of town, will preach at St. Clair to-morrow, and the evening services at his church will be in charge of the Sunday school, when the following program will be rendered: Singing; recitation, Sarah Blower; singing; prayer, J. P. Williams; anthem, choir; recitation, "Jesus on the Cross"; Jennie Blower; recitation, "Home in Nazareth"; Gwendolyn Jones; recitation, "United at Last"; Jane Hopkins; singing, quartette; reading, Lewis Gabel; recitation, "Greeting of the Bells"; Sadie Roberts; recitation, "Trying and Praying"; Lilly Roberts; anthem, choir; recitation, "Be Careful of Your Company"; Walter Capper; recitation, Edward Roberts; singing; recitation, Jennie Jones; recitation, Mary Lizzie Jones; song, Miss Sallie Griffin; recitation, "Little Willie"; Sarah Blower; anthem, choir; address, J. P. Williams; singing; benediction.

Services will be held in the P. M. church to-morrow. Morning subject, "The Great Work of Jesus Christ, in Redeeming the World." Sunday school at 2 p. m. Evening subject, "The Mighty Reign of the Son of God." Everybody kindly invited.

There will be no services in the Trinity Reformed church to-morrow morning. T. R. Edwards, of town, will occupy the pulpit at the evening service.

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LOST BOTH FEET.

A Laborer Struck by an Engine Suffers Double Amputation.

John Feivan, a section hand on the Philadelphia & Reading Railway, was run down by a shifting engine near the St. Nicholas depot yesterday afternoon. When the victim was picked up both his feet were found crushed, and they were amputated at the Miners' hospital. Feivan is a married man, 35 years old.

The explanation given of the accident is that Feivan had his back to the engine while engaged in removing snow that had become packed in a switch. The man also had his ears muffled and did not hear the engine's approach. The engineer says a blinding snow storm prevented him from seeing the victim until it was too late to avoid the accident.

"Business from start to finish," taught at McCauley's Business College. 2-6-99.

Services Omitted.

Rev. H. W. Koehler, pastor of the Presbyterian church, was suddenly taken ill last night and will consequently be unable to appear in his pulpit to-morrow. The morning and evening services will therefore be omitted. It is hoped that he will soon recover and be able to take charge of his work.

A show window full of coal ornaments at Brunson's.

Frost Victims.

John Dempsey had his hands and feet badly frozen while at work at the Mahanoy City colliery yesterday.

Patrick Fox, employed at Tunnel Ridge colliery, had his hands frozen yesterday while at work in the mine.

John W. Barthele, one of the local letter carriers, had his right ear frozen last night. It is badly swollen, but the case is not a very severe one.

A photographer in town named Clark also had his ears frozen.

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