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Sleigh Bells, Horse Blankets and Lap Robes. Sleigh runner attachments. Change a wagon into a sleigh in twenty minutes. Oil Heaters, Ice Saw and Ice Tongs.

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Now is the time to enjoy the sport; full assortment at low prices. Skates sharpened and repaired.

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We have goods arriving daily from New York. Our stock is always open for inspection, and is such as to meet with the approbation of all our patrons. Besides the tempting designs we constantly offer our prices is the greatest drawing card.

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We open the New Year with a few Special Bargains to dispose of surplus stock.

Four cans Early June Peas for 25 cents.
Three cans Fancy New York State Corn for 25 cents.
Three cans New Lima Beans for 25 cents.
Three cans of New Alaska Salmon for 25 cents.
Eight Bars of Best 5¢ Laundry Soap for 25 cents.
Three Pounds of Mixed Nuts for 25 cents.
Four Qts. Fine Table Syrup for 25 cents.

Don't Forget Our 10 Cent Loose Roasted Coffee—New, Good and Cheap.

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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 25¢ 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.

For Sale—2000 bushels Choice Clipped White Oats.

At KEITER'S.

HAYWOOD DEAD.

He Expired at His Home at Sharon This Morning.

Special to EVENING HERALD.
Sharon, Pa., Feb. 23.—Former State Treasurer Benjamin Haywood, after passing a very comfortable night, expired this morning. He had been in ill health for a long while.



BENJAMIN J. HAYWOOD.
His family and several intimate friends were at his bedside when he died. He was 62 years up to the time of his death.

BURNING MANILA.

Natives Liberated to Destroy the City To-Night, Says Otis.

Special to EVENING HERALD.

Manila, Feb. 23.—There was firing all the morning, and there is much excitement about the city. There was but one American killed and ten wounded. It is believed the insurgent loss is heavy, but no accurate statement can be made as to that.

The insurgents threaten to burn the city of Manila to-night.

Hundreds of native houses and business places have been burned by the rebels. More buildings were burned to-day. The natives in the city are peaceful, and are kept under control by the American troops.

The situation is serious, and the city may be totally destroyed by the work of the insurgents.

A Valuable Book.

At last the story is told, and by the only person competent to tell it fearlessly and truthfully. The actual scenes of all the wars of all nations, including our Spanish affair, from the time of the formation of the Red Cross Society by national treaty, are now officially described and pictured by its president, Clara Barton, a name that will live as long as civilization lasts as the synonym of all that is humane. Our former townsmen, Thomas C. Waters, is among us in connection with the Official Records of the Red Cross Society, written up by its president, Clara Barton. Mr. Waters' brother is with him and is the special representative of the Society's records. The territory assigned to Mr. Waters being his residence for a life time, we hope our people will show their fraternal feeling by helping him in his new labor, being assured that the story of the Red Cross for the first time truthfully told, will be ample recompense for the small outlay desired. He will call on his many friends as rapidly as possible.

Givins' Bargain Counter.

Another counter full of bargains. This time odd pieces in decorated dinnerware. Decorated plates, 7c, was \$1.50 a dozen. Decorated plates, 7c, was \$1.20 a dozen. Plain white plates, fancy edge, 5c, each. Covered dishes, 5c, was 75c. Fruit saucers, 4c, was 50c a dozen. Plain saucers, 2 for 5c. Decorated sugar bowls, 25c. Galvanized water pail and 6 bars star soap, all for 25c. Friday and Saturday.

Church Social.

A social under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society connected with the Methodist Episcopal church was held in the church last evening. There was a program of literary exercises and music and ice cream and cake were served. It was a success both socially and financially. The elaborate patriotic decorations were furnished by Mr. E. H. Morgan, gratis. They consisted of flags and bunting and Mr. Morgan personally arranged them.

Up to Date in Stock and Prices.

On meats, sausages, farmer's butter and eggs. Bauer's meat market, Cherry and Chestnut streets. 2-9-99

A New Whistle.

The old signal whistle which was in use at the Shenandoah City colliery for many years has been replaced by one of a quadruple pattern made by the engineers employed at the shaft.

Wanted, Girl to do Housework.

For a private family of six. Will pay \$3 per week. Apply at HERALD OFFICE. 2-20-99

Hospital Admission.

Among the admissions to the Miners' hospital at Fountain Springs this morning was Thomas Smith, of Shamokin. He had his left leg badly crushed below the knee yesterday by having it caught between a timber and a car. It may be necessary to amputate the limb.

One's watch repairing is always reliable and is accompanied by a one-year guarantee.

Shoebuy Boy Improving.

The condition of Bernard Shookus, the boy who had his left leg crushed on the Coal street line of the Shenandoah Traction railway on Tuesday, has so far improved that the amputation of the limb will probably be made today. The chances for the boy's recovery are very fair.

Leg Broken.

John Coyle, 17 years old, residing at Lost Creek, and employed as a laborer at the Hammond colliery, fell yesterday and broke his right leg below the knee. He was sent to the Miners' hospital.

Fun-Tina! What is it?

The greatest cure for coughs and colds. At Grubler Bros., drug store.

Health Reports.

Millie Honser, 24 years, 26 West Laurel street, has been reported to the Board of Health as a sufferer from diphtheritic croup.

"Two Orphans" by Local Talent.

A dramatic society composed of Polish and Lithuanian talent has begun rehearsals to produce the "Two Orphans" in their native language. The society hopes to achieve a dramatic triumph.

ELECTION AFTERMATH

There Will be no Re-count of the Fifth Ward Vote.

CONTEST IS THE ONLY REMEDY!

The Complaining Parties Are Not Disposed to Resort to This—Too Many People Would be Submitted to Great Annoyance and Expense.

Since the close of the Fifth ward election poll Tuesday night and the announcement of the result little interest has been manifested on the part of both parties as to the probable outcome of threats made during the count to carry the matter into court. On the part of the Democrats the interest has been one of mingled curiosity and apprehension, as Edward Murphy, their candidate, was credited with but a majority of five. On the part of the Citizens who have interested themselves in the matter the interest has been one of determination to have a recount. They declared yesterday that great care had been exercised on election day to see that everything at this point was correct, with the determination that any liberality or mistake would be seized as a foundation for proceedings to set an example in this ward. As a result of this determination notice was given that the court would be asked for a recount.

The latest developments today indicate, however, that Mr. Murphy's election as announced will not be disturbed. This conclusion is arrived at upon the legal advice that the case is not one in which the Court of Common Pleas can be asked for a recount. T. K. Eddall, Esq., the attorney consulted, says he can advise no such measure, as the law is clearly against it. There is nothing on the returns to the court to show that there was any irregularity, except the enforcement on the back of the returns that David Davis, one of the Overseers, protested and apparently there is nothing in the law that gives the Overseer a standing in court in proceedings for a recount. The returns were signed by the Judge, Peter Harkins, and the two inspectors, including Cyrus Guise, the minority inspector. The latter claims that he signed the returns under protest, but there is nothing on the record before the court to show it. It is clear the Court of Common Pleas has no jurisdiction and the next best remedy is a contest in the Court of Quarter Sessions, but it is not at all likely that the complaining parties will resort to this. They were determined to have a recount before the court to show discrimination against the Citizens candidate for Council, but will not put the taxpayers to the great inconvenience and expense that election contests result in. They prefer to remain victims of the injustice alleged to have been worked against them as a few, in preference to causing annoyance and expense to many. At the same time, it was stated this afternoon it is not at all unlikely that criminal prosecutions of some kind will be instituted. Their nature, or the names of the parties likely to be prosecuted, the parties intervened today declined to state. One of them said, "We don't want to be vindictive, but we claim we have been grossly wronged and we feel that it is about time to make an example that will deter the future election boards in the Fifth ward from indulging in practices which have been carried out during past elections to the detriment of the people's choice. If proceedings are instituted, they will be pushed to a finish."

POLITICAL POINTS.

Are you a candidate for appointment? Senator Losch was defeated for School Director at Schuylkill Haven.

Congressman Brumm has seven more days to draw a salary from the government.

The Democrats have now abandoned all hopes of ever carrying the Second ward.

Senator Quay's trial is fixed for next Monday. There may be another postponement.

Councilman-elect Howell, of Turkey Run, has sufficient intelligence to use his own judgment in the administration of borough affairs.

Shamokin has ten wards, while this town, with a larger population, has but half that number.

Gorden had two tickets in the field. Citizens and Republican. The former was elected.

The Democrats and Republicans split even at Ashland. L. C. Vostage was defeated for Council.

The voters of Shamokin decided in favor of bonding the floating school district debt of that town.

The Democratic ticket in Butler township had no opposition. That is something unusual in that township district.

There are 147 election districts in the county, and the average cost to the county, including mileage, about \$35 each, or a total of \$5,190.

Some politicians are not what they want you to think they are. They are like unto Richard III walking arm and arm with two Fathers and chanting prayers after he had murdered the two young Princes.

A Pottsville correspondent to the Mahanoe City Record says: "Charles Shindle, of Tanogus, may be nominated for Register. His location is a good one, and he is a strong man, and a party worker."

The principal fight at Centralia was over the election of a Director of the Poor, the candidates being John W. Goldworthy, and James Davis. Goldworthy won hands down, going in with a majority of 175 votes.

Squire Johnson defeated his Democratic opponent for Justice of the Peace of (Shamokin) at 27 votes. Johnson was re-elected by court to place his name under the Republican column, and he ran as an independent.

Strides to Success.

The HERALD is in receipt of a copy of the "Harrisburg Telegraph" which contains a lengthy report of the annual meeting of the Board of Trade of that city. Among its newly elected members is John H. Downing, a former resident of town. Mr. Downing is now manager of the Harrisburg branch of the Grand Union Tea Company, and for many years was employed in the branch store in town.

Up-to-date in Every Respect.

Max Levitt, the Up-to-date hatter and gent's furnisher, to-day displayed to the public his latest selection of spring neckwear. The colors are beautiful and the designs are such as to meet any taste. The assortment includes puff, imperial, four-in-hands, neck, hand and shield bows and string ties.

Chickens and Ducks.

30 cents per piece or 3 for 25 cents. At Magaglio's grocery. 2-23-99

QUAY TWELVE SHORT.

There Was an Increased Attendance at To-day's Session.

Special to EVENING HERALD.

Harrisburg, Feb. 23.—There was an increased attendance at the joint session of the Legislature to-day, but no new developments were forthcoming. Senator Quay received 90 votes, Jenks 73, Dallzell 15, and scattering 21; total, 215. Senator Quay was twelve short, but when Wells and Manning, the recently elected anti-Quay men, take their seats, probably to-morrow, he will be fifteen short on a full vote.

There will be no material changes in the Senatorial situation until Senator Quay's trial, called for next Monday. This is the opinion of the politicians here.

Senator Higgins, of Schuylkill, who has been in the Harrisburg hospital since the opening of the session with pneumonia, is convalescent and will probably take his seat next Monday. He is a Democrat and will naturally vote for Mr. Jenks, although he is suspected of having a warm side for the Boover Senator on account of his relations with ex-Senator Coyle. Mr. Higgins has never qualified, and as a result some of the Quay Legislators will pair with him.

The Quay people, it is thought, will be unable to force through the Magee jury bill in time to be of benefit to the Senator, unless his trial is again postponed next Monday.

Even the Senator's most sanguine friends can see little hope of his election unless the conspiracy charges against him are disproved. All their efforts to break the Democratic column so far have failed, and the "insurgent" Republicans cannot be coaxed or driven under the Quay banner.

ANOTHER BIG COMBINE.

Steel Sheet Manufacturers to Unite For Mutual Protection.

Pittsburg, Feb. 23.—Representative iron and steel manufacturers from all parts of the country met here to consider a proposition to organize the trade into a common company to include the mills inside and outside of the association.

If the corporation is formed it is said that it will not be absorbed by the joint owners of the American Tinplate Company and the National Steel Company. The new company will take a firm stand in the matter of prices on its raw material, and will insist that the National Steel Company furnish sheet bars at the sheet mills at the same price as to the tinplate combine.

The proposed combination is to embrace 30 mills throughout Pennsylvania, Ohio, West Virginia, Indiana and Kentucky, which have an aggregate capacity of between 550,000 and 600,000 tons a year and capitalized at about \$25,000,000. All the 30 plants were represented at the meeting and a call was unanimously made for a committee to outline a plan and to arrange details for the proposed combine.

GAUGES BURST.

Flying Pieces of Glass Enter a Boiler Attendant's Mouth.

A steam gauge of a boiler at the Shenandoah City colliery burst yesterday and when Joseph Townsend, the attendant, was trying to stop the flow of water another gauge burst and a piece of the glass passed through his upper lip. It glanced from his teeth into his mouth and penetrated the inner part of one of his cheeks. Mr. Townsend removed one piece of glass from the flesh and Dr. D. John Price took out two additional pieces. The injury is not serious.

It's Queer How Quick

Pan-Tina cures coughs and colds, 25c. At Grubler Bros., drug store.

The Old Men's Ball.

The old men of Shepton will hold a ball at that place to-morrow evening, and invitations have been sent to every aged spinster in that immediate neighborhood. A full orchestra has been engaged for the occasion. Rufus G. Lash will be master of ceremonies, and Wm. Donahue, floor manager. The committee of arrangements is composed of Benef Houser, John Ushafter and W. W. Fosse; entertainment committee, Isaac Van Bargaan, Elmer Rupert and Jake Shane. Silas Hurlough will lead the grand march and Arthur Donahue will act as prompter. While the number of old men is small, a large number have been invited, and will grace the occasion by their presence.

Coco Argoline, the genuine article, for sale at Kirkin's drug store.

Coal Company's Report.

The annual report of the board of managers of the Lehigh Coal & Navigation Company, which is to be submitted to the shareholders at the annual meeting on Tuesday next, was issued yesterday. It shows that the revenue from all sources for the year 1898 amounted to \$1,859,783, out of which was paid for general expenses, rentals and interest \$1,300,422, leaving a surplus of \$559,361. Two dividends, amounting to 2 per cent, were paid on the capital stock, amounting to \$773,890, leaving a difference of \$1,314,390 to profit and loss, as well as the usual sinking fund charge of 10 cents per ton on 877,095 tons, amounting to \$87,709.

It's a mistake to imagine that itching piles can't be cured; a mistake to suffer a day longer than you can help. Don's Ointment brings instant relief and permanent cure. At any drug store, 50 cents.

Stole Horses and Cutter.

The police of Shamokin arrested Miss Edith Turner at the Eagle Hotel as the accomplice of Charles Lewis, who is leading the authorities in a lively chase in the country between there and Sunbury. Lewis and Miss Turner arrived at Shamokin last Wednesday from Catawissa, from which place they drove in a handsome sleigh, with two fine horses hired from Hertzman. On Monday Lewis hired a \$500 pair of horses from W. W. Muir, a liveryman, and drove off, since which time nothing has been seen or heard of him. Miss Turner was taken to jail. She says she does not know that Lewis is a horse thief.

Use Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup for that hacking cough.

It is the best medicine for throat and lung affections. One bottle of this reliable remedy will effect a cure. Price 25c.

Held for Assault.

Leon Danowski was required to furnish \$300 bail to-day on a charge of assault and battery by Gourney, who claims he was pulled from a chair and thrown out of a hall at a meeting last night.

No matter how small the house you live in, you can afford room for a bottle of Anchor Chain Expeller. Rheumatism, lameness and other aches and pains come instantly, and this is the remedy. 25c. & 50c.

OUR NEW ALLIES!

Natives of Negroes Glad to Be Under the Stars and Stripes.

COMMISSIONERS VISIT GEN. OTIS.

They Declare That the Inhabitants of the Island Are Ready, Anxious and Willing to Accept Any Proposition Made on Behalf of Our Government.

Manila, Feb. 23.—While the guns on the city walls and those on board the ships of Rear Admiral Dewey's fleet in the bay fired a salute in honor of Washington's birthday four commissioners from the island of Negros had an interview with Major General Otis and informed him that the American flag had already been raised over that island and that its inhabitants were ready, anxious and willing to accept any proposition the Americans might offer.

The insurgents have been driven from the island entirely. Although the Holo rebels have given the people of Negros much trouble, especially in the matter of financial assistance demanded by the rebel leaders, the inhabitants of Negros have persistently held aloof, and now, having the commissaries' assurance that they would be given the advice and help of General Otis, the latter assured them that the Americans would provide an acceptable government, and in the meantime he instructed them not to pay the rebels anything. The Negro commissioners were delighted with their reception.

Immense damage has been done by fires which are believed to have been started by insurgents last night. The fire department has experienced great difficulty in fighting the flames owing to defective apparatus. It is reported that the natives have damaged the apparatus. There was some fighting in the streets during the night, but the Americans quickly quelled the uprising. A number of the insurgents were killed and several American soldiers wounded.

A large market place was among the first to burn, between 900 and 700 residences and business houses having also been destroyed. Fires were started at several points simultaneously and spreading with great rapidity resisted all efforts to control them. Hundreds of homeless natives are huddled in the streets, making the patrol duty of the Americans very difficult.

GENERAL LAWTON'S MISSION.

He Will Put an End to the Guerrilla Methods of the Rebels.

Washington, Feb. 23.—The authorities here are giving close attention to the latest developments in the military situation in the Philippines, and have decided to push the campaign against the rebellious followers of Aguinaldo with energy. Every casualty report that comes from General Otis notes the wounding or killing of some of the rebels, but by what are practically sharpshooters on the other side. The insurgents apparently have learned that they cannot hope to cope with American troops on anything like even terms in a regular battle, and from now on they are expected to rely upon the harassing tactics they have practiced for the past ten days. The main body of insurgents have now fallen well out of the line of effective range of the gunboats, but as the American troops have been obliged to extend their lines the troops are expected to the fire of these guerrillas with out an opportunity to retaliate, for the time being before an advance in force. This was, after all, about what was expected by the war department, and that was why, in sending reinforcements to General Otis, they made it a point to send as many as possible of the regular troops who had seen fighting in the last half of the west. General Lawton, who goes out to take command of these troops, is an old Indian fighter, and soon after these troops arrive, within two or three weeks, a forward campaign will begin and a heavy blow be struck that will keep the insurgents quiet during the rainy season, if it does not bring about their immediate surrender.

Admiral Dewey, Vice Admiral Schley

Washington, Feb. 23.—Mr. Louis of Ohio, introduced in the house yesterday a bill revising the rank of admiral and vice admiral, and naming Rear Admiral Dewey and Rear Admiral Schley as the persons to fill the respective positions.

Dr. Kouss, Physician and Surgeon.

Has opened an office in the Mellet building, East Centre street, second floor front. Professional duties in all its branches give careful attention. 2-21-99

United American Association.

The United American Association, comprising representatives from the P. O. S. of A. and the Jr. O. U. A. M. and kindred organizations in this and adjoining counties, met in annual session at Hazleton yesterday. There was a large attendance. This association is a great benefit to the several patriotic societies in creating a fraternal feeling and encouraging the work for which they were organized. The following officers were chosen for the following year: J. M. Stauffer, president; S. M. Esterline, vice president, Schuylkill county; C. J. Creveling, corresponding secretary; W. P. Habel, secretary and treasurer.

Hundreds of lives saved every year by having Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house

just when it is needed. Cures croup, hoarseness, cuts, wounds of every sort.

Miller Wan.

The shooting match at Mahanoe City yesterday afternoon between Richard Weeks, of Park Place, and Calvin Miller, of Mahanoe City, was won by the latter. The match was for \$100 a side, and Miller killed nine birds out of 13, and Weeks six out of 15.

FREE LUNCHEONS TO-NIGHT.

BICKERT'S. Vegetable soup, free, to-night. Extra fine lunch to-morrow morning.

NEISWENTER'S. Baked beans and pork, free, to-night. Noodle soup to-morrow morning.

WEEKS. Sour kraut, free, to-night. Cold lunch, 9 to 11 a. m.

KENDRICK HOUSE. Rice soup will be served, free, to all patients to-night.

MAX LEVIT'S.

End Season Sale.

Men's Caps, worth 25 cents. 5c
Our price now is

A large assortment of fashionable caps, all sizes, 10c

Fashionable hats, just received. A special offer. Black or brown. Satin or silk. \$1

WE HAVE THE BEST \$1.75 HAT IN THE MARKET. Special bargains in soft hats at marked down prices.

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Of shirts for the coming season. Sure to meet with your appreciation. Give us a call.

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Best equipped stables in this region. Conveyances of every description always at your service. Horses for all kinds of purposes with a fine selection to choose from. All safe and reliable.

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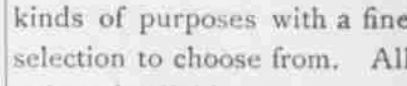
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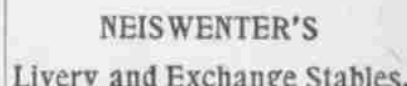
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