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Before we could arrange all our damaged and smoked goods the demands of our customers started the sale. Each day we will add to the stock desirable goods at cut prices. Come every day and see what you can use.

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JEWELRY, SILVERWARE, OPTICAL GOODS, CLOCKS, WATCHES, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

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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IF YOU LIKE

A cup of good coffee and want to save money, try our

Mexican Coffee

At 18 cents. It is equal in strength and flavor to a great deal of coffee sold at much higher prices.

If you want something better, try our

Java Blend at 25 Cents.

If you want the Best Java Coffee we can buy, try our 35c Old Government Dutch Java.

Our 10 cent Loose Roasted Coffee is a bargain. It is better than package coffee at higher prices.

SPECIAL DRIVES THIS WEEK!

- Five pounds of good Prunes for 25 cents.
- Three pounds of large Prunes for 25 cents.
- Five pounds of good Raisins for 25 cents.
- Four cans of Pumpkin for pies, 25 cents.
- Two cans of pie Peaches for 25 cents.
- Three cans of cold packed Tomatoes for 25 cents.
- Four cans of Early June Peas for 25 cents.

At KEITER'S.

MRS. PLACE EXECUTED.

Fleedish Murder of a Child Revealed by the Electrograph. Special to EVENING HERALD. Sing Sing, N. Y., March 20.—Mrs. Martha M. Place, the murderess, was electrocuted here this morning. Mrs. Place, in February, 1898, threw vitrol in the face of her young step-daughter, and then smothered the child to death with a pillow. When the husband returned to the house at night she attacked him in the dark with a hatchet, but Mr. Place succeeded in escaping before he was fatally injured, although struck upon the head. Before the marriage the woman was Mr. Place's housekeeper. Upon trial the woman claimed ill-treatment had made her insane. The conviction was affirmed upon appeal, and Governor Roosevelt refused to commute the sentence after a report from two physicians he had appointed that Mrs. Place was sane when the crime was committed and while awaiting the Governor's decision.

WELL GUARDED.

Several Suspicious Characters Watched and Arrested in Town. The police of town are desisting of credit for the activity they displayed during the past two nights in watching suspicious characters. On Saturday night the heavy fog afforded excellent cover for crooks. It was so thick that it obscured view within a distance of a few feet. The officers kept up a persistent patrol and looked up eight men for safe keeping. The prisoners were not offenders, but were locked up because the police believed it was policy to keep them under lock and key for the night.

Removal sale now going on at Brumm's.

Injuries Prove Fatal.

John Zebach, a laborer residing at Wm. Penn, died at the Miners' hospital on Saturday. He was a married man 30 years old. Zebach was employed as a schman at the Wm. Penn colliery. About three weeks ago, while at his work, he was seized with an epileptic fit and fell upon a bed of hot ashes. The burns he received resulted in his death.

Pension Board Organizes.

The recently appointed members of the pension examining board met at Mahanoy City on Saturday and organized as follows: President, Dr. A. B. Sherman, of Mahanoy City; Secretary, Dr. W. N. Stein, of Shenandoah; Treasurer, Dr. Quail, of Auburn. The board will meet at Mahanoy City every Wednesday to examine applicants for pensions.

A Mighty Nice Thing for Coughs.

What? Pan-Tina, 25c. At Grubler Bros., drug store.

Special Church Service.

Communion service was held in the United Evangelical church, on North Jardin street, last evening. Presiding Elder Haman, who was a bishop in the Evangelical conference before the denomination became divided, preached the sermon. Rev. J. K. Hensyl, of Philadelphia, and Rev. J. E. Hensyl, the new pastor of the church, assisted in the service.

Share Issue.

The Citizens' Building and Loan Association will issue its seventeenth series on March 21st, 1899. There are only a limited number of shares for sale. Call at the office, No. 127 North Main street. C. W. DEMIGLIE, Sec'y.

He Charged the Tags.

Lott Rinnas, a Lithuanian of Mahanoy City, was arrested Saturday night, charged by Anthony Richok with removing tickets from mine cars and substituting his own, at the Buck Mountain colliery. He was committed in default of \$500 bail.

Branded a Swindler.

A pious looking and well dressed strange man has been victimizing people at Mahanoy City by selling them cheap rosaries and scapulars at fabulous prices. The man was denounced as a faker from the pulpit of St. Canisius church, in that town, yesterday.

Silks and Satins at Gill's.

Dry goods shoppers will find an elegant selection of Pease Sole and Duchess satins in black on our counters. Tafetas in turquoise, black and ecru. A nice line of black and colored brocades and fancy silks.

Farewell Party.

A farewell party was tendered Miss Nellie Toole at the residence of James O'Hara, on West Oak street, last evening. She will leave for Philadelphia shortly to locate permanently. The party was composed of Misses Agnes and Lucy O'Hara, Mary and Katie Sheehy and Kate Connors and Messrs. Harvey Smokey, John Whalen, James Ormsby, William Sork, Martin Conville and Miles Burke.

Copyright Applied For.

John L. Tempes, the playwright of town, has applied to the Librarian of Congress at Washington, D. C., for a copyright on his play "Pickings of a Rose," which was produced here under Mr. Tempes's management two seasons ago.

Holsted Too Far.

At about eleven o'clock this morning the St. Nicholas colliery was thrown idle by a car being hoisted over the tip and thrown upon the dirt bank.

Swallowed a Pin.

Mary Shuminsky, a 10 year old girl of Mahanoy City, was removed to the German hospital at Philadelphia yesterday, suffering from acute pain in the region of the stomach, caused by swallowing a pin last Friday. An X-ray apparatus will be used in locating the obstruction.

The Working Time.

All the collieries of the P. & R. C. & I. Co. will suspend operations to-morrow night and resume again on Thursday. On Friday they will again suspend, and remain idle until the following Monday morning.

The Senatorial Vote.

Harrisburg, March 20.—The result of the ballot on the United States Senatorial contest to-day was as follows: Quay, 3; Jenks, 4; Datsell, 2; Stewart, 1. No quorum.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup will positively cure cough.

Many a home has been made desolate by the loss of a dear child which could have been saved by this great remedy.

Foreman Resigns.

James McCabe, who was inside foreman at the P. & R. C. & I. Co.'s Schuylkill colliery, Mahanoy City, for the past 22 years, resigned from the position to-day.

Our watch repairing and our prices are unequalled.

Orkin's Jewelry store. Ask your grocer for the "Royal Patent flour, and take no other brand. It is the best flour made.

FILIPINOS ENTRAPPED

General Wheaton Again Administers a Sound Thrashing.

TWO HUNDRED MORE KILLED

And Half a Million Dollars' Worth of Property Destroyed.

THE REBELS ARE WEAKENING.

The Generous Treatment Accorded the Prisoners Captured by Our Forces Seems to Influence the Insurgent Army Powerfully—The Rebels Fought Desperately When Entrapped, But Succeeded in Killing Only Two and Wounding Twenty of Our Soldiers.

Manila, March 20.—Some of the rebels recently expelled from Cavite and the small towns in the vicinity of Pasig combined forces, and on Saturday night attacked a company of the Washington volunteers, a detached post at Taguig, about a mile and a half southeast of Pasig. General Wheaton immediately reinforced the Americans with two companies each of the Washington and the Oregon regiments. The post had held the enemy in check, and the fire of the reinforcing companies repulsed them, driving them across to an island forming the estuary. They were thus in front of the Twenty-second regulars.

On discovering that they were entrapped the rebels fought desperately, aided materially by the jungle and the darkness, but they were completely routed, with heavy loss, after two hours' fighting. The Americans lost two killed and 20 wounded, among the latter Lieutenant Frank Jones. General Wheaton determined to punish the natives, and at daybreak yesterday his brigade started in the following order: The Sixth artillery, holding the extreme right; the Oregon volunteers holding the center, the Washington regiment keeping to the edge of the lake and the Twenty-second regulars occupying the right of the line, which swept the whole country along the lake, in a southeasterly direction, toward General Owenshine's position. The line thus extended over two miles of country, rough and covered with thick jungle, advanced 11 miles. The enemy fled, the last of them being seen at 3:30 in the afternoon. At scarcely any time did the Americans get within 1,200 yards of them.

The troops returned to Pasig last night, exhausted by the hard work under a hot sun. The Oregon regiment had one man killed and four wounded, and the Twenty-second regulars one wounded. According to the official reports no fewer than 200 Filipinos were killed.

General Otis says the American army and gunboats now command the lake. He estimates that property of the insurgents valued at \$500,000 has been destroyed, while quantities of rice and sugar and 400 tons of coal, which is very valuable here, have been captured.

Many of the prisoners represent that the Filipino soldiers are weakening. The generous treatment that the Americans administer to the native prisoners and wounded seems to influence the insurgent army powerfully. In the opinion of the Americans, however, the Filipino leaders will continue to provoke fighting just as long as they can retain their hold upon their followers, because they have everything to gain and nothing to lose.

The enemy have twice as many men on their firing lines as they have arms, and the fact that so few arms are captured by the Americans is because the guns of the wounded Filipinos and many of those who surrender are split away.

The armed tug Laguna de Bay and Oesta have returned to San Pedro Macati and reported the results of their tour of the lake. On Friday morning last they shelled the town of Moreson, the rebels fleeing without making any response to the fire. The Americans landed a party, which destroyed a quantity of stores and all the stone buildings except the church. The expedition then proceeded to Majajay, where a sugar mill and sawmill were destroyed.

On arriving at Santa Cruz, a town of 1,200 inhabitants, it was found that the enemy was strongly entrenched and prepared to defend the position, assisted by two gunboats and several launches. Moreover, the mouth of the river was blocked with rocks and bamboo. A few shells caused an exodus of the citizens, but not of the enemy's troops. The Americans did not attempt a landing. Captain Grant, who is in charge of the expedition, asks for reinforcements, and will probably take Santa Cruz before night. The troops that accompanied the expedition were a detachment of the Twenty-third regiment, under Captain Pratt, which was towed by the gunboat on a caso, a square-ended flat bottomed boat, used by the Filipinos as a lighter. The Americans had captured four cascos at Majajay, where they encamped on Friday night.

The United States distilling ship Iris, which left Honolulu for Manila with the United States battleship Oregon on Feb. 20, arrived yesterday. In the morning also arrived the San Joaquin, the last of the overdue steamers,

sailing under American register, that were detained by the insurgents on the northwest coast of Luzon.

Otis Confirms the News.

Washington, March 20.—The war department yesterday received the following dispatch from Major General Otis regarding operations against the insurgents: "Our improvised gunboat under Captain Grant, Utah artillery, have full possession of Laguna de Bay. Troops, inhabitants and property on the shore of the lake at our mercy. Wheaton's brigade on Pasig river line drove the enemy northeast into the province of Morong. Last evening the enemy attacked a portion of his force south of Pasig, killing two men and wounding 20 of the Twenty-second infantry. This morning Wheaton moved against this insurgent force, driving it to the south 15 miles, and experiencing very slight loss. The enemy left 200 dead on the field."

Krause's Second Victim Dead.

Allentown, Pa., March 20.—Owen Kern, hotelkeeper at Cedarville, whom Frank Krause, his hostler, shot through the right lung on March 3, when Krause, while peacefully and intoxicated, killed his sweetheart, Maggie Guth, and wounded Mrs. Kern, died Saturday from his wound. He was 35 years of age and leaves a wife and two small daughters. His father, Moses Kern, deceased, was steward of the Lehigh county almshouse, at a position which his brother, S. A. J. Kern, fills at present.

Alleged Thieving Postal Clerk Arrested.

Pittsburg, March 20.—W. J. Fitzgerald, a clerk in the distributing department of the Pittsburg postoffice since 1895, was arrested by Postoffice Inspector W. W. Dickson, charged with stealing money letters. He was caught in the act, and it is understood made a full confession, though he could not say how much he had purloined. This makes the fourth arrest in the same department within a year and the fifteenth in the Pittsburg postoffice since 1891.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Broom Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 50c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

The Tax is Legal.

Representatives of the Bell Telephone Company appeared before the Council at Shamokin, and asked that the license fee for poles be reduced from 50 cents to 25 cents each. He stated that the law would not uphold the collection of the tax on poles, but the company was willing to pay the 25 cents for the benefits received from the borough. Solicitor Gillespie was asked for an opinion and he stated that the Supreme Court had handed down an opinion on the subject in which it was stated that it was an only law-ful tax on poles, but that \$1 for each pole and \$2.50 for each mile of wire was not unreasonable. The borough's ordinance only covers poles. It was decided to collect the fee of 50 cents on each pole.

A Sure Cure for Coughs and Colds.

That's what Pan-Tina is, 25c. At Grubler Bros., drug store.

Strangled by His Money.

James Dewine, an Italian miner, is in jail awaiting the result of injuries inflicted by him on Anthony Kochanski, a Pole. The former visited the home of the latter in St. Carmel on Friday night for the purpose of robbery, it being general pay at the mines. The Italian demanded money and as they eluded he plunged a knife deep into Kochanski's side. He may die.

Coco Arginine, the genuine article, for sale at Kirlin's drug store.

10-6-f

More Water for Atkinson.

At a conference of the County Commissioners, and Poor Directors the former appropriated \$104,462 for the almshouse expenses of the ensuing year, which is \$10,000 less than last year. A new reservoir with a capacity of 3,000,000 gallons is to be built at the almshouse to replace the present one, which has a capacity of 200,000 gallons, and is inadequate. Experts say it will be necessary to expend \$15,000 to make the improvement.

Silverware and music goods at cost, on account of removal to 16 South Main street.

E. B. BRUMM.

Mahanoyite on Battleship.

A letter received from W. W. Lewis, Jr., of Mahanoy City, formerly an apprentice on the cruiser Topeka, states that he has been transferred to the battleship Massachusetts. Young Lewis is a second-class apprentice, and although he has been wearing a sailor suit only about a year he has made wonderful strides for a boy of his years.

Mauser's, Chestnut & Cherry streets.

Fresh and smoked meats, butter and eggs. 10-6-f

Trouble at a Cake Walk.

Infatuated with a female member of a colored cake walking troupe, G. A. Athling, colored, of Heading, followed them to Pottsville, and attempted to shoot the woman's lover. He pressed the revolver to the man's head, but was seized before he could pull the trigger, and thrown forcibly from the Eagle hotel. The police chased him, but he escaped.

Portz Bros. Removal.

Portz Bros., the tailors, have moved temporarily in the Watson property, 35 North Main street. Their business registration in the gente' furnishing line and also the merchant tailoring will be fully sustained at their new place of business. 3-2-f

Brennan Improving.

Word from the Miners' hospital is that Patrick Brennan, the sixteen-year-old driver boy, seriously injured in the explosion at Mahanoy City colliery, two weeks ago, is somewhat improved. He is conscious and there are slight hopes for recovery.

Everly Date for Pains and Aches.

Everydy says Red Flag Oil, 25c. At Grubler Bros., drug store.

A Pair Bill.

There is a bill before the Legislature giving a borough the same privileges in building bridges that townships have. At present a borough must build all the bridges within the county can hold for townships.

FREE LUNCHEONS TO-NIGHT.

BICKER'S. Clam soup, free, to-night. Vegetable soup to-morrow morning.

BENT'S. Chicken soup, free, to-night. An extra lunch to-morrow morning.

WEEK'S. Bean soup, free, to-night. Cold lunch, 9 to 11 a. m.

KENDRICK HOUSE. Sour kront and pork will be served, free, to-night.

THE CIVIL COURT OPENS

Judges Pershing, Bechtel and Marr on the Bench to-day.

SEVERAL DECISIONS RENDERED!

Cases Marked For Trial This Week—Applications For Discharge Under the Insolvent Laws Scrutinized by the Court—Judgments in Borough Cases.

Pottsville, March 20.—Court opened with slim attendance this morning. Judges Pershing, Bechtel and Marr occupied seats on the bench and began the first week of civil court for the disposition of short cases.

Among the cases ready for trial this week are Thomas Ward vs. The Washington Hook & Ladder Co., Chesnutet Lumber Co. vs. Hunter F. Bright, Carl Willetts vs. Ellen Keogh and Thomas Tosh, Schooner vs. George W. Ryan, Hoover Mercantile Co. vs. Paul Mathies, Gumanleski vs. Pribula, John Wilkes vs. Annie McEntee.

Judge Pershing ordered satisfied fire mortgages, on a presumption of payment. Three were held by the defunct Tamaqua Savings and Loan Association.

Application was made for a rule to strike off the judgment in the case of the Laureton Lumber Co. vs. William L. Torber, on the ground that the judgment was taken prematurely.

Application was made for a charter for the Zion English Evangelical church of Tamaqua.

BONDS APPROVED. The following bonds were approved: Peter Hoenberger, supervisor of Butler township; Charles W. Freeman, treasurer of Wayne township; George Hancock and William Kissinger, supervisor and treasurer, respectively, of Mineville; Treasurer Curran, of McAdoo; A. S. Starr, constable of Upper Mahantongo; Samuel Erdman, supervisor of Mahantongo; John Brobst, supervisor of Rush township; Joseph Bedrick, treasurer of New Philadelphia.

DISCHARGE ORDERED. The application of Monroe Snyder for discharge from prison under the insolvent laws was again brought up and Snyder's counsel assured Judge Pershing that he was unable to secure a pledge from the prosecutor that he would support the child, and he did not believe he could get such a pledge. Judge Pershing said the law compelled him to discharge Snyder, or he would keep him in prison until the support was arranged for.

JUDGMENTS ASKED. M. M. Burke, Esq., asked for judgment in the case of the Shenandoah Lumber Co. Trustees vs. Joseph Bell in default of an affidavit of defense; and in the cases of the Borough of Shenandoah vs. Mary Gallagher and others he asked judgments for the cost of laying pavements in front of the respective properties.

CASES NOT PROMOTED.

Deputy District Attorney M. P. McLaughlin asked for the discharge from jail of John Purcell, on his own recognizance, and that the charge of vagrancy against James McGuinness be not promoted. He also asked that capias be issued to bring into court persons who have not paid costs, although sufficiently warned to do so.

DISCHARGE WITHHELD.

Application was made for the discharge from jail under the insolvent laws of Joseph Wyman, but the prosecutor objected on the ground that the defendant is able to support his child. The prosecutor also claimed that she is under 18 years of age. Judge Marr adjourned the case until next Monday, to give the prosecutor time to produce her certificate of baptism to prove her age.

Justice Toomey's Cases.

Saturday being pay day, the usual number of assaults were committed of which Justice Toomey disposed of the following:

John J. Rook was the prosecutor in an assault and battery case preferred against an assaulter and a bartender. He was held in \$200 bail.

Thomas Unolsko and Joseph Klopach each furnished \$300 bail for assaulting John Kaselik.

Mrs. Kate Mauseleski was held in \$300 bail, charged with larceny of \$30, on oath of William Zelinski. The accused took the latter's purse from his pocket, which contained \$65, and after relieving it of \$20 returned it to the owner.

Paul Peculiva was released as a defendant in an assault and battery case brought about by Anthony Montville, for want of evidence.

Overseers Prosecuted.

Patrick Murray, for thirty-four years a resident of Mt. Carmel township has prosecuted Overseers H. M. Broderick and Charles Dugan on a charge of criminal negligence and misdemeanor in office in refusing him a much needed and legally qualified assistance.

"Ragtime Deception."

The performance of a "Ragtime Exception" at Mahanoy City on Saturday night proved to be one of the worst "frosts" inflicted on patrons this season. This is another instance of managers being duped by fake telegrams of endorsement.

Manquet for Agents.

Supt. G. T. Llewellyn, of the Prudential Insurance Company, is arranging for the annual banquet of his agents in this district, at the Max Lion House, Mahanoy City, next Friday.

Fell at San Juan Hill.

The body of James Boyle, one of Roosevelt's Rough Riders, who fell at San Juan Hill, will be brought to his home in Lansford for interment. The obsequies will be attended by the Grand Army from Lansford, Summit Hill and Tamaqua.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is unequalled for bronchitis, loss of voice, hoarseness, and other throat and lung affections. It cures more quickly than any other medicine.

Request to Lattimer Trouble.

The Austria Foreign Minister, not satisfied with the rejection of the claims arising out of the Lattimer riots, will press the claims attended by the Grand Army from Lansford, Summit Hill and Tamaqua.

\$1.00 is the removal sale price of a Swiss cover steel rod umbrellas at Brumm's.

Site Not Available. Officials of the P. & R. C. & I. Co., after a consultation to-day, decided that they could not give enough ground at the site selected by the Mahanoy City Board of Trade for a silk mill.

Buy Keystone flour. Be sure that the name Lewis & Barr, Ashland, Pa., is printed on every sack.

MAX LEVIT S.

Why Not? Buy your spring hat now. None better than the stock we carry.

Our \$1.00 Stiff Hat Has No Equal.

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UP-TO-DATE HATTER.

CORNER MAIN AND CENTRE STREETS.

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LIVERY AND

BOARDING

STABLES.

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.

NEISWENTER'S

Livery and Exchange Stables.

Nice

Furniture!

While not a joy forever, is a delight while it lasts. We are doing a larger business every day, for not only the goods but the prices are always right.

M. O'NEILL,

106 S. Main St.

Furniture Dealer and Undertaker

HATS - TRIMMED - FREE

—AT THE—

BON TON

HAVE YOU BEEN to our Spring Opening?

Have you seen our grand display of hundreds of Trimmed Hats for Ladies and Children, also our assortment of Flowers, Ornaments and Trimmings. Come and judge for yourself at the assortment of ready trimmed and untrimmed hats that we have put on sale at prices that all can afford.

We are offering the following special values:

300 Beautiful Trimmed Hats, small and large, furbons and short back sailors, which you have to pay elsewhere from \$3.00 to \$4.50. Our price \$1.98.

300 Ready Trimmed Hats from our spring opening, made of fancy braid, trimmed with silk, mull, roses and ornaments. Every hat is a beauty, and in all styles. \$2.49 & \$2.98. Regular \$3 hat. Our price \$2.49 & \$2.98.