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POTTSVILLE NEWS.

Happenings in Court and Elsewhere at the County Seat.

Pottsville, Sept. 16.—Marriage licenses were to-day granted by Register Reese as follows: Samuel M. Reber and Sallie K. Kramer, Cresona.

James Roberts, Kelsey, Elmer Terp, and Hannah Walters, Auderick. William Frank Esick, Orwigsburg, and Eddie A. Shollenberger, Hamburg.

William Houser and Elizabeth G. Bean, Binstown. Stanley Davis, son of County Treasurer Davis, delivered a large consignment of preserves to the Pottsville hospital this morning. The young man collected it from residents of New Castle.

Samuel Delbert, Deputy County Treasurer, will spend part of next week at the State Council meeting of the Jr. O. U. A. M., as delegate from the Schuylkill Haven Council. Wm. Reese will represent St. Clair County. Samuel Keener, Orwigsburg; W. D. Scherill, Pottsville, and Rev. Bartholomew, Cresona. County Council members are at the office this morning attending to routine business. The most of their time was taken up during the week in discharging prisoners who had been jailed for non-payment of costs in criminal cases, thus saving the expense of their board and lodging, for they rarely gather enough cash to pay the bills.

A slight fire occurred at the residence of Mrs. Ruddy, on West Bacon street, this morning. The fire department was not called out.

The coroner's jury returned the following verdict last night on the death of Robert E. Gannon: "That the deceased came to his death from nervous shock produced by an accident caused by his falling into a screen hopper at the Herbine colliery, operated by the St. Clair Coal Company in St. Clair on September 9th. And, further, that from the evidence produced before the jury, we cannot ascribe, nor release from blame, the officials of the company."

"Lucky Curve" fountain pens and the best ink in the world at Brim's. 9-11-11

Hugh O'Donnell a Visitor. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh O'Donnell, of Homestead, Pa., are in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Dolan, of North Jordan street, having just completed a pleasure trip to Washington, Baltimore and Atlantic City. They are here to attend the wedding of Miss Nellie Dolan and James Cook, of Homestead, which takes place next week. Mr. O'Donnell will be remembered as having gained wide spread attention as a leader in the great Homestead strike several years ago. He is now engaged in the newspaper business at that place.

Robbers Caught. Two of a trio of robbers who have been preying upon business places and residences at Frackville the past six months were arrested yesterday at Minersville, and they are now confined in the Pottsville jail. One of the men is named Adams and the other is a Pole known as "Mike." The third member of the gang, named Edward Harris, is still at large. He is supposed to be in Philadelphia, his family having moved there recently. The losses through the robberies at Frackville aggregated \$1,500. Among the last places robbed were the residence of Rev. Bowers, pastor of the German Reformed church, and Schley's store.

To-night's Attraction. This evening at Ferguson's theatre the screaming farce comedy "Those Heavenly Twins," fills an engagement of one night only. That the clever company of artists will be greeted by a big audience is indicated by the advance sale and the general interest which has been aroused by the fame of the piece and organization which has preceded it here. The play is one of unusual merit abounding in the most comical situations, it tells an interesting story and there is a refinement about the fun that is refreshing. Some remarkably good specialties are announced. Best talent, best music, best of everything which goes to make up an enjoyable evening is promised by the management.

Pretty oil cloth squares for under heaters, cheap, at Frick's carpet store. 9-16-11

The Coming Minstrel Event. The first performance of the season of Schoppe Bros. Big Minstrels will be given in Ferguson's theatre on Tuesday evening, October 3rd. The principal feature of the show will be a sensational farce entitled, "The Shenandoah Borough Council in Session." It will give an exact representation of the Council meetings. The grand first part will be new in every detail. The setting of this act will be a scene representing the deck of the battleship Oregon. Popular prices, 10, 20 and 30 cents. Free seats, and the house should be packed to the doors.

One good sale brings many more. This is our motto. The Famous. 11

Claimed All in Sight. A Polish man who recently purchased a house at Wm. Penn created a scene last night when the tenant was moving out. He wanted to hold the furniture, claiming he understood it went with the property when the purchase was made. It was necessary to call a Justice and Constable to convince the man of his error.

The Planes Closed Down. The Mahanoy plane is again in bad shape, and for the present several of our loaded cars was allowed to be hauled up at a time. To-day the plane was closed down to allow the much needed repairs to be made.

Married. Mrs. Sallie Holkyard and William Burkley were married at Mahanoy City last Thursday by Rev. H. A. Keiser, pastor of the Reformed church. Only immediate relatives were present.

Miss Clara Womer, daughter of Benjamin Womer, of this town, and Mark Griffin, of Denver, Col., were married in St. Mary's church, at Colorado Springs, on the afternoon of the 6th inst. The bride has been a resident of the latter city for some time. The couple will reside at Denver.

Hats! Hats! The celebrated Rossmore make. The best made hat for the money in the market. To be had only at THE FAMOUS. 11

Needs Attention. There is considerable complaint among drivers and cyclists about the loose stones on the streets. Let the Supervisor make a note of this.

A Century Rider. Thomas Williams, son of Jeffrey Williams, of West Raspberry alley, left town this morning on his bicycle, with the intention of wheeling to Philadelphia. If he succeeds he will be one of the few bicycle riders of town to add a century ride to their record.

Jacob Hest's Cafe To-night. Try our free lunch of sour kroust, pork and mashed potatoes to-night. For your entertainment we will have piano selections by Prof. Flood, assisted by local dancers and singers of repute. 9-16-11

TWO MEN INJURED.

A Miner Suffers While Trying to Board a Train.

ONE OF HIS FEET WAS CRUSHED.

A Horse Dealer Meets With an Unexpected Check While Crawling Between the Legs of the Animal to Demonstrate Its Gentle Qualities.

Two accidents in which the victims met with serious injuries through their own recklessness were reported last night. The first occurred on a railroad. The victim was Anthony Barba, a single man residing on East Raspberry alley. He was taken to the miners' hospital at Fountain Springs.

Barba had completed his day's shift at Packer No. 5, colliery and started to walk home. Soon after he started a coal train overtook him and he decided to board it to get a ride to town. He missed his footing and fell beside the rail. The side of the car struck him on the forehead, inflicting a deep gash, and the wheels passed over the small toes of his left foot, so badly crushing them that amputation was necessary at the hospital.

The second accident reported was brought about by a horse owner being over confident in the gentle spirit and patience of the animal. The victim was Josiah Ruppert, aged 25 years old, and a resident of Binstown.

Ruppert had imbibed freely during the day while trying to sell the horse. While near the Commercial hotel at about eleven o'clock last night he got into negotiations with a prospective purchaser and proceeded to demonstrate the excellent qualities of his noble beast.

The first act Ruppert performed was to crawl and pass under the horse. Then he passed between the fore legs. Up to this time the horse had remained perfectly quiet and did not appear to move a muscle, but the man for whom the demonstrations were made now remembers that he saw the horse "wink the other eye," and the result seems to bear out the assertion.

"Now," said Ruppert, "to show you that this horse is one of the most gentle of any you have ever seen, I shall proceed to pass between his hind legs, and he'll never touch me." But he did. As Ruppert was passing between the legs his harness raised one of them and kicked the owner on the left leg, fracturing it just above the knee. Dr. Stein was called to reduce the fracture. Ruppert still owns the horse.

A Party. A party was held last evening at the residence of Miss Susie Hawley, at 243 East Coal street. Refreshments were served and Mr. Ernest Harsley entertained the guests with phonographic selections. Among those who enjoyed the event were Misses Ida Jenkins, Edna and Violet Raudenbush, May and Lizzie Dolan, Jessie Dunn, Mrs. Lizzie Herman, Messrs. Jesse Thomas, George Powell, Richard Whalen, George and Milton Raudenbush, John Dunn, Peter Krieger, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hawley, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hawley, Mr. H. Shuman, Mrs. R. Shuman, Mrs. Jenkins, Mrs. Raudenbush, Mr. and Mrs. Corey, Mrs. B. Lindenbush, Mrs. W. Delowry.

Call at the Famous for the latest styles in men's boys' and children's clothing at low prices.

Picnic at Tumbling Run. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sterling yesterday held a picnic at Tumbling Run for the entertainment of friends. The picnic was attended by Mr. and Mrs. T. Hummel, Annie and Claude Hummel, Ellis and Harold Sterling and Miss Emma Hines, of Pottsville; Miss Kate Whistone, of Tamaqua; Mrs. Thomas L. Williams, Mrs. Joseph Zimmerman and children, Ellen, Evelyn and Joseph, Jr., of Shenandoah; Mrs. John L. Williams and Mrs. Edward Wright, Mt. Carmel; Mrs. Edward Davis, Zanesville, Ohio.

Men's and ladies' tailor-made suits made by the Famous are admired by everybody. 11

A Dedication. About three hundred members of the Greek Catholic societies of town, accompanied by the First Lithuanian Band, will go to Mt. Carmel by special P. & E. train to-morrow morning, to attend a dedication of a Greek Catholic church and dedication of its cemetery. The societies will leave at 8:30 o'clock to-morrow morning and returning will leave Mt. Carmel at 4:30 p. m.

Our Fresh Sausage and Puddings Are a favorite dish with everybody. Like our other palatable fresh and smoked meats, Bauer's, Cherry and Chestnut streets. 11

Harvest Services. The annual harvest thanksgiving services will be held in the Trinity Reformed church, on West Lloyd street, to-morrow. In the morning the services will be in German, and in the evening they will be in English. A special service has been prepared for the evening. The church will be filled with worshippers grateful for a kind, overruling, providing and preserving Providence.

Jr. O. U. A. M. State Convention. Jonas Gillilan and Cyrus Guise will represent the two Councils of the Jr. O. U. A. M. of town, at the state convention of that order to be held at Scranton next Monday. An attempt will be made to change the name of the order. There are 1,927 Councils of the Jr. O. U. A. M. in Pennsylvania. The state convention of the Daughters of America, the ladies' auxiliary of the order, will also be held next week at Scranton, the sessions beginning on Monday.

Our merchant tailoring department is completed. You are invited to inspect the same. THE FAMOUS. 11

New Opera House. The bustling little village of Nuremberg is to have a \$2,000 opera house, and work on its erection will begin Monday. It will be erected by the Jr. O. U. A. M. and will be a two-story frame structure. 9-11-11

THAT "CONFESSION" FAKE.

Prosecutor Jenkins Denounces the Whole Story as Nonsense.

Camden, Sept. 16.—Nothing remains of the Shaw sensation. Camden awoke Thursday to hear of the arrest of a prominent young citizen, Eugene Darnell, charged with being accessory after the fact in the murder of Mrs. Zane and Mrs. Shaw, upon the night of Oct. 7, 1897, and to read of a confession by Eli Shaw that he was guilty of these crimes. The witnesses who were supposed to be ready to connect Darnell with the crime and substantiate Shaw's confession was Silas C. Cline, a tollgate keeper, and Mrs. Neilson, mother of the young woman to whom Shaw was engaged at the time of the murders, and an unknown man living on Pine street. The unknown man cannot be interviewed, but here in brief is what the case chiefly interested in the case have to say:

Eli Shaw—"I made no confession." Silas C. Cline—"I never said a word implicating Darnell. I have talked with no reporters."

Mrs. Neilson—"I know absolutely nothing regarding Shaw's connection with the murders. My horror of him is based upon other grounds."

Eugene Darnell—"My arrest is an outrage; I was not with Shaw the night of the murders."

Prosecutor Jenkins—"After investigation I cannot find a particle of evidence against Darnell which would justify his arrest. The whole story is nonsense from beginning to end."

Harry S. Scovel, Shaw's counsel—"The entire affair is an unpardonable outrage."

Judge Carrow, Darnell's counsel—"When Darnell's innocence is established the conspirators will be dealt with according to law."

Darnell, who is out on bail, declares he will prosecute the conspirators who caused his arrest and sue the paper publishing the story for damages.

Long Idle Colliery to Resume. Shenandoah, Pa., Sept. 16.—Officials of the Shamokin Coal company yesterday announced that they had purchased the Natalie colliery. Within two weeks the colliery will resume work, giving employment to 1,400 men and boys. It has been idle since 1897, owing to a quarrel among stockholders.

Ladies, we can show you 400 styles of ladies' tailor-made suits in all the latest fashions. Call and leave your order with us. If your dress doesn't fit you, don't take it. THE FAMOUS. 11

Institute Entertainers.

The Teachers County Institute will convene at Pottsville on Monday, October 9th. Many men prominent in educational circles have been engaged, while the entertainment of the program is an excellent one, as follows:

Monday evening, October 9: The Blanche Frederici Concert Company, of New York, presenting a rare program of pathos and humor, music and song.

Tuesday evening, October 10: Albert Armstrong, Ian Macrae's famous illustrated lecture, "Beside the Bonnie Blue Bush," with over one hundred funny colored views.

Wednesday evening, October 11: The Fadedettes—Boston's famous women's orchestra, composed of twenty players, soprano soloist and Mrs. Catharine Nichols conductor.

Thursday evening, October 12: Grand Operatic and Concert Company, consisting of three women and four men. The first part will be concert and the second part will be the rendition of "Cavalleria Rusticana."

The biggest variety of stylish neckwear and shirts at THE FAMOUS. 11

Church Notices.

The choir connected with the Reformed church at Nuremberg will sing at the evening services in the Trinity Reformed church to-morrow.

Rev. R. A. Williams, of Plymouth, will occupy the pulpit in the Welsh Calvinistic Methodist church to-morrow morning and evening. Sunday school at 2 p. m.

Services in the P. M. church to-morrow morning and evening. Morning subject, "Something Better Than the Glory of This World is Reserved for the Children of God." Sunday school at 2 p. m. Evening subject, "The Home of the Redeemed." Everybody kindly invited.

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining unclaimed for at the local post office: Mrs. Oscar Dornelblazer, Miss Alice Jones, Mrs. Dr. Maher, Mrs. Frank McCormick, Thomas Perry, Hugh Rolands. D. W. BEDRA, P. M.

Pelvis Fractured.

Richard Trevena, of West Strawberry alley, is suffering from a fracture of the pelvis, sustained through an accident at the Knickerbocker colliery. Such injuries are of a critical nature, but Trevena is doing well and there is every probability for recovery.

You can have a bigger choice of men's and ladies' suits at the Famous than in any other four stores combined in the county. Go and see them. Their prices for making up are moderate. 11

An Old Vet's Visit.

John Clews, of Jetmore, Kansas, is visiting friends in town while enroute home from the G. A. R. encampment at Philadelphia, which he attended as a member of Gen. Strong Post No. 82, of Jetmore. Mr. Clews is a veteran of Co. A, 7th Pa. Cavalry. This is his first visit since his residence in town eighteen years ago.

New lamps and dinner sets at Girvin's. 21

Family Jar Adjusted. Mrs. Ellen Smith caused her husband, John, to be arraigned before Justice Shuman last night on a charge of assault and battery, desertion and non-support. The trouble was adjusted by the husband paying the costs and agreeing to return home.

The Phoenix Picnic. The Phoenix Fire Company No. 2, of town, will hold a picnic at High Point park on Saturday, September 16th, to raise funds to help defray the expense for uniforms. First class dancing music. 9-11-11

THE FRENCH PREMIER!

Will Propose Drayfus' Pardon at the Next Cabinet Meeting.

HE WILL REMAIN IN FRANCE.

As the Members of His Family Do Not Wish to Submit Him to Such Demonstrations of Sympathy Abroad as Might Be Used Against Him at Home.

London, Sept. 16.—M. De Blowitz, the Paris correspondent of The Times, says: "I learn that Captain Drayfus will shortly withdraw his appeal for a revision of the Rennes trial, which will leave the ground clear for the government to take immediate steps to pardon him. This pardon will not annul the civil and military consequences of the verdict, and he will, therefore, no longer belong to the army. There is nothing, however, to prevent him from applying to the court of cassation to quash the Rennes trial whenever the new fact required by law is produced."

"When liberated he will settle in the south of France, as the members of his family do not wish to expose him to such demonstrations of sympathy abroad as might be used against him by his adversaries at home."

It is asserted on high authority that the premier, M. Waldeck-Rousseau, has promised definitely to propose a pardon for Drayfus at next Tuesday's cabinet council.

THE FLOODS IN AUSTRIA.

Numerous Fatalities Reported—Nineteen Drowned by Bridge Collapse. Vienna, Sept. 16.—The Danube is still rising, and is now 475 centimetres above its normal level. As yet no serious danger threatens Vienna, but the railway station and the streets along the banks of the river are submerged. A dispatch from Gmunden, on the river Traun, upper Austria, says that a iron bridge over the Traun collapsed yesterday while 20 men were engaged in endeavoring to strengthen it. Nineteen were drowned.

Numerous fatalities continue to be reported, and the complete death roll will not be known until several weeks have passed. Several places in the Perg district of Upper Austria have been flooded, but at most points the waters are subsiding. Ischl is safe, and railway communication has been re-established between Vienna and Salzburg.

SCHLEY'S NEW COMMAND.

Admiral to Be Placed in Charge of the South Atlantic Station. Washington, Sept. 16.—Some time ago Admiral Schley applied to the navy department for several places in the Perg district of Upper Austria have been flooded, but at most points the waters are subsiding. Ischl is safe, and railway communication has been re-established between Vienna and Salzburg.

At present he is head of the retiring board. The navy department has now granted the request, and has notified him to hold himself in readiness to command the South Atlantic station. The department is about to take steps to make the command a permanent one with his rank by increasing considerably the number of vessels on the station. The Cincinnati probably will go there, the Detroit is already on her way to join, and the Marblehead is likely to be attached. Altogether there will be five or six ships on the station when the quota is filled.

It is said at the department that with a threatened war in South Africa, and Central America, the South Atlantic command is likely to become an important one in the near future.

The Jeffries-Sherkey Fight. New York, Sept. 16.—At the request of Thomas Sharkey another clause to the articles of agreement covering his coming battle with James J. Jeffries for the heavyweight championship of the world was added today. This clause reads: "The winner of the contest shall receive 75 per cent of the purse and the loser 25 per cent." The articles of agreement originally read "The winner to take all."

Liver Complaints cured by BEECHAM'S PILLS.

A few days ago the mother of Maurice Buckley had Gen. Leonard, of High Point, arrested for violating the liquor law and assault and battery. Mr. Leonard appeared before Squire Brennan and had Buckley arrested charging him with attempt at arson and assault and battery. From Leonard's statement it appears that Buckley, with several other companions, entered Leonard's place and demanded some beer, and in the landlord's absence upset the parlor lamp. The Justice held Buckley under \$500 bail for his appearance at court.

To Cure LaGrippe in Two Days. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Arrived From Europe. Philip Lowenthal, father of Joseph Lowenthal, of Mahanoy City, arrived this morning from Germany in company with his daughters Dora, Eva, Hattie and Ray. They will make their future home in Mahanoy City.

Cake Walk, Song and Dance Artist. Jesse Jones, the world's premier cake walk song and buck and wing dancer, is entertaining the patrons at Shortall's cafe, in the basement of the Titman building. He does the latest sensation with perfect grace and ease. Come and hear him and see his numerous medals. 21

FREE LUNCHEON TO-NIGHT.

BICKERT'S. 8 or kroust, pork and mashed potatoes, free, to-night.

CHAS. RADZIEWICZ'S. Sour kroust and pork will be served, free, to all patrons to-night.

WEEKS. Come and hear the real rag time pianist to-night. He is a wonder. Specialties by several people rendered continuously.

POOL'S. Bean soup, free, to-night. Concert selections by Prof. David Jones and others. Best and largest glass of beer in town.

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10-4 Grey Blankets, red and blue stripes, worth \$1.00; our price, 75c.

10-4 Grey Blankets, blue and red stripes, 37c a pair.

10-4 Grey Blankets, 60 cents; worth 90 cents.

11-4 Fine Grey Blankets, 95c; worth \$1.25.

11-4 Light Grey Blankets, blue and white border, at \$1.35; worth \$1.75.

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11-4 Fine Quality, \$3.79; worth \$4.50.

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