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142—One Gallon Lucas Ready Mixed Paints 97—Half Gallon Lucas Ready Mixed Paints 115—Quarter Gallon Lucas Ready Mixed Paints

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Some are wet. Some are smoked. But the paper label is the only part of the paint damaged.

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Clothing, Hats and Caps, Underwear, Shoes, all Kinds.

We have now opened in these branches with an entire new stock, and will continue to feature them in our business.

THE NEW STORE, 38 North Main Street.

New Carpets. New Oil Cloths. New Linoleum.

A full line of new spring styles in

Tapestry, Velvet and Body Brussels.

INGRAINS.—New Styles, Extra Qualities. RAG CARPET.—All Kinds and Prices.

At KEITER'S.

TROUBLE OVER ELECTION.

Alleged Illegal Acts in the Keheleth Israel Congregation.

Yesterday was the day fixed for an election of officers of the Keheleth Israel Congregation, and a meeting for that purpose was held in the synagogue on West Oak street.

The election resulted in a quarrel which threatens to become a litigation in court. It is claimed by the Reform adherents that Mr. Refovitch had 14 votes and Mr. Rubinsky 13 when another ballot was taken out by the Reform and found to be two ballots counted as one.

The Reform faction have employed M. M. Burke, Esq., as counsel, and today a notice was prepared for service on the Rubinsky faction, notifying them that the election was illegal and they must not proceed with an administration of the congregation's affairs.

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

An Unfortunate Family. Another misfortune has befallen the family of Edward and Elizabeth Bates, of Brownsville.

A difficult operation was performed upon Clarence, 3-year-old son of Fred Keithan, the North Main street baker, on Saturday afternoon.

Deoberty Succeds Church. E. A. Deoberty, who has held the position of fire boss at West Shenandoah colliery for some time, today assumed the duties of inside foreman at the Turkey Run colliery, succeeding B. C. Church.

Weird and Wonderful. Is the X-ray machine exhibited in connection with California on Wheels, Main and Cherry streets. The only one ever seen in town.

"Guess What It Is." This is the unique title of a comedy sketch which will be rendered by Messrs. Lowrey and Jenkins at the annual performance of the School Minstrels at Ferguson's theatre on October 3rd.

American Gunboat Captured. Manila, Sept. 25.—The United States gunboat Verduneta has been captured by the insurgents and burned. Her guns and crew are missing.

Married. William Houser, a farm hand employed by R. A. Breisch, of Ringtown, was recently wedded to Miss Gertrude Boehm, of the same place.

False Alarm. Shortly after seven o'clock this morning the fire department was called to the Ryukawicz property on West Lloyd street, but they could locate no fire.

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

MURDER AT WM. PENN

A Man Killed at the Gate of His Home.

HATCHET THE DEADLY WEAPON!

Joseph Rutkowski, a Lithuanian, Killed by One of His Countrymen—Seven Men Are Under Arrest as Being in the Gang—Others Wanted

The lower Wm. Penn patch was the scene of a cold-blooded murder last night. The victim was Joseph Rutkowski, a man about 30 years old and having a wife and child. He is a brother-in-law of Matt. Blain, the manager of John Kuhn's pool room in town.

According to the story given out by the friends of the deceased this morning, Rutkowski was standing inside the gate in front of his home between six and seven o'clock last evening, talking to a friend named Frank Dukshis, who also stood inside the gate, when five men came along the road and stopped outside the gate.

The names of the five men who formed the group that assembled at the gate of the victim's house were furnished to the police as follows: Raleigh and Matt. Bubins, Anthony Mathis, Peter and John. Stikawicz.

Warrants for the arrest of these men were issued by Justice Green this morning. Matt. Bubins and a man named Andrew Kuris were arrested shortly after, Kuris was taken into custody while at work in the Wm. Penn mines.

Deputy Coroner J. J. Cardin hurried to Justice Green's office at Wm. Penn immediately upon hearing of the victim's death. He was accompanied by Constable Bolin, Justice Green and the coroner, and they visited the victim's house and held a post mortem.

Two witnesses made statements to Deputy Coroner Cardin at Wm. Penn this morning. One was the widow of the victim. She stated that she ejected two of the prisoners from her home several days ago.

Address by Mr. Swank. R. P. Swank, Esq., of Mahanoy City, has been invited to address a mass meeting of the students and alumni of the Pennsylvania state college, near Bellefonte, Pa., to be held to-morrow in the college chapel.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure.

Delano Shops Dismantled. The work of removing the machinery from the Lehigh shops at Delano has almost been completed. The company is completely dismantling the works.

Best of all Pills is BEECHAM'S. Duatin exploded in His Face. George James, one of Centralia's oldest and best known miners, met with a shocking and painful accident at the Centralia colliery which may disfigure him for life.

Cemetery Consecrated. The Lithuanian cemetery at Mahanoy City was consecrated yesterday with appropriate ceremonies. A monster parade took place previous to the ceremony.

Lytle Colliery Strike. The ten platform men who struck at the Lytle colliery, near Pottsville, for an advance of wages from \$9 to \$8.50 per week are being replaced by others.

Our Fresh Sausage and Pickings. Are a favorite dish with everybody. Likewise our palatable fresh and smoked meats, Bauer's, Cherry and Chestnut streets.

AN OBJECT LESSON.

The Exhibition of the Santa Clara, California, Board of Trade.

A trip to Santa Clara county, California, can be made any time from Wednesday by visiting the cars sent out by the Board of Trade of San Jose, which are located at the Lehigh Valley siding at the corner Main and Cherry streets.

Some people may think that the exhibition is a money making concern. In that they are mistaken. The Board of Trade wanted to show the world the great advantage of the country. It cost \$60,000 to put the exhibition on wheels and it costs \$40 a day to maintain it.

A UNIQUE SERVICE. Rev. James Moore Surprised His Congregation Last Evening.

The service in the Primitive Methodist church last night was of a rather unique character, although in line with teachings of the gospel. It was very impressive.

Don't Delay. To see California on Wheels, at Main and Cherry streets, Tuesday and Wednesday. It is money well spent. Only 10 cents.

When we stop to consider the number of theatrical companies that are at present competing for public favor, we must realize that success can only come to those of very decided merit.

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

The Street Paving. Contractor W. J. Britt this morning resumed work on the street paving contract with vigor.

One good sale brings many more. This is our motto. THE FAMOUS.

Recruiting Office at Mahanoy City. Corporal L. S. Kizer, who has been on duty with Sergeant Nungesser at the Pottsville recruiting office, has received orders to go to Mahanoy City and open a recruiting office in that town.

FREE LUNCHES TO-NIGHT. Men's and ladies' tailor-made suits made by the famous are admired by everybody.

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STEYN IS DETERMINED

No Mistaking the Attitude of the Orange Free State.

MUST SUPPORT THE TRANSVAAL.

"Should the Transvaal Be Conquered It Is Not Likely That We Would Be Long Permitted to Stand Outside British Control."

London, Sept. 25.—The Transvaal situation presents no new feature. Dispatches from Johannesburg report a complete dislocation of the road mining industry.

The special correspondent of the Daily Telegraph at Pietermaritzburg, Natal, says: "It is believed that the



PRESIDENT STEYN.

protracted sitting of the Orange Free State is due to the elaboration of defensive measures. No rain has fallen in either republic and it is doubtful whether the Boers can commence hostilities before the end of October.

The Transvaal volkstemt convenes to President Steyn and Mr. Fischer, of the Orange Free State, the thanks of the whole republic for their support.

DRIFTOS UPHOLD CHAMBERLAIN. Draught Failure of a Proposed "Anti-War Demonstration" in London.

There were several ugly rushes for the platforms, which were surrounded by opponents of the demonstration, who yelled fiercely.

THE OPPONENTS OF THE MEETING FINALLY proposed resolutions in support of the government's policy, which were carried amid wild enthusiasm.

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This Is Interesting To All

Fashionable dressers who are seeking fashionable Hats and Gent's Furnishings. We are now showing a splendid Fall selection of novelties.

MAX LEVIT UP-TO-DATE HATTER. CORNER MAIN AND CENTRE STREETS.

"THE HUB"

New Goods FOR Cold Weather AT THE "HUB."

10-4 White Blankets, red and blue borders, worth 60 cents; our price, 45c.

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

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

10-4 Fine Grey Blankets, 25c; worth \$1.25.

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

All-Wool Blankets. 10-4 White Soft Finish, \$1.98; worth \$2.25.

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

11-4 Extra Fine White, 5-13, 6-25, \$7.50.

A Full Line of COMFORTS. PRICES AS FOLLOWS: 60c., 90c., \$1.10, \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.50, \$1.98, \$3.35, \$3.69, \$4.50.

COTTON BATTS.—5c., 8c., and 12c. a roll. FINE XX FEATHERS—42c., 54c. and 68c. per lb.

A lot of Skirt Patterns at 18c. each. "The Hub."

Linoleums, Oil Cloths and window shades. Best assortment in town. Remnants of Carpets and Oil Cloths cheap.

FRICKE'S CARPET STORE, 10 South Jardin Street.

Canned Goods. All choice stock. Entirely fresh goods just put on our shelves.

HONEY DEW GOODS. Look at our window display. None better for the money. Mackerel as low as 5c. Try our fancy blower Mackerel.

Magargle's, 26 EAST CENTRE STREET.