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NEW CITRON AND LEMON PEEL. NEW SWEET JAMAICA ORANGES. New Mackerel. Cranberries.

## At KEITER'S.

## COLUMBIA WINS AGAIN.

She Beat the Shamrock Six Minutes in Spite of Trouble.

Special to Evening Herald. New York, Oct. 20.—The weather opened cloudy this morning, but the wind was blowing at the rate of nearly twenty miles, which made an excellent outlook for a good race between the Columbia and Shamrock for the America's cup. The crews of both vessels were in excellent spirits and full of confidence.

Capt. Barr was caught napping at the start and the Shamrock crossed the line first, at 11:31.50. The Columbia followed at 11:39.43. The slight lead of the Shamrock was soon overcome and the Columbia, showing excellent speed, gained a lead. Soon after she commenced to lose rapidly on account of having some trouble with her spinnaker. She lost two minutes by this, but kept trailing behind the Shamrock, which had a lead of three hundred yards at 11:50 and was increasing it.

By rapid work on board the Columbia the trouble with the spinnaker was adjusted and the yacht soon struck a gait that caused the Shamrock's admirers some anxiety. Steadily the Columbia drew up, and then forged ahead, securing a lead at 12:16 of 800 yards, an actual gain of at least 500 yards from the time of her trouble. Less than forty minutes.

The race at this stage clearly demonstrated the superiority of the Columbia and the betting fraternity was laying heavy odds that the yacht would win the race. It was practically a one-sided race after the Columbia recovered from her troubles.

The Columbia was the first to turn the stakeboat, making it at 12:18 and the Shamrock followed at 12:19.

The race home was all the Columbia's. She pulled away from the Shamrock steadily, was half a mile in the lead with 8 miles to go, a mile and a half ahead when three miles from the finish, and finally crossed the finish line 6 minutes in the lead and retains the cup.

## BOERS REPULSED AGAIN.

The British Successfully Combat an Attack by Nine Thousand.

Special to Evening Herald.

Ladysmith, Natal, Oct. 20.—An attack was made this morning by 9,000 Boers upon the British forces at Glencoe, northwest of this city, and about midway between the city and Dundee. A big battle was fought.

A report just received here states that the Boers were repulsed in the attack and the British captured five guns. General Symonds of the British forces, was wounded.

A late despatch from Glencoe states that the British loss is very heavy and the battle is still on, the Boers fighting like demons.

Our prices in merchant tailor-made garments for ladies and men can't be beat. THIS FAMOUS. 10-15-1f

Society Entertained. The members of the Ladies' Aid Society connected with the Church of the Annunciation were entertained last evening by Mrs. M. P. Purcell, the secretary of the society, at her residence on East Centre street. The event was in recognition for the surprise party the society tendered Mrs. Purcell. A musical program and service of refreshments made the evening pass very pleasantly.

To Cure Laryngitis in Two Days. Take Laxative Brown Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 35c.

Collection of Taxes. Tax Receiver Edward Burke will on Monday post notices notifying taxpayers that he will receive taxes for 1899, and those who pay within sixty days from that date will be allowed five per cent. rebate.

Gas mantels, 10 and 15 cents. Orkin's jewelry and music store, 7 S. Main St. 1f

Scranton Correspondence Schools. A. J. Eckert has been promoted to Asst. Sup't. of the Scranton Correspondence School in the district comprising Mahanoy City, Hazleton, Tamaqua, Lost Creek and Pottsville.

The Famous are headquarters for the latest in men's neckwear. 10-15-1f

"Paddy" Waldron Nearly Killed. "Paddy" Waldron, the horseman, narrowly escaped being killed at Wilkesbarre yesterday. He was testing a pair of horses for the Wilkesbarre Fire Department. When he neared the fire house one of the horses slipped on the wet pavement and fell, carrying its companion with it to the ground. The engine toppled over on the sidewalk, pinning the man underneath. Mr. Waldron only saved himself from serious injury, if not death, by catching hold of a tree limb and swinging himself to the ground. The horse escaped with but slight bruises.

Ladies if you have any cloth to be made into a dress, just bring it to us; we will do the rest. THE FAMOUS. 10-15-1f

Democrats in Conference. There was a pow-wow of the local workers and several candidates of the Democratic party in Kelly's hall, on South Main street, last night. Among those in attendance were County Chairman Noonan and candidates M. P. McLaughlin, Joseph H. Nichter, Geo. Ople and M. A. Carey.

45 cents per yard for a Brussels carpet worth 65 cents a yard at Frick's carpet store. 1f

Editor Little Convicted. In the libel suit of Col. Ezra E. Ripple, of Scranton, against the editors of the Scrantonian, the jury yesterday morning brought in a verdict finding Richard Little guilty, and Michael O'Toole, the associate editor, whom it was proved was an employee only, not guilty. There are several libel suits against these two men.

The cheapest place for ready-made clothing for men, boys and children is THE FAMOUS. 10-15-1f

New Powder Plant. Nathan Williams, of Girardville, who has carried on an extensive grocery business at that place for some years, is now associated with Amos Walbridge, of Mahanoy City, in the powder business. They have organized the Locust Valley Powder Company and are erecting a plant on Blew's farm.

Music at Fahey's. Horace G. Strouse, the celebrated comic vocalist of Philadelphia, will entertain the patrons of Fahey's cafe, beginning with this evening. 2c

FAN-TIDA! What is it? The greatest cure for coughs and colds. At Grubler Bros., drug store.

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

## ORDINANCES IN BUNGLES

Aggressive Measures By the Borough Council Last Night.

## AFTER THE ELECTRIC RAILWAYS!

Ordinances Embodying Provisions For Safety Fenders, Additional ax. Numbering Cars and Other Regulations Ordered Drafted—Burgess to Watch Car Running.

A regular meeting of the Borough Council was held last night and was attended by Messrs. McGuire, Tracy, Cookley, Shesmaker, Stranglin, James, Boehm, Murphy, Hand, Harkins, Bell. Most of the time devoted to the session was consumed by the discussion of measures regarding the operation of the Schuylkill Traction and Lakewood railway companies, and before the adjournment the meeting a mental view of the companies presented them in a condition such as Joe Larkin presented on the day that Constable Joe Peters took him to the "Trotter" jail house from head to feet in ropes. If all the motions passed at the meeting are carried out the railway companies will hereafter find that their respective routes through town are not a bed of roses. Several of the Councilmen expressed indignation over the action of Manager Ash in taking the Main street track matter into court, and expressed the determination to compel the respective companies to abide strictly to the letter of the borough ordinances and laws hereafter. Messrs. Cookley, Bell and James led in voicing the sentiment and the tall man from the Fourth ward was the creator of most of the motions. Councilman Cookley seconded them with a spirit of pleasure and satisfaction.

Fire Marshal B. G. Hess appeared and stated that the Phoenix Fire Company's carriage needs repair and the time has arrived for the semi-annual examination of the fire plugs.

Messrs. Harry Hart and Joseph Morris asked that they be given a hearing on their claim for damages by reason of the hook and ladder truck colliding with their ice wagon. It was decided that a hearing be given them by the street committee and Borough Solicitor.

The track suit of the Schuylkill Traction Company against the borough was referred to the Borough Solicitor and the street committee was instructed to secure evidence in the case.

A question was raised as to whether the borough ever gave the Schuylkill Traction Company a right of way over the borough bridge that crosses the Lehigh Valley railroad. The street committee was instructed to look the matter up, and at the same time ascertain what provisions of the ordinances the railway company is violating.

It was further decided that, unless the Schuylkill Traction Company signs the indemnity bond required in consideration of the rail used for the Coal street curve, within one week from date, the Borough Solicitor be instructed to go into court and enjoin the company from running its cars into the borough.

The secretary read a proposed agreement between W. J. Britt, the street paving contractor, and the Borough Council. The agreement provides that in consideration of the Council desiring to postpone the East Centre street paving until May 1, 1901, that Council purchase all brick, sand, cement and curbing in his possession after the completion of the Main street paving, if so requested; that Britt agrees to use the said brick and other material in the East Centre street paving, allowing the borough the credit due for it; that the price of the completed paving, \$1.34 per square yard, remain the same, except the borough agree to protect the contractor against loss by reason of any rise in the cost of the said materials; that the Hamburg, Virginia, brick, which is a brick he used for the entire work, and like-wise the same materials used by the contractor for the Main street paving are to be used for the East Centre street paving.

It was stated that the existing contract gives Council the privilege to postpone paving where it sees fit and no additional agreement is required, although Council took no formal action on the communication. The president instructed the secretary to return it to Mr. Britt as being unsatisfactory to Council.

Complaint was made of the condition of Raspberry alley, between Emerick and Union streets.

The printing of blanks for the monthly returns of the Tax Collector and Chief Burgess was authorized.

An application of Charles Long for exoneration from personal tax was referred to the finance committee.

President McGuire said Council should give attention to the question of providing funds for the beginning of 1900, and the Tax Collector should be urged to furnish some money on the old duplicates.

The fire apparatus committee was instructed to examine the Phoenix Fire Company's carriage and, should it be found that the present wheels cannot be repaired, the fire company be authorized to purchase new wheels.

Permission was given the Columbia Hosiery Company to take sufficient of the old paving stone belonging to the borough for use in paving the company's stable floor.

Reports from the Ordinance committee brought forth the following motions, all of which were carried:

That an ordinance be drafted, to go into effect January 1, 1900, compelling the Schuylkill Traction and Lakewood Railway Companies to display a license board on each car run into the borough; and the companies also be compelled to put fenders on the cars; and that a license fee of \$25 per car be fixed.

That an ordinance be drafted, to fix an extra license fee of ten dollars for each car running over the borough bridges.

That an ordinance be drafted fixing a fine of \$10, or imprisonment for five days, for any motorman and conductor bringing into the borough a car not bearing the license number.

That the Chief Burgess time the cars run into the borough and, if any car is run at a greater speed of six miles an hour, the motorman and conductor be arrested and dealt with according to law.

An order for \$50.01 was drawn in settlement of the Tamaqua Manufacturing Company's claim.

Overcoats for young and old at THE FAMOUS. 10-15-1f

The Revival Meetings. This evening at the Calvary Baptist church, Rev. E. Zwayer, of Girardville, will preach, Miss Morgan taking the after meeting. Service at 7:30. All are welcome.

The best hat for the money at THE FAMOUS.

## CANDIDATE ADAMS RETIRES.

No Longer a Candidate For Pennsylvania's Superior Court Judge.

Philadelphia, Oct. 20.—Joshua R. Adams, of this city, who was nominated by the Republican state convention last August as a candidate for judge of the superior court, last night sent a letter to General Frank Reeder, chairman of the Republican state committee, withdrawing from the ticket.

"I have no right to let my own ambition impede my party's success, and while I have no doubt of election if I stand, I should not enjoy victory by a lessened party vote, nor would I endure a judicial seat in any court where the humblest suitor at the bar doubts my integrity."

Mr. Adams' withdrawal is the sequel of an attack made upon him by a Philadelphia newspaper. Mr. Adams was charged by the paper with being president of corporations which are alleged to have swindled many persons in Pennsylvania and other states. The newspaper continued the attacks, and Mr. Adams was urged by newspapers of both of the big parties and his friends to answer the charges. Yesterday he issued a long statement in answer to the accusations, which he branded as being "absolutely and unparliamentary false." He did not deny his connection with the alleged swindling concerns, but positively asserted that he had no knowledge that they were other than legitimate enterprises, and that when complaints reached him of questionable transactions on the part of agents of the companies he immediately withdrew from all connection with the concerns.

Under the rules of the party the vacancy on the ticket will have to be filled by the state committee. The committee will meet in this city next Saturday to fill the vacancy.

## The Adams Resignation.

W. Thomas Lee, of town, a member of the Republican State Committee, this morning received a telegram notifying him to attend a meeting of the committee at Philadelphia tomorrow afternoon, at three o'clock, to fill the vacancy on the Republican state ticket, caused by the resignation of Joshua R. Adams, the candidate for the Superior Court Judgeship. Mr. Lee will leave for Philadelphia tomorrow morning.

The famous are turning out more work for the English speaking people than all the English speaking towns in town. 10-15-1f

## THEATRICAL.

Tonight at Ferguson's theatre The Gas King Minstrels will appear for laughing purposes only. Thirty-five artists, many of whom are well and favorably known, will occupy a place on the program. Judging from the big advance sale we predict a packed house.

"A MATHEMATICAL MISTAKE" Is the name of the farce comedy which will be seen at Ferguson's theatre, Tuesday evening, October 24. It deals with the ambitions of love, society and politics that prevail in the great metropolis and is presented in three acts with a series of funny incidents and complications that keep the audience in a continual roar. The most peculiar of the types that go to make up the cosmopolitan character of a great city are presented and their very eccentricities are most amusing.

The latest thing in dancing and the newest thing in fashion are shown and captivate the senses. The singers are first class, notable among whom are Miss Maud Myring, well known here from her last appearance in "The Bells of Seandon" by the author, Mr. John J. McGinnis, and a tenor, Mr. Barry Boland, who will sing next season in a new play written for him, "The Bells of Armagh."

This is said to be one of the best attractions on the road.

## A FEW PRESS COMMENTS.

The metropolitan press is unanimous in its praise of "The Cherry Pickers," which comes to Ferguson's theatre next Thursday evening. The New York Herald tersely remarked: "The Cherry Pickers is a success."

"The World," "It stirred the audience to a high pitch of enthusiasm." The Press claimed "the Blue Jeans was good. 'The Cherry Pickers' is better." The Sun, commendingly stated, "The great gun scene succeeds in bringing down the house at every performance." Praise like the foregoing is praise indeed and speaks well for the merits of the play.

New window shades 6 cents, 10 cents, 14 cents, up to \$4.00, at Frick's carpet store.

## Struck by a Train.

Peter Runoek, a track walker, was struck by a train of coals yesterday afternoon at Mahanoy Place, and it is feared that the injuries sustained will result in his death. He was removed to the miners' hospital, where it was discovered that he had sustained a compound depressed fracture of the skull.

A few more bright young ladies and gentlemen wanted to enroll in night school, Dougherty building. 10-13-1f

## Business Transfer.

Peter Griffiths, of Girardville, who has operated a branch hardware store in Tamaqua for some time, sold out his business here to Daniel Beddall, of that town, formerly of Shenandoah. Mr. Griffiths contemplates retiring from business.

Ask your neighbor where he got his fine suit made? He will tell you at THE FAMOUS. 10-14-1f

## Bargains.

Bargains in fall and winter goods. A desirable line of carpets at the most reasonable prices. Oil cloth and linoleum cheap. Blankets a specialty. Flannels and dress goods cheap at P. J. MONAGHAN'S. 10-14-1w

Night school, McCann's Business College, Dougherty building, Tuesday and Thursday nights. 10-13-1f

## Petty Robbery.

On Wednesday night some unknown persons stole several bags of boys gun boots from an out-house on the rear of the residence of Justice Toomey, on South Bowers street.

Pretty patterns in cut glass and silver is displayed at Brumm's jewelry and music store. 10-14-1f

## FREE LUNCHEONS TO-NIGHT.

CLAM SUPPER, free, to-night. Sour kroot to-morrow morning. HENRY'S. Liver and onions, free, to-night. Noodle soup to-morrow morning. CHAS. RADZIEWICZ'S. Clam soup will be served, free, to all patrons to-night. WEEKS' Oyster soup, free, to-night. Largest and coldest glass of beer in town. 10-15-1w

## DEATH TO THE BOERS.

Fifteen Hundred Reported Killed by Lyddite Explosions.

WERE ATTACKING MAFEEKING, AND WERE LURED OVER THE MINE FOR THE DEFENSE OF THE TOWN—BOERS CAPTURE A TRAIN CARRYING BRITISH OFFICERS—VRYBURG SURRENDERED TO BOERS.

London, Oct. 20.—The Daily News' Cape Town correspondent telegraphs: It is rumored that news has reached De Anz Junction that the Boers attacked Mafeking in force, but were repulsed. The defenders, seeing the enemy retreating, pursued them for some distance. Then a feint was made and they commenced to retire on the town, allowing themselves to be driven in by the Boers, who, eager to retrieve their position, again advanced to the attack and were drawn over Lyddite mines laid for the defense of the town. It is reported that 1,500 Boers were killed by the explosions.

It is reported from Delagoa bay that the Swazi King Hani is collecting his forces with the object, presumably, of attacking the Boers. It is stated that the Portuguese forces at Delagoa bay will be raised to war strength.

It is announced from Victoria that an eccentric person known as Barton Degansberg has been court married and shot as a spy. Plans of the local forts were found in his possession.

The Pietermaritzburg correspondent of The Daily Mail, in a dispatch dated Thursday, says:

The front of the fighting at Besters Station yesterday was sustained by the volunteer patrols. The fighting was brisk. The Boers numbered 2,000. The volunteers at one moment were in great peril being nearly cut off, but the officers handled their men splendidly, and the Maxims effectively stopped the Boer rushes. The Boer shooting was watched. The volunteers lost their kit, and altogether the experience was a pretty trying one. Our men were in the saddle three days and two nights with hardly a rest. Basuto natives were fighting with the Boers. It is reported that 16 Boers were killed.

The Ladysmith correspondent of The Daily Telegraph, under date of Oct. 1, says:

The Boers captured a train which left Ladysmith at 12:30, near Elands-slangto. It contained several officers and a few men, besides civilians, all going to Glencoe or Dundee. Fortunately the 10:30 up train, which contained one of your correspondents, got through. The enemy cut the wires, severing communication with Glencoe. The news was first received from the station master at Elands-slangto, who wired: "I see Boers near the line. What shall I do?" Ladysmith answered: "Let the train run. I shall follow." It did so, making for the north of Elands-slangto. The official said: "The Boers are muttering and trying to stop the train. They have stopped it. What shall I do, must I go?" "Yes, go," was the reply. Thereupon the messages ceased, and since the line has been blocked. Probably the station master escaped.

The Cape Town correspondent of The Daily Mail, telegraphing at 10 o'clock last night, says: Vryburg surrendered Sunday. Tonight's dispatches from Kurman, 20 miles west by south of Vryburg, state that the police having withdrawn from Vryburg the town surrendered to the Boers. The inhabitants fleeing in all directions, mostly toward Kurman. When the police withdrew the Cape Boers notified the fact to the enemy, thus inviting them to take possession. There was a fearful panic. The British are wildly indignant at this scuttling.

The Boers suffered a reverse on Sunday at Spruitfontein, ten miles south of Kimberley. An armored train went out to bring a train reported to have been captured by the Boers near the Spruitfontein siding. A party of Boers who were encamped near by lowered the railway signal and displayed a white flag, apparently with the idea of inducing the train to proceed. The driver suspected that the Boers were in possession, and stopped the train, whereupon the Boers issued in large force and opened fire, but without any effect. The soldiers repelled from the train and about half a dozen Boers were killed.

Seven hundred Boers surprised a party of 13 Cape Colony police who were guarding the railway at Riverton Road, 18 miles north of Kimberley, on Sunday morning. The police retired. A terrific explosion was heard later, and it is believed that the Boers blew up the station.

A relief party of 25 police sent from Kimberley met the Boers near Riverton. The enemy displayed a white flag to induce the troops to fall into their trap, but the police were ordered to retire. Then the Boers opened a heavy fire on them, discharging about 400 rounds. A bullet struck the horse of Surgeon Major Sullivan, who, with a trooper whose horse had stumbled and dismounted him, was captured.

The war office last evening issued the following bulletin: No news of importance has been received from Natal today. The cavalry attached to our forces at Ladysmith and Dundee are engaged in observing the enemy's movements. Steps have been taken to secure Pietermaritzburg and Durban against the raids on the western frontier. There is no recent reliable intelligence from Kimberley or Mafeking, both places being cut off from railway and telegraphic communication. It is believed, however, that a skirmish took place on Sunday six miles south of Kimberley, and that the Boers were beaten off, with some loss, by an armored train. There was some fighting at Mafeking on Friday or Saturday, ending with a repulse of the attacking force. Railway communication with the Orange Free State and Transvaal has now ceased.

COCOONATE, VANILLA, STRAWBERRY ICE CREAM. ORANGE ICE. Daily at Scheider's bakery, 25 East Centre street. All orders promptly filled and delivered. 10-15-1w

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The finest hats the world offers—their wonderful goodness known in every civilized country of the globe.

We show the newest productions in these world-famous hats. Look for Brand on Sweat Leather.

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

## THE HUB

Golf Capes, \$5.98, \$8.25, \$9.98 and \$11.98.

Jackets, \$5.87, \$5.98, \$6.25, \$6.98, \$8.98 and \$9.98.

Silk Waists, \$3.19, \$4.69, \$5.49.

Infants' Cloaks, fancy stripes and plaids. Hiderdowns at 79c, worth \$1.00. Those at \$1.15 are worth \$1.50.

Heavy white and colored eider-down Angora, trimmed, \$1.42, worth \$1.75.

Children's cloaks, tailor made, in fancy shaded double collar, fancy braid, trimmed cord and buttons, \$2.97, \$3.19, \$3.49, worth \$5.

Misses' Jackets and Reefers. Black Boucle, double breasted with turnover collar, bound seams, \$5.47, worth \$6.50.

Blue Kersey, tan and gray, buttoned high at neck, large collar, double breasted, braided, our price, \$4.79, \$4.98, \$5.73, worth \$7.50.

Circular Capes in black boucle storm collar edge with 'Hubbit' fur, \$5.59, worth \$7.50.

Collarettes... and Scarfs. In Electric Seals, Jap. Seals, Stone Martin, Sable and Coney, which must be seen to be appreciated.

Shawls, from 29c to \$4.99.

Our Polar Bear Shawl, fine mixed all wool, extra heavy, 60x60, at \$1.67, worth \$3.50.

## "The Hub."

NEW Linoleums, Oil Cloth and window shades. Best assortment in town.

Remnants of Carpets and Oil Cloth cheap.

FRICKE'S CARPET STORE, 10 South Jardin Street.

## Mince Meat, Apple Butter, Choice Jellies.

Splendid quality of fall and winter delicacies. We handle none but the best at prices often asked for inferior goods.

Try our Mackerel, from 5c up, for your Sunday morning breakfast.

Swiss and Brick Cheese.

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