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## Mistaken Identity.

Thought he knew the young lady. So it is with clothes you buy. You may be mistaken in the quality when you purchase at random. At Refowich's the salesman tells you exactly what material the goods contain and then you can make no mistake. It is the height of folly to buy more for inferior goods. That is a mistake often made, but when you buy of Refowich the quality is right and the price is right.

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We have the latest in Gents' Hats, and when you see the real article you will say the manufacturers have come pretty close to perfection. They have named the Renowned Brand. Remember that name and ask for it when you want a Hat that will stand every day usage without breaking, cracking or going to pieces. Prices from 90c up to \$3.

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There's nothing like a Home-Made Shirt when you want solid comfort. We have them, all sizes up to 30. Will fit the biggest or smallest man in the country. Prices as low as 50c. Woolen shirts, all sizes, 25c.

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Our stock in this department is complete. We carry the best and biggest assortment of genuine Woolen, Camel-Hair, and Medical Underwear in Freeland.

## Gloves.

Every kind of Winter Gloves. Hundreds of pairs to choose from. No matter what sort of a Glove you may need, we can supply you. All the latest patterns.

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And every other article required by gents.

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With sailor collars, all wool, all colors, going for a few weeks only at 60c upwards.

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## Winter Dress Goods.

Hundreds of designs in every grade of goods, every piece a serviceable quality and becoming style, and selected with especial care as to the demands of the locality in the matter of price. Don't purchase until you examine our line thoroughly. Everything up to date and prices lower than ever.

Our line of 15c Dress Goods is something worth looking at. Dress Patterns in every style and price.

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A handsome line worthy of your most careful examination. Low figures on every article.

## Ladies' Jersey Waists.

The latest thing out. Newest styles. A beautiful line.

## Wrappers, Underwear, Blankets and Comfortables

at all prices. A large and well assorted stock.

## Men's Ties.

The most beautiful line of Men's Ties in town. The latest styles in every popular kind. Come and see them.

## J. P. McDONALD,

Centre and South Streets.

## BRIEF ITEMS OF NEWS.

### PARAGRAPHS GATHERED FROM ALL PARTS OF THE REGION.

#### Synopsis of Local and Miscellaneous Occurrences That Can Be Read Quickly. What the Folks of This and Other Towns are Doing.

George McGee is doing grand jury duty this week at Wilkesbarre.

R. & G. corsets are sold at Oswald's.

The public school teachers leave today for Wilkesbarre, where they will spend the week at the annual county institute. Fall styles in dry goods at Oswald's.

DeWitt C. DeWitt, of Towanda, Democratic candidate for congressman-at-large, will speak at Hazleton this evening.

Bed room suites, \$16, at Sweeney & Herron's, Hazleton.

A delegation of Hazleton Odd Fellows enjoyed a visit to town on Thursday and were hospitably entertained by the members of Mt. Horeb Lodge.

Lowest prices on furniture at Sweeney & Herron's, Hazleton.

Miss Mary Kelly, of North Centre street, was suddenly taken ill this morning, and for some hours her condition was such as to alarm her friends.

Neat footwear for ladies is sold very cheap at the Wear Well.

In his charge to the grand jury at Easton Judge Scott called the attention of that body to the buttons containing obscene inscriptions which are offered for sale throughout the county.

Room moulding, 1c per foot, at Sweeney & Herron's, Hazleton.

Tony Farrell and his company have always drawn large audiences, and as the play is recommended everywhere it has appeared, it is likely that the Grand will be well attended this evening.

Wall paper, 7c per double roll, at Sweeney & Herron's, Hazleton.

Instead of holding a meeting here on Wednesday evening, as previously announced, the Republicans of the lower end are arranging to take part in a demonstration at Wilkesbarre that evening. Special trains have been secured.

Copies of "Harvey's Speech" can be secured free at the TRIBUNE office.

The ball of Division 19, A. O. H., was seriously interfered with on Friday evening by a steady downpour of rain. Notwithstanding this, the hall was well filled, and the affair was one of the best of its kind held here for some months past.

For best clothing at lowest prices call at the Philadelphia Clothing Store, 131 Centre street, Freeland.

The Weatherly Telegraph made its initial appearance on Thursday. It is published by E. B. Washburn and bears marks of good workmanship and a knowledge of newspaper-making. The new venture has the best wishes of the TRIBUNE.

\$4.50 in silver or gold will buy a suit worth \$7 at the Philadelphia Clothing Store, 131 Centre street.

His Royal Highness, the Duke of Abruzzi, accompanied by several Italian noblemen and officials, passed up the Lehigh Valley Railroad yesterday on their way to Niagara Falls. They will return to Philadelphia this evening, passing White Haven at 6 o'clock.

For bed bugs, roaches and moths, buy "Tebuoy," the best insect destroyer in the world. Sold at A. Oswald's.

The Bloomsburg Banking Company, one of the oldest banking institutions in that part of the country, suspended payment on Friday. The directors made a statement to the depositors that the bank is solvent and that all depositors will be paid 100 cents on the dollar.

There is nothing cheap about the Wear Well footwear except the price. It can't be lower. Try their shoes.

An attempt was made early this morning to burglarize the residence of Peter Timony at Centre and Carbon streets. The rear door was chosen as the means by which they tried to gain an entrance, but it resisted their efforts. The door was badly damaged by the attempts to pry it open.

The wheelmen of White Haven are determined on having the road between that place and Bear Creek placed in first-class condition. They have interested the White Haven Board of Trade, who have appealed to the citizens for subscriptions. The amount needed to complete the repairs is \$100.

The Jeddo Literary Society rendered a pleasing programme in the school house last evening. Several recitations and some vocal music were given in good style by the members. Charles L. Gallagher delivered an instructive address on "Success in Life." The society meets every Sunday evening, and is in a prosperous condition.

### PLEASURE CALENDAR.

October 30.—Masquerade ball at Kransie's hotel, South Heberton. Tickets 25 cents.  
November 2.—Ball of the Fearnots Athletic Association at Cross Creek hall. Admission, 50 cents.  
November 25.—Sixth annual ball of Jeddo Progressive club at Yannes' opera house. Admission, 50 cents.

### Information About the Ballot.

The Pittston Item, which secured the contract to print the ballots for Luzerne county, is pushing the work. The total number ordered is 139,500, of which 92,500 will be official and 47,000 will be specimen ballots. The size will be the same as mentioned last week, 28½x33 inches, and voters will find some trouble in handling the sheet in narrow-booths.

The ballots will contain eleven columns, as follows: Republican, Democratic, Prohibition, People's, Socialist Labor, National, Free Silver, McKinley Citizens, Jeffersonian, Independent and a blank column.

The Independent column will contain the name of Michael Murray, an independent candidate for county commissioner, and in the fifth legislative district the name of William H. Rutledge, of Pittston, who is an independent candidate for representative.

The Lem's price for printing the ballots is \$8.50 per 1,000, which makes the total cost \$1,185.75.

The TRIBUNE was next lowest, the figures being \$10 per 1,000 for official and \$6.25 per 1,000 for specimen; total, \$1,218.75.

The Wilkesbarre Telephone asked \$8.75 per 1,000; total, \$1,220.62.

Robert Bauer, Wilkesbarre, was the highest bidder, his figures being \$13 per 1,000 for official and \$9 per 1,000 for specimen; total, \$1,625.50.

In addition to the above figures all the bidders except Mr. Bauer asked 50 cents per 1,000 for binding ballots and wrapping them in packages for each district.

In Carbon county, where a considerably less number of ballots are required, the bids were: Lehighton Press, \$530; Lansford Record, \$520; Pottsville Journal, \$500; Weatherly Herald, \$423; Mauch Chunk Gazette, \$397; Lansford Leader, \$180. It is said that the Leader will lose money on the job.

### Work at a Colliery Stopped.

Mine Inspector McDonald has ordered work suspended at the Clear Spring colliery, owing to a cave-in of a portion of the mine lying adjacent to the fatal Twin shaft, in which fifty-eight men lie buried. The displacement of the strata overlying the coal seams, to which the inspector referred before the Twin shaft investigation commission, is supposed to extend to the other side of the river, where the Clear Spring mine is located.

The tracks of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad, in the vicinity of the two collieries, have settled, but not enough to cause any delay in the passage of trains.

### Trolley Wreck Victim Dead.

Henry Handel, who has been hovering between life and death since the 14th inst., when he was hurt in the trolley wreck at Hazleton Junction, expired last evening. His suffering has been very great at times, and it was concluded some time ago by the hospital physicians that he could not survive. Last evening he grew worse, and shortly after the arrival of his relatives and friends he passed away. The deceased was a resident of Jeannette and was married. Conductor Dowd and young Ferry are still at the hospital, and are slowly improving.

### Beer Agent Arrested Again.

Charles Boeckowski, the agent for Bartels Brewing Company, of Syracuse, N. Y., was arrested on Saturday evening by Officers Kennedy and Ziegler, of Hazleton, charged with selling intoxicating drink without a license. He gave bail to appear at court.

The wholesalers and brewery men of Hazleton are supposed to be at the back of the movement. The last grand jury ignored a similar charge against him.

### More Food for the Crusher.

The stone crusher has ground up the ten carloads of stone which were procured from White Haven quarries, and another order for the same amount has been placed. The stones have been laid on Luzerne street. There is some complaint from up-town people that the streets there have been given little or no attention this year, and unless something is soon done a protest, it is said, will be made to council.

### Patents Granted.

Reported by C. A. Snow & Co., Washington, D. C.

R. Bates, Bloomsburg, carpenter's gage.

W. E. Davis, Centralia, combination hitching-post and cut-off-plug.

J. F. Gorman, Wilkesbarre, radiator-rest.

### And There Are 3,000 Others.

From the Wilkesbarre Reporter.  
Three Republicans who will not vote for Morgan B. Williams—Hon. C. D. Foster, Hon. John Lisenring, Hon. H. W. Palmer.

### Realistic Scenery and Good Acting.

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At Freeland this evening.

Out of every three companies registered in England two become insolvent.

### Dabbling in Politics.

At Packerton yards, near Mauch Chunk, the following notice was posted last week:

"The Lehigh Valley Railroad Company believes that every man in its employ is loyal to its interests. In the present political contest the election of sound money candidates for president, vice president and congress, is very important to its interests, and therefore it is expected that every employe will support the sound money candidates. The interests of the company and the men are mutual."

This is a mild sample of the part that corporations are playing in the political contest. The demand that its employes shall help "sound money" candidates is a bluff to take their attention from those planks in the Democratic platform which pledge Bryan to work for the establishment of a national arbitration board to settle labor troubles. That little section, and the one which condemns government by injunction, pinches the railroads harder than the free silver talk. Then, again, they remember Bryan's masterly speech in congress in favor of compelling railroads to adopt an automatic coupler.

The Lehigh Valley dabbling in politics may surprise some people, but it should not. In opposing Bryan and his congressional colleagues they are doing only that which every railroad corporation in America is doing. The railroad employe who does not know his place in this contest must be a queer fellow.

The Democratic county committee of Carbon has answered the Lehigh Valley Company by offering \$500 for evidence that will convict any corporation or its agents, superintendents, etc., of violating that part of the election law which relates to intimidation and coercion in voting.

Superintendent R. H. Wilbur issued a notice on Saturday to the effect that the order given above was not issued by authority of the company. It is true the notice was not signed by any official, but it was type-written in the company's style and posted on the official boards.

### Temperance Delegates Meet.

The quarterly convention of the C. T. A. societies of lower Luzerne, held at Hazleton yesterday, was attended by representatives of all the societies. The session was quite interesting, and a number of discussions on different phases of the movement took place. The committee appointed to arrange an initiatory form of ceremony made a report which was accepted, and copies will be sent to each society. The committee on ladies' societies made an encouraging report. It was decided to invite the sodality societies of the district to send delegates to future conventions.

President John J. McMenamin, of Freeland, and others gave instructive addresses on the kind of work which should be accomplished. A banquet was tendered the delegates at the close of the meeting. The next convention will be held at Harleigh on January 24.

### Marriage Announcements.

Miss Annie McGlynn, of McAdoo, half-sister of James F. Sweeney, of town, was married to John F. McCarty, of Hazleton, at Audenried on Thursday.

Henry T. Cornow, of Highland, and Mrs. Adam Hill, of Eckley, were united in marriage on Saturday evening at the P. M. parsonage by Rev. S. Cooper.

Ziba Fairchild, Jr., and Miss Annie Aker, both of Pond Creek, were married on Friday afternoon by Rev. H. A. I. Benner at his residence.

H. C. Bierly and Miss Ruth Carpenter, both of Eckley, were married at the residence of Rev. C. W. Twing on Wednesday evening.

### Penn's Heirs in Court Again.

Papers in a suit to recover \$200 damages were filed on Friday in the Luzerne court by an attorney for William Dugald Stewart, against John Hall. The plaintiff, who claims to be a direct heir of William Penn, states that he is owner in fee of certain land in Plymouth township, which is part of the manor of Sunbury. On or about January 1, 1894, he alleges the defendant unlawfully entered upon the land and quarried and removed 1,000 loads of building and paving stones, which is valued at 20 cents per load or \$200.

### Orchestra Ready for Engagements.

T. J. Watson, leader of Watson's Freeland Orchestra, is now ready to furnish music for private parties, concerts, balls and all kinds of orchestra playing. Parties wishing to engage music are at liberty to engage one, two, three or as many performers as they prefer. Terms reasonable. Address T. J. Watson, Main street, Freeland.

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## OUR DRIFTON LETTER.

### FATAL ACCIDENT TO A YOUNG GIRL SATURDAY MORNING.

Miss Ella Sweeney was struck by a Jersey Central Train and Died from the Injuries Received—Other Notes of Interest from the Town.

Miss Ella Sweeney, the sixteen-year-old daughter of Mrs. Sweeney, met with an accident on Saturday morning which resulted in her death. She was struck by a train while attempting to cross the Jersey Central tracks, and both feet were taken off and one hand was smashed. The girl lived until 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, when she expired.

Early that morning the girl was sent to Freeland on an errand, and after making some purchases there she started homeward, returning to town on the trolley. She alighted from the car at the station known as the "Shanty." At that point a path leads from the foot of the high embankment upon which the trolley cars run to the rear of Cross Creek hall, and she intended to shorten the distance home by following this path.

Also at the foot of the embankment are the Jersey Central tracks, but these are used so little now that few persons look for trains on that road. However, an engine was pushing a freight car up the tracks as the girl ran down the bank. She failed to notice her danger, and stepped directly in front of the train when she reached the foot of the bank.

The car struck her, throwing her across the rails, and before she could recover the wheels severed both feet from the body and crushed her left hand into a shapeless mass.

The train was immediately brought to a stop before the engine reached the young girl. She was removed from her perilous position and taken to her home. The best medical aid procurable was summoned, and everything was done to assist her. She lingered until 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

The deceased was a bright and interesting girl and gave promise of a brilliant future. In school she was foremost in her classes and was beloved by teachers and school mates alike. She was one of the officers of the Children of Mary of St. Ann's Catholic church, and was noted for her religious zeal and cheerful disposition.

Besides a widowed mother, Miss Sweeney leaves three sisters, Mrs. James F. Sweeney, of Freeland, and Misses Mary and Annie, of Drifton, and one brother, Patrick.

The funeral will leave the family residence at 8.30 o'clock tomorrow morning. At 9 o'clock a requiem mass will be read at St. Ann's church. Interment will be made at St. Ann's cemetery.

All persons desiring a night of good enjoyment should not fail to attend the grand ball that will be held at Cross Creek hall on the second of next month by the Fearnots Athletic Association. It bids fair to be the ball of the season. DePierro's orchestra has been engaged for this grand occasion and refreshments of all kinds will be for sale. Purchase your tickets from the members of the club and help the good work.

Thomas Hyland, employed in No. 1 mines, had his left hand badly injured by having the same caught between two large lumps of coal last week.

Frank Woliver, one of our knights of the anvil, attended the Bloomsburg fair during its progress.

Don't forget the date of the Fearnots ball. There will be a barrel of fun for all who attend.

Peter McDevitt, of Scranton, is visiting friends in this section for a few weeks.

Dr. John Wentz, of Scranton, paid his father a brief visit to the forepart of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Kennedy, of Eckley, called on friends here yesterday.

### How's This!

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, Ohio.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last fifteen years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

Old newspapers for sale.

### MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE CHICK—A fresh milk cow and calf. Call on Patrick Hanlon, 21 Spring street, Upper Lehigh, for terms.

G. HORACK, Baker & Confectioner. Wholesale and Retail. CENTRE STREET, FREELAND.

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In red and black from \$2.25 up to \$5. Take a pride in fitting your boy out at home.

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From 25c up to \$1.50.

A fine selection of Mackintoshes, Leather Suits, Umbrellas, Underwear, Trunks and of course everything pertaining to our line.

### OLSHO'S Clothing and Hat Store,

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