

# FREELAND TRIBUNE.

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TRI-WEEKLY

## Hustle Along

If you want to be classed with the throng who have for weeks past taken advantage of the large assortment of bargains we have been offering.

New spring goods are beginning to arrive, and it will be only a short time until these opportunities will have disappeared.

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BEST TONIC FOR WOMEN. GUARANTEED PURE.  
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## FAKE SCHOOL ON THE RACK

Methods of an Alleged Institute Revealed.

Hearings Before the Deputy Attorney General Develop Accusations Against Well-Known Company.

A hearing was held before Deputy Attorney General Flett at Harrisburg yesterday afternoon in three proceedings against the Correspondence Institute of America at Scranton, one against the amendment to the charter, one to annul its charter and one against granting a new charter. The protests were made by correspondence schools in Scranton, New York, Chicago and Delaware and for the purpose of getting at the facts witnesses were called to show that the Correspondence Institute of America was not doing a legitimate business.

Students testified that promises were made to them that were never fulfilled, that the institute authorities promised to buy their work and did not do so and while they were not charged for tuition they were compelled to pay \$15 for material which they alleged could be bought for a dollar.

President Alton Clark, of the institute, who is also a member of the faculty, was placed on the stand and said that the degree of M. A. was given him by boy companions in his younger days and that the alleged faculty contained names that were used by him and his associates as nom de plumes.

A witness named Johnson, who was connected with the institute, testified that he had enrolled as a student with a Chicago school and on securing the questions of the institute copied them and sent them out as original. This latter transaction will figure in the United States court at Williamsport when the institute will answer a charge of using the mails for fraudulent purposes.

It was developed that the criticisms sent by the institute to the students were also similar and one student testified that he purposely made the sun shine in two different directions, which error was passed uncorrected by the faculty.

## St. Patrick's Day.

Not for many years past have the devotees of St. Patrick been favored with more appropriate weather for an outdoor celebration of the day than was granted them yesterday. With a warm sun overhead and streets that were perfectly dry, those who participated in the local parade had no cause to complain. The ranks of the societies in line were well filled and the demonstration was a creditable one.

In the morning a high mass was celebrated at St. Ann's church by Rev. M. J. Fallis, which was well attended.

The entertainment given by St. Ann's band in the evening furnished amusement for a large number of people. Many of the younger folks, however, attended balls held at McAdoo, Buck Mountain and Hazleton.

Several of the collieries began operations, but owing to the few miners who

responded for work they were compelled to shut down and by noon all the mines of this vicinity were idle.

The fine weather drew hundreds of people from outside villages to town, but the day passed off pleasantly and without disorder of any kind.

## Pottsville Defeated.

Basket ball took on new life yesterday and the result was that the largest audience for some time past was on hand to see the game between the Crescents and the strong Pottsville team. It proved to be the best played and liveliest exhibition of the game yet seen here and resulted in a victory for the Crescents by a score of 17 to 14.

The first half opened lively and in a mix-up Referee Herbst gave the visitors a free throw on a foul. They failed to score, but followed by shooting a basket. Nowak, for the locals, shot for a basket and while the ball was falling through the net Captain Swaving, of Pottsville, jumped and batted it out. The basket was scored. The locals missed a free throw and scored a basket on a throw by Welsh. Pottsville scored a basket and the locals failed to make a mark on a free throw, but scored on two throws by Welsh and one by Hartman. Pottsville scored. The score at this time was: Crescents, 10; Pottsville, 6.

The locals added another mark on a free throw and the visitors two baskets straight. The locals missed a free throw and Pottsville scored a basket. Hartman shot for a successful basket and the half was brought to a close with the score 13 to 12 in favor of the Crescents.

The second half opened with both teams fresh and the way they robbed and stole baskets from one another fired the audience to an enthusiastic pitch. Pottsville did their utmost to score often, but succeeded in making only one basket. O'Donnell and Hartman each scored baskets for the locals. The ball was constantly on the go and both teams played a great game. The score for the half was: Crescents, 4; Pottsville, 2. The final score was: Crescents, 17; Pottsville, 14.

The line-up follows:  
Crescents. Positions. Pottsville.  
Nowak..... Forward..... Gregory  
O'Donnell..... Forward..... Kelley  
Welsh..... Centre..... Swaving  
Davis..... Guard..... Potts  
Hartman..... Guard..... Paul  
Goals from field—Welsh, 3; Hartman, 3; Gregory, 3; Swaving, 2; Nowak, O'Donnell, Paul, Potts. Offense goal—Welsh. Referee—Herbst. Timekeeper—Whackley. Time—20 minute halves.

## New Style Mileage Books.

On May 1 six of the leading trunk lines will put into effect an interchangeable mileage book. This was decided yesterday between the Pennsylvania, the Baltimore and Ohio, Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, Lehigh Valley, Erie and the Chesapeake and Ohio companies.

These interchangeable books will be good over all lines above named. They are to be issued at the rate of \$30 a 1,000 miles, which is \$10 a book more than is charged at the present time. But the extra amount is to be returned to the purchaser if he lives up to the contract. This amount is put on so as to prevent the books from getting into the hands of scalpers.

## Second Victim Dies.

Another victim has been added to the early Sunday morning tragedy on the streets of Pittston by the death of James Kearney in Pittston hospital. Kearney at no time was able to give a rational account of the affray. He lingered in a semi-conscious condition. He was aged 32 years and bore an excellent reputation.

The Pittston authorities, County Detective Jones and local detectives have been hard at work on the case since Sunday morning and it is thought that some arrests will soon be made.

The funeral of Anthony McHugh, who was instantly killed during the shooting, took place this afternoon.

## Shenandoah Riot Cases.

At Pottsville on Monday Judge Bechtel sentenced five of the defendants in the trial growing out of the riot in Shenandoah which led up to the fatal beating of Joseph Biddall. A sentence of the payment of the costs and \$25 fines and two years' imprisonment were imposed on Stanislaw Zukowski, Anthony Otunowicz, Joseph Wenskuno, Anthony Radzewicz and Stay Lukowski. The two former were also given ninety days in addition on a conviction of assault and battery and resisting an officer.

## THEATRICAL.

All Saints' Church, Bay Side, New York.

Messrs. Brady & Grismer.—In thanking you for the privilege of witnessing the production of "Way Down East," I will not attempt to particularize its many excellences. Speaking generally, I congratulate you for placing before the public in such an admirable and artistic manner a play that is so free from that which is objectionable, and at the same time so rich in wholesome amusement.

While the supporting company proved themselves to be thorough artists, the charming and graceful acting of "Anna" gave the rendition of the play a peculiar degree of pleasure.

Hoping that I shall soon have an opportunity to express in person my appreciation of your courtesy, believe me, with cordial regards to your family, Sincerely yours,

Rev. George W. Eccles.

Mr. Brady's company of high-class actors and actresses will appear in this famous play at the Grand opera house tomorrow evening.

Years of practice, experience and travel have had telling effect upon Magician Keene's entertaining powers and today he stands at the head of the list of magicians in this country, both as mystifier and entertainer. He presents many new sleight-of-hand tricks in addition to the most clever of his old ones. All his illusions are entirely new, original and intensely mystifying, while his tests in telepathy are really startling and utterly unfathomable.

"One Night in June" was well played before a small audience on Monday evening. The specialties rendered by several members of the company were very good.

## COURT NOTES.

In an opinion handed down by Judge Halsey the application of certain members of the Slavonic Evangelical Union of America for a preliminary injunction against the officers of the organization is refused. A number of Freeland people were interested in the case and the decision was awaited with much interest.

The court has affirmed the decision of Alderman Fallon in the case of John Cunningham vs. F. M. Everett, in which the former was successful in the suit growing out of the occupancy of a property in town by the latter after the same had been purchased by Mr. Cunningham.

## PLEASURE.

April 20.—Opera, "The Minstrel of Capri," benefit of St. Anthony's Italian Catholic church, at the Grand opera house. Admission, 25, 35, 50c.

"Strength and vigor come of good food, duly digested. 'Force,' a ready-to-serve wheat and barley food, adds no burden, but sustains, nourishes, invigorates."

Beautiful wall paper at Wm. Birkbeck's.

## LOCAL NOTES WRITTEN UP

Short Items of Interest to All Readers.

Happenings of the Past Two Days in and Around Freeland Recorded Without Waste of Words.

George N. Vanauker, whose resignation as local secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association was recently tendered to the directors, left this week for Winburne, Clearfield county, where he has entered upon work of a similar character for the Y. M. C. A. of that town. The name of his successor here has not yet been announced.

Among the many rumors concerning newspapers of this region is one that will interest workingmen. A daily to be devoted solely to the interests of unionism is said to be one of the probabilities of the near future. It will be published at Hazleton and men who were prominent in newspaper work some time ago will back the venture.

Emory Houseknecht, of South Ridge street, had his leg seriously injured yesterday by being caught between a locie and a mine car near Dorton shops. A protruding bolt on the car penetrated the calf of the leg and inflicted a severe wound.

Daniel Dugan, of town, was injured in No. 5 mine, Jeddo, Monday afternoon, by a large piece of coal rolling against his leg. While no bones were broken, the limb was badly bruised and will cause him several weeks' idleness.

The operetta, "The Minstrel of Capri," recently produced for the benefit of the Y. M. C. A., will be presented again on April 20 for the benefit of St. Anthony's Italian Catholic church.

Mrs. M. Shovlin, accompanied by her sons and daughters and other relatives, attended the funeral of the former's daughter, Mrs. P. F. Dowling, at Warrior Run today.

Misses Mary and Annie Kane, of White Haven, spent St. Patrick's Day with the O'Donnell family, North Ridge street.

George Farrell returned to town Monday evening after an absence of several years in the West.

The Hazleton Standard changed today from folio form to an eight-page six-column paper.

Miss Katie Doggett, of Philadelphia, is visiting her parents on North Washington street.

Miss Clara Fish, of White Haven, visited Freeland friends yesterday.

Many strangers from out of town spent yesterday here.

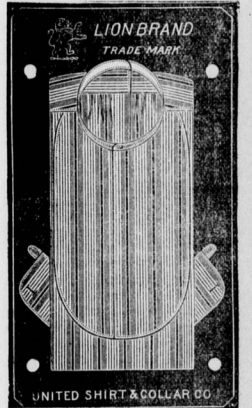
Additional locals on the fourth page.

## McMENAMIN'S

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We open the Spring season with the most complete line of Dress Shirts for boys, youths and men that Freeland has ever seen, both in variety and quantity. Our goods are of the very latest styles and our prices the lowest, consistent with quality. Our Shirts are made by the most reliable manufacturers in the country, as the cut below will show.



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