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TRI-WEEKLY

Big Sale

of
Shoes

for
Dress or Working
at

Refowich's Wear Well

Clothing and Shoe House.
REFOWICH BUILDING, FREELAND.
Remember Our Big Clothing Sale.

T. CAMPBELL,

dealer in
Dry Goods, Groceries,
Boots and Shoes.

Also
PURE WINES & LIQUORS
FOR FAMILY
AND MEDICINAL PURPOSES
Centre and Main streets, Freeland.

CURRY'S

Groceries, Provisions,
Green Truck,
Dry Goods and Notions

are among the finest sold
in Freeland. Send a sam-
ple order and try them.

E. J. Curry, South Centre Street.

LAUBACH'S VIENNA BAKERY.

B. C. LAUBACH, Prop.

Choice Bread of All Kinds, Cakes, and Pas-
try, Daily. Fancy and Novelty Cakes Baked
to Order.

CONFECTIONERY & ICE CREAM

supplied to balls, parties or picnics, with
all necessary adjuncts, at shortest
notice and fairest prices.
Delicacy and supply wagons to all parts of
town and surroundings every day.

DePIERRO - BROS.
CAFE.

Corner of Centre and Front Streets.

Gilson, Dougherty, Kauffer Club,
Rosenbluth's Velvet, of which we have
EXCLUSIVE SALE IN TOWN.

Mumum's Extra Dry Champagne,
Hennessy Brandy, Blackberry,
Gins, Wines, Claret, Cordials, Etc.

Ham and Schweizer Cheese Sandwiches,
Sardines, Etc.

MEALS - AT - ALL - HOURS.

Geo. H. Hartman,

Meats and Green Truck.

Fresh Lard a Specialty.
Centre Street, near Central Hotel.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

Freeland Opera House Co., Lessees.

Monday Evening, February 10. Tuesday Evening, February 11.

Lincoln J. Carter's
Great Railroad Play.

Return of the Season's
Greatest Success.

THE FAST MAIL

See the Full-Sized Locomotive
and Train of Cars Dash Across the
Stage.

See the Flight of the Fast Mail.

See Niagara Falls by Moonlight.

See the Exciting Steamboat
Race.

Prices: 25, 35, 50c.

DEATH'S LIST

IS LENGTHY

Large Number of People

Have Passed Away.

Mrs. Bridget McMenamin

Expired Yesterday After-

noon--William Krommes

Killed--Other Deaths.

Mrs. Bridget McMenamin, of South

Centre street, whose serious illness had

been noted in previous issues, passed

peacefully away at 2 o'clock yesterday

afternoon. She was surrounded by her

family when the summons came and was

in every way reconciled to her fate.

The physicians in attendance had given

up all hope of her recovery a few days

ago, consequently the news of her death

had been expected by her numerous

relatives and friends.

Mrs. McMenamin was one of the

earliest residents of South Heberton,

which is now a part of the Second ward.

With her husband she located there

thirty-five years ago, after her marriage

in Jeddo to John McMenamin, who pre-

ceded her in death eighteen years ago.

The deceased was aged 54 years and

is survived by two sons and three

daughters, as follows: John J., man-

ager of the Grand opera house, and

Hugh A., of town; Mrs. John Rogan, of

South Centre street; Sister M. Camells,

of Mercy hospital, Wilkesbarre, and

Miss Annie, who resides at home.

She is also survived by one brother,

Peter Shovlin, of Midvalley, Columbia

county, and the following sisters: Mrs.

Andrew McDevitt, Freeland; Mrs. Condy

Gallagher, Beaver Meadow; Mrs. Condy

McGill, Hazleton, and Mrs. Patrick

McGill, Jeddo.

The funeral will take place at 9.30

o'clock on Wednesday morning. A

requisite mass will be read at St. Ann's

church at 10 o'clock. The interment

will be made at St. Ann's cemetery.

Mrs. William Kimmel died shortly

before noon today at the home of her

daughter, Mrs. John Menealey, Sandy

Run. The deceased was a resident of

this vicinity for many years past and

had a large number of friends in this

section.

She was 76 years of age and is sur-

vived by one son, William, of Freeland,

and the following daughters: Mrs.

John Oeschman, Freeland; Mrs. Conrad

Lutz, Ashley, and Mrs. John Menealey,

Sandy Run.

The funeral will take place on Wed-

nesday afternoon. Services will be

conducted by Rev. J. B. Kerschner at

St. John's Reformed church. Inter-

ment at Freeland cemetery.

William Krommes, a resident of East

Butler, was instantly killed by a fall of

rock in No. 9 mine, Upper Lehigh, on

Saturday. The accident occurred about

9 o'clock and it required several hours

hard work to recover the body from

under the mass of rock which fell.

Mr. Krommes had worked at Upper

Lehigh for a number of years and was

known as a careful worker. He is sur-

vived by a wife and seven children.

THEATRICAL.

"The Fast Mail," which appears at

the Grand this evening, is said to be the

most successful railroad and scenic

melodrama on the road this season. L.

J. Carter, the author and manager, has

contrived to weave into a consistent

story nearly all the good points of the

Mississippi river steamer, its engine

room showing a practical furnace, and

the explosion with "complete change of

scene behind a curtain of rising smoke,"

in the rear of which is seen the wreck,

as the curtain falls on the second act;

the full size freight train, with its real-

istic engine and fourteen box cars, with

their familiar lettering, followed at the

close of the third act by the Fast Mail;

and thrilling incidents and hair-breadth

escapes which take place there; and

finally, the full front view of Niagara

Falls, as seen from the centre of Suspend-

ion Bridge, upon which the curtain de-

scends.

Denman Thompson's "Our New Min-

ister" will be given here for a return

date tomorrow evening. Its success on

its first presentation here a few weeks

ago led Manager McMenamin to book

it at once for an early reappearance.

"Our New Minister" is a great play, for

critics everywhere pronounce it better

than "Old Homestead." It pulses with

that which is simple and gentle and

nearest and dearest to one's heart. It

is a play that parents will enjoy bring-

ing their children to see, and profit by.

It first came to Freeland modestly

advertised, modestly announced, there

was no flourish, no great promise, and

the pleasure it gave all who witnessed it

was all the more enjoyable because of

its moderate expectations. A sparkling

stream of Yankee humor runs through-

out the play that wins an audience at

the start. The same excellent company

will be seen.

"A Trip to Buffalo" Company gave a

fine performance on Friday evening,

and the large audience enjoyed the

excellent musical program. The com-

pany was all that it had been repre-

sented to be, but through an unfortunate

accident the play was marred by the

cold. Both the audience and the actors

were chilled, as the steam-heating pipes

burst at several points shortly before

the house was opened. The manage-

ment regret the inconvenience suffered

by the patrons.

The Swiss Bell Ringers entertained

a crowded house on Saturday evening.

The entertainment was the fifth under

the auspices of the Mining and Me-

chanical Institute. The next will take

place on March 15, when "Richie," in

music and magic, will appear.

A large audience enjoyed the program

rendered last evening under the aus-

pices of the Young Men's Corps. Con

Carbon, of Wilkesbarre, and Con Mc-

Auliffe, a New York piper, created

much amusement.

LOCAL NOTES

Short Items of Interest to

All Readers.

Happenings of the Past

Two Days in and Around

Freeland Recorded With-

out Waste of Words.

The Sisters of Mercy fair at Krell's

hall closed on Saturday evening. The

attendance was very large and the

greater part of the exhibits was dis-

posed of. Owing to the short time the

fair was open, some of the contests were

not closed and the disposition of a few

large articles was postponed to a date

to be announced later.

Written notices have been sent to all

the subordinate branches of stationary

firemen in the anthracite region calling

for a convention to be held at Nanticoke

on March 1. It is understood that the

object of the convention is to make a de-

mand on the coal companies for an

eight-hour day.

Owing to the closing of McMenamin's

store, on account of the death of Man-

ager McMenamin's mother, the sale of

tickets for "The Fast Mail" and "Our

New Minister" has been transferred to

the Tribune office. Patrons who wish

to buy tickets before the doors open can

be accommodated here.

A. Oswald has the agency for the cele-

brated Elysian's extracts and perfumery.

The finest goods made. Try them.

Messrs. John J. McNelis, James North

and Hugh Kennedy, of Drifton, went to

Wilkesbarre today and were accom-

panied by a large number of men who

will take the examination for citizen-

ship.

Notwithstanding the intense cold on

Saturday the remains of the late Mrs.

John Turnbach were followed to St.

John's cemetery, Butler valley, by a

large number of relatives and friends.

The first issue of the Hazleton Item

made its appearance this morning. It

is a seven-page four-column paper and

the initial number is well filled with

advertising and local news.

Misses Fanny A. and Susie Ferry,

who have been spending the past month

with relatives in Philadelphia, Wash-

ington and Atlantic City, returned home

Saturday evening.

The workmen engaged at No. 5 col-

liery, Jeddo, cleaning the debris of the

recent flood, expect to reach the bodies

of the drowned mules today or tomorrow.

Fresh fish every day during Lent at

Hartman's market, next to Central hotel.

D. S. & S. Railroaders on the branch

are making much extra time. On Sat-

urday crews were out for three and four

hours longer than was expected.

The condition of William Keiper, who

is suffering from a severe attack of rheu-

matism, is somewhat improved today.

A month's mind mass will be celebrat-

ed at St. Ann's church tomorrow at 9 a.

m. for the late John Campbell.

Con E. Breslin has succeeded John J.

McGill as Freeland correspondent of

the Hazleton Standard.

A collection for the Negroe and Indian

Missions will be taken up at St. Ann's

church next Sunday.

Councilman James P. McNelis and

Street Commissioner Daniel Shovlin are

dressed jury duty this week.

Ice cream at Merk's.

Foster night school at Drifton will be

closed this evening, if the attendance

does not improve.

Ash Wednesday will be observed with

special services in several of the churches

of town.

Miss Bid Cunningham, of Mauch

Chunk, spent yesterday in town.

William Tully, of Mauch Chunk, spent

Sunday with Freeland friends.

W. J. Purcell left this morning for

Brooklyn, N. Y.

Orders are being issued for the vacci-

nation of all the mine workers at collieries

in and near smallpox infested towns in

the Wyoming valley.

Dr. A. W. Watt, who was on trial on

Saturday, charged with embezzling \$1,500,

was acquitted. Dr. Weller, the prose-

cuter, must pay the costs.

A suit was commenced on Saturday

by A. C. McHenry against the city for

\$10,000 damages. McHenry says he was

thrown from his bicycle and injured by

riding into a hole on a street in Wilkes-</