

# The Evening Herald.

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ONE CENT.

## THE SURE ROAD TO OPULENCE LIES KNEE-DEEP THROUGH PRINTER'S INK

### Republican State Ticket.

**AUDITOR GENERAL:**  
GEN. DAVID McMURTRIE GREGG

**STATE TREASURER:**  
CAPT. JOHN W. MORRISON.

*Delegates-at-Large to the Constitutional Convention:*

A. S. L. SHIELDS,	ISAIAH C. WEAR,
WM. I. SCHAEFFER,	HERMAN KREMER,
LOUIS W. HALL,	M. L. KAUFFMAN,
FRANK REEDER,	H. M. EDWARDS,
H. C. M'COY,	GEO. S. SCHMIDT,
J. H. POMEROY,	CYRUS ELDER,
JOHN CESSNA,	JOHN S. LAMBLE,
WM. B. ROGERS,	JAMES L. BROWN,
TERRENCE V. POWDERLY.	

### County Ticket.

**Judge—Hon. D. B. Green.**  
**Sheriff—Benjamin Smith.**  
**Jury Commissioner—Maj. William Clark.**  
**Poor Director—George Heffner.**  
**Unexpired Term—Harry E. McGinnis.**

*Constitutional Convention Delegates.*

ROBERT ALLISON, Port Carbon.
S. BURD EDWARDS, Pottsville.
J. H. POMEROY, Shenandoah.
JOHN J. COYLE, Mahanoy City.

### "INDICTED."

First—We, without cataloguing our numerous virtues, realize and affirm that respect for facts and general common sense should prevail in all party contests.

Second—We arraign and condemn the Democratic State Convention for wilfully ignoring the fact that the Republican upon whom it vents its righteous indignation was promptly tried and severely punished for his wrong-doing, in a city whose government in all branches is Republican.

Third—We arraign and condemn the said convention for wilfully ignoring the fact that there are nine State Treasurers elected by Democrats who are defaulters, and many of them fugitives, which like record is not to be found in the history of the Republican party.

Fourth—We arraign and condemn the said convention for wilfully ignoring the fact that stealing is a fault of human nature and not a peculiarity of

**35 CENTS PER YD.**  
for a GOOD HOME-MADE  
RAG STAIR CARPET, taken out of the loom to-day.

**C. D. FRICKE'S**  
Carpet Store, 10 South Jardin St., near Centre

## THREE TIMES A WEEK!

We receive direct from the Creamery, same day as churned,  
**CHOICE CREAMERY BUTTER,**  
Also FRESH DAIRY BUTTER Every Week.

Just opened another lot of  
**NEW No. 1 MACKEREL,**  
This season's catch. Also Large Bloat Mackerel.

About 150 Bushels will close out our stock of OLD  
**WHITE OATS.** We have for sale 2,500 bushels of choice  
**NEW WHITE OATS.**

Chop of all kinds—Rye Chop, Corn Chop, Oats Chop,  
Corn and Oats Chop, Bran and Middlings.

Don't forget to examine our stock of  
**FLOOR OIL CLOTHS!**  
In all widths, quality and prices.

New All-wool Blankets, in White, Scarlet and Grey.  
**AT KEITER'S.**

party, except in so far as evil communications in corrupting good manners have led Democratic state treasurers into it.

Fifth—We arraign and condemn the said convention for the want of common sense in assuming that it can successfully do the cattle fish act in exhausting its ink bag in interminable resolutions about the sins of Republicanism while Democracy escapes censure for its own.

Twenty-second—We believe that when the Democracy comes out of the pending contest it will not be so pretty as it is now, but will know a great deal more.—Pittsburg Times.

Raw wool is taxed because we can raise sufficient quantities of it to reduce the price of the foreign article and give employment to many thousand of our own people. Raw silk is not taxed because we practically cannot raise any of it at all and as the foreigners would control our markets they would simply add the tariff to the price. Raw cotton is not taxed because we raise all we need, and have plenty to send abroad, owing to the protection, which we enjoy by reason of our soil being suited to the cultivation better than that of most other countries.

Is it worth noting that while the price of print cloths has come down under protection from 25 cents a yard in 1830, and 8 cents in 1850-6, to about 3 cents a yard at present, the rate of wages is double that of 1830 and about 25 per cent. more than in the decade before the war? This shows that protection does not mean higher prices for the consumer, although it does mean higher wages for the workingman.

### A Safe Investment.

Is one which is guaranteed to bring you satisfactory results, or in case of failure a return of purchase price. On this safe plan you can buy from our advertised Druggist a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It is guaranteed to bring relief in every case when used for any affection of Throat, Lungs or Chest, such as Consumption, Inflammation of Lungs, Bronchitis, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup, etc., etc. It is safe and agreeable to take, perfectly safe, and can at any time be depended upon. Trial bottles free at C. H. Hagenbuch's Drug Store.

Buy Keystone flour. Be careful that the name is Lesco & Co., Ashland, Pa., is printed on every sack. 3-3-3aw

Four tintypes for 25 cents, at Dabb's. tf

### A BOY ABDUCTED.

#### A MOTHER CHARGED WITH STEALING HER CHILD.

### A PECULIAR CASE FOR THE COURT

#### A Boy Taken From School and Hidden From Its Adopted Parents—The Mother Under Arrest.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cooper, widow of the late Joseph H. Cooper, was to-day arrested by Officer Williams on a warrant issued by Squire Williams. She is charged with seducing her six-year-old son, Roland J., from one of the rooms in the Centre street school building.

Joseph H. Cooper died a few months ago and left a wife and three small children, one of which was Roland J., who was a sickly child. One of the children died shortly after the father, and the mother, in her distress, felt that she could not care for the invalid child.

William E. Phillips, whose wife was a sister of the late Mr. Cooper, took the invalid and had it in charge for several weeks. The child regained health and Mr. Phillips and his wife offered to return it to the mother, but she still felt unable to provide for it and, as an attachment had been formed between the child and the Phillips, arrangements were made for an apprenticeship. This was arranged through Squire Williams and the Directors of the Poor. William E. Phillips became the guardian of the child and it was sent to school under the name of Roland J. Phillips.

Subsequently Mrs. Cooper, the mother, repented her action and decided to get the child back. According to Mr. Phillips, she determined to resort to illegal methods and he was equally determined to hold the child.

Mr. Phillips learned that the mother had declared she would steal the child from school some day and Miss Elizabeth Linton, the boy's teacher, was notified not to let the mother have the child should she call at the school room for it.

This morning Mrs. Cooper called at the school room and demanded the child. Miss Linton made known the orders she received, but Mrs. Cooper insisted that she was the mother of the boy and demanded possession of him. Meanwhile the child had been called to the door and upon seeing Mrs. Cooper he ran back to his seat. After some parleying the mother brushed the teacher aside, hurried to the seat and pulled the boy out of the school room. The child screamed and kicked. He evidently did not wish to go with his mother, but the latter was determined and disappeared with the boy, leaving his hat and books in the school room. This occurred at about 11 o'clock.

Shortly after 1 o'clock this afternoon William E. Phillips swore out a warrant for Mrs. Cooper's arrest on the ground of abduction. Mrs. Cooper was arrested shortly after at her residence on South Jardin street. The boy could not be found and Mrs. Cooper refused to say where he was.

Mrs. Cooper was taken before Squire Williams and placed under \$1,000 bail for a hearing at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon.

The case is one with many peculiar features and the result will be awaited with interest.

Bring your tickets at time of sitting and receive a 14x17 crayon free. Roshon gallery, (Hoffman's old stand). 9-14-91

### Harvest Home.

Two very impressive and interesting services were held in the Trinity Reformed church, on West Lloyd street, yesterday. In the morning harvest home exercises were held. The church was profusely decorated with fruit, wheat and other harvest gleanings and presented a beautiful appearance. In the evening children's day exercises were held. They were of a very interesting character. Rev. Robert O'Boyle preached an eloquent harvest sermon. On both occasions the church was so crowded standing room could not be had. The offerings at the services amounted to twenty-one dollars and ten cents. The money, as announced by the pastor, will be given to the orphan's home at Womelsdorf.

### Crushed on the Rail.

Thomas Cressna, a Pole of town, fell asleep on a railroad track at Pottsville Saturday night and was run over by a shifting engine. His right leg was crushed above the knee. He was removed to the Miners' Hospital. Cressna is 19 years of age. The C. & P. policemen have been on the lookout for him on a charge of unlawfully drawing the pay of a miner of Jackson's patch.

Do you suffer with Consumption, Coughs or Colds? You can be cured if you take Parlin's Cough and Consumption Cure. 25 and 50 cts. Trial bottles free at Kirin's drug store.

### Night School.

The Business College night school opens this (Monday) evening, Sept. 14. 9-14-91

### MR. ROBERTS HONORED.

Presentation by the Welsh Baptist Sunday School.

John P. Roberts on Saturday resigned his position as chief clerk of the P. & R. C. & I. Co.'s district office at Indian Ridge colliery, and this morning left for Baltimore, Md., to enter the College of Physicians and Surgeons.

Mr. Roberts was also superintendent of the Welsh Baptist Sunday school. Last night he formally resigned the position. The scholars of the school and members of the church presented Mr. Roberts with a valuable set of medical works in token of their esteem. Among the works were Erichson's Surgery, two volumes, Dungsley's Medical Lexicon. Jonathan Rogers also presented an excellent work on medical practice. A case and silk cravat, by Mrs. Martha Jones; fountain pen, by Thomas Griffiths; silver napkin ring, by Richard Palmer, and many other valuable presents were made.

In acknowledging the gifts Mr. Roberts made an address that will serve the scholars of the Sunday school for future reference. He said: "I can assure you it pains me to sever my connections with the Sabbath school of this place. I have been identified with it from childhood and within those walls I have been imbued with principles of morality that shall undoubtedly have a controlling influence upon my whole future career. When, nearly three years ago, you elected me as its superintendent, I was deeply sensible of the responsibilities involved and it became an object of great desire to me to conduct the school in a manner that should meet with your highest approval and that should be conducive to the attainment of the objects for which this institution is so admirably designed; and I have ever since regarded the privilege of presiding over this school a high and honorable distinction, brethren. I approached the confidence you have placed in me, but my full appreciation of your esteem can best be shown by the exercise of a conscientious and consistent life, and I sincerely hope my future conduct shall be such as to merit your continued confidence and good will. I have always had a decided aversion for that disposition which is almost universal among young people—to squander their leisure time lethargically, or dissipate it in the cultivation of habits which render the accomplishment of anything desirable practically impossible, and which, by their development, tend to the destruction of their temporal and eternal happiness; while they would find an almost absolute revelation if they were to devote that time to self-improvement. In a short time they would wonder what enjoyment or what satisfaction they could ever have derived from association with the shallow and dissolute; they would then look forward to achievements which would be permanent and substantial, and to whatever heights they may attain new summits would continually present themselves, stimulating them to higher aspirations and to greater exertions, and the discipline thus secured would enable them to surmount every difficulty, to annihilate every defence until eventually everything desirable would seem attainable to them. To assist young people in the formation of such habits, I deem one of the grandest objects of the Sabbath school, the instruction therein imparted inciting them to research and study and contributing to the establishment in their minds of the fundamental principles of just, honorable and humane conduct, teaching them that our highest glory consists in implicit obedience to the will of Almighty God who alone is worthy of our supreme reverence and love. I have been frequently told that my absence from this school will be deplorable, but we have consolation in the belief that whenever God removes his workmen, he always has others to place in their stead, for we are taught that there is no chance or accident with God. All things are under His omnipotent control. May He continue to bless the Sabbath school to the fulfillment of its grand designs, to instruct the ignorant, elevate the debased, reform the habits of society, and lead the lost to a knowledge of the plan of salvation.

### Province Line

For Boston, White Mountains, Worcester and all resorts on the Eastern Coast and British Provinces. The world-renowned steamers Connecticut and Massachusetts leave Pier 20, North river (old No.) 6 o'clock of Warren street, New York, at 6 p. m., Sundays excepted. For tourist excursion books and further information apply to A. Moleed, Southern Passenger Agent, 830 Chestnut street, Philadelphia. 9-12-91

To get fine photographs go to the Roshon gallery, No. 29 West Centre street. (Hoffman's old stand). 9-14-91

### A Yankee Sheriff Frightened.

A well known sheriff, living in Maine, was given up to die with what his physician called Consumption; a friend advised him to try Parlin's Cough and Consumption Cure, recovery followed, and the doctor now uses it for Coughs, Colds and Consumption. Trial bottles free at Kirin's drug store.

Oysters are in season and the best in the market are at Coslett's. 8-22-91

### Another Lot

Of second-hand school books, just received from New York Clearing Sale Company. For sale at half price at Max Reese's. 9-5-91

### SUNDAY DOINGS!

#### LARGE ATTENDANCES AT ALL THE TOWN CHURCHES.

#### GLEANINGS BY THE REPORTERS.

Rev. Powick's Sermon in the M. E. Church—Harvest Home Service in the Trinity Reformed Church.

The sermon yesterday morning at the Methodist Episcopal church was on "The Obligations Growing out of a Christian Profession." The text was from I Peter 1:17-19. It is too much to expect all men to agree with our beliefs in every particular, but it is not much to expect them to be consistent with their own. We have a right to bind them down to the consequences of their own logic. Hence those who call upon God as Father—who claim the relation to Him of children, ought to "pass the time of their sojourning in fear." Men often neglect and despise religious truths, but they are of such importance that "angels desire to look into them." Men do not escape the obligations of religion by evading them nor by failing to make a religious profession. God demands no more of a sinner than he does of a sinner. There is but one standard for both. But the world expects more—and the world is right. The value of personal religion is seen in the difference between the controlling purposes of saints and sinners—in their aims and pursuits and aspirations. If there is no discernible difference in these there is something wrong—the motives by which the apostle enforces his admonition are, first, that God is our judge and will judge us at the last day, not according to our professions of faith and love, but according to our "work of faith and labor of love." In our reaction from ritualism and formalism we sometimes swing over to the other extreme of lightly esteeming morality and everything but the bare experience of salvation. The other motive, viz: that we are redeemed with the precious blood of Christ is to the same end; for our redemption is from a vain, empty, indolent, lazy, worthless manner of life to a fruitful, spirited and useful life, devoted to the interests of what God loves and to the hatred of what God hates as a condition of sharing a place with him in heaven. The Christian's highest welfare and object of aspiration must ever be found in his redemption by the blood of Christ, but their principal value to the world consists in the deeds of holy daring of which it is the source.

Firemen's contest for a handsome banner Wednesday night at Robbins' opera house. 9-14-91

### PERSONAL.

John H. Evans went to Pottsville this morning.

Robert Hyde, of Pottsville, was a visitor to town yesterday.

J. R. Coyle, Esq., spent Saturday afternoon at Lakeland.

Joseph Haath, of New Philadelphia, spent yesterday in town.

Miss Sallie Griffith left town to-day for Lancaster, where she will locate.

Mrs. O. B. Williams, of New Philadelphia, visited friends in town yesterday.

Recorder Scheurman, of Mahanoy City, was in town for a short time on Saturday.

Mrs. W. N. Ehrhardt spent Saturday and Sunday with a brother at Solomon's Gap.

Dr. Gillett spent this morning in Pottsville on business connected with his Indian show.

Louis Lawrence, an old and popular resident of Middleport, spent Saturday in town.

Alex. Butler, the handsome and popular conductor, of Delano, spent Saturday at Tamaqua.

J. Harry James, Esq., the hustling chairman of the Republican County Committee, was in town on Saturday.

Rev. John Grubler occupied the pulpit of St. Paul's Lutheran church of Orwigsburg yesterday afternoon.

Chief of Police Amour, S. G. M. Hollopeter, Esq., H. C. Boyer and D. R. Lewis spent to-day at the county seat.

Hugh Evans and Thomas H. Williams left town this morning for Williamsport, where they will enter Dickinson Seminary.

Mrs. Kistler, wife of Dr. William F. Kistler, of Minersville, spent Sunday in town the guest of Dr. J. S. Kistler's family.

Mrs. D. E. Whitenight, of Tamaqua, who spent several days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Ehrhart, returned home on Saturday.

Robert P. Binning, who spent the past four weeks travelling through the Western part of the state for Robbins and Houseick, the hat and cap manufacturers of town, returned to town Saturday night. His trip was a highly successful one.

James P. Williams, of the Columbia; William Mitchell, of the Phoenix; and Richard Reese, of the Rescue Hook & Ladder Co., left to-day for Lock Haven to attend the Firemen's Convention.

### LET US HAVE IT.

#### Shenandoah Needs Improvements in the Postal Facilities.

That wonderful progressive work has been accomplished in connection with the mail service of this town during the past year and a half is an indubitable fact. With the inauguration and successful application of the free-delivery system in the town, so that we have a system second to none in the state, and with the addition of many facilities for depositing and arrival of mails, we have been exceedingly fortunate. But there is much to be accomplished. The present system is yet crude, particularly the arrangements for getting the mails to and from neighboring towns.

Last July the Honorable Superintendent Jackson was engaged in securing information to assist him in making the mail service for superior to any ever enjoyed by the towns north of the mountain. This statement has been verified to some extent, as evidenced by the sentiments of Ashland and Mahanoy City voters the past few weeks. But the largest town in the county has escaped the beneficial influence of Superintendent Jackson's energy and enterprise. We congratulate the neighboring towns that rejoice in improvements and hope that we will not be far behind them.

The postal service between Shenandoah and Frackville is of a backward character. One day last week a gentleman spoke forcibly to a Herald reporter on the necessity for a change. He wrote a letter and wanted to get it to Frackville which, via the Pennsylvania railroad, is but four miles distant from Shenandoah. The letter was mailed after five o'clock and an early reply was needed. It would not have been until 7:30 the next morning, on a Philadelphia & Reading train, and arrived at Frackville, via Tamaqua and Pottsville, at 1:40 p. m. A reply was written at once. It reached Shenandoah at 9 p. m., after the post office was closed, and remained in the post office until the next delivery, 7:15 the morning. It will be seen that forty hours elapsed before a reply to that important letter was received.

A letter leaving Frackville at 8:10 a. m. goes by the Reading route to Pottsville, Tamaqua and Mahanoy Plains, and, after travelling fifty miles, reaches Shenandoah at 2:30 p. m.

A letter dropped in the town post office after 5:30 p. m. for Ashland, Shamokin or points north of Mahanoy Plains cannot leave until 11:30 a. m. the next day and arrives at the destination too late for a reply on the second day.

As one improvement, it is suggested that a closed pouch could be made up at Shenandoah and sent to Mt. Carmel and Shamokin, via the Lehigh Valley railroad, at 8:52 a. m. A return mail could be received here, via the same route, at 8:09 p. m.

The proposed new mail route between Pottsville and Ashland over the Pennsylvania and Lehigh Valley Railroads, via Delano, would be just the thing. It would take in all the large towns north of the mountain. The agents could make two round trips daily and the service would be of inestimable value to the business men of the Mahanoy City and Shenandoah Valleys. A closed pouch could be used between Shenandoah and Frackville at least twice a day, making connection with the new mail agent between Ashland and Pottsville at Shenandoah.

Postmaster General Wanamaker is desirous of giving the people the best service possible and if Superintendent Jackson wants to serve the interests of the Postmaster General and the people of this section he will bring the last named service to a focus as speedily as possible.

Shenandoah, Mahanoy City, Girardville and Ashland, four towns with an aggregate population of about 40,000 are without postal facilities that far smaller and less important towns enjoy.

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### Concert Each Evening.

Willie Kendrick, the phenomenal cornetist of the U. S. Marine Band, is home on a vacation and will play at his parents' home, the Kendrick House, each evening, rendering some of the most difficult and popular solos of the day, accompanied by the Kendrick orchestra. Changes of programme each evening. 9-3-91

## IT IS NEAR TIME

You are thinking of taking in your flowers, and you will want some pots. We got a lot of very cheap ones Monday, and when you are ready to plant don't forget that you can get them at

**GRAF'S,**  
No. 122 North Jardin Street.