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AFFAIRS CAUGHT HASTILY.

What News Gatherers Take a Moment to Tell About.

Lengthening days, Leap year gags in order. The sleds have had a chance.

The new year is moving on. A new color is called "in candescent."

The cold waves hurry away too rapidly. Attend the week of prayer services this week.

What will the ice harvest be hereabout? A man breathes seven hogheads of air in a day.

Slippery pavements caused many a fall Wednesday. How are you getting along with your resolutions?

Shawls are said to be on the road to favor again. A rich evening cloak is a combination of camel's hair and velvet.

Boys are put in long trousers much earlier than they used to be. A gold-backed moustache brush is one of the novelties of the season.

The crescent of the new moon illumines the western sky these evenings. Violet ink is in use by the fashionable, but black ink is never out of style.

A run of good sleighing would liven up things and improve business. A good many sleds and considerable sickness in the town at this time.

Buttons made of potatoes are the latest. They can be made as hard as stone.

The Most Pleasant Way Of preventing the grippe, colds, head aches, and fevers is to use the liquid laxative remedy Syrup of Figs.

Coming Events. Jan. 19—Supper and dance in the Primitive Methodist school room.

Jan. 20—Demorest contest in Ferguson's Theatre, under the auspices of the "Y."

Jan. 25—Grand ball at Wm. Penn for benefit of Mrs. Cochr.

A Surprise. Keep your eye on this local Kasegy, the photographer, will have his new opening in a few days and will have something interesting that will surprise the people.

LOOK OUT! I am on my way to JAS. S. THOMAS' Canned Goods and Jellies!

Flour and Provisions! 118 W. COAL STREET. NEW DRUG STORE. Shapira's Pharmacy.

TO PROTECT YOUR LUNGS Procure one of our Chest Protectors.

DEBATE ON WATER!

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Mr. Holman: "Let the people say so." Mr. Warm: "They told us at the meeting. But you find that the men who don't own a shingle are the kickers."

Mr. Gable: "I gave Mr. Holman all the information I had myself. I am satisfied Mr. Holman knows the amount will not reach near the amount asked by the water company."

Mr. Schaffly: "I am in favor of the borough owning water works, gas works and electric light works. The borough ought to own everything; but this committee ought to find out what this is going to cost, and not have any half-way business about it."

Mr. Van Dusen: "Ain't you one of that committee?" Mr. Schaffly: "Yes."

Mr. Amour: "It seems strange to me that this committee does not know what the works are going to cost." Mr. Gable: "We have not received all the bids."

Mr. James: "That is not a very good question. The gentleman heard Mr. Lamb say that we have surveys on the ground now and are making surveys for pipes and dams and are getting plans of the town to give us an idea of what amount of pipe, fire plugs, and so on will be necessary. Before that is done it will be impossible to give the cost of the plant."

Mr. Amour: "Haven't they got an estimate of what the pipes, pumps, reservoirs, etc., are going to cost?" Mr. James: "Yes."

Mr. Amour: "Then why don't you give the information?" Mr. Gable: "We don't know the miles." Mr. Lamb: "It will cost in the neighborhood of \$7,000 per mile and it is 43 miles, actual measurement right into the town. We don't know, because we haven't the miles required. It will cost \$5,000 to \$7,000 per mile, less than that according to measurements. The engines will cost from \$7,000 to \$20,000. The only thing that bothers us at the present time is we can't give more information. But council should remember that these people were heart and hand with us when this action was taken. They know we have been spending money and know we are doing it right along. And yet, right here they say we don't agree to go further, because we don't know what it is going to cost. Why, members of our committee can't come and sit in our meetings. We have no star chamber business about it. But there are none so blind as those who won't see."

Mr. Devers: "Is this committee going ahead on the \$45,000? What is to be the result after that?" Mr. James: "We are going to ask the people to increase it and the people are ready to do it."

Mr. Warm: "I don't know a member of the committee more ready to give all particulars of the cost than I am. I believe Mr. Lamb and Mr. Gable and the rest here would give all the figures if they could. I don't think it right this ragging should be going on."

Mr. Van Dusen: "I move the resolutions be adopted." Mr. Warm: "I second the motion." The motion was carried.

Ward Assessor Frank C. Reese asked that Council appoint two competent men to assist in making assessments. On motion, the request was granted and the finance committee was instructed to act in conjunction with the assessors in making the selection.

The bill of the electric light company for extending the system to Turkey Run was presented and paid. The bill amounted to \$392.88.

Council decided that where a paid police officer is disabled for duty by sickness the substitute shall be paid by the borough, and not out of the officer's salary.

The law committee reported that Mrs. Lloyd will in all probability take her suit to the Supreme Court.

The law committee was instructed to make another offer to Mr. Burke, of West Centre street, for a settlement of the grave question. This offer will be council's ultimatum. Mr. Burke will be asked if council will open the disputed culvert, will be satisfied and pave and gutter his premises.

On motion of Mr. Betteridge, John Stanton was elected to fill the unexpired term of his father as High Constable.

Mr. Devers arose and said that he had been convinced that there was no foundation for the charges he made against Mr. Lamb at the meeting before the last. "I withdraw the charges and am sorry for making them."

Mr. Lamb: "I am thankful for the gentleman doing what is right by me." After the reading of bills council adjourned.

"St. Perkins." To all lovers of Yankee life the play this evening is awaited with considerable interest. "St. Perkins" is a well known character and has become famous as the hero of a play of the same name that abounds in many thrilling situations, an abundance of comedy scenes and plenty of singing and dancing. It is all of the country kind and like the many rural productions now before the public is simply a picture of homely farm life cleverly told. It will be a complete performance in every way and the play has been almost all overhauled since its last presentation in this city last season, when it made a decided impression.—Sunbury Daily.

"St. Perkins" will be presented at Ferguson's theatre to-night.

Physicians' prescriptions have failed to reach many cases of rheumatism known to have been subsequently cured by Salvation Oil. That is the reason why the popular voice is practically unanimous in its favor. One bottle is usually sufficient.

ALMSHOUSE APPOINTMENTS.

Shenandoah Secures Three of the Positions.

SCHUYLKILL HAVEN, Jan. 8.—The following almshouse appointments were made yesterday: Steward—Elijah Emerick, of Schuylkill Haven. Stewardess—Mrs. Elijah Emerick. Physician—Dr. C. Carr, of St. Clair. Clerk—John J. O'Connor, Pottsville. Solicitor—Watson F. Shepherd, Pottsville.

Keeper of the Insane (males)—M. J. Tracey, Shenandoah. Matron of the Insane (males)—Mrs. M. J. Tracey.

Keeper of the Insane (females)—Uriah Walborn, Pine Dale. Matron of the Insane (females)—Mrs. Uriah Walborn.

Night Keeper of Insane—W. Cullen, New Philadelphia. Night Matron of Insane—Mrs. W. Cullen.

Hospital Steward—T. J. Bergan, Frackville. Hospital Stewardess—Mrs. T. J. Bergan. Night Nurse at Hospital—Michael McNeal, St. Clair.

Keeper of Old Hospital—Patrick Bergan, Heckscherville. Matron of Old Hospital—Mrs. Patrick Bergan.

Schoolmaster—J. F. Buck, Ashland. Night Watchman—Pierre Condon. Fireman—W. Hillan, Girardville. Baker—Charles Schief, Schuylkill Haven.

Farmer—John Brown, North Manheim. Teamster—Wm. Fohe, West Brunswick. Gatekeeper—Peter Brown, Newtown. Cook—Mrs. Lucy Moyer, Washington township.

Waitress—Miss Annie Gorman, Port Carbon. Laundress—Mrs. John Hines, Shenandoah. Milkmaid—Mrs. Kate Smith, Wayne township.

Tailoress—Henrietta Hurzel, Schuylkill Haven. Hospital Cook—Mrs. M. Harkins, Pottsville.

For the Grip Cough. A remedy recommended for patients afflicted with the grip is Kemp's Balsam, which is especially adapted to diseases of the throat and lungs. Do not wait for the first symptoms of the disease, but get a bottle and keep it on hand for use the moment it is needed. If neglected the grip has a tendency to bring on pneumonia. All druggists sell the Balsam.

Waters' Weiss Beer is the best. John A. Reilly sole agent. 5-6-1f

Notice. All members of Frank Ridge Lodge, 880, I. O. O. F., are requested to be present at their next regular meeting, Friday, January 8, 1892, to make arrangements to attend the funeral of our late brother, William Bent.

The Bent Funeral. The funeral of the late William Bent will take place from his late residence, corner of Cherry and West streets, on Saturday, 7th inst., at 2 p. m. Interment in the Odd Fellows' cemetery, Shenandoah, Pa. Shenandoah Lodge, No. 511, F. & A. M., will meet at their hall at 1:15 p. m. Members of the craft are respectfully invited to attend. 1-7-2t

Deserving Praise. We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as well, or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits. C. H. Hagenbach, Druggist.

Mrs. Edward Doherty, of North Emerick street, has entirely recovered from her recent illness, and is now able to be about.

Found Out. The best and easiest way to get rid of a Cough or cold that may develop into consumption is to use Dr. King's Cough Remedy. This is a remarkable specific for the quick cure of the difficult and dangerous throat and lung troubles. Its equal can't be found. Price 25 cents. Dr. King's Remedy is sold at P. P. D. Kirlin's drug store.

Best work done at Brennan's steam laundry. Everything white and spotless. Lace curtains a specialty. All work guaranteed.

Coughing Leads to Consumption. Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once. Ask for Van Houten's Cocoa—take no other. 1-4-1w

It has been proven by trying witnesses that Pan-Tina is a remarkable specific for the quick cure of the difficult and dangerous throat and lung troubles. Its equal can't be found. Price 25 cents. Pan-Tina is sold at P. P. D. Kirlin's drug store.

Buy Keystone flour. Be careful that the name Llesato & Co., Ashland, Pa., is printed on every sack. 8-3-2aw

Be wise in time and procure Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup which always cures coughs and colds, and prevents consumption. Price 25 cents a bottle.

Best photographs and crayons at Dabbe's THE CHEAPEST HOUSE IN TOWN FOR Harness, Whips, Robes, Blankets George Robinson, West Centre Street, Shenandoah. 5-A Horse Blankets a specialty.

BANK ELECTION.—The annual election of the stockholders of the Merchants' National Bank of Shenandoah, Pa., will be held at the Banking House, Tuesday, January 12th, 1892, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., for the purpose of electing thirteen directors to serve the ensuing year. 12-19-1t E. B. HUNTER, Cashier.

FOR RENT—A desirable dwelling house containing six rooms, 33 East Centre street. Apply to B. C. Knight. 1-8-1t

POLITICAL CARDS.

Announcements of candidates for borough offices will be made in this column at the following rates: Chief Burgess, \$5; Receiver of Taxes, \$5; High Constable, \$3. All others, \$1. Payable in advance.

FOR CHIEF BURGESS, James B. Lessig. Subject to the decision of the Citizens' Borough Convention.

FOR HIGH CONSTABLE, David Evans. Subject to the decision of the Citizens' Borough Nominating Convention.

Big Cut in Prices. CHAS. YAROWSKY'S, 23 West Centre Street.

DRY GOODS AND NOTIONS! The following prices are out of reach of any other in town: Best Underwear, 25c a piece. - 10 Kings, fine quality, 3 pair for 25c. Table Cloth, all styles, Toweling, 5c per yard. Handkerchiefs, 6 for 25c. Linen Tablecloths, by the yard, 5c a piece. Nice line of Bedspreads, and a full line of

Gents' Furnishing Goods. STOVE: REPAIRS! All kinds kept on hand.

THE NEW BROADWAY RANGE Wherever sold has given universal satisfaction. All kinds of

Job Work in Tinsmith Line! Promptly attended to at reasonable rates. WM. R. PRATT, 331 South Jardin St.

Good Horses! Nice Buggies! Fine Double Carriages! In charge of good, careful, responsible drivers to hire at all times and at reasonable rates at

EVAN J. DAVIES' LIVERY AND FEED STABLE, 12 and 14 North Pear Alley. Rear of Luber's hardware store. Horses taken to board. Careful attention given to feeding horses. All kinds of HAULING attended to promptly—charges moderate.

UNDERTAKING Faithfully and promptly attended to.

FINE FOOTWEAR We carry the finest selection of Men's, Boys', Ladies' and Children's Footwear in the county. Our stock is entirely new, and you'll find our prices far below others.

BOYS' SHOES, \$1.00 PER PAIR! Every pair warranted to give good satisfaction.

GOOD QUALITY RUBBER BOOTS, \$2 per Pair. Full line of Men's Patent Shoes, which will be disposed of at a sacrifice, with a 25 to 50% off.

The People's New Shoe Store Cor. Centre street and Market alley. Harrison Building, opp. Bunn's jewelry store, Shenandoah, Pa.

MAX GOLDMAN, MANAGER. 10 DAYS ONLY! 10

In accordance with our annual custom, we unload our surplus stock at a time previous to stock taking, and are offering the low remaining

OVERCOATS At Half Value. This special sale will only last for ten days. We are also disposing of our stock of

Shoes, Clothing, Notions, &c., at prices never heard of before in this town. Our stock must be reduced, and to do so we will not consider the price. Call early and secure some of these great bargains.

THE ORIGINAL BARGAIN STORE, 23 S. MAIN STREET, Watch for the RED SIGN in front. Now is the Time!

TO PREPARE for winter. Every one is looking for the best goods for the least money. If you are seeking bargains in Hats or Caps just drop in to see Scamlan. He sells men's good fur caps for 50c, men's red underwear for 50c a piece, men's fine working gloves at 25c a pair, the

BEST OVERALLS in the MARKET 65c A PAIR. An excellent line of Grey Flannel shirts for working at the very lowest price. Big line of good winter shirts from 25c up to \$2.50. A Big Drive in NECKWEAR—Four-handkerchiefs and Ties at 25 cents, regular price 50 cents.

Something New in Puzzles. Scamlan has something new in this line. Any one giving the correct way of doing the puzzle will receive a \$1 hat or its equivalent. There are four ways of solving the puzzle, and the correct way must be given. These puzzles we are selling for 10c, and we will give one to the person purchasing \$2 worth of goods and over.

A new patent hat hanger given away with each hat purchased at 19 S. Main St.—SCANLAN—Shenandoah

G. M. HAMILTON, M. D., PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office—2 West Lloyd Street, Shenandoah, Pa.

Music Cabinets, Rattan and Plush Rockers. PARLOR SUITS, - - \$30.00 and upward. CHAMBER SUITS, - - \$20.00 and upward. LOUNGES, - - - - 4.50 and upward. EXTENSION TABLES, - - 4.00 and upward. BEDSTEADS, - - - 2.00 and upward. FINE LINE LADIES' DESKS, 10.00 and upward. OFFICE DESKS, - - - 15.00 and upward. EASELS, All Styles, - - 1.00 and upward. PICTURES—A Large Lot Just Opened for the Holiday-Trade, \$1.00 and upward—PICTURES. Wilcox & White Organs, PIANOS, WHITE SEWING MACHINES. J. P. WILLIAMS & SON, 13 South Main Street, SHENANDOAH, PA.

The Earth! Is a pretty big place, but you might wander all over it and not be offered anywhere else your pick of so many things. FOR FIVE CENTS That sum buys numerous articles on our counters, which are worth ten cents in other stores.

MORGAN'S BARGAIN BAZAR Clearing Out Sale! In Dress Goods, Shawls, Silk Haudkerchiefs, Gloves, Muffs, Ladies' and Children's COATS, Carpets, Rugs, Etc., at

BARGAINS IN COATS FOR THE NEXT WEEK TO CLEAR OUT THE STOCK J. J. PRICE'S, 113 North Main St., Shenandoah.

FOR SALE BY R. A. DAVENPORT, No. 6 South Jardin Street. Illustration of a large stove.

Burchill's Restaurant Cor. Main and Coal Sts., Shenandoah, Pa. Regular meals at popular prices served at all times. Ladies' dining room, refreshment rooms attached. Bar stocked with the finest brands of wine and fancy drinks.

LEATHER and SHOE FINDINGS P. J. CLEARY, Dealer in all kinds of Shoemakers' Supplies! Large and first-class stock. All Demands of the Trade Supplied. 18 W. CENTRE ST., Ferguson House building, SHENANDOAH, PA.

WALL PAPER BARGAINS! Largest and cheapest stock in town. Artistic Painting, Gilding and Decorating! J. P. CARDEN, 10-24m 224 W. Centre St., SHENANDOAH. CHRIS. BOSSLER'S SALOON AND RESTAURANT 201 N. Main St., Shenandoah. The Finest Stock of Beers, Ales, Ciders, &c.

Ferguson; House; Restaurant! (Under management of Enoch Lockett) Cor. Main and Centre Streets, FIRST-CLASS LUNCH COUNTER. Best beer, porter and ales always on tap. Cigar stand of the finest brands. WEEKS Has removed to Bill Jones' old stand 17 SOUTH MAIN STREET, Where he will be pleased to meet the wants of his friends and the public in Everything in the Drinking Line.