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OF ALL COMPETITORS,  
WHOSE QUALITY CONSIDERED  
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**16 OZ. TO THE POUND,**  
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**4 QUARTS TO THE GALLON**  
**AT SEVERN'S.**

**SOLID and plated Silver-ware, Gold and Silver Watches, Diamonds, Precious Stones, Clocks, Bronzes, Optical Goods, Banquet, Parlor and Piano Lamps, unique in design with 75 and 250 candle power burners. All goods superior in finish and quality with rock bottom prices that withstand all opposition victoriously.**

Repair work executed neatly and promptly at  
**Holderman's**

**Jewelry Store,**

The most progressive establishment in the county.

Corner Main and Lloyd Streets.

**LOCALETTES.**

Trailing arbutus.  
Warmer weather is promised.  
Some April ice the past few mornings.  
The birds got cold feet the past few days.  
Every idle person is neglecting some duty.  
The cold wave scared away the spring fever.  
In china-ware the severely plain will reign.  
Overcoats were again brought out this week.  
The cold spell suspended garden making.  
It is believed the cold has not hurt the fruit buds.  
Travelling jewelry will adorn the summer girl's slippers.  
Only the commonest matches are made in this country.  
French importers are displaying jeweled shoe buttons.  
Rosettes are taking the place of buckles on evening slippers.  
The feet of the American women are said to be growing larger.  
This is Passion Week and many of our churches were holding nightly services.  
A silver plate with your name engraved on it, to hang inside the hat band, is a novelty.  
The Shenandoah and Lost Creek clubs will cross bats at the latter place to-morrow afternoon.  
When they say the bride's costume was a dream do you mean to imply that it was an illusion?  
Napoleon line is a spring that with a grayish cast and is found to be especially becoming to blondes.  
The latest discovery in dentistry is that new teeth may be grafted on old roots and to grow as truly as the natural teeth.

When baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.  
When she was a child, she cried for Castoria.  
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.  
When she had children, she gave them Castoria.

**Fishing Tackle.**

A large lot of the finest fishing tackle, cheaper and better than ever, just received. Come and see me before purchasing else where and you will save money at  
**MAX RHESER'S,**  
Ferguson House, 13 W. Centre St.

The prettiest sarongs and oil cloths at  
Frick's, No. 10 South Jardin street.

Orders for EVENING HERALD should be left at Hooks & Bowen's news stand, No. 4 North Main street.

Kasey takes the lead. He is on the first floor. His motto is "Quality, not Quantity." Call and see him. 4-4-2f

**The Phoenix Ball.**

The ball of the Phoenix Base Company will be held in Robbins' opera house on Easter Monday, April 15th. Don't forget it. 4-4-2w

**Are You Going to Move?**

Everybody is moving, but you can be accommodated with any kind of a turnout you wish or driving, either single or double, at Evan J. Davies' Livery and Feed Stables, 14 and 16 North Pearl alley, near Luburg's hardware store.

**JAMES S. THOMAS,**  
Dealer in

**Choice Groceries!**

**PROVISIONS,**

**BUTTER AND EGGS,**

**Green Truck, &c.,**

**Cor. COAL AND WEST STS**

**OUR SOUVENIR EDITION.**

**Facts Concerning the Electric Railway and Its Promoters.**

With this issue of the HERALD is circulated a handsome souvenir edition commemorative of the opening for public travel of the Mahanoy City, Shenandoah, Girardville and Ashland Street Railway. The original intention was to issue the souvenir on the day set for the formal opening of the road, but this plan was frustrated by the sudden change of the railway company's plans, caused by the aggressive action of certain members of the Shenandoah Borough Council. So the souvenir is now issued in commemoration of the establishment and operation of an electric rail way line between Shenandoah and Girardville with the regret that it does not also mark the opening of other sections, as first intended.

The Mahanoy City, Shenandoah, Girardville and Ashland Street Railway is a monument commemorative of a campaign of enterprise, grit, perseverance and patience unequalled in the history of the county.

When the HERALD suggested three years ago that an electric railway would be a paying investment in this valley the people laughed at the idea and declared that a line could not be surveyed through the territory, much less operated. The HERALD hammered at the idea for months. Then all at once, the people of Mahanoy City issued a call for a public meeting to raise funds and secure an electric railway charter. This was an enterprising step for our neighbor to take, but it lacked speed and confidence, and others took the more business like step. Before the Mahanoy City people could get together and act, Hon. D. D. Phillips, of Gordon, M. J. Whalen (deceased), C. E. Titman, J. F. Finney, S. W. Yost, O. A. Kelm, B. J. Yost and H. C. Boyer of Shenandoah, and Hon. Elias Davis, of Broad Mountain, made application and secured a charter for a corporation to be known as the Mahanoy City, Shenandoah, Girardville and Ashland Street Railway Company, with powers to operate an electric railway in this and the Gilberton valleys.

The charter having been granted, the projectors commenced to look around for capital to act under it. The Shenandoah people having money to invest were approached and, at first, were inclined to respond, but they dickered so much over the matter that all negotiations were dropped and the charter was placed at the disposal of a number of out-of-town capitalists, headed by Judge W. F. Sadler, of Carlisle. Up to this time, and in fact up to the time the first pick was put into the ground for the construction of the present road, the "croakers" kept yelling that the charter was only a means for speculation and the right of ways were asked for simply to give it a color of marketable value with a view to selling it to one of the railroad companies.

The project laid dormant until last December, when the work of grading was begun between the outskirts of this town and Girardville. In the early part of January work on the power house at Rappahannock was commenced, and shortly after track work was begun at the west end of Coal street. The latter work was stopped a few days later on account of the ground being frozen too hard. Blasting was resorted to, but it was finally concluded that better work could be done after the breaking up of winter. Attention was then given to track laying in the western district. On February 31, four of the cars arrived in Shenandoah. They remained under the care of watchmen at the P. & B. freight depot for about three weeks and were then transferred to the power house, which was then under roof. In due time the engines were delivered at the power house. The dynamo and other electrical parts of the plant, together with the boilers, followed soon after and on March 22nd five cars were built under the boilers for the first time. At 4:57 p. m. that day W. F. Sadler, Jr., turned on the steam and set in motion one of the splendid Corliss engines. On April 4th work was resumed on the West Coal street section of the road, and on April 7th the first car was run from the power house to the corner of Main and Lloyd streets, Shenandoah. The next day cars were run in the heart of the town, at the corner of Main and Centre streets.

On the night of April 7th the Borough Council of Shenandoah met and eight of the members, a majority, instructed the Borough Solicitor to procure an injunction against the road because it had not paved its tracks. The next morning Judge Sadler, president of the railway company, decided to stop the road at the corner of Main and Centre streets and do no more new work in the town until he could receive some assurance. The result of the Council's action is outlined in the report of the indignation meeting of citizens in another column of this paper.

The franchise of the Mahanoy City, Shenandoah, Girardville and Ashland Street Railway Company is looked upon by prominent capitalists with electric railway experience as one of the most valuable in the town and the plant is one of the most complete and valuable in the country. On March 24th, last, Mr. F. B. Musser, superintendent of the East Harrisburg Electric Railway, inspected the plant and declared it "second to none. I don't know that I have ever seen one equal to it in general appearance and equipment."

**The Father of Many Ills.**  
Constitution lead to a multitude of physical troubles. It is generally the result of carelessness or indifference to the simplest rules of health. Eugene McKay of Bradford, Ont., writes:  
"I had for several years been a sufferer from constipation, had taken a great many different remedies, some of which did me good for a time but only for a time, then my trouble came back worse than ever. I was induced by a friend, whom Bradford's Pills had benefited, to try them. Took two each night for a week, then one every night for about six weeks. Since that time I have not experienced the slightest difficulty whatever, and my bowels move regularly every day. I believe firmly that for sluggishness of bowels and biliousness Bradford's Pills are far superior to any other."

Hall, artist and photographer, 29 West Centre street, Shenandoah. It

**Letter List.**  
The following letters remain uncalled for in the Shenandoah, Schuylkill county, Pa., post office, April 16, 1892:  
Davis Sarah  
Montgomery Charles  
Parties calling for advertised letters should please say "advertised." One cent will be charged on all advertised letters.  
H. C. BOYER, P. M.

**Now Try This.**  
It will cost you nothing and will surely do you good, if you have a Cough, Cold, or any trouble with Throat, Chest, or Lung. Dr. King's new Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is guaranteed to give relief, or money will be paid back. Sufferers from La Grippe found it just the thing and under its use had a speedy and perfect recovery. Try a sample bottle at our expense and learn for yourself just how good a thing it is. Trial bottles free at C. H. Hagenbuch's Drug Store. Large size 50c. and \$1.  
When the car stops ask for Hall's new gallery.

**County Committee Meeting.**  
The members of the Republican County Committee are hereby notified to meet in Centennial Hall, Pottsville, on Monday April 25, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing a County Chairman and transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.  
W. H. LEWIS,  
Chairman Co., Conv.  
4-14-92  
Stop the car and ask for Hall, the practical photographer.

**Here You Are.**  
M. I. Komerer, wholesale and retail confectioner, is now located at 35 North Main street. Finest Easter novelties in the county. The trade supplied at lowest wholesale rates. Orders for special designs and names on Easter eggs promptly attended to. 4-11-1m  
**Choral Union Meeting.**  
The Shenandoah Choral Union will meet Sunday evening, at 8 o'clock, in Robbins' hall. By order of the president. 4-15-2.

Best work done at Brennan's steam laundry. Everything white and spotless. Lace curtains a specialty. All work guaranteed.  
Hall, the practical photographer, 29 West Centre street, Shenandoah. It

Climb our stairs, it will pay you. We are better situated than any ground floor gallery in the town. Hall's, 29 W. Centre street.

**FOR SALE**—Two horses, one double and two single carriages, all harness, and everything else necessary for a livery business. Apply at this office. 4-16-1w

**"We Study to Please!"**  
Old Stand. New Goods  
EVERYTHING IN THE  
**GROGERY LINE**  
ALWAYS IN STOCK.

Fish, Butter and Eggs.  
Flour and Feed.  
Potatoes, Green Truck,  
Hay and Straw, &c., &c.  
**Gallagher's Cheap Cash Store!**  
(Muldoon's old stand)  
CORNER CENTRE AND WEST STREETS.

**A Cheerful Home.**  
"Well, Mary, how cheerful your home is. You always have such a cheerful fire."  
"Yes, 'cause we always have a good fire since we got our coal from Zerbe & Co.'s Mountain Colliery. Before we always had such a disagreeable fire in the morning. That made us all cross and crabbed; but now everything is lovely. And, besides, it is cheaper. Mrs. Shoemaker takes orders, does the collecting and delivering."

**George H. Williams**  
Will occupy the store-room,  
27 N. Jardin St., Shenandoah  
ON APRIL 1st.  
A full line of dry goods, groceries, oil cloths, provisions, etc. FLOUR 15c per barrel. Other goods in proportion. Prices of all competitors will be met.

**REMOVAL!**  
**ELLIS, The Tin and Stove Dealer,**  
has removed to the  
Cor. of Centre and Jardin Sts.,  
Where he will be pleased to meet all his old as well as many new customers as possible. Good work, fair price.

**SHENANDOAH**  
**READY-PAY STORE!**

**HALF-TIME**  
Means poor times for the hard-working man. Recognizing this fact we have made extra efforts to place within your reach goods so low that you can make your

**50c**  
BUY A  
**\$1.00**

Worth of goods of us, thus enabling you to live as well on half time (buying your goods of us) as you could on full time when you had to pay the

**High Credit Prices!**  
**READY-PAY STORE,**  
**SMITH & SWINGLE,**

OPPOSITE POST OFFICE,  
No. 114 South Main Street, Shenandoah, Pa.



**CARPETS!**  
OF ALL GRADES.

**GREATLY REDUCED PRICES!**

BRUSSELS from 50c up. Table and Floor Oil Cloths and Linoleums from 25c up. Window Shades, Rugs, Matts, Curtain Poles, etc., at low prices. The best line of Lace Curtains ever shown in town from \$1.00 a pair up.

**J. J. PRICE'S, OLD RELIABLE,**  
NORTH MAIN STREET.

**Ferguson's Theatre, Shenandoah.**  
ONE NIGHT ONLY.

Friday Evening, April 22, 1892.

THE COMEDIAN,  
**AARON H. WOODHULL,**  
Supported by Miss TROJA GRISWOLD in his great New York success, the sensational comedy drama,

**"UNCLE HIRAM!"**

Entirely revised, rewritten and made a superb scenic production. The thrilling Saw Mill scene in full operation on the stage. The wonderful railroad effect—an express train 300 feet long crossing the stage in ten seconds. The Brooklyn Bridge and Bartholdi Statue. We carry all our own scenery and will positively produce it as advertised. New music, new songs, new dances, humor and pathos, laughter and tears.  
Reserved seats now on sale at Kirtin's drug store.

PRICES, 25, 35 AND 50 CENTS.

**Best Made Clothing in Philadelphia.**



**A Corner in Hats.**

Some hats are neither worth throwing nor taking out of a corner. A good hat is light, durable, shapely and a pleasure to the wearer; a bad hat isn't worth powder enough to blow it into perdition. Good hats are no more expensive than bad ones, but bad hats are expensive at any price and sensible men couldn't be said to wear them. Our \$2 hat is a perfect gem, and there is no reason to be without one at this low figure. The same is true of our \$1 Neckwear and Suspenders. Good shirts from 50c up to \$2. All the newest things in men's underwear, collars and cuffs. Everything at rock bottom price.

**SCANLAN,**  
19 South Main St., Shenandoah.

**Baby Carriages**

Largest Assortment.  
**LATEST STYLES!**

Our Prices were never equalled before. We sell carriages cheaper than in Philadelphia or elsewhere. We have a full line of Heywood Carriages, and can furnish you any style for less than you  
**Can Buy at the Factory.**  
Call and see for yourself. We mean just what we say. Our prices will surprise you.



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No. 8 South Main Street,  
SHENANDOAH, PENNA.