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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
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Jewelry Store,

The most progressive establishment in the county.
Corner Main and Lloyd Streets.

LOCALITIES.

Leaves are shooting.
Spades are being polished.
House cleaners are at work.
Excursion times are coming.
A demand for Memorial day orators.
May flowers are preparing to bloom.
The oyster will soon take his vacation.
What is a spring hat without a pair of streamers?
Shenandoah will have the loveliest Decoration Day for many years.
The average life of a tradesman is about two-thirds that of a farmer.
The planet Venus is a beautiful object in the western sky these evenings.
Old Sol is gradually warming up and will soon be making humanity sweat.
Taken as her face value—the uneducated girl who is married for her beauty.
A good many runaways could be prevented by a little care on the part of the drivers.
Dressmakers make a very perceptible falling off in orders for the demi-train.
The sweet girl graduate is already planning her commencement costume.
A man's political friends are not always the men he would like to trade horses with.
When a fellow thinks the world owes him a living he is very apt to go out and put a lean on a lamp-post.
The wife of a politician must often wish that her husband was as enthusiastic over his family as he is over his country.

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise—A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood.—Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers.—For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters—Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded.—Price 50c., and \$1.00 per bottle at C. H. Hagenbuch's drug store.

Coming Events.

May 4th.—Benefit ball for Henry Bowman, who has been ill for over four years, at Robbins' opera house.
May 6th.—Lecture by Rev. Anna Shaw, of Massachusetts, in M. E. church. Subject "Fate of Republics."
May 30.—Excellior Social Club strawberry and ice cream festival in Robbins' opera house.
Coughing Leads to Consumption.
Keim's Balm will stop the cough at once.

Water's Weiss beer is the best. John A. Reilly sole agent. 5-5-t

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YOUR ATTENTION, PLEASE!

Good horses, nice buggies and responsible drivers are the essential things for a pleasant drive, which can always be had at my stables, 12 and 14 North Pear alley, rear of Luberg's hardware store. Horses taken to board. Undertaking in all its branches attended to with promptness.

EVAN J. DAVIES.

Just See What
A DOLLAR WILL BUY
At Jas. Thomas'

15 cans of Tomatoes, 16 cans of Peas,
15 cans of Beans, 7 cases of Lemons,
160 boxes of Oranges, 25 pounds of Sugar,
5 pounds of Coffee, 25 pounds of Jelly.

Remember, these are only a few of our prices. Also have full line of Green Truck, having just returned from the city.

James Thomas'
CHEAP CASH STORE,
Coal and West Sts.

THE FISHING SEASON.

Water Too Cold Yet and the Wind Too High.
During the past two weeks hundreds of Isaak Walton's followers have tried to tempt the speckled beauties from their nooks in the numerous streams of the surrounding country. The catches, thus far, have not been gratifying and the chief complaint is that the waters are too chilly and the wind too high. Some very fine trout have been exhibited the past few days, but they have not been numerous, and they have tested the ingenuity of expert anglers. Even these gentlemen are not as enthusiastic as in years past. Another complaint is



TESTING THEIR LUCK.
that the fishermen are too numerous and the precautions to prevent fishing out of season are not sufficient. Reports of large and fine catches are numerous, but when investigation is made the basket is found empty and the word of the fisherman is the only trace that can be found of the catch.

By the way, it is said that the most successful fishermen in this section of the country are the parties paid to guard the streams in the valley for the proposed water works in town. It is said that a trough full of trout is always at the disposal of parties armed with the proper credentials.

A RUSTIC CONVERT.
"You can't catch nothin' with them thar things. With yam for bodies an' feathers for wings, you must think trout is terrible fools. Ter be hatched with such outlandish tools."
"An' look at that pole—why that won't do; A good, big trout would burst it in two, An' never think nothin' of what he did, As quick as lightning away he slid."
"Well, I'll be darn, you can shoot me dead, Ef here ain't a windmill filled with thread, An' ther littlest sort of thread at that—Why, man, that wouldn't hold a grout!"
"You'll find a good place over here, Under ther rapids deep an' clear, You'd better take worms an' er hick'ry pole, Or you won't catch nothin', pon my soul!"

Sixteen beauties, speckled bright,
The basket bore ere the fall of night
He counted them o'er on the bank of fern,
And all that he said was, "Wa'al—I'll be darn!"
—Outing for May.

It Should be in Every House.
J. B. Wilson, 371 Clay St., Sharpsburg, Pa., says he will not be without Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, that it cured his wife who was threatened with Pneumonia after an attack of "La Grippe," when various other remedies and several physicians had done her no good. Robert Barber, of Cooksport, Pa., claims Dr. King's New Discovery has done him more good than anything he ever used for Lung Trouble. Nothing like it. Try it. Free trial bottles at C. H. Hagenbuch's Drug Store. Large bottles, 50c. and \$1.

Little Locals.
Pay day at the collieries to-day.
The electric cars will be taxed to their utmost to-day.
The cold wave struck Shenandoah yesterday.
Garden making has commenced in earnest.
Seed dealers are doing a good business.
The little German band has been giving our citizens a fine treat the past week.
The household effects of the late C. J. McCarthy were shipped from town this morning.
Climb our stairs, it will pay you. We are better situated than any ground floor gallery in the town. Hall's, 25 W. Centre street.

People Who Can Appreciate.
The electric street railway was extended from the corner of Mahony avenue and Second street to the bridge crossing the creek near the American House, on Ogden street, this week. All the poles along Parker street were partly wired and poles erected along Ogden street from Line street to William street. Everybody takes an interest in the railway to a certain degree, and our people generally are anxious to see it completed as soon as possible.—*Girardville Gazette.*

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.

Go to Hall's new gallery for your photos. Everybody goes there.
Fishing Tackle.
A large lot of the best fishing tackle, cheaper and better than ever, just received. Come and see me before purchasing elsewhere and you will save money at
MAX REESE'S,
Ferguson House, 17 W. Centre St.
Buy Keystone Flour. Be sure that the name Lesco & Co., Ashland, Pa., is printed on every sack. 5-3-Staw
Spectacles, to suit all eyes, at F. J. Portz's book and stationery store. 4-25-tf.

LAUER'S BOCK BEER!

Pilsner and
Lager Beer

ORDER AT ONCE.

Christ. Schmidt, Agt.,
207 West Coal St.,
SHENANDOAH.

"We Study to Please!"
Old Stand. New Goods

EVERYTHING IN THE
GROCERY 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.

ABRAM HEEBNER CO.,
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Manufacturers of

Society Goods!
Of Every Description.

Flags, Badges, Caps, Regalia, &c.
FINEST GOODS—LOWEST PRICES.

Write for catalogues. [Correspondence solicited.]

Specialties!
The best Chimney Top yet discovered. The wind cannot blow down.
Do you want the best range money can buy? Then purchase the "NEW BROADWAY."
Tin Roofing and Spouting done on the shortest notice.
All kinds of STOVE REPAIRS.

A portion of your patronage solicited.
WM. R. PRATT,
331 South Jardin Street, Shenandoah.

"THE ELECTRIC"
(John McNeil's old stand)
East Centre St., Shenandoah, Pa.

The Finest, purest and best
Liquors, Beers, Ales, Porters!

Cigars, &c., in the county.
The place has been entirely renovated and improved. Polite attention and honorable treatment to all.
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EAST CENTRE STREET, SHENANDOAH.

The finest and largest stock of
HATS, BONNETS
—AND—
MILLINERY GOODS

Of all kinds. Come and see the display before purchasing elsewhere.
E. W. WILDE,
DEALER IN

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SHEET MUSIC AND STATIONERY.
The finest goods in the market at the lowest prices. All new goods.
Cor. Lloyd and Jardin Sts., Shenandoah, Pa.

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MRS. CONNICK IN CHARGE.
A SQUARE MEAL AT A NOMINAL PRICE.
Everything well cooked and clean. An elaborate bill of fare daily. Lookings for travelers.


MRS. CONNICK, 32 N. Main St.
MANN'S RESTAURANT,
104 South Main St., Shenandoah.

Finest Wines, Whiskeys and Cigars in Stock.
Fresh Beer, Ale and Porter.
Boarders kept by the day or week at reasonable rates.

A Cheerful Home.
"Well, Mary, how cheerful your home is. You always have such a cheerful fire."
"Yes, 'tis true; we always have a good fire since we got our coal from Zerbe & Co.'s Mount Airy Colliery. Before we always had such a time getting a fire in the morning. That made us all cross and crabbed; but now everything is lovely. And, besides, it is cheaper. Matt 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 \$5 per barrel. Other goods in proportion. Prices of all competitors will be met.



To Workingmen

Why economize, in order to bridge over the hard times? There is no actual necessity for it if you act the prudent part and make your purchases of Groceries, Canned Goods, Provisions, &c., at


—THE—
Ready-Pay
—STORE—

Because you can buy goods there much cheaper than at any other place, so that what you save in this respect will make up the loss of time. Half-time at the collieries need have no terrors to those who buy at the

READY-PAY STORE

To be convinced, give the new store a trial. Don't make a mistake in the place. It is nearly opposite the postoffice, in the Shenandoah Bakery building. Goods are all new—all the most popular and attractive. Don't be deceived by being told that you can do better elsewhere—for you cannot.

No. 114
South Main Street,
SHENANDOAH.





We've Got the Pull.

With a stock of Spring Clothing like ours, and the prices right, the race is easy and all glides smoothly along—no jars, no upsets, no disappointments. This is Boys' Clothing time. Remember that we have the largest and brightest department for Boys' and Children's Goods in the country. All the handsome new things are here of American as well as foreign make.

A. C. YATES & CO.,
Corner 13th and Chestnut Streets,

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 paid 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 \$2 Neckwear and Suspenders. Good shirts from 25c up to \$2. All the newest things in gents' underwear, collars and cuffs. Everything at rock bottom price.

SCANLAN,
19 South Main St., Shenandoah.

CARPETS!

OF ALL GRADES.
GREATLY REDUCED PRICES!

BRUSSELS from 50c up. Table and Floor Oil Cloths and Linoleums from 25c up. Window Shades, Rugs, Mats, 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.

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.

J. P. WILLIAMS & SON,

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108 North Jardin Street, SHENANDOAH, PA.

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No. 115 N. WHITE STREET.
First-class Lager Beer, Ale, Porter and Tea perann. Drinks and Cigars. Fine old Wines and Liquors always on hand.
H. C. FOLMER, Prop.
Call around and spend a pleasant hour.
CHRIS. BOSSLER'S SALOON AND RESTAURANT
201 N. Main St., Shenandoah.
The Finest Stock of Beers, Ales, Cigars, &c.

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At retail or in jobbers' lots.
REMOVAL!
ELLIS, The Tinsmith 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.