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SHENANDOAH, PA., MONDAY, MAY 16, 1892.

ONE CENT.

## Wilkinson's Special Bargains.

This week marks the Sixth Anniversary of our business, and we cordially invite our patrons to call and examine the special bargains we will offer at this anniversary sale. The store has grown from the smallest to the largest, and our new location affords ample facilities for displaying our immense stock.

This week we offer 65 pieces of yard-wide Dress Goods formerly 10c, now 10c; also 300 pieces Bedford Cord and French Outing Cloth, worth from 12½ to 18c, all to go at 10c per yard—all these are new goods bought for this special sale, and cannot be equalled in the region for price or quality. Every color is guaranteed fast and every shade is new and correct.

We also offer one case yard-wide Bleached Muslin at 8c, regular 10c quality; 50 pieces of Checked Nainsook at 6c, reduced from 10c; Thirty pieces Plain White Goods—extra fine quality—at 9c, marked down from 12½c.

### Extra-wide Table Linens—

Plain white, bordered or Turkey red, at 25c per yard. Linen bureau scarfs, 2 yards long with knotted fringe, 35c each. New and attractive styles of fine Laces and Embroidery at less than usual prices. Kid Gloves in tans, browns or black at 50c. Silk gloves and mitts from 15c up. Silk ribbon remnants in all shades and widths at 10c per piece. There are only a few of our special bargains—every department is a store in itself, and prices are always lower than you expect.

L. J. WILKINSON,

29 S. Main St., Shenandoah.

MONDAY, May 16, 1892.

## Girvin, Duncan and Waidley.

We start to-day with Table and Pocket Cutlery, from the best manufacturing concerns in New England.

Table knives and forks, common handle, 9c per set, up to the finest ebony made for \$4.95, and all intermediate grades, prices of which are very reasonable.

Silverware, Japanese and Brass Trays, all sizes and shapes.

Just received a lot of self-wringing Mops, nicest thing out, only 50c.

A new and varied assortment of Brushes and Whisk Brooms.

A nobby little hair Brush for 35c; a better one, all bristles, for 50c; a better one for 75c. In this line may be mentioned Razors. Common ones for common use only 10c; a fancy one for 25c; also a heavy feather duster, good for any purpose, best feathers, only 25c.

Shoe Dressing for ladies' and children's shoes—Bartlett's, Tip-Top and Negro. Just try a bottle. Latest novelty for children—"Tom Thumb" dump cart. All iron, therefore absolutely indestructible. Not a little interesting is our Candy Counter, all kinds for 25c per pound.

8 South Main Street.

## Our Directory.



THE POST OFFICE  
Shenandoah.

Office hours from 7:30 a. m. to 7:30 p. m. Money Order and Registry Department open from 8:00 a. m. to 7:00 p. m.

Following is a schedule of the arrival and departure of mail trains. Mail matter for dispatch must be in the office thirty minutes before the time given below:

Arrival.	Destination.	Departure.
P. M. A. M.	(Phila., Western)	A. M. P. M.
1:40 4:24		7:30 11:52
2:20 5:04		9:10 1:08
8:06 9:08	(Southern States)	11:30 8:00
8:18		
1:40 9:45	(New York and East-ern States and points on L. V. R. R.)	9:08 12:02
8:06		3:16
1:25 9:08	Asland.	7:20 1:35
1:25 9:08	Girardville.	1:35 7:09
2:20 9:36	Raven Run, Centre, Illa. St. Carmel and Shamokin.	7:09 1:40
1:40		7:20 2:50
2:20 9:50	Pottsville.	11:30 6:20
1:40		7:20 2:50
2:20 9:50	Mahanoy City.	9:08 1:40
8:18		11:30 6:20
2:20 9:50	Mahanoy Plane, Lost Creek and Shaft.	7:20 2:50
2:20 9:50	Frackville.	7:20 2:50

### Fire Alarm Boxes.

The following list shows the location of the alarm boxes of the Shenandoah Fire Department:

LOCATION.
15—Coal and Bowers streets.
16—Bowers and Centre streets.
24—Bridge and Centre streets.
35—Main and Centre streets.
36—Main and Poplar streets.
35—Main and Coal streets.
42—Gilbert and Centre streets.
43—Gilbert and Cherry streets.
52—Chestnut and Coal streets.

To send and alarm open the box, pull down the hook once and let go. When an alarm is sent in the fire bell will sound the number of the box and repeat the alarm four times.

HOW TO LOCATE ALARMS.  
If the alarm is sounded from box 15 the fire bell will strike one, then pause and strike five which will indicate that the fire is in the vicinity of No. 15 box. Every alarm is repeated four times.

### Electric Running Time.

The electric cars now leave the corner of Main and Centre streets at 6 a. m. and leave at intervals of 45 minutes thereafter until 11 p. m. This schedule will be subject to a change from day to day, as the work of putting in the turnouts progresses. The miners will find the early morning cars convenient.



CARPET SWEEPERS, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50.

At FRICKE'S, 10 South Main St.

## AN EPIDEMIC OF ACCIDENTS.

### THREE RUNAWAYS AND A FIRE KEEP

### UP A SPELL OF EXCITEMENT

Five Were Injured by the Runaways But Fortunately None Were Seriously Hurt—A Woman Falls.

HORSES in town seem to have been struck by a runaway fever. Two teams caused considerable excitement Saturday afternoon and one driven by Nathan Beddall yesterday almost caused one or more deaths to be recorded.

The team owned by the Coakley Bros. had hardly been captured and returned to the owners when Chris. Schmidt's team created a stir near the corner of Centre and Main streets. In trying to stop the latter team a young man named Charles Reese was thrown down and received a wound on the scalp that required three stitches.

In Mr. Beddall's results were quite serious and it was a miracle that a death was not caused. Mr. Beddall and his wife and young child went out for a drive. While driving down the mountain on the return the horse ran away. The animal behaved so badly that Mr. Beddall completely lost control of it and those who witnessed the affair feared that the occupants of the buggy would be thrown into one of the mine breaches, or deep ditches at the side of the road. The bounding over the rocky road released the seat of the buggy and at Line street it slid off, throwing Mr. Beddall, his wife and child to the road.

Several people hastened to the relief of the unfortunates. Mr. and Mrs. Beddall were but slightly stunned by the fall and were able to walk, with assistance, into Superintendent Thomas Baird's house, where they were made comfortable until the arrival of Mr. Beddall's brothers. Mrs. Beddall held the child in her arms throughout the exciting period.

The horse continued down Main street until half way between Line and Coal streets, when it turned toward the pavement. The buggy struck some flag-stones and the horse was released. The animal made a terrific bound and as it arrived in front of the entrance to the Commercial Hotel one of its legs struck a telegraph pole with such force as to inflict a bad cut on the member and throw the animal down. It was taken to a nearby stable.

Mr. and Mrs. Beddall were able to walk to their residence on North Jordan street after a little rest. Inquiring friends were informed that they had sustained a few cuts on their heads and their limbs were slightly bruised, but none of the injuries were serious. The same report was made of the child's condition. That the party escaped so well is considered a miracle.

Finest photos, 50c. per dozen, at Keagay's.

### Fire in the First.

The fire companies were summoned to the residence of Councilman Coakley, on East Lloyd street, early Saturday evening. A fire had started in a rear storage-room on the third story of the building and secured good headway before the alarm was sounded. A bucket brigade did excellent work, however, and the companies were not obliged to use the hose. The damage to the house and contents was slight. It is believed that a spark from a kitchen chimney set fire to a mattress that was in the room.

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### Fell With a Porch.

During the excitement attending the fire on East Lloyd street Saturday evening people crowded upon a porch on the opposite side of the street until it gave way under the weight. Rosie Wragg, a heavy Polish woman, failed to make her escape and fell about eight feet into the basement. As she was picked up she fainted and her condition led to a report that a woman had been killed. She recovered in a few minutes under the care of friends. A bruised ankle was the extent of her injuries.

Best photographs and crayons at Dabb's.

### An Aged Woman's Fall.

Mrs. Mary Ridley, of West Centre street, fell down a stairway in her residence Saturday night and sustained a fracture of three ribs, besides an injury to one of her arms. As Mrs. Ridley is about 75 years of age serious results may follow.

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

Wall paper and window shades at cost. Portia's, 21 N. Main street. 4-28-1f

Buy Keystone flour. Be sure that the name Lessor & Co., Ashland, Pa., is printed on every sack. 3-5-1aw

## BRIEF MENTION.

Tid Bits of News Concerning This and Other Towns.

The output of the Yorktown colliery of George H. Myers & Co., has been sold to the Reading Railroad and the coal will be shipped by way of Tamaqua hereafter. The operators of the Upper Lehigh collieries have returned to the monthly payment of wages.

Hazleton people have formed an association for the establishment of a race course to include grounds for base ball and other sports.

Prof. Thomas B. Hughes, of this town, will be the adjudicator of music at the estedford to be held in Mahanoy City tomorrow night.

The Borough Council of Tamaqua has decided to exempt all manufacturing companies from local taxation.

The Forepaugh circus reaped \$12,000 at Wilkes-Barre on Friday.

Brownsville has organized a base ball club with Thomas Dowling as manager and Patrick McNellis captain.

A Bloomsburg planing mill has received a contract for 6,000 voting booths to be used under the Baker ballot law.

Carpenters are in demand at Mahanoy City.

Cabinet photos at Hall's, 50c. per dozen.

## PERSONAL.

I. Robbins, of Pottsville, spent Saturday in town.

Mine Inspector Stein spent to-day at Mahanoy City.

Emil Rausburg is laid up with an attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. H. A. Acker spent to-day visiting friends at Pottsville.

Patrick Horne, of Girardville, was a visitor to town last evening.

General Manager John L. Williams spent Sunday in town with his family.

J. L. Boek and wife, who spent Sunday in town the guests of Dr. D. W. Straup, returned to their home in Wilkes-Barre to-day. Mrs. Boek is Dr. Straup's sister.

## Appeal for Fair Prices.

EDITOR HERALD:—I notice we are to have a rare treat at our opera house on Thursday, next, in the person of Marie Prescott, in the superb play "Cleopatra," but in the face of the present dull times I consider one dollar an exorbitant price to pay, even to see a star, particularly when she is playing with the same company in Girardville, in as comfortable a theatre as ours, for one-half the price—fifty cents for the best seats in the house. As Girardville is made easily accessible by means of the electric road, I think we will be tempted to be economical and patronize fair prices.

REGULAR THEATRE GOER.

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## Held for Rape.

Mrs. Julia Christa, a Hungarian woman residing at the corner of Chestnut and Oak streets, on Saturday had Wasek Nezik arrested on a charge of rape. The man was a boarder in the woman's house and is alleged to have taken advantage of her during her husband's absence from town. Nezik was committed to jail without bail. He was about to have Mrs. Christa and her husband arrested on a charge of keeping a gambling house when special officer Connors served a warrant on him in the rape case.

## The Tenants and "Jim."

J. J. Franey says his "palaces and halls of commerce" at the east end of Centre street are nearing completion and that he will soon commence building four more on the adjoining property. He says there are any amount of tenants just waiting to roll into them. Yes, a batch of twenty were rolled into the Lehigh depot this morning.

We are still on top. Cabinets at 50c. per dozen.

H. T. HALL.

## A Lakeside Industry.

Negotiations have been made whereby a plant for the manufacture of gum boots will be located at Lakeside. Louis Blass and others of Girardville are interested in a patent gum boot which promises to be very popular and the East Mahanoy Junction Land and Improvement Company made a satisfactory offer of a site and water power for a plant to manufacture the goods.

## The Borough Stuck Again.

Several days ago High Constable Flynn sued George F. Leitzel and four of his workmen for committing a public nuisance by cleaning out cess pools in the day time. The case was tried at the Pottsville court Saturday and Leitzel and his men were acquitted, the costs, as usual, being saddled on the borough.

"Good Bye My Honey" schottische. Organ or piano. 10 cents. Wilde's music store.

## It Should be Encouraged.

The Fish and Game Protective Association of Schuylkill County is rapidly growing in membership and influence. The names on the roll now number 326. On Thursday last four cans of California trout were put out and this week a batch of imported rabbits will be distributed. Application for membership may be sent to William A. Bousinger, Mahanoy City.

Waters' Weiss beer is the best. John A. Kelly sole agent. 5-5-1u

## CHATS CONCERNING THE COLLIERIES.

### FOUR CO LIERIES ORDERED TO RESUME OPERATIONS.

### LITTLE HOPE FOR FULL TIME

Three and Four Days Likely to be the Rule—Superintendent Shreffler's Headquarters Will Remain at Ashland.

LMWOOD, Suffolk, Mahanoy City and Turkey Run collieries, which had been idle for some time, resumed operations with the rest of the collieries under the Reading system to-day. This announcement was received as a forerunner of other good news yesterday, but to-day there were no indications for a realization of the hope. There is nothing that promises more than four days this week at any of the collieries.

A gentleman prominent in mining circles was asked by a HERALD reporter to-day if he thought the working time at the collieries would be extended soon. He said he did not; that he feared the working time will be very irregular for the balance of the year. The coal trade is in a "consumptive" state and, while the prices may go up, the production will not warrant full time. He said six days may be the working time occasionally, but three and four days a week will in all probability be the rule.

M. T. Shreffler, the newly appointed division superintendent of the P. & R. C. & I. Co., will not have his headquarters or residence in town. It is said that he will remain in Ashland, as that point is more central for his district. An impression prevails that Mr. Shreffler simply succeeds John L. Williams, but this is not so. Mr. Shreffler also assumes charge of the Shamokin district surrendered by ex-Superintendent Booth several months ago, so that he will have the responsibility of all the P. & R. collieries from Trevorton to Mahanoy City. Mr. Williams' district extended from Mahanoy City to Girardville.

## LOST CREEK.

A Lively Mining Patch Since the Advent of the Electric.

Garden making is about over. Many improvements made here this spring. The Ferguson House has been greatly improved. Peter Quirk has recovered from his recent illness. Postmaster Johnson's business has been much increased since the electric cars commenced running.

It is said that the local traffic on the Lehigh Valley railroad has been greatly decreased since the opening of the electric road.

Thomas Garvey, in company with Patrick Roland, of Homerville, left for Pittsburg, where both have secured employment.

Anthony O'Donnell has gone to Cleveland, Ohio, where he is now employed.

The Ladies' Temperance Society will picnic at Brown's grove on Decoration day. There were quite a large number of Shenandoah ladies and gentlemen here yesterday, all of them coming down on the electric road.

Michael Manley has removed to Columbus, Ohio. His household goods were shipped last week.

Con. Foley, who succeeded George Kohler in the tenorial business, is doing a good business.

Hall is making cabinet photos for 50c. a

## Important to Capitalists.

Capitalists who are in search of a place where plenty land and abundant water power for manufacturing plants can be secured will find Lakeside a suitable place. Applications should be made at once to O. A. Keim, Shenandoah, as this offer will remain good for only a limited number of responsible parties.

## Guaranteed Cure.

We authorize our advertised druggist to sell Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, Coughs and Colds, upon this condition. If you are afflicted with a Cough, Cold or any Lung, Throat or Chest trouble, and will use this remedy as directed, giving it a fair trial, and experience no benefit, you may return the bottle and have your money refunded. We could not make this offer did we not know that Dr. King's New Discovery could be relied on. It never disappoints. Trial bottles free at C. H. Hagenbuch's drug store. Large size 50c. and \$1.00.

Finest photos, 50c. per dozen, at Keagay's.

## Coughing Leads to Consumption.

Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once.

## REV. POWICK'S SERMON.

A Sure Remedy for Mental and Spiritual Ills.

"A Sure and Simple Cure for the Blues" was the subject of Sunday morning's discourse at the Methodist Episcopal church. The remedy proposed is prescribed in Phil. iv. 6, 7: "Be careful for a thing but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God, and the peace of God which passeth all understanding shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus." The meaning of this exhortation is not that we should be absolutely careless, but that we are not to be so anxious as to worry and fret about things we cannot help. No man would sink under the troubles of to-day were he sure that tomorrow would not bring more. It is the everlasting worry about trials which we fear may come that is killing men and women. Multitudes are living, not in the present, but in the future or in the past. They pine over departed joys or frighten over anticipated sorrows. They condemn the flowers that bloom at their feet because they are not so fragrant as those they gathered in by-gone days or else they trample them under their feet in quest of more beautiful ones they expect to find just beyond. Others again look on and admire but fear to pluck them lest some rude blast wither them. We live in a world of uncertainty and sorrow. "Man is born unto trouble as the sparks fly upward." We are creatures of a moment, here to-day and gone to-morrow. Sickness and pain, poverty and bereavement are stalking abroad, and who knows how soon one or another may enter his home? We cannot help thinking about these things. It is natural that we should worry about them. And when God hedges our way in and we see no way of escape we are very likely to give way to despondency. We ask "What shall we do?" We feel as though we must do something if it is only to make believe we are solving the problem. Human grief must find an outlet. Pent up feelings must express themselves at length—even though it be only in a sullen fit of the blues. Paul says pray. "Men ought always to pray and not to faint." Nothing that is capable of causing a heart-ache is too insignificant to pray about. "In everything pray." Not only pray but supplicate. Like the Saviour pray "yet more earnestly." "Ask, seek, knock. Mix thanksgiving with your prayer." If you look around you will find something to be thankful for. Paul was in prison and liable to execution at any moment when he wrote these words and we have hardly come to that yet. If God clothes the grass of the field and cares for the birds of the air will He not much more clothe and care for you, "O ye of little faith?" "If He spared not His own Son but delivered Him up for us all will He not also with Him freely give us all things?" Your heavenly Father knoweth that ye have need of all these things. And if you "seek first the kingdom of God all these things shall be added unto you." Not that God has promised to give us all we ask for. Jesus prayed to have "this cup pass away" and Paul besought the Lord thrice that "the thorn in the flesh might depart from him" and both these requests were denied—and the servant is not above his Lord. What then? Why should I pray? To save you from the blues. "The peace of God which passeth all understanding shall keep your mind and heart." You shall be reconciled to your lot and made satisfied in spite of it. Like Moses you shall be enabled to "endure as seeing Him who is invisible." Although God may not answer the prayer in the form in which it is offered He will answer and supply the need that prompts it.

## When Traveling.

Whether on pleasure bent, or business, take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectively on the kidneys, liver and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50 cents and \$1 bottles by all leading druggists.

## Conry's Hotel.

The hotel and saloon and restaurant conducted by M. P. Conry on South Main street is one of the best located and arranged in the town. Board may be secured there by the day, week, or month at reasonable terms and the bar found equal to all demands. The finest beer, porter and ale is always kept on tap and only the finest brands of cigars are handled.

## Special Request.

To-morrow will be the regular day for receiving payments in the Citizens' Building and Loan Association. The receiving board requests that all who can do so, and especially the ladies, make their payments between 2 and 5 p. m. and thus avoid the rush in the evening. The membership of the association is so large that the receiving board finds it almost impossible to finish its work in one evening.

## Obituary.

John, a brother of Levi Dornis, of town, died at his home in Gordon on Saturday. The funeral will take place on Tuesday.

Jacob Moser died at his home on West Coal street yesterday from the effects of a paralytic stroke. The funeral will take place at 1 p. m. to-morrow and the interment will be made at Ringtown.

## QUALITY, The First Consideration.

PRICES—Always as low as consistent with good quality.

We have to-day a shipment of strictly Fresh Creamery and Dairy Butter. Our Dairy Butter is finer than a great deal of Creamery, and lower in price.

Our Baking Molasses is straight Fancy New Orleans, and the best we can buy. 2 quarts for 25c.

Our Table Syrups are Pure Sugar Goods. We do not sell mixed or flavored syrups.

In Canned Goods, we believe there are no finer goods packed than our Fancy Whole Red-Ripe Tomatoes and our Fancy Northern Sugar Corn. 2 cans for 25c.

We have good Standard Cold-Packed Tomatoes and Sugar Corn—3 cans for 25c. We do not sell "soaks" in canned goods at any price.

Our Java Coffee is straight tancy Mandehling Java—not mixed with other kinds—it is cheap at 35c.

Our Country Lard is absolutely pure, not adulterated with cotton seed oil or tallow. You can buy lower priced lard, but it will not prove as cheap in the end.

## TRY LUNCHEON BEEF.

Better than Corned Beef—cheap and convenient. A key with every can to open it. Two cans for 25 cents.

For Making Pies we have Evaporated Peaches, Nectarines, Apples, Prunes and Apples, Raisins, Pitted Cherries and Canned Pumpkin.

We open to-day Fine Norway Bloater Mackerel, extra size, the finest fish we can buy.

Remember our Chipped Beef and Summer Sausage.

Northwestern Datsy Minnesota Flour, at \$5 per barrel.

Baled Hay, Straw and Feed.

# AT KEITER'S