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Wilkinson's Busy Store.

There is no store in Shenandoah, and probably none in the county, where such a grand assortment of fine dress goods are displayed as we are now offering; the great demand for many of the most fashionable colors is daily increasing and many choice shades cannot be replaced.

We are showing a complete line of rich English Brocades at 37½c. These goods cannot be seen elsewhere and are the season's choicest offerings. We show all the newest shades of Dress Silk, Satins, Cashmeres, Henriettas, white and printed Lawns, India Linens, Embroidered Flouncings, Silk Lace Flounces, etc. The most complete stock of stylish trimmings at lower prices than you usually pay.

White Goods, Embroidery and Laces, hundreds of pretty styles, all new and correct. We carry the largest stock of underwear for men, women and children; every grade worth having at reasonable prices.

Corsets at wholesale or retail. Our immense stock of these goods enables us to sell at factory prices. Ladies' Jersey fitting summer vests at 9c. each.

Our Second Floor

Is filled with our special lines of fine Lace Window Curtains, Chenille Curtains, Curtain Poles, White Marseilles Quilts and Smyrna Rugs. Here will also be found an elegant stock of ladies' and misses' Spring Coats and Wraps of every description. Infant's Cloaks in cream or tan Cashmere, plain or embroidered. Also a full line of infant's lace, silk or cashmere Caps. Our Cloak and Wrap Department is the largest and most complete in this region and we guarantee prices to be lower than any competitor.

L. J. WILKINSON,

29 S. Main St., Shenandoah.

DID YOU EVER!

Think what it cost to manufacture Baking Powder? Did you ever think how baking powder is sold? Did you ever think there must be a large profit in it somewhere? The manufacturer of a certain baking powder pay out nearly a million dollars or more a year advertising their powder, trying to make people believe it is the best made. Their baking powder is sold at 50c per pound. The retailer makes his profit, the jobber makes his profit, the manufacturer makes his profit, and the consumer pays for all these and the newspaper advertising also.

What does it cost to manufacture the powder? Other manufacturers give away 25 or 30 cents worth of china, glassware, toys, hardware, books, etc., with every pound of baking powder. Again the query, what does it cost to manufacture the powder—can you think it out?

You don't need to. Girvin, Duncan & Waidley have a few words on the baking powder question. Until September 1 we will sell Pennsylvania Baking Powder at TEN CENTS per pound. It doesn't concern you whether we make or lose on it—we want to get it introduced. On and after September 1st our price will not exceed 15c per pound.

We are not going to pay a million dollars to advertise it; we are not going to give away any premiums with it—we are going to sell it, every pound guaranteed, to our customers. If it does not give satisfaction, bring it back and receive your money.

Why do we say this? We expect it will please you. Why should you pay 35 or 40c profit on every pound of powder you buy?

Don't forget we strive to give our customers the advantage of inside prices at which we buy all sorts of goods.

Girvin, Duncan & Waidley,

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 despatch must be in the office thirty minutes before the time given below:

Arrival. P. M.	Arrival. A. M.	Destination.	Departure. A. M.	Departure. P. M.
1:40	4:24	Phila., Western and Southern States	7:20	12:52
2:26			9:08	3:08
8:06	9:08		11:30	8:00
8:18				
1:40	9:45	New York and Eastern States and points on L. V. R. R.		12:52
8:06			9:08	3:08
				8:00
	9:08	Ashland		1:35
1:25	9:56		7:20	7:00
1:25	9:08	Girardville		1:35
				7:00
1:25	9:08	Raven Run, Centralia, Mt. Carmel and Shamokin		1:40
2:26	9:56			7:00
1:40		Pottsville		
2:26			7:20	2:56
8:18	9:56		11:30	5:30
1:40		Mahanoy City	7:20	2:50
2:26	9:56		9:08	
8:18			11:30	
2:26		Mahanoy Plane, Lost Creek and Shaft	11:30	2:50
8:18	9:56			6:00
2:26	9:56	Frackville	7:20	2:50

Carriers make a general collection at 6:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m., and a general delivery at 7:15 a. m. and 3:15 p. m. Additional deliveries and collections are made in the business part of town at 10:15 a. m. and 2:00 p. m.

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.
25—Main and Centre streets.
34—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 an 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.

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.

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

At FRICKE'S, 10 South Jardin St.

Fine Goods in Season.

Crosse & Blackwell Chow-chow and Pickles,
Tomato Catsup,
Pickled Onions and Pickles in small bottles,
Mustard Dressing for salad and meats,
Sweet Pickles by the quart,
Luncheon and Corned Beet,
Condensed Milk—best brand,
Chipped Beef and Summer Sausage,
New England Baked Beans,
Oat Flakes and Wheat Flakes,
Norway Bloater Mackerel,—
Extra large, white and and fat.
Fresh Creamery and Dairy Butter.

We open this week some new styles in Moquette and Body Brussels Carpets.

FOR SALE TO-DAY.

One Car of Choice Heavy White Oats,
Fifty Bushels of WHOLE RYE.

TO ARRIVE.

Two Cars No. 1 Timothy Hay.
One Car Baled Straw.
One Car Fine Middlings.

AT KEITER'S

MANY SUBJECTS BRIEFLY HANDLED

FOR THE HASTY PERUSAL OF OUR READERS.

"PETER" PUSHES THE QUILL

The Leading Topics of the Day Presented and Commented Upon by a Fluent and Able Writer.

MINING districts, as a rule, says the *School Journal*, take much greater interest in education than the farming districts of Pennsylvania. Formerly the miners seemed to care less than any other class for the education of their children. The boys were put to work in the mines almost as soon as they could walk. Now this can no longer be done, under penalty of a heavy fine. Consequently the parents are willing to have them attend school so long as they cannot become bread winners. This is not the only reason, however, that is operating to improve the schools of the mining districts. The parents, although for the most part uneducated foreigners, realize the benefit of a public school education. Another reason is the fact that the miners, who very seldom own real estate, do not feel the burden of local taxation, while the farmers usually own their farms and therefore feel that tax and keep it down to the minimum. In the mining districts the percentage of attendance is high, and the proportion of children between the ages of six and sixteen, who do not attend the public schools, is comparatively small. The farming districts present no such gratifying statistics.

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I must extend my hearty congratulations to the Republican leaders of town. Previous to the Minneapolis convention each had his personal preference as to who should be the nominee for President, but now you cannot find a single politician of that faith who is not an enthusiastic Harrison man. All differences ended with the adjournment of the National Convention, and the battle cry now is all along the line, "Harrison and Reid."

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But I doubt if it will be possible to say the same in reference to the Democratic hosts. Still, should Cleveland secure the nomination, there will be little effort made at reconcilliation, I imagine, for the very good reason that the Hill coherts in this town are confined to the office of your esteemed Sunday contemporary.

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Almost daily evidences occur to warrant me in making the statement that Shenandoah has the finest police force of any town in the county.

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Pottsville is noted for its large amount of that commodity some people term "gall," but which the "blue-bloods" of the county seat term justice. Shenandoah has witness many instances in which they have displayed their abilities in this respect upon our people and it was only a few days ago that our town was flooded with appeals for aid to support a purely Pottsville organization. This is gall seasoned with a little ginger. I think the citizens of the county seat should pattern after those of our own town and support their organizations, and not compel them to seek assistance from other places throughout the county.

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Girardville will present a pleasant scene on the 25th instant, the occasion when the Girard college boys will be the guests of Company F, 8th Regiment, of that town. The cadets are said to be experts at drilling, and their appearance in the coal region will certainly redown to the pleasure of both the young soldiers and their large circle of friends and admirers. The Reading company have kindly tendered a special train for them on the occasion.

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The Philadelphia & Reading railroad company made a good move when they placed the early Sunday morning newspaper train on the road, thus enabling the people of town to procure the city papers at 8:30.

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To-day, June 14th, is the 115th anniversary of the American flag. What a country it represents! May it long wave over the land of the *free* and the home of the brave.

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I object to the weather clerk, and also to the man who asks, "Isn't this weather awful?" The best we can do is to grin and bear it—and try to hide the grin.

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I was asked the following query the other day: "At a regular meeting of my lodge a motion was regularly made and seconded with a full quorum present. When the motion was put it was voted 'aye' by a majority of the quorum present, the others refusing to vote, and claimed the motion lost because a quorum of the entire club had not voted. Was the motion carried?" The motion was carried. Members present and not voting can be counted to make up a quorum, according to the ruling of ex-Speaker Reed, which ruling has been sustained by the Supreme Court. PETER.

PERSONAL.

Mine Inspector Stein left for New York at noon to-day.

Mrs. H. C. Boyer returned home from Shamokin yesterday.

Harry Boughey, of North Jardin street, is visiting at the county seat.

R. C. Hunt, of the Frackville *Item*, was seen upon our streets this morning.

Hon. Elias Davis, of Broad Mountain, circulated among friends here yesterday.

Editor Zerby, of Pottsville, admired the sights of the largest town in the county to-day.

Michael Brown, of South Gilbert street, is all smiles. He is the happy father of a young boy.

Mrs. Mary Holvey and daughter-in-law, Mrs. George Holvey, left town for Philadelphia to-day to visit relatives.

Miss Ida Kolb, one of our efficient school "marms," left for on an extended visit to her parents, at Alburtis, Pa. to-day.

Charles Fowler, of Shamokin, at one time an employe in this office, spent yesterday pleasantly among town friends.

T. S. Lewis, of Scranton, who has been spending the past few days with town friends, returned home this morning.

Profs. Freeman and Ehrhart, of town, are in attendance at the commencement exercises at the Kutztown Normal school.

Rev. John B. Kolb, who is now a Presbyterian missionary in Barzil, has been the guest of his sister, Miss Ida Kolb, for the past two days.

Miss Carrie Wanamaker, of Delano, daughter of Conductor Wanamaker, of the Lehigh road, graduates from Dickenson Seminary to-morrow.

AN OFFER.

Submitted by the Shenandoah Water and Gas Company.

SHENANDOAH, PA., MAY 5, 1892.

To the President and Members of the Borough Council:

We hereby reassure you and the public at large that our offer heretofore made was given in good faith. We hereby repeat the proposition, viz: That the Water Company will cancel the judgment obtained in the suit against the Borough, pay the costs of suit and waive its right to claim for water supplied the Borough for fire purposes for the past two years, and give the Borough free water for fire protection: provided, the Borough abandons the proposed new water works, and that an agreement to that effect be entered into. The foregoing statement having been read and discussed, it was unanimously adopted by the Directors of said company.

T. R. BEDDALL, Prest. P. T.

Attest:—J. O. ROADS, Sec'y.

At a regular meeting of the Shenandoah Citizens' Water and Gas Company, held at their office on Friday, June 3, 1892, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the above offer, submitted by this company to the Town Council, to furnish water for fire purposes, etc., free of charge, remain open until after the special election on June 14, and that if the proposition to increase the borough debt be defeated, the offer still remain open until accepted by the borough and an agreement containing its provisions shall be entered into.

T. R. BEDDALL, Prest. P. T.

Attest:—J. O. ROADS, Sec'y.

DIRECTORS:

S. D. HESS, DR. J. S. CALLEN,
E. J. WASLEY, MICH'L MONAGHAN,
JOHN GRANT, JOHN R. JONES.

Little Locals.

A meeting of the School Board will be held to-morrow evening, for the purpose of electing teachers to fill vacancies.

The water question was the absorbing topic around town last evening, occasioning several fistic encounters.

The M. E. church holds a festival in Robbins' opera house this evening.

The Helping Hand Society, of the Trinity Reformed church, of town, will give a representation of a Japanese wedding on the 23d inst. The affair will undoubtedly prove both amusing and instructive.

The funeral of Joseph Selebis, a Pole, took place to-day. Shenandoah City colliery was idle in consequence.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no payment required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by C. H. Hagenbuch.

A Trip to Omaha and Return.

Tickets will be on sale June 29th, 30th and July 1st good to return until July 15th, at the rate of one fare for the round trip. Ask for and see that your tickets read via Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul railway. Send to John R. Pott, D. P. A., Williamsport, Pa., for map, time table and full information, furnished free. 6-13-10t

Strawberry and vanilla ice cream at M. L. Kemmerer's. 6-11-3t

Electric Railway Change.

Hereafter the electric railway cars will leave the corner of Main and Centre streets at 5:30 a. m., daily, and every 25 minutes thereafter until midnight, at which hour the last car will leave.

Fine photos, 60c. per dozen, at Keagey's

GLEANINGS BY OUR REPORTERS

HAPPENINGS HERE AND THERE RECORDED.

THE ELECTION VERY QUIET

The Opponents of the Increase of Debt Are Confident of a Defeat for the New Water Works Scheme.

THE election being held in the various wards to-day on the increase of debt for the purpose of erecting the proposed borough water works, is passing off very quietly. At this writing the indications point unmistakably to the utter defeat of the new water works boomers. One of their most enthusiastic followers remarked at noon that the advocates of the old water company would wind in the Third ward with a good majority.

This is the ward where the joint committee have exerted their greatest effort, and in the Fifth ward, which the latter yesterday openly boasted that they expected to carry by at least 200 majority, now consider themselves fortunate if they are able to come out of the ward even.

It is conceded by friends of the joint committee that the second will vote two to one against the new water works.

Much unfriendly feeling was exhibited last evening between the friends of the old company and the followers of the joint committee. In several instances the argument resulted in fistic encounters between the respective adherents. In one case an ardent advocate of the new water works deserted them and came out boldly for the old company. He is also a member of the joint committee.

Columbus Day Celebration.

The proposal for a National Columbian Public School Celebration on October 12, 1892, is one of the most sensible suggestions yet made about the Columbian year. It is to be commended most heartily, and it is not too much to say that it will be almost universally observed. It will at once commend itself to every reader who has a spark of patriotic pride of country in his heart. What an inspiring sight would be a great procession of all the school children of Shenandoah, together with all the patriotic organizations of the town.

Commencement Exercises.

The commencement day exercises of the Bucknell University, Lewisburg, Pa., will be held on the 22d instant. Among the graduates from the senior class we note Charles E. Folmer, son of George W. Folmer, Sr., of town.

Graduating exercises will also be held at Lafayette College, Easton, Pa., on June 26th, when George W. Wasley will receive his well-earned laurels in the shape of a diplomay.

No better known remedy exists for all forms of Rheumatic diseases than the Genuine Imported Anchor Pain Expeller. 50 cents a bottle. To be had at C. H. Hagenbuch, P. P. D. Kirlin, J. M. Hillan and other druggist. 3t

Half Rates to Omaha, Neb.

For the benefit of delegates and visitors to the Independent Party National Convention at Omaha, Neb., on July 4th, 1892, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets of the iron-clad contract form to Omaha, from all principal stations on its lines, at a *single fare for the round trip*. The tickets will be sold from June 29th to July 1st, inclusive, and the return coupons will be good until July 15th inclusive, and going journey must be commenced on date of sale. Tickets will be valid for continuous passage only in each direction.

Very Successful.

The festival in Robbins' opera house last evening, under the auspices of the young people of the English Baptist church, was very successful. Quite a large crowd was present the entire evening. The cake walk was participated in by about seven couples, which was won by Miss Miriam Thomas and Thomas Griffiths.

The members of the P. M. church closed their festival last evening. It was held in the basement of the church and was a success both financially and socially.

To Cleanse the System

Effectually yet gently, when costive or bilious or when the blood is impure or sluggish, to permanently cure habitual constipation, to awaken the kidneys and liver to a healthy activity, without irritating or weakening them, to dispel headaches, colds or fevers, use Syrup of Figs.

Buy *Keystone* flour. Be sure that the name LESSIG & Co., Ashland, Pa., is printed on every sack. 3-3-3taw

Waters' Weiss beer is the best. John A. Reilly sole agent. 5-5-1t

HERE AND THERE.

Interesting Items Concerning Different Sections of the Region.

The P. O. S. of A. of Shamokin will hold a monster picnic at Lakeside the latter part of this month.

Jerremiah Gorman, a well known citizen of Girardville, died at his home in that place after a short illness.

John Merdith Post, G. A. R., of Frackville, will hold an old time camp fire in August.

John Jones, aged 19, a student at the Bloomsburg State Normal School, was drowned in the canal near that place yesterday while bathing. His home is at Shamokin.

The marriage of M. J. Powers, Esq., and Miss Katie Golden, both of Mahanoy township, took place to day at Mahanoy City.

Hereafter conductors of coal and freight trains on the Lehigh Valley Railroad are to ride on the locomotives.

Ten car repairers at the Philadelphia and Reading's Palo Alto shops were Saturday laid off permanently.

Endorsing the Nominees.

The Republican club of town held a meeting in their rooms in the Beddall building, and unanimously passed the following preamble and resolutions heartily endorsing the nominees on the Republican National Convention:

WHEREAS, The National Republican Convention, recently assembled in Minneapolis, representing the great patriotic party whose principles, policies and purposes for thirty years have been incorporated into the organic law of the land; whose platforms, in the language of the great Protectionist, "reads to-day more like inspiration than the affirmance of a political party," which has stood like a rock for equal rights to all men, protection for our national industries, reciprocity of trade between our sister nations, love and care for the soldier and his dependents, and sound financial system, all of which has resulted in placing our country at the head of the nations of the world, have placed in nomination as our standard bearer Benjamin Harrison, who has demonstrated during the past four years a profound statesmanship and a wise and able administration of public affairs, which commands our unqualified approval; and for Vice President Whitelaw Reid, whose career as a journalist at home and embassador abroad challenges our admiration and respect.

Resolved, That we most cordially and heartily endorse the nominees of the convention, and pledge them our united support.

Resolved, That we shall use our best efforts and all proper means to insure their triumphant election.

Resolved, That these resolutions of endorsement be published in the EVENING HERALD, *Miners' Journal* and *Republican*.

Things Worth Remembering.

When you feel a kind of goneness about the stomach it is a sign that your food does not sit well and that you are about to have a fit of indigestion.

When you begin to feel nervous and are unable to sit still comfortably; when your clothes suddenly seem to lose their fit and bome too tight in places the fit of indigestion is surely upon you.

When this fit of indigestion is repeated from day to day it finally resolves itself into dyspepsia.

Remember that three to ten of Brandreth's Pills will cure the worst case of indigestion or dyspepsia, or both, and that a regular course of them, say two every night for a week or ten days, will act as a preventive of either complaint.

The Coal Trade.

The anthracite coal trade is unchanged in any material feature. The weekly output of coal continues at the rate of about eight hundred thousand tons, and the markets are absorbing all the newly mined product, so that there is no surplus stock accumulating at tidewater shipping points worth mentioning. The Reading company is short of coal at Port Richmond, and there is some delay there in filling orders for eastern shipment. The eastern markets, however, are not suffering for coal, the dealers having sufficient stock on hand to supply their immediate requirements. There is considerable coal going to the western lake ports for distribution. The southern trade is taking an unusually large quantity of anthracite for this season of the year.

Wholesale Prices.

Fire crackers and cannon crackers at wholesale prices at Max Reese's. Prices same as in New York and Philadelphia.

Fourth of July Excursions.

In pursuance of the usual custom the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets for the Fourth of July holiday between all stations on its system east of Pittsburg and Erie, at a rate of *two cents per mile*.

These tickets, which open up a rare chance for holiday touring, will be sold on July 1st, 2d, 3d, and 4th, and will be valid for return until July 5th, 1892, inclusive.

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

Pleasant Birthday Party.

The residence of I. H. Carl, on West Centre street, was the scene of a pleasant party last evening, in honor of Mrs. Carl's birthday. Many of the guests present were from out of town, and all present voted Mr. and Mrs. Carl excellent entertainers. Games of various kinds were indulged in, and after spending the evening sociably, the guests sat down to a spread prepared by the hostess.

Headache cured by using Gregory's Powders. 15 cents a package. Take no other. For sale by druggists. 5-5-1m