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ONE CENT.

**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.

**Hess' Livery Stable,**

118 N. Market Alley.

NEW BUGGIES AND HARNESS, SAFE HORSES

Finest turnout in town. Would be pleased to receive a share of the public patronage.

**Girvin,**

**Duncan and Wadley.**

A few mid-summer goods and specialties, some of which are now being sold at special cut-rate prices:

- Mason Fruit Jars
- Jelly Tumblers
- Stone Crocks, milk
- Jelly Jars, pints and quarts
- Class Lemon Squeezers
- Iron
- Galv. Sprinkling Cans
- Tin
- Japanese Lanterns
- Picnic Mugs
- Plates
- Pocket Drinking Cups
- Oil Stoves
- Gasoline Stoves
- Fly Fans
- Picnic Baskets
- Lunch
- Water Coolers
- Hummer Pails
- Hammocks
- Window Screens
- Wood Spigots
- Shelf Oil Cloth
- Insect Guns
- Fly Traps
- Furniture Polish
- Leather Dressing
- Milk Cans
- Milk Pails, strainer
- Foot Bath Tubs
- Doll Coaches
- Butter Prints
- Paedios
- Express Wagon
- Apple Butter Cans
- Bird Cages
- Finical Shirts
- Silk Ties
- Salted ties
- Boys' Walrus
- Market Baskets
- Lemonade Sets
- Sugar and Spice Scoops
- Ice Pitchers
- Streak Hammock
- Window Brushes
- Red Table Covers
- Napkins
- Preserving Kettles
- Spruce Sachel Baskets
- Fancy Bread Boxes
- Tea and Coffee Canister
- Base Ball Bats
- Boys' Hoops
- Fruit Presses
- Puritan Cookers
- Coat Forms
- Ice Cream Dishes
- Flour Cans
- Cracker Jars
- Hat Racks, etc., etc.

8 South Main Street, FRICKE'S, 10 South Jardin St.

## CLOSING SALE!

OF

**WHITE SHIRTS**

AND

**FANCY SHIRTS.**

Fine White Shirts from 40 cents up.

Fancy Stripe Shirts from 40 cents up.

Good material and best work all at greatly reduced prices

TO CLOSE THEM OUT.

Just received another car of

**CHOICE OLD WHITE OATS.**

CLEAN, BRIGHT AND HEAVY.

**AT KEITER'S**

### 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.	Destination.	Departure.	
P. M. A. M.		A. M. P. M.	
1:40	Phila., Western	7:30	12:30
2:30	and	9:00	3:00
3:00	Southern States	11:30	8:00
8:18			
9:45	New York and East-ern States and points on L. V. R. R.	9:00	12:30
8:00		9:00	3:00
1:25	Asland.	7:20	7:00
1:35	Grardville.		7:00
1:25	Raven Run, Centra-lla, Mt. Carmel and Shamokin.	1:40	
2:20		7:00	
1:40	Pottsville.	7:20	2:50
2:20		11:30	5:30
1:40		7:20	2:50
1:55	Mahanoy City.	9:00	1:35
8:18		11:30	
2:50	Mahanoy Plane, Lost Creek and Shaft.	11:30	2:50
2:50		6:00	
2:50	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 8:15 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:

- 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.

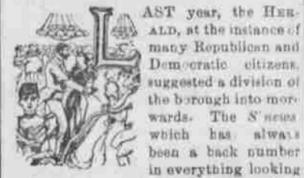


CARPET SWEEPERS, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50.

### PETER'S PUNGENT PENCIL PUSHING

CRIES FOR A DIVISION OF THE WARDS.

DISCUSSION ON THE IAMS CASE  
An Incident of the Civil War Suggested by Them—Shamokin Sets an Example for Shenandoah.



LAST year, the HERALD, at the instance of many Republican and Democratic citizens, suggested a division of the borough into wards. The S'news which has always been a back number in everything looking to the advancement of the community's interests, fought the project. This year it commences to climb down from the band wagon by declaring that "many voters will be denied their privilege of voting if Shenandoah is not provided with more polling places." The HERALD saw over twelve months ago what the S'news is only beginning to see. O' contemporary should follow the advice it so frequently gives others "get a move on yourself." They are all waiting now.

The Shenandoah HERALD is the only paper coming to our sanctum that approved of the barbaric treatment of Private Iams at Homestead. The HERALD is owned by a Grand Army man, and the only one of that body who expressed approval. But then there are quite a few Grand Army men who never smell powder smoke.

The S'news published the above on Sunday. It will now please state what relation the smelling of powder smoke bears to the Iams case.

The S'news will also confer a favor by stating what part, if any, of its friendliness had its nostrils tickled by powder smoke in any of the battles in which the Grand Army distinguished itself.

Shamokin citizens, recognizing the danger to which all densely populated towns are subject, will ask the Borough Council of that town to-night to enact an ordinance creating a board of health. When will the Shenandoah people realize the emergency of the times?

I have it from good authority that within a few years Gettysburg will be one of the most interesting and attractive places in the United States. Millions of dollars will be spent in improving the town. Large hotels will be erected and beautiful gardens similar to those of which the European countries boast of will be erected and laid out around and near the famous battle field and electric railways will be run in all directions to connect the place with towns that are now inaccessible by rail. A syndicate has purchased all the neighboring land not owned by the Gettysburg Memorial Association and all the funds necessary for the project have been subscribed or guaranteed by Boston capitalists. The gentlemen at the head of the enterprise was an officer in the Confederate command that fired the opening shot on the battle field. The details of this gigantic scheme, which is bound to be a profitable one, would make interesting reading, but the writer is not at liberty to see them at present. The Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company will also spend thousands of dollars for the improvement of its interests there. Gettysburg will always be a Mecca and when the contemplated improvements are made many more thousands of people at home and from abroad will visit the historic blood-stained field.

The discussion of the Iams case calls to the mind of the writer a touching incident that came to his knowledge during the civil war. A private in the Lincoln Cavalry (First New York) named Johnson had a mother living south of the Mason and Dixon line. He became homesick one day and left the camp near Alexandria. He went out towards Manassas Junction and after traveling a number of miles encountered a squadron of Union Cavalry which he mistook for rebels. Perceiving the young man's mistaken notion the commanding officer concluded to assume a rebel stand and warn out all that he could from the "traveler" concerning the Union camp. Johnson fell an easy victim and when the officer had satisfied himself he placed the young man under arrest. After a march back to camp a drum head court martial was held. Johnson was convicted and shot. The writer witnessed the execution. It was a pitiful sight. The poor fellow had placed himself in the jaws of death instead of the arms of his loving mother.

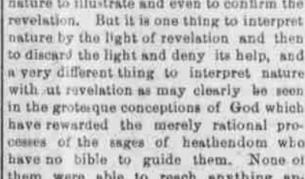
"I don't know why flies were ever made," remarked a physician of town yesterday, "but I know a way to knock them out this season. I have placed carbolic acid in small pans in every room

in the house. The flies have moved. They don't bother us now, because we are not on friendly terms. People who wish to part company with mosquitoes can do so easily if they only burn a little bit of camphor gum over a lamp in the room where the mosquito is."

### THE FREE READING ROOM A CERTAINTY

THEY ORGANIZE AND ELECT OFFICERS. TO BE OPENED AT AN EARLY DATE

The Plans and Objects of the Association as Adopted at a Meeting Held Last Night.



MOVEMENT that appeals strongly to the philanthropy of the people of town was effectually set on foot last night by the permanent organization of "The Free Reading Association of Shenandoah." The movement was started several weeks ago but a permanent organization was deferred until the promoters could arrange their plans so that they could know just what they were doing and what the promises of success would be.

Last night a meeting was held in the Trinity Reformed church, Rev. H. G. James presiding, and a plan of organization was adopted.

The following officers were elected to serve until the time fixed for the annual election of officers—October 1, next: President, Rev. William Powick; Vice Presidents, Daniel Ogden, W. H. Waters and John Senior; Secretary, Rev. William McNally; Treasurer, M. H. Master.

The object of the Association is the development of the moral and mental nature of its patrons by the maintenance of a free reading room and the circulation of such literature as may be agreed upon. The management shall be vested in a board of trustees to consist of the pastor and one lay member of each patronizing church, and five persons to be chosen at large by the members of the association. The executive committee will comprise the officers of the association, and it shall be charged with the administration of all the details of its work and with the duty of devising ways and means of carrying out its work, subject, however, to the approval of the board of trustees. The expenses of the association will be met by voluntary contributions under the following scheme: Patronizing churches shall be constituted by the payment of not less than five dollars per year. Active members shall be constituted by the payment of one dollar per year. Any person contributing more than one dollar shall be constituted a sustaining member for that year. All members shall be entitled to all the privileges of the room and a vote at all elections for officers. In case of any perversion of the original design of the association, or of its method of pursuing it, the property of the Association shall revert to the patronizing churches.

The Association has secured the two rooms over the drug store in the Harrington building, corner of Main and Centre streets. The rooms will be made into one, with an arch midway. They will be opened as soon as they can be arranged and furnished. This work will begin at once.

**Self Praise.**  
Self praise is no recommendation, but there are times when one must permit a person to tell the truth about himself. When what he says is supported by the testimony of others no reasonable man will doubt his word. Now, to say that Alcock's Porous Plasters are the only genuine and reliable porous plasters made is not self praise in the slightest degree. They have stood the test for over thirty years, and in proof of their merits it is only necessary to call attention to the cures they have effected and to the voluntary testimonials of those who have used them.

**The Switchback.**  
Trains will leave the Switchback Depot, March Chunk, as follows: 8:40, 10:10, 11:37 a. m. and 1:00, 2:30, 3:55, 5:25 p. m. On Sundays, 7:30 and 2:30 p. m. Leave Summit Hill: 9:40, 11:10, a. m. and 12:35, 1:30, 3:20, 4:35, 6:15 p. m. Sundays, 9:30 and 4:00 p. m.

**Kreiger's Condition.**  
The condition of Jacob Kreiger, who accidentally shot himself on Saturday, is about the same as it was yesterday. He is very weak and takes but little nourishment. His family and friends are giving him every attention and care, and some believe he will pull through, while there are others who are prepared for the worse.

**Camp Meetings at Vermillion, O.**  
Excursion tickets on sale via the Nickel Plate from June 21st to August 23rd at very low rates. Tickets good returning until August 20th. taug30

**A Visit to the West.**  
Could not be made at a better time than now. Ask Nickel Plate agents for rates.  
Fine photos, 60c. per dozen, at Keagy's.

### PERSONAL.

Prof. Franks, of Gordon, was a visitor to town this morning.

Superintendent Baird spent to-day at Potsville.

C. E. Titman and G. A. Keim returned from Eagles Mere yesterday.

A. J. Luburg and son, of Philadelphia, were visitors to town yesterday.

J. J. Coyle, of Mahanoy City, the Republican candidate for the Legislature, spent a part of to-day in town.

Mrs. J. F. Finny, daughter and son, accompanied by her niece, Miss Blanche Rich, left for Atlantic City this morning.

Miss Florence Hoffman, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of Miss Gertrude Parrott, of North Jardin street.

Mrs. William Richards and Miss Bertha Seeber spent Sunday and yesterday visiting relatives at Llewellyn.

Miss Emma Major, who had been visiting Miss Mary Leckie in town, returned to her home in Allentown yesterday.

Oscar Yost's family left town this morning for the camp meeting at Mountain Grove and will remain there until the 12th inst.

Miss Carrie Smith, one of our efficient corps of school teachers, is spending a well-earned vacation with friends at North Amherst, Ohio.

Rev. H. J. Glick, formerly pastor of the Evangelical church of town, but now located at Hazleton, is in town with his family, spending a few days with friends.

Editors Theodore F. Barron and Wm. B. Hartman, of the Ashland Record, joined Editor Beyer, of the HERALD, at the Lehigh Valley depot this morning and journeyed to Orwigburg to attend the quarterly meeting of the Schuylkill Press Association.

Prof. George Marks Evans, of Shamokin, representing *The Vocalist*, published by the New York Vocal Institute, and W. T. Morgan, of New York, representing the International Publishing Society of that city, spent to-day in town. Both gentlemen are enthusiastic admirers of the Lakeside musical festival and predict that it will be a great success this year.

### A TUG OF WAR.

A Player's Account of the Game at Lansford.

Shenandoah team wended its way to Lansford Saturday and gave the strongly organized team of that place a tug-of-war struggle. The game was hotly contested from start to finish and up to the seventh inning looked like a sure victory for our boys. In this inning the tide of good luck changed its course, carrying with it a trio of runs for the home team, thus ending in a brilliant score of 2 to 4. The work of Fitzgerald at third was marvellous, while Heffron and Scanlan, as a battery, kept their opponents in continual terror of Scanlan's electrified curves. "Hop" Ward, the old reliable, played his usual cool and faultless game, while the remainder of the team played good all around ball.

Gormley and Fulmer filled the points for the opposing team and worked like clock work. Gormley's stem-winding curves proved fatal to our terrific sluggers. Our team is a good one, having battled its fifth game with unbounded success, thrice snapping victory from the very jaws of defeat. The club is anxious to tackle any team desiring a game and respectfully invites the Y. M. C. A., of Potsville, to voluntarily centralize their mental activity upon this one thought. The following is the official score of the Lansford game:

LANSFORD.	SHENANDOAH.
Fulmer, c.....0 0 13 2	Heffron, c.....0 0 8 2 9
Fisher, 1b.....2 1 0 0	Travenis, 1b.....1 2 0 0
Sharpe, 2b.....0 0 3 3	Coole, 2b.....0 1 4 2 3
Marialey, 3b.....1 0 1 0	Ward, 3b.....1 0 1 0
O'Donnell, 4th.....1 0 0 0	Toole, ss.....0 0 2 4 1
Tarleton, ss.....0 0 2 0	Scanlan, p.....0 0 0 1 0
Reese, 2b.....5 1 1 1	Flick, cf.....0 0 0 1 0
Gormley, 1b.....0 0 1 1	Dalton, rf.....0 1 0 0 0
Packer, rf.....1 1 0 0	Fitzg'd, 3b.....0 0 0 1 1
Totals.....4 0 27 8	Totals.....2 2 27 19 6

**Pure and Wholesome Quality.**  
Comments to public approval the California liquid laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs. It is pleasant to the taste and by acting gently on the kidneys, liver and bowels to cleanse the system effectually, it promotes the health and comfort of all who use it, and with millions it is the best and only remedy.

**Investigation Courted.**  
The following communication has been received by the editor of the HERALD: "Friend Boyer: Keep the good work going. Make those parties who have been complaining about the company stores prove their assertions. We court an investigation at any time."  
Yours Resp'tly,  
BRADIGAN BROS."

**Great Reduction in Rates.**  
To Denver, Col., Helena, Mont., Ogden and Salt Lake City, Utah. Ask Nickel Plate agents for rates. 1w-d&w

Spectacles to suit all eyes, at Portz's book and stationery store, 21 North Main street. 4 28-1f

**Knee Injured.**  
William Biskis, a Polish miner working in a breast of Shenandoah City colliery, fell upon a piece of sheet iron yesterday and cut the cap of one of his knees very badly.