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AN OPENER

That is just what we are going to do. Open your eyes to a realization of the fact that you can buy more goods for 50 cents at the Shenandoah

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Everything in the Grocery Line!

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Best family flour, (quality guaranteed) per 100 lbs	$2 10
16 cans marrow fat peas	1 00
12 cans good corn	1 00
10 cans best corn	1 00
12 cans cold packed tomatoes, (Standard)	1 00
10 cans cold packed tomatoes, (whole)	1 00
30-lb pail best jelly	90
7 " "	25
20 " "	70
30 " " preserves	2 00
3½ " " "	25
1 toy pail apple butter, 5 lbs	25
10 3-lb bars yellow soap	1 00
9 pieces yellow soap	25
6 pieces Miners' soap	25
6 pieces white soap	25
7 lbs Carolina rice	25
4 qts soup beans	25
5 lbs XXX soda crackers	25
4 lbs Muscatelle raisins, no stems	25
1 lb best Sultana prunes	10
3 lbs evaporated apples	25
4½ lbs dried pears	25
4 lbs small pretzels	25
3-lb box silver gloss starch	15
6 lbs loose silver gloss starch	25
1 keg of best Holland herring	55
Mackerel, large, fat and white, per lb	13
Mackerel, large, fat and white, per kit	1 00
4 lbs best boneless cod fish	25
Parlor Pride polish, regular price 15c	10
8 bottles flavoring extracts, large size	25
1 lb best ground pepper	15
3 doz large green pickles	25
Chow Chow and mixed pickles, per qt	10
1 lb Joker plug chewing tobacco	28
1 lb Gail & Ax smoking	28
7 cans best table peaches	1 00
No. 7 broom, 4 tie	25
No. 6 broom, 3 tie	20
4 boxes Red Seal lye	25
4 bottles blue, large size	25
7 bottles blue, small size	25
Scaled herring, 50 in box, per box	15
1 lb baking powder, equal to any	12
7 boxes oil sardines	25
6 lbs good tea, regular price 25c	1 00
3 lbs best tea, regular price 45c	1 00
Pure cider vinegar, apple juice only, per gallon	14
Cigars, per box of 100, from $1 to	6 50
Gold Dust washing powder, 4 lb box	21
Cottoline, in 3 and 5 lb pail, per lb	14

All goods promptly delivered free of charge. Mail orders will receive careful and prompt attention.

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New Styles and Handsome Patterns—Received almost daily. If you want them sewed, ready for moving or house cleaning.

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—$4.50 Per Barrel.—

AT KEITER'S

THE VETERANS' FAIR OPEN

IT WAS FORMALLY OPENED LAST NIGHT.

THERE ARE MANY ATTRACTIONS.

The Women's Relief Corps and Ladies' Aid Society Have all Things in Excellent Order. The Result Last Night.

A RARE treat is in store for any one who will spare a few minutes to visit Robbins' opera house and view the many attractions of the fair now in progress there under the auspices of Watkin Waters Post, No. 140, G. A. R. The fair opened last night and although the rain deterred many people from leaving their homes, quite a number made their way to see the treat prepared by the veterans and their wives and daughters.

The hall is elaborately decorated with the national colors in forms of flags, bunting and banners, and above the inner entrance, along the galleries and above and about the booths there is an abundance of beautifully colored streamers and wreaths. There are seven booths on the floor and all are loaded down with everything imaginable pleasing to the eye, and suitable for household purposes. Large, comfortable rocking chairs of the latest style, handsome rugs, beautiful satin, silk and plush pillows, lovely pictures and frames, novelties for the mantel, great old-fashioned quilts, clocks, and an innumerable quantity of other articles, beside wearing apparel for the young and old hang about the booths and rest upon the tables. One of the features of the confectionery booth is a large, handsomely ornamented fruit cake donated by W. V. Otto the confectioner. Several tempting offers for this cake were refused last night because the management has not decided upon a method for disposing of it. It has been suggested that it be offered as a prize for a grand cake walk.

The booths are arranged on the north and south sides of the hall and are in charge of the following committees: Stand No. 1, Mrs. Sarah Richards, Mrs. Lizzie Tosh and Mrs. Lena Shane. No. 2, Mrs. Carsie Lewis, Mrs. Jane Lang, Mrs. Mary Davidson, Mrs. Clara Spears and Mrs. Catherine Rogers. No. 3, Mrs. Pierce Walker, Mrs. Lizzie Townsend, Mrs. Jane Morgan and Mrs. Laura Goodhead. No. 4, Mrs. Amelia Otto, Mrs. Clara Price, Mrs. Mary Stauffenberger, Mrs. Maria Gibson and Mrs. Morgan Brown. No. 5, Mrs. Emma Fiest, Mrs. Ruth Hopkins, Mrs. Annie Brown and Mrs. Clara Waters. No. 6, Mrs. Pauline Boyer, Mrs. Bella Bowman, Mrs. Beineman and Mrs. Kate McCutcheon. No. 7, Mrs. Lillie Daddow, Mrs. Lizzie Barisch and Mrs. Sarah Troutman.

All these ladies are members of the Women's Relief Corps, which is auxiliary to the G. A. R., or the Ladies' Aid Society, auxiliary to the Sons of Veterans, and they have worked hard to make the fair attractive for everybody in order that the receipts may be swelled to the highest figure possible and the widows' and orphans' fund of the G. A. R. may be substantially replenished.

Last night the Grant Band volunteered its services and announced the opening of the fair by giving a street parade and a concert at the hall. The Grant Band is one of the warmest friends the veterans have and it showed this last night by giving an excellent programme of music.

In order to add to the attractions the management of the fair has arranged to give an entertainment on the stage every evening, for which no extra charge will be made.

Those who may desire refreshments while at the fair will find an abundant supply of that good, old fashioned, savory, Grand Army style of bean soup which is nicely served by a committee of the veterans and the Women's Relief Corps.

Two things which attracted much attention on the stage last night were a handsome portrait of the lamented old war veteran, Winfield Scott Hancock, which rested in a beautiful frame and was presented by Comrade W. A. Keagey, the photographer, and a "Standard" sewing machine placed there by T. B. Shaffer. All patrons of the fair will have a chance to secure the picture and machine.

One of the handsome rocking chairs on exhibition was donated by J. P. Williams & Son.

As an additional inducement to patrons the management of the fair presents to each visitor upon entering a numbered ticket and before the fair closes each evening one holder of such tickets receives a handsome prize, which was in the form of an order for a ton of coal last night and Mrs. John Daddow, of North Jardin street, held the lucky ticket.

USE DANA'S SARSAPARILLA, ITS "THE KIND THAT CURES."

A Card.

Owing to alterations I want to make in my building, preparatory to the opening of the additional branches of dry goods and carpets to my present business, I am now offering all of the present stock in the building at an immense reduction for cash only, so please don't ask for credit.

Respectfully,

4-15-tf J. J. FRANEY.

Lane's Family Medicine Moves the Bowels Each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary.

MAKING GREAT SCORES

MISS STEIN HAS POLLED NEARLY 50,000 VOTES.

Misses Wasley and Baird Keep Close Together—Miss Minnie Dipper, of Mahanoy City, a Contestant With a Good Start.

Agnes Stein	49239
Mame H. Wasley	35094
Nellie Baird	35867
Mary A. Conselly	20021
Mahala Fairchild	11993
Frank R. Williams	8134
Carrie Faust	6010
Anna M. Dengler	2799
Mary A. Lafferty	2543
Bridget A. Burns	2403
Carrie M. Smith	2215
Hattie Hess	1851
Lillie B. Phillips	1788
Mary A. Stack	1671
James H. Lewis	965
Ella Clauser	801
Maggie Cavanaugh	647
Hannah Reese	645
Clara Kline	632
Annie Mansell	590
Irene Shane	574
Sadie Dantell	429
Jennie Ramage	290
Lizzie Lehr	149
Lizzie O'Connell	107
Minnie Dipper	104
Votes polled yesterday	2278
Grand total	185730

WORLD'S FAIR.

The musical features of the ceremonies opening the Exposition on May 1, include "Columbus March and Hymn," by Prof. John K. Paine; "In Praise of God," Beethoven, and "Hallelujah Chorus," Handel. The composers to be represented on the program dedicating the Women's building of the Exposition are: Ingeborg Von Bronsart, of Weimar, Germany, march for orchestra; Miss Frances Ellicott, of London, England, dramatic overture; Mrs. H. H. A. Beach, of Boston, Mass., "Jubilate," for mixed voices and orchestra, written for the occasion. A chorus of 1,500 voices, orchestra and military bands will participate in the ceremonies opening the Exposition. A mixed chorus of 300 voices and orchestra will take part in the program dedicating the Woman's building. The exercises will be held in Music Hall.

The dedication of the grand Turkish mosque in Midway Plaisance will be the first ceremony of its kind ever performed outside the confines of Turkey. Robert Levy, of Constantinople, who holds patents from the Sultan, has extended invitations to all nobles of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Mystic Shrine to be present at the ceremonies which will be held Friday, April 28.

INITIATORY CONTEST.

The Sons of America Have a Pleasant Time.

There was an initiatory contest in the room of W. C. No. 460, P. O. S. of A., at Mahanoy City, last evening between the teams of Camp 284, of Gilberton, and Camp 72, of Delano. Both teams went through the work without the aid of a ritual. S. L. Brown, of Camp 112, of town, J. H. Eisenhower, of Camp 124, Mahanoy City, and A. J. Hay, of Camp 66, Frackville, acted as judges and decided in favor of the Gilberton team, which went through the beautiful new ritual of the order with the omission of but one sentence. The judges paid the Delano team a high compliment. The visitors present represented Camps 66, 72, 112, 125, 167, 265 and 284. Camp 125, of Girardville, will have an initiation next Wednesday with the full paraphernalia and all members of the order are invited to attend.

ELECTRIC RAILWAY NEWS.

The Company Pursues Its Policy Against Disturbers.

There are some people who are not sufficiently convinced that their conduct while passengers on the Schuylkill Traction Company's lines is subject to restriction. One of these people, Thomas McGinty, was taken before 'Squire May at Mahanoy City by Special Officer Amour and fined and last night Amour took James Dougherty and Anthony O'Donnell before 'Squire Cardin. Amour is on the lookout for three others.

The summer cars are being placed on trucks and fixed up for the summer traffic.

It was expected that the Mahanoy-Plane Girardville branch would be opened for general traffic next Sunday, but owing to the delay in the arrival of the connections for the new large dynamo at the power house the opening may be postponed for another week.

Rheumatism is quickly cured by using Arnica and Oil Liniment. 1m

Married at Philadelphia.

William J. James, of South Jardin street, the efficent clerk at the Cambridge colliery, left yesterday for Philadelphia, where he will take unto himself a partner for life. The fortunate young lady is Miss Mattie C. Rogers, of Frackville, and the ceremonies occurred to-day in the City of Brotherly Love. Mr. and Mrs. James will reside in Frackville for the present, until arrangements are made to permanently locate in this town. The bridal party were the recipients of many beautiful and costly presents, and have the good wishes of a large circle of friends for a happy voyage through life. The HERALD wishes to be numbered among the latter.

"Admiral"

is a real aid to digestion. It is not made by the trust. For full particulars call on or address R. Lahows & Co., Mahanoy City, Pa.

Piano for Sale.

A first-class new piano for sale, at a bargain. Must be sold this week. Apply at Wilde's music store. 4-19-4t

THE GALE WAS FURIOUS.

IT CAUSES QUITE A NUMBER OF MISHAPS.

LITHUANIAN CHURCH SUFFERS

Another Cross Blown From its Steeples and Tower Pedestals Threaten to Fall—Other Places Badly Damaged.

THIS morning the gale played havoc with one of the steeples of the Lithuanian church on South Jardin street. The gale toyed about the steeple for some time as a cat plays with a mouse. It blew one way and then another, in-shoots and out-shoots followed each other rapidly and the cross and sphere upon the top of the steeple swayed dangerously to and fro until suddenly there was a crack and then they flew from their fastenings and dropped to the ground. Fortunately no one had the misfortune to pass the church at the time. We have had two good gales this season and two spheres and crosses have disappeared from the Lithuanian church steeples. Some of our townsmen expressed the opinion to day that it would not require a hurricane to bring the whole structure down. The fact is that in the construction of that church the promoters have tried to erect the largest church in town on a fund only large enough for a structure half the size and the result is that the building is looked upon as a weak kneed gigantic nothing. At a distance it looks like a brick structure with brown stone trimmings and towers, while it is only frame with a covering of some kind of metal plates to represent stone and brick. All the residents in the vicinity of the church look upon the structure as a menace to the town. In case of fire it would be a mere tinder-box and judging from the promptness with which the ornaments have been dropping off there is good reason for believing that some day there will be a tumble that will cause injury to limb or loss of life that will run up a good-sized bill of damages against the owners of the church. This structure is sufficient proof that it is better to spend money in substantial structures than to dump it in empty ornaments.

The gale got the large tin hat of Morgan, the hatter, on its back this morning and carried it down Main street at a terrific gate. The chapeau was recovered and as the hatter struggled back to the store with it he looked much like the familiar figures in the Democratic illustrated papers representing ex-President Harrison and the ancient grandfather headgear.

One of the show windows of Scheider's restaurant on East Centre street was shattered by the gale this morning.

Shortly before noon the tin was swept from the roofs and the dwellings and warehouse on Market alley, below Cherry street, owned by the Bradigan Bros. Most of the tin was swept to the ground. The rest was held to the roof by strips.

At about the same time the tin roof of the rookery on the site of the old skating rink, at the lower end of Main street, was swept off and part of it was carried to the Lehigh Valley railroad tracks.

Fortunately none of the bodies swept by the gale injured any pedestrians.

The young daughter of Mrs. Gregory got caught in a gale on West Centre street at noon. She was knocked down and rolled over and over on the pavement for a distance of several yards but escaped injury.

A woman struggled along Main street with a basket, a roll of wall paper and an umbrella. She was in a bad fix until P. J. Ferguson towed her into a port of safety.

This afternoon the pedestals at the base of the Lithuanian church steeples were rocking to and fro in such a manner that it was momentarily expected they would fall into the street.

Said a noted man of 60 years, "my mother gave me Downs' Elixir for coughs and colds when I was a boy." 1m

"The Fast Mail."

Lincoln J. Carter's superb scenic production, "The Fast Mail," which will be presented at Ferguson's theatre this (Thursday) evening, April 20th, by an excellent company, is one of the most successful plays put upon the stage in recent years. The story is thrilling, and justice is done the startling and realistic scenes by a perfection of mechanical effects. Among other reproductions is a representation of an engine room on a Mississippi river steamboat, with the furnaces under the boilers fired up; a train of cars shoots across the stage in one scene, and in another there is a vivid, beautiful and awe inspiring representation of Niagara Falls by moonlight, with the singing waters and graceful mist that rises above and about it. The company is said to be excellent throughout.

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Laid to Rest.

The remains of the late Silas Thompson arrived in town yesterday afternoon accompanied by relatives and delegations of the I. O. O. F. and K. G. E. of Shamokin and were received at the Lehigh Valley depot by delegations of Plank Ridge Lodge, No. 880, I. O. O. F., and Anthracite Castle, No. 74, K. G. E. Interment was made in the Odd Fellows' cemetery.

Fresh Morris River Cove Oysters received daily at Coslett's. 9-22-tf

OPIE'S OBSERVATIONS.

What He Sees and Hears During His Travels.

The filing of a decision in the water company case was a surprise to many of our citizens. The case dragged along for so many months before argument that the people would not have wondered if the end had been put off until next summer. 'Tis well, however, that the end is here, for it has already been a source of much expense and embarrassment to all concerned.

The attention of the borough authorities may as well be called now as a week hence that the old-time obnoxious "street walking" custom is becoming too conspicuous. Several months ago when the newspapers attacked this evil it was cried down because certain people thought that if the parties complained of behaved themselves no one could justly find fault and, in the eyes of these champions, the behavior was such as not to provoke censure. Notwithstanding this championship the articles had their effect and the women complained sought and kept their haunts. With the thawing of the last remnants of winter and the budding of spring the street walking fraternity seems to have taken renewed courage and their rambles are becoming more frequent than the more morally inclined people of the town are disposed to relish, therefore it has become necessary to again sound the warning cry, "Keep off the streets." And, unless some of the people in town who have become so degraded that care neither for their own reputation or the feelings of those who have involuntarily become residents of their vicinity, become more discreet, they will receive the same attention as those would audaciously advertise themselves on the pavements. Judging from the complaints already made to the HERALD the people of this town are by no means disposed to tolerate houses which the occupants seem anxious to have branded as nests of prostitution. One house in the Second ward and another in the First are being closely watched.

In commenting upon a petition for a saloon for Hungarians in Braddock Judge Magee significantly remarked that the court had not yet been asked to license an American to keep a saloon for Americans. The Judge saw at a glance the tendency of the request made of the court, which must be also seen by every person conversant with the clannishness of foreign residents. Separate saloons prove powerful factors in preventing that assimilation of foreign elements into American citizenship, by affording places where foreigners may congregate and perhaps plot and plan, yet fortunately for Shenandoah the granting of such licenses has not had the effect that an exchange seems to dread when it says, "Think of such dens being labelled: 'Hungarian Saloon,' 'Polish Saloon,' 'Bohemian Saloon,' &c. We have a number of saloons labelled in that manner. One of them, on Main street, has before it a sign reading, "Lietuwinku Salunas," which reads when translated, "Lithuanian Saloon."

A lawyer has expressed the opinion that there will be more business failures in Shenandoah by the first of next January than there have been in any previous year. This prediction is based upon the distorted relations which now exist between many of the merchants and the wholesale houses. He said the repeated failures among the foreign class of business men is ruining the credit of the town and the lines drawn by the wholesalers are being drawn so tight that many of the people who would prosper with honest and fair competition are tempted to follow in the footsteps of the foreign sharpers. The lawyer also stated that it is surprising that the wholesalers and their agents have not long since been able to distinguish the honest merchant from the man who seems to make a point of failure after a brief business career and with a large stock on hand. Some of the tactics of the foreigners who have failed in this town the past few years, he said, have been disreputable in the extreme, but the men have always successfully surrounded themselves with legal technicalities and escaped imprisonment. OPIE.

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Wanted,

To complete files, two copies each of the EVENING HERALD of January 1st, 2d and 4th, and February 5th, 1892. A liberal price will be paid for the same.

Post Inspected.

Frackville Post, Grand Army of the Republic, was inspected last evening by Lawrence Mangam, of town, assisted by Joel D. Ledden, of Lost Creek, both members of our local Post.

Important Notice.

All property holders on Main street, between Centre and Lloyd streets, who have not agreed to connect their properties with the sewer pipe now being laid, are, requested to meet at the Schelly House to-morrow (Friday) evening, at 8:30 o'clock. This will be the last chance they will have to connect with the system at first cost. 4-20-2t

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

"Baby" is a spanking drama, and the number of babies that are cured of coughs, colds and croup by Dr. Coxe's Wild Cherry and Seneka are sure cry-terians of the virtue of that medicine.

Holderman's jewelry store leads, as ever.

CARPET BEATERS,

All Kinds, at

Fricke's Carpet Store, S. Jardin St