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ONE CENT.

## WILLIAMS.

### Some Big Bargains in Parlor Suits

THIS WEEK.

On account of an over stock a cut of from \$5 to \$15 on each suit has been made.

Just Received Another Case of—

### Ladies' Fancy Ribbed Vests!

Which I shall sell at the same price as before, viz., 14c, worth 20c. So cure a few as this will be the last case. The mill has closed them out.

For Commencement Day I offer a large assortment of White Goods, Swisses, Organdies, etc., at remarkably low figures. The Cream Hose, Gloves, Mittens and White and Cream Ribbons have just arrived.

### Max Schmidt,

116-118 North Main Street, Shenandoah, Pa.

### ALL NEW.

You ought to come and see me in my

### New Store

And look through one of the largest and finest stocks of

### New Shoes

Ever brought to Shenandoah. New—everything—have been added to my already complete stock, and the new store is a thing of beauty and a profitable place to trade.

### New Inducement

Offered to buyers of the best as well as the cheapest.

**JOSEPH BALL,** 14 S. MAIN STREET, SHENANDOAH, PA.

Prices lowest, when quality is considered.

One price to all.

### Now in Order—House Cleaning.

All those in need of Carpets, Window Shades, Lace or Chenille Curtains, Rugs, Mats, etc., call at

**J. J. PRICE'S, OLD RELIABLE** NORTH MAIN STREET

Ice Cream Freezers. Iron Hollowware.  
Ice Cream Freezers. Iron Hollowware.

Clothes Baskets. Dinner Sets.  
Clothes Baskets. Dinner Sets.

Sprinkling Cans. Table Oil Cloth.  
Sprinkling Cans. Table Oil Cloth.

**GIRVIN, DUNCAN & WAIDLEY'S**  
8 South Main Street.

### WE OFFER TO-DAY

A line of NEW CARPETS in

### Body and Tapestry Brussels.

Handsomely New Patterns at Lowest Prices.  
Also a Splendid Assortment of

### New Rag Carpets,

Good Quality, Good Styles, Low Prices.

We also offer special bargains in

### Linoleums and Oil Cloths

To Reduce Stock.

For Sale—Fifty Barrels

### Time Rye Flour, Fresh Ground

Our Own Make,

Old Time Graham Flour—A Choice Article.

**AT KEITER'S**

## FRANEY

### THAT RIGHT OF WAY

The Lakeside Electric Company Gets It.

### IT WAS A BITTER FIGHT

Three Companies Were in the Field, But "Little Johnny" Finney Landed on Top of the Heap—Other Proceedings of Council Last Night.

THERE was a large attendance of citizens at the meeting of the Borough Council last evening, which was due to the reports circulated during the past few days that the applications for rights of way by the three electric railway companies would make a lively meeting. The meeting was indeed an interesting one and anybody who read between the lines must have seen that it was the climax of two weeks' campaigning.

The Councilmen present were Messrs. Betteridge, Van Dusen, Stout Galligan, Holman, Dougherty, Gallagher, Kane, Finney, Gable, James, Lamb, Coakley, McGuire and Scheiff, the full membership.

After the preliminaries, which usually attend the opening of regular meetings of the body, M. M. Burke, Esq., took the floor and stated that he and S. G. M. Holloper, Esq., were at the meeting as counsel for the Lakeside Electric Railway Company and to make application for a right of way through certain streets of the town.

Mr. Burke said it was proposed to run the road, in town, on Centre street from the line of East Mahanoy township to the western end of that street; thence north to Coal street to a point immediately west of the Kohinor colliery; thence west along Coal street to the borough line; thence back to Spruce street, north to Line street, east to White street, south to Centre, and thence east to the East Mahanoy township line. Mr. Burke added that the company was willing to abide by any ordinance the borough might make.

J. H. Coyle, Esq., then took the floor. Mr. Coyle said he appeared in the interest of the Beaver Meadow, Hazleton, Mahanoy City and Shenandoah company. He described the proposed route of the road from Freeland through Luzerne county to Delano, Trenton, Park Place, Shoemaker's, Bowman's, Mahanoy City, Hill's Patch and across the mountain to Jackson's, Ellengowan and up to the eastern boundary line of this borough. He said it was practically a trunk line and touched a population of about 100,000, that from 10 to 12 miles of the road had been completed and the company proposed building a power house that would be second to none in the state.

Mr. Coyle said the right of way desired would take in Centre street and then he proceeded to give proof of the sincerity of the company. He said he represented a company composed of men with whom the Councilmen were well acquainted, either personally or by reputation, that they were representative men in every sense of the word and among them were Mr. Markel, of Hazleton, Mr. Blakale, of Delano, and P. J. Ferguson, of town.

Continuing on the sincerity line of argument Mr. Coyle produced a bond signed by Messrs. P. J. Ferguson, M. D. Malone, Michael Mellet and J. J. Franey as a guarantee that the conditions of any ordinance the Council might adopt would be complied with; and he said the signers would allow the Council to fill in the time within which the work should be begun—days, if desired, not months, or a year—and the time within which the line should be completed.

As a further guarantee of good faith Mr. Coyle drew from his pocket \$1,000 in bills and said the company was prepared to place the money in the hands of the proper officers. McHenry Wilhelm, Esq., of Ashland, was the next speaker. Mr. Wilhelm said he represented the Shenandoah and Mahanoy City Electric Railway Company. His remarks were brief and he said his company would furnish either cash or bond to guarantee compliance with any ordinance the Council might adopt.

Mr. Holloper then spoke. He said the alphabetically titled road which Mr. McHenry Wilhelm represented was simply a stepping stone to the formation of a giant monopoly. As to the statements made by Mr. Coyle for the other company, he pronounced them astounding. He said the attorney was treating the Council as if they were a lot of boys. It was a remarkable and unheard of thing for Mr. Coyle to dash a roll of bills before the eyes of the Councilmen. It looked as if the company thought the Council could be bought, he said.

Mr. Holloper concluded his remarks by saying that one of the Councilmen had originally raised the money to construct the

## China Closets.

Call and look at those beautiful china closets just former prices. These goods

### THE POPULAR CONTEST

"Herald's" Favorite Teachers' Vacation.

### GIVE EARNEST SUPPORT.

The Weary Pedagogue will Find Pleasure at the World's Fair, Niagara Falls or Boston Through Your Influence—Vote Early and Often for Your Favorite.

THE HERALD contest, to determine what public school teachers are to go to Chicago, Niagara Falls and Boston as the guests of the HERALD, is not now a daily but an hourly topic among the teachers and their friends for the final "in-gathering" of coupons will soon be in order, and it is becoming so surprising event to many of the teachers to receive huge packages of coupons at their schools each morning.

Remember that to-morrow will be the last day for those who intend to join the HERALD's special excursion to the World's Fair to make their deposits. On Monday the public will be informed as to whether or not the excursion will be abandoned.

The other day a little child, a pupil in one of the schools, brought a very big roll of coupons to her teacher and in the course of conversation exclaimed, "Oh, Miss —, you must have a million votes now"—the highest possible unit to the mind of a child. The lady smilingly and thoughtlessly replied, "I think I must have, Mary." The girl went home and told her Miss — said she had a million votes and the report has spread and spread in that neighborhood, and her little pupils are sure Miss — will go to Chicago, for who could have more than a million votes? Though Miss — knows she hasn't that many votes, she has hopes of being one of the lucky ones.

The Schuylkill county visitors to the World's Fair will take much interest in the coal exhibit and especially in the largest lump of coal in the world, which is in the Washington state building. The colossal specimen of the black diamond is 26 feet long, with a width of 5 feet 4 inches, and is 5 feet 8 inches in height. The weight is a little over 25 tons, so that altogether it would have been a very nice lump to come to a poor man's door during some of the cold days last winter.

Some, perhaps most people, will be disappointed when they see the much talked-of silver statue of Justice in the Mining building. It is not a fine piece of modeling. There is something wrong with the pose of the figure—what, a sculptor might say, but certainly something is lacking. It is the same old Justice of Fiction, with sword and scales, but unblinded. Pessimistic critics should not fail to observe that Justice apparently has a golden foundation. It is strange that a silver statue like Colorado should have exhibited anything on a gold base, but it is a fact that this statue stands on a plinth of that precious metal from the Spotted Horse Mountain.

While the statue itself looks as if it might be made of silver, the average spectator will find it hard to convince himself that the dull streaked plinth is really gold. It doesn't look half so precious as the gigantic female bulk of staff and coiled with gold leaf, who towers outrageously as Liberty personified in front of the peristyle. That large lady, however, if she is not worth her weight in gold, could raise the tidy sum of \$5,000 if she pawned her skin. Some ingenious speculator will probably buy her when the sun of her glory has set, and the Fair is closed, and then Liberty, as has often happened before, will be flayed for filth in her. She would be better entitled to our sympathy if she were somewhere else.

Nettie Baird.....77640  
Agnes Stein.....73119  
Mame H. Waseley.....66355  
Fannie Fairchild.....31940  
Mary A. Connelly.....31847  
Carrie Faust.....17319  
Frank B. Williams.....1698  
Irene Shase.....1579  
Carrie M. Smith.....3939  
Mary A. Laferriere.....2612  
Battie Hens.....3913  
Anna M. Dengler.....8991  
Lillie B. Phillips.....2846  
Hedrick A. Burns.....2003  
Mary A. Stack.....2079  
James H. Lewis.....1289  
Ella Chesser.....1008  
Maggie Cavanaugh.....893  
Clara Cline.....888  
Hannah Reese.....702  
Annie Mansell.....647  
Sadie Daniel.....636  
Jennie Bamage.....394  
Minnie Dipper.....180  
Lizzie Lebe.....179  
Lizzie O'Connell.....133  
Votes polled yesterday.....576  
Grand total.....355384

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

PERSONAL.  
Dr. C. E. Shoemaker, of Baltimore, Md., is spending a few days with his parents, on South Main street.

Milton Bunyon, a former resident of town, now residing at Hughesville, Lycoming county, was in town yesterday looking after his property interests.

Govt. Insurers, Backache, Pains in the Side and all forms of Rheumatic diseases quickly disappear when treated with the celebrated Imported Anchor Pain Expeller. For sale at C. H. Hagenbuch, P. P. D. Kirlin, J. M. Hillian, and other druggists.

## China Closets.

arrived. The finest ever offered in the coal region and have just arrived.

### ODD FELLOWS FEAST

Anniversary of Plank Ridge Lodge No. 880.

### IS NINETEEN YEARS OLD

Robbins' Opera House the Scene of Much Enjoyment Last Night—An Excellent Supper and Entertainment Given in Honor of the Event.

UCH congratulation was indulged in by the members of Plank Ridge Lodge No. 880, I. O. O. F., and their friends upon the success of the nineteenth anniversary of the lodge, held last evening in Robbins' opera house.

Three large tables were prepared, and were loaded down with all that the season affords. The members of the lodge, with their wives and lady friends, assembled in the hall at 8 o'clock, and immediately proceeded to do ample justice to the tables and refreshments, both liquid and solid. It was an excellent supper.

At 9 o'clock the tables were cleared, and the musical and literary programme was proceeded with, and which was as follows: Opening remarks.....Robert Pool Singing.....Miss Alice Needs Instrumental music.....Louis Lebe

Miss Harriet Jones and Edwin Jones secretary's report.....Edward D. Boddall Song.....Benj. Haskey Instrumental music.....Louis Lebe Miss Harriet Jones and Edwin Jones Remarks on Odd Fellowship.....Samuel Miller Singing.....Miss Alice Needs Music.....Miss Harriet Jones and Edwin Jones (Dedication).....Louis Lebe (Dedication).....Benj. Haskey Robert Pool was chairman of the evening, and very creditably filled the position. Benj. Haskey's singing, who seems to be a favorite with Shenandoah audiences, was repeatedly encored, as was also the recitations of Louis Lebe. The performance of Miss Harriet Jones upon the piano, accompanied by Edwin Jones with the violin, deserve special mention. Miss Needs also performed her part creditably.

One of the most interesting features of the programme, especially to the members of the lodge, was the report of Secretary Boddall, showing the condition of the lodge from the day of its institution to the present. The lodge was instituted on June 10th, 1874, with twenty-one charter members, and of that number only seven are now living. They are: E. D. Boddall, S. K. Broome, A. H. Roads, John Clough, James Marshall, D. D. Kreiger and John T. Thomas.

During the last two years seven members have been buried, dying within the short space of seven months and a half. This, together with the large amount of sick benefits paid, was a great strain upon the treasury. The lodge has paid out as weekly sick benefits, \$11,844; donations for relief, \$805.97; funeral benefits, \$2,300; working expenses, \$6,358.10, making a grand total of expenditures \$21,308.07. The total amount of cash and property of the lodge is \$4,203.76. Since its institution 320 members have been admitted, and the present numerical standing is 150. The report certainly shows Plank Ridge Lodge to be in a healthy condition, with the indications of many more years of usefulness before it.

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

Obituary.  
Anthony Devers, one of the oldest residents of this town, died this morning at his home on East Centre street, in his 95th year. Mr. Devers had resided here for upwards of fifty years and for five consecutive years, 1871-5, he served as High Constable of the borough and his name appears on the borough's charter list. A widow and seven grown up sons and daughters survive the deceased. The funeral will take place at 10 a. m. Monday.

Main's Circus.  
Main's circus, which met with a disastrous accident at Tyrone several weeks ago, will positively exhibit in Shenandoah on the 19th of this month. The proprietor has reorganized his show by adding new cars, cages, wagons, horses, animals, etc., so that it will be more complete than ever. Wait for it.

Now for Oxford Ties.  
At the People's store will be found a big selection of ladies' Oxford ties, warranted solid and in the latest styles, at 75 cents and upwards.  
PEOPLE'S STORE,  
121 North Main Street.

No Combines.  
"Admiral" cigarettes are not made by a trust. Their great popularity is due to solid merit. For particulars address R. Labows & Co., Mahanoy City, Pa.

Fair and Festival.  
The English Lutheran church will hold a fair and festival in Robbins' opera house, from June 19th to 24th, inclusive. Admission 5 cents.  
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Never do an act which you may doubt the propriety. Never neglect to guard against a bad cough, but use Dr. Cox's Wild Cherry and Senece.

You are invited to call at Fricker's Carpet Store, No. 10 South Main Street, to see his new line of Carpets, Oil Cloths and Window Shades.