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ONE CENT.

WILLIAMS.

Home Big Bargains in Parlor Suits

THIS WEEK.

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

Ladies' Corsets!

Worth, 50c, 60c, 75c and \$1.00.

Will be sold for a few days only at **37 cents.**

Max Schmidt,
116-118 North Main Street, - Shenandoah, Pa.

Extra Bargains

For This Week Only!

200 pairs Child's Red Oxfords, spring heels, worth \$1.00; this week, 50c.
100 pairs Misses' Red Shoes, button, spring heels, worth \$1.50; this week \$1.00.
75 pairs Youth's Russet Bals, worth \$1.50; this week, \$1.00. Call early.

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Prices lowest, when quality is considered.
One price to all.

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

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At less than it will cost you to have your clothes laundered. Just the thing for parties, picnics and festivals.

Window Screens.	Express Wagons.	Table Oilcloth.
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Good Quality, Good Styles, Low Prices.

We also offer special Bargains in

Linoleums and Oil Cloths

To Reduce Stock.

For Sale—Fifty Barrels

A Time Rye Flour, Fresh Ground

Our Own Make,
Old Time Graham Flour—A Choice Article.

AT KEITER'S


FRANEY

NEW WATER WORKS

Special Meeting of Council Last Evening.

TO ACT ON SUGGESTIONS

Supervising Engineer Womeldorf's Duties Defined—A Change in the Specifications Explained—No Hurry About Ordering Work on the Pump.



SPECIAL meeting of the Borough Council was held last evening to act upon matters pertaining to the construction of public water works. The Councilmen present were Messrs. Betteridge, Coakley, Gable, Holman, Scheffy, Finney, Gatlan, James, Lamb, Gallagher and McGuire, Mr. James acting as chairman of the evening.

The object of the meeting was to consider some suggestions made by Civil Engineer Womeldorf, of Pottsville, who has been employed to supervise the construction of the works for the borough. The suggestions came from Mr. Womeldorf and were that the Council give him the power to act as representative of the Council in the work; that more specifications be furnished; that something be done to settle a question about the size of pipe to be used; that Mr. Womeldorf be given authority to order the pumps, and that Council prepare to pay bills on June 30th.

Mr. Scheffy thought the matters should be left in the hands of the water committee unless Council wished to organize as a committee of the whole, but Mr. James ruled that such action was not necessary.

Mr. Coakley said if Mr. Womeldorf's intention was to have Council make him general manager and superintendent of the water works he would object, as the engineer had only been employed to look after the work of the contractors.

Mr. Gable said the idea was that in case Mr. Womeldorf should see anything going wrong in the work of the contractors he should have power to rectify it without calling a meeting of Council. It was not intended that the engineer should have power to alter or make new contracts, or incur any additional expenses. Mr. Gable followed up his statement with a motion that Mr. Womeldorf be empowered to hold the contractors to the specifications and see that they carry them out, and in case any changes are desired Council should report them to Council. The motion was carried.

Mr. Gable explained the matter in relation to the pipe by saying that the bid of Mr. Quinn provided for a 14-inch pipe and that of Koons and Kerns for a 12-inch pipe. When the latter were awarded the contract the figures "14" were scratched in the specifications and "12" substituted. Mr. Lamb confirmed Mr. Gable's statement and said the change was made before the contract was signed.

The question of ordering the pump for the works was next taken up and Mr. Morris, of Jeanesville, said it would take six months to make the pump.

Mr. Betteridge moved that the Jeanesville Iron Works Company be authorized to proceed with work on the pump and finish it as soon as possible.

Mr. Scheffy amended that Mr. Womeldorf be empowered to order the pump when he thinks it is necessary.

After a lively debate the amendment was sustained, Messrs. Gable, Gallagher and Betteridge voting against it.

In considering the recommendation for payment of bills incurred in the construction of the water works Council decided that it will meet on the second Tuesday of every month to consider such bills.

Mr. James then called attention of Council to the overlooked request of the P. O. S. of a joint committee for permission to ring the fire bell on the morning of the Fourth of July. The request was granted.

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Timely Topics.

Ewell crossed the Potomac just 30 years ago on Thursday.

The Ferris wheel starts out like a wheel of fortune.

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The State Catholic Temperance Association to Meet Here.

Michael Graham returned last night from Houtdale, Clearfield county, where he attended the annual state convention of the C. T. A., as representative of the Annunciation T. A. B. Society of town. The convention was a very satisfactory one and reports from all branches showed a steady growth in membership and financial strength.

The state officers elected were: D. J. McCarthy, Williamsport, president; M. C. Houlihan, Renova, vice president; M. J. Whalen, Osceola Mills, secretary; John F. Ely, Bloomsburg, treasurer; F. P. Cummings, Esq., Williamsport, delegate to the national convention.

Mr. Graham is delighted over one result of the convention. After a hard fight against the claims of Pittston and Shamokin he succeeded in getting the delegates to decide that the next convention shall be held in Shenandoah in June, 1894.

I. O. O. F. Notice.

The members of Shenandoah Lodge, No. 591, I. O. O. F., are requested to meet in the hall room on Saturday, June 24, 1893, at 1 p. m., to make arrangements to attend the funeral of the late Brother Jacob Davis. By order of

THOMAS MINERS, N. G.

Attent.—JOSEPH HUNTS, Secy. 622-3

The Line Broke.

The ringing of the fire alarm bell last evening was caused by the breaking of a wire on East Coal street. The wire was weak and gave way to the storm. Electrician Davis fixed it temporarily last night and had it permanently repaired to-day.

Oughling Leads to Consumption.

Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once.

Wanted.

A girl wanted to do general housework at 104 North Jardin street.

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SEE SHOT INTO THE CROWD.

A Hold Young Thief Holds Many People at Bay in a Crowded Street.

New York, June 23.—A strongly built youth of 18 held a crowd at bay yesterday in Second avenue near One Hundred and Third street. He had stolen \$1 from a store, and when he was accused of the theft by the proprietor he whipped out a revolver and fired a shot at him.

He then dashed up Second avenue, a big crowd at his heels. When his pursuer got close to him he turned, faced them and fired two shots. One of the bullets struck a 12-year-old boy in the head and the other lodged in a man's arm. The boy is in a dangerous condition.

But for the promptness of a young man who lives in the vicinity the thief would have escaped. Despite the fact that he fired two shots at him this young man ran him down, overpowered him and turned him over to the police.

Christopher Berkhof was reading a newspaper in a shoe store at No. 227 East One Hundred and Third street when a youth entered and asked for a pair of shoestrings. He was George Hanley, and although he looks 20 he says he is only 16.

Berkhofer went to the back of the store to get the shoestrings. He saw Hanley go to the till and take a silver dollar. When the youth quietly walked out.

He went into August Wiegand's saloon next door, at No. 225. There were several men in the place.

"Come up and have a drink, all of you," Hanley said. "I've got money enough to 'hold the crowd'."

They drank with the lad, and when it came time to pay Hanley had a dispute over the charge with Wiegand. While they were arguing Berkhof entered.

"You stole my money," he cried at Hanley, "you are a thief."

"I am, eh?" coolly remarked the lad, quickly bringing his right hand to his hip pocket. It held a big revolver when he drew it out.

Without hesitation Hanley blazed away at Berkhof. The bullets grazed the shoe dealer's ear and lodged in the wall.

Before any one could interfere Hanley darted out of the saloon and ran toward Second avenue. The smoking revolver in his hand, Berkhof, the saloon keeper and the man who had been drinking with him rushed after him. A few more strides and the pursuers would have him.

Hanley turned into Second avenue. He had gone half a block when the crowd was almost upon him. A few more strides and the pursuers would have him.

Looking over his shoulder he saw how close the pursuers were. Like a flash he wheeled and the crowd came to a standstill when they saw he had elevated his big revolver.

He fired two shots into the throng and both of them took effect. With a cry of pain 12-year-old George Stevenson, of No. 204 Second avenue, fell to the sidewalk with a bullet in his head. He had been hit in the right temple.

The other bullet struck Arthur Wetkeler, 30 years old, a mechanic, of No. 1987 Second avenue in the left arm.

With a bound Hanley was away again up the avenue, and he probably would have got away from the terrified pursuers if Patrick J. McEuse, a young coal trimmer, of No. 245 East One Hundred and

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When you read the record of the day's events, incidents and accidents, at your supper table, do you ever wonder what home would be without your favorite paper, the HERALD?

Case Settled.

Some time ago D. J. Creedon and Daniel Dougherty, while skylarking threw James Hill down and broke his leg. As soon as Hill was able to get around he sued Creedon and Dougherty for assault and battery. The case was fixed for trial this morning, but last night the parties got together and made an amicable settlement.

Died.

NORTH—On the 21st inst., at Shenandoah, Pa., Garrett, son of James and Ann North, aged 13 years. Funeral from the family residence, 119 East Line street, on Saturday, 24th inst., at 9 a. m. Services at the Annunciation church and interment in the Annunciation cemetery. Friends and relatives respectfully invited to attend. It

The Festival.

An ice cream festival for the benefit of the English Lutheran church will be held in Robbins' opera house, Saturday, June 24th, 1893. A grand cake walk will take place about 10 o'clock. 6-23-93

"Admiral."

The new cigarette, are certainly in town and will be sold by all first class dealers. "Admiral" is not made by a trust. Ask your dealer for them. For particulars address B. Labors & Co., Mahanoy City, Pa.

The Day's Funeral.

The funeral of the late Jacob Davis has been fixed for Saturday, next, at 2 p. m. Services will be held at the family residence and the remains will be interred in the Odd Fellows' cemetery.

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Bella Clauser	1048
Clara Cling	900
Maggie Davidson	883
Hannah Reese	702
Annie Mansell	659
Hedie Daniels	627
Jennie Ramage	364
Minnie Digger	156
Lizzie Lech	139
Idesia O'Connell	128
Votes polled yesterday	4793
Grand total	387510

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

PERSONAL.

J. H. Pomeroy, Esq., spent to-day at the county seat.

Poor Director Derr went to Schuylkill Haven this morning.

George M. Roads, Esq., of Pottsville, was in town last evening.

John F. Reynolds, of Mahanoy Plane, was a visitor to town to-day.

Miss Maud Schoener, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mrs. J. H. Roxby.

Alexander S. Dolg, representing George Mather's Sons Co., New York, was in town yesterday.

T. M. Morris, representing the Jeanesville Iron Works, Jeanesville, Luzerne county, was a visitor to town last evening.

M. E. Doyle, of the News, who has been rusticated at the sea shore for the past two weeks, is home again, being much improved.

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.

RIGHT more days of anxiety and speculation, and then the public will know what teachers will pack their grips and make other preparations for the HERALD's popular public school teachers' trips. Time is narrowing down and as the distance to the goal decreases the interest of the public, the teachers and their friends increases. What a battle of coupons it has been! Nearly 400,000 coupons filed and still they come in daily by the thousands.

Few people have an idea of the amount of work that has been consumed in the handling of these coupons and the immense heap they would make when thrown together. If piled and held out in a string they would extend a distance of 38 miles from Shenandoah. The contest has had a wonderful success and if current reports have any foundation it will be a greater one than the present figures indicate.

The votes polled yesterday aggregated 4,793, but a small fraction less than 5,000. The grand total to-day is 387,310. It is safe to predict that by four o'clock Saturday evening the grand total will have gone up to 400,000 and by six p. m. the following Saturday, the closing night, the half-million mark will be reached. One hundred thousand votes in one week may seem beyond a possibility to some, but the indications warrant the expectation.

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