

# THE EVENING HERALD.

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## YOUR PRETTY WIFE

...Deserves a pretty home. Give her one by buying pretty furniture. The largest stock of

## Parlor Furniture

Ever brought to Schuylkill county, now open and ready for inspection, at greatly reduced prices.

**J. P. WILLIAMS & SON**



It may only last a few days.

## The Great Handkerchief Sale.

As long as it will last, until the 500 dozen are sold, we offer this lot of Embroidered Handkerchiefs at 5c.

See our centre table loaded. Examine the goods, and don't buy, please, if they are too high in price.

**Max Schmidt,**

116-118 North Main Street, Shenandoah, Pa.

## Girvin's

Don't fail to see our JOHN EDWARD'S

## Porcelaine Dinner and Tea Sets.

We have a few more of those large Clothes Baskets at 49c. Worth doub'te.

**Chas. Girvin,**

Successor to GIRVIN, DUNCAN & WADLEY. 8 South Main Street.

## M. P. CONRY, 31 South Main St.

Monongahela whiskey.....50c a qt.  
Pure rye whiskey, XX.....\$1 a qt.  
Old Bourbon, XXX.....\$1.25 a qt.  
Superior Blackberry Brandy.....\$1 a qt.  
Superior Cognac Brandy.....\$1.25 a qt.  
Imported Jamaica Rum.....\$1.50 a qt.

**Retail Liquor Store**

YUENGLING'S Stock and Fresh Ale, Draught Porter and Wiener Beer. Best brands of Cigars and all kinds of Temperance Drinks.

## For Sale To-day:

Three Cars WHITE OATS.

One Car CORN.

One Car TIMOTHY HAY.

## To Arrive Next Week:

Two Cars CHOICE TIMOTHY HAY.

One Car BALED STRAW.

One Car HEAVY MIDDINGS.

One Car Fancy PATENT MINNESOTA FLOUR

WE MAKE A SPECIALTY OF FINE BUTTER.

Fresh Creamery and Dairy Butter

—EVERY DAY.—

## New Carpets and Rugs.

**AT KEITER'S.**

## A PATRIOTIC APPEAL.

Protest Against the Desecration of Memorial Day.

## REVERE THE HEROIC DEAD

Fastimes Tend to Lead the Mind From An Appreciation of American Patriotism—A List of Graves of the Departed Heroes of the Late Rebellion.

Watkin Waters Post No. 146, G. A. R., is exerting itself to make the observance of Decoration Day in Shenandoah this year a fitting reverence of the memory of the men who saved the nation by their heroic conduct during the battle to keep the states united. To this end the command and committee of the post are working incessantly and by appeals through the press and in person they are urging the co-operation of the citizens.

The following communication has been issued:

To the Patriotic Citizens of Shenandoah:

We feel called upon to appeal to your loyalty and urge that you arouse yourselves and neighbors to a proper realization of the true principles which underlie the observance of Memorial Day. We make this special appeal because we fear that there is a degeneracy of patriotism in the hearts of many of our citizens. There seems to be a tendency to make this sacred day one of mirth, frivolity and even debauchery, which means dishonor to our loyalty and disgrace to our patriotism.

It is therefore incumbent upon us that we renew our determination to stand by the graves of our fallen heroes, remain true to the principles for which they died and protest against the desecration of Memorial Day with all its hallowed memories. We protest against excursions and picnics on that day. These things do more than the open enemy to undermine our institutions. The sacred object becomes absorbed in revelry and leads the young and old minds away from the spirit of patriotism which inspired such brilliant examples of citizenship as Washington and Lincoln. Such diversions on Memorial Day are un-American, un-Republican and un-democratic; wholly devoid of loyalty to principles, deficient in fealty to our blood-bought country, and wholly insensible to the highest claims of patriotism.

Public sentiment should assert itself; parents should aim to guide their children; teachers should train the minds of their scholars in the channel of American manhood and heroism so that they will be prepared to meet any and every insult to the memory of the noble dead. Let public conscience assert itself to ignore and condemn excursions of pleasure and pursuits of personal gain on Memorial Day as disintegrating influences upon our common country and American patriotism.

Commander Watkin Waters Post, JOSEPH DABROW, Post Adjutant.

The following is a list of the deceased comrades whose graves will be strowed with flowers in the different cemeteries in Shenandoah on Memorial Day, May 30th, 1894:

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| G. A. R. LOT.          | Capt. G. B. P. Kitchen |
| Henry Horace tie       | David P. Brown         |
| Jacob Derr             | Daniel B. Rose         |
| Jonathan Berk          | William Keeler         |
| James Harlor           | Charles Dress          |
| Henry D. Brown         |                        |
| ODD FELLOWS' CEMETERY. |                        |
| Wm. Fenstermacher      | Samuel Wilson          |
| William Taylor         | William Shultz         |
| Andrew Bollen          | Richard Hoggins        |
| Isaac Dietrick         | Wm. D. Edwards         |
| Frank Williams         | John Lance             |
| Samuel Williams        | William Waters         |
| Capt. Thos. Williams   | James Brown            |
| David Snedden          | George Ramer           |
| William Moore          | Henry Stehly           |
| David Nichols          | Richard Hoggins        |
| Jacob Schoey           | Samuel Kuschworth      |
| Ge'ly Jenkins          | Samuel Mitchell        |
| John T. Reese          | John Lamb              |
| Charles Taylor         | John M. Price          |
| Michael Shaefer        | John Birklebach        |
| Wm. T. Richards        | David Parry            |
| ANNUNCIATION CEMETERY. |                        |
| Patrick Welsh          | Edward Coyte           |
| Mathias Leubach        | Patrick Cuzz           |
| Edward Murphy          | John Bambrick          |
| John Sunderland        | Michael O'Hara         |
| Edward M. Hehl         | J. mes Cosgrove        |
| John Burns             | James Brown            |
| Patrick Grant          | James Kerrigan         |
| Frank Matz             | Thomas Grady           |

The public is respectfully requested to review the above list and report any names missing to Joseph Dabrow, the Adjutant of Watkin Waters Post, G. A. R.

Devised crabs, fresh and rich, at McElhenney's.

### A Troublesome Grade.

The grade of the east side of Pear alley, between Centre and Lloyd streets, which was the subject of so much discussion before the last two meetings of the Borough Council, is still unsettled. It was supposed that the action of Council at its last meeting disposed of the matter, but last night Mr. Swalm, the complaining property owner, invited the Councilmen to the place and by use of a level and rule succeeded, apparently, in convincing them that the grade given to the work does not appear in harmony with what appears to be the natural lay of the land. The work of paving and guttering the alley has been suspended pending a consultation with Surveyor Biddell, who is out of town at present.

Crab salad, deliciously seasoned, at McElhenney's.

### Schedule Improved.

That the Lehigh Valley Railroad is at all times willing to do anything calculated to benefit its patrons was demonstrated to-day. Yesterday the HERALD called attention to a complaint against the holding of the Portville train in the morning until the arrival of the 8:08 train from Mahanoy City. This morning the orders were changed and the Portville train started out before the arrival of the other, very much to the gratification of the court attendants who calculate upon arriving at their destination before 10 o'clock.

Fresh beer at Schmicker's, 104 S. Main street. 4-25-Im

## A PROTEST.

Lawyer Foster's Argument Reprinted by the Town Butchers.

The butchers of town take exception to the argument made by Sol. Foster, Esq., in his plea before the Board of Health in behalf of Otto Carl, for a permit to erect a slaughter house. There is no objection to Mr. Carl's application and the butchers have nothing to say on that score, but they emphatically protest against Mr. Foster's remarks concerning "imported" beef. In the first place the beef Mr. Foster refers to is not imported; secondly, Mr. Foster evidently does not know what he is talking about when he says the beef is taken "on suspicion from a butcher who has bought it from a dealer away off in the west who killed it, and you don't know how it died, or the condition the animal was in." In the third place, Mr. Foster is evidently ignorant of the fact that there is not a butcher in the town who does not deal in Chicago dressed beef.

As dealers in this beef the butchers feel that Mr. Foster's remarks were an unwarranted attack upon their business, and he even, unknowingly no doubt, attacked the business of his own client. They desire to call the public's attention to the guarantee afforded them by the system of government inspection now in force at the abattoirs in Chicago, Kansas City and Omaha. Every carcass of beef or pork killed is inspected by duly authorized government inspectors, and is tagged by them with their inspection certificate, and every package of meats and other food product manufactured is stamped with the government inspection stamp. This gives customers absolute assurance of the purity and healthfulness of the products.

### WHO IS SHE?

A Would-be Suicide—Felled at Mahanoy City.

Special to the HERALD. MAHANOEY CITY, May 17.—As an electric car was bounding down the lonely grade near the Mahanoy City Storage yard, last evening, the motorman was suddenly startled by the form of a woman, standing upon the track, facing the car and in the attitude of one resolved upon suicide.

Her thin and shrunken body was drawn forward, her eyes were an expression of terror, the parted lips revealed the clenched teeth and her raised hands were half opened as though in readiness to grasp something.

The current was reversed and brakes applied and the car was stopped as it almost touched her body. The motorman jumped off and attempted to lay hold of the woman, but with a little shriek she bounded away and down into the coal bins and was soon swallowed up in the darkness.

The motorman describes her as being about 45 years of age, dressed in dark clothes. One sleeve was almost torn from her arm.

Later in the evening he caught a glimpse of her entering a place on Centre street, east of Main, but no one in that locality could recall the visit of such a person this morning.

### ANOTHER CONVENTION.

The German Catholic Society to Meet in Shenandoah.

Shenandoah seems to be gaining a favored spot in the hearts of the people outside its limits. Within the next month no less than three conventions will be held here—the Catholic Temperance Society, the Greek Catholic Societies and the German Catholic Societies.

The convention of the latter will be held here on June 12th, in Robbins' opera house. In the morning there will be a street parade, in which will appear two societies from Portville, one from St. Clair, two from Mahanoy City, two from Ashland, one from Shamokin and one from Hazleton. The afternoon will be devoted to a business session. The local society, St. Nicholas, has made a contract with a professional decorator to dress up its hall and the dwellings of many of its members and it is hoped other citizens of the town will contribute to the arrangements for the day by decorating their places.

Grocer Keeler sells AL-VA Tonic. Im

### THE GLICK FUNERAL.

Attended by a Large Concourse of People This Afternoon.

Special to EVENING HERALD.

GIRARDVILLE, May 17.—One of the largest funerals that have occurred in this town took place this afternoon, and was attended by many prominent and influential citizens from every part of the county. Men from every walk of life joined the ranks of the mourners in paying the last sad rites to the remains of general Joseph M. Glick, whose sudden end has been chronicled in these columns. The funeral took place at 1 o'clock, interment being made in the Odd Fellows' cemetery at this place. The Grand Army of the Republic, Camp 125, P. O. S. of A., and Commandery No. 1, S. of A. of Shenandoah were in attendance. The latter organization wore black clothes, hat and white gloves. The funeral cortege was a long one, with hundreds of citizens walking.

### Causes Much Complaint.

The residents on North Chestnut street are complaining of a nuisance that exists in that neighborhood. A number of overgrown boys make it a practice to occupy the front steps of the dwellings of the complaining parties every evening and drink beer and play cards. It is annoying to the families on that part of the street and should receive the immediate attention of the authorities.

### A Clover Act.

A team belonging to F. E. Magargle, the East Centre street grocer, ran away yesterday afternoon. The horses were captured by John Lavey as they were about to dash into Market alley. Mr. Lavey's act was a timely and clever one, as a number of children were playing in the alley and probably one or more of them would have been trampled upon.

### A Kitchen Blaze.

An alarm of fire was sounded at about half past seven o'clock last night from box No. 15, located at the corner of Centre and Bowers streets. The fire companies responded promptly but its services were not required. The fire was in the kitchen of a house in Miller's row, near the Shenandoah City colliery. A half dozen buckets of water put it out.

## ANSPACH'S DANGER!

Thrilling Experience of an Electric Road Lineman.

## GLUTCHED LINE WIRES!

Held As If in a Vise and His Fellow Workmen Paralyzed by Astonishment, Were Unable to Relieve Him—Presence of Mind Breaks a Fall.

Allan Anspach, a resident of North Pear alley, has a pretty good idea of the sensation a man experiences when being electrocuted. He earned the experience almost at the cost of his life while at work on a Lakeside Electric Railway construction car near the power house at Mahanoy City.

Anspach was in the cage or top part of the car making connections between the span wires and trolley. As the car was moved a dangling span wire impeded its progress. Anspach reached for the dangling wire with the intention of raising and passing it over his head, but at the time he grasped it with one hand he attempted to steady himself by clutching the trolley wire with his other hand.

The workmen who were on the ground at the base of the car did not see the act but had their attention drawn to the consequence by Anspach's cries for help. The current of 200 volts passing through the trolley and into the span wire with Anspach's body as the connection held the man as in a vise. He braced his feet against the uprights of the car and with all the strength at his command, tried to pull his hands from the wires, but he could not stir a muscle of his arms.

The fellow workmen seemed as much paralyzed as Anspach and stood gazing at the unfortunate man in mute astonishment. Meanwhile Anspach was yelling for help and still heaved to pull his arms from the wires. Suddenly he fell backwards from the car and dropped towards the ground, twelve feet below. One of the workmen had the presence of mind and courage to throw his body forward to catch Anspach's body. In its descent, striking the workman on the chest, but the latter was only slightly bruised.

The fall was due by Anspach's sudden release from the wire by turning off the current. The engineer at the power house happened to look through one of the windows and saw the dangerous position Anspach was in. His first thought was to turn off the current and as he did so the victim toppled backwards from his braced position.

Anspach was but slightly injured by the fall, one of his shoulders being bruised, but his hands were severely burned by the current and his arms and chest were made very sore by it. Anspach remained partly dazed for some time after his drop, but recovered from the effects while on his way home. He says the experience has caused him to resolve not to seek employment as a lineman on an electric railway again. An expert trip to Philadelphia yesterday escape. Had the current continued Anspach would have collapsed from exhaustion in a very few minutes and the result might have been fatal.

### PERSONAL.

P. C. Brennan has returned from Colorado.

Rev. T. M. Morrison is sojourning with Chester county friends.

William Brittle, of Mahanoy City, was a visitor to town yesterday.

Miss Lizzie Lambert has returned from a visit to friends at Mt. Carmel.

David Faust, wife and daughter spent yesterday afternoon at Mahanoy City.

Michael Peters boarded an electric car this morning for a trip down the valley.

J. M. Boyer, of the HERALD, made a business trip to Philadelphia yesterday.

Justice Elmer E. Johnson, of Last Centre, was a visitor to town this afternoon.

F. G. Clemens, superintendent of the Midvalley Coal Co., near Mt. Carmel, was in town this morning.

Edward Breslin went to Packer No. 1 colliery to-day to lend his assistance in extinguishing the fire.

Capt. G. W. Johnson, R. D. Schoener and James Huggins spent yesterday afternoon at Mahanoy City.

Alex. Scott, of Frackville, candidate for Sheriff, was in town last evening in the interest of his candidacy.

William Bencher and Harry Davidson went to Silver Creek this morning to angle for speckled beauties.

Max Schmidt, the North Main street dry goods dealer, left for Philadelphia this morning to make a selection of stock.

Letter Carrier John Book is off duty on a vacation. Sub-carrier Reilly is filling the position during the former's absence.

Ex-County Commissioner James Bowers yesterday moved his household goods from Girardville to town and is now in full possession of his North Main street hotel.

Among the Shenandoah people who enjoyed a ride over the Lakeside Electric Railway to town from Mahanoy City yesterday were Chief Burgess Burns, Drs. S. C. Spaulding and G. F. Matter, and R. A. Glover. They expressed themselves as highly pleased with the trip.

George W. Hassler, of Allentown, until recently a resident of this town, left for his home to-day after spending a few days with Shenandoah friends. Mr. Hassler speaks in glowing terms of his new location and predicts a bright future for the town of pennants and pretzels.

Gold Dollars for Fifty Cents.

We offer this week one thousand extra fine Ballbriggan Vests in ladies sizes for 7c each; these are our regular 15c kind and are as cheap as gold dollars at fifty cents apiece.

L. J. WILKINSON'S, 29 South Main St.

### Gorman's Cafe.

When seeking a neat and well-conducted cafe, go to Gorman's, corner Main and Coal streets. Polite and prompt attention. 5-10-Im

## MISTAKEN IDENTITY.

Prof. Weiss Has an Amusing Experience on a Train.

While Professor G. W. Weiss, of the county schools, rode toward Shenandoah, in an early train this morning, he was approached by a gentleman, who, after passing the salutation of the hour, engaged him in conversation on farming implements, the possibility of the wheat crop, chicken cholera and other subjects in the category of the agriculturalist.

The professor listened, his face wearing a faint expression of amusement, and occasionally his voice was raised in assent or denial as the remarks of the other required. After the conversation had gone on at this rate for some time, the expounder of learning turned about in his seat and looking his companion in the face, inquired: "For whom do you take me?" The man of crops was almost dumbfounded. "None, of Schuylkill Haven, of course," his answer was greeted by a hearty laugh from the professor, who introduced himself and told how often he had been mistaken for the wealthy farmer and implement agent of the number of people who would order him to send them a rake, a plow or a patent binder and that he wouldn't feel a bit surprised if some fellow would run up to him this summer and put two or three hundred dollars in his hands for some sale made by his good-looking double.

### Exciting Runaway.

A team of horses belonging to Christ. Schmidt, the Lamer Brewing Company's agent, ran away this morning and in addition to creating considerable excitement along the course they took the horses almost caused extensive loss to people who had teams and wagons standing on the roadways. The horses ran for two squares on Coal street and then turned southward on Pear alley. Upon reaching Lloyd street they first turned towards Main street, but made a short turn around the corner on the opposite side of Lloyd and continued on Pear alley. Just after passing the corner the brewery wagon collided with a heavy truck. The latter was turned over on its side and the brewery wagon careened in the opposite direction and in such a manner as to dump a dozen kegs on the ground. This did not halt the horses. Recovering from the shock caused by the collision they continued their mad pace, narrowly escaping a team of horses and a wagon standing in front of Dech's wheelwright shop. The sudden turn at this point reduced the pace and William Maddox succeeded in capturing the horses, covering himself with glory and mud.

Little neck clams, sweet and luscious, at McElhenney's.

### New Picnic Grounds.

It is stated upon reliable authority that the Columbia Hose Company of town has leased a tract of land located near the line of the Lakeside Electric Railway, running between the eastern limits of the borough and Yatesville, and will soon transform the land into a picnic ground. It is said that George Schaefer, one of the company's members, made arrangements for the lease one day this week while visiting Portville.

Lobster salad, fresh and toothsome, at McElhenney's cafe.

### Property Improvements.

Michael Sullivan is building two neat dwellings on the Emerick street side of his property.

A two-story dwelling has been connected with T. J. Mullahy's property at the corner of Lloyd and Emerick streets. Mrs. Ellen Grady is erecting a dwelling on her property located on East Centre street, between Emerick and Union.

### Mr. Gorman's Opening.

Thomas Gorman, the genial and enterprising proprietor of the cafe at the corner of Main and Coal streets, recently vacated by Hunsell, will have a grand opening at the place next Monday evening. He is making elaborate preparations for the occasion and extends a cordial invitation to the public.

### Miss Shepard to Lecture.

Miss Mary S. Shepard, the state president of the Women's Christian Temperance Alliance, will deliver a lecture on "Gospel Temperance and the Keeley Cure" in the English Lutheran church at Mahanoy City on Thursday, May 24th, at eight o'clock p. m. No admission will be charged. 5-17-Im

### Annual Convention.

The annual convention of the Grand Section of the Junior Templars of Honor and Temperance will convene in Philadelphia to-morrow. W. E. Davis and E. H. Hopkins, Jr., of town; David J. Evans, of Girardville, and Christ Marx, of Gilberton, left town this afternoon to attend the sessions as delegates.

### Good Work.

The many new pavements repaired and in course of repair indicate that Chief Burgess Burns is giving strict attention to the enforcement of the ordinance. It is observed that one property on Main street is receiving a curb which has been needed for several years.

### Acquitted.

Wal. Noll and John Igo were acquitted of the charge of burglary before Judge Bechtel yesterday.

Twelve photos for 67 cents at Keagey's new studio.

## No More Disappointment.

No more delays. We have now made arrangements to have finest CREAMERY BUTTER always in stock. We sell you no imitations. Come yourself or send the children. They will get Creamery if they ask for it.

**Graf's**

123 North Jardin Street