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

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

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This week for a Fast-black Fancy RIBBED STOCKING, sizes 5 to 9 1/2. We guarantee these goods to be perfect.

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### Table Tumblers.

Forty-four sorts.

Fine Thin Tumblers, 3c	Fine Thin Tumblers, twist, 5c
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Colored Tumblers, thin, blue, 5c	Colored Tumblers, green, 5c
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Fine Shell Goblets, 15c; worth 25c.	
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**Chas. Girvin,**

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Monongahela whiskey.....50c a qt.  
tre rye whiskey, XX.....\$1 a qt.  
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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 3c Cigars and all kinds of Temperance Drinks.

## New Carpets and Rugs!

JUST RECEIVED THIS WEEK:

**New Moquette and Body Brussels Carpets.**

New Patterns—Beautiful Designs—Reasonable Prices.

## Moquette and Axminster Rugs

Former Price, \$4.50.

Now Selling at \$2.25.

These are new goods, large size, handsome patterns and colors, and the lowest price ever known for them.

## Special Drives:

Invoice of Fancy Lemons, fresh stock, 2 doz. for	25c
Standard Tomatoes, three cans for	25c
String Beans, three cans for	25c
Ginger Snaps, four pounds for	25c
Choice French Prunes, three pounds for	25c
Extra large French Prunes, two pounds for	25c
Large Muscatel Raisins, four pounds for	25c
Good Catsup, four bottles for	25c
Luncheon Beef, two cans for	25c
Bartlett Pears and Table Peaches, per can,	15c
Choice Alaska Salmon, per can	10c

## CHOICE GOODS.

Crosse & Blackwell Chow-chow.	Fancy Tomato Catsup.
Salad Dressing.	Pure Kettle Rendered Lard.
Chipped Beef and Summer Sausage.	Fresh Dairy Butter.
Oven-baked Rolled Oats.	Cream Sugar Corn.
Pride of Shenandoah Sweet Corn.	Full Cream Cheese.

**AT KEITER'S.**

## DOINGS AT THE MINES

Only Pumps Working in Almost All the Places.

## TWO MINES ON FULL TIME

The Rest Remain Stalled by Water and Cannot Turn Out Coal Before Monday. One or Two May Require More Time to Get the Water Out.

The order for all the Philadelphia & Reading Coal & Iron Company's collieries to resume operations on full time—six days a week and ten hours a day—still holds good, but only two collieries are able to take advantage of it. These are the Turkey Run and Maple Hill collieries. They worked full time yesterday and today.

The issuance of the order was not due to any pressure brought to bear by the bituminous strike and it is not believed that it will remain in force after all the collieries are ready for operation. A prominent mine official said yesterday, "I do not think it means full time for all, but rather full time for all the collieries that can work to keep all the coal that would be supplied by all the mines working three-quarter time for four days a week."

This belief seems to be general. When the collieries now stalled by water are made ready by the company will revoke its full time order and put all mines on the same working time that prevailed before the freshets.

Extra efforts are being put forth to get the Kohler colliery in operation again. Yesterday an additional pump was put into the mine. It is a large one of the regular P. & R. pattern. This mine will not resume operations before Monday. Indeed, it is not thought that any of the mines at this place now ready can be put in operation before that time. The Kehley Run colliery will also complete a week of idleness. Superintendent Baird said last night that the two remaining days will be used to get ready for steady work next week.

The Knickerbocker and Ellengowan collieries are still idle and will remain so until next week. The former had seven feet of water in its workings added and by hard work it was reduced three and a half feet, but the storm of Wednesday night and yesterday raised the water considerably. Ellengowan had nine feet of water in its workings before it was flooded by the last rain fall. It is possible that this place may not be able to start up again until the middle of next week.

Some sensational reports have been circulated concerning the safety of the Philadelphia & Reading Coal & Iron Company's Anthracite dam near Yatesville, but an investigation shows that there is no necessity for apprehension. It seems that there are some large cracks in the wall at the weir of the dam and people who happened to see them jumped to the conclusion that the breastwork was giving away. Officials visited the place and they were assured by the watchmen that the cracks were old ones, caused early last winter by heavy frosts.

A careful examination was made and resulted in the conclusion that the cracks were superficial and the breastwork was perfectly sound. However, to allay all apprehension, Mine Foreman Joseph Knapp, of the Knickerbocker colliery, sent a number of men to the place and by making a waste way about four feet wide at the east end of the breastwork succeeded in drawing enough water to relieve the cracked portion of the wall of all strain.

Twelve photos for 57 cents at Keagey's new studio.

## DECORATION DAY NOTES.

Flowers Are Both Very Scarce and Very High.

The Memorial Day committee will meet again this evening to make final arrangements for the observance.

Flowers are very scarce this year and the dealers are holding them at very high prices, consequently the outlay for the committee will be very great, much greater than the Watkins Waters post can afford unless the citizens of the town lend a helping hand. It is hoped the appeal of the veterans in this connection will be responded to generously. Let everybody resolve to contribute to the flower fund. The committee will be thankful for all donations no matter how small.

It has been suggested that the school children take an active interest in aiding the committee and that they deliver what flowers they can secure at Hefowich's hall by 8 o'clock next Wednesday morning.

Rev. T. Maxwell Morrison will preach a patriotic sermon to the veterans, Sons of Veterans and ladies connected with the relief societies of these organizations in the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening, at 8:30 o'clock.

Rev. William H. Harrison will also preach a Memorial Day sermon next Sunday evening, in the English Baptist church, on South Jardin street.

R. C. Lutter, general superintendent of the P. & R. C. & I. Co. has written a letter to the G. A. R. Post at Ashland in which he says it is not the intention of the company to operate its collieries on Decoration Day.

**A Sure Winner.**  
William H. Haring, coal train dispatcher at Palo Alto, will be a candidate for the Legislature in the Fourth district before the Republican convention. We can say for Mr. Haring that in the event of his receiving the nomination he will be elected by a large majority and it can be said of him that he will make an honest, intelligent and painstaking member.—Republican.

**Preacher From Wales.**  
Rev. W. Morlais Davis, of Pisco, South Wales, and who is making a tour of the United States, will preach in the Welsh Congregational church of town on Sunday. He preached at Mahanoy City last night, is at Minersville to-night, and on Monday will go to Johnstown.

First annual excursion of the Clergy orchestra to Lakeside, May 30th. Tickets 5c.

## BURGLARS AT QUAKAKE.

They Ransack Ifert's General Store and Escape With the Booty.

**Special to the HERALD.**  
QUAKAKE, May 25.—This quiet and pretty village was thrown into a state of unusual excitement yesterday morning by the report that burglars had been in our midst and plundered Ifert's general store near the L. V. R. R. station.

The stolen property consisted of shirts, cloth, calicoes, neckties, jewelry and other articles sold in a country store, the entire loss, as near as can now be estimated, amounts to \$300. Two sheets are also missing from the clothing in which it is supposed that they carried away their booty.

An entrance was effected through a transom over the front door. From the appearance of the store it is evident that the burglars were in the place for several hours, as everything was scattered around in the search for valuables.

No trace of the robbers has been discovered but the authorities in neighboring towns have been notified to be on the lookout. Searching parties are also scouring the mountains as it is thought they may be in hiding about some of the many rocks and caves on the hills.

Suspicion centres on three young men who were loading about the station on Wednesday afternoon, and who were noticed to be watching the store. They are described as being between 18 and 22 years of age. One of them is stout and wears dark, curly hair. All are beardless.

## LANDSLIDE NEAR MOREA.

A Pennsylvania Railroad Train Rashes Into the Obstruction.

**Special to the HERALD.**

MOREA, May 25.—Engine 285 of the Pennsylvania Railroad, hauling a coal train toward Pottsville, ran into a landslide here at 2 o'clock this morning. Engineer Frank Smith, of Nescopeck, was injured in jumping to save his life.

The scene of the slide is in a deep cut near Dodson's siding. Engineer Smith with his gaze fixed upon the path of light ahead was first to notice the obstruction. He whistled for brakes and jumped into the ditch, injuring a leg. The train rushed forward plowing into the obstruction. The smoke stack was knocked off and the engine otherwise damaged, but the momentum of the train carried it through and beyond the fall.

Shortly afterward an immense body of loose dirt and rock fell from the embankment, covering the track for twenty yards and to the depth of ten feet.

Traffic was delayed for several hours and until connection could be made through Dodson's siding. Trains are now running on time. Engineer Smith was removed to his home in Nescopeck.

## Setley in the South.

William Setley, the pitcher of last year's Shenandoah base ball club, writes to the HERALD that he is meeting great success with the Richmond, Va., club, but that Nick Young, president of the National League, is making trouble and Setley may be obliged to go back to the Altoona, Pa., club next week. He jumped his contract with the latter club to go South. He adds that, notwithstanding Young, he will come to Shenandoah as soon as the town gets a club. His record with the Richmond is a good one. He is leading the Southern League. In 14 games he had 3 home runs, nine 8-base hits, eight 3-base hits and 21 singles, making his batting average .772; and he won every game he pitched. "Buck" McSetley is playing great ball for the Staunton, Va., club.

## Horses in the Ditch.

A team of bronchos, driven by a young Polish fellow and said to belong to Wm. Snyder, neared the corner of Lloyd and Emerick streets this morning when several men were digging to find a break in the line of the Shenandoah Water Company's pipes. Superintendent Hess warned the driver to turn the corner close to the curb, but he doggedly drove straight ahead and the next moment the two horses dropped to their bellies in slushy mud. The covering of the pipes was a mere crust, having been undermined by the water from the broken pipe and when the horses stepped upon it down they went, fortunately falling in a direction opposite to the part of the ditch where the men were working. The horses scrambled out uninjured after being unharnessed.

## "The Old Homestead."

"The Old Homestead" is accepted by every class of theatre-goers not only as being sound in moral tone, but for possessing many true touches of human nature. Every one has heard of the remarkable success of the piece in New York, where it is now in its fourth year. To the minds of most of the spectators it recalls recollections that are dear to their hearts, and they are touched by the honest if not homely virtues of its leading characters. At Ferguson's theatre this evening.

## Gorman's Opening.

Thomas Gorman had a formal opening of his last night, and in consequence the place was crowded. For three hours solid and liquid refreshments were free and enjoyment reigned supreme. Selections were rendered during the evening by a quartet. Mr. Gorman proved an excellent entertainer and the tables he spread were covered with tempting viands.

## Engine Deraild.

Lehigh Valley freight engine No. 284 was derailed for some time at the rear of the depot yesterday. The rails spread and allowed the front driving wheels of the engine to drop off. The earth was so much softened by the accumulation of water from the floods that it was with great trouble the engine was put on the track again.

## Running Regularly Again.

The cars of the Lakeside Electric Railway are now arriving at and leaving the Shenandoah terminus regularly every half hour. The damage to the line of this company was repaired in better time than it was expected it could be done.

## Licensed to Marry.

Marriage licenses were yesterday granted at Pottsville to Thomas Thomas and Etta Becker, of Mahanoy City, and William Kelley and Julia Gilmore, of Mahanoy township.

Go to Cardin's, 224 W. Centre St., for bargains in wall paper. 5-19-94

## THE LOCAL GLEANINGS

Items Newspaper Reporters Get on Their Rounds.

## REV. KANE'S TESTIMONIAL

The Popular Young Clergyman Retires as Curate of the Annunciation Church to Become Curate at Phoenixville—A Case and Other Tokens of Esteem.

Rev. M. J. Kane will to-morrow retire as curate of the Annunciation Roman Catholic church of town to accept the curateship of a church at Phoenixville. He will start for that place to-morrow.

Rev. Kane came here four years ago as successor to Rev. Brady, who went to Beaver Meadow. The original intention was that Rev. Kane was to remain here for three years, but he became so popular with Rev. H. P. O'Reilly, the pastor of the church, and the parishioners that the term was extended to four years.

He is said to have been one of the most popular curates the church has ever had and notwithstanding the lengthening of his original term there was a great many of the parishioners who feel that his stay here has been too brief. He is a young man of admirable social qualities, and his polite and kind treatment of the young and old of all classes with whom he came in contact won for him a warm place in their hearts.

Last evening there was a little gathering at the Dougherty residence, corner of Centre and Jardin streets, at which Rev. Kane was the honored guest. He recognized in the gathering some of his warm friends and was most agreeably surprised when, through Rev. Sweeney, of Mahanoy City, they presented him with a handsome gold-headed cane, a token of their esteem and affection. These friends were Messrs. Frank W. McDermott, M. J. Dougherty, James McCarty, James B. Dougherty, William J. Delaney, James B. Dougherty, Poor Director William Derr, Edward O'Donnell, William Lowther and John H. Cantwell.

There were also gifts of a handsome ink stand and a gold match box, special tokens of esteem in behalf of Policeman James Dougherty. Rev. Kane made a graceful acknowledgement of the gifts and spoke feelingly of his departure from the midst of so many warm friends as he has made in Shenandoah.

## Refurb Yourself.

Hard shell crabs and all delicacies of the season, meals at all hours and oysters in every style, at McElhenry's restaurant. 6-23-94

## PERSONAL.

James A. Klees, of Reading was in town to-day.

William Tempest has returned from Newark, N. J.

Miss Virgie Holloper is visiting Philadelphia friends.

Councilman McElhenry visited Pottsville this morning.

John R. Leisenring, of Hazleton, attended to business here to-day.

Councilman Finney is confined to his home, suffering from a number of boils.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Beldall and their son, Frank, returned from Philadelphia last night.

Peter McAlee left for his home in Centre county to-day after a pleasant visit to friends here.

Dr. D. W. Straub has fully recovered from his recent illness and is attending patients as usual.

Ex-Councilman Hopkins is still on the sick list. Rheumatism and carbuncles cause his trouble.

Harry Aecker returned home yesterday from Williamsport. While there had a good view of the flood-damaged city.

H. B. Johnson, the newly elected Justice of the Peace at Girardinville, made a pleasant call at the HERALD sanctum to-day.

A. C. Prince, president of the Prince Manufacturing Co., of New York City, and his wife are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Straub.

John J. Goff, assistant dispatcher at Mahanoy Plane, has been temporarily transferred to Williamsport to assist in clearing up the wrecks caused by the floods.

A Beautiful Display.

If you desire something to decorate the graves of your friends, more novel, more attractive, more lasting and less expensive than natural flowers, call to see the beauties for sale by

Mrs. M. F. SCHMIDT,  
107 North Jardin street,  
Shenandoah.

Full line of tin, agate and hardware.

Jack Hilbert All Right.

A report got abroad to-day that Jack Hilbert, one of the stable bosses at Indian Ridge colliery, had been drowned in the mine, but upon investigation it proved to be false. Hilbert went to work at about nine o'clock last night and remained at the mine until after dinner time to-day. The continued absence caused his family some uneasiness and imaginary people furnished the sensational feature.

Get your repairing done at Holder man's.

Car Will be Held.

As a number of Mahanoy City people will attend the production of "The Old Homestead" at Ferguson's theatre to-night the last car on the Lakeside Electric Railway will be held until after the performance.

Monaghan's Bargains.

A good quality home-made rag carpet at 30 cents a yard; nice table cloth, 15 cents a yard; good dress gingham, 6 cents a yard; the best 50 cent carpet in the market. Lace curtains and dress goods of all kinds cheap.

P. J. MONAGHAN,  
No. 28 S. Main St., Shenandoah.

Bear in Mind

John A. Helly's is the place to get the purest wines and liquors, best beer and ales and finest brands of cigars.

123 North Jardin Street

## MAHANAY CITY.

[Reported daily from the Mahanoy City Bureau of the EVENING HERALD.]

MAHANAY CITY, May 25.

Thomas E. Samuels spent Thursday about Tamaqua.

Joseph Hoppes visited Gilberton friends last evening.

Thomas Davidson, the fascinating and persuasive representative of Seligman's hardware house, solicited orders in Tamaqua this morning.

Miss Annie Farringer, of Park Place, was the guest of Mahanoy City friends yesterday afternoon.

Operations in Park Place colliery No. 1 were resumed this morning in the upper lifts. The lower lifts are still submerged but no time is being lost in freeing them of the flood.

Stias Hutzog and John Peiffer, of Brantfordville exchanged grips with friends here yesterday.

Messrs. Matthew McEool and Florence Mahony, of Gilberton, were in town yesterday.

The rooms of the Young Men's Republican club are being refitted, decorated and when completed will be among the finest in the county.

The Ambassador-Bosch special brew beer, which took the gold medal at the World's Columbian exposition, for delicate flavor, is now on sale at Munchhoff's Hotel Palace saloon. Try it. 5-25-94

The grand ball of the Omega Social Club in Armory hall on Tuesday evening next will doubtless be one of the grandest affairs ever held in the county.

A Children's Grand May party will be held in Armory hall this evening under the direction of Prof. J. D. Holt and wife. A feature of the affair will be the children's promenade and the wrapping and plaiting of the streamers about the May pole.

Katie, daughter of James McCabe, died at the residence of her parents on West Centre street at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, aged 18 years. Though an invalid for almost a year, the deceased was always cheerful and agreeable. She had many friends who will mourn her death.

Decoration Day in Mahanoy City will be observed by all the societies. A parade headed by Sovereign Post No. 110, G. A. R. and the Citizens' band and followed by all the patriotic and other orders will march through town and to the cemetery at 9 a. m. Graves will be decorated and other pretty ceremonies of the day observed. An address to the old soldiers will be made at the cemetery by J. Frank Schaeffer, Esq., one of the legal lights of Lancaster county. An American flag will be presented to the High school by Dr. O. C. A. M. in the afternoon and the evening may be spent in the enjoyment of a supper given by the latter named society in Armory hall.

The Mahanoy Fish and Game Protective Association now numbers 308 members. The executive committee expect to run the membership up to four hundred before closing the season of the year. All joining by that time will have their names honored upon the blue book for 1894-95. A grand picnic will be held at Lakeside in July. The program will include pigeon shooting, wild game exhibits and an exposition of the famous "snake game" by "Wild Bill" Bensinger. The following named sportsmen joined the organization to-day: Messrs. William Horn, W. F. Ludwig, B. H. Ludwig, Samuel Lindenmuth, Samuel H. Miller and Emanuel Deck, of Ringtown; E. J. Ford, Harry E. Gearhart, Charles Dieter, Martin J. McGuire and James Morrell, of Mahanoy City, and Charles F. Wright, of Philadelphia.

Held for Assault.

Thomas Ushinski was put under bail by Justice Tomper this afternoon for assaulting Anthony Mackasieski. It appears that the former's son amused himself to-day by throwing stones at Mackasieski's house. The boy was caught and Mackasieski tried to take him to the Ushinski household to lodge a complaint with the parents. The father appeared, and seeing the struggle, jumped to the conclusion that his son was being beaten. Ushinski whereupon punched the aggrieved neighbor.

Grocer Kehler sells AL-VA Tonic. 1m

A Family Jar.

William Mack and Michael, his stepson, quarreled at their residence on "The rocks" last night over the latter's failure to pay board. Mack, the senior, punched the son and the latter wielded a knife but only succeeded in slashing his stepfather's pantaloons. Both are under bail for trial.

All Boys to be Arrested.

Chief Callen, of Reading, has issued an order to the policemen to arrest any and every boy who jumps on the street cars or in any wise interferes with or annoys with the motorman, conductor or passengers. Shenandoah's chief should, likewise, issue an order of this kind. It is needed.

Clean the Crossings.

Bitter complaint is made against the present condition of the street crossings. They should be kept clean at all times. Money paid to men for that kind of work is always considered well spent, in fact it is almost the only street investment from which the people derive a benefit.

A Sensible Move.

The Republican County Committee of Lebanon county has issued the following edict: "Any candidate for the nomination for any county office who gives out beer by the keg or allows any one to do so for him shall be ignored by the county committee and his name dropped from the list of candidates to be voted for."

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