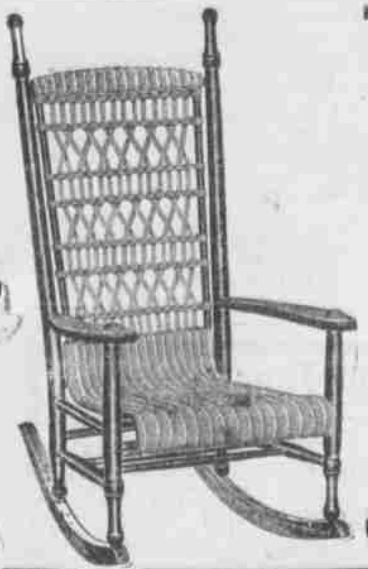


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ONE CENT



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ONLY \$1.98

-A.T-

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All Classes of Summer Goods

Are being sold regardless of former prices or value. They must be turned into money; are you looking for bargains? Did you see the latest patent on Ladies' Underskirts? No vent and in pulling the string leaves front smooth and gathers back only. We have a nice assortment in lined aprons and fancy cloth.

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Mag. Williams

This is Not an Old Chestnut!



It is a brand new one, fresh from the maker. So are the lovely CHINA SUGAR AND CREAM SETS, which we are selling at 25c per set. But what will that profit you if you sit idly by and watch other people take them away.

Chas. Girvin,

Successor to GIBBY, DUNCAN & WAITLEY.

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Special Drive in Shoes!

Just received from Boston 300 Pairs of Ladies' Fine French Kid Shoes (D, E & E E widths) all sizes, at \$2.00 per pair—half a dollar less than the regular price.

As fine as any \$3 shoe ever handled.

Rare bargains for Ladies.

Our general line of shoes is up to the Regular Standard and includes all sizes and styles at all prices.

We Court Inspection.

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14 S. Main Street, Shenandoah, Pa.

Country Butter.



Old things are passing away—the dairy maid and the old churn with the old style COUNTRY BUTTER in all its variety of color and flavor, are being replaced by the Creamery, with its improved system, methods and appliances, resulting in fine butter, uniform in color and flavor. Our

"Creamery Butter"

is always fresh and always good

JUST RECEIVED.

Fresh Ground OLD TIME RYE FLOUR, and Whole Wheat GRAHAM FLOUR.

FOR SALE TO-DAY.

Two Cars Choice No. 1 TIMOTHY HAY.
One Car Fancy MICHIGAN WHITE OATS.

To Arrive in a Few Days.

One Car HEAVY CLIPPED OATS.
One Car CORN.

AT KEITER'S.

THE VISITORS WERE WEAK.

The Shenandoahs Toyed With Their Ashland Opponents.

A VERY SMALL AUDIENCE WITNESSED THE GAME ON ACCOUNT OF HARRISBURG FAILING TO APPEAR.

The receipts from the attendance at the Shenandoah-Ashland base ball game in the Trotting park yesterday was little more than sufficient to pay for the services of the umpire. The attendance was wretched and the grounds presented an appearance bordering on desertion until the wind blew the flock of "crows" off the fence and they gathered about the diamond. Had the program announced by the management been carried out there would have been a good attendance. When it was learned that the Ashlands would play the game advertised a general freeze seized the patrons and very few outside of those interested in the game for other than pastime reasons went to the park.

Many supposed that the advertising of the Harrisburg team was a fake, but such was not the case. At a late hour Saturday afternoon the Harrisburgs decided not to come here, but to go to Harrisburg to spend Sunday and that left the home management in a dilemma. At ten o'clock Saturday night arrangements were made for the Ashland club to fill the date.

As the score of the game shows, the Shenandoahs had a pitifully close game. It was a hop-skip-and-jump affair, and at no time were the visitors "in it." It was plain in the first inning that their cause was lost and had the home team put the least bit of ginger into its playing the score would have been at least double. It may be truthfully said that the team hardly had an opportunity to get any practice out of the game. The visitors were miserably weak, up to the sixth inning, when Griffith went into the box and curtailed the batting of the visitors, yet in the four innings he pitched he was hit for three singles, three doubles and a three-bagger.

Two circus rings left by Main's circus occupied a part of the left and centre fields, but that made no difference. It rather added to the comfort of the plays. Gill and Dunkle used the borders of the rings as seats while waiting for flies. During the last two or three innings Gill helped Tomlin to play short stop and Dunkle helped Welkert at second. Yerkes was the only fielder on duty. The latter pitched for five innings and then Asenbach essayed the pitcher's role. It was looked upon as a good joke, but "Ashley" did very well. Only two hits were made off his delivery in the four innings. Score:

SHENANDOAH	R	B	PO	A	E
Asenbach, 1b, p.	4	3	7	3	0
Gill, lf.	3	4	2	0	0
Welkert, 2b.	1	1	1	0	0
Tomlin, ss.	1	1	1	0	0
Messitt, rf, 1b.	1	3	2	0	0
Yeager, 3b.	0	2	3	3	2
Dunkle, cf.	0	0	5	0	0
Lohley, p, rf.	0	0	0	0	0
Yerkes, p, rf.	1	1	2	1	1
Total.	13	18	27	14	6

ASHLAND	R	B	PO	A	E
Johnson, ss.	2	2	0	2	0
Jones, 1b.	0	0	0	0	0
Birch, lf.	1	0	3	0	0
Smith, p, 1b.	0	3	0	1	0
Griffith, 2b, p.	0	0	2	7	1
O'Neill, 1b.	0	1	1	0	0
Carr, rf.	1	0	0	0	0
Monaghan, cf.	0	1	3	0	0
Conner, 3b.	0	1	0	3	0
Total.	5	7	27	15	2

DIAMOND DOTS.
Huston knows his business. The Shenandoahs defeated the Ashlands on Saturday by a score of 5 to 2. Now is the time for the Shenandoah people to arrange their team for '95. Are you in it?
The Boston national league club will positively play here next Sunday. Stelvetz will pitch.
It seems that when the Pottsville run up against a good team they don't last more than six innings.
Poor Pottsville! She lost again to Harrisburg, on Saturday, and on the home grounds, too. The score was 19 to 7.
The Journal wants the people of Pottsville to bring out a brass band and drive off the Harrisburg hoodoo. Too late. The handwriting is upon the wall.

INSTRUMENTS LOST.
A pocket case of valuable surgical instruments has been lost by Dr. J. S. Callen. A liberal reward will be paid for return to 21 South Jardin street. 9-21-tf

DIED.
HOLLAND.—At Shenandoah, on the 23d instant, Walter Allen, infant son of George and Isabella Holland. Funeral will take place Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from the family residence, 327 North Bowers street. Interment in Odd Fellows' cemetery. Friends and relatives invited to attend. 9-24-1t

A CHRISTENING.
The eight-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Yedinsky, on South Jardin street, was christened yesterday according to the rites of the Jewish faith, in Beth Israel synagogue, Pottsville.

SEPTEMBER BLANKET SALE.
To buyers of blankets during this month we will offer the following special bargains: Five hundred pairs in all, to go at 55 cents, 75 cents and \$1 per pair.
L. J. WILKINSON.
9-11-tf

STEAM RENOVATING CO. call for, clean and deliver Ingrain and Brussels at 3c per yard; heavier carpets 4c. 32 E. Coal St.

IMPORTANT NOTICE!

Special Meeting of the Monument Committee Called for This Evening.

The members of all committees in connection with the business men's parade and the Soldiers' Monument Association picnic, fixed for the 27th inst., are urgently requested to attend a special meeting to be held in the Borough Council chamber this (Monday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock, sharp. Business of Importance.

A DARING THIEF.

When Pursued and Captured the Thief Wields a Razor.

At about three o'clock yesterday afternoon Mrs. Koslosky, a Polish widow, who keeps a small store near Bridge street, left the place for a few moments and upon her return met a young man coming out of the store. The stranger held out five cents and asked for cigars. The woman suspected there was something wrong, as this young fellow had come from a rear room, in which there was a cupboard containing savings amounting to about \$100.

Mrs. Koslosky grabbed the intruder, but he gave her a kick which sent her to the floor and before assistance could arrive the stranger bounded along the creek to the southern part of the town. Mrs. Koslosky's son, Paul, gave chase and succeeded in catching up with the fugitive near the Cambridge brook. There a struggle ensued, during which Paul Koslosky was slashed by the thief three times in the face and twice on the head. Koslosky gave up the fight and the thief ran off in the direction of Turkey Run. None of the men Koslosky received were very serious, although the right eye had a narrow escape. The cutting was done with a razor. Mrs. Koslosky's suspicions were correct. The thief had stolen her savings from the cupboard.

PERSONAL.

J. M. Boyer spent this morning at the county seat.

Mrs. J. P. Schiller, of Delano, spent yesterday in town.

Mrs. James Kalbach gave birth to a child on Saturday.

Jer. Coakley, of Philadelphia, is the guest of town relatives.

J. Harry James, Esq., of Ashland, shook hands with friends in town today.

John Graham, of Philadelphia, is a guest of his parents, on East Centre street.

Harry Beyrend, of Steelton, spent yesterday in town as the guest of relatives.

Editor Theodore F. Barron, of the Ashland Record, was a town visitor this morning.

Dr. William Stein left town this morning to take up a permanent residence in Scranton.

Superintendent Thomas Baird, wife, son and daughter are visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Editor J. Irvin Steel, of the Ashland Advocate, stayed long enough in town this morning to change cars for Pottsville.

Michael McDermott, of Tuam, County Galway, Ireland, is the guest of his brother-in-law, Michael Graham, on East Centre street.

Ed. C. Mallick left for Shamokin on Saturday to witness the Pottsville-Shamokin game of foot ball and be a guest of his parents over Sunday.

General Manager R. C. Luthar and Superintendent John Velth, two of the P. & R. C. & I. Co. officials located at Pottsville, were visitors to town today.

Thomas Waters, Jr., and Pete Gaughan, two theatrical lights of town, have made a big hit at Steelton with Dr. Matthew's Kickapoo Medicine Troupe, and will appear here with the company in the near future.

A DEDICATION.

The scroll of parchment containing the five books of Moses presented to the Synagogue of town was dedicated in Hefowich's hall yesterday afternoon in the presence of the entire congregation and their families. A number of people from the neighboring towns and Pottsville were also in attendance. The ceremony was an impressive one. Rev. A. D. Chodowsky, of Pottsville, made the opening address and the newly-elected rabbi, Rev. Henry Mitino, spoke eloquently. Levi Hefowich, the president of the congregation, also spoke. Donations amounting to over \$100 were received.

WILL OPEN HERE.

H. L. Whitelock, of Reading, and senior member of the firm of Whitelock & Co., of that place, spent yesterday in town. Mr. Whitelock is in the boot and shoe business and will open a store in the Egan building, corner of Main and Centre streets, in the near future. He is a gentleman of very pleasing address and has made a reputation for being a very shrewd and successful business man. His firm deals in all grades of boots and shoes and always carries a large stock. Besides this the firm leads all the advertisers in Reading.

AUTUMN ASSEMBLY.

The Ideal Juniors, of Pottsville, will hold an Autumn Assembly in Armory hall, Pottsville, on Wednesday, October 18th. Weston's orchestra will furnish the music. Cabs in attendance. The gentlemen of the committee are Henry Dierschedl, Lon Armbruster, Frank Reinart, Henry Blum, Frank Hoffman, P. V. Higgins and Fred Bink.

ALLENTOWN EXCURSION.

The fourteenth annual excursion of the Citizens' Cornet Band of Mahanoy City to the Allentown Fair will take place, via the Lehigh Valley Railroad, on Thursday, September 27th. The fare from Shenandoah will be \$1.75, which includes admission to the fair grounds. The excursion of the band is always well patronized and managed.

GET YOUR REPAIRING DONE AT HOLDERMAN.

How to Make Money.
Great wealth has been accumulated by small savings. You can save money by purchasing Wall Paper now to keep for future use. I am selling out my entire stock at just what it cost me. Come and see the bargains.
J. P. CARDEN, 234 West Centre street.

Buy Keystone flour. Be sure that the name LESSIG & BARR, Ashland, Pa., is printed on every sack. tf

IT WAS AN ACCIDENT.

Result of the Inquest in the Smith Case.

STORIES OF THE WITNESSES.

Dr. Spalding's Evidence Upon His Investigation—The Jury Decides Upon the Cause of Death.

Deputy Coroner Manley and a jury comprising E. J. Brennan, John Scanlan, Philip H. Gable, John Stanton, Patrick Flaherty and P. H. Manley attempted Saturday night to get some definite information as to the manner in which John George Smith, the aged German, met his death at his home in Brownsville Saturday morning, but they were unsuccessful. The material facts elicited were substantially as previously reported, with the exception that the widow testified that she did not hold the Italians with whom the deceased associated on the previous night responsible for the old man's death.

Mrs. Louisa Smith, the widow, was the first witness. Her story as to the finding of the body in the bedroom was the same as she had previously told the Deputy Coroner and the reporters. The body fell through the window and the ten-year-old son discovered the death while searching the pockets of the deceased. Mrs. Smith said she had no quarrel with her husband that night. A fifty-cent silver piece, a watch and a bottle half full of whiskey were found in the pockets. A bucket half full of beer was found on the porch. The deceased said nothing after he fell into the room. At first the widow and two boys thought the man had fallen into a deep slumber. It was five minutes after the entrance that the widow responded to the call of the boy and found that the man was dead.

The two sons affirmed the story of the widow. There was no evidence to show that anybody accompanied the man to his home on the fatal night. It was shown that he first went to the Italian shanty, then to "Lord" McGuire's saloon and then came to Shenandoah.

George W. Smith, a son of the deceased by the first wife, testified that his father called at his home in Lehigh on Coal street, between 10 and 11 o'clock on Friday night. Upon the father's invitation the son went to a saloon and they each had two glasses of beer. The father was previously under the influence of drink. The couple parted a few minutes later at the corner of Main and Coal streets, each starting for his respective home. That was the last time the son saw his father alive. At two o'clock in the morning the former was notified of the death.

Dr. S. C. Spalding testified that he examined the body upon request of the Deputy Coroner. He found contusions on the right side of the face and blood was flowing from the ear. No postmortem was made. The doctor was not prepared to state the nature of the violence. Appearances indicated that the neck was broken, but the body was so stiff that that point could not be definitely determined. Death was probably due to concussion of the brain, which may have resulted from the man falling headlong to the floor when he entered through the window. If the man fell through the window and to the floor upon his head the shock would be sufficient to kill him.

After a short deliberation the jury rendered the following verdict: "That the said George Smith's death was due to concussion of the brain, caused by falling from a window sill while attempting to enter his home."

PENCIL POINTS.
Local News Gleanings Condensed for Hasty Perusal.
Mahanoy City is to have an extended next Christmas.
The Soldiers' Monument picnic and business men's parade take place next Thursday.

The big girders for the electric railway at Oak Ridge were put into position Saturday afternoon.

East Coal street is in such a bad condition that planks are put upright in the holes to warn drivers of danger.

The Borough Council has been offered \$75 for the engine used with the stone crusher. It originally cost \$250.00.

Some people have an idea that people won't ride over the Lakeside Railway because when the road is opened. Wait and see.

There was no foot ball game at the Trotting park on Saturday, on account of the rain and circus leaving the grounds in bad condition.

Building Accepted.
A special meeting of the School Board was held Saturday evening and proceeded to the Union street school building in a body. After inspecting the addition to the building recently completed by Jesse B. Davis and making provision for a few slight alterations the Board accepted the work from the contractor.

Rupture.
Cure guaranteed. No operation. Inquire at the Shenandoah drug store, No. 8 South Main street. 9-15-tf

Obituary.
The infant son of George and Isabella Holland, of North Bowers street, died Saturday afternoon, from a complication of diseases. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

Artistic Dressmaker.
Bertha L. Dolph, artistic dressmaker, pupil of Madame Crittenden, of Philadelphia, announces that she will open a dressmaking establishment at 11 North West street, Shenandoah. Two years' experience in cutting and fitting. Terms reasonable. 9-24-1w

Five Days This Week.
The P. & R. C. & I. Co. intends to work its collieries five days this week in order to fill the quota for the month. Next week, it is stated, the working time will fall back, as the quota for October will be 1,000,000 tons less than the quota for this month.

MAHANAY CITY.

MAHANAY CITY, Sept. 24.
Miss Alice Richards is visiting friends in Lansford.

Guy C. Irish and family are visiting friends at Womelsdorf.

George Bastian left on a business trip to Philadelphia this morning.

Joseph Cobby has returned home after a few days' visit to Norristown.

Mrs. Thomas Powell, who has been ill for several weeks, is convalescent.

Lewis Stocker has returned from Philadelphia after a few days' pleasure.

William Bousinger is now running his new steam laundry on Water street.

Thomas Edwards and sister, Bertha, visited friends in Ashland yesterday.

Powell, the great magician, will be at Kaiser's opera house to-morrow night.

Charles Campbell, of Williamsport, circulated among town friends yesterday.

Messrs. Charles Scherzinger and Charles Wagner are visiting friends in Sunbury.

Misses Henry and Hurliban, of Gilberton, visited their friend, Miss Steel, here yesterday.

Thomas Horan, of Shamokin, is visiting his sister, Miss Maggie Horan, of West Centre street.

S. S. Seager and wife and J. J. Ringler and wife left this morning for a ten-day visit to Boston.

George Brown left this morning for Boston, where he will take lessons on the cornet and violin.

Miss Jennie Watkins, of Park Place, visited Miss Blanch, of West Mahanoy avenue, yesterday.

Rev. I. M. Gable, pastor of the M. E. church, has gone to Lamsqua, where he will spend a few days.

John Kestler, formerly of Heidelberg, but now residing at Shamokin, visited town friends yesterday.

Miss Annie Phillips will fill a position at the Fair store until S. S. Seager and wife return from Boston.

James Norris, formerly employed at the Mahanoy City colliery, has taken up the tonorial art with George Britz.

F. Kessler, proprietor of the Merchants' hotel, has received a new bus from Reading for the accommodation of his boarders.

Messrs. John Kester and T. J. Edwards, who were visiting friends in town, returned to their homes in Shamokin yesterday.

McElhenny's ladies' dining rooms are the cosiest in town.

AMUSEMENTS.

"FABIO ROMANI."
Aden Benedict's play of "Fabio Romani," which opened at the Grand opera house last night, is a play with a strong and stirring interest in it. Those who have read the book entitled, "The Vendetta," will easily remember the pre-text of the story—a devoted husband pretends suicide and then comes back to disguise to torture the unfaithful wife, finally killing her at the moment he makes himself known. The novel furnishes several intense scenes. The principals in the piece are Walter Lawrence and Miss Engel Sumner, and were both excellent in their roles, and were well supported. The scenic effects were very fine. The living pictures over which the world seems to have gone mad, were revelations of beauty and of high artistic merit.—New York Morning Journal. At Ferguson's theatre on Thursday evening, Sept. 27th.

A DISPUTED QUESTION.
Scientists and electricians cannot agree upon the number of electric volts which are necessary to cause a cessation of life in the human body; some claim that an excessive shock is more likely to cause incineration rather than instantaneous death, but if they would turn their attention to prolonging and increasing the pleasure of life, the public would hail the result with more satisfaction. For instance, the beauty and of high artistic merit, and Miss Engel Sumner, and were both excellent in their roles, and were well supported. The scenic effects were very fine. The living pictures over which the world seems to have gone mad, were revelations of beauty and of high artistic merit.—New York Morning Journal. At Ferguson's theatre on Thursday evening, Sept. 27th.

Will Hold a Fair.
The Rescue Hook and Ladder Company are making arrangements to hold a fair during the holidays, on an elaborate scale. It will be held in the company's hall.

McElhenny will have snapper, clam and oyster soup this evening.

Hastening Its Completion.
Surveyors to-day commenced work on plans to connect the terminus of the Lakeside Railway on East Centre street with the northern end of the Bowers street trestle. It is expected that cars will be run over the new line next Sunday.

Reward.
Dr. J. S. Callen has lost a valuable pocket case of surgical instruments. He will pay a liberal reward for a return to his residence, 31 South Jardin street. 9-21-tf

Mrs. Bridgeman, R. C. M., teaches violin (specialty) cello and piano. Corner of Jardin and Lloyd streets. 9-3-tf

Did Your Butterman Disappoint You!

The reason was he did not have enough to go around. It is pretty scarce, but we have enough for you all. Finest Creamery. Some cheap, but not as good.

Graf's

123 North Jardin St.