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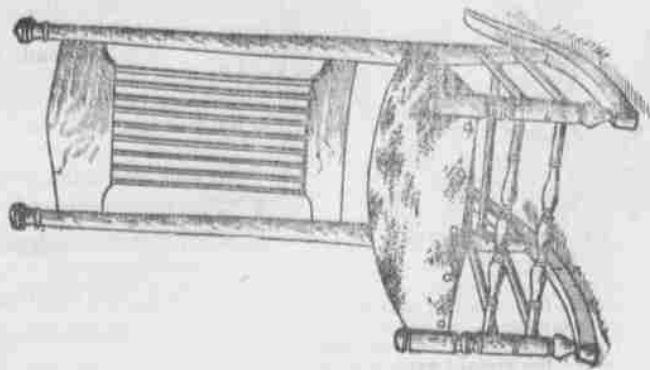


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ONE CENT

Another Big Bargain!



This beautiful **ROCKER**, upholstered in fine silk plush, **Only \$2.29.** J. P. Williams & Son.

A Peculiar Sale in November.

Ladies' Night Dresses.

But as this is such an extraordinary bargain which I picked up last week, they will be sold, giving the benefit to the customer. No. 418 Night Dress trimmed with featherstitch braid, all sizes, 49c. No. 514, a full tucked yoke, 50c. No. 436, Round neck, with ruffled and embroidered yoke, 51c. Remember, only one week. All are invited.

116-18 N. Main St.

Max J. Williams

Don't Turn This Up.

3 South Main Street, CHAS. GIBLIN.

100 Pounds Linen Writing Paper, 15c per lb. Few dozen Stand Lamp, from 75c to 65c. Few dozes Stand Lamp, from 75c to 65c. 100 Pounds Linen Writing Paper, 15c per lb. 50c to 39c. Six Toilet Sets, from \$5 to \$4. Few Lemonade Sets, 50c. Probable until Saturday or Monday. Big Bargains as long as these last. We must make room for Holiday Goods.

Big Cut in Shoes.

500 Ladies' Fine Shoes.

Formerly sold for \$1.75, now go at \$1.29.

We have them in all styles and shapes—Plain Opera Button, Opera Tipped Buttoned, Philadelphia Toe Tipped Buttoned, Bluchers Opera and Philadelphia toe. We are selling Ladies' Fine Over gaiters at 25c a pair.

Joseph Ball,

14 South Main Street, Shenandoah, Pa.

What 25c Will Buy.

- 2 pounds Fancy Evaporated Peaches, Nectarines, Apricots, Pears or Apples.
- 2 pounds New French Prunes. Large and fine.
- 3 pounds New French Prunes. Medium.
- 2 pounds Pitted Cherries.
- 4 pounds New Large Muscatel Raisins.
- 3 pounds New Layer Raisins.
- 2 pounds New Sultan Seedless Raisins.
- 2 pounds New Citron or Lemon Peel.
- 2 pounds New Mixed Nuts consisting of Almonds, Filberts, Walnuts, Pecans and Cream Nuts.
- 4 pounds Lima Beans.
- 4 pounds Fresh Ginger Snaps.
- 5 pounds Dandy Oyster Crackers.
- 5 quarts New White Beans.
- 3 quarts New Green Peas.
- 2 quarts New Crop Open Kettle New Orleans Baking Molasses.
- 4 quarts Good Sugar Syrup.
- 3 quarts Better Quality Sugar Syrup.
- 2 quarts Best Sugar Syrup.
- 2 cans New California Peaches, Apricots, Pears or Egg Plums.
- 4 cans New String Beans.
- 3 cans New Marrow Peas.
- 2 cans Early June Peas.
- 3 cans New Cold Packed Tomatoes.
- 2 cans Tomatoes, extra size cans and extra quality.
- 4 cans Maryland Corn.
- 3 cans Sugar Corn.
- 2 cans Fancy Northern Sugar Corn.
- 4 bottles Fine Tomato Catsup.
- 1 dozen Fine Florida Oranges.
- New Salmon 10 cents a can.

FINE GOODS.

New Mince Meat—the best. Full Cream Cheese. Fancy Creamery Butter. New Norway Mackerel. Strictly Pure Lard. Old Time Rye Flour. Old Time Graham Flour.

AT KEITER'S.

GLEANINGS OF THE DAY.

Items Picked Up by the Reporters on Their Rounds.

LEAKING GAS WAS IGNITED.

The Young Man With the Match Narrowly Escaped the Force of the Explosion—Fire Department Out.

A loud report of an explosion, followed by clouds of smoke and dust, attracted attention to the cellar of Keiter's store, at the corner of Main and Lloyd streets, at about seven o'clock this morning, and an alarm of fire sounded from the corner of Main and Centre streets drew the fire department to the scene.

The firemen had no work to do, finding that the cause of the alarm was a harmless explosion of gas. Henry Shaffer, the manager of Keiter's store, and John Kincaid, an employe of the store, went down into the cellar to locate a leak in a gas pipe. Kincaid was under the steps leading down from the sidewalk with a burning match in hand when the explosion occurred, and that he escaped without a burn or a scratch seems miraculous.

The young man was less than an arm's length from the place where the gas was ignited. Simultaneously with the explosion a quantity of clay and stones from the bed under the sidewalk shot through the space between the steps of the stairway and fell upon the cellar floor about ten feet away. Kincaid was not touched by either the flames or the flying clay or stones. Mr. Shaffer said he never saw a more remarkable escape. Kincaid says the whole thing happened so quick he hadn't time to realize what happened.

Go and hear the Grant Band concert next Tuesday evening. Best ever heard here. J. M. Schoppe, bandmaster.

THE GAS QUESTION.

No Action Taken by the Company on the Bills.

The gas company held a meeting last night, but the business transacted was of a purely routine character and the expected action on the remonstrances which have been ventilated during the past few days was not taken. Superintendent Titman stated to day that the meeting was not held to consider the bills which caused so much talk and there is no likelihood that any action will be taken on the subject, other than to receipt the bills as fast as they are paid. The superintendent also stated that all the bills were based on the registrations of the meters, and so far as the company knew they were correct. Mr. Titman thinks there has been considerable useless talk over the matter. If anyone wants to go into the gas or electric light business, he had better be prepared to experience in getting stock of the old companies. In that way the people grumbling will be able to get their gas for nothing and pocket large dividends in addition. There was some sarcasm in Mr. Titman's tone.

Begley & Schoener's oyster bay, 11 West Centre street. Families supplied with fresh clams and oysters at short notice. Thursday.

Injured by a Fall.

Miss Ellen Scheiffy was painfully injured yesterday by falling down a cellar stairway at the residence of her father, John Scheiffy, on East Oak street. While about to descend to the cellar Miss Scheiffy was seized by vertigo and in the fall her body and face were badly bruised. It is fortunate, however, that the injuries are not of a dangerous character. Dr. Matter is in attendance. Miss Scheiffy met with a similar accident about a year ago.

Notice to Parents.

The evening public schools of the borough of Shenandoah will be opened on Monday evening, 19th inst., and the undersigned will be at his office in the Main street school building on Monday morning and evening, 19th inst., to receive applicants and issue cards of admission. M. P. WHITAKER, Superintendent.

Oysters!

If you want good oysters go to M. Mohr's, 105 East Centre street, next door to Devers' barber shop. The best selected oysters in the town. Private parlors for ladies. 9-12-4-3-4-1

Directors to Fix Holidays.

State Superintendent Schaeffer has notified all State School Directors that the directors may determine for themselves in all cases which days designated by the law as public holidays shall be observed as school holidays in their respective districts. In case the schools are open for regular instruction on these days, the time can be counted, reported and paid for the same as other days constituting a school month.

Notice to Subscribers.

Subscribers to the EVENING HERALD who are not receiving their paper regularly and people who wish to receive the paper as new subscribers, are requested to leave their addresses at Hooks & Brown's stationery store, on North Main street.

THEY WANT DAMAGES.

Gilberton's Borough Solicitor Jeered When He Advises Moderation.

The Gilberton Borough Council, at a special meeting held Tuesday night, decided to resist any effort upon the part of the Schuylkill Traction Company to again lay the disintegrated piece of track at the eastern end of that borough, the tearing up of which led to the serious riot of August 21, 1893, the story of which is now part of Schuylkill county history.

The Schuylkill Traction Co. notified the Gilberton authorities several days ago of their intention to again lay the track, and within the next ten days. In response to this notice last night's meeting was called. It was attended by every member of Council, and the leading citizens of the town, and a very bitter feeling prevailed. The only basis of settlement that they will consider is the payment of heavy damages to the families of those who were killed in the riot, and to the several persons who were injured, damages that the Traction Company are not inclined to pay.

Chas. E. Breckons, Esq., counsel for the borough made a speech counseling moderation, and setting forth the reasons why the track should be laid again, and by due process of law. He was jeered, and there were threats of violence made.

A motion was made that the relaying of the track be opposed by every legal means, and carried unanimously, and Burgess Holliman was instructed to appoint a special police force of 30 men, or more if necessary, to assist in maintaining the rights of the borough.

Grant Band concert, Tuesday evening, November 20th, Robbins' opera house. Admission 10 cents, to cover expenses.

PERSONAL.

Stephen Goho, of Reading, was a town visitor.

Joel McC. Foster, of Scranton, is a guest of town friends.

Poor Director Derr spent to-day at the Schuylkill Haven almshouse.

Edward Furman and R. D. Hagenbuch visited Girardville last evening.

Postmaster P. J. Birmingham, of Girardville visited town this morning.

John W. Weeks and Richard Dabb left town this morning on a hunting trip.

Miss May Beidall returned to town yesterday from a visit to Pottsville relatives.

Misses Sadie and Gertrude Reese and Gertrude and Nettie Levine are visiting friends at Pottsville.

P. J. Ferguson left for Pictou, N. J., this morning to look after business of the Lehigh Valley Railroad.

Mrs. F. Rumble and daughter, Sadie, of Ringtown, returned to their home at that place yesterday after spending several days as guests of friends here.

Land Agent Gregory, Charles Strouse, Frank Cavanaugh, George H. Keick, John Schaeffer and wife, F. J. Brennan, John J. Bently, W. J. Morgan, W. G. Hess, John Higgins and Harry Roxy were among the town people who witnessed the production of "Eight Bells" at Girardville last night.

C. D. Fricks has received a new lot of rags. All kinds. Cheap for cash. 11-9-4f

PENCIL POINTS.

The Borough Council will hold a regular meeting this evening.

Remember the hop at Robbins' opera house to-night. Music by Riley's orchestra. 11-14-2f

Shenandoah was not represented at the convention of School Directors of Schuylkill county at Pottsville yesterday.

The Shenandoah Republican League will meet to-night to make arrangements for furnishing its rooms in the Rafowich building.

The Schuylkill Traction Company ran extra cars on its Shenandoah and Mahanoy City branches last night for the accommodation of Girardville theatre patrons.

A hop will be given in Robbins' opera house to-night. Riley's orchestra. Pleasant and enjoyable evening. assured to all. 11-14-2f

A report is current that Poor Directors Derr and Day have formed a combination by which Poor Director-elect Dietrich will have little say in the almshouse appointments for 1895.

Battle for Blood.

The game of foot ball which is to take place at Ashland on Saturday between the regular Shenandoah and Ashland teams will probably be the most interesting and hardest played games of any seen in the region this season. Both teams are practicing hard for the contest and will do their utmost to win. The Ashlands claim to have the best team, but they have been beaten by the Shenandoahs in one of the two games played this season. Considerable money has already been staked by the respective admirers and among them the interest manifested is similar to that taken in the recent Pennsylvania-Princeton game. The Ashlands are counting on great assistance from Reese, of Centralia, an ex-player on the Pennsylvania University team. The Ashlands are the heavier men, but the Shenandoahs have more knowledge of the game, so a rattling contest may be looked for.

Lightstone's Bargain Store.

We will close out our entire stock of clothing, hats, caps and gent's furnishing goods at half the regular price. Must be sold within 15 days. Lightstone's, 110 North Main street, between Gill's and Schmidt's dry goods stores. 11-15-4f

POLITICAL POT-POURRI.

A Melange of Topics on Local Political Affairs.

OFFICE SEEKERS PLENTY.

Berths at Pottsville, Schuylkill Haven, Harrisburg and Washington Are in Great Demand.

There are at least two of our Republican townsmen who are shaping affairs so that they may succeed Postmaster Mellet two years hence. This is certainly taking time by the forelock.

One of our young Republicans is most confident that he will be appointed clerk to Congressman Brumm, but if he is wise he will seek a nest elsewhere. Mr. Brumm will not have a clerk, unless he should be made chairman of some committee, and I am led to believe that is not probable.

William Neiswender has made a good member of the Republican executive committee. Fortunately his path during the campaign was a comparatively smooth one, and he met with but few cranks.

It is hoped the scores of men who are out for political appointments will exercise good sense and not imagine that the men elected last week have been given offices for the sole purpose of giving certain people berths. There is no objection to everybody in the land seeking office, when the seeker is a man who can take disappointment as one of the elements of the natural course of events.

The last campaign brought to the front a number of new and energetic Republican workers. Let them keep up the good work and their's will be the reward of the faithful.

The local Republican workers are given a pointer that the jobs of Inspector Monaghan and Interpreter Radziewicz will not be declared vacant until a Republican President is elected. This pointer is given with advice to the men who are already seeking them that fidelity to the successful party from now until after the next Presidential election will determine to a great extent who shall fill the shoes.

Senator-elect Coyle and Representative-elect Wyatt are besieged by applicants for positions at Harrisburg. As a matter of fact these two men will have very little, if any, patronage to distribute for some time to come. What they may possibly control will not be worth bothering about.

One of our young Republicans is seeking a position in the public law ration department at Harrisburg. He may get there, since he has many very influential friends below the mountain to back him.

"Ben Hur" need a number of Republican candidates out of the party in last week's Sunday News, but as it is not "the power behind the throne" the edict will not "go." Such a step would be very foolish. Had the riot not been read to men in the Republican ranks in years past there would not be enough of the party left in Schuylkill county to-day to form a corporal's guard. The result of the election showed that the Republicans of this county who were on the wrong side of the issue were very few, and it would be policy to leave well enough alone.

Honest John T. Shoener is deserving of much credit for his work during the last campaign. He is not a sulker. Immediately after his defeat in the nomination for Congress he, like Hon. Elias Davis, put on his working clothes and did yeoman service for the whole ticket.

Constable Thomas Tosh, who is an applicant for a deputyship under Sheriff-elect Scott, was another Republican who did not sulk. When beaten in the fight for the Republican nomination for Jury Commissioner he worked like a Trojan for the ticket nominated.

P. W. Blerstein, the bright young Lithuanian politician of town, did royal service for the Republicans in the last election. He held the Lincoln (Lithuanian) Club solidly for the ticket. Heretofore it has been difficult to get most of the people who are now members of the organization to take a defined stand in politics, but through the efforts of Mr. Blerstein they have been brought to a realization of where their true interest lies, and the Lincoln Club will become one of the most influential Republican organizations in this section of the state.

B. Jeff Yost, of the County Clerk's office, remarked after giving the writer a dig in the ribs, "It was a glorious victory. I expected it, but it took hard work. It is funny how some of the lake-warm fellows are coming to the front and claiming that they did it all." Jeff is a hard worker and covers a great deal of ground when he starts out.

The Democratic party of this county is to have new leaders. Our own Wannamaker, James J. Franey, and M. P. Quinn, of Pottsville, are among those mentioned as likely to be installed as Governor General. Either would make a leader in whom confidence of the party could be reposed with the assurance that clean politics would prevail.

First grand concert of the season by the Grant Band, Robbins' opera house, Tuesday evening, November 20th.

Realer for Sale.

A first-class heater for sale, cheap. Apply at the White House, North Main street. 11-15-4f

WATCH FOR

Holderman's

Announcement

\$15 Given Away!

Absolutely Free. We intend to share our profits with our customers from now until January 15, 1895. The plan is a novel one, and will give each and every customer an equal chance to win a prize. We have an exhibition in our show window.

Jar Containing Common Lead Gun Shot.

With each and every 50c worth of any goods purchased from our store, for cash, we will give you a coupon which entitles you to one guess. A careful record is kept of each coupon when returned to our store properly filled out by you.

To the first one guessing the correct number of grains of shot a prize of \$5.00 will be given.

To the first one guessing NEAREST the correct number a prize of \$2.00.

To the first one guessing second nearest the correct number, a prize of \$1.00.

To the first five general guessers, a prize of \$1.00 each will be given.

The above prizes are not given in merchandise, but in United States MONEY, which everybody can use in good advantage these hard times. Each and every guesser who is on a coupon as issued by our clerks. No other recognition. Any person may guess as many times as they wish, but the above conditions must be observed. No expense given unless each purchase amounts to 50c worth. Ours and see the jar and make your guess.

We now have the most complete line of Holiday Goods of any house in this section. It will be worth your time to examine our line before purchasing your supplies, and at the same time possibly win a prize, thereby receiving goods free purchased from us. We do not raise the price of goods to cover the \$15 given away. Prizes guaranteed to be as low as elsewhere.

F. J. Pertz & Son, Wall Paper, Stationery, Blank Books, Novelties, No. 21 North Main Street, SHENANDOAH, PA.

AMUSEMENTS.

"ENEMIES FOR LIFE"

Miss Joan Cravan and her excellent company opened the week here yesterday at that sensational and emotional drama, "Enemies for Life," which has been exceedingly popular ever since its appearance on the stage. It is one of those plays that stir people up and make them feel like killing the villain and hugging the heroine. It is put on the stage in excellent style, and Miss Cravan is too good an actress not to see that it is well done.—"Pittsburg Gazette." This attraction played here last February and made a hit. Many new features have been added for this season. At Ferguson's theatre to-morrow evening.

"HUMPTY DUMPTY"

Mr. Charles Kayel, America's premier clown, for 12 years with Tony Deater, George I. Fox, Mr. B. Levitt, Spider and Fly, Miller Bros., Kajonka, etc., has been engaged by Mr. Straffia as clown in his new version of America's favorite pantomime, "Humpty Dumpty," which will be under his personal direction, and will be, without a doubt, the best production that has been seen for several years. At Ferguson's theatre on Monday evening next.

Mrs. Bridgeman, R. C. M., teaches violin (especially) cello and piano. Corner of Jardin and Liber streets. 9-3-4f

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A century is usually referred to as a hundred years, and in all that time there has not been a better syrup sold than our "Century" brand at 10 cents a quart. Bright color, heavy body and elegant flavor.

Graf's

122 North Main St.