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ONE CENT

...Cheaper Than Ever.

Brocatelle Parlor Suits, \$25.00.

Couches, \$4.75.

JOHN 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, 40c. No. 514, a full tucked yoke, 50c. No. 496, Round neck, with ruffled and embroidered yoke, 51c. Remember, only one week. All are invited.

116-18 N. Main St.

John P. Williams & Son

Don't Turn This Up.

3 South Main Street

CHAS. GIVIN

100 Pounds Lima Beans, from 10c to 15c per lb.
Few dozen Broad Beans, from 10c to 15c per lb.
Six Tons Seed, from 50c to \$1.00 per ton.
Few Lemonade Sets, from 50c to \$1.00 per set.

Big Bargains as long as these last.
Probably until Saturday or Monday.
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 Sultana 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.
- 3 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.
Fancy Creamery Butter.
Strictly Pure Lard.
Old Time Graham Flour.
Full Cream Cheese.
New Norway Mackerel.
Old Time Rye Flour.

AT KEITER'S.

KEEP YOUR EYE ON THE SECOND

The Democratic Army Preparing For Its Spring March.

HOW THE WARD WILL COUNT

The Victorious Party Will Bag Two Seats in the Borough Council—Many New Residents in the Ward.

It is not too early to begin discussing spring politics. At least not so for the Republicans, as the Democrats are already on the move and are showing along so actively that one is forced to the conclusion that there are some deep laid schemes on hand.

The great trouble with the Republicans of the town is that they are too easy going. They never seem to look beneath the surface, but think the opposite party is like their own—idle, waiting for the election season to arrive. When the time for action does come these Republicans find their party floundering around for suitable candidates and in their hurry to put tickets in the field they do not observe that the Democrats are in their camp helping to put up candidates that cannot be elected. On the other hand the Democrats are always organized and in touch with each other. They have a pretty fair understanding weeks in advance as to the kind of tickets will be nominated by their primaries and when the time comes to make the nominations they also have matters so arranged that no Republican influence can intervene.

To say that the Democrats are now actually engaged in moving their chessman into position for the Spring election may perhaps cause incredulous smiles in and about the borders of their camp, but there are a few existing facts which take some of the laugh out of the idea from a Republican standpoint. There appears to be a well regulated scheme on the part of the Democrats to capture the Second ward next spring. Almost every Democrat in the town who is thinking of changing his place of residence has his eye on that ward, and it will not take an army of them to bring about the desired change. The list of Second ward Democratic voters has been greatly increased during the past two or three years and many more names will be added to it in the near future. Let us become a little more definite and get an inside view of the ratio of increase. The three Murphy brothers, saloonists, moved into the ward but a few weeks ago; ex-Chief Burgess Smith moved in this week; the three Cleary brothers of Wm. Penn and the four Galvin brothers of the First ward are at the threshold, if they do not get in before this appears in print. There you have a bunch of eleven good, solid Democrats to help turn a Republican majority of less than fifty, and two Councilmen are to be elected in that ward next spring. One to succeed John F. Finney, who moved to Pottsville, the other to succeed R. W. Stout, whose term will expire.

It is not too soon for the Republicans to follow the example set by their Democratic neighbors by starting to move in spirit, if not bodily.
Bogley & Schoener's oyster bay, 11 West Centre street. Families supplied with fresh clams and oysters at short notice Thursdays.

Last Night's Play.

An audience of fair size witnessed the production of "Enemies for Life" at Ferguson's theatre last night. With the exception of Miss Joan Cravan and W. H. Harvey the company is very weak, making quite a contrast with the last production of this interesting play here. Theatrical managers make a mistake in reducing the quality of their companies and depending upon reputations made by their plays on first visits, and this is the case with "Enemies for Life."

Grant Band concert, Thursday evening, November 22nd, Robbins' opera house. Admission 10 cents, to cover expenses.

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.

Go and hear the Grant Band concert next Thursday evening. Best ever given here. J. M. Schoppes, bandmaster.

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters advertised as remaining unclaimed for in the local post office: Martin Halley, Sam Ostich, William Stitzer and S. Goldberg.

C. D. Fricke has received a new lot of rugs. All kinds. Cheap for cash. 11-9-94

Unique Parade.

Look out for the street parade of Bates Bro's "Humpty Dumpty" Company at noon on Monday, headed by a Clown Band.

Mrs. Bridgeman, R. C. M., teaches violin (specialty) cello and piano. Corner of Jardin and Lloyd streets. 9-3-94

PERSONAL.

Miss Beninger, of Mahanoy City, was in town yesterday.
E. C. Wagner, of Girardville, was in town this morning.

George W. Hassler, of Allentown, is a guest of friends here.

Miss Virgie Hollopeter returned from Philadelphia yesterday.

John McKeesburg Book is visiting friends at McKeesburg, Pa.

Mrs. S. G. M. Hollopeter is visiting friends at Schuylkill Haven.

Misses Cella Parry and Helen Price are visiting friends in Philadelphia.

S. C. Price, one of Ashland's leading merchants, was in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne, of Mahanoy City, called upon friends in town yesterday.

Mrs. Robert Patterson, of North West street, gave birth to a daughter yesterday.

John Kordlake, who has been very ill for some weeks past, was upon the streets yesterday.

Harry A. Acker, manager of the Grand Union Tea Company, spent this morning at Pottsville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Kehler and Mrs. S. W. Yost spent to-day visiting friends at Minersville.

Rev. Robert O'Boyle returned to-day from Reading, where he visited his mother and sons.

P. J. Monaghan, the South Main street dry goods merchant, is in Philadelphia looking for bargains in his line.

Michael Graham, of the First ward, has returned from a combined pleasure and business trip to Williamsport and Bujloss.

Miss Sadie Gilbert, who was recently so ill as to cause her friends considerable apprehension, was out yesterday enjoying the beautiful weather.

Howard Burchill, formerly of this place and now of Mahanoy City, will join the U. S. Schoolship "Saratoga" on Monday next. He will come home for the Christmas holidays and when they close will join the ship for a foreign cruise.

Harry Cather has been relieved from enrollment on the Schoolship "Saratoga." It is said he physically incapacitated himself for further service on the ship by making a high jump from the rigging to the sea. This turn of affairs is regretted, as the young man was making an excellent record and was in the service but a short time when he won a gold medal for bravery in saving life.

First grand concert of the season by the Grant Band, Robbins' opera house, Thursday evening, November 22nd.

Granted Certificates.

Before the close of the Teachers' County Institute at Pottsville yesterday the following teachers were reported as having been examined for and granted permanent certificates: Misses Sallie Pries, Minersville; Carrie Kemmer, Minersville; Anna Kleckner, Tamaqua; Hannah M. Steepler, Pottsville; Sarah M. Poillard, Pottsville; Sallie E. Fadden, Shenandoah; Agnes Stirtz, Shenandoah; James Costello, Butler township; Bridget V. Barrett, Butler township; Nettie M. McInerney, Mahanoy City; Lizan Cullen, Norwegian township; Katie Donley, Swatara, Kelly township; Sadie Danell, Mahanoy City; May Burns, Girardville; Magale Brohony, Mahanoy Plane; Sallie E. Walker, Mahanoy City; Ella S. Donahue, Tremont; Lina Rohrbach, Tremont; Mary C. Collier, Palo Alto; Mary E. Bachman, Dilla B. Murphy, Alice Cooper, Clara Gebres, Llewellyn; Sadie C. Tovey, Minersville; Miss Ellen F. Gleaming, Donaldson; James F. Cannon, G. S. Maurer, Butler township; M. Fitzpatrick, Yorkville; Edward Matz, Barnesville; Michael J. Martin, Palo Alto; C. C. Kehler, Porter township; James A. Flynn, Mahanoy Plane. The following were examined in special branches: Jas. F. Gallagher, West Mahanoy; M. P. Conroy, Shenandoah; M. J. Brennan, West Mahanoy; all in bookkeeping.

Oysters!

If you want good oysters go to E. Mohl's, 105 East Centre street, next door to Devere's hardware shop. The best selected oysters in the town. Private parlors for ladies. 9-15-94

Paid His Bet.

Michael Scanlan, of the First ward, was an enthusiastic Democrat before the election and bet that Congressman Kelly would be re-elected by 1,000 majority. He paid the bet to-day by showing a wheelbarrow through the streets.

Oysters fried, stewed and panned. Also fine points. At the White House, 121 N. Main street.

Change of Time Table.

The fall changes in the time tables of the Philadelphia & Reading and Lehigh Valley Railroads will go into effect to-morrow. All schedules should be carefully scrutinized, as a number of changes will be made.

Cheapest Oysters in Town.

Prime oysters 60 cents, \$1.00 and \$1.25 per hundred, at the White House, 121 N. Main street.

Great Bargains.

Prices reduced in ladies' misses' and children's coats and espes. We offer carpets and oil cloth at prices never before heard of. Equal reductions in all kinds of dry goods. At P. J. Monaghan's, 11-17 1/2 30 South Main St., Shenandoah.

Obituary.

Mrs. Katherine Pappert, wife of Syl Pappert, of South Main street, died this morning from paralysis.

A COUNTY SEAT LETTER

Review of Principal Events of the Closing Week.

THE INSTITUTE A SUCCESS.

The Future Sessions Will be Held Early in November—The "Journal" Victorious in Its Brawl War.

Special HERALD correspondence.

POTTSTVILLE, Nov. 16.—The thirty-second annual Schuylkill County Teachers' Institute closed here to-day and next week the teachers will be at their posts again in their respective school houses. The sessions of the institute just closed were of a most successful character. The lectures and entertainments were of a high order. The experiment of holding the sessions earlier in the season also proved satisfactory and the plan will undoubtedly be followed in the future. It prevents a demoralization of the school work which must follow when the institute and Christmas holiday seasons are close together. Most of the teachers favor the new plan. They say they can make a better showing for the close of the first school term.

The business men of this town reaped a harvest during the institute. It was not so much what the teachers spent, but what was derived through their friends, who attended the sessions in large numbers and occasionally spent an hour, or two, in shopping. Then, again, the convention of the School Directors of the county brought many skeletons to the coffers of the hotels and restaurants.

Manager Ferguson, of your town, would be wise in looking "Princess Bonnie" for his theatre this season if it is possible. It had a crowded house at high prices here. It is one of the latest and best comic operas and had an unprecedented run in Philadelphia this season and last.

The Journal will announce to-morrow that it has won its battle for cheaper bread, and this is correct. A baker named Spanuth has made the break and hereafter will sell and deliver to any part of Pottsville, Palo Alto or Port Carbon a 35 ounce loaf of bread for 6 cents. This is a reduction of 25 per cent, and the credit for securing it is entirely due to the persistent vigor and sound argument battle made by the Journal.

The sentences which a number of crooks received before the court here this week should have a salutatory effect upon others and induce the parents and guardians of young people to be more diligent in the enforcement of discipline. Among the young men sentenced were three from Shenandoah who, in conversation with a press representative, said that they owed their sentences of two years each to the influence of the winter shanty.

It does not seem that we will get the frequently promised public buildings, but we will at least have improved post office headquarters. The owners of the little less than a cookery in which the quarters are located have at last realized that the building needs some improvement.

The revival of the new county movement in Luzerne county with a view to taking in a part of this county will, as usual, meet with opposition of this place.

Hunting a Deputyship.

David James, George Holvey, Edward Kester, William T. Trease, Thomas Lee, Richard Reese, C. T. Straughn and David Reunie drove to Frackville last night and presented to Sheriff-elect Scott a petition bearing about four hundred signatures requesting the appointment of Consable Thomas Tosh as a Deputy Sheriff. Mr. Scott took the petition, but could make no definite statement.

The Council's Statement.

Under instructions of the Borough Council the HERALD to-day publishes the resolution and statement directed to be filed for the information of citizens on the special election for the additional increase of borough indebtedness to build water works. The statement is published on the fourth page of this issue.

Choir Practice.

The choirs will meet in the Presbyterian church to-morrow afternoon, at 8:30, to practice for the Thanksgiving Day union service. About fifty singers met last Sunday and the prospects are that there will be some grand music at the service this year.

Second of the Series.

Rev. T. Maxwell Morrison will to-morrow evening give the second lecture of his series on "The Hereafter" in the Presbyterian church. The subject will be "Between Death and the Resurrection."

Sunday Papers.

I am the only authorized agent for the Philadelphia (Sunday) Press, also agent for all other Philadelphia and New York Sunday Papers. All orders left at the office of Squire T. T. Williams will have my prompt attention. 11-3-94 D. T. WILLIAMS.

Rupture.

Cure guaranteed. No operation. Inquire at the Shenandoah drug store, No. 3 South Main street. 9-18-94

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 a Jar Containing Common Lead Gun Shot.

With each and every 50c worth of any goods purchased from our store, for each, 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 \$10.00 will be given.

To the first one guessing nearest the correct number a prize of \$5.00.

To the first one guessing second nearest the correct number, a prize of \$2.00.

To the next five nearest 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 to good advantage these hard times. Each and every guess must be on a coupon as printed on the above. No others recognized. Any person may guess as many times as they wish, but the above conditions must be observed. No coupon given unless each purchase entitles to one worth. Coupon sent for and made your guess.

We now have the most complete line of Holiday Goods of any store 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 on goods to cover the \$15 given away. Prizes guaranteed to be as low as the above.

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

Mrs. Brady's Condition.

Mrs. S. H. Brady, of Lost Creek, who met with a serious accident at her home on Thursday evening, is doing as well as can be expected. Drs. Brady and Hamilton set the fractured limb yesterday afternoon. There was a compound fracture of both bones and in hobbling about to escape the flames Mrs. Brady caught the bones to protrude through the flesh. She will be confined to her bed for several weeks.

You Are Wanted at McElheny's Tonight.

Mr. McElheny will treat the public to chicken rice soup this evening. Remember he means everybody and he will be pleased to have you call on him. His corps of attendants are waiting for you and will be delighted to have you call.

Real Estate Sale.

Jesse B. Davis has sold the part of his South Valley street property now occupied by T. J. Davies to Dr. S. C. Spaulding for \$3,000. The sale was consummated last night. Dr. Spaulding will make the property his home.

Died.

GALLAGHER. — At Shenandoah, Pa., on the 15th inst., Anthony J. Gallagher, aged 30 years. Funeral, Monday, 19th inst., 10 a. m. High Mass in Annunciation church. Interment in Annunciation cemetery. Friends and relatives respectfully invited to attend. 11-17-94

Gold Dust Is Wanted.

By everybody. So is "Gold Dust" Flour. A fancy blended flour at an ordinary price. We have cheaper flour, viz.: "Keystone," "White Rose" and the celebrated "Pride of Lehigh." And they are good ones, too.

Graf's
122 North Jordan St.