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ONE CENT

...Cheaper Than Ever.

Brocatelle Parlor Suits, \$25.00.

Couches, \$4.75.

JOHN P. WILLIAMS & SON

Much for Little.

The little prices are in decided contrast to the extra values that we give you just now.
 Children's all wool caps at 25 cents.
 Bureau skirt scrim from 35 to 12 1/2 cents.
 Children's ribbed vest any size, 15 cents.
 Infants' all wool hose, 7 cents.
 An excellent line of children's all wool hose any size at 15 cents.
 Use nothing but Heminway's silk for your Christmas art needle work.

116-18 N. Main St.

John P. Williams & Son

Don't Turn This Up.

8 South Main Street

CHAS. GIVIN,

Big Bargains as long as these last.
 Probably until Saturday or Monday.
 100 Pounds Linen Writing Paper.
 Few dozen Standard Lamps, from 75c to 85c.
 Six Teller Pens, from 50c to 75c.
 Few Lemonade Sets.
 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.
- 1 pounds Lima Beans.
- 4 pounds Fresh Ginger Snaps.
- 5 pounds Dandy Oyster Crackers.
- 8 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.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

Proceedings at the Regular Meeting Held Last Evening.

DECISIONS BY THE BOARD

Discretion Will be Exercised in the Placarding of Houses Where Measles Exists—Disinfecting Places.

A regular meeting of the Board of Health was held in the Council chamber last night with President Spalding, Messrs. T. F. Miles, James B. McEale, Secretary Scanlan and Health Officer Miles in attendance.

President Spalding called attention to a case of measles discovered on East Centre street. The parents of the child afflicted came to Shenandoah from Minersville to visit friends. In the house visited was a saloon. When the case was discovered the Health Officer proceeded to tack up a notice on the saloon door, the only entrance to the building. The proprietor objected and to avoid trouble the parents of the child yesterday wrapped it in blankets and went back to Minersville, even against the advice of the physician. Dr. Spalding said it was an odd case. The occupant feared the placard on his saloon door would injure his business and could not allow the visitors to remain, and the life of the child was endangered by the removal. The board discussed the matter and finally agreed that in cases of measles it was the intention to use the placards with discretion and the rule will only be enforced where an epidemic of the disease is threatened.

Health Officer Miles wanted to know what steps were required before allowing a new tenant to move into a house in which a case of diphtheria had recently existed. President Spalding read the rule which provides that no person shall let or hire any house or room in which a communicable disease dangerous to the public health has recently existed until the public health has recently stated until the premises have been disinfected to the satisfaction of the Board of Health.

The epidemic committee was instructed to purchase disinfectants for use by the Health Officer.

Complaint was made that two pigs are kept in a yard at the rear of a South Main street house.

It was decided that a cheese manufacturer on East Line street must pay an annual license of five dollars.

Secretary Scanlan reported that since the last meeting there were reported two cases of typhoid fever, two of diphtheria and one of measles.

The Health Officer presented the following report, showing the results of his tours of the town: Well full on South White street, between Centre and Oak, parties have promised to put in sewer; well on West Centre street, between Jardin street and Pear alley, found in a filthy condition and remedied; ash bin on South Plum alley cleaned; hog pen under a kitchen on East Apple alley removed; nuisance from sewer at Shenandoah Hat & Cap Company's factory abated; blocked sewer on North Plum alley opened; ashes and rubbish taken from under a building on South Main street; ash bin on North Pear alley cleaned; notice given to abate nuisance on West Raspberry alley; ashes removed from Market alley, between Centre and Oak streets; barrels of oyster shells and ashes on South Bower street removed; notified tenants to stop dumping refuse on West Lloyd street; notified agent of property on South Main street to have a well cleaned; paper scattered on North Pear alley removed; the High Constable removed several dead animals.

Saturday Night at McElhenry's.

That the evening lunches given at McElhenry's cafe have become popular is evidenced by the fact that he has been requested by a number of his patrons to serve to-night that favorite and delicious lunch, mock turtle soup. He invites the public in general to visit the cafe and enjoy the same. He will have plenty for everybody.

Successful Season.

The fair of the vestry of All Saints' Protestant Episcopal church closed last night after a most successful season. A miscellany of excellent merit was given under the direction of Mrs. O. H. Bridgman and was very much enjoyed by the large audience. There were several violin solos by Mrs. Bridgman, cello solos by Rev. Bridgman, piano solos by Miss Bertha McCarroll, of Delano, vocal solos by Miss Belle Brown and Messrs. W. J. Jacobs and Jesse Hughes, and recitations by Miss Eva Brewer and Harry Boughey. Mrs. Bridgman's violin selections were especially fine and the hearty encores were well deserved.

Mock turtle soup free at McElhenry's to-night.

A Talented Pupil.

One of the most notable features of the musicale at Robbins' opera house last evening was the piano solo so artistically rendered by Miss Bertha McCarroll, of Delano. The young lady is one of Mrs. W. N. Ehrhart's many talented pupils.

AT THE CHURCHES.

Special Announcement for Services Tomorrow and Next Week.

Rev. Hepler, of Ashland, will occupy the pulpit of the Evangelical church tomorrow morning and in the evening Rev. T. R. Edwards, of town, will preach. Rev. Lichtenwalter, the pastor, will fill the Shamokin charge for Presiding Elder Cross, who is attending the general conference of the United Evangelical church at Naperville, Indiana.

The revival services in the Methodist Episcopal church during the week have been full of interest. The singing has been a special feature of each service. Last night Rev. R. Kaines, of Girardville, preached. Two conversions followed. The services will be continued another week.

Rev. T. Maxwell Morrison will tomorrow evening give in the Presbyterian church the third of his series of lectures on "The Hereafter." The subject will be "The Resurrection."

Fresh oysters opened every day at the White House. Oysters in all styles prepared at short notice. 11-28-94

NEWS OF THE MINES.

The Rate of Wages—Three-Quarter Time For This Month.

The committee appointed to fix the rate of wages for the mine employes of this region has reported as follows: The following collieries were drawn to fix the rate of wages:

Merrim colliery, P. & R. C. & L. Co.	\$2.17
Schuykill do do	2.23
Elmwood do do	2.24
Elmwood do do	2.28
Elmwood do do	2.52

The average of these prices is \$2.23, and the rate of wages to be paid for the last two weeks in November and the first two weeks of December, 1894, is nine (9) per cent. below \$2.50 basis.

The fiscal year of the Philadelphia & Reading Coal & Iron Company ended yesterday and all the collieries shut down last night after every available car load of coal had been hoisted from the mines and run through the breaker. The collieries will resume operations again on Tuesday, next, but only on three-quarter time.

Best violin strings, Holderman's.

Mrs. Bridgman, R. C. M., teaches violin (specialty) cello and piano. Corner of Jardin and Lloyd streets. 9-8-1f

Best violin strings, at Holderman's.

At the Theatre.

The attraction announced for Ferguson's theatre for Tuesday, December 4th, is an elaborate production of Goethe's masterpiece, a story which has appealed to the hearts of the public for years. Mr. George Learock, whose success as a leading man in Boston, New York and Philadelphia has been phenomenal, has written an entire new version of this poetic play, and will be seen in the character of Mephisto, in which he has no equal. An excellent supporting company has been secured, including Isabel Pitt Davis, whose Marguerite has been universally praised. Elaborate electrical effects are introduced, the company carrying all the necessary apparatus for the production.

For Sale To-day.

One car strictly old corn.
 One car fine middlings.
 One car baled straw.
 Ten tons chop.
 Our own make.
 Straight goods.
 No corn cobs or oat hulls in it.
 11-29-94

AT KEITER'S.

A Social Union.
 An organization to be known as the Hebrew Young Men's Association has been placed on foot in town with the following officers: E. F. Supowitz, president; L. Feinberg, vice president; Max Lewit, secretary; L. Rabinowitz, treasurer. The object of the association is social intercourse and literary advancement, and Goldin's hall has been hired for the meetings.

You are invited to McElhenry's to-night. Mock turtle soup free.

The Republican League.

The Shenandoah Republican League is progressing nicely and its neatly furnished rooms in the Refowich building are becoming a very popular rendezvous. At the regular meeting of the League next Thursday evening Mr. James R. Lewis will read a paper on silver. On the following Thursday evening Prof. William N. Ehrhart will give an address on banks, the business methods and the laws governing them.

Do not forget mock turtle soup free at McElhenry's to-night.

Committed for Assault.

Constable Jack Dando and special officer Langan Boyer this morning took down to the Pottsville jail three hard looking characters named John Dolezal, Mike Sanecki and Ambrose Sitko, charged with beating and knifing Thomas Kieras during a free fight on "the rocks" yesterday. The accused were unable to give bail and were committed by Justice Rynkiewicz.

Oysters!

If you want good oysters go to H. Mehl's, 195 East Centre street, next door to Devers' hat bar soap. The best selected oysters in the town. Private parlors for ladies. F. 13-14 sat

OUR COUNTY SEAT LETTER.

An Occasional Correspondent Writes on Different Topics.

WATER WORKS MOVEMENT.

It is Suggested That Before the Pottsville People Act They Should Await Results in Shenandoah.

SPECIAL HERALD CORRESPONDENCE.

POTTSVILLE, Nov. 30.—If I could get hold of the compositor who "set up" my last "copy," or the proof reader, or both, I would be tempted to wreak vengeance upon them, or either of them. Why they should substitute the word "birth" for "berth" as used in my "copy," I do not understand. I simply call attention to the mistake to set myself right. But it is human to err. The other day a writer referred to my friend W. F. Richardson as a Grand Army man, when in fact he is not one. He is, however, a National Guardsman. There is a difference between the two.

The people of this place are beginning to get hot over the water question and the water company is becoming anxious. The Journal seems to be making a record for itself as an advocate of the people's interests in all directions. First it took up and successfully handled the cheaper bread question, and now it is taking up cheaper water and at the same time doing noble service for the afflicted people of Mt. Carbon. The other dailies profess to sanction the Journal's course, but it does not strike me that they are enthusiastic over it. As for myself I am not an enthusiast on the water movement. I sometimes think there is a big job behind it. But aside from that, I would prefer seeing the Shenandoah water works given a trial before sanctioning a movement here. Ashland has public water works and I know the people of that place do not look upon the works as a mint or great money saver, and Mahanoy City voted down a public water works proposition, so I feel like awaiting results in Shenandoah before becoming enthusiastic over the water works project here. If the people of Shenandoah succeed in paying all running expenses, interest on the indebtedness incurred, part payment on the principal and give the people water at rates lower than those charged by the company now supplying that borough then I will be one of the first to say "Go ahead, Pottsville." But if the people of Shenandoah fail to do it, what advantage will be gained? At least, what encouragement will be held out to us to make the water works a public plant?

Judge Pershing's recent declarations concerning the maintenance of slot machines, pool and billiard tables and other gambling devices in saloons has been strongly commended. If Judge Pershing adheres to the declaration, and I have no reason to doubt that he will not, there will be a big reduction in the number of saloon licenses next spring, or some mighty thin klanned swearing before the court.

There is another thing to which the court should direct its attention and that is the practice of using saloon licenses as an adjunct to the real estate market. This could be stopped by giving more attention to the circumstances bearing upon the necessity for granting licenses to new stands.

The appointments to be made by the County Commissioners for next year is exciting considerable attention, inasmuch that a deal is said to have been made, with Major S. A. Losch as a shaping hand. Should the report that Clerk Phil. Connell is to go be fulfilled the county will lose a most excellent official.

Mr. Miller, manager of Dives, Pomeroy and Stewart's store, is a whole-souled gentleman. Many of our people would do well in following the examples he sets. His generosity was felt on Thanksgiving Day by the employees of the store and the inmates of the Children's Home.

Speculation as to who Sheriff-elect Scott will make his deputies is running high. It is believed in some circles that Mr. Scott had his slate made before the election and it will not be broken. Mr. Breckons will be the Sheriff's counsel and Messrs. McGinness, of Frackville, and Edward Roberts, of Shenandoah, are said to be fixed upon as deputies.

If Congressman Beilly has the influence with the government he has always claimed he will give us the much promised public buildings before he retires or forever hold his peace. All that is required is the appropriation and it can be secured with little hard work.

Capt. Jack Crawford, of New Mexico, better known as the "poet scout," shook hands here with many of his old comrades and friends this week. "Jack" enjoys the reputation of being the best known and most popular frontiersman of the country. He is meeting with great success on the lecture platform.

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.

D. T. Williams.

Holiday Announcement

We desire to call your attention to our most beautiful collection of novelties in gold and sterling silver, diamonds and other precious stones, clocks, bronzes, jewelry, silver table ware, etc., all bought of the best and most reliable houses in this country.

All goods carefully selected, unsurpassed beauty, most attractive, graceful and unique in appearance, with the newest ideas of a rich, exclusive character confined in Shenandoah entirely to this house.

Our stock is beyond doubt the best selected and most magnificent in this county. The celebrated B. & H. Banquet Lamps and gold finished Onyx Tables a specialty.

It will be to your interest to give us a call. Prices the lowest at

A. HOLDERMAN'S,
 Cor. Main and Lloyd Sts.

Jumping and Dancing Beans!

50c Each.

See Them at PORTY'S.

PERSONAL.

Dr. G. M. Hamilton went down to Pottsville this morning.

Justice C. W. Dengler transacted business at the county seat to-day.

Michael Lamb went to New York this morning on a business mission.

William Nelwander left town this morning for Ohio, where he will purchase a car load of horses for sale here.

Poor Director Day, of Palo Alto, and Steward Hartman, of the Schuykill Haven almshouse, were guests of Poor Director Dery in town yesterday.

Misses Todd and DeMerritt, of Plymouth, and Mr. Walker, of Shamokin, who were the guests of the Baird family the past few days, left for their homes yesterday.

Ex-School Director William H. Bachman, who was employed as coal inspector by the Lehigh Valley Coal Company for the past ten years, has resigned to enter the employ of the Grand Union Tea Company, of town.

Was Not a Suicide.

The report that George Brodbeck, of Tamaqua, had committed suicide was not correct. The coroner's jury found that his death was caused by accidental shooting.

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 Jardin St.