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From now hence you will find here Extraordinary Bargains, to clear the stock for spring goods.

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... Sleds.

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We Have Now

a full line of Men's, Women's and Children's slippers for the holidays. Prices from 35 cents up.

Remember that we carry a full line of the snag proof duck boots. Rubbers of all styles at the lowest prices.

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14 South Main Street, Shenandoah, Pa.

As Long as It Lasts!

You can buy a barrel of Choice Winter Wheat FULL ROLLER FLOUR at

\$3.00.

We guarantee every barrel to give entire satisfaction. Have sold several cars of it without a single complaint. It was bought before the advance in grain and freight rates, and is worth more money to-day. This is the lowest price ever known for flour of this grade. You run no risk in buying it at the price and may save money. We make a profit on it, and will sell you one barrel or one hundred barrels.

As Long as it Lasts.

Just Received.

Fresh ground "Old Time" Rye Flour.
Whole Wheat Graham Flour.
Fancy Pastry Flour.
Fishing Creek Buckwheat Flour.

We Offer To-day.

Two Cars Very Choice No. 1 Timothy Hay.
One Car Very Bright Clean Rye Straw.

TO ARRIVE in a few days:

Two Cars Choice White Oats.
One Car Yellow Corn.

At Keiter's.

STORIES OF THE STORM.

The Wind and Sleet Caused Considerable Trouble.

WORK FOR THE LINEMEN.

Telephone and Trolley Wires Get in Contact—The Street Arc Electric Lights Were Rendered Useless.

Yesterday's storm had the effect of almost paralyzing local business circles. Customers remained at home. The gales whistled ominously and the low temperature of the weather froze the rain and sleet as fast as it fell on the pavements and streets, making them dangerous to both traveling man and beast. The man of dignified bearing was obliged to assume many grotesque positions yesterday and last evening, especially when the dignified individual failed to provide himself with a pair of rubbers, or ice creepers.

Flops and drops were as numerous as fakers on circus day and many men who, on the 1st inst., resolved not to allow a profane word to pass through his vocal organs during 1895, involuntarily burst the bonds assunder with some vehemence. "How are you?" exclaimed a good-natured gentleman as he passed down Main street yesterday afternoon and raised his arm to tip his hat. But ere the echo died away his feet took a sprinting spell and the gentleman of genial disposition went down to the pavement like a shot, pistol pocket first. He seemed dazed for a moment, but soon recovered and looked around for the hat he had intended using in the courtesy. The tile rested in the gutter. After putting it on the proper place the unfortunate turned to a smiling idler and blurted out, "Yes, smile—you! Why don't you put ashes on the pavement?" The person addressed retorted, "It's no use. People like you come along and carry them away on their backs."

The storm played havoc with the electric light, telegraph and telephone wires. The light wires suffered the most and as a result the streets were not illuminated by the arc lights last night. The wires of all systems suffered during the day, but the commercial lamps were put in condition in time for use. The arc light system could not be remedied because the workmen would not undertake to climb the sleet and ice covered poles in the storm.

A telephone wire fell upon the Schuykill Traction Company's trolley wire at the corner of Main and Poplar streets and for several hours the residents of that vicinity were treated to spasmodic pyrotechnic displays. A tree at the same corner also became eccentric. The gales swept its branches back and forth in such a manner as to draw several telegraph and electric light wires together. The tree was cut down and only enough to be used as a hitching post is left.

The Pennsylvania Telephone Company had a corps of repairmen at work all of yesterday in different parts of the county trying to keep the telephone system in working order, but the efforts were not of much benefit. The town system was badly crippled by the wire getting in contact with the trolley wire at the corner of Main and Poplar streets. The telephone in the office of Hodson & Co., the brokers, was burned out by the current from the trolley.

The telegraph apparatus at the Pennsylvania depot also suffered to some extent by crossed wires, but the operators managed to keep a line clear for train signals.

You will miss a rare treat if you do not visit McElhenny's on Saturday night.

NEW NAME ADOPTED.

The Calvary Baptist Church to be Re-opened on Sunday.

The congregation of the English Baptist church, on South Jardin street, has adopted the name "Calvary Baptist Church" and will re-open its edifice for divine service next Sunday. There will be preaching service in the morning, at 10:30, and in the evening, at 6:30, by Rev. John T. Griffith, of Freeland, and in the afternoon, at 2 o'clock, Rev. D. I. Evans, pastor of the Welsh Baptist church of town, will preach. On Monday evening, next, at 7 o'clock, there will be public service at which Revs. T. A. T. Hanna, of Pottsville; John T. Griffith, of Freeland; D. I. Evans, of town; T. J. Edwards, of Girardville, and others will make addresses. Rev. W. H. Harrison, the pastor, cordially invites the public to attend all these services. The church has been repaired and altered at a cost of about \$2,500. It is much improved in appearance and the seating capacity is greatly enlarged.

Do not forget to visit McElhenny's on Saturday night.

The Rescue Fair.

The Rescue Hook and Ladder Company's fair will be open on Friday and Saturday evenings, January 11th and 12th. Come and patronize the firemen. 1-10-1f

Bargains in Footwear.

Call and see our variety in footwear. Great reduction in prices. A. F. Morgan's, 11 West Oak street. 12 15-1f

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

Pertinent Paragraphs From the Reporters' Pens and Pencils.

There is to be a "blow out" at McElhenny's cafe next Monday evening under the auspices of the Jeanesville Iron Works. Invitations have been sent to all the Councilmen and several other people of more or less distinction. The Council is to meet on that night to formally accept the pumps and other apparatus supplied by the company for the public water works station at Brandonville, and it is presumed the supper is to be given in honor of the satisfactory termination of the borough's dealings with the company.

The softness of some of the political snags at Harrisburg is to be remedied. The chief clerks of both houses have given notice that all employes must report for duty punctually and in person, or they will not be allowed to draw their pay. This will work a "hardship" to many of the employes who hold positions elsewhere and expected to "farm out" their places. It has been the custom for years among a certain class of politicians through the state to secure a position in the legislature as a pastor and folder or some other subordinate place which pays five or six dollars a day and hire somebody else to do the work for less than half the regular salary. In the last session three of the four assistant sergeants-at-arms formed a pool and engaged two local politicians to do their work for \$12 a week apiece and they pocketed the balance. The new order means that the slate committee of both bodies will have quite a number of places at their disposal within a short time, as there were several persons appointed to place at the organization who will never accept if they have to perform the work in person.

In his annual, just issued, E. P. Wilbur, president of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, shows that the average breaker time of all the collieries operated by the Lehigh Coal & Navigation Company for 1894 was less than 141 days as against about 153 days in 1893. Notwithstanding this very considerable falling off in the time worked over 300,000 more tons of coal were produced than in 1893. As a result of the improvements made during the past two or three years the combined daily capacity of these collieries has risen from 10,993 tons in 1893 to 18,892 tons in 1894.

An inventory of the personal estate of the late E. B. Lelsnering, of Manch Chunk, who died in Hamburg, Germany, on September 26th, last, shows that it amounts to \$1,983,964.33. Among the items of the inventory is one showing that the deceased owned 57 shares of stock of the First National Bank of this town.

Everybody invited to partake of lunch at McElhenny's Saturday night.

PERSONAL.

Col. D. P. Brown, of Lost Creek, was a town visitor to-day.

J. C. Bright, of Pottsville, paid a business visit to town this morning.

Dr. J. C. Biedle, of the Miners' Hospital at Fountain Springs, was a town visitor to-day.

Mr. Wayne, one of the commercial travelers of Mahanoy City, transacted business in town to-day.

Henry Hawley went to Wilkes-Barre this morning. He intends to locate there if he can secure employment.

Miss Nellie Finney, of Pottsville, who has been visiting friends in town the past several days, left for Ashland to-day.

Mrs. T. C. Waters, of Eureka, Montgomery county, who has been spending the past ten days visiting her old time neighbors here, will leave for her home to-morrow.

Elegant hot lunch at McElhenny's cafe Saturday night.

Remonstrances Filed.

A number of remonstrances against applications for old and new saloon and hotel licenses by residents of this town were filed at Pottsville to-day by S. G. M. Hoppeter, Esq., counsel for the Law and Order Society. The remonstrances against the applications for renewal of licenses set forth that liquor has been sold on Sunday and those against new applicants claim that the new places are not a necessity.

You will never find Brennan's cigars in dive saloons. They are for fine trade only—hotels, cafes and drug stores.

A Ghastly Companion.

Charles Ditzel, one of the miners imprisoned in the Richardson colliery, near Minersville, by a rush of pillars, was rescued alive after fifty-four hours' imprisonment beside the corpse of a fellow workman. The rescue was effected at 8 o'clock last night. He was almost dead when taken from the mine, but will recover. Ditzel's companion, named August Bruner, was covered with debris and died from suffocation.

Week of Prayer.

A week of prayer was opened in the Presbyterian church, corner of White and Oak streets, last evening. There will be preaching service every evening during the week except Saturday. The meetings will be opened at 7:30 each evening with a service of song lasting fifteen minutes. Everybody welcome. 1-7-1f

Mrs. Bridgeman, R. C. M., teaches violin (specialty) cello and piano. Corner of Jardin and Lloyd streets. 9-3-1f

BASE BALL IN COURT.

The Shenandoah Association Con-victs a Fence Jumper.

IT WAS MADE A TEST CASE

A Claim That a Game of Base Ball Played on Sunday is no Excuse For Trespass.

Yesterday was Shenandoah's day at the Pottsville criminal court and several cases were disposed of, resulting in five young polish fellows going to jail. One of the most interesting cases was that in which the Shenandoah Base Ball Association made a test as to its right to punish intruders at the Trotting park. During the last base ball season the management experienced great difficulty in preventing fence jumping at the games. Those who indulged in this practice set the management at defiance, feeling secure in the belief that fence jumping was done at Sunday base ball games. Stephen Bolinsky was one of the jumpers caught and his case was pushed to trial on charges of malicious mischief and assault and battery. The young man was convicted and sentenced to imprisonment for thirty days. The court held that it made no difference whether or not the base ball association had conducted an illegal business in having base ball played on Sunday, so far as the charge against the prisoner was concerned; that the association could not be deprived of that right to prosecute trespassers on its property, irrespective of the day on which the trespass was committed.

The Main street clothing and shoe cases also came up in court yesterday. Joe Picklosky, alias "Smitty," of Wm. Penn, and Peter Lutunis, of town, were placed on trial for robbing a clothing dummy, stealing shoes and gloves, and breaking out of the lockup. Each was sentenced to thirty days' imprisonment.

William Coslosky and Joseph Maholski were placed on trial for receiving some of the goods stolen by Picklosky and Lutunis and were each sentenced to imprisonment for twenty days.

J. W. Goff, who was the Tamaqua agent for C. J. Quinn, the Singer Sewing Machine agent of this town, was yesterday indicted by the grand jury for embezzling upwards of \$500 of the company's funds.

Smokers' articles, silver match boxes and fire cigar tubes at Brennan's cigar store. 12 21-1f

LOCAL POLITICS.

Candidates For School Board and Council Suggested.

EDITOR HERALD:—Allow me space in your valuable and much read paper to suggest two residents of the second ward as suitable men for election to the Borough Council. They are P. J. Ferguson and Elmer J. Wasley, two of the best known citizens of the town and whose interests in the welfare of the place are extensive. They could be relied upon to legislate only for the best interests of the people. Both are thorough business men. Mr. P. J. Ferguson is the largest property holder in the town and he could be relied upon to stop down all unnecessary expenses and cut leakages. Mr. Wasley is also extensively interested in town property and necessarily has the best interests of the town at heart. Republicans, Citizens and Democrats should cast aside party lines and start out handling the borough's affairs on business principles. It is time for the Councilmen to do something beside wrangling over appointments and waging warfare on their fellow citizens. C. R. E. Shenandoah, January 11th, 1895.

MR. DENDLER NAMED.

EDITOR HERALD:—I have been a reader and warm friend of your paper since its first publication, but this is the first time I have asked for communication space in it. I have noticed a tendency on the part of some men to seek election to the Borough Council and School Board for no other purpose than to secure positions for relatives or friends. They seem only anxious to arrange matters so that they can get a share of the profits from hauling and other work and give little heed to the real purpose for which men are elected to Council. I have in view a gentleman that would make a good Councilman. He would see that his colleagues attended to their duties and is a man who is thoroughly honest and conscientious, and with no ax to grind. I refer to C. W. Lengler, of the Second ward. HONESTY. Shenandoah, Jan. 11.

"Moss Back Songs, or Give us Some thing New," "That Little Knot of Blue" and "Kitty Adair" are the latest in sheet music at Brumm's jewelry store. 1-9-1f

Benefit Entertainment.

Scanlan & Durkin's Big Specialty Company will give an entertainment in Ferguson's theatre next Monday evening for the benefit of John Lawlor. This company has been greatly strengthened since last season and will introduce many new and novel specialties.

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, of 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 Lamp, and gold finished Onyx Table, a specialty.

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

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Have your guesses on the jar of shot at our store before 3 p. m. January 15th.

F. J. Portz & Son

21 North Main Street.

Brewers' Ball.

The first annual ball of the Beer Brewers' Association of Shenandoah will be held in Robbins' opera house on Monday, February 4th, 1895. John Widman, John M. Sautch and Jacob Joergler are the committee of arrangements.

Temporary Quarters.

Dr. J. C. Church has opened a temporary office at No. 115 South White street. Office hours, 7 to 9 a. m. and 1 to 3 p. m. 1w

Funeral.

The funeral of Mrs. George Gillilan took place to-day from her late residence, on West Raspberry alley. The attendants proceeded in sleighs to Minersville, where the remains were interred.

The Spring Elections

Will soon be here, but we are always with you with low prices in ladies' and gents' gold and silver watches, jewelry of all description. Silverware and clocks. AT STROUSE'S.

Meets To-night.

A regular meeting of the Board of Health will be held in the Council Chamber this evening.

Full Time During 1895

When you get your watch or clock repaired at Strouse's jewelry store. That is a guarantee that it will be all right. All work warranted. 1-9-1f

Fresh Eggs.

Don't use eggs six months old when you can buy good fresh ones.

We have lots of 'em.

Don't handle ice-house or pickled eggs at any time.

Graf's

122 North Jardin Street.