

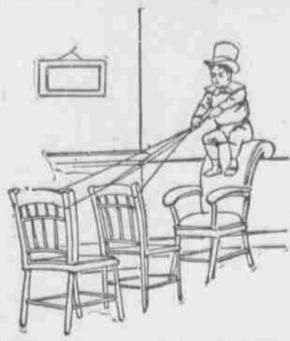
# EVENING HERALD.



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ONE CENT



## A Drive

In furniture that will make the thin pocket book smile all over with gladness. See what a small amount of money will accomplish just now:

Ladies' Rockers ..... \$1.00 up.  
Boudoirs ..... 1.00 up.  
Cupboards ..... 3.00 up.  
Extension Tables ..... 4.50 up.  
Cradles ..... 1.25 up.  
Chamber Suits, 8 pieces ..... 16.00 up.  
Parlor Suits, 5 pieces ..... 25.00 up.

Come and see and be convinced that this is the cheapest place in the state to buy your furniture.

**Williams & Son**  
No. 13 S. Main St.

## A Big Clothing Merchant

Of Shenandoah was in the city for three weeks purchasing spring stock. I bought great bargains in the finest styles. By chance I bought at Sheriff's sale for \$2,000 Clothing worth \$5,000.

## These Bargains Must be Sold

To make room for the 58 cases of SPRING CLOTHING which are to come. The clothing just received packs my store and there is no room left for more goods. I must and will sell these BARGAINS before the 17th of March, as my Spring stock comes in March. Come all, come everybody. Come early to get your bargains. This sale will just suit you for these hard times.

## No Offer Refused.

They must be sold at any price to make room for more goods. Don't miss the great bargains. Remember the place.

**Great Mammoth Clothing House,**  
L. GOLDIN, Prop 9 and 11 South Main Street.

## 800 Pairs

Nickle-plated

## Shears and Scissors.

Some Gold Mounted, Some Large Ones, Some Small Ones. Folding and Pocket Scissors. Any pair in the lot at the exceedingly low price of

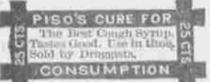
**25c**

Fully warranted as first-class. Not shop worn or second hand. Examine them at

## F. J. Portz & Son,

NO. 21 NORTH MAIN STREET, SHENANDOAH, PA.

We will give a sheet of Music FREE to any purchaser of goods from our store for the mere asking.



I presume we have used over one hundred bottles of PISO'S Cure for Consumption in my family, and I am continually advising others to get it. Undoubtedly it is the

## Best Cough Medicine

I ever used.—W. C. MILTENBERGER, Clarion, Pa., Dec. 29, 1894.—I sell PISO'S Cure for Consumption, and never have any complaints.—E. SHOREY, Postmaster, Shorey, Kansas, Dec. 21st, 1894.



## Fresh Butter

We received to-day a fine lot of Strictly Fresh Bradford County Dairy Butter, in addition to our regular supply of Gilt-edge Creamery, which we receive fresh from the creamery every other day.

**STRICTLY PURE LARD.**—We sell no compound or second quality Lard.

**New York State CHEESE.**—Full cream, rich and fine.

**BEST MINCEMEAT.**—We sell the best only; no second quality.

**FRESH ROASTED COFFEE.**—Fine O. G. Java. Also another lot of our Fancy Blended Coffee, at 30c.

**NEW NORWAY MACKEREL.**—White and fat.  
New Stock French Prunes, 3 lbs 25c. Extra size and quality, 2 lbs 25c.  
New Seedless Raisins, 5 lbs. 25c. New Muscatel Raisins, 5 lbs. 25c.  
LEMONS, 2 dozen for 25c. New Cleaned Currants, 3 lbs. 25c.

**CALIFORNIA and VALENCIA ORANGES.**—Not quite equal to Florida, but the best in the market, 25c a dozen.

**California WALNUTS.**—Very fine quality, 2 pounds for 25c.  
**NEW PICKLES.**—Natural color, large size, crisp, sound—3 doz. 25c  
**SWEET PICKLES** by the quart.

**Fresh Tea Biscuit,** salted, 3 lbs. 25c. **Fresh Ginger Snaps,** 4 lbs. 25c  
**Fresh Dandy Oyster Crackers,** 5 pounds for 25c.  
**New Fishing Creek Buckwheat Flour.** **Fresh Ground Rye Flour.**

**No Complaint—Everydy Satisfied—Our High-grade Family Flour** at \$3.00 per bbl. Bakes well, makes light, white and sweet bread.  
**SPECIAL BARGAINS.**—Standard Tomatoes, new Sugar Corn, Marrow-fat Peas and String Beans, 4 cans for 25c.  
**TABLE OIL CLOTH.**—1½ yds wide, best quality, new pattern, 2 yds. 25c

## At Keiter's.

## TO-NIGHT WILL TELL THE TALE

Councilmen Held a Lengthy Caucus Last Night.

## THE RESULT IS WITHHELD

Another Caucus for Finishing Touches to be Held Just Before the Organization Takes Place This Evening.

"To be, or not to be," is the question that still remains unsettled by the local Councilmanic standpoint of view. Whether this, that, or the other applicant for the appointment under the Borough Council to be organized tonight will handle the wealth, direct the street cleaning, or preserve the peace of the town under a blue uniform, etc., etc., still occasions a rub on the minds of the populace that breeds much speculation.

As was anticipated, the Citizens members of Council and members-elect failed to get together Saturday night for a caucus. This was not due to any hitch other than that occasioned by the pressure upon the Councilmen who have business places and found it impossible to leave them for politics on a pay day. But last night the eight Citizens members got together and they remained behind closed doors for four or five hours, making up a slate. It was almost one o'clock this morning when the caucus ended. When the Councilmen emerged from their seclusion they were as dumb as oysters. No amount of persuasion could induce them to give any definite information as to the proceedings of the caucus, but persistent inquiry elicited the information that the members have agreed upon an organization with the exception of one or two minor details, which will be adjusted at another caucus to be held before the meeting for organization this evening.

That the majority members have matters pretty well shaped there can be no doubt. They must feel that the appointments are well adjusted, or they would not allow a caucus to go until within half an hour of the time fixed for the organization. To night's caucus is to be held at 7 o'clock and the meeting for organization is fixed for 7:30.

The town was flooded with caucus reports to-day, but none were of such a character as to be considered authentic. But by taking fragments and putting them together with information possessed by those who have been close observers and listeners during the past week it is fair to presume that the slate that will go through to night will be satisfactory to the people at large.

As to the police force, it is difficult to make a prediction. It is really the force that is prolonging the uncertainty. Rumor has it that the postponement of the caucus was made to give the members time to consider, individually, which of the Polish, Lithuanian and German applicants should be appointed. It is hoped that a day's deliberation will make it easy to arrive at a decision at to-night's caucus.

## POLITICAL POINTS.

What the Local Politicians of Both Parties Are Doing.

Relly is out, and Brumm goes in. We may have an Orphans' Court yet. The next national loan ought to be left alone.

Two years more of Grover, then all will be over. Senator Coyle threatens to get square with Losch.

A new crop of political statesmen is about coming up. Senator Hill does not take kindly to Secretary Gresham.

Ex Governor Pattison has retired from politics and will practice law.

Good-bye, Cleveland's cookoo Congress. May we never see your like again!

We are anxious to know how the county Legislative districts are to be made up. "Brumm-Coyle and Whitehouse-Losch Vendette" is what the Democrats call it. Wyant, our Joe, is not very slow. For a new member he knows the ropes pretty well.

No danger of an extra session of Congress; Cleveland has had enough of the one just gone out of business.

Within a few short months the national debt has been increased \$200,000,000. This speaks volumes for the Democratic party.—to their detriment.

The Republican party was paying off the national debt by many millions each year; the Democrats are increasing the debt more rapidly than it was being reduced.

L.L., the dusky deposed Queen of Hawaii, and particular friend of President Cleveland, will likely be banished or imprisoned for a term of five years for participation in the late attempt to overthrow the new government.

## Important Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all parties who have left watches at my place for repairs that if they are not called for on or before March 30, 1895, they will be considered forfeited and sold at auction to the highest bidder. All work ordered of me will be executed at once. Yost, Jeweler, 102 North Main street. 2-26-april

## PERSONAL.

Solomon Swindt visited friends at Ashland last evening.

Miss Lulu Kester visited friends at Mahanoy City to day.

Benjamin Daddow visited friends at Lost Creek last evening.

George H. Krick and Leo Bamberg were in Girardville last evening.

Miss Emma Wasley has returned to her studies at Swarthmore College.

John Snyder and William Ecker spent last evening visiting friends at Mahanoy Plane.

D. J. Moyer, of Tamaqua, a former employe on the HERALD, was in town on Saturday.

Poor Director Derr and W. J. Brennan escorted each other on a trip to the county seat to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Owens and Jessie B. Davis, of Freehold, spent yesterday as guests of town friends.

Mrs. George Senger and son, Emerson, and Miss Annie Jeffrey spent Sunday with Mr. Carmel friends.

Thomas Snyder and family, of South Jardin street, have returned from a visit to relatives at Allentown.

Albert Arnold, editor of the Girardville Press and Times, spent a couple of hours in town yesterday afternoon.

L. J. Wilkinson, the popular South Main street dry goods dealer, transacted business at Mahanoy City to day.

Rev. William Powick will preach his farewell sermon in the Methodist Episcopal church next Sunday evening.

T. R. Beddall, J. R. Coyle, S. G. M. Hollinger and M. M. Burke, Esqs., transacted legal business at the county seat to-day.

Rev. A. M. Sampson, of Reading, preached an interesting sermon on "Salvation" at the Evangelical church last evening.

Miss Rae Steelman, who was the guest of the Wasley family, on South White street, has returned to her home at Clayton, N. J.

Rev. T. M. Morrison left town this morning for Avondale, Chester county, where he will spend several days as a guest of his parents.

Charles Sangars, William Schmidt, John Lehmer, P. J. Cardin and James Hilbert were the guests of lady friends at Girardville last evening.

## COUNCIL CHAT.

You will know all about it to-night. Our police force should be composed of the very best material.

The number of applicants for Council's favor is greater than for years past.

The streets will have to receive immediate attention from the new Supervisor.

With so much good material to select from the Councilmen should not make any mistakes.

Don't blame the Councilmen if you should get left. There are not enough offices to go 'round.

It is to be hoped there will not be so many brothers, cousins or other relatives provided for to-night. Give the other people a chance for a change.

There should be no delay in giving the public water works that attention it demands as soon after the reorganization as possible. If there has been any crookedness, let it be exposed.

Oysters and clams in all styles at No. 11 West Centre street. Milk supplied to families. 1-30-ft

M. J. BEGLEY, Prop.

## Three Wayward Boys.

Peter Lutwiz, George Schmidt and John McGuire, three boys under 16 years of age, were arrested last night by Police-men O'Hara and Dougherty, for breaking into the store of Joseph Monk, on Chestnut street. They broke into the place between 11 and 12 o'clock and only secured a box of cigars for their trouble. It is supposed they committed the burglary on West Coal street last week. The boys pleaded guilty in the Monk case before Justice Williams this morning and were committed to jail with the understanding that steps will be taken to have them sent to the House of Correction. The boys are in a depraved state.

When you want good roofing, plumbing, gas fitting, or general tin-smithing done call on E. F. Gallagher, 18 West Centre street. Dealer in stoves. 3-4-ft

## Business Improving.

Among the first of the local industries to feel a revival in trade is the New York Progress Company, the Bowers street manufacturers of hats and caps. Owing to a substantial trade the company has built up it was enabled to breast the hard times with much better success than many other companies in the same line of business, and now that a revival of business appears it meets with its proportion of the increase. The Progress Company deserves success. Its excellently manufactured goods has made it deserving.

## Base Ball.

William J. Brennan and James Smith will go to Allentown to-morrow to attend a meeting of the State Base Ball League, which has been called to prepare a schedule. Mr. Brennan has a number of players signed and President Hanlon is holding some in reserve for him. The Easton people are making overtures for the Shenandoah franchise, and if our people are not wide awake there may not be a State League base ball here next season. A sale of the franchise carries with it the players signed.

## REPORTERS' GLEANINGS.

Decisions Handed Down at Pottsville This Morning.

## "HERALD" CASE IS DECIDED

Judge Weidman Denies the Motion Made by the Borough for New Trial. Mahanoy Council Organized.

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.

POTTSVILLE, March 4.—The March term of court opened here this morning with a large attendance of litigants and their counsel, and Constables from all parts of the county with their February returns.

Among the number of decisions handed down by Judge Weidman was one in the case of Boyer against the Borough of Shenandoah, in which he refuses a new trial.

In the case of The Elwood Paper Company against Charles Radzewicz, of Shenandoah, the court set aside the proceedings had before Justice Benesman, at Yorkville.

The lawyers interested in the Shenandoah and Tamaqua Evangelical church cases were in attendance at the court this morning, expecting decisions, but none were handed down.

The case of Boyer against the borough of Shenandoah referred to in the above is the suit brought to recover for advertisements inserted in the EVENING HERALD and WEEKLY HERALD. Extensive publicity was given to the special election called to increase the borough debt for the purpose of constructing the public water works. After the election the HERALD presented the bills for the advertisements, amounting to about \$45, to the Borough Council, but payment was refused. After considerable delay, during which several efforts were made to bring about a compromise, the HERALD brought suit to recover the amount of the claim.

The case was tried before Judge Weidman, M. M. Burke, Esq., appearing for the plaintiff and J. H. Pomeroy, Esq., for the borough.

It was a case that called for considerable expert testimony as to the value of space in newspapers and a number of journalists were called to the witness stand to give evidence as to what they considered a fair price for the advertising.

Upon the conclusion of the trial the jury rendered a verdict in favor of the HERALD for the full amount. The counsel for the borough took exception, claiming, among other things, that the court had erred in allowing the files of the HERALD to be sent into the jury room, and principally on this point an application was made for a new trial. The judgment, interest and costs now amounts to almost \$100.

RE-ORGANIZATION OF THE BOROUGH COUNCIL EFFECTED THIS MORNING.

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.

MAHANOCY CITY, Mar. 4.—The Borough Council of this place was reorganized this morning. Six new members took their seats. The meeting was a very harmonious one. The following officers were elected: President, John W. Phillips; Treasurer, Patrick Burke; Solicitor, T. H. B. Lyon; Secretary, Eli S. Reinhold.

SOME GOOD POINTS.

The News Budget, on Saturday, in throwing out points of qualifications that should be considered by the Borough Council in making its annual appointment of officials, said: "The Secretary should also be a man who is well equipped with a first class business knowledge, a rapid writer and a good reader. One who can go before the meeting and have everything that comes to him during the interval between meetings ready and in shape so as to present it at the proper time. In the past we have had some secretaries who could never take down a resolution or a motion properly, and these are qualifications that are of great value at any time, and often might be the means of saving a litigation."

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

Heavy coal traffic.

Railroaders are making extra time.

Electricity may yet be used as power on steam roads.

The attempt to reduce sleeping car rates by law will fail.

Railroad companies are not making big money just now.

The steam roads lost heavily on passenger receipts, last year, by reason of the trolley system.

The use of mileage books to pay hotel and other bills will not be permitted by the railroad companies.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICE.

Annual missionary service was held in the Methodist Episcopal church yesterday afternoon. The three departments of the Sunday school assembled in the church for the service and a very interesting program was rendered. Several pupils of the class spoke on missionary work in foreign countries. A vocal solo by Miss Mary Powick and the singing by the infant department were highly appreciated. Dr. Matter and Rev. Powick made brief addresses.

Dabb has removed his gallery to Hoffman's old stand, West Centre street.

## Best and Finest

In the County.

18 kr. plain Wedding Rings,

Band and Fancy Rings, Dia-

monds, Sterling Silver and

Platedware, Jewelry, Clocks

and Optical Goods sold lower

than ever.

## HOLDERMAN'S

## Jewelry Store,

Cor. Main and Lloyd Sts.

Repairing done prompt and in faultless manner.

## IT DOESN'T PAY.

A Newspaper Scheme that Met With Deserved Failure.

An exchange says that about a year ago two would be smart men in Indiana leased an old printing plant and started a daily newspaper on a new and peculiar plan which they looked upon as a bonanza, but failed miserably. There is a law providing that, whether or not there be a subscription, if a person continues to receive a newspaper from carriers, or take it from the post office, he is responsible for the subscription price. These enterprising men depended on this law to a great extent for the success of their scheme. They distributed daily for a year over two thousand copies of their paper, making no collect as means. At the end of that period the subscribers, at \$2 each, aggregated \$6,000. Advertisements were inserted on the same plan. The people were amazed at the liberality of the publishers, but shortly after the year expired the collectors made their rounds and, of course, nine tenths of the involuntary patrons repudiated the claims. The rest paid, preferring to avoid annoyance, but declaring that they would never allow themselves to be caught in such a trap again. Suits were instituted on the balance of the claims and, of course, judgments were invariably recovered on the involuntary subscriptions, under the law quoted. On many of the advertising claims settlements were made to avoid the trouble attending law suits. The success of the scheme, however, was its death blow. The people had their eyes opened and the second year did not open as gloriously for the schemers. The result was that the publishers, finding their own creditors pushing them and there being no prospects for a second haul, became disgusted and disappeared. The moral is: When you want a newspaper subscribe and pay for it and do not take one under the impression that it is sent free of charge. It costs money to run a newspaper, and when you find publishers giving the papers and advertisements away be prepared to find a string attached to the generosity.

## Moving Sale.

Our entire stock of clothing and gents' furnishing goods, hats, etc., must be sold before April 1st, without reserve. Call early and secure bargains. This is your last chance.

LIGHTSTONE'S BARGAIN STORE, 8-10-12

110 North Main Street.

## Obituary.

Robert Turnbull died at his home on Glover's Hill, this morning, of pneumonia. The deceased was about 5 years of age and left a wife and two children. He was a prominent member of the Primitive Methodist church.

## Found

The old popular price of

...\$1.50...

a hundred for

Pride of Lehigh Flour.

Apply at

Graf's

122 North Jardin Street.