

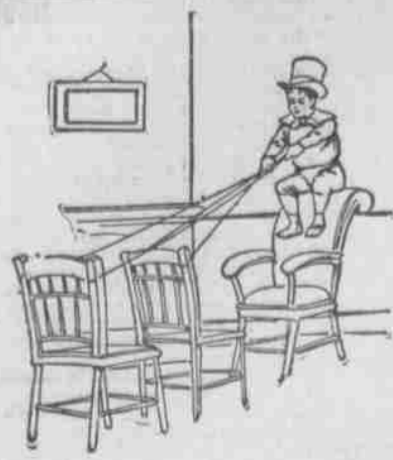
# EVENING HERALD.



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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.  
Bedsteads ..... 1.90 up.  
Cupboards ..... 3.90 up.  
Extension Tables ..... 4.50 up.  
Cradles ..... 1.25 up.  
Chamber Suits, 5 pieces ..... 16.00 up.  
Parlor Suits, 5 pieces ..... 35.00 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.

**Cherrington Bros. Fine Grocers**

122 North Main Street, Shenandoah.

Graham Crackers, 2 pounds for 25c.	Eagle Bitters, 3 pounds for 25c.
Butter Wafers, 2 " " "	Coffee Cakes, 4 " " "
Egg Biscuits, 2 " " "	Ginger Snaps, 4 " " "
Lycing Gems, 3 " " "	Vanilla Cakes, 4 " " "
Ben Tons, 3 " " "	Oyster Crackers, 5 " " "
Diamond Eastern, 3 " " "	Diamond Soda Biscuits, 5 " " "
Mixed, 3 " " "	Sweet Cakes, assorted, from 12 to 30 cents per pound.
Milk Lunches, 3 " " "	
Pretzellettes, 3 " " "	

## House-Cleaning Time....

Is now at hand and everybody is preparing to beautify their homes. Nothing changes the appearance of a room to greater advantage than pretty wall paper, handsome window shades, artistic room mouldings and curtain poles. Our line stands pre-eminently at the head of anything in this section of the county. We are sure we can please you in quality and price if you will but take the time to see and ascertain prices on these goods. Contracts taken and Satisfaction Guaranteed.

**F. J. Portz & Son,**

NO. 21 NORTH MAIN STREET, SHENANDOAH, PA.

## FLEURETTE :: SATTEENS.

These goods are equal to any French Satteen in the market; the colors and styles are perfect, and the price 10c per yard, is not quite half their real value; see our window display.

One bale heavy muslins, 3c per yard; one case 15c fast dye blue denim drilling, only 8c; ready made sheets, pillow-cases and ladies' muslin underwear at less than cost of material at

**L. J. Wilkinson, 29 South Main St.**

## CALIFORNIA ORANGES

Are scarcer and higher—We open to-day a fresh stock of fine, large, sweet, seedless California oranges at 35 cents a dozen—Prices will be higher on next lot.

**Fresh Lemons—2 dozen for 25c.**

Now receiving strictly Fresh Fancy Dairy Butter. Also as usual our Fine Creamery Butter every other day.

## For Sale To-day.

- ONE CAR Choice Dry Corn
- ONE CAR Fine Winter Wheat Middlings.
- ONE CAR Good Baled Straw.

## To - Arrive - in - a - Few - Days

Three Cars No. 1 Timothy Hay.

**At Keiter's.**

## BLAZE AT A COLLIERY

The Office of the Cambridge Colliery Destroyed by Fire Last Night.

### QUANTITY OF TOOLS LOST

THE FIRE WAS STARTED BY A MINE LAMP AND FOR A TIME THREATENED THE BREAKER.

Fortunately the Valuable Books of the Operators Had Been Previously Removed—The Loss About \$500—No Insurance.

Fire threatened the Cambridge colliery last night. It would have been a great loss to the operators, as the place only started yesterday morning after undergoing improvements at a cost of about \$2,000. Fortunately only the office of the colliery suffered from the fire.

The flames broke out at about twenty minutes after eight o'clock. There was considerable delay in spreading the alarm, as the electric alarm system was still out of order and the bell had to be tapped by the tolling rope in the borough building. The alarm for the Fourth ward was tapped and it puzzled the fire companies, as they didn't know what part of the ward to go to. D. R. James, the inside foreman of the colliery, was on Main street when the alarm sounded and hastened down to the colliery. The office building was in a blaze when he reached the scene and the flames had already commenced to crawl along the water trough which runs to the breaker, less than a hundred yards distant. Mr. James promptly broke a small water pipe running near the office and attached a small hose to it. With this stream and the assistance of Thomas O'Connell and some men who had gathered at the place the fire was extinguished, but not until the office was completely destroyed with all its contents.

The loss by the fire is estimated at between \$300 and \$400. There was no insurance. The office contained six chests of tools belonging to men employed at the colliery and a quantity of tools and mine supplies belonging to the operators. Fortunately all the important books of the colliery were not in the office, but had been taken to Superintendent McGinness' home in Frackville. The only book of any real value lost was one containing the time of a few men who worked on the repairs during this month and that data can be readily supplied.

The fire is supposed to have originated from a mine lamp. The watchman hung the lamp in the office and walked to the boiler house. He had hardly reached the latter place when the flames broke out from the office.

### Mere Mention.

Mud piles everywhere. Many citizens worked out their taxes yesterday.

The fire alarm may follow the fate of the stone crusher.

People continue to throw slops, etc., into the street gutters.

The Supervisor's pay roll will show a large increase this month.

Too much paper on the streets, a nuisance that should be abated.

### Up to Date.

Now Representative Shrinck feels insulted.

The worst of our county insane have been sent to the Harrisburg institution.

The National Guard will hold their annual encampment this year after all.

Yesterday was the last day in which to make income tax returns. Now comes the fine.

Senator Coyle and Congressman Brumm are interested in an electric railway project in Locoming county.

### A New Pastor.

The St. Paul's English Lutheran church pulpit was supplied the past two Sundays by Rev. C. W. Sechrist, of Buckhorn, Pa. After the service last Sunday evening Rev. Sechrist was unanimously elected and a call will be given him at an early date to become pastor of the church. By the present arrangements there will hereafter be regular preaching services in the church every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 6:30 p. m.

### Sudden Death.

Miss Gwendie Jenkins, 18 years of age, died suddenly at her home in Turkey Run this morning. Heart disease was the cause of death. She was the daughter of William D. Jenkins. Her mother died a few years ago. The funeral will take place at 2 p. m. on Friday.

### Another Horse Sale.

William Neiswenter is making arrangements to make another trip West for the purpose of securing another car load of horses for a sale on the 30th inst. Mr. Neiswenter has made a success of the horse dealing business and his sales always attract large attendances.

### Postponement.

The ball for the benefit of Mr. Austin Gaughan has been postponed until Monday evening, 22nd inst.

### PERSONAL.

Paul Henck left for Philadelphia last evening.

Brooke Hoover, of Tamaqua, was a guest of town friends yesterday.

Charles L. Shaw, of Pittston, was a guest of town friends last evening.

John J. Rohland and Daniel Riegel spent this afternoon at Mahanoy City.

T. G. Mayberry has leased one of the new Titman houses on West Oak street.

Mrs. W. N. Ehrhart and her niece, Miss Katie Jones, visited friends at the county seat today.

Mrs. G. W. Hyde, the milliner, is seriously ill at her apartments in the Ferguson House.

Edward O'Donnell has changed his residence from East Lloyd street to Garfield avenue.

Mrs. Miners and her daughter, Edith, of East Coal street, went to Mt. Carmel this morning to visit friends.

L. G. Bullard, of Pottsville, agent for The Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company, transacted business in town yesterday.

Harry L. Roxby has tendered his resignation as driver for the United States Express Company, to take effect on the first of May, when he will join his parents at Livonia, N. Y.

Miss Bella Gillilan, who has been suffering from a severe attack of pneumonia, is now improved. Although the young lady is still very sick the chances for recovery are good.

Strouse for stiek pins.

Church Officers Elected.

At a congregational meeting in All Saints' Protestant Episcopal church last evening the following officers were elected for the 1895-6 term: William A. Davis, senior warden; John Guldin, junior warden; Dr. C. M. Bordner, Charles Haskins, George Knott, Philip D. Holman, A. R. Broome, T. A. Timmins, Richard Horrell and James Morgan vestrymen. A meeting will be held in the church on Friday evening, 19th inst., for the purpose of organization. The officers enter upon their duties with a bright prospect of a prosperous year before them.

Strouse for watch repairing.

Last Night's Show.

The production of "The Telegram" at Ferguson's theatre last night was by no means a pleasing entertainment. The only redeeming features were the singing and dancing of Jessie Mae Hall and the acrobatic tramp act of O. W. Hall. The latter gives an excellent specialty. The play is a flimsy one and with the exceptions named the company is very poor.

See Ferguson.

Prof. W. Cameron Ferguson, of New York, and formerly of London, Eng., will give a profitable, entertaining and instructive evening at Robbins' opera house on Wednesday night amidst the wonders and mysteries of mesmerism. A special feature will be the presentation of the therapeutic or medical aspect of hypnotism.

Died.

JENKINS.—On the 16th inst., at Turkey Run, Gwendie Jenkins, daughter of William D. Jenkins, aged 18 years. Funeral will take place on Friday, 19th inst., at 2 p. m., from the family residence at Turkey Run. Interment in the Odd Fellows' cemetery, Shenandoah, Pa. Friends and relatives respectfully invited to attend.

Authorized to Mortgage.

Mrs. Kate Pierce, guardian of the six minor children of Henry Pierce, late of Shenandoah, deceased, was yesterday authorized by the court at Pottsville to mortgage the property in the sum of \$600 for a period of two years.

Church Sociable.

A social will be held by the members of the Presbyterian congregation tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Garner, 13 South Jardin street. The object is to raise funds for the benefit of the church and the public is cordially invited to attend.

New Newspaper Dealer.

Joseph Schloss has purchased the Sunday newspaper route lately controlled by R. D. Hagenbuch and will make the deliveries next Sunday. The papers will be on sale at Hagenbuch's drug store as usual.

S. of A. Convention.

The convention of the Commandery General, Sons of America, to be held here next Tuesday, will be held in Dougherty's hall instead of Egan's hall, the change having been made on account of the former place being the largest.

Watson House Free Lunch.

An elegant free lunch will be served tonight, consisting of fresh sausage, sour potato salad and mayonnaise dressing. Tomorrow morning fried calf's liver and stewed onions will be served.

The Smith Family.

Grand entertainments for the benefit of the W. C. T. U., Ferguson's theatre, April 20, 1895. Return of the famous Smith family.

Strouse for broaches.

Real Estate Sale.

The property next to the electric light station on East Lloyd street belonging to the Rober Estate has been purchased by Dr. J. S. Kistler for \$4,400.

## THE NEWS GLEANINGS

Operations at West Shenandoah Colliery Not to be Resumed This Week.

### LICENSE QUESTION SETTLED

THE COURT DECIDES THAT A LICENSE HELD BY A BREWERY AGENT BELONGS TO THE COMPANY.

An Important Point Raised in the Injunction Suit of the Schuylkill Traction Company Against the Gilberton Borough.

The Retig Brewing Company's agency license, of which mention was made in these columns last week, was before the court at Pottsville again yesterday. P. J. Burke, of town, held the license and Joseph Yantus applied for a transfer of it. John E. Whalen, Esq., Burke's attorney, made strenuous efforts to have the license retained by Burke, but the court decided to make the transfer to Yantus.

The contention made in behalf of Burke was that he had paid for the license and that it was granted as his own, not as the brewing company's license, but the court held it was granted to the company for use by their agent. This same controversy has frequently come up in court of late years, notably the Feeley license case in the Fourth ward, where the Otto Eyring Brewing Company, of Reading, claimed the license, but in this case Feeley succeeded in holding the license. The court has evidently determined to allow no wholesale licenses to grow out of a brewer's agency license.

Strouse for diamonds.

AN IMPORTANT POINT.

A Brain Tickler Raised in the Schuylkill Traction Company's Suit.

The injunction suit of the Schuylkill Traction Company against the Borough of Gilberton, in which the company seeks to restrain the borough from interfering with the operation of the company's line and the laying of that part of the track which caused the riot, was up before the Pottsville court again yesterday on a new issue raised by P. M. Dunn, Esq., the counsel for the borough, who made application to amend the answer to the company's suit in order to set forth that the Mahanoy City, Shenandoah, Girardville and Ashland Street Railway Company did not have the power to transfer its rights to the Schuylkill Traction Company, so far as such rights applied to the borough of Gilberton, that that borough never consented to such a transfer. The point is a very important one and if the court sustains it the situation of the Traction Company, so far as its relations with the borough of Gilberton are concerned, will be very peculiar, or rather, the borough will be in a position to assert that the company never had and now has no right to operate the railway in the borough and that the only company having that right is the one from which the Traction Company claims to have received the transfer. William A. Marr, Esq., the counsel for the Traction Company, says he believes the point has been raised too late.

The gist of the point is that at the time the M. C. S. G. & A. R. R. Co. secured its right of way the word "assigns" was omitted from the ordinance, and as the right was not given to the company and its assigns it could not transfer the right of way. The same omission occurred in the drafting of the Shenandoah ordinance, but the Borough Council subsequently adopted an amendatory ordinance supplying the word "assigns."

Strouse for clocks.

Special "Penny" Rates.

For the laying of the corner-stone of the parochial school at Pottsville on Sunday, April 21, 1895, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Pottsville and return (good only on day of issue) at single fare for the round trip.

J. H. MARTIN, Agent.

Buy your wall paper and room mouldings at John L. Hassler's. 4 11-2m

At the Theatre.

One of the principal features of "A Jolly Lot" is the famous Vongare family, a European novelty and their first appearance in this country. They present their laughable "La Danse De Vermoise, or dance of the shadows." Nothing like it ever seen here before. They are worth going miles to see. At Ferguson's theatre on Monday evening, April 23d.

All watches repaired by Strouse guaranteed for one year.

A Success.

The ball held in Robbins' opera house last night for the benefit of Widow James Donovan, whose husband was killed at the Shenandoah City colliery, was a splendid success and a nice sum of money was netted for the beneficiary.

Strouse is the leading jeweler.

## Best and Finest

In the County.

18 kr. plain Wedding Rings, Band and Fancy Rings, Diamonds, 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.

### BREAD ON THE WATERS.

Another of "Jack" McCarty's Rel(c)able Yarns.

The following dispatch appeared in yesterday's Philadelphia Press, dated from Hazleton, which is about as truthful as many other stories emanating from that section:

The fortune fever which is infecting the central part of this state, promising millions in foreign estates to many residents of Shamokin, Mt. Carmel, Reading and other towns, has finally reached Girardville. The Kehoe family, of Ogden street, will have turned over to them in a short time a fortune amounting to \$250,000 or \$300,000, partly in cash and partly in California gold claims.

About twenty-five years ago Mrs. O'Donnell, the grandmother of Mrs. John Kehoe, kept a boarding house at Tamaqua, and one day there came to her a stranger, a young man in poor circumstances, who gave his name as James Gallagher. He told her that he had been out of work for some time, and asked to be permitted to stay at her place until he found something to do. Mrs. O'Donnell agreed to shelter him. After a few days' fruitless search for employment he was stricken with typhoid pneumonia, and it was only after weeks of careful nursing that he fully recovered. A short time later he decided to go to New York, and on leaving told Mrs. O'Donnell that if ever it came within his power to do so he would repay her for her kindness.

It was not until about a week ago that the whole matter was vividly recalled by a letter which the old lady, now residing with her grandchildren, received from a lawyer of Tamaqua. The lawyer stated that a California attorney was making a search for a Mrs. Manns O'Donnell, who, about twenty-five years ago, resided at Tamaqua, to whom one James Gallagher had willed cash and property, amounting to about \$150,000 which, with interest, is now awaiting the heir. The lawyer stated that he had ascertained that Mrs. O'Donnell was the only lady of that name who resided in Tamaqua during the last fifty years.

Strouse has a fine line of society emblems.

The Lehigh Presbytery.

This evening the Lehigh Presbytery will convene at Mauch Chunk and its sessions will probably last until Thursday evening. Rev. T. M. Morrison and Mr. B. A. Glover will represent the First Presbyterian church of town. Rev. Morrison left town for Mauch Chunk this afternoon.

Valuable Property for Sale.

A good three-story brick house, store-room and dwelling. Best location. Next door to First National Bank. Apply to No. 30 Oak street, Mt. Carmel, Pa. 1m

Don't Spoil

Your Sunday morning breakfast but come and get one of our SWEDISH BLOATER MACKEREL and be happy.

We have a few barrels of finest pound apples.

**Graf's**

122 North Jardin Street.