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Nothing changes the appearance of a room to greater advantage than pretty wall paper, handsome window shades, artistic room moulding 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.

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WILKINSON'S Bargains Like These This Week

Lace curtains at 69c 89c and 98c per pair, worth double. White bed spreads at 59c 87c 98c and upwards. Extra values in linen towels, 25c per pair or \$1.25 per dozen. Regular 40c cream table linens now 22c per yard. Chenille table covers 39c, formerly \$1.00; better at 50c, worth \$1.25. Large chenille covers 79c, reduced from \$1.50. Ladies' ribbed vests, 4 for 25 cents.

Choice pickings on the remnant table. Ends of canton outing, prints, blue drillings, muslins, etc., at money saving prices; two thousand yards linen percale, wide and heavy, regular 12c kind for only 6 cents.

L. J. Wilkinson, 29 S. Main St.

New Carpets.

This week we offer a new line of choice patterns of Axminster and Moquette Carpets. A full stock of Velvet, Tapestry and Body Brussels. Also another lot of new Ingrains at 35 cents, exactly the same quality as we have been selling at 50 cents. Ingrain at 25 cents, reduced from 40 cents—All Wool Ingrains Extra Quality—A large stock of Rag Carpets, all prices and styles. New Moquette Rugs at low prices. Linoleums at reduced prices.

Specials in Canned Goods.

We received today another lot of Fancy Northern Sugar Corn, 4 for 25 cents. The best we have had at the price. Also another lot of Fancy Cold Packed Tomatoes, 4 for 25 cents. Fine Table Peaches, 2 cans 25 cents. California Pears, 2 for 25 cents. Alaska Salmon, 10 cents a can.

Today--A lot of Strictly Fresh-made Fancy Dairy Butter.

TO ARRIVE

Three cars No. 1 Timothy Hay.
Two cars Choice White Oats.
One car Heavy Winter Wheat Middlings.
One car Yellow Corn.

At Keiter's.

HIGH SCHOOL CLASS!

Commencement Exercises of '95 Held Last Night.

THE THEATRE WAS CROWDED

A Lengthy Program Was Rendered in a Manner Very Creditable to the Graduates and the Instructors.

The seventeenth annual commencement of the Shenandoah High school was held in Ferguson's theatre last night. The attendance of friends and relatives of the graduates was very large, the full capacity of the theatre being taxed. The stage presented an excellent appearance. At the back and centre of the stage there was a large mound of beautiful flowers flanked by lovely plants. The boxes at each side of the stage were decorated with excellent specimens of the crayon work that is done in the High school's senior class. The boxes were occupied by school teachers. Seats formed in a large semi-circle on the stage were occupied by the graduates, and members of the School Board occupied seats on the left of the stage. Superintendent Whitaker was seated at the right of the stage and directed the exercises. Principal Cooper occupied a seat near him.

The exercises were of a very interesting character and each graduate retired amid hearty applause accorded by the spectators. The efforts were very creditable and showed the results of the excellent training the High school affords. All the literary selections were gems and the attentive audience must have gleaned from them thoughts that will be cherished while memory lasts. A discussion on an up-to-date theme, gold and silver, was one of the features of the program and it was very intelligently handled by both sides. The program:

Chorus, "Greeting Song," class; salutatory oration, "Greetings," Cornelius B. Campbell; essay, "Sunbeams of Education," Miss Lillian M. Llewellyn; essay, "Victories of peace," Miss Katie C. Dougherty; double quartette, "Softly Treading," Messrs. Burke, Folmer, Leckie and Llewellyn, Messrs. Campbell, Conry, Devitt and Seltzer; oration, "Fortune favors the brave," Albert D. Beck; essay, "Hidden Pearls," Miss Emma A. Gunter; High school quartette, "The vacant chair," Messrs. Conry, Campbell, Devitt and Keogh; oration, "Preface of the twentieth century," Tobias Hochleruer; essay, "The dignity of labor," Miss Mary E. Mulhearn; chorus, "The harvest moon," class; essay, "The distance lends enchantment," Miss Agnes F. Leckie; oration, "Talents, the nations' stars," Harry P. Gable; essay, "Through Difficulties to Grandeur," Miss Mary E. Burke; vocal solo, "Anchored," Frank J. Conry; essay, "Living torches," Miss Mary D. Griffiths; class recitation, "Flying Jim's last leap," Miss Annie F. Flaherty; High school quartette, medley, Messrs. Conry, Campbell, Devitt and Keogh; oration, "Principles, not men," Allen L. Seltzer; essay, "A smooth sea never makes a skillful mariner," Miss Gertrude C. Muir; chorus, "In the silvery moonlight rowing," class; essay, "Silent forces," Miss Maggie L. Shane; discussion, "Gold vs. Silver," Messrs. Devitt and O'Hearn; double quartette, "On in the silly night," Messrs. Burke, Folmer, Leckie and Llewellyn, Messrs. Campbell, Conry, Devitt, Seltzer; essay, "Education and life," Miss Annie A. Fox; class history, Miss Carrie V. Folmer; High school quartette, "The jolliest boys alive," Messrs. Conry, Campbell, Devitt, Keogh; essay, "The arch of success," Miss Lizzie F. North; valedictory oration, "Euse quam videri," James D. Creary.

The program was not so long as that of the preceding evening, yet the hour of closing was late and the formality of having members of the School Board make remarks at the close of the exercises was dispensed with. Mr. Daniel Ogden, the handsome president of the board, presented the diplomas to the graduates with admirable grace and dignity and the exercises closed with a chorus "Parting Song" by the class. As a whole the commencement compared very favorably with the successful efforts of past years and the graduates and those to whom they are indebted for their tuition and training can recall the event with pride.

The High school quartette is deserving of special mention. The singing was of an excellent order and the audience was so much delighted with it that the second selection was accorded an encore and the third was given two.

The best and most reliable plumbing in town is done by P. W. Bell, the plumber, corner of Main and Centre streets. Satisfaction guaranteed. 6-4-ts

Reckless Blasting.
While the men were engaged in blasting rock at the Heisenberger and Carl properties on East Centre street, yesterday, debris was hurled in all directions and one large piece of rock crashed through the roof of Councilman McElhenny's hostelry. Fortunately today was injured.

Try Scheider's Homemade Bread and Cakes. 23 East Coal street. 4-17-1m

Babies made happy with Luks' Syrup.

PERSONAL.

John Pratt, formerly of town and now of Philadelphia, is spending a few days in town with relatives. On July 3rd he intends to start on a European trip.

William Grant spent yesterday at the county seat.

John Peeler spent today visiting friends at St. Clair and Pottsville.

Miss May Cather is visiting friends in New York.

Miss Agnes Stein this morning left for Philadelphia, where she will spend a few days as a guest of friends.

Burge C. Waldman, of Pottsville, a brother of Judge Waldman, was a town visitor yesterday.

Dr. C. S. Phillips this afternoon left for Philadelphia to visit the Alma Mater at the Medical-Chirurgical College at one of his patients with him.

Isadore Lavortine has one of his hands tied up in bandages. It was painfully burned by steam.

Benedict Kutz, of the Long Island Brewery, Brooklyn, N. Y., and his family are guests of Fritz Ackerly, the head brewer for the Columbia Brewing Company. Mr. Kutz stands high as a brewer and was formerly in the employ of the Brewer & Hoffman Brewing Company, of Chicago.

The only baby medicine—Luks' Syrup.

Sillman Beach.

Samuel Sillman, one of the types on the HERALD, and Miss Mame Beach, daughter of Dr. W. T. Beach, of Minersville, were married at that place this morning by Rev. W. C. Davies, pastor of the Minersville Congregational church. The ceremony was private and only a few of the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting couple were in attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Sillman at once started upon their bridal tour. They will visit Philadelphia, Atlantic City and Scranton, returning to Minersville in about ten days. Mr. Sillman is employed at the Pottsville office of the HERALD.

Table Board
Table boarders can be accommodated at Max Reese's, 30 1/2 East Centre street.

The Butchers and Bakers.

The butchers and bakers tried conclusions on the diamond at the Trotting park and the latter won by a score of 15 to 9. The batteries were Burkhardt and Davis for the bakers and New, Foltz and Hoehler for the butchers. Burkhardt performed phenomenal work and struck out twenty men. Third baseman Brennan, of the butchers, split a finger and was forced to retire from the game. Joe Peters was the umpire and was complimented by both teams for his work.

Pure blood is the secret of health. Burlock Blood Bitters insures pure blood.

Founded the Pastor.

A number of ladies entered the rear of the English Lutheran parsonage on West Lloyd street last night and presented the pastor, Rev. C. W. Sechrist, and his wife with a number of 5-pound packages containing necessities of life of many kinds and supplemented them with a gift of money. A number of ladies from other churches were in the party. The pastor and his wife were very agreeably surprised and gratefully expressed their appreciation.

Relief in Six Hours.

Distressing kidney and bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "New Great South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by Isaac Shapira, druggist, 107 S. Main street.

Mr Schmidt's Purchase.

Christ Schmidt, the enterprising and successful local agent for the Lauer Brewing Company, has just purchased four fine sorrel horses and has had two of his wagons repainted. The purchase was made necessary by increased business, and Mr. Schmidt now has three teams on the road. Lauer's beer is evidently maintaining its great popularity.

Society House.

Clam chowder tonight.
Deviled crabs.
Lobster salad.
Little neck clams.
Hard shell crabs.
Spring chicken.
Frogs.
Salt oysters.

Columbia Beer Does It.

Mr. Hutchison, of the Ferguson House, says that the business of his house has increased wonderfully since he has kept Columbia beer on tap. His register shows three and four pages of arrivals a day, which speaks well for the Columbia beer and the Ferguson House.

Lost Dog.

M. E. Doyle, of the Sunday News, this morning placed a valuable hunting dog in charge of B. J. Yost for delivery at Pottsville. When that place was reached the dog ran away and Mr. Yost spent the most of the day in a fruitless hunt for it.

Watson House.

An extra fine lunch will be served free to the patrons of the Watson House tonight. Everybody invited. There will be plenty for all.

APPEAL TO COUNCIL!

Something Should be Done to Enforce Ordinances.

THE DOG QUESTION REVIVED

Letter From a Citizen Showing the Danger of Having Dogs Go Unmuzzled and Cattle Running the Streets.

The ravages of a mad dog at Mahanoy City one day this week has again stirred up the people of this town on the question of muzzling dogs. During the past two days the HERALD has been repeatedly requested to ask the Borough Council why the ordinances are not enforced. Among the requests in writing is the following letter received yesterday:

ED. HERALD: Will you kindly grant me space in your paper, which advocates the public welfare, to ask why it is that our Borough Council and other executive officers of the borough are so careless in enforcing the borough ordinances as to the muzzling of dogs during the summer. A mad dog scare was created a few days ago in Mahanoy City and several people and animals bitten with what dangerous results remains to be recorded. In our own town several have been bitten whilst traveling the streets and today a mad cow is said to have died on West Coal street, in the borough limits. The people are appealing to the Board of Health to prevent the visitation of hydrophobia when it is well known that a member of the board made an earnest appeal to Council three months ago to have the dogs kept off the streets, and yet nothing has been done. Is it not a shame to have our town overrun with dogs, hogs and other animals?

PRO BONO PUBLICO.

Shenandoah, June 21.

The HERALD has repeatedly stated, and the statement remains good today, that the ordinances of the borough are not enforced because the officials upon whom the duty falls seem wholly indifferent and the Borough Council does not seem inclined to enforce the ordinances which provide a means for compelling the officials to do their duty, or pay for their neglect.

A member of the Board of Health did urge Council to rid the town of worthless curs and have muzzled those having owners; and on the same night the Council gave the High Constable pre-emptory instructions to enforce the ordinance against unmuzzled dogs and stray swine and cattle. The High Constable has not taken a step to obey the instructions. He stated at the time that he had no pound in which to place the animals roaming at large, but said he would ask Council to provide a place. This he has failed to do. He claims to be too old to act as dog catcher and cannot pay men out of his own pocket to do the work, but fails to go before Council and ask that provision be made, and allows the ordinances to remain practically dead.

The High Constable is a quiet, inoffensive old gentleman, who has made many friends while in office, but if he does not give more attention to his duty than he has the past few months he will get over-head and cars in disrepute. He gets a salary of \$35 and, as far as returns go, does nothing for the money. This will not suit any community, especially when the salary is drawn regularly every month and the official ignores the appeals of the people for action in an emergency. It is hoped the communication of "Pro Bono Publico" will be recognized by the Borough Council.

Lemon polishes russet shoes.

Be Your Own Friend.
Go to Max Levit's Up-to-Date Hat and Gents' Furnishing store, 15 East Centre street, Timman's new building, and buy the best of goods as cheap as the cheapest. Special sale of hats today. Watch for it. 6-26-3t

Business Men's Attention!

The business men of town are respectfully invited to turn out with their wagons and take part in the Carnival on July 5th. Parade will commence at 10 o'clock. By order of CARNIVAL COM. OF COL. H. & S. E. E. Co. 6-26-1v

"Y" Program.

The following program will be rendered at a meeting of the "Y" to be held this evening: Singing; prayer, Miss Cline; scripture reading, Mr. Bashore; singing, "Jokes," Mr. Ehrhart; reading, Mr. Roxby; "News of a week," Mr. J. Lawson; singing; "What I saw of interest (during my recent trip)," Miss Brown; oration, Mr. Shapbell; closing hymn. Prayer meeting in "Y" room at 8:30 Sunday afternoon. All are invited.

When you want good roofing, plumbing, gas fitting, or general tin-smithing done call on E. F. Gallagher, 15 West Centre street. Dealer in stoves. 3-4-1f

Lough Valley Railroad.

Accompany the personally conducted excursion to Quebec and St. Anne de Beaupre June 26th. A rare opportunity to enjoy a delightful trip at small cost. Stop over allowed at Niagara Falls, Toronto and Montreal within time limit (July 2d) of tickets \$15.00 for the round trip from all stations. Special train with Pullman sleeper accommodations. 6-21-4t

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With tucking or embroidery this week to sales prices 25 cents.

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The P. W. Corset is glove fitting. Heminway's Silks are the only genuine to use.

Max Schmidt.

Sunday Specials.

Rev. C. W. Sechrist, pastor of the English Lutheran church, will preach in the English Lutheran church, North Jardin street, at 6:30 tomorrow evening on the subject of "God's Insurance Company," suggested by the recent fire in Shenandoah. The public invited.

The United Evangelical Congregation will hold services in Dougherty's hall, corner Centre and Jardin streets, at 10 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. tomorrow. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. R. M. Lichtenwalner. Sunday school at 1:30 p. m.

Rev. W. Haines Kindt will preach in the church of the Evangelical Association, corner of Cherry and West streets, at 6:30 p. m. tomorrow. All are invited.

Services will be held in All Saint's Protestant Episcopal church at 10:30 tomorrow morning. Preaching by Rev. Vanfossen, by direction of Bishop Eulison. Calvary Baptist church, South Jardin street. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. by Rev. E. K. Thomas, of Scranton. Sunday school at 2 o'clock. R. Y. P. U. Tuesday evening, at 7:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, at 7:30. Everybody welcome.

Ellis, Not Lewis.

It was Ellis, and not Lewis Hopkins, who had the encounter with Photographer Dabb about the display of crayon photograph. Mr. Dabb says the engraving was ordered a year ago and never called for, and for that reason was used to display work.

Mr. Derr's Nephew.

George Derr, the child that died yesterday, was a nephew of Poor Director Wm. Derr.

Advertised Letters.

Letters addressed to the following named people remain at the post office: Freak Shultz, Felix Mackina. Ask for advertised letters.

M. MELLER, P. M.

Have your carpets, feathers and mattresses cleaned by the Steam Renovating Co., 32 East Coal street. 4-17-3m

A Warning.

A report comes from Pottsville that Sands & Astley's circus has with it a number of shell game men and other fakirs who ply their trade in the menagerie tent. If such is the case we warn the proprietors to set aside the fakirs for the Shenandoah engagement, as the people here become desperate when they are victimized and the circus may fare badly.

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