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Best qualities of OIL CLOTHS from 22 to 85 cents per yard. All the latest patterns.

Mason's preserving jars at 80 cents a dozen.

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## READY MADE SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES.

Our sheets are all 2 1/2 yards long, with 2 in. hem at the top; prices 50c. to 75c. each. Well-made pillow and bolster cases for 8, 10, 12 1/2, 15, 18 and 25c. each. Men's fine white shirts, first-class in every way, only 35c. each—better than 50c. kind of other stores; Ladies' ribbed vests, all sizes, 7c. each, or 4 for 25c. Every department is up to date in prices and quality. Come and see us for bargains.

### 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 Jody 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.

## WATER WORKS TESTED

The Much Talked of Work Accomplished Yesterday.

### APPARENTLY SATISFACTORY

A Break on West Coal Street Reduced the Pressure, But the Accident is Not Considered Very Serious.

The frequently postponed and much talked-of official test of the public water works was made yesterday and, while the result was not wholly up to the standard expected, it is believed that the plant will be formally accepted by the Borough Council.

The test fell short of expectations by reason of a break at the West Coal street end of the pipe, which caused a big reduction in the pressure, but the break can be easily repaired at small cost.

A hydraulic test was waived by the borough officials after it was satisfactorily demonstrated by the contractors that such a test would entail a lengthy delay and a big expense. It would have required special machinery and the contractors maintained that the cost would fall upon the borough. They maintained that the pressure from the reservoir was sufficient to give the pipes all the test required and gauges were used.

Contractors M. P. Quinn and William McAdam arrived here from Pottsville shortly before noon yesterday and were joined by Connellin A. D. Gable, James Kane, William McGuire and Michael Dougherty, Borough Solicitor Pomeroy, Superintendent Oscar Betteridge, ex-Councilman E. F. Gallagher and Robert McAdam. They formed the testing party and were at work until a late hour in the afternoon. All the pressure that could be procured from the reservoir was put on the pipes, and the contractors say that is all the Council could expect.

Arrangements had been made for the event by five openings made in different parts of the town so that the distributed pressure could be shown. The gauge placed at the end of East Centre street showed a pressure of 150 pounds to the square inch; at the corner of Emerick street and Apple alley 122 pounds; at the corner of West Centre street and Vine street 165, and at Turkey Run 76.

The fifth hole was at the west end of Coal street, and it was at this point that the accident occurred. There is a "blow-off" located there so that the pipes can be cleaned and the water runs into the creek when the "blow-off" is open. When the pressure was put on yesterday the tail pipe of the "blow-off," which is located under the bridge, was blown off and that prevented the committee from completing the test at that point. It is said that this break caused the reduction of pressure at Emerick street to 122 pounds.

The contractors have agreed to allow the water to remain in the pipes until Council decides upon the result of the test. This is important, as the water will have ample time to make its way to the surface of the streets in case any of the pipes have been caused to leak by the test.

With the repairs to the West Coal street end the plant will be ready for connections, providing Council decides that the test was a satisfactory one.

The contractors claim that the 300-pound test provided for by the contracts applied to a test of the pipes before they left the place of manufacture and that every length of pipe has been subjected to that test.

On Friday Superintendent Betteridge will probably make three taps at Turkey Run, to give the people of that place a much-needed supply of water. At present they are obliged to pay twenty-five cents to a private company for each wash boiler full, or have it hauled from Maple Hill. The three taps will be made on private properties, one at each end of the patch and one in the centre. The owners of the premises upon which the taps are placed will be held responsible for them, and will collect the charges from his neighbors until the Borough Council takes formal possession of the works and has time to make permanent arrangements for their operation. The Turkey Run people have cheerfully acceded to the conditions, as they are only too glad to get the supply.

Nearly all summer complaints are due to bad blood and unhealthy bile. Dr. Fowler's Ext. of Wild Strawberry cures by attacking the root of the trouble. It never fails.

### Serenades.

Councilman James McElheny and wife were honored last night at the residence of the latter's sister, Mrs. Cleary on West Centre street, by a serenade from the Grant Band. The serenade was practically an open air concert, as the band played in front of the residence for almost an hour, rendering a number of excellent selections and concluding with "The Star Spangled Banner." Mr. McElheny responded with his usual generosity. The band subsequently serenaded Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Noll, Jr., at the residence of Mrs. Noll's mother, Mrs. Graeber, on North Market street.

Are you suffering from rheumatism? Thomas' Electric Oil has cured thousands of the worst cases of this terrible disease. It only costs 50 cents to try it.

### ALL READY TO CELEBRATE.

Leading Events for Observance of the Fourth.

With favorable weather, tomorrow will be a gala day in Shenandoah. The joint committee has everything ready for the parade in the morning and the program remains as announced with the exception that another band and society has been added to the list. The time for the line of parade to move has been changed from 10 to 9 o'clock. Pawnee Bill's Wild West aggregation will take part in the parade.

There will be many opportunities for the home people and visitors to enjoy themselves. The Columbia Hose Company will hold a picnic in the afternoon and evening. Pawnee Bill's Wild West tents will be spread at the Trotting park, Company A, Jennings Guards, will hold an ice cream festival in Robbins' opera house during the day and evening, and during the same hours an ice cream and fruit festival will be held in the Primitive Methodist church.

On Friday the Columbia fantastic parade will take place, and the picnic will be continued at Columbia park.

### PERSONAL.

Miss Kate Walsh, of West Cherry street, left town this morning for New York city, where she will spend several weeks with her sister.

Mrs. H. A. Acker visited friends at Pottsville yesterday.

Charles Hoffman spent several hours yesterday with friends at the county seat. Justice T. T. Williams spent yesterday visiting his old time place of residence, Minersville.

Justice J. J. Cardin transacted business at the county seat yesterday.

Daniel Brennan made a business trip to Pottsville this morning.

Drs. G. M. Haulton and W. N. Stein visited Mahanoy City yesterday.

O. S. Kehler spent a part of yesterday afternoon visiting friends at Mahanoy City.

Louis Friedman visited Tamaqua yesterday.

B. J. Yost called upon his friends at the court house in Pottsville today.

Miss Mahala Fairchild is a guest of the Hoskins family at Pottsville.

Mrs. James Daniel visited friends at the county seat today.

Rev. Robert O'Boyle and wife returned last night from their wedding tour and are located at their home on East Oak street. A calithumpian band heralded the return with considerable vigor.

The only baby medicine—Luk's Syrup.

Schoffly House. Boston baked beans tonight.

Tomorrow's bill of fare will consist of all the delicacies of the season.

A Good Show Coming.

We are advised that Pawnee Bill's combined R. B. Show, Historical Wild West, Indian Museum, Grand Mexican Hippodrome and Exposition of Trained Animals, and Congress of Noted Chiefs and Cow Boys, Vaqueros and a limitless number of special features, will pay us a visit tomorrow. It is under a management which has, in the past twelve years, gained a most enviable reputation for dealing honestly and liberally with the public, and of presenting many features new and startling, and many tests which delight, amaze and amuse. Our exchanges speak in the highest terms of both the exceptional merit and high character of this grand combination, and it is the kind of show to which our readers will extend a hearty welcome. Genuine novelties and something new at reasonable prices, in place of empty bombast and brazen extortion, are what people want now, and will liberally patronize. In order to meet the masses, Pawnee Bill has reduced the price to 25 cents, including a seat for everybody.

Watson House Free Lunch.

One of the finest free lunches will be served tomorrow from 8 to 12 a. m.

Give teething children Luk's soothing syrup.

Post Office Notice.

The post office will be opened from 7:30 to 11 a. m. tomorrow. Carriers will make two deliveries and collections, at 7:15 and 10:45 a. m. Ellengowan, Yatesville and Turkey Run will be served with the 7:15 a. m. delivery. Money orders will not be issued or paid.

M. MELLETT, Postmaster.

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Rockless Bicyclists.

Carrie Gardner, aged 8 years, was run down by a bicycle on a West Centre street pavement, but escaped with a few scratches. Bicyclists should be prohibited from riding on the pavements.

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Babies made happy with Luk's Syrup.

Lakeside on July 4th.

The largest picnic ever held in this region will take place at Lakeside park, the pleasure resort of the anthracite coalfields, on the 4th of July. Large numbers of people from Schuylkill, Quay, Carbon and Columbia counties are expected to be present. Dancing music will be furnished by a first-class orchestra, and games and amusements of all kinds in abundance.

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## IT WAS BLOODY WORK.

Martin Rattigan Wields a Wicked Knife.

### ATTACK UPON TWO WOMEN!

Stabbed His Wife and Sister-in-Law. The Former Received Two Wounds—An Attempt to Commit Suicide.

Martin Rattigan, who was released from jail yesterday, caused a sensation in town this morning by seriously stabbing his wife, Lizzie, and his sister-in-law, Miss Lena Miller, and wounding up his onslaught by plunging the instrument with which he did the cuttings into himself.

Mrs. Rattigan was stabbed in the back, near the right shoulder, and in the stomach. Her sister was stabbed in the right side, the blade passing between the ribs. All the cuts were ugly ones and blood streamed from them, and it is believed that the wounds are dangerous. Rattigan stabbed himself in the stomach. His wound is also considered a dangerous one.

Rattigan yesterday completed a sentence in the Pottsville jail for having smashed the windows of the house of his father-in-law, William S. Miller. As soon as released Rattigan came to Shenandoah and at once called upon his wife, who resides at the corner of Cherry and Catherine street. Mrs. Rattigan has been separated from her husband for some time.

The call by the husband was a surprise. Rattigan asked his wife if she would live with him and she said she would not. The reply angered Rattigan, but he restrained himself and left the house. This morning, at about seven o'clock, he returned and was met at the door by Miss Miller, the wife's sister. Rattigan asked if his wife was at home and upon being told that she was upstairs, asked that she be called down. When Mrs. Rattigan appeared the husband repeated his request of the day before—that she live with him, but again the wife refused to promise. Although Rattigan was somewhat agitated at the time he attempted no violence. Mrs. Rattigan and her sister went to the rear of the house and proceeded to wash clothes. Rattigan took a seat in the kitchen. He remained there for some time, when Mrs. Rattigan entered the kitchen the husband sprang at her without a word of warning, threw her upon the kitchen stove and plunged the blade of a knife twice into her body. In response to her sister's cries for help Miss Miller ran into the kitchen. Rattigan released his hold upon his wife and plunged the knife into the sister's side. Miss Miller sank to the floor beside the prostrate form of her sister and Rattigan dashed from the house. He ran to the outskirts of the town and over the dirt banks to the west side of the Turkey Run colliery. There he attempted suicide by driving the blade with which he had attacked his two victims into his stomach. He was arrested a few minutes later and taken to the lockup.

The instrument with which the stabbing was done was a pocket knife with a very large blade.

Dr. Hamilton stated this afternoon that the wounds of the victims are much more serious than was supposed and there is danger of the three dying. Rattigan slashed himself so badly in the stomach that the intestines protruded. The affair has caused one of the biggest sensations the town has been given in several years.

Watch For It.

Look out for special brewings of Columbia Beer for the Fourth. It will be something fine and everybody will want it.

Why suffer from indigestion? Bardock Blood Bitters cures Dyspepsia and all disorders of the stomach, liver and bowels.

The Fall Term.

The Shamokin Business College will reopen August 6th. Persons desiring to pursue a thorough business or shorthand course should consider the advantages offered by this school before deciding to go elsewhere. The College office will be open during vacation for the reception of visitors and enrollment of applicants. For catalogue and College Journal address W. F. Magee, principal, Shamokin, Pa. 7-3-95

Schoffly House.

Boston baked beans tonight.

Tomorrow's bill of fare will consist of all the delicacies of the season.

Lehigh Valley Railroad.

Special low rates to Boston on account of the Christian Endeavor meeting, July 10th to 14th. Tickets sold July 8th to 11th, good for return to July 31st. Choice of various rail and water lines from New York. See L. V. agents for detailed information. 6-27-8j2-4-6-8

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Put an end to misery. Doan's Ointment will cure the worst case of Itching Piles there ever was, and do it almost instantly. Years of suffering relieved in a single night. Get Doan's Ointment from your dealer.

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## THE BUSY STORE

116 and 118 North Main St.

No sign of letting up. It is known our goods are most attractive. Buyers find prices lower with us than elsewhere. This is the very reason why our store is always in a bustle.

### LADIES CORSET COVERS.

This opens the sale of Muslin Underwear, Cambric Covers now 15 cents, same with Embroidery, now 25 cents. At such prices never offered before.

### LADIES' CHEMISES.

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

### COTTON COVERT CLOTH.

The greatest advantage you ever had is given to you in this lot. Nothing like it in town, beautiful in effect. All shades this week 9 cents.

### FANCY SURAH DE LAINES.

Also included in the above sale different patterns and designs. All we ask you—Come and see and you will buy this week, 9 cents.

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

Max Schmidt.

### Gathering at Goldins.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Goldin, who are about to take their departure for a sojourn at the seashore, entertained a number of their friends of town and other places last night. During the evening there was instrumental and vocal music and dancing. Rabbi Rubenstein, of New York, and Miss Jennie Refowich, of Mahanoy City, contributed vocal selections and instrumental solos were given by Miss Jennie and Harry Goldin and Joseph Rabinowitz, the latter of Mahanoy City. A collation embracing a variety of delicacies was served. Among the guests were Miss Orkin, Misses Lottie and Flora Friedman, Maggie and Lizzie Stank, Nettie and Gertrude Levine, Sadie and Gertrude Reese, Hattie and Fannie Supowitz, Bertha Bines, Katie Levine, Rose Friebrand, Annie Rabinowitz and Jennie and Hannah Refowich, of Mahanoy City; and Misses Green and Yanfee, and Messrs. John F. Elliott, John J. Shore, James Brenner, James Coakley, Thomas Baird, E. C. Malick, J. G. Thumm, H. B. Wertz, Jacob Levit, Max Levit, Charles Kirlin, Jacob Halper, Isaac Shapiro, John Connors, Morris Miller, Ben Franklio, William Pansler, Arthur Levine, Levi Refowich, Joe Rabinowitz, Louis Feinburg, Mahanoy City; J. Greenblatt, New York; J. Israel, Philadelphia; Rabbi Rubenstein and Harry Potar, New York; Mrs. Andrew Stank, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goldin, Mr. and Mrs. M. Moses, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh O'Hara, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Mellet, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Wilkinson, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Scanlan, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Supowitz, Mrs. and Dr. Hochlerner, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Orkin.

Maley, the jeweler, for your wedding rings, 16 North Main street.

No Work Until Monday.

Upon the conclusion of today's operations all the collieries of the P. & R. C. & I. Co. will suspend operations until Monday next. It is rumored that the collieries will work six days next week.

'Twill Be

The best investment you ever made if you buy a beautiful hat of the latest style for \$2, or a nice black Derby for \$1 at Max Levit's Up-to-Date hat and gents' furnishing store, 15 East Centre street, Titman's new building. 7-13c.

School Board.

The School Board will hold a regular meeting tonight and the annual election of school teachers, janitors and janitresses will take place. The list of applicants is a very long one.

Go to Maley's for ladies' silver belt buckles, 16 North Main street.

We have all

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out for the picnics, and we will

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