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## Fall and Winter DRY GOODS!

To make their purchases not only from the largest and best selected stock of both foreign and domestic fabrics ever exhibited in this county, but also at prices fully 20 per cent less than their present actual value. Hard to find such another display of fine Dress Goods as we have here. We call special attention to the following:

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All are to be seen here in the newest styles and best fitting garments in the market. We have them in ladies' from

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Do not forget to see our BLANKETS, LACE CURTAINS and SHAWLS on the second floor. Our prices on them mean a saving of 15 to 25 per cent. to you. We handle Butterick's Paper Patterns. Style sheets given away free of charge.

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by DECEMBER 15th, to engage in the hat and cap manufacturing business. Big bargains in BOOTS and SHOES. All goods must be sold at cost and below. Call and be convinced before buying elsewhere. At

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### The OLD RELIABLE Dry Goods and Carpet Store,

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Latest Styles and Materials in

## Ladies', Misses' and Children's COATS and CAPES

All New Novelities in Dress Goods.

Elegant line of Blankets and Comforts, at prices unheard of before.

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## COFFEE AND TEA



Man, supplied with reasoning and discerning powers, may improve his condition by the exercise of these faculties. This can be applied with very good effect in the purchase of Coffees and Teas. A good cup of Coffee depends not only on the making—but the brand of Coffee, the grade, the roasting and preparation are very important factors. We feel confident that we can meet all those requirements. A delicious cup of Coffee is a certainty if you use

Our Fancy Java, or our Fancy Blended Coffee.

In regard to Tea, we occupy a front rank, all our Teas being very carefully selected by competent judges, and a trial order will convince you that we can please the most fastidious customers. We offer nothing but good grades that are noted for quality, color and flavor, and they are sold at popular prices

At **KEITER'S.**

## STRIKING MINERS RESUME.

Central Pennsylvania Workers Generally Obey the Order.

### ALL MINERS HAVE AGAIN RESUMED.

The Situation in That Region is Now Brighter Than It Has Been For Many Days Since the Strike Was Inaugurated.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 25.—The resumption ordered by William B. Wilson had the effect of starting up nearly all the mines that are idle, except in cases where the order did not reach the men in time. In the Cambria county district all the mines thus far heard from resumed operations. In the Beech Creek region considerable agitation was caused among the miners because thirty-seven B. R. and P. cars were sent into the region. The B. R. and P. miners have been on strike for seven weeks past, and the miners feared that the operators here were billing the above company's orders. Railroad officials and operators claim that cars are scarce, and they are glad to get any kind. Several operators, fearing a strike at their mines should more cars of the same kind be run in, have ordered the railroad company not to send them.

**American Protection in Turkey.**  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—A cablegram from Minister A. W. Turell, at Constantinople, denies the published statements that he has neglected missionary interests. The minister asserts that no one American missionary in Asia Minor has been injured during the strife. "I have," says Minister Turell, "for months kept a Turkish guard to protect American professors in a missionary college against threatened assassination by enthusiasts of secret societies. I have never failed to rescue from prison every American arrested who bore an American passport."

**Increased Revenue Receipts.**  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Supervising Special Agent J. J. Crowley has submitted to Secretary Carlisle his report of a result of the work of the division of special agents for the last fiscal year. There were recovered on account of seizures, fines, penalties and by reason of advances of values on information furnished by the special agents amounts aggregating \$431,860. The receipts from customs during the past year exceeded those of the preceding fiscal year by \$21,659,000, while the cost to collect the revenue was reduced.

Everybody can get a penknife free. **FACTORY SHOE STORE,** Beddall Building.

**Counterfeiter Convicted.**  
NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Dr. Orlando G. Bradford, the dentist arrested with the Broadway gang of counterfeiters, was yesterday found guilty of having in his possession plates for printing bills. He is liable to a fine of \$5,000, fifteen years' imprisonment, or both. His alleged accomplice, John Nixon, was acquitted. Dr. Bradford refused the aid of counsel, and made a speech to the jury asserting that he had worked with the gang for the purpose of revealing their plans to the secret service officers.

**The Harvard Crew Defeated.**  
CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 25.—The Harvard "varsity" eight were beaten out by the crack Boston Athletic association crew in an exciting two mile race on the Charles yesterday afternoon. On the last half the Harvard men made a brilliant spurt, hitting up the stroke from thirty-six to forty, and all but overhauled their opponents Harvard's stroke, though the crew was practically the same that rowed against Yale last June, was very heavy at the catch with little length or drive.

**For the World's Cycling Championship.**  
NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—A challenge has been cabled to J. Michael, the Welsh champion cyclist, by Dixie Hines, president of the Quill Club Wheelmen of America, in behalf of John S. Johnson. It is for three match races for \$1,000 a side and the professional championship of the world, the contest to come off early in the season at some of the big tracks in this country. The distance will be one, five and ten miles, with pacemakers.

**May Fight at El Paso.**  
EL PASO, Tex., Oct. 25.—J. J. Taylor, chairman of the El Paso committee, wired Dan Stuart that El Paso would put up a cash guarantee of \$10,000 for the big prize fight, and that Corbett and Fitzsimmons could fight here without interference. Stuart replied that he was at work trying to sign the men for a fight at El Paso. Corbett telegraphed that he had no objection to El Paso as a battle ground.

**Charged Against the Armenians.**  
CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 25.—Fierce disturbances, accompanied by serious bloodshed, are reported to have taken place at Erzinjan. Sixty Armenians are said to have been killed. The Turkish government has sent a circular note to the representatives of the powers and to its representatives abroad announcing that the outbreak was provoked by the Armenians.

**Prepared for Train Robbers.**  
GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Oct. 25.—All the messengers in the employ of the American Express company have been furnished an outfit of Winchester and revolvers to resist any train robbers. The company advises its men to become proficient in rifle and revolver practice, and hints that in the near future prizes will be awarded to the most proficient marksmen.

**At Breen's Cafe.**  
Bean soup for free lunch to-night. Plenty for everybody.  
Port Norris prime oysters.  
Beef steak, lamb, veal and pork chops.  
Pig's feet, tripe and lamb's tongue.  
Try the Factory Shoe Store, Beddall Bldg.

### THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

Statistics of Deaths by Diseases Presented. Suits on Nuisances.

The Board of Health last night held a regular meeting, which was attended by three of the members, Messrs. Spalding, Morrison and Malone.

The committee on epidemics reported that one case of scarletina, three diphtheria and three of typhoid fever were reported since the meeting held on the 11th inst.; and the committee on necrology reported 25 deaths, 15 of which took place in town, the balance coming to the attention of the Board through applications for transit permits.

Health Officer Conry reported that George Katz, Mrs. Bosch and Joseph Knipple had caused out-houses to be cleaned in a manner contrary to the Board's rules.

In connection with the nuisances existing on Pear alley, between Centre and Lloyd streets, on account of improper sewerage, the Health Officer was directed to follow the instructions of the Board already given and in conjunction with the Borough Solicitor enter suit at once against James B. Lessig and others who may have an interest in the property. It is claimed that the cause of scarletina existing at this place is due in a great measure to the nuisance complained of.

**Watson House Free Lunch.**  
Extra fine hot lunch to-night. Call and try it. Plenty for everybody.

**Slight Fire.**  
Yesterday afternoon a corner post and the connecting lath in the house of Adam Tobak, at the corner of Lloyd and Market streets, caught fire from a terra cotta pipe connecting the house with an outside chimney. As no alarm was sounded the fire companies did not go to the place. The fire was put out by a bucket brigade. Although the damage was slight the place should be visited by the authorities.

**Madame Clair, fortune teller, at the Central House. Call soon.**

**The Free for All Race.**  
The prizes to be awarded at the bicycle meet at Mahanoy City, Wednesday next, are: First prize, handsome banquet lamp, valued at \$35, which is now on exhibition in H. J. Heiser's hardware store, Mahanoy City; second prize, silver service tea set, consisting of four pieces, valued at \$15; third prize, silver plated vase, beautifully designed and valued at \$10. This beautiful piece of workmanship is now on exhibition at Hotel Metropole, Mahanoy City.

**Wedding rings pure in quality, lower prices and the largest assortment of any jewelry store in Shenandoah at Holderman's. 24-26**

**Seate Test.**  
J. A. Merrill, of Pottstown, scale inspector for the P. & R. R. Co., was in town yesterday testing the correctness of the scales in use at the Indian Ridge and Shenandoah City calleries. Mr. Merrill has been in the company's service testing the track and other scales for many years, but has not heretofore tested any of the colliery scales.

**Bean soup, free, at Breen's to-night.**

**The Controversy.**  
Charles A. Snyder, who claims to represent "taxpayers," has issued notice to the County Treasurer not to pay out money unless the orders are countersigned by Controller Severn. The Treasurer, it is said, will not notice Mr. Snyder's protest, and the latter threatens to appeal to the state officials.

**Do not fail to get Holderman's prices in jewelry before buying elsewhere. 16-23-26**

**A Nuisance.**  
The attention of the authorities is called to a so-called museum on Main street, which is creating a nuisance. Two men with fog-burn voices murdering good English and crowding the neighborhood with small boys is something the police should look after.

**Kendrick House Free Lunch.**  
Noodle soup to-night.  
Hot lunch Monday morning.

**A Fish Market.**  
Jesse B. Davis to-day commenced the erection of a one-story building on the leasehold property of J. J. Franey, at the corner of Centre street and Plum alley. The building will be used as a fish market by a Hazelton man.

**Free bean soup at Breen's to-night.**

**Pastors to Meet.**  
The pastors of the different churches of town will meet on Monday, at 10:00 a. m., in the P. M. church, to arrange for the Thanksgiving union services.

**Special To-night.**  
One-half dozen of fried oysters for 15 cents at the Scheiffy House. Something never heard of before in this town.

**Try the Factory Shoe Store. Beddall Bldg.**

**Attempted Suicide.**  
Samuel Blooom, of Girardville, attempted suicide by laying his head upon the railroad track before a moving train, which was stopped a few inches from the man's head.

**Get one of those pretty oil cloth rugs for under your heating stove, at C. D. Fricke's carpet store. New lot just in.**

**Satisfactory to All.**  
Some special brands of beers are to connoisseurs most dear, but one excels the rest by far and that is Columbia beer.

**A Pool Match.**  
A pool match will take place Monday evening, between 7 and 8 o'clock, in the pool room under the Commercial Hotel, between two local experts for \$19 a side.

**The Right Name in the Right Place.**  
Pan-Tina for coughs and colds, 5c. At Gruhler Bros., drug store.

**Holderman's jewelry store carries a line of goods equal to the best in larger cities and superior to any jewelry store in Shenandoah.**

## INTERPRETATION OF "MINER" THE BUSY STORE

Another Gateway for Mine Foremanship Opened by Legal Opinion.

### "FOR" AND "OF" DISTINGUISHED

Deputy Attorney-General Elkins Interprets a Mine Law and Says Laborers, Loaders, Starters, Repairmen and Others in the Mines are Miners.

Deputy Attorney General Elkins has forwarded to Mine Inspector Stein, of town, a written legal opinion on the interpretation of the word "miner" as used in the Mining Law of 1891. Mr. Stein received the opinion late yesterday afternoon and the HERALD is enabled to give the full text.

The ruling is a result of a discussion at a meeting of the Board of Mine Inspectors held in Shamokin about three weeks ago, when Inspector Stein, as secretary of the Board, was instructed to write the Attorney-General and ask for his interpretation of the word.

The ruling is a very important one bearing on the coal mines of this state. In fact, it is one of the most important officially made in several years, as it places within the reach of almost every worker in the mines of proper age and education a boon which has heretofore been considered the fortune of only such men who have had years of experience in actually cutting coal; and it would not be surprising if the applicants for examination for mine foremen certificates should multiply in great numbers as a result of this opinion.

The question as submitted by Inspector Stein was whether the word "miner," as used in Article VIII, Section 1, of the Anthracite Mining Law, approved June 2nd, A. D. 1891 (P. L. 176), is to be confined in its application to the person who actually mines and cuts the coal, or whether it may include laborers, loaders, starters, roadmen, repairmen and others who work in the mines, but who do not actually cut coal.

Deputy Attorney-General Elkins, in his opinion to the Inspector, says:

The section above referred to provides for the granting of certificates of qualifications by the State of Luzerne Affairs to Mine Foremen and Assistant Mine Foremen who possess a satisfactory examination before the Board of Examiners and who have had five years' practical experience as miners. The question our inquiry raises is what constitutes "practical experience as a miner" within the meaning of the law, or, in other words, does the phrase require actual experience in cutting or digging coal.

Webster defines the word "miner" as "one who mines, a digger for metals and other minerals." I do not understand that a miner necessarily is a digger of minerals. The definition is satisfactory if he is a digger for minerals. A person might be a long time digger for minerals and yet never actually mine them. Then, again, Article XVIII of the Act herein before mentioned, under the head of "Definition of terms," contains the following, to-wit: The term "mine" includes all underground workings and excavations and shafts, tunnels and other ways and openings, also all such shafts, slopes, tunnels and other openings in course of being sunk or worked, together with all roads, railways, excavations, shafts, tunnels and other ways and openings and materials connected with the same below the surface.

If, then, the term "mine" as used in this Act of Assembly, embraces all underground workings, excavations, shafts, tunnels, other ways and openings, etc., it must necessarily follow that a person who works in any of the places included in this definition is a miner within the meaning of the law. I do not think it was the intention of the Legislature to limit the right of examination to a particular class of persons who work in the mines, but rather to include all classes of miners who have had five years' practical experience in working in a "mine," as defined in the Act of Assembly.

In the same document in which the above opinion is incorporated Deputy Attorney General Elkins gives an answer to a question as to whether it is necessary that a Mine Foreman or Assistant Mine Foreman should examine the workings of a colliery to see that they are practically safe and free from explosive gas, or whether this duty can be performed by a fire boss.

On this point the Deputy Attorney-General says: "When the mine foreman cannot personally supervise the entire mine, he has authority to employ a sufficient number of 'competent persons' to act as assistants." Upon the proper construction of this phrase, depends the answer to your question. The Act of Assembly itself does not set the exact standard of qualification for assistants. This question, it only provides that they must be "competent persons" to act in this capacity. This law was passed as a protection to the persons who work in the mines and that construction should be given it which will most nearly accomplish this result. Inasmuch, therefore, as the law has provided for certain qualifications on the part of those who act as mine foremen and assistant mine foremen, it would seem to be in the interest of the public good to require that any assistant employ by them should have a certificate of qualification, as required by law. Such certificates are granted only to mine foremen and assistant mine foremen; hence, in my opinion that these assistants should have such a certificate of qualification before they are employed as competent persons to act under the provisions of the law.

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**Notice to Consumers of the Shenandoah Citizens' Water and Gas Company.**  
Until further notice water will be supplied from 5 to 8 a. m., and from 3 to 7 p. m. **E. J. WASLEY, Superintendent,** Shenandoah, Pa., Oct. 26, 1895.

A beautiful penknife free, sharp enough to cut your finger. **FACTORY SHOE STORE.**

**Jurors Drawn.**  
The following jurors have been drawn for the term of court beginning Monday, November 25: William Brown, Sr., Thomas Wade, Chris. Foltz, Jr., F. King, of town; P. J. Murphy, Gilberton.

Our shoes don't pinch your feet nor your purse. **FACTORY SHOE STORE.**

**Teacher of Elocution.**  
Mrs. E. A. Buch, teacher of elocution, unanimously endorsed by press and public will form a class in elocution in Shenandoah, beginning Tuesday evening, November 25. All wishing to join class apply for particulars to Dr. Phillips, Shenandoah. 10-21-95

**Just Arrived.**  
New lot of carpets, oil cloths and window shades at C. D. Fricke's carpet store.

We are your shoe makers and money savers. **FACTORY SHOE STORE.**

## THE BUSY STORE

116 and 118 North Main Street.

### IT'S NO ART

To know what the people want, but it's a fine art to know how to fill their wants at acceptable prices. This is the art that we have been studying for many years, and we think that this store of ours furnishes pretty good evidence that we have mastered it.

Next Thursday, Oct. 31, for instance, **The 30 Best Heminway Sewing Silk at 3 cents a spool**, you can buy at this price this day only. Loose no time to come.

This is not all. Heminway **File Floss and other Skein Silks, 3 cents a 30 skein**. Who did ever hear of such an offer and silk advancing at a trotting rate.

**Crochet Cotton** will be in the same race that day, **3 cents a spool**. Do not fool your time away. Come in time.

**COATS.**—Children's Coats, a nice selection. Prices certainly lower than elsewhere.

### P. N. Corsets are Glove Fitting.

## MAX SCHMIDT.

**Mr. Shepp's Political Pap.**  
EDITOR HERALD.—Some Democrats make a great fuss and noise over the immense rally that Dan Shepp corraled at Tanawagon and adjoining districts and took to Potomac with him in their last great pow-wow, and gloat over the fact that Daniel has opened his bar'l. Whew! How nimbly Kelley, King, Higgins and others step out and kiss the roll that smote them. Daniel's barrel has not been on top to the Democrats the past four or five years. It is open now only because Daniel has a Dutch ticket to his liking, and a jubilant feeling that he and Bro. Sheppard will gather in the valuable offices next year. To some Democratic minds Daniel's bar'l is a power for evil, as well as good, and we cannot forget the fact that the head was open against us, while now we are only permitted to gaze in the bung. **A DEMOCRAT.**  
Shenandoah, Pa., Oct. 26, 1895.

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**Funerals.**  
The funeral of Albert DeFohn, who was killed by a fall of rock in the Maple Hill colliery, Monday night, took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence, on West Coal street. The remains were interred in the Odd Fellows' cemetery.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary E. Griffith took place this afternoon from the family residence, on South Jardin street, and interment was made in the Odd Fellows' cemetery.

**Special.**  
Big bargains in fall styles of hats to-day. **At Max Levitt's, 15 East Centre street.**

**In a Fit.**  
John Leskatinius, a Pole 28 years of age, was found unconscious under a car on a side track at the Elmwood colliery, Mahanoy City, last evening. He was removed to his home in that town and attended by Dr. Selligman, who said the man was suffering from epilepsy and the case was a critical one. Leskatinius was under the car four hours before he was discovered.

A dozen fried, 15 cents at Scheiffy's.

**Got Young.**  
Four prominent young men of town created a disturbance late last night by pounding on the doors of "the shaft" on Chestnut street and the police gave chase, but the young fellows had got too much of a start in the race.

**Advertised Letters.**  
The following letters remain uncalled for at the local post office: C. G. Hull, George Miller, Mrs. R. Shields, W. R. Smoyer, Jennie Evans, Peter Dewall, L. H. Bataillon, Mrs. A. Bacon.

Try the Factory Shoe Store, Beddall Bldg.

## It is Time To Think

Of buckwheat cakes and mush. You will find at our place some **Benton Buckwheat flour**, the best in the land. Also Hecker's and Superlative self-raising, 10, 15 and 18c. Wm. Len's celebrated corn meal will give satisfaction every time. Cheaper than ever in 25 pound lots.

**Graf's,**  
122 North Jardin St., Shenandoah.