

# A RARE OPPORTUNITY.

I am about to make a bona fide reduction in my stock in order to make room for another remodeling of my store and will sell at greatly reduced prices what is left of my excellent assortment of overcoats and heavy suits for men, boys and children. This is no shop-worn, old style or misfit stock, but just what I have been selling for at least double the money. To make room for necessary alterations in my store I must sacrifice the goods. Call and inspect them.

**L. GOLDIN,**  
Mammoth Clothing House,  
9 & 11 S. Main Street.

# PHILADELPHIA'S INVESTIGATION.

**Activity of the Police in the Recent Primary Election.**  
PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 17.—The senate investigating committee yesterday, after a lapse of one week, resumed its inquiry into the municipal affairs of the city. A number of witnesses were examined and told of police activity in the primary election on Tuesday night, and in several instances of citizens being abused by policemen and other placeholders.

Ellis Clark, an ex-hostler in the Twenty-fifth police district, told of the existence of "speak eases" and polley shops, and said he frequently was sent out by the patrol sergeant for liquor. He also saw women in the patrol house. Ex-Policeman Gifford, of the Thirtieth district, charged Magistrate Lukens with being the "boss" of the district. He said Lukens once criticized the police for raiding a "speak easy," and that his word was law as to the discharge or appointment of a policeman. The committee meets again today, after which it is rumored, it will go to Pittsburgh for a few days.

**A Thousand Ohio Miners on Strike.**  
COLUMBUS, Jan. 17.—One thousand miners at the Morris Coal company's mines went out on strike yesterday. President Morris of the company, said that one man had been discharged for sending out inferior coal. Because he had not been taken back 1,000 miners had struck. The man, he said, would not be reinstated under any consideration. No question of wages is involved. Secretary Patrick McErdie, of the miners' union, believes the men would not have gone out on that account. He says some rule or agreement between miners and operators has been, in the opinion of the men, violated.

**There! This is Just the Thing.**  
Rod Flag Oil—for sprains and bruises. At Grubler Bros., drug store.

**May Stop the Fight.**  
On Monday next, January 20th, the sporting fraternity of Schuylkill and adjoining counties will meet in Girardville. In the evening there will be a "go" between Wm. Gibson, of Palo Alto, and John Lafferty, of St. Louis, formerly of Girardville, for \$100 a side and gate money. Marquis of Queensbury rules to govern. Wm. Bonor, of Summit Hill, will also take part. Other preliminary bouts will take place during the evening. Chief Burgess Toll says that under no circumstances will the proposed exhibition be allowed to take place.

**Scheiff House For Sale.**  
The property and good will of the Scheiff House, on North Main street, is offered for sale. The proprietor contemplates leaving in the South. For further particulars apply at the Scheiff House. 12-16-17

**Benefit for Alex. Davis.**  
Many friends have arranged for a benefit for Alex. Davis, who lost both his hands by a premature explosion in the Maple Hill colliery. It will take place at the house of Benjamin Richards, on West Centre street, on Monday, March 16th. The family is in straightened circumstances and it is hoped the benefit will be generously supported. Mr. Davis hopes to be able to start in some business on a small scale with the proceeds, the loss of his hands incapacitating him for any kind of labor.

**Scheiff House.**  
Cream of tomato soup to-night. Oysters. Clams. At the bar: All the delicacies of the season in every style.

**Marriage Licenses.**  
Adam Rakachawsky and Aggie Shatakofski, both of Mahanoy City; Mike Dubis and Annie Salubski, both of Park Place; Geo. F. Matthews, of Mahanoy City, and Minnie L. Samsberry, of St. Nicholas; Mike J. Melain and Annie Gardell, both of Lost Creek; Pius Frankus and Mary Wainhold, both of Shenandoah; Steve Hishko and Annie Olexi, both of Mahanoy Place.

**It Hits the Spot That's Right.**  
Wharf Pan-Tina for coughs and colds. At Grubler Bros., drug store.

**Girardville's Bank Officers.**  
The following officers and directors of the First National Bank of Girardville, were elected for 1906: President, E. C. Wagner; Vice President, Albert Bogdy. Other directors are: Pablo Griffiths, D. P. Brown, James C. Bidle, M. D., Thomas Bracey, Charles Haruhari, D. Gregory, X. T. Teat. For cashier J. A. Babb was re-appointed.

Have you carache, toothache, sore throat, pain or swellings of any sort? A few applications of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil will bring relief almost instantly.

**Hazleton Region Mines Idle.**  
An order issued yesterday by Linderman and Skeer, operators of the Stockton collieries, stopped all work there. Three hundred men are rendered idle. The mines are leased from the Lehigh Valley Coal Company and as this lease expires on Jan'y 31, this order seems to indicate that the present operators will not renew it.

Anyone who suffers from that terrible plague, Itching Piles, will appreciate the immediate relief and permanent cure that comes through the use of Doan's Ointment. It never fails.

**Rev. Schmidt Dead.**  
Rev. Matthias Schmidt, pastor of the German Lutheran church, Frankford, died in the German hospital, Philadelphia, in his 63rd year. The deceased at one time was stationed at Mahanoy City, and during his ministry erected a church in this town. His wife and daughter survive him.

**It's Queer How Quick.**  
Pan-Tina cures coughs and colds, 25c. At Grubler Bros., drug store.

**The Last Chance.**  
The Citizens Standing Committee will tonight hold its final meeting, before preparing for the primaries to be held on the 24th inst. All names to go upon the ticket must be submitted to the committee before 7 o'clock. The meeting will be held in the rooms of the Shenandoah Republican League, in the Titmus building.

**Grip-Cold-Headache.**  
Why suffer with Coughs, Colds and La Grippe when Laxative Bromo-Quinine will cure you in one day. Put up in tablets convenient for taking. Guaranteed to cure, or money refunded. Price, 25 cents. For sale by Kirlin's Pharmacy.

**New Lumber Firm.**  
It is reported that "Farmer" Kulp, Congress man from the Northumberland district, and George Brill, of Delano, are to be associated in a general lumber business, with headquarters at Delano. Whether it is to be a branch of the business of M. H. Kulp & Co. is not ascertained.

Thousands of the victims of consumption owe their death to the simple neglect of a cold. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures coughs and colds, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles.

# PITTY POINTS.

**Happenings Throughout the Region Chronicled for Hasty Perusal.**  
Least few had more weddings in 1905 than any town of its size in the state.

A number of our people attended the magnificent ball at Mahanoy City last night. The north end of Main street is a lively rendezvous for the boys and girls who own skates.

Henry Schroeder, who was injured at the Gordon Place, died at the Pottsville hospital yesterday.

At the annual meeting of the Shamokin street railway company, a dividend of four per cent was declared.

An improved condition in the coal trade for February is looked for, and there is abundant room for it.

The Ashland saloonkeepers are appealing, through the newspapers, to their patrons for a settlement of accounts.

The members of the Mask and Wig Club will be the guests of Miss Jean Glover, at Wm. Penn, this evening.

Mrs. George Myers died at her home in Ashland yesterday of consumption. She is survived by three children.

Councilman Thomas Barke, of Mahanoy City, is lying dangerously ill at his home, and his death is expected at any moment.

An original pension was granted to Henry Oswald, of Mahanoy City, and an additional pension to Charles Murray, of Shenandoah, yesterday.

Clarence F. Huth, State President of the P. O. S. of A., is spoken of in connection with the Republican nomination for the Legislature in the Shamokin district.

The sporting fraternity are taking great interest in the pigeon shooting match that will come off on Saturday morning, between Johnson, of Ashland, and Curry, of Girardville.

Miss Mary E. Whitfield and Thomas C. Knowles, both well known society people of Pottsville, were married yesterday. The groom is employed in the P. & R. C. & I. Co. offices.

Rev. J. C. Tranger, of the English Lutheran church at Minersville, will on next Sunday evening preach his farewell sermon. He has accepted a charge at Sumpter, S. C., and will also do missionary work for the South Carolina synod.

The latest novelties in photographs at Billinger Bros., 19 West Lloyd street.

# PERSONAL.

Mrs. M. J. Dowling, of Hazleton, is visiting in town.

Daniel Duffy, of St. Clair, spent this afternoon in town.

Miss Inspector Stein visited the mines at Audenried this morning.

Mrs. Neiscenter, of North Jardin street, is confined to her home by illness.

Samuel Gunter, of Wilkesbarre, is visiting his parents, on West Centre street.

Mr. Thomas J. Higgins talked politics with county seat leaders yesterday.

John Roberts, the livyman, spent yesterday transacting business in Reading.

J. J. Wilkinson, a dry goods merchant, transacted business at Hazleton today.

Postmaster Mellet and W. M. Brewer made a business trip to the county seat today.

Miss Laura Swell, niece of Councilman A. D. Gable, and Miss Lizzie Griffiths, spent last evening at Lost Creek.

Miss Carrie Billinger, of Reading, who was the guest of the Misses Beck, of North Jardin street, returned home today.

Superintendents John Veith, of Pottsville, and John Skeath, of Mahanoy City, made an inspection of the Ellangowan colliery today.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Talley and son, of Baltimore, Md., are guests of Mrs. Talley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garrett McKernan, of North White street.

P. J. Cleary, of Scranton, is visiting relatives in town. Mr. Cleary will spend the greater part of the winter here, having postponed operations on his contract until spring.

Wesley Widenmeyer, of Los Angeles, Cal., who was visiting his brother-in-law, Mahlon Yeager, of West Centre street, left for Boston, Mass., last evening, where he will remain until spring.

Mrs. Jacob Obelsky, of West Centre street, accompanied by Samuel Izenstark, of Chicago, left for that place this morning. Mrs. Obelsky will visit among relatives for a period of a month or more.

Mrs. E. F. Supowitz, of South Main street, last evening presented her husband with a daughter. The mother and child are doing well, and the father is receiving the congratulations of his many friends.

James Shields, agent for the Lorain Schmidt Brewing Company, in the Shenandoah district, and who is interested in several other enterprises, was a visitor to town yesterday, and made settlement with the brewery officials for the past year. He was accompanied by Anthony Schmecker, an influential citizen of the same town.—Pottsville Chronicle.

# FLORIDA.

**Personally-Conducted Tours via Pennsylvania Railroad.**  
It would be hard to find any condition of human ailment that a winter visit to Florida would fail to improve, while those who seek joy, good health without realising, without any science, what true enjoyment there is in life passed under the golden skies of the "Land of Flowers."

In order to give the public an opportunity to visit Florida at a very reasonable cost, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has arranged for a series of tours to Jacksonville. Since the system of personally-conducted tours inaugurated by that company has been in effect, none but words of commendation have been received. Its unexcelled train service, experienced tourist agents and chauffeurs, and above all, its moderate charges, have nothing to be desired.

The tour to Jacksonville, allowing two weeks' stay in Florida, will leave New York and Philadelphia on January 28, February 4, 11, 18 and 25, and March 2, 1906. The rate, including transportation, meals en route, and Pullman berth on special train, is \$35.00 from New York, and \$45.00 from Philadelphia, plus proportionate rates from other points.

For further information apply to ticket agents, or address tourist agent, 1196 Broadway, New York, or Room 414, Broad Street station, Philadelphia, to whom application for space should also be made.

Lightest rubber stock in this section. Boys' rubber boots, at \$1.50. All other goods in proportion. FACTORY SHOW STORE, 1-19-11. J. A. MOYER, Mgr.

**Mahanoy City Business College.**  
This excellent college, at 285 East Centre street, gives Commercial, Shorthand and Typewriting courses equal to any in the state at the very lowest rates. Individual instruction, day and evening classes. Students constantly entering. Catalogue free. 10-14-11. G. W. WILLIAMS, Principal.

**HOOD'S PILLS** cure Liver Ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache, A pleat' laxative. All Druggists.

# WE SWEAR!!

That "GOLD MEDAL" . . . Makes the Best Bread.  
That Brick's "NONPARIEL" MINCE MEAT Is the Finest in the World.  
That "BLUE LABEL" KETCHUP . . . Is the Best Ketchup Made.  
Try either and you will find the above correct.

**Thos. E. Samuels & Co.,**  
Wholesale Grocers,  
105 South Main Street, Shenandoah, Pa.

# Pianos and Organs!

For the Holidays.

I have received the finest selection of Pianos and Organs ever displayed in Schuylkill County. Parties contemplating purchasing a Piano or Organ would do well to call and see my stock and get my prices. I have the sole agency for the following makes:

<b>PIANOS.</b>	<b>ORGANS.</b>
BLASIUS & SONS,	ESTEY, CROWN, WEAVER
SCHOMACHER,	UNITED STATES,
ALBRIGHT,	LAWRENCE, (7 OCTAVE.)
LUDWIG,	
ESTEY,	

Cash or on easy payments. Our prices are right. Only one price. You are earnestly invited to call at

# Britton's Music Store,

22 and 24 East Centre Street, MAHANAY CITY, PA.

IF YOU WANT THE BEST Groceries, Butter and Eggs, Flour and Feed. Our delivery wagon awaits your order. Goods delivered promptly.

**MUSSER & BEDDALL,**  
29 East Centre Street.

# JOHN DALTON,

Agent for Shenandoah and Vicinity

Shenandoah and Vicinity

NOTICE TO CANDIDATES.

All persons who wish to be candidates on the Citizens' ticket at the Spring Election of 1896,

in the Borough of Shenandoah, must present their names and the required fees to the secretary of the Citizens' Standing Committee not later than the 17th day of January, 1896. By order of the committee,

T. J. JAMES, Pres.  
W. J. WATKINS, Sec'y.

# POLITICAL CARDS.

- FOR HIGH CONSTABLE, JOHN MATTHEWS, Of the Fourth Ward, Subject to Democratic rules.
- FOR HIGH CONSTABLE, JAMES EMANUELS, Of the Fifth Ward, Subject to Citizens party rules.
- FOR WARD CONSTABLE, (Fifth Ward,) WILLIAM BENDER, Of the Fifth Ward, Subject to Citizen party rules.
- FOR SCHOOL DIRECTOR, (Fifth Ward,) CHARLES HOFFMAN, Of the Fifth Ward, Subject to Citizens party rules.
- FOR HIGH CONSTABLE, EDWARD MASON, Of the Fifth Ward, Subject to Citizens party rules.
- FOR CONSTABLE, (Third Ward,) JOHN W. BLAKER, Subject to Citizens party rules.
- FOR COUNCIL, (Third Ward,) THOMAS J. JAMES, Subject to Citizens party rules.

# OPEN EVERY DAY

Go to the Shenandoah Dental Rooms for painless extraction of teeth. Gold and Silver fillings. If your artificial teeth do not suit you call to see us. All examinations free. We make all kinds of plates, Gold Crowns, Aluminum Crowns, Crown Crowns, Crown and Bridge work and all operations that pertain to Dental Surgery. No charges for extracting when plates are ordered. We are the only users of vitalized air for the painless extraction of teeth.

**SHENANDOAH**  
Dental Rooms,  
(Titmus' Block)  
East Centre Street.  
Office Hours: 7 a. m. to 8 p. m.

# DO YOU NEED

Day Books, Journals, Ledgers, Cash Books, &c.

We have them in all sizes and at all prices.

**HOOKS & BROWN**  
4 North Main St.

# SOULED DEATH.

Mrs. Sarah Sessinger, and of Mrs. Ella Cleary, of West Centre street, died at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. John Slattery, now of Philadelphia and formerly of town, on Wednesday, from heart disease. She deceased was 51 years of age. She came from St. Louis, Mo., recently to visit relatives and remained as a guest of some at Pottsville until last Wednesday morning. In the afternoon of that day she arrived at Mrs. Slattery's home in Philadelphia and was immediately seized by the illness that caused her death. The funeral will take place to-morrow morning and the remains will be taken to Fort Carbon for interment. The remains will arrive at Pottsville to-night.

# DELINQUENT COLLECTORS MUST PAY.

Tax Collectors previous to the year 1898, who are delinquent to the county, have received notice from the County Commissioners that they must settle on or before February 14, or their bonds will be forfeited into the Court of Common Pleas to collect the amounts due. The total amount due from tax collectors is over \$200,000.

# SELF-CONFESSED FORGER RELEASED.

LONDON, Jan. 17.—George Bell, formerly secretary of the Potomac Building association, of Baltimore, who was charged on Jan. 12 last, at Bow street police court, on his own confession, with forging the manager's name to a check for \$500, was released yesterday, the United States government having called that there was no request for his extradition.

# NAT GOODWIN'S AUSTRALIAN TOUR.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Nat Goodwin is going to make a tour of Australia and India. Contracts were signed yesterday which bind him to sail from San Francisco on the 25th of next June, at the conclusion of his engagement in that city. He will open in Sydney, Australia, and the entire tour will take nine weeks.

# BIG REDUCTIONS

In holiday goods, suitable as gifts for other festive occasions. Money saved is money earned by calling on us and examining our stock of Silverware, Watches, Musical Instruments, . . . Optical Goods. Watch Repairing: a Specialty. Done cheaper than any other place in Town.

# IKE ORKIN'S

129 S. Main Street, SHENANDOAH, PA.



Those who do buy Seelig's Kaffee, keep coming back for it. You can't keep on selling a poor thing to the same people.

BUY YOUR Groceries FLOUR, FEED, HAY AND STRAW. Also Table and Floor Oil Cloths From **E. B. FOLEY,** Cor. Centre and West Sts.

# TO-NIGHT'S ENTERTAINMENT.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the M. E. church, Rev. J. W. Meredith, pastor, will give an entertainment in the church to-night, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, recitations, etc. The public is respectfully invited and a collection will be taken up for the benefit of the society.

# HEIRS TO A VAST ESTATE.

St. Louis, Jan. 17.—The French consul here has been called upon to assist in looking up the estate of Jacques Royer, who died in St. Louis about the middle of the Eighteenth century, owning vast possessions in St. Louis and other parts of the country, and in Paris, France, said to be valued at \$60,000,000. Jacques Royer was a bachelor, and, as far as can be learned, made no will. David J. Royer, a carpenter living in this city, is one of the heirs. A woman named Bellina from Paris, is also looking up the estate. A number of the Royer heirs reside in the east.

# DEBTS CHALLENGE TO ARTHUR.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 17.—The Central Labor union has issued a challenge to Chief Arthur, of the Engineers' Brotherhood, to meet Debs in legal debate on Saturday evening. The challenge was issued on the authority of Debs, who says that if Arthur will meet him he will show him up in such a way as to drive him from the labor movement. Debs says the Engineers' Brotherhood is simply an annex of the railway corporations. Thus far Arthur has ignored the challenge.

# MISCELLANEOUS.

**FOR SALE.**—Three first-class show cases, all in good condition, suitable for fancy goods, notions, &c. Will be sold at a bargain. No. 21 South Main street. 1-14-11

**FOR RENT.**—Store and dwelling, 29 South Main street, now occupied by E. J. Wilkinson. Also store and dwelling 21 East Centre street, now occupied by the Singer Manufacturing Company. Apply to M. Mellet, at the post-office. 1-14-11

**FOR SALE.**—A complete bottling establishment, bottling beer, porter, wine, beer, and all kinds of temperance drinks, will be sold cheap. Doing a good business at present, with satisfactory reasons for selling. For further information apply at the HERALD office. 1-17-11

**FERGUSON'S THEATRE.**  
E. J. FERGUSON, MANAGER.

# GRAND BENEFIT PERFORMANCE

for Mrs. Kate Jenkins, whose son was recently killed at Indian Ridge colliery.

# Scanlan-Durkin Comedy Co.,

Grant Band, . . . Schoppe Orchestra.

# JOE WYATT'S SALOON,

Cor. Main and Coal Sts.

Pool room attached. Finest whiskey, beer, porter and ale constantly on tap. Choice temperance drinks and cigars.

# CHARLES DERR'S Barber Shop

12 West Centre Street.

# Our Hot Towel Shave

is becoming popular. You will like it. We make a specialty of hair cutting.

# Satisfaction Guaranteed Plumbing

—AND— Gasfitting.

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Basement of Beddall's Building.