

**REFOVICH'S • ONE-PRICE • CLOTHING • HALL.**  
SPECIAL PHENOMENAL SALE.

**OVERCOATS, SUITS, REEFERS,**  
GOOD CLOTHES AT HALF PRICE.  
THE GRAND CHRISTMAS STORE.

We are exerting our best efforts to make the **Greatest Reductions in Prices** ever presented before to the **Holiday Shoppers** of the Shenandoah Valley. We have just completed taking another of our famous stock inventories, including new lots of this season's **Overcoats and Suits** bought from the great assignees sale, resulting in an enormous list of **Bargains**. All these goods are bright, new, stylish and of the best make.

Men's Fancy Suits, Boys' Suits and Children's Novelties almost given away; you'll be surprised at the prices. See our grand holiday goods. Stylish hats, smoking jackets, best line of kid gloves, mufflers, latest styles of scarfs.

Beautiful line of neckwear, specially for the holidays. Handsome silk suspenders, Hats and Caps of the latest novelties.

Gold and Silver Shirts, made up specially for us—the best in the world.

Don't forget the place.

**ONE-PRICE CLOTHING HOUSE,**  
L. REFOVICH, Prop.

9 and 12 South Main Street, Shenandoah, Pa.

**Tours to Florida.**

No district in America presents, during the winter season, so many varied attractions as the State of Florida. Besides its delightful climate, which to one escaping from the cold and unhealthy changes of the North seems most ethereal, it is pre-eminently a land of kind pleasure. Along its eleven hundred miles of salt-water coast and in its twelve fresh-water lakes are fish of almost cable variety, from the migratory salmon to Northern waters to the snail and others of a more temperate zone. Nowhere in all our broad continent find a greater variety of sports.

The most enthusiastic hunter of turkeys, bears, panthers, and other large through the more remote regions, while birds of all kinds in abundance throughout the State.

The more novel sport of alligator-hunting may also be in the more adventurous tourist. The matchless climate, its orange groves and lakes, its boating and fishing and hunting, and its forests, Florida presents unrivaled for the valetudinarian, the lover of the sportsman and the explorer.

Attractive state the Pennsylvania company has arranged four ported tours during the season of 1914, by special train January 23, 24, 25, and March 9. The first will admit of a sojourn of two delightful days; tickets for the trip are valid to return until May 31.

The round trip, \$50.00 from New York, \$45.00 from Philadelphia, and proportionate rates from other points. For tickets, itineraries and other information, apply to ticket agents, special booking office, or address Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Broad street station, Philadelphia.

Our stock of primroses, in bloom, cannot be taken for variety. Payne's nursery, Girardville, 19-14-61-end.

Diamonds, watches, rings, silverware, fine goods, cut glass and banquet lamps with Dresden or silk shades, at A. Holderman's.

**Wilkinson's**  
**Holiday News.**

Honest Worth in Everything We Show in our Great Holiday Stock. Our Public Appreciate Enterprise Which Prompts Our Holiday Preparations. Our Windows are But a Hint of Beauty of the Store's Interior—But Come See.

**Christmas Greeting.**

For Caps as well as Plush or Fur Caps are marked at tempting prices. Caps worth \$7.50, now \$4.99. For a good one; you will pay half as much more.

**Dress Stuffs.**

For a possible gift than a nice dress. We have every weave and shade in the latest styles—prices run from 10c. to \$1.00.

**Toilet Soaps.**

Our purchase enables us to sell Toilet Soap, 3 pieces in box, for 5c.

**Hats and Boas**

For prices than cost of material, and latestness of the season.

**Handkerchiefs.**

Several dozen to pick from; better for less money than any other house. Our Fancy Handkerchiefs, each of fine linen, hemmed or fancy embroidered, Handkerchiefs, 5c. each; the end of other stores. Fine Silk handkerchiefs for men or women, with initial, at right prices.

**Table Linens.**

Towels, Napkins, Bureau Scarfs, Chemise of Tapestry Curtains or Covers, Lace Curtains and a hundred pretty things for household use or adornment.

**Stamped Goods**

When most of the town will participate, your family phys on the ground. Harry

**MAHANAY CITY.**

**Death of a Former Favorite in Base Ball Circles.**  
MAHANAY CITY, Dec. 21.—Michael C. McCord died yesterday from pneumonia. He was 39 years of age and is survived by a wife and child. The deceased, in his earlier days, was a clever base ball player and all "round athlete. He was a member of the old Phoenix base ball club in 1877, '78 and '79 and played with the Washingtons, of the National League, in 1880. His arm gave out and he was subsequently an umpire in the Central Pennsylvania League. Of late years he has served as bartender in the various hotels in this town and was last employed in McElhenny's cafe. Funeral Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Guy C. Irish was taken suddenly ill while at service in the Methodist Episcopal church yesterday morning and removed to her home. She is much improved to-day.

William Owsawiz has been sent to jail on a charge of defrauding William Ober, a meat dealer of Lehigh.

The slant on the Elmwood colliery, which was a rendezvous for the hobo element, was destroyed by the G. & I. police yesterday. It was burned down.

The home of Mrs. E. Stone, on East Mahanay street, was the scene of a pleasant gathering Saturday evening, the occasion being the 21st birthday celebration of her son, James E. Stone.

The funeral of Andrew Polack, who was killed by a fall of rock at the North Mahanay colliery, on Friday, took place yesterday and was attended by the St. John, St. Peter and St. Paul Societies and the Citizens band.

The fourth game of foot ball between the Park and New Boston teams was played on Saturday and resulted in a score of 2 to 0 in favor of the Park team. The final game will be played at Dolan's park, Pottsville, on Christmas afternoon, for \$50 a side.

Joseph Becker, aged 38, died yesterday from typhoid fever. He was a member of the I. O. O. F., Harrigari and Knights of Honor. His wife and two children survive him.

The Royal Arcanum Lodge of Delano, celebrated its 25th anniversary on Saturday evening.

Silver novelties of every description. Big assortment at Brennan's.

**FIFTY FORTS.**

**Happenings Throughout the Region Chronicled for Hasty Perusal.**

T. M. Scanlan, the affable paying teller at the Merchants National Bank, has purchased from ex-Senator B. J. Monaghan, the property at 106 West Cherry street, where he now resides.

James Gruber, of Girardville, and Miss Cora Price, of Lost Creek, were married on Wednesday.

Dr. Wendell Rober will leave Pottsville this week and locate in Philadelphia.

The Bar examining committee will meet on Wednesday to examine candidates for admission to the Bar.

This is the shortest day in the year.

The Lehigh collieries will work four days this week, commencing to-day.

It will be three months before the new hospital at the Almshouse is ready for occupancy.

Girardville receives a tax of \$3.00 each for twelve cars from the Traction Company.

The residents of North Jardin street are complaining because miscreants make it a practice to remove door mats from their doors. The police should keep an eye on these youngsters.

Asbland expects to get a new Reading depot.

Pittsburg's coffee wagon, that went to all fires to supply the firemen, has been abandoned.

Bert Ford, aged 14, of Allegheny, fell 30 feet, landing on his head, and escaped unhurt.

The jury in the case of the Dodson brothers, charged with the murder of Lewis Helman, which went out at Brookville Saturday, is still out.

The Lehigh Valley railroad will hereafter only handle important freight on Sunday.

**Father McManus Dead.**

Rev. H. J. McManus, former pastor of the Catholic church at Lost Creek, died yesterday at the Presbyterian hospital, Philadelphia, where he underwent an operation on Friday to relieve him of an abscess in his left ear that had given him considerable trouble for some time past. Dr. Riddle was telegraphed for on Saturday. Father McManus was stationed at Doylestown.

Buy your slippers at the Factory Shoe Store.

**PERSONAL MENTION.**

William E. James, one of the local corps of public school teachers, returned home yesterday from Philadelphia, where he underwent an operation. The physicians say the operation was a successful one.

Maj. John F. Finney, of the Minors' Journal, circulated among political friends here yesterday.

Rev. H. F. O'Reilly, rector of the Church of the Annunciation, was a noon passenger to Philadelphia.

Messrs. Elmer Johnson and James Whalen, of Lost Creek, returned home from Philadelphia yesterday.

Monroe T. Schreffler, of the Millersville Normal school, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Harry Shipp, on South Jardin street.

J. A. Mandour attended the wedding of a friend in Mt. Carmel yesterday.

Miss Emily Krick spent to-day in Pottsville.

J. J. Kerlake, of the Dickinson Seminary, yesterday led the prayer meeting of the Christian Endeavor society of the M. E. church.

Messrs. John Medalla and Andrew Masluky drove to Mahanoy City yesterday with a fine pair of steeds.

Harry Erwin, of the Philadelphia Dental College, is home to spend the holidays.

Ladies' velvet slippers at 39 cents per pair. WHITELOCK'S SHOE STORE.

**Benefit of the Worthy Poor.**

At the meeting of the Y. W. C. U. on Saturday evening, it was decided to ask for contributions from the people of the town in behalf of the worthy poor, and to that end a committee of five was appointed to receive contributions on Wednesday evening, at their hall in the Beddall building. Contributions of any kind will be received and distributed among those in destitute circumstances. Those of our readers who can spare the means, should assist in making Christmas a merry one for their less fortunate neighbors.

**Shooting Match on Christmas.**

A grand shooting match will take place on Christmas Day, in the rear of Baird's field, for a big fat hog. The match will begin at 9 o'clock in the morning, and the large number of men who have already enrolled themselves for the contest. Some of the best marksmen of the town will participate.

When most of the town will participate, your family phys on the ground. Harry

**Timely Suggestion.**

A very sensible and judicious Christmas is a nice umbrella. We have them with silver trimmed or plain handles, in gloria silk, at sacrificing prices. At Maley's, the Jeweler.

More diamonds at Holderman's than any store in the county.

**The Concentric Point**

on which the various circles of humanity depend for their purchases in fine footwear for ladies' and gents', youths' and children, is Womer's shoe emporium, 124 North Main street.

**Liver Ills**

Like biliousness, dyspepsia, headache, constipation, sour stomach, indigestion are promptly cured by Hood's Pills. They do their work

**Hood's Pills**

easy and thoroughly. Best after dinner pills. 25 cents. All druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only pill to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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

ONE WEEK, COMMENCING

Monday, December 21.

CHRISTMAS MATINEE.

No Performance on Thursday Night.

Extraordinary Engagement

**The SAGES**

X. La Motte Sage, A. M., Ph. D., L. L. D.; Olga Helene Sage, assisted by Dr. Granville G. Grey, A. B. McDoyle, M. A. and others

In a Marvelous Production of

**HYPNOTISM**

Attracting the Most Cultured Audiences ever seen in theatres. At the Park Theatre, Philadelphia, prices were \$1.30 to 25c. Here exactly the same production will be given at the following special prices:

Gallery, 15c., Balcony, 25c., Parquet Circle, 35c., Parquet, 50c.

**Christmas Candy Free**

SNOW STORM IN WHITELOCK'S SHOE STORE WINDOWS.

Commencing this evening

we will give each buyer of shoes a

**Christmas Box of Candy.**

Slippers for Christmas

We lead all other stores; large assortment, prices the lowest.

**BOYS' CARPET SLIPPERS**

Sizes 11 to 2, at 25cts.

Ladies' Velvet House Slippers, 39 Cts.

**NEN'S SLIPPERS**

Large line to select from.

**CHILD'S GUM BOOTS**

are useful for Christmas Gifts, buy them at our store and save money.

**MEN'S DUCK BOOTS**

Buy at our store, we sell the best in the market.

**BIG BARGAINS FOR THE HOLIDAYS**



All our immense stock of Clothing and Heavy Overcoats have been reduced in price, owing to the mild state of the weather and the approaching holiday season. We are compelled to do this as the weather is against us and our mammoth store is overcrowded with SUITS and OVERCOATS, which must be disposed of, as the following will show:

- Blue Black and Brown Beaver Overcoats \$7.50, now \$5.25
- " " " Melton " 10.00, " 7.50
- " " " Kersley " 12.00, " 8.50
- " and Black Imported Melton " 16.00, " 12.00
- " and Black Broken Chinchilla " 21.00, " 8.00
- " and Black Imported Chinchilla " 14.00, " 9.50

Heavy, Big Nap Niggerhead Suits, Blue and Black, were \$9.50, now \$7.00

Heavy, Small Nap Niggerhead Suits, Blue and Black, were \$8.00, now \$6.00

All our heavy stock of Clothing reduced 30 per ct.

**BOYS' and CHILDREN'S SUITS,**

We have by the carload, and are disposing of them at half prices.

All kinds of Dress Suits, French clays, sacks and frocks, to go at fifty cents on the dollar. An enormous line of Stiff Hats. An immense stock of underwear at prices never heard of.

**MAMMOTH CLOTHING HOUSE,**

L. GOLDIN, Proprietor.  
9 and 11 South Main Street, Shenandoah, Pa.

**We Are Now Ready for**

**THE HOLIDAY TRADE.**

YOUR purchases for Christmas gifts should be made where you can buy the best goods for the least money. Our reputation for GOOD GOODS AND LOW PRICES is well established, which is fully shown by the business we are doing. We have made special efforts to prepare for your wants, and we are confident we are in position to meet them.

Among the many good things shown in this large dry goods house are the following, at cheaper prices than they can be bought in the large cities:

Linen Table Sets, Tibet Boas, Coque Hackle and Ostrich Feather Boas, from \$1 to \$12.50 each.

Ostrich and Coque Collarettes, Sofa Pillows, Head Rests, Ladies' and Children's Kid Gloves, Towels, Napkins, Chenille Table Covers, Shawls, Blankets, Table Linens, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Underwear and Hosiery direct from the manufacturers, Pocket Books, Ribbons, Children's Silk Caps, Stamped Linens, and best Filo, Roman and Embroidery Silks only 3c. per skein.

**OUR COAT ROOM**

Is the centre of attraction; look through it and pick out what you want at 25 per ct. less than the same would cost you elsewhere.

We sell the DELINEATOR and carry a full line of BUTTERICK PAPER PATTERNS.

**P. J. GAUGHAN, - 27 N. Main St.**

**Father Dent Wins His Case.**

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—In the supreme court in Brooklyn the suit of Father Dent against the Friars minor of the Order of St. Francis for \$50,000 damages has been dismissed. A settlement was effected for \$10,000, and the plaintiff received the money on Saturday. The indictment against Father Dent for alleged perjury was dismissed Saturday on motion of the district attorney. Father Dent sued the order of St. Francis for \$50,000, and out of that suit developed a charge of perjury against the priest, upon which he was indicted.

**Dynamite Victim's Widow Brings Suit.**

LANCASTER, Pa., Dec. 21.—Mrs. Annie K. Bergstresser has brought suit for \$25,000 damages against the Pennsylvania Telephone company for the loss of her husband, who was killed by a dynamite explosion at New Holland, on August last. Bergstresser was the driver of the company's wagon, on which some dynamite had been stored, and which was exploded through the carelessness, it is alleged, of some of the company's employes.

**Bickert's Cafe Announcement.**

Fried Chicken, Stewed Chicken, Chicken, Clam and Oyster Soup, Oysters Stewed, Fried, Panned, on Toast and Scalloped.

Extra Fine Large Saddle Rocks, Blue Points and Prisms.

Fresh Lobster and Lobster Salad, Lamb Chops, Hamburger Steak, Ulmer's Fresh Sausage.

Fish Cakes, Ham, Swiss Cheese. Orders for anything in the eating line prepared at short notice.

Special attention given to the ladies' and gentlemen's dining room on the second floor. We have received to-day a number of Susquehanna canvas backs, red-head, black-head and malard ducks direct from Baltimore. Also a West Virginia buck deer.

**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 Logan 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,**

(Titman's Block)  
East Centre Street.  
Office Hours: 7 a. m. to 8 p. m.

**Fine Groceries, Butter and Eggs, Flour and Feed.**

Our delivery wagon awaits your order. Goods delivered promptly.

**WILLIAM H. MUSSER,**

26 East Centre Street.

**MISCELLANEOUS.**

**FOR SALE**—Valuable property, 211 and 213 West Oak streets; all modern improvements; excellent location; good sewerage; two dwellings on rear of lot. Apply at 211 West Lloyd street. 12-21-14

**FOR RENT**—Brick dwelling house, 8 rooms, 28 East Oak street, applying at No. 28 West Lloyd street. 14-00

**WANTED**—Young lady wanted to finish tin type pictures. No experience necessary. Call at 168 Main street.

**LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN**—A beagle dog, bound with black ears, long spotted like a couch dog, black spot on rump. Suitable reward will be paid for return to F. E. Magargie, Shenandoah, Pa. 12-14-14

**FOR RENT**—Two nice unfurnished rooms, well heated. Apply at No. 211 West Oak street. 12-5-14

**FOR RENT**—A nice room, second floor, suitable for office purposes. Apply at 10 office.

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The wonder of the age, made by American manufacturers. It is a

**Fine Open Face Watch**

Stem Winding, Stem Setting and Warranted, only \$4.00

This same Watch warranted, with a double case, only \$5.00

COME AND EXAMINE THEM.

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