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4 North Main St.  
GASOLINE, OIL,  
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Also Headlight Oil, 150 Fire Test.

ROBERT YEAGER, 32 East Coal St., Shenandoah, Pa.  
Mail orders promptly attended to.

**Strikers Return to Work.**  
Hagloton, Pa., Aug. 27.—The employees at Van Wickley's Beaver Meadow and Coleraine collieries, who struck for an advance in wages Wednesday, returned to work yesterday. The men are not thoroughly organized, and the effort to shut down the collieries was a failure. The agitation is still going on, and another strike seems only a question of a short time. The operators say they are already paying their hands better than other operators in the vicinity. The company store and alien tax law are causing most trouble among the foreigners.

**Export Report.**  
W. L. Shaefer and G. A. Berner, of the Taxpayers League, filed with the Commissioners and Controller Severn yesterday the report of their expert on the electric light plant at the almshouse. The report is somewhat lengthy, covering five or six pages of typewritten copy, and dwells in a general way on the work as performed by the contractors. The county officials will look over the report in due time.

**A Severe Cut.**  
Joseph Busko, a laborer employed at the Shenandoah City colliery, yesterday received a severe cut between the thumb and index finger of the right hand by a piece of coal slipping from a rib when he was engaged in making a prop hole. Dr. Spaulding dressed the injury.

**Cow Killed.**  
A cow was struck on the Lehigh Valley Railroad at Brownsville this morning. The animal was able to get on its feet again, but had to be killed.

**Delegates Return.**  
W. J. James, John M. Bock, John A. Bidler and David Daddow, delegates to the P. O. S. A. state camp at Reading, returned to town at noon.

**Endorsement of Speer's Wine by the Faculty of N. Y.**  
The Committee of Physicians requested to examine into the merits of the wines of Alfred Speer, covering these wines strictly pure, acceptable in flavor, palatable and rich body. Dr. Cyrus Edison, of New York Board of Health, says there is no better wine in the world.

**SAM LEE'S CHINESE LAUNDRY**  
10 N. Main Street  
PRICE LIST:  
Collars, 25c  
Cuffs, 25c  
New Shirts, 40c  
Shirts, washed and ironed, 40c  
Shirts, starched and ironed, 50c  
Night Shirts, 25c  
Drawers, 25c  
Socks, 25c  
Handkerchiefs, 25c  
Linen, 15c to 20c  
Laundry done up daily. Mending free for regular customers.

**SHENANDOAH GROCERY STORE**  
(VAN HORN & O'HAREN, Props.)  
Successors to  
**MELUSKEY & SON**  
105 S. Main Street  
Headquarters for a full and complete line of groceries.  
A genuine welcome waits you at  
**JOE WYATT'S SALOON**  
Cor. Main and Coal Sts.  
Finest whiskeys, beers, porters and ale constantly on tap. Choice champagne drinks and cigars.

**O'HARA'S LIVERY!**  
BOARDING AND SALES STABLES.  
Undertaking in - -  
- - all its Branches.  
Open Day and Night.  
Cor. White and Lloyd Streets, Shenandoah, **Mansion House Stables, MAHANAY CITY.**

FOR A FEW DAYS  
15 Bars of Soap for  
**25c.**  
**E. B. FOLEY**, 37 West Centre St.

## PITHY POINTS.

Happenings Throughout the Country  
Chron-icled by Handy Penman.  
Geo. S. Wilford of Tanawag, has been granted a soldier's pension of \$6 per month. The handsome new Methodist Episcopal church at Bloomsburg will be dedicated Sept. 10th.  
George Krantz was killed by a fall of coal at Hickory Swamp colliery, near Shamokin yesterday.  
A few days more of work in Pottsville will connect that town and Schuylkill Haven by electric railway.  
The new German Lutheran church at Mifflerville is expected to be ready for occupancy by Oct. 1st.  
The P. & R. Company put a new turntable 65 feet long in at Catawissa, one of the largest on the road.  
In a runaway carriage wreck at Reading Samuel J. Kaufman and two friends were injured, the former very severely.  
Free delivery service at Conneville on January 1st, 1898, with three carriers, has been ordered by the post office department.  
Catawissa feels the prosperity due to a partial restoration of business over the P. & R. Railroad, which was diverted to Shamokin 10 years ago.  
Geo. Walker Sr., of Tanawag, proprietor of Walker's Hotel was afflicted with a third stroke of paralysis on Monday and is in a critical condition.  
Prof. W. T. Roushey, principal of the Millersville Normal High School, who was struck by a freight train at that place, died yesterday.  
A Pottsville policeman arrested a "one-armed" tramp, who had the missing limb neatly tucked away under his shirt, to further his beggary projects.  
A marriage license was issued at Lancaster to John Shterzer, 36 years old, and Annie Cagle, 23 years old, both of Mr. Joy, this being the bridegroom's third matrimonial venture.  
The hard times in this region have even affected the oft abused insurance agents, and reports of policy holders lapsing are frequent. New policy holders as well as agents are also hard to obtain.  
A syndicate paid \$100 for the privilege of securing all the fish, frogs and stappers in Simon Austin's large mill dam at Windorville, York county. They secured a large lot of carp, bass and catfish yesterday.

When you want good roofing, plumbing, gas fitting, or general tin-smithing done call on E. F. Gallagher 18 West Centre Street Dealer in gas— 1-17

**To Atlantic City Without Change of Cars**  
Via Pennsylvania Railroad Company Delaware River Bridge Route. One-day excursion Sunday next, August 29th. Special train through to and from Atlantic City, without change of cars, will leave Shenandoah at 4:25 a. m., and Atlantic City, returning, at 7:00 p. m., same day. Round trip rate \$2.85; children between five and twelve years, half price.

A dose of Fowler's Ext. of Wild Strawberry kings immediately relief in all cases of cramping pains of the stomach or bowels. It is nature's specific for summer complaint in all its forms.

**Deaths Recorded.**  
From Frederick W. Breunerman and wife Kate W. Flynn, premises in Pottsville.  
From Charles F. Wagner to Schuylkill & Lehigh Valley Railroad Company for premises in North Mahanoy township.  
Letters patent of the Tanawag Land Improvement Company were also placed on record.

**A Famous Beverage.**  
The world's famous Munich beer, imported from Germany, pure barley malt extract, constantly on draught at William Herr's cafe, 30 North Main street. - 13-14

**DR. CHASE'S Blood-Nerve Food**  
WEIGH YOURSELF BEFORE TAKING IT  
FOR Weak and Run Down People.  
**WHAT IT IS!** The richest of all restoratives. It restores vitality, because it replaces the essential life that are exhausted by disease, indigestion, high living, overwork, worry, excesses, etc.  
**WHAT IT DOES!** By making the blood pure and rich and the nerves strong—the brain becomes active and clear. It restores lost vitality, stops all wasting organs and weakness in either sex, and as a female regulator has no equal. Price 25c, or five boxes \$2.00. Single or by mail. We can help you. Advice and book, free.

**WOOD'S**  
Shenandoah College I  
Prof. H. G. Reed, graduate of the High school and two colleges, has been added to the faculty. Prof. Reed is an excellent penman and shorthand teacher.  
All old students should enter August 23rd. Finished students wishing positions in New York should send in their applications to Shenandoah.  
D. D. Gallagher is doing well and has an excellent position.

**AN EXTRA REDUCTION SALE FOR THE NEXT TWO WEEKS**  
— IN —  
Brussels, Ingrain and Rag Carpet.  
ALSO A LARGE STOCK OF OIL CLOTHS.  
— IN OUR LINE OF —  
**FURNITURE**  
of every description we can save you many dollars by giving us your trade. All bargain seekers should take advantage of this opportunity.

**L. MAISEL,**  
103 EAST CENTRE ST., SHENANDOAH, PA.  
M. SPOONT, Agt.

**Hood's Pills**  
Liver and stomachic, lead taste in the mouth, constipation, gas in the stomach, diarrhoea and indigestion. Do not weaken, but have a tonic effect. The only pills to take with Hood's Pepsinogen.

## MAHANAY CITY.

The funeral of Elmer, the two months-old son of Aaron Wertz took place at two o'clock this afternoon. Services were conducted at the house by Rev. H. A. Keiser, D. D.  
The funeral of Walter M., infant son of Frank and Agnes Vient took place from the family residence on West Mahanoy Avenue at two o'clock today.  
At the Republican State Convention, held at Harrisburg yesterday, our townsman, Ephraim Barlow, was chosen a State Committeeman. He will represent the Thirtieth district with Charles F. Allen, of Tanawag. Joseph Taylor, who was fatally injured at Hillside, a portion of the Tunnel Ridge colliery, on Wednesday morning, died of his injuries at 6:45 o'clock last evening. Death was due to a spinal hemorrhage which caused paralysis of the entire body, save the head. The coroner's jury empaneled to look into the death of the unfortunate man rendered a verdict of accidental death.  
Charles and other complements figured as important means of defense in a row in the saloon owned by Peter Paschewicz, in the first ward at 2 o'clock this morning. Battered heads were plenty and the bar fixtures were also destroyed. After the fight the saloon, porch and pavement had to be resurfaced in a slaughter house. No arrests had been made.  
Lewis, a 14-year-old son of Mrs. John Knobloch, of East Centre street, met with an accident on a bicycle yesterday afternoon by colliding with a team. He was thrown violently to the ground and sustained several severe bruises. The wheel is a total wreck. The rider was despite the hard times. The officials prefer the coal regions, saying that it is not so difficult to secure labor. A. M. Pollock, the West Centre street shoe dealer has offered the company a site, providing they will locate here and free rental for two years. The authorities of Lykens, Pa., laboring of the property have offered to place \$2,000 at the disposal of the shoe manufacturers to build in their midst.

**Supper Party.**  
The A. P. S. G. of town tendered Mr. and Mrs. John Knott a pleasant surprise last evening, at their home in Ellangowan. The evening was pleasantly spent with singing and games and at a late hour refreshments were served. Among those present were: Misses Lillian Griffiths, Lillian Smith, Bertha Decker, Hannah and Annie Jones, John Brown, Robert Hughes, F. J. Hollenbach, George Knott, George Powell, William Mader, William Smith and Frank (Bradwell) and Mrs. Alice Short, Miss Esther Broadwell, M. and Mrs. John Knott, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Sedenth, William and Edward Broadwell, John Short and George Buchanan, of Ellangowan.

**Bridges Completed.**  
The work of replacing the old wooden trestles on the Catawissa branch of the P. & R. Railway is fast nearing completion. Those at Ringtown, Dark Run and Fisher's Hollow were completed last week, while those at Stranger's Hollow and Mine Gap are nearly finished. The only one upon which much work remains to be done is the one at Long Hollow, near Mainville.

**Enjoyable Gathering.**  
A number of ladies and gentlemen spent last evening at High Point park as the guests of School Director Patrick Noon, of Lost Creek. During the evening the party was swelled by the arrival of some invited guests from Robinson's patch. An orchestra of seven pieces furnished dancing music and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

**Change of Principals.**  
Prof. Starkey has resigned the principalship of the Shamokin High School to accept the chair of Greek and Latin in the West Chester Normal School, and Prof. Joseph Horwath, of Waterloo, N. Y., has been elected his successor.

**More Organization.**  
John Fahy, the president of the Anthracite United Mine Workers of America, has met with great success in the eastern end of the county since the Lehigh & Wilkesbarre strike. Besides the six locals organized the day the strike was declared off, the miners of Silver Brook have been organized into a local.

**A Church Threatened.**  
LARGE features have appeared in the highway opposite the Catholic church at Lost Creek and it is feared the edifice is threatened. The disturbance is caused by the caving in of Packer No. 2 colliery workings.

**CASTORIA**  
For Infants and Children.  
The medicinal properties of Castoria are well known. It is a safe and reliable remedy for all ailments of infants and children.

**WAIT FOR BARGAINS!**  
George Ploppert, the leading shoe dealer, is visiting New York and Boston for the purpose of purchasing a new stock of

**BOOTS and SHOES!**  
If you are in need of footwear wait until he returns with hundreds of bargains. It will pay you.  
**PLOPPERT'S SHOE STORE,**  
105 NORTH MAIN STREET.  
Two floors above Merchants' Bank.

**The Faust Wheel Made to Fit.**  
A bicycle, in many respects, is like a suit of clothes. If you do not appear with ease and grace upon your cycle, it is because it don't fit you. With ease and grace also comes power. Secure them all by ordering a special wheel, measured to fit by the home manufacturer. A guarantee goes with every wheel. Patronize home industry and secure a reliable wheel.  
--- Repairing of all Kinds ---  
**FAUST BICYCLE WORKS,**  
BRANDONVILLE, PENNA.  
BRANCH OFFICE: 120 SOUTH JARDIN STREET, SHENANDOAH, PENNA.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

F. J. Portz returned last evening from Atlantic City.  
Robert Jones has gone to Ocean Grove to spend a few days.  
Miss Sallie Evans, of Ashland, was a visitor to town last evening.  
Miss Ida Dresher, of Ringtown, was a visitor to town today.  
Charles Phillips, Jr., returned home from Reading last evening.  
Miss Mary Coyle has returned home from her vacation to New Philadelphia.  
Charles Haskins and wife are enjoying a few days at Atlantic City and Philadelphia. M. J. O'Neill and wife returned home last evening after a stay of ten days at Atlantic City.  
Miss Kate L. Goforth, of Bristol, Pa., is the guest of Mrs. T. J. Davies, of West Oak street.  
Mrs. Boyer and daughter, Gertrude, of Reading, are visiting the family of Dr. C. S. Phillips, on West Centre street.  
Lewis Lehe, Jr., contemplates a trip to Atlantic City to hear what the wild waves are saying.  
John W. Morgan, of East Oak street, is confined to his home by illness.  
Mrs. Annie Williams and daughter returned from Shenandoah last evening after several weeks to friends at Wilkesbarre and Scranton.  
Messrs. Grant Lesig and Fred Wasley were conspicuous on the streets of Hasleton yesterday. The journey was made by team.  
Prof. E. Wilde returned to town last evening from Scranton on his bike. He left Scranton at 5:20 a. m. and arrived home at 8:30 p. m.  
Miss Annie E. Lathlean, one of Pottsville's charming daughters, spent last evening in town as a guest of friends and has gone to Ashland to spend a few days.

Rev. Henry Naylon, at present curate of the Church of Immaculate Conception, Chester, is being escorted by his many friends in town. The reverend gentleman's new field of duty must be in perfect harmony with his constitution as he presents a most propitious and healthy appearance.  
Mrs. Seadon, and daughter, Jessie, and C. F. Holderman, Jr., have returned home from Shenandoah. They had gone there to assist Mr. and Mrs. Max Schmidt to unpack their household effects. Mr. Holderman was complimented on his work as the entire shipment was made without any damage being incurred.

Cascarets stimulate liver, kidneys and bowels. Never sicken, weaken or grip, 10c.  
**Fire Fighters Killed in Pottsville.**  
Pittsburg, Aug. 27.—Fire last night totally destroyed Edmundson & Perrine's furniture establishment, causing \$10,000 loss. The guests of the Seventh Avenue hotel, adjoining, were at supper at the time. A small sized panic ensued, and a grand rush was made for the exits. Fortunately no one was hurt, but the excitement ran high for a time, and the hallways were soon filled with trunks and baggage of guests. A portion of the rear wall of the furniture store was caught on fire. Firemen, Zeke Glover and Harry Holt, both were instantly killed. The bodies of two boys are also believed to be beneath the debris.

**Alleged Tax Law Unconstitutional.**  
Pittsburg, Aug. 27.—The alien tax law was decided unconstitutional yesterday by Judge Acheson, of the United States court. The alien tax law directs that all persons, firms and companies shall pay three cents a day for every foreign born, unnaturalized person employed by them. It also directs all persons to keep lists of such foreign born, and the number of days employed, and demands a correct account to be rendered thereof every quarter. The tax and fines are to be paid to the county commissioners, one-half to be used for school purposes and one-half for current county expenses.

**Fleece Victims.**  
Among the latest victims of misplaced confidence in this part of the country is Daniel Smith, who resides near Tower City. Wednesday evening he was cleverly robbed of fifty dollars by two strangers. Smith is a fruit tree agent and on Wednesday was in Mahanoy valley making collections. About 6 o'clock in the evening, on his way home, he stopped at a hotel near Gowen City. He invited the men in the room to have a drink and a conversation followed in which two strangers took part. Smith began to brag about money, and several times counted out the contents of his pocket-book which amounted to about fifty dollars. When starting for home Smith invited the strangers to ride part of the way with him. They did so, Smith sitting on the lap of his new made friends in the carriage. When Smith got home he found his pocket-book in the bottom of the buggy, with the contents gone. Search for the strangers has been fruitless.

**Tyranny Alleged.**  
W. A. Bailey, for the past twenty years superintendent of E. B. Ayres' store at Anderson, has tendered his resignation to take effect on September 1. Just what has brought about the resignation is not known, but it is intimated that it was due to some tyrannical order by the superintendent of the collieries.

**Obituary.**  
Christina E., daughter of Robert and Mary Shoop, of West Hinkleberry alley, died at 2 o'clock this afternoon from cholera infantum.

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And we must revive it. How? By offering low and catchy inducements to buyers.  
—FOR THIS WEEK—  
**One Lot of Hard Wood Kitchen Chairs**  
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**PROSPERITY**  
Is returning to this country in every way, plenty of work and good clothing at low prices, such as only  
**...The Famous Clothiers**  
Are selling is a sufficient sign of this.  
We took especial care in selecting our stock, in design, quality, style and price, with the result that we are able to show you the best line of Clothing at the lowest prices you ever bought the same quality of goods for. If you are in need of good  
**Men's, Boys' or Children's Clothing,**  
Come and see us and we assure you you will save 40c. on every dollar you spend with us.  
**THE FAMOUS**  
MOE HIRSH, Manager,  
THE ACKNOWLEDGED  
Cheapest Clothiers and Hatters in the County.  
—The Shopping Palace for the People—  
COR. MAIN AND OAK STREETS,  
FRANEY BUILDING, SHENANDOAH, PA.  
OUR MERCHANT TAILORING DEPARTMENT  
Is unsurpassed in this section. Come let us take your measure for an all-wool suit, made to order, from \$10.50 up.  
150 DIFFERENT STYLES TO SELECT FROM.  
BELOW COST.  
One Boy's "Falcon," list \$65  
One Boy's "Prince," list \$50  
EITHER OF THEM AT \$25.00.  
2 GENT'S "SHIRKS," Shop Worn, \$35.00  
LADIES' AND GENTS' BICYCLES TO HIRE.....  
OUR BICYCLE REPAIR SHOP DOES ANY KIND OF WORK.  
**SWALM'S : HARDWARE : STORE.**

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RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA and similar Complaints, and prepared under the strictest GERMAN MEDICAL LAWS. Prescribed by eminent physicians.  
31 HIGHEST AWARDS.  
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**MISCELLANEOUS.**  
**FOR SALE**—A large stock of second-hand furniture and carpets, as good as new. Will be sold at a sacrifice. For further information call at the Franey office. - 8-14  
**FOR SALE**—Cheap, a desirable business property on East Centre street. Apply to M. M. Burke, Attorney, Egan building. - 8-14  
**PROPOSALS.**  
Proposals will be received for the building of two (2) blocks of houses in Shenandoah. Specifications can be seen at No. 10 East Centre street. All bids must be in before 11 a. m. on September 1st, 1897. The committee reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, which must be sent to above address. No bids from parties out of town to be considered. M. G. H. M. - 8-21  
Chairman of Committee.

**EVAN J. DAVIES,**  
THE LIVERYMAN,  
No. 13 and 15 N. Pear Alley,  
Has made arrangements so he can now deliver good hard  
Chestnut Coal at \$3.30 per ton  
Pea Coal at \$1.80 per ton  
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