

### BOX PAPER.

Call on us for box paper. Our new cheap ones "Sweethearts" and "Governess" go at 10 cents easily, worth 15c. A new lot of "Pennsylvania" just received. You know the good value this box is. This price is 25 cents. See our new 10c tablets. They are beauties.

### HOOKS & BROWN,

### A SUMMER TONIC.

**Beef, Wine and Iron.**  
Large Bottle, 50 Cents.

### SHENANDOAH DRUG STORE,

3 South Main Street, Shenandoah, Pa.

### SUNDAY EXCURSION TO ATLANTIC CITY.

Low Rates via the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's Delaware River Bridge Route. Sunday, August 21, is the date of the next Pennsylvania Railroad special one-day excursion to Atlantic City.

A special train will be provided, running through to and from Atlantic City via the Delaware River Bridge, without change. Tickets, which will be sold at rates quoted, will be good only on the special train in each direction on day of issue.

Special Rate	Excursion Rate
Shenandoah	42 1/2
Frankville	4 1/2
St. Clair	5 1/2
Pottsville	5 1/2
Schuylkill Haven	5 1/2
Altoona	5 1/2
Williamsport	5 1/2
Harrisburg	5 1/2
Gettysburg	5 1/2
York	5 1/2
Hanover	5 1/2
Carlisle	5 1/2
Reading	5 1/2

Returning special train will leave Atlantic City 7:00 p. m. same day, making same stops.

Worth Examining. The new catalogue of the State Normal School at Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania, has just been received at this office. It is illustrated with numerous cuts of the buildings, rooms and campus.

Besides the four courses maintained for training teachers, the school has two courses in music, and a strong preparatory collegiate course.

The fall term will open September 13th. Those who desire to receive one of these catalogues free, should address:

J. F. WELSH, A. M., Ph. D., Principal.

Continuous Advertising Necessary. It costs the Royal Baking Powder Co. something like \$500,000 annually for advertising. Some one once suggested to the company that they discontinue advertising for one year, the baking powder was well known and advertised, and place that amount, \$500,000 in the profits. The answer was that it would undoubtedly cost the company three times that amount to get the product in its original channels again. This is a pretty good pointer to those business men who imagine they are making a great saving when they discontinue a \$1 or \$2-a-month advertisement a few months in the dull season. "It never pays to tear out a dam because the water is low," comments an exchange. The most successful business men of Shenandoah advertise in the HERALD.

Letters Granted. Letters of administration were granted to William F. Lyons on the estate of Thomas Schuren, late of Ashland, deceased.

Letters testamentary were granted to James Neary on the estate of Mary Neary, late of Mahanoy Township, deceased.

Marriage Licenses. George Minnich, of Raven Run, and Elizabeth Thornton, of Girardville.

Benjamin Remisler and Susie Linder-nuth, both of Frankville.

The luxuries of a trip to the sea shore during the heated month of August can be fully realized at a minimum cost by taking the Pennsylvania Railroad excursion, Thursday, August 18th. Atlantic City is the most accessible point as it can be reached without transfer through Philadelphia by purchasing tickets via the Delaware River Bridge Route, the only all-rail line from points in Pennsylvania.

Pennsylvania's New Capitol. Harrisburg, Aug. 11.—The laying of the corner stone of the new capitol took place at noon yesterday in the presence of a large assemblage. The Grand Lodge of Masons of Pennsylvania were in charge, and many distinguished men in the state were present to honor the occasion. The corner stone is that used in the historic capitol destroyed by fire in February, 1897. The guests of the capitol building commission included state officials, judges of the supreme and superior courts and members of the legislature.

Ask your grocer for the "Royal Patent flour, and take no other brand. It is the best flour made.

Gasoline, Oil, Wagon Grease, Gasoline, Oil Stoves.

We make a specialty of gasoline, 60 cents in five gallon lots, delivered. Mica and U. S. axle grease. Also headlight oil, 150 fire test.

ECLIPSE OIL COMPANY, No. 143 East Coal Street, Shenandoah, Penna. Mail orders promptly attended to.

A Handsome Complexion is one of the greatest charms a woman can possess. POZZONI'S COMPLEXION POWDER gives it.

BEST LINE OF GROCERIES, FLOUR, FEED, HAY and STRAW. Floor and Table Oil Cloths. E. B. Foley, 27 West Centre St.

### A SOLDIERS' LETTER.

Why the Boys Like to Pay Visits to Washington. Dunn, Loring, Va., Aug. 7.—We are still camped here, but it is rumored that we will go to Manassas next week. It means a nice, long march for the boys again. I believe our regiment is as healthy here as it will be there.

The 13th Penna. and the 1st Va. received their pay yesterday and there were lively times in the camp last night. All stands and the show did big business.

There is a great demand for newspapers in camp these days. The 5th Regt. had its regular weekly inspection yesterday morning.

On the 12th of August we will have been in service three months, and there is no doubt we will serve three months more.

The show on our camp ground five afternoon and evening performances. The price of admission is either high—fifty cents.

There is less sickness in our camp than there was at my last writing.

You can buy all kinds of fruit here. Capt. H. B. Banks has been acting Major the last few days in the absence of Major Holmes, who went home to attend the funeral of Seth Orme.

Corporal Shapbell and Privates William and Oscar Shapbell, three brothers, have had a group picture taken and make a fine appearance. The girls will apply for them soon.

Grant Troutman and W. J. James visited Washington on Thursday and took in the sights.

Fred Wilson and Lewis A. Hopkins were in Washington yesterday and report having had a good time. Fred says he will go again when he can get a pass. The boys like to go to Washington because they are well treated. At No. 1204 Pennsylvania Avenue a place called The Soldiers' Rest. There you can be shown or read, and if you are sick will receive attention and medicine.

You are also furnished with food and beverages, and all without charge. At 910 F street the W. C. T. U. have an excellent place where tables are always spread, with delicacies of the season. All you have to do is to walk in, sit down and eat and drink. The boys will never forget the kindness bestowed upon them at these places. Of course there are young ladies at the places to wait on the soldiers when they come in hungry and tired.

John Fagel says he will spend a week in Washington after the war is over and he is discharged.

William G. Boes, of Co. H, 13th Reg't., was on guard on Friday.

Harry Gwyn, of the same company, is on guard to-day.

Stephen Linscomb is still working with the cooks in the kitchen.

Fred Gibson says he will not be home on a furlough this month. His turn will not come so soon.

Corporal Reichelderfer, Rees and Scally and Private C. Monaghan have returned to camp, after spending a few days at home.

Cook Frank Long, Corporal William Greene and Privates Thomas Reese and Richard Brown have left camp on a furlough. Private Perrong is recovering from his illness.

Private Thomas Cravin visited Washington yesterday and had a good time. Private James Home was there, too. It is said there is an attraction there for him.

We have a hired colored cook for our company. He has quite a record in his line.

Mothers lose their dread for "that terrible second summer" when they have Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry in the house. Nature's specific for summer complaints of every sort.

LAST OF THE SEASON. Low-Rate Ten-Day Excursion to Atlantic City, Pa., via Pennsylvania Railroad.

August 18 is the date of the last low-rate ten-day excursion from Erie, Troy, Bellefont, Williamsport, Moanaghta, Sunbury, Shenandoah, Danphin, and principal intermediate stations (including stations on branch routes), to Atlantic City, Cape May, Ocean City, Sea Isle City, Avalon, Angleses, Wildwood, or Holly Beach, via Pennsylvania Railroad.

Excursion tickets, good to return by regular trains within ten days, will be sold at rate of \$10.00 from Erie, \$5.00 from Williamsport, and proportionately lower rates from other points. Tickets to Atlantic City will also be sold via the Delaware River Bridge Route, the only all-rail line, at ten cents more than the rate via Market street wharf, Philadelphia.

For information in regard to rates and time of trains consult hand bills, or apply to agents, or E. S. Harrar, Division Ticket Agent, Williamsport, Pa.

Letter from "Fighting Bob." On July 14th Griffith Griffith, baggage master on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, wrote a letter to Captain Bob Evans, of the Iowa, expressing a desire to become a member of his crew. On Saturday Mr. Griffith received a very courteous reply from the gallant captain stating that he would be very glad to have him on his ship. The letter suggested that Mr. Griffith appear before the Examining Board and if accepted it will not be long before he will be on board the famous battleship.

Fountain pens, from 25c to \$2.50 at F. J. Portz's.

TO THE PUBLIC! The undersigned have opened a new furniture store at No. 131 South Main street. The proprietors, Messrs. D. & J. Siegel, will buy another consignment of furniture in New York and Philadelphia early next week which will arrive in the latter part of the week. The public is invited to call and inspect it.

Our Stove Store Is at No. 123 South Main street, a few doors above the new place. Our fall and winter selection will comprise eight carloads of stoves, ranges and heaters, which will begin to arrive shortly.

ALL GOODS SOLD CHEAP. D. & J. SEIGEL, 123 & 131 South Main St.

### BEER AND WHISKEY

It is probable that nearly every man who drinks moderately or immoderately has some disease of the Kidneys, Liver, Bladder or Urinary Organs. More men die of Kidney Disease than are killed in battle.

The usual symptoms are a sediment in the urine after it stands a day and night; pain in the small of the back; frequent desire to urinate, particularly at night; pain in making water, and urine that stains linen when it touches it.

Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy corrects all bad effects upon the Kidneys caused by whiskey and beer, and puts a new element of life in the blood. Those who drink, as well as total abstainers, will find in his timely medicine restoration to renewed health and happiness.

SAMPLE BOTTLE FREE.—A sample bottle and circular of valuable information will be forwarded by mail free to sufferers who send their name and address to the Dr. David Kennedy, Corporation, Remont, N. Y.

Thank you very much for the sample bottle. This is a genuine offer and is guaranteed by the publishers of this paper.

I shall be all I can to recommend Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy for gravel. I send me copies of J. S. McCormick, U.S. Department Mineral Surveyors, Rock Station, Idaho.

MR. BALL DECLINES. Business Interests Prevent Him From Defeating Brannan.

We are in receipt of a communication from Harrison Ball, of Mahanoy City, in which that gentleman declines to remain a candidate for the Congressional nomination. In his communication Mr. Ball says:

EROTON HERALD.—After careful consideration I have come to the conclusion that it is best for me not to be a candidate for Congress, as at this particular time it would seriously interfere with my business, and my aspirations are not in the direction of office-holding. I thank you, however, very highly for the assurance given me by the Republican leaders, representing every section of the county and all sections of both the county and township, that they not only have a high compliment to me, but assure me that my nomination in November would result in the election of a Democratic ticket, and that my nomination would be a great benefit to the county. I am not a candidate any more, and will be glad to receive my local support, and will walk in the interest and confidence you have shown in me. I remain,

Yours very truly, HARRISON BALL, Mahanoy City, Aug. 11, 1908.

It is regretted that Mr. Ball could not see his way clear to remain in the fight, for the good of the Republican party. The announcement of Mr. Ball's candidacy was received with much favor in every section of the county, and was looked upon as the means of bringing together the two factions now far apart, and presenting a harmonious front against the common enemy. The nomination of Brannan cannot do it, but will likely result in the election of a Democratic ticket, and the defeat of the Republican ticket.

The movement in the direction of Mr. Ball's candidacy was so general and had interested so many leading workers of the party that Mr. Brannan's defeat in the convention was already secured.

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Stop That Cough! Take warning. It may lead to Consumption. A 25c bottle of Sillit's Cure may save your life. Sold by P. D. Kirlin and a guarantee.

Railroad Facilities Wanted. Since the new time table on the local division of the Lehigh Valley Railroad has gone into effect the people in the Quakake Valley, from Black Creek Junction as far as Delano, a distance of twenty miles, have been cut off entirely in passenger traffic, because the amount of business on that branch does not warrant the running of passenger trains to and from Quakake and points east and west between the stations mentioned.

The farmers of the valley have been endeavoring to secure at least one train per day, but their request has not yet been granted, and they now propose to go to law in connection with the proposed facilities desired.

Attorney-General McCormick will be appointed to aid in an effort to compel the railroad company to make the concessions asked for. The claim made by the Quakake people is that as the Lehigh Valley Railroad is a common carrier enjoying the right of eminent domain through their township, and enjoying privileges granted by said township, the company is obliged by law to afford passenger train service or surrender its rights secured from the township.

The farmers also claim that their mail facilities have been seriously interfered with through the discontinuance of the passenger train service, and this matter will be brought to the attention of the United States postal authorities.

Infant's lace caps, the cheapest and largest stock in town, at F. J. Portz's, 21 North Main street.

Now Judge Herring, of Bloomsburg, and formerly of this town, was yesterday appointed Judge of the Columbia-Montour District, to fill the vacancy on the bench caused by the death of Judge E. R. Becker, a few days ago. His commission will run until the first Monday of next January.

The district is Democratic by a majority of voters. Judge Becker was a candidate for reelection, and was defeated for the nomination in Columbia county by J. B. Little, but carried Montour by a small majority. The Republicans of Montour have nominated James Scarlet, who hopes to get the Republican nomination in the district. Senator Herring, after his service in the Senate, was appointed a collector of internal revenue by President Cleveland. His appointment by the Governor has caused much talk. It is believed to have been made in deference to the wishes of Senator Cochran.

The Pennsylvania railroad sea shore excursion, Thursday, August 18th, offers all that may be desired, low rates, first-class accommodations, on regular trains, and for those desiring to go through to Atlantic City same day without transfer through Philadelphia can do so by taking the Delaware River Bridge Route, the only all-rail line from points in Pennsylvania.

Bloomsburg Race Meet. With the month of August comes the Race Meet of the "Bloomsburg Wheelmen." This year on the 20th of August they will hold their Fourth Annual Meet on the grounds of the Columbia county Agricultural Society, and bids fair to far exceed all previous meets, which have always been standard in the quality of races and attendance. The program comprises an aggregate of over \$400 in prizes, all being diamonds.

Discussing Tonnage Rates. It is learned on the best authority that the railroad companies are now discussing a more equitable tonnage rate, which will put the mining companies on a better basis. The significant agitation in the newspapers printed in the mining regions, particularly in the effect of bringing about discussion, is stated.

Geraniums, fuchsias, pansies, daisies, roses, etc., for spring planting at Payne's nurseries, Girardville. Tuloses and gladioli bulbs.

BOSTON FACTORY SHOE STORE, 27 South Main Street, Shenandoah, Pa.

The Rosy Freshness And a velvety softness of the skin is invariably obtained by those who use Pozzoni's Complexion Powder.

### THE WEATHER.

The forecast for Friday: Fair, warmer weather, with light variable winds.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

Tully Morgan, of Philadelphia, is visiting his parents in town.

Mrs. Lizzie Kirlin, of Williamsport, is in town the guest of P. D. Kirlin's family.

Miss Helen Price visited friends at Pottsville to-day.

Prof. J. W. Cooper spent to-day visiting friends at Tremont.

Miss Ella Egan and niece, Katie Farrell, and Miss Maggie Carroll have gone to Tremont to spend several days visiting friends.

Miss Sue Fowler visited friends at Pottsville to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. O'Neill left this morning for Philadelphia and will probably return to-night.

Wilton Scott, of Milton, was a town visitor to-day.

Thomas W. Grant, John A. Kelly, H. J. McMahon, of town, and John A. Lewis, of Wm. Penn, were among the attendants at the Youngling funeral at Pottsville to-day.

Rev. John B. Kuder, wife and two sons are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Dech, of North Jadin street. Rev. Kuder is the pastor of the Lutheran church at Lehighport. He and Mr. Dech are first cousins.

Father Murray, a former town resident, who spent several days here, has returned to his home in Galesburg, Iowa.

Michael Bomerberger, who was injured at Kiekerbener colliery some time ago, was released from the Miners' hospital yesterday. He has nearly recovered.

Dr. Arthur C. Morgan, one of the medical staff at the Blackley sanatorium, Philadelphia, has arrived here to-day to visit his parents.

All kinds of vegetables and flower seeds, and plants at Payne's nurseries, Girardville. Direct correspondence please.

From the Klondiker. From Mahanoy City Record.

A letter received by C. H. Anderson, of the Record, from his younger and only brother, Fred B. Anderson, at Dawson City, Alaska, announces that he had made two trips over the dangerous Chilkoot pass and back to Skagway. He has been a prospector since he landed in the mountains of Colorado, California, British Columbia and other mining districts and is well seasoned for the vigorous climate of Alaska and well equipped as to the knowledge of essential in successful prospecting.

Week Near Tamnauq. A freight train and a navy train collided on a bridge at Reynolds, near Tamnauq, on the P. & E. railroad yesterday. One of the engines and several cars were thrown from the track. The cars were smashed.

RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA and other Complaints, with special reference to the treatment of DR. RICHTER'S "ANCHOR" PAIN EXPELLER.

DR. RICHTER'S "ANCHOR" PAIN EXPELLER. 31 HIGHEST AWARDS. 13 French Hospitals, One Glasgow, 1889 etc. Endorsed and recommended by A. Waseley, 106 N. Main St., Schuylkill, Pa. 1891. F. P. D. Kirlin, 6 S. Main St., Shenandoah, Pa.

MISCELLANEOUS. WANTED. Millinery trimmers and learners. Call at the Ben Ton, 29 North Main street.

FOR SALE.—A valuable property, brick building, with all modern conveniences and in excellent location, situate at corner of Lloyd and West streets. For further information apply to Mrs. S. D. Hess. 8-104

FOR RENT.—A saloon with dwelling, containing 15 comfortable rooms, on South Main street. Located in the business portion. Reasonable terms. Call at HERALD office, 2-2-10

FOR SALE.—A valuable property for sale, consisting of four dwelling houses, all conveniences and good sewerage. For further information apply at 27 West Lloyd street, Shenandoah, Pa. 8-120

FOR SALE.—A saloon. Good stand and central location. Has two pool tables, one being a combination of pool and billiard. Apply at the HERALD office. 8-124

THE NEW FURNITURE EXCHANGE, 110 E. Centre St.

The only furniture store in Shenandoah and vicinity that gives you the opportunity of re-furnishing your home with new furniture in exchange for your old. A reasonable rebate will be allowed on all exchanges.

This offer is made for a limited time only. Come early and take advantage of it. Do not wait until it is declared off.

Our stock consists of a beautiful line of bed room suits, excellent finish, such as quarter sawed oak, bird's eye maple, mahogany and other kinds, elegantly carved. Parlor suits, different designs and colors. Tables, rockers, chairs, sideboards, bed stands, mattresses, Springs, best grades, and cheaper than ever. Iron bedsteads and cribs.

Stoves and Ranges are also included in our business. NEW FURNITURE EXCHANGE, 110 E. Centre St.

### AN OPEN LETTER TO MOTHERS.

WE ARE ASSERTING IN THE COURTS OUR RIGHT TO THE EXCLUSIVE USE OF THE WORD "CASTORIA," AND "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," AS OUR TRADE MARK.

I, DR. SAMUEL PITCHER, of Hyannis, Massachusetts, was the originator of "CASTORIA," the same that has borne and does now bear the fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher on every This is the original "CASTORIA" which has been used in the homes of the Mothers of America for over thirty years.

LOOK CAREFULLY at the wrapper and see that it is the kind you have always bought and has the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher on the wrapper. No one has authority from me to use my name except The Centaur Company, of which Chas. H. Fletcher is President.

March 24, 1898. Samuel Pitcher, M.D.

Do Not Be Deceived. Do not endanger the life of your child by accepting a cheap substitute which some druggist may offer you (because he makes a few more pennies on it), the ingredients of which even he does not know.

"The Kind You Have Always Bought" BEARS THE SIGNATURE OF

Chas. H. Fletcher

Insist on Having The Kind That Never Failed You.

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

EDUCATED AND ARTISTIC TASTES. In wall papers and decorations is one of the nineteenth century accomplishments. That is why those who select their wall paper at CARDEN'S get such delightful results. It isn't necessary to purchase the expensive grades, the designs and colors are just as artistic in the cheaper grades, if they are not so rich. For those who wish to decorate their rooms with artistic wall papers go to

J. P. CARDEN, 224 West Centre Street, Shenandoah, Pa.

SCHUYLKILL DENTAL PARLORS

THOS. BUCHANAN, OPTICIAN.

118 S. Main Street. THOMAS BUCHANAN, OPTICIAN.

We Bottle BEER, WEISS BEER, ALE, PORTER

Private family orders will receive prompt attention. Leave them at the office, we will do the rest.

COLUMBIA BREWING COMPANY.

FOR STATE SENATOR, Both District, D. M. GRAHAM, OF MAHANOY CITY. Subject to Republican rules.

FOR DIRECTOR OF THE POOR, S. G. MIDDLETON, OF GILBERTON. Subject to Republican rules.

FOR COUNTY CONTROLLER, CHARLES A. SNYDER, OF POTTSVILLE. Subject to Republican rules.

FOR COUNTY SHERIFF, MARK D. BOWMAN, OF MAHANOY CITY. Subject to Republican rules.

A good place for a good drink. . . . Michael Mills' Saloon, 22 E. Centre street, Miller's building. Wine, Whiskies, Beer and Cigars. Fresh beer in town always on tap.

PHILA. CHEAP STORE, DEALER IN— Fruit, Confectionery, Cigars and Tobacco. Wholesale and Retail. 29 West Centre Street.

Bucknell University, JOHN HOWARD BARRIS, President. Completes a College with four courses; Academy for Young Men and Boys; Ladies' Institute, a refined boarding school; School of Music with graduating courses. For catalogue address

WM. C. GRETZINGER, Registrar, Lewisburg, Pa.

Dr. Frank Womer, EYE, EAR, NOSE and THROAT. Spectacles and eye glasses fitted accurately. Medical practice resumed. 8 N. JARDIN ST., SHENANDOAH.