

Holiday Goods Bulletin.

We are now ready with a full assortment of holiday goods and we advise the careful buyer to buy early while the assortment is complete.

DOLLS.

- China head dolls, 50 up.
Felt body " 25c up.
Kid body " 25c up.
Dressed " 25c up.

GAMES.

All the new ones and the best of the old ones.
Old Maid, Authors, and many others, 5c.
Errand Boy, Telegraph Boy, Bicycle Race and many others, 20c to 25c.

TOYS.

Largest assortment. Prices right.
Fire engines, 25, 48, 98c.
Hook and Ladder, 25, 48, 98c.
Surrey, Delivery Wagons, etc., 25c.
Engine and train, 25, 48, 98c.
Bell toy. All prices.

TREE ORNAMENTS.

Our tree ornaments make our store a tower of ivory.
Glass balls, 2, 3, 4 and 5c; worth double.
Tinsel ornaments, 1c to 10c.
Paper mache animals. All prices.
Garden Lamp, 10c each, 3 for 25c.

BOOKS.

Paper and linen books, 50 up.
Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, 10c up.
Bound book, good value, 10c up.
Large size story books, 25c.
Prayer books and hymnals. All prices.
Children's books, new for select prices on the Sunday school lesson for 1899, 5c.

SPECIAL.

A large size Oxford S. S. Teachers' Bible at \$1.25. We will put name on cover in gilt for 25c extra.

Trumpets, 50 up.
Tin Toys, 10c up.
Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, 25c.
Dressing Cases, 75c up.
Christmas Cards and Booklets.
Collar and Cuff Boxes.
Photo Medallions, 50c up.
Vards of Roses, etc., 50c up.
Trunks, 25, 48, 75, 108c.
Framed Pictures, 15c.
Hobby Horses, 65c up.
Blackboards, 48c up.

Goods Purchased Now Kept Until Wanted. No Trouble to Show Goods.

HOOKS & BROWN, NO. 4 NORTH MAIN STREET, SHENANDOAH, PENNA.

HUYLER'S DELICIOUS CANDIES

In 1-2, 1, 3 and 5 Pound Boxes for the Holiday Trade.

SHENANDOAH DRUG STORE, 3 South Main Street, Shenandoah, Pa.

Canaries.

A fine lot of singers received from Philadelphia. All kinds. They will make acceptable Christmas gifts.

JAPANESE GOLD FISH

and guppies. All kinds of guppies. You also will receive our special and brilliant Christmas cards.

DAVID HOPKINS,

309 East Centre Street, Shenandoah, Pa.

The Cheap Prices

We are charging for the best Groceries to be had and getting popularity daily. We believe in "live and let live." We want the buyer to have some of the profits as well as the seller.

DEY GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES, GENT'S FURNISHINGS.

Choose winter stock. Good goods at the lowest prices.

Philip Yarowsky,

213 WEST CENTRE ST., SHENANDOAH, PA.

The Boston Factory Shoe Store

Is offering for the next two weeks an inducement very seldom extended to shoe buyers. They are selling

- Ladies' \$1.50 shoes at \$.99
" 2.50 shoes at 1.75
" 3.50 shoes at 2.15
Men's \$1.25 shoes at .90
" 2.00 shoes at 1.25
" 3.00 shoes at 1.25

Our Boy's and Children's shoes are going at greatly reduced prices. We have a choice stock to select from.

BOSTON FACTORY SHOE STORE,

27 South Main Street, Shenandoah, Pa. I. SPONT, PROP. FOUR DOORS ABOVE POST OFFICE.

IEGEL'S TOVE TORE

123 and 131 S. Main Street.

Contains the largest as well as the most reliable stock in town. We have stoves, ranges and heaters in carloads. We sell only the best—The Buckwalter makes. They sell cheap, yet cheaper than anywhere else, and are accompanied by a guarantee.

Our Furniture

Explained in a nutshell compares with the above announcement. We have an entirely new line for the holidays in dining room furniture, chairs, sofas, couches, etc

D. & J. SIEGEL,

123 and 131 South Main Street.

BEST LINE OF GROCERIES, FLOUR, FEED, HAY and STRAW, Floor and Table Oil Cloths.

E. B. Foley, 27 West Centre St.

WAX AND CUT FLOWERS.

THE MISSES JONES, OF W. M. PENN.

Will, on December 10th, open a new store at the COR. MAIN and LLOYD STS., Shenandoah, Pa.

For the sale of wax and cut flowers of all designs of the latest styles at short notice and reasonable prices. Also needle work of all kinds and fancy work. We invite your patronage.

NEW OPENING!

NEW SHOE STORE!



For good and cheap shoes at the lowest prices, go to the

NEW YORK CHEAP SHOE STORE,

Near Jardin St. 33 West Centre Street.

DAVISON'S Holiday Announcement.

Our holiday stock now occupies every available space in our three large store rooms. That we can now fulfill the desires of holiday purchasers is beyond doubt. We have in our selection a beautiful stock of parlor tables, jardiner stands, bric-a-brac, rockers, hall racks, pictures, easels, mirrors, rugs, lace curtains, chenille curtains, poles and fixtures, chenille table covers, and the very newest tapestry table covers. Our stock of parlor suits is a grand one in mahogany frame polish finish. Turkish suits covered in silk damask, silk brocattelle, bouillon and silk French are a temptation to the buyer. A big line of couches and lounges in every conceivable make. In odd pieces of fancy furniture we cannot be excelled. Corner, chairs, reclining chairs and straight chairs in large varieties. Our line of bed room suits are cheap with many to select from. Also sideboards and extension tables.

Our New Stove Addition

In the store room, No 119 North Main street, is filled with heaters, stoves and ranges of the best makes. Also agate ware, tinware and willow ware. Our store is worth a visit to the buyer. Prices to suit purchasers.

DAVISON'S BUSH, FURNITURE, AND STOVE STORE,

119-121-123 North Main St.

NEW MELDAIZIS CAFE,

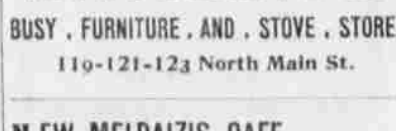
120 SOUTH MAIN STREET.

Again remodelled. Private parties can be entertained in our private booths. Eating bar attached. Free lunch served every evening. None but the best of wines, liquors and cigars sold. Stop in while you are waiting for a trolley car.

GOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache, & clean laxative. All Druggists.

Morgan's Fancy Bazar,

23 North Main St.



B. A. Friedman,

216 W. Centre St.

Three doors below brick school house.

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Call and See the Most Beautiful and Cheapest Stock.

Ayer's Asthma Cure

better known as Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, has made a record for its remarkable cures of asthma. Cases that have been considered beyond hope or help have been cured by this remedy. We give two examples of such cures out of the many on record:—

"My mother has been a great sufferer from asthma for the past ten years, and her recovery is almost without a parallel. On account of her advanced age—over seventy—we had but little hopes of ever seeing her well again; but we are sincerely grateful to inform you that she has been entirely cured by the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral."

"I was a sufferer for a long time from asthma, vainly endeavoring to procure relief in the use of ordinary remedies. At length I was induced to try a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. The first bottle afforded me as much benefit that I continued the use of the remedy until entirely cured."

JOSEPH KLOZ, Charlotte, N. C.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

put up in half-size bottles, 50 cents. Full-size bottle, \$1.00.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Thomas A. Dawson, who is with the 5th Regt., U. S. Infantry, now stationed at Fort McPherson, Ga., writes to his parents here that he has been six weeks in the hospital, suffering from typhoid fever. As soon as he is able to travel he will come home on a furlough.

George H. Williams made a business trip to Potomac this morning.

Joseph Kupinski transacted business at Potomac this morning.

Aaron Sloyer, of Hazleton, was a visitor to town to-day.

Arthur Parrish, who went to England to visit friends several months ago, returned to town yesterday.

W. J. Morris, of South Bowers street, has returned to town after a pleasure trip covering several months in Canada.

Mrs. Samuel Felder has presented her husband with a son.

Miss Hannah Goldbach returned to Northumberland yesterday after an extended visit at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Friedman, on West Centre street.

Rev. T. M. Morrison, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Mahanoy City, passed through town this afternoon, on his way to Lost Creek. He holds a Thursday evening meeting there once a month.

Deaths and Funerals.

Barbara Whitman, aged 7 years and 7 months, died on Tuesday at the home of her parents in Wm. Penn from an attack of congestion of the lungs. The remains were brought to town to-day and interred in the Old Fellows' cemetery.

John K. Haas, a prominent business man of Shamokin, died there yesterday from aneurgia of the heart, aged 56 years.

Mrs. Henry James, aged 87 years, died at her home in Potomac yesterday. Funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Burke, an aged resident of Port Carbon, died on the 6th inst., leaving no children.

An Aged Man Injured.

Nicholas Klein, a resident of Mahanoy City, 73 years old, met with a serious accident this morning while on his way to work. He slipped and fell upon an icy pavement and fractured his right leg just below the hip joint. Owing to his advanced age the injury is likely to be a permanent one. The victim was employed as a painter in the Delano shops.

The Right Name in the Right Place.

Pan-Tina for coughs and colds, 25c. At Grahler Bros., drug store.

FOR SALE.

A valuable business property having modern improvements. Centrally located. Valuable to one wanting a permanent business place and a home. Apply to M. M. BURKE, Attorney, Egan Building.

DO NOT FAIL TO READ THIS!

Christmas is Coming!

We are prepared to cater to our customers with a full line of holiday groceries for your Christmas dinner.

READ OUR LIST:

Citron, Lemon Peel, Prunes, Seeded Raisins, Seedless Raisins, Cleaned Currants, California Dry Peaches, California Canned Peaches, California Dry Peas, California Canned Peas, Figs, Dates, Calumina.

Our prices are astonishing and have won favor with the housewife. They need no introduction.

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THE COUNTY COURT.

Political and Legal Questions Occupy Statesmen's Attention.

Pottsville, Dec. 8.—District Attorney-elect Cummings has finally set at rest all doubt as to the appointments in his office. They are as follows: First deputy, M. P. McLaughlin; Second, James J. Moran; Third, M. J. Flemming. The fourth deputy has not been selected, but is likely to be young Striegel, a member of the Bar. It will be remembered that Mr. Moran had been voted for First deputy, and had already accepted, but with the withdrawal of H. W. Bechtel as Second deputy so complicated matters that Mr. Moran gracefully made the proposition to his chief that if Mr. McLaughlin was elected to the appointments in his office, he would accept the first place he would take the second. This arrangement was made and now everything is lovely in the camp of the Democracy.

Next Monday is the last day for filing liquor license applications. Last year the court granted 1,191 licenses, but up to the present time less than 400 have filed their applications.

Letters of administration were granted to Wm. H. Shoop on the estate of Wm. H. Shoop, late of Tower City, deceased.

The case of Morris Heckman vs. Martin Heisenberger, of Shenandoah, March term, 1897; appeal was settled by the parties in interest.

In the case of Martin Howland vs. the Lehigh Valley Coal Company, suit for \$20,000 damages, the court through Judge Endlich ordered a compulsory non-suit entered. Henry Russell was employed at the North Mahanoy colliery near Mahanoy City, and had a contract to take out coal from the colliery at 75 cents a wagon and \$1.00 a yard. He was stopped by Rees Tasker, and now Russell brings suit against the P. & R. C. & I. Co., for \$1,800 damages. The case is now being tried.

Instead of resigning, it is reported to-day that Judge Peshing's health is greatly improved and that his reappearance upon the bench may be looked for.

Judge Koch is now at Sulphur Springs, Pa., for the benefit of his health. Senator Loech is also at that health resort.

The County Commissioners have caused the bonds of Tax Collector M. J. Scanlan to be certified to the Court of Common Pleas. He owes the county \$3,368.55 on the 1895 duplicate, and \$10,431.90 on the '96; total, \$13,800.05. The Borough Council and School Board have also entered up these bonds, and the amount due them, together with the county, makes Mr. Scanlan's total indebtedness on the two duplicates about \$26,031.41.

Eczema, scald head, hives, itchiness of the skin in any sort instantly relieved, permanently cured, Doan's Ointment. At any drug store.

Justice Comes High. Justice Matiska of Wm. Penn. township, Luzerne county, for one month and a half cost the county just \$1,209.05. He returned 61 cases to court, and the grand jury ignored 61 of them. The Justice received \$425.05 in fees, and the constables \$234.90, while the remainder was in fees for the District Attorney, Sheriff and Clerk of the Courts. There is certainly something wrong when 61 cases are returned and only three true bills are found.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is a very efficient remedy. For coughs and colds it has no equal. It is good for adults and children. For croup and whooping-cough it is invaluable.

The following deeds were filed for record: Mayberry B. Bell and wife to Anton J. Reinhardt, premises in Potomac; Catharine Bell et al. to John Sankook and wife, premises in Minersville; Rebecca Bond et al. to Richard Boyd, premises in Tamaqua; W. H. Zimmerman and wife to John H. Zimmerman, premises in Branch township.

Christmas Gifts. Sample case now open for inspection. The Defender, Traveler and American Rights cigars. Put up in boxes to suit you. All sales guaranteed. L. Brooks Knolly, 37 East Centre street, Shenandoah, Pa.

Now in the West Indies. William H. Wright, formerly of Morea, is now at Santa Fe, Santa Domingo, West Indies, and is in charge of the Baldwin Locomotive Works to superintend the erection of several engines. Mr. Wright has been with the company about five years and his advancement has been rapid.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup has superior merit. Try it for a cough or cold and be convinced. There are many cough remedies on the market but Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is the best.

The Trial Stopped. The trial of Nash and Harvey, at Bloomsburg, charged with burglarizing the Catholic parsonage at Centralia, came to a sudden halt, having the defense pointed out a defect in the indictment. It was postponed until next term. Harvey was released under \$2,000 bail. It is doubtful whether the case will be tried, as a settlement may be reached.

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BUCHANAN THE JEWELER,

118 S. Main St.,

Is making a specialty in holiday gifts of Ladies' and Gent's Gold and Silver Watches.

They are worth inspecting and may be of great money-saving value to the buyer.

RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA and similar Complaints, and prepared under the stringent GERMAN MEDICAL LAWS, prescribed by eminent physicians.

DR. RICHTER'S "ANCHOR" PAIN EXPELLER.

World renowned! Unsurpassably powerful! Only genuine with Trade Mark "Anchor." F. Ad. Richter & Co., 215 Pearl St., New York.

31 HIGHEST AWARDS. 15 Branch Hoses, 025 Glassworks, 25,400 lbs. Endorsed & recommended by A. Waseley, 106 N. Main St., C. H. Hagenbuch, 103 N. Main St., F. P. D. Kirtin, 6 S. Main St., Shenandoah, Pa.

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The trolley cars between here and Girardville are carrying only 20 per cent. of the passengers that were carried before the fare was raised.

The P. & R. employes at St. Nicholas will be paid to-morrow.

Coal falling in the Jeanesville mines, Luzerne county, instantly killed Michael Duffy, of Hazleton.

Governor Hastings has fixed Tuesday, February 7, for the execution of Edwin D. Heider, at Erie.

A premature blast in a mine at Hazleton seriously injured August Natzquatt and Raphael Tibena.

Fire from a kitchen stove caught the dress of 6-year-old Mary Stamez, at Easton, and he was burned to death.

Sheridan furnace, No. 2, one of the largest in the Lebanon Valley, will go into blast before New Year's after two years' idleness.

Forty-four recruits for the regular army were enlisted at Allentown, and left that city yesterday to join the Fourth Corps, at Huntsville, Ala.

Among the latest novelties in town are China cigar holders. They are owned by W. G. Datto and W. Kinkaid, and bear the names of their respective owners. They were brought from England for them.

Adam Lastowski, the assailant of Annie Rice, has been placed under \$300 bail by Justice Shoemaker.

It is reported that David J. Roderick has resigned as superintendent of the Marion Co. Co., at St. Clair.

Joseph Lutz, of Nuremberg, has been granted a pension of \$6 per month.

Harry W. Brown, editor of the St. Clair Splinters, was elected secretary of the Town Council of that town to fill a vacancy.

John Hillan, who conducted a drug store here and subsequently moved to Philadelphia, will open his store in St. Clair shortly.

Masses were read in all the Catholic churches of town to-day, it being the feast of the Immaculate Conception.

The cave-in at Barry Junction has been filled up and trains are again passing over the tracks.

A Catholic orphanage will be erected at Danville.

Delano to Shut Down.

From Hazleton Sentinel. It was stated on very reliable authority last night that the Delano shops are to be closed down permanently in the near future, possibly this week. The majority of the machinists are to be transferred to other towns and few, it is said, will be laid off. The car repair work is to be done at Weatherly again and the Weatherly foundry is to be given more work.

Finger Amputated.

William Oliver, Jr., employed at the Elmwood colliery, near Mahanoy City, had the index finger of his left hand so badly mashed yesterday by being caught between a chain and a car hook that amputation was necessary.

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