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It is a good thing. We have opened for the spring and summer season an immense line of

## Baby Carriages.

A carload is the extent of our stock, the largest yet consigned to one dealer in Shenandoah. Our prices suit the condition of the times.

**J. P. Williams & Son,** FURNITURE AND MUSIC STORE.  
13 S. Main St., Shenandoah, Pa.

## GO TO O'HARA'S



FOR FINE LIVERY AND UNDERTAKING

OPEN DAY AND NIGHT.

Cor. Lloyd and White Sts., SHENANDOAH and Main Street, MAHANAY CITY.

## Special Kid Glove Sale!

In order to clean out our stock of Kid Gloves, before receiving our new spring stock, we will for this week make special prices on our stock in hand, consisting of tans, modes and black.

**\$1.00 Kid Gloves for 53c.**  
.85 " " for 53c.  
.75 " " for 53c.

A few pairs of odds and ends in colors and styles will go at 50 cents per pair—worth from 75 cents to \$1.00 per pair.

**Morgan's Fancy Bazar,** 23 North Main St.

## FIRE SALE AT Swalm's Hardware Store.

Knives and forks at 4 cents each. Tea and table spoons at 15 cents a package, 25 cent kind. Rogers' silver knives and forks, \$3.00 per dozen. Rogers' silver tea spoons, \$1.50 per dozen. Silver sets, 4 pieces, \$6.00, were \$10.00. Sugar bowls, cream pitchers, \$1.50, were \$2.50 each. The strictly first-class enameled ware. Anchor brand at way down prices. Carving sets, from 50 cents to \$2.50, former prices just double. Butter knives, scissors, spoons and all house furnishing goods at reduced prices.

Mechanics can save money by buying their tools now while we are reducing our stock.



## ALWAYS BE ON TIME.

Don't go to the station at 8:30 to catch the 8 o'clock train. It's a waste of time. Your watch needs looking over, if it fools you, not only by yourself, but by the jeweler. Our repairing is a positive reliability.

**ORKIN'S JEWELRY STORE,**  
129 S. Main St., Shenandoah, Pa.

## A GOOD DRINK!

To meet the popular demand for really high grade coffee at a reasonable price, we offer our



**MEXICAN COFFEE**

At 18 Cents a Pound.

This is strong, rich, fine flavored, dry roasted coffee. Fully equal to any 25 cent coffee, and, on account of its strength and quality, we believe it to be cheaper than any cheap or package coffee on the market. Try it and save money.

**Our Old Dutch Java Coffee is the Best we Can Buy.**

At KEITER'S.

## CRUSHED BENEATH CARS.

A Distressing Accident at Mahanoy Plane This Morning.

James Sheridan, a man about 35 years old, employed as the driver of the Mahanoy Plane for 30 years east, met with injuries at three o'clock this morning that resulted in his death.

Sheridan was running a trip of empty cars down the siding when, in some way unexplained, he fell under the wheels and the cars passed over his legs. The right leg was crushed up to the thigh, and the left leg was terribly crushed below the knee. Sheridan died at the Miners' hospital at 8:10 o'clock this morning. An amputation of both limbs would have been necessary had the deceased survived the shock. Sheridan's home was in Pottsville and he had a family of adult children there.

## POWDER EXPLODES.

Two Men Injured in Indian Ridge Colliery To-day.

An explosion of powder took place in a breast of the Indian Ridge colliery this morning, by which Ignace Popara, 29 years old and single, was severely burned about the head, face, neck, back, hands and arms, and Thomas Lenney, aged 27 years and single, was burned about the face. The former resides on South West street and was attended by Dr. Jasinski. Lenney resides at Yatesville. Popara said Lenney exploded the powder, but could not say how it was done. Neither man is dangerously injured.

## Confirmation Services.

Rev. Ethelbert Tallot, D. D., LL. D., Bishop of the Central Pennsylvania Diocese, will administer confirmation to a class of catechumens in All Saints' church this evening and deliver a sermon. The service will begin at 7:30 o'clock. The choir has arranged the following program for the occasion: "Professionals, 'Bejocce ye pure in heart'; Magnificat, 'Gloria in excelsis'; hymn, 'Come Holy Ghost'; anthem, duet, 'The Lord is my Shepherd'; H. Smart's offertory, 'They have taken away my Lord'; J. Stainer's recessional, 'Jesus Christ is risen to-day'."

"Putters" best 2 yds. wide floor oil cloth, 45 cents. At Girvin's. 4-5-3t.

## Removals.

Mrs. Friedman has changed her residence from North Main street to South Main street. George Seager will move into the house made vacant by Mrs. Friedman, and Rev. Yaack will move here from Lewisburg and occupy the house to be vacated by Mr. Seager.

The Singer Sewing Machine Co. is now comfortably located in the Price building, on North Main street.

Daniel Horn is now a resident of town, having moved his household goods from Brantsville.

Harry Reeves now occupies the Davies property on North Main street recently purchased by him.

## George Brill Resigns.

George W. Brill, train dispatcher for the Lehigh Valley railroad, now located at Hazleton, yesterday tendered his resignation. It is said he will engage in the lumber business with ex-Congressman Kulp. His successor has not been appointed. Mr. Brill has grown up in the service of the company and many will regret his retirement. He is well and favorably known here.

We will sell the best gas mantle made for 15 cents until we move to our new room. 3-28-4t. E. B. BRUMM.

## In a Critical Condition.

Frank Bolonis, who was stabbed by John Bubnis at Lost Creek No. 2 on Monday night, is said to be in a critical condition at his home in lower West Penn. It is said that his injury was aggravated after the attendance by Dr. Brady by the victim being layed by Bubnis and his friends while Bolonis was on his way home. In the second attack Bolonis was badly beaten.

## Tumor Removed.

An operation was performed upon Miss Mary Raymond, at Brownsville, last evening, by Drs. Stein, Spalding and Dill. For some time past the young lady has been greatly annoyed by the rapid growth of a tumor on the little finger of the right hand. Yesterday Miss Raymond summoned sufficient courage to have it removed, which was done with success. It was the size of pigeon egg.

## Rib Fractured.

Last Saturday evening Barney Hawley, gate tender at the Emerick street crossing of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, was knocked down by a team on West Coal street. He did not appear to have been seriously injured and little attention was paid to the matter until yesterday, when he complained of pains in the region of the kidneys. An examination by a physician showed that one of his ribs on the right side was fractured.

## Justices' Cases.

Anthony Vincent, of South West street, an employe at the Win. Penn. colliery breaker, had David Lutz, a chite hose, at the place, put under \$800 bail by Justice Shoemaker last night on a charge of assault and battery. Yozefa Czynowski was put under \$300 bail by Justice Shoemaker last night on a charge of larceny as bailed away by Anthony Melinski. The woman is charged with unlawfully withholding an accoutrements worth \$3.50. She claims to hold it for board due.

## Meetings This Week.

The School Board will hold a regular monthly meeting to-night.  
To-morrow evening a regular semi-monthly meeting of the Borough Council will be held.  
On Friday evening the Soldiers' Monument Association will hold a regular monthly meeting. The committee on site will have an important report.

See "Girvin's" display of window curtains, from 10c. up. 4-5-3t.

## Nail Torn Out.

The young daughter of Louis Lebe, of West Cherry street, had the nail torn from one of her fingers yesterday by having the member caught between the cog wheels of a clothes wringer.

Masked skating carnival next Wednesday evening, April 6th. Look for a good time.

## Big Industry for Hazleton.

Representatives of the South Bethlehem silk mill company, have secured a site of 150,000 square feet in Hazleton, free of all taxes, and will locate a silk mill in that town if the people will raise a loan of \$50,000 for a period of ten years at 5 per cent. A meeting was scheduled for to-day to raise the money. The mill will employ 1000 hands.

16 South Main street will be our new location. Until then all goods sold at cost. 3-28-4t. E. B. BRUMM.

## Shoulder Lacerated.

While working on the night shift at Ellanogwan colliery last night, Peter Stankus, of town, received a laceration of the right shoulder. It was caused by a slight rush of coal.

## THE STATE CAPITAL!

Another Change in the United States Senatorial Contest.

## STEWART PASSED BY FOR HUFF!

The New Bill Providing for the Election of Ward Justices of the Peace Finally Passed—Shenandoah is Entitled to at Least Four.

Harrisburg, April 5.—The much heralded break of Senator Magee from the Quay column, which was predicted for yesterday, and then for to-day, did not materialize. There was no change in the senatorial fight. The opposing factions, but the "insurgents" again changed their favorite, concentrating their strength to-day upon Congressman Huff of Westmoreland.

The result of the joint session showed Senator Quay again seventeen short of an election. The vote was as follows: Quay 90, Jenks 72, Huff 30.

## QUAY IS COMING.

It was given out to-day on what seems to be reliable authority, that ex-Senator Quay will arrive in Harrisburg this evening, and a conference between his followers will result. The Beaver statesman will meet Senator Magee, and the result of that conference will largely determine the future course of the Republican fight in the Senatorial fight. The "ants" say Magee will do the fighting to-morrow, but they said that before, and past events have not verified their statements.

## THE JUSTICES' BILL.

Senate bill providing for the electing and commissioning of separate Justices of the Peace in and for each of the wards into which boroughs located within the limits of counties containing not less than 150,000 inhabitants may be divided, was amended in committee of the whole so that it shall only apply to wards which have over 1500 population. The bill passed third reading and was laid over for printing. The amendment was presented in order to meet the objections of Representative Corey, of Lancaster county, who said many of the small towns in his county objected to the measure. The bill was immediately placed first on the calendar for final passage this evening. There is every likelihood that it will pass, the amendments agreed to in the Senate, and receive the Governor's signature.

The amendment which the bill applicable only to wards having over 1500 population may exclude the Second ward of Shenandoah. The last census gives that ward 1,400 population, but the new census to be taken in 1900 will greatly increase that to above the required number called for in the bill. The representatives of the Third and Fourth wards of Mahanoy City were also to-day having over 1500 population.

Should the appointment and election of Justices, under the bill as amended, be made in accordance with the last census, the Third and Fourth wards of Mahanoy City would be deprived of a ward Justice, the first named having 1,207 and the latter 1,442. The other three wards of that town have the required population.

On third reading in the House the bill to incorporate the directors of the township to exercise the powers of a Board of Health in each township was defeated.

These bills passed the House finally: To authorize boroughs to provide a supply of water for the use of the inhabitants, to make all needful regulations for the protection of the pipes, reservoirs and other constructions and appliances used to prevent the water from being so polluted; specifying the mode of procedure in cases where the Burgess and Town Council of any borough pass an ordinance annexing adjacent lands of a township, lots or out lots of the same.

## Marriages.

Irvio Christ, son of Isaac Christ, of the Tamaqua Manufacturing Company, was married to Miss Ida Koch, of Barnesville, at the latter place about three weeks ago.

Miss Maggie, daughter of Mrs. Thomas Davis, of Olinville, and Harvey Blean, of Philadelphia, were united in wedlock Monday evening. They will reside in the latter city.

Matthew P. Blais, a popular young Lithuanian resident of town, and Miss Mame Kowach, of Centerville, were married at 11 o'clock this morning in the Lithuanian church at Centerville. There was a large attendance of friends of both parties at the ceremony. Louis Kazmas, of town, was the groomsmen and Miss Violet Cuff, of Centerville, the bridesmaid. The couple will make their home in town.

Masked skating carnival next Wednesday evening, April 6th. A new novelty. 1-4t

## Have You Seen Them?

If not, you're a pleasure to come. At present the best sight in town is our handsome stock of New Goods, which includes the pick of the market, in bright, fresh, new styles and novelties in men's, boys' and children's clothing for the coming season. Our buying has been done with a view of offering you the best styles, the best qualities and the best price concessions. Nobly styles in Easter deckwear. Silk shirts, the latest. Children's suits a specialty.

ONE-PRICE CLOTHING STORE.  
L. BOWEN, Prop.,  
3-29-1m 10 and 12 S. Main street.

## April Weather.

Professor Coles predicts that April will prove a very peculiar month, in which all the seasons of the year may be reproduced, and many new features brought out for inspection. The shadow of the "Death Planet" will leave the Roman Empire in about two months more and cause great sorrow. Have you noticed how many prominent and popular Romans have fallen since our prediction of this planet in our February forecasts? Terrible war slaughter will be made in the East; and trouble may come to us on our western border. April in the main will be a fine month, the high food vital forces will rise and business will boom in America.

William Witakunis lies in a critical condition at his home in Mahanoy City, as a result of an alteration. William Godavics threw a lamp at Witakunis' head. The lamp was missed and the lamp crashed against the wall. Godavics knocked his victim down and, with pieces of the glass lamp, gashed his face, head and neck in a terrible manner. Dr. Dunn put sixteen stitches in the wounds. Godavics was committed to jail pending the result of the injuries. The fight resulted through Godavics being accused of intimacy with the wife of Witakunis.

## ICE MAKING PLANT.

Company Organized Here and Work on Building Started.

Another industry is to be added to Shenandoah's small number. A number of local capitalists have organized a company to be known as the People's Ice Company, for the purpose of manufacturing ice. The gentlemen interested are Christ, Schmidt, Samuel G. Roberts, M. M. Burke, E. B. Foley, Frederick Keithan and William Schlotzki.

They have secured the property of the P. & E. C. & I. Co., and the Lehigh Valley R. E. Co., near the Kehley Run breaker, and a gang of laborers are now at work digging foundations. Masons and carpenters will be at work before the end of the week on the building. A contract has been entered into for the machinery with the Viter Mfg. Co., of Milwaukee, Wis. The plant is guaranteed to have a capacity of fifteen tons daily.

The plant will consist of an engine and compressor, condensers, tanks, freezing coils, cake filters, rebollers, desizers, maple charcoal and spring filters, and also an electrical light plant with a cooling tower which enables them to reuse the water.

The company has ordered three new wagons and expect to begin business by June 1st.

## Why Women Are Nervous.

[British Medical News.]

The frequent cases of nervous prostration or utter collapse of the nervous system under which women "go all to pieces," as the saying is, have caused much thought and investigation on the part of physicians.

Certain inorganic substances are well known to cause various forms of nervous diseases which are readily traced to the poisons producing them. Further research leads to the belief that alum is a prevailing cause of so-called nervous prostration, for the symptoms it produces on the nervous system after its absorption into the blood are very similar to those of the most prominent poisons named by Orfila. Professors Hans Mayer, Paul Seim and others, show that alum frequently produces no visible symptoms for many days after its introduction into the body. Then follow loss of appetite and other alimentary disturbances, and finally a serious prostration of the whole nervous system. The most prominent symptoms are: "nervous prostration" and many affections of the nerves from which both men and women suffer are caused by the continued absorption of alum into the system.

It is probable that many medical men are unaware of the various forms of alumina which are readily traced to the body, and are under the impression that the use of alum in bread is prohibited. Alum, however, is still used surreptitiously to some extent to whiten bread and very largely in making cheap kinds of baking powder. In families where baking powder is generally used great care should be taken to procure only those brands made from cream of tartar. The alum powders may generally be distinguished by the lower price at which they are sold.

## The Minstrels.

An audience that packed all parts of Ferguson's theatre to the doors witnessed the performance of the Schoppe Bros' minstrels last night. As a financial venture it was a success beyond expectations, and largely due to the strong endorsement by the large audience, the applause being frequent and hearty. Messrs. A. J. Carroll, P. J. Maher, W. M. Jenkins and E. J. Conroy were the end men upon the introductory, and Mr. M. F. Durkin the conversationalist. Messrs. George B. Lowrey and John D. Jenkins were the second edition of end men and the former got several raps on the local affairs that drew forth great applause. The instrumental selections by the Schoppe orchestra and singing by Harry A. Goldin, W. M. Jenkins, Tom Hall, John D. Jenkins, Charles Hilton and Conroy and Hilton were pleasing features of the first part. The "Black Monk Overture" by the orchestra was also highly appreciated. The second part was opened with very clever and daring acrobatic feats by Gadden, Gosley and Feeley that were warmly and deservedly applauded. The Big Four quartette won an encore, and "Down on the Levee" by Jenkins, Maher, Gadden, Giddons, and McDonald was well received. The last named two were heartily applauded for subtle, quiet buck and wing dancing. The entertainment closed with an amusing singing and dancing pot pourri under the direction of M. F. Durkin in the character of "Uncle Rastus." As a whole the performance was fully up to expectations and in many respects it was the standard of many of the professional companies that have appeared here. The young men worked faithfully to attain success, and the HERALD congratulates them upon the result. The parade preceding the show was also a subject of much favorable comment. The minstrels were attired in stunning spring suits and marched with the grace and snap of professionals.

## Bauser's, Chestnut & Cherry streets.

Fresh and smoked meats, butter and eggs. 1f

## Deaths and Funerals.

Lawrence Shelly, aged 75 years, died at his home in Minersville yesterday, survived by his wife.

On Sunday William Zimmerman, a well known resident of Minersville, was taken suddenly ill, and died Monday morning, from pneumonia. He was a former resident of Linglestown, near Harrisburg, where his remains were taken.

Mrs. Patrick O'Neill died at her home in Fountain Springs on Monday afternoon, suffering from pneumonia. She leaves a husband and five children.

Musical instruments with all their necessities, very cheap, at Orkin's, 129 South Main street. 1f

## Business Changes.

Schneider and Brown, wholesale grocers at Mt. Carmel, have purchased the wholesale grocery business of John B. Gosser, of the same place, and it is said Mr. Gosser will probably purchase the Rettig brewery at Pottsville.

It is reported that R. J. Wilson, proprietor and editor of the Mt. Carmel News, will purchase the Evening Chronicle plant at Pottsville.

## Keboe License Granted.

The court has finally acted upon the application of Bernard J. Keboe for a new license in the First ward, and has granted the same.

## FREE LUNCHEONS TO-NIGHT.

BURKERT'S.  
Special free lunch to-night. Clam soup to-morrow morning.

RENTZ'S.  
Chicken soup, free, to-night. Extra lunch to-morrow morning.

WEEKS'.  
Bean soup, free, to-night. Cold lunch, 9 to 11 a. m.

KEEDRICK HOUSE.  
Pea soup will be served, free, to all patrons to-night.

## DENIAL FROM MR. KULP

Declares He Made No Attempt to Bribe Mr. Brown.

## WAS ALL ABOUT A HORSE TRADE.

The Investigation Thus Far Has Resulted in a Number of Specific Charges, Which Are Met by Flat Denials on the Part of Persons Accused.

Harrisburg, April 5.—The bribery committee resumed its investigation yesterday afternoon into the charges of alleged bribery in connection with the McCarrall jury bill in the house. Representatives Kayler, Lloyd, Joffers and Milliken were called and answered in the negative the formal questions. Mr. Foster, of Montour, testified that he had been told by a friend that certain parties at Kingston could probably get him a place on the appropriation committee if he would vote for Senator Quay. No direct offer had been made. Mr. Foster said that Charles B. Harter, an applicant for the Danville postoffice, told him that Senator Quay had said he would appoint Harter postmaster if he (Foster) would go into the Republican caucus and vote for Mr. Quay. Mr. Foster declined to go into the caucus. Harter was two weeks ago appointed assistant postmaster at Danville.

Ex-Congressman Monroe H. Kulp, of Shamokin, was called to explain the charge of Representative Francis E. Brown, of Union, that he was offered \$300 by Kulp to absent himself from the first session of the joint convention and that if he would vote for Quay the price would be different. Mr. Kulp said Brown wanted to sell him some horses, and he asked the member to go to Philadelphia and get them. Kulp told Brown that there would not be an election for several days, and that Brown's vote would not be needed. He advised Brown that he could make a few hundred dollars, possibly \$350, by making the horse sale at that time.

Mr. Kulp was asked if he wanted Brown to visit Philadelphia for the purpose of absenting himself from the joint convention, and said he did not. He denied having said to Brown that if he would vote for Quay the price would be different.

J. Newton Peck, of Condersport, a witness referred to by Representative Crittenden, of Potter, as having gone to the Commonwealth hotel with him to visit E. A. Van Valkenberg, was then called. He said he had no recollection of hearing Mr. Van Valkenberg say that he and Crittenden had been out of the Quay caucus by (Van Valkenberg) would assist Crittenden in certain Potter county legislation.

Ex-Sheriff Louis E. Miller, of Lebanon, denied the story of Representative Zerbe, of Lebanon, that he had testified that he had been discussed by some of the anti-Quay leaders in Lebanon county whether it would be advisable to raise a fund to be used to persuade Zerbe to change his vote from Quay.

William H. Carvold, of Ligonier, a son of the famous John Carvold, denied representative Youngson's statement that he and Editor David D. Berry, of the Latorbe Clipper, said to the member: "You are a poor man with wife and children. If you will go to the Commonwealth hotel it might be worth while."

Mr. Carvold said he had not visited Harrisburg in nearly ten years.

Mr. Berry testified that he worked for Youngson during the campaign in the belief that he was an anti-Quay Republican. When he found that Youngson was voting for Quay he went to Youngson's Harrisburg home with Harry Bowers and Philadelphus Zerkoff, and said to him that he was a poor man with a family and that his political future depended on what he promised when he was elected.

Dr. Howard H. Lumbach, of Philadelphia, a brother of Representative Lumbach, of Philadelphia, testified that Frank Jones told him that if his brother would vote for Quay he would get him a position in the custom house or the mint, guaranteed for five years.

Representative Wilson, of Westmoreland, who refused at a previous meeting to discuss the name of the person who is alleged to have offered him \$5,000 to vote for Mr. Quay, was excused until today on account of the illness of his wife and son.

L. Parker Titus, of Easton, was called to give his version of the story of Representative Heil, of Northampton, that he and one of his colleagues were offered "two pieces" to vote for Mr. Quay.

"Do you swear or affirm?" Chairman Fow asked.

"Both, whichever is the strongest," Titus replied.

"There is no difference."

"All right, captain."

Mr. Fow said Titus was not in condition to testify, and he was directed to appear before the committee today.

E. A. Thompson, of New Vernon, testified that he was an applicant for a position in the house, and that in a conversation with Representative Caldwell he made the remark that if Caldwell could see his way clear to go into the senatorial caucus he thought he could get the place, and at the same time remarking: "I don't ask you to do so." No one had ever asked Thompson to get Caldwell to vote for Quay, but it was his conviction that if the Mercer county members did not attend the caucus he would not be appointed.

Mr. Titus requested permission to be heard, and said that he had never taken a drink in his life. The committee decided to hear him, and he was sworn. He testified that he went to Heil's home on Sunday and asked him to vote for Mr. Quay, but he made him no offer. Mr. Quay was instrumental in securing the passage by the last legislature of the Weller bill, and Titus being a railroad man he was interested in the senator's re-election.

The largest and cheapest line of wedding rings can be found at Orkin's, 129 South Main street. 1f

## Health Reports.

John Sanders, 31 years old, 300 West Coal street, was reported to the Board of Health to-day as a sufferer from diphtheria. The child's parents are visiting the address above given.

Coco Argoline, the genuine article, for sale at Kirlin's drug store. 10-6-4t

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Will buy you a fashionable spring

## HAT!

Correct style, wearing in quality. Silk or satin bands.

25 Cents

Will greatly increase your appearance, by buying our spring

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CORNER MAIN AND CENTRE STREETS.

## The Leading Store

We have just received and placed in our cloak room a nice line of women's tailor-made suits, jackets, silk lined, all well made and neatly furnished, at \$5.00, \$7.00, \$10.00 and \$12.00. Also a large line of separate skirts in plain and figured black mohair, brocaded satin and silk taffeta at very little more than the cost of the material.

SPECIAL THIS WEEK.

200 dozen Ladies', Misses' and Children's fine black ribbed hose, seamless foot, 10 cents per pair, worth 15c.

1,000 yards fine unbleached muslin, 4c per yard, worth 6c.

5 pieces of black Henrietta, 50c per yard, worth 75c.

## CARPETS.

On the second floor we are enabled to show you a line of carpets that is well worth your inspection. Velvets, Axminsters, Brussels, Moquettes, Wilton, Ingrain and Rag— a large variety of each, in the latest patterns and at prices that will move them quickly.

WE SELL BUTTERICK PAPER PATTERNS.

## P. J. GAUGHAN,

NORTH MAIN ST.

## Nice Furniture!

While not a joy forever, is a delight while it lasts. We are doing a larger business every day, for not only the goods but the prices are always right.