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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.

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

Paying taxes is like buying many of the so-called bargains in many stores — you generally pay out a good deal of money for very meagre returns.



Our line of Childrens Dresses is complete—the styles the latest—the fit, perfect—and the price—well, they fit the purse of the buyer as no "special" bargains can do.

RIBBONS GALORE—Our stock is all right in quantity—quality—and price. We have the narrow widths for trimming dress skirts, and we have the wider for neck ribbons and waist belts.

Morgan's Fancy Bazar, 23 North Main St.

BALDWIN REFRIGERATORS.

This is our fifth year with the BALDWIN and we are pleased with our sales. Every Refrigerator sold makes us a friend and helps to sell others. They use less ice and keep the food sweeter than any others. Ask your neighbor who has a Baldwin.

Swalm's Hardware Store.

Come right through the brick building. We will serve you well in the rear.

Special Prices for this Month

In Men's and Ladies' gold and gold filled watches. Immense stock of solid gold rings. Silverware, jewelry, musical instruments and optical goods 25 per cent. cheaper than any other jewelry store.

Don't buy elsewhere before seeing our stock and securing our prices. This is no fake but the real truth.

Orkin's Jewelry Store,

No. 7 South Main Street, Shenandoah, Penna. Next door to Goldin's Mammoth Clothing House.

New Carpets, New Oil Cloth, New Linoleum.

A full line of new spring styles in

Tapestry, Velvet and Body Brussels.

INGRAINS—New styles, extra qualities. RAG CARPETS—All kinds and prices.

At KEITER'S.

ROBBERS SCARED AWAY.

Two Shots Fired at Them Without Taking Effect.

At about two o'clock yesterday morning a Polish man residing at the corner of Gilbert street and Roseberry alley, was awakened by a noise made by two men trying to get into the house, at the rear. He looked from the window and saw two men in the yard. Seizing a double-barrel shot gun he fired two shots at the men, who scampered away apparently uninjured. Three attempts to rob the house have been made within the past two months. Upon the second visit the thieves carried away several pots of flowers.

A FIRE IN A BREACH!

Workings of the Kehley Run Colliery Were Threatened.

GOOD WORK DONE BY FIREMEN!

They Fought Hard to Prevent the Fire From Getting Inside the Mine—Children Set Fire to a Mattress While Playing With a Candle.

The inside workings of the Kehley Run colliery were threatened by fire yesterday and a corps of firemen had a hard light to keep it from spreading. It started in a mine breach just above the forks of the Brandon hills and Chingtown roads. The breach is on the Buck Mountain vein of the Kehley Run colliery and had been filled by the Girard Estate with old planks, sills, etc., to keep the team road that runs close to the opening from caving in.

Yesterday several discharged fireworks in the vicinity of the breach and some fire crackers fell among the timber in the place. William Gills discovered a big fire in the breach and notified Superintendent Baird, who requested members of the Rescue Hook and Ladder Company to go to the place and put the fire out. A squad of the members went out with six Babcocks. The dense smoke prevented them from descending into the breach until they called the smoke protectors into play. It was the first use of the protectors, which were purchased only recently, and they proved very satisfactory. The fire was a stubborn one and the squad of men worked fully an hour before they succeeded in extinguishing it. During the operations fourteen Babcocks were emptied. Superintendent Baird feels very grateful to the firemen for their work and has indicated his intention of making a substantial recognition.

JUSTICES' CASES.

A Prosecutor Refuses to Testify After Causing an Arrest.

John Lawlor, of Brownsville, was arraigned before Justice Thomas Malia, at Glover's Hill, on a charge of selling liquor without a license, on Sundays and on minors. The complainant was Andrew Brennan, of Brownsville, who when the hearing was on he surprised the Justice by refusing to give any evidence, and the case was dismissed.

The following cases were heard before the same Justice: William Chalmer, assault and battery, on oath of William Sincavage; William Lohr, maliciously destroying a clock, oath of Jesse Sincavage. The defendant waived a hearing and entered \$300 bail in each case for his appearance at court. Mrs. Joseph Lassin, destroying flower plants, on oath of Mrs. Bridget Hogan, of Lost Creek. The defendant entered \$300 bail.

High School Commencement.

The 21st annual commencement of the Shenandoah High school will be held in Ferguson's theatre on Friday evening, June 2, 1899. The patrons of our schools are cordially invited to attend these exercises. The chart will be opened to the public at 4:30 p. m. Wednesday, in the library room. Reported seat tickets 15 cents. General admission 10 cents. Doors open at 7. Exercises begin at 8 p. m.

J. W. COOPER, Supt.

Notice!

A special meeting of Barbara Fritschie Council No. 84, Daughters of Liberty, will be held in Schmidt's hall, North Main street, on Thursday, June 1, 1899, at 7 o'clock, p. m., sharp, as the national and state Conventions will be present. All members are requested to attend. By order of

LUCKY JAMES, Councilor.
Attest:—MRS. ALICE A. MORGAN, R. S.

Flower Mission Report.

Miss Mattie Price, superintendent of the "Flower Mission, makes the following report of distributions: 3 baskets of vegetables, 6 baskets of fruit, 15 garments, 5 bouquets of flowers, 4 baskets of groceries, 2 glasses of jelly, 3 boxes of soap, 1 dozen rolls. Ten visits were made. Donation received: \$1; collections, 42 cents.

Surprise Party.

A surprise party was held last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Collins, in honor of their son, Arthur. Refreshments were served to the guests. Those present were: Bessie Jefferson, Millie and Cordelia Dawson, Susie and Minnie Richards, Yetta Daniels, Ida Collins, Annie and Cora Hagenbuch, May Lawlor, Maud Heckman, Walli, Maggie Tobin, Woods, Harry and Lloyd Hagenbuch, Elmer Sueddon, Richard Jefferson, Ervin Geise, Willie and David Collins, Muor Bambridge, Elmer Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Collins, Hanna Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Lawlor.

Approaching Wedding.

Cards are out announcing the approaching wedding of Nellie Hazard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Finney, of Pottsville, and George W. Kelper, of town. The wedding is to take place on June 14th, next, at 8 p. m., at the First Presbyterian church, Pottsville.

Failure to Reorganize.

The time allowed for the reorganization of Co. E, 8th Regt., N. G. P., of Mahanoh City, expires to-night. Only forty of the fifty names required have been secured, and it is probable that the movement will fail. Should this be the case Mahanoh City would be left without a military company for the first time in twenty-four years.

Carrriage Damaged.

A wheel of a buggy owned by John Lawlor, of Brownsville, was smashed on West street last night by the horse shying when a boy fired a Roman candle.

Competitive Examination.

On June 1st there will be a competitive examination at the Hamilton state hospital for the selection of an assistant to Supt. Lathrop. Thus far six applicants, all from Philadelphia schools, have registered. The term is for one year.

Orange Water Ice and Vanilla Ice cream

delivered daily. At Scheider's bakery, 27 East Centre street.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Louis Goldin visited friends at Pottsville to-day.

George W. Davis and family to-day moved to Bethlehem.

Lewis Hopkins, of Philadelphia, is a guest of friends here.

John Carlin, of Mahanoh City, spent last evening in town.

David Lingham and family this afternoon moved to Reading.

Miss May Duno spent yesterday visiting friends at Blair.

George C. Glover, of Philadelphia, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Jessie Glover spent to-day visiting friends at Pottsville.

Miss Fanny Miller, of Mt. Carmel, visited friends at Pottsville.

Miss Olive Johnson, of Lost Creek, spent yesterday at Lakeside.

Elmer E. Opp, of Mahanoh City, was a visitor to town yesterday.

Charles Nies, of Pottsville, was a Decoration Day visitor to town.

Miss Maggie McCormick, of Ashland, was entertained here yesterday.

Miss Lizzie Bubble, of Ashland, was a guest of friends in town yesterday.

James McElhenry, of Mahanoh City, was a visitor to town this afternoon.

Policeman Martin Mollahy spent yesterday visiting friends at Philadelphia.

John Stein is home from Philadelphia and will remain here for the summer.

Miss Sarah Gerber, of Mahanoh City, visited friends in town yesterday.

B. F. Kehley, of Philadelphia, was the guest of Mrs. J. K. Kewer, yesterday.

Misses Lizzie and Mattie Luckenbill, of Mahanoh City, spent yesterday in town.

Hope Furman, of Bloomsburg, was a guest of his brother, Edward, in town yesterday.

John Watson, of North Main street, has gone to Philadelphia and may locate there.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Evans, of Mt. Carmel, were guests of town friends yesterday.

Ex-Policemen John Butler and Benjamin Mota have gone to Atlantic City, where they will spend several days.

Miss Mame Goodman, of Girardville, was a guest at the Roxby homestead, on West Coal street, yesterday afternoon.

Gilbert L. Ferguson, of Lost Creek, has been elected permanently to the clerical force at the Shenandoah drug store.

Misses Emma Brobst and Mame Goho returned to Nuremberg yesterday after spending the past few days in town the guests of friends.

E. B. Foley, John Shay, William Maloy, Jr., F. J. Brennan, Senator J. F. Higgins and Mark Edwards were among the townsmen who spent yesterday at Lakeside.

John Henry Conry has returned from Philadelphia, where he was a juror in the United States District Court. He is to do jury service at the same court next month.

Rev. Alfred Heebner, formerly pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church of town and now located at Philadelphia, was a guest of friends here yesterday and a part of to-day.

Mrs. Elizabeth Davis, who spent the past year in town with her sister, Mrs. John W. Morgan, started for her home in Denver, Col. Mrs. Davis came here for the benefit of her health with satisfactory results.

Misses Minnie Powell, Alice Black, Eva Powell and Annie Brown, and Messrs. William H. Ferguson, of Pottsville, and John Reese, of town, and David Hopkins, of Wan. Penn, enjoyed a drive in the Catawissa valley yesterday.

PAYROLLS ARE PADDED

Cubans Use Dishonest Methods to Secure the \$3,000,000.

DEAD MEN PLACED ON THE LIST.

It is Generally Believed That the Rolls Were Padded in Expectancy of Cuban Officers Disbursing the Money—Sanitary Conditions in Havana.

Havana, May 31.—Early yesterday morning Lieutenant Colonel George M. Randall, of the Eighth United States Infantry, accompanied by Paymaster Moses, his clerks, a doctor and a military escort, with nearly \$2,000,000, left by special train for Santiago de las Vegas, but owing to various delays the payment of Cuban soldiers did not begin until the afternoon. Many of the applicants, of whom there was a large number, were without guns. It was observed that a large proportion were from Marianao, from which point they were prevented from coming on Monday to Havana. One man, who had a Mauser, begged a ride on the special train carrying the pay car, and was the first man to be paid. Not a single officer would come forward to identify an applicant, a fact causing considerable annoyance and increasing the delay.

That the rolls are padded badly becomes more and more evident each day, and Colonel Randall says that from what he can learn every man, dead or alive, who ever has served in the ranks of the insurgents appears on the lists. Investigation has already shown that several officers gave certificates to men who had no guns. When Colonel Randall demanded the presence of these officers they refused to come forward. In one instance it was discovered that the name of a captain was enrolled who was certain knowledge of one of the Cuban officials assisting the paymaster, had been dead two years.

It is generally believed by the officials making the disbursement that the rolls were padded in the expectation that the Cuban army, which would have a personal hand in making payment. One man who was paid yesterday said he was glad the Americans were distributing the funds themselves, as otherwise he would not have received more than \$25.

The number paid yesterday afternoon was 45, but there were several applicants with arms entitled to payment who will receive it after identification.

Santiago de las Vegas itself is an extremely dirty town, with a population of 70,000. It is sadly in need of a sanitary inspector.

The sanitary department has just issued some interesting statistics regarding deaths from yellow fever during the last eight years. In the year 1890 there were only 4, in 1891 there were 316; in 1892, 295; in 1893, 391; in 1894, 328; in 1895, 410; in 1896, 1,517; in 1897, 1,058, and in 1898 162. Thus far in the present year there have been only four deaths due to yellow fever. In 1896 and 1897 there were large numbers of Spanish soldiers in the province unaccustomed, and they succumbed often to doubtful diseases. In making up the statistics the preference was always given to yellow fever, owing to the larger pension that could be drawn in such cases by relatives of the deceased at home. From 1890 to 1898, inclusive, the total number of deaths in the city of Havana from all diseases was 89,708.

Strawberry and chocolate ice cream delivered daily. At Scheider's bakery, 27 East Centre street.

MINERS GET AN INCREASE.

ALTOONA, Pa., May 31.—Nearly all the coal mining companies in the second bituminous district, which includes Centre, Cambria, Bedford, Somerset, Centre, Clearfield, Jefferson, Indiana, Elk, Cameron, Clinton, Blair and Huntington counties, posted notices yesterday informing the miners that the wages for pick mining would be advanced on June 1 from 45 to 50 cents a ton. Machine mining will be increased 2 1/2 cents a ton. Twenty thousand miners will get the benefit of this voluntary increase. In view of this action of the operators yesterday's convention of miners at Clearfield had no business to transact. It was probable that a strike would have been inaugurated if the increase had not been made voluntarily.

Change of Route.

From the Miners' Journal.

The press and the citizens are agitating for the change of route of the Schuylkill Traction Company's line in Shenandoah. At present the road runs down West Coal street and owing to its narrowness it is next to impossible to keep the street in passable condition for teams and is dangerous to the public. One faction wants the company to use West Centre street instead, it being one of the widest streets in the town.

Competitive Telegraph Service.

The Miners' Journal states on positive authority that within a very few months the wires of the Postal Telegraph-Cable Company will be run into Pottsville, thus giving a competitive line to all parts of the world and insuring better facilities for communication in the county. The company's agents were in Pottsville yesterday in consultation with borough officials and have been assured the right of way.

For a good smoke, or pipe and courteous treatment call at The Traveler Headquarters, No. 31 West Centre street. Tobacco and Cigars at wholesale and retail prices. A portion of your patronage is respectfully solicited.

D. BROOKS KNEELY.

Murdered Railroad Change.

A rumor is rampant among railroad men that a change is about to be made among the assistant trainmasters on the P. & E. railroad. As the story goes Victor Fisher, of Tanawaga, will succeed H. H. Vorhees at Williamsport; that Mr. Vorhees will succeed Mr. Koffer at Mahanoh City, and that the latter will be transferred to Tanawaga.

Everybody is pleased with our improved chipped dry beef. At E. C. Brobst's, corner Jardin and Centre streets.

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Pennsylvania's Populist Ticket.

Philadelphia, May 31.—The state convention of the People's party of Pennsylvania was held in Dental Hall here yesterday, and the following ticket was nominated: For judge of the supreme court, John H. Stevenson of Allegheny; judge of supreme court, N. L. Atwood of Erie county; state treasurer, Justice Watkins of Toga county. The following were elected delegates-at-large to the next national convention: L. W. Olds of Erie, Dr. C. F. Taylor of Philadelphia, T. P. Rynder of Erie, W. M. Deisher of Berks, Abraham Mattis of Dauphin, J. P. Correll of Northampton, Justice Watkins of Toga and J. H. Stevenson of Allegheny. An executive committee of six to fill vacancies and to assist the chairman in conducting the campaign was elected.

Deaths and Funerals.

A telegram was received from Philadelphia to-day announcing the death of Thomas, of Mrs. Mary Lynch, of Jacksons. The remains will arrive from Philadelphia to-night.

Capt. J. W. Kautner died yesterday at the home of his son, Robert, in Tanawaga, from congestion of the lungs. The deceased was 57 years old. Funeral Friday afternoon.

The funeral of Mrs. John Southam, who died at her home in Tanawaga on Sunday, took place this afternoon. Deceased was 80 years old, and is survived by nine children.

Memorial Meeting.

Severn Post No. 110, G. A. R., held a public Memorial meeting in Kaler's opera house at Mahanoh City last night. The orator was H. C. N. Brunson, of Minersville. There was a very large audience present.

Trousers as Low as \$3.00.

Splendid assortment. KELLY & CORWAY, Ferguson House block.

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Notice!

The Sixth Mine Inspection District Board will examine candidates for certificates qualifying them for mine foreman and assistant foreman in the county of Shenandoah, on the 9th and 10th of July, 1899, as provided for by the Act of Assembly, 1891, Article 8, Section 9, of the Mine Ventilation Law.

WILLIAM STEIN, Mine Inspector.

MAX LEVIT'S.

Washable and Silk Neck-wear just received. Buy our washable ties from ONE CENT upwards.

Soft Shirts.

Very latest designs. Qualities: Silks, Madras and English Crepe. Will wash and won't fade. Just the thing for summer wear.

Ask to see them, and our prices will make the sale.

A few new shapes have been added to our enormous big stock of hats. We are the recognized leaders in this line.

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UP-TO-DATE HATTER.

CORNER MAIN AND CENTRE STREETS.

Your Money's Worth.

That is what we give you in every purchase, no matter how small. Our stock is large and well adapted to every possible demand. It is calculated to suit every taste, taking within its scope the best and latest the markets afford. If you are in search of a reliable article come to us. If you feel that it is worth while saving on trustworthy values make your selections from goods bought with care and sold on representations of merit that never fail.

We are showing this week a special lot of Silks, all new and pretty. If you inspect this line, it is more than likely you will be induced to spend a little money, as well as a little time, but both profitably.

A new lot of Crash Skirts, plain and braided, and well finished, at less than cost of material, 39c, 50c to 79c.

Washable Shirt Waists, 39c, 50c, 76c to \$1.25.

P. J. GAUGHAN,

NORTH MAIN ST.

See Our Line Of Rockers.

They will interest you and so will our prices. Our display is larger than any in town.

M. O'NEILL,

100 S. Main St.

Furniture Dealer and Undertaker

Early Summer Sale of Fine Millinery at the Bon Ton.



Do you know that this means to you the trimmed hats for little money. We have reduced every hat in our parlors. Hats worth from \$5.00 to \$8.00 will be sold this week for \$2.95. Our hats in white, black, corn color, in fact every color and style trimmed in height of fashion, worth \$2.00 to \$3.00, will be sold this week for \$1.95.

Remember ladies this is an opportunity which you never heard of before. Bonnets for old and young, \$1.95, worth not less than \$3.00.

Salvage reduced to almost wholesale prices. Children's hats, trimmed and untrimmed, that have no equal in this town or any other town in style and price.

Bring this advertisement with you and save for yourself that we will what we advertise.

BON TON MILLINERY,

No. 29 North Main Street.