

# The Evening Herald.

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THE SURE ROAD TO OPULENCE LIES KNEE-DEEP THROUGH PRINTER'S INK

## Republican State Ticket.

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WM. B. ROGERS, JAMES L. BROWN,  
JOHN ROBERTS, T. V. POWDERLY.

## County Ticket.

Judge—Hon. D. B. Green.  
Sheriff—Benjamin Smith.  
Jury Commissioner—Maj. William Clark.  
Poor Director—George Heffner.  
Unexpired Term—Harry H. McGinnis.

Constitutional Convention Delegates.  
ROBERT ALLISON, Port Carbon.  
S. BURD EDWARDS, Pottsville.  
JOHN J. COYLE, Mahanoy City.

## A QUIET EVENING.

Evening Experience of Mr. Bodwell, of Nelson Street.

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Mr. Bodwell, of Nelson street, sat down for a quiet communion with his family and the newspaper on Thursday evening. All the children but the eldest had eaten supper, and he was industriously engaged at that task. Mr. Bodwell drew up to the lamp, selected an interesting article that would undoubtedly engross his wife, and commenced to re-produce it, while she, patient woman, kept her eyes on the children, as the father was very sensitive to foreign noises when engaged in reading. Bodwell had got down the column some twelve lines, and was just laying himself out on the big words, when one of the girls, while taking unusual precaution to step around a scuttle of coal, actually stepped into it, and a bewildering crash followed.

"Merciful heaven!" shouted Bodwell, "what was that?" Mrs. Bodwell explained, the other children uttered, and the girl, being a wise child, knew her own father, and sagaciously left. Again Bodwell picked up the paper, and giving it a spiteful twist, resumed the article. It was a moment or two before he regained his composure, but the author was a man acquainted with the business, and the skill with which he

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## BOROUGH ITEMS!

GLEANINGS BY THE LOCAL CORPS OF REPORTERS.

## WHAT THE SCRIBES SEE AND HEAR

Where Those Who Are So Disposed May Attend Divine Worship To-morrow—Other Local News.

English Baptist church, South Jardin street, Rev. H. G. James, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. Morning subject: When shall the Dead Rise? Evening subject: The Testimony of the Sheep Against the King. Sabbath school at 2 p. m. Deacon John Bunn, superintendent. On Monday evening at 7:30 the B. Y. P. Union will meet. On Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock a general prayer meeting.

Welsh Methodist church. Services on Sunday at 10 a. m. and 6 p. m. Preaching in Welsh in the morning and English in the evening by Rev. James John, of Alliance, Ohio.

Welsh Congregational church. Preaching on Sunday at 10 a. m. in Welsh, and 6 p. m. in English by Rev. F. Tylo Evans, of Lansford, and Rev. James John, of Alliance, Ohio. Rev. Evans in the evening will preach a funeral sermon in memory of the late Mrs. Mary Powell and Daniel Reese.

M. E. church, Rev. Wm. Powick, pastor. Services to-morrow at 10:30 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m., to be followed by the devotional meeting of the Epworth League. General prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. Seats free. All are welcome.

All Saints' Episcopal church, Oak street, near Main, Rev. Floyd E. West, rector. Services as follows: Morning prayer and litany with reading and sermon, 10:30. Evening prayer and sermon, 6:30. Sunday school at 2 p. m. The rector officiates and preaches at the morning service on the second and fourth Sundays of each month and at the evening service on the first and third, a lay reader officiating in his absence. Ebenezer Evangelical church, Rev. H. J. Glick, pastor. Services Sunday at 10 a. m. in German, and 6:30 p. m. in English. Sunday school at 1:30 p. m. All are heartily invited to attend.

P. M. church, corner of Jardin and Oak streets. Services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 2 p. m. Young People's Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m. every Sabbath. Classes meet Tuesday and Wednesday evenings at 7 o'clock and Sunday at 9:30 a. m. General prayer meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m. H. G. Russell, pastor.

Preaching in the Trinity Reformed church to-morrow morning and evening by the pastor, Rev. Robert O'Boyle. Everybody welcome.

Welsh Baptist church, corner West and Oak streets. Rev. D. I. Evans, pastor. Services Sunday at 10 a. m. in Welsh and 6 p. m. in English. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Prayer meeting on Monday evening, at 7 o'clock. Class meeting on Thursday evening, at 7 o'clock.

Presbyterian church. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. by Rev. W. McNally. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

## Get Good Insurance.

In insuring either your property or your life select a company that can present not only good names as its executive officers, but also that has some evidence of financial ability to pay in case of disaster. In other words, purchase insurance that will insure. According to Insurance Commissioner Luper there are a number of mutual fire insurance companies in this state that are practically insolvent, and he has referred the facts to Attorney General Hensel for action. It is alleged that the insurance laws are defective against such mutual companies; if so, his action and the investigation of the Attorney General may lead to such legislation as will protect the public from such irresponsible concerns. David Faust represents none but the best and most reliable companies.

Do you suffer with Consumption, Coughs or Colds? You can be cured if you take Par-Tina Cough and Consumption Cure. 25 and 50 cents. Trial bottles free at Kirin's drug store.

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"Mother, can I go out to fish?" "No, no, my little sonny!" You know you've got a swollen foot. My precious little honey. But they put a bottle of Parvotion Oil, and he went and caught an eel, and ate it like a man.

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## BOUND TO PLEASE.

The Pennsylvania Railroad's Personally Conducted Tours.

The Pennsylvania Railroad is always reaching out for something new to please the public and the HERALD is always glad to record the facts appertaining thereto. Last year it organized its own tours to the Pacific coast and they were so successful that they have wisely determined to have them again this year with an additional tour to Mexico, something never yet done by a railroad corporation. These tours will be limited to a certain number of passengers, who will travel in a Pullman vestibule train, furnished with the luxurious appointments of the richest home, with ladies' maid, stenographer and typewriter, library, bath and barber, and smoking and library rooms, and an observation car—in truth an exact reproduction of the Pennsylvania Limited.

The first tour leaves New York January 18th, and speeds direct to the Pacific Coast via St. Louis, Kansas City, Las Vegas and Santa Fe. The second tour, the Mexican, leaves February 10th, running directly to the City of Mexico via Cincinnati, Mammoth Cave, Birmingham, Montgomery and New Orleans, with incidental stops en route. The third, February 24th, runs directly to New Orleans via Cincinnati and Mammoth Cave, and thence, after the Mardi Gras festivities, to the Pacific Coast. The fourth and fifth, both through California tours, will leave March 24th and April 24th, respectively.

The tours last year were so successfully conducted that those who took them were unanimous in their praise of the management. The trip to Mexico, like those to the Pacific coast, will be just at the right season of the year, and all the comforts, attentions and care that is obtainable on a Pennsylvania Railroad excursion will be furnished on this. It will unquestionably be the best way to see the land of the Aztecs and under the most advantageous circumstances. The rates are reasonable and cover all necessary expenses. Further information can be had of Mr. George W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Philadelphia, Pa.

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## A SAFETY APPLIANCE

At the Main Street Crossing of the L. V. R. R.

The watch house at the Main street crossing of the Lehigh Valley railroad is so situated that Eddie McAtee, the gate-man, has sometimes found it difficult to get the gates down in time. There is a deep cut near the house and it is impossible to see a train coming eastward until it is almost at the crossing. The Lehigh Valley company has now furnished an electric appliance by which the gate-man will be able to know of the approach of the train and get the gates down in ample time. A small electric battery has been placed in the watch box and is connected with wire stretched along the track around the curve to the watch box at the Pennsylvania round house, where another battery has been placed. At this point a small wire attachment has been placed at the side of the rails. As the wheels of an east bound locomotive, or car, touch this wire it creates a current that rings a large gong placed on a pole at the Main street gate and gives McAtee warning of the train's approach. The gong rings loudly until the train passes the crossing. Last night some mischievous boys cut the wires. They have been repaired and the company has taken steps to bring about the arrest of parties who may repeat the act.

## Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever, Sore, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by C. H. Hagenbach.

## A Good Show.

Cawthron's Little Nugget Co. gave one of the best entertainments of the season at the theatre last night. The company is the same as was here last season, with the exception of Mr. Ed. P. Cogley, who, as Jakey Kumpfer, and in his tyrolean Swiss modelling, acquitted himself creditably, and is proving himself a valuable acquisition to this already strong company.

## Phoenix Pair.

The Phoenix Hose Company will hold a grand fair in Robbins' opera house, commencing on Tuesday, Nov. 3rd, 1891. It will be one of the largest and best fairs ever held in this county. 10-11-11

## A Surprise.

Keep your eye on this local. Keagay, the photographer, will have his new opening in a few days and will have something interesting that will surprise the people. 11

"How divine a thing a woman may be made," when her cold is cured by Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

## Burchill's Restaurant.

Charles Burchill is now located at corner of Main and Coal streets, Shenandoah. Regular meals, at popular prices, served any time. Ladies' dining and refreshment rooms attached. 9-14-11

Four tintypes for 25 cents, at Dabb's. 11

## MIDNIGHT ALARM

AN EARLY CALL FOR THE FIRE COMPANIES.

NO WATER AT HAND FOR THEM.

A Dwelling Outside the Borough Line Burned to the Ground and the Contents Lost. Mysterious Origin.

Shortly before one o'clock this morning the whistle of the Kohinor colliery breaker was blown vigorously and the fire bell in the tower of the borough building took the signal and sounded a general alarm. The blowing of the whistle led the people to believe that the breaker was on fire and they jumped from their beds and flocked to the colliery in droves.

Fortunately the fire was not as serious as at first supposed, but it was serious enough to render a minor and his family homeless.

The fire was in a house located just west of the borough line owned by Mrs. Brennan and occupied by Thomas Hanna and his family.

The Columbia and Phoenix companies tried to get near the scene, but finding no means to secure water they returned. The Rescue Hook and Ladder Company stopped its truck at the Kohinor colliery and several of its men offered what service they could give with their drag hooks and other appliances, but by the time they reached the place the structure was doomed and nothing but the foundation walls and one side of the building was left.

Mr. Hanna, the occupant of the building, and his wife and infant child had a narrow escape from falling victims of the flames. Mr. Hanna had worked on the night shift and got home shortly after eleven o'clock. He retired with his wife and child about twelve o'clock. The latter fell into a sound sleep, but the father was restless after his hard day's work. Fortunately he was, for had he fallen into a deep slumber he would have been his sleep of death.

As Hanna lay in a dazed condition, he thought he heard a noise like the crackling of burning timber. Gradually recovering his senses, Hanna arose from the bed and opened the door of the bedroom. The hall was full of smoke. Hastening back Mr. Hanna aroused his wife and child. They didn't have time to put on any street apparel and were obliged to make their way down stairs and out to the road in their night clothes. Hanna proceeded to arouse the neighbors. All were asleep and wholly unconscious of the danger at their doors. The family in one of the houses next to the burning structure slept so soundly that the window panes of their sleeping apartments had to be broken with stones to arouse them. Having alarmed the neighborhood Hanna returned to his house and tried to make his way through it to the back room, but was unable to do so. He then tried to get up stairs again to get some of his clothing, but in this he also failed. Then he tried to save the contents of his parlor, but the flames made such rapid headway that after he succeeded in removing a sideboard and a sofa he found it impossible to return to the house again.

The building was a two-story and attic frame structure and formed the best kind of material to feed the flames, as it was old. It was burned to the ground and all the contents, with the exception of the two pieces taken from the parlor, were destroyed.

Mr. Hanna stood in front of the building as the flames gradually consumed each piece and said to a reporter: "Yes," he said, "I am burned clean out and I haven't got a cent of insurance. Even the clothing went up. All I have is this old pair of pants and hat and my wife and child have nothing but their night clothes. I don't know what started the fire. It is a mystery to me. It started in the back kitchen and there was no fire in the stove when I went to bed. Yes, it is hard to be burned out in the middle of the night, but everything goes and I am glad we got out alive. It was a narrow escape."

"Yes, Tom, you were lucky," said a bystander, "and I hope that this will show the Girard Estate people the necessity of giving some means to secure water in case of fire. They have any amount of water, but they are too d—n stingy to lay the pipes."

## Desires to Bear Testimony.

Henry Thorne, Traveling Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., writes from Exeter Hall, Strand, London, February 24, 1888:

"I desire to bear my testimony to the value of Alcock's Porus Plasters. I have used them for pains in the back and side arising from rheumatic and other causes never without deriving benefit from their application. They are easily applied and very comforting. Those engaged as I am in public work which involves exposure to sudden changes of temperature, will do well to keep a supply of Alcock's Porus Plasters in their portmanteaus."

Oysters are in season and the best in the market are at Colett's. 8-22-11

## PERSONAL.

Mr. Savage, representing the paper house of Plummer & Co., of New York, was in town yesterday.

John Schell and Miss Elie, and Geo. M. Byer went to Cressona this morning to attend the funeral of a relative.

W. B. Biting, of the Nescochagus Manufacturing Co., Philadelphia, was in town on business yesterday.

Rev. and Mrs. McNally were tendered a donation party last evening by the ladies of the Presbyterian church. The good things presented were plentiful.

Misses Lizzie Reese and Catherine James returned last night from Scranton, where they spent the past week as delegates to the Baptist Young People's Union.

Rev. James John, formerly of town, but now of Alliance, Ohio, is visiting friends in town. To-morrow he will preach in the Welsh Methodist and Congregational churches. On Monday he will leave for New York to sail for Wales. After a brief stay there he will return to Alliance with, it is said, a partner for life.

At Alaska the other day I ran against Dan Dougherty—not the silver tongued orator who dubs the same name on hotel registers all over the country, but our own Dan—affable, tall and stately, and I might say good looking. As I said before, I "ran against him." The collision was not a costly one, although it took place on the railroad. Mr. Dougherty was piloting the way-car over the road and in a conversation of limited duration related his experiences on the M. Carmel branch. Dan was one of the first conductors "on the branch" and was a popular puncher. He could appreciate a good joke and I recall one at a drummer's expense. When the Pewee was put on it was looked upon with considerable disfavor. One day the train slowed up as it often does to coax a cow from the engine front. A drummer asked Mr. Conductor what was the matter and the matter was explained. Near Alaska the train came to another standstill. "What's the matter now?" was the query from the inquisitive drummer. "Caught up to the cow," said Dan, and there was a silence that only the shrill whistle of the locomotive could break. Mr. Dougherty worked his way up in railroad efficiency and is now conductor of the Shenandoah branch.—Mt. Carmel News.

## Children Enjoy

The pleasant flavor, gentle action and soothing effects of Syrup of Figs, when in need of a laxative, and if the father or mother be captive or bilious the most gratifying results follow its use, so that it is the best family remedy known and every family should have a bottle.

Stationary packages, 5 and 10 cents each, at Max Reese's.

## Grand Opening.

J. Coffey has opened a new bargain store in the post office building (Boston shoe store old stand) with a full line of boots and shoes, dry goods of every description, hosiery, notions, ladies' and gent's underwear, etc. His prices are way down. Children's school shoes, with tips, 50 and 60 cents. Misses' school shoes 85 and 90 cents. Ladies' pebble and French kid \$1. Men's working boots, double soled, \$1.75. Boys' shoes, \$1.50. Gentlemen's dress shoes, \$1. Wornsocket rubber boots, \$2.25. Call and examine the other goods and get the prices. They beat all. 10-22-11

Always go to Colett's, South Main street, for your prime oysters. 8-22-11

## To Meet Monday.

The Mahanoy Valley Ministerial Association will hold a monthly meeting in the Methodist Episcopal church of this place on Monday next. Interesting topics will be presented for consideration at the morning and afternoon sessions, which will begin at ten o'clock and two. In the evening, at 8 o'clock, the sermon will be delivered by the Rev. J. W. Perhempine, of Port Carbon. All the sessions are open to the public. Resident clergymen are respectfully invited to attend.

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