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"My Son, Deal With Men Who Advertise. You will Never Lose by It."—Benjamin Franklin

## THE EVENING HERALD.

ALL THE NEWS FOR ONE CENT.

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**AWAKE, citizens of Shenandoah. Make a move before 1891 is past. A start now may mean something of importance in 1892.**

WHEN the crops of our country are estimated to be worth \$700,000,000 more this year than last, it proves one of two things, viz: Either that last year's crop was not nearly an average, or that this year's is beyond all comparison the greatest on record. Last year's crops, though not equal to those of 1891, were far from being failures, hence we assume that 1891 takes the cake in all that relates to the general products of our farms and orchards. And if such be the case now, what will it be in the near future when the constantly immense increasing acreage is taken into consideration? There are hundreds of millions of acres of productive soil awaiting the opportunity to contribute their share towards the colossal cereal surplussage. When they do, the question will then be, what shall we do with it?

**Look at These Bargains.**  
J. Coffee, having just returned from New York City with an entirely new stock of boots and shoes, is now prepared to offer the citizens of Shenandoah greater bargains in this line than ever before. He is offering these goods at such low prices that competitors cannot compete with. Bring your boys and girls and get a pair of double-soled tip shoes at 60 cents, worth elsewhere \$1.00. He is selling men's double-soled leather boots for \$1.75, and the best rubber boots for \$2.25. Remember that the place to secure these bargains is at Coffee's Bargain Store, post office building, corner Main and Oak streets. 11-5-91

**Grand Supper.**  
A grand supper for the benefit of the Trinity Reformed church will be held in Robbins' opera house on Wednesday evening, Nov. 18th.

One stock of guns and ammunition for sale cheap at Max Reese's. 10-24-11

**45 CENTS PER YARD FOR** a good home-made rug carpet. It is one of those extra heavy carpets, made of the best yarn and clean rags. Finest line of Velvet Brussels and Ingrain Carpets in Shenandoah at  
**C. D. FRICKE'S CARPET STORE.**

WE CLAIM THAT THERE ARE

## NO BETTER GOODS!

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—THAN OUR—

**Choice Creamery Butter—Fresh every other day— Fancy Bloater Mackerel. Large and Fine. New No. 1 Mackerel—White and Fat. New Clean Currants—Free from dirt and stems. Best Mince Meat—made of best materials. Fine Table Syrup—strictly pure goods. New Orleans Baking Molasses. Chopped Beef.**

### JUST RECEIVED

Another lot of **RIVERSIDE BUCKWHEAT FLOUR** and **OLD TIME GRAHAM FLOUR—Fresh Ground.** Also another car of **Best Patent MINNESOTA FLOUR.** Equal to anything in the market.

**"NORTHWESTERN DAISY" made of Minnesota Wheat gives satisfaction. Bakes well.**

Oil Cloths are selling freely. Nice patterns. All prices. Two yards wide from 50 cents up.

## AT KEITER'S.

## Three More Acknowledgements.

To the Officers of the Home Friendly Society:  
Received, through Superintendent and Agent Fredric Acornley, the full amount of death claim upon my beloved husband, Washington Huntinger, for which I return my sincere thanks. It practically illustrates the benefit of insurance societies that pay death benefits so promptly.  
LOUISA HENTINGERS,  
W. Lloyd St., Shenandoah, Nov. 12, '91.

To the Officers of the Home Friendly Society:  
My thanks are due to the officers of the Home Friendly Society of Baltimore, Md., for the quick manner in which my claim was paid through your Assistant Superintendent James Duffy, and Agent James E. Whalen, upon the death of my beloved mother, Margaret Callen. I now testify, of my own knowledge, to the fact and recommend your company to my friends.  
KATE CALLEN,  
Jackson's Patch, Nov. 12, 1891.

To the Officers of the Home Friendly Society:  
GENTLEMEN—I hereby return my sincere thanks for the promptness with which I received through your Assistant Superintendent James M. Duffy, and Agent James Patterson, in full this day, two hundred and ten dollars (\$210) due on the death of my beloved husband, Daniel Hartnet. I can cheerfully recommend the said society for their promptness and honesty.  
MRS. MARY HARTNET  
West Centre St., Shenandoah, Nov. 13.

**Rev. James Woll.**  
The following communication to the editor of the HERALD explains itself:  
"Mr. Boyer:  
"DEAR SIR:—I won the epic poem on General George H. Thomas at the "Littell of the South," held in Chattanooga, Tenn., two weeks ago. It was the principal prize offered in America this year. The money was like our northern money, but the chair is superior. Come down to sit in it. If you will sit, sleep and dream in it, you will awake a poet, so that you may win the \$500 at Chicago. I will keep enough of the prize to buy a turkey for Thanksgiving Day. Will you join to eat it?  
"Yours &c.  
"H. G. JAMES."

**"She Couldn't Marry Three."**  
One of the greatest successes on the road will play an engagement here shortly. It is one of the most colossal theatrical enterprises ever sent from New York. During the past summer over twenty men, scene painters, machinists, upholsterers, carpenters, etc., have been constantly at work building the most stupendous scenery and effects. It can be best appreciated from the fact that not one piece of the local scenery is used in the production.

The stage is stripped bare on the company's arrival in town, as every piece of scenery for the entire play is special, and from the accessories which precede the company, some of the scenic effects are simply wonderful.

Buy **Keystone flour.** Be careful that the name **Lessie & Co., Ashland, Pa.,** is printed on every sack. 2-3-3law

## BOROUGH ITEMS!

### CLEANINGS 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 8:30 p. m. Subject for morning: Moses, a Type of Christ. Evening subject: Moses, Elias and Christ Jesus. 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.

M. E. church, Rev. Wm. Powick, pastor. Services to-morrow at 10:30 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. Morning subject: "Glorifying Christ and being Glorified by Him." Evening subject: "Treasure in Heaven." Sunday school at 2 p. m. to be followed by the devotional meeting of the Epworth League. Prayer meeting at 6 p. m. and on Thursday evening at 7:30. All are invited. Seats free.

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 services 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.

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 Peoples' 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.

Trinity Reformed church. No services in the morning. Preaching in the evening by Rev. O'Boyle, the pastor.

Presbyterian church. Preaching in the morning by Rev. O'Boyle, pastor of the Trinity Reformed church. Christian Endeavor exercises in the evening.

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.

Evangelical church. Morning services at 10 a. m. Evening services at 6:30 p. m. Sunday school at 1:30 p. m. Rev. D. A. Medler, Presiding Elder of the Pottsville district, will preach and have communion. The pastor, Rev. H. J. Glick, will go to Sennykill Haven to hold quarterly meeting in St. Peter's Evangelical church.

**It Should be in Every House.**  
J. B. Wilson, 371 Clay St., Sharpsburg, Pa., says he will not be without Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, that it cured his wife who was threatened with Pneumonia after an attack of "La Grippe," when various other remedies and several physicians had done her no good. Robert Barber, of Cooks-port, Pa., claims Dr. King's New Discovery has done him more good than anything he ever used for Lung Trouble. Nothing like it. Try it. Free trial bottles at C. B. Hagenbuch's Drug Store. Large bottles, 50c. and \$1.

**One Week Engagement.**  
"Laughter holding its both sides" will be practically illustrated at Ferguson's theatre, Monday, Nov. 16th, and continue throughout the week. The occasion being the first appearance in this town of the Baldwin-Melville company in a repertoire of the latest comedy and dramatic successes. They open their engagement with Bartley Campbell's picturesque comedy entitled "Galley Slave." There will be an entire change of programme each performance during the week, with matinee Saturday. The entire company has been selected with the utmost regard to the individual adaptability of the artists for the parts portrayed and constitutes a coterie of talent seldom seen with a popular priced attraction and fully up to the standard of any company ever seen under Walter S. Baldwin's management. Ladies free Monday night if accompanied by a person with a paid ticket. Admission 10, 20 and 30 cents. Seats now on sale at Kirlin's drug store.

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

"Try it, for it never disappoints. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. At all dealers. Price 25 cents a bottle.  
Four typewriters for 25 cents, at Dabb's. 11-10-11

## A THEATRICAL VENTURE.

The "Honest Rube" Stock Company Organized.  
A meeting of the "Honest Rube" stock holders was held in Ferguson's hall last evening and a permanent organization effected. The following officers were elected: President, P. D. Holman; Secretary, J. R. Boyer; Treasurer, James S. Williams. The following committee on soliciting and collection was appointed: Jonathan Butts, Michael Gibbons and James Bama. The committee has been instructed to collect ten per cent. on all stock subscribed. The capital stock of the company is fixed at \$10 per share. Between two and three hundred shares will be issued. The next meeting will be held on Friday evening, November 27th.

Stationary packages, 5 and 10 cents each, at Max Reese's. 11-10-11

## The Coroner's Jury.

EDITOR HERALD:—During my experience in the coal fields of Pennsylvania for forty years I have asked myself the question: Of what benefit is a coroner's jury, either to the living, or the dead? I desire to call your attention especially to the mining class, taking into consideration the thousands of men and boys who are engaged in the perilous vocation and, according to the statistics, hundreds of poor mortals are hurled into eternity annually, and the numberless accidents that occur every day. But, alas! no remedy is suggested by our mine inspectors to decrease the awful record of disasters which we are called upon to witness, and for which some one is responsible, either the employer or the employe. A large percentage of casualties are reported by the mine inspectors' reports and the coroners' juries as the result of gross negligence, yet no remedy is offered by the proper parties, if there be any. No attention is paid to the same by either party. If the jury returns a verdict, "We find the said A. B. came to his death by neglecting to obey orders," no attention is paid to the verdict. The next day a similar accident occurs and the same verdict is rendered. I can recall scores of instances where casualties have occurred through gross neglect, yet a coroner's jury failed to fix the blame on the proper parties. It may be true that some jurors have done their duty in fixing the blame and have had the manhood to censure the proper parties. Let me ask your many readers: Of what benefit has it been to the unfortunate who have to risk their lives the next day in digging "dusky diamonds"? I propose to point out a few more evils pertaining to this question, and offer some suggestions as a remedy, in your next.

**AN OLD MINER.**  
Shenandoah, Pa., Nov. 14, 1891.

**Coughing Leads to Consumption.**  
Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once.

**PERSONAL.**  
Mrs. T. H. VanDusen, of North Jardin street, is confined to her bed by illness.

Charles Price, of Delano, one of the popular engineers on the Lehigh Valley railroad, is visiting his brother in the oil region.

Mrs. H. E. Bowman, who was attacked by severe hemorrhage of the lungs, has so far improved that she is able to be about again.

Insurance agent James Patterson spent yesterday in Frackville on business.

This evening will positively be your last opportunity to see Vortelli's Museum of Wonders. Theatre block.

**Keller Recaptured.**  
Charles Keller, of Ashland, who escaped from Deputy Sheriff Martin Ziegler Wednesday afternoon, while being conducted from the court house to jail, at Pottsville, was captured yesterday at Ringtown by Constable Peter Dresher. He is now in the Pottsville jail, with six months added to his sentence of one year for escaping.

**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

**Warm Welcome Promised.**  
Some unknown man has been making a practice of late of prowling about the rear porches of houses on Huckleberry alley during the early hours of the morning. One of the residents of that vicinity gives notice that the intruder will be filled with buckshot if he does not discontinue his visits.

**Hotel For Rent.**  
The hotel property at Lakeside Park (East Mahanoy Junction) for the year 1892. No one but an experienced hotel man need apply. For particulars, etc., apply to O. A. Keim, Shenandoah, Pa. 11-10-11

**A Fine Capture.**  
McAvoy, the taxidermist of town, is stuffing and mounting a silver gray fox shot on Locust Summit mountain last Thursday by Chris Drescher, of Ashland. The fox weighed 35 pounds and measured 43 inches from tip to tip.

A fine stock of guns and ammunition for sale cheap at Max Reese's. 10-24-11

## THE RAMBLER!

### A COLUMN OF PITHY AND INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS.

### CLEANINGS WHILE RAMBLING.

### A String of Spicy and Interesting Paragraphs Based Upon the Doings of the Day—Queer People and Happenings.

The local division of the Lehigh Valley railroad has lost one of the most reliable and competent men on the branch. John Brill, who has been engineer of passenger engine No. 443, and who is a brother of George Brill, assistant superintendent of the Mahanoy branch of the L. V. R. R., to-day gave up his position. He has bought a farm at Barnesville and on Monday next he will move his family to that place. It is his intention to embark in the butcher business. Mr. Brill was at one time a popular engineer on the P. & R. R. R., having run the "fast flyer" on that road between Williamsport and Philadelphia for some time.

The sportsmen of this vicinity are exceedingly glad over the attitude the farmers of Roaring Creek have taken this year. It is said that the farmers have formed a league for the purpose of keeping sportsmen at a distance and the work of the league has developed to an extent that makes the life of the sport anything but pleasant. Frank Schmidt says he has been one of the most fortunate of the gunners thus far this season. He spent the first part of the present week as the guest of a farmer and was allowed to shoot at will, but he got nothing. Perhaps the farmer knew there was nothing on the place before he gave the *carte-blanche*. Some farmers are a shrewd.

Drummers and others who have occasion to travel by railroads should not fail to carefully scan the Lehigh Valley, Pennsylvania and Philadelphia and Reading time tables. The winter schedules go into effect to-morrow.

There are several very bad pavements on Coal street and it is hoped the borough officials will give them their attention. This is the season of the year when borough officials, according to past experience, need a little prodding. The spring election is less than three months distant.

From Mrs. Henry Ward Beacher.  
"40 Orange St., Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 11, 1890."

"I have used Allcock's Plasters for some years for myself and family, and, as far as able, for the many sufferers who come to us for assistance, and have found them a genuine relief for most of the aches and pains which flesh is heir to. I have used Allcock's Plasters for all kinds of lameness and acute pain, and, by frequent experiments, find that they can control many cases not noticed in your circulars."

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**One Year for Bradley.**  
About two weeks ago Nicholas Welsh was arrested for stealing overalls from Max Sepporich, an East Centre street Jewish merchant. Daniel Bradley was found walking the streets by Chief of Police Armour, wearing a pair of the overalls and, charging that the changing of the charge was jugglery. Wilkes-Barre should not get excited over little affairs of that kind. A man recently pleaded guilty to a charge of larceny before a justice of the peace in town, but upon standing trial before a jury at Pottsville he was found not guilty.

I heard a young man remark the other day, "If I thought the electric railroad would be built I would apply for a position on it but I wouldn't like to apply and then not have the road go through." Perhaps a written guarantee from the company that the road will be built would satisfy this important young man. But, upon second thought, perhaps it would be well for him to wait until the road is built and in operation, and see if it can get along without his services.

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The high position attained and the universal acceptance and approval of the pleasant liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs, as the most excellent laxative known, illustrates the value of the qualities on which its success is based and are abundantly gratifying to the California Fig Syrup Co.

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With four pounds of CALIF Baking Powder, we'll give you a beautiful Gloria Cloth Umbrella. Guaranteed fast color and as good as you can buy anywhere for \$1.50.

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**GRAF'S,**  
No. 122 North Jardin Street

## THE ELECTRIC RAILWAY.

### The Track Laying to Begin on Monday.

Mr. Eberle, superintendent of construction for the Mahanoy City, Shenandoah, Girardville and Ashland Street Railway Company, returned from Philadelphia last night. In conversation with a HERALD reporter this morning Mr. Eberle said, "All rights of way and all negotiations with the Girard Estate and P. & R. R. R. officials for permission to pass over their lands and to construct tracks, etc., on them have been consummated to the satisfaction of all parties. The Girard and P. & R. R. R. people asked to be assured that the electric railway would be built before they would grant any privileges and when I succeeded in convincing them on that point they promised to award the company anything within reason. We will start our men breaking ground and laying tracks on Monday. They will begin at the Turkey Run switch of the P. & R. railroad and work their way westward towards Wm. Penn. They have a mile and half of rails and sills to start with and the rest of the supplies will arrive as fast as they are needed. Another car load of material arrived this morning and is at the Lehigh Valley depot."

"Has a right been selected for the power house?"

"Not for the houses. The parties who previously had hold of this project thought it would be necessary to have one power house between Wm. Penn and Girardville and another some place near Ellingswan, but I have come to the conclusion that I can furnish all the power required with one house, and that will be located in the hollow at the fork of the Girardville road—where one road turns in the direction of Mahanoy Plains and the other comes in this direction."

"I see that a Pottsville paper criticizes the railway company because it has Italian laborers on hand?"

"So I understand. I hope the people will be reasonable in this matter. It is out of reason to expect our company to pay navvies the wages paid skilled laborers. I have a flood of applications for work on the road, but ninety-nine per cent. of the applicants want to be foremen. To have all foremen on the road would never pay, of course. We will try to accommodate all the men in town who want to work on the road. In a few days I will be prepared to give the public a detailed account of the route proposed to take, enumerating the several changes that have been made."

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