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ONE CENT

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

THE EVENING HERALD.

ALL THE NEWS FOR ONE CENT.

Has a larger circulation in Shenandoah than any other paper published. Circulation books open to all.

Looks like Mills, the Free Trader, or Speaker of the next House of Representatives.

THERE ought to be no trouble to raise \$7,500 to meet the proposition made by a gentleman in yesterday's HERALD.

TO-MORROW we should all give thanks for the abundant harvests; the general good health of the country; the peaceful condition of affairs and the prospects of a prosperous future. The American people have everything to be thankful for.

ANOTHER brave soldier has gone to his long rest. General Hovey, Governor of Indiana, died on Monday, after a brief illness. He served with distinction in the late rebellion and was honored by the people of his state by electing him as their Chief Magistrate.

SHENANDOAH people ought to give thanks to-morrow for the bright prospects of the coal trade; the coming of the electric railway; the coming boom of the town; the healthy condition of business generally and the good health of the town in particular.

ONCE more we call attention to our monied men that a good paying manufactory can be secured here for very little money. All that is required is a building, costing a few thousand dollars. Water rent and taxes free for five years. The borough will exempt the concern of taxes for that length of time. The water rent, at the highest, will not cost more than one hundred dollars a year. A dozen gentlemen could raise that much money among themselves and make the start. It will pay property owners to put up the money themselves and reap benefits in a way of enhanced prices for their properties and rents. This establish-

45 CENTS PER YARD FOR a good home-made rag 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.**

ment would employ from 50 to 100 girls and boys.

HAZLETON newspapers are booming their new city for all it is worth. The *Sentinel* has suggested that a "Hazleton on Wheels," something similar to "Florida on Wheels," be gotten up and exhibited at Chicago to advertise the place. What is the matter with Shenandoah doing the same thing? A car, nicely fitted up with specimens of the different kinds of coal, pyrites, photographs of collieries, etc., etc., would be an attraction that would command attention anywhere outside of the region. We do not wish to steal Hazleton's thunder, but think there is room for both towns to advertise its advantages.

MAHANOHY PLANE.

Newsy Letter From a Reliable Correspondent.

The planes are working all night on double shift these busy times. The P. & R. paymaster distributed some of the company's cash in those parts to-day. The electric light wires were run into town on Wednesday last, and during the present week the street lamps will be put up. Nearly all the stores, and a number of private dwellings, have been wired for the incandescent lights, as are, also, the school houses. It is expected that the plant will be ready to start on Wednesday. Don't forget the oyster supper of the M. E. Sunday school, in Collihan's hall, this evening.

That lively Irish comedy, "Will O' the Wisp," will be presented at the new Park theatre, at Frackville, this evening. The company is an excellent one, and lovers of good old Irish fun should not miss this treat.

Shortly after 2 o'clock on Friday afternoon, last, smoke was seen issuing from the roof of one of Wm. Dornbach's tenement houses, on Water St. American Hose Co., No. 2, promptly answered the cry of "fire!" and, though considerably hampered by insufficient water service, succeeded in quenching the flames, and preventing what might have been a general conflagration. The fire was started by an overheated chimney.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Clay W. Evans, of St. Clair, was in town yesterday.

Prof. Zaitz, leader of the Grant Cornet Band, spent to-day at the county seat.

Mrs. William J. Morgan went to Philadelphia this morning to spend Thanksgiving Day with her parents.

Henry Wiederhold left this morning for Berwick to spend Thanksgiving with his wife as the guests of Mrs. Wiederhold's parents.

A fine stock of guns and ammunition for sale cheap at Max Reese's. 10-24-1f

BOROUGH ITEMS!

GLEANINGS BY THE LOCAL CORPS OF REPORTERS.

WHAT THE SCRIBES SEE AND HEAR

The Pennsylvania Railroad Tracks Did Not go Down Yesterday. Trains Running as Usual. Fire Last Night.

Pottsville papers, upon authority of their local correspondents, last night exaggerated the condition of the Pennsylvania railroad, between town and Wiggins station, and caused the circulation of reports that unnecessarily alarmed the friends of people who passed over the road during the day. One party who read an account of the matter in one of the county seat papers condemned the paper in round terms and claimed that the wife of a friend had been prostrated by the report, her husband having left town over the road in the morning.

There was no cause for alarm, as the Pennsylvania tracks passed over the line all day and reached their destinations on schedule time, and they were running as usual over the road to-day. The mine workings under the railroad in the cut midway between town and Wiggins had commenced to settle, but the place is so flat that the parties in charge felt confident that the surface would be carried down very little, if any. But to allay all fears watchmen were placed inside the mine and on the railroad on the surface. In justice to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company it should be stated that ample precautions are always made to guard against accidents on the line by reason of the caving in of mine workings under its tracks and that patrons will receive ample notice whenever there is any indication of danger.

A Million Friends.

A friend in need is a friend indeed, and not less than one million people have found just such a friend in Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. If you have never used this Great Cough Medicine, one trial will convince you that it has wonderful curative powers in all diseases of Throat, Chest and Lungs. Each bottle is guaranteed to do all that is claimed or money will be refunded. Trial bottles free at C. H. Hagenbuch's drug store. Large bottles 50c. and \$1.00.

THE JURY WHEEL.

Pottsville, as Usual, Gets More Than Her Share.

The Jury Commissioners yesterday reported to court the following list of jurors drawn for duty for January and February, from Shenandoah and vicinity:

Jan. 4th.—John J. Slattery, Peter Quinn, Shenandoah; D. M. Stauffer, John Banks, Union; G. W. Johnson, Lost Creek.

January 11th.—James Cogrove, James Hilbert, D. J. Credon, Shenandoah; Thomas McGover, Mahanoy Township.

January 18th.—Herman Gerfert, Mahanoy Township; Frank Larkin, Lost Creek. January 25th.—T. T. Williams, Shenandoah; John Rickson, Anthony Horan, Mahanoy Township.

February 1st.—James Smith, John Snell, George Manning, John Maher, John Herring, John Reilly, Michael Scanlan, Edward Murphy, Jere Toomey, Shenandoah; J. Kennedy, James Brennan, Mahanoy Township; Henry M. Stauffer, Union.

Out of the three hundred names drawn Pottsville gets 46; Ashland, 17; Shenandoah, 15; and Mahanoy City, 13.

A Cozy Meeting Place.

Mellet's, formerly Rice's hall, has just been thoroughly renovated. The frame work has been repainted, the walls and ceilings have been covered with rich-looking and substantial paper, and the floor is covered with elegant Brussels carpet. The hall is now one of the most pleasant and comfortable in the town.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve 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.

The finest note paper and envelopes in the country at Max Reese's. 1f

More New Arrivals.

A band of Hungarian immigrants arrived in town this morning. They numbered eighteen, one of them being a woman. They remained at the Lehigh Valley depot until one of the Hungarian store keepers of town called for them and took them to a settlement in the First ward.

Stationary packages, 5 and 10 cents each, at Max Reese's. 1f

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 G. A. Keim, Shenandoah, Pa. 11-10-1f

A MIDNIGHT ALARM.

A Blaze on Main Street This Morning.

At about quarter to one o'clock this morning the fire bell sounded an alarm that summoned the department to Robbins' building on South Main street. All the companies responded promptly, but they reached the scene some time soon. The place was formerly occupied by C. T. Rice and later by a dime museum company. A few days ago it was rented by a Mr. Shapira, who was having it altered and repaired for the purpose of establishing a pharmacy. Painters materials and cotton waste were thickly scattered about the place and furnished excellent material for a fire. When the firemen entered the store a lot of cotton waste under a counter had already been consumed and the floor and counter were burning fiercely. After hard work the flames were extinguished, but not until a large hole had been burned in the floor and the counter partly consumed. The origin of the fire is a mystery. Mr. Shapira says he locked the doors of the place and left it at six p. m. and there was no means by which anything could be ignited. The fire was discovered in the nick of time. A frame building, with a good supply of paints, oils, cotton waste, and a stiff wind blowing, foreshadowed a dangerous fire.

Working for the Presidential Nomination.

What man can tell who will be nominated for president by the Republicans or Democrats. Each one works his "boom" for all it is worth. First we read Blaine's mind is tottering; that he's a physical wreck; again, that he suffers only from indigestion; and then we're told that Harrison don't want the nomination unless; Hill says nothing; and Cleveland is in the hands of his friends. There are so many rumors that we know nothing definite except that Manager Ferguson has secured the great comedy drama "She Couldn't Marry Three," and it is undeniably the greatest show ever visited us.

Anniversary To-night.

Washington Camp, No. 188, P. O. S. of A., will celebrate its fourth anniversary this evening in their hall in Robbins' building, at the corner of Main and Oak streets. There will be a musical and literary entertainment. Members of other camps are invited.

Deserving Praise.

We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as well, or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits. C. H. Hagenbuch, Druggist.

Post Office Notice.

To-morrow, Thanksgiving day, the post office will be open from 7:30 to 11 a. m. The carriers will make the six o'clock collection and 7 and 10 a. m. deliveries. Brownsville, Yatesville, Ellengowan and Turkey Run will be served with the 7 a. m. delivery. Money orders and postal notes will not be issued or paid.

Gratifying to All.

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, illustrate the value of the qualities on which its success is based and are abundantly gratifying to the California Fig Syrup Co.

Thanksgiving Service.

Thanksgiving service will be held in the Primitive Methodist church to-morrow evening, commencing at 7 o'clock. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. H. G. Russell.

New Opening.

Max Reese has opened a new store in the room formerly occupied by Jacob Bamberger, where he will be pleased to have his many friends call and examine the fine line of holiday goods.

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. 9-14-1f

Encouraging.

It is really encouraging to take a stroll around town and note the activity in all kinds of business. The arrival of large stocks of new goods; the good humor of the merchants and a general air of satisfaction seems to pervade the air.

A Surprise.

Keep your eye on this local. Kesegay, the photographer, will have his new opening in a few days and will have something interesting that will surprise the people. 1f

Best work done at Brennan's steam laundry. Everything white and spotless. Lace curtains a specialty. All work guaranteed. 1f

PUSHING AHEAD!

ELECTRIC RAILWAY MAKING FAVORABLE PROGRESS.

BROWNVILLE IS DISAPPOINTED.

A Laying of Rails Has Been Started—The Working Force Steadily Increasing—Electric Sentiment Changing.

The residents of Brownsville, who expected the electric railway would pass their doors, according to the original plans of the company, are sorely disappointed. But this life is full of disappointments and it is impossible to please everybody. The route adopted by the company is considered the most likely to please the majority of the people.

The work of putting up poles and laying tracks was commenced yesterday.

Italians continue to arrive and as fast as they come they are given work grading and digging holes for the poles. It is expected that before the close of the week from three to four hundred will be at work on the road.

On the strength of what is being done by the electric company, several of our citizens have picked up courage and will alter and improve their properties to meet the demands of business. Some Coal street properties have already jumped in price. Railroads are great boomers.

It is understood the electric cars will be painted red. The *S. News* will have another opportunity to manufacture interviews.

Judge Sadler, of Carlisle, president of the electric railway, is expected here to-night and will eat his Thanksgiving turkey with Major Finney. During his brief stay here he will inspect the work now under way and assist in suggesting plans for the future.

The school teachers are on the anxious bench. They are desirous of having the road in operation during institute week.

Opponents of the electric railway are gradually thinning out. In a few days they will be so scarce that a premium will be paid to bring forward a man who will acknowledge he is against the road. Strange country this, isn't it?

Poles and ties have been distributed along West Coal street, to be in readiness for the increased force of workmen.

The Ashland papers are in accord on the "T" rail and narrow gauge question. Had some of the papers been more consistent at an earlier day much trouble would have been avoided. But, then, they would have been deprived of interesting news if there had been no opposition.

It is thought that the M. C. S., G. & A. electric railway will eventually extend to Gordon and Centralia.

GO BY ALL MEANS.

Pure Food Exposition at Philadelphia—Special Excursions.

The annual Pure Food Exposition now in progress at Philadelphia is the "Latest Fad" and is visited daily by thousands. It is both interesting and instructive. The Reading Railroad will sell special excursion tickets on Wednesday, November 24th, and on Tuesday, December 1st, with a coupon of admission to the Pure Food Exposition at the very low rate of a single fare for the round trip, with 25 cents added for the admission coupon. Tickets will be good on all trains of the above dates and can be used to return on any train within three days, including date of sale. The Exposition is held in Horticultural Hall, Broad and Spruce streets.

Van Houten's Cocoa—The standard of the world. 11-23-1w

We Should Be

Thankful to-morrow, that we are alive and well.

That we are permitted to live at all.

That we are to have the electric railway.

That we have so few non-progressive citizens amongst us.

That there are plenty of turkeys to go around.

That we may be permitted to elect wide awake and progressive councilmen at the next spring election.

That we will have the new election law next year.

That Governor Pattison's folly did not bankrupt the state.

That we are enjoying good health.

That Shenandoah is blessed with so many good looking women.

That the prospects for asphalt paving the streets next year are good.

That the County Institute will be held here.

That the prospects for plenty of sleighing and skating are good.

That our churches are being better attended than before.

That the *EVENING HERALD* continues to visit us regularly.

It don't do to neglect nature's warning aches through the system, cause Rheumatism, Neuralgia and Backache. Try Red Flag Oil, the Famous Pain Cure. 25 cents at Kirin's drug store.

THE P. & R. C. & I. CO.

Certain That Its Quota Will be Increased.

There is no longer any doubt that the production of anthracite coal next year will be on a solid basis from the present combination, New York and Boston journals spoke of the Reading as a "lame dog." They said that, as a matter of fact, the Reading had been treated very liberally in the past, that it was idle to think the other members of the combination would give it any more tonnage, and that this settled the matter, as the Reading could not do anything in the face of such position. In the last six weeks a remarkable change has come over the tone of advices from New York. Instead of being called a "lame dog" the Reading is now spoken of as the "Colossus" of the coal trade.

No arrangement for next year will be made until after the first of the year. There is, however, no longer any doubt of a rearrangement. That is conceded in quarters where a change is least desired. The Reading will have more tonnage. Possibly there will be a coal war, but this is very doubtful. When the talk of increased allotment for the Reading began there were loud threats that a coal war would result. This threat failed as a better understanding of Reading's physical and financial condition has led to the conclusion that the Reading is better able to stand a coal war than any road in the combination.

The Reading Company has \$100,000,000 invested that is now unproductive. Every other company pays large dividends on its stock after paying interest on the bonds. The Reading owns one-half the coal in the ground. It has facilities to mine and market 13,000,000 tons per year. Last year it mined 7,000,000, or little more than half its capacity. This year, owing to the better condition of the trade, it will mine about 9,000,000 tons, but this is only enough to enable it to pay fixed charges and leave a trifling surplus. Next year 13,000,000 tons could be mined with little more expense, and, as a result, every obligation of the Reading company, fixed and contingent, would be paid and the stock would pay six per cent. It has been often said in reply to this statement that it is only a theory that cannot be carried out. Quite the contrary. It has been demonstrated. In October the company mined and shipped and sold over 1,000,000 tons without trouble and could have exceeded that amount. This could be done every month in the year, as the collieries are constantly being improved. Here, then, is a condition and not a theory.

There is another point to be taken into consideration. The anthracite production this year will be the largest in history, and the market has absorbed or is absorbing it all. Had the companies all kept faith and maintained prices the net profits to all would have been magnificent. Unfortunately, this has not been done at all times, owing to the jealousy and the efforts of the other companies to keep the Reading's percentage where it is, although on an average prices have been reasonably well maintained. The outlook for next year is equally bright. If the combination shall give the Reading its just dues, even if the concession is large, and all maintain prices the other companies will make the largest profits in their history, notwithstanding their concessions, and Reading stock will, to use a slang phrase, be "out of sight."

The present management of the Reading has done what was not deemed possible by its best friends or its worst enemies. The property in a few years has been rehabilitated, improvements have been made in almost every direction. Its earnings are increasing, and its prospects are the brightest it has had for twenty years.

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

Profitable Investment. If you want an excellent farm, situated only six miles from Shenandoah, containing 28 acres, with fruit trees and stream of water, call at the *HERALD* office for further particulars. It is a profitable investment and the terms are reasonable. 11-18-1f

I found Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup to be a most effective remedy and feel sure that the most stubborn cough and cold will yield to its healing influence. Frank S. Price, New Orleans, La.

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