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ONE CENT.



VENEZUELA
The Monroe Doctrine and Schomburgk line are the all-engrossing subjects of the day. There can be no question regarding The

.. New England Piano

Because our customers (the arbitration committee) decided long ago in its favor, conceding every claim for durability, richness of tone, and beauty of finish.

65,000 IN DAILY USE

SOLD ON EASY TERMS.

J. P. Williams & Son, S. Main St.

We have placed on our counters this week a large assortment of MUSLIN UNDERWEAR, Children's outing flannel, lawn and cambric dresses, and ladies' and children's white aprons. These have been made specially to our order and will cost you no more than the price you would have to pay for the material.

Ladies' Night Gowns with yoke of fine tucks and embroidery, 50, 79 and 99 cents.

Children's Outing Flannel Dresses, 25, 37, 50 and 79 cents.
" Cambric " 25, 49 and 79 cents.
" Lawn " 99c, \$1.87 and \$2.15.
Infant's Slips from 37c to \$1.87.

P. J. GAUGHAN, - 27 N. Main St.

THIS IS OUR EYE OPENER!

Special Drive in Ladies' Footwear!

Our Spring Line of Ladies' Shoes is being increased every day. Takes in everything good and attractive in the market.

OUR SPECIALTY SHOE.

We are making a drive in the Waverly ladies' shoe. 300 pair will be sold at \$2 a pair. Regular price is \$2.50. This may be the last of this line this season. We have them in C, D, EX EE widths. No better shoe is made for the money.

JOSEPH BALL, 14 S. MAIN STREET, SHENANDOAH.

General Agent for the Snag Proof Duck Boot.

WATCH FOR SPRING.... ANNOUNCEMENT.

J. J. PRICE'S, North Main St., Shenandoah, Pa.



ALFRED F. MORGAN.

A SHOE TALE!

Only the happy wearers of Morgan's Shoes can appreciate their real goodness of quality, fit and durability. The prices are right—a trial will tell a long story. See our special in ladies' shoes.

Alfred F. Morgan, No. 11 W. Oak Street.

BARGAINS

In Carpets, Velvets and Tapestries, BEAUTIFUL PATTERNS.

Closing Out

Remnants of **FLOOR OIL CLOTH.**

TWO YARDS WIDE

... AT FORTY CENTS.

At KEITER'S.

GEN. GARCIA STEALS AWAY

The Veteran Cuban Patriot en Route for His Native Land.

OFF ON THE STEAMER BERMUDA

A Hot Battle Reported in Cuba, in Which the Official Accounts Make it Appear That the Insurgents Were Defeated. General Weyler May Resign.

ATLANTIC CITY, March 19.—Custom House Inspector E. A. Higbee learned yesterday afternoon that General Garcia and a band of Cuban patriots left Somers' Point harbor early in the morning on the steamer Bermuda. He has notified the secretary of war.

It appears that General Garcia secured the steamer Bermuda, which has been for several months lying at Tuckahoe out of commission, and transferred his men and arms to the steamer Bermuda, which arrived here Tuesday night. The insurgents, it is said, journeyed from Philadelphia to Tuckahoe by the South Jersey railroad, from thence by the steamer Atlantic City to Somers' Point harbor, meeting the Bermuda, and there effecting the transfer.

Last Monday the owners of the Atlantic City took out of the custom house a set of



GENERAL GALIXTO GARCIA.

Inspection papers, ostensibly for the purpose of giving the steamer a trial trip for the benefit of parties who had an option upon it for purchase. When she steamed into the harbor on Tuesday, therefore, no special attention was paid her. It was soon observed, however, that a number of strangers were loitering about the wharf, and their mysterious actions created suspicion.

Yesterday local captains noticed the Atlantic City suddenly steam towards Little Egg Harbor bay, and thence oceanward. Later in the day she returned and went to Tuckahoe. It has since been learned that the local steamer met the Bermuda, which came from New York, and that Garcia and his party were taken aboard. It is asserted that the two steamers were seen side by side and when they parted each gave a loud whistle blast.

Recorder Ingersoll, owner of the Atlantic City, denied any knowledge of the steamer being utilized for a Cuban expedition. He admitted that inspection papers had been taken out, but said it was to put the steamer in temporary commission for the officials of the South Jersey railroad, who intended purchasing it.

A HOT BATTLE IN CUBA.

Of Course the "Military Editors" Give the Victory to the Spaniards.

HAVANA, March 19.—A hot battle between the forces under Colonel Hernandez and the insurgents under Maceo, Banderas and others is reported from the neighborhood of Candelaria, in Pinar del Rio. The insurgent loss is reported to have been 300 killed and wounded. Of the troops Captain Torroja Guerrero was killed and Lieutenant Comas wounded. The official report also says that five soldiers were killed and fifty-six wounded. The details of the battle are rather meager.

Colonel Suarez Yuchab left Las Mangas on Monday. Colonel Hernandez was ordered to march over to Candelaria. The march was made in torrents of rain. The insurgents, to the number of 4,000, were awaiting the advance of the troops on a farm. As they came up at a rapid gallop the insurgents opened fire along an extensive line which had been disposed behind the bushes along the road, and parallel to it.

This proved a galling and destructive fire, and the battalion of Tarifa in the vanguard with a section of the cavalry squadron of Vitoria and the artillery found themselves speedily engaged. Firing then opened on both sides and the insurgents ran. The columns in the rear coming into action the whole line of troops was involved.

The artillery threw grapeshot over the insurgents, who advanced, machete in hand. The movement of the insurgents was thus held in check, but new forces coming to their aid, they fell upon the Spanish columns in a fierce attack. This attack also was checked, says the official report, giving the victory to the Spanish troops and terminating the engagement after two hours' fighting with a bayonet charge, assisted by a concentrated artillery fire, which dislodged the insurgents, who fled in great numbers.

In an interview with General Weyler, published here, the captain general is credited with having said that the attitude of the United States congress stops the normal development of the war. The interview also places General Weyler on record as saying that numbers of persons are joining the insurgents from all parts of Cuba, and even from the capital, Havana, because they hope they will be recognized as belligerents. General Weyler asserted his confidence of the eventual success of the Spanish cause, but added that "the contradictory demands of prudence and extreme measures, combined with the difficulties arising from the question of belligerency and the elections," may compel him to resign.

A SOCIETY SENSATION.

Intoxication Given as an Excuse for a Grave Charge.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—The frequently deferred trial of Benjamin H. Milliken, a well known young Tennesseean, accused of house breaking July 4 last, with intent to commit a rape on Miss Gertrude Phillips, daughter of ex-Solicitor General Samuel F. Phillips, and well known in society, began in the criminal court here yesterday. Milliken pleaded not guilty, and thereupon the prosecution and defense outlined their course.

District Attorney Birney said he would prove that Milliken called at Judge Phillips' house on the night of July 4 last, that Miss Phillips refused to see him, and sent down to him a number of gifts he had presented to her. Milliken then went away, and about 1 o'clock the next morning Miss Phillips was awakened by a slight noise and an odor of what she thought was chloroform. The government contended that as the door was locked Milliken must have entered the room early. The screams of his daughter aroused Judge Phillips, and he found Milliken on the roof of a rear shed, whence he had fled from a closet in the young lady's room.

Ex-Solicitor General John Goode, counsel for the defense, contended that Milliken was not in a mental or physical condition to have committed the offense charged. There was no intention, he said, to reflect on Miss Phillips' character. His client, not realizing his condition, had called on the young lady, and thought she had excused herself he entered the parlor unpermitted by the family and fell asleep. When he awoke he supposed he was in his own home, and retired, as he thought, to his room, learning his mistake when he recognized Judge Phillips.

Judge Phillips, Miss Gertrude Phillips and her elder sister testified to the facts stated by the district attorney, and to the fact that Milliken was a frequent caller. Miss Gertrude admitted that she and Milliken had been in love with each other.

At Green's Rialto Cafe.

Vegetable soup will be served free to all patrons to-night. Everybody invited. Free hot lunch every morning. Meals served at all hours.

Surprise Party.

The residence of Mr. Oliver Loucks, on South West street, was the scene of a very pleasant surprise party held in honor of his daughter, Miss Jessie, who celebrated her twelfth anniversary yesterday. There were in attendance Misses May Burns, May and Carrie Garner, Alice Boddall, Anna Bierstein, Mable Gilliam, Bessie Ellis, Edith Miller, May Williams, Gertrude Loxby, Maud Phillips, Estelle May Case, Margie and Esther Daddow, Edna, Minnie and Jessie Loucks, and Masters Elmer Ritter, Clayton Loucks, James Wooltem, Samuel Williams, Roy Lingham, Daniel Gilliam, Thomas Cox, Eddie Horn, Garfield Jefferson, Philip Holman, Willie Seltzer, James Wood, George Daddow, Clarence Raudenbush, George Miller, Raymond Loucks and William Yeager.

Kendrick House Free Lunch.

Sour kront and pork to-night. Hot lunch to-morrow morning.

May Have Base Ball.

It is probable that Shenandoah will have a season of exhibition base ball this year. Harry Bradigan, who so successfully managed the exhibition season three years ago, says he is willing to assume the responsibility again, provided a few good people of town will get together and give him backing. An exhibition season would be more popular and less expensive than a league series and the games would be just as exciting. No one could wish for a better series than that given when Mr. Bradigan had the team under his charge, and he is just the man who can make base ball a success here.

Watson House Free Lunch.

Boston Baked Beans to-night. Hot lunch to-morrow morning.

Threatened His Wife.

Thomas Rice, a Pole, was committed to the lockup last night on complaint of his wife, Annie, who alleged that he threatened to cut her throat with a razor. When arraigned Rice told Justice Canby that his wife made life a burden to him by her conduct. Annie has quite a reputation in that direction, but it was considered advisable to put her husband in some place that would prevent him from carrying out his threat during the night.

Young man wanted to sell rubber stamps of all kinds. Big commission paid. All work guaranteed. Call at once at 100 W. Line St. E. K. Bitterman, mfr. 3-19-96

Sleight Party.

The following persons comprised a sleight party to Ringtown, last evening: Misses Della and Josephine Daddow, Mary Kincaid and Sadie Lingham, and Messrs. John Hough, Harry Mayberry, Arthur Parrish and John Kincaid. They were quartered at Hart's hotel where a supper was served.

Bickert's Cafe.

Our free lunch to-morrow morning will consist of nice scalloped oysters.

A Pastor to Leave.

Rev. D. L. Evans will close his pastorate with the Calvary Baptist church, on South Jardin street, this month and intends going to York, Pa. His last sermon here will be preached on the 29th inst.

Just received a new lot of window shades, fixtures and shading by the yard. We make shades to fit any window. Prices low. At Fricke's carpet store. 3-13-96

New Dry Goods Business.

James Cankley, late with P. J. Moushgan, has returned from New York city, where he closed negotiations for a large stock of dry goods for an opening of business in the Bierman building, on North Main street.

Fine imported neckwear at regular selling prices. At MAX LEVIT'S.

Joined the Hibernians.

M. M. Burke and J. R. Coyle, Esqs., with T. J. Millahan, salesman, and James P. McDonald, mine foreman, all of town, were admitted to the Hibernian Society in Philadelphia Tuesday evening.

HOTEL GUESTS STIRRED UP.

An Early Morning Night Shirt Parade in Corridors.

THEY THOUGHT THERE WAS A FIRE

But an Investigation Showed That It Was Caused by an Odor Arising From Some Place Outside of the Hotel—No Panic Ensued.

At about two o'clock this morning a strong odor from burning rags pervaded the corridors of the Ferguson House and penetrated the rooms of the occupants to such an extent that nearly all of them were aroused by an apprehension of fire. Some of the more nervous guests rushed out into the corridors scantly clad and entirely indifferent to the amusement of their more self-proclaimed neighbors, but none went into hysterics or behaved panicky. Mr. Hutchison, the proprietor, and his employees were the first to discover the odor and completed an investigation by the time the guests stalked forth in grotesque brigades. The latter were assured that there was no cause for alarm and one by one they withdrew to their apartments. One drummer who had a great struggle with Morpheus before he could reach the corridor said he was prepared to swear Shenandoah is the nearest place on the face of the earth to Shoe, as every time he comes to the town he is aroused from his slumber by fire. He first visited the town in November, 1883, when the great conflagration swept away about half the town. His second visit was on June 1st, last, when the big Centre street fire took place.

The cause of last night's flurry was not definitely settled. It is supposed that the odor got into the hotel through some windows that were left open during the night. There was nothing in the building to cause it. The report that a new woman stopped at the hotel last night and set fire to her bloomers while smoking in bed is without foundation.

Remnants of carpets and oil cloths cheap, at Fricke's carpet store.

ANDREWS AND LEACH.

Both Are Said to be in Earnest in Their Canvass for Chairmanship.

PHILADELPHIA, March 19.—The fight for the chairmanship of the Republican state committee, between Senator William H. Andrews, of Crawford county, and Frank Willing Leach is creating much interest, especially among the friends of Senator Quay. Ex-Chairman Andrews' friends made the announcement of his candidacy last week, and on Tuesday Mr. Leach submitted to an interview and announced his desire to succeed Chairman Quay. He will make an active canvass in every county in the state. Mr. Andrews' plan of campaign has not yet been announced. He is now in California, in Quay's interests, and will not return for about ten days.

Senator Quay will have considerable influence in naming the state chairman, and the contest between Andrews and Leach may make it necessary to name some one else, if any bitterness is shown. The name of Deputy Attorney General John F. Eikin, of Indiana county, is prominently mentioned. He is well fitted for the position, and is a strong supporter of the Junior Senator.

Our \$2.95 hat is a dandy. MAX LEVIT'S.

A Premature Report.

A Potville contemporary announced last night that Shenandoah Lodge No. 391, I. O. O. F., had closed a bargain with Josiah W. Johnson for the purchase of four lots south of the Rescue Hook and Ladder Company's building on North Main street, for \$10,000. The report was at least premature. Members of the organization say the matter was discussed at a meeting held last Monday evening, but it is not likely that any bargain of that kind will be made. It is true, nevertheless, that the lodge has decided to sell the property on White street, as it has been discovered that the site cannot be used to the advantage expected when the purchase was made a few weeks ago. It is also a fact that the lodge has the fuelination and means with which to erect an opera house, but investigation thus far made has not presented an available site.

Schettly House.

Our free lunches to-night: Muck turtle soup Boston Baked Beans.

Oysters in all styles.

Working on the Audit.

Borough Auditors Jacob Banberger, John Medalls and George Floppert, who have been at work on the accounts of the Borough Council officials for several days, are still wading through hatches of coupons and vouchers and columns of figures and do not expect to conclude their labors before the latter part of next week. They will then take up the audit of the School Board accounts and close with auditing the accounts of the Water Superintendent.

The finest \$3.00 hat in the market. At MAX LEVIT'S, 15 East Centre street.

Schnyckill Traction Earnings.

The Schnyckill Traction Company reports its gross earnings for the month of February at \$7,251, an increase of \$2,133 over the same month of 1895; operating expenses, \$4,100, a decrease of \$103, and net earnings \$3,051, an increase of \$2,205. For the five months ending February 29 a net increase of \$6,484 is shown.

Who Said They Have a Cough?

Advice—Take Pan-Tina, 25c. At Grubler Bros., drug store.

Health Reports.

Gladya Robland, aged 2 years, of West street, was today reported to the Board of Health as suffering from diphtheria, and Stella Williams, aged 10, of North Plum alley, was reported as a victim of scarlet fever.

Never Falls for Coughs and Colds.

That's what Pan-Tina is, 25c. At Grubler Bros., drug store.

THE BUSY STORE

216 and 118 North Main Street. Proprietor, MAX SCHMIDT.

THE GREAT FOUR CENT SALE

Will be going on this week. See our window. Any article FOUR CENTS. How is it possible; you say! Leave that to us—we give you the article.

SEE OUR EMBROIDERY—GRAND SELECTION.

One lot, beautiful designs 7c
One lot, more handsome 10c
One lot, exquisite - - - 12c
GRAND VARIETY OF TORCHAN LACES.
One lot, worth to mention 4c
One lot, any width - - - 5c
One lot, cotton lace 6 inch wide - - - 4c

WINDOW SHADES.

Our spring line of Window Shades at lowest prices.
FELT SHADES, 3x6 foot, with fringe and spring roller. Sold everywhere higher. 23c
YALE OPAQUE SHADES—GOOD CLOTH Without fringe. Sale price 24c Same with fringe. Sale price - - - 34c
HIGH GRADE OPAQUE SHADE 3x6 feet, with lace fringe. Sale price - - - 49c

Our 4 Cent Sale

will indeed surprise you. Below find a few items which will convince you.
Large dippers. Full 2 quart. Always 10c. Sale price 4c
Wire tea strainers. Black wood handle. Sale price 4c
Matches per dozen 4c
India rubber fine combs. Everywhere 10c, for 4c
Cork screw, 10c any place. Sale price 4c
Any size plate, small or large. Sale price 4c
Any size goblet, tumbler or wine glass 4c
Rosewood handle knives and forks. Sale price, each 4c
Photograph casels of fine polished wire. Sale price 4c

SALOON KEEPERS' ATTENTION!
We received a large lot of glasses, any size, pony beer, large, small or large, whiskey, with thin or heavy bottom, for 4c each. This is an opportunity to put in your stock.



116 and 118 North Main Street.



We Sell No. 9 Wash Boilers Every Day For 38 CENTS. GIRVIN'S 8 S. Main St.



A CARD.

The administrators of the estate of the late JOHN T. GRAF, would inform the old patrons, as well as the new, that the business will be continued at the old stand, and that the past reputation for fair dealing will be maintained by the present management, and the same high standard of goods kept in stock. We solicit a continuance of the trade.

Graf's,
12 North Jardin Street, Shenandoah.