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SEVERN'S Corner Grocery, Centre and White Sts.

THIRD EDITION

PERSONAL.

Louis Friedman went to Mahanoy City today.

Veno, "the Wonder," was in town yesterday afternoon.

Miss Blanche Rich, of Ashland, is visiting friends in town.

Sal. Foster, Esq., of Pottsville, spent a few hours in town yesterday.

James J. Coakley and John O'Haren enjoyed a sleigh ride to Ashland last evening.

Miss Fannie Orson, of St. Clair, is visiting Mrs. Samuel Hughes, of West Cherry street.

D. H. Dowdell, who has been suffering from an attack of grip for several days, is about again.

An excellent remedy. Two of my children have been much troubled with coughs all winter. They used Sarsaparilla and a few applications produced a complete cure. I consider this excellent remedy. John H. Jones, Deputy Inspector Tobacco Warehouse, No. 4 Baltimore, Md.

Coming Events.

Feb. 12.—First annual ball of Gen. Harrison Lodge, Knights of Pythias, at Robbins' opera house.

Feb. 22.—Martha Washington Birthday Party, in Robbins' opera house, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the P. M. church.

March 16.—Tea party in Robbins' opera house, under the auspices of the Welsh Congregational church.

Twelve Photos for 50c.

By sending us your cabinet, together with 50 cents, we will finish you one dozen photos 12-2-1/2.

W. A. KRABBY.

Mother—"Have you seen Mr. Brown's son since he got home from college?"

Daughter: "Yes, I saw him last night. Has he improved much? Oh, awfully. He's got a moustache."

USE DANA'S SARSAPARILLA, ITS "THE KIND THAT CURES."

Muskies, mufflers and silk handkerchiefs in all the latest and most approved styles and at exceedingly low prices at the Peoples' store.

12-15-1/2

Superior goods at 25 per cent. lower than elsewhere at Holderman's jewelry store.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.

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When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Best work done at Brennan's Steam Laundry. Everything white and spotless. Lace curtains a specialty. All work guaranteed.

Buy your child a pair of rubber boots. They will cost you but 90 cents at the Peoples' store, 121 North Main street.

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The bill posterizes his board; the boarding house mistress sizes her boards.

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Holderman's jewelry store leads as ever. If

"I tell you," said Patrolman Casey, "a man has to be wide awake to get on the force these days." "Thurs for you?" replied the man on the next beat, "but he can make up for it on his own time afterwards."

Conquering Leasie to Consumption.

Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once.

The Academy Restaurant.

The Pottsville headquarters for Shenandoah people and others living North of the Mountain, for hot toddies, hot punches, beer tea and all kinds of wines and liquors of the best brands, is the Academy Restaurant, John P. Cooney, proprietor, M. A. Cooney, assistant.

Speacles to suit all eyes, at Porter's book and stationery store, No. 21 North Main street.

4-27-1/2

He (seriously)—"Do you think your father would object to my marrying you?"

She—"I don't know, if he's anything like me, he would."

Special Sale.

Bells, Albums, and Fancy Slippers at the Peoples' store.

12-15-1/2

Letter List.

The following letters remain unclaimed for in the Shenandoah Shenandoah County, Pa., post office, January 21, 1893.

Notice Editor.

Parties calling for advertising letters should please say "advertised." One cent will be charged on all advertised letters.

H. C. ROYER, P. M.

The enormous sale of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup has brought to the surface many imitations. Keep a sharp look out when you buy.

MISS CONNELLY LEADS AGAIN.

A BIG JUMP IN THE TEACHERS' CONTEST.

Miss Burns' Excellent Score Overcome and Bettered by Nearly Two Hundred Votes—Miss Faust Takes the Third Place.

Mary A. Connelly	424
Bridget A. Burns	231
Carrie Faust	97
Lillian B. Phillips	79
Mary A. Caffrey	68
Margie Cavanagh	60
Hattie Hess	55
Clara Ulton	51
Irene Shone	46
Carrie M. Smith	37
Lizzie M. O'Connell	36
Anna M. Douglas	27
Mary A. Stack	21
Mabel Patterson	15
Mama B. Wasley	8
Hannah Hesse	5
J. M. Lewis	5
Augusta Myers, Ashland	4
Frank Williams	4
William N. Ehrhart	1
Total	1,398

The HERALD's teachers' contest had another boom and the best record of the week in receipt of votes was made. The ballots sent in yesterday aggregated 544, which is far ahead of the next best day's receipts, and 114 of them went to Miss Connelly, retaining her lead in first position and giving her a lead of 173 over Miss Burns, who led in the contest yesterday.

The race between Misses Connelly and Burns is becoming exceedingly interesting and it looks as if their respective friends are working night and day in their behalf. The vim already exhibited has run the total poll of votes up to nearly 1,400 and it would not be surprising to see the 2,000 mark reached by Monday night.

Miss Carrie Faust, who was one of the late entries, makes an excellent showing and holds third place.

There were four new entries yesterday—Misses O'Connell and Stack, Mr. Lewis and Mr. Williams, making the total number of contestants to date nineteen.

Accompanying the votes sent in for Mr. Williams was the following letter:

CONTEST EDITOR.—Enclosed find a few votes for Frank Williams, son of Mr. Wm. J. Williams. If there is a deserving teacher north of the Broad Mountain, it is Mr. Williams. He is a cripple. Give him a fair chance.

Shenandoah, Jan. 18, 1893.

UNK-OWN.

We are acquainted with Mr. Williams and know him to be a deserving young man, but this can in no way help him if his friends do not turn in and for his interests. As to his chances, they are the same as all others who may wish to enter the contest and he will be tried as all others. No partiality will be shown any one and nothing will be done that will give any contestant an unfair advantage over another. The plan of the contest and the method by which it is being carried out is such that will convince any one after a moment's investigation that all contestants must meet with fair play.

The following letter was also received:

MR. EDITOR.—Since the opening of your contest, it has become known to me that you had the good sense to have the names of the contestants on each ballot. It is being a suggestion which I think will be favorably received by all admirers of the contest. I respectfully submit it for your consideration. If you think it will be favorably received and acted upon, I remain very respectfully,

J. J. MORGAN.

This is the second suggestion of the kind made within the past two weeks. We have not had time to give to a satisfactory consideration of the question, but as we view it at present we cannot coincide with the views of the correspondent. One feature that at once strikes us as unfavorable presents itself when we consider the proposition in connection with the present table of returns.

Would it not result in an overpowering combination, reduce the contestants to a very limited number and practically destroy the foundation of the competition—fair play to all?

For instance, had it been allowable to place two names on each ballot this far in the contest the combined vote for Misses Connelly and Burns would be 10-1/2 875, while the combined vote of the next two highest teachers would be but 167, or over 500 behind. Now suppose we alter the conditions of the contest and allow two names to be placed upon each coupon, and the Connelly and Burns forces should combine, is it not very probable that we would bring upon our heads the wrath of the thus far less fortunate contestants in the field?

It is right that any two would have a right to put in as many votes as the two in the supposed case, but the managers of the contest do not think they are warranted in doing anything that would seem to throw a shadow of advantage in favor of any one. Moreover, all the conditions of the contest were fully advertised for two weeks before it opened and we fear the suggestions come too late.

We feel grateful to Mr. Morgan for the interest he is taking in the contest and fully appreciate his desire to help us conduct it successfully. While we cannot now see our way clear to adopt his suggestion we do not intend to let our present decision of the question be final. If we can be convinced that we have a right to make the change and our views of the matter are not correct the decision will be subject to a reversal, but before changing our position we would first expect to have the views of the majority of the contestants in the field. They are the parties who would be affected by the change, not us.

As additional evidence of the interest that is being taken in the contest, Holderman, the jeweler, offers a handsome gold necklace to the teacher who will have the most votes at the close of the contest.

USE DANA'S SARSAPARILLA, ITS "THE KIND THAT CURES."

Wanted,

To complete files, two copies each of the EVENING HERALD of January 4th and February 5th, 1892. A liberal price will be paid for the same.

World's Fair Holiday Trip!

EVENING HERALD CONTEST

10 Days at the World's Fair

With accommodations at a first class Chicago hotel, and transportation to and from Chicago, including sleeping berths, all free of cost.

To the 2 Most Popular Teachers.

CONTEST CLOSES JULY 1st, 1893, at 6 P. M.

The two teachers who receive the largest number of votes will be taken to the World's Fair and a party organized by the HERALD. Out of this coupon, an outline will be drawn by the public to select the two most popular teachers, north of the Broad Mountain, in Shenandoah county, whom you consider most popular, and send it to the "Contest Editor, Evening Herald, Shenandoah, Pa." Every coupon properly filled out counts as one vote for one teacher. Every person, young or old, can vote and vote as often as they please. Coupon must be in the hands of the editor within ten (10) days after the date it bears.

Name of Teacher.....
Residence.....
Name of Voter.....
Residence.....
JANUARY 21, 1893

CONDITIONS:

The two teachers who receive the greatest number of total votes up to the closing hour above stated will be declared the winners.

All coupons must be cut out of the EVENING HERALD and sent, securely sealed in envelope, addressed to "Contest Editor, Evening Herald, Shenandoah, Pa."

Any person residing in any place may vote as often as he or she may desire for one or more teachers engaged in teaching in a public school north of the Broad Mountain at the close of the current school term; provided, that any teacher who may have been incapacitated by sickness or accident for teaching for a period of not more than three months prior to the end of the term, may also compete.

Each vote of each teacher must be represented by a separate coupon.

A coupon bearing the name of more than one teacher or specifying more than one vote for a teacher will be thrown out as void.

A careful record will be kept of the names of all contestants, and all coupons will be filed and kept safe until the final adjudication. Three prominent and responsible men of Shenandoah will be selected to act as judges, make the final count and announce the names of the two winners. Should three or more teachers be tied on the highest number of votes, the judges will be allowed to decide.

The names of the winners will be announced on or before Saturday, July 1st, 1893. Should the winners be absent from Shenandoah at the time they will be informed of their good fortune by telegraph, so that they may start on the trip as soon thereafter as possible.

All blanks to the coupon must be filled out, especially the blank requiring the name of the person voting. The number of votes received at this office up to 4 p. m. each day will be published in the next issue of the HERALD with the names of the teachers voted for.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Where and When Services Will be Conducted To-morrow.

Trinity Reformed church, Rev. Robert O'Boyle, pastor. Services to-morrow at 10 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. Sunday school at 1:30 p. m. Everybody welcome.

English Lutheran church, M. H. Havice, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. Sunday school at 1:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.

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Subject to Democratic rules.

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Of Dinner Sets at the rate of \$3.00 per chunk. Come see our 112 piece Princess Dinner sets at \$10.00—easily worth \$13.00. Remember, these are English goods. Look at them, even if you do not wish to buy. We can sell you a fine Toilet Set at a most reasonable price either English or American manufacture. White Granite Cups and Saucers as low as 40c per set. Odds and ends in Fancy China of all kinds are going rapidly. Come soon if you wish to match up broken sets. Art pottery, lamps, stationery, novelties etc., etc., etc.

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A reminder of some of the most suitable articles for such, and also the place to buy them.

- A Good Serge or Cloth Dress,
- A Fine Shawl,
- Fine Wilton, Moquette or Goat-skin Rug,
- A Good Carpet,
- A Set of Table Linens, Napkins to match,
- Pair Gents', Ladies' or Children's Kid Gloves, with fur tops,
- A Plush or Cloth Coat,
- A Pair of Good Blankets,
- Handsome Pair Chenille Curtains,
- A Fine Carp's Sweeper,
- A Fine Umbrella,
- Silk Handkerchiefs and Mufflers,
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J. J. PRICE'S, OLD RELIABLE, NORTH MAIN STREET.

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To Shenandoah, Wednesday, Feb. 1.

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Persons who have headache, or whose eyes are causing discomfort should call upon their specialist, and they will receive intelligent and skillful attention. NO CHARGE to examine your eyes. Every pair of glasses ordered is guaranteed to be satisfactory.



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