



It is a fact of which all are aware that Ben Harrison, after March 4th, becomes an ex-President, but everybody don't know that the finest groceries, choicest canned goods, etc., are to be had at Severn's, and that the prices are within reach of all.

SEVERN'S
Corner Grocery,
Centre and White Sts.

THIRD EDITION

Agnes Herndon To-night. Miss Agnes Herndon and her clever company will be at Ferguson's theatre this evening and a rare dramatic treat is in store for patrons of first class entertainments. Miss Herndon ranks with the greatest of American artists and her reception in all the large cities has been very enthusiastic. "La Belle Marie" possesses all the essential points of a successful play and in the hands of the excellent company supporting Miss Herndon will receive careful consideration. The stage settings are made a feature, and in the



drawing room scene some handsome statuary, bric-a-brac and flowering plants are artistically displayed. A copy of the famous statue, "Venus De Medici," the original of which occupies a prominent place in the art galleries of the palace of the Vatican in Rome, is said to be very beautiful, and occupies a conspicuous place in the drawing room of the banker. Several other works of art are equally well displayed, and add effectiveness to the decorations of the stage. Miss Herndon has had a remarkably successful season. During her engagement in this city she will wear some magnificent costumes. Two imported dresses by Worth & Felix are very elegant, and will attract the attention of ladies who are interested in beautiful and attractive costume.

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

Jewish Holidays.
To-day and to-morrow the Jewish people celebrate the feast of Lots, which was instituted to commemorate the deliverance of the Jews from the machinations of Haman. This feast is commonly called Purim and in many towns the Jews observe it by giving a grand ball on the eve of the feast. "Pesah" or Easter comes on the 1st of April and continues for eight days.

Do you suffer from any form of Rheumatic complaints? The celebrated imported Anchor Pain Expeller will quickly relieve you. No better friend to have on hand for Influenza, Backache, Pains in the Side, Chests or Joints. 25 prize medals awarded to the manufacturers of this valuable preparation. 25 and 50 cents per bottle, at C. H. Hagenbuch, P. P. D. Kirlin, J. M. Hillman, and other druggists.

A Fine Cornet.
Mr. Jacob Schoppe, of the Grant Band, has received the handsome \$125 Benson 6 that cornet from the Columbia Hose Company. The instrument was secured through Prof. Elmer W. Wilde, the North Jardin street dealer in musical instruments, and is certainly one of the finest that can be purchased. It is now on exhibition in the show window of A. Owens' store, on South Main street.

They Never Fail.
J. N. Harris, 3 Fulton Market, New York City, says: "I have been using Brandreth's Pills for the last fifteen years. There is nothing equal to them as Blood Purifiers and Liver Regulators. But I wish to state how remarkably they cure rheumatism, and how easily. I was affected by rheumatism in the legs. My business (wholesale fish dealer) naturally leads me to damp places. I could not walk, and at night I suffered fearfully. I tried Balsams, Sarsaparillas and all kinds of tinctures, but they did me no good and I was afraid of being a cripple. I finally commenced using Brandreth's Pills. I took two every night for ten nights, then I began to improve. I continued taking them for forty days and I got entirely well. Now, whenever sick, I take Brandreth's Pills. They never fail."

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

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

OBES'S OBSERVATIONS.

What He Sees and Hears During His Travels.
Some time ago the town of Sunbury was terribly worked up over a report that it contained many wicked men and threats were made that if the reports were not contradicted trouble would ensue. The reports have not only remained uncontradicted, but have also been confirmed and nobody has been killed. Now if somebody had started such a report in Shenandoah no one would have been surprised, because it is a notorious fact that some parts of the town are rotten to the core, and a respectable lady cannot walk the streets without being grossly insulted by men, young and old, who should know better, or without being brought dangerously close to some trap laid for the unwary. We have learned from a most reliable source of some actions which lead to the conclusion that we have in our midst men who do not possess a spark of principle. Parents will do well to keep a strict watch upon their daughters and keep them at home at nights unless they are under protection.

Poor Director Derr has handed me a clipping from a La Crosse, Wisconsin, paper sent him by his brother, who is a resident of that place. The paper sets forth that the people of La Crosse learn from a Hamilton, Pa., dispatch that hundreds of families of Shenandoah, Mt. Carmel, Ashland, Girardville and Centralia are on the verge of starvation and many storekeepers have closed their doors, being forced to the wall. Mention of the report is made in these columns only to assure our western friends that it is without foundation and they need not let it worry them. It is true many families are suffering more or less because the mines have been working very irregular throughout this region, but so far as we are able to learn the starvation point is still some distance off and we know of no storekeepers going to the wall. Another thing, the correspondent writing to papers from Hamilton have destroyed their reliability by a hunger for sensationalism.

Attention has been called to the daily practice of boys and girls attending the White street school. At noon they assemble at the corner of White and Centre streets and unreasonably attack with snow balls people who are obliged to pass the corner. Huns and Poles are their special target and the townsman who has called attention to the matter says the attacks are too severe. If they delight in the sport let the boys and girls wage war on each other, but let the pedestrians alone, else they may find themselves in an uncomfortable situation. The merchants are complaining of the practice because they find it induces people to stop passing their stores when they think the tormenters are about.

Speaking of snow-balling reminds me of an incident of Sunday last, in which Chairman Harry figured conspicuously. When Mr. Harry and the other Philadelphia capitalists were riding along East Centre street in a sleigh they all wore high silk hats. Mr. Harry shouted to some boys on the street that he would give them fifty cents if they would hit the hats. The boys took up the offer promptly and before the sleigh had gone half a square Mr. Harry and his fellow visitors had received one of the warmest snow ballings they experienced since their youth. The party enjoyed it, however, and the snow they carried with them into the private car they used to assail each other on the journey to Ashland.

The license announcements made yesterday have led to no small amount of discussion and criticism. To give all that has been said on all sides would fill an immense volume, but the old maxim again presents itself, "there is no use crying over spilled milk," and I do not intend to dwell upon the subject here further than to say that much dissatisfaction exists because it is thought that many of the licenses granted were applied for to enhance the renting or selling value of properties, and not because of public necessity.

The buying of a big bull dog and angry words of two men attracted a crowd to the corner of Main and Coal streets, Tuesday evening. The arguments were listened to with close attention and it was learned that the fuss arose over claims to ownership of the ugly pup. Finally words failed to be convincing and big, hard fists were resorted to and were introduced with some force to the respective countenances of the combatants. The dog, too, was inclined to take a hand, although a leg might have been more to his taste, but before he could become an active participant an amicable settlement was reached and both men walked off, leaving the dog to stroll behind them.

Congress has at last passed the car coupler bill and therefore the railway employees and those dependent upon them for support may rejoice. The frightful slaughter of these employees, owing to the neglect of railroad companies to use on freight cars the latest improved appliances for saving life, demanded some action by Congress and the step now taken seems to be in the right direction.

While in Harrisburg recently a gentleman of town met a legislator with ideas of men and measures are somewhat old-fashioned in their character, and it seemed that possibly the war of words in the House at times over trifles had made him a little pessimistic. But, however that may be, he seemed just a little depressed, and eased his mind by taking our townsman into the cloak room and pouring forth his soul in words. And the burden of his lament was something to this effect: "It looks to me, judging from some of the bills pending in the Legislature, as though public spirit and civic pride among the people were yielding to the commercial tendencies of the age. Duties of a public character, services of party necessity, hitherto performed gratuitously by men interested in the public weal or animated by party fealty, are now to be paid for and reduced to the mere level of work done for a pecuniary recompense."

"Now, as regards paying election watchers,"

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 royally entertained by the Herald. Cut out this coupon, and on the blank lines write the name of the Public School Teacher, 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.....
MARCH 2, 1893.

For the Lucky Ones.

A Gold Necklace.
Holderman, the Jeweler, will give the lady teacher receiving the highest number of votes a Handsome Gold Necklace.

A Set of Furs.
R. J. Mills, the Pottsville Hatter and Furrier, will give the lady teacher receiving around highest number of votes a handsome set of Furs.

A Plush Toilet Set.
Max Reese will give the lady teacher receiving the second highest number of votes a handsome Plush Toilet Set.

A Gold-Headed Cane.
W. H. Mortimer, the Pottsville Jeweler, will give the gentleman teacher receiving the highest number of votes a Gold-headed Cane.

Gold-Headed Silk Umbrellas.
The Home Friendly Society, of Baltimore, Md., will present the two lucky competitors in the contest with handsome Gold-headed Silk Umbrellas.

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 for 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 15, 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 in 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.

Dinner, Tea and Toilet Sets.
MOST elegant designs in China, Ironstone China, French and Carlsbad. Plain and Decorated. In Chinese goods we just received an invoice this week, and they are beauties, with prices to suit your purse exactly. A great big lot of glassware just purchased, and coming in every day this week. Keep us busy arranging our display counters. Call and see the new things in "Crystal." Embroidery and knitting silks, knitting cottons, etc. Best black hose for ladies, at 25c, etc. Our Cream Candles take the lead, as usual.

GIRVIN, DUNCAN & WAIDLEY'S
8 South Main Street.

THE HERRINGS.
Son and Father, Formerly Residents of Town.
The Wilkes-Barre Record speaks as follows of Senator Grant Herring, a native of Shenandoah, and his father, Ex-Treasurer of this county, George A. Herring: "It is said Senator Grant Herring will be the next revenue collector of this district, a majority of the Democratic Congressmen to be consulted being for him. As to Senator Herring, it is said he means to appoint his father chief deputy if he should be fortunate enough to succeed Major Penman. Senator Herring seems to be looming up pretty rapidly on the political horizon for a fledgling. But he comes honestly by his talent for public affairs. His father, George A. Herring, is a man of good capacity and force of character. He has had something to do with politics all his life, first in Shenandoah and later in Columbia county, and usually bagged what he was after. He is an all around able man, standing high among his friends for many fine qualities of both mind and heart. His son has received exceptionally good training from him in all directions, social as well as political, and thus his rapid advancement in statecraft can in a measure readily be accounted for."

Your children are liable to Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Croup and Whooping Cough which often result serious. Prompt treatment saves many innocent little sufferers. Try Pan-Yna Cough and Consumption Cure. It's pleasant, safe and sure, 25 cts. Sold at P. R. D. Kirlin's drug store.

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

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
BENJ. B. SEVERN,
OF SHENANDOAH.
Subject to decision of the Republican County Convention.

Still no Appointment.
There is still a dead-lock on the board of Mine Examiners and no successor to the late Mine Inspector McMorris has been selected. Several ballots were taken by the board yesterday, but the end seems as far off as it is today previous.

Holderman's jewelry store leads as ever

AN IMMENSE ASSORTMENT!
Ladies' and Children's
Underwear!

A Few Days Ago!
Our Coat Room was dark and wintry looking—with fur-lined and fur-trimmed coats. Behold the change of a few days! Outside, gloomy winter; inside, spring warmth, light, beauty. Coat room no longer—but underwear room, arrayed in pure white with here and there a touch of color, just enough to give proper light and shadow. Be prepared to find everything changed.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR—Pure and spotless, now has the post of honor. We have a complete line of every garment in muslin that a lady requires.
CHEMISE—All styles, from a neat trimming to the most elaborate work.
DRAWERS—Bleached and unbleached, ranging in price from 25c up to those handsomely trimmed. Corset covers neatly made and good wearing—all styles and prices, to suit all tastes and purses, from 25c up.
SKIRTS—Full length and full width, from a neat skirt at 50c to one ruffled, pleated and embroidered. You will find them here to suit all tastes—little trimmed, greatly trimmed, and very much trimmed.
NIGHTGOWNS—We wonder when we see the quality of muslin and trimming, the really good work put on them, the time it requires to complete such a garment, how they can be sold for such little money. They range in price from 50c up to several dollars.
WHITE GOODS—We must not forget White Goods. Flanneling, Hamburgs, 45 in. wide, from 25c a yard up. Embroideries, white and colored, all patterns, widths and prices. One of the latest fancies in embroideries is the colored edge. Fashion says they are to be the correct trimming for any style of dress becoming to the wearer.

We would like to impress upon every lady the wisdom of buying ready-made underwear. Don't waste time, energy and temper, but save it for more useful and congenial work. Prove your appreciation of our efforts to please by making your selection while lines are unbroken. We invite all ladies to call and make a thorough inspection.
LADIES IN ATTENDANCE.

DIVES, POMEROY & STEWART
Nos. 5 and 7 North Centre Street,
C. Geo. Miller, Manager. **POTTSVILLE, PA.**

Clearance Sale!
—OF—
WINTER GOODS.

Few white and colored blankets, ladies' and children's coats, which will be sold regardless of cost. Come early and secure bargains at

J. J. PRICE'S, OLD RELIABLE,
NORTH MAIN STREET.

QUEEN & CO.,
OF PHILADELPHIA,
Send their Eye Specialist
To Shenandoah, Wednesday, March 15
He will be found at the
Ferguson House from 8:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m.
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.

PEOPLE'S SHOE STORE!
121 N. Main Street, Shenandoah.
Boots, Shoes, Gents' Furnishings!
At greatly reduced rates.
M. A. FERRY, Proprietor.

HOOKS & BROWN, Speaking of Sewing Machines!
The Standard Sewing Machine
Do you know the difference between a rotary shuttle and one of the old style shuttles that goes thumping forward and backwards, raising such a racket that it wakes the baby and starts the neighbors all complaining? If you do not, walk down to our office and look at the STANDARD. It will surprise you.

T. B. SHAFER,
Cor. Jarrish and Lloyd Sts., Shenandoah

JOE WYATT'S SALOON AND RESTAURANT,
(Christ, hostler's old stand.)
Main and Coal sts., Shenandoah.
Best beer, ale and porter on tap. The finest brands of whiskies and cigars. Pool room attached.

10 CENTS FOR A WINDOW SHADE.
Others, ready to put up spring roller for 25c, 50c, 75c, 1.00 and upwards. Parties desiring only the shading or curtains can be accommodated.
C. D. FRICKE'S
Carpet Store, 10 S. Jardin Street.