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THIRD EDITION

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Monthly Report of the Superintendent on the Attendance.

Superintendent Freeman has completed his official report of the public school attendance for the month ending March 7th, 1893. Number of pupils enrolled during the term to date, 2998; enrollment during the month, 2544; average daily attendance, 1945; percentage of attendance, 88; number of pupils present every session, 643. Number of visits by Directors, 28. Number of visits by citizens, 191.

PERCENTAGES OF ATTENDANCE.

High School.

GRAMMAR DEPARTMENT.

Second Grade.

Miss Lizzie M. O'Connell..... 91
Miss Bridget A. Borda..... 91
Miss Anna Dengler..... 91

First Grade.

Miss Maggie E. Cavanaugh..... 93
Mr. James H. Lewis..... 88
Miss Amelia C. Schoener..... 88
Miss Mahala Fairchild..... 88

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT.

Fourth Grade.

Miss Ella M. Chase..... 94
Miss Carrie W. Fries..... 94
Mr. M. F. Conroy..... 92
Miss Anna E. Leffler..... 91
Miss Jane T. Leffler..... 91
Miss Sallie E. Conroy..... 89

Third Grade.

Miss Mary A. Sweeney..... 92
Miss Estelle E. Hines..... 92
Miss Elizabeth J. Finney..... 92
Mr. Frank W. Hines..... 92
Miss Mary A. Leffler..... 91
Miss Lizzie Leffler..... 91
Miss Estelle C. Hartwig..... 91

Second Grade.

Miss Mary A. Connelly..... 91
Miss Mary H. Whaley..... 91
Miss Mary A. Lynch..... 91
Miss Maggie C. Frazier..... 91
Miss Sallie Fadden..... 91
Miss Annie M. Kinney..... 91
Mr. H. McMillan..... 91
Mr. Michael H. Smith..... 91

First Grade.

Miss Irene Shann..... 91
Miss Carrie Smith..... 91
Miss Mary E. Fox..... 91
Miss Corinne T. Jones..... 91
Miss Lillie B. Phillips..... 91
Miss Hannah Strickland..... 91
Miss Mary E. Roberts..... 91
Miss Sallie Baird..... 91
Miss Idina K. O'Brien..... 91
Mr. J. W. Burns..... 91
Miss Elizabeth M. Carr..... 91
Miss Kate..... 91
Miss Mary M. Smith..... 91
Miss Annie L. Sheehy..... 91

Lorenzo J. Connor, 104 Green Mt. Albany, N. Y., says: "I have used Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup and find it very beneficial, and can safely recommend it as a good remedy for coughs."

THE THEATRE.

References to Ferguson Theatre Coming Attractions.

That "Uncle Alvin" is as popular now as he was a score of years ago is attested everywhere by crowded houses and screams of laughter. It seems destined to never wear out. Fifteen years is a long time for a play to remain before the public and still continue to be valuable property, but this is true nevertheless of "Alvin Joslin." Mr. Davis brings with him this season the best company he has ever had supporting him, while the special scenic effects are said to be marvelously realistic and grand. There has been an active demand for seats and inclination point to one of the largest houses of the season. At Ferguson's theatre this evening, "FORGIVEN."

"Forgiven" has already established itself among the great melodramas of the day, and its successful presentation last evening only adds another link to its long list of triumphs. —New York Commercial Advertiser. At Ferguson's theatre on Wednesday evening, March 10th.

"All words out" is the expression of the steepsuffer with that terrible cough. Fan-Tin puts a stop to it. It's a remedy for Coughs, Colds and Consumption. 25 cents. Fan-Tin is sold at P. V. D. Smith's drug store.

Piles or Hemorrhoids.

Permanently cured without knife or ligature. No danger or suffering. No delay from business while under treatment. Patients who are responsible need not pay until well. A perfect cure guaranteed. Send for circular. R. REED, M. D., 129 South 13th St., Philadelphia.

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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.

The Academy Restaurant.

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

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

If you have carpet rags and wish them made into Home-made Carpet, send them to Fricke's Carpet Store, 10 S. ardin street.

LETTER FROM WASHINGTON.

The Office Seekers are Numerous—Some of the Claims.

Special HERALD correspondence.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—Some one writing about the United States says that its population is about 65,000,000, mostly office-seekers, and every change of administration gives additional weight to that assertion. This city now contains more office-seekers than it has ever held within its confines; more than the great number that flocked here eight years ago when the first Democratic president for a quarter of a century was inducted to office, for now there are three distinct classes of individuals who are desirous of working for Uncle Sam. The first class contains those who were in office under Cleveland before and now want their old positions. They base their claim largely on the fact that they were turned out by the Republican administration, and so their inference most naturally is that they are entitled a second trial and with the advantage of having once been through the mill and the disadvantage of again asking such a favor, they plod along doing their utmost to succeed.

In the second class is the great body of the Democracy who have worked and voted as Democrats all their lives and "never sought office before," so now they really can't see how they can be turned down. They are continually on the search for their Senator or Representative; have great lists of endorsements and recommendations and will take you into a corner and privately present their claims in a mysterious manner, winding up with the injunction to say nothing about it just yet. They chafe at the delay, and can't see why it is that every clerk in the various departments is not turned out the day following the inauguration.

The third class is perhaps the most troublesome, and probably the most numerous. It contains all the voters—Republicans and Mugwumps—who voted for Mr. Cleveland at the last election. A great number of these come from the Western States—notably Illinois and Wisconsin—which though hitherto in the Republican column were carried for Cleveland in 1882. They have been encouraged by the appointment of Judge Gresham to the Secretaryship of State and finding themselves in a position which to them seems exactly similar to that of the Judge, they are sanguine that their services will be similarly recognized.

They do not come in the usual humble way begging for the favor, but demand a berth, and a good one too, as a just and well earned reward for their desertion from the party with which they had so long been affiliated.

One need not stop to reflect that the claims of these new converts to the principles of Democracy meet with great opposition from the old time and life long Democrats, and every position secured by the former will cause much dissatisfaction among the latter. In these young days of the new administration, the applicants are all happy and hopeful; of course they must wait a few days until their little affair can be taken up, but it is sure to come. But as the days lengthen into weeks and the weeks into months they go the rounds of the mill with heavier footsteps, and with hope almost dead. This is no place and the present no time for the seeker after political preference, so that if any of the deserving Democrats of Shenandoah are packing their grips with a view of coming to Washington to get a place in Government employ, they had better take the advice of the HERALD and come prepared to make a long stay. A. B.

Handsome Present.

Mine Inspector Stein last evening very agreeably surprised Mrs. Stein by presenting her with a very beautiful 75-candle power gold and onyx "B. & H." banquet lamp and table, purchased of Holderman, the jeweler.

Buy Your Tickets Now.

The restrictions having been removed E. T. Williams, 4 South Jardin street, is prepared to sell steamship steerage tickets to and from all European points. After March 11th all steerage rates will be advanced, so all who contemplate purchasing tickets should do so at once and save money. 3-4-1w

PASS RESOLUTIONS.

City Fathers of Elizabeth Take Action in Favor of Repeal.

ELIZABETH, N. J., March 10.—The Elizabeth City Council last night passed resolutions in which they said that it was the opinion of the body that the three new track bills recently passed ought to be repealed, and in which they also requested their representatives to vote for the repeal of the bills. The resolutions were adopted after a very exciting discussion by a vote of 13 to 7.

The original intention of applying for a license for the Dwyer tracks was abandoned when it was found that only 11 votes could be secured.

The committee from the Young Men's Democratic Society of Union county presented to the council a set of resolutions passed at their meeting, condemning the action of Assemblyman T. M. Kelly, one of their members, and requesting his resignation as a member of their society.

The council adjourned until March 17, when, it is said, another effort will be made by the Dwyers to get a license.

Criolotte Factory in Rhode Island.

PROVIDENCE, March 10.—An act was introduced in the General Assembly yesterday to incorporate a criolotte factory in the Blackstone Valley. It created a good deal of amusement in both Houses, but it was passed without objection.

Ancient Order of Workmen in Session.

THRENTON, March 10.—The Grand Lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen is in annual session in Old Fellows Hall here. The reports showed that there were 23 lodges in the State with a membership of 4,131.

Lombard Directors Scolded.

ROCKFORD, March 10.—The report of the officers employed by the stockholders of the Lombard Investment company says that investigation discloses gross incompetency and personal dealings on the part of the officers.

Goldman's jewelry store leads as ever.

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. Coupons 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 10, 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 second 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 envelopes, 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 3 p. m. each day will be published in the next issue of the HERALD with the names of the teachers voted for.

SEWING MACHINES!
WE HAVE the exclusive agency, in this vicinity, for the sale of the New "COLUMBUS" MACHINE, which is now the most desirable machine in use. Written guarantee goes with every one, insuring them, under ordinary care, for five years. Our price only \$19.50. Call and inspect them. New styles of Dinner and Tea Sets. Iron Hollowware of every description. The spring-time approaching bids our store crowded with bright new goods and appreciative buyers.

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

To Builders!
The season for building is almost at hand, and we have just replenished our stock of all kinds of Hardware, Nails and Builders' Supplies.
We also carry an immense line of Stoves, Ranges, Cutlery and Tinware. Roofing and Spouting our specialty.
Peter Griffiths, GIRARDVILLE, PA.

The best builders use only the best materials—lumber, brick, lime, cement, sand—whatever goes into the construction of a building; they employ only the best workmen and pay the best wages; they get better prices for their work than their less careful competitors, and always get the best contracts; they paint their work with

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manufactured by the "Old Dutch" process of slow corrosion; the

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brand. For colors they use the National Lead Company's Pure White Lead Tinting Colors. These colors are sold in small cans, each being sufficient to tint twenty-five pounds of Strictly Pure White Lead the desired shade. This brand of Strictly Pure White Lead and National Lead Co.'s Tinting Colors, are for sale by the most reliable dealers in paints everywhere.
If you are going to paint, it will pay you to send to us for a book containing information that may save you many a dollar; it will only cost you a postal card to do so.
JOHN T. LEWIS & BROS. CO., Philadelphia.

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.
DRAWEES—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, Flannels, 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.
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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 headaches or whose eyes are causing discomfort should call upon this 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, The Standard Sewing Machine
Have IN BUYING a sewing machine, or in fact, machinery of any kind, You look well to the construction. Don't buy an article ten years behind the Standard times simply because it was once a good thing. This is an age of invention and progress, and you want to keep sewing up with the age.
T. B. SHAFFER, Cor. Jardin and Lloyd Sts., Shenandoah.
JOE WYATT'S SALOON AND RESTAURANT, (Christ, Bossler's old stand.)
Main and Coal Sts., Shenandoah.
Best beer, ale and porter on tap. The finest brands of whiskeys and cigars. Pool room attached.
C. T. BAURGE, SURGEON DENTIST. Office—Northwest Cor. Main and Centre Sts., Shenandoah, over Stein's drug store.

10 CENTS FOR A WINDOW SHADE.
Others, ready to put up spring roller, for 25c, 50c, 75c and upwards. Parties desiring only the sliding or stationary shades can be accommodated.
C. D. FRICKE'S
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