

**KING** Among merchants is the one who caters to the wants of his customers, be they rich or poor. Both have an equal right to be treated fairly. Justice to all is a good motto, and our customers will find it ours. We have a complete line of Groceries as well as Canned Goods, etc. Come and see our stock of goods, and remember the best goods are always the cheapest in the long run.

**SEVERN'S**  
Corner Grocery,  
Centre and White Sts.

**THIRD EDITION**

"The Fast Mail."  
Manager H. W. Becker has booked for the Palace theatre, Girardville, to-night the great railroad drama, Lincoln J. Carter's "Fast Mail." The play is constructed on strictly modern principles. The interest starts at a terrific pace, and is not allowed to flag for an instant. The incidents are made doubly thrilling by the mechanical and scenic effects that are employed. There is the rattling and clatter of a patrol wagon as it comes down the street, the whistles, bells, etc., of a Mississippi steambent leaving her wharf, moonlight effects on the river, the blowing furnaces of the boat, and the explosion and breaking up of the steamer. A gigantic piece of real water scenery is presented in the Niagara Falls scene, where the enormous cataract is presented with the roar of the water, the seething foam and the rising mist. A freight train of fourteen cars is run across the stage. The caboose is lighted and the engine carries the engineer and fireman. It is everywhere acknowledged to be an unsurpassed achievement in railroad scenic effect. There seems to be no limit to the possibilities of stage mechanism, but "The Fast Mail" seems to have covered all the ground up to the present date. The company is a good one and the play is well constructed with a strong tinge of comedy to offset the serious elements.

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

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

**Leg Broken.**  
Simon Meshink, a Polish laborer, had his left leg broken just above the ankle by a fall of coal in a breast of the Turkey Run colliery yesterday afternoon. He went to the Miners' Hospital.

When you are troubled with dizziness your appetite all gone, and you feel bad generally, take a few doses of Dr. Henry Baxter's Mandrake Bitters, and you will be surprised at the improvement in your feelings. Every bottle warranted to give satisfaction.

Fresh Morris River Cove Oysters received daily at Colet's. 9-23-1f

**Several Breaks.**  
The men who repaired the electric light wires that were damaged by Thursday's storm found seven breaks. Some of them were hard to find and the repairmen were obliged to climb pole after pole and use a battery to locate the sources of trouble.

**Twelve Photos for 30c.**  
By sending us your cabinet, together with 30 cents, we will finish you one dozen photos. 1-2-1f W. A. KEAGY.

Best photographs and crayons at Dabb's.

**45c. For a Home-made Carpet that will wash, at Fricke's Carpet Store, No. 1c South Main Street, Shenandoah.**

**HOOKS & BROWN,**

Full line of  
**ART MATERIAL,  
PANELS, PLAQUES,**  
Oil Paint, all colors,  
Agency for Crandall Typewriter.

**No. 4 NORTH MAIN STREET,**

**WATCH  
THIS  
SPACE.**

**OBES OBSERVATIONS.**

What He Sees and Hears During His Travels.

While in the G. A. R. fair I was one of a party who listened to the recital of the following story of a drawing for a watch at a church fair in one of the towns south of the mountain some years ago. The party telling the story, whom we will call Charley for this occasion, spent about \$16 at the fair, but won a watch that was valued at \$80. When Charley went home his father asked that the watch be given to a younger brother. The winner said he would make the transfer for \$5, which condition was rejected without thought. A few nights after Charley took the watch to a saloon and put it up as a prize on a game of cards and when he quit he had several dollars in addition to the time piece. Again the watch was put up and Charley's father took a hand in the game, determined to have the prize for his younger son or break his bank account. A third party won the chronometer, the father dropped \$15 in the game and Charley quit \$35 ahead. There was a recapitulation during which Charley lectured his father on his lack of judgment and pictured to him the difference between giving \$5 for an \$80 watch and \$15 for nothing. The whole matter wound up with Charley refunding the amount his father lost, which act, after allowing \$10 for the money spent at the fair, left him with net cash gains on all the games about \$15, but the watch was out of the family.

I was sorry to hear that Council had again postponed consideration of Councilman Betteridge's resolution authorizing inducements to town and outside capitalists to establish new industries here. I am not sorry because I fear Council has any intention of postponing consideration of the measure indefinitely, but because I know that delays in such affairs are liable to weaken them and the spirit which brings them to light. Mr. Betteridge's resolution is not exactly to my liking but it has many commendable features and I feel confident that if put in practice they will prove invaluable in promoting the welfare of the borough. That part of the resolution which provides for exemption from taxes and water rent is all right, but that which gives the Borough Council the power to rescind the resolution at any time it may see fit, provided that such rescinding shall not apply to any industry taking advantage of the offer, is not quite the thing. It would be more business like to specify a term of months or years that the offer will remain open. I also think that the resolution should specify the minimum number of hands the industries must employ to claim the benefits of the offer. But Mr. Betteridge's resolution is only a rough measure and he no doubt would willingly consent to any chipping or polishing that would tend to put the resolution in good, substantial form and attain the end he aims at. I hope Council will consider the resolution at its next regular meeting and adopt it with the proper amendments. The postponements thus far have been due to the existence of a resolution of similar effect passed some time ago and an uncertainty in the minds of the Councilmen as to just what that resolution provided. In order to facilitate matters I have referred to the HERALD files and I find that on December 4, 1890, Councilman Cardin introduced the following resolution:

"On motion, all industries created or started in the borough of Shenandoah in the immediate future and employing a number of hands shall be exempted from taxes for borough purposes for a period of ten years beginning January 1, 1891."

It is quite plain that this old resolution can have no bearing on the one proposed by Mr. Betteridge. In fact it has no bearing at all, for the reason that it died of inaction. It was never put in proper operation and on account of the conditions it embraces a new resolution would be required to give it life. It is nearly eighteen months since it was passed and that is a longer period than is contemplated by the immediate future. Let Council act at its next meeting and make a determined effort to see if it can start some industries. We need them.

**It is Prohibited.**  
EDITOR HERALD:—I see by the HERALD that the Borough Council has called the attention of the Chief Burgess to the condition of alleys, but did not say anything about the throwing of ashes on the main streets. Isn't there a law against this?

**WHITE STREET.**  
[Ordinance V prohibits the throwing of coal dust, ashes or rubbish of any kind into any street or alley and the penalty is a fine of from one to five dollars.—Ed.]

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

**Teachers' Contest.**  
Nearly 200,000 now.  
Just as popular as ever.  
Over 50,000 for Miss Stein.  
Will she maintain the lead?  
Miss Beard is not far behind.  
Miss Fairchild is doing nobly.  
Continue to vote for your favorite.  
Miss Wasley is forging ahead slowly.  
The New York Press teachers' contest has closed.  
Miss Connelly has made rapid strides for a week past.

We will not be surprised if the winners get up to the 100,000 mark.  
Rain or shine, people will send their little ballots to the HERALD office.  
The air is full of rumors concerning number of surprises to be sprung in this contest.  
Lane's Family Medicine Moves the Bowels Each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary.

**Special Notice.**  
The water will be turned off on Sunday morning, April 23rd, 1893, from 9 a. m. to 12 m. to allow repairs to the fire plug at the corner of Main and Coal streets.  
4-23-1f S. D. HAYS, Superintendent.

Bartholomay's Rochester Beer at Schuener's, North Main street. 4-22 1f

**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. Out on this coupon, and on the blank lines write the name of the Public School Teacher, north of the Broad Mountain, in Schuylkill 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.....  
APRIL 22, 1893.

—SEE OUR—  
**Nobby Spring Stock**  
It Has Surprised Others  
And will Surprise You.  
WE have opened the season with a stock of goods that beats the record for beauty and low prices. We will close it with a big stock disposed of and the best pleased lot of customers you ever saw. It's waiting for you—that big line of choice quality, new styles. Men's, boys' and children's clothing, hats and furnishing goods. We want to sell you reliable goods cheap, and we'll do it if you give us a chance.

**A. T. JONES** —ONE— CLOTHIER!  
11 North Main St., Shenandoah.

**Watch Our Display Window**  
For the Next 30 Days.  
Where you'll see offered  
Most Extraordinary Bargains.  
Staple Articles in Every Day Use.  
We'll tide you over the dull times with more money in your pockets than you ever dreamed of.  
**GIRVIN, DUNCAN & WAIDLEY'S.**  
8 South Main Street.

**And So It Goes!**  
When Sewing Machines are mentioned the name of the STANDARD rises instinctively to the lips. Why? Because it will sew as much in four hours as others do in five.  
Because it is a labor-saver, and makes less noise than any machine on the market.  
Pay no attention to the disparaging talk of our competitors, as that only proves that it is their most dangerous rival.  
Call and see it for yourself.  
**T. B. SHAFER,**  
Cor. Jardin and Lloyd Sts., Shenandoah.

**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 BIJOU!**  
Everything made after Green's Cafe, Philadelphia.  
32 S. Main St., Shenandoah.  
The leading place in town. Has lately been entirely renovated. Everything new, clean and fresh. The finest line of Wines and Liquors!  
Cigars, &c., foreign and domestic. Free lunch served each evening. The schuylkill of fresh Beer, Porter, Ale, &c.  
OPPOSITE THE THEATRE

**Grand Display of FINE DRESS GOODS**

**D**RESS GOODS is such a bewildering topic that we will not attempt a full description, but give a partial outline, which you can fill in by a personal inspection. There are the plain and changeable diagonals; plain, plaid, striped and invisible plaid serges; fancy mixtures in all sorts of odd weaves, dots, threads, cross-threads, hair-lines, lines here and there, many at a glance appearing alike, but upon examination are found entirely different. Our assortment of silks is complete—china silks, china surah, plain surah, bengaline, plain, figured and changeable silks, in all the new shot effects. Full line of fancy braids to match any color of dress goods.

**....In Wraps**  
We find the most stylish and the prevailing mode to be the Cape, in some of its variations, single, double or triple capes. Some are plain, others very highly decorated, with fancy indecent braid, butterfly colors, or some full arrangement at the neck, so much approved this season by the feminine fancy. To sum up, only are the correct garment. To those we would say coats are equally fashionable and stylish, many of these having capes also attached—sometimes one, two or three, as the taste or inclination of the wearer may desire.

We have this season, for the first time, added a Millinery Department, and have spared neither trouble nor expense to make it a success. The result exceeds our most sanguine expectations. This department will be under the same management and conducted on the same principles that have always characterized our entire business. We shall keep everything in trimmed and untrimmed hats, novelties of every description. Having secured a trimmer noted for her artistic and skillful work, we are enabled to suit all tastes. We invite a careful inspection of our entire store. All welcome.

**Dives, Pomeroy and Stewart,**  
POTTSVILLE, PENNA.  
G. GEORGE MILLER, Manager.

**EASTER GREETINGS.**  
Special Bargains in  
**Ladies' Spring Jackets**  
**Ladies' Spring Jackets**  
Sold at less than actual cost to manufacture. This lot we have just purchased at a manufacturer's closing sale for this season. Therefore, they cannot be duplicated. Call early and secure bargains while they last.  
**J. J. PRICE'S, OLD RELIABLE,**  
NORTH MAIN STREET.

**QUEEN & CO. Of Philadelphia,**  
Send their Eye Specialist  
To Shenandoah, Thursday, April 27  
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 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.**

**Removal Sale.**  
I have concluded to give the people a chance to take advantage of the great Reduction Sale of our excellent stock of boots and shoes, which must be closed out within the next 4 weeks to make room for new goods at our new store. Sale is now on.  
**JOSEPH BALL,**  
29 N. Main Street  
**25 CTS. PER YARD**  
FOR  
**OIL CLOTH**  
That sells on sight. Others for 75c. and upwards. All grades of pretty Carpets. Call for bargains.  
**C. D. FRICKE'S**  
**JOE WYATT'S**  
SALOON AND RESTAURANT,  
(Christ. Rooster's old stand.)  
32 S. Main and Coal Sts., Shenandoah.  
Best beer, ale and porter on tap. The finest brands of whiskeys and cigars. Pool room attached.  
**RAG CARPETS**  
If you want carpets woven by experienced hands take your rug to  
**PATTERSON'S,**  
33 WEST OAK STREET,  
Shenandoah, Pa.  
**SNEDDEN'S; LIVERY**  
Horses and Carriages to Hire.  
Hauling of all kinds promptly attended to. Horses taken to board, at rates that are liberal.