

PLACE YOUR ADVERTISEMENT IN THE "EVENING HERALD" AND REACH THE BUYERS.

Refrigerators, Baby Carriages.

Large Stock, Best Make, Lowest Prices.

J. P. WILLIAMS & SON,

South Main St., Shenandoah.

SCHOOL BAGS,

Plain and Initial,
Double and Single,

Leather and Canvas Bags for Boys.

SCHOOL COMPANIONS, &C., AT

F. J. PORTZ & SON,

21 North Main Street, Shenandoah.

CHERRINGTON'S --FINE-- GROCERIES.

121 NORTH MAIN STREET.

We have opened with a full line of GREEN GROCERIES and TRUCK, wholesale and retail, which we receive daily in large quantities, and will be sold at close figures. Remember that we also carry the choicest line of groceries in the town.

ALWAYS FRESH.

HOME DRESSED BEEF
AND SPRING LAMB
TO-DAY AT

THOS. JONES, - - 119 N. Main St.

The Busy Store is the place to call; Here bargains Max Schmidt offers all—Elegant effects in Dress and Dry Goods, too.

Best assortment in Shenandoah, he has for you; Undersold by others, he will never be; Schmidt, "The Hustler" for bargains, you should see; Young, old, middle aged, rich or poor.

Strictly one-price goods at his store procure; Time tried "Schmidt" a reputation has won; On all sides pronounced "the best" by every one; Residents of Shenandoah, one and all, Early or late, at "The Busy Store" should call.

Max Schmidt,

116 and 118 North Main Street, Shenandoah, Pa.

FOR SALE!

2 Cars No. 1 Old White Oats.

1 Car Choice Yellow Corn.

1 Car Hay.

100 Bbls. Choice Old Wheat
Flour.

25 Bbls. Fresh Ground Rye
Flour.

At KEITER'S.

CARDINAL GIBBONS RETURNS

The Catholic Prelate Speaks of His Visit to the Pope.

HAS BEEN ABSENT FIFTEEN WEEKS

A Large Delegation of Baltimore Priests and Laymen Welcome the Cardinal Home—He Enjoyed His Trip Very Much.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—After an absence of fifteen weeks Cardinal Gibbons returned from Europe yesterday on the Campania. A large delegation of Baltimore priests and laymen arrived here Thursday night in order to welcome the cardinal home, and a right royal welcome was extended to the cardinal and the other clergymen of the party, which included Bishop Foley of Detroit, and Archbishop Riordan, of San Francisco.

When seen by a representative of the Associated Press Cardinal Gibbons said: "My visit to Rome had no special significance, as it is customary for us to visit the holy father every eight or ten years, or perhaps oftener. I had several audiences with Pope Leo, the last one being on June 29. The holy father, although a little more stooped, looked much better and stronger than when I saw him last, eight years ago. He is a most remarkable man for his age, which is 86 years."

"He takes deep interest in American and American affairs, and frequently expressed his admiration for our political institutions. He sent no special message to Americans through me, nor is there any reason for his doing so at the present. He wrote me a beautiful letter recommending summer schools and commending the Catholic University of America."

The cardinal said that he enjoyed his trip very much, and that he had felt his health greatly benefited by it. He left Rome on July 2 and traveled by slow stages through the Tyrol, Bavaria, Wurtemberg, Holland, Belgium, France, England and Ireland.

The cardinal did not care to express himself on the question of the continental Sunday. He left for Baltimore at 11:30 this forenoon.

DESPERADOES AT BAY.

Government Marshals After the Christian Gang of Escaped Convicts.

ARDMORE, I. T., Aug. 24.—An encounter between the Christian gang which broke jail at Oklahoma City seven months ago, and have since added to their numbers, and a posse of deputy marshals in charge of Ben Goode, occurred shortly after daylight six miles west of Purcell, in which United States Marshal Hecker was shot, but how serious his injuries were cannot be determined. Hecker was shot by Bill Christian. The outlaws fled.

United States Marshal Stowe has received the following telegram from United States Commissioner Thompson at Purcell:

"Send all deputies possible on the first train. Have the Christian gang surrounded six miles west of here. Fighting this morning. Deputy Hecker and Bob Christian both shot, and made quick work necessary."

This information created great excitement. Two strong posses of Marshal Stowe's, one in charge of Commissioner Gibbons, of the Paris court, were organized, and left at 10 o'clock to join the posse. Late advices from the scene are to the effect that marshals are in close pursuit, and the outlaws' capture is sure.

The Republic of Cuba.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 24.—News has been received in this city that a complete government has been formed by the Cuban insurgents at Najasa, by a conference of the delegates from all five of the provinces on the island. The conference was presided over by General Maceo, and other leaders present were Antonio Milla, Carillo and Gomez. A constitution was adopted and because of its liberal provisions was enthusiastically received by all the armies in the field to whom it was read. The instrument provides for five states in Cuba, each to have charge of its local affairs under a local governor. The general government of the island will be vested in a president and cabinet and two houses similar to those in this country. Najasa will be the capital. General Antonio Maceo, the new president, is 46 years old.

Officers of Pennsylvania Pythians.

READING, Pa., Aug. 24.—At the grand lodge meeting, Knights of Pythias, the following officers were installed: Grand chancellor, Charles G. Freed of Philadelphia; grand vice chancellor, Dr. H. N. Dunnell of Scranton; grand prelate, Charles F. Linds of Philadelphia; grand keeper of records and seal, George F. Hawkes of Philadelphia; grand outer guard, C. M. Deora of Reading; grand trustee, John W. Beebe of Philadelphia; supreme representative, H. O. Kline of Bedford; grand inner guard, Scott Dibert of Pittsburg.

Enormous Rainfall in Iowa.

SIoux CITY, Aug. 24.—There has been a terrible rainfall in northwestern Iowa during the last twenty-four hours. Onawa reports 7½ inches, with a government gauge, and at Castine's foot is reported to have fallen. Considerable damage has been done to crops by the enormous fall.

Uncle Sam Will Protect the Indians.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—Attorney General Harmon has instructed United States District Attorney Clarke, of Wyoming, to sue out writs of habeas corpus for the Bannock and Shoshone Indians who are under arrest at Evanston, Wyo., for violation of the state game laws.

The Gem of all Brews.

The sparkling and exhilarating beverage put on the market by the Columbia Brewing Company, is meeting with a tremendous success and a wide reputation, not to be excelled by any others. Everybody who expects to be hale and hearty should not fail to drink it.

DISTINGUISHED VISITOR.

Mme. Llewella, a Rising Young Artist, is Visiting Here.

Mme. Llewella, the distinguished young artist of our county, arrived in town last evening, and is the guest of Miss Ella M. Clauser, of West Centre street, who was her constant companion in childhood days.

Mme. Llewella has but recently returned from Europe, where she has had a prolonged course of training under the best masters of Germany and France. She made her debut, with great success, at a reception for the Prince Regent of Bavaria, at Wuzburg, and has already won a reputation in this state.

She has many engagements in this and other states for the fall and winter, among them a call to Washington to give a concert with the famous organist, Babbett.

Many of the prominent people of Shenandoah are numbered among Mme. Llewella's personal friends, and they will do all they can to persuade her to give a concert at Shenandoah this year.

A Few More Left.

The sale of crockery and glassware at the Pittsburg Novelty store is a great success. A few more nice toilet sets can be bought at a bargain. At P. N. store, 25 West Centre street. 8-16-1v.

The Truck Damaged.

While running to the fire on Bowers street this morning the Rescue Hook and Ladder truck, in some unaccountable manner, swerved and the rear end collided with the car of the Schuykill Traction Company in front of Hagenbuch's drug store, on North Main street. The front of the truck cleared the car by five feet but the rear end swung around and struck the car, lifting it off the rails on one side but doing very little if any damage, as it proceeded on its way to Girardville immediately afterward. The truck did not escape so easily, as the rear axle and the braces on the rear part of the truck are bent.

Latest Styles for Fall.

Our stock of hats and neckwear of the finest quality, all leaders of fashion, has arrived and will be sold reasonable. At Max Levit's, 15 East Centre street.

The Gospel Tent.

Rev. George Williams, the singing evangelist of Chicago, who has been conducting successful meetings at Mahanoy City, has pitched his tent in the field opposite the Hook and Ladder Company's building. Services will be conducted to-morrow at 10:20 a. m., 3:00 and 7:00 p. m. Christians of the various denominations are cordially invited to attend. There will be union meetings during the week.

Picnic Parties.

The members of the G. A. R., Sons of Veterans, Ladies' Relief Corps and Ladies' Aid Society are enjoying themselves at Washington Park, Ashland.

The Primitive Methodist, Presbyterian and Episcopal Sunday schools are spending the day at Lakeside. Quite a large crowd left here this morning via the Reading road.

Juroes Drawn.

The following jurors have been drawn to serve during the term of court beginning September 23d: Thomas McHale, Elmer J. Wadley, John M. Medalis and George Pilling, of Shenandoah; Charles Barnhart, Girardville; Charles Layman and William Kellet, Mahanoy City; W. C. Wagner, Fruekville; Edward J. Burke and W. J. Moyer, Mahanoy township; Frank O'Donnell, Ashland.

Breen's Cafe Bill of Fare.

Pea soup for free lunch to-night.
Select prime oysters.
Little neck clams.
Fish cakes.
Ham and cheese sandwiches.

The Tumbling Run Regatta.

Yesterday was a big day for Pottsville, and especially the electric roads leading to Tumbling Run. The regatta was a great success, and attracted hundreds of people throughout this and adjoining counties. The boat races were profusely decorated, and the races and swimming contests were quite interesting. As a whole it was a gala day for Pottsville's popular resort.

A dose of Dr. Fowler's Elix. of Wild Strawberry brings immediate relief in all cases of cramping pains of the stomach or bowels. It is nature's specific for summer complaint in all its forms.

Died From Her Injuries.

The seven-year-old daughter of James O'Brien, of Jackson, who was severely burned by her clothing catching fire, an account of which appeared in these columns last evening, died from her injuries about two hours after the accident.

Schultz House.

Clam chowder for lunch to-night.
Chicken soup.
Hard and soft shelled crabs.
Oysters.
Clams.
Deviled crabs.
Fish cakes.

Cars Running Regularly.

The accident to one of the large generators in the power house of the Schuykill Traction Company has been repaired, and the cars have been put on the half hour schedule again.

Bishop Dubs to Be at Shamokin.

Bishop Dubs, of Chicago, will officiate at the dedicatory exercises of the new Trinity Evangelical church at Shamokin, which is to take place on the first or second Sunday of October.

Pay Your Tax and Vote.

The law requires that taxes must be paid at least 30 days prior to an election to entitle a person to vote. Pay your tax before October 3, and vote the Republican ticket.

Gypsy Camp.

A large band of gypsies are encamped on the hill above the cemeteries. They will be located there about two weeks.

DEMOCRATS NAME A DATE.

The Committee of Fifteen Were in Session This Morning.

HAVE SELECTED SEPTEMBER 23.

The Convention Will be Called Together in Union Hall, Pottsville, on That Day—The Republicans Well Pleasued.

Special to EVENING HERALD.

POTTSVILLE, Aug. 24.—The meeting of the Democratic Standing Committee held here on the 17th instant, was called together for the purpose of naming the chairman and the time and place for holding the county convention. At this meeting Chairman B. J. Monaghan, of Shenandoah, resigned from that position on account of business engagements and Hon. Watson L. Shepherd, of Pottsville, was elected to succeed him.

The members of the committee, however, decided not to select the date of the convention until the Republicans named theirs. This would give the Democrats an advantage. By holding their convention after that of the Republicans, any mistakes made by the latter in unpopular nominations and localities could be improved upon and their ticket strengthened where their adversaries' was weak.

The action of the Republican committee, however, in selecting the last day, (September 30) upon which nomination papers can be filed, has caused the Democrats some difficulty in selecting a date for the convention. The leaders of the party have been in consultation during the week, and there have been so many conflicting opinions among them that it was no small task to convince the committee of fifteen that the date named was the proper one.

The meeting of the committee this morning was held at Kattigan's hotel, and was presided over by Chairman M. J. Monaghan, of Ashland. The remaining members are: Thomas Ebling, West Brunswick; E. P. Kenney, Butler; M. J. Brady, South Cass; J. R. Folk, Fruekville; A. P. H. Long, Hegins; Michael J. Leary, Mahanoy City; Edward Harley, Minersville; Wm. J. Kennedy, Pottsville; Tios, Dougherty, Reilly township; Charles J. Quinn, Shenandoah; George Carroll, Ashland; John Fitzgerald, St. Clair; John A. Bechtel, Tremont; Martin Otterlein, Yorkville.

The committee was well represented, and after deliberating the question of date finally decided upon Monday, September 23d. The convention will be called together in Union hall, Pottsville.

The action of the committee has met with considerable criticism by prominent Democrats, while the Republicans are in high glee. They can now profit by the mistakes of the enemy, as their date comes later.

Kendrick House Free Lunch.

Hot lunch to-night and on Monday morning.
Largest oysters and little neck clams.
Meals served at all hours.

The Gordon-Boner Match.

Jersey Gordon, of Philadelphia, and James Boner, of Summit Hill, are matched for a purse of \$100, to spar eight rounds on September 6th, next. The place has not been selected yet, but the fight will most likely be pulled off either in Tamaqua or at Lakeside. This fight will be witnessed by a very large crowd, and some heavy bets are said to have already been made.

Wetter's in the Lead for Free Lunch.
Sour krait to-night.
Nice vegetable soup on Monday morning.

The Church War.

Yesterday W. K. Woodbury, Esq., filed an answer to the bill in equity which Rev. J. S. Newhart and others of Zion's Evangelical church, of Pottsville, brought against Wm. E. Boyer, F. W. Boyer, Rev. H. W. Behney and others, of the United Evangelical church. The object of the proceedings is to compel the United Evangelicals to give up the Evangelical parsonage which is now occupied by Rev. Behney.

Gilberton Notes.

Draper colliery has resumed operations. Chief Burgess Hurlban is slowly recovering from a severe attack of illness.

The employes at the Reading collieries in this district received their pay yesterday. The tenants who were given notice to move out of the company houses are complying with the order. The work on the new shaft will begin as soon as the houses are razed.

The "Y" Program.

At the meeting of the "Y" this evening, in their rooms in the Boddall building, the following program will be rendered: Singing, "Y" scripture reading, Mr. Bee; select reading, Miss Yost; violin solo, Miss Brown; declamation, Miss Duto; singing; address, William Brown; cornet solo, Mr. Rogers; select reading, Miss Marshall. Prayer meeting will be held as usual Sunday afternoon.

Fire This Morning.

A slight fire occurred this morning in a bake oven on the property owned by Patrick Stack, on South Bowers street, but occupied by a Polish family. The roof of the oven took fire from the heat, but very little damage was done. All the companies responded, but were not called into service. The Columbus reached Market and Oak streets before the alarm sounded.

Challenge to Fahey.

ED. HERALD.—I do hereby match George Hoffman, of the Mountaineer Club, of Summit Hill, Pa., against Martin Fahey, of Shenandoah, to run a foot race of one hundred yards for a purse of \$300 or \$500 a side. JAMES COFFEY.

SONS OF AMERICA.

Annual Convention to be Held in Allentown Next Week.

The thirtieth annual convention of the Patriotic Order Sons of America will convene at Allentown on Tuesday next, and will remain in session three days. The delegates from this town will leave on Monday, and are the following: G. L. Hafner, Col. Brown and Wm. Kordake, of Camp 112; John H. Danks and Thomas H. Snyder, of Camp 206; James Patterson and William James, of Camp 183.

Clarence F. Huth, of Shamokin, has decided to be a candidate to succeed himself as State President. Maj. R. M. J. Reed, of Philadelphia, is also a candidate for the same office.

State Secretary William Weand, of Philadelphia, and State Treasurer Irvin S. Smith, of Reading, will have no opposition, and both will be re-elected.

Professor W. W. Heffer, of Centralia, and George B. Anderson, of Wilkesbarre, are making an earnest contest for the vice-presidency of the order, while Harry W. Akins, of Norrisstown, and J. W. Hopewell, of Scranton, are candidates for master of forms.

The camps at Allentown have made extensive arrangements for the entertainment of the visiting members. The oratorical contest is causing considerable interest and the session as a whole will be quite interesting.

State Vice President S. L. Brown, of town, will be in attendance.

Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil has cured hundreds of cases of deafness that was supposed to be incurable. It never fails to cure earache.

Morea Colliery Suspends.

Morea colliery, situated about two miles from Mahanoy City, and operated by the Dalton Coal Company, was compelled to cease operations for an indefinite period owing to the scarcity of water. The water in the dam is so low that it is feared that it will not supply the inhabitants of Morea for more than a week. About 400 men and boys are thrown idle by the suspension.

House For Sale on Easy Terms.
Two houses at Turkey Run, sold cheap. Apply to John Matthews, 336 Turkey Run.

Get Registered.

The Assessors of town to-day posted notices that they will be at the different polls on September 4th and 5th for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters for their respective districts. It is important that all voters get registered, as September 5th will be the last day.

Shares For Sale.

The Safe Deposit Building and Saving Association will open another series September 8th. This fund is especially successful. A large number of the principal business men of town carry stock in this fund. Shares can be had at the office of M. H. Master now. 8-12-12t-eod

Colored Camp Meeting.

On Monday evening a colored camp meeting will begin at Washington Park, Ashland. Two concerts will be given daily at 3 and 8 o'clock p. m. The Tennessee warblers, of Nashville, will give an exhibition of vocal skill daily.

"For three years I suffered from Salt Rheum. It covered my hands to such an extent that I could not wash them. Two bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters cured me." Libbie Young, Popes Mills, St. Lawrence County, N. Y.

Advertised Letters.

The following remain uncalled for at the local postoffice: W. G. Boyle, Annie Simphell and James Tasker.

Practice Postponed.

Owing to a death in the family of Dr. D. J. Langton, and the serious illness of one of the other children, the practice of the Lithuanian band was postponed last evening.

Malley, the jeweler, for your wedding rings, 16 North Main street.

Overcrowded With Orders.

The hat and cap factories of town are experiencing considerable difficulty in filling orders for the want of sufficient operatives. They claim that the law in reference to factory labor is working a great injury in that it prohibits them from working at night with operatives under 21 years of age.

The Presbytery.

The Lehigh Presbytery, comprising the Presbyterian churches of Schuylkill, Lehigh, Carbon and Berks counties, will meet at Pottsville on September 17th. During the session the church records will be revised, ministers admitted and candidates licensed to preach.

Teething children should be treated with Lucks' soothing syrup. if

FISHERMAN'S LUCK.

In fishing around the market we found a couple barrels of extra fine Norway mackerel cheap. Very fat and white. Not large. Weigh about 3-4 of a pound. 14 cents a pound. We have the big ones, too; weigh 1½ to 1¾ pounds, for little more money. These are the finest fish caught, and we can not always buy the small ones.

Graf's,

122 North Jardin St., Shenandoah.