

Closing Out Sale Of Jewelry Store



Auction Began Tuesday Morning, August 27 NOW IS YOUR CHANCE

I am going to close out my entire stock of Watches, Jewelry and Optical Goods At auction. I intend to quit the jewelry business. If you want to get a good watch, clock, piece of jewelry or a pair of glasses for 1-2 or 13 what they are worth, now is your chance. This is a good chance for people who do not live in town to get their pick of any goods in our store at a big discount from the regular prices.

Remember, These Bargains Will Not Last Long

HOWARD H. HEDGES

JEWELER-OPTICIAN

323 WATER STREET

FAIRMONT, WEST VIRGINIA



NOVEL INVENTION

AMERICAN LAUNDRY COMPANY INSTALLS AN INVINCIBLE ELECTRIC RENOVATOR.

Almost every day there is invented some machine that causes comment in the financial and industrial world. One of the most novel and perfect machines we have seen is known as the Invincible Electric Renovator which has just been perfected and installed by the American Laundry Company of this city.

There is no question but what this machine will revolutionize house cleaning in all its details, being based on the vacuum system of cleaning which is recognized as the most perfect system of renovating known.

This little machine, but very little larger than the ordinary carpet sweeper, is propelled by a powerful, but very small electric motor, attached to a brush which revolves with great rapidity, making 3,200 revolutions per minute, the brush being adjustable to suit the carpet being cleaned. The brush finds every particle of dust which is drawn into the renovator by a double fan which is connected direct to the motor and which produces a powerful volume of air.

The renovator is equipped with three attachments, one for floor coverings, one for cushions, upholstered furniture, mattresses, etc., and one for walls, pictures, curtains, etc.

In operating the machine is simply attached to the chandelier or any point where you use an electric lamp. Several demonstrations were made in the city the past week and valuable rugs, which looked perfectly clean and fresh, were renovated with the result that an enormous amount of moth-breeding dust was removed.

The old system of beating the life out of rugs and the dreaded house-cleaning season is surely past as the parties using this machine will bring it to your residence and you need not remove either rugs or furniture of any kind.

As you will see by their ad. elsewhere in this issue, the laundry people invite all the house-keepers in Fairmont to see the machine work and they will be very glad to demonstrate in your own home and prove the merits of the machine.

ELECTRIC THEATER

Monday and Tuesday

"Discipline and Humanity"

"A Glorious Start"

Illustrated Song JUST ONE WORD OF CONSOLATION.

By Charles Ingram.

Admission 5c

Judge and Mr. Linn Brannon, who had been the guests of Mrs. Hugh Smith, left yesterday for their home.

Mrs. Jacob Hayden and granddaughter, Gazelle Smith, leave to-morrow for Mt. Lake Park to visit relatives.

Pony Contest Vote

VOTE TO-DAY.

District No. 1.	
Paul M. Hawkins	275,980
Freddy Eddy	236,530
Art Kern	228,900
Ruth Postan	205,220
Maude Hartley	31,380
Grace Jamison	12,260
Georgia Hunsaker	11,500
Mae Cronin	8,435
Thelma Satterfield	7,185
Zella Kerns	5,540
Sterling R. Riggs	4,450
Carrie Barr	6,575
Hazel Griffith	4,290
Dorsey Abbott	3,580
Grace Jones	2,845
Blanch Linn	2,820
Daniel Cook	1,850
Nettie Groves	1,240
Morris Saunders	1,135
Frances Ward	1,105
Charles Wilson	850
Roy J. Wise	835
Rufus Lytton	775
Leonard Deegan	525

District No. 2.

Francis A. Slater	24,420
Mildred Parsons	17,340
Claudia McNeely	10,775
Danna Morris	7,055
Glady's Toothman	7,005
Jamie Jolliffe	635
Ethel Reogerson	630
Daisy Flowers	600
Iona Roby	500
Allice Jenks	550
Martha Stewart	510

District No. 3.

Forest Springer	45,985
Philip Tatterson	19,465
Mabel Merrifield	44,270
Gertrude Criss	1,795
Odra Stealey	1,025

EXTRA SPECIAL VOTES.

CLASS No. 1. Most Popular Postoffice, Telephone or City Employee.

Mabel Merrifield	4370
Ralph Doolittle	3220
J. P. Grimes	2820
Fred Fleming	2355
Daisy Flowers	1390
Raymond Haller	1310
E. B. Hardin	1190
G. D. Satterfield	1115
Rufus Lytton	1100
A. L. B. Dudley	1085
Jesse Dent	1055
Frank Fisher	1025
Tony Cirno	710
A. J. Kern	610
Sallie Newell	590
Kip Fleming	720
Lee Parker	465

CLASS No. 2. Most Popular Saleslady, Salesman, Professional Man or Woman.

Georgia Ice	5740
Mary Conaway	4540
Corn Wheeler	4440
Icile Jackson	4285
Frank Crawford	4185
Ota Hood	4145
Loretta Stewart	4140
Alice Jenks	4140
Victoria Bennett	4140
Clyde Morris	4140
Howard Long	4140
Lina Linn	4140
Jesse Dent	4140

CLASS No. 3. Most Popular Railroad, Traction, Glass House, or Factory Employee.

Ray Arnett	8735
Alex Thorn	5630
John Hartley	5570
Archie Satterfield	7410
Harry Clark	7115
Charley Bunner	3490
Grace Jamison	3090
W. R. Riggs	2355
Clayton Coleman	1800
Alva Hall	1380
Roy Mastello	1170
Geo. Hartley	975
Joe List	905
Mike Morris	715
W. N. Fisher	420

CLASS No. 4. Most Popular Lodge, Church or Society Member.

Hallie Morrow	13,005
Ella Jones	12,945
Carl Kern	12,945
Birdie Boord	12,240
Alma Parker	9,250
Lillian Reed	6,235
Ruby Floyd	5,905
Docie Gething	4,410
J. A. Hess	4,210
Emmett Mockler	4,210
Mae Cronin	3,410
Mable Merrifield	3,210
Thelma Satterfield	3,010
Wm. Lytton	2,810
Eliza Miles	2,610
O. E. McMillon	1,410
Jamie Jolliffe	1,210
C. F. Willy	610

CLASS No. 5. Most Popular Teacher, Stenographer, Bookkeeper, Bank or Office Employee.

Bell Wilderman	8410
Florence Jack	5235
Wirt Faust	4070
W. A. Crowl	10,175
Edna Black	5,870
Maud Snodgrass	4,470
Agnes Bartholow	4,070
Flora Lloyd	3,870
Edith Bates	2,470
Eva Brand	1,110
M. E. Hale	1,210
Bube Randall	510

CLASS No. 6. The Most Popular Miner or Mine Employee.

John J. Brennen	142,415
Walter Witt	78,340
Cornelius Hardman	20,840
J. W. Satterfield	12,100
Wm. Boord	9,915
Glenn Toothman	4,835
Frank Cronin	4,305
Wayman Lovelle	3,835
Floyd Phillips	3,790
W. S. Beppert	3,690
Jas. Jack	1,965
Geo. S. Gibbons	1,290
Chas. Saider	510

WEST VIRGINIANS AT THE LOCAL HOTELS.

MANLEY—Verna Bartlett, Martha Tate, E. W. Wingate, Clarksburg; John A. Heiser, Wheeling; Thomas Sansbury, Parkersburg; Jessie Arbogast, Charleston.

WATSON—Hugh Davis, D. A. Davis, Farmington; P. C. McBee, Ethel Carle, Carl E. Beatty, Mannington; W. E. Downes, Smithfield; W. H. Fee, Wheeling; Miss McKuhan, Clarksburg; Clyde Barbe, Morgantown.

TAVERN—J. L. Lewis, Federal; A. L. Hawkins, M. Orlando, John Burkhardt, J. W. Tryman, Clarksburg; John L. Steele, Buckhannon; A. L. Hamman, B. F. Largent, Opekiska; J. A. Jolliffe, Littleton; J. W. Smith, T. A. Copeland, A. Hasey, Coal Center; J. O. Gibson, Tunnelton; J. W. Hartigan, Morgantown; Ed. Duff, D. F. Kidd, Wheeling; W. W. Ferguson and wife, Gladys Ferguson, Ruth Ferguson, Berkeley; W. L. Fox, Mooresville.

MARIBETTA—Frank M. Sharp, Worthington; Stephen Mason, Sylvia Mason, Jettie Tennant, Daybrook; Mrs. George R. Stemple, Wyatt; Lee Duvall, Wheeling; H. L. McMullen, Moundsville; C. Cuppett, O. P. Camp, Clarksburg; Miss M. Cronin; Myer Lewison, Richwood; Leslie Mills, C. E. Minor, Mannington.

Mr. S. C. Musgrave, of Hagans, Monongalia county is a visitor in the city to-day.

Cut Price Sale Continues

We have added to this sale several styles in Women's Shoes Patent and plain leathers, lace and button, light and heavy soles. These we have placed in two lots and priced them as follows, Shoes that sold for \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$2.75. Now \$1.90 Shoes that sold for \$3.50 and \$3.00. Now \$2.40 It will pay you to buy a pair of these, and lay them aside for Fall and Winter wear. We can fit you in some of these styles. Men's, Women's and Children's Oxfords still selling at a big reduction.

Shurtleff & Welton Main Street

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. James Coogle and daughter Kathryn have returned from Kingwood and other points in Allegheny.

Miss Hortense Stout, of Bridgeport, is the guest of Miss Frances Chesney in the First ward.

Miss Ethel Moran and brother, Paul, have returned from a visit with relatives in Monongalia county.

Mrs. Charles Wigginton and daughter, Miss Rella, have returned from a visit with relatives at Barnesville, Ohio.

Mrs. L. W. Kelley and daughter, Miss Ruth, have returned from a visit with friends at Salem and West Union.

Miss Grace Kelley, who is ill in a Denver, Colorado, hospital, is recovering and will be moved as soon as possible to the home of her aunt, Mrs. Silverton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Nuzum, of Clarksburg, and the latter's sister, Mrs. Browning and son, of Belpre, Ohio, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sample, on Fairmont avenue.

L. P. Carr is down from his summer home at Mt. Lake Park for the day.

Squire J. I. Swindler, of the First ward, who had been attending the M. P. conference at Elkins for several days, has returned home and resumed work in his office.

Mrs. Humphrey, mother of Prof. T. J. Humphrey, is very ill at her home in Fetterman.

Mrs. G. D. Curry is very ill at her home on Quincey street.

JOHN ROBINSON'S ELEPHANTS ARE HERE

The Street Parade. The street parade reached the business section of the city about 11:15 and the line of march was down Fairmount avenue, down Barney to Jackson, up Jackson to Madison, down Madison to Main and then back to the show grounds. The parade was witnessed by thousands of people and was praised all along the line. The music was furnished by several good bands and the wagons, battle ships, horsemen and horsewomen, etc., made a fine appearance. A novelty was a miniature wildwest which showed up well on the street and which was introduced in the performance this afternoon in place of the time worn feature of hippodrome races. The innovation was a very welcome one. The main fault with the usual wildwest show is that it grows tiresome and John Robinson has just enough wild west features to be interesting and not enough to tire the show-goer who has been seeing one or two circus each season for the last two or three decades.

The performance this afternoon was voted very good and the attendance was very large. The show also had good business at Morgantown yesterday and a large attendance is expected at Mannington to-morrow.

MONTANA MINES.

MONTANA MINES, Aug. 27.—Mr. Mack Malone, of Beechwood, spent Sunday with Mr. Mel. Malone.

R. A. Brown, of Clarksburg, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kinney yesterday.

The ball team here played the Monongah Glass Works team at this place yesterday, and as usual the home boys carried off the victory. A couple of our old reliables, Satterfield and Harris did the battery work while Higginbotham and Scott started to do the work for the glass works. Our boys soon pounded Higginbotham out of the box and also stung the ball right on the nose and drove the next pitcher to the tall timbers. They then eased up and let the next glass works pitcher finish the game. "Pick" Swisher led in batting, though Dave Satterfield cracked out a long two bagger, when the bases were filled. After the smoke of the battle had cleared away the final count of the tallies stood—

Barnsville Police Court. There was quite an interesting session of police court at Barnsville last evening between E. G. Floyd, plaintiff, and D. O. Robinson, defendant, for disorderly conduct. In the absence of the mayor, Willis Wilson, recorder, presided. Robinson was given the usual fine and dismissed.

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FRANCIS E. NICHOLS Fire Underwriter HAS MOVED To Rooms 201 and 203 Masonic Temple

SPECIAL POLICE

FORCE INCREASED TO-DAY ON ACCOUNT OF THE BIG CROWD FOR THE CIRCUS.

E. H. Ford, J. J. Lee and B. Layman, were appointed special policemen to assist the regular force to-day.

Charles Kuneski and Joe Brendle were the names of the men that got into a fight at Friedman's saloon yesterday afternoon. The men were drinking and became engaged in a quarrel. Kuneski became enraged and flashed a knife, striking Brendle in the back of the head. Brendle grabbed a glass and hit Kuneski on the jaw making an ugly gash. Kuneski had his jaw bandaged, the other man did not wear any. Kuneski was fined \$16, Brendle was fined \$14.

A man giving his name as William Kennedy was fined six dollars for being drunk.

UNANIMOUS CALL

QUARTERLY CONFERENCE ASKS FOR REV. SMITH'S RETURN AS PASTOR OF M. E. CHURCH.

The full Quarterly Conference of the First M. E. Church at a meeting last night extended a unanimous call for the return of Rev. G. D. Smith as pastor. Rev. Smith has been pastor of the First M. E. Church for five years and this call for his return is a high compliment to him and shows the high esteem in which he is held by his congregation. Rev. and Mrs. Smith have many warm friends in this city.

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5 VOTES Fairmont West Virginian Pony Contest

For District No. Address NOT GOOD AFTER FRIDAY, AUGUST 30TH.

This coupon when properly filled out and brought or mailed to the Contest Manager of the Fairmont West Virginian will count for 5 votes in Pony Contest and for District Prizes as well as for 5 votes for one candidate in each of the five classes in the "extra special" offer.

CLASS NO. 6. The Most Popular Miner or Mine Employee. 5 VOTES

MINERS' SPECIAL

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DO NOT DETACH WHEN VOTING CLASS VOTES.