

THE COLUMBIAN. BLOOMSBURG, FRIDAY, DEC. 14, 1877. Rail Road Time Table. LACKAWANNA & BLOOMSBURG RAIL ROAD.

TO CLUB AGENTS. We want a good active agent in every neighborhood in the county to secure new subscribers for the COLUMBIAN for 1878.

POSITIVELY. All subscriptions on which nothing has been paid since Oct. 1st 1877, will be stopped on the 1st of January, and the bills collected by law.

NOTES. Held by us for subscription are all over due, and unless paid by January 1st, they will be sued, and costs must be paid by the parties.

Order your printing at the COLUMBIAN office. Charles Monahan returned from the west last week after an absence of several months.

For posters, invitations, cards, etc., for Holiday Balls and parties, go to the COLUMBIAN office. Tramps must keep well posted as to the different sittings of Courts.

Paul E. Wirt, Esq., has been elected Secretary of the Bloomsburg Saving Fund and Loan Association, vice C. G. Barkley, Esq. resigned.

Don't take off your horse's bridle and find him to a post with the martingale. A certain gentleman tried it and it didn't work worth a cent.

G. A. Clark has enlarged the show windows in his book store, and thereby improved its appearance. The glass are large heavy French plate.

The new Sunday jail has been taken possession of by the Sheriff and the institution destroyed by a dinner, attended by the Bench and Bar.

When the disorders of Balaconia attack your Baby use our Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup and notice its rapid and beneficial effect.

The full term of the State Normal School will close with a literary and musical entertainment, on the evening of December 21st, in the Institute Hall.

An exchange says "It is time now to hear from big boys. John Higgins makes his first report!" The paper does not state how big a low Higgins was.

Stop that coughing! If you do not it may kill you. A bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup only costs you 25 cents, and its timely use may save your life.

William Lowrie is back at his old job in V. A. Clark's Book Store, as clerk and telegraph operator. Frank Rogers is engaged in W. C. McKinney's Shoe Store.

Christmas is near at hand, and everybody is busily engaged in making and purchasing presents. If you want to know where to go to buy gifts, read our Holiday list notices.

For the past twenty-two years Jacob L. Girton has carried passengers to and from the railroad. On Tuesday last George Riewick purchased Mr. Girton's omnibus and horses, and will carry on the business of transportation hereafter.

It seems that there are eight teachers in Columbia county who take the Pennsylvania School Journal, or about four per cent. About the same number take the COLUMBIAN. They do not therefore expect us to publish matter for their special benefit gratuitously.

MEETINGS OF THE LEGISLATURE.—This body will meet at Harrisburg on the first Tuesday of next January. We do not know that there is anything for it to do specially except to draw the stories, allege, postage stamps &c. of the members.

Last Monday was a busy day in Court. A number of prominent lawyers of Williamsport were here asking for an attachment to bring the City Council before the Court for contempt in failing to obey an order to pay the city bonds.

THE PRACTICE OF ADVERTISING. The practice of advertising a little now and then may be of small benefit, but as a permanent remark, it is only a drop in the bucket compared with a standing advertisement in the columns of an influential and respectable newspaper.

THE MARGINAL INDEXED DIARY, or Daily Record Book, published by the City Publishing Co., Erie, Pa., is the best thing of the kind yet issued.

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EXAMINATIONS AT THE NORMAL SCHOOL for the fall term will begin on Wednesday morning December 19th, 1877, and close on Friday, December 21st.

HOW TO ORGANIZE BOOK CLUBS. The subject of a Reading Room, and the attendant necessity of books, magazines and newspapers has recently been discussed in these columns.

THE YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION will hold its first annual anniversary in the M. E. church on Tuesday evening, the 18th, commencing at 7 o'clock.

REPORT OF SECRETARY FOR THE YEAR. Report of Treasurer for the year past. Lecture by Rev. M. C. Brittain, Subject, "Dignity of Labor."

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SPECIAL Holiday Notices. An elegant present for a little boy is one of those new sleds at Matze's.

Do you want silverware for a Christmas present? Do you want an elegant gift for husband, wife, father, mother, sister, brother or child?

At Cadman's Furniture store is to be found a large variety of fine goods suitable for Christmas gifts.

Clark & Wolf offer the largest line of Holiday goods they have ever offered and at prices much lower than they have ever been.

At Bates' Store an elegant assortment of Jewelry, Silver and Plated Ware just received, and for sale at low prices.

J. H. Maize is offering a large lot of fine goods in lamps, china and glassware, &c., at greatly reduced prices.

Ladies' gloves very cheap at Clark & Wolf's.

Opinions of the Public on the Pearl Shirt. Mrs. Brown is delighted at the Pearl Shirt.

Episcopal Prayer Books in beautiful binding at G. A. Clark's.

Lutz & Sloan receive goods almost every day and are kept busy selling them.

Castors, Card Baskets, Mugs, Vases, Pickle Castors, Toilet Sets, Tea Sets, and a full line of splendid goods for the Holidays.

Bargains in twilights, wool hoods, nubias, leggings, hosiery, kid gloves, &c. at Clark & Wolf's.

Toy sets of dishes, china toys, pretty vases for little girls at Maize's.

Diaries and Pocket Books in great variety at I. W. Hartman's.

SPECIAL Holiday Notices. Gent, call and see the best shirt made, the Eightime patent bosom at Clark & Wolf's.

Five lamps very cheap, splendid Toilet sets, fancy glassware, chamber sets, elegant vases of all sizes, striking sets, at Maize's make nice Christmas presents.

Where is Cross's new cash store? Open up the line of General Merchandise, Groceries, &c.

Mark Twain's celebrated Scrap Book at G. A. Clark's.

Since the discovery of Dr. Williams' Infants' Syrup, there is certainly no excitement for any one to suffer with the Piles. See advertisement.

Call in at I. W. Hartman's and look at the Photograph Albums.

Beaver cloths and coats, waterproof, farly coats, silver and plated ware, kid gloves, and felt skirts cheap at Clark & Wolf's.

A fine stock of Toilet Soaps and Perfumery, Hair and Tooth Brushes, Pocket Books &c. at Maize's.

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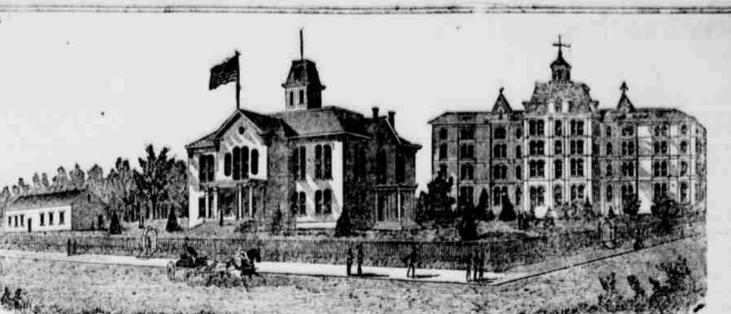
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BLOOMSBURG STATE NORMAL SCHOOL. SIXTH NORMAL SCHOOL DISTRICT. Bloomsburg, Columbia County, Pennsylvania. Rev. D. J. WALLER, Jr., A. M., Principal.

GIVEN AWAY. A Premium Seal Engraving. "THE FRIENDS OF THE STATE" is the title of the WORKING COPY, a 24 page Book.

THE OLD STAND. Established in 1816. A full line of Silks, Dress Goods, Coatings, Laces, Cloths, Cassimers, Muslins, Sheetings, Dry Goods, Groceries, Provisions, Oil Cloths and a large assortment of General Merchandise.

NEW FALL AND WINTER GOODS. Just in, and fresh invoices received daily. I. W. McKelvy. Main & Market Sts., BLOOMSBURG, PA. Nov. 23, 77-78.

BUY THE BEST \$1.00 SHIRT. THE PEARL SHIRT! Patented. None Genuine without this Trade Mark.

Harper's Weekly. ILLUSTRATED. The Weekly Harper's Magazine is a beautiful illustrated periodical published in this country.

Harper's Magazine. ILLUSTRATED. The veteran Magazine, which has outlived its original title of the New Monthly Magazine, has been the favorite of the people for many years.

J. H. MAIZE'S Mammoth Grocery, corner of Main and Centre streets, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

BLOOM IRON WORKS, HARMAN & HASSERT Proprietors; East Street, South side of 2. & H. Railroad, Bloomsburg, Pa.

HEATING AND COOK STOVES. The proprietors being practical mechanics, having had an experience of over thirty years, the public can rely on their skill and judgment.

Repairing of Threshing Machines, Reapers, &c. The proprietors being practical mechanics, having had an experience of over thirty years, the public can rely on their skill and judgment.

WANTED. To hire a man of color, to do general housework, at \$1.00 per week, with board, at the residence of Mrs. J. H. Maize, No. 100 N. 2nd St., Bloomsburg, Pa.