

The Columbian.

BLOOMSBURG, PA., FRIDAY, JUNE 30, 1882.

Correct Railroad Time Table.

Table with columns for North and South directions, listing train numbers and arrival/departure times for various routes.

Personal.

J. D. Hollie, Esq., of Mainville was in town Tuesday. Miss Belle Caldwell of Danville is visiting Miss Ada Hartman.

Rev. Joseph A. Russell and wife were in town this week. Mr. Russell was rector of the Episcopal church twenty years ago, and has many old friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Church of Ashland, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sicker of Tunkhannock, and Miss Nellie Cooley of Wilkes Barre, were among the strangers who attended the commencement exercises.

Mr. L. Snyder Esq., of Sunbury is in town visiting friends, and attending the exercises of commencement week.

Rev. Kelley of Stevensville, N. J. formerly pastor of the Lutheran Church at Epsv, was visiting friends in this section during the past week.

William Neal and family, Col. McClure and wife, Miss Ella McKinney, Miss Leach and a number of others, making a party of fifteen, went to Williamsport on Wednesday to spend two weeks.

Lock Haven will have a big celebration on the Fourth. Mathias Kindt lost his valuable stallion, John, on the 13th of June, from lung fever.

There were forty-four deaths from yellow fever at Havana last week. New styles of calling cards and card type just received at the Columbian office.

There is to be a general advance of wages all along the line in the Luzerne region, and the coal miners are happy.

The M. E. Sunday school, Afton, Pa. will hold a festival on next Saturday evening, July 8th. The annual election of officers of Winona Fire Company will take place on Monday evening. A full attendance is desired.

C. A. Prentiss while at work on a lathe accidentally got his finger in the cog and had part of it torn off. The band was out sending last Monday evening and favored a number of families with their fine music.

Bloomsburg is to have some excitement on the Fourth after all. Main's circus will be here. Pens, pencils, pen holders, ink, rubbers, mullage in great variety at the Columbian store.

We learn that A. C. Smith Esq., will soon go to Scranton to practice law permanently. H. E. Smith Esq., will continue his practice here. The lady friends of the Bloomsburg Cornet Band will have a festival at Evans' Hall this Friday and Saturday evenings. Patronize them.

The sociable giving by the young ladies of the Guild of St. Paul's P. E. Church, at the Rectory on Thursday and Friday evenings last week cleared about twenty-five dollars. The gold mining fever has reached Harrisburg and several capitalists have enlisted with Dr. Smith in the prospecting enterprise now progressing on South mountain.

There will be a festival in the Grove near Beaton on July 4th, for the benefit of the Beaton band. Other bands have been invited and are expected to be present. A general good time is anticipated. The picnic season has come. Last Friday the members of the Presbyterian Church held one at Rupert, and on Saturday the Model school of the Normal enjoyed themselves in Barton's woods.

A party of young men, students of Cornell college, recently started in an open boat from some point on the Susquehanna above the York State line, their destination being Harrisburg. In the suit of Captain Brockway by his assignee against Senator Buckleau, on arbitration on Monday and Tuesday at the Court House, after a full trial on the merits an award was made in favor of the Defendant for \$47.30. On Friday and Saturday evenings last week there was an abundance of festival in town. The Methodist congregation held one in Sterner's building and cleared about \$75.00, and the Reform congregation had one at Evans' Hall, making about \$80.00. Smokers must now lay in a sufficient supply of cigars on Saturday to last over Sunday. Constable Woodward last week notified all persons dealing in tobacco that the law would be enforced against those who sell on Sunday. Samuel Seybert, an old resident of this county, dropped dead at his daughter's in Orange township Friday last. He was apparently in good health, except that he had been afflicted with rheumatism. The funeral took place at Light Street, the burial being at Orangeville on Saturday. Painters are busy in ornamenting the steeple of the M. E. Church. The roof is finished. Property holders on Fourth street are laying pavements. Rev. D. J. Waller has removed his barn from Fifth street. M. E. Eyerly had a new tin roof put on his dwelling on Market street.

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The exercises of commencement began on Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock when the following programme was gone over, in the presence of a large audience. Prayer, Rev. John Donahue, Music, (Grand March from Tannhauser) Wagner; Kate Davids, Mary R. Curran, Dora A. Niles and Nellie M. Low; Salutatory, Carrie C. Rodgers; Essay, Girls of the Past and Present, M. Burnette Stiles; Essay, If We Plant Lilies, (We will Gather Lilies, Lillian Brown); Essay, The Work of the Teacher, Helen M. Gossler, Oration, We are the Architects of Our Own Fortunes, James W. Dilley; Music, Vocal Quartette, The Fisherman and His Child, White, Louisa G. Hutchison, Jennie Tyrrell, O. B. Wells, J. W. Dilley; Essay, Ruins of Time, Stella Siekler; Essay, Power of Early Impressions, Hattie Robbins; Essay, More Knowledge will make successful teaching, Jennie Tyrrell; Essay, Keeping up appearances, Emilie Rutherford; Music, Piano Solo, Polkae Brilliant, Bolm, M. Burnette Stiles; Essay, Woman's Place in Politics, Lizzie M. Church; Essay, The value of Self-Reliance, E. Gertrude LaShelle; Essay, The Thought Element in Education, Nellie L. Moffitt; Oration, The Past and Future of Our Schools, Henry Herman; Music, "Use of the Organ," Scenery, Brangh, Louisa G. Hutchison; Essay, The Women for the Times, Hannah Rubin; Essay, The Power of Temptation, Nora M. Finney; Essay, Influence of a Good Mother, Jennie Helman; Essay, Let Their Be Light, Mayo Reagan; Music, National Medley, Piano; Irene Phillips; Violin, Madame Dreishack; Mary Monroe; Viola, Niles; Clarinet, Harry Estieman; Violinello, Prof. Niles.

COLEMAN LOCALS. Strawberries of a fine quality are plenty and cheap. Samuel Frederick is building a new house on Main street. Charles Krug of your town is the contractor. Daniel Helwig, an old and respected citizen of this town, died on Monday after a protracted illness. The construction train on the N. & W. R. R. makes frequent trips through our town. The Lutheran congregation are erecting a commodious parsonage near their Church on the hill. An effort is being made to have a display of fire works here on the evening of the Fourth. The shower on Tuesday made the street sprinkler happy—it saved him the trouble of collecting his fees. It is rumored that the P. & E. R. R. Co. intend to erect another round house here soon. At present they only have shelter for about half of their engines.

MISCELLANEOUS. The hall storm which passed through this section on the 19th inst. did considerable damage to the fruit and grain. G. B. Swank of Hazleton spent a short vacation at home recently. The cherries which are generally so very plenty, especially in the hilly parts of this township, will be an unusually small crop this year. Jacob Penelaker an aged gentleman of this place is believed to be at the point of death. It is rumored that the P. & E. R. R. Co. intend to erect another round house here soon. At present they only have shelter for about half of their engines.

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