The Columbian.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.,

FRIDAY, MARCH 16, 1883.

Correct Railroad Time Table.

Trains on the Philadelpida & R. R. leave Rupert as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
6 18 a. m.	11 45 a. m.
4 06 p. m.	6 45 p. m.

Trains on the D. L. & W. R. R. leave Bloomsburg as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
7 38 a. m.	8 25 a. m.
10 58 a. m.	11 45 a. m.
2 51 p. m.	4 27 p. m.

The 11 45 train south connects with the Philadelphia & Reading at Rupert, and with the Northern Central at Northumberland.

The 8:25 a. m train connects at Northumberland with 9:35 train on Pennsylvania road reaching Philadelphia at 2:20 p. m.

The 11:45 train connects with Philadelphia and Reading road at Rupert at 11:50 reaching Philadelphia at 6:00 p. m.

The 11:45 train connects with Pennsylvania road at Northumberland at 1:55 reaching Philadelphia at 7:25 p. m.

The 4:27 p m. train connects with Pennsylvania road at Northumberland at 8:05 p. m. and reaches Philadelphia at 2:55 a. m.

Trains on the N. & W. B. Railway pass Bloom Ferry as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
7.41 a. m	12.08 p. m.
6.31 p. m	7.07 p. m.

Public Sales.

[All persons having bills printed at this office, will receive a gratuitous notice under this head.]

Charles Baker, Adm. of Jacob Baker, dec'd will sell valuable real estate on the premises in Beaver township on Friday, March 23, 1883.

The administrators of Theressa Baylor, deceased, will sell real estate in Montour township on Friday, March 30th, at 2 o'clock p. m.

B. Frank Zarr, trustee, will sell valuable real estate on premises of William Kelchner dec'd on Thursday, in Mifflin, March 29th, 1883, at two o'clock.

John Mourey, trustee, will offer for sale a valuable town lot, on premises of Elizabeth Kelchner, deceased, in Mifflinville, on Thursday, March 29th, 1883, at 10 o'clock.

aniel Brink will sell personal property on premises of Wm. Brink in Jackson township on Friday March 23. Horses, cows, &c.

John Pooley will sell valuable personal property on premises in Frosty valley, on Wednesday March 21, commencing at 10 o'clock.

R. Buckingham, administrator, will sell valuable real estate on premises of Elizabeth Walter, deceased, in Montour township on Saturday, March 31st, at 2 o'clock.

The heirs of Hiram R. Kline, deceased, will offer for sale valuable real estate in Orange township, Columbia county, on Wednesday March 28, 1883, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Personal.

A. A. Zaner, has returned to his home in Audubon, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Elwell are in Philadelphia this week.

Mrs. Daniel Zarr, of Catawissa, is severely afflicted with dropsy.

J. Saltzer will move into the new store room and dwelling of James Barton, about April 1st.

W E. Smith Esq., of Berwick, gave us a brief call on Wednesday evening, on his way home from Philadelphia.

M. A. Caswell has moved into the new building of Wm. Sterner, on West Street, near the woolen mills.

Eli Robbins, of Forks, started for Nebraska on Monday. He expects to remain there several months.

Rev. Dr. Hopkins, of Williamsport, preached in the Episcopal church last week, Thursday evening.

D. F. Weiss has given up the agency for the Singer Sewing Machine Co., and is salesman for a grocer in Philadelphia.

James Lilley of Orangeville, who has been confined by rheumatism for some time, is getting better, and will soon be able to attend to business again.

Mr. Isaiah Rupert, who has been employed for a number of years with A. Pardee & Co., at Hazleton, tendered his resignation and has returned to his home in Bloomsburg.

Among our callers the past week were Joseph Gilbert, of Scott; Joseph Hess, of Sugarloaf; Reuben Bomboy, of Hemlock; William Brink, of Sugarloaf; Charles Ash, of Fishingcreek; Jacob Dieffenbach, of Bloomsburg; J. R. Sutliff, Bloomingdale, Luzerne county; I. K. Dildine, of Orange; C. H. Dildine, of Greenwood; Samuel Giger, of Bloomsburg; Shadrach L. Hess, of Sugarloaf; T. J. Hutchison, of Forks; Thomas Brobst, of Lime Ridge; Rev. D. M. Kinter, Stillwater; J. H. Alkman, Lightstreet; B. F. Dietterich, of Hemlock.

A water company has been organized in Sunbury.

The Philadelphia *Times* of Tuesday contained 20 pages.

The Sunbury *News* will put in a power press soon, so rapid has been its growth and success.

Husbands will soon be greeted by their fond wives with a please-buy-me-a-new-spring-bonnet smile.

Lockard Bros. have a contract for building a large number of mine cars. They commenced work on Monday.

The Sunbury *Democrat* donned a new dress last week. It published an interesting history of its early days in the same issue.

Dr. Joseph Priestly, a son of the distinguished Dr. Priestly, died at his home in Northumberland, on Saturday last, aged 65 years.

Mr. MacFarlane introduced a bill in the Senate on Monday fixing the salary of County Commissioners at three dollars a day instead of two.

FOR RENT.—A desirable property on corner of 3rd and Railroad Sts. Suitable for boarding house. Inquire of G. M. Quick, at Prothonotary's office.

The Librarian of the Philadelphia Historical Society says that the History of Columbia county "is very attractively printed." The sale of the book thus far is beyond our expectations.

Notices have been posted at the coal mines at Scranton announcing that full time will be resumed next week. The miners are greatly rejoiced as they have worked on half time since December.

The fish commissioners of Pennsylvania have notified the legislature that there is a large number of brook and California trout, salmon and carp at the state hatching house. These can be obtained by addressing Col. James Duffy, at Marietta.

We have been unable to deliver the half morocco and full leather copies of the History of Columbia county because the binder has delayed us three weeks longer than we expected. Our agent is now on the road delivering the $2.50 book.

Base ball will be indulged in to a great extent during this summer. The champion clubs are making extra preparations. Can we organize a good club?

The newly-elected Justices of the Peace are required by law to file their acceptances in the Prothonotary's office within thirty days after the election.

The History of Columbia county is selling rapidly. If you desire to secure a copy you should send in your name at once. Direct all orders to this office.

Mr. G. W. Bartch and Mr. John Cather, of Shenandoah, Schuylkill county, have recently purchased lots at Eaglesmere, and will erect cottages during the summer.

If you want a nice Spring Hat
The latest color and style call at
David Lowenberg's Popular Clothing Store.

Senator Hart of this district, is a member of the Legislative Committee sent out to Pittsburg to investigate the charges of cruelty at the Dixmont Insane Asylum.

Lumbermen take Notice! Parties having lumber, all kinds, and shingles to sell, will do well by calling on Lilly & Sleppy at Orangeville, Pa. They will pay the highest price in cash or merchandise for the above.

The Danville *Intelligencer* thinks the North Branch canal will be abandoned since the Pennsylvania R. R. Co. have direct railroad communication to their mines by the North and West Branch railroad. This is denied by employees of the canal.

"'Tis more brave to live than to die." Therefore don't wait till a slight cough develops itself into consumption but secure a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup at the small outlay of 25 cents, cure your cough and live on happily.

A meeting was held at Sunbury last week to organize and select a place to hold a musical jubilee, the coming summer. Hon. J. C. Bucher, of Lewisburg was elected President, and A. M. Carey, of Selinsgrove, Secretary. Selinsgrove was selected as the place for holding the musical convention. The date of the convention will be announced hereafter.

Postmasters are often called upon to decipher queer inscriptions on letters. The following is the exact copy of one lately received at this Post-office:

"I. A. Shuckett, Supertendent of the inflamertory asylum Bioms Burg Pa"

It was intended for Dr. L. A. Shattuck, of the Bloomsburg, Pa., Sanitarium.

Fine Spring Suitings
Fine Dress Suitings
Fine Trouserings
just arrived, call and examine the Custom-Department of David Lowenberg's Popular Clothing Store.

A fight occurred in Girton's saloon on Saturday night resulting in a broken window and several bloody noses. A drunken man went in there and without provocation struck at another man who was sitting in the saloon. The disturbance was shortly quelled by the arrival of M. C. Woodward. The impositions of heavy fines on such unruly characters would greatly assist the police in preserving order.

The following is the latest swindling dodge practiced on farmers: Two strangers come around as cattle buyers. In making purchase they pay generally one-third cash, giving bogus checks for the balance on banks in various parts of the state. They then hurry the cattle off to the railroad, and ship them East selling them for cash. In due time the checks are returned from the banks as worthless, and the unlucky holders find themselves "sold."

The State Normal School, of this district, at Bloomsburg, Columbia county, will begin the spring term on Monday, April 2nd, 1883. The uninterrupted growth of the past years has continued; the school is closing the best winter term in its history. Additional teachers have been engaged for the next term in view of the increased attendance already assurred. Students coming by the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western or by the Reading R. R. should send for cards for half fare.

Rare Bargains in Fine Ready Made Clothing, grand arrival of Spring Styles.

We defy competition—We guarantee satisfaction. Elegant Suits for Little Boys. Substantial Suits for School. Stylish suits for Youths—call and be convinced that the best place to buy your Clothing is at the Popular Clothing Store of
David Lowenberg.

Judge Rockefeller has decided that a license for a hotel or a restaurant, cannot be granted unless the petition is signed by twelve reputable citizens of the ward, borough or township. By citizens is meant native or naturalized persons who have the privilege of exercising the elective franchise, and the right to exercise all political and civil privileges of the government. The petition of Mr. B. H. Barto, of Turbutville, was refused at last court for the reason that one of the signers was a foreigner and not naturalized.—*American.*

We have arranged to grind LEWIS' PURE WHITE LEAD IN CAMPBELL'S AND THAYER'S PURE LINSEED OIL, and are prepared to offer inducements in price to dealers and consumers. HENRY S. REAY,
3-2-3m Rupert Pa.

We acknowledge the receipt of an invitation to attend the Annual Purim Bal Masque under the auspices of the H. Y. M. A., at the Danville Opera House, on Wednesday evening, March 28th. There will be a concert and tableaux at 8 o'clock. Prof. Ruhe's orchestra of Allentown, will furnish the music, and S. J. Cressman will provide the refreshments. All the arrangments are first class, and a very enjoyable time is anticipated. The number of tickets is limited, and those who desire to attend should secure tickets at once of Lewis Lowenberg or L. Alexander.

CHEAP RAILROD TICKETS TO THE WEST.—If you are going west buy your tickets of R. D. Darlington, agent, P. & R. Rupert station. He sells cheap tickets to all parts of the west and over the most desirable routes. Trains leave Rupert at 6:15 and 8:50 a. m., and 4:06 p. m. feb 16-3m

The stylographic pen is one of the necessaries of our modern civilization. If Hood's song had been "Dip, dip, dip," instead of "Stitch, stitch, stitch," it would have lost its text at the hands of Mr. Livermore, who has given his age this perfection of pen, penholder, and case, and ink, all in one, handsome, and always at hand and ready for use. The inventor has put some new improvements into it and now what remains but for every scribe and letter writer to find it on his desk. Ink, filler and cleaner, all go with it. And to crown all, the price has been reduced to $2. Send that amount to the sole agent, Mr. Louis E. Dunlap, 290 Washington St., Boston, Mass., and the return mail will bring you this most perfect pen.—*Contributor, Boston, Mass.*

Col. Copeland will deliver a lecture in Catawissa, on Friday, March 30th, 1883. Subject: "Snobs and Snobbery."

Lloyd Kressler of Pine township, who has been an inmate of the Danville Asylum for nearly a year, died there on Friday last, from disease of the brain. He was a son of George Kressler. The funeral was held on Wednesday and the interment took place in Rosemont cemetery.

A full line of Groceries, Queensware and Ceder ware at Kinports & Bro's.

Robert McWade appeared at the Opera House last Monday night as Rip Van Winkle. The play as presented by his company has undergone some changes, his own work we are told, but we cannot say that it is any improvement on the old version. McWade represented the jolly drunken dutchman in a very amusing way, but his support was not strong. He is rated as second to Joe Jefferson in the representation of this character.

Beautiful Easter cards at the COLUMBIAN office.

By reference to the minutes of the Town council it appears that a proposition has been made for the town to purchase the hook and ladder truck of the Rescue company. As the apparatus was purchased by subscriptions of citizens for the use of the town, and not for the benefit of individuals it would be well for the council to be sure that the apparatus does not already belong to the town before spending any money on it.

Now is the time to purchase garden seed, a fresh stock of Landreth's seed at Kinports & Bro's.

Church Dedication.

The new M. E. Church at Espy, will be dedicated on Sunday, March 25th, at 10 a. m. Bishop Bowman will preach the sermon. At 3 p. m. there will be a children's meeting. Rev. Dr. Upham, of Drew Theological Seminary, will preach at 7 o'clock in the evening.

Supreme Court Cases.

The following cases from this county have been decided by the Supreme Court: Watts against Columbia County Mutual Saving Fund and Loan Association, judgment affirmed; Creveling's Appeal, decree affirmed, and appeal dismissed at the costs of the appellant; Bibby against Jacoby, judgment affirmed; Catawissa Railroad Company's Appeal (the Rupert crossing case) decree affirmed, and appeal dismissed at the costs of the appellant. No decision is yet reported in the case of Abbott and others against Raup.

Horse Bills printed at this office in the best style and cheap. This is the only office in the county that has the cut of the Percheron.

A Terribly Afflicted Family.

The family of Daniel Heimbauch, consisting of fourteen persons, living near Danville, was attacked with typhoid fever a couple of weeks ago. So malignant was the type that the entire family were down at one time. Two of the children died almost immediately and were buried by the neighbors, not one of the family being able to leave their rooms. Last week the father and two more of the children died and the three were buried in one grave. Three of the remaining children are not expected to recover.

Fresh stock of Landreth's garden seeds at Kinports & Bro's.

The Date of Easter.

About this season of the year many people are asking what it is that determines the date of Easter. The answer is that it is the moon of March, which Tennyson calls "the roaring moon of daffodils." The old rule is that Easter shall fall on the Sunday after the full moon which comes after the vernal equinox. That brings Easter this year on the 25th of March. In 1818 it fell on the 22d of March, the earliest date possible. It will not fall upon that date again in this or the following century.

Invigorate your house plants before setting them out, by using "Food for Plants." We can recommend it. 10 and 25 cents a package. For sale at this office.

Easter Cards.

The present fashion of exchanging small gifts at Easter-tide has been in general usage from the earliest eras of Christianity. The custom, like the religion, is altogether Oriental in its origin, and is symbolical of the idea prevalent among Asiatic people that every kind of enjoyment, rejoicing or congratulations should be accompanied by a bestowal and reception of presents. Until within recent years Easter gifts took the form of eggs, variously called pace, paske, paschall or pescha eggs, or else morsels of cake and sweetmeats, would be offered and taken by friends meeting, with words of pious congratulation appropriate to the Holy Feast. Now it is customaay and fashionable to send illuminated cards, inscribed with Easter greetings, to all intimate acquaintances and relatives, since the Centennial such cards have become articles of luxury, equally expensive and elegant in manufacture as valentines and Christmas tokens. The shop windows now show some fine displays of these beautiful cards.

LOOK HERE!—If you are going West why not start right, avoid all further trouble by purchasing your tickets of W. B. Poust agent of D. L. & W. R. R. at Bloomsburg. He can give you your choice of routes either by way of Penna, R. R. or Niagara Falls and Erie R. R. Baggage checked through to destination—150 pounds, free with each ticket. Circulars, time tables or any other information will be cheerfully given at any time. tf.

Wake Up.

Many towns in this section of the state have wakened up to the fact that their growth depends upon the enterprise of their citizens. The prosperity of a town is regulated by the industries that give employment to the laboring classes, bring money from abroad, and give an impetus to business. Berwick has her car shops and rolling mill that have doubled the population within a few years; Northumberland, that has been asleep for forty years, is about to erect large nail works; new nail works are being built at Danville; Shickshinny will have large pulp works; Wilkes-Barre a new paper mill; Sunbury is putting up smelting works. What is Bloomsburg doing for its own benefit? The project of the bridge works seems to have been abandoned, at least nothing more is heard of it, and the subscription of $50,000 has to go a begging. Why not invest the capital in some other industry if the bridge works cannot be secured? While all our sister towns are putting forth their energies in the establishment of manufactories, we are resting on our oars and allowing golden opportunities to slip from us. If we hope to keep pace with the times, and make Bloomsburg a growing, thriving town, we must act now. Let no more time be wasted.

Use Caw's ink. It is the best. For sale at the COLUMBIAN office.

Court Proceedings.

Adjourned court March 10, 1883.

Mrs. E. J. Woodring appointed guardian of minor children of Henry Woodring, deceased.

Clara Faust vs A. Hughes Faust, Subpœna in divorce awarded.

Citation awarded in estate of Henry W. Long, deceased, to file account.

John Wolf appointed guardian of W. H. Miller, minor child of Levi Miller, deceased.

M. A. Williams vs Columbia county. Rule to open judgment. Opinion filed.

Jackson vs Booth. Mechanic's lien. Opinion filed. Lien stricken off.

Report of auditor in estate of Wm. Lazarus, deceased, confirmed.

Edgar vs Low. Rule to strike off appeal. Opinion filed. Defendant to enter bail within ten days or rule to become absolute.

Eves & Bro., vs Hess & Carter. Rule to strike off mechanic's lien filed.

Sheriff acknowledged deeds in open court for the following: Three tracts of land in Centre township, sold as the property of Samuel Bower to H. R. Bower for $1200; House and lot in Light Street sold as the property of D. W. Hicks to H. V. White, in trust, for Smith, Kinney & Co., for $435.

Order for private sale granted to I. K. Krickbaum, guardian of Amelia J. Sitler, a minor.

Order for private sale granted to Michael Wenner guardian of Clement Beishline, a minor.

Our Common Schools.

(Conclusion.)

Our county institute was held in the Normal Hall, at Bloomsburg, during the week commencing December 12; 1881. Our instructors were Miss L. E. Patridge, of Philadelphia; Miss Delia F. Smith, now of Boston; Prof. G. E. Little, Washington, D. C.; Prof. Noetling, and Dr. D. J. Waller, of the Bloomsburg State Normal School. This was the largest and one of the most enthusiastic institutes ever held in Columbia county. The examination of the teachers developed the fact that many were deficient in language, and particularly so in literature and methods of instruction. Special attention was therefore given at our institute to primary instruction and literature in our common schools. The evening lecturers were Miss Patridge, Rev. Young, and Col. Sanford. The evening sessions, as well as the day ones, were well attended, all of the lecturers being greeted with large and appreciative audences.

Regular semi-monthly institutes were held in Catawissa, Conyngham, and Centralia. A regular monthly institute was held in Pine township, which did invaluable service in educating public sentiment, and in creating a deep interest in the public exercises. Although this is one of the largest and most mountainous townships in the county, the church in which the exercises were held was always filled to its utmost capacity. The directors deserve much credit for the interest manifested in their educational meetings. The secretary and president took an active part in the exercises, thus encouraging and assisting the teachers. Quite a number of local institutes were held in various parts of the county.

I entered upon the duties of my present work with a deep realization of the responsibilities resting upon the superintendent, at least so far as the examining and grading teachers were concerned. I therefore resolved to leave nothing undone, so far as I knew, to give the teachers a fair, impartial examination. The examinations were largely written. This increased very much the work of the examiner, but was deemed the better and fairer test, consequently was adopted. It was announced at each examination that the papers would be kept on file at my office, and that teachers were cordially invited to call and examine them. This had a salutary effect, although quite a number were rejected, no charges of unfairness, so far as I know, were preferred.

All the schools in the county, but one, (which was closed both times when I was there, on account of sickness,) were visited once, quite a number twice, and a few three times. The organization of the school, the teacher's method of instruction, progress and conduct of the pupils, their studies and attendance, were carefully noted, and such suggestions made as were deemed best to remove existing errors, and for the encouragement of the pupils.

Some time during the latter part of June, 1881, about fifteen Indian boys and two girls, ranging in age from fourteen to twenty years, came from the Carlisle Indian training school to this county, principally in Greenwood township, to live with the farmers during vacation, to learn to farm and to be profited generally from the association of the whites. At the close of the vacation, all but one or two preferred to stay at their new homes, work, and attend the free school during its session. At first some of the patrons objected, thinking that their presence might be detrimental to their children. Their suspicions, however, were soon allayed. The Indians, by their good conduct and studious habits, soon won the approbation of all. Their progress in all of the branches was good, especially so in writing.

I wish to specially call the attention of the directors to the importance of properly looking after the school-grounds and buildings during the summer. It seems to me that in many of the smaller towns of the county, a good teacher (at least as good an one for summer as winter) could be secured, if properly managed. Too often is the building promised to the first one who asks for it, and, in many instances, to one who could not obtain a provisional certificate. Let me earnestly, but respectfully, urge the directors to allow no one to enter the school-room as a teacher who has not, or could not obtain, a valid certificate; thus protecting the little innocent ones from the instruction of one who knows comparatively nothing of the science of teaching or the development of the intellectual faculties. Engage the building to but one teacher; allow him to secure as many instructors as he desires; but in no case permit two, three, or more to canvass the town, dividing the patronage, and making it impossible to secure a good instructor.

The following are a few of the needed improvements: Sufficient inducements to lead teachers to expend the requisite time and money for a thorough preparation for the work; pupils to be furnished with the necessary books. In the visitation of the schools, I found a great many boys and girls, young ladies and gentlemen, in school, with no other books than a speller, a reader, and an arithmetic. On inquiry, it was found that the pupils and their parents thought that, in order to make progress in these branches, it was necessary to give them their entire attention. Now, if we can get them to take up, in addition to these studies, the branches adapted to their ages and acquirements, a great barrier to progress will be obviated. We need a more regular attendance, especially on the part of the pupils of the rural districts; a more frequent visitation of the schools by the patrons and directors; and the furnishing of all the schools with the necessary apparatus.

In conclusion, I wish to express my sincere thanks to the teachers, directors, and citizens, for the kindness and courtesy I have everywhere received, and to the Department of Public Instruction, for valuable counsel.

Council Proceedings.

Council met at 7 o'clock, p. m., Wednesday, March 7th, 1883, being their regular monthly meeting. G. A. Herring, the president, and Messrs. Hartman, Rabb, Waller, Sterling and Hasssert were present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

A committee from the Rescue Hook & Ladder Company appeared before Council and asked to dispose of their truck, ladder and fixtures thereto, to the Town of Bloomsburg for the sum of one hundred and seventy-five dollars with the privilege of redeeming them within two years.

Mr. Rabb moved and Mr. Hartman seconded that a committee of two be appointed to confer with the Rosemont Cemetery Company in regard to the removal of the dead from the Episcopal burial ground and to post notices for the proposals of the removal thereof. Passed by unanimous vote. The president appointed Messrs. Rabb and Hartman as such committee.

Newton Boone, Collector of taxes, claimed exonerations on duplicate of 1881 and 1882.

On motion of Mr. Hartman and seconded by Mr. Sterling, the accounts as made out by the Secretary against different individuals in favor of the Town of Bloomsburg and reported by the Town Treasurer as not collectable or barred by the statute of limitations were directed to be cancelled.

The following bills were presented and the Secretary instructed to draw orders for their several amounts:

Bill of Nathan Bomboy, street Commissioner, for February, 1883,	$ 12 25
James Warr for labor on Highway, for February '83,	2 50
Elijah Strohm for labor on Highway, for February, '83,	2 50
John Shannon for labor on Highway, for February, '83,	1 25
Frederick Schrim, witness fee in No. 1 Feb'y term, '83, in Equity,	1 50
John Shannon for same,	75
Henry Ohl for same,	75
James Warr for same,	75
John Haywood for same,	75
Levi Shoemaker for same,	1 50
Joseph Ruckle for same,	1 50
Nathan Bomboy for same,	2 25
M. C. Woodward, constable and police service for January, '83,	11 33
M. C. Woodward, constable and police service for February, '83,	8 83
B. B. Freas, police service for February, '83,	7 00
I. W. Hartman, one year rent of hall for Rescue H. & L. Co., ending April 1st, '83,	30 00
Elwell & Bittenbender, notice 4 weeks of Episcopal burial ground, slips and envelopes for same,	5 82
Bloomsburg Gas Co., for January, '83, 42 posts, and post at woolen mill ½ month,	85 00
Bloomsburg Gas Co., for February, '83, 42 posts,	84 00
Bloomsburg Water Co., water rent for February, '83,	66 67
Secretary's salary for February, '83,	15 00
Total—	$341 90

A. L. FRITZ,
Secretary.

All kinds of vendue notes kept at the COLUMBIAN office.

Deeds Recorded.

The following deeds have been recorded since those last published:

George L. Kostenbauder to Permelia Kline, Catawissa.

Bloomsburg Iron Company to Stephen Knorr, Bloomsburg.

James Reilly and wife to Patrick Galignan, Bloomsburg.

Thomas Hicky and wife to John A. Funston, Bloomsburg.

George Farver and wife to John A. Funston, Fishingcreek.

Allen Mann and wife to Salinda Johnson, Beaver.

John Turner and wife to William Hummell, Espy.

Joseph Miller and wife to Emma Hagenbuch, Espy.

Geo. W. Correll, et. al., executor, to J. H. Long, Bloomsburg.

I. W. McKelvy to Mary N. Harman, Bloomsburg.

Reuben Fahringer to Mary Fahringer, Locust.

Julia Ann Leiby and husband to Daniel Fry, Montour.

Jackson Leiby and wife to Daniel Fry, Montour.

Daniel Fry and wife to Jackson Leiby, Montour.

John Leiby, et. al., executor, to Daniel Fry, Montour.

Joseph Stackhouse and wife to C & J. Stackhouse, Briarcreek.

H. W. McReynolds and wife to Baltis Sterling, Madison.

David Whitmire and wife to Mary Ella Dietterich, Scott.

Henry Gable and wife to James Gunning, Centralia.

J. W. Evans and wife, et. al., to Elias M. Remley, Berwick.

The Sham and the Real.

Every good thing has its host of imitators; every genuine article its counterfeits. Bad manners and wicked habits have theirs also; but he who shams the bad never boasts of it, while they who ape the virtues of the good or simulate the genuine never hesitate to place the counterfeit before the public in their most alluring tones. When these people imitate they always choose a pronounced type or popular subject to copy from; and when they claim to be as good as "So-and-So," or to sell an article equal to "So-and-So," the public may depend upon it that Mr. "So-and-So" and his article are always the best of the kind. Thus the sham is always proving the genuine merit of the thing it copies.

A firm of enterprising gentlemen produce and popularize an article of household use, such as the Royal Baking Powder, whose convenience, usefulness and real merit make for itself an immense and universal sale. A hundred imitators arise on every hand, and as they hold out their sham articles to the public, yelp in chorus, "Buy this; it's just as good as Royal, and much cheaper!" The Royal Baking Powder is the standard the world over, and its imitators in their cry that theirs is "as good as Royal" are all the time emphasizing this fact. In their laborious attempts to show by analysis and otherwise that the "Snowball" brand has as much raising power "as the Royal;" or that the "Resurrection" powder is as wholesome "as Royal;" or that the "Earthquake" brand is as pure as Royal," as well as by their contortive twistings of chemical certificates and labored efforts to obtain recognition from the Government chemists and prominent scientists who have certified the superiority of Royal over all others, they all admit the "Royal" to be the acme of perfection, which it is their highest ambition to imitate. But the difference between the real and these imitations, which copy only its general appearance, is as wide as that between the paste and the true diamond. The shams all pay homage to the "Royal!"

Berwick Items.

Work is by no means plenty, many of the men are working half time and everything feels depressed. Hopes for an improvement are held however.

The Historical Drama of Richilieu will be given in elaborate style by some of the elite in a week or two, preparations on a large scale are being made. The costumes which for this piece are very rich have been ordered from Boston and there is every reason to expect the entertainment to be a brilliant success.

Mr. and Mrs. M W. Jackson have been spending the winter in Florida They will return in a few weeks.

The new Waterworks Co. are making big improvements to supply the town with water by means of better apparatus, and a complete equipment, necessary for the purpose.

Notwithstanding all the snow which has fallen recently, thanks to our new pavements, pedestrians can walk all over town dry shod.

Our people sadly need a boom of some kind, to make things more lively we wish the town papers would resuscitate the question of a Town Clock.

The great superiority of DR. BULL'S COUGH SYRUP over all other cough remedies is attested by the immense popular demand for that old established remedy.

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MARRIAGES

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Our stock of dress silks, dress goods, prints, muslins, cheviots, hosiery, corsets &c., is now complete, Clark & Son.

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333½ nice white, thrifty shoats and pigs in weight from 20 lbs. 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 60, 70, 75 lbs. apiece. All young hens, young roosters, old hens, turkeys, geese, ducks, lard, dried apples in the county wanted at Light Street, by Silas Young. mar9-2m

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Bring your samples of black or colored silks and compare the quality and price with Lutz & Sloan's stock.

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Now open, the largest line of neckwear we have ever shown consisting of lace fichues, spanish fichues, spanish scarfs, guipure scarfs, ties, collars, both linen, lace, irish point collars and cuffs. Come and see prices, away down, Clark & Son.

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A large assortment of lace curtains by the yard or pair, also curtain poles and rings for hanging them on. Come and see, Clark & Son.

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Old and infirm persons need some mild tonic or gentle stimulant, especially at this season. The wine made at Speer's Mount Prospect Vineyards, in New Jersey, called Speer's Port Grape Wine, is used in the Atlantic States as the best tonic wine known, and is regarded as pure, and is very popular among physicians. It is especially beneficial for females and old people.—*St. Louis Republican.* For sale by C. A. Klein.

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, to distribute the proceeds of the Sheriff's sale of the real estate of Samuel Bowers among the lien creditors entitled thereto, will sit in the discharge of the duties of his appointment, at his office in Bloomsburg, on Saturday the seventh day of April, 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, where and when all parties interested in said fund must appear and present their claims or be forever debarred. PAUL E. WIRT,
mar 16 Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JARED HARRISON, LATE OF FISHINGCREEK TOWNSHIP, DECEASED.

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county to distribute balance in the hands of R. F. Chapin, one of the executors of said decedent, will sit at his office in Bloomsburg, on Monday, April 9th 1883, at ten o'clock a. m., to perform the duties of his appointment, when and where all parties interested in said fund must appear and present their claims or be forever debarred. C. W. MILLER,
mar 16 Auditor.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE
OF VALUABLE
Real Estate!

Pursuant to an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, will be sold at public sale, on the premises, in Montour township, in said county, on

FRIDAY, March 30th 1883.

At two o'clock in the afternoon, the following described real estate, late of Theressa Bailor, deceased, to-wit: A lot of ground adjoining lands of Peter Reinbach, and Josiah Gigger, containing

One-Half ACRE,

more or less, whereon are erected a two-story frame

DWELLING HOUSE,

and other out-buildings. Said lot being well improved, having a good well of water at the door, and a number of good fruit trees on the premises.

TERMS OF SALE:—Ten per cent of the one-fourth of the, purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property; the one-fourth less the ten per cent. at the confirmation of sale, and the remaining three-fourths in one year thereafter, with interest from confirmation nisi.

Purchasers to pay for deed.

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