

The Columbian. BLOOMSBURG, PA. FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1884.

Correct Railroad Time Table. Trains on the Philadelphia & R. R. leave Belpert as follows: SOUTH. 6:30 a. m. 1:00 p. m. 6:10 p. m. NORTH. 11:20 a. m. 6:20 p. m. 11:50 p. m. Trains on the D. & W. R. leave Bloomsburg as follows: SOUTH. 7:00 a. m. 1:10 p. m. 6:50 p. m. NORTH. 11:45 a. m. 7:15 p. m. 12:15 p. m. Trains on the D. & W. R. leave Bloomsburg as follows: SOUTH. 7:00 a. m. 1:10 p. m. 6:50 p. m. NORTH. 11:45 a. m. 7:15 p. m. 12:15 p. m.

Personal. W. R. Tubbs is at Atlantic City. C. G. Murphy of Centralia, was in town on Saturday. Mrs. L. Bernhard is visiting friends at Middletown, N. Y.

Miss Carrie Jamison has been quite ill at Long Pond, but is now improving. Mrs. Alice Gann of Williamsport is visiting her parents at Light Street.

Miss May A. Kuhn has entered the Darlington Female Seminary at West Chester, Pa. Mrs. Dr. Piper of Schuylkill Haven, is visiting at her mother's, Mrs. Eschelman, on East street.

Mrs. Theodore McDowell of Light Street was here sick for some time past, but is glad to learn he is slowly recovering. An Hon. C. R. Buckalew presided at a large Democratic meeting at Wilkesbarre last week, Thursday evening.

Miss Ethel Eshelman who has been visiting at Philadelphia for the past few months, returned home last week. William H. Clark returned to Philadelphia on Tuesday for further medical treatment. Dr. J. M. Gwinmer of Centralia was a witness on a habeas corpus case last Saturday.

Mr. Julius Hoff of Berwick, was one of the judges on the floral display at the State Fair last week. Mr. Will McDowell of Light Street, who has been staying in Philadelphia for some time past, returned to his home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Klein returned from their wedding trip on Monday. In the evening the band tendered them a serenade. Court next week. Robert Cathcart has so far recovered from his illness as to be able to walk out.

Prescriptions a specialty at the Peoples' Drug Store. J. H. Mercer, Prop. Organize Cleveland and Hendricks clubs in every township, and send the names of the officers to the county chairman. Wedding and Party Invitations and a fine line of calling cards, at the Columbia store. 2c.

The sale of the remaining real estate of C. B. Brockway was concluded until next Monday morning at 9 o'clock. J. H. Mercer keeps a full assortment of school supplies, at the Peoples' Book Store.

There will be no services at the Episcopal church on Sunday, as the Rector will not return from Brooklyn until next week. Lost—A little black and tan dog with small white spot under breast. Answers to the name "Cub." The finder will be rewarded by reporting at this office.

Normal School headings and initials printed on all correspondence paper in quantities of one quire and over, without extra charge, at the Columbia store. C. B. Brockway has sold two lots at Lower Shiloh, Conyngham township, No. 5 to Patrick Cox, and No. 6 to Edward Monaghan.

We acknowledge the receipt of complimentary tickets from the Berwick Agricultural Association, and the Columbia County Agricultural Society. When the repairs and additions to the Red Mill are completed it will be one of the best flouring establishments in this section.

October 4th is the last day for naturalization. All persons desiring to become citizens in this section will be required to attend to this on or before that day. A number who have been announced as Butler men in this place have joined the Cleveland & Hendricks club. Some of these voted the Republican ticket heretofore.

We call the attention of our readers to the new advertisement of David Lowenberg, as found on the fourth page. He has a fine assortment from which to select your Fall and Winter clothing. F. D. Dentler will move into his new store the last of this week, or the first of next. He has a large stock of new goods, and expects to make the best and shoe trade here.

An entertainment will be given by the Ladies' Society of the Lutheran Church at the home of Philip Ungast on Third Street, on Monday evening, September 22nd. All friends are invited to attend. Messrs. Brown & Baldwin have leased the four front rooms in F. D. Dentler's new building. They propose starting a laundry and ladies' hair dressing establishment.

Church Services—Preaching in the Bloomsburg M. E. church, Saturday night, Sept. 19. Also, on Sabbath morning at 10:30 by Rev. Candlish, at P. M. by Rev. M. L. Smyser, P. E. at 7:30 by pastor. There were quite a number of delegates in attendance at the meetings of the Ladies' Missionary Society at the Presbyterian church on Wednesday and Thursday. The proceedings will be published next week. In 1879 Mr. Butler, the Republican candidate for State Treasurer, received 1399 votes in this county, and at the same election Mr. Reese Fairman, Republican candidate for Sheriff, received 644 votes. If Mr. Fairman had the "undivided and hearty support" of the Republicans, as it says he had, Mr. Kintner should at once induce that paper to oppose him. It will improve his chances.

The large tomato exhibited in our window the fore part of the week, was raised in the garden of Andrew Croveling at Light Street. It weighed two pounds and an ounce, and was of the Peach variety.

The planet Saturn was the general object of interest on Monday. It was distinctly visible even at noonday. The planet will be the most brilliant the latter part of this month at about half past nine in the evening. It will then disappear.

The change of temperature that came on Friday last was welcomed all over the country by man and beast. September furnished the hottest weather of the season this year, and is now doing what it can to make amends.

A full supply of paper, tablets, pencils, ink, erasers, copy books, drawing books, rulers and everything needed by school children, except school books, can be found at the Columbia store, very cheap. Frederick Meyer's house at Fountain Spring, near Ashland, Schuylkill county, was struck by lightning on Thursday night and destroyed. Everything the building contained was consumed, and the occupants of the house were stunned by the shock. Loss \$2,000.

The Bloom Association nicely played a game of base ball with the Catawissa club on Saturday afternoon. The score stood 11 to 1, when the Catawissa club refused to play any more, owing to some dissatisfaction, and the umpire decided the game in favor of Bloom 9 to 0.

The Habas Corp hearing in the case of the Jewish peddler for shooting a Hungarian at Montana, an account of which was given in our Centralia correspondence last week, took place on Saturday. After hearing a number of witnesses the prisoner was remanded to jail to await the result of the Hungarian's injuries.

The Arlingtons of Wilkesbarre played the Bloom nine on Tuesday afternoon. At the end of the seventh inning the game stood 8 to 4 in favor of Wilkesbarre. The game was not played for want of time, and the umpire refused to declare in favor of either side.

The hog disease is still proving fatal in Northernblum. From the Press we learn that during the past week Col. David Taggart lost his two largest hogs, the largest and the first one that died weighed 735 pounds, after deducting the shrinkage that ten days' sickness would cause. Up to this time about 40 hogs more of them fat and fit to slaughter, have died in that locality from the disease.—Aegys.

The Berwick Independent says: "It is a fact worthy of note that the (Sayder) is supported by only one journal in the whole county. It is a fact worthy of note that there is but one square-foot, straight out democrat paper that supports the ticket from top to bottom, in this county, and that is the Columbia. All the other papers may be classified as Republican, Prohibition and Shore-and organs, and from them no one expected anything but opposition.

HEADQUARTERS FOR SOLDIERS' GRANTS.—The orders for headstones under existing contracts were closed on the 27th of April, 1884. It is contemplated, however, to make provision for a further supply of another year at farthest, and when the necessary arrangements shall have been made all applications will receive due consideration. —Extract from Letter of Deputy Q. M. Gen. U. S. A.

Headstones can be procured if the name, company, regiment and date of death of those who have none, are sent to H. J. Conner, Orangeville, Pa.

Two or three republican papers of this county are trying to impress upon the people that the Columbia is the only paper in the county that supports the whole democratic ticket. We shall not attempt to deny that we always stand firmly by the Democratic party. But now another paper throws out the insinuation that we are under republican influence, an allegation as foolish as it is false.

Information is, or at least ought always to be, received with the due sense of gratitude. Gratuitous advice as to how one's business ought to be managed, cannot, however, always be followed conveniently and profitably. The merchant who undertakes to run his store after the plans suggested by numerous friends who have never been in the mercantile line, and each of whom has peculiar notions of his own, will find that he senses no one, and eventually ruins himself. An editor who endeavors to conduct his paper in accordance with the views of all the natural born ones that can be found in every town, but some of whom have ever been connected with a newspaper, will soon drive away all his friends and make many enemies. As editors are held responsible for what appears in their columns, they must be allowed the privilege of deciding what is proper for publication. The rejection of a lot of advice that is of no interest to any one but the few parties concerned, may give offense, while its publication would offend a much larger number, and vice versa. So far as the Columbia is concerned, all communications are always received with pleasure, but it reserves the right to print or reject.

A Club Organized. A Cleveland and Hendricks club was organized in the Opera House last Saturday night. There was a fair attendance, and it was decided to have a membership list of 100 names, which is a favorable beginning. Col. J. G. Freese was elected President, John K. Girton and George Bates, Vice Presidents, H. V. White, Secretary, G. A. Clark, Treasurer. The committee will be announced later. Mr. Buckalew addressed the club, clearly setting forth the issues of the day, and Mr. Burley urged the necessity of earnest work. The club adjourned to meet at the call of the President.

Jerseytown. The rain that fell last Thursday was greatly needed. It gave the farmers a favorable opportunity to prepare the ground for the grain, or those who were prepared to use the drill. Quite a heavy frost on Monday morning. Mr. Charles Johnston of Light Street, was in town last Thursday.

Mr. Frank Coker, who has been at Montgomery for some time, is at home. The show Saturday evening was attended by quite a number of our little folks, and a number of grown persons. Those who witnessed the performance seemed well pleased with it.

Mr. Phillips is erecting a very nice house on his property in Mr. Lally. Among the strangers noticed during the week were E. Allen and T. Parker of Millville, E. McBride of White Hall, and S. Austin of Danville. L. Y.

Pure drugs and patent medicines of all kinds at the Peoples' Drug Store. C. B. ROBINSON.

Hills, the War-horse, dead. Billy, the old war horse of the late Gen. William H. Em, died on Monday, September 10th, 1884, aged twenty-nine years and six months. He was in several battles during the War of the Rebellion, but the General usually placed him out of range of the fire, and used in battle less valuable horses. However, at the battle of Bethesda Church, Billy was a part of the time in the thick of the fight, receiving no injury other than having a portion of his forelock shot away. It was at this battle that the Colonel's regiment was three times out-flanked by the enemy, and three times compelled to retreat, but each time the whinnying of Billy served as signals to rally the men. Billy was of Morgan stock, and raised in Vermont. In his prime he could easily travel a mile in three minutes with a heavy load. The General often related that while in the army he had ridden him 70 miles a day for successive days, safely leaping fences and ditches and swimming rivers on the line of march. It is said of Billy that he could leap a ditch as wide as his own length. He was buried at the foot of a walnut tree on the farm of Mrs. Peckin and Maria E. Funk on Tuesday evening, September 10th, a detachment of Ent Post of Bloomsburg being present and firing a salute over his grave.

On the death of General Em in 1871 Billy became the property of his widow, Mrs. M. E. Ent, who retained him in her possession to the day of his death.

A New Order. The Penn's Canal Co., have issued orders to their officers at Nashville to prefer company boats instead of loading in tons in the future. The order throws out of the trade a great many boatmen who have their all in the business and also the boat builder whose business is largely represented in repairs on boats afloat. The move has created great dissatisfaction with both the parties named and an effort will be made to test the legality of such an order. Others are making threats of an incendiary character which if carried out will put them in a felon's cell. In order to secure the end desired everything should be done in a lawful manner. It is a matter in which right and might will prevail. Several plans have been suggested, if that carried out, will be to the mutual interest of boatmen and Canal Co. If the order is carried out to the letter it will bring a large number of boats to the Columbia wharves, and as the shipments are limited at that shipping point it will not be of much benefit, as the rule referred to already and the shipping at that point, will then be a question of moving to other points of obtaining the loading business for those who do not run company boats. We hope in the interest of harmony and peace that the matter may be adjusted to the satisfaction of all parties without any serious trouble.—Columbia Herald.

Congressional Conference. The Democratic Conferees of the Eleventh district met at Stroudsburg on the 10th inst. C. G. Barkley Esq., B. F. Fruit and J. B. Knittle were the conferees from this county. A temporary organization was formed by the election of Mr. Bull of Pike, as chairman, and Mr. Lynett of Lackawanna, secretary. Three conferees were admitted from each county and part of a county, except Luzerne, in which there was a contest between J. A. Gorman and Samuel Price, both of whom were candidates, and were accompanied by friends, five ballot were taken without effecting a nomination. The next day at the several meetings, ballots were cast in the number of forty-two, with no result. The conferees then adjourned to meet on Wednesday evening, September 17th, at the St. Charles Hotel in Scranton. This adjournment was favored by the conferees of Carbon, Lackawanna, Luzerne and Pike, 12, and opposed by Columbia, Montour and Monroe, 9.

Benton. The hot wave and a desire for shade is superseded by a cold wave and a desire for sun. Vivid lightning, fearful thunder and but little rain last week.

Tommy Seward of Huntingdon township, was plowing in the extreme heat one day last week, when one of his horses fell dead in the furrow.

And now Benton is having a Fair. Great preparations are being made, and every effort put forth to secure stock and funds to fit up the grounds in accordance with a good location, and access and good government. Whether it can be made a success this year is a question, but let us have a fair. It is consistent with the spirit of our people, and when they once fairly embark in it they will push it through. Besides, it will give all of our people an opportunity to profit by its benefits. "So mote it be."

The farmers report grain as turning out very well per hundred sheaves. From seven to nine tons were raised on the best wheat from five to nine, and from two to four a half. Some report wheat as going thirty-one bushels per acre. We believe these reports to be true, from our personal acquaintance with the farmers in general. Should any one doubt the correctness of any of the above reports it will be our pleasure to report the names and addresses.

The merchants at Canby, viz: the Hon. James McHenry and William H. Krickbaum, have specialties for sale. The former has Cleveland specs, and the latter Blaine specs, and mighty magnifying glasses they are, too, but they don't suit all parties.

This is a great year for disappointments. From present indications seedling will progress slowly on account of the drought; some farmers are done, some had done, some commenced, some ready, some ahead, the ready, others still not near ready; some backward out, some about ready.

Some sickness in the neighborhood. Mr. Jacob Wenner, at Bendertown, has been severely afflicted with rheumatism ever since the 18th of last January, and now begins to hobble a little with the aid of crutches. The disease was at times painful in the extreme. Dr. Kemery, at Towhills, is his physician.

Miss Laura Stiles, of Benton township, has been situated afflicted, since some time in May, and was part of the time in great distress. She is convalescing. Dr. E. McElrath of Benton, was her physician.

Empty eight barrels for s.e. C. B. ROBINSON.

How is This? In its issue of August 1st the Standard says: "The Standard will accept the verdict of the convention, even if our preferences may not be selected. Voters, however, will do well to look out for any element who will be ready to bolt if they get left. Their policy is to rule or ruin."

In its first issue after the convention the Standard plainly indicates that some of its friends "got left," and that it is ready to bolt any element that wants to bolt. It has refused, up to this time, to put up the whole ticket as nominated by the convention, and the inference to be drawn from its columns are that it will do all in its power to aid in the election of the Republican nominee for Prothonotary. This is not the first time that the Standard has got off the track. Its present action, however, will make but little difference in the result, except to lighten it. It will be left in the unenviable position of a defeated bolter, and if the Democratic party has ever placed any confidence in it, the Standard will have forfeited all right to recognition in local affairs. "To rule or ruin" is the self-confessed policy of our contemporary.

Farmers are cutting corn. The apple crop in this section is larger this year than for several years. Sam. Hether spent last week in Philadelphia. A couple of weddings are rumored. Somebody going to glory.

The young people of this place attended the P. O. S. of A. picnic at Rupert on Friday and enjoyed a lively time. Most of the members of camp 83 of this place were last week.

John McCourt, a son of Joseph McCourt died on Thursday of congestion of the brain. His remains were buried in the Shafter cemetery.

Rev. Rodine of Fowlerville will fill Rev. Lilly's appointments on the coming Sunday.

The Hettivision Union Sunday School held a picnic and festival on Saturday evening. People from Pittston, Scranton, Hazleton, and other distant places were in attendance.

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Centrals. Our police officers were busy the past week in quelling many disturbances which were indulged in by some of the characters of town. On Thursday evening a general fight took place, which would have resulted in the killing of some one but for the timely arrival of the police. Four of the party were arrested and taken before Esquire Black, who imposed a fine and costs amounting to \$7.50 on each, such rowdiness should be punished severely.

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