

The Columbian.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1884.

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For Silk Buffers, go to Lowenberg's.

Editor Tubbs of the Sheikhan's Echo, did not occupy a quarter of a column, nor a single line, in declining the Post Office when there was a chance of his getting the appointment. He jibbed it. Of course, he cannot understand how any other editor can be so stupid as to take all the government pickings that are lying around loose.

By the use of some stereotyped plates, we are enabled to give our compositors a few days' vacation for the holidays, and at the same time furnish our readers a full sheet with the usual amount of reading matter. Many of our exchanges will issue no paper this week, and our local contemporaries who publish at all, will issue a half sheet. The COLUMBIAN is always ahead.

Public Lecture on Fertilizers.—Prof. W. H. Jordan State Chemist of Pennsylvania State College will deliver a Public Lecture on the subject of fertilizers in Denton's Hall, Bloomsburg on Thursday 2 o'clock P. M. January 1st, 1885, to which all are invited so they may become better acquainted with the various kinds and their experience on the practical and scientific results of different fertilizers and their ingredients.

For Real Seal Skin Caps, go to Lowenberg's.

At this time of year there is a certain mockery in the sudden appearance of one out and another well called, "The Floral Guide" leads the van, and as usual, needs no commendation, its solid merit having long ago given it a firm place in popular affection. The number contains the usual lists of new seedlings in both vegetables and flowers, and with its bright frontispiece, is quite worth a prominent place on the sitting-room table, while the illustrated pages are long and a faithful guide in all matters relating to the garden. James Vick, Rochester, N. Y., will send the Floral guide to any address for 10 cents, which it sends afterwards purchased, may be deducted from the order.

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Now that the long nights of winter are here, we feel grateful to your Benton correspondent for furnishing us with his share of amusement. The answer to the enigma in No. 51 of the COLUMBIAN is "An upright honest young gentleman."

I am composed of 13 letters.

My 1, 5, 12, 8, is a name of a garden vegetable.

My 11, 13, 7, 10 is a place of deposit.

My 2, 6, 13, 4, is that for which the Romans were famous.

My 1, 3, 2, 8, 9 is the beginning of life.

My whole is the poetical name of a city.

L. J.

The State Normal School of the Sixth District, at Bloomsburg, Pa., will begin the winter term Tuesday, January 6, 1885. Again it announces that the attendance last term was larger than in any other fall term in the history of the school. The senior class is the largest ever enrolled. To those preparing to teach, the school offers a professional training unexcelled, thorough preparation in the common and higher branches of the course, unexcelled quarters, delightful surroundings, ample free tuition, and full professional standing to graduates. Recently valuable additions to the library and extensive improvements in the buildings have been made; and drainage of the very best kind, through to the river, has been provided, at great cost. Many students are prepared for college and for business. Students having a card from the Principal get half fare on the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western R. R. Send for a catalogue.

Notice to Tax Collectors.

An act of the Legislature and approved June 2nd 1881. (See pamphlet laws, page 45) requires tax collectors, township and borough officers to make return of seated and unseated lands upon which no property can be found from which to make taxes, to the County Commissioners on or before the first day of January next, with a sufficient description by boundaries or otherwise, of each separate lot or tract and about the quantity of the same. Those who fail to make returns by said day will be held for such loss. Taxes so returned become a lien against the property so returned. We have blanks on which these returns are to be made and will furnish them upon application of collectors.

Commissioner's Office, Nov. 14th.

Reduced Rates to the World's Exposition at New Orleans, via the Pennsylvania Railroad.

The World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition will open at New Orleans, La., December 16th, 1884, and continue until May 31st, 1885. The success of this great show is now assured, in the vastness of its extent, the variety of the interests involved, and the aid from which its features are drawn, it will exceed in magnitude anything of its kind ever held in this country. Bids a full representation of the limited industries and the unbounded resources of every State in the Union, every country of the world will display something of its resources, its art, or its handicraft. The selection of international exhibits will be complete, and that, in connection with all the thrills of America, will form an epitome of the advance of civilization as perfect it is unique. Agriculture, mechanical science, art, commerce, trade and every branch of human industry will make a part of the great fair.

Its location at one of the foremost commercial cities of the South, as well as one of the most attractive, fitted in every way for the attainment of a great gathering of people, adds added interest to the enterprise. In winter season at New Orleans is the most delightful portion of the year, and the climate of the severer climate of the North would find a most grateful change in the geniality of Southern winter. Acquaintance with the ample, ranging in ease from the comfortable room of the stater of limited means to the luxurious apartments of the wealthy. It will be a rare vacation where one may find not only health and pleasure, but profit and instruction.

For the benefit of the large number of visitors who are expected to attend the Pennsylvania Broad Company has placed on sale at all their principal stations of its system excursion tickets to New Orleans, to return on May 31st, 1885. In consideration of reduced rate at which the tickets are sold they are subject to certain conditions as limitation of trips going and returning. These conditions are simple and will be explained in detail by agents. The tickets are of two classes: Those covering the route in both directions, and those covering one route going and different route returning. The round-trip rate of tickets going and returning the same route via Bloom Ferry to New Orleans is \$41.45, and going by one route and returning another, \$51.70.

A Tennessee woman gave birth to two sets of triplets during 1884.

A most interesting feature of the Philadelphia Weekly is the "Helping Hand" department, for the interchange of information and aid between women, conducted by Mrs. E. J. Bronger.

The body of Patrick Reddy, who was drowned in Maloney creek a week ago Sunday, was found on Saturday, about a mile below where he fell in the stream.

Thirty or more men were drowned in the month of the Rappahannock river last week, most of them being colored men. They were engaged in the oyster trade, and their boats were capsized by a squall.

Jerseytown.

The small boy rejoined—in an opportunity to coast.

Mr. C. H. Fruit has returned from a visit to Hamilton.

Messrs. E. & J. Bronger were the father, Capt. Hingle last week, of their son, Mr. J. H. Ax, formerly of their father, but for some time a resident of M. U., is now at home.

Mr. E. Kuyuan of Williamsport, with his friends last week.

Mr. S. Allen of Milton, was in town regarding the week.

The school will be closed on Christmas.

A Christmas entertainment at the M. U. Baptist church Wednesday evening.

Some one who solved the problem in the Benton items in the last issue, says that the Benton correspondent was 48 years old on his last birthday, therefore was born in 1836.

County Institute.

The Teachers' Institute will convene in the Opera House next Monday at 1:30 p. m.

The instructors are Prof. Ballet of Illinois, Dr. G. G. Groff of Lewisburg, Prof. Walker, Prof. Noelling, Prof. Sanford of Middletown, N. Y., Dr. E. V. DeGraf of Washington and Miss E. B. Gule.

Prof. Niles will conduct the music. The evening entertainments are as follows: Monday, recitation, Miss Emma Jones; Tuesday, Dr. Groff, "Wonders of the Human Body," illustrated; Tuesday, recitation, Miss Gule; lecture by Dr. T. T. Everett, "Men who Win;" Wednesday, lecture by Prof. Ballet, "Education of the School;" Thursday, lecture by R. J. Burdette, "The Pilgrimage of the Funny Man." The institute will close on Friday noon.

THE LECTURES.

Dr. Groff's lecture on Monday evening will be instructive, entertaining and amusing.

In all the world, there is nothing more wonderful, or more worthy of profound study, than the HUMAN BODY. By means of a beautiful human skeleton, prepared in France, a LIFE-SIZE MODEL of the whole body, imported from Paris at a cost of over \$300, and by numerous large diagrams, Prof. Groff is able to show to his audience all the varied and intricate mechanisms of the body, the contemplation of which led the Psalmist to exclaim, "I am fearfully and wonderfully made."

The manikin can be completely dissected, and the exact position and structure of every organ in the body shown. The opportunity of seeing this display may occur but once in a lifetime and should be embraced by all.

On Tuesday evening, Rev. Dr. T. T. Everett, private secretary to Governor Patton, is the lecturer. His subject is "Men who Win." Of him the late John W. Forney said:

"I call my friend, Rev. Dr. Everett, of Trinity M. E. Church, the American Lacordaire, because he began life as a journalist, and like the popular French preacher, does not forget his duty to live questions after entering the ministry. It is pleasing and profitable to hear him at any time and on any topic.

Prof. Ballet, the lecturer for Wednesday evening, is a well known instructor, and has assisted at institutes in thirty-eight counties in this State. He is a pleasant and forcible speaker.

On Thursday evening, R. J. Burdette, the well known humorist, will describe the "Pilgrimage of the Funny Man." He has been here before, and all who heard him were greatly pleased. It is unnecessary for us to introduce him here. Reserved seats for the lectures can be had by calling on McKinnis's any time after 11 o'clock Monday morning.

Way Seth Green Believes in Governor Cleveland.

Seth Green says President elect Cleveland is a truthful man. He was asked by a reporter how he knew it. He said:

"One year ago last fall Governor Cleveland was spending his vacation in the North Woods, at Woodhull Lake, shooting and fishing. The dogs were put out and a deer started. The Governor was put on a favorite runway; he heard the bounds; they were coming his way, my word for it. The thought of office-seekers and political enemies went out of his head and the blood went tingling through his veins; he did not think of any of his friends— not even Bill Bowman nor Bob Koo-vol, nor R. U. Sherman. He is said to have great affection for all his friends, but as the bounds neared him I knew it was the best music he had ever heard. I have been there, and my opinion is that the blood was surging in and out of his heart. It is said he shot and killed a deer, and the only thought he had at the time was to see the deer and keep that heart still so that it would not scare him before he came in sight. Well, the deer came and stopped broadside, within six rods of the Governor. He stopped for some cause; I do not think it was tamping of the Governor's heart that stopped the deer, but the Governor may have thought different. Well, the deer stopped. I didn't think the Governor lost his head, for he had a gun, and he fired, and the deer raised his flag and bounded off without a scratch. That flag looked as large to the Governor as a good-sized sail as the deer went bounding off. If the Governor had had a little talk with me before he shot, I would have told him to not shoot at the whole deer, but to pick out a little spot just back of the shoulder and draw a bead on that spot. He would have killed him. Soon after the Governor had got the shot, a friend of mine thought to screw him, and wrote me from Woodhull that the Governor came very near getting a shot at the deer—there was only a little point of rocks that hid the deer when he passed; and when I met the Governor, I told him I heard he came very near getting a shot at the deer. His face lit up as he said, 'I did get a shot at a big buck and a wig. The glass eye was constantly slipping out of focus, and the wig turning around sideways on his head whenever he addressed the people of the Flat Creek District.' Said spectacle, Parker's Hair Balsam preserves and promotes the growth of the natural hair, which has faded or become gray. Clean, elegant, beneficial, highly perfumed.

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The Tichborne claimant wants to join Barum's circus as a curiosity. The great showman says he would not be attractive in this country.

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MARRIAGES.

MERICE-YOST.—On Dec. 13, 1884, at the home of the bride by Rev. O. H. Mr. Charles Bochner to Miss Doris Yost of both of Bloomsburg, Pa.

GIRTON-WAGNER.—On Dec. 13, 1884 by Rev. O. H. Struck, Mr. Asher Girton to Miss Mary M. Wagner, both of Hemlock township, Columbia county, Pa.

RUNYAN-HILL.—On December 20th, 1883, by Rev. D. J. E. Strayer, Mr. Geo. M. Runyan and Mrs. Charlotte Hill, all of Bloomsburg.

BOEHMER-RUPP.—In Centralia, December 13th, 1884, by Rev. G. M. Larned, Mr. Charles Boehmer of Ashland, and Miss A. M. Rupp of Centralia, Pa.

YANBORN-FISHER.—At the residence of the bride's father in Wellersville, December 13th, 1884, by Rev. E. M. Green, Mr. R. W. Yanborn of Greenport, to Miss Laura Fisher of Wellersville, both of Columbia county, Pa.

JEEN-BROWN.—In Bloomsburg, 4th, 1884, by the Rev. A. Brittain, John Green of Salem township, Luzerne county, and Miss Mary Brown of Bloomsburg.

STRAUSER.—At the M. E. Parsonage, in Centralia, Dec. 2nd, 1884, by Rev. M. Larned, Mr. Meyer Jones, and Miss Alice Strauser, both of Centralia, Columbia county, Pa.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

James Mercer wishes it known that he has the best Dyspepsia Tablets to be had, for indigestion, or made, they always relieve head.

NEW! Faded articles of all kinds restored to their original beauty by Diamond Dye-Perfect and simple. 10c. At all drug stores, Richardson & Co., Burlington, Vt.

ME. GOON SILK HATS.

"It would be violation of the commandment" said John B. Gough, "to have the silk hat, for it is made in the likeness of anything in heaven, or on earth, or in the water, or under the earth." Besides it beats the under the sun. It is a story that reads to show to the hair to fall off. Par's Hair Balsam will restore that color to the hair, and it is a perfect, delicious, perfumed. A perfect hair dressing. 5c. All druggists. Sep 19-84

When baby was sick gave her CAS. TORIA.

When she was a child she cried for CAS. TORIA.

When she had a headache she clung to CAS. TORIA.

When she had a headache she gave them CAS. TORIA.

FIGURES WON'T LIE.

The figures showing the enormous yearly sales of Kidney-Wort, designate its value as a medicine beyond dispute. It is the best medicine for all kidney troubles, such as backache, rheumatism, dropsy, etc. It is a perfect, delicious, perfumed. A perfect hair dressing. 5c. All druggists. Sep 19-84

Jas. H. Mercer distinctly states that Acker's English Remedy has and does cure contracted consumption. Astor, Clinton. An entirely new medicine, guaranteed.

"ROUGH ON COUGHS."

Ask for "Rough on Coughs," for coughs, colds, sore throat, hoarseness, Tracheitis, etc. Liquid, 25c.

"ROUGH ON RHEUMATISM."

Cures out rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica, backache, rheumatism, etc. 15c. Druggists.

"ROUGH ON CORNS."

Ask for Wells' "Rough on Corns." 1c. Complete cure. Hard corns, warts, bunions.

"ROUGH ON PAIN" IMPROVED PLASTER.

Strengthens, improves, the best for backache, pains in chest or side, rheumatism, neuralgia.

"WELLS' HEALTH RESTORER" restores health and vigor, cures dyspepsia, headache, nervousness, debility, etc.

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