

The Columbian BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1887.

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Today (Friday) the nights and days are equal. Dead leaves are now beginning to litter the streets.

For school supplies go to Mercer's drug and book store.

A very large supply of tablets, books, and all necessities for school work at Mercer's.

The court-house fence is being painted in green and red colors.

A handsome line of Fall Overcoats—just received at Lowenberg's.

Remnants of Cassimeres—just the thing for boys' pants—at Lowenberg's.

Straw hats are still seen occasionally on the streets, but they will soon be a thing of the past.

School books, school stationery, everything needed in school work, at Clark's book store.

Horsing throughout the country are getting their horses in readiness for the county fairs.

A fine line of box papers, just open. Ask to see them. All prices at Clark's book store.

Recent experiments have developed the fact that it takes a small just fourteen days to travel a mile.

Dry goods merchants report that they have sold more mosquito netting the past summer than ever before.

During Mr. Mercer's absence, W. S. Hinton is clerking at his drug and book store on Upper Main street.

Good cheap Cassimeres sold at great bargains, by the yard, at Lowenberg's.

Daniel Laycock has been improving his property on Centre street by building a new fence along the front.

Mr. Rouch is making necessary improvements in his house on Lower Third street near the fair grounds.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company is making arrangements to heat cars with steam instead of by car stoves.

Next! Next! Next!!! For a nice, clean shave or a first class hair cut drop in at W. L. Forward's Barber Shop.

A large number of people from this town and vicinity attended the Constitutional Centennial at Philadelphia last week.

Slates! Slates! Large assortment of slates, single or double, book slates. All sizes and prices at Clark's book store.

Travelers will have much trouble and annoyance to themselves by having their baggage distinctly marked with their names.

The heavy rains last week were very acceptable to the farmers, as the ground had been very dry up to that time, and difficult to plow.

During the fair we have an extra force of waiters to accommodate the public. Sign in W. L. Forward, corner Main and Centre streets.

Among peaches picked from a tree in Judge Eilwell's garden, there have been some that measured as high as nine inches in circumference.

The Mendelssohn Quintette Club, of Boston, will again visit this place some time in November. They should be greeted with a crowded house.

The members of the Episcopal church will have charge of the dining-hall at the fair grounds this year. Everything will be served in first class style.

A full line of FALL AND WINTER SUITINGS. Call and see the new styles at Lowenberg's. Perfect fit and perfect satisfaction always guaranteed.

There will be a convention of the Sunday Schools of M. Pleasant township on Saturday afternoon, the 24th inst, at the Lutheran church at Millertown.

Look up your stove pipes and flues. Pipes are liable to rust through the summer; rust clogs holes, and heat in pipes with holes may set your house on fire.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Sadie A. Moore, daughter of M. A. Moore, of Hemlock, to Mr. George J. Hartman, of Wilkesbarre, on October 5.

Many first-class attractions have been already booked by the managers of the Opera House for the coming season, and it is to be hoped that they will be well patronized.

We have on our table the New Moon for September, a dollar monthly, published at Lowell, Mass., by the New Moon publishing company. It is handsomely covered, and filled with bright and interesting reading matter.

According to the estimates of general passenger agents, there were carried to Philadelphia last week by the Pennsylvania railroad 269,000 visitors, by the Philadelphia & Reading, 207,000, by the Baltimore & Ohio, 30,000.

A large bouquet of beautiful cut roses, from a Bloomsburg nursery, in the Misses Kinney's millinery window, has attracted much attention.—Ashland Advertiser.

The flowers were from Mr. Lloyd Dillon's greenhouse near the Normal School.

A little son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kelley died at his home near Neal's furnace last Monday, aged about six months. Funeral services were held at the house on Wednesday afternoon, and the remains were interred in Rosemont cemetery.

We were presented last week with a large basket of fine peaches, by Dr. Shattuck. They were the finest we have seen this season, and for flavor could not be beaten anywhere. Dr. H. had quite a number in his orchard this season, and all were fine fruit.

Just think of it! Cider, doughnuts, great big apples, each and seven-up, a rip-roaring fire, and a seat alongside your best bright-eyed girl! The good old winter nights are coming, boys, when a slice of below zero is worth the whole month of July.—E.

Messrs Clark & Son have placed in their show window an automatic toy representing a fisherman. The fisherman discharges his fish on his line and makes strong efforts to pull it out but fails to do so. The toy has attracted the attention of a vast number of people.

Mr. Charles Unangst Esq., has had the barn on his farm in Hemlock township, painted in handsome style. It adds greatly to the appearance, besides preserving the barn for many years. The work was done by W. F. Bodine, which is a guarantee that the paint will not peel off.

The courts of Pennsylvania have decided that no boundary fence can be made of barbed wire without the consent of the parties owning the lands, and any man who puts such fences along the highway renders himself liable for all injuries resulting to stock passing along the highway.

G. W. Klase, proprietor of the St. Charles hotel, Berwick, Pa., has ample accommodations for those attending the Berwick fair this week. Extensive preparations have been made and an excellent table will be prepared for the guests. Since the rebuilding of this hotel he has everything in fine style.

The meet of the Berwick Bicycle Club will be held to-day (Friday) at three o'clock p. m., on the grounds of the Northern Columbia and Southern Luzerne County Fair at Berwick. A large number of wheelmen are expected to be present, and there will be several interesting races.

Mrs. W. P. Ramsey, of Mahanoy City, died at her residence Wednesday, September 7th. She was a patient sufferer from a complication of diseases lasting over a period of nearly eight years. Her remains were brought to this place last week and interred in Rosemont cemetery. She was a sister-in-law of Mr. C. W. McKelvey.

Mrs. M. A. Smith is ready to begin her fall term in music. Pupils can begin at any time, and can take one or two lessons a week, either at their homes, or at the teacher's residence, as it suits their convenience. The prices are the same as charged by other teachers. For particulars call at Dr. Whitte's office.

Miller, Stowe & Freeman's circus exhibited here last Monday on lower Main street, near the D. L. & W. R. R. They give a good performance; the riding of James Robinson is as good as is seen in much larger circuses. Other parts of the performance are very good. Their audience was much diminished in the evening on account of the crowd attending the play at the Opera House.

Many people were startled by the ringing of the Normal School bell at an early hour last Saturday morning, thinking it was ringing a fire alarm. They were reassured, however, when they found it was in celebration of the day, the 7th of September, which is the day the adoption of the Constitution took place, one hundred years ago. It was rung again at six o'clock in the evening.

Wm. Moore and Bella Vivian and their company played in the Bloomsburg Opera House last Monday evening to a packed house. Moore is a very fair actor, but if he had not attempted to be the whole show himself, the audience would have been better pleased. The support was very poor. Many who had attended, expecting to see a first-class performance, were much disappointed.

Mr. Will Armstrong, who has charge of the drug store during the absence of Mr. Mercer, has been a studious, industrious and apt clerk under Mr. Mercer, so that he could leave the store in his hands, all the latest styles.

Mr. M. F. Eyerly has been confined to the house for some time with a rheumatic gout. He was on the streets a few days this week, but was obliged to use crutches to assist him in walking.

G. W. Klase, of Berwick, will have an exhibition at the Berwick fair a large sea turtle, which will weigh over 300 pounds. After the fair he expects to kill the turtle and have a turtle soup supper.

Mr. Freeman Tingley, who has been a sufferer with consumption for a number of years, died Friday last week, aged about 33 years. The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon, at his late residence.

Miss M. L. Dieffenbach will give a term of instructions in vocal music, light but thorough bass, in the Reformed church, on Tuesday evenings at 7:30. A cordial invitation to all. Terms reasonable. (3123)

Mr. Milton Hess, second son of Aaron Hess of Millin, will soon return to Philadelphia and will graduate at the dental college in the spring. He is a whole souled fellow and will doubtless make a success in life.

The Town of Bloomsburg has issued three thousand dollars in a four cent bond to pay off the floating debt, and to make some needed improvements. These bonds are first class security. Any one desiring to invest should call on Samuel Neyland, secretary of the Town Council.

C. C. Peacock Esq. received a telegram Monday evening, from his attorney in New York city, announcing that in the suit of Paul E. Wirt vs Francis Brown, for infringement on fountain pen, he had been awarded in the United States district court for some time, Judge Benedict decided in favor of Mr. Wirt.

The latest is the fence advertising dog. A fellow by the name of Lucio assists advertising for merchants and all kinds of tradesmen, duns fences and country barns with large letters, with the first rain or snow, a large dirty streak—unintelligible to the naked eye.

Last Saturday morning a pheasant crashed against the glass in a window in Jos. Wall's room at the Normal School, and breaking the pane, fell through upon the floor of the room. It was found, somewhat injured though not dead, and was killed. It will be remembered that last summer a pheasant flew with such swiftness against the post office window, as to break the thick glass, and was instantly killed by the shock. These birds fly with a terrible speed, and it takes a good marksman to bring them down.

Probably one of the most common diseases that attend on bright's disease, the very mention of which causes a shudder to many predisposed to kidney affections. While, if too long neglected, it becomes an incurable malady. The first stages are readily cured by the remedy discovered by Dr. Shattuck thirteen years ago. The repeated solicitation of friends and patients have induced the doctor to put it in convenient form for general use. Dr. Shattuck's Rest Cure Specific is not a patent medicine, being prepared from a regular and reliable prescription which has stood the test of time as one of the best remedies for liver and kidney troubles, malaria, dyspepsia and blood diseases. So great is the benefit derived from this remedy that it has been placed in the hands of Meyer Bros., who will supply the trade, both wholesale and retail. When you can patronize home industry and get what you need, why not do so?

The ringing of the Normal School bell at dawn on Saturday morning the 17th inst., created quite a little discussion as to what it was intended to commemorate. Many of our people knew of the great parade in Philadelphia, but had overlooked the fact as to what was the particular day of the centennial of the adoption of the Constitution. Some were of the opinion that the celebration was the 100th Anniversary of the signing of our State Constitution. Others that the adoption of the State Constitution was celebrated five years ago. Still others were of the opinion that this celebration was the centennial of the ratification of the Constitution by the State of Pennsylvania, the Constitution having been adopted in 1776. We were amused at these expressions of opinion and therefore give facts which may clear all up.

The city of Philadelphia was founded in 1682 and the same year a form of government for the State was formed by William Penn. The first constitution of the State was adopted in 1776, which was afterwards several times amended. The present constitution was adopted by the people by a vote of 235,744 against 108,994 and it took effect on September 26, 1874. In regard to the celebration at Philadelphia, last week, it was the centennial of the Convention of the State of Pennsylvania, which began its sessions in the State House, in Philadelphia, on May 12, 1787, New Jersey, December 18, 1787; Georgia, January 2, 1788; Connecticut, January 9, 1788; Delaware, December 12, 1787; Maryland, April 26, 1788; South Carolina, May 29, 1788; New Hampshire, June 21, 1788; Virginia, June 25, 1788; New York, September 17, 1788; North Carolina, August 21, 1788; Rhode Island, May 29, 1790.

The marriage of Mr. James H. Mercer and Miss Annie M. Brazier, at the home of the bride on West Third street, Thursday last week, was a very brilliant affair. Invitations were sent out to a large number of friends, over one hundred of the invited guests were present to witness the ceremony. Promptly at half past four o'clock, the hour appointed, two little misses—Martha, a sister of the bride, and Estel Waller, daughter of Dr. J. Waller, Jr., entered the room followed by the bride and groom, who were escorted to Rev. E. H. Colbert effects, \$2.25 to \$10. Chintz Madras, \$3 to \$15.

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We have tried to do our part in illustrating the central idea of this Centennial. We have done it within the Store. The progress of a hundred years; the relation of trade to the individual about which we have built. The contrasts, the material pictures, are under one roof.

In the Dress Goods section you may see the finest, richest loom-work of the world. Wherever under the Sun good stuffs are made, there have our buyers been. The Plaids, the Novelties, the Broadcloths, the Cashmeres, the Silks, the fine stoffs, or the coarse, so they are worth your thought, are here. We think our Dress Goods were never before so varied, so handsome, so near to the reach of all.

The contrast is in the 'Old Store.' Deborah Franklin could have found nothing there to match the things on our least counter.

Just as true of almost anything else in the Store.

Some Upholstery things. Lots of them here. New things. Bright colors, skillful weavings. Pictures wrought with threads of gold, silver, silk, wool, and cotton. Things to make home cheerful.

Chenille Dado Curtains, 3 1/4 yards long, \$4.50 to \$8.50. Very handsome All-Chenille Curtains, in six colors, 3 1/4 yards, \$10. Better than we sold last year for \$13.50. Our \$12 Chenille Curtains are 3 1/4 yards long.

Vienna Chenille Curtains from \$7.50 up. Same, 72 in., for folding doors, etc., \$18 to \$25. New pattern French Tapestry Curtains, just from the steamer, \$10 to \$15. Also sold singly for couch covers.

When you buy Turcoman Curtains look to their length. Those some dealers sell are but 3 yards long. We have fine Turcomans in the new French styles at from \$40 to \$100.

Double-faced Jute Velour Curtains, suitable for portieres, in Oriental and Louis XV styles. Tapestries, Velours, Turcoman, and all the latest styles for curtains and furniture coverings, by the yard. Prices moderate.

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Among the fast horses entered are Matt Medium, a son of the celebrated Horry Medium. Matt Medium has made a record of 2:30. Cyclone, the great sorrel horse, who has lowered his record at several other performances this season, and is a horse who makes a horse race when he is entered in it, Stephen G., Diaplate and Jimmy Stewart, horses of speed and promise, are on the list. All in all, should the weather be favorable, the lovers of trotting will have a fast season prepared for them. The Farmers' race is the most promising ever had, seven horses having already entered and two to five more being counted upon. This race does not close its entries until day of race.

Wm. Hughes will be there with Tommy M. and Saturn, the latter the property of our townsman Col. Jameson. It is said Saturn gives promise of considerable speed. In addition to these, the regular attractions of all fairs, Prof. Lorenzo will give a free exhibition every day of his wonderful dog circus.

On Friday tomorrow there will be a band contest, to be participated in by six of the best bands of Luzerne and Columbia counties. This is guaranteed.

On Friday afternoon a bicycle tournament, and Saturday, grand aggregation of all entertainments.

I had kidney disorder and say for the good of others that Dr. Kennedy's Favorite remedy cured me. Rev. S. C. Chandler, Lebanon Springs, N. Y. I had stones in the bladder and gravel in the kidneys. I used Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy and am now well.—E. D. Patterson, Rochester, N. Y. Price \$1. Send 2-cent stamp to Dr. Kennedy, Rondout, N. Y., for a book on kidney, liver and blood disorders. Mention this paper.

The birds are now observed daily flying toward the south, and very soon the last of our summer visitors will have departed for a climate more congenial to their taste. The fly which has been among the most persistent hangers on, bites harder than ever but will soon go too.

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