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BLOOMSBURG, PA. FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 1888. CORRECT RAILROAD TIME TABLE. BLOOMSBURG & ELLIOTT RAILROAD SOUTH.

April 13. George Keeler will sell valuable personal property at his residence in Benton township, at 10 o'clock a. m., sharp. Horses, cows and farm implements.

Sealed proposals endorsed "Proposals for silk mill" will be received up to April 14th, 1888, 12 o'clock noon for the material and erection, one or both, in part or whole, of the Bloomsburg Silk Mill.

Proposals for silk mill. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the Secretary of the Building Committee, or office of Paul E. Witt, all bids to be addressed to the Secretary.

Mr. J. E. Shuman of Malvern, is reading medicine with Dr. Brown. Chas. Millard, formerly of this place, has been visiting friends here during the past week.

William Christman Esq. was admitted to practice in the Supreme Court at Philadelphia, last Tuesday. Mrs. E. R. Ikeler spent the week in Philadelphia, with her husband, who was engaged in the Supreme Court.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Geyer of Catawissa are in Philadelphia this week. Mr. Geyer was admitted to practice in the Supreme Court on Monday.

Celebrated Jers & Pond, Opera and Bent pianos at J. S. Salter's, Bloomsburg. Sold on installment plan or liberal discount made for cash.

The band was on the streets Monday night for the first time in many months, and made excellent music. Let us hear from them often.

Come and inspect the goods and see the beautiful styles in NECK WEAR, SHIRTS, gloves and other spring novelties at Lowenberg's Popular Clothing Store.

Mr. Alfred McHenry of Benton has just returned from Philadelphia with a large supply of spring goods which will be sold at the right prices.

A good performance was given at the Opera House last Saturday evening by the "German Detective" company. Mr. Davidson as "Hans" was good and he was ably supported. The audience was small.

Mr. Abram Hartman died at his residence at Benton Saturday last of pneumonia after an illness of several weeks. Mr. Hartman's many friends sympathize with him in his sad affliction.

Rev. W. H. Myers of Heading will deliver a lecture in the Lutheran Church, Bloomsburg, on Friday evening of next week, April 20th. Subject: "Halo and Shadow of the Marriage Altar."

A new line of Suits, consisting of Cheviots, Worsted, Serges, Cassimeres, made up in the latest style and at lower prices than ever at Lowenberg's Popular Merchant Tailoring Establishment.

The House Democrat says: A large box case was put up in Hon. John B. Storer's law office last week, which covers the entire north side of the front room, and will hold tons of books.

The old building at the corner of Main and Centre streets has been completely demolished and the erection of the fine brick building which Mr. Lockard proposes to build will soon begin.

Luzerne county receives from liquor licenses the aggregate sum of \$30,388.00 of the total sum collected, \$110,224.00, of which amount \$77,837.00 goes to the cities, boroughs and townships.

The opera of Queen Esther will be performed at Shamokin on the 19th and 20th with 100 voices. Prof. T. Metherell of Bloomsburg has been engaged to lead, the orchestral parts were all arranged by him.

At the State department Monday, charters were granted to the Minnetonka Milling Company, of Danville, with a capital of \$20,000, and to the Citizen's Electric Illuminating Company of Pittston, with a capital of \$40,000.

Many curious notices are posted by the illiterate people. The best comes from an Ohio farmer and reads as follows: "No, it is not a man or woman's cows or oxen fits in these here oats, his or her fall will be cut off as the case may be."

In Huntingdon county all licenses are refused this year. The brewers and distillers will all remove into other places as they are deprived of selling in less quantities than a barrel, and the average drinker is not able to buy a barrel at one time.

Dr. Shattuck's Helianthus, the Rapid Oxygen Cure for coughs and consumption, is probably the latest scientific discovery in the treatment of lung diseases.

We call attention of our readers to the advertisement of Greasy & Weits as found in another column. They can supply you from the smallest moulding up to the largest timber, including doors, sash, and blinds.

Upon rearing the large egg laid by the white leg of Mrs. Peter Brugler, as announced last week, it was found that inside the large shell was a yolk and an ordinary sized egg. The most peculiar feature is that both eggs had hard shells.

Planting a tree is a simple thing, and all who can should do it on Arbor day, should they continue to do so for a few years, how important would be the results. Some say we have trees enough. Perhaps so, but only a part in the right places.

There are still a few people, a very few, we admit, who do not believe in the benefits that result from advertising. These doubters are referred to an incident that occurred in New York one day recently.

Farmers, don't forget that Esleman & Wolf's agricultural headquarters are Opera House, Centre street. Farm wagons, South Bend plows, Wildard right and left plows, spring toothed harrows, corn planters, tiger self dump hay rack, champion binders and mowers, grain drills, Empire threshers and cleaner, farmer's fertilizers, and repairs of all descriptions.

A letter, from Curwensville, Clearfield county, says that a young lady teaching school in a farming district five miles south of Curwensville was found dead in the school house, on Tuesday evening last.

Wonderful bargains in spring and summer goods are to be had at the popular store of Lowenberg's estate.

A handsome line of ceiling decorations for a pretty room, at Mercers.

A valuable patent. Messrs C. Mears & Son were granted on Tuesday April 3d a patent for their washing machine. Upon examination of their specifications and claims we find they are allowed every point just as they have been manufacturing their celebrated washer.

Mr. E. J. Brown, is proving himself to be up to the times with his dairy. On Wednesday he introduced the new system of milk delivery, by which we get absolutely pure milk, sweet, clean and wholesome.

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Removal. W. L. Forward's Barber Shop, at the Central Hotel, where he is prepared to do all kinds of work, in the torsorial line and the latest styles of the day. Ladies' and children's hair cutting a specialty.

What a Town Needs. More unanimity, faith in the future, fewer talented liars, fewer men to know it, in-re faith in one another's honesty, fewer who are playing to get even, a public place for growers to soak their heads, and a splitting on the slate and a rubbing out of old scores, grudges, and personal, political and business difficulties.

It is a Curious Fact. That the body is now more susceptible to benefit from medicine than at any other season. Hence the importance of taking Hood's Sarsaparilla now, when it will do you the most good.

Economy, comfort and satisfaction goes with every purchase made of clothing at Lowenberg's Clothing Store.

For wall paper at lowest prices go to Mercers.

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PHILADELPHIA, Monday, April 9, 1888. Our 200-page Spring and Summer Catalogue will be ready in a few days. It contains much information concerning our goods and prices, and is also a valuable aid to our out-of-town customers.

Do you want a headache? If yes, just look through our stock of fancy Surah Dress Silks. If not, read on a little. We may help you get the silk and save your head.

There is no false witness in our \$1 Black Surah. You can get it only here. Other Surahs—plenty. These nowhere else. Pure dye, pure silk, and two years' experience.

The Chinaman and cheap labor gives you real Shantung Pongee at \$5 the piece of 10 to 20 yards. You don't buy Chinese land pounded into the fabric—just good honest natural silk.

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Robes. The proper stuffs for a neat costume ready matched to your hand. Some one else has done the color fitting and has figured out how many yards for the perfect dress; some one who knew how. You get the whole thing in a lump.

Embroidered Ch a m b r a y Robes were a last year novelty. Sometimes we could hardly get them ready fast enough for you. No wonder they go with a rush.

Ginghams, too; good quality. Grounds of pink, brown, light blue, navy, steel, and mixtures; generously embroidered in self or harmonizing colors. Ample stuff for a generous dress.

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undersigned citizens of the said town, respectfully represent that Canal or 8th street, from Strawberry alley eastward for a distance of about seventy-five feet is obstructed by the lot of...

A petition from property owners on First street, east of Iron street, was presented, and read as follows: "To the president and members of Town Council of the town of Bloomsburg: Gentlemen—The undersigned, a majority of the owners of lots along First or Rock street, between Iron street and the gates at the eastern termination of the said street, opening upon the Armstrong farm, hereby make application to the council for the grading, curbing, paving and guttering of the said highway from said Iron street to said gates opening into said Armstrong farm, and pray the council to require and direct such grade, curbing, paving and guttering to the general public regulations and according to law, and they will ever pray, &c. Moved that the petition be received and filed and that a committee of three be appointed to inquire into the probable amount of damages that might be sustained by grading the same. Agreed to. Committee appointed—"

Moved that the following named persons be appointed assessors, viz: Wesley Kover, Daniel Laycock, Wesley Shutt, H. Manning, Clark Shoemaker, W. W. Barrett, F. P. Baum, Samuel Anderson, Nathan Chromas, Montgomery Williams, Jas. Thornton, and Holloway Kelley. Agreed to.

Moved that instead of the usual notice inserted in the newspapers notifying parties to remove rubbish from streets and alleys, the commissioner of highways give personal notice to all parties having rubbish or other matter lying in the street or alleys, remove the same within ten days from time of notice. Agreed to.

John Wolf offered the following resolution and moved its adoption, viz: Resolved, That the street commissioner shall in all cases where there is work for his one man, do it himself, and when he has one or more hands and his time not being all occupied by overseeing, he shall take part in the work being performed, and shall accompany his monthly report with a statement itemizing his time made in the month so reported; any neglect in complying with this resolution shall be ground for a removal from office. The report of commissioner of highways and bills and accounts were read and approved and secretary ordered to issue orders for same.

On motion adjourned to meet on Thursday evening, April 19th.

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Of course Sateens were prompt to get into such handy shapes. 12 yards plain, 1 1/4 yards for panel, 2 1/2 yards for bands. Only plain grounds, but delicate colors daintily decorated with a neat round braid liberally put on.

Price \$5. Robes no better were sold last season at \$6. Sateen Robes, with wider, heavier, richer embroidery, and a greater range of colors, \$6. Pique Robes, white on white; cream on cream, \$5.

There is no reason in the stuffs themselves why these English Cloths should be \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, and \$2 instead of half more. You have paid half more for the same sort, and that since the leaves fell, 50 to 54 inches wide, desirable colors, Spring weight, and just the thing for tailor-made suits. Checks, plaids, stripes, mixtures. All-wool, and good wool.

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Men's fine calf, hand-sewed Congress Shoes (imitation laced) and the elastic guaranteed. The price \$4. We never before knew a shoe of this kind to be sold for so little. All sizes; widths A, B, C, and D.

We are pluming ourselves with a little honest pride about Book News. It has taken a long step upward and forward. It is gaining recognition for literary originality, and is also eclectic and practical, takes Mr. Busy Man by the hand and says: "Allow me to introduce you to the noble companionship of good literature."

THE POPULATION OF BLOOMSBURG is about 5,000, and we would say at least one-half are troubled with some affection of the throat and lungs as those complaints are according to statistics more numerous than others. We would advise all not to neglect the opportunity to call on their druggist and get a bottle of Kemp's No. 1 for the throat and lungs. Price 50c and \$1. Trial size free. Sold by all druggists.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria. When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became a Woman, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Catarrh. SAMPLE TREATMENT FREE. We mail enough to cure. Free. VINDIC, R. S. LATHROP & CO., 101 BROAD ST., NEWARK, N. J. MARCH 30-04.

LOCAL NOTICES. Bloomsburg. Fine Cabinet portraits only \$3.00. Life size Crayons only \$10.00. Viewing, copying and enlarging. Instant process used.

Come to the Great Eastern on Friday and Saturday for green vegetables, such as Cabbage, Lettuce, Kale Spinach, Radishes, Onions, &c.

Standard Rotary sewing machine is the best Rotary sewing machine in the world. It can sew 2,500 stitches per minute by steam power. J. Salter, Gen'l. Agent Bloomsburg.

Spring styles in Hats, Dunlap, Youmans, Pocket. Hats in all the new shades just received at Lowenberg's.

Just received to day at the Great Eastern Tea Co. 1 highest finest Turkish Prunes, 15 lb. boxes, at 6c a lb. also 10 boxes BEST QUALITY FRENCH PRUNES at 10c.

Goods delivered any place in town by I. W. Hartman & Sons' from 7 o'clock a. m. to 6 o'clock p. m. Don't forget that.

Write to I. W. Hartman & Sons' for samples of Dress Goods. The display of Neckwear at G. W. Bertach's, the tailor and furnisher, is attractive and taking at popular prices. Call and see them.

New spring goods received at Mrs. C. E. Babbs', near Corvett's furniture store, which will be sold at very low prices. all 3W Estey, Miller, United States and Worcester organs for sale at J. Salter's, Main St Bloomsburg Pa.

Have you seen the handsome diaries just opened at I. W. Hartman & Sons'. If you are in need of a trunk, valise or satchel, call at F. D. Dentler's and see his goods and get his prices before purchasing elsewhere.

30 inch Zephyr Gingham in stripes and checks, 50c per yd. at I. W. SLOANS'. For picture framing go to Baker & Bender's. Sewing machines and organs sold on the installment plan at J. Salter's Bloomsburg Pa.

Now is the time to select a fine suit of clothing and Spring overcoat at G. W. Bertach's, the Merchant Tailor, while his stock is full and fresh. Prices low. Fit guaranteed.

Have you seen the new Spring Shawls at I. W. Hartman & Sons'. Fine all wool Black Henrietta Cloth, yard and a quarter wide, fine quality \$1.50 a yard at I. W. SLOANS'.

Best sewing machines, needles, and best sets of attachments for all sewing machines at J. Salter's, Bloomsburg Pa. I. W. Hartman & Sons' close sharp at 8 o'clock (except Saturday evening) in order that eight persons may have rest and out door exercise.

F. D. Dentler now carries a first-class line of trunks, valises and satchels. Dr. Honora A. Robbins treats diseases of the eye and ear, and is prepared to test eyes for glasses. Mar. 30-31.

Handsome striped Spring skirts, made from heavy canton cheviot, colors guaranteed fast, at I. W. SLOANS'. J. Salter, Gen'l. agent for Butterick & Domestic Fashion books, paper patterns and fashion papers, Main street Bloomsburg Pa.

The railroads run to suit I. W. Hartman & Sons' time table which is from 7 o'clock a. m. to 8 o'clock p. m. J. H. Stecker has a nice lot of bananas, which will be sold cheap. Oranges, lemons and lemons always on hand, which are sold cheap.

A large number of second hand sewing machines of all makes from \$5 dollars up to \$25 dollars at J. Salter's, Bloomsburg Pa.

THE HANDSOMEST LADY IN BLOOMSBURG remarked to a friend the other day that she knew Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs was a superior remedy, as it stopped her cough instantly when others had no effect whatsoever. So to prove this to us and convince you of its merit, any druggist will give you a sample bottle free. Largest size, 50c and \$1.

THE CROWN OF QUEEN VICTORIA consists of diamonds, pearls, rubies, sapphires and emeralds set in silver and gold. Its gross weight is 39 oz. 5 dw. Troy. The number of diamonds are 3,332; pearls, 273; rubies, 12; sapphires, 17; emeralds, 11. It is an old saying—Ueasly lies the lead that wears a crown. It is better to wear the crown of perfect health and peace of mind through the curative effects of Perrine's Pure Barley Malt Whiskey. For sale by C. B. Robbins, Bloomsburg, Pa.

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REGISTRAR'S NOTICE. Notice is hereby given to all legatees, creditors and other persons interested in the estate of the respective decedents and minors that the following administrators, executors and guardians accounts have been filed in the office of the Registrar of Columbia county, and will be presented for confirmation and allowance in the orphan's court to be held in Bloomsburg on Monday May 7, 1888 at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day.

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