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FRIDAY, JULY 27, 1888. CORRECT RAILROAD TIME TABLE

STOOMSBURG & SULLIVAN BATEROAD Taking effect WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1st, 1888



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8:37 p. m. Trains on the N. & W. B. Railway pass Bloo Ferry as follows: SOUTH. NORTH. Holfé a. m. 11344 a. m. 4.36 p. m. 410 p. m. BUNDAY. NORTH. 10:16 a m 6:39 p m

BALES.

FOR SALE.—A desirable and commodious residence on Main street, supplied with water, gas and steam. Apply to jan20tf. L. N. Mover. WANTED.—100 bark peelers. Apply to Thos. Wheeler, at Wilson Cole's above Central, Columbia county, Pa.

August 2. The executors of John Fester deceased and John Kelchner deceased, and others will sell valuable timber land in Briarcreek and Fishingcreek township at

For Sale.—A good jump scat carriage Inquire of Rev. R. Mallalieu, Espy, Pa. To The Public.

We are manufacturing and have in bond a pure article of Rye Whiskey one year old. We use nothing but clean rye and double on a copper linen, and it is as pure as the rye that grows in the field, and if any person will find any drugs or adulterations in we will give a reward of one hundred dol-ROUR MCHENRY & Co. Benton, June 1888, 6w.

Call for Delegate Election and

The Democratic voters will meet at the several places for the holding of the General Election in their respective Districts on Saturday August 11, 1888 between the hours of 3 and 7 o'clock p. m. and elect delegates to be sent to the County Convention and vote instructions for the persons there to be nominated, subject to the rules of the Democratic party of the county. The Delegates elected will meet in County Conven tion at the Opera House Bloomsburg, Pa on Tuesday Aug. 14th, 1888 at eleven o'clock a. m. and place in nomination, on person for President Judge of this Judicial District, one person for Member of the U. S. House of Representatives for this Con gressional District, two persons for Members of House of Representatives of the State, one person for District Attorney, one person for Sheriff, one person for Jury issioners. And to transact such other business as may properly come before the Convention. ROB'T R. LITTLE,

E. M. TRWESBURY, Apportionment of Delegates.

The following apportionment of Dele gates has been made by the Standing Com mittee, in accordance with the Revised Rules, viz :- Rule 2nd. The representation of Districts in County Convention shall be in proportion to the Democratic vote of each, as cast at the most recent election for Governor, but the whole number of dele gates shall not exceed eighty-five, and no district shall be allowed less than two, nor more than four delegates.

Rule 3d. Delegates shall be allowed to districts upon a ratio of sixty votes for a delegate, allowance being made for the

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Bloom, W.,	170	3
Briarcreek,	129	2
Catawissa,	272	4
Centralia,	297	4
Centre,	146	2
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Franklin,	67	
Greenwood	180	8
Hemlock,	117	2
Jackson,	198	4
Locust,	222	
Madison,	144	2
Main,	119	2 3
Mifflin,	197	
Montour,	72	2
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Orange,	115	2
Pine,	93	2
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Scott, W.,	71	2
Scott, E.,	98	2

We publish elsewhere an advertisem of "Help Wanted." We have examined the work therein described and think an agent should meet with much success with it. Any one desiring the agency should write at once for terms and outfit for can

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Sugarloaf,

VASSCIS. A peculiarity of Hood's Sarsaparilla is that while it purifies the blood, it imparts new vigor to every function of the body.

M'Killip Bros. have completely reditted their studio with the best and most approved instruments for portraiture, from locket size up to life size, and instruments especially adapted to photographing out door groups and residences, together with the latest scenic effects and accessories. Bebies' pictures par excellence for which has been added a spec-

ial extra rapid Voigtlaender Euryscope. Copying, enlarging pleasurable affair. and photographic reproductions of drawings, patent models and machinery intelligently executthe flash light process. Life size crayon portraits in gold frame only \$10.

Daniel Steck and wife of Hughesville, are e guests of Hon. L. B. Rupert. C, M. Swartz and Wm. Achenbach lughesville spent Sunday in town.

T. W. Conner, of Orangeville, was grant d a patent last week for an animal trap. Miss Mary Wells, of Greenfield, Mass., is he guest of Miss Martha Wells Mrs. Garrison of Courtland, N. Y. is vis

ting her sister, Mrs. C. G. Barkley. Ex-commissioner Parr was in town law veck Thursday. Miss Polan of Wyoming is the guest o Miss Ida Turnbach.

Mrs. P. E. Wirt and children are Cean Beach, N. J. Mr. Albert Hendershot of Washington). C. and two daughters are visiting at H

V. Sloan's. Mrs. E. W. Elwell and children. Kathaine and William of Towards, are visiting relatives here.

Oscar Lowenberg, who is in a clothing tore at Towards, is at home for a two weeks vacation Less Alexander has arrived safely

fremen, and cabled over to his friends ere to that effect last Friday. Rev. D. J. Walier, Jr. will preach in the deformed church next Sunday. The pastor, Rev. Wagner, is visiting his parents.

Thomas McCormick, an inmate of the oldiers' Home at Hampton, Va., is at ome on leave of absence. A. D. Creveling, a former Bloomsburg ypo, now working in Philadelphia, was

n town this week. Mrs. Freas Brown went to Ocean Grov on Wednesday, and will spend two months t the seashore.

Sheriff Smith returned from Eric or Thursday of last week. He reports having very pleasant trip.

Mr. G. J. Worthington of Roanoke Va. who has been here with his family visiting at Dr. Willits', went home on Wednesday Revs. D. E. Schoedler of Turbotville, and . C Edmunds of South Bethlehem, spen few hours in town Wednesday.

H. H. Rutter, editor of the Hughesville Mail, and post master at Hughesville, visited his parents and friends in this place Sunday last.

Oscar Ent and Harry Vanderslice of this lace, and members of Co. F, 12th Regt. N. G. P., are attending the soldiers' e campment at Mt. Gretna. Miss Annie Miller, of Bloomsburg, sang

he solo, "Ave Maria," in the Presbyterian church on Sunday morning. Her voice strong and very sweet, and as it reverber. ated and thrilled through the church the ongregation was charmed. - Sunbury Daily Dr. J. C. Reifsnyder lett on Wednesday

for New Columbia, Union county, where he will practice for the next two or three months. He takes the place of Dr. Rockefeller during the latter's absence in the west. Dr. Reifsnyder is an enterprising young man and a good practitioner and will make a success in his profession.

Benton is to have a tannery and saw-mill. Are you making preparations for Grand Army Day?

Camp meeting at Rupert Grove argely attended last Sunday.

There will be an adjourned court lugust 2. J. F. Caldwell has painted his hotel red ot figuratively speaking, but literally. D.

Coffman is the artist. A number of houses at Sunbury were robbed by burglars during the regatta last

A number of families from this place have gone to Mountain Grove to remain until after camp meeting,

Don't forget that Grand Army Day will e September 6th. Begin at once to make your preparations for decorating etc. Northumberland vs. Bloomsburg at Athetic Park next Saturday afternoon. It will

e an interesting game. The candidates are improving their tin s the delegate election approaches. The next two weeks will no doubt be exciting in political circles.

Rev. A. B. Chamberlin of Philadelphia vill preach in Christian church at Still-

water, on Sunday July 29th, and the three Sundays following. The band played some very pretty music I selections at the Sanitarium a few even ings ago, that were highly appreciated by

he guests there. The P. O. S. of A. festival at Music Hall ast Friday and Saturday evenings was largely attended and a large sum was real-

The bay window on the east side of the Methodist parsonage at Market and Fifth streets has been torn away and a portico will be crected in its place. An exchange says: Three Binghamton

gentlemen are on their way from Cooperstown to Chesapeake bay in boats. They will row the entire length of the Susque-The price of sugar has advanced abou

30 per cent. It is reported as a reason that nearly all the raw material is bought or controlled by one man, and that he regulates the price to suit himself. Charley Soo will remove his laundry

Ent on Whitman's alley, next Monday. He hopes to retain all his old customers, and to secure many new ones.

M'Killip has on exhibition a photograph of the faculty and the class of '88 at the Normal school. He also has a photograph of lightning taken by him in a recen

The front of Rawling's building now presents a handsome appearance. The name "Rawlings' Meat Market" appears at the top of the building in black, and "G. A .R-Hail" below the window of the room occupied by that organization, in blue lettering.

A large party from Scranton and vicinity picnicked at Oak Grove last Saturday. The Petersburg band which accompanie them, drove to town in Buckalews' band wagon, and played through the streets dur-ing the foreneed.

Glasco Cameron's barber and bath rooms have been newly papered and painted. The red rock bridge is completed, and

was thrown open for public use on Tues-day. It appears to be an excellent job. A portice is being built in front of the brick dwelling house belonging to the Woolen Mill, at the corner of West and

A moonlight leap-year picule took place at Oak Grove Tuesday evening. Dancing was kept up until a late hour to the music of Metherali's orchestra. It was a very

Kline and Bellas, the persons arrested for robbing the Cambra post office, were convicted in the U. S. court at Eric last ed. Animals photographed by week. J. A. Howard also of this county, was convicted of representing himself as a pension examiner. Daily and Sunday Press, 65 cents per

month; Times 30 cents per month; Phila. Record 25 cents per month. New York and Philadelphia papers delivered. J. W. Moyer, News Agent.

The Sanitarium guests took a "straw ride" Monday evening. Their conveyance was a large hay wagon drawn by four horses. They returned home well pleased with their trip after a long drive through the country.

The Bloomsburg School District bought the old jail property of Douglas Hughes last week for \$3600. It is the purpose soon to convert it into a school building as the other two buildings can not accommodate the pupils.

Owing to the continued roughness of the water on Wednesday and Thursday of last week, the races of the National regatta at Sunbury did not come off until Friday Hundreds of people went away-disappoint ed on both of those days.

Samuel H. Jacoby died at West Nanti coke, Luzerne county July 16th, at the home of his son in that place, aged 74 years 6 months and two days. He was formerly a resident of Bloomsburg and kept a arble yard on lower East street. Mr. Jacoby was a staunch Democrat. The re mains were interred at Newport, Luzerne county.

Melville W. Fuller was confirmed by the Senate on Friday as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States. After an investigation extending over several months, the republicans were unable to months, the republicans were unable to find any reason or excuse for a refusal to large and easy, with a nickel plated numconfirm his appointment.

Twenty-five cents a day purchases a which is payable in event of death by acwholly disabling injury. J. H. Maize, agent, second floor COLUMBIAN building We announce elsewhere a notice of

be built of iron; one across the Fishingreek in Orange township, near B. & S depot, with 44 feet span, the other in Briarcreek township, with 33 feet span. Krickbaum's feeble effort to squirm ou of the hole in which he put himself by that

judgeship lie, was truly pitiable. The alsehood was fixed upon him so positively that it took him two weeks to prepare an answer, and then all he could say was repetition of the same old lie. Ayer's Hair Vigor has no equal, in merit and efficiency, as a hair dressing and for and conveniences of the Opera House will the prevention of baldness. It eradicates be greatly increased, the size of the aud-

andruff, keeps the scalp moist, clean, an

healthy, and gives vitality and color to weak, faded and gray hair. The most popular of toilet articles. John Hill, a bark peeler was killed las tree falling upon him while he was engaged in peeling bark. He was a resident of Middletown, N. Y. Internal injuries and a broken collar bone caused the unfor-

terred Thursday at St. Gabriel's Episcopal Attention of tay collectors and supervis nish a receipt book perforated and bound in heavy board. We charge the same for this receipt book that other offices charge for a much inferior article. Collectors will do well to call and see before buying else-

tupate man's death. The remains were in-

where. The regatta last week at Sunbury calle to that place a large number of fakirs and windlers who worked their games openly and shove board, and it is said that they obtained license from the borough council There will be nothing of that sort permitted in Bloomsburg when Grand Army Day

brings a big crowd here next September. The man who with honest purpose repeats what has been told him, is ever ready to make amends to any one that may be injured thereby, as soon as it is shown that uch report is untrue. But the man who, with malignant intent, manufactures falsehood, will stick to it through thick and thin, no matter how many times over t may be proven to be false.

Many people watched the eclipse of the event and a beautiful sight. The moon entered the shadow about quarter of eleven continuing about two hours, when the shad-

Three weeks ago the Catawissa Ite proved that William Krickbaum supported linter, the republican candidate for Prohonotary, four years ago. Krickbaum has not denied it, and he dare not deny it. He was a candidate for the office himself, and because he was defeated he betrayed the party that had kept him in official position for eighteen years. Now he is asking to be rewarded for such conduct, and wants the nomination for representative.

I. W. Hartman & Sons have commenced epairs at their store. New shelving will be put up, a new floor laid, and the whole appearance of the interior will be changed and beautified. When completed it will be a model of neatness and convenience. the new building recently erected by Mrs. Though of necessity compelled to undergo some inconvenience while these extensive repairs are in progress, they will attend to their customers to the best of their ability, and it will be but a few weeks until the work will be completed.

List of letters remaining in the Post Office at Bloomsburg for week ending July 24, 1888.

G. C. Baker, Prof. D. E. Cole, Mary Faus, Mrs. Baldy Hartman, C. W. Hendershott, Mr. Harry O. Hine, Mrs. Lizzie Houck, Miss Bella Levan, Miss Annie Lyons, Miss Ella Wats, Mrs. Sada Watson Miss L. A. G. Welliver. Persons calling for these letters will

please say "advertised." GEORGE A. CLARK, P. M. Buy Lester's School Shoes. Every pair warranted.

erans, will hold their encampment at Will-iamsport, from August 1st to 3d, inclusive. New officers will be elected and regular was to have been hold at Gettysburg on July 4th, but owing to the soldiers reunion there, was postpoued. During the past year forty new Camps were organized, eight of which were mustered last month.

the B. &. S. on Wednesday was a great success. Over 900 tickets were sold, and two trains were required to carry the passengers. The Bloom Band participated in the excursion, and furnished some excellent music during the day. The upper end of the B. & S. will no doubt soon become a noted resort for picnic parties, and those desiring to get up excursions can always make satisfactory arrangements Superintendent Leader

The ladies who have charge of the Public Library have more new books this week. The books are loaned out at one cent per day. Any person paying two dollars a year, or twenty-five cents per month, can have the privilege of taking any book at any time not retaining one book more than two weeks. All books and papers free to read in the rooms. A good capable woman in attendance, both as librarian and matron at the lunch room.

One house has been moved nearly to its

destination at Sixth and Jefferson Sts., from

on its way. The men having charge of the

Fourth and Market, and the second one

work understand their business thoroughly Three men and a horse do all the work The building is raised up by jacks and heavy frame work put under it. A track of heavy timbers is laid, and the house is frawn along on sleds which run on the track and are so made that they cannot run off. The track is covered with soan, and by means of a windlass the house is drawn along slowly and smoothly. It is not an inusual thing for these men to move frame or brick houses while families are living in them. Mr. Jenkins moves buildings in all parts of the country. He came here from Poughkeepsle, and goes from here to Wilkesparre. He brought about 13 tons of ma-

The Opera House.

terial here with him.

Before the fall amusement season oper the Bloomsburg Opera House will have un dergone great improvements on the interlor. It is the intention of the owner, W. McKelvy, to put in new seats through ber on each one, and will be arranged so that it will be much more conven-\$3,000 policy in The Travelers, of Hartford, lient to pass through the aisles. The seats will be made by the School cident, with \$15 weekly indemnity for Furnishing Company. The Opera House has been under th. management of F. D. Dentler and J. F. Peacock for severa years, and they have always put forth great efforts to secure the best attraction possible for a town of this size. They have bridge letting by the county commissioners on a number of occasions brought enteron Monday August 6th. Two bridges are tainments here that seldom show outside of the larger cities. A fine new piano was purchased last year, and a new drop curtain put up. It is the intention to keep on adding improvements to the hall so long as the public shall show a proper appreciation of the efforts of the managers to provide first-class entertainments. A public hall is a necessity in every town, and in order that it may be properly maintained it is necessary that it should receive liberal public patronage. We are informed that number of excellent companies are already booked for the fall, and as the attractions

The Moon's Eclipse.

The total eclipse of the moon last Sunday night took place under most favorable aus pices for terrestrial observers. Throughou Monday afternoon at Jameson City, by the eclipse, lasting altogether five and one half hours, the sky was perfectly clear.

The great interest to astronomers in the event was whether the moon would become at any time totally invisible, as is some times the case. Last Sunday night, as stated, the moon was visible at all times. There are only three kinds of eclipsesthose of the sun, of planetary satellites and ors is called to our receipt book. We fur. of the moon. There was an important eclipse of the sun last August, and the star sharps cleared their glasses for action in many a strange hamlet and remote town of Northern Asia and Europe. There was total eclipse of the moon as recently as last January, on the 28th, but it was deficient in general interest as compared with the event of last Sunday night. The latter is said to have been a repetition of the eclipse of July 12, 1870. And yet the eclipse of January last is said by scientists to have been "one of the most beautiful eclipses on record and especially noteworthy for the ed, copper color that revealed the presence of the eclipsed moon in the sky, when en-

tirely immersed in the earth's dark sha-In most of the eclipses called total the still visible to citizens of the world, her hue varying from a copper to a "deep, sombre gray." The light of her lover, the sun, canenvious earth, for some of the sun's rays, which would otherwise shoot on into space and be lost in immensity or swallowmoon Sunday night. It was an interesting ed up in the light of other suns, are caught in the earth's atmosphere and refracted or bent out of their direct course until they o'clock and the total eclipse began at 11:52 strike and illumine the moon. If the earth had no atmosphere at all, the totally eclips ow gradually passed off, taking about one ed moon would be absolutely invisible from hour more. During the progress of the the earth. There is a theory that if those eclipse, the moon presented a dark-red ap- parts of the terrestrial atmosphere which border the earth's illuminated half, that side of her turned towards the sun, were cloud-laden, then the moon would be shut off absolutely and be invisible.

And there is another still and far interesting theory which accounts for the ccasional complete disappearance of the moon when she is the heart of the earth's shadow. It is the theory that the dust o the Krakatoa cataclysm is still flying in space and over the earth in such dense clouds as to prevent any possible refraction

of the sun's rays.

During the two eclipses of the moon i 1884, observed only in the Eastern Hemisphere, the moon entirely disappeared from view, and it was expected that this would be the case Sunday night. On the contrary, it was as plainly visible as during the eclipse in January.

If the Krakatoa theory were true in 1886 t would seem that by this time the dust has disappeared. It will be remembered that in 1883 the Island of Krakatoa, in the Indian Ocean, with its 100,000 inhabitants, disappeared in a mighty cataclysm, which appeared to upheave all that portion of the world. The island absolutely disappeared and the numerous volcanoes that appeared seiched forth volumes of smoke, lava and ashes, which was dissipated through space, and was supposed by some astronomers have made the moon invisible during the two succeeding eclipses. - Ex.

Thousands have been relieved of ind gestion and loss of appetite by a single bottle of Ayer's barsaparilla. The use of this medicine, by giving tone and strength to the assimilative organs, has made innumerable cures of chronic dyspepsis Price \$1. Worth \$5 a bottle.

The Pennsylvania Division, Sons of Vet. On Wednesday, August 1st, a new timetable will take effect on the B. &. S. rail. road, and regular trains will run through to Central. Going north the first train will business transacted. The encampment leave Bloomsburg at 9 a. m., reaching Central at 11.30. The second train leaves here at 6.40 p. m., reaching Central at 8.16. South bound trains will leave Central at 6.30 a. m., reaching Bloom at 8, and at 11.40 a. m., reaching here at 2.16 p. m.

Judge Archbeld last week filed an opinion overruling the motion for a new trial in the case of B. F. Gardner against the Bloomsburg Steam Heat & Electric Light Co. De Wednesday he filed an opinion on exceptions to report of viewers of a road in Convugham township near A. Sharp's, overruling the exceptions, report not to be confirmed pending proceedings on petition for review. He also filed an opinion over, ruling exceptions to the receiver's account in the estate of Geo. Longenberger, de-

At a meeting of the stock-holders of the Bloomsburg Bridge Company held at Winona Hall on Monday afternoon, it was resolved to increase the capital stock to \$125,000, and the board of directors was authorized to accept the proposition of the Penna. R. R. Co. and to clos ter as soon as possible. That proposition is that the P. R. R. Co. take 55 per cent. of the stock, and the Bridge Co. 45 per cent, and that a combination wagon and way from the river to the depot is to be secured by the company. This puts the less something unforeseen occurs, which is not probable, work will soon be begun.

Elisba B. Bidleman died suddenly at his home on East street on Saturday evening. He was attacked with severe pain in the breast and went upstairs and lay down, and growing easier, came down stairs again. The pain shortly afterward returned, and a neighbor who was called in applied mustard and other remedies. He was sitting on the back porch and his head suddenly dropped and he was dead. Eleven years ago his wife died suddenly with heart dis-

Mr. Bidleman was a son of George Bidleman, and a brother of Deemer Bidleman of Tunkhannock, Mrs J. K. Edgar, Mrs. A. W. Fry and Mrs. Robert Young of this town. He leaves seven children, namely, Mrs. Charles Fornwald, George, Kate, Augustus, Deemer, Harriet, and Howard. Ellis died from lock jaw in 1879, and Charles E. was killed on the railroad in 1872.

Mr. Bidleman was for many years a con sistent member of the Methodist church, He was buried in Rosemont cemetery on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, Rev. Dr. Frost conducting the services.

An Excellent Game. The finest game of ball that was ever played at Athletic Park took place there last Saturday afternoon, the contesting nines being the Bloomsburg team and the Anthracites of Wilkesbarre. Ten innings and a half were played, when the game was stopped, owing to one of the visiting nine being injured, not seriously. The score was but one one when the game was called, and as it was the Anthracites who refused to play, the umpire decided the game 9 to 0 in favor of Bloomsburg.

The game was an excellent one through, and both nines did finely. Hayes and Deal the home battery, played a firstclass game. A number of brilliant plays were made. The full score is as follows: BLOOMSBURG.

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HOW THEY SERVED NEWSPAPER MEN AT THE REGATTA. T. M. Jones gets off the following in the Harrisburg Telegraph: Speaking of fakirs, again reminds me of Sunbury. Sunbury is a pretty town with a railway through its principal square, a pretty park, lots of pretty girls, staid citizens, dormant wealth and clams. There are also some shiny newspaper fellows. On Thursday at the races one of these newspaper fellows named | to be erected in the public square. Provid Will C. Dewart patronized the fakirs and moon, dimmed and pale though she be, is bet he could pick out the "lady card" that of such artistic beauty that it will be an the three-card-monte man was tossing and lost twenty dollars. Another newspaper man named Brice thought he could beat not be entirely intercepted even by the the fakir soap peddler's game and lost three hard, cold American dollars because his eyesight was worse than his hindsight The third newspaper sharp, named Jerry Shindle, on whom the flies are perpetually crawling bucked against a Philadelphia fakir's sweat cloth, the boldest kind of a swindle, and in five minutes was out seven dollars and a half, the hardest luck he has had since he played in an amateur opera company at Shamokin and had to count the ties back to Sunbury. Still a fourth newspaper man named "Beeswhacks" and fifty-nine cents fighting the roulette wheel on the river bank. Another Sunbury man bought pools on a race and won and forgot to have his tickets cashed and not only lost what he won but what he invest-

Ma, EDITOR: Please inform readers o the Columbian the reason I have not visited them is because ill health, caused by army life, prevents me, besides I think i wrong and unlawful for a candidate to spend time and money traveling to beg or buy votes. I have no hobby to ride at the public

people in the way the public want service C. M. BLAKER. P. S. Five citizens of Bloomsburg holding office, and seven more asking to be elected. 'Tis well "The Earth is the ord's."

expense. If elected will try to serve the

Greenwood Pa., July 23, 1888. Important to Constables and Jutices.

All constables and justices who buy fifty ents worth of blanks at this office will b presented, free of charge with a "Fee Bill containing the fees of Justices and Contables, as lately revised. We have ou and all kinds of blanks, printed in the best style and sold at lower prices that elsewhere. If you can not call in person just drop a postal card and we will forward any blanks you may desire.

Buy Lester's School Shoes. Every pair warranted.

Dr. Geo. W. Lott.

News was received here on Saturday, of he death of Dr. Geo. W. Lott of Easter He was out on the street at two o'clock, and at five he was dead, the cause being t stroke of apoplexy. He leaves a widow, his second wife, and four children by his first marriage, namely, Mrs. C. P. Sloan of Bioomsburg, Mrs. J. W. Chamberlin of Plymouth, Dr. Howard Lott of Wyoming erritory, and Capt. Geo. Lott of the Regular Army. He was nearly eighty years old. The remains were brought to Rupert on Wednesday afternoon, and taken to Orangeville where the burial took place in th family lot.

Dr. Lott came to Bloomsburg when quite young man, and practiced medicine. He then removed to Orangeville and remained there until his removal to Easton in 1864 He was a man of large stature and fin personal appearance, and of a genial dis osition. He had many friends here, and his funeral was largely attended.

A Good Harvest.

The farmers in the neighborhood Stillwater have just housed one of the finest crops of wheat that has been raised in this part of the valley for many years. se up the mat- It is not only abundant in straw, but the heads are large and well filled, and all secured in good condition. It was a grand sight to see it from an eminence, as it stood over the fields in shocks, and no man, who railroad bridge be erected. The right of believes in God and has a heart capable of appreciating his goodness could look upon this evidence of his bounty and not feel bridge question in a definite shape, and ungrateful. Among the largest products noticeable is that of the Stackhovse Bros, who run the farms of Daniel McHenry They had thirty-two acres of wheat in on field, from which they cut ten thousand (10,000) sheaves. They cut it with a "self binder" and three men and two boys put t in shock in two days and a half. This is certainly progress on the farm, when we think of how many days it would have taken to cut it with cradles and bind it the old way. J. SUTTON. Stillwater, July 23, 1888.

Council Proceedings.

According to adjournment, council met n council chamber at 8 o'clock p. m. Pres ent P. S. Harman, President, and the fol lowing named members viz: Messrs. Wells, Ringler, Cadow, Wolf, Hassert and Ster-

ling.
Messrs. B. F. Hicks and W. R. Koch were heard in relation to the proposed grade on 6th streets.

R. C. Neal, W. S. Moyer and others ap peared in behalf of the N. & W. B. R. R. Co., or its lessees, and asks for the privilege of laying a railroad through the ailey in the rear of lots at Port Noble to Eighth or Canal St., thence through said street to Neal's Furnace. On motion of Messrs. Wells and Wolf the following resolution was passed

Resolved. That the consent of the coun cil be given the North and West Branch R. R. Co., or its lessees, to locate a railroad connection through and along the alley running parallel with the canal, in the rear of the lots at Port Noble, and through and along Eighth St to Neal's furfurnace. Provided, however, that this resolution is conditioned upon the opinion of the Town Solicitor and may be revoked and any authority therein given made null and void and of no effect; or modified and made conditional as may be recommended by the solicitor.

Mr. Ringler offered the following reso ap showing the location of their pipes either of them bereafter they shall mark the same on their respective maps; and further, they shall consult the Town Engineer, as

tension. And that a copy of this resolution be served on each of said companies. Seconded by Mr. Wells and agreed to. Mr. Sterling chairman of the committee on water &c. reports an interview with the Water Company, and submits a written proposition from said company, which on motion was received and ordered filed, action on the same to be taken at a future meeting of council. The following is the

proposition:
To the President and members of the Town Council of the Town of Bloomsburg. GENTLEMEN.-Your committee appointed to confer with a committee of the Blooms burg Water Co., upon business of mutual interest, having met on the 19th inst., but determined nothing definitely, and believing that our propositions were broad spirited and liberal. We herewith repeat them to your honorable body that they may be

come a matter of record.
First. That the Water Co. will give to the town without charge, water for a publie watering trough and drinking fountain, ed the sald fountain or drinking place be ornament to the Square and credit to the town; and provided with automatic cut off cocks or bulbs that will stop the flow of water when not in actual use, thus preventing a waste of water. SECOND. That for the better fire protec

that telephonic communication be had wit the engine or pump house and so propose to pay for one half the expense of doing so viz: two dollars per month, leaving a similar sum of two dollars per month to be paid by the town. THERD. That when the water plugs ex ceed fifty in number, under the present system of distribution of water, then there

tion of the town we believe it necessary

Auten lost his head and fourteen dollars after for the term of five years any additional plugs over that number to be half price or ten dollars per plug. We would also recommend to onorable body that you appoint such number of competent persons as you may deem necessary to take charge of the water plugs during fires. Such persons

> pay one-half of the cost of such service. JOHN A. FUNSTON, Prest. On motion it was ordered that the Com nissioner of Highways notify the parties living along East street to discontinue a once the discharging of kitchen slop cellar drains, fountains &c. in said stree or alleys along the same. On motion council adjourned to meet at

next Thursday evening at 6½ o'clock. SAMUEL NEVHARD, Secy Law Books for Sale.

reasy & Wells' office on 6th street of

The following books, being duplicates will be sold reasonably: 1 vol. each Pamphlet Laws 1868, 1873, 1874, 3 vols. 1876, 1 vol. each of 1879, I881, 1883, 1885, 1887. 4 vols. County Court Reports, (2 bound); 2 vols. Supreme Court Digest; vol. 3 Brightly's Digest; vol. 107 Pa. St. Rep.

that he did not promptly arrest in its propersonally or by letter; his knowledge and power of healing is most marvelous. Office 538 North Fourth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. nar Meeting.

In pursuance of a call for that purpose s meeting of the members of the bar of Columbia and Montour countles, being the 26th Judicial District, was held in the court room in Bloomsburg on the 19th or July to take proper action in reference to the retirement from the bench of Judge Elwell. The meeting was called to order by John G. Freeze, President of the Columbia County Bar Association.

On motion H. V. White and Newto Walker were chosen secretaries. On consideration and on motion James Scarle and William K. West, of Montour; Samuel Knorr, C. W. Miller, C. B. Jackson and John G. Freeze of Columbia were elected committee to take such action as may be e proper in recognition of the retireme of the Hon, William Elwell from the bench, E. R. Ikeler, R. R. Little, L. E. Waller, William H. Rhawn were chosen a committee to confer, on behalf of the Bar Associaion of Columbia county, with the American Bar Association.

C. G. Barkley, B. F. Zarr, George E Elwell, L. S. Wintersteen were appoint ed a committee to cenfer with the National Bar Association in reference o unifying law, and especially commercial law, throughout the United States.

These committees were directed to report at next meeting. Adjourned to meet at the court room in Bloomsburg, at 2:30 p. m., Aug. 2, 1888.

H. V. WHITE, Secretary. NEWTON WALKER, Asst. Secretary. odd Items.

Prominent railroad officials say that the passenger business this year will be greatest on record in the history of the country. Emigration promises to be large this summer than ever before, and most of the allens coming here will settle at some western point.

The Supreme Court of Pennsylvania d cided in a recent case that the solemniza tion of a marriage yow on Sunday was null and void. The Judge, in handing down his decision, held that according to the Sunday laws no contract executed on that day is legal, and that marriage was nothug more than a civil contract

Edison has invented a new dinner clock which talks. Instead of striking the hour S. Furman's. t speaks it. At dinner time a voice issues rom the clock and says "Dinner time," slso "1 o'clock," "2 o'clock," etc., as the case may be. Another device which he is perfecting in connection with the clock is that of a female face which he purposes to set in the face of the clock. The lips of this figure will move at the hour, the head will bow and the fictitious lady will say: "Good evening, ladies and gentlemen, it is

The tramps in New York have hit upon new scheme to procure cheap lodgings during the hot weather. It is not safe for them to sleep in the squares on account of the police, so they have struck a system of working the elevated roads for five-cent lodgings. The nickel admind. he tramp to the station platform and it is a very stupid one who can't find snoozing room enough to last till daylight somewhere along the road. There are dark corners about every platform where the lodger can usually stay stretched out for an hour or so before the sts tion hands discover him. Then all he has to do is to board the next train and get off at the next station for another nap.

An important invention in railway prac-Intion and moved its adoption viz:

Resolved. That the Gas Company, Water Company and the Steam and Electric Light Company be required to 61s in the office. Company, be required to file in this office a lay a continuous track. The end rails are ided together through the ap and when any extensions are made by a transformed electric current, and are afterward tempered. The inventor proposes to thus make continuous rails a quarbefore making any extension hereafter ter of a mile in length, having expansion joints only at intervals of that distance. to the proper place for locating such ex- the rails being fastened at the centre so as to expand in both directions. Making the joint only takes half a minute.

Superstitious people feel certain that 1888 will be famous for the inauguration of some great war. Not only are the 17-year ocusts marked with a most omnious "W," but an old prophecy has been discovered which runs as follows: In every future year of our Lord

n the sum of the figures is twentyfive Some warlike kingdom will draw the sword,
But peaceful nations in peace shall thrive.

A subscriber writes-"A friend asks me multiply \$5 by \$5. I do so and announce he result as \$25. All right. Now multiply 500 cents by 500 cents, giving the answer in cents, pure and simple, not as fractional parts of a dollar. I do so and am surprised to see the figures climb up to 250,000 cents, which is \$2,500. As \$5 and 500 cents are equivalent, the result is puzzling. It cannot be urged that decimal marks should be used. A cent, as such, is as distinct a unit as a dollar, and, as the result is to be announced in cents, the decimals cannot be pleaded in extenuation of the rather surprising result. But there is clearly something wrong. What is it?-Penman's Art Journal.

The New York electrical machine for the execution of criminals after January 1 1888, is thus described: An electric batters or dynamo machine, a chair constructed for the purpose, some copper wire and steel collar and manacles, will complete the outfit that is to replace the cumbrous gallows and the ugly rope, and the whole will cost less than \$150. The condemned man will be seated in the chair and the wires affixed to his wrists and neck. The momentary pressure of a button completes the circuit and a powerful current will pass through the man's body causing a pairless death in the one-hundredth part of a second. The new law provides that al executions snall take place in the State prison within ten days after the sentence has been pronounced. The exact day of we will be pleased to instruct and agree to the execution will not be fixed, and only one prison official will be present.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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throat and lungs, a remedy that is selling entirely upon its merits and is guaranteed to cure and relieve all chronic and acute coughs, asthma, bronchitis and consumption. Price 50 cents and \$1.

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The crown of Queen Victoria consists of diamonds, pearls, rubies, sapphires and emeralds, set in silver and gold. Its gross weight is 39 or 5 dwt. troy. The number of diamonds are 3,352; pearls, 273; rubies, 9; sapphires, 17; emeralds, 11. It is an old saying—Uneasy lies the head 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. Piles! Piles! Itching Piles. Symptoms-Moisture ; intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratch-ing. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. Swayne's Ointment stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. At drugglets, or by mail, for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia. may-4-1y.

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