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PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

A. L. FRITZ, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. OFFICE—Front Room, Over Postoffice. BLOOMSBURG, PA.

HAVE YOU BEEN DISAPPOINTED

buying the ordinary ready-made clothing, that either wears badly, loses its color, and has no style?

DO YOU OBJECT

paying excessively high prices for made-to-order clothing, and want its equal ready-made?

OUR LONDON READY-MADE CLOTHING

Will suit you exactly. It is Perfect in every particular.

Full Suits, \$13.50 and upwards. Thompson's Patent-Cut Trousers \$3.5 and upwards.

E. O. THOMPSON, 1338 CHESTNUT STREET

Philadelphia. Office over Dentler's shoe store, Bloomsburg, Pa.

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EXECUTORS' SALE OF VALUABLE Real Estate!

There will be exposed to public sale on the premises in Harrisburg township on WEDNESDAY, January 9th, 1889, at 10 o'clock a. m. the following described property owned by the estate of James L. ...



BUBBLE PARTIES.

ONE of the most amusing, as well as easily arranged entertainments for the holidays, is a "Bubble Party." Twenty or more ladies and gentlemen, enough clay pipes so each will have one, three or four bowls of soap-suds, and, say, half a dozen trifles, for prizes, are all that is required, the prizes to be awarded to those who blow the largest bubbles, one of the party to act as referee.

A WORD OF WARNING.

There are many white soaps, each represented to be "just as good as the Ivory!" they are NOT, but like all counterfeiters, lack the peculiar and remarkable qualities of the genuine.

HOP PLASTER advertisement with image of a person and text: 'Eases Pain Instantly, Strengthens Weak Parts, Cures Nerve Pains, Quits Headaches, Wash Hoop, Hemorrhoids and Piles, Soothes All Irritations, Good for Itchy Sores, Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Sprains, etc.'

THE BEST BURNING OIL THAT CAN BE MADE FROM PETROLEUM.

It gives a brilliant light. It will not smoke the chimneys. It will not clog the pipes. It has a high fire test. It will not explode. It is pre-eminently a family safety oil.

THE BEST OIL IN THE WORLD.

ACME OIL COMPANY. DANVILLE, PA. Trade for Bloomsburg and vicinity supplied by MOYER BROS., Bloomsburg, Pa.

WILLIAM HART BLOOMSBURG, PENNA. KEYSTONE DYNAMITE POWDER CO.

Manufacturers of the celebrated Keystone dynamite. This explosive is celebrated everywhere for its superior quality and safety.

J. H. MAIZE, LIFE.

Northwestern Masonic Aid Association, members 41,248. Paid to beneficiaries \$430,332. Travellers Life and Accident of Hartford.

FIRE. CONTINENTAL New York, \$1,000,000.00. AMERICAN Philadelphia, \$2,000,000.00. ST. PAUL New York, \$5,000,000.00.

J. R. SMITH & CO. LIMITED.

MILTON, Pa. DEALERS IN PIANOS, Chickering, Knabe, Weber, Hallet & Davis.

PIANOS.

By the following well known makers. Can also furnish any of the cheaper makes at manufacturers prices. Do not buy a piano before getting our prices.

CATALOGUE AND PRICE LISTS.

On application. DRS. J. N. & J. B. HOBENSACK. Medical and Surgical Office, 206 NORTH SECOND ST., PHILADA.

EXCHANGE HOTEL, W. R. TUBBS, PROPRIETOR.

OPPOSITE COURT HOUSE, BLOOMSBURG, PA. Large and convenient sample rooms. Bath room hot and cold water, and all modern conveniences.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our Regular Correspondent. Senator Beck's absence has been seriously felt in the Senate since the republican tariff bill has been taken up. He is the one object of Senator's hate, and he has been unable to resume his seat at the present session, together with the idea, which for some reasons was prevalent among the democratic Senators, that the republicans would not take up the tariff at this session has done much to prevent the democratic Senators from preparing themselves to make as stout a resistance as was expected of them to the passage of the bill.

Death to the English sparrow.

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES HAS PASSED A RESOLUTION AT ITS MEETING, DEC. 21. The regular monthly meeting of the House was held Thursday evening Dec. 6th, Harman president and Messrs. Ringler, Haysler, Sterling, Wolf and Cadow present. The minutes of last regular and special meetings were read and approved.

County Proceedings.

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Prize Bill.

We express our sincere thanks to school boards for always selecting us such good teachers. Last winter Mr. Sheridan Fritz taught our school and this winter Miss Nora Harvey, of Fairmount Springs, is our instructor. Miss Harvey takes special delight in instructing her pupils, and they think they never saw a better teacher.

We are pleased to see Mr. William Bower of Berwick visiting relatives and friends in our country once again. He is going to spend a few days with us and then, he is going on to Dushore and spend a few weeks.

Another Fraud on the Farmers.

A couple of plausible men are traveling through the country on an swindling expedition. They are "well up" on the sheep question and being home span in their general talk and appearance, are wont to draw suspicion. They are after lambs for a few days, devoted exclusively to breeding and selling lambs, but can never get as many as they can dispose of. They sell a ram for \$50 cash, on the understanding that they will purchase at good price next season at whatever time the sale is effected, the ram delivered and paid for, and the two rams never turn up again there a second time.

Christmas Proverbs.

A warm Christmas, a cold Easter. A light Christmas, a heavy sheaf. A green Christmas, a white Easter. A green Christmas, makes a fat graveyard.

A Good Idea.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad has twelve trains equipped with telegraphic instruments for transmitting messages along the road while the trains are in motion. The system has been used with particular success by the wrecking trains on the road.

Court Proceedings.

Com. vs. N. H. Dougherty. Larceny. A true bill. Com. vs. A. C. Garrison. On motion of District Attorney, the case continued.

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