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FRIDAY, JANUARY 3, 1890.

CORRECT RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

Trains on the P. & R. R. R. leave Rupert as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
7:32 a. m.	11:00 a. m.
3:31 p. m.	6:23 p. m.

Trains on the D. L. & W. R. R. leave Bloomsburg as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
7:12 a. m.	8:32 a. m.
10:57 a. m.	12:06 p. m.
2:35 p. m.	4:15 p. m.
6:06 p. m.	8:47 p. m.

Trains on the N. & W. B. Railway pass Bloomsburg as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
10:48 a. m.	12:27 p. m.
4.36 p. m.	4:30 p. m.
SUNDAY.	
NORTH.	SOUTH.
10:48 a m	6:39 p m

BLOOMSBURG & SULLIVAN RAILROAD

Taking effect MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1889.

	SOUTH.					NORTH.				
STATIONS.	Ar. P. M.	Ar. A. M.	Ar. A.M.	Ar. A. M.	Lv. P. M.	Lv. P. M.	Lv. P. M.	Lv. P. M.	Lv. P. M.	Lv. P. M.
Bloomsburg	6 28	11 48	7 05	8 35	2 35	6 40				
Main Street	6 18	11 41	6 58	8 42	2 42	6 47				
Irondale	6 16	11 39	6 56	8 45	2 45	6 50				
Paper Mill	6 06	11 31	6 48	8 53	2 53	7 00				
Lightstreet	6 05	11 28	6 43	8 56	2 56	7 03				
Orangeville	5 57	11 20	6 35	9 05	3 07	7 10				
Forks	5 45	11 10	6 25	9 15	3 17	7 20				
Zaner's	5 42	11 06	6 21	9 20	3 20	7 23				
Stillwater	5 37	11 02	6 17	9 25	3 25	7 28				
Benton	5 28	10 55	6 10	9 33	3 33	7 35				
Elwell	5 23	10 50	6 07	9 36	3 37	7 38				
Coles Creek	5 20	10 48	6 05	9 38	3 40	7 40				
Sugarloaf	5 15	10 42	6 02	9 42	3 43	7 44				
Laubachs	5 12	10 40	6 00	9 47	3 48	7 47				
Central	5 03	10 33	5 53	9 57	3 58	7 57				
Jamison City	5 00	10 30	5 50	10 00	4 00	8 00				
	Lv. P. M.	Lv. A. M.	Lv. A. M.	Ar. M.	Ar. P. M.	Ar. P. M.				

SALES.

JAN. 16—The sale of real estate of Samuel Nungesser, deceased, in Beaver Township will be on 16 of Jan. 1890, at 1. o'clock p. m.

H. W. NUNGESSER.
Administrator.

The administrators of Anna Coffman dec'd., W. E. and D. R. Coffman offer at private sale, a house and lot on West Main street Bloomsburg, Pa. the late residence of deceased. tf.

FOR SALE—A desirable and commodious residence on Main street, supplied with water, gas and steam. Apply to
jan20tf. L. N. MOYER.

FOR SALE—A farm about a mile from Afton, containing 50 acres, all under cultivation, with good buildings, with all this year's crops, farming implements and stock will be sold at private sale. For particulars inquire of J. S. Williams, Bloomsburg. 7-26 tf.

FOR SALE, CHEAP—Good as new, 57 inch Victor Bicycle. Inquire at this office. 11-28 '89.

FOR SALE—Dwelling houses in Bloomsburg, Orangeville, Espy and Rupert Pa. Farms in Pennsylvania, Kansas and Virginia. Vacant lots in Bloomsburg. Store properties, Grist mills and other property by M. P. Lutz, Insurance and Real Estate Agent, Bloomsburg, Pa.

FOR SALE.—House and lot in Rupert, lot 120 x 140 ft. Two story, house, with nine rooms. Bay windows, out kitchen, ice and coal house, good stable, chicken and pig pen. Choice fruit, evergreen trees, good water, Two railroads Twelve trains a day each way, to Bloomsburg, fare 8c round trip. Low taxes. A great bargain, if taken soon.
M. P. Lutz, insurance & Real Est. Agt.

FOR SALE.—One counter, ten feet long, show cases, one horizontal and two uprights, extension table, lamps, and shelving at Mrs. Marsh's old stand. Can be bought cheap.

FOR RENT.—The room on the second floor of the COLUMBIAN Building, now occupied by the Town Council, will be vacant April 1st, 1890. It is a large, light room, steam heat, gas, and water on same floor. Inquire of Geo. E Elwell.

HOUSE FOR RENT.—Opposite Corell's furniture store. Apply to
DR. J. R. EVANS.

Personal.

Miss Ella Fox returned to Philadelphia last Saturday.

Miss Pauline Kester is visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Leoni Mellick Esq., of Philadelphia spent Christmas at Lightstreet.

Mrs. R. C. Neal and sons are visiting Mrs. M. H. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Drinker spent last week in town with relatives.

W. Leverett Esq., returned to Scranton on Monday after a week's visit here.

A Happy New Year to all.

J. F. Caldwell is doing his own baking and delivering it himself.

Stamping outfit for sale at Mrs. Marsh's old stand, at a bargain.

Have you seen the 5-A five mile horse blanket? If not, why not? If you have a horse you need it. 12-6 8w.

For sale at a bargain; 3 glass show cases, counter, and shelving, at Mrs. Marsh's old stand.

A large number of trout have recently been deposited in the head waters of Fishingcreek.

STONE QUARRIES—Best quality of heavy or light stone for sale by B. F. Sharpless. Jan. 20.

This is the last week of the Bankrupt sale of millinery goods. Many bargains left yet, at Mrs. Marsh's old stand.

W. E. Dietterich, merchant of Espy, adopted the ready pay system on the first day of January 1890. Cash buyers will find it to their interest to give him a call.

We cannot understand why some people will be without a newspaper when they can get one for the small sum of one dollar. Why not send in your subscription for the COLUMBIAN?

The printing of the Court Calendar for 1890 was awarded to the COLUMBIAN on Saturday by the County Commissioners for $30 that being the lowest bid.

The organ used at the Teacher's Institute, came from the warerooms of J. Saltzer, where reliable musical instruments of all kinds are always to be found.

Mr. Frank Cotner of Jerseytown, and Miss Ada Keller of Washingtonville were united in marriage on December 24th, at the residence of the bride, by Rev. J. P. Pileuger of Turbotville. A large number of guests were present, and the presents were numerous and handsome. The bridal couple took an extended tour, embracing Washington, Baltimore and Philadelphia.

Dandelions and snakes have appeared lately in Iowa. They were no doubt laboring under the impression that spring has come.

To Farmers and others.—We have a few bob-sleds, circular wood saws, corn-shellers, also our new fodder cutters and grinders, which we will give bargains in. Call early. WHITE & CONNER.

Geo. P. Ringler's new drug store is a model of neatness, and he is rapidly building up a nice trade. He is a graduate of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy, and compounds all perscriptions himself.

Edwin W. Miller of Easton, Pa. former of Weidman & Miller, predecessors of J. R. Schuyler & Co., died at his home Sunday last. Dec. 28th. He was the manager of the Thomas T. Miller Hardware Co. of Easton.

H. O. McHenry, son of J. J. McHenry of Benton, has been appointed Mercantile appraisier by the County Commissioners. He is engaged in the mercantile business with his father and is well qualified to perform the duties of the position.

Nathan Chromis opened a grocery store on Eighth street, near his residence last week. He has a fine assortment of groceries, and his store will prove a great convenience to those living in that vicinity, as they will be spared long walks for their supplies.

In the Prothonotary's office one day last week Mr Krickbaum admitted to Mr. Snyder and Mr. Campbell that he was mistaken in several of his charges made against them in the *Sentinel* of the previous week. A number of witnesses were present.

Mrs. Joseph Decker died at her home in East Bloomsburg last Thursday, and was buried in Rosemont cemetery Sunday after noon. She was a sister-in-law of the late George Hassert, who died just 8 weeks previous. Her husband and three children—one son and two daughters, survive her.

Rev. P. A. Heilman who was elected pastor of the Lutheran church last Sunday has accepted the call and will preach Sunday next, January 5th. It is probable special services will be held, every evening next week, it being the week of prayer, and on Sunday January 12th the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered.

Sheriff Casey, Ex-sheriff Hoffman and Ex-sheriff Ent happened to meet in front of the Exchange Hotel last Saturday, and held an impromptu reunion. The other surviving ex-sheriffs are P. Billmeyer, S. H. Miller of Bloom, Samuel Snyder of Mifflin, Aaron Smith of Hemlock, M. Millard of Briarcreek, C. S. Forswald of Bloom, John Mourey of Beaver, and Samuel Smith of Fishingcreek.

Rev B. F. Alleman, D. D. of Lancaster, preached in the Lutheran church last Sunday morning and evening. In the morning there was an election at which time, Rev. P. A. Heilman, of Muncy station, was unanimously elected. Mr. Heilman served the last five years in Denver city, where he did a great work. It is expected he will come at once and take charge of the congregation.

A large congregation attended the children's Christmas services at St. Paul's church last Saturday evening. A Christmas tree, beautifully decorated, stood at the head of the centre aisle The services consisted of carols, prayers, responsive reading, and distribution of candy and fruit to each scholar of the Sunday School. The rector, Rev. W. C. Leverett, conducted the services, and the organist, Miss L. Drinker, presided at the organ.

The following letters are held at Bloomsburg, Pa., post-office, and will be sent to the dead letter office, January 14. 1890.
James V. Fenn, Jackson Faux, Miss Alice Kline. Miss Blanch Long, Mr. James Watts.

Persons calling for these letters please say, they were advertised Dec. 31 1889.

One cent will be charged on each letter advertised.

A. B. CATHCART, P. M.

The hunting season is now closed, Tuesday the 31st of December was the last day for rabbits and pheasants. The seasons will open again as follows: July 4th Woodcock, September 1st squirrels, Oct 1st pheasants and deer, Nov. 1st quail and rabbits. The penalty for having game out of season is from five to fifty dollars according to the kind of game. Game in one's possession is sufficient evidence of violation of the law.

A strong wind prevailed last week Thursday afternoon. The swinging sign in front of Alexander Bros. & Co's store was lifted from its fastenings at the end towards the street, and swinging around, crashed through the upper large show window, carrying away the entire front of it.

At about the same time two new chimneys on the Normal school dormitory were blown off. They were being erected on the old wing merely as ornaments to make the old wing correspond with the new, and were 32 feet high from the roof. They were lifted off entire, and maintained an upright position until they were near the ground when they careend.

W. Clark Sloan handed us Monday last, a quaint invitation. It was that of a grand New Years' ball given at the Exchange Hotel, Bloomsburg, Wednesday evening, December 31st, 1851. The invitation had been given to A. M. Rupert, and was handed to Mr. Sloan by Mr. Rupert's son William, a few years ago. We give below a list of managers of the ball, only six of whom are among the living. The names were as follows:

William A. Swaby, S. L. Roush S. E. Walton, Ellood Ellis, H. W. M'Reynolds, Lloyd Paxton, Alex J. Frick, Thos. W. Edgar, J. G. Freeze, Joseph Connor, J. Mosteller, Wm. F. Stoes, J. K. Robbins, Erastus, Barton, E. C. Thompson, I. M. Santee, Wm. Christman, A. G. Frick, H. J. Sproul, Henry C. Hartman, Joseph Miller, Rodman Drinker, Wm. Fisher, J. S. Hall, B. W. Musselman, R. W. Weaver, Samuel Shriner, Grant Taggart, Morris C. Sloan.

COLUMBIAN:

For January 1889, my memoranda of the weather give the following results:

1st pleasant, 2nd warm and pleasant, 3rd weather delightful, 4th warm and sunny, 5th rainy day, 6th rain all day, 7th fairly pleasant, 8th pleasant day, 9th rainy, 10th rain and wind storm last night, 11th fine day, sunny, 12 Beautiful day, 13th beautiful day, 14th warm and sunny, 15 delightful morning, cloudy afternoon, 16th pleasant, sunny, cloudy afternoon, 17th began raining in the night, continued till 8 a. m., mercury 56, cleared up and ended beautifully, 18th splendid morning, clear and light, 19th pleasant day, 20th colder, about 11 a. m. began to snow, very little fell, 21st a little rain and snow and wind, wintry weather, 23, 24 and 25th no notes, 26th mercury 12 degrees below freezing point, 27th rained all day, 28th colder, 29th a little snow, 30th a little snow, 31st beautiful morning, quiet and sunny. J. G. F.

Hood's Sarsaparilla cures catarrh by expelling impurity from the blood, which is the cause of the complaint. Give it a trial.

Mrs. Margaret Girton, widow of the late John K. Girton, celebrated her 86th birthday on Dec. 27th. She is the mother of Commissioner William G. Girton, J. L Girton, of this town, Francis M. Girton, better known as "Lockard" of Plymouth, Geo. M. Dallas Girton, of Silverton Col. Emily, John and Oscar are dead, and one child died in infancy. There have been born forty grand children, and nineteen great grand children. A number of friends were present and an excellent supper was served at the St. Elmo. Mrs. Girton retains her health and faculties to a remarkable degree, and she enjoyed the occasion very much.

The Ninth Winona Reception.

There has been given annually by the young men of Bloomsburg, a ball at the Exchange Hotel, for the past nine years. These parties were started by the members of Winona Hose Company, and were called "Winona Receptions," and now though that organization is somewhat abandoned, the annual receptions continue to be held. The Ninth Reception took place at the Exchange Hotel last Friday evening, and it was in every respect a success. The committee having the matter in charge were composed of the following gentlemen: Master of Ceremonies, Geo. E. Elwell; Floor Managers, S. F. Peacock, F. P. Pursel, W. Clark Sloan, A. W. Duy: Committee of Arrangements, F. H. Wilson, C. W. McKelvy, J. M. Clark, J. G. Wells, C. W. Funston, W. S. Rishton, F. C. Williams, S. H. Harman.

Music was furnished by the Elite Orchestra of Williamsport, consisting of eight pieces, and to say that every body was delighted with it would be putting it mildly. The music was superb, and the unanimous verdict was that it was the best that has ever been furnished at these receptions, with one exception, and that was several years ago, when Rhue's Orchestra of Allentown was here, though the comparison was not an unfavorable one for the Elite Orchestra. The members of this orchestra are all young men. They wore full dress suits, and their deportment was that of gentlemen. They gave complete satisfaction, and their services will no doubt be called for in the future. One of Saltzer's fine pianos was used for the occasion.

The Grand March took place at 9:45, thirty-two couples participating. At 11:15 the dining hall was cleared, and the tables were set and the company sat down at 11:40. In an hour and a half from the time the dancing ceased, it was resumed again, and continued until four o'clock in the morning.

The supper was elegant, and nicely served. At the request of the managers it was not as elaborate as heretofore, and it took but half the time to get through with it, which was the object aimed at. All the arrangements about the house were complete, and everything was done by Mr. and Mrs. Tubbs, and Mr. McCloskey to make the party a success.

The dresses of the ladies were if possible more attractive and costly than at any previous reception. All of the ladies looked well, and some of them wore toilets of exquisite pattern and material. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Crispin of Berwick, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Billmeyer, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Elwell, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Buckalew, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Oswald, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Peacock, Dr. and Mrs. Jones of Plymouth, Mr. and Miss Metzgar, of Wilkesbarre, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bertsch; Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Lindsay, Dr. H. L. Whitney, Miss Julia Davenport, Miss Virginia Preston of Plymouth, Mr. Watts of New York and Miss. J. Jackson of Berwick, Mr. Melick of Woodbridge, N. J., Miss L. Evans of Berwick, Miss Deen of Danville, Miss Pauline Kester, Miss Martha Clark, Miss Ella Fox, Miss Bess Monroe, Miss L. Barton, Miss M. Chamberlain, Miss L. Jameson, Miss F. Williams, Miss. D. Williams, Miss L. Sloan, Miss K. Gardner, Miss A. Miller, Miss V. Miller, Miss M. Eyer, Miss E. W. McKelvy, Miss M. Schoch, Miss E. McKinney, Miss May Kuhn, Miss Annie Maize, W. R. Bowman, Harvey Kemerer of Wilkesbarre, Dr. Meredith of Danville.

J. M. Clark, W. S. Rishton, C. W. McKelvy, F. C. Williams, F. H. Wilson, F. P. Pursel, W. C. Sloan, C. W. Funston, A. W. Duy, S. H. Harman, W. Leverett, J. Vanbuskirk, L. Townsend, F. T. Ikeler, F. M. Ikeler.

The attendance was not so large as last year, owing to the illness or absence of several who have usually attended, but he floor was well filled, seven sets dancing most of the time. In every respect it was a charming occasion, and all who participated will long remember it.

Obituary.

"Fell asleep," on Xmas morning of pneumonia, Elsie, beloved wife of Samuel Hess in her 70 (seventieth) year. The funeral was from the M. E. Church Benton, Dec. 27.

Mrs. Hess had for many years been a member of the Methodist church and her sweet christian character was always showing itself in deeds of kindness and charity, and many are the homes that will miss her bright cheery ways and loving sympathy, but most of all will her loss be felt at home, our hearts go out in sincere sympathy to the sadly bereaved family consisting of a husband, five daughters and four sons.

"But He had need of her, who loved her with His everlasting love, and so He came, The Master came Himself and gently took her hand in His, and gave her room among the angel harpers. F. K.

No Cure No Pay.

It is a pretty severe test of any doctor's skill when the payment of his fee is made conditional upon his curing his patient. Yet after having, for many years, observed the thousands of marvelous cures effected in liver, blood and lung diseases, by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, its manufacturers feel warranted in selling it, as they are now doing, through all druggists, the world over, under a certificate of *positive guarantee* that it will either benefit or cure in every case of disease for which they recommend it, if taken in time and given a fair trial, or money paid for it will be promptly refunded. Torpid liver, or "billiousness," impure blood, skin eruptions, scrofulous sores and swellings, consumption (which is scrofula of the lungs), all yield to this wonderful medicine. It is both tonic or strength-restoring, and alterative or blood cleansing.

Chronic Nasal Catarrh positively cured by Dr. Sage's Remedy. 50 cents, by druggists.

Drunkenness—Liquor Habit—In all the world there is but one cure Dr. Haines' Golden Specific

It can be given in a cup of tea or coffee without the knowledge of the person taking it, effecting a speedy and permanent cure, whether the patient is a moderate drinker or an alcoholic wreck Thousands of drunkards have been cured who have taken the Golden Specific in their coffee without their knowledge, and to-day believe they quit drinking of their own free will. No harmful effect results from its administration. Cures guaranteed. Send for circular and full particulars. Address in confidence GOLDEN SPECIFIC CO., 185 Race Street, Cincinnati, O.—10-25ly

Guava.

Gwyma Hess and daughter came to Benton on Thursday night to attend his mother's funeral which took place on Friday. The funeral was preached by Rev. Boone of Benton. After which the remains were interred in the Benton cemetery. Mrs. Samuel Hess has been sick for some time. She was known as a very strict christian, and died happy. We all are in deep sympathy with the bereaved family.

The B. & S. was well represented from Laubachs on Saturday. Among the numbers who took the train for Bloom were: W. A. Kile, Clark Vites and boy, C. W. Hess, J. M. Larish, Peter Masteller and wife, Elisha Hess, A. L. Fritz; Coles Creek, Benton and Stillwater were: Mrs Ezekiel Hess, Elijah Peterman, Elias S. Fritz and H. S. Cole.

Miss Esther E. Fritz, dressmaker, while getting in her father's buggy at Central dropped a 5 dollar gold piece; it was discovered by Bent. Laubach who returned it to the owner.

Mr. Elias S. Fritz killed a hog last week weighing 450 lbs. Can any other farmer beat that in this country? If they can we would be pleased to hear from them. The hog was one that was brought in from the West by Rohr McHenry. Mr. Fritz always keeps good looking stock on his farm, and understands fattening them in short order, when he wishes to.

Esq. Laubach took a trip to Central on Saturday last. He walked up and came back on the Bloomsburg and Sullivan Rail Road.

Jamison City and Central were represented in our town on Saturday by the following gentlemen: J. P. Hill, of Manor Rest Inn. Rob Force and another gentleman, Wellie Kocher, Bent. Hartman. Will Shultz, Boyd Cole and wife.

Dr, J. B. Laubach of Benton was in town on Friday. He went gunning but did not have very good success. After shooting all his ammunition away, he was obliged to return home without a cotton tail. Don't get discouraged J. B., try it again, perhaps you will meet with better success.

Len Kile while fooling with Mont Comstock's rifle accidently discharged it in Laubach's store on the 24th ult. Mr. Comstock cautioned Kiley not to be fooling with the gun for it was a breech loading rifle, and he did not know how to handle it. Mont then went to the station, and young "Vanderbuilt" as the boys call him, thought he would examine it again, and while looking to see how the lock did work, it slipped out of his fingures and the ball went crashing through a box of knit jackets over the counter, no one happened to be on that side of the counter at the time so nothing serious happened. This should be a lesson for Leonard, not to handle guns or revolvers, that he knows little about.

Andrew J. Laubach has given up mercantile business and justice of the peace. He has taken the contract to drive Fritz & Hess' butcher wagon and made his first trip from Central to Guava on the 28th, Squire thinks he will like it first rate for it agrees with his health better than in the store.

Aaron M. Hess offers a liberal reward to any one who will return the key he lost last fall in Benton, on Saturday night going home from the fair.

Mr. Gwyma Hess and daughter, were the guests of Howard Hess on Sunday last. When asked how he liked the country in Delaware, said; He liked the people and also the country for farming. Plenty of fresh fish and oysters all the time. During the warm season there are numerous pests called gallinippers, mosquitos, ticks and jiggers. The gallinippers somewhat resemble our mosquito and are about the size of a wasp, their bite is very painful. The jigger is a minute little insect almost invisible to the eye. It is found on logs and trees. When bitten by them the pain can be removed by using salt and vinegar. The insect is the color of our flesh, and once on us cannot very readily be discovered.

What attracts Kinney Kile and Lester Larish over east so much? They seem to take great interest in the Christmas tree and watch meeting over in the hollow. W. F

Notes from Espy.

The Christmas service held in the Lutheran church on Christmas night was well spoken of by all who were present. It consisted of recitations and dialogues by the children, an address by the pastor, and plenty of excellent singing by the Sunday School, accompanied by the organ, 2 cornets, trombone, and B flat bass.

Mrs. Wm. Dietterich and Miss Minnie Pohe presided at the organ alternately, and the cornets were blown by Messrs. Dan Hughes and Wm. Purcel, the trombone and bass by Lemuel and Lincoln Edgar, all musical talent of Espy.

All performed their parts admirably. The Christmas tree was exceedingly beautiful, and the children were made happy by the distribution of gifts.

The only disappointment, to many, worth mentioning, was that the house was too small to admit them and give them sitting room.

The new organ for the Lutheran church has arrived, and if it proves satisfactory may be dedicated on next Sunday evening. This will depend upon what the congregation says. Suffice it to say the organ is beautiful in finish and sweet in tone. It came all the way from Chicago, and we trust its welcome will be general.

The Methodist church is at present preparing for their annual missionary concert which will be held in a few weeks.

Rev. A. R. Glaze will hold special services at New Columbia all next week, ending with the Lord's Supper on the Sunday following.

Rev. Glaze and his family acknowledge with thanks the kindness shown them by their parishioners at Espy and Buckhorn fore and during the Holidays, with donations and gifts that are valuable and useful. We trust that the kind donors will be amply repaid in spiritual things.

Clarance J. Mordan, son of Geo. Erastus and Anna Ida Mordan, near Mordansville, died on the 29th inst. and was buried at Canby the 31st. The cause of the disease was typhoid pneumonia. The age of the child was 1 yr., 7 mos. and 8 days.

Having made a fortunate purchase, the COLUMBIAN office is enabled to furnish and print a good quality of envelopes at less price than they have ever before been offered. Also, letter heads, bill heads, statements, of all sizes, tags, and all sorts of commercial printing at the lowest rates. Samples will be furnished on application, by mail. tf.

To-Night and To-Morrow Night.

And each day and night during this week you can get at all druggists' Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, acknowledged to be the most successful remedy ever sold for the cure of Coughs, Croup, Bronchitis, Whooping Cough, Asthma and Consumption. Get a bottle *to-day* and keep it always in the house, so you can check your cold at once. Price 50c and $1.00. Sample bottles free.

Chicken thieves are active, F. P. Billmeyer and R. W. Oswald have lost a number of turkeys, and on Saturday night sixteen valuable chickens of fine strain were stolen from William Dennis.

There are
many white soaps,
each
represented to be
"just as good as the Ivory."
They are not,
but like
all counterfeits,
they lack
the peculiar
and remarkable
qualities of
the genuine.
Ask for
Ivory Soap
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insist upon having it.
'Tis sold everywhere.

Judge McHenry Ill.

The many friends of Hon. C. B. McHenry will be sorry to learn that he is lying seriously ill at his home near Stillwater. He has been confined to his room for nearly ten days with an aggravated attack of typhoid malaria, and his attending physicians do not hold out any hopes of a change for the better under ten days yet. Drs. Megargle of Orangeville, and McHenry of Benton, are in constant attendance. It is the sincere hope of his numerous friends, both in this as well as in other parts of the state, that he may speedily recover.

Programme of the Farmer's Institute to be Held at Benton, Pa., January 8, 9 and 10, 1890.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JAN. 8, 7:30.
Prayer.
Music—"Live for Something."
ORGANIZATION. Introductory remarks.
Address, by Hon. E. R. Ikeler.
"Come, let us Reason Together."

THURSDAY MORNING, JAN. 9, CALL TO ORDER AT 9:30.
Music—"Welcome to Morning."
Fruit Culture.—D. K. Laubach, Fairmount Springs, Pa.
The Profits of Fruit Culture compared with other Farming.—Phillip Harris, Lime Ridge, Pa.
Public Roads.—Dr. I. L. Edwards.
Science on the Farm.—W. E. Lutz, Benton.
The Horse.—Dr. T. C. McHenry, Benton.
Music.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON, CALL TO ORDER AT 1:30.
Music—"March of Life, or the Three Ages."
Recitation, by Miss Jennie Gotleib.
How to Maintain Farm Fertility.—E. M. Tewksbury, Catawissa, Pa.
Experiments with Fertilizers.—Nehemiah Kitchen, Esq.
The Economies of Fertilizers.—Wm. Frear, Ph. D. *ex-officio* chemist to State Board of Agriculture, State College, Pa
Music.

THURSDAY EVENING, CALL TO ORDER AT 7:30.
Music—"The Weary Man's Paradise."
The Beautifying of our Homes.—Miss Kate Swartwout, Benton, Pa.
Recitation, by Miss Lizzie Heacock, Benton.
Birds of Penn'a. illustrated with stuffed and mounted birds.—B H. Warren, M. D., Ornithologist Pa. Board of Agriculture, West Chester, Pa.

FRIDAY MORNING, JAN. 10, CALL TO ORDER AT 9:30.
Music.
Poultry.—Rev. S. P. Boone, Benton.
The Ups and Downs of the Poultry Business—Wm. T. Creasy, Catawissa, Pa.
How to make the Farm Pay.—A. P. Young, Millville, Pa.
Advantage of Creamery to the Farmer.—Z S. Stevens, Supt. Huntington Valley Creamery, Huntington Mills, Pa.
Cultivation of the Grape.—J. R. Townsend, Bloomsburg, Pa.
Music.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, CALL TO ORDER AT 1:30.
Music—"A Hundred Years Hence."
Practical vs. Book Farming.—H. W. Northup, Glenburn, Pa.
How to Educate Farmers' Children.—Will M. Kitchen, Benton.
How to Train Our Boys.—C. R. Cox, Benton.
The Education of Girls.—Mrs. J. B. Laubach, Benton.
True Patriotism.—Mrs. M. L. Kitchen, Millville, Pa.
Music—"Patriot Glee."

FRIDAY EVENING, CALL TO ORDER AT 7:30.
Music—"Beautiful Dew Drop."
Recitation, "Old Farmer Brown," by Mrs. B. G. Keller, Benton.
Address—"An Hour with the Conscience," by B. R. Johnson, Supt. Public Schools, Union county, Lewisburg, Pa.
Music—"Parting Song."

At the close of each essay or address, discussion of the subject matter presented may be had, in which all are invited to participate freely, within time limits. Questions pertinent to the subject may also be freely asked.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

The B. & S. R. R. Co. will sell Excursion Tickets from all stations to Benton, January 8, 9, and 10, good to return on the 11th, 1890. Trains leave Bloomsburg, (D. L. & W. Depot) at 8:35 a. m., 2:35 and 6:40 p. m. Leave Benton at 6:18 and 11:08 a. m. and 5:28 p. m. Time from Bloomsburg to Benton 1 hour.

Good hotel accommodations will be furnished at $1 per day during the Institute.

ALL SESSIONS WILL BE FREE.

It is hoped that the farmers of this section will show their appreciation of this effort by laying aside "their accustomed toils and pleasures" to participate in the proceedings of the meeting.

A cordial invitation is extended to all.

For further information and for programs call on or address

C. R. COX,
Chairman or Local Committee,
Benton, Pa.
or
CHANDLEE EVES,
Member of Board for Columbia Co.,
Millville, Pa.

Interested People.

Advertising a patent medicine in the peculiar way in which the proprietor of Kemp's Balsam for Coughs and Colds does is indeed wonderful. He authorizes all druggists to give those who call for it a sample bottle *Free*, that they may try it before purchasing. The Large Bottles are 50c and $1.00. We certainly would advise a trial, It may save you from consumption.

Experience of a Lady Missionary.

Miss Emeline C. Hanna, missionary for 1st Baptist Church, Troy, N. Y., says: "I am glad to state that Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., cured me of Catarrh of the Bladder, Kidney trouble and Constipation. I would add that I always used the Favorite Remedy with the consent of my physician. 12-6-4w.

Are You Going

to travel? If so you must be very careful of your health, or your doctor's bills will cost you more than your traveling expenses. A bottle of Sulphur Bitters will protect you from all sickness incident to a change of climate.—*Evening Telegram.*

Samples of type for calling cards will be sent free by mail to anyone asking for them. Address THE COLUMBIAN, Bloomsburg, Pa. tf.

On the Slightest Sign

Of anything wrong with the Kidney's or Bladder, recourse should at once be had to Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y. Neglect may lay the foundation for painful difficulties. The Favorite Remedy has completely cured cases of Stone in the Bladder from which relief had been vainly sought. Where there is a tendency to Rheumatic Gout speedy relief invariably follows its use. 1-3-4t.

Consumption Surely Cured.

TO THE EDITOR—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy FREE to any of your readers who have consumption if they send me their express and post office address. Respectfully, T. A. SLOCUM M. C. 181 Pearl St., New York. Nov. 22-11w.

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 Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

WANAMAKER'S.

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, Dec. 30, 1889.

It is our intention to put before the retail buyers of Philadelphia an array of merchandise of many sorts which for quantity, quality and cheapness will be more surprising than any of the great offsprings ever made by us in the past.

The time is favorable for large merchandise operations at low prices. The bears have control of the "spot" dry goods, which means goods in the garment equally with the piece.

That's all you need of general information. The details will appear day by day in the daily papers. They will be crowded full of quality and price interest.

Muslin Underwear:

On Saturday we opened the greatest special sale of *Muslin Underwear* ever made in any American market. *We shall keep the sale up during the whole of January.* For more than six months many of the best manufacturers have been under contract to supply the goods for this sale.

The garments are all new and include everything required by a complete stock:

Chemises.
Gowns.
Corset Covers.
Drawers.

The *prices* on the special lots are less than the cost of materials alone.

The *workmanship* is not inferior because the prices are low, but examination will show honest work in every garment.

The *quantities* are very large. You are not asked to look at mean or meagre lots.

The sale will be *limited* in one respect only,—namely—the numbers that will be sold to a single purchaser. This is necessary to protect legitimate retail buyers from the competition of such dealers as may attempt to supply their stocks from this sale. The goods are for *consumers*, not dealers.

We do the great underwear business of this city. Past success indicates what proper enterprise will accomplish with it in the future. Attention is given not only to such qualities as sell in great quantities, but to the choice and exclusive, and the stock includes everything up to the finest French handmade garments. The quantity and variety require increased space and entire separation from other merchandise. The majority of our lady visitors already know the comfortable, elegant and retired quarters which have accordingly been arranged upon the second floor.

For the purposes of this great Underwear Sale additional room will be occupied in adjacent departments, and the broad space of the Chestnut street entrance will also be used for the display and sale of the goods.

Linens.

On Monday of this week we began an unusually interesting sale of all sorts of Housekeeping Linens.

For years past our dealings in Linen goods have been greater than those of any other retail house in America. There have been good reasons for this:

1—When we say "Linen" we mean pure Linen, not cotton and linen, or any of the other make-believes.

2—Buying direct from the loom-men we save middlemen's charges, and in this way we are able to put the prices at the lowest possible point.

WANAMAKER.

3—Having a stock that is clipped in no respect we can meet the requirements of any customer.

We have made extra attractive prices on goods of every class:

Towels.
Table Damasks,
Handkerchiefs,
Yard Goods,

and so on. If you have any Linen need this is an opportunity that you can't well afford to skip.

Dress Goods.

On the 2d of January we shall inaugurate a movement in Dress Goods that will make talk all through this part of the country.

JOHN WANAMAKER.

LOCAL NOTICES.

Look at our assortment of Ribbons, best quality, No. 7 watered 12c, No. 9, 15c.
H. W. Sloan.

FOR SALE.

Old Process Flour $4.50 per barrel—very good.
Full Roller Flour very fine quality.
All kinds of chop.
Choice Bran, Fresh ground.
500 Bus. Old Corn.
100 Bus. Choice White Oats—Clean bright and heavy—not stained nor musty—good for seed,
at Aqueduct Mill Rupert.

Look at our assortment of flannels, best 25c white flannel in the city. White flannels from 23c to 75c. Look at our 35c all wool scarlet shaker flannel at
H. W. Sloan's.

I am baking myself, I ask the public to try it, second door above Main St., on center.
J. F. CALDWELL.

For all kinds of Dry Goods.
H. W. Sloan.

Muslins, prints, ginghams, tickings, full lines at H. W. Sloan's.

M. Kalp
BLOOMSBURG.

Fine Cabinet portraits only $3. doz. Life size Crayons only $10.00. Viewing, copying and enlarging. Instant process used. tf.

Look at our 25c stripe cloths at
H. W. Sloan's.

NOTICE IN PARTITION.

In the matter of the partition of the estate of Mary Rupert, late of the town of Bloomsburg, Columbia County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

The heirs of said decedent will take notice that in pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia County, a writ of partition has issued from said Court to the Sheriff of said county, returnable on the first Monday of February, A. D. 1890, and that the inquest will meet for the purpose of making partition of the real estate of said decedent on Saturday, the eighteenth day of January, A. D., 1890, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, upon the premises, at which time and place you can be present if you see proper.

The premises in question are described as follows: The undivided one-third interest in all that certain lot of ground situate in the Town of Bloomsburg, aforesaid, bounded on the East by West Street, on the South by lot of W. R. Hingerose, on the West by Bloom Alley, and on the North by lot of Mrs. Eliza Delly, being forty feet front on West street and one hundred and ninety eight feet in depth whereon is erected a two story brick dwelling.

JOHN B. CASEY,
Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE
OF VALUABLE
Real Estate!

By virtue of a writ of Alias Fi. Fa. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County and to me directed, there will