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THE COLUMBIAN.

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 31, 1891.

A PLEASANT OCCASION.

On Monday evening of this week, Mr. Perry DeLong and wife of Orangeville, celebrated their twentieth marriage anniversary. About one hundred neighbors and friends were present. The evening was pleasantly spent in social intercourse, in amusing plays, and in participating of the generous hospitality of their home. A short address and prayer was made by the minister present, who recounted God's care over the wedded twain and invoked his further blessing upon them as they renew their voyage on the sea of matrimony, that their little bark with its precious cargo may not be capsize by the tempest nor dashed against a hidden rock. Many hearty congratulations were bestowed upon this couple and not a few good wishes were expressed for their future. They were not only honored with the presence of many, but also with many presents from their numerous friends and well-wishers. The occasion was also enlivened by the Orangeville band which discoursed some fine music. We are constrained to say, "Boys remember us when we have our wedding anniversary." The occasion was certainly a success, and stimulated a desire among not a few to have their wedding anniversaries also celebrated.

A. H.

An Irish Minstrel.

Tony Farrell, who was first introduced to us by his clever part in the "Royal Pass" last season, came to Scranton Saturday night as the star of a new military drama, "The Irish Corporal." The drama is of the style of "Held by the Enemy" and "Shenandoah," well balanced as either of them. Tony, himself, is such a rich treat that all interest in the play is soon lost and the audience wants nothing but the star to delight them. He is a sweet minstrel boy, with a voice that charms and delights. Mr. Farrell sings much sweeter than Scanlon, is a better actor than Murphy, and with a play suited to his abilities, would rank ahead of any of these celebrated actors. His wits come fast and furious. Saturday night he sang his songs—and they were many—and yet the audience cried for more. At the close of the last act the audience refused to let him off the stage, and when he came before the footlights and assured them he had sung everything he had ever rehearsed, a cry was made that he should sing the songs over again. Mr. Farrell will be a great card in Scranton hereafter.—Scranton Times, Jan. 19, 1891.

Will appear at Bloomsburg Opera House, Monday Feb. 2nd.

Our people are more or less excited about the new railroad that is expected to come through this way from Orangeville to connect with the Pennsylvania at Nescopeck. The surveyors have got as far as the old stone church in Briar creek, near Eck's, and will reach here in a week or two. There is a rumor that the road will cross the river at Oak street. Engineers have heretofore given it as their opinion that the cheapest place to cross the river is at Pine street. The preliminary surveys will be very materially changed before the pick and shovel are set to work, and in the meantime the railroad company may be expected to find the best place for crossing. If the railroad is to do Berwick any good it must go through the town and not skit along the border.—Berwick Independent.

The teachers held their usual semi-monthly meeting in the High School building, Friday afternoon, Jan. 23rd. The meeting was opened by Miss Bernard on the subject of Primary numbers and afterwards discussed by the Primary teachers.

Multiplication and Division of Fractions and the Relation of Numbers was then discussed by several teachers.

Denominal numbers, and how to teach them, was explained by Miss Sloan.

The importance of mental work in Arithmetic was then spoken of by Prof. Harkins, giving the necessity for it from Primary rooms to High School. It cultivates the habits of attention, memory, and expression, and is an aid not only to school work but outside work. Adjourned to meet on Friday afternoon, Feb. 6th at 4 o'clock. Nora M. Finney, Sec.

What enhances the beauty of fine features more than a clear skin? Even plain features are made attractive by a good complexion. To secure this, purify your blood with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It has no equal. Price \$1. Six bottles \$5. Worth \$5 a bottle.

SALE BILLS.

There will be a large number of public sales this spring, and it would be well for persons contemplating a sale to fix upon a date soon, so that no one else in the neighborhood will select the same day. March is usually the busy month for sales. THE COLUMBIAN is prepared to print sale bills of any size, from the smallest to a full sheet bill, in a style that cannot be surpassed, and at prices as low as they can be made consistent with good work. We have cuts of horses, cattle, pigs, sheep, chickens, wagons, stoves, farm implements, houses, barns, and nearly everything that can be used on a sale bill, and put them on without extra charge. Persons living at a distance need not come to town to get their bills printed, but send us a list of articles, the date and place, terms of sale, number of bills and size wanted, and we will put it in proper shape and send the bills by mail. Our bills are attractive, and we guarantee satisfaction both in quality and price. Do not wait until a few days before your day of sale but arrange about your bills at once. We shall open a sale calendar soon, and all bills printed at this office will receive a free notice which will stand until the day of sale, so the sooner the bills are printed the longer gratuitous advertising you will get. Remember, THE COLUMBIAN office is the oldest and largest in the county, and stands at the head for all kinds of printing. If

Manners' Double Extract Sarsaparilla for Catarrh is and always will be a leader, as its curative powers cannot be beat; price 50c a bottle. For sale by all druggists.

Maj.-Gen. B. F. Butler.

HE WILL RETURN TO THE SOUTH FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE THE WAR.

It seems hardly necessary to say anything of the history of Gen. B. F. Butler. No man in the whole nation has been more constantly in the public eye for the last four decades than he. As a successful lawyer and industrial politician before the war, as a patriot who was among the first to respond to the country's call at the firing upon Fort Sumpter, as the man who gave New Orleans to the best government the city ever had, as Commander of the Army of the James, as a Representative in Congress and a leading politician since the war, he has had public attention constantly focused upon him. No man in the country has received more praise and more abuse than he, and no man has more warm, personal friends and admirers. Many of the people of the South have been particularly bitter against him, and have tried to make his name the synonym for all that was detestable. He is now about to return good for evil, and heap coals of fire upon the heads of his detractors by a great enterprise to help restore prosperity to the region which suffered so severely from the ravages of the war. He is at the head of the great Georgia-Alabama Investment and Development Co., whose advertisement appears elsewhere in this paper, which is made up of capitalists whom he has associated with himself in a scheme to rebuild and develop large portions of Dixie. Early next month he intends to make a tour of the South, visiting that section for the first time since the close of the war—twenty-six years ago. He will go to New Orleans, and to all other prominent points, and survey the fields of operations of this company carefully, to inform himself personally as to the possibilities of each locality. There is something phenomenal in such a tour by a general whose first visit was sword in hand, but who now goes as a restorer. It will be watched with great interest by all sections of the country.—National Tribune, Washington, D. C. 1-16-91.

The Largest Straight Railroad Track.

The New Argentine Pacific Railroad from Buenos Ayres to the foot of the Andes, says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, has on it what is probably the longest tangent in the world. This is 340 kilometers (211 miles) without a curve. In this distance there is not a single bridge, and no opening larger than an ordinary culvert, not cut greater than one meter in depth, and no fill of a height exceeding one meter. There is almost an entire absence of wood on the plain across which the Western end of the road is located. This has led to the extensive use of metallic ties, which will be employed on nearly the entire road.

His Ignorance Cost Me \$150.00!

I was sick abed for three months. The doctor said I had Prolapsus Uteri, which was untrue. He didn't try to cure me but wanted to make a \$1.50 every day. My uncle is a druggist, and he told me to turn the doctor off and try Sulphur Bitters. I did so and five dollars worth of Sulphur Bitters cured me of general weakness and debility.—Mrs. S., New Haven, 1-10-91

POULTRY NOTES.

Coal oil applied to the roosting poles will destroy lice both on poles and fowls. In cold weather it requires half the amount of food consumed to supply warmth. If the proper shelter is given the surplus food will give eggs.

Every farmer should save all the refuse cabbage heads for his poultry in winter. Starving and freezing is unprofitable. Save all your meat scraps for your poultry.

When poultry are confined, they must have sand, ground, oyster shell, etc., if you desire the best results. Don't allow the fowls to gorge themselves with water, especially on cold nights.

Feed whole corn on cold nights, as there is more warmth in it, and it takes longer to digest.

Don't crowd your fowls. Six hens in a pen sufficiently large will supply more eggs, and are not as liable to disease as twice that number.

The best feed for winter mornings is wheat bran mixed with hot water to the consistency of thick mush.

On cold days it is best to give water with the chill taken off.

Charred corn is very healthy food and will make the hens lay.

For frosted combs, apply sweet oil, as it will relieve the pain considerably.

Get a pure bred male and raise the standard of your flock.

Poultry are early risers and should be fed accordingly.

Do not neglect the dust box, as it is necessary for the health of the chicks.

In raising poultry for market, great care should be exercised in noting what breeds sell best.

Hold your birds for the best price, but don't hold on too long.

If the droppings are saved and properly used they will nearly pay the feed bill.

Invariably use movable nest boxes as they are easily cleaned.

W. B. GERMAN.

Manners' Double Extract Sarsaparilla for female complaint, is the best. Try it once and you will never be without it. Price 50c a bottle. For sale by all druggists.

Feed The Quail.

The winter has been a very severe one on the American quail. Where there has been heavy snow fall the food these birds eat has been covered, and they have been left to starve. We hereby appeal to farmers and sportsmen everywhere in behalf of the helpless quail. The thing to do to save them will be to scatter grain in spots sheltered from the snow, or if there are no such spots then upon the snow itself. This should be continued till the weather becomes warmer. In the preservation and increase of the most popular game bird of America humanitarians who feed the quail will have their reward.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa. post office and will be sent to the dead letter office Feb. 10, 1891.

H. S. Faerman, Mr. John H. Johnston, Mr. Joseph Reed, Della Shuman.

Persons calling for these letters will please say they were advertised Jan. 27, 1891.

One cent will be charged on each letter advertised.

A. B. CATHOART, P. M.

Manners' Balm of Gilead Lotion for chapped hands, face and lips, is without competition. Price 25c a bottle, for sale by all druggists.

AUCTIONEER.

A competent auctioneer can do more toward making a public sale a success than anything else. One man who understands his business can get twice as much for goods as another who takes no interest in working up a sale, and works only for the money there is in it for him. Persons who expect to have public sales this spring will do well to communicate with John S. Williams, Bloomsburg, and secure his service as auctioneer. He is in demand everywhere, and it would be well to secure him early. His sales are well attended, and always bring good prices. For terms address John S. Williams, Bloomsburg, Pa. His office is on the 3rd floor of the COLUMBIAN building.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

We have made arrangements with Dr. B. J. Kendall Co. publishers of A Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases, which will enable all our subscribers to obtain a copy of that valuable work free by sending their address (enclosing a 2 cent stamp for mailing same) to Dr. B. J. Kendall Co., Enochburg Falls, Vt. This book is now recognized as standard authority upon all diseases of the horse, as its phenomenal sale attests, over four million copies having been sold in the past ten years, a sale never before reached by any publication in the same period of time. We feel confident that our patrons will appreciate the work, and be glad to avail themselves of this opportunity of obtaining a valuable book.

It is necessary that you mention this paper in sending for the "Treatise." This offer will remain open for only a short time. 1-23-91.

FOR RENT.

The Manor Rest Inn at Jameson City is for rent. It is elegantly furnished throughout, and money can be made there. For terms and particulars address Geo. E. Elwell, Sec'y., Bloomsburg, Pa. 11.

In Memory of Fannie R. Dodson, WHO DIED MARCH 31, 1886.

WRITTEN BY MISS ANNIE LAUBACH. Relentless death, hath snatched away, A kind friend from our hearts. Ah! Sad indeed it was for us, With our kind friend to part.

We'll see her face on earth no more, Now taken from our sight, But her bright spirit's gone to dwell, With God, in fadeless light.

She took a cherished last fond look, Of all that was so dear, She bade her friends a last farewell, But checked the rising tear.

Weeks, months, and years, may roll away, May roll away and die, And every time we think of her, There will gush forth a sigh.

We do not wish her back again, To fill her vacant chair, For she has ties above the skies, She's gone to meet them there.

But let us by the many acts, Of Fannie's kindness, shown, Prepare to die, prepare to meet, Our friend, around God's Throne.

Eminent physicians everywhere recommend Ayer's Cherry Pectoral as the most reliable remedy that can be had for colds, coughs, and all pulmonary disorders. Ask your Druggist for Ayer's Almanac; it is the best publication of the kind, and full of information.

How To Clean Rubber Shoes.

A correspondent of a popular journal says there is a homely fact that people ought to know in these days, when we are getting a taste of an old-fashioned Winter, so that rubber shoes are in frequent requisition by all classes. He wished to make it known that the easiest way to clean rubber shoes of any kind is to rub them with vasoline. They then clean much better and last longer than if they were washed with water.

If you want anything in the printing line, no matter what, call at THE COLUMBIAN office and see whether it cannot be done here. When other printers tell you they can't do what you want, come to us. Don't send a dollar's worth of printing out of town until you are sure you cannot get it just as good and as cheap, at home.

Martin M. L'Velle, the Ashland attorney whom every one in Schuylkill admires for his ability and rare social qualities, is rapidly gaining in health after a long and very serious illness. Mr. L'Velle has been visiting Pottsville and is able occasionally to reach his office. He says that he is under no conditions to be considered a candidate for President Judge.

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

Local Institutes.

Local Institutes will be held as follows: For Orange, Fishing creek, Centre, Scott, and Mr. Pleasant, at Orangeville, on Saturday Feb. 14, for Locust, Roaring creek, and Franklin, at Numidus, on Saturday Feb. 23. The teachers of said districts are expected to be present. All are respectfully invited to attend, and it is desired that directors be present. Arrangements will be made if possible to have an evening entertainment at each place.

Exercises to commence at 9 a. m. Saturday. W. C. JOHNSON, County Superintendent.

The residence and part of the household furniture belonging to Mrs. Elizabeth Zarr near Catawissa Pa. burned Saturday morning. Insured for \$550.

Happy and content is a bride with "The Rochester," she lives in the light of the morning. To learn more, write Rochester Lamp Co., New York.

Married. On the 24th inst. at the Orangeville parsonage in Orangeville, by Rev. A. Houtz, Mr. I. D. Smoyer of Millinville, and Miss Lizzie C. Achenbuech of Orangeville.

To Nervous Debilitated Men. If you will send us your address, we will mail you our illustrated pamphlet explaining all about Dr. J. C. Ayer's Celebrated Electro-Vibrating Belt and Appliances, and their charming effects upon the nervous debilitated system, and how they will quickly restore you to vigor and manhood, pamphlet free. If you are thus afflicted, we will send you a Belt and Appliances on trial. 1-31-91. VOLTAIC BELT CO., Marshall, Mich.

LOCAL NOTICES.

For Rent. A large front room on the third floor of the COLUMBIAN building, five windows, steam heat, gas and water. Inquire of Geo. E. Elwell, 11.

New Meat Market. The undersigned has purchased the meat market lately owned by David Winer on Iron street, and is prepared to furnish all kinds of fresh meat, sausage, scrapple, &c. It will be his endeavor to supply the best the market affords in his line. G. A. HERRMAN.

For Sale.—A large brass store hanging lamp, in good condition. Inquire of J. G. Wells, Bloomsburg, Pa. 11.

PHILLIPS'.

WE DO CATERING of all kinds. To Tea Parties, Weddings, Lodges, Suppers, etc., and can furnish all the dishes, silverware, etc., when desired.

Estimates cheerfully given in all cases on anything.

You will find our prices as low as any and lower than most. A-1-Service Always.

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THE MARKETS.

BLOOMSBURG MARKETS.

CORRECTED WEEKLY. RETAIL PRICES.

Butter per lb.	24
Eggs per dozen	36
Lard per lb.	10
Ham per pound	14
Pork, whole, per pound	05 to 06 1/2
Beef, quarter, per pound	06 to 08
Wheat per bushel	1.10
Corn ears "	.70
Oats "	.70
Rye "	.80
Buckwheat flour per 100	2.50
Wheat flour per 100	6.00
Hay per ton	10.00 to 12.00
Potatoes per bushel	1.50
Shelled corn per bushel	.75
Corn meal "	2.00
Ship meat "	1.10
Chop " cwt.	1.50
Tallow "	.04
Chickens "	.10
Turkeys "	1.54
Cool per ton, No. 6	2.25
" " " " 4 and 5	2.35

50c per ton extra, delivered.

To Burn Natural Gas

or any other gas successfully, get a NIAGARA BURNER, and enjoy a soft, brilliant, white light. The perfection of all gas burners. Made on the same principle as the famous Rochester Lamp. Over a million in use. Ask for it. If the dealer hasn't it, send to us direct, and we will send you a Burner with Edison Force-Lain Reflector, Chimney and Tripod, complete, on receipt of \$2.00. Please state if wanted for natural gas. Send for circular.

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Come to Kemp's and see our \$5 00 Life-size Crayons and photographs of finest finish.

Geo. P. Rowell & Co. Newspaper Advertising Bureau, 10 Spruce St., New York.

Believe we have a thorough knowledge of all the ins and outs of newspaper advertising, gained in an experience of twenty-five years of successful business; we have the best equipped office, by far the most comprehensive as well as the most convenient system of placing contracts and verifying their fulfillment, and unrivaled facilities in all departments for careful and intelligent service. We offer our services to all who contemplate spending \$10 or \$10,000 in newspaper advertising, and who wish to get the most and best advertising for the money.

PARKER'S HAIR BALM Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Never Fails to Restore Gray Hair to its Youthful Color. Prevents Dandruff and Hair Falling Out. Size and \$1.00 at drug stores.

Indigestion

IS not only a distressing complaint, of itself, but, by causing the blood to become depraved and the system enfeebled, is the parent of innumerable maladies. That Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the best cure for Indigestion, even when complicated with Liver Complaint, is proved by the following testimony from Mrs. Joseph Lake, of Brockway Centre, Mich.:

"Liver complaint and indigestion made my life a burden and came near ending my existence. For more than four years I suffered untold agony, was reduced almost to a skeleton, and hardly had strength to drag myself about. All kinds of food distressed me, and only the most delicate could be digested at all. Within the time mentioned several physicians treated me without giving relief. Nothing that I took seemed to do any permanent good until I commenced the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which has produced wonderful results. Soon after commencing to take the Sarsaparilla I could see an improvement in my condition. My appetite began to return and with it came the ability to digest all the food taken, my strength improved each day, and after a few months of faithful attention to your directions, I found myself a well woman, able to attend to all household duties. The medicine has given me a new lease of life."

Ayer's Sarsaparilla, PREPARED BY Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Price \$1; six bottles, \$5. Worth \$5 a bottle.

REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE IN— BLOOMSBURG.

Main Street.—Durable building lot 50x124, price \$1300.
10th Street.—House and lot, house rents for \$6 per month, room to build several more houses 110 feet front on Fifth street, price \$1000.
First Street.—Frame house, 6 rooms, lot 50x124, price \$1050.
Fourth Street.—Large frame house, 8 rooms, lot 100 feet front on street, price \$2250.
10th Street.—Large frame dwelling house, 8 rooms, out-kitchen, barn, fruit, &c., lot 78x200, price \$1500.
Main Street.—Large store building, with dwelling house on same lot, corner lot fronting on two streets, price \$4000.
Third Street.—Large 8 room house, lot 64x122, price \$2700.
Second Street, East of Penn.—Corner lot, 50 ft. front. Price \$800.
Second Street.—Fine large residence, 11 rooms, exclusive of bath room. Steam, gas, sewer, water and all modern improvements.
Tenant houses and a number of vacant lots in other parts of the town, all of which are for sale on easy terms. For further particulars inquire at
Sixth Street, North Side.—New two story frame house, 7 rooms, veranda in front and side. Price \$1250.
Sixth Street, North Side.—New two story frame house, 7 rooms, veranda. Price \$1100.
Sixth Street, North Side.—House and lot with 63 feet front on Street. Price \$600.
Sixth Street, North Side.—New two story frame house, 7 rooms, veranda. Price \$1100.
Fine Brick Residence in Espy Pa., Lot 98 feet front 10 room house, everything in good repair, recently papered and painted, well at door, clean, good stable and outbuildings, fruit of all kinds. Price \$1600.

WINTERSTEIN & BECKLEY, First National Bank Building, Bloomsburg, Pa.

GRIST MILL

and Water Power with four or more acres of land, at the town of Benton, Columbia County Pennsylvania; his FARM in Fishing creek Township known as the Jew Farm containing about eighty acres; and his DWELLING HOUSE and lot in the town of Benton. These properties are all valuable. The Mill Power is the never failing Fishing creek. Benton is rapidly improving and now has rail road advantages by the Bloomsburg & Sullivan rail road. Town property which could be more easily managed in the absence of the owner, if desirable, may be exchanged for the mill. Further information and terms may be obtained upon inquiry of CHARLES G. BARKLEY, Attorney. Bloomsburg, Pa. January 9, 1890-91.

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That generally means pain and suffering. But why suffer? Dr. Gross' Bel-cap-sic Plaster will relieve you in one night, sure. Send a penny stamp to Grosvenor & Richards, Boston, Mass., and learn how to remove a porous plaster safely—it will pay you—and don't forget that the best plaster in the world has the picture of a bell on the back-look, and is called

Bel-cap-sic.

DR. GROSS' BEL-CAP-SIC. 1-16-91