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THE COLUMBIAN.

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY JULY 10, 1891.

Mr. A. Z. Schoch is making some extensive repairs and additions at his residence at the head of Market St.

The Lutheran Church building at Catawissa has been declared unsafe for use.

A considerable amount of local news that was crowded out last week, appears in this issue.

M. J. Phillips is a candidate for associate judge in Sullivan county. He is well known here as a school book agent.

Every tissue of the body, every nerve bone and muscle is made stronger and more healthy by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Charles W. McKelvy sold his horse, Davy, last week to a man named Smoulder of Nanticoke, for \$325. It was a good price, but the horse is well worth the money.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Eyerly and Mr. C. D. Spigelmeyer desire to express their thanks for the kindness extended to them during the illness of Mrs. Spigelmeyer.

There will be a cake and ice cream festival in Warman's Hall, Espy, Saturday evening, July 11th, by the Lutheran church. An invitation is extended to everyone. All are welcome.

One of Miss Eva Brady's eyes has been crossed for some years, causing a deformity. She submitted to an operation last week by Dr. Brown which resulted in making the eye straight.

All the iron works are closed in Danville. The men were asked to sign a new schedule of wages, which they refused. There is no indication of a compromise.

Rev. F. B. Biddle is making great improvements on his dwelling house on Centre street. The brick and wood work is all being painted, and the carpenters and masons making general repairs.

The side walks along First street between Market and Centre, and along Fifth street between East and Catharine, need the attention of our progressive Council. They are very dangerous and should be graded and paved at once.

Catawissa had a big time on the 4th. An eloquent address was delivered by Fred T. Ikeler, and Judge Ikeler made an impromptu speech at the request of the chairman. There was a big crowd and fine parade. In the evening there was a nice display of fire works.

Dr. Meeker's Medicines are pure and a sure cure for whatever the claim. Lung tonic for colds. Speedy relief for pains, internal and external. Blackberry Cordial for bowel complaints, for young and old. Every bottle guaranteed. For sale by all druggists. Manufactured by H. C. & J. A. Olmstead, Williamsport, Pa. All put up in 25 and 50 cts bottles. 6-19-1 yr.

Louis Townsend has purchased the stock of the watchmaker and jeweler at Berwick and will soon locate there. He has leased a room in the Jackson building, a few doors from the National bank. Mr. Townsend is a fine, and careful workman, has had experience in the leading jewelry store at Carlisle, a graduate of the Ophthalmic college of Chicago, and with a first-class business man. We are glad to learn of his location in Berwick, and wish him the abundant success his ability deserves.

THE COLUMBIAN last week contained about eleven columns of matter concerning the Normal School and Commencement week exercises. The paper was on sale with a synopsis of all the essays and orations within an hour after their delivery. This exhibition of newspaper enterprise was rewarded by the sale of about 700 extra copies of the paper. We are indebted to Prof. Albert for much valuable assistance in preparing the reports, and to Keller Albert for his efficiency as a newsboy.

"HE THAT KNOWS" And knows he knows, is wise," says the Arabian proverb. Once realize that rheumatism, gout, neuralgia, dyspepsia, skin disease, liver and kidney ailments, are all cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

See W. L. Manning's notice in another part of this paper. 6-26-4t.

Mr. C. Bittenbender is our authorized collector in Bloomsburg. He will call upon all our town subscribers.

For a safe real estate investment, guaranteed to pay at least seven per cent clear, inquire of WINTERSTEEN, BECKLEY & M'KILLIP, First National Bank Building.

The Lutheran Sunday School will hold their annual picnic at Central this year on the 23d of this month (Thursday). If the weather should be unfavorable that day, excursion will go next day. Everybody invited.

The many patrons of THE COLUMBIAN who have responded so promptly and cheerfully to our request for settlement of subscription arrears, have our thanks. There are still a number from whom we would like to hear.

It is estimated that seven hundred people attended the excursion up the B. & S. to Central on Friday, from Espy, Bloomsburg, Lightstreet, and Orangeville. It was a bright day, and everything passed off pleasantly. Quite a number of the party dined at the Proctor Inn, Jamison City.

George Breisch of Main township is announced this week as a candidate for sheriff. His name should have appeared two weeks ago, but the copy was accidentally lost, and its omission was not observed by the editors until attention was called to it this week. The omission was entirely unintentional, and we regret that it happened.

Be a man! Some men take a newspaper for four or five years without paying for it, and then when a bill is presented they get mad and say, "the paper is no good anyhow. There's nothing in it." If you don't like a newspaper, pay up and stop it. Don't sponge on the editor for several years and then abuse him when he wants his pay. Be a man!

It is said that the body of Smiler, one of the men executed at Sing Sing by electricity, on Tuesday, was badly burned. His face was scarred and seamed, his eyes mutilated, his hair, mustache and eyebrows singed off, and his left leg burned to the bone by the electrodes. The bodies of the other three murderers were buried in quick time.

The past year at the Normal school has been one of the most successful in the history of the school. Prof. J. P. Welsh and his estimable wife have proven themselves entirely competent. Prof. Welsh is not only a thorough disciplinarian, a man of broad views, and extensive learning, but he is also a man of plain, common-sense, everyday, practical business ideas, and he carries these into the management of the school in all that he does. The prospects for a large attendance in the fall are very bright.

It is a source of gratification to the citizens of Columbia County to know that the Wilkes Barre & Western Rail Road has completed its line to Orangeville and that the time tables show the running of the trains arranged so that citizens of Bloomsburg and throughout the entire Fishingcreek valley, desiring to visit the north western portions of the county and West Branch Valley can do so. Connections with the Bloomsburg & Sullivan going north and south are made at Orangeville.

Cure Yourself! Don't pay large doctors' bills. The best medical book published, one hundred pages, elegant colored plates, will be sent to you on receipt of three 2-cent stamps to pay the postage. Address A. P. Ordway & Co., Boston, Mass. 7-10-2t.

EXCURSION TO CENTRAL. There will be an excursion to Central on Thursday, July 10th, by the Congregation and Sunday School of St. Paul's Episcopal church. This will be an enjoyable picnic and all persons are cordially invited. The train will leave Bloomsburg at 8 a. m. Tickets for the excursion, 50cts. For those under fourteen, 25cts. If the 16th, should be a stormy day the excursion will be on the 21st inst.

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 married, she gave her Castoria.

SUPERINTENDENT JOHNSTON'S REPORT.

On assuming my official duties most of the schools of the county were found to be in fair condition, however a number were not in as good condition as they may and should be.

Good work wherever observed—and there has been some good work done this year—has been encouraged and impractical methods have been discouraged.

Substantial buildings were erected in Orange, Fishingcreek, and Sugarloaf townships. One in each.

Slate black boards were put in one school in Hemlock, three in Greenwood, and seven in Locust. Locust now has such boards in all the schools.

Flags were put in the schools of Centralia and Conyngham. The Bloom directors having examined many courses of study of the best schools of the county have adopted a new course for their schools.

Practical business training, shorthand, and Type-writing are included in the course, and such instruction is contemplated as will fit the graduates of the High school to enter the Senior class at the Normal. This Board is also considering the subject of Manual Training.

Improvements are being made throughout the county in the school houses, apparatus and furniture, but not sufficient attention is given to the out-buildings and the grounds.

Fifty-seven of our teachers are Normal graduates; five hold permanent certificates; twenty-eight hold professional; and one hundred and twenty-two hold provisionals.

The standard is being gradually raised and there is an encouraging tendency among teachers to secure higher grade certificates.

As a rule our teachers are earnest, faithful workers. There are still a few who do not seem to realize what is required of a teacher, or, realizing it, lack the energy to do that which may justly be expected of them.

Yet with our present teachers doing more professional reading; working more unitedly with the same definite end in view; taking more interest in Teachers' Associations; and with closer supervision which appears in the distance, there is no limit to the good that may be accomplished by our schools.

Our directors are doing commendable work. They seem to be earnestly working to have better school-facilities and better schools.

The Directors' Association is in a flourishing condition. Every school in the county was visited once, and a number twice.

It is possible to visit schools twice in districts having a term of eight or ten months. Once before the other schools have commenced and once after the others have closed. But owing to the large territory to go over one visit is all that can be made to schools having the minimum term.

In every district one or more directors and sometimes citizens usually accompanied me in my visits. In several districts the directors visit the schools regularly. It is most desirable that such be the case in all.

The Normal school under the able leadership of Prof. Welsh is in a very prosperous condition. The largest class in the history of the school was graduated this year.

Prof. Russel with three assistants is doing good work at the Greenwood Seminary.

The Orangeville Academy in charge of Prof. Moore is sustaining its reputation among the institutions of learning of the county.

A good and largely patronized Private school in Bloomsburg is conducted by an efficient educator, Miss Amelia Armstrong, ably assisted by Miss Mildred Knorr, a graduate of Vassar.

The Berwick, Catawissa, and Centralia High Schools sent out a number of graduates.

By those competent to judge, the county institute was a great success.

The instructors and lecturers present were Hon. D. J. Waller, Jr., Supt. Walton, Misses Armstrong, Knorr, and Miller, Mrs. Welsh, Profs. Welsh, Wilbur, Noeltling, Becht, Cole, Harkins, Albert, Geddis, Richardson, Hall, Rev. Steck, Dr. Hedley, Meig Sisters, and Mrs. Mary A. Livermore. Dr. Jerome Allen of New York city, and Prof. Brumbaugh of Huntingdon were absent on account of sickness.

Seven successful local institutes were held during the year. As brief accounts of each were given in the monthly reports nothing further will be said here.

My thanks are due and heartily tendered to the Department for friendly counsel; to the press of the county for valuable service rendered; to directors, teachers, scholars, and citizens for their kindness and co-operation.

W. C. JOHNSTON.

I Was a Fool.

Yes they said I was a fool not to try Sulphur Bitters for Rheumatism, from which I had suffered over two years; but I had tried so many doctors and medicines without getting relief that I was discouraged. I am now on my fourth bottle and almost cured. I was a fool that I did not try that wonderful remedy before—*C. G. Pratt, Manchester, N. H. 6-26-2t.*

Children Cry for Mother's Castoria.

BERWICK GETS ANOTHER PLUM.

For ten years or more the D. L. & W. Company have not built a four-wheeled coal car. The coal "jimmies" or "hoppers" were condemned by the company at that time. There are, however, 11,000 of these unsightly cars on the road. Under a recent act of the Legislature of the State of New York, on and after September 1st, 1892, all cars entering the State of New York must have patent couplers. This act also forbids the running of four-wheeled coal cars. This necessitates between now and then the demolition of 11,000 coal "jimmies," and the erection of a great number of eight-wheeled cars to take the place. These cars will be made largely by the Jackson & Woodin Manufacturing Co., at Berwick, and the prospects are that business in that town in consequence will be very lively for the next year or two.—*Kingston Times.*

Agreeable. To the taste is Manners' Double Extract for the blood. Its action is on the bowels excels all others of its kind, as it contains no mercury up-aloos. Once tried and it can always be relied upon. Manners' Double Extract Sarsaparilla can be found at all drug stores. Price 50c a bottle. Sold at Moyer Bros., Drug Store.

THE ALUMNI DINNER.

The large dining hall at the Normal was filled with the members of the Alumni Association, the trustees, the Faculty, and their friends, last week Thursday afternoon at the Alumni dinner. Nearly 300 people participated.

John M. Clark presided as toast master, and after the dinner was over, a well prepared program was carried out, beginning with vocal music by Messrs. Colley, Yost, Ent and Yetter. The toasts were as follows: "The Trustees," responded to by James C. Brown; "The Faculty," responded to by Prof. J. M. Conghlin; "Woman," responded to by Bess T. Wintersteen of '89; "The Teacher," responded to by Harry O. Hine, of '85; "The Alumni—ac" responded to by John M. Garson Esq. of '71; "The Class of '91" responded to by Kittie Longshore. Miss Bertha Colvin of '90 sang a pretty solo, and there was more good singing by the male quartette. It was one of the most successful events of the kind in the history of the school.

REV. SINGER'S REPLY.

STILLWATER, July 6, 1891. EDITORS OF THE COLUMBIAN. GENTLEMEN:—In last week's issue of your paper, there is an article written by Rev. Mr. Houtz, in which he says he has been informed that Mr. Singer is not in good standing in his own church. W ho ever told Mr. Houtz that told a falsehood. I have as good standing in as good a church as Mr. Houtz or any other preacher in Penna. for all of which I refer him to my letters of commendation from the Zion Christian church, Spear P. O. Washington Co. Pa., signed by elders, John Fry, Lott Winnett and Samuel Fry. Attested by I. W. Hill, Elias McHenry Daniel McHenry, E. Beishline and W. L. McHenry Elders of the Christian church.

Very Respy. Yours, R. H. SINGER.

The Potato Louse.

A new insect has made its appearance in this section of the State, and for want of a better name it has been christened the "potato louse." It is a worse pest than the potato bug, for the bugs can be shaken off the potato stalks, but the louse can not. Paris green will kill the bug but this poison does not appear to have any effect on the louse. The farmers have tried many ways to get rid of the louse but have not succeeded so far. The louse is very small, so small as to be hardly visible to the naked eye, and they cover the potato leaves so that scarcely any of the leaf can be seen. They eat the leaf and in a few days it will be withered. It does not take long for the insects to destroy acres of potatoes. Any one discovering a remedy to kill this pest will be a blessing to mankind.—*Ex.*

Hunger is the Best Sauce!

As a rule, a person who has a good appetite has good health. But how many there are who enjoy nothing they eat, and sit down to meals only as an unpleasant duty. Nature's antidotes for this condition are so happily combined in Hood's Sarsaparilla that it soon restores good digestion, creates an appetite, and renovates and vitalizes the blood so that the beneficial effect of good food is imparted to the whole body. Truly hunger is the best sauce, and Hood's Sarsaparilla induces hunger.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., post office and will be sent to the dead letter office July 21, 1891. Philip Graham, Mrs. Annie Giger, Miss L. C. Howet, Mr. A. A. Kelley. Persons calling for these letters will please say they were advertised July 7, 1891.

One cent will be charged on each letter advertised. A. B. CATHCART.

MARRIED.

On July 1 1891, at the home of the bride's parents, Miss Jennie C. Rhoads of Sunbury and Mr. H. E. Dieffenbach of Bloomsburg were united in holy wedlock by the Rev. J. H. Weber. The bridesmaid was Miss Katie A. Neiss of Harrisburg, and the best man W. H. Treible of Hazleton, Pa.

Miss Annie K. Dieffenbach of Turbotville, Pa., performed on the piano. While she played the sweet strains of a wedding march the happy couple marched slowly into the parlor and appeared before the Hymeneal altar. After the ceremony was completed, all repaired to the dining-room, where a bountiful repast consisting of dainties and delicacies, appropriate to the occasion, was partaken of. In the evening the newly married couple went to Bloomsburg to the home of the groom's parents to spend the honeymoon. In one week they will take a tour to Minneapolis, Minn., to visit the groom's sister, Mrs. O. T. Weidman, where they will stay for one month. When they return they will make their home at Sunbury. They were the recipients of many beautiful and valuable presents.

On June 20th, 1891, at the Methodist parsonage by Rev. S. W. Sears. Mr. John E. Kishbaugh of Nescopeck, Pa. and Miss Anna Thomas of Fishingcreek, Pa.

On July 3, 1891, at the Methodist parsonage, by Rev. S. W. Sears. Mr. Sofarns S. Lynn and Miss Kate Fowler both of Berwick, Pa.

On June 25th, 1891, at the Methodist parsonage, by Rev. S. W. Sears. Mr. George A. Marshall and Miss Jennie Amesbury, both of Danville, Pa.

The Germ Destroyer.

In the field of discovery and invention, medicine has not kept pace with surgery. That, perhaps, is natural; service surgery is the mechanical branch of medicine. The general acceptance of the germ theory of disease however, opens a new field for medicine, and will take it completely away from the mediæval superstitions that still cling to its skirts. And yet medicine is not without its discoveries. It has long been known, and the fact is now recognized wherever the test has been made, that Swift's Specific (S. S. S.) will destroy the germs of malarial disease, the microbes of skin disease, and the bacilli of contagious and other forms of blood poisoning, ejects them from the blood, and purifies and builds up the system. No medical discovery of our day has achieved such remarkable success.

Hot Weather Vacation.

We will close our gallery on Saturday night, July 13th, for vacation. Will reopen on September 1st. Now is your chance to get first class cabinets at \$1.00 per doz., before we close. Our prices may be higher after September. Remember the place, Rosshon's Gallery, Main street, Bloomsburg, formerly Rosenstock's old stand.

The Harrisburg Patriot is hoisting the name of Hon. James Kerr, of Clearfield County as democratic candidate for state treasurer. The democrats would make no mistake should they follow this suggestion and give Mr. Kerr a unanimous nomination.

CONSUMPTION CURED.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge to all who desire, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. NOYES, 820 Power's Block, Rochester, N. Y. mar-6-1y

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CURES ALL DISEASES.

It is conceded beyond a doubt that fermentation (microbes) is the cause of all disease, and we claim that no medicine can cure disease unless it has the combined qualities of a BLOOD PURIFIER, ANTISEPTIC and TONIC. This powerful combination stops fermentation and arrests decay, thereby assisting nature to cure. We will mail you circulars free, explaining the germ theory of disease. G. A. MCKELVY, Bloomsburg, Pa., or July 8-4-t-d. 7 Light St., New York City.

The Soap that Cleans Most is Lenox.

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12, 14, 16, and 18 ft. narrow and wide boards; 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 ft. plank; 2x4, 2x5, 2x6 and 2x8 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 ft. long; 3x4, 3x5, 3x6, and 3x8, 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 ft. long; 5x6, 6x6, 6x8 and 8x8, 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 ft. long; 200,000 ft. good shingle lath; 200,000 ft. good gauged sawed plastering lath and hair; Bevel 1/2 and 3/4 dressed siding; rough and dressed lumber; Pine, Hemlock and Chestnut shingles; A good assortment of white Pine surface Boards 6, 8, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18 and 20 in. wide; Worked Flooring, Pine and Chestnut wainscoting; Pickets and Posts; 1/2 Car load of good White Ash lumber; Doors, Sash, Glass, Oils, Paints, Iron, Steel, wrought and Wire nails. At Silas Young's, Light Street. May 15-6-m.

FOR SALE.—A lot of ground with frame house, stable and outbuildings. Good fruit. Situate on Main street of Orangeville. Address A. B. HERRING, Orangeville, Pa. 6-19-4t.

Never mind! Never mind what the people say, it is a fact nevertheless that the Popular News Agent, has added to an already well selected stock of Games, Books, Novels, &c., wall paper, beautiful designs and at very reasonable prices. Call and examine just a few doors below Market street

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Do you contemplate having a suit made? If you are, go to a practical man, where you can see the goods in the piece. Do not buy from samples as all goods look different in the piece. A fine line of goods for suits, spring overcoats and pantaloons, cut to your measure, made on our own premises, under the personal supervision of J. R. Townsend, at D. LOWENBERG'S.

Very pretty suits for children; casimere, worsted or Jersey, made in handsome designs at D. LOWENBERG'S.

Have you seen the new neckties in Lowenberg's window.

Highest price in cash paid for hides and tallow at A. Solleder's. 17-St.

Nobby soft hats in all colors at Lowenberg's.

The new Block of stiff hats can be seen at Lowenberg's.

Black chevrot suits are popular, you can have a cutaway or sack coat, double or single breasted, round or square corners at D. LOWENBERG'S.

Board Wanted For the Summer.

Farm house preferred. Give rate per week for adults and children and the number of persons that can be accommodated. Address, "THOMAS," office of *Republican*, Bloomsburg, Pa.

I. W. Hartman & Sons.

We have reduced all our parasols, both black and colored, to about half price. About 500 yds. of scrim we offer at 5c yd. Good assortment of 5c embroideries. Canned meats, fish and oysters for picnics. Root Beer Extract for warm weather. Hartman's Baking Powder is worth a trial. Good Butter always wanted.

THE MARKETS.

BLOOMSBURG MARKETS. COLLECTED WEEKLY. RETAIL PRICES.

Butter per lb.	36
Eggs per dozen	38
Lard per lb.	30
Ham per pound	13
Pork, whole, per pound	06 to 08
Beef, quarter, per pound	06 to 08
Wheat per bushel	1.30
Oats " "	70
Rye " "	80
Buckwheat flour per 100	2.00
Wheat flour per 100	2.00
Hay per ton	10.00 to 12.00
Potatoes per bushel	1.00
Shelled corn per bushel	85
Corn meal " cwt.	2.00
Sid meat " lb.	10
Chop " cwt.	1.75
Tallow " lb.	04
Chickens " lb.	20
Turkeys " lb.	1.25
Coal per ton, No. 6	2.25
" " " 4 and 5	2.25
" " " extra, delivered.	2.25