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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, APRIL 29, 1892.

C. E. Savage has moved his work bench to the front of his jewelry store.

Old newspapers for sale at this office for 15 cents a hundred. 4 29-21.

The School Furnishing Company on Tuesday furnished chairs for the new court room of the Court House.

Deputy Sheriff Hosler took a business trip to Phillipsburg one day last week.

The Land Improvement Company has decided to allow a discount of ten per cent, on the price of lots to all purchasers who will erect houses on their lots, within six months from date of purchase.

Next Friday, May 6th has been designated as Arbor Day. All who can should plant trees that day and make their report to Superintendent of Public Instruction, that the State officials may see how well the day is observed.

J. G. Wells Jeweler and Optician will be in Benton at Drake's hotel May 3 and at Orangeville Thursday 5 at Rice's Hotel. Eyes examined free of charge. Watches, clocks and jewelry taken for repairs.

Rev. Dr. Mitchell and S. W. Pomroy, Elders H. M. Hinkley, of Danville, and H. A. Shissler, of Shamokin, were elected delegates of the Presbytery to the General Assembly which meets in Portland, Oregon, in May.

A new dynamo has been placed in the electric light works and first tested Wednesday night. The old one was too weak for the number of arc lights to be used. When sufficient power is obtained the entire lighting of the town will be completed.

A son of James Magee 2nd aged two and a half years, died Tuesday night of tubercle-meningitis. A specialist on children's diseases, from the Hahnemann Medical College of Philadelphia, was called in consultation, but the disease proved to be incurable.

Wood's Business College, Scranton, offers special inducements to graduates of high schools, normal schools and academies, and those who are well up in the Common English branches. There is a great demand for bookkeepers and stenographers who have some literary culture, at first-class salaries.

Mr. I. K. Appleman desires to return thanks to all the kind friends who exhibited so much sympathy, at his bereavement in the death of his daughter and especially to the Faculty, and members of the Senior Class of the Normal School, of which class she was a member.

Mrs. F. J. Schreiber and her niece Mrs. Lizzie Fulton, arrived in Bloomsburg Saturday last. They were cordially greeted by their many friends. The two attended the Lutheran church Sunday where they met hosts of friends. They will make their home with their sister Mrs. W. R. Tubbs in the Mrs. Finny house, Third street.

People are losing confidence in the *Bloomsburg Daily* on account of inaccuracy. The announcement was made Tuesday afternoon that the body of Mrs. Laycock was brought to Bloomsburg on the 12:05 train. It was a disappointment to a number of friends who wished to attend the funeral, their aggravation was only intensified when the next day they saw a funeral cortege and were told it was that of Mrs. Laycock.

DUFFEY'S

Grand offer to the old people of Columbia Co. for a short time. I will make one-half dozen fine Cabinet Photographs FREE to all old Ladies and Gentlemen, who have lived in Columbia Co. 40 years and who are 68 years of age and upwards. This offer will close on May 29, 1892. Remember the place.

THE MARKET SQUARE GALLERY, over Hartman's Store, 4-15-4t Bloomsburg, Pa.

NOTICE.

To all whom it may concern. F. J. Richard is no longer Superintendent of this company. The stock in this company in the name of F. J. Richard and G. J. Richard is held subject to the claims of this company against them and will only be transferred on the books of the company when those claims are satisfied.

BLOOMSBURG BRASS & COPPER CO. 4-29-tf.

TIMELY TOPICS

The public has been sufficiently nauseated by the details of the miserable Drayton-Borrowe affair, that has occupied so many columns of the daily papers for weeks past. The final denouement of this tragic comedy took place a few days ago in Belgium. The story in brief is this:

Hallett Borrowe, a young blood of New York, became infatuated with Mrs. J. Coleman Drayton, daughter of William Astor of New York, and one of the "400." He followed her to Europe, and there continued his attentions until it resulted in Mr. Drayton leaving his wife, and challenging Borrowe to fight a duel. On some pretext which his seconds claimed came within "the code," Borrowe declined the challenge, and Drayton posted him in the London clubs and elsewhere, as a cur and coward. Then Drayton sailed for America on the steamer *Majestic*, and Borrowe at the last moment took passage on the same ship, presumably to show that he was not afraid of Drayton. During their passage the whole affair was given to the world and all the correspondence on the matter was published.

Borrowe was generally snubbed, and in order to regain his reputation for bravery he got into a quarrel with Fox, one of his seconds, charging him with having published the letters without authority, and a duel was arranged, which was fought in Belgium. Two shots were fired but no one was hurt. It is said now that the bullets were made of plumbago, and that the whole affair was a farce gotten up to reestablish Borrowe's reputation. It has had just the opposite effect and he and Fox are now the laughing stock of London. It was announced that Mrs. Drayton, whose reputation for chastity has suffered greatly, would return to New York and resume her position in society, but the sudden death of her father in Paris on Tuesday will postpone this for another season. Meanwhile Mr. Drayton is following his profession quietly in New York.

This is the story in brief that has stirred New York society to the core. Borrowe has attained a notoriety that he would not otherwise have had, and now that he is in Europe, let us hope that he will remain there, and that the miserable story will be dropped, and the public given a rest.

Many people are troubled with what may be termed grave-horror. Whenever they contemplate death they are filled with terror at the thought of being put in the grave. It is impossible to fully realize all the conditions of death while in a state of being. While all our sensibilities are in operation, we cannot make ourselves believe that a time will come when the earthly tenement of the spirit will be merely a lump of clay, inanimate, dead. We contemplate the grave with the same feeling that we contemplate an imprisonment in a close and narrow cell, where we must smother and die.

Occasional sensational stories about people having been buried alive have added to the horrors of death, and everybody has the same dread about such an occurrence. Of all such stories, not one in ten thousand is true, and investigation has generally proven the report a hoax gotten up by some sensational reporter.

There was a time in the existence of every one of us, when, though we lived and breathed, we were unconscious of existing. What then is to be feared, after the spirit has flown, and the body is dead? Modern science has made the signs of death so sure that it is almost impossible for one to be buried alive. The art of the undertaker has made it absolutely certain that after one has passed through his hands he is dead beyond a doubt. We must look upon death as a release of the soul from its earthly tabernacle. The confinement of the body in the grave is merely the return of dust to dust from whence it came.

PROPOSALS.

Notice is hereby given that the Bloomsburg Ice & Cold Storage Company will receive proposals for erecting a brick building in the Town of Bloomsburg, until Wednesday, May 4, 1892 at noon. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of C. W. Miller, Esq. Bond in sum of \$2000 to accompany bid.

W. R. KOCHER, Secretary.

Deeds, single and double acknowledgment, at the COLUMBIAN office. tf.

To Builders and Others.

For Shingles, Guaged Fencing, wide Barn boards, all kinds dressed lumber go to White & Conner, Orangeville, Pa. 3-25-6w.

Well Said, It Was an Insult to Justice, As Every Honest Man Knows.

BLOOMSBURG, Pa., April 27th, 1892

Messrs. Editors:

Two weeks ago Mr. Allen wrote an article in your paper on the Poor Director fight to which Mr. Larish makes a very feeble reply and the *Sentinel* gang adds that Mr. A. never wrote the article. Since last week's paper was printed, however, Mr. Allen has visited ("paid them a call as it were") all of the gang connected with the paper except the editor in chief, who is sick in bed, and they each one and all deny the authorship of the editorial. Now who did write it, or who lied, when they did write it? Mr. Larish says that Krickbaum never spoke to him on the subject of the appointments of the Poor Board but once, and that on March 12th, and then only told him to do what was right in the matter. Does Mr. Larish think for one moment that he can make the people of the Poor District believe that Krickbaum ever uttered such words as these? Does Mr. Larish think that he can make the people believe that Krickbaum would spend a good part of the day in his (Larish's) company on the day the appointments was made, without saying a word on this subject. Were they not together in the Exchange Hotel parlor? Did they not go to the bank together, and if so what did they go there for? I ask again does Mr. Larish believe that the people of the Poor District would think of believing such an assertion as this? Will Mr. Larish dare deny that he along with a lot of others was invited up to Perry's to partake of a large feast and have a good time at Krickbaum's expense just a week or so before these appointments were made, what was that for I ask? Why did Mr. Larish ridicule Mr. Grotz's letter that was written just before the election, and make light of the idea of Grotz writing him a letter when he knew he was fighting him all the time, why did Larish say time and time again that he would not vote for Grotz or Klein either one under any circumstances, what was the cause of him changing his mind I ask? I have been told that some of Larish's neighbors gave him the reputation of being an honest man, but does the above sound like honesty, or the following sound like honesty? Mr. Larish told me on the Saturday preceding the day the appointments were made and while we were standing in front of Cronin's Harness shop, that there was no applicant for the office of Secretary except myself and Mr. Terwilliger from Light-Street and that Mr. Terwilliger did not stand a ghost of a show. After talking not over two minutes he walked down to Lowenberg's store and told Mr. Townsend that Mr. Klein was a candidate. I repeat does that sound like honesty? Mr. Larish says in his letter in the *Sentinel* that Krickbaum only told him to do what was right and did not try to influence him on the subject.

Now it is my opinion that Mr. Larish had better see K. again either in the Bank or in the Hotel and fix their story up so they will correspond, for every time that Krickbaum gets drunk (and that is quite often now days) he says and says it very emphatically that it was him that caused the defeat of Mercer. Now who lies, K. or L. K. also says that he wants it distinctly understood that he does not want the committee men from Bloomsburg to manipulate the Poor Board against his interests. Does he own the whole Poor district I wonder or does he only own a few Fridays that will do his bidding for a remuneration of some kind? Mr. Larish says that he done what he honestly thinks was right when he voted for Mr. Grotz for Treasurer and Klein for Secretary. Is Mr. Larish such a blockhead as to think that people will declare him right in voting for men who not only worked against him on the day of the election but for six weeks previous to the election. Right, why Mr. Larish does not even know the meaning of right if he calls this right. I defy Mr. Larish to put his finger on any forty men of Sagorloaf 'Twip, that done half as much for his election as I done myself, and yet he claims that he voted for Klein because somebody up there wanted him to, and calls it right. I am only sorry that I did not stay in my store and let the Bolter from the west ward beat Larish as he surely would have done and then I would have known *more than a week* before the appointments were made that I had no chance for Larish's vote.

J. H. MERCER.

Blank school statements for making out annual report of School boards, at the COLUMBIAN. Cash or stamps must accompany the order. 36 cts a dozen. 4-29-4t.

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and all other affections caused by impure blood.—Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers.—For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters.—Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded.—Price 50 cts, and \$1.00 per bottle at C. A. Klein's Drugstore.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.



DR. KILMER'S SWAMP-ROOT

Kidney, Liver and Bladder Cure. Rheumatism, Lumbago, pain in joints or back, brick dust in urine, frequent calls, irritation, inflammation, gravel, ulceration or catarrh of bladder, Disordered Liver, Impaired digestion, gout, biliousness, head-ache, SWAMP-ROOT cures kidney difficulties, La Grippe, urinary trouble, bright's disease.

Impure Blood, Scrofula, malaria, gonorrhoea or debility. Guarantee.—The contents of One Bottle, if not cured, Druggists will refund to you the price paid. At Druggists, 50c. Size, \$1.00 Size. "Invaluable Guide to Health"—Free-Consultation free. DR. KILMER & CO., BINGHAMTON, N. Y.



The above is a good likeness of Mr. Geo. C. Cradick engraved from a photo, taken a short time ago and sent to Dr. Kilmer & Co., with his letter and package of gravel he speaks about, which was dissolved and expelled after using three bottles of Swamp-Root. The following is Mr. Cradick's unsolicited account of his distressing and painful case.

Gosport, Ind., Jan. 18th, 1892. DR. KILMER & CO., BINGHAMTON, N. Y.—I do not know how to express my heartfelt thanks to you for the benefit I have received from using your Swamp-Root Kidney, Liver and Bladder Cure. I am now 61 years old, and have suffered almost death for about three years. I had given up to die, but as I profess to be a Christian man and a great believer in the prayer of the righteous, I prayed that God would send some one that would prolong my life, and I feel thankful to him and you for the means that was sent. May God spare your life many years yet that you may hear the great good that your medicine is doing. On the 20th day of August, 1891, Mr. Frank Lawson your agent at Spencer persuaded me to take a bottle of Swamp-Root. I have taken three bottles and I have brought out of my bladder line or gravel, which I have saved in quantity the size of a goose egg and I now feel like a new man. May God bless you and your medicine.

I remain your humble servant, GEORGE C. CRADICK, Box 273.

SECOND LETTER.

DEAR DOCTOR:—I take great pleasure in answering your letter which I received to-day. You say "you would like to publish my testimonial in your Guide to Health for a while". I have no objections at all for I want to do all in my power for afflicted humanity. I send by this mail a lot of the Gravel (about one half of what I brought out) that the Swamp-Root dissolved and expelled from my bladder.

Two years ago last Sept. I was taken with pain almost all over me, my head and back, my legs and feet became cold, would get sick at my stomach and vomit often, suffering a great deal from chills and at times these were so severe that I thought I would freeze to death. The condition of my urine was not so bad through the day, but during the night, at times, I had to get up every hour, and often every half hour. Would urinate sometimes a gallon a night, then it seemed my kidneys and back would kill me. I had been troubled with constipation for many years, but since using your Swamp-Root medicine has been better than for a long time. The medicine has helped my appetite wonderfully and it seems as though I could not eat enough.

I live about six miles in the country from Gosport. I was born and raised here, and have been a member of the M. E. Church for forty-two years.

Pardon me for writing so much for I feel that I would never get through praising your great remedy for Kidney, Liver and Bladder troubles. Your true friend,

Geo. C. Cradick

Those who try Swamp-Root have generally first employed the family physician, or used all the prescriptions within their reach without benefit. As a last resort, when their case has become chronic, the symptoms complicated and their constitution run down, then they take this remedy, and it is just such cases and cures as the one above that have made Swamp-Root famous and given it a world-wide reputation. At Druggists 50c size \$1.00 size, or of DR. KILMER & CO., BINGHAMTON, N. Y.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Call and see our line of Wall Paper and Window Curtains before you buy. J. H. MERCER.

We are prepared to do papering either by contracting to put it on or only sell you the paper, just as you like. J. H. MERCER.

FARMERS.

Look to your interest. Elmira Clipper chilled Plows, right and left South Bend chilled plows at bottom prices. Planet Jr. one horse cultivators, Blaker adjustable spring tooth harrow, set the teeth all at one time. All kind of repairs that farmers need. Call and see before you buy, at Eshleman & Wolf's, lower end Opera House, Bloomsburg, Pa.

For Wall Paper and Window Shades go to Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Glasses fitted free of charge at J. G. Wells'. All work guaranteed.

Plow repairs, stove repairs and light soft castings a specialty, also the cheapest cook stoves in the county at Sharpless foundry. 4 22 St.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

A fire broke out on the stage of the Central Theatre, Philadelphia, on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, and destroyed the Theatre and the *Times* Annex and adjoining property damaged. The loss is estimated at several millions of dollars. Many people were injured, and possibly a few lives lost. The *Times* Annex is an eight story brick building on Sansom street, occupied by the Philadelphia *Times*. Col. McClure's library was destroyed.

A BEAUTIFUL AVENUE.

Most of the residents on Market street have either sodded or seeded the ground between the pavement and the gutter in front of their residences. When all are done and the grass grows, this will make one of the most beautiful avenues in the state.

GRAND OPENING

in Millinery goods. All the latest City trimmed hats, all the New York styles, including a large assortment of ribbons of all shades and good quality.

MRS. C. F. STOHNER & SISTER, Evan's block two doors above Iron St. 4-29-4t.

It is not safe to throw a stone at random in Bloomsburg just now. One would be sure to hit a travelling life or accident insurance agent. More than a dozen have been here during the past few days.

A Philosophical Family.

Amelia has pimples, and sores in the head. From humors internal her nose has grown red. She's a boil on her neck that is big as a bell. But in other respects she is doing quite well.

And pa has dyspepsia, malaria and gout. His hands with salt-rheum are all broken out. He is prone to rheumatism that make his legs swell. But in other respects he is doing quite well.

And ma has night-sweats and a troublesome cough. That all of our doctors can't seem to drive off: She wakes every night and coughs quite a spell. But in other respects she is doing quite well.

There is nothing like philosophy to help one bear the ills of life, but in the case of this family what is most needed is a good supply of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It would cleanse Amelia's bad blood, cure pa's ailments, and check ma's cough. The "Golden Medical Discovery," by its action on the liver, cleanses the system of impurities. It cures humors, boils, scrofula, salt-rheum, erysipelas, and all kinds of sores and swellings. The only guaranteed blood purifier.

Lamp-chimneys cost so little that we let them go on breaking. We go on buying and grumbling.

What should we do? Get Macbeth's "Pearl-top" and "Pearl-glass," they are made of tough glass, tough against heat; they do not break in use; they do from accident.

They are fine, well made, exact; they fit the lamps they are made for; stand upright; the shade is right; they make a right draught for light; they are uniform. Both bear a label for your protection. Look for it. Be willing to pay a nickel more and stop this constant expense and annoyance.

Pittsburgh, Pa. GEO. A. MACBETH CO.

A large and complete line of Wall Paper at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Clark & Son,

Are showing full lines of the Newest Shades in Spring Dress Goods at popular prices, large lines of Dress Trimmings, Fancy Silks, Moire Silks, ribbons, Gimps all kinds, Braides, large lines of the Leading Laces, Hamburg Embroideries, White Dress Goods, full lines of Ladies' Muslin Underwear. See our 50c and \$1.00 Corsets, Kid Gloves, Silk Gloves, Ruchings, Chiffons. Full line of Ladies' Children's and Mens' Summer Underwear, Extra Values in Hosiery of all kinds, Boys' waists 25c up, Mens' outing Shirts, Lace Curtains, Chenille Curtains, Curtain Poles, Summer Corsets, Dress Gingham, Outing Cloths, Brandenburg Cloths, Canton and Pongee Cloths, Satin Broche, the newest Black Satin, Wash Dress Goods of all kinds. A lot of 12c Dress Gingham at 10c yd, a lot 10c gingham at 8c yd, Best apron Gingham at 8c yd, a good one for 6c yd, 4-4 Hill Muslin 8c yd. 10-4 Sheeting Muslins 25c yd. Chenille Table Covers. See our Cream Cloths, Black Dress Goods full lines, also Veils and Shawls, Umbrellas, Gloria Silk at \$1.29 and \$1.49. See our 50c Dress Goods.

PUBLIC SALE.

APRIL 30. Grant Herring, trustee will sell real estate in Jameson City on the premises at 10 o'clock a. m.

I. W. Hartman & Sons.

In our business we desire to carry out two points, 1st to furnish our customers with good goods at lowest prices, and 2nd to make a fair profit on all sales, the one pleases the purchaser and the other pleases us. To day we open another lot of new spring coats. No one can afford to miss seeing our spring stock of dress goods and trimmings. The time of the year is here for wash goods, we have a full line, our time is yours if you will call to see them. Our groceries must be appreciated, as twenty eight homes were supplied with them last Saturday with the delivery wagon. We deliver goods all the forenoon of each day and often in the after part of the day if must be, goods delivered to all depots.

I. W. HARTMAN & SONS.

You pay your money and you take your choice. It is a good thing when you are invited to take your choice to insist that you have something to choose from.

You will find no fault with us in this respect if you will come and look at our wall paper and window curtains.

If you have need of either come and see our stock; if you have not, come along just the same.

We know you will admire the beautiful combination in wall papers; the new shades in curtains and be astonished at what you can do at a moderate outlay.

W. H. BROOKE & CO'S.

ELECTION NOTICE.

Agreeably to the provisions of an Act of Assembly passed the 13 day of April 1875 the Annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bloomsburg Literary Institute and State Normal School of the Sixth District will be held on the 1st Monday of May, being May 3, 1892, between the hours of 2 and 5 in the afternoon of said day, at the office, in the Dormitory Building, of said school in the town of Bloomsburg Penna., at which time four persons will be elected Trustees on the part of the stockholders to serve for a period of three years; at the same time four persons will be nominated to the Superintendent of Public Instruction from whom he may appoint two Trustees on the part of the State to serve for a period of three years.

F. P. BILMEYER, Secretary.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the Creditors of the undersigned and to all persons whom it may concern that he will apply to the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County for the benefit of the insolvent Estate of this Commonwealth, on Monday morning May 3, 1892, at ten o'clock of said day, at which time any person having any objection to his discharge as an insolvent debtor can appear and make the same known.

W. KINGHAM, ATTY. DAVID KESTY.

April 15, 1892.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Lev. Fa. and Fi Fa. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Col. Co. Pa., and to me directed, will be exposed at public sale at the Court House, Bloomsburg, Pa. on

SATURDAY, MAY 7, 1892.

at 10 o'clock a. m. all that certain piece, parcel and tract of land, situated in the township of Blaine, county of Columbia, and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by lands formerly or now of William Frens; on the east by lands formerly or now of George Evans; on the south by lands formerly or now of widow Masteller and Daniel W. Ketchner; and on the west by land of Reese Eck, containing

NINETY-EIGHT ACRES,

more or less, on which is erected a two story FRAME DWELLING HOUSE,

Bank Barn and Outbuildings.

Seized, taken into execution of the writ of T. H. Bechtel trustee vs. H. V. Garrett and H. V. Garrett, adm'r on Lev. Fa. No. 80, May T. 1892, and Fi. Fa. No. 76, May T. 1892, and to be sold as the property of H. V. Garrett and H. V. Garrett, administrator. JOHN MOURKEY, BECHTEL & MILLER, ATTY. Sheriff.

BRAINOLINE,

WONDERFUL BRAIN AND NERVE FOOD.

Indicated in nervous derangements, resulting in excessive mental work or worry, and in general or special weakness caused by overtaxing any of the vital functions. A combination of the best nutrient and tonic remedies, blended by special processes, in such form as to adapt it to nearly all cases needing treatment. It builds up the forces by supplying in excessive proportion of the natural food elements needed to repair the waste caused by a disproportionate exercise of the physical functions. Further particulars mailed on application. All communications strictly confidential. Sold in Wilkes-Barre, Pa., by the Stanley Medicine Co., only, 62 South Main street. (Star Drug Store.) If your druggist does not send it, send it to us, and we will mail it on receipt of price \$1.00 per bottle. April 29th 1892.