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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, MAY 12, 1893.

BOY WANTED.

A boy 16 or 17 years of age is wanted in the THE COLUMBIAN office to learn the printing trade. He must be a good reader and speller, write a fair hand, and understand punctuation. None others need apply.

Gidding & Salsburg's Clothing House—2 doors below Post Office.

Edward Row is able to be out again after a sickness of a couple of weeks.

Henry Weaver is improving his Sixth street residence by a new fence.

MEN'S good serviceable Summer Suits for \$6.75 at Gidding & Salsburg.

T. L. Gunton has laid an Ohio stone pavement for L. E. Whary on Main street.

Senator Herring's duties in the senate prevented his attendance at court this week.

Dr. J. J. Brown's new residence presents a very handsome appearance since it was painted.

The Bloomsburg Car Co. has just received an order for fifty-eight platform cars, from New York.

Bryfogle Bros. have opened their Market square green grocery and plant house, and are doing a rushing business.

The Belle Wolf property on Fifth street was sold last Saturday at public sale, for \$1215, W. R. Kocher being the purchaser.

A. N. Yost, J. D. Warner and R. M. Smith have been appointed delegates to the State College by the Agricultural Society.

Just received a New lot of Children's Summer Suits, splendid goods and excellent patterns at \$2.98 at Gidding & Salsburg.

Mertus E. Edwards and his bride, having returned from their wedding trip on Saturday, were serenaded by the band in the evening.

B. W. Jury and his son are full of business. They have a number of contracts on hand. They are experienced contractors and builders.

John R. Sharpless was admitted to the bar last week. He studied law in the office of W. H. Rhawn Esq., at Catawissa, and is a young man of fine ability and much promise.

Judge Sittler of Wyoming County is expected here on Thursday to try the case of Chapin vs. Butt, as Judge Ikeler was at one time consulted as counsel in the case before going on the bench.

The most intelligent people of our community recognize in DeWitt's Little Early Risers pills of unequalled merit for dyspepsia, headache and constipation. Very small, perfect in action. W. S. Rishton, Druggist, 177.

No trace has been discovered of the son of W. H. Rhawn Esq., of Catawissa, who disappeared two weeks ago. The boy is thirteen years old. Every effort has been made to ascertain his whereabouts through the police and detectives but without success.

At DuBois, Clearfield county, last week the school board met to divine whether or not they would elect a city superintendent. They decided not to elect, although the law provides that any city or borough having a population of over 5,000 may elect a city or borough superintendent.

Next Sunday M. 14th will be observed as "Woman's Day" in the Lutheran church. In the morning the pastor, Rev. P. A. Heilmann will preach a sermon on "Woman's Work", and in the evening the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society will hold their anniversary meeting with appropriate exercises.

Arthur Roan has been added to our office force as errand boy and general messenger. This enables us to send proofs of all work to our customers in town, when desired, and to deliver all jobs promptly. His services can be procured by any one desiring a message delivered or an errand done in any part of the town, and he will also distribute circulars at reasonable prices.

Gidding & Salsburg are selling Men's all wool suits for \$8 48.

A. B. Croop, of Briarcreek was in town calling upon his numerous friends Tuesday. He is a democrat 365 days in every year, with an extra one for leap year.

Mrs. Philip Unangst who has been ill for several weeks past is very much improved. As soon as the weather becomes more settled no doubt she will be fully restored to health.

Fourteen have passed the final examination at the High School and will receive their diplomas next Friday evening at the commencement exercises.

James Cadman has built a veranda to his residence at corner of Third and East streets. He will now give the house a fresh coat of paint, when it will be as fine a residence as any one could desire.

The roof of the silk mill is about completed. It is built in a much more substantial manner than formerly. The contractor, B. W. Jury, says it will stand further storms unless a cyclone should visit us and level the whole town.

The building of Joseph Ratti's tenant houses is progressing as rapidly as could be expected considering the condition of the weather. One building is under roof, another has the frame erected, another the foundation laid, while the ground is being broken for two more.

G. B. W. Hossler is now under full headway in the carriage and buggy business on Second street. He is meeting with fine success, in turning out fine rigs; has one of the best painters, John Schihler, in the state. Mr. Hossler has turned out some beautiful buggies this spring.

Asa S. Keeler was elected as County Superintendent of the schools of Wyoming County last week. This is his third term in that position.

D. A. Harman was re-elected Superintendent of the schools at Hazleton.

Both of these were former Normal School students.

The citizens residing along Main street between East and the Normal School have petitioned the town council to have the gutter at each side set out about ten feet, the same as along Market street. The property owners will attend to the grading of the sides if the town will make the gutters. The street is wide, hence this would not interfere with the travel. It would lessen the expense of keeping up the street, besides add much to the beauty.

Don't fail to call on Gidding & Salsburg for anything in the Clothing line.

Death of Rev. I. Irvine.

Rev. Isaiah Irvine, pastor of St. John's Lutheran Church, Williamsport, died at his late residence, 1237 Erie avenue, at 3:35 o'clock last Sunday afternoon, of peritonitis, after an illness of a week's duration. A week previous Rev. Irvine occupied his pulpit, administering the sacrament of the Lord's supper, and seemed to be in usual health. At 4 o'clock the next morning he became ill. Later in the week it became necessary to perform an operation, from which he never rallied.

Rev. Irvine was 44 years of age, having been born in Fowlersville, Columbia county, in 1849. He is survived by a wife, but no children. Both his parents are still alive and reside in Fowlersville. He was pastor of the St. John's Lutheran church for the past two years, during which time he succeeded in uniting the congregation and meeting with good success. He was secretary of the Susquehanna Synod. At its session last week at Montgomery a telegram was handed the president signed by Rev. Irvine which read, "All is well." "Please read from I. Timothy, 4th chapter, 7th and 8th verses." The quotation was Paul's farewell words to Timothy.

The funeral services were held in St. John's church, Williamsport, Monday evening, conducted by Rev. Jacob Yutzky, of Selinsgrove, president of Susquehanna Synod, assisted by Rev. Anspach, of St. Paul's church. The remains were brought over Tuesday morning on the Pennsylvania railroad to Northumberland, where they were conveyed to the D. L. & W. railroad and taken to Berwick for interment.

Rev. Irvine was in attendance at the conference held at Espy a few weeks ago and gave a very interesting address.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Com. vs. Arden McHenry, desertion. Recognizance of defendant with J. J. McHenry as surety in \$200 in open Court, for the appearance of the defendant at next session.

Road in Fishingcreek township, near the Kramer school house. Report of viewers continued until next term.

Salina Diley vs. Samuel Diley, divorce. H. A. McKillip Esq., appointed commissioner to take testimony.

In estate of Wm. Beck, Sr., deceased. The report of sale continued until next term.

Com. vs. James McCormick, assault and battery. A true bill on two indictments. Upon motion of the District Attorney, nol. pros. allowed on the 2nd, 4th and 5th counts in the indictment.

Com. vs. Charles Hubbs, Samuel Given, David Stoddorth and Harry Jenner, malicious mischief. A true bill.

The Grand Jury on Thursday forenoon handed in a special report on the free county bridge at Bloom Ferry. In favor of a bridge.

Grand Jury report in favor of a county bridge at Light Street near residence of Jacob Melick, deceased.

Road in Jamison City, confirmed absolutely.

Road in Centre township, near Allen Shellhamer's confirmed absolutely.

Road in Hemlock township, confirmed absolutely.

Com. vs. Charles Hubbs, Samuel Given, David Stoddorth and Harry Jenner, malicious mischief. Each defendant was called before the Court and questioned by District Attorney and the Court reprimanded them for their conduct and did not require them to plead to the indictment, but remanded to the custody of the Sheriff and directed them to be fed upon bread and water until further order of the Court.

Com. vs. Foster Heller, charge larceny, not a true bill.

Com. vs. Abraham Fullmer, nol. pros. allowed as to 2nd count in the indictment. Com. vs. Abraham Fullmer. Forcible entry, &c. Verdict not guilty, but to pay the costs. Same day Court sentence defendant to pay the costs of prosecution, or give bail to the Sheriff for the payment of the same within 30 days, and to stand committed until the sentence is complied with.

Com. vs. James McCormick, nol. pros. allowed on the 1st count in the indictment, and the defendant pleads guilty as to the other counts, after hearing the testimony of Wm. Thomas, M. C. Woodward and Wm. Bodine. Verdict guilty. Court sentenced defendant to pay the costs of prosecution and a fine of \$75 and undergo imprisonment in the County Jail for a period of one year.

Traverse Jurors were discharged and all those who could not reach home before 7 o'clock p. m. were allowed another day.

Grand Jurors were discharged upon the same conditions.

Inquisition on the body of Catharine Cary approved as a proper case for inquest.

On Monday morning the docket was called over, and judgments entered.

Petition for re-viewers for a foot bridge across Fishingcreek near Forks filed.

Report of Guy Jacoby as Auditor in the estate of George Witmire confirmed nisi.

In the estate of Rebecca Breish deceased, C. G. Barkley Esq., appointed Auditor on exceptions and to make distribution.

Petition of inhabitants of Salem Township, Luzerne County and Briarcreek Township, Columbia County, asking that certain parts of said townships be annexed to the borough of Berwick filed.

Report of Auditor in the estate of Thos. Cole, deceased confirmed nisi.

John Applegate appointed guardian of Clara U. Hayman, minor child of Elisha Hayman deceased. Bond filed and approved.

A charter was granted for Emanuel Reformed Church in Madison township.

Sale of real estate ordered in the estate of George Bloss deceased.

Report of viewers in favor of a road in Franklin township near Hiram Reeder's barn confirmed nisi, width fixed at 33 feet.

Emma Jane Wintersteen vs. Chas. Wintersteen, divorce, John M. Clark appointed commissioner to take testimony.

In the estate of Isaac Yetter deceased the return of sale continued until Saturday, May 13, 1893.

In the estate of Ezekiel Cole deceased, C. W. Miller Esq., is continued as Auditor to make his report Saturday, May 13, 1893.

A. W. McCormick, Admr. of E. K. Adams vs. Samuel W. Adams. The rule continued until June 13, 1893.

John Goldworthy, F. P. and Luther Dimmick excused as jurors.

Report of re-viewers in favor of a road in Fishingcreek township near G. M. Howell's store confirmed nisi, width fixed at 33 feet.

Edward F. Smith, Admr. vs. Horace Schweppenhiesser, B. F. Zarr appointed Auditor to distribute the fund in Court arising from the Sheriff's sale of the decedent's real estate.

JOHN R. TOWNSEND, MERCHANT TAILOR.

CORNER OF MARKET AND MAIN STREETS, BLOOMSBURG.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The public schools will close Wednesday of next week. The final examinations are being held. The patrons of the schools should visit them and see whether good work is done. A good teacher will always welcome a visitor; and the poor teacher will be strengthened by the visitor's presence. Furthermore, it is not only the privilege but the duty of the patrons to see if the proper teacher is employed for instructing their children. If any complaints are to be made they should be made now before teachers are elected for another year. There is no better opportunity of judging what work has been done than in the final examinations—deportment as well as proficiency in studies can easily be discerned by the watchful visitors. The attendance in the schools during the past year has been much better than in any preceding year, and the teachers report more progress. Now that the year has about closed and soon preparations will be made for the new year, a list of prizes should be arranged and suggested to some member of the Board or to the principal, that announcement can be made in due time. In other places prizes are given at ever Commencement day. Who will be first to offer a prize in some branch of study. Each donor could select the particular branch of study they might desire.

BERWICK TO BE ENLARGED.

A petition has been presented in court for the enlargement of the limits of the Borough of Berwick. It will take in a portion of Briarcreek township on the south, and Salem township, Luzerne county on the north. A similar petition has been presented in Luzerne county to annex Salem township to Columbia county. A Commissioner was appointed there and A. N. Yost Esq. has been appointed in this county. The two will select a third Commissioner and report upon the application.

I. W. Hartman & Sons.

We have decided to sell out our Grocery, either by wholesale or by retail, beginning 20th day of this month. All pass book and credit accounts will close. The stock of fixtures will be sold and the room can be rented for a term of years. In the meantime goods will be offered at a big discount and job lots of Dishes Glassware &c., for cash, cheap.

We are and will continue to refresh our Dry Goods side with all the latest in styles. No better location in the town with push and capital, for a live Grocery business. The trade is here and no charge for good will.

I. W. Hartman & Sons.

Dress Goods.

Before you buy your Dress Goods it will pay to see our lines. Clark & Son.

Hosiery & Underwear—The best values ever shown for the money. It will pay you to see them. Clark & Son.

Kid Gloves—Full lines of all the leading shades and styles—see our Pique real kid at \$1.50, worth \$1.75.

Corsets—Large line 50c. Summer corsets, only 44c. Try \$1.00 corsets.

Children's Hats—The greatest values shown. See them. 25c. hats, 19c; 50c. caps, 38c; 75c. caps, 50c., and so on all through the line. Call and see.

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B. F. SHARPLESS, Pres. N. U. FUNK, Sec. C. H. CAMPBELL, Treas.

BLOOMSBURG LAND IMPROVEMENT COMPANY

Capital Stock, \$30,000.

Plotted property is in the coming business centre of the town. It includes also part of the factory district, and has no equal in desirability for residence purposes.

CHOICE LOTS are offered at values that will be doubled in a short time.

No such opportunity can be had elsewhere to make money. Lots secured on SMALL MONTHLY PAYMENTS. Maps of the town and of plotted property furnished on application.

Call upon or write to the Secretary, or J. S. Woods, Sales Agent, or any member of the Board of Directors.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

B. F. SHARPLESS; J. L. DILLON.
C. W. NEAL A. G. BRIGGS, DR. I. W. WILLIAMS,
DR. H. W. McREYNOLDS, N. U. FUNK.
5-12-6 mos.

The school board at Ashland last week adopted the Fuller & Warren system of heating and ventilation. An agent of the Smead, Wills & Co. was also present, but both companies offered the same bid. The board by unanimous vote adopted the former system.

A little ill, then a little pill. The fill is gone the pill has won. DeWitt's Little Early Risers the little pills that cure great ills. W. S. Rishton, Druggist. 10-14-1 yr.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Are you going to paper your house? Give us a call. Get estimates and prices. W. H. Brooke & Co.

A lot of new notes of the sharpest kind have just been printed and are for sale at this office. Also common receipts, estate receipts, and collectors' receipts, neatly bound in books of 25, 50 and 100. tf.

Flowerings and embroideries in endless variety at M. Ellenbogen's.

A large line of window curtains at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

New edition of Episcopal Hymnals at W. H. Brooke & Co's.

Largest line of ladies' waists in town. White embroidered waists, 50 cts. at M. Ellenbogen's.

Curtains made any width or length at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Best ladies' vests for 15 cts.; ladies' vests 6 cts. upwards. Fine ladies' underwear at M. Ellenbogen's.

BROOKER'S ANKLE SALVE.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by C. A. Klein.

Children's hats 18 cts. and upwards at M. Ellenbogen's.

Fresh Fish! Every day at C. B. Chrisman's.

See the Ladies Gauntlet Gloves at 25 cents and Ladies Safety Gloves 12 cents up at M. Ellenbogen's.

A large line of wall paper; browns, whites, gills and felts at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Hosiery, corsets from 25 cents upwards at M. Ellenbogen's.

Estimates furnished for wall paper. Contract work solicited. Competent workmen sent anywhere. W. H. Brooke & Co.

Pretty children's caps from 15 cents upwards at M. Ellenbogen's.

Deeds, mortgages and note books of all kinds at the COLUMBIAN office. tf.

Window curtains and fixtures in great variety at W. H. Brooke & Co's.

Wall paper and window shades at lowest prices. W. H. Brooke & Co.

If you are going to paper a kitchen, dining room, parlor, bed room or any other room, call and see Mercer's line of paper before buying.

This is the time of year when everybody begins to think about cleaning up and making improvements, and new wall paper is usually one of the first things to be done. W. H. Brooke & Co. have a very large and elegant stock to select from. Call and see and get estimates. 3-31-tf.

DRUNKENNESS, or the LIQUOR HABIT, Cured at Home in Ten Days by administering Dr. Haines' Golden Specific.

It can be given in a glass of beer, a cup of coffee or tea, or in food, without the knowledge of the patient. It is absolutely harmless, and will effect a permanent and speedy cure, whether the patient is a moderate drinker or alcoholic wreck. It has been given in thousands of cases, and in every instance a perfect cure has followed. It never fails. The system once impregnated with the specific it becomes an utter impossibility for the liquor appetite to exist. Cures guaranteed. 48 page book of particulars free. Address the GOLDEN SPECIFIC CO., 125 Race Street, Cincinnati, Ohio. 10-21-1 yr.

Paper sold by the roll or bolt, or contracts made to put it upon the wall, at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

BIG DROP IN CLOCKS.

A large lot of nickel-plated alarm clocks will be sold at 66 cents each, at J. G. Wells' jewelry store. A rare bargain. 3-17-tf

Old IDEAS Exploded.



It is a time honored Idea with certain people that they must pay way-up prices in order to get good

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry & Silverware. These Ideas we are exploding every day. We will convince you of the error if you will drop into our store. Articles bought of us will be engraved without extra charge.

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, and Optical repairing neatly and promptly done and guarantee satisfactory.

We are closing out our line of Fishing tackle, Base balls and bats at very low prices. A rare chance to secure Bargains. A full line of staple and fancy Stationery on hand at

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