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PENNSYLVANIA COLLEGE.

My visit this week was chiefly to the Agricultural side of the College. At the Experiment Station the Director, Dr. Armsby, with his efficient aids, Dr. Frear, Prof. Watters, Prof. Calder and Miss Grey, the Secretary, were all busy at their several departments but very kindly showed us the work as it was being done by the students at this time. In the class rooms the theoretical side was being pushed most vigorously and in the Creamery, at the barn and on the farm the practical work was being done in a most thorough, plain business way. We were shown how the grain, hay, fodder and ensilage were grown, gathered and prepared with the cost at each stage. The system and plan of feeding with the results reached in each case. The herd of cattle here consists of sixty cows and two bulls—very fine specimens of the Guernsey breed. The cows are not all pure bred, but are selections from good stock bred with the Guernsey males until one of the finest and best herds in the state is the result. A standard of excellence is established for each season and the cows that fail to come up to the mark are put on the market at once. Last season the standard was fixed at 200 pounds of butter and one of the finest cows in the herd, a thoroughbred Guernsey that produced but 116 lbs. was sold because she was not profitable to keep.

Another cow, a thoroughbred Jersey, weighing 700 lbs., just closed her first season with a yield of 375 lbs. of butter, or more than half her weight on a feed of eight pounds of grain feed per day, composed of a mixture proportioned, 150 lbs. Gluten meal, 100 lbs. cotton seed meal and 100 lbs. coarse bran. This cow pays and is kept for future dairy use and for breeding. At the other barn we saw 20 fat steers of the short horn breed. All "blocky," compact animals, showing an average weight of about 1400 pounds. For four years last past the fat cattle from these stables have been taken for export to London, England, because of the careful method of feeding and caring for them, and of course a nice premium is paid for them. They are under the care of Mr. Patterson, the Superintendent of the farm, and one of the best, if not the best farmer in the state. To see the arrangement of these barns, the method of caring for and feeding the stock, and the economy that is practiced throughout would well repay any farmer in the state to visit this place and spend time enough to study every department. On Tuesday I had the honor of dining at the Ladies' Cottage with Col. Gilkeson and wife, General Hastings and daughter, Col. Woodward, Mrs. Spangler and Miss Holiday who were visiting the College with a view to learning more about this institution that is so rapidly gaining an enviable reputation throughout all our Commonwealth. When the Chairman of the Republican Committee, the next Governor of the state and representatives from the leading circles of business and society, take the time and the trouble to visit this institution and to learn of its work, should not our farmers feel sufficiently interested to determine what it is doing for them? Go up to your College, take your wives, your sons and your daughters, see the three hundred young men and women who are at work there, see the work that is being done for them and by them and be convinced that the College of yours is a grand institution and well deserves your hearty support and co-operation. Nothing will afford me more pleasure than to furnish you any information at my command at any time, no trouble to me, no cost to you.

Most sincerely,
H. V. WHITE.

THE COLD WAVE.

The extraordinary warm weather of the past few weeks has been followed by a remarkably cold wave. Wednesday of last week was the warmest day ever known for the month of March, and less than a week later the Mercury drops 60 degrees, and gives us several of the coldest days ever known for March. On Monday and Tuesday the thermometer registered 18 and 16 degrees in the morning and remained below the freezing point all day. It was truly a cold wave. Nor was it local, because it prevailed in Missouri, Illinois, Indiana and Ohio, west of us; and where fruit trees were in blossom or ready to burst, they will likely be killed. The peach and cherry trees suffer very much.

COXEY'S ARMY IN HARD LUCK.

Cold Weather Drives Fifty-Eighth of the Soldiers to the Police Station for Shelter.

STILL CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS.

Less Than Seventy-Five Men in Line But Everything is Working According to Schedule.

CANTON, O., March 26.—When the sun rose on Camp Lexington this morning not a soldier of the "Commonwealth" army was visible. The cold weather had driven them all out of their big tent during the night. Fifty-eight of them had gone to the police station, where they were given lodging on the cold stone floor. Others had scattered in different directions, many of them to return no more. Those who assembled this morning in camp were given breakfast.

Coxey, Browne and the other leaders sleep comfortably at the hotel. An examination of the court records this morning showed mortgages against Coxey's property to the extent of \$48,000, and the claim that he would not be able to pay ten cents on the dollar if pressed seems pretty well founded. He leaves the army at Alliance to go to Chicago, but claims he will be absent only one night. Browne said this morning: "All hell can't stop this movement now. I have foreseen from the start just how it would be. I knew exactly how many men would start with us, what the weather would be, and all that. You can make up your mind that the kingdom of Heaven is at hand."

What was left of the army breakfasted on bread and boiled bacon and black coffee. Coxey says the cold weather and the newspapers will be unsuccessful in defeating his project. God is with him, he declares and his army will number a thousand men inside of forty eight hours. The weather was very cold this morning and the Commonwealth soldiers, being thinly clad, suffered. There were many loud complaints and threats of desertion until better weather favored the movement. Camp Lexington was broken at eleven o'clock and the start for Louisville was made. Less than seventy-five men were in line, but Coxey and his lieutenants claimed everything was working according to the celestial schedule with which they have been furnished.

TRAPPED AND SHOT A THIEF.

A STORE PROPRIETOR AWAKENED AT NIGHT LIES IN WAIT FOR HIS MAN.

PLYMOUTH, PA., March 25.—The stealing of flour from C. J. Boyle's store will likely cost George Jones his life. He broke into the store shortly after midnight and carried off two sacks of flour before he was heard.

When he returned for the third sack the servant girl heard him and gave the alarm. The proprietor dressed, and, taking a revolver, went to the storeroom. He concealed himself behind some barrels and awaited developments.

In less than 20 minutes the burglar returned. He removed his shoes at the door, and, entering, picked up another sack of flour. The groceryman sprang from his hiding place, and commanded the thief to halt. The latter dropped the flour and started to run, and Boyle fired. The bullet struck him in the back.

The thief fell to the ground and cried for mercy. Boyle called the police, and when the wounded burglar was removed to the station house it was found that he was George Jones.

It is not known as yet whether the wound will cause his death. Jones said he stole the flour because his family needed bread.

More Appointments By Collector Herring.

Collector Grant Herring announces the following appointments: William T. Burke, of Scranton, general storekeeper and gauger at the main office; John F. Brosius, of Clinton County, to be deputy collector for Centre, Clinton, and Union Counties; Sylvanus Weaver to be deputy collector of Northampton County; F. L. Magee, gauger and storekeeper at Reigh's distillery in Union County; Joseph Habershaw of Clinton County, stamp clerk, and Jasper N. Brooks, storekeeper and gauger at Pleasant Mount distillery, Centre County.

At the annual meeting of the congregation of St. Paul's P. E. Church last Monday evening, the following persons were elected Vestrymen: C. F. Knapp, J. G. Freeze, Geo. E. Elwell, Paul E. Wirt, G. S. Robbins, J. G. Wells, and John R. Townsend.

BRIEF MENTION

About People You Know.

Invitations are out for a progressive euchre party at Mrs. Paul E. Wirt's on Friday night. Geo. K. Heddens was the guest of his brother, P. B. Heddens, last week.

Montgomery Smith spent the Easter holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leverett, of Wilkes-Barre, spent Easter Sunday in Bloomsburg.

Miss Helen Harman, of Norristown, is visiting relatives in town.

Guy Jacoly Esq. moves into his new house on Pine street.

Mrs. H. O. Rodgers of Hazleton has been visiting Bloomsburg relatives.

Albert Stookey, of Shickshinny, spent Easter among relatives in Espy.

William Magill Esq., spent Easter with his parents in Danville.

Carl Wirt is at home from school to spend his Easter vacation.

C. C. Peacock has sold a lot of ground on Fifth street to C. B. McHenry of Benton.

Louis Townsend and family, of Berwick, spent Easter with their Bloomsburg relatives.

H. V. White went to State College on Monday to attend a committee meeting.

M. P. Lutz is able to be out again, after being in bed for several weeks.

John P. Hammon of Conyngham township has been quite sick. We wish him a speedy recovery.

The Ladies' Whist Club was entertained at Mrs. Hanly's, Berwick, on Thursday night.

Paul Armand has been spending a few days in New York recently. He is foreman of the Brass and Copper Works.

The Lafayette College boys were entertained at C. W. Miller's on Monday night after the concert.

Mr. and Mrs. Layton Runyon and Mrs. C. W. Runyon left home on Monday to visit relatives in Newark, Allentown and Bethlehem.

Little Miss Helen Fornwald was agreeably surprised last Wednesday, by about twelve of her little friends. Their mission was to celebrate her fifth birthday, and their efforts were well rewarded by the enjoyable time they had.

ARGUMENT COURT.

Court convened Tuesday a. m. with Judge Ikeler and Associates Murphy and Millard on the bench.

Bottlers license of Cameron & Sheep transferred to Sheep & Giger.

Hotel license of Mrs. White at Espy transferred to W. J. Purman.

Petition for rule to strike off satisfaction of judgment of A. J. Ikeler vs. B. & S. R. R. Co. as to costs. Rule granted and returnable first Monday of May court.

Allen Mann's executors vs. John S. Mann and Clinton Brobst. Petition of Clinton Brobst for order to open judgment. Rule granted, returnable May court.

Lloyd Fox appointed guardian of Wm. May.

Alice D. Sharretts vs. Luther B. Sharretts. Libel in divorce filed. Subpoena awarded.

J. D. Bodine vs. Col. Co. Judgment in open court for \$503.06 by consent of parties.

Sale of real estate of Martha Cole, dec'd, ordered.

Estate of Jacob Moyer. Petition for rule to show cause why residuary legatees shall not be parties to record, &c. Rule granted returnable next court.

John Harmony vs. Mary A. Harmony. Divorce decreed.

Estate of David Stroup, exceptions of residuary legatees presented.

John F. Chapin vs. Z. A. Butt et al. Additional reasons for new trial filed. Now March 27th the within reasons permitted to be filed under objection of counsel for defendant.

Mary A. Knorr et al. vs. Bloomsburg Iron Co. Petition for a rule to show cause why the appointment of the Receiver shall not be revoked or modified. Rule granted as prayed for, returnable April 6, 1894.

In the matter of the appeal of Wm. Miller, of Berwick, where his appeal as defendant had been stricken off on a former occasion, the court again reinstated said appeal.

A petition was presented to inquire into the sanity of John Vanderville with a view of sending him to the Danville Hospital, but the court informed the parties that notice had been sent to all courts not to send any more patients as there was no room. The petition was ordered filed.

Time for filing an answer by the old board of county commissioners, and by ex treasurer Kline in the matter of the appeal from the annual settlement was extended to April 6th.

Anjourned until April 6th.

This year's annual Sunday School convention is to be held in the court house in Bloomsburg May 24 and 25. The executive committee are planning in conjunction with the Bloomsburg workers to have an interesting and profitable time.

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The World's Fair

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CHANGE OF TIME.

On and after Monday April 2, 1894, the summer arrangement of trains on the Bloomsburg and Sullivan R. R. will be as follows:

SOUTHWARD.

Morning passenger train leave Jamison City 5.50 a. m.

A mixed passenger and freight leave Jamison City 12.20 p. m.

Evening passenger train leave Jamison City 5.00 p. m.

Above trains will reach D. L. & W. depot, Bloomsburg 7.20 a. m., 3.20 p. m., and 6.30 p. m., respectively.

NORTHWARD.

Morning passenger train leave Bloomsburg D. L. & W. depot, 8.35 a. m.

A mixed passenger and freight train leave Bloomsburg D. L. & W. depot, 12.30 p. m.

Evening passenger train leave Bloomsburg D. L. & W. depot, 6.40 p. m.

Reaching Jamison City, 10.05 a. m., 4.00 p. m. and 8.10 p. m. respectively.

There will be no services in St. Paul's P. E. church on Sunday next. Sunday School will be held at the usual hour.

"The Drummer Boy of Shiloh" was played three nights last week at the Opera House by home talent, under the direction of Mr. Fred. Weigle. The attendance was small, owing to unfavorable weather and the fact that it was Holy Week, and services were held in many of the churches. On Tuesday night it was repeated for the benefit of the cast, and the hall was well filled. It is said to be one of the best performances ever given here by amateurs. The music was furnished each night by C. P. Elwell's orchestra and it was well rendered and greatly enjoyed.

L. S. Winterstein Esq. has sold his interest in his office building to the First National Bank for \$16,000. It included his half interest and the share of Clifton Knorr which was bought by Mr. Winterstein some time ago.

A notice in the postoffice advises everybody to have their name printed or written upon the upper left-hand corner of the envelope, so that there may be no occasion for its going to the Dead Letter office. Get your envelopes printed at this office. It will cost but a trifle and saves lots of trouble.

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The Lafayette College Glee, Banjo and Mandolin Club gave a very enjoyable entertainment at the Opera House last Monday evening. No one expected to find in them a first class professional company of artists, but for amateurs they did very well. The instrumental part was better than the vocal, still every piece was vigorously applauded, and the boys cheerfully responded to numerous encores. They are a jolly set of young gentlemen, and they are out for a good time within proper limits, and they are having it. Such organizations are always welcome here.

An exclamation heard everywhere nowadays is "Don't touch that arm. I am vaccinated."