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THE COLUMBIAN.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, JULY 27, 1894.

Entered at the Post Office at Bloomsburg, Pa. as second class matter, March 1, 1888.

The delegate election will be held on Saturday, August 11th.

Hess Bros., received three handsome new cherry show cases for their jewelry store on Tuesday.

The premium list for the Bloomsburg Fair has just been printed at this office, twenty-five hundred copies.

An ice cream festival was held on the Presbyterian Church lawn on Tuesday evening.

A flower on Mrs. J. A. Funston's night blooming cereus plant opened last Saturday night.

Owing to the absence of the rector there will be no services in the Episcopal church on Sunday.

Two new Chinese laundries have been opened, one in Solleder's building, and one on Iron street.

The contract for the stone work at the river bridge was completed on Tuesday. Several spans of iron work are up.

The contract for furnishing stationery, pens, pencils, &c., to the public schools of Bloomsburg, has been awarded to J. W. Moyer.

A satisfied customer is a permanent one. That's why we recommend DeWitt's Little Early Risers. They cure Constipation, Indigestion and Biliousness.—W. S. Rishton, Druggist. tf.

Not counting some few agricultural fairs in the State that have weakened and therefore have no regular annual exhibitions, there are still about 50 that hold regular annual exhibitions in Pennsylvania.

Our latest and most cheering news from the Coxey army is to the effect that they will commonwealth to Atlantic City with other fashionables and there take a bath. The man who will say this is not good news is mistaken.

The new Lutheran church at Millville, will be dedicated Sunday, August 5th. Rev. F. P. Manhart, of Selinsgrove, will preach Saturday evening. The dedicatory sermon will be preached on Sunday morning by Rev. J. A. Wirt of Hughesville. Services Sunday afternoon and evening at 3 and 7:30.

We notice that bicycles are sold under guarantee. This indicates that there is a chance to get deceived in buying bicycles as well as in sleek looking horses and watches. We notice further that keen competition is tending to help this popular means of locomotion find its proper level in point of price.

On Saturday afternoon Judge Millard's house, located at Willow Grove, was found to be on fire. The judge was absent at the time, but hearing of it reached home quickly and found ready help from neighbors and friends near at hand. Considerable damage to buildings and furniture was done however before the fire was subdued.

For the relief and cure of a cold in the head there is more potency in Ely's Cream Balm than in anything else it is possible to prescribe. This preparation has for years past been making a brilliant success as a remedy for cold in the head, catarrh and hay fever. Used in the initial stages of these complaints Cream Balm prevents any serious development of the symptoms, while almost numberless cases are on record of radical cures of chronic catarrh and hay fever after all other treatments have proved of no avail.

DO YOU WANT BICYCLE SUNDRIES?

We have 'em.

Lanterns, bells, luggage carriers, stands, mud guards, trouser-guards, repair-kits, cement, enamel, oil, chain-lubricant, etc.

DO YOU WANT A BICYCLE?

We can furnish them.

Cleveland, Rochester, Lovell and Binghamton. From \$15 to \$150.

W. S. RISHTON, AGENT FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY, Opposite Post Office.

Collector's tax receipts and tax notices are for sale at this office. tf.

If any of our readers have not seen the Atlantic ocean, and we feel assured there are quite a number, they have a good chance to do so on the Pennsylvania Railroad Excursion on August 1st.

If a passenger can now cross the ocean on what is called steerage passage for \$8.64, the cut in the rate may be attributed to competition—that is the wholesome leveler of things commercial and nautical. It does not necessarily imply that there is no profit in that rate for the haulers. It rather indicates the immensity of the profit in the business heretofore.

The M. E. Church, Catawissa circuit, will hold a camp-meeting in Roaringcreek township, continuing eight days and commencing August 29th. The grove in which it will be held is known as Wolverton's, and it is located on the road leading from Newlin to Mainville. Arrangements have been made for boarding on the grounds. The harvest is plentiful. Go and worship the God of nature who has kindly given it.

As the workmen on the river bridge were rowing along one evening recently, the oar brought up some copper wire about an eighth of an inch in diameter. They began pulling it in and coiling it as they went. It seemed to be a continuous piece long enough to reach from shore to shore as they found upon gathering it all in. It was believed to have been an outline upon which short lines and hooks had sometime been tied for the purpose of fishing in defiance of law.

SHOOTING MATCH.

The third prize shooting match for the Columbia County championship medals will be held at Bloomsburg, on Friday, August 3d, 1894. Shooting to commence at 9 o'clock A. M. This shooting will be limited to those residing within the county. After shooting for medals a sweepstakes shooting at pigeons and targets will be held the remainder of the day. All marksmen are cordially invited, and a large turnout is expected.

J. H. MERCER, President, Bloomsburg Gun Club.

Low Rate Sea Shore Excursion, August 1

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company announces that on August 1st an unusually low rate excursion will be given persons desiring to visit the sea shore, and it promises to be the most popular tour of the season. The round trip fare from Catawissa and Riverside is \$4.00. Tickets will be good, going August 1st, on regular trains leaving Wilkes-Barre 7:25 a. m. or 10:15 a. m. Passengers will have the privilege of stopping over night in Philadelphia and resume their journey on any regular train for the sea shore. Tickets will be good for passage to either Atlantic City, Cape May, Sea Isle City, Ocean City, Angelsea or Wildwood, and good to stop off in Philadelphia in either direction within limit. For further particulars apply to ticket agents.

One word describes it—"perfection." We refer to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve; cures obstinate sores, burns, skin diseases and is a well known cure for piles.—W. S. Rishton, Druggist. tf.

As for potatoes, reports indicate an enormous yield in Pennsylvania this year from the early plantings. But the dry spell in July will no doubt seriously affect the late plantings.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Pursell & Harman's delivery wagon has been newly painted and lettered.

The following letters are advertised: July 24th, 1894. George W. Crouse, Miss Mary Geiser, Mr. A. Hartman, W. F. Hallstead, Miss Lizzie Kenny, Thomas Morris, Mrs. R. G. Swartz, Miss Sallie Stoucker, Cards, Mr. George E. Walker. Will be sent to the dead letter office August 7, 1894. JAMES H. MERCER, P. M.

For the sole purpose of inducing the Senatorial trust combine to remain firm in its hostility to tariff reform Republican newspapers insist that the President, in his letter to Chairman Wilson, has insulted the Senate. He did nothing of the kind, and if he had done so that would be no more than the whole country has done. It is a Senate, or rather a combine of "conservatives," that has not earned any body's respect.—The Patriot.

In a fight among Hungarians near Pittston a woman was killed. These are the people brought into this State by protected manufacturers and mine owners, imported to mine coal on which there is a duty "for the protection of American labor." These are the men imported to dig iron ore, upon which there is a duty, also "for the protection of American labor." They have driven and were intended to drive American labor out of the field. Why should the duty on coal and iron continue? Why should not the house conferees continue to insist that these two articles be placed on the free list?—The Patriot.

Gospel Meetings of the Y. M. C. A.

Inasmuch as a number of students of Lafayette College will be in Bloomsburg next week to conduct a series of Gospel Meetings in the interest of the Y. M. C. A., the Pastors' Union at a special meeting, held July 23d, unanimously decided to co-operate with the same, and all the members of the various churches are respectfully called upon to do likewise, so that these meetings may be the means of becoming a great spiritual awakening in this community. Meetings will be held in several of the churches during the week and in the Auditorium of the Normal School on Sunday afternoon and evening. A schedule of these will be announced in a few days. REV. C. H. BRANDT, Sec. of the Pastors' Union.

"There is a Salve for every wound." We refer to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve; cures burns, bruises, cuts, indolent sores, as a local application in the nostrils it cures catarrh, and always cures piles.—W. S. Rishton, Druggist. tf.

A New Business College.

The Scranton Business College, whose advertisement appears elsewhere in this paper, is one of the latest educational institutions in the field, but it will open about Sept. 4th under very favorable circumstances and with every prospect of brilliant success. Buck, Whitmore & Co., young men of exceptional qualifications, are the proprietors. Prof. Buck was for five terms an instructor in the public schools of Pennsylvania, and for the past eight years has been the acting principal of Wood's Business College in Scranton, resigning to go into this venture himself. Prof. Whitmore was the principal of the business department of the Garner, Iowa, Academy, for two years one of the proprietors of the Canton, Ill., Commercial College, has taught in Quincy, Ill., Columbus, O., Pittston, Pa., and for the past three years was at the head of the Actual Business Department of Wood's Business College. It will thus be seen that they are ripe in experience and as they are wide-awake, progressive and honorable young men who will aim to impart the most thorough, practical education at minimum cost their success seems certain. They will give full value in education for every dollar paid them in tuition.

The Most Gorgeous Treasures of Arabia.

What a splendid picture it brought before your mind: You read the glowing descriptions of the secret treasures which the geni of the ring spread before Aladdin's gaze. You perused this favorite story of yours in "Arabian Nights" when a boy, and your imagination pictured brilliantly for you everything that the words suggested.

That was when you were a boy. Today, possibly, you are unable to do it. Shall we tell you the reason why? Most probably because your liver is sluggish, and as a consequence you suffer from sick headache, dizziness, and constipation. Do you want to cure all these troubles permanently, make your liver active, your imagination lively, and in general enjoy things as you did when a boy? All you have to do is to use Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, purely vegetable, perfectly harmless, the smallest and easiest to take, and they are the cheapest because they are guaranteed to give satisfaction, or your money is returned. What more can you ask?

BICYCLES FOR RENT.

Bicycles of every description for rent by the day or hour. Prices moderate, at

MEARS' BICYCLE LIVERY, Fifth Street.

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned will offer at public sale, on Saturday, July 28th, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the River Bridge, about 50,000 feet of hemlock lumber, consisting of square timber and plank. Said lumber was used in the coffer-dams at the river bridge. COMMISSIONERS OF COL. CO.

J. R. Townsend is the leading Merchant Tailor of Columbia county. See his advertisement on fourth page. tf.

Laws of Supply and Demand.

In the face of hard times Reading's coal output for June beats all previous records, it is said. It reached 1,247,297 tons, being 77,173 tons more than ever before. The general boom of business in consequence of the demand for the commodities of life which have been tied up by the strikers, and in consequence of the general close-up of our cunning high protectionists, will soon be felt, now that the protectionist has won the victory in the halls of legislation. But would the high protectionist avert tariff reformation proper in the near future he must win at the polls and change the political complexion of the House and also of the Senate. In other words he must win and not lose at the polls on the very tariff issue that defeated him when Cleveland was elected. We are inclined to doubt that the masses will be satisfied with such half way tariff reformation as the present bill will give us even if it passes without further emasculating through conference committees. The sovereign demand is imperial when it knows for certain what it wants. Though politicians often delude, mislead and fool the sovereign power, yet in the language of Lincoln, "they can't fool all the people all the time," though they can fool some of the people some of the time and some of the people all the time.

Nor are the laws of supply and demand entirely within the control of our politicians and speculators who of course would be pleased to control them. There is evidently a higher and confounding influence wisely operating among selfish and vain humanity and it not only confounds the wise but as Paul says, "it enlightens and elevates the foolish."

No Gripping, no Nausea, no Pain, when DeWitt's Little Early Risers are taken. Small Pill. Safe Pill. Best Pill.—W. S. Rishton, Druggist. tf.

Internal Revenue.

As to the financial situation in governmental affairs competent and impartial observers remark a slight diminution of receipts from customs but a very large increase of receipts from internal revenue. Our law makers with a cunning quite characteristic among them these days, so shaped the legal exactions put upon distillers as to give the poor fellows a good chance to anticipate the increased taxation, so that by paying in advance on intoxicants in stock they can save millions and practically avoid the force of the law for the present and in fact until the great stock on hand is consumed. By this time a change for the better is no doubt anticipated by those who make the goods and pay the revenue. If any body doubts that money counts in law-making these days they can clear up all doubts by just noticing how cunningly matters are regulated where millions are involved not only in the luxuries but also in the necessary commodities of life.

Portrait of the Conservative Senator.

The conservative senator. He hardly trusts himself. He surrounds himself with secrecy. He loves the secrecy of the caucus and the committee room. He is always in favor of exacting an obligation of secrecy from all who share his counsels, or whom he is compelled to admit into his confidence in ever so slight a degree. Secret interviews at his own house or that of a fellow senator, secret conferences after midnight in hotel rooms, are his delight. Anything to keep the public in ignorance, and to prevent the people from knowing what he is about. If he speculates in sugar or in stock, he does it through the medium of a "blind pool" and is careful not to know what orders are given or by whom to buy or to sell. He employs a cipher when he telegraphs, and will make a night journey to New York at any time rather than trust the mail.—The Sun.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Co. has arranged for a special excursion to the sea shore August 1st, taking in all the popular resorts on the south Atlantic coast. The trip will no doubt be an enjoyable one.

FARMERS' HOTEL, Iron Street, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

First-class accommodations for regular and transient boarders. Good stable attached.

Money to Loan.

\$400 on first lien security. Inquire at this office. tf.

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A large lot of Window Curtains in stock.

Fashionable Livery.

The well known horseman has opened a fashionable livery in connection with his boarding stable at the Exchange Hotel Stables, where fine turnouts can be obtained, single or double. He has well broken and safe saddle and driving horses for ladies, all at reasonable rates. Orders left at the Exchange Hotel will receive prompt attention. Drivers furnished when desired. W. A. HARTZELL, Proprietor

Ladies and gentlemen, why do you suffer with Corns or Bunions on your feet when you can be relieved by using the world renowned Corn Ease? It contains no poison and gives no pain. For sale by J. B. Russell at Glasco Cameron's tonsorial Parlor. If not satisfied with the result, money refunded. 6-15-2m.

Boarding

And furnished rooms to rent on Main street. Steam, gas, hot and cold water and bath. Apply to Mrs. M. M. Phillips, at Phillips' Cafe. tf

Heart Disease Relieved in 30 Minutes.

Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart gives perfect relief in all cases of Organic or Sympathetic Heart Disease in 30 minutes, and speedily effects a cure. It is a peerless remedy for Palpitation, Shortness of Breath, Smothering Spells, Pain in Left Side and all symptoms of a Diseased Heart. One dose convinces. Sold by W. S. Rishton. 6-15-1y.

Nerve Tonic.

Meredith's Celery with Pepsin Bitters, is Non-Alcoholic. It is a true Nerve Tonic, an active Alternative, a reliable Laxative and Diuretic. It restores Strength, renews Vitality, Purifies the Blood, Regulates the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels. Price \$1.00 per bottle at all druggists and groceries. If they don't have it, write to

G. W. Meredith & Co.,

Pittsburg, Pa., and they will see that you get it.

Sept. 5, 1 yr.



Breaking in isn't needed, with the Ball corset. It's easy from the start. Coils of tiny wire springs in the sides make it so. There are bones that bend, but can't break, and soft eyelets that won't cut the laces. You'll like it. If you don't, after a few weeks' wear, just return it and get your money. For sale by Pursell & Harman.