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The time of year is at hand when landlords and tenants are thinking about each other more or less earnestly and affectionately.

Julius Lindegren, the piano tuner, will be in town the middle of next week. Orders can be left at the Store of S. F. Peacock & Co.

The following letters are advertised Jan. 8, 1895. Mr. L. V. Able, Mr. C. P. Croman, Mr. John Henry. Will be sent to the dead letter office Jan. 22, 1895.

JAMES H. MERCER, P. M.

A fair sized audience greeted Wilfred Clarke and company last Saturday night at the Opera House. The play was fully up to the expectations of all present. Mr. Holmes ought to be supported in his efforts to give us first class entertainments.

The ice on the pavements about public buildings should not be allowed to freeze so hard that it can't be removed till it thaws off. What's the matter with the contingent fund of Bloomsburg? Contingent funds are generally elastic enough to cut ice and shovel snow.

In the Lutheran church this has been denominated "a week of prayer." The topics arranged by the Evangelical Alliance constituted the themes for dissertation by the pastor, Rev. Heilman, and others who participated every evening, and to spiritual advantage, no doubt.

Hon. H. H. Rutter of Hughesville spent a few hours in town on Wednesday. He joined Hon. A. L. Fritz here, and they went to Harrisburg on the four o'clock train. The legislature reconvened on Wednesday evening. Hon. W. T. Creasy also went down the same day.

On Friday evening E. W. Samuels, M. D., Grand Commander of the Knights of Malta, was royally entertained by friends and members of the order of Bloomsburg. Mr. Samuels fully explained the worthy objects and principles of the order, in a well delivered and well received speech. Encouraging responses were made by several members of the commandery before retiring to the banquet prepared for the occasion.

Rev. Dr. Cox of Nanticoke preached two excellent sermons at St. Paul's church on Sunday. Notwithstanding the inclement weather, the attendance was good. In the evening the choir sang an anthem that was prepared for Christmas. It will be repeated next Sunday. Rev. Mr. Ware of Plymouth will officiate on Sunday morning and evening. The bells will not be rung.

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Bradford county, with a population of 70,000, has sixty six applications for license. Columbia county, with about half that population, has eighty five applicants.

The Bloomsburg Candy Factory is located on Centre Street in the Opera House building. It is conducted by John Bush & Co., in an efficient manner. They manufacture and deal in all lines of candy, and they handle dry and fresh fruit, nuts, &c. They will sell at either wholesale or retail, and at competitive rates. it.

Gidding & Co. are having busy times these days. Last Saturday was the opening of their Red Letter Sale of suits and overcoats and they've been kept pretty busy since. Of course this is supposed to be a dull season (after the holidays) but Gidding & Co. believe in selling goods and keeping busy all the time. Even if not at a profit, it keeps their stock new and fresh. This is the chance of a season to clothe one self at a low figure, and no doubt our readers will take advantage of it.

Mr. F. M. Everett has resigned his position as assistant cashier at the Bloomsburg Banking Co., to take effect on the 15th inst. He has accepted the position of cashier of the Mt. Carmel Banking Co., and will move to that place. While Mr. Everett's departure from our town with his family is to be regretted, Mt. Carmel is fortunate in securing them as residents, and the new bank has made a wise selection. The vacancy at the Banking Co. has not yet been filled.

Lincoln J. Carter, who has made a great deal of money out of the scenic melodrama, "The Fast Mail," has fairly outdone its mechanical wonders in a new piece bearing the suggestive title of "The Tornado," that was presented to a large and enthusiastic audience that tested the capacity of Haylin's at both Sunday performances. The play is plentifully spiced with sensational situations. Among the scenic features are a collision at sea, a sinking ship, a burning house, and finally a tornado that displays to thrilling advantages the present possibilities of stage illusion. Mr. Carter was called before the curtain and made a brief speech of thanks to the audience for their appreciation of his handiwork.—*Chicago Inter Ocean*, Tuesday, May 30, '93.

Opera House, January 11th.

Died near Fowlersville, Col. Co., Dec. 26th, James Kocher, aged 76 yrs. 1 mo. and 10 days.

Deceased was one of the old residents of his neighborhood, having been born on the same farm where his death occurred; was highly respected by all who knew him for his sterling qualities of honesty, industry and kindness to his two neighbors and family, no one ever calling upon father Kocher for a favor in vain.

He was the father of 7 children, 4 sons and 3 daughters, all of whom survive him. In addition to the 7 children living there are 31 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. His wife had preceded him to the spirit world 6 years. He was buried in the Baptist Cemetery near Fowlersville, Rev. J. R. Shippe of the M. E. Church officiating.

There's Music in Selleck's Instruments.

At the establishment of Mr. S. L. Selleck, on Main street, may be found musical instruments that will not only "soothe the savage," but they may also be made to console the civilized and christianized, under proper manipulation. While a great deal depends upon the manipulation and the manipulator, quite as much depends upon the kind of instrument manipulated. Mr. Selleck rather makes a specialty of the Kingsbury piano (whose sales have reached 165,000) and the Chicago Cottage organ—that defies competitors. But, not being prejudiced, he handles other makes, of course, just to suit customers. For written music and all manner of instruments to make it, see Selleck. 11.

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.

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Rev. G. E. Weeks the respected pastor of the Baptist Church, began a series of spiritual meetings on Monday night to which all are respectfully invited. These meetings will continue for several weeks, and it is to be hoped they may result in much good to all who participate and feel the need of spiritual endeavor. And we contend that all who are rightly constituted feel it keenly sometime in life.

The old-time carrier's address on one sheet reduced to poetry and delivered on New Year's morning by the carrier-boy for any amount the recipient might give, having about grown obsolete because of the indolence of the muses or something, the *Williamsport Sun* this year issued instead a very pretty combination of calendar, carrier's address in high water mark poetry, business advertisements, map of Lycoming county, a Sun Almanac, and a goodly amount of useful data, making 31 pages, 8 by 10 inches, in a neat cover, and all for 15 cents. We are pleased to acknowledge receipt of one by mail. The poetry shall have our perusal whatever happens to the rest of the book.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Calendar for 1895 is out and may be obtained at the drug stores. It is one of the most beautiful that the firm has ever issued and the edition was the largest ever printed by any one concern, being over ten millions of copies. There are two faces on the calendar, both of children, representing "Summer" and "Winter." The design was by one of the most gifted artists in the country, and the coloring is most exquisite. The calendar is not only beautiful, but it is also useful, as it presents all the desired information concerning astronomical events during the year. If your druggist does not have Hood's Sarsaparilla calendar it may be obtained by sending six cents in stamps to C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Snow Slide.

From Renova, Pa., comes report of a snow slide from the Allegheny mountains on the 6th, inst., which completely engulfed a Philadelphia and Erie railroad train near Hyner, Pa. Several hundred men were put to work and after tunneling about 5 miles through snow they released the train.

A New Meat Market.

Louis Lyons now has a new, bright, and clean meat market in the Soleder building on Main Street, opposite the Episcopal parsonage. He carries everything in the butcher's line, makes his own pan-bash, pudding, sausage, &c., and sells at reasonable rates. The establishment is favorably located and it is neat and attractive. 11.

Family Reunion.

A very pleasant family gathering took place at the residence of Jeremiah Hess on East Street, on New Year's day. There were present besides Mr. and Mrs. Hess, the following: Geo. W. Hess and wife of Fishing Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Shuman, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Shuman, of Mainville; Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Hess, Mrs. S. Turnbach, Miss Mella Turnbach, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hess and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cavanaugh and son George, of Bloomsburg. Roast turkey and all the other good things of the season, were served in profusion, and all enjoyed themselves to the fullest extent.

Almost a New York Daily.

That Democratic wonder, the *New York Weekly World*, has just changed its weekly into a twice-a-week paper, and you can now get the two papers a week for the same old price—\$1.00 a year, with THE COLUMBIAN \$1.75. Think of it! The news from New York right at your door fresh every three days—104 papers a year.

J. G. WELLS, PENNA.

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- Overcoats, the \$9 and \$10 kind \$6.75.
- Overcoats, the \$13 and \$15 kind \$9.00.
- Suits, the \$7 and \$8 kind \$5.50.
- Suits, the \$10 and \$12 kind \$8.50.

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I. W. HARTMAN & SON. MARKET SQUARE DRY GOODS HOUSE.

This and next week are to be Embroidery and Lace weeks, not forgetting other bargain goods.

Special bargains in muffins and mufflers. We began last week moving capes and coats at cut prices for balance of the winter. The fur capes, at \$19.00 from \$25.00, made some stir among the ladies. We have others in prices at the same cut. The 20 cent dress goods, at 15 cents, are looked after. The \$8, \$1.19, \$1.29 and \$1.48 chenille table covers are in bright colors. The 20 yards good muslin for \$1.00 can be had at any time. We head this with embroideries and laces, and close it by saying we have about 300 remnants which can be seen and purchased at a big cut in prices.

I. W. HARTMAN & SON.

C. B. Chrisman is doing business at the old stand. While he still deals in fruits and vegetables, he is now driving quite a trade in oysters served as desired. He knows a good article when he sees it, and by serving that kind to his patrons his business is growing nicely. tf.

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