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Clarks' Building, Main Street.

THE COLUMBIAN.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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A Desirable Business Place For Sale.

The large three story brick store building lately occupied by J. R. Schuyler & Co., as a hardware store for sale on reasonable terms by J. H. Maize Esq., Attorney. Office Lockard building corner Main and Centre streets.

Real good property in Espy for sale cheap. It is a desirable residence, large lot, and plenty of fruit. Apply to J. H. Maize Esq.

For Sale.

A desirable house and lot. Corner lot about 50 x 80 feet, beautiful location, all modern improvements; will be sold at once. Cheap for cash, or part down and balance to suit the purchaser; or part in exchange for other property. For further information call on S. D. Neyhard, Building, Loan and Real Estate Agent, over First National Bank, Bloomsburg, Pa. 11-15-tf.

For a Shave or Hair Out.

For a good and quick shave or hair cut, go to James Reilly's tonsorial room in Exchange Block, first floor, next to Express Office. None but experienced workmen employed.

12-13-14-tf.

Candidates can secure their cards at this office on short notice and at reasonable rates. 4-tf.

SALES.

H. W. Shade, administrator of Mary J. Vanhorn deceased, will sell valuable personal property at her late residence on Saturday June 13, 1896, at 1 o'clock P. M.

WANTED—A first-class man to represent the Equitable Life Insurance Society of the U. S. in Bloomsburg and vicinity. A liberal contract will be given. Address C. H. CRAWFORD, 5 14 tf. General Agent, Danville, Pa.



Don't forget the public sale of Ohio horses which takes place at the stables of Dr. C. E. Winner rear of the Exchange Hotel to-morrow. Any one in need of a horse will find it to their advantage to attend this sale as the horses will positively be sold before they leave the ring. Mr. Taylor, who owns them has for many years been engaged in the business of shipping horses and his sales are conducted in a straight forward honest manner. All the horses sold by him at his sale on the 30th of April last have given perfect satisfaction and have been just as he represented them. That is why his sales are so successful. Every animal is guaranteed to be as represented. This is an exceptionally fine lot of horses.

G. A. R. DEPARTMENT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

Annual Encampment at Chambersburg, Pa.—Reduced Rates via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For the annual encampment G. A. R. Department of Pennsylvania, to be held at Chambersburg, Pa., June 1 to 6, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell from May 30 to June 6, inclusive, excursion tickets from all stations on its system in Pennsylvania to Chambersburg and return, good for return passage until June 8, at a single fare for the round trip. Excursion tickets, good to return by the way of Gettysburg, will also be sold on same days at one and one-half cents per mile, distance traveled.

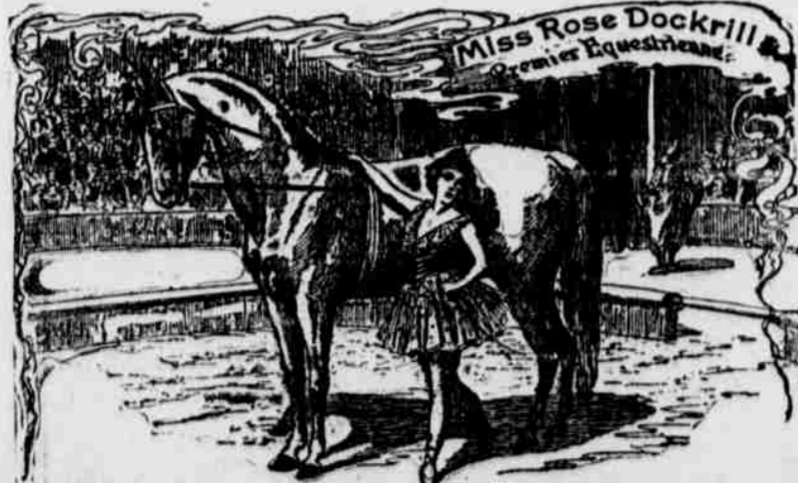
The services, which are being held by the Young Men's class of the Methodist church at Fernville, are largely attended and a great amount of good is being done. The people residing in the neighborhood have shown their appreciation by erecting a platform and building comfortable seats, which will accommodate several hundred people.

TWO BIG SHOWS COMBINED.

The only big show coming this year.

THE GREAT JOHN ROBINSON AND FRANKLIN BROS.

Enormous Shows Combined Bloomsburg, MONDAY, JUNE 1st.



Grand Free Parade More than a Mile in Length, Daily at 10 A. M.

Presenting more horses, kinds of music, open dens of wild beasts, and the greatest novelty of the age, THE HORSELESS CARRIAGE. 2 performances daily at 2 and 8 p. m. Doors open 1 hour earlier.

The Teaching of the English Language.

(CONTRIBUTED.)

That the teaching of the English language in the majority of our schools, perhaps, better, in nearly all of them, is a deplorable failure, no one competent to judge would have the hardihood to deny. To call the efforts at instruction, teaching, would not only belittle that profession, but would require a new definition of it. Honest trifling with the children's time, would in the majority of cases best characterize the performance. It is honest, because those who innocently pursue this course, verily believe that they are benefitting the children, while the fact is that they are not only wasting their victims' time, but doing their mental powers positive harm, dwarfing them, instead of developing them with appropriate and profitable work.

Parsing words, analyzing sentences, and writing the various forms of the elements of sentences for the teacher's inspection, never has given any one the ability to use the pen with correctness and ease, nor indeed can it do so.

Ability to write good English is so valuable an acquirement in all the walks of life, opens so many avenues of usefulness to young people, that a failure to teach it successfully should be considered just cause for the dismissal of a teacher.

No one should be permitted to graduate from a high school, who cannot with correctness and considerable ease write an essay on a familiar subject. Allowing pupils to appear before an audience on Commencement day with orations and essays patched up by the teacher, and speak and read them as their own and as an index of the work of the school, is as discreditable as it is dishonest.

TO BE CONTINUED.

A MONSTER DOUBLE MENAGERIE WITH JOHN ROBINSON AND FRANKLIN BROS. SHOWS COMBINED.

The menagerie department of these combined shows is beyond a doubt the greatest that the world has ever known. The two menageries have been blended into one and the combining of these two separate and distinct departments alone would make a display the equal of which has never been seen in this country. There are two distinct herds of elephants, camels and all sorts of lead stock, two separate departments of lions, tigers, panthers, and the only pair of real black tigers that has ever been seen in this country. The den of polar bears is a positive revelation to amusement seekers and the same thing was never seen in this country before with a traveling show.

A great many dens of rare wild beasts are displayed daily in the magnificent street parade, which is free to all and will take place daily at 10 a. m. And the very important fact must not be overlooked that the parade, like every other department of these great shows is a double one, unlike any ever before seen. Many shows have and do at the present time advertise dishonestly that they have two shows in one but there has never been a combining of two really great shows in this land before and people who are in doubt as to the genuineness of the putting together of the John Robinson and Franklin Bros.' Shows can readily set their minds at rest. This monster amusement institution comes to Bloomsburg on June 1st for one day and will give two complete performances.

JONAS LONG'S SONS' WEEKLY CHATS.

WILKES-BARRE, PA.

May 21, 1896.

Experience and knowledge at the points most requisite in conducting a successful carpet business. We possess both. Our carpet buyer is skilled in his trade knows the good and the bad a sight and has a wide reputation as a selector of artistic designs and colorings. We aim to keep only the most reliable brands and positively do not misrepresent. For the benefit of our out of town friends we will cut, sew and line all carpets ordered this week free of charge. We will do this independent of the price of the carpet and our price list follows to show you just what you save by ordering your carpets of us. Tapestry Brussels the yard, including sewing and lining, 48 cents; also a slightly heavier goods at 58 cents.

Cordova Brussels, private patterns . . . . . 65c. Best Tapestry Brussels . . . 72c. Five Frame Body Brussels \$1.00 Velvet Carpets . . . . . 75c. Wilton Velvets . . . . . \$1.05 Royal Wilton . . . . . \$1.25 Uncut Wilton . . . . . \$1.38 Axminster Carpets . . . . . \$1.25 Agra Carpets . . . . . 79c. Best Super Ingrains Extra . 65c. All Wool Ingrains . . . . . 60c. Aleppo Ingrains . . . . . 45c. Half Wool Ingrains . . . . . 38c.

The prices quoted include cutting, sewing and lining. Send us your room measurements and diagram of room, if odd shaped. We will insure a satisfactory fit.

STRAW MATTINGS.

Chinese Figured Matting . . 10c. " " " . . . 12 1/2 " " " . . . 18c. Limeria Warp " . . . 25c. Damask Weave " . . . 35c.

CURTAINS

Our Upholstery Department is amply stocked with everything in the line Curtains, Shades Draperies, Furniture, Coverings, Porch and Window Awnings and Summer Floor Coverings. The newest curtain materials for half or full curtains is Fish Net in Fleur de lis design, 30 inches wide; very handsome, extremely popular; sells at 12 1/2c.

Same design, 45 inches wide, at . . . . . 23c. Plain Fish Net, 40 inches wide, at . . . . . 15c. Pretty Patterns, 50 inches wide, at . . . . . 18c.

BOYS' WASHABLE SUITS.

We know of no store where you can be better served in Boys Clothing than here, our qualities are right. Style is perfect and the prices invariably the lowest. Boys Washable suits extra full cut sizes 3 to 10 in strong brown duck and stripes Galatea those suits should sell for 89 cents but to conform to our custom we make the price 49c.

Imported Galatea suits handsomely trimmed with hand worked Anchor and sailor collar neat and serviceable you pay \$1.48 for same class suit elsewhere our price . . . . . 98c.

French Galatea and Imported duck suits for boys from 3 to 10 years silk cord and pearl button trimmings all colors. We bought them to sell at \$1.98 your choice now at . . . . . \$1.69.

Boys Gross crash and fine German linen suits are beauties, sizes 3 to 10 years, stylish, popular, correct in every way . . . \$1.98.

Boys washable pants 23c. Boys white duck and fine linen pants 49 cents.

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SILVERWARE

Gives brilliancy to the table. The finest China cannot compensate for the absence of the white metal. Our array of solid and plated ware strikes every one with a double force of pleasure and surprise. All are pleased to see so much they had not looked for, and surprised to find so much that pleased them so highly. Silverware is the pride of the table, and the table is the pride of the family.



Use nothing but J. E. Roys' Superior Silver Polish to clean your silverware. The finest and cheapest silver polish on the market. Price only 15 cents per box.

J. E. ROYS,

Successor to J. G. Wells,

Dealer in Solid and the finest Plated Gold and Silver articles.

Next door to Post-Office.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

THE BROADWAY,

The recent improvements and alterations have made great changes in the appearance of this store. We are using every means at our command to increase the popularity and usefulness of

THE BROADWAY.

Undoubtedly the greatest argument to this end is our system of selling reliable goods at the lowest possible prices for cash. Your money back if you want it. New goods received this week.

See our Challies received this week, neat designs, pretty shades at 5c. the yard. Rustle linings, light and dark at 6c. the yard. Felicia linings, 12 1/2c. the yd. 200 yards of Peral remnants now on sale at 6c. the yd. Rag fringe, 9c. the yard. New line of belts received this week. Gent's bicycle belts. Ladies' bicycle belts. Boy's fancy dress belts. Boy's base ball belts. In fact we have any kind of a belt from 4c. to 69c. each. Butter milk soap 10c. box.

Cocoa castile soap, 2c. cake. Buggy whips, 8c., 12c., 16c., 28c., to 59c. each. Cedar wash tubs, 65c., 75c. and 85c. each. Cedar pails, 10c. each. 3 lb. feather pillows, 85c. pair. 10 qt. galvanized pails, 19c. each. Framed pictures, 25c., 75c., 98c. and \$1.50 each. New Idea Paper Patterns, latest styles, perfect fit, lowest price. Any pattern in the catalogue at 10c. each.

BROADWAY CASH STORE, MOYER'S NEW BUILDING, Main St., Bloomsburg, Pa. TELEPHONE CONNECTION.

MUSIC



Hath charms, etc., sings the poet. Music is not only a pleasure but an education as well. Put one of our pianos or organs in the house and you'll be surprised what a refining influence it has. The cost is insignificant between now and the Holidays. We are offering great inducements in pianos, organs, and sewing machines:

Pianos from \$250 and upwards. Organs from \$50 and upwards. World renowned White sewing machines from \$35 and upwards. Queen sewing machines we are offering at \$25 dollars cash. Best sewing machine for the money in the market to-day.

Also guitars, banjos, violins, harmonicas, and everything in the music line. Best sewing machine needles, and o for all sewing machines. Pianos and organs tuned and repaired. Also all makes of sewing machines repaired.

J. SALTZER, Gen'l. Agent,

Main street below Market. BLOOMSBURG, PA.

THE NEW WOMAN

—AND—

THE OLD MAN

and all the rest of the family can be satisfactorily shod at

Jones & Walter's Shoe Store.

Every day new goods are coming in. The very latest in footwear. The newest in colored leathers. High shoes and low shoes, and shoes of all sizes, and at just what you want to pay price.

