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THE COLUMBIAN, Bloomsburg, Pa. THURSDAY, JULY 2, 1896.

COMMENCEMENT.

CLOSING EXERCISES AT THE NORMAL.

The exercises of Commencement week began on Sunday afternoon, when the Baccalaureate address was delivered in the Auditorium by Mr. Charles Hurlbut, of Philadelphia.

FIELD SPORTS.

On Monday morning the field sports took place on the athletic field. They were as follows:

100 yards dash—Won by Worthington in 11 and one-fifth seconds; Davis second.

Running high jump—Won by Smethers at 4 feet 11 inches; Worthington second. Smethers jumped for a record, making 5 feet, 2 inches.

Pole vault—Won by McNertney at 8 feet, 9 inches; Smethers second. McNertney then tried for a record, clearing the bar at 9 feet.

Putting 16 pound shot—Won by Barnó at 30 feet, 10 inches; Keeler second. Barnó tried for a record and put the shot 32 feet.

100 yard dash, by Model School boys—Won by Fred Welsh in 15 seconds; Joe Gidding second.

Running broad jump—Won by Davis at 18 feet, 8 inches; Miller second.

Mile run—Won by Shipman; Smethers second. Smethers took the first all-round prize.

JUNIOR EXHIBITION.

The Class of '97 held their annual exhibition in the Auditorium on Monday evening. The exercises began with an overture by the orchestra, and an address by the class president, James Miller. Then the drama of "King Rene's Daughter" was presented in a creditable manner.

The hall was crowded, all the seats being filled, and many persons standing.

CLASS OF '97.

The following are the members of the Senior Class for next year:

John O. Adamson, Charles Appleman, Florence Bachman, Grant Beaver, Amy Beishline, Ella Benedict, Ernest Brown, Harry Brown, Martha Brugler, W. C. Burns, Henry Butts, Susan B. Bodmer, Ruth S. Butler, Jennie Carl, Gertrude Cassidy, Madge Cross, Thomas Cule, Bridgetta Cunningham, Agnes Canthin, Lizzie Dalley, Bessie Davis, Agnes D. Dodson, May Eckroth, Anna Edwards, Mary Ely, Franklin Erob, Edith Eves, Fred Eves, May Edmunds, Gertrude Freeman, Elam Fredrickson, Esther Fredrickson, Harvey Gelnatt, Martha Gillasp, Mary Good, Laura Grover, C. H. Gearhart, Jennie L. Gilchrist, John Hause, Myrtle Henrie, D. M. Hess, George Houck, John Howler, Dora Huber, Anna James, Lizzie Jones, Louise Johnson, Maude Jones, Katie Jordan, Hattie James, Josiah Johnson, Chas. Kass, Lee Kaufman, Bertha Kelly, Harvey Klock, Mary Knapp, Walter Knauas, C. E. Kreischer, Samuel Kressler, Oren Kreisher, Bronson Kuhns, Clara Knorr, Annie Kane, Maud Keiper, Zerbin Low, John Landis, Helen Lawall, Grace Lawrence, Frank Layman, Grace Paul Leaw, Anna Levan, Elmer Levan, Blanche Lowrie, Grace Lendrum, Margaret Leisher, Mary E. Lechleitner, Margaret MacFarlane, Mae Meixell, Hattie Meyers, James Miller, Mary Milnes, John Moran, Calvin Moyer, Emily McCullough, John McNertney, Maude Marsden, Eva A. Martin, Jean F. Menzies, J. L. Morgan, Elizabeth Moyer, Mabel Moyer, Foster C. Munroe, Ella Nevin, Josephine Nicely, Blanch Nye, Jennie Oliver, A. B. Oplinger, Chas. Oplinger, May Otto, Robert Pealer, W. A. Price, Minnie Prutzman, Lenora L. Pettibone, Anna Poole, Fred Poole, Charles Quick, Bessie Rawlings, Kiler Richards, Marion Rizzo, Bessie Robinson, Ora Robinson, Belle Ruckle, Judson Rude, W. S. Robinson, Richard Rosser, Mary Savidge, Anna Seaman, Mary Seely, Bertha Shortz, Charles Skeer, Nelson Spencer, George Styer, Martin Swank, Ralph Shipman, Laura Smith, Ralph W. Sands, Annie C. Schlayer, Sara F. Schultz, David Silverman, Isabel Smith, Nora M. Stanton, Jessie Swift, Florence Taylor, Mary Tobin, Charles Traub, Nora Umstead, Helen Vanderclose, Jessie Vandine, Eva Vandine, Mary E. Veale, Curtis Welliver, Theodora Welliver, Harry Wilbur, Mary E. Williams, Mary J. Williams, Elsie Wilson, Bertha Wright, Mira Wright, Ida Wals, Matilda C. Witteran, Bessie Whitson, Ruth Williams and Joyce Williams.

The Class of '94 held a re-union on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

CLASS DAY.

The Class Day exercises of '96 were held in the Auditorium on Tuesday evening. The following was the program:

Address, E. R. Hughes, President. Piano, a. If I were a Bird—Hensell. B. Valse, Op. 70, No. 1—Chopin.

Ethel V. Nance. Essay, An Earnest Purpose, C. La vina Lynch. Class History, Warren N. Shuman. Song, "The Lemon and Maroon"—King, E. R. Hughes, Harry Barton, DeForest Hummer, Boyd Maize. Oration, The Progress of Public Opinion, J. Sharpless Fox. Class Prophecy, Hattie F. Carpenter. Song, "Summer"—Chaminade, Vida Bowman. Class Poem, Gertrude Miller. Class Will, Charles M. Omar. Piano, Valse in D flat major—Winclawski, Delia Geisinger. Recitation, "Blind Girl of Castle-Cuille"—Longfellow, May S. O'Malley. Presentation of Class Souvenirs, Mary F. Harris. Song, "Annie Lawrie," arr. by Potter, Vida Bowman, Cora Gernon, Marion Chase, Geraldine Connor, Gertrude Morse, Florence Lins, Louise Easen; Gertrude Reese. Presentation of Class Memorial, Eleanor Quick. Mantle Oration, Harry Barton.

COMMENCEMENT.

At ten o'clock on Wednesday the Auditorium was filled to overflowing with an interested audience, to witness the last act in the school life of the Class of '96. The program was as follows:

Prayer by Rev. David N. Kirkby. Music, Overture, Op. 65—Brooke, B. S. N. S. Orchestra.

Conferring of Degrees, Class of '96. Conferring of Master Degree, Class of '94.

Presenting Diplomas to Graduate Students.

Presenting State Certificates. Music, Concert Polonaise—Beissig, B. S. N. S. Orchestra.

Presenting Diplomas to College Preparatory Graduates.

Presenting Diplomas to Graduates in Music.

Music, a. Nocturne for Clarinet and Flute—Behr, Messrs. Foulke and Murphy; b. Souvenir de Lucerne—Keller Bela, B. S. N. S. Orchestra.

Commencement address by Dr. A. Lincoln Hulley.

Music, Polka Brillante—Buechel, B. S. N. S. Orchestra.

Class Song—Barnby. Benediction by Rev. B. C. Conner.

The following graduates have passed successful examinations under the State Board of Examiners, in the branches named, and have had their diplomas endorsed accordingly:

L. P. Bierly, '85, 5 Orations of Cicero and 3 Books of Virgil. Charles Cloud, Geology.

Mark Creasy, '91, Solid Geom., Plane and Analytical Trig.

Sarah Diseroad, '95, Solid Geom. Edna Eves, '95, Solid Geometry, Trigonometry, Surveying.

A. E. Gehman, Trigonometry and Surveying, English Literature, Logic, Moral Science, Chemistry.

Boyd Maize, '95, Trigonometry and Surveying, Solid Geom., Chemistry, 4 Orations of Cicero.

I. A. Seltzer, Plane and Analytical Trigonometry, Solid Geometry.

D. D. Stroup, '94, Advanced Psychology.

Emily Wheeler, '95, Astronomy, Solid Geometry.

David Wiant, '94, Trigonometry, Surveying, Zoology, Geology, Political Economy, Entomology.

It will be seen that a radical change has been made in the program. Instead of a dozen or more orations and essays by members of the graduating class, there was but one address, and that was given by Dr. Hulley. It was a scholarly production, and held attention from first to last. The music was all well rendered.

CLASS OF '96.

ELEMENTARY COURSE.

Ida D. Andrews, Jennie C. Arbogast, Jeanetta Ashton, Mary Atherton, Harry Barnes, Harry S. Barton, Mary F. Bell, Rosa Benedict, J. Shuman Best, Vida Bowman, Charles I. Boyer, Vida F. Brown, Minnie Capwell, Hattie Carpenter, Helen Carpenter, Clara Carr, Nellie Carter, Tillie Casey, Marion Chase, Bridgetta Clark, Celia Cohen, Bettie Cope, Mary Culp, Geraldine G. Conner, Lizzie Culper, Fred M. Davenport, Isaiah Detwiler, Lizzie Doors, Nora Drum, Nellie Duggan, Louise Easen, Sharpless Fox, Annie A. Fox, Harry P. Gable, Mary B. Gallagher, Gertrude Garrison, Cora Bell Gernon, Luella E. Good, Sadie Gribbon, Mary Gruver, Nellie Harding, Mary R. Harris, Peter S. Hart, Lillian B. Helwig, Amos Hess, Rush N. Hoiler, Alfred Houtz, Edward R. Hughes, Stella Hughes, Bartlett H. Johnson, Martha Jones, Charles M. Keefer, Minnie Kisner, Charlotte Kistner, Florence Kitchen, Elizabeth S. Knox, Bertha Lamereaux, Lauretta Latshaw, Janet A. Lindsay, Florence A. Lins, Margaret R. Lodge, Lizzie J. Love, Mary B. Love, Lavina C. Lynch, Maude McAlarney, Mary E. McCarville, Grace McLaughlin, Elizabeth McKane, Martha M. McKinney, Anna Ruth McNiff, W. C. Mauser, Inez May, Ida E. Miller, Elizabeth V. Miller, Rose E. Monahan, Mamie V. Moore, Julia Moran, Gertrude Morse, Alvin E. Moyer, Ezra W. Moyer,

Mira Moyer, Ray Moyer, Mary Mundie, Allie Muir, Gertrude Muir, Lizzie Norris, Frederick Nyhart, Ella O'Brien, Gertrude Oliver, Belinda O'Malley, May O'Malley, Mary O'Malley, Charles M. Oman, Mabel Perley, Henry Powell, Esther Powell, Eleanor S. Quick, Gertrude L. Rees, Daisy Reimensnyder, Selena A. Robins, Jennie Rosser, Emma Ruggles, Millie Seely, Margaret Shea, William H. Shemorry, Maude Sherwood, Harman Shuman, Warren Shuman, Archie L. Snetters, Crawford Smith, Mida D. Smith, Daniel Snyder, Lottie Stark, Jennie Sutliff, Myrtle A. Swartz, James E. Teple, Minnie Terwilliger, Etta M. Thielke, Maude M. Thompson, Anna Trevaskis, Bessie E. Vance, Leora F. VanLoan, Millie K. Wagner, Georgia A. Watson, Mamie Wegge, Annie U. Wert, Jessie C. Wilson, Rachel Winter, Stella Yoche, Mabel G. Yost, Elizabeth Zehner, Katherine Zeiders.

REGULAR NORMAL COURSE.

(One year in addition to the Elementary Course.) Margaret Evans, Julia Sharpless.

PREPARATORY COLLEGIATE COURSE.

Arthur Crossley, John Knittle, Frank Lutz, Boyd Maize, Charles W. Miller Jr., Gertrude Miller, Bertha Shoemaker, Edna Wilson.

PIANO-FORTE COURSE.

Delia Geisinger, Ethel V. Nance.

ALUMNI MEETING.

At the close of the exercises a meeting of the Alumni Association was held for the transaction of business and election of officers for the ensuing year.

ALUMNI DINNER.

At about two o'clock the spacious dining hall was opened, and the Alumni to the number of several hundred sat down to a sumptuous repast, provided under the direction of Steward Housel. Then followed the intellectual feast, with Dr. Welsh as toast-master. After music by the orchestra, M. Katherine McNiff responded to the toast "The family life of our school." Geraldine Conner spoke for the "Class of '96." "Athletics" received due attention, and then after more music by the orchestra, the exercises closed, and one of the most successful commencements the school has ever known was over.

Barring the fact that McKinley was nominated on the anniversary of the defeat of Napoleon, whom he apes; Hobart, his running mate, is enough to make a Jonah out of the Republican ticket. The latter is the third man who has aspired to be Vice President from New Jersey. Frelinghuysen, who ran with Clay in 1844, was the first. Dayton, who ran with Fremont, in 1856, was the second; and both got licked. Now for Hobart and his Napoleon's Waterloo.

The invitation of the St. Louis convention to the women of the country to help the Republican party redeem the land from Democracy will not win them over to protection and high prices. The influence of the petti-coat element was felt in 1892, when it arrayed itself with the Democrats, and the women are intelligent enough to know that they got what they wanted in better bargains in everything.

There are some people in the world who seem never to know a good thing when they see it, or to appreciate a good thing when they have it. To such knowledge can only come by bitter experience, and they never learn the bitter lesson until it is too late to avoid the consequences of their own folly, or to retrieve the loss. Although they may suffer the bitterest regret over the loss—whether it be of position, friendship or money—that will avail them nothing. Far better it is to appreciate the good things we have, be governed by the advice of sincere friends and to strive in every way to merit the positions of trust we are called to fill, always bearing in mind the trite axiom that "a bird in the hand is worth more than two in the bush."

Rich Red Blood is absolutely essential to health. It is secured easily and naturally by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, but is impossible to get it from so-called "nerve tonics," and opiate compounds, absurdly advertised as "blood purifiers." They have temporary, sleeping effect, but do not CURE. To have pure

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NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

Low Rates to Buffalo, N. Y., via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For the accommodation of persons who desire to visit Buffalo, N. Y., on the occasion of the meeting of the National Educational Association, to be held in that city from July 7 to 11, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell on July 5 and 6 excursion tickets through to Buffalo and return at a single fare for the round trip, plus \$2.00 (the latter amount for membership fee). Tickets are good only for continuous passage in both directions, going passage to be commenced on date of issue, and require to be validated by Joint Agent at Buffalo before they will be accepted for return passage. They will be good returning July 11 to 15 only, unless deposited with Joint Agent not later than July 10, when return limit may be extended not later than July 31, 1896.

Tickets will not be good for passage on New York and Chicago Limited Express, nor on limited express trains of New York Central and Hudson River Railroad.

That Catarrh is a Local Affection

of the membrane of the nose, throat, etc., is a fact established by physicians, and this authority should carry more weight than assertions of incompetent parties, who claim that catarrh is a blood affection, in order to make a market for their compound. Fly's Cream Balm is a local remedy, composed of harmless medicaments and free of mercury or any injurious drug. It will cure catarrh. Applied directly to the inflamed membrane, it restores it to its healthy condition, affording quick relief and a cure after short continuance.

How Wilkes-Barre Keeps Her Streets Clean.

The city of Wilkes-Barre has adopted a plan to keep its streets free from refuse of many kinds, and in this respect has fallen into line with the most advanced cities in the world. She has placed barrels on her street corners, into which all refuse may be thrown. Envelopes, pieces of waste paper, banana skins, candy boxes, and all that wide class of refuse that usually finds its way to the sidewalks and into the streets is now thrown into these receptacles, whence they are taken at stated times by the garbage men and removed to the city's dumping plot. Men use these receptacles as a novelty at first but this leads to methodical habit and thus the desired end is attained.

How would this plan work in Bloomsburg? It would cost but little to give it a trial and we believe that it would be more economical than the present method, and in addition the streets and sidewalks would at all times present a clean appearance, that is if those who now seem to take particular pains to throw banana peels, orange skins, peanut shells, paper bags, &c., on the pavement for the owner of the premises to sweep up, or for anybody to slip down on, would use these barrels.

A MINE HORROR.

A Hundred Men Imprisoned in the Twin Shaft at Pittston. Were Trying to Prevent a Cave-in when it Occurred.

The most terrible disaster that has occurred since the memorable explosion at Avondale, in September, 1868, occurred last Monday morning at 3 o'clock at the Twin Shaft of the Newton Coal Co. at Pittston Junction, only a few feet from the D. L. & W. depot, and from where the Pittston street car stops at the terminus of its route. Part of the mine had been "working" for some days and a body of men, estimated at from 65 to 75, in charge of superintendents Langan and Lynott, the former the deputy mayor of Pittston, went down to timber and endeavor to prevent a cave-in of the workings. The men were busy setting the timbers when an extensive cave-in occurred, estimated at six or seven acres, and the men were caught in the midst of it. All day and all night relays were at work endeavoring to reach the men, but at every point they were met with the fall and they could get no nearer than within about

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12 1/2 c. Dimities and Lawns AT 6c. the yard.

P. S. Have you seen the pickled lamb tongues and clams we are showing in our grocery department?

Pursel & Harman, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

800 feet of the place where the men are. The work of timbering and clearing the cave was kept up all day, but little progress could of necessity be made, and it was supposed by the most experienced miners that they could not be reached earlier than three or four days, and some even went so far as to say that the men could not be reached earlier than a week or two. Everything depends upon the extent of the cave. If the fall is not so extensive beyond where the men are working the imprisoned miners will be reached earlier than if the fall covers up everything and is as extensive at all places of the affected area as at another.

Little hope is held out that the men are alive. The general supposition is that they were caught by the cave and buried, as they were right in the midst of the area affected, and if all of them or some of them happen to be in a small place that was not filled by the earth, rock and coal they will probably starve to death before help can reach them.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of sundry writs of Fieri Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, Pa., and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in Bloomsburg, on

SATURDAY, JULY 25, 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m., all that certain messuage or tenement, piece and tract of land situate and being in the township of Center, in the County of Columbia, Pa., bounded and described as follows, that is to say: Beginning at low water mark on the north side of the north-east branch of the Susquehanna river; thence by land of Benjamin Boone north thirty and three eighth degrees west, one hundred and eighty perches and two-tenths to a stone; thence by land of Joseph Pohe south seventy-one and one-half degrees west, forty-four perches and seven-tenths to a stone and lands of Jesse Merrill; thence by the same and lands of Joshua Webb, south thirty degrees east, one hundred and eighty perches to low water mark of the river Susquehanna aforesaid; thence north seventy-one degrees east, forty-six perches to the place of beginning. Containing forty-nine acres and seventy-eight perches of land, more or less, whereon is erected a large two-story

FRAME FARM HOUSE, large bank barn and straw shed attached, wagon shed and outbuildings; also three frame dwelling houses and stable. There is a good well of water near the farm dwelling house, a well of water at the barn and an abundance of fruit of various kinds upon the premises. This property is situate about four miles east of Bloomsburg, along the public road leading from Bloomsburg to Berwick, and is a very desirable property.

FOR BARGAINS Watch This Space NEXT WEEK.

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Centre aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a corner and land now or late of Philip Miller and Jesse Merrill; thence by land of said Jesse Merrill north sixty-five and three-fourth degrees east, fifty-two perches to a post; thence by lands late of Joseph Pohe, north thirty and one-fourth degrees west, twenty perches to a post and lands of the said Joseph Pohe; thence south sixty-five and three-fourth degrees west, fifty-two perches to a post corner; thence by land late of Philip Miller south thirty and one-fourth degrees east, twenty perches to a stone corner the place of beginning. Containing six and one-half acres. The above described land includes limestone lots containing one-half acre each, thirteen in number.

Also: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in Centre township aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by lands of N. L. Campbell, east by lands of Levi Miller, now Dr. B. F. Gardner, south by Delaware, Lockwaana and Western Railroad, and west by lands formerly of Philip Miller, now the estate of Samuel Knorr, dec'd., containing six acres and thirty perches more or less.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of Lafayette Cressy et al. vs. N. L. Campbell, and to be sold as the property of N. L. Campbell.

J. B. McHENRY, Sheriff.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Mary J. Vanhorn, late of Hemlock township, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Mary J. Vanhorn, late of Hemlock township deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

Grant Herring, Atty. H. W. SHADE, Administrator, Schuylers, Montour Co., Pa.