

"AND TALKING ABOUT CYCLONES."

Man From Kansas and His Story About the Gentle Zephyr—Others Chip In, Too. "And, talking about cyclones," said the man from Kansas, "them all twisters is mighty queer things. This here one down in St. Louey last week wasn't worth a shake compared with our country had six last summer, but it 'pears like we wasn't going to do as well this year. Misoura seems to be agittin' 'em all."



THE COURSE OF TRUE LOVE



NEVER DID RUN SMOOTH.

How "Beau" Hived the Flies. "Beau" Hickman, one of the old-time characters of Washington, lived entirely on his wits, and no one from the President down escaped him. One night he wandered into the National Hotel, and asked the clerk to give him a room. The clerk had him shown to the room immediately over the kitchen, which was swarming with flies. About five o'clock in the morning, "Beau" came along smiling, and stopping at the office, some of the loungers, whom the clerk had told of the flies, hastened to ask "Beau" how he rested.

W. L. Douglas \$3.00 SHOE BEST IN THE WORLD. A \$5.00 SHOE FOR \$3.00. It is stylish, durable and perfect-fitting, qualities absolutely necessary to make a finished shoe. The cost of manufacturing allows a smaller profit to dealers than any shoe sold at \$3.00.

COURT HOUSE NEWS.

What Has Occurred There Since Our Former Report. MARRIAGE LICENSES. The following marriage licenses have been issued by Clerk G. M. Quick since those last published. Harvey George, of Franklin township, to Miss Mintie Leiby, of Cleveland township.

THE READING SOLD.

In compliance with a decree of the United States circuit court, the assets of the Philadelphia and Reading railroad and Coal and Iron companies that are not covered by the general mortgage bonds were sold at auction last week, Wednesday morning, for \$4,500,000.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of sundry writs of Fieri Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County and to me directed there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in Bloomsburg, Pa., on SATURDAY, OCT. 3, A. D., 1896, at 2 o'clock P. M., the following described property to-wit:

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

- N. U. FUNK, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Mrs. Ent's Building, Court House Alley, BLOOMSBURG, PA. A. L. FRITZ, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Post Office Building, 2nd floor, BLOOMSBURG, PA. C. W. MILLER, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Wirt's Building, 2nd floor, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO DISEASES OF CHILDREN

- H. BIERMAN, M. D. HOMEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON OFFICE HOURS: Office & Residence, 4th St., Until 9 A. M., 1 to 2 and 7 to 8 P. M. BLOOMSBURG, PA. S. B. ARMENT, M. D. Office and Residence No. 18, West Fifth St. DISEASES OF THE THROAT AND NOSE SPECIALTY OFFICE HOURS: (8 to 10 A. M., BLOOMSBURG OFFICE HOURS: 12 to 1 P. M., 7 to 9 P. M. PA. DR. ANDREW GRAYDON, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, BLOOMSBURG, PA. Office and residence in Prof. Waller's House. MARKET STREET TELEPHONE. HONORA A. ROBBINS, M. D. Office, West First Street, BLOOMSBURG, PA. Special attention given to the eye and the fitting of glasses. DR. F. W. REDEKER, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, Office and Residence, Centre St., between 4th and 5th Streets, BLOOMSBURG, PA. DISEASES OF THE EAR, NOSE AND THROAT A SPECIALTY. BLOOMSBURG, PA. OFFICE HOURS: (8 to 10 A. M., 12 to 1 P. M., 7 to 9 P. M. J. J. BROWN, M. D., Market Street, BLOOMSBURG, PA. THE EYE A SPECIALTY. Eyes treated, tested, fitted with glasses and Artificial Eyes supplied. Hours 10 to 4. Telephone Connection DR. M. J. HESS, Graduate of the Philadelphia Dental College. Office 2nd floor front, Lockard's Building, corner of Main and Centre Streets, BLOOMSBURG, PA. Dentistry in all its branches. Work guaranteed as represented. Ether and Gas administered or ELECTRIC VIBRATOR and Local Anesthetics used for the painless extraction of teeth free of charge when artificial teeth are inserted. Lockard's Building, 2nd floor, Corner Main and Centre. DR. W. H. HOUSE, SURGEON DENTIST, Office, Barton's Building, Main below Market Street, BLOOMSBURG, PA. All styles of work done in a superior manner, and all work warranted as represented. TEETH EXTRACTED WITHOUT PAIN, by the use of Gas, and free of charge when artificial teeth are inserted. To be open all hours during the day. DR. C. S. VAN HORN, DENTIST. Office corner of East and Main streets, opposite Town Hall. Office hours: 8:30 to 12 a. m.; 2 to 5 p. m. BLOOMSBURG, PA. C. WATSON MCKELVY, FIRE INSURANCE AGENT. (Successor to B. F. Hartman) Represents twelve of the strongest Companies in the world, among which are: CASH TOTAL SURPLUS CAPITAL ASSETS, OVER ALL FRANKLIN OF PHILA. \$400,000 \$1,196,529 \$1,000,000 PENN. PHILA. 400,000 3,235,740 1,415,000 QUEEN OF N. Y. 500,000 3,338,915 1,000,000 WESTCHESTER, N. Y. 300,000 1,753,307 418,728 N. AMERICA, PHILA. 3,000,000 9,780,000 2,504,728 OFFICE IN 1 W. MCKELVY'S STORE. Losses promptly adjusted and paid.

TRANSFER OF REAL ESTATE.

The following deeds have been entered in the Recorder's office since those last published. N. O. Kindt, to Robt. C. Kindt, for land in Bloomsburg. Theodore L. Pegg, to Edward Hartman, for tract of land in Madison township. A. M. Dewitt, to M. E. Keller, for land in Bloomsburg. John Frantz, to Elsie Good, for land in Berwick. Berwick Cemetery Co., to R. E. Good, for land in Berwick. Jonas Rupp, to Wm. H. Bolich, for tract of land in Cleveland township. Same, to Sarah A. Rupp, for tract of land in Cleveland township. Amundus L. Fritz, to S. S. Fritz, for tract of land in Sugarloaf township. George Stine, to Peter Leisenring, for tract of land in Franklin township. Locust Mt. Coal & Iron Co., to W. J. Daley, for tract of land in Conyngham township. Philip Chrisman Admr., to Wm. McKelvy, for land in Bloomsburg. W. G. Evans, to Wm. C. Johnson, for land in Jamison City. Bloomsburg Carpet Works, to Magee Carpet works, for land in Bloomsburg. John M. Clark, Assignee, to E. B. Tustin et al., for land in Bloomsburg. Locust Mt. Coal & Iron Co., to Ellen Cain, for land in Centralia. Nathan Miller, to D. M. Miller, for tract of land in Scott township. D. M. Miller, to Catharine A. Miller, for tract of land in Scott twp. Elizabeth Fletcher, to Eliza Kitchen for land in Bloomsburg. John M. Clark, Assignee, to C. M. Creveling, for land in Bloomsburg. C. F. Wackenhuth, to A. B. Cole, for land in Jamison City. Locust Mt. Coal & Iron Co., to Sarah Barret, for tract of land in Conyngham township. Same, to Mary Rowan, for tract of land in Conyngham township. John Miley, to Daniel Reedy, for tract of land in Briarcreek township. Lewis A. Riley, to Lehigh Valley Coal Co., for tract of land in Conyngham township.

LETTERS TESTAMENTARY.

The following letters of administration and testamentary have been issued by Register Ent. In the estate of J. M. C. Ranck, late of Scott township deceased, to Charles W. Dawson. In the estate of Peter A. Evans, late of Bloomsburg deceased, to W. S. Moyer. LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION. In the estate of John Artley, late of Franklin township deceased, to W. H. Artley. In the estate of George Laubach, late of Orange township deceased, to Alice A. Laubach.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Peter A. Evans, deceased, late of the Town of Bloomsburg, county of Columbia, Pa., deceased, have been granted to Mary M. Henderson, resident of said town, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay. MARY M. HENDERSON, Executrix. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration c. t. a. on the estate of Susan B. Penston, dec'd., late of the Town of Bloomsburg, have been granted to the undersigned administrator, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay. JOHN Q. BARKLEY, Administrator, c. t. a. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration c. t. a. on the estate of Peter A. Evans, deceased, late of the Town of Bloomsburg, have been granted to the undersigned executor, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay. W. S. MOYER, Executor, 9-21-96. The "TWIN COMET" and "LITTLE GIANT" Law Sprinklers, BEST MADE. Unique, Efficient, Labor Saving. Will sprinkle 4 times greater area than any other Sprinklers made. Highest Award at the Chicago Exposition. Can be seen in operation at residence of the Editor of this paper, corner 3rd and Market Sts., Bloomsburg. Send for circulars giving testimonials and prices. E. Stebbins Mfg. Co., SOLE MANUFACTURERS. Springfield, Mass. Agency for Bloomsburg at the COLUMBIAN office. EXCHANGE HOTEL, G. SNYDER, Proprietor, (Opposite the Court House) BLOOMSBURG, PA. Large and convenient sample rooms. Bath rooms, hot and cold water, and all modern conveniences. 7-30-17 BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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