THE FRONT STOOP OYNIC.

The Summer Man a Frenk-The Summer Girl Missed.

Mr. Sirius Baker had sat in silence for more than half an hour on his front stoop watching the bleveles as they flashed past. He seemed even more displeased with the human race than usual, says the Detroit Free Press. His wife did not try to talk to him. She knew he was angry about something, and did not like to inter-rupt him when he was having a good He broke the silence himself, 'Ugh!" he said, with a shudder and

a shiver. What's the matter, Sirius? Does

anything hurt you?"
"Yes, ma'am," he answered, "something does hurt me. It is not a mere trifling physical pain, either. I am envious of the past, shocked at the present, and apprehensive of the fu-

"Goodness gracious! It isn't so bad

as that, is it?" For several years "It's worse. have been asking myself whither we are drifting, and then giving the co-nundrum up because I qualled before the awful truth that the answer involved. But there is no use in trying to conceal it any longer. We are plunging over the Niagara Falls of iconoclasm into the whirlpool of social chaos. That's where we are drifting, And you women are responsible for

"Sirius, be just, if you cannot be generous. Don't blame me personally for the doings of other members of my sex. I don't ride a bicycle." "No; but you'd like to. There! Look

at 'em!" he growled, as another party went by. "A short time ago we had the summer girl. She wore white dresses and frizzed her fair, and kept her complexion white, and made you glad she didn't have wings to fly away with. She was a delight to the poets and a relief to every-day people. Where is she now? Dead as the dodo. She's put on bloomers and divided skirts and leggins and an alpine hat. She has stayed out in the wind and sun till she has gotten her face tanned, and in every way transformed her once charming identity until, as a matter of fact, she no longer exists.'

"Well," said his wife, in a philo-sophical tone, "there is never a loss without some gain. She will be re-placed in some way."

"That's the worst of it. She has been replaced. And how? What have we now in her stead? The summer man. What is he? He's a freak; that's what he is. He wears a white sweater with red trimming around the collar and bangs his hair. He puts on a dove-colored suit and rainbow stockings, and takes more pride in his low-er limbs than the leader of the Amazon march in a burlesque show. He is a gaudy patch of color on the landscape, and he is so much afraid of not being noticed that he rings his bell to make you look at him. I used to get a little bit tired of the twaddle they were constantly giving us about the summer girl. But since the summer man came into existence I miss her and yearn for her."

Kept the Floor.

The pastor of a New England church announced that the regular weekly prayer-meeting would be devoted to liscussion of a certain question of general interest to the congregation. Many members of the church wished to take part in the discussion; it was therefore decided to limit each member's remarks to five minutes. When the speaker's time expired, the clergyman was to notify him by rapping with a pencil on the desk. Deacon A., one of the members at whom the restriction was especially directed, had not fairly started on his remarks when the rap of the pencil was heard.
"Am I to understand," asked the

deacon, "that my five minutes have

Yes, deacon; I am sorry, but your time is up."

"And all general remarks are limited to five minutes?"

"Yes, that was the understanding." The deacon turned very deliberately o his fellow-members. "Then, brethto his fellow-members, "Then, breth-ren," he proceeded, "I shall throw the remainder of my remarks into the

form of a prayer. The deacon kept the floor.



Mollie-What did you get on your Sallie-A bicycle. What did you Mollie-A lickin'.

Musical Criticism.

Mozart was on a visit to a monastery. During mass he listened impatiently to the feeble execution of the organ-player, and could hardly bear to sit out the performance. After mass the prior asked Mozart to dinner, and took the opportunity to inquire how he liked the playing of the organist. "He plays quite in Biblical fashion,"

said Mozart. 'How is that?" asked the prior. "His left hand does not know what the right hand is doing," was the re-

Just Her Spite.

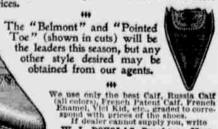
Minnie-Ach, Elsie, have you heard that Herr Flottmaier proposed to me

last night? Elsie-If I didn't think he would! Minnie-What! Did you expect it? Elsie-Certainly; for when I rejected him, only the day before yesterday. he solemnly declared he would go and do somthing desperate!



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.

W. L. Douglas \$3,50, \$4,00 and \$5,00 Shoes are the productions of skilled workmen, from the best material possible to put into shoes sold at these



W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Mass. CATALOGUE FREE. JONES & WALTER, Bloomsburg, Pa.

BASELY DECEIVED. -

We make also \$2.50 and

men and \$2.50, \$2.00 and \$1.75

shoes for

for boys. The full line for sale by

He Had Trusted in the Weather Office and

It Had Gone Back on Him. It was on one of the hottest days that usurped the privileges of balmy spring. The sun beat down until a mist of heat came from the stone walks and the brick walls. Towards a furnishing store a fat man, among Detroit's best-known citizens, made his weary way. In one hand he used two handkerchiefs as a mop, while with the other he kept up the busy action of a palm-leaf fan Perspiration ran in merry rivulets down his shining face, to be absorbed in the wilted collar and collapsed shirt front that were immaculate an hour before. He was panting with the respiratory unction of a porpoise and at intervals muttered execrations that hissed with steam. His hair looked as though he had been swimming and his nose was beaded with glistening drops

"Show me a straw hat!" ordered the man of flesh as he settled down on the little round seat that at once suggested the frail stem of a great toadstool, "Looks like rain," ventured the clerk, who is always under orders to

be pleasant. *Don't look a bit like rain. Weather forecast is for a dry spell. This one will do. Now I'll get some pie-plant

leaves and put in it. Don't propose to have my brain baked." An hour later he was on the wooded part of the island, handkerchief and fan still in commission. Suddenly, as if the heavens had opened, he was deluged with rain. The mucilage from the hat mingled with the extracted green of the big leaf, poured down over his head, neck and face, blinded his eyes, filled his ears and streamed over his natty light suit. He swore outrageously as he groped his way to the landing and by his hopelessly bedrag-gled appearance excited the passengers to say that the poor fellow must have been drinking to cool off and then went in bathing without thinking to take anything off. He was a study in water colors that might have been mixed by nature in a frog pond. Now he is going around with a blank check trying to hire some big lawyer to suc the Covernment for damages because it made false representations through its weather department,-Detroit Free Press.

A Woman's Hour.

"Please state to the court exactly what you did between eight and nine o'clock on Wednesday morning," a lawyer to a delicate-looking little woman on the witness-stand. "Well," she said, after a moment's reflection "I washed my two children and got them ready for school and sewed a but-ton on Johany's coat and mended 5 rent in Nellie's dress. Then I tidied up my sitting-room and made two bedi and watered my house plants and glanced over the morning paper. Then I dusted my parlor and set things to rights in it and washed some lamp chimneys and combed my baby's bait and sewed a button on one of her little shoes, and then I swept out my front entry and brushed and put away the children's Sunday clothes and wrote a note to Johnny's teacher asking her to excuse him for not being at school on Friday. Then I fed my ary bird and cleared off the breakfast table and gave the grocery man an order and swept off the back porch, and then I sat down and rested for a few minutes before the clock struck nine. That's all." "All!" said the dazed lawyer. "Excuse me, Judge, I must get my breath before I call the next witness,"-Detroit Free Press.

Her Opinion. Young Mrs. Tocker looked rather ap-prehensive as she watched the from gather over her husband's brow while he read the newspaper. He crumpled it and threw it on the floor, and ex-

"What we want is cliver!" "Oh, I hardly think we could stand it in the present condition of our af-

fairs," she replied.

Her husband glaved at her, and said
"You don't mean to say that you
want nothing but gold?"

"Oh, no indeed. I don't want anything as expensive even as silver. can get along very nicely with quad-ruple plate which looks just as wel and wears just as long. And nobody is going to know the difference unless some one is so impolite as to hold the table ware up and look at the bottom." -Washington Star.

His Discovery.

"Merciful heavens, can it be?" With eyes that fairly started from their sockets, the chemist contemplated the glittering crystal his art had produced. With hands that trembled vio-lently he applied the final test. "It is ice," he yelled, "and the very

best I expected to make was a dia-

When they found him he was insanwith joy. His mind was a blank. The secret was lost even in the moment that it was found.—Detroit Tribune.

SUBSCRIBE FOR

THE COLUMBIAN Try the COLUMBIAN a year.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE. The undersigned an auditor appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Culumbia county, Pa., to distribute the funds in the hands of B. D. Frees, trustee for the sale of the real estate of the Northern Columbia and Southern Luzerne Agricultural Association hereby gives notice that he will attend to the duty of his appointment at his office at corner Front and Market streets in Berwick, Pa., on Friday, November, 20th, 1806, at 8 octook a. m., at which time and place all parties interested are notified to present their claims or be forever hereafter debarred from coming in upon said fund.

C. B. JACKSON, Auditor,

AUDITOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Richard Plumer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, appointed an auditor to distribute the Fund in the hunds of the authinistrator de books non of the estate of said devased, will attend at his office on Centre street, bloomsburg, on Tuesday the 17th day of November, 1996, at 10 o'clock in the faremon, when and where all persons having claims on said fund are requested to present the same, or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.

JOHN G. FREEZE,

Ric.

Auditor.

RULE ON HEIRS.

RULE ON HEIRS.

Columbia County, 88.:

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to Emma Smith, Intermarried with Frank Cotner, Limestoneville, Montour county, Pa.; William Smith, Milton, Northumberland county, Pa.; Mile's Smith, Jerseytown, Columbia county, Pa.; Ida Smith, Intermarried with William Sheep, Bloomsburg, Pa.; Charles Smith, Salt Lake City, Utah; Laura Smith, Intermarried with Elmer Melbide, Bloomsburg, Pa., and the following grandshidren, being children of Florence Warner, dece sed, who was a daughter of the sald A K. Smith, deceased, viz: Geraldine Warner, Intermarried with Martin C. Fry, Wilkes-Barre, Luzerne county, Pa., John C Hutter, Jr., guardian of Helen Warner, Intermarried with Harry Wilson, Laura Warner, Charles Warner, Nelle Warner and Sidney K. Warner, Intor children of Florence Warner, deceased, Ineal descendants of A. K. Smith, deceased, and to all other persons interested, greeting: You and each of you are hereby cited to be and accept a before the Judges of our Orphanis Court, at an Orphanis Court to be held at bloomsburg, on the first Monday of December next, then and there to accept or refuse to take the real estate of sald A. K. Smith, deceased at the appraised valuation put upon it by the lequest, duly awarded by the said Court and returned by the Sheriff, or show cause why it shad not be sold. And hereof fall not.

Witness the Honorable S. R. Reiter, President of our said Court, at Bloomsburg, the 24th day of October, A. D. 1 98.

10-29-11.

PARTITION NOTICE, In the mailer of the partition of the estate of Duniel Morris, deceased,

To Daniel Morris, Paris, Texas; John Morris, Paris, Texas; Frank Morris, Paris, Texas; Mayberry Morris, Intermarried with Carte Morris, Intermarried with Carte Morris, Intermarried with Carte Morris, Joseph Morris and Earl Morris, of Catawissa Twp., Col. Co., Pa., minor children of Daniel Morris, deceased. You are hereby notified that in pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county a writ of partition was issued from said Court to the Sheriff of said county, returnable to the first Monday of December, A. D. 1895, and that the Inquest will meet for the purpose of making partition of the real estate of said decedent on exturday, the Tisk day of November, A. D. 1895, between the hours of 9a. In. and 4p. In., on the premises of Daniel Morris, deceased, in Catawissa township, Columbia county, Pa., at which time and place you can attend, if you see proper.

J. B. McHENRY, HAWWA SMALL, Attys.

Sheriff. see proper. RHAWN & SMALL, Attys. 10- 9-4t.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Rev. Michael Power, tate of the borough.
The undersigned in auditor appointed by the Orphons Court of Columbia county to make distribution of bulance in hands of Rev. John Joseph Koch, administrator of said estate, will sit at his office in Centralia, on Friday, November 20, 1896, at ten o'clock a. m., when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same or be debarred from coming in on said foul. in on said fund. EDWARD J. FLYNN, Auditor.

EQUITY COURT RULES.
IT Is ordered septe vber 7, 1896.
That Rules in the Equity Court for the trial of causes at issue, may be entered on the Argument Rule Book on or before any monthly return day, using the time of trial at the second return day after entering the Rule—on twenty days, botice to opposite party.

BY THE COURT.

Something New!

Fred Kumer's improved Artificial Stone Pavement. All kinds of cement work. Prices low and all work guaranteed. All orders by mail promptly attended to.

P. O. Box 374.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

Wanted—An Idea of some simple Protect your ideas; they may bring you wealth Write JOHN WEDDERBURN & CO. Patent Attorneys, Weshington, D. C. for their \$1.50 prize offer and list of two hundred inventions wanted.

EXECUTOR'S SALE -OF VALUABLE --

REAL ESTATE.

The undersigned executors of Fannie Freas late of the Borough of Berwick. In the county of Columbia, Pa., deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises on

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1896, at ten o'clock a. re. of said day, all the following described real estate to-wit: All that mes-suage, tenement and tract of land situate in the township of Briarcreek, county of Columbia and State of Penna , bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stone corner; thence by lands of Emmor Dietrick, south 86% degrees east, 42 perches to a stone; thence by the same south 7434 degrees east 32 perches to a stone; thence by the same south 87% de-grees east 57 6-10 perches to a white oak; thence by the same south 11% degrees east 19 perches to a stone; thence by the same south 61% degrees east, 28 4-10 perches to a stone; thence by land of Hannah Sponenberger north 82 degrees east, 40 9-10 perches to a stone; thence by land of Ell Whitney north 71% degrees east, 66 5-10 perches to a stone; thence by other lands of the estate of Henry Rittenbouse deccased, north 54% degrees west, 43 perches to a stone; thence by the same north SI degrees west, 5 perches to a stone; thence by the same north 1 degree west, 88 8-10 perches to a stone; thence by land of the heirs of John Conner deceased, south 83 degrees west, 50 5-19 perches to a stone; thence by the same south 48% degrees west, 19 8-10 perches to a stone; thence by the same and lands of Levi Shaffer north 86 degrees west, 194 perches to a pine; thence by lands of Levi Shaffer and lands of Emmor Dietrick south 134 degrees west, 42 2-10 perches to a stone, the place of beginning, containing

100 ACRES and 32 perches of land, on is erected a large two-story

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE,

large bank barn, wagon shed, fee house, and other outbuildings. There is a good well of water at the house, and also one at barn. There is also a large orchard on the premises and a variety of choice fruit trees of all kinds. This is the old Henry Rittenhouse hill property and is situate about two and one-half miles west of Berwick on the creek road.

ALSO, at one o'clock p. m. of said day will be exposed to public sale on the premises in Briar-Creek township atoresaid, the following described valuable real estate to-wit: The undivided seven-ninths of all that piece, parcel and tract of land, situate in the said township of Briar Creek. Beginning at a pine knot in land of George Evans, thence by the same north 18% degrees west, 70% perches to a stone; thence by land of Tobias Smith south 70% degrees west, 150 perches to a pine; thence by land of Abraham Ervine south 31% degrees east, 60% perches to a hickory tree; thence by lands of Jacob Folk, north 75 degrees east, 132 perches to the place of beginning, containing

53 ACRES and 97 perches,

and allowance. Also at the same time and place the said George W. Ash will expose the undivided twoninths of said above described tract, the same to be sold as an entire property. This tract of land is well timbered with oak, yellow pine and hemlock timber, and is a very desirable piece of woodland.

Also at three o'clock p. m. of said day, will be exposed to public sale on the premises, all that certain piece, parcel and tract of land situate in the township of Briar Creek aforesaid, bounded and described as follows to-wit: Beginning at a stone in the centre of a public road leading from Evansville to Salem line; thence along centre of said public road north 83% degrees east 875-10 perches to a stone; thence north 7% degrees west, 225 perches to stones; thence south 87 degrees west, 877-10 perches to stones; thence south 734 degree east 232 perches to a stone, the place of begin-

125 ACRES.

neat measure, whereon is erected a two-story

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, bank barn and out-buildings. About one hundred acres of this land is cleared and mostly in a good state of cultivation, the balance is reas onably well timbered with oak, pine and chestnut timber. There is a good well of water at the house, also one at barn. Also a lot of choice fruit on the premises.

TERMS OF SALE: - Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down or the property, fifteen per cent on the first day of January, 1897, and the balance in one year from the first day of January 1897, together with interest thereon from the first day of January 1897. Deed to be delivered to the pur chaser upon receipt of purchase money. The purchaser or purchasers will be required to give bond with good and approved security for the faithful payment of the purchase mone according to the above conditions.

GEORGE W. ASH, and GEORGE W. ASH, BRADC. FREAS, Executors of Fannie Freas, dec'd. L. S. WINTERSTEEN, ALLY.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Elias Schlicher, late of Beaver township deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Rilos Schlicher, late of Beaver 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 demar ds will make known the same without delay to J. W. SCHLICHER, Snyder, Atty, Administrator, 10-8 64* Mountain Geore, Pat

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Israel Holstine, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Iwael Holstine, late of Roaring-reek townslap, Cohumbia county, deceased, have been granted by the Register of Wils of Cotumbia county, Penna, to the undersigned, to whom all payments must be made and all claims presented.

WILLIAM HOLSTINE,
Forest & Harman, Altis. Freeze & Harman, Ains. Executor, 10-3-8t Millgrove, Columbia Co., Pa

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Estate of John Wenner, late of Fishingcreek turp. decrased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of John Wenner, late of Fishio-greek township, deceas a, have been granted to the undersigned administrators, 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

MICHAEL WENNER,
J.M. WENNER,
Chrisman, Ally.

ELIAS WENNER,
10-1-6v.

Administrators,

EXCHANGE HOTEL,

G. SNYDER, Proprietor, (Opposite the Court House'

BLOOMSBURG, PA. conveniences

→ PROFESSIONAL CARDS J

N. U. FUNK,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Mrs. Ent's Building, Court House Alley, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

A. L. FRITZ,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Post Office Building, and floor, BLOOMSBURG, PA:

C. W. MILLER, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Wirt's Building, and floor, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

JOHN G. PREEZE. FREEZE & HARMAN, ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

Offices: Centre St., first door below Opera House

GEO. E. ELWELL, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Columbian Building, 2nd floor, BLOOMSBURG, P.A.

WM. H MAGILL, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

BLOOMSBURG, PA. neat measure, be the same more or less, where- Office in Peacock's building, Market Square.

W. H. SNYDER,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

Office and floor Mrs. Ents building, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

ROBERT R. LITTLE, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Columbian Building, 2nd floor, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

R. V. WHITE.

WHITE & YOST

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW

Wirt Building, Court House Square. BLOOMSBURG, PA.

H. A. McKILLIP.

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Columbian Building, 2nd Floor.

BLOOMSBURG, PA. RALPH R. JOHN, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Hartman Building, Market Square,

> Bloomsburg, Pa. IKELER & IKELER,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

Office back of Farmers' National Bank. BLOOMSBURG, PA.

R. RUSH ZARR, -ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.-BLOOMSBURG, PA.

Office in Clark's Block, corner of 2nd and Centre Streets, 1-12-'94

W. A. EVERT,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

BLOOMSBURG, PA. (Office over Alexander & Co. Wirt building,

EDWARD J. FLYNN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, CENTRALIA, PA. FF Office Liddicot building, Locust avenue.

JOHN M. CLARK, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW AND JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, Moyer Bros. Building, and floor, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

J. H. MAIZE, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE AGENT, Office in Lockard's Building. BLOOMSBURG, PA.

B. FRANK ZARR, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Clark's Building, cor. Main and Centre Sts., BLOOMSBURG, PA. Gan be consulted in German.

W. H. RHAWN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Office, corner of Third and Main Street, CATAWISSA, PA.

> DR. J. C. RUTTER, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, Office, North Market Street, BLOOM SBURG, PA.

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. 7-30-19

J. S. JOHN, M. D.,

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO DISEAS ES OF CHILDRES H. BIERMAN, M. D.

HOMGEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN AND SURGEOF OFFICE HOURS: Office & Residence, 4th St.,

Until 9 A. M., 1 to 2 and 7 to 8 r. m. BL COMPLURG, Pr

Office and Residence No. 18. West Fifth St DISEASES OF THE THROAT AND NOSE SPECIALTY

S. B. ARMENT, M. D.

OFFICE HOURS. (S to 10 A.M. BLOOMSBURG 2 to 4 P. M. (7 to 9 P. M.

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 Str .

BLOOMSBURG, FA.

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 Sts. Diseases of the ear, nose and throat a specialty. BLOOMSBURG, PA.

J. J. BROWN, M. D.,

OFFICE HOURS: {8 to 10 a. m. 1 to 3 p. m. 7 to 9 p. m.

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,

DENTISTRY

IN ALL ITS BRANCHES,

-0-

Crown and bridge work

SPECIALTY, Corner Main and Centre Streets,

BLOOMSBURG, PA.,

DR. W. H. HOUSE, SURGEON DENTIST, Office, Barton's Building, Main below Marke

BLOOMSBURG, PA. All styles of work done in a superior manner, and all work warranted as represented. TEETH EXTRACTED WITHOUT PAIN.

artificial teeth are inserted. To be open all hours during the day.

DR. C. S. VAN HORN,

by the use of Gas, and free of charge when

-DENTIST .-Office corner of East and Main streets, opposite Town Hall. Office hours 5:30 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
CASH TOTAL SURPLUS
CAPITAL ASSETS. OVER ALL.
Franklin of Phila. \$400,000 \$3,198,559 \$1,000,502
Penn'a, Phila. \$400,000 \$3,288,160 1,118,556
Queen, of N. Y. 500,000 3,588,915
Westchester, N. Y. 300,000 1,753,307
N. America, Phila. 3,000,000 9,730,689
2,364,725

OFFICE IN I. W. MCKELVY'S STORE. Losses promptly adjusted and paid.

M. P. LUTZ & SON, (SUCCESSORS TO FREAS BROWN) INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE

AGENTS AND BROKERS. -0-N. W. Corner Main and Centre. Streets, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

Represent Seventeen as good Compan

ies as there are in the World and all losses promptly adjusted and paid at their Office.

CHRISTIAN F. KNAPP. FIRE INSURANCE. BLOOSBURG, PA.

Home, of N. Y.; Merchants of Newark, N. J.; Clinton, N. Y.; Peoples', N. Y.; Reading, Pa; German American Ins. Co., New York; Greenwich Insurance Co., New York; Jersey City Fire Ins. Co., Jersey City, N. J.
These old corporations are well seasoned
by age and fire tested, and have never yet
had a loss settled by any court of law. Their

had a loss settled by any court of law. Their assets are all invested in solid securities, and liable to the hazard of fire only.

Losses promptly and honestly adjusted and paid as soon as determined, by Christian F. Knapp, Special Agent and Adjuster, Bloomeburg, Fa. burg, Pa.

The people of Columbia county should patronize the agency where losses, if any, are settled and paid by one of their own

CENTRAL HOTEL, B. Stohner, Prop. C. F. Stohner, Assistant.

BLOOMSBURG, PA. Large and convenient sample rooms. Hot and cold water, and all modern conveniences. The hotel has been lately refurnished.

CITY HOTEL, W. A. Hartzel, Frop. Peter F. Reidy, Manager No. 121 West Main Street, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

Large and convenient sample rooms. Bath rooms, hot and cold water, and all modern rooms by conveniences. But the conveniences are to deal and residence, 410 Main St., But rooms, hot and cold water, and all modern rooms. BLCOMSBURG, PA

BLCOMSBURG, PA

Ball toolis, not and contained which and modern conveniences. Far stocked with bes wines and liquors. First-class livery attached