

Chocolate Colored Vici Kid and Calf Shoes.

This is an 1897 line, and is the Popular shade for Summer Shoes. It will pay you to catch on. We have them in Kid and Cloth tops.

W. C. McKinney, Clark's Building, Main Street.



THE COLUMBIAN. BLOOMSBURG, PA.

A Request to the Public.

Decoration Day has been set apart as a day to commemorate the noble deeds and heroism of those who fought, bled, and died for the cause of union and freedom in our land.

Respectfully submitted by THE PASTORS' UNION.

For Sale.

Two Beautiful farms for sale or in exchange for town property—one farm is located 3 miles North of Millville, on the road from Iola to Pine Summit.

When bilious or costive, eat a Cascairet, candy cathartic, cure guaranteed, 10c, 25c.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Mercer can supply your every want in the way of bicycles. Stop in and ask to see the Dayton.

Talking about bicycles, what's the matter with the Silver King? It was far in advance of everything last season, and this year is farther ahead than ever.

FOR SALE. A good slate black-board about 10 feet by 3 feet, suitable for school, will be sold cheap.

Mercer's stock of Wall Paper, is complete. You will show good judgment by buying of him.

We fear no competition in making. Price or fit; satisfaction guaranteed, given in every detail.

H. M. Hockman has stocked the Exchange Bakery with a large and fine line of the choicest and purest candy, oranges, bananas, etc.

The Royal Reading should be considered by all intending wheel purchasers. Its a beauty. Sold by Jas. H. Mercer.

FOR RENT. Third floor of COLUMBIAN Building, newly papered and painted, water, electric light and steam heat. Apply to Geo. E. Elwell, tf.

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

Ask your Grocer to-day to show you a package of GRAIN O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee.

MOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache. Easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

HARRISBURG LETTER.

Legislature Will Probably Adjourn the Middle of June.

OPPOSING CIVIL SERVICE BILL.

Probabilities That the Measure Will Be So Changed as to Make It Ineffective—The Defeat of the Pool Selling Bill—Prison Reform Measures.

Harrisburg, May 4.—Notwithstanding the frequent recedes and junkets of the legislature, an effort will be made to force final adjournment about the middle of June.

There has been a good deal of political backing and filling over the reform bills, to which the Republican party is pledged. At the opening of the session it was announced that these bills would be hurried to final passage.

Opposing the Civil Service Bill. There is much hostility among the practical politicians towards the civil service bill, and the prospect now is that this measure will be so changed as to be civil service in name only.

The Question of State Revenues. The question of revenue for the state is one that is giving the financiers in the legislature much serious concern.

WHAT TO DO. There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp Root, the great kidney remedy fulfills every wish in relieving pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passages.

More attention has been given to politics and to factional differences at this session of the legislature than at any previous sitting for many years.

Many Children are Troubled With Worms. Mother Gray's Sweet Worm Powders cure Feverishness and destroy Worms. Used by Mother Gray, a nurse in the Children's Home, New York.

even now negotiations are pending looking to a new deal in state politics. Defeat of the Pool Selling Bill. Among the bills which went down during the last week was one legalizing the sale of pools upon race tracks of agricultural societies.

THE BROADWAY

"GET THEE BEHIND ME."

That's what this week says to last—what May says to April. It's a mighty good thing that the month just passed did not have much reputation to lose.

Her clouds had but one silver lining and THAT WE FURNISHED. Now we greet May on the Homeric principle: WELCOME THE COMING, SPEED THE PARTING GUEST

SALUTE HER THUSLY:

- Another lot of those Felt window shades on spring rollers at 10c each. Four colors to select from if you act quickly. A new lot of fine Blown Glass Tumblers in plain and decorated at 5c ea.

Respectfully Submitted to the Cash Trade Only by THE BROADWAY CASE STORE,

Moyer's New Building, Main Street, BLOOMSBURG.

COURT HOUSE NEWS.

What Has Occurred There Since Our Former Report.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses have been issued by Clerk W. H. Henrie, since those published last week.

W. L. Eckman, to Miss Alma Miller, both of Sunbury.

John E. Berninger, of Franklin township, to Miss Elizabeth George, of Cleveland township.

Bruce Schweppenheiser, of Catawissa, to Miss Mary Smith, of same place.

Paul Panyock, to Miss Mary Karumlan, both of Wilburton.

H. C. Kase, of Berwick, to Miss Mary Ellen Sponenberger, of the same place.

Amos F. Crawford, of Mt. Pleasant, to Miss Flora B. Edwards, of Madison township.

TRANSFER OF REAL ESTATE. The following transfers of real estate have been recorded in the office of C. B. Ent, register and recorder, during the week.

E. R. Ikeler and wife to William Giger, for land in Bloomsburg.

Daniel Reedy and wife, to Henry Fetterman, for tract of land in Briar-creek township.

Nathaniel L. Campbell, to Peter Werkeheiser, for tract of land in Hemlock township.

C. M. Creveling, to S. W. Baker, for land in Bloomsburg.

H. R. Albertson and wife, to Margaret Smith for land in Rohrsburg.

Joseph Beck and wife, to Joel Whary, for land in Mifflin township.

Abby Williams to Joel Whary, for tract of land in Mifflin township.

Alice A. Jackson, to Frank R. Jackson, for land in Berwick.

Moses McHenry et al., to John V. McHenry, for land in Benton township.

Mordecai Jackson and wife, to N. C. Klineb, for land in Berwick.

N. C. Klineb, to Abraham F. Hartman, for land in Berwick.

Congressman Monroe H. Kulp, on Monday introduced bills in the House to remove the charge of desertion from the military records of Jacob Cole, of Iola, Pa., late of Company F, Second Pennsylvania Heavy Artillery, and of Sebastian Delsert of Ottawa, Pa., late bugler in Company L, Seventh Pennsylvania Cavalry.

JONAS LONG'S SONS' WEEKLY CHATS.

WILKES-BARRE, PA., May 6th, 1897.

We are going to make a strong bid for your patronage. We ought to get it if good sound business methods will win it.

2470 yards of double width check dress goods, one of the most popular of early summer weaves, adapted for women's dresses and children's suits, splendid value at 12c.

1,347 yards of assorted Dress Goods, including Homespun, Wool Challies, Plain and Fancy Checks, made to retail at 39c., will be offered at 25c.

A special assortment of Beavette, Wheelwear, Covert, Viger-eaux and Heather Mixtures, all new and stylish weaves, adapted for either tailor made or bicycle costumes, extra wide, insuring economy, made to retail for 98c., for a limited time our price will be 75c.

We have about 500 yards of self figured black Damasse Silk, stylish and popular for separate skirts and dresses, worth 98c., send in your orders promptly, as the quantity is limited, for a few days price will be 67c.

SAMPLES BY MAIL.

Grass Linens have taken a firm hold in fashions, they come in plain effects and in lace stripe, two weights, the heavy to be made up without face lining, the shear to be worn over pretty colored effects in percale or silk; the grenadine in white and black or in white and tan, is especially natty, comes single and double width; prices range from 20c. to 98c.

A very special fabric is our 40-inch Jaconettes with white grounds, prettily covered with fancy colored Dresden patterns, or striped effects, then for those requiring a more subdued garment, the black grounds with white or fancy colored figures is especially recommended for a rich shirt waist or pretty dress; these fabrics haven't a superior at the price, real value 15c., for one week only we offer them at 11c.

SAMPLES BY MAIL.

We've taken up the subject of women's Shirt Waists this season with greater vim than ever before. That says much; it means we've the largest and best assorted stock in this section.

Women's Percale and Lawn Shirt Waists with detached collars and newest sleeves, a bargain at 49c.

Women's Fine Lawn Lappet and Percale Waists with detached collars and cuffs, pretty colorings and designs, at 59c., 69c. and 75c.

Women's Fine Lawn, Dimity, Madras and Percale Waists with detached white and self colored collars and cuffs, handsome patterns, 98c., \$1.25 and \$1.49.

A full sized hemmed Bed Spread, Marseilles pattern, in an over and centre figures, is seldom offered at such a low price, usually sold at \$1.25, but while this lot is here our price will be 89c.

OUR PRIZE SHIRT.

We want the men folks to become thoroughly acquainted with our men's furnishing store. Here's something to interest you. An unlaundried Shirt, made of Wamsutta muslin. Ask the women about it's goodness. Seams are felled, reinforced over shoulders, down sides and back, patent gussets, new cushion neck band, won't hurt neck, warranted pure linen bosom; it's a 75c. shirt, couldn't buy it anywhere else for less; as a special we offer it at 49c. Send for one as a sample. You'll like it.

Jonas Long's Sons Cor. W. Market and Public Squares.