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THE COLUMBIAN, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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PURELY PERSONAL

J. C. Smith, of Sunbury, was in town on Friday. Robert B. Grotz spent Sunday with Catawissa friends. A. W. Jones of Wilkesbarre was noticed on our streets yesterday.

Legal advertisements on page 7. Thanksgiving—one week from today. Burglars forced an entrance into George H. Mossers' store at Locust Dale early Thursday morning, and carried off a great many articles.



I have secured the sale of the finest line of Confectionery in the world. ALLEGRETTE'S CHOCOLATE CREAMS Are unsurpassed in richness and flavor. Always fresh, at 60 CTS. PER POUND.

J. M. DeWitt has opened a boarding stable in the rear of the Central Hotel.

Services will be conducted in St. Paul's church on next Thursday (Thanksgiving) at 10:30.

The Ladies Auxiliary of St. Paul's Episcopal church will give a Japanese Tea in the Parish House this evening.

Harry Wilson has moved into his new house on West street. He has made extensive changes and improvements; and will have a very nice home.

The Band was out serenading Friday night. Among those serenaded were Hon. Robert R. Litle, Fred Ikeler, Esq., David R. Coffman, and several others.

The Normal School Foot Ball team will close the season next Thursday (Thanksgiving), with a game with the strong Wyoming Seminary eleven.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Sleppy, of Kingston, have requested us to thank the many friends for their kindness, assistance and sympathy, in their late bereavement.

A. Houtz, administrator of the estate of Hiram R. Kline, deceased, will sell, on the premises, in Orangeville, on Friday, December 2d, a house and lot, situated on Pine street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wolf have rented the Sloan property, corner of Market and Third streets, and will conduct a first class boarding house. They are about settled, and ready for business.

A dance given by the young people of town will be held in Evans Hall tonight. An invitation has been extended to Berwick and Danville, and both towns will no doubt be largely represented.

An entertainment will be given at the Parish House to-night from 7:30 to 10 o'clock, by the Woman's Auxiliary. The public is invited.

Many a reputation for smartness has been gained just by shooting off one's mouth at the proper moment.

A chicken and waffle supper, under the auspices of the Bloomsburg Y. W. C. T. U., will be given at the home of Mr. George Hughes, East Third street, Thursday evening, Nov. 17, from 5 to 10 o'clock. Tickets, 20c., cream and cake extra.

Blue and Heddens, who have conducted the White House Restaurant on the corner of Main and Center street, for a number of years past, have dissolved partnership by mutual consent. The business will be carried on in the future by Mr. Heddens.

Horace Kramer has resigned his position in the COLUMBIAN office, and is now learning the machinist's trade at the Elevator Works. He worked faithfully with us for three years, and is a careful, conscientious young man, and a good compositor. He has our best wishes for his success.

The soldier vote arrived in Sunbury Wednesday evening last and has been counted. 12 votes were cast in the 8th regiment and 1 in the 4th for Northumberland county candidates. The vote cannot be officially counted until the third Friday after the election.

Horace C. Blue, of Danville, Democratic candidate for Assembly, in Montour county, has many friends here who were sorry to hear of his defeat. He has been an active, hard working Democrat for years, and was entitled to be recognized. But for treachery in his own party he would have been elected.

Frank Phillips has gone to Williamsport where he has leased a room and will go in business for himself. He will conduct what is to be known as the Penny Photograph Gallery. That is they will cost one cent each, if fifteen are taken at one time. We have been shown a specimen of his work. Considering the price it is very good. We wish him success.

A reception was tendered to County Chairman John G. McHenry, at his home, in Benton, on his return home from Bloomsburg, after the labors of the campaign were over. The house was handsomely decorated, and toothsome refreshments were served. Many people were present, and a pleasant evening was spent. This tribute of his fellow townsmen was a well-deserved compliment.

Success comes to those who persevere. If you take Hood's Sarsaparilla faithfully and persistently, you will surely be benefited.

The overturning of a bucket of hot water nearly scalded to death a one-year old child of William Shutt, of Eighth street.

Several residents of town arose early on Tuesday morning to see the great periodic star shower. It is an event which only occurs once in thirty-three years. It was a marvelous sight and well worth the loss of several hours sleep to witness.

The Centralia School Board will be called upon to choose a new Principal, Capt. Hefner, who was recently elected having resigned, to accept a position with John H. Gooser & Co., wholesale grocers of Mt. Carmel. The resignation is to take effect at once.

The trial of Professor George H. Stephens, who confessed to having set fire to Pardee Hall, at Easton, which was to have begun yesterday, has been postponed until the February term of Court. The postponement was caused by the serious illness of Judge Reeder.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association held Monday evening the following officers were elected: President, C. H. Albert; Vice Presidents, C. K. Taylor, Dr. W. H. Champlin; Secretary, C. H. Campbell and Treasurer, J. L. Wolventon.

Our townsman, E. M. Kester, is highly pleased over the large yield of wheat from his farm in Orangeville. Off of forty-two acres, he got 879 bushels, an average yield of twenty one bushels to the acre. As the state average this season for an acre is only a trifle over nineteen bushels, he has reason to feel proud.

For refusing to give up what money she had to a gang of robbers, who broke into her store, at Sharon, Tuesday night, Mrs. Mary Rodgers, an aged woman, was brutally tortured, by having her feet held against a red hot stove until she fainted. She was found in an unconscious and dying condition yesterday morning.

The funeral of Miss Grace Sleppy, who died at her home in Kingston last Thursday, was largely attended here on Saturday afternoon. The remains were brought to Bloomsburg in a special car attached to the train, which arrives here at 12:27, and taken to the residence of Mrs. Geo. Hassert, Sr., corner of Fourth and Catharine streets, from whence services were conducted by Rev. M. E. McLinn, of the Lutheran church, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment was made in Rosemont cemetery.

Friday afternoon, from four to six o'clock, occurred one of the most delightful affairs in the history of the society ladies of Shamokin, it being a reception given by Mrs. Geo. A. Erieg and sister, Miss Hagenbuch, at their beautiful home on Sunbury street attended by about seventy-five ladies.

The decorations throughout the house consisted of ropes of smilax, palms, chrysanthemums, flags and ribbon, which were in profusion everywhere. Prof. Stroh's orchestra discoursed sweet music, and the refreshments were furnished by Leadline of Williamsport, Mrs. Lizzie Dodson of Bloomsburg successfully acting as caterer. The unbonneted ladies were: Mrs. Geo. A. Erieg, Miss Hagenbuch, and their guest, Mrs. P. K. Vannatta, of Bloomsburg. Mrs. John M. Otto and Miss Shissler.—Shamokin Dispatch.

What Shall Be Done FOR THE DELICATE GIRL

You have tried iron and other tonics. But she keeps pale and thin. Her sallow complexion worries you. Perhaps she has a little hacking cough also. Her head aches; and she cannot study. Give her

Scott's Emulsion

The oil will feed her wasting body; the glycerine will soothe her cough, and the hypophosphites will give new power and vigor to her nerves and brain. Never say you "cannot take cod-liver oil" until you have tried Scott's Emulsion. You will be obliged to change your opinion at once. Children especially become very fond of it; and infants do not know when it is added to their food.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

HOW TO FIND OUT.

Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours: a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; if it stains your linen it is evidence of kidney trouble; too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy fulfills every wish in curing rheumatism pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passages. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. At druggists fifty cents or one dollar.

You may have a sample bottle and a book that tells more about it, both sent absolutely free by mail, if you send your address to DR. KILMER & CO., BINGHAMTON, N. Y. When writing be sure and mention that you read this generous offer in THE COLUMBIAN.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., postoffice, and will be sent to the dead letter office Nov. 29, 1898: Corney, Mr. James; Lowry, Mr. Thomas; George, Wm.; Howry, Mrs. Mella; Johnson, Mr. W. H.; Tressler, Mr. Moses; Smith, John.

Persons calling for the above letters will please say that they were advertised Nov. 17, 1898. O. B. MELLIOR, P. M.

Important, If True.

Al. Himmelseich, of Hazleton, has returned from the Klondike with a certified check for \$150,000 issued by a Philadelphia bank, \$30,000 in cash and a large amount of gold in the form of dust, nuggets and quartz. He has a family in Hazleton and after he has provided for them he will return to his claim, which is located about eighty-five miles from Dawson City. He was in the gold regions two years, but never suffered a day's illness, although he endured plenty of hardships.

For Sale. A good sewing machine, 6 drawers, Price only \$5.00. Address, THE COLUMBIAN, Bloomsburg, Pa.

Lieutenant Francis P. Switer, the United States recruiting officer is visiting Williamsport and other Pennsylvania towns this week, enlisting men for the regular army.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Hunting and Trespassing Positively forbidden on the land of J. W. Evans, Greenwood, Pa. 21\*

For Sale. Full blooded registered Jersey bull 4 yrs. old, perfectly gentle and a No. one bull. Also Jersey heifers, fat cattle and feeders, bulls, heifers and steers. Several cows coming fresh, between this and the 1st of May will be sold cheap. 2t. E. J. OHL, Buckhorn.

A large and beautiful line of lamps at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Parlor lamps, banquet lamps, hall lamps, in fact, all kinds of the celebrated Miller lamps at Jas. H. Mercer's.

Mercer has the largest line of Hymn Books ever shown in Bloomsburg.

Mercer's line of Bibles and Hymn Books is complete. Call in and inspect his stock. Opposite Episcopal church.

We have received the latest sample book of society address cards and are prepared to supply cards with beautiful designs and in great variety of Masons of all degrees, Odd Fellows, Knights of Malta, Knights of the Golden Eagle, Junior O. U. A. M., G. A. R., Union Veteran League, Sons of Veterans, Royal Arcanum, P. O. S. of A. Also cards for Firemen, Christian Endeavors and many other organizations. Call and see samples. 1f.

ACTIVE SOLICITORS WANTED EVERYWHERE for "The Story of the Philippines" by Murat Halstead, commissioned by the Government as official historian to the War Department. The book was written in army camps at San Francisco, on the Pacific with General Merritt; in the hospitals at Honolulu, in Hong Kong, in the American trenches at Manila. It is the first original pictures taken by government photographers on the spot. Large book. Low price. Big profits. Freight paid. Credit given. Drop all trashy unofficial war books. Omit free. Address, F. T. Barber, Sec'y., Star Insurance Bldg., Chicago. 10-2-98.

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

CLARK'S STORE NEWS.

You will find a large and varied assortment of all the leading materials for stylish and serviceable dresses on this dress goods stock of ours.

52 inch all wool Venetians \$1.00 yd. 38 " " " Vercina Suitings 50c 52 " all wool Tailor Suitings 65c yd

Our lines of ladies and childrens was never more complete than now.

Ladies fleecy lined vests 25c. Ladies Combination Suits \$1.00. Ladies Combination Suits 50c. Childrens vests and pants 21c.

This weather is a reminder of good and serviceable kind. All wool ones and the finer grades that are soft and warm.

All wool blankets \$5.00 pair. Those real fine ones \$10.00 pair. California blankets \$8.50 pair.

You will find our collection of very complete in all the leading furs & styles of the season.

Electric Coney Tab Collarette \$4.90. Black Astrachan " 3.75. Electric Sea and Electric Coney, Tail and Head trimmed long tab front \$10.00.

Should you desire to see a large and handsome line and for little money for high quality. Come and see our lines. All kinds, all prices.

BLACK DRESS GOODS 45 inch Paquin Serge (new) \$1.00. 42 " all wool crepon \$1.00 yd. 50 " all wool Serge \$1.00 yd.

Some of the best values in In the newer styles are here for your selection, and moderate prices.

COATS AND CAPES. Black Kersey Jacket, all Sateen lined, strap seams, at \$11.50. 27 in. Salts Plush Cape, full sweep. Serge lined, Thibet Edge Collar and Front, \$6.50.

A new line of Linens are here for your approval. In New Patterns.

LINENS. 72 inch Bleached Damask, \$1.00. 72 inch Bleached Double Damask, \$1.50. 68 inch Cream Damask, 50c. yd. Heavy Toweling, 10c. yd. Napkins, at all prices. Lunch Cloths.

You know the fit of a dress depends on good linings. This stock offers you reliable kinds.

DRESS LININGS. 36 inch Good Silesia, 12 1/2c yd. 36 inch Percal Silk, 12 1/2c yd. Elastique, 25c. a yard. 36 inch Lining Silks, 48c a yard.

We call special attention to these two lines of Dress Materials. Right in all ways.

BROADCLOTHS, VENETIANS. 52 inch all wool Venetians, \$1.00 a yard. 50 inch all wool Broadcloths, 85c a yard.

If you need Silks of any description either for dresses, waists or trimmings see this stock. 27 inch Black Satin Duchess 96c yd. 20 " " " 80c yd. 27 inch Black Taffeta 90c yd.

H. J. CLARK & SON.

I. W. HARTMAN & SON. MARKET SQUARE DRY GOODS HOUSE.

Come at once and get first choice of our New Coats, Capes and Collarettes.

Every buyer will see the wisdom of this advice, for cold weather is coming as fast as the days shorten. A special line of Ladies' and Misses' Jackets. A special good assortment of Plush Capes. Misses Coats are here in blue, brown, red, green and gray, at all prices.

The Ladies' Dress Skirts are full width and in many colors and prices. Children's Warm Coats in Colors. Blankets will soon be a necessity—45c. to \$6.50 a pair. We make special mention and call attention to a new lot of Ladies' and Misses' Coats, opened this week.

I. W. HARTMAN & SON.

ANOTHER EXPLOSION IN BLOOMSBURG.

\$1,000 REWARD

For the person telling us when Good Carpets were sold cheaper. Saturday, October 1st, a carboy of dye stuff broke in a railroad car, containing over 10,000 yards of Carpet. Some pieces were soaked at the ends. Some were dirtied and mused while being thrown from the car, and others merely had their wrappers splashed. Goods could not be shipped to western dealers. We stepped in, made an offer of 70c. on the dollar, and got the goods. We are going to sell them quick, and if you know a good thing, you'll take them quick. In some cases you cannot tell the damage. But it's enough to save you dollars.

Commencing Nov. 5th, we will have the goods for sale in our Carpet Department. Bring the measure of your room with you. Note these prices: Best Brussels, sold everywhere for 90c., now 65c. Good Brussels, sold everywhere for 75c., now 55c. Best all-wool Ingrain, price everywhere, 75c., now 55c. Best wool filling Ingrain, price everywhere, 65c., now 45c. Heavy part cotton filling, price everywhere, 50c., now 35c. Heavy Ingrains, price everywhere, 30c., now 22c. Good Ingrain, for chambers, price everywhere, 25c., now 15c.

Lots of Cheap Lining to go with These. All-wool Art Squares, 9 yards, everywhere \$7 50, our price, \$5 50. Wool filling Art Squares, 9 yards, everywhere \$6 75, our price, \$4 50. Part wool filled Squares, 9 yards, everywhere \$5 50, our price, \$3 50. Heavy, serviceable Art Squares, 9 yards, everywhere \$4 50, our price, \$2 75. We have these goods also in 7 1/2 and 12 yards, at corresponding prices.

One thousand all-wool pieces, 1 1/2 yards long, 23c. One thousand part cotton pieces, 1 1/2 yards long, 15c. Five hundred pieces Brussels Carpet, from 1 to 3 yards long, 40c. the yard. Smyrna and other Rugs, 20 per cent. off regular price. Terms, spot cash. We will take corn, oats, flour, buckwheat, eggs, hams, bacon and other produce, in exchange, at market prices.

The Leader Department Store, FOURTH AND MARKET STS. BLOOMSBURG, PA.