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## THE COLUMBIAN.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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Calendars for 1899.

We still have a number of calendars to give to our subscribers who will call for them. On receipt of a two-cent postage stamp we will mail to any address in the county.

### PURELY PERSONAL

Judge Robert R. Little held court at Wilkes-Barre this week.  
S. B. Kams, of Benton, transacted business in town on Tuesday.  
David B. Jones, of Danville, was noticed on our streets on Tuesday.  
M. H. Barr, postmaster at Milton, visited Assistant Postmaster F. M. Kelly, last week.  
B. A. Gidding is celebrating the advent of a baby girl, who arrived at his home Friday morning.  
E. Skyles McKillip, left town on Tuesday afternoon for Carlisle, where he intends remaining for some time.

Mrs. H. B. Foresman, of Renovo, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. W. A. Evert, on East Third street.

Miss Lizzie and Gertrude Linker, two of Danville's estimable young ladies, were visitors to Bloomsburg yesterday.

H. A. McKillip, C. B. Robbins and Prof. Willer went to Wilkes-Barre on Monday afternoon to attend a Masonic meeting.

John Scott visited his mother in town the past week. He is a member of Company D, Light Artillery, United States Regulars.

S. M. Bart of Harrisburg, State Secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association, visited our Y. M. C. A. on Friday and Saturday.

Lawrence Tooley spent Sunday with friends at Shamokin. On Monday he transacted business at Pottsville, returning home Monday evening.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Slate on Fifth street was the scene of a delightful evening party Monday night, the evening being in honor of Mr. Slate's birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Schuyler, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Day, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Peacock, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bloom, Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Graydon, Mrs. Harry Eshleman, Miss Mary Packer, Miss Carrie Brown and Messrs. Harry Stees, Frank Purcell, Frank Miller and Clark Sloan.

Legal advertisements on page 7.

All Bike sundries at Mercer's.

The William Neal property, on Market street, was bid up to \$7100 on Saturday, but was not sold. The sale has been continued to April 1st.

For \$25 we have the Tribune, Oxford, the Norrine and the Ivanhoe wheels, all good ones.

Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

John Smith, of Hamburg, Berks county, has purchased the bakery and confectionery store of H. M. Hockman, and has already taken possession.

Violin, Bow and Box at Thomas' Music store, Main street, for \$2.50.

A wreck in which a train of eight cars were demolished, occurred on the P. & R. Railroad above Catawissa on Sunday. Some of the cars were precipitated over the bank.

FOR RENT—A desirable dwelling house, water and sewer connection. Rent \$7.50 per month. Apply at 47 East Third street. 3-17-99

Because they could not obtain a sufficient number of employes at Muncy, the promoters of the silk mill may erect their plant in Bloomsburg, if the required amount of stock is subscribed by the citizens.—*Montour American.*

WANTED:—Girls for weaving, setting and filling—CARPET WORKS, 3-2 Bloomsburg, Pa.

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Cured in 24 Hours,

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## LA # GRIPPE # PILLS

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J. C. Rutter Jr., has his headquarters in O. B. Mellick's law office, over the Farmer's Bank.

All the latest sheet music, for half the regular price, at Thomas' music store, Bloom or Danville. 3t

Miss H. E. Wasley will have a spring opening of beautiful pattern hats, bonnets and millinery novelties on Wednesday March 22.

For smooth running the Tribune Bicycles are at the head of the class. Prices from \$25 to \$50 at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

A nice lot of Clover and Timothy Seed, just received by the Bloomsburg Store Co., Ltd. Prices reasonable. 3-9

Charles B. Ohl is erecting a building on the rear of his lot on East street, where he will carry on machine work, and bicycle repairing.

The Orient is the noblest and nearest bicycle in the land. Prices \$35 to \$75 at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

On account of the pastor, Rev. B. C. Conner, being in attendance at the Conference, there will be no preaching in the M. E. Church next Sunday.

The Waverly, the Orient, the Tribune, the White, the Luthy, the Relay, the Zandar, etc., at Mercer's.

G. W. Welliver's sale of horses at the Exchange stables Friday afternoon was largely attended. The bidding was lively and the animals brought good prices.

Christ A. Small has moved his law office from the First National Bank building to THE COLUMBIAN building, in the room occupied by L. S. Wintersteen.

The Benton Band accompanied by about twenty-five people from different stations along the line, came down and attended the show Tuesday evening.

The Rt. Rev. Ethelbert Talbot, D. D. LL. D., Bishop of the Diocese of Central Pennsylvania, will preach and administer confirmation at St. Paul's Episcopal Church this evening.

The Annual Conference, of the Central Pennsylvania Methodist Episcopal church, opened at the Ridge Avenue Church, Harrisburg, on Tuesday, with Bishop C. H. Fowler presiding.

Rush Creasy, of Lightstreet, has been taken to a Scranton Hospital for treatment. He has been suffering for a long time, and recently had an operation performed, but this failed in its purpose.

Special song service led by Y. M. C. A. choir (12 voices) at the Y. M. C. A. Hall next Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Also a number of short talks by young men. Services one hour long. All men invited.

Wesley Hippensteel on Monday purchased the Charles H. Sharpless property on East Fifth street, and will occupy it in the future. Mr. Sharpless intends building a house on the vacant lot adjoining the Sharpless building on Center St.

The Bloomsburg Wheelmen held another progressive euchre party at their club house, on Third street, Monday night. Prizes were awarded to the lucky contestants, as follows: Howard Furman, first, and D. Z. Mensch, second. The booby was captured by George A. Clark.

You can buy a good mandolin, or guitar, at Thomas', for \$3.00. Bloom or Danville. 3t

The great War-graph exhibition by Prof. Lyman H. Howe to be given in Bloomsburg under the management of the Y. M. C. A. will be on Tuesday evening April 4th instead of the date previously announced.

James H. Mercer and Luther Rupert are building a 16x24 bicycle repair shop on the vacant lot on Iron street, just below Main street. It will be fitted up with a full line of bicycle repair tools, and will be in charge of Mr. Rupert whose ability as a mechanic is well known.

A fine piano, good as new, cost \$750, for \$100, at Thomas' music store, Bloom. 3t

This year, the annual convention of the Columbia County Sabbath School Association will be held in Orangeville, May 25-26.

So much depends upon the purity of the blood that by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla many different diseases are cured.

There will be a 15 cent luncheon served in the 1st Presbyterian church of Bloomsburg by the men of the church on Friday March 17, from 5 to 10 p. m. Cake and Ice Cream extra. All are cordially invited. C. H. CAMPBELL, Com.

Miss Ada Manning who has occupied the front room, second floor of the COLUMBIAN building for some time past, has removed to O. B. Mellick's office over the Farmer's National Bank. She is an expert type writer and will fill all orders for work in that line neatly and promptly.

Albert Herbine has moved his family to Nescopeck. Mr. Herbine has resided here for many years. He was a good citizen and his departure from our midst is regretted. We have been informed that he and his son William, who is a baker by trade, will open a bakery in the above mentioned place.

Howard Purcell of Millville, was struck on the head by a box falling from a wagon, which he was unloading in front of Jacob Keller's notion store Thursday. The box was quite large and came down on the young man with considerable force. He was in an unconscious condition for some time.

On Saturday night of next week, the Orangeville Literary Society will present in Academy Hall, the popular drama, "The Deacon's Tribulations," in which fun and pathos are happily mingled together. The program will be interspersed with good music, consisting of solos, quartettes, etc., proceeds for the school library.

The body of Frank Woods of Danville, who broke through and was drowned while crossing the ice on the river at Danville in December was discovered lodged against a rock in the river, near Sunbury, on Sunday. Word was sent to his relatives who went down and brought the remains to Danville for burial. The funeral was private.

Putman's fadeless dyes 10 cents at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

The much talked about shooting match between V. B. Moyer and Bert Fisher took place near Oak Grove last Thursday afternoon. We are unable to understand just how it happened, but Tine was defeated, his opponent hitting 13 out of 25 while he only broke 8. We have heard it said that he was frightened, but he says it was the fault of the gun.

## That Cough Hangs On

You have used all sorts of cough remedies but it does not yield; it is too deep seated. It may wear itself out in time, but it is more liable to produce la grippe, pneumonia or a serious throat affection. You need something that will give you strength and build up the body.

## SCOTT'S EMULSION

will do this when everything else fails. There is no doubt about it. It nourishes, strengthens, builds up and makes the body strong and healthy, not only to throw off this hard cough, but to fortify the system against further attacks. If you are run down or emaciated your should certainly take this nourishing food medicine.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

Window shades all prices at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

The Easter number of the New York Herald, out next Sunday, March 19th, will contain 24 full-size art pages, in addition to Easter stories, poems and music, and will be executed in the highest production of the printer's art.

Violin, guitar, banjo and mandolin strings, 5c. each, at Thomas' music store, Bloom or Danville. 3t

W. B. Snyder of Locust township has authorized us to announce his name as a candidate for County Treasurer. He is a consistent democrat and good citizen, and will make a warm canvass for a place on the ticket. He asks the support of the voters.

The Bloomsburg Wheelmen went to Williamsport Friday night and played basket ball with the Y. M. C. A. team of that place. It is said that they gave the lumber city boys a pretty good argument, but were just slightly outclassed. Score, Williamsport 20, Bloomsburg 4.

In this issue we announce the name of Jerry Snyder, of Locust township, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Treasurer. Mr. Snyder is a progressive farmer; has been a life-long believer in Democratic principles, has ever been faithful to the party, and now asks the support of the people in his interest.

Jamison City is going to have a great boom shortly. Repairs are being made at the large tannery and it is the intention to have the big plant in full operation in a month or so. This will give employment to more than one hundred men. Beside this, there are other evidences of coming prosperity. The residents are all happy over the promise of better times.

The chaps who wrote up this town for publication in the Gazette last week are swindlers and should be watched carefully by all publishers. They claim to be brothers. One gives his name as George Phillips and calls the other Jack. If they come to your town to do business, the safest thing to do is to give them the shake. Exchanges please copy.—*Mahaffey Gazette.*

The Fairy King made by the Luthy People is the best wheel built for \$35 at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Denman Thompson's latest play, "The Sunshine of Paradise Alley," which was to be the dramatic event of the season held forth at the Opera House Tuesday evening. It was advertised that it would be presented on the same magnificent scale of grandeur as it was in the larger cities with all of its bewildering and sensational and elegant electrical effects. But it wasn't, and the result was a great disappointment to the large audience. Aside from the singing of the Ladies Verdi Quartette, which was very good, the performance was decidedly weak. It has been pronounced a good contrast picture of the "Old Homestead," but we failed to see it.

Wanted—  
I want to buy Water Stock or Silk Mill Bonds. Geo. E. Elwell, Attorney. 3-17-99

Will Exchange—  
Have \$2300 Penn Elevator Bonds and several desirable parcels of Bloomsburg Real Estate which I will exchange for Ingrain Carpet Mill Bonds. Box 408, Bloomsburg, 3-2.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

WANTED!—Reliable man for Manager of Branch Office I wish to open in this vicinity. If your record is O. K. here is a good opening. Kindly mention this paper when writing. A. T. MORRIS, Cincinnati, O. Illustrated catalogue, 4 cents postage. 2-16-99.

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

## Spring Opening!

## Pattern Hats, Bonnets, and Millinery Novelties.

WEDNESDAY, March 22d, 1899.

H. E. WASLEY,

Main St., Bloomsburg.

## That Easter Dress.

Don't you think you had better be looking for that dress now? Not many days yet for making it and dressmakers are getting busier every day, and our stock of dress materials offers you a good selection for you to choose from now. All the newest colorings. Black is to be very stylish, they say. We are prepared with the best line of Black Materials shown, in Crepons, Mohairs, Cheviots, Venetians, Paquin Serges, Poplins, Figured, &c.

## Tailor-Made Suits.

We now have ready for your selection a good line of newest style Tailor Made Suits, from \$5.00 to \$20.00 the suit. We ask you to come and see them.

## Silk Shirt Waists.

A new line of Silk Waists, in black and colors, made in the newest style. You will find them nicely made, perfect fitting, and style right in every way. Come and see them.

## Lace Curtain and Linen Sale.

We place on sale this week a lot of LACE CURTAINS and TABLE LINENS, at prices it will pay the closest buyers to see and examine. We mention a few numbers of each, but say come and see the full lines of both.

## Lace Curtains.

Lot 1 at 45c. pair.  
Lot 5 at \$1.00 pair.  
Lot 8 at \$2.00 pair.

## Table Linens.

Lot 1 at 25c. a yard.  
Lot 4 at 50c. a yard.  
Lot 6 at 75c. a yard.

## Dress Trimmings.

The most complete line of Trimmings we have ever shown, and all the newest, from Braids to Silks, Satin Cords, Bow Knots, Fancy Gimps, Jets, Braids, Buttons, &c., Shirred Ribbons, Laces.

## Laces and Embroideries.

New lines of these goods. Choice new patterns. Allover, Puffings, Tuckings, Edges, Insertions, &c.

# CLARK & SON.

## I. W. HARTMAN & SON.

### We Are Letting the Government Settle the Difficulty With the Phillipinos, Whilst we go on Selling New Spring Goods to the Ladies.

Don't make the mistake and let our Ribbon Sale, at special prices, close without seeing them.  
A 39c. Ribbon for 26c.  
A 30c. Ribbon for 22c.  
And other widths in like proportion (in Satin and Taffeta).

This Ribbon Sale has drawn many in to see them, and all agree they are big bargains.  
A Satin Ribbon for 11c., worth 16c.; one at 7c., worth 10c. (Will close on the 20th.)

Only about one woman in seven has seen the advertisement of the famous R. & G. Corset, and we suppose, five out of that number would have purchased one if they had seen them. The number 397 is one of our most popular styles at \$1.00.

The Organdies the people are talking about were snowed under in that big storm, but when the weather gets warm will bud again. The Dress Gingham will be, and are, in advance of them. Also Madras Cloth, Percales, and many other Dress Goods, are already here. (See the new Silks for Waists.)

The Spring Dress Suits are coming in, and are made up in the latest styles.  
Wrappers, at 69c. and up, for Spring, are in, in all sizes—Dark Blue, Light Blue, and many other colors.

## I. W. HARTMAN & SON.

### SEND US NO MONEY, COST-YOU NOTHING.

**LOOK!** This magnificent Solid Gold **FREE** bracelet with your initial...  
We will send you postpaid 10 Large Handmade Linen Boyles; different designs. Sell them among your friends at 10 cents each. Send us the \$1.00 and we will send you, by return mail, the magnificent Bracelet.  
Address: CROWN NOVELTY CO., Wilkes-Barre, Pa. 2-23-99.

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### A Specialty.

If you have a watch or clock to be repaired, do not fail to bring it to us, where it will be accurately repaired by a scientific workman, who can put old, butchered watches, in perfect order, and skillfully repair the finest watch you may have. Work promptly done. Prices reasonable. All work guaranteed.

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