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**PURELY PERSONAL**

Rev. B. C. Conner is confined to the house by illness.

George Aurand and daughter of Lewisburg, are in town visiting.

Miss Cora Thomas, of Hazleton, spent Sunday with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Robbins have returned home from New York City.

Joe Sands, of Mordansville, went to Scranton on a business trip, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rishton spent a few days fishing at Beaver Dam last week.

Miss Grace Benedict, of Duryea, is the pleasant guest of Miss Clara Fornwald.

Mrs. W. H. Phillips, of West Pittston, is visiting Mrs. John Knies, on West street.

Mrs. Mary Gearhart is on a visit to her son, Rev. E. B. Gearhart, at Syracuse, N. Y.

Mrs. Lex and daughter of Philadelphia, are visiting at C. H. Reice's, brother of Mrs. Lex.

Miss May Sharpless has returned home from Selinsgrove where she spent several weeks.

Miss Ethel MacCalpin of Northumberland, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Capwell, in town.

Bert Monroe, left yesterday for a two weeks visit with his parents at Grand Rapids, Michigan.

William B. Taylor and family took their annual outing at Arbatus Park. They returned on Tuesday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hicks, of Bloomsburg, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. William Swartz, at Fine Summit.

Mrs. Clark Detrick left for her home at Philadelphia on Saturday, after a pleasant visit in town.

Mrs. J. J. Callender, of Huntington Mills, is spending a week with their daughter, Mrs. F. M. Keiner.

Geo. Tobias is clerking for F. M. Keiner. He was formerly employed by Harry Humphrey as a painter.

After a five-month's sojourn in the South, Charles W. Miller, Jr., returned to Bloomsburg on Saturday.

Miss Mary E. Morris of First street, is entertaining Miss Ettie Z. Snyder, of Berwick, for a few days.

Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Cuprin came over from Williamsport on Tuesday and will spend the week in town.

Miss Mabel Waller of Indiana, Pa., is visiting at her grand-mother's, Mrs. D. J. Waller's on Market street.

Mrs. J. H. Clapman has returned to her home at Brooklyn after a pleasant sojourn with Bloomsburg relatives.

Edward Blue spent a few days with his parents on East street. He is employed in a drug store in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Byron Alley and daughter are spending a few days with Mrs. Jerry Hess. They are residents of Wilkes-Barre.

George Wilder of New York, is expected to arrive in town today. He will be the guest of Carl Wirt for two weeks.

George W. Enteline spent Friday and Saturday with relatives at Tamaqua. He was accompanied by Charles Reice.

Mrs. Frank H. Losey is visiting her parents in the northwestern part of the state. She expects to make an extended stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Reber Mears came up from Rupert and took dinner with Mrs. Mears' mother, Mrs. Eat on East Third street.

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The Misses Irene, Charlotte and Christine Kiser of Sunbury, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Moyer on Market St.

B. F. Apple and wife, of this city, went to Bloomsburg Tuesday morning to attend the commencement.—Sunbury "Daily."

Miss Mary Jones, of Asbury, won the honors in the junior class examinations at Dickinson Seminary, Williamsport, last week.

Miss Margaret Heilman, of this city, left Saturday for Bloomsburg, where she will visit friends.—(Williamsport Gazette & Bulletin.)

Mason Frier, accompanied by his sisters, Misses Grace, Mabel, and Mary of Mt. Carmel, enjoyed a driving trip to Bloomsburg last week.

Philip V. Weaver Esq., a Normal graduate, and now a prominent attorney and one of Hazleton's leading citizens, spent a day in town recently.

Miss Carolyn Kelley of Lewisburg, and Miss Marion Kirky of Mauch Chunk, are guests at the home of Mrs. L. S. Kuhn on Center street.

Miss Daisy Reimensnyder went to Bloomsburg today where she will receive the degree of Master of Arts at the Normal School.—Sunbury "Times" of Monday.

Miss Ida Andrews and John Bowman, of New Columbus, attended the wedding of Miss Drusilla Creveling to Mr. G. A. Hinterleitner, at Plymouth, last week.

Capt. Edward Reese spent Sunday in town with his daughter, Mrs. Robert E. Hartman, at the Exchange Hotel. Mr. Reese is Superintendent of the collieries at Park Place.

Carl Wirt returned from Harvard College on Saturday. F. N. Chessman of Helena, Montana, and A. J. Rockwell, Warren, Pa., accompanied and him will be his guests for a few weeks.

Miss Isabel Miller, of Watertown, N. Y.; Miss Helen Spaulding, of Lawrence, Mass.; and Miss Lila Bradbury, of Lakewood, N. J., are being entertained by Miss Pauline Wirt on East First Street.

Charles Johnson, of Hughesville, spent Sunday with his parents in town. Charles formerly resided here, is a popular young man and his many friends are always glad to extend him the welcome hand.

A. J. Rosentreder, manager of the Weatherway Company of this place has gone to San Francisco, the headquarters of said Company. Mr. F. G. Case, the book-keeper has charge of the business during his absence.

Mrs. C. B. Johnson, of Scranton accompanied by Mrs. Purshell stopped in town between trains last Thursday and called on friends. They were on their way to the latter's home at Warren where Mrs. Johnson will spend several weeks.

David Masters of Philadelphia, Jesse Hawley of Northumberland, Anna L. Kester of Mill Grove, Annie Kester of Philadelphia, Jennie Myers, of Tivoli, Ethel and Ruth Eves, and Mrs. D. W. Kitten and son, of Bloomsburg, attended the Half Yearly meeting and remained a few days with friends in the neighborhood.—(Millville Tablet.)

Legal advertisements on page 7.

If you want good bananas, go to Housel's.

Danville's Fourth of July celebration promises to be a rouser.

For croquet sets, base balls, bats, masks and gloves go to Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

W. J. Corell has beautified the exterior of his residence on Market street by a fresh coat of paint.

Dramatic readings and vocal music at the Parish House on Monday evening, July 10th. Tickets can be procured at this office. 2t

A dance was held at Hess' Grove, Rupert, Tuesday evening, under the auspices of a crowd of young men known as the "Big Five."

All mercantile licenses must be payed on or before July 10. Our merchants and all those throughout the county should bear this in mind.

If you are looking for a nice book for a present to a classmate or a friend, try Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Alex. Barnes fell at the car shops at Berwick on Monday and injured himself in such a manner that he is lying critically ill at his home in that town.

FOR RENT.—Double house, on the Lightstreet road, just above Town Hall. Inquire of E. E. Bittembender, or J. L. Richardson, Bloomsburg. 6-15

St. Ignatius' parish, at Centralia, is erecting a handsome Convent residence. When completed it will be one of the finest structures of the kind in the region.

A Paul E. Wirt fountain pen or a pearl handle gold pen for a lady makes a nice commencement day gift for your friend and can be had at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

C. H. Creasy, who hired two weeks ago with the Hawley-Slate Furniture Co., as engineer, has gone back to his old position as engineer for the Hess Iron Mfg. Co.

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Full line of fireworks, wholesale and retail, at Housel's.

The residence of G. M. Quick, on West Second street, has been repainted.

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The lock boxes and other fixtures at the postoffice have been cleaned off and varnished, and present a new-like appearance.

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Watermelons, canteloupes, peaches, plums, apricots, new corn, tomatoes and egg plant, are our specialties for this week. Housel & Son.

A. H. Neyhart has disposed of his bakery and confectionery business to a Mr. Wooley, of Hazleton, who expects to take possession about July 15th.

One of the prettiest gardens in Bloomsburg is J. H. Maize's on North street. Mr. Maize gives it his personal attention and the result of his labors is very evident.

Perry Evans has purchased a lot in the Ralston addition of Henry H. Jones. Mr. Jones has two more lots in the same addition, which he intends selling. He resides in Luzerne County, but is represented here by Guy Jacoby Esq.

The game of base ball scheduled to take place at Athletic Park Saturday afternoon, between Espy and the Bloomsburg Juniors did not occur, owing to the boys' inability to secure a ball. There isn't an official league ball for sale in Bloomsburg.

The teachers of Centralia Borough and Conyngham Twp. were examined at the High School building, Centralia, last Thursday. Superintendent Miller had a very large class this year, as many new applicants presented themselves for examination.

Extensive repairs are being made at the St. Elmo Hotel. A front entrance is being made to the dining room. Heretofore the only way to get to the dining room was through the bar room or to go up the steps then down again. This convenience will be greatly appreciated.

The home of Miss Georgia White presented a pretty scene Friday night. The event was a party given by Miss White in honor of her guest, Miss Helen Maier, of Sunbury. There were about twenty young people in attendance, and all had a lovely time. A tempting collation was partaken of.

All arrangements are being made to furnish a good time to every one who joins the P. O. S. of A. picnic to Glen Onoko, on August 5th. The committee in charge has been working hard, and we hope that their efforts will be in every way successful. It will be the banner excursion event of the season.

The *Farm Journal* is cream, not skim milk, and just the paper for the man who keeps cows. We give it for the balance of 1899, and all of 1900, 1901, 1902 and 1903, nearly five years, to every subscriber to the *COLUMBIAN* who will pay a year ahead. Walk right up to the captain's office without delay.

Miss Mary Savidge was unanimously elected as teacher of one of the Milton schools at a recent meeting of the school board. Miss Savidge taught in Milton last winter and her unanimous re-election speaks well for her success in teaching.—(Northumberland Press.)

Miss Savidge graduated at the Normal School here, and was a member of St. Paul's Episcopal Church choir. She has many friends, who are glad to hear of her re-election.

It is reported in town that George Washington Guthrie, who left here about two months ago to return to his home in Kentucky, has been lynched for committing murder. He was a familiar character on our streets for several years, and spent his time shining shoes and doing other little jobs. The car fare to take him back home amounted to \$28, and was raised by subscription. It is now claimed that he was a murderer before he came to town; that he killed two little children many years ago, and that his whereabouts were known, but the authorities preferred to let him alone as long as he remained outside of the state.

We have only a few hammocks left. Prices right at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

F. P. Pursel's store buildings are being repainted.

For bananas, oranges, lemons, etc, go to Housel & Son's.

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The stone used for the front of the Wirt building, is being taken from the Yorks quarry near Central.

Our ice cream soda with fruit flavors is giving good satisfaction at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Nearly the whole graduating class of the Hazleton High School will enter the Normal School here next term.

Miss Belle MacBride and Mr. Daniel Z. Mensch will be married in St. Matthew's Lutheran church today.

Mr. P. S. Harman, who was not expected to live through the day on Friday last, has rallied, and now seems to be stronger and better, and hopes are entertained of his recovery.

Owing to the illness of the pastor Rev. B. C. Conner, Rev. S. E. Bateman, preached in the Methodist church Sunday morning. In the evening Rev. W. W. Evans, D. D. Presiding Elder, preached.

Iola is to have a celebration on Tuesday next, the 4th. A large program of amusements has been arranged, chief among which will be a bicycle race. The start of the race is to be made from Millville.

Thomas Moore, an employee of the *Republican* printing office, is nursing a sprained knee, a bruised knee and a badly mutilated hand as a result of falling off his bicycle while descending the Scott Town hill, early Saturday morning.

The curbstone market Tuesday morning was the largest in many years. All the products of the garden were on sale. Many of the market men complained because of poor patronage, that is, the town people don't come out to the market.

It looks as though Independence Day will pass by unobserved, so far as Bloomsburg is concerned. It is too late to arrange for a celebration on a very extensive scale, but it wouldn't cost much in time or money to prepare a display of fireworks, and it would be evidence that we are still on earth.

Miss Kathryn Davis, a well known and highly respected young lady of this town, and Mr. Raymond Stecker, principal of the public school at Buckhorn, were married at the home of the bride by Rev. B. C. Conner of the Methodist church on Thursday evening. Miss Davis has been employed in the general office of Paul E. Wirt for several years.

A good-sized delegation of Bloomsburgers attended the annual race meet of the Berwick Bicycle Club last Saturday afternoon. Rain interfered with the program to such an extent that only one heat of each event was run. Many expressed great disappointment when they learned that Krick was not there. The genial German has many admirers in this neck-o'-the-woods who had expected to see him distinguish himself.

Wednesday evening the nine Mt. Carmel graduates who spent three weeks at Bloomsburg Normal School returned home. They were among those who successfully passed the examinations for the senior year at that school. The faculty say these nine young people were the best prepared scholars who ever presented themselves for examination at that institution. Again Mt. Carmel, its School Board, Teachers and Pupils have cause to be flattered.—Mt. Carmel Item.

Celery plants by the thousands, in large or small quantities. C. L. Rupert.

Friday morning's Danville *News* says: Daniel Connor of Bloomsburg a machinist employed in the shop of Curry & Vannan, met with an unfortunate accident Friday morning, as the result of which he is minus a first finger of the left hand. He was at work at a lathe when his finger coming in contact with a greasy belt was thrown into the back gear, the fine cogs in the twinkling of an eye severing the member from his hand between the knuckles and first joint. Dr. Curry was called, who gave the injury surgical treatment. The injured man left for Bloomsburg yesterday afternoon on the 2:11 train.

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Letters of administration, in the estate of Conrad Kremer, late of Madison township, Columbia county, Pa., deceased, have been granted by the Register of Wills of said county to the undersigned. All persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent are requested to make known the same to the administrator without delay. Those indebted to the estate of said decedent are requested to make prompt payment to the administrator.  
CHARLES G. BA KLEY,  
Bloomsburg, Pa., June 29, 1899.