

THE COLUMBIAN. BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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If any of our readers can spare the time for a trip to the Sea Shore this season they will have the opportunity to go on the Pennsylvania Railroad Excursion, Thursday, July 27th.

We have two Ladies' and one gent's second hand wheels cheap at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

John G. Harman, Freeze Quick and Frank Derr constituted a party who spent yesterday up near Stillwater, fishing. They returned home in the evening with thirteen nice specimens.

The Zion Congregation will hold a festival in E. M. Laubach's grove, at Forks, on the evening of August 3rd, in connection with the reunion of the Reformed Congregations of Orangeville charge held on that day.

The Centralia borough Council met Wednesday evening of last week, and passed an ordinance giving the right of way through the town to the Shamokin and Mt. Carmel Electric Railway.

Robert Hislop, of Parsons, who, with several Wilkes-Barreans, went to the Klondike region something over a year ago, has returned empty handed.

During this season when violent thunder storms occur it is wise to take precautions for saving life. Lightning flashes frequently strike down persons who invite such fatalities by being near open doors or windows.

Admiral Schley, in his address to the graduating class of the Girls' Normal School, in Philadelphia, week before last, gave a new version of that old axiom, which says "the hand that rocks the cradle rules the world."

Dr. Bierman made a trip to Pittsburgh on Thursday to accompany Miss Mary Betts, daughter of the late John Betts of Buckhorn, to her old home.

Eugene Moss of near Nuremberg met with a distressing accident Saturday evening, which resulted in the loss of one of his eyes.

The huckleberry crop in the Hazleton region is the largest in ten years. More than 2,500 baskets have already been shipped.

Pennsylvania paid \$25,000 last year for the slaughter of cattle afflicted with tuberculosis. It was money well spent.

Following are the teachers elected by the Centralia school board for the coming term: S. Smith Murphy, principal; John J. Reilly, assistant principal; B. I. Curran, grammar; Ella Gorman, Bridget Laughlin, Kate Flynn, Maggie Kinney, Harriet Cook and Sarah Heist.

Major Levi Wells, of Bradford county, has been reappointed Dairy and Food Commissioner by Governor Stone, a position he has held since the organization of the Department of Agriculture.

A city exchange reports that buttermilk is now being served as a drink at saloon bars, restaurants and hotel dining rooms, and that the demand for it is rapidly increasing.

Mr. W. S. Miller, the entertaining correspondent of the Wilkes-Barre Record, took a ride in the automobile, or horseless carriage, on Tuesday, as far as Eatonville.

A meeting of the directors of the Montour and Columbia Telephone was held at Sunbury last week.

When you send a paper to a newspaper man always mark what you want him to see. Not knowing from where the paper comes, it is seldom possible to find out just what you are expected to see unless the paragraph is marked.

While out hunting in the mountains in the upper end of Sugarloaf township, last Wednesday afternoon Walter Hirshman, of Jamison City, tripped and fell over a log, and accidentally discharged the gun which he was carrying.

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6 Days--Odds and Ends and Remnant Sale JULY 24 TO JULY 29. I. W. HARTMAN & SON, Bloomsburg, Pa.

RAIN OR SHINE THIS SALE GOES ON. HOT OR COLD THIS SALE WON'T STOP.

All short cuts, odd dozens and remnants, placed on centre tables in our big store, and priced so low somebody will be sure to take them.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR. GOWN—Full sleeve ruffle gown, with lace yoke in front, three box pleats, yoke back, selling at 49c. Odds and Ends Sale, 37c.

LACE CURTAINS. 3 pairs, wide Ecru lace curtains, tapered edge and fine quality. Have sold at \$2.00 per pair. Odds & Ends Sale—Remnant, \$1.75

TABLE COVERS. Derby table covers, 14 Yds square, all colors, and very pretty patterns. Regular price, 89c. Odds and Ends Sale, 64c.

TABLE OIL CLOTH. Potter's oil cloth, 14 Yds wide, the kinds you very seldom find among low priced goods.

MEN'S GOODS. White handkerchiefs, hemmed border, each, 33c. 2 dozen men's suspenders, full size. Odds and Ends Sale, 11c.

INFANT'S SLIPS. 1 dozen short slips, made to sell at 39c, and well worth it. Odds and Ends Sale, 29c.

LININGS. 25 remnants Cambric lining, in black, grey, and all colors, in lengths of 2 to 3 yards. Per remnant, 8c.

LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS. Lot 1—Made of Percale, plaid and stripe effects, self and detachable collars, sizes 32 to 40, ranging in price from 39c to 59c.

LADIES' SUITS. Ladies' jacket suits, in green and blue. Jacket lined with changeable silk; skirt nicely lined and full width; have sold all during the season at \$5. Odds and Ends Sale, \$3.69

LADIES' JACKETS. In all wool cheviot and serge; brown, drab, &c, lined with silk, some few only faced with silk, new pattern sleeves, coat back. Real value, \$2.98, \$3.98 to \$4.98.

FANCY DRESS SKIRTS. Figured and plaid skirts, all colors, lined throughout and velvet bound. Real value, \$1.50 to \$2.00. Odds and Ends Sale, \$1.19.

BLACK SKIRTS. Black figured brilliantine skirts, felled seams. Regular price, \$2.95. Odds and Ends Sale, \$1.85.

WRAPPERS. Ladies' wrappers, made of good calico; light, medium and dark colors, wide skirt, deep hem, lined waist and full belted front; all sizes. Usually sold at 69c and 79c.

CHILDREN'S REEFERS. Children's wool reefers, in blue, red and green cloth, fancy collars, trimmed in different styles; from 1 to 5 years sizes. Usually \$2.50 to \$3.00. Odds and Ends Sale, \$1.49.

PIQUE REEFERS. White and colors, sizes 1 to 4 years. Trimmed with embroidery and braids. Odds and Ends Sale, 49c to 69c.

WASH DRESS GOODS. 3 remnants Organdy, in newest colorings, 3 Yds in remnant. Remnant Sale, 33c.

TOWELING. 10 remnants fine lawns, in newest colors and latest patterns, 2 and a half to 3 and a quarter yards. Remnant Sale, 29c.

PARASOLS. Two changeable silk, worth \$1.95. Odds and Ends Sale, \$1.19.

NOTIONS. Toilet soap, 3 cakes. 49c. Nickel safety pins, per dozen. 33c.

GINGHAM APRONS. Good quality gingham, well made. 10c.

BOYS' SUITS AND WAISTS. Boys' wash suits, nicely trimmed. Odds and Ends Sale, 49c.

TABLE LINEN. 6 remnants half bleached table linen, 14, 2 and 2 1/2 Yds. For Remnant, 43c.

CALICO. 12 remnants light calico, fast colors, 2 to 2 1/2 Yds. For Remnant, 9c.

CHECK NAINSOOK. 10 remnants of white check Nainsook, in remnants of 2 to 3 yards. For Remnant, 12c.

MUSLIN. 8 remnants bleached "Fruit of the Loom Muslin," in remnants of 2 and 2 1/2 yards. For Remnant, 13c.

CANTON AND SHAKER FLANNEL. 10 remnants Shaker Flannel, good weight and perfect, in remnants of 2, 2 1/2 and 2 3/4 yards. For Remnant, 9c.

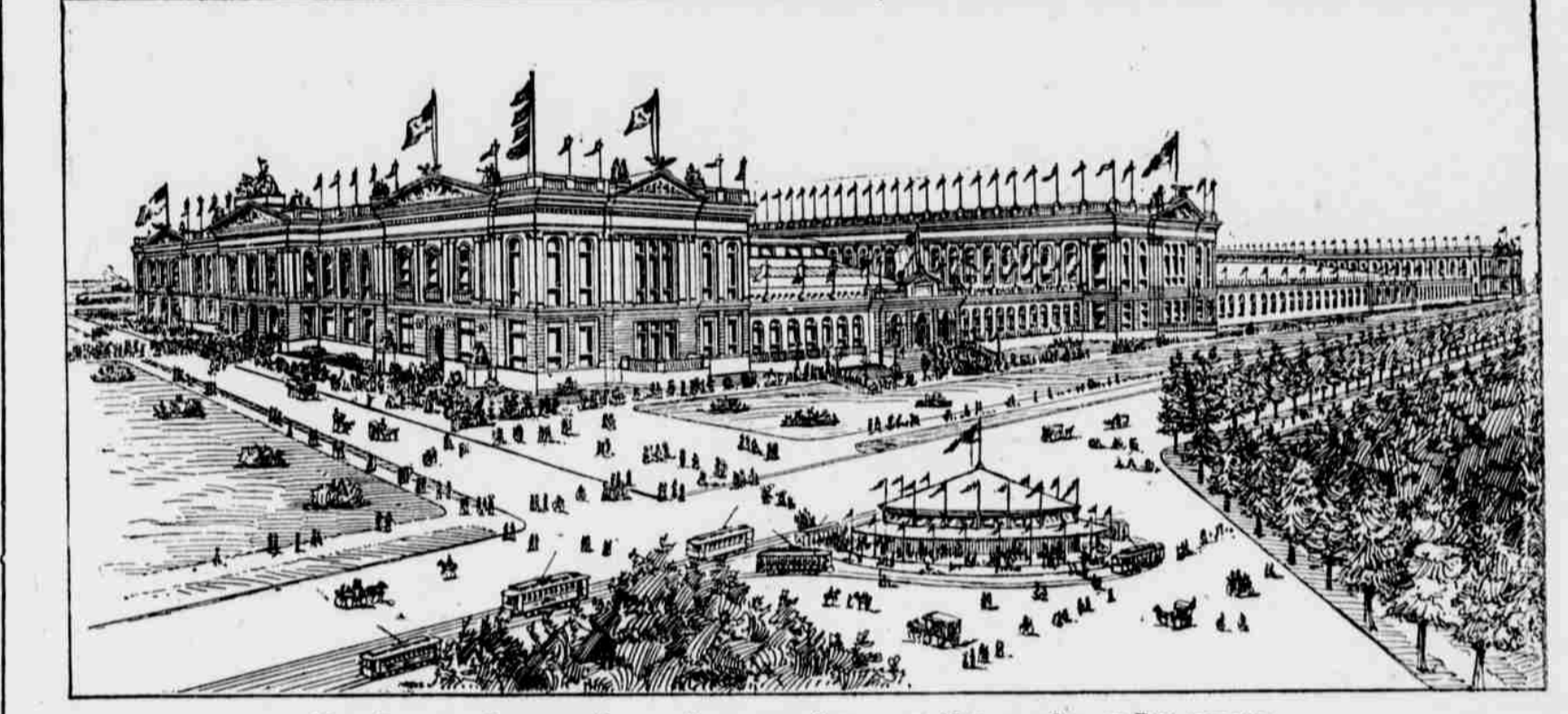
DRESS GINGHAMS. 8 remnants of small and medium Plaid Dress Gingham, 2 to 3 Yds. For Remnant, 15c.

GINGHAM. 25 remnants of very best quality Apron Gingham, in remnants of 1 1/2, 2, 2 1/2 and 2 3/4 yards. For Remnant, 11c.

PERCALES. 20 remnants of yard wide Percales, in remnants of 1 1/2, 2, 2 1/2 and 2 3/4 yards. For Remnant, 15c.

BLACK DRESS GOODS. 3 remnants, 2 to 2 1/2 yards each, black figured Brilliantine, worth 50c per yard. Remnant Sale, 79c.

DRESS GOODS. Fancy Plaid Suiting, 36 inches wide, 2 1/2 yard remnant. Regular price, \$1.25. Remnant Sale, 98c.



MAIN BUILDING, NATIONAL EXPORT EXPOSITION, SEPT. 14 TO NOV. 30, 1899, AT PHILADELPHIA.

GENERAL HAWLEY'S COMPLIMENTS.—The Famous Soldier, Statesman and Orator Speaks Words of Praise. In a personal letter to the Chief of the Department of Publicity and Promotion, of the National Export Exposition, General Joseph R. Hawley, United States Senator from Connecticut, who was President of the Centennial Commission of 1876, writes:

"I am complimented by the request you make of me concerning the proposed National Export Exposition of American Manufacturers, to be held in Philadelphia this fall. It would be impossible for the business world to devise any scheme of the kind that would not be deserving of the hearty support of all the citizens and the good will of the whole country.

Further on in his letter General Hawley, referring to an invitation extended to be present at the convening of the Commercial Congress, says that it will give him pleasure to attend and address the delegates.

ESPY.

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Mrs. F. S. Nagle of Nanticoke, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Angle.

Henry Frane has been confined to the house by illness during the past week.

Rev. Fortney of Turbotville, preached in the Lutheran church Sunday morning and evening last.

STATE NEWS ITEMS.

The heaviest man in the State is believed to be butcher George Abel of Allentown. He weighs 453 pounds and adds to his avoirdupois every day.

Amos Widmyer, of Lancaster, aged 70 years, dropped dead Monday morning while hoeing tobacco on the farm of David R. Kemper, near Neffsville. His death was due to apoplexy.

H. A. Reed, of Sunbury, has been appointed census supervisor for the 10th district. The counties included in the district are Centre, Clearfield, Montour, Snyder, Union and Northumberland.

The Dodson breaker of the Plymouth Coal Company, located along the track of the D. L. & W. above the station at Plymouth, burned Friday morning. The origin of the fire is not known.

The employes of the North Lebanon furnaces to the number of four hundred were notified on Friday of an increase of 10 per cent. in wages for all classes of labor.

Mr. Dana W. Dodson, who is summering at Town Hill, was overcome with heat Monday between his home and Town Hill and fell from his wheel. He was picked up by a passerby and after being taken home soon revived.

The will of the late F. Leaf Smith of Reading, was probated on Friday. After the payment of a number of bequests and all claims against the estate there is a balance of \$370,494.88, which goes to the decedent's only child, a minor daughter.

Dr. John W. Leckie, who is 64 and Miss Emma Phillips, who is 19 years of age, were quietly married at Hazleton on July 2 by Rev. Cleaver, of the Diamond M. E. church. Announcement of the marriage was made for the first time Monday. Dr. Leckie is a prominent Hazleton physician.

While returning from Butler Valley late Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Reynolds and their son, of McAdoo, had a miraculous escape from instant death. When near the top of the mountainous road the horse became frightened and backed the carriage over a steep embankment. The shaft of the carriage broke and the occupants rolled down the mountain. Mrs. Reynolds and the son were unconscious and Mr. Reynolds was slightly stunned. He quickly summoned assistance and the woman and child were removed to a hotel nearby, where restoratives were applied. They were badly bruised about the body, but no bones were broken.

Queer Murder at a Wedding.

A marriage of a singular character recently took place at the registrar's office, Langport, England. The bride and bridegroom, supported by the usual escort, having presented themselves, the registrar requested the witnesses to be seated, and, addressing the bridegroom and lady, who remained standing, elicited from them solemn declarations of knowing no lawful impediment to being joined in matrimony. Having called those present to witness, they took each other as husband and wife, it remained only for the bridegroom to slip the golden hoop on the fair one's finger, when, much to the astonishment of the registrar, the bridegroom, mustered courage to ejaculate in the Somerset vernacular: "This be the young 'oman I wants to get married to over there," pointing to one of the patient witnesses. It was then discovered that the bridegroom had married his own sister. The marriage, of course, was invalid, and after rearranging the parties the ceremony was performed with the proper principals.

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