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It will aid the action of the Cherry Pectoral.

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Is your time valuable? Then save 90 per cent. of it, by using a telephone.

Mrs. Guy Jacoby has a plant from which she has taken 258 lilies already this season. It is still blooming profusely.

"Trust not to appearances," but put your faith in Hood's Sarsaparilla, which never disappoints. It is the best medicine money can buy.

Cards are out announcing the wedding of Miss Mary Jackson of Bellefonte, to Mr. Joseph E. Borges of Knoxville, Tenn. The bride elect is a daughter of Mrs. M.W. Jackson and formerly resided at Berwick.

A school boy's essay about hornets paid this compliment to that inflammable bug: "One way a hornet shows his smartness is by attending his own business, and making everybody who interferes with him wish he had done the same thing."

A hearing in the libel case preferred by C. P. Harder, chairman of the Republican standing committee of Montour county against the business manager of the Philadelphia Press will take place before Joseph Hunter in Danville on Tuesday, Oct. 3rd.

Marion, the sixteen months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Foulke, of Danville met with a fatal accident Monday. The infant was playing near a bucket of scalding hot water and in an attempt to get up, fell backward into it, receiving injuries from which death resulted.

Are you thinking of buying a second hand bicycle? If so, go to see Mercer. He can suit you. A boy's for \$9.00, a man's for \$10.00, a lady's for \$11.00, a lady's \$13.50, a man's for \$19.00. These are new—one a \$50.00 high grade for \$38.00, another for the same money. A lady's new one, a \$40.00 wheel, for \$30.00. A lady's for \$25.00, &c.

STRAY PARAGRAPHS.

—The sun rises in the east, but bread rises with the yeast in it.

—Every man likes to think that his own umbrella is above the ordinary.

—Of what some married men are up to, the better half has never been told.

—No Maude dear, because a man is troubled with night mare, doesn't say that he was talking horse the day before.

—A writer of a late popular songs thinks the Susquehanna the most eloquent of rivers. It ought to be eloquent, it has a dozen mouths.

—A duel was fought in Venango county on Saturday by Mr. Thomas Knott and Mr. A. W. Shott. The result was that Knott was shot, and Shott was not.

—A woman complains in one of our exchanges that without a fault she has lost her good name. In our section, ladies very often lose their names, but in doing so, they generally manage to find new ones.

Jewish New-Year.

"Rosh Hashonah," the Jewish New-Year, which, according to the Mosaic law, dated from the creation of the world, was observed by the Hebrews on Tuesday.

According to the chronology of the Hebrews, this celebration marks the beginning of the year 5059, and the month is called Tisri and the day is the first of that month. It does not always fall on the same month day, according to modern calendars.

Orthodox Jews everywhere throughout the world are strict observers of the day. The ceremony, it is said, is identical with that which was carried out in the early days of the race with the exception of the burnt offering commanded by Moses. This cannot be carried out, because the succession of the priesthood has been lost, and none other than the descendants of the anointed are permitted to offer the sacrifice which has been purified by fire. But this is typified by the lighting of a candle in a candlestick suspended in front of the Ark of the Covenant, the holy of holies.

The men sit on one side and the women on the other side when the congregation assembles. From one of the five scrolls of the law the reader delivers the lesson to the people. The reader wears a tall hat, as do all the male members of the congregation, as well as a fringed sash thrown over the left shoulder. The reading continues throughout the day and the next day. The strictly orthodox, notably those from Russia and Poland, observe two days, but the American Hebrews observe but one day.

One of the ancient customs followed is the plowing of the sheaf, or the ram's horn, which is supposed to awake those who hear it to a full realization of the import of the day and the fact that the day of judgment is close at hand.

THE COLUMBIAN.

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.,
Public Sale Criens and
General Auctioneers.

With fifteen years experience. Satisfaction guaranteed. Best returns of any sale criens in this section of the State. Write for terms and dates. We never disappoint our patrons. 1-5

Croquet sets at Mercer's Drug & Book store.

The storing of a large proportion of the coal mined by the Reading and other large companies gives rise to the belief that the commodity will fall in price before long.

Take advantage of a telephone. The old rates have been reduced and the new rates make the service you need within your reach. See the manager of the exchange about having a telephone put in.

Wouldn't it be a blessing if everybody would mind their own business in this world, and not meddle in affairs that do not concern them? What a following this class of people have in Bloomsburg; they never see their own innumerable imperfections but can always detect the faults of others.

The Katyids have begun their monotonous song, and according to the old saying Jack Frost will begin cutting up his pranks within six weeks thereafter. Crickets too, are now sending forth their music nightly, and the monotonous wail of the insect tribe in general indicates an early autumn.

The Friendship Fire Company tendered the Good Will Company a reception at the Town Hall Saturday evening. Several pithy speeches were made and excellent music was furnished by Jas. Goss of this latter company. Occurrences of this kind give evidence of good feeling, and the practice should be continued. The bill of fare consisted of water melons and canteloupes, and judging from the number devoured, it was thoroughly enjoyed.

In Pennsylvania the open season for wild turkey, pheasant, grouse, quail, partridge and squirrels, is from October 15th to December 15th; woodcock during the same period; rail and reed birds, September 1st to December 1st; elk and deer (no dogs to be used), November 1st to December 1st; hares and rabbits, November 1st to December 1st; plover, July 15th to January 1st; web-footed wild fowl, September 1st to May 1st.

WHO IS TO BLAME. Women as well as men are made miserable by kidney and bladder trouble. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, promptly cures. At druggists in fifty-cent and dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling all about it. Address, Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

An Exposition Quickstep.

The Official Music of the National Export Exposition has been Decided Upon.

Latest among the musical compositions that are destined to be popular is "The National Export Exposition March," which has been officially endorsed by the Exposition management and which will soon find its way into print.

Composers of more than a dozen States were in the competition, and it was only after the various compositions had been gone over a number of times by Anders' famous Third Regiment Band that the committee made the selection.

The Exposition management has not given out the name of the successful author, but it is learned that the young man's home is in Boston. No prize was awarded. The copyrighted edition of the march has been presented to the Exposition. It will be first played officially by the United States Marine Band upon the occasion of the opening of the Exposition, and repeated each evening during the progress of the big show.

Eyers Grove.

On September 10th will be the re-opening of the Methodist Episcopal church in Eyers Grove. For more than four months the work of repairs and remodeling of this church has been going on, and now on next Sabbath the general public is invited to this neat and cozy place of worship, to enjoy the rich program that has been prepared especially for this great occasion, for methodism in this country.

The following is the program. Sabbath morning Sept. 10th, 9:45 a. m. sermon by the Rev. Dr. Thompson of Pittsburg, Pa.

At 2 p. m. Sunday school rally. This service will be addressed by several ministers present.

At 3 p. m. Platform meeting. The speakers being Dr. Thompson, Rev. E. M. Chilcoat and G. V. Savidge.

At 7:30 p. m. a sermon by Dr. Thompson.

The week following on Monday evening Sept. 11th at 8 p. m. Rev. George V. Savidge of Town Hill will preach.

At 3 p. m. Sept. 12th Rev. W. H. Hartman of Buckhorn.

On Sept. 13th, 8 p. m. Rev. N. B. Smith of Orangeville.

On Sept. 14th, 8 p. m. Rev. S. A. Creveling of Rohrsburg.

On Sept. 15th, 8 p. m. Rev. T. M. Phillips of Washingtonville.

To all of these services the general public is cordially invited.

DAVID Y. BROUSE, Pastor.

The Fair at Brook Park, Lewisburg, Pa.

The fifty-sixth Annual Fair of Union County Agricultural Society will be held at Brook Park, Lewisburg, Pa., on September 26, 27, 28 and 29, 1899. It is one of the oldest and most progressive organizations in the country and has stood the test of time for nearly half a century. New officers, good track and large purses. Lately the racing course has been sodded and covered with loam making it the best half mile track in the state. The premium list has been thoroughly revised and increased, making it very attractive to owners of fast horses, live stock raisers, farmers and farmers' organizations, manufacturers and others. It is distinctively agricultural in every method and feature, with competition unrestricted, turf attractions more ample than ever before, several races each day and special attractions between heats, which can be witnessed from grand stand. The indications are that the attendance will be the largest in the history of the fair. Full particulars are given in pamphlets issued by the Society which can be had on application or by addressing C. Dale Wolfe, Cor. Sec'y, Bucknell, Pa. The public is assured that this year's exhibition will be the best ever held. A large and spacious grand stand, with private boxes, will ensure the best accommodations for those desiring to witness the track events.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., postoffice, and will be sent to the dead letter office Sept. 19, 1899. Persons calling for these letters will please say "that they were advertised Sep. 7, 1899":

Mrs. Dora L. Conner, Miss Nola Fetterman, Mr. E. L. Downs, Mr. John L. Gumaer.

Cards—Mr. Charles H. Gren. One cent will be charged on each letter advertised.

O. B. MELLICK, P. M.

The Luzerne county Democratic committee has made a rule that each candidate for nomination must register and pay to the chairman of the county committee 1 per cent of the yearly salary of the office to which he aspires, to meet his share of the expenses of holding the county convention, at least five days before the convention.

Pay Your Taxes.

L. D. Kase, collector, gives notice that taxes for 1899 must be paid by September 16th, in order to save 5 per cent.

THE TRANSVAAL SITUATION.

The People Will Demand a Reason For the Massing of British Troops.

PRETORIA, Sept. 6.—The veldkraal has accepted Mr. Coester's motion to fix the date for the growing out of the interpellation of the government as to the assembling of British troops along the Transvaal borders for Thursday next.

In presenting his motion Mr. Coester referred to "the Jameson raid and other outrages and murders committed by British troops" as leading him to distrust the present concentration. He declared that the convention of 1884 did not contain the suzerainty stipulation, and he maintained that Mr. Chamberlain had broken that convention by interfering in the internal affairs of the republic.

Other burghers supported Mr. Coester saying that, while negotiations were proceeding, all the British colonies were offering armed assistance. "And must the Transvaal remain silent?" exclaimed a burgher. "It is opposed to Christianity to conduct friendly negotiations and yet mobilize troops. We must know why the British troops are on our borders."

The motion to wait until Thursday for the government's reply was agreed to unanimously.

Mr. Morley Opposes War.

LONDON, Sept. 6.—The Right Hon. John Morley, Liberal, member of parliament for Montrose Burghs, addressing his constituents last evening at Arbroath, dwelt upon the necessity of so sharing British policy in dealing with the Transvaal as to entice the friendly judgment of the Dutch population in South Africa and not to divide the white race.

"There could not be," said Mr. Morley, "a more insensate example of human folly than a war that would bring added burdens. We do not wish to be a pirate empire, and war with the Transvaal would mean deep dishonor."

The People Still Fleeing.

JOHANNESBURG, Sept. 6.—Public anxiety shows no abatement, and the exodus of the population continues. The staffs of several large financial houses are leaving with their books for Cape Town. At a public meeting held at Bokhuis on the field course, guaranteed the safety of all the residents of the district.

He announced that the natives would be transported immediately upon a declaration of war in trucks that were waiting at every railway station, and he advised families to group themselves and that superintendents be appointed to take charge of each group.

DEWEY AT GIBRALTAR.

The Admiral Welcomed Warmly by the British Garrison.

GIBRALTAR, Sept. 5.—The United States cruiser Olympia, with Admiral Dewey aboard, reached this port at 4 o'clock yesterday morning.

The flagship was greeted with salvoes of guns from the fortress and from H. M. S. Investation, at anchor.

Admiral Dewey is slightly indisposed and will take shore quarters. The admiral went ashore at noon and was received with a guard of honor and a salute of cannon. A gun became dismounted, and an artilleryman was injured.

Admiral Dewey drove at once to the palace to make an official visit to General Sir Robert Biddulph.

In the course of the afternoon Sir Robert Biddulph returned Admiral Dewey's visit, receiving the usual salutes on his arrival.

Shamrock's Trial Spin.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—The first trial spin of the latest aspirant for international yachting honors, Sir Thomas Lipton's Shamrock, in racing trim, occurred in American waters yesterday. The spin occupied about three hours, and the yacht covered about 30 nautical miles, although she did not sail over any prescribed course. At times she traveled at a rate of about 12 knots an hour, judged by the speed of a tugboat whose power is well known. The breeze was strong throughout the day and at times attained a velocity of 15 knots an hour. After the yacht was anchored safely in the Fore-shoe Sir Thomas Lipton stated that he was entirely satisfied with the performance of the yacht, as was also Messrs. Fife and Ratsey.

Oil on Deal.

TOLEDO, Sept. 2.—One of the largest cash deals in oil leasing and production ever consummated in Ohio has been made between G. Reussen of New York City and Taylor, Bryson & Co. of Wellsboro, N. Y. Reussen sold through R. A. Beatty, his agent, leases on 324 acres of land in Wood county, with 17 wells netting a production of 180 barrels a day, for \$76,000 cash. There are also leases for 200 more wells on the leases, and they will be put down at once.

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OF COD-LIVER OIL WITH HYPOPHOSPHITES

should always be kept in the house for the following reasons:

FIRST—Because, if any member of the family has a hard cold, it will cure it.

SECOND—Because, if the children are delicate and sickly, it will make them strong and well.

THIRD—Because, if the father or mother is losing flesh and becoming thin and emaciated, it will build them up and give them flesh and strength.

FOURTH—Because it is the standard remedy in all throat and lung affections.

No household should be without it. It can be taken in summer as well as in winter.

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Try the COLUMBIAN a year.

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A FAIR EXCHANGE.

We'd rather have the money than the goods; you'd rather have the goods at these prices. It's right in the very heart of the wearing season. You'll choose with satisfaction here, but you must hurry, or they'll be gone.

Ladies' Suits.
Well made, silk lined jacket, percaline lined skirt, almost all the best colors and sizes,
\$7.95.

Ladies' Fall Jackets.
Plain colors and mixed cloths, in all sizes, some silk lined, others only faced, but every one a bargain.
\$2.48.

Children's Jackets
Red, blue, brown and tan. Some with trimming, some of plain cloths. All are well made and equal to any you have ever seen, or will see, at twice the price.
\$1.10.

Ladies' Silk Capes
Not many, but a few very nice Silk Capes, at almost half price. A few as low as
\$1.75.

I. W. HARTMAN & SON,
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

SHOE BARGAINS!

To clean up spring stock we are selling
MEN'S RUSSETS
That were \$3.50, now \$2.50.
That were 3.00, now 2.25.

A LOT OF
WOMEN'S BLACK SHOES,
That were \$2.50 and \$3, now \$2.
That were \$2, now \$1.60.

W. H. Moore,
COR. SECOND AND IRON STS.
Bloomsburg, Pa.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of F. Fa., issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia Co., Pennsylvania, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House Bloomsburg, Pa. on

SATURDAY, SEPT. 30, 1899,
at 2 o'clock p. m.,

All that certain lot, or piece of land, situate in Henlock township, Columbia county, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stone in the public road, leading from Bloomsburg to Jerseytown; thence by other land of the estate of the said John Appleman, south fifty-seven degrees, west seven and eighty-five one hundredths perches, north twenty-eight degrees, west out and forty-four one hundredths perches to the southeast corner of the garden, south sixty-three degrees forty minutes, west three and sixty-two one hundredths perches to a stone, north twenty-seven and one-fourth degrees, west two and seventy-two one hundredths perches to a stone, south sixty-two degrees, west forty-four one hundredths of a perch, north twenty-seven degrees, west eight and seventy-eight one hundredths perches to a post, north sixty-three degrees, east ten and thirty-eight one hundredths perches to a post, north twenty-five degrees, east six and forty one hundredths perches to a point in the middle of the aforesaid public road, leading to Jerseytown, and thence along the same south fifteen degrees thirty-five minutes, east seventeen and five-tenths perches to the place of beginning, containing

1 ACRE AND 20 PERCHES,
strict measure, whereon are erected a

HOTEL BUILDING,
hotel barn, brick ice house, and other outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution, at the suit of John Heintzler vs. Lennel Drake and Catharine Drake, and to be sold as the property of Lennel Drake.
W. W. BLACK,
CHRISMAN, ATTY. SHERIFF.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP AND TRANSFER OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between S. C. Cressy and Joseph G. Wells, of the Town of Bloomsburg, Columbia County, Pennsylvania, under the firm name of Cressy & Wells, was dissolved on the 26th day of August, 1899, by mutual consent. All debts owing to said partnership are to be received by the said S. C. Cressy, and all demands on the said partnership are to be presented to him for payment. Notice is also given that all the personal property heretofore owned or possessed by the said firm of Cressy & Wells is now owned and possessed by S. C. Cressy.

S. C. CRESSY,
Business will be conducted under the name of Cressy & Wells—S. C. Cressy, owner and proprietor.

Died.
HEID.—In Fishingcreek Twp., Columbia county, Pa., Sept. 2d, 1899. Mrs. Effie Anna Heid, aged 70 years, 8 months and 29 days.

For Rent.
The Bloomsburg Land Improvement Co. have a house and barn for rent. Inquire of N. U. Funk, Secretary.
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For Rent.
Rooms on second floor front, over B. Gidding's clothing store. Inquire of J. G. Wells, 6-1 tf.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache.

Easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.