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PURELY PERSONAL

for the Insane at Danville, to suc-ceed the late Hon. Thomas John Kenyon spent Sunday with friends at Chalfant. Sunbury.

Frank Turney spent Monday with friends at Wilkes-Barre. Mrs. James W. Lewis of Altoona, is the

guest of relatives on Iron Street. Miss Carrie Brown spent a few days with friends at Danville, last week.

Harry W. Townsend, wife and

The Bloomsburg Band is making n effort to get together again, af-er several months of inactivity. Gangway and his body crushed to an effort to get together again, after several months of inactivity. an unrecognizable mass. He was of Perfection. Williamsport's first Rehearsals are being held regularly. employed as a day laborer. The nicest and most complete

Mrs. H. C. Mills, for many years a patient sufferer with cancer, pass ed away at the family residence in Hazleton on Monday. Mrs. Mills was born in this county in 1845, and was therefore 55 years of age. Tuesday. The funeral takes place to-day. The funeral takes place daughter. The remains were miller, who is lying near death at The survivors are a husband and brought to this town yesterday for interment.

choosen president of the Hospital Dr. George H. Welliver was engaged by State Veterinarian, Dr. Leonard Pearson, to test Eugene Morrison's herd of cows for tuberculosis. The test was made last week and all the cows, twenty in which was the turning point, hopes number were entirely free from the are now entertained for her recovery. disease, and in good, healthy condition. Mr. Morrison conducts a dairy in Montour Township and

move will be the organization of one of those bodies. That city already has a number of members of

the Scottish Rites, but they belong to the consistory of this town. Daniel S. Laubach and daughter Miss Margaret, left Saturday even-

the Episcopal hospital in that city. Mr. Laubach received a message Saturday noon that she could not the patient lived over yesterday,

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visited Mrs. Townsend's parents at Danville over Sunday.

Paul Johnston, of Johnston & Company Wholesale Paper Dealers, Harrisburg, called on his patrons in town on Tuesday.

Mr. Samuel Bloch and wife, of Danville, spent .Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gross, on Normal Hill.

John K. Robison, of Mifflintown, Juniata County, Deputy Inspector of factories, tene-ment houses, bake shops, mercantile estab-lishments, etc., was in town the past week, performing his duty. He inspected our plan yesterday afternoon

The Rev. David N. Kirkby attends, next week, the winter session of the Archdeaconry of Williamsport, which convenes on January 22 at Christ Church. Ladies from St. Paul's church, representing the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions, will also be in attendance

R. V. West, who for several years was the Superintendent of the Bloomsburg Electric Light Plant, was in town over Sunday, as the guest of his sister, Miss Jessie West. Mr. West left here about two years ago and went to Philadelphia and later to Nanticoke, where he is at present located.

Leases and notices to quit, for sale at this office. tf.

Louis Gross won the Wheelmen's progressive eachre prizes last even- prise, and no accident. He played

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line of perfumes, either in bottles

or in bulk, in Bloomsburg, is kept

at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Mrs. John Huber, aged about seventy-three years, died at her

home in Catawissa township on

Dr. B. H. Detwiler has been

The Wheelmen will hold a pool

tournament to-night. A new

method, which will favor the less

skilled in the art, will be tried for

to-day.

the first time.

Ralph Kester accompanied a party from Millville to this town Saturday evening. While here he was overcome by sickness, and was unable to return home until Monday.

Aaron Bender, a man of high standing in the community in which he resided, died at his home in Bendertown Sunday night, at the ripe old age of eighty-six years.

Dr. J. C. Biddle has been re-elected Superintendent of the the Fountain Springs Miners' Hospital. The Doctor is a brother-in-law of Robert Buckingham, Esq., of this town.

Harry Achenbauch won the Bloomsburg Wheelmen Pool Tournament at the Club House, Thursday evening. The result was no surwinning game from the start.

John Barnett, a former Bloomsburg resident and merchant, but for the past several years of Shickshinny, has sold his novelty store engage in business.

A man in Corning, New York, century beginning puzzle, it isn't in it for a minute with this marriage.

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furnishes the milk for the State Hospital for the insane at Danville.

Clinton Herring, son of A. B. Herring, of Orangeville, has been number of books of travel and short admitted to practice law at the several courts of this county. Having of Monday, January 22, in Normal prepared himself in the office of Hon. Grant Herring he has had an five Mr. Smith had written nothing excellent opportunity to acquire a good practical knowledge of the wished him to furnish letter-press business, and we predict for him a most successful future. He is a series of water-colors which were persevering young man of correct habits and gentlemanly in his de- plates illustrating picturesque bits portment.

town across the river.

in a vitascope at a Catawissa church I sent it to my publisher and entertainment the other night and awaited his verdict, feeling sure instead of the Passion Play, the he would throw it into the waste audience was treated to an Oriental basket. He disappointed me by dance, a la couchee, couchee, and telepraphing, 'Good stuff ; keep it regular factions."

A man in Corning, New York, last week joined hands with his mother-in-law, wind now the scient-ists are endeav wing to determine his relationship. Talk about the century beginning puzzle, it isn't in it for a minute with this mar-

was cut to such an extent that it takes his family to Venice, and irresistable that it charms all. required four stitches. He is em- there loses sight of the business and Mr. Smith will appear as required four stitches. He is em- there loses sight of the business and Mr. Smith will appear as the ployed as a clerk in L. A. Riley & literary world in the absorbing pur- second number of the Students' suit of water-color painting.

Mr. Hopkinson Smith, the author of "Colonel Carter," "Tom Gro-gan," and "Caleb West," and a

stories, is to appear on the evening for print. At that time his publisher first designed simply as a series of in various parts of the world where he had traveled. He wrote for

The Mt. Carmel Star, says of a these some stories and descriptions, recent entertainment given in one and the result was his first book, of the churches of our neighboring "Well Worn Roads." Mr. Smith says : "My first story

"The wrong films were exposed I called 'The Church of San Pablo.

complaint was made that men stood up.' I took his advice, and that is up in their seats and prevented the how I stumbled into literature.' choir from seeing the pictures. The He did not 'stumble' into the church is now divided into anti and lyceum. He was invited in by a well-known manager, and his success has been eminent. No man A writer of fiction is not neces- has more highly entertained his

sarily a philosopher, but Mr. F. hearers than has he. It was not, in that town, and will move to Scranton about April first and in Pleometry who will be heard here "Colonel Carter of Cartersville" in Bloomsburg on the evening of that he became a prominent figure Monday, Jan. 22, at Normal Audit in the literary world. This story, orium, is decidedly of a practically describing the adventures of an old-

author of "The Other Fellow"-the masterpiece in the delineation of latest of Mr. Smith's books-seized character, with fine, subtle strokes, While delivering a plate Friday a blue pencil from his desk and and has an exquisite blending of afternoon, Robert P. Farrel of Cen-tralia, slipped on the icy pavement, good time !" He works with taken to lecturing, and as a reader FOR 25 CENTS, And if you are not satisfied, which was broken by the fall, he utilizing all his spare time to write these accomplishments, he is a very was severely injured. His forehead his books; but every summer he modest man, with a personality so

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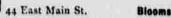
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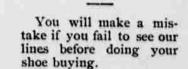
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