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THE COLUMBIAN.
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

THURSDAY, JUNE 21, 1900.

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PURELY PERSONAL

Henry Pettit, of Philadelphia, is visiting relatives in town.
Miss Tillie Casey went to Jenkintown on Monday for a month's visit.
Miss Ida Bernhard is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. H. Harter at Newark, N. J.
William Wren, senior partner of a well known insurance firm of Lewistown, was a visitor in town over Sunday.
Mrs. Freas Hicks and children, of Williamsport, N. J., are visiting Mrs. Hicks' father, J. K. Lockard, on Fifth street.

WANTED.

A good team of working horses. Must be sound, and well broken.
THE LEADER STORE CO. L'ID.
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Take your wheel to the Bloomsburg Cycle Works and get it repaired.

The Millville *Tablet* says that there was frost in that vicinity Tuesday morning.

Box paper—10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35 and 50c per box—at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Caswell will go to housekeeping next week on Fifth Street, below Market.

Catcher's mitts, fielder's gloves, bats, masks and all base ball goods, at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Lieutenant Frank Boggs, son of our townsman G. N. Boggs, will be married to a Norristown lady soon.

When you need medicine you should get the best that money can buy, and experience proves this to be Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The Berwick postoffice has been changed from the third to the second class and the salary of the postmaster increased from \$1800 to \$2000 per year.

J. M. Staver's new "auto" is a frequent sight on the streets just now. It is by far the neatest and most complete self moving machine that we have seen.

A true bill has been found against A. R. Landis, proprietor of Hotel Oliver, Danville, for selling liquor on Sunday, and as a consequence the license may be revoked.

Peruna, Swamp-Root, Hood's Sarsaparilla, Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound, and all patent medicines, at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

BICYCLES!

Cleveland, - \$40 to \$75
Wolf-American, - 35 to 75
Reading, - 25 to 40
Niagara, - 25
Wolverine, - 25
Call and see samples.
Second hand wheels for sale.

LARGE LINE OF BICYCLE SUNDRIES!

AT LOWEST PRICES.
Easy terms to buyers.

W. S. Rishton, Ph. G.
Ent. Bldg. Pharmacist
Telephone.

Legal advertisements on pages 6 and 7.

The Rohrsburg W. C. T. U. will hold a silver medal contest in the Presbyterian church on the evening of the 23d of June 1900. Admission 10 cents.

Democratic Headquarters of the County Committee will be opened by Chairman Small in due time, in the front room second floor of the COLUMBIAN Building.

Sit on your porches, by using the Bamboo porch screens. Complete with poles and put up for 3 cents a foot, at S. R. Bidleman's book, wall paper and stationery store. 6-21f.

The Baccalaureate sermon to the Normal graduating class will be delivered in the Auditorium Sunday afternoon by Dr. John F. Goucher, President of the Woman's College, Baltimore.

A few nights ago the body of murderer William Hummel was disinterred in order that his relatives might be certain beyond all doubt that it still reposed in its lonely grave. A sister feared that the body had been stolen.

J. E. Roys has sold to a Catawissa party a photograph camera 5x7 Stereo outfit, fitted with extra 5x7 Goetz double anastigmat lens. This is without exception the finest outfit ever sold by anyone in this section. The price was \$135.00.

There was a very small display of the stars and stripes in Bloomsburg on Thursday last, notwithstanding the fact that it was the one hundred and twentieth anniversary of the adoption of the national colors by the Continental Congress. It was not because our people are unpatriotic that more flags were not flung to the breeze, but rather forgetfulness.

William Webb, Jr., is visiting his cousin, Mrs. John S. Gilbert, in Philadelphia. He attended the National Republican Convention, having been fortunate enough to procure a ticket of admission to the convention hall. His employer, W. S. Rishton obtained it for him through Mr. Parker of Washington D. C., who is a member of the National Committee for the District of Columbia, and a personal friend of Mr. Rishton's.

A happy nuptial event was solemnized in St. Columba's Catholic Church Tuesday morning at eight o'clock when Miss Annie, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Reilly, was united in holy matrimony to Mr. James Laughlan, of Shamokin. Rev. Father Barr officiated. Following the ceremony was a wedding dinner, after which the bride and groom left for their future home in Shamokin.

Revised list of second-hand bicycles, at Mercer's Drug & Book Store: One Fairy King, with new Morgan & Wright tires, for \$18.00. It is better than any new \$25.00 wheel on the market. One Dayton for \$14.00, one Envoy for \$10.00, one Columbia for \$6.00, one Columbia for \$5.00, one Crescent, new tires, for \$11.00, one Columbia for \$10.00, one Alton (a \$40 wheel, new this year—has not run one hundred miles), for \$25.00, one ladies' wheel for \$12.00, one tandem Cleveland, with new tires, \$30.00.

The A. M. E. church of Bloomsburg, Pa., will hold a special meeting Thursday night, June 21, at the Tabernacle. All the ministers of the town will be present and deliver short addresses as far as the time will permit. Good singing will enliven the services throughout. A good time is expected. All are invited and will be made welcome. Services to commence promptly at 7:30 p. m. A free collection will be taken up to help complete the commenced repairs on church.

Pure drugs, of all kinds, at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

It will soon be determined who is the most popular clerk in Danville. The Morning *News* of that city will bear the expense of a free trip to the seashore, including board at a good hotel to the clerk receiving the greatest number of votes between now and the latter part of August.

"The *Farm Journal* is all sunshine," writes J. H. Hale, the great Connecticut fruit man, and the COLUMBIAN thinks so, too. Get it for the remainder of 1900 and all of 1901, 1902, 1903 and 1904, by paying up your subscription to this paper; both papers at the price of ours only.

During the offertory at St. Paul's church last Sunday morning Mr. Frank E. Miller played "Cavalleria Rusticana" as a flute solo, with the organ accompaniment by Mr. DeForest Hummer. It was beautifully rendered, and we are sure that the congregation will be very glad to have Mr. Miller favor them often.

Mrs. Sarah J. Whitney, formerly a resident of Briar creek township, this county, died at her home, 48 Summer street, Nashua, N. H., Saturday evening, June 2d, after a brief illness. The remains were interred in the family lot at Westboro, Mass., Wednesday afternoon, June 6th, where a committal service was held.

It took a ribbon of paper four feet wide and 225 miles long—further than from Philadelphia to Boston—to print the January *Farm Journal*. You should have the *Farm Journal*. It fairly bristles with good things. We have a clubbing arrangement by which we will send it for nearly five years, the remainder of 1900, and all of 1901, 1902, 1903 and 1904, to every one who pays up promptly for the COLUMBIAN; both papers for the price of one.

One of our contemporaries boastfully alludes to the fact that a certain publication in Chicago names it as the leading newspaper of this county. Every newspaper man knows that offers of this kind are frequent and that the one who will pay the price is the one who is named as the leading paper in such publications. We have frequently refused just such offers, one of them being a proposition to name the COLUMBIAN as one of the six best weeklies published in Pennsylvania. The price asked was fifteen dollars, but we didn't bite. We wouldn't pay fifteen cents to be advertised in Chicago as the best paper in the State. Chicago is a long distance from Columbia County.

The decision of every one who visits the Y. M. C. A. is, that the location is an ideal one. A more comfortable place cannot be found anywhere during the hot summer days. The large shade trees prevent the house from being heated by the sun and, in consequence, the reading and amusement parlors are always cool and pleasant.

All young men are cordially invited to spend their leisure hours at this pleasant resort, either during the day or evening.

The Electric Light Co., has recently placed a light at the outside entrance and also in the transparency which is greatly appreciated by the officers and patrons.

Mr. W. H. Slate presented the Y. M. C. A. library the other day with a copy of the *Life of Moody* written by his son W. R. Moody. Mr. Slate has established a precedent which would be well for others to follow. A great many of our boys like to read, and have read about all the books in the present library. Any good interesting books placed at their disposal would be very much appreciated.

GOING TO TACOMA.

Miss Grace V. Correll, who has filled the position of teacher of Elocution and Literature in the High School for the past two years, will leave Bloomsburg next Wednesday for Orange, N. J. where her parents reside. The first of September she will go to Tacoma, Washington, where she has accepted the position of teacher of elocution in the Annie Wright Seminary for young ladies, an institution conducted by the Episcopal Church.

Miss Correll's father, Rev. Dr. I. H. Correll, who was for twenty-five years a missionary in Japan, has been appointed Chaplain of the City Missions in New York City, under the direction of the Episcopal Church.

Miss Correll is an elocutionist of unusual ability, and a most estimable young lady. During her stay here she filled her position very acceptably, and frequently gave her services in public entertainments for charitable and church purposes. For the past six months she has been a member of St. Paul's choir, and her place there as elsewhere will be hard to fill. She leaves many friends here who wish her success and happiness in her new distant home.

FREE PICTURES EVERY WEEK.

The Most Magnificent Series of Pictures Ever Distributed.

The appreciation of the recent pictures given free to readers of the great "Philadelphia Sunday Press" has induced the management of that paper to announce that a beautiful picture will be given with every copy of the "Philadelphia Sunday Press" every Sunday. The assurance is also given that this series of pictures will be the most magnificent ever distributed. The subjects are all original and by the highest class of artists.

The picture for next Sunday, June 24, will be a decided novelty. It will be a decided novelty. It will be 14x20 inches in size and its prominent feature will be a reproduction of Percy Moran's famous water color, "The Ideal Summer Girl." Everybody knows Moran and his Summer girls, so that this picture is certain to be immensely popular. It will have added value by the fact that in one corner will appear an artistic calendar for July, something that everybody will prize. It will be well to order next Sunday's "Press" early.

A BOOK OF THE DOG.

We have received from the Associated Fanciers, 400 N. Third St., Philadelphia, Pa., a copy of their *Dog Buyers Guide*. It contains a finely executed colored frontispiece; well drawn engravings of nearly every breed of dog, and all kinds of dog furnishing goods. We should judge that the book has cost a great deal more to produce than the price asked—15 cents—and we would advise all of our readers, who are interested in dogs to send for the book.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., postoffice, and will be sent to the dead letter office July 3, 1900. Persons calling for these letters will please say "that they were advertised June 21, 1900":

Mr. Wm. Bittler, Miss Maggie Carter, J. M. Fry, Mr. W. W. Pursell, Mr. Jacob Temple.

Cards:—Chas. S. Titus.
One cent will be charged on each letter advertised.

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Lamps, burners, wicks, chimneys, globes, shades and all other lamp fixtures, at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

JUDGE SQUIRES POLE PLANTERS.

Case Involving Rights of Property Owners Settled at Harrisburg.

Judge Simonton has settled the question as to whether telephone and telegraph companies can plant poles in pavements without asking leave of the property owners. Some time ago four telephone men tried to plant a pole on the property of a man named Kochenour, in that city, and Mr. and Mrs. Kochenour, in trying to prevent them, were roughly handled, and brought suit for assault and battery.

The case was tried and the evidence was damaging to the prisoners, who claimed they had been sent to do the work by the company. Judge Simonton made a charge greatly in favor of the plaintiffs, and roundly scored the prisoners.

It took the jury but a short time to find the defendants guilty. They were called for sentence, and Judge Simonton, in imposing the sentence, said:

"Taking into consideration that the company sent you there we will not send you to prison, but impose a fine, which, if not paid, will be equivalent to imprisonment." He then sentenced them each to pay a fine of \$50 and costs of prosecution.

Heretofore telephone and telegraph companies have been riding roughshod over property holders in Harrisburg.

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The Discoverer of Swamp-Root at Work in His Laboratory.

There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs, or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell. Then the richness of the blood—the albumen—leaks out and the sufferer has Bright's Disease, the worst form of kidney trouble. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root the new discovery is the true specific for kidney, bladder and urinary troubles. It has cured thousands of apparently hopeless cases, after all other efforts have failed. At druggists in fifty-cent and dollar sizes. A sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling about Swamp-Root and its wonderful cures. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. and mention this paper.

CLARKS' Store Talk.

JUNE 15TH.

TRIMMED HATS.

A large assortment of ladies' trimmed hats, in newest shapes. All city trimmed, and at prices to please you and save you money. Trimmed hats at \$1.68, \$1.78, \$1.98. Sailor hats, at 22, 29, 45, 70c. A special rough satin straw sailor hat at 50c. Children's sailors, 25 and 45c.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

A new collection of these goods. Well made, cut full. Made in clean and healthful work rooms. Drawers, 25, 32, 50, 68 and 70c. Night dresses, 50, 68, 75 and 80c. Corset covers, 25, 50, 75, 85c, \$1.25. Skirts, \$1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.85. Short skirts, 75c, \$1.00, 1.15.

UMBRELLAS.

A special lot of umbrellas go on sale this week. You should see them.

WHITE DRESS GOODS.

Anything you want, and at prices to compete with any. French sheer linens, 45c yd. Paris muslins, 37, 50, 60c. 18 in. organdies, 50, 70, 80c.

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