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THE COLUMBIAN.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.
THURSDAY, AUGUST 9, 1900.
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WANTED.

A good team of working horses. Must be sound, and well broken.

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Legal advertisements on page 7.

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

A. L. Huff has been appointed postmaster at Town Hill, Luzerne county.

Take your wheel to the Bloomsburg Cycle Works and get it repaired.

The poor husband, whose wife is away, finds it awful hard to go to his lonely home before morning.

Bad blood is a bad thing to inherit or acquire, but may be made good blood by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Harry Wilson is being congratulated by his numerous friends upon the advent of a young son at his home on Friday.

If you want to get rid of a friend just loan him some money. He won't bother you near so much, unless he is in need of more.

"Hearts of Men," a play full of intense human interest, is the booking for Tuesday evening October 9th. The Winonas will present it.

Chas. Sauerland, who a few years ago resided at Centralia, died at Ashland Friday night. He emigrated to America from Germany in 1853.

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. 6-21tf.

Two weeks ago Edward Ande of Valley township, Montour county, was overcome by the heat while working in the field. His brain was affected, and later paralysis developed. He died on Sunday.

The attendance at the colored campmeeting Sunday was the largest in many years, if not entirely unprecedented. So large was the crowd, that it was with difficulty that a person could walk through the grove.

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.

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Those acrobats are very fresh, Said Miss Magee to me; Oh some are fresh and somersault, Said I to Miss Magee.

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

Mrs. Hiram Tide, of Germantown, recently gave birth to twins. They have been named Eb and Flo.

Monday evening's storm blew down a portion of the high board fence which surrounds the fair grounds.

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

The Columbia County Teachers Institute will be held in Bloomsburg, commencing on Monday December 3rd.

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

The Bloomsburg School District will receive as its share of the State Appropriation, this year \$5301.00. This is very little less than the previous year.

We are indebted to Hon. William Chrisman for a copy of the Common School Laws, with decisions of the Superintendent, explanations, forms, etc.

A meeting of the Executive committee of the Democratic State Editorial Association will be held at the Park Hotel, Williamsport, on Friday evening.

It is said that there exists in the family of Philip Sidler, of Catawissa, six cases of typhoid fever, and several other cases in the neighborhood of the Sidler home.

A new patent wagon spindle company is to be organized in Danville in the near future. It is highly probable that John Eves, of Millville, will be president of the concern.

Mrs. Arthur Lewis, aged thirty-two years, died after a protracted illness, at her home in Wilkes-Barre on Monday. The deceased was formerly Miss Kurtz, of Berwick.

The congregation of the Hebrew church of Danville, in charge of Rabbi Adolph Meyer, pic-nicked at Hess Grove, Rupert, on Wednesday. A number of Bloomsburgers were in attendance.

The "77's" of Danville were an easy mark for the Bloomsburg Juniors Saturday afternoon. It is this team is a sample of Danville's base ball material, the town has certainly deteriorated in that sport.

Nineteen lots in what has recently been christened "Fairview Terrace," were sold by the New England Suburban Improvement Company Saturday afternoon. The balance will be sold at private sale.

Two dusky individuals—a man and a woman—have been giving nightly exhibitions of their vocal abilities for the past week. They accompany themselves with a guitar. Some of the selections are nicely rendered.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Sharpless have been informed of the safe arrival at Genoa, Italy, of their daughter, Miss Julia, who in company with three other young ladies have gone there to take a course in music.

John and Elizabeth Burst, residents of Sandusky, Ohio, says an exchange from that city, have managed to impose on three of the children these remarkable combinations: Alice May Burst, James Wood Burst, and Henry Will Burst.

Rev. F. B. Riddle will preach in the Methodist church Sunday morning. In the evening Rev. D. M. Sterns of Philadelphia, will occupy the pulpit.

Millville has a new tonsorial artist in the person of Sherman Pike, of Hartford, Conn. He has purchased the barber shop and fixtures of A. B. Tubbs.

Clarence Byerly, a Penna. Railroad brakeman was seriously injured at Catawissa on Thursday last by being squeezed between a car and a building.

Charles E. Welliver and C. P. Gorton have purchased the livery at Hotel Oliver, Danville. Both have had experience in the business, and will no doubt be successful.

Wellington Hess succumbed to dropsy at his home near Cambra, on Tuesday of last week, in the sixty ninth year of his age. A wife and one child survive.

The Farmer's pic-nic at Grass Mere Park was well attended. If the patronage along the line is as liberal as it was from Bloomsburg, there will be no cause for complaint.

The Millville Tablet says that on Thursday morning of last week the railroad cars at that place were white with frost, and four days later the thermometer registered 94 degrees in the shade. Talk about sudden changes, how's that?

Judge Little, of Bloomsburg, has been specially presiding at the Luzerne court, and he rendered a decision that although dogs are personal property they may be killed when caught destroying sheep, and the person so doing is not liable for damages to owners of the canines. —Slickshinny Echo.

Prospects continue excellent for a large crop of apples. Early apples are beginning to appear in the market. During the dry weather, many apples dropped; however plenty remain. The quality appears excellent, less blemishes than usual and few wormy apples. A fine crop of plums and pears is expected.

The two new school houses for Briar Creek township now under construction will soon be under roof. The one at Martz' corners is progressing nicely and will be of much benefit to that end of the town as it is a two story building while the other is an annex to the building which was completed a few years ago.

There will be a grand festival held in Academy Grove, Orangeville, Saturday evening, August 11, under the auspices of the Epworth League of that town. All the delicacies of the season will be offered for sale. The Bloomsburg Band has been engaged to give a concert. Everybody is invited. In case of rain the festival will be held on Monday evening following.

The Ninth Annual Mauser Reunion will be held in the Ridgeville Grove, two miles east of Danville, on the 15th of August. If it rains on this day it will be held on the 16th. This is to be a sociable, and all the Mausers and all their friends are respectfully invited and urged to be present. Everybody invited. AARON MAUSER, President, F. W. HAGENBUCH, Secretary.

Centralia Borough is in somewhat of a mix-up over the publication of its annual statement. The law says it must be published in the town paper, if the town has a paper, if not, in the nearest newspaper published in the same county. Though illegal, it is said the statement is to be given publicity in a Mt. Carmel paper. Later developments will, no doubt, be interesting.

The "Farm Journal" is choke full of gumption and has the largest circulation of any farm paper in the world. It is good everywhere. We offer it in connection with our paper to advance paying subscribers, that is both papers at the price of the COLUMBIAN; our paper one year, and the "Farm Journal" nearly 5 years (remainder of 1900, and all of 1901, 1902, 1903 and 1904), both for \$1.00. Pay in advance—that's all.

E. J. Bowman, of Berwick, has identified himself as a citizen of our community. Mr. Bowman is a graduate of Williamsport Dickinson Seminary and Dickinson College, Carlisle. He is an excellent writer and speaker, and has but few superiors anywhere. He will deliver an address here in the near future on the subject "Our Country's Future," and doubtless, there will be a large attendance to hear this eloquent speaker. He is a cousin of Bishop Bowman, of the M. E. Church, under whom he graduated at Williamsport.—Hughesville Mail.

PURELY PERSONAL

Miss Sade Sloan returned from Block Island last Saturday.

Miss Lilla Sloan is visiting her sister, Mrs. Andreas, at Wilkes-Barre.

Mrs. W. S. Caswell and daughter are visiting relatives in Scranton.

Robert McBride has been housed up for more than a week past, by illness.

L. W. German of Florida is spending a few weeks with Columbia county friends.

Miss Annie Fox and sister, Mrs. J. S. Gilbert, are spending a week at Eagles Mere.

Mrs. Dr. J. J. Brown and Dr. Brown's mother and sister are sojourning at Mountain Grove.

Guy Sleppey, book-keeper for the Keystone Drug Company, left yesterday for Scranton on a visit.

Miss Margaret Hendershott and Miss Mame Vial are spending this week in Williamsport with friends.

Mrs. Arthur Wooley, of Danville, was the guest of Mrs. W. S. Rishton for several days during the past week.

Gerald Gross ventured out on Wednesday for the first time for two months. He enjoyed a drive with Dr. Gardner.

Pat. Kelly, of Shamokin, spent Sunday in town with his mother. He is recognized as a leader in his trade in that town.

Robert Swazey and children are spending a month at Bloomsburg, Lightstreet, and Shenandoah.—Berwick Enterprise.

Will Dentler departed on Tuesday for a week's vacation. He will visit Atlantic City, New York City, and several other places.

Rev. W. M. Fryinger left yesterday for Mountain Grove, where he will take part in the camp-meeting. He will be absent until Sunday.

Dr. D. J. Waller and his three daughters, Misses Mabel, Elizabeth and Margaret, of Indiana, Pa. are, visiting their relatives and friends here.

Nate Gidding arrived in town Monday evening from Duluth, Minn., on a visit to his brothers, Ben and Joe. He will remain a week or two.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hassert are among the Bloomsburgers who have enjoyed the breezes at Atlantic City this season. They returned home on Friday.

Mrs. M. M. Phillips returned home on Monday from a visit with Miss Mattie Dugan of New York. Miss Dugan was formerly the operator at the Western Union Telegraph office here.

Mrs. Edward Erath, daughter Miss Bertha, and son Master Stanley, arrived in town on Saturday from Wilkes-Barre, for a visit with relatives. On Tuesday they went to Milton to visit Mrs. Erath's sister, Mrs. W. K. Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Ringer, Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Vannatta, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Armstrong, Mrs. Ralph Phillips and Mrs. M. M. Phillips are occupying the camp recently vacated by the "Idlers." They will remain over Sunday.

Rev. J. D. Smith departed on Tuesday for Cambridge Springs, Pa. These springs are celebrated for their medicinal qualities, and Mr. Smith hopes for very much benefit healthwise. He will be absent from home until the latter part of September.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Jury and Miss Hattie Crist are sojourning at Highland Lake this week. They are guests of the Essick Hotel. As a summer resort Highland Lake is becoming very popular. Its growth during the past few seasons has been wonderful.

Mr. Samuel Parsel, principal of the Bloomsburg schools, who has been spending some time at Chautauqua, received a message this morning to the effect that his wife had given birth to a son. Mr. Parsel was overjoyed at the news and left at once for home.—Eagles Mere "Chautauquan."

That Danville will have a new industry in the shape of a Silk Mill is now an absolute certainty. The site has been chosen, and the building, which is to be a two story affair will be pushed to a rapid completion. It is expected that the plant will be in operation by the first of 1901.

"Farm Journal" is the oldest farm monthly published But it is not old and moss grown; it is bristling and brimming over with good things. You should know it. Here's a chance. Pay up your subscription to the COLUMBIAN one year ahead, and we will send it nearly five years, the remainder of 1900, and all of 1901, 1902, 1903 and 1904, both papers at the price of one.

The citizens of Washingtonville, who have never had telephone or telegraphic communication with the rest of the world, are congratulating themselves on the early completion of the extension of the Montour and Columbia telephone line, which will place them in speaking communication with Danville, Bloomsburg, Milton and other towns. The poles have already been delivered along the line and work on erecting them has been commenced. By the middle of August, it is thought, the line will be ready for service. The company has thirteen subscribers, located at Washingtonville, and along the line between that point and Danville.

The United Evangelicals will hold their annual camp meeting in the Crystal Spring camp ground, near Unityville, Lycoming county, beginning Wednesday evening, August 22, continuing until the 29th. On Sunday 10c for single and 15c for double rigs will be charged to enter the grounds, to help defray the expenses of the camp the balance to be divided between the P. E. and P. C. Anyone desiring to attend camp can get boarding and lodging by the meal, day or week right on the ground at reasonable rates. Any information regarding tents or lodging will be gladly given by addressing the pastor, Rev. C. W. Hipple, Waller, Columbia county, Pa.

Clarks' Store Talk.

Thursday, August 9, 1900.

The Linen Sale.

We offer you attractive values during this Linen Sale in bleached, unbleached and half bleached Table Linens, of Irish, Scotch and German makes, in the choicest patterns. These goods we offer you at old prices, and some less. Linens have advanced. Compare them with any you choose for the money. We abide with your decision. Also pattern Table Cloths, in 2, 2½, 3 and 3½ yards long, with borders all around, at same price as Table Linen of same quality is by the yard. Toweling, in all grades, hand made Crashes, Napkins, Towels, Tray Cloths, Lunch Cloths, &c. It will pay housekeepers, hotel and boarding house keepers, to see these Linens and prices. What we sell you for pure Linen must be all Linen, not part cotton or tow, as a good many Linens are to-day.

WASH DRESS GOODS.

They must move out now rapidly, as the fall goods are about due. Down go the prices to make quick clearing. Plenty of time for wearing yet.

- 40c printed Swisses, 12½c.
- 15c printed Pks, 9c.
- Plain colored ducks, 9c.
- Plain colored lawns, 40 ins. wide, 8c.
- 30c English Madras, 20c.

SHIRT WAISTS.

Cleaning them out. Prices greatly reduced. All new, stylish waists.

- 85c waists, now 60c.
- \$1 15 waists, now 79c.
- 1 75 " " \$1 25.
- 50 " " 39.

SAILOR HATS.

Chic and nobby styles of

the season. Prices all reduced.

50c sailors, 30c. Others higher. See them.

TURKISH BATH TOWELS.

These are, without doubt, the best values in these goods we have ever offered. The lots are limited. You should see these goods and prices at once, for we cannot duplicate them. So act if you want Turkish Bath Towels.

FALL HOMESPUNS, CHEVIOTS, &c.

- 52 in. all wool Homespuns, 75c.
- 50 in. all wool Homespuns, 90c. Worth to-day \$1 15.
- 36 in. all wool Zibelene, 50c.
- 50 in. all wool Cranette Cheviot, \$1 40.

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