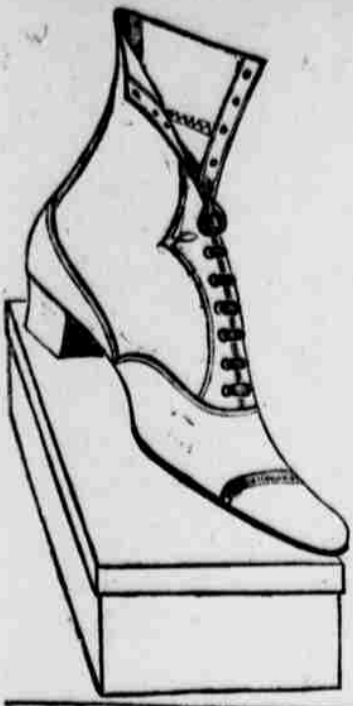


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THE COLUMBIAN.
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 1901.

Entered at the Post Office at Bloomsburg, Pa. a second class matter, March 1, 1888.

He caught a cold in fiddle May,
He died, alas! in balmy June.
These words are on his tombstone gray,
He changed his underclothes too soon.

Legal advertisements on page 7.

For books, of all kinds, go to
Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Buffalo Bill's Wild West Shows
will exhibit in Wilkes-Barre to-
morrow.

Hammocks—many styles and
many prices—at Mercer's Drug &
Book Store.

Will Guernsey, piano tuner, will
be in town next week. Leave word
at this office, or at Central Hotel.

Take your bike to the Bloom-
sburg Cycle Works, rear of Moore's
store, for all repairs.

The Park has been put in very
good condition again, and none of
the trees were injured by the cir-
cus.

Base ball gloves, of all kinds,
base ball bats, and all base ball
goods, at Mercer's Drug & Book
Store.

There will be a chicken and short
cake supper in the dining room of
the M. E. Church on Friday even-
ing, June 7.

William H. Gilmore has opened
an ice cream parlor in the room
formerly occupied by Row's barber
shop, and solicits a share of the
public patronage.

Slickshinny citizens have peti-
tioned the D. L. & W. Railroad
Company for a new passenger de-
pot. They would also like a change
in the location of it.

Town lots for sale, on easy terms.
Bloomsburg Land Improvement
Co. Inquire of Sanderson Woods,
sales agent, N. U. Funk, Sec'y,
Office, Ent Building. (425)

Victor McHenry, of Cambra,
who was recently forced to give up
his studies at the Normal, because
of sickness, is we are informed rap-
idly regaining his health.

St. Margaret's Guild, of the
Episcopal church, will give a fifteen
cent supper in the Parish House
this evening, from 5 to 10 o'clock.
Ice cream and cake extra.

Telephone.

FISHING TACKLE.

Have just received a large
assortment of fine fishing
tackle. Everything of the

Latest Pattern

—AND—

Highest Grade.

Rods from \$1.25 to \$5.50
Reels from 75c. to \$2.00.
Lines from 10c. to \$2.00
Flies, a Full Assortment.
Hooks, all Styles.

OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT.

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

Envelopes, paper, tablets, box
paper and all stationery, at Mer-
cer's Drug & Book Store.

The Trustees of the Baptist
Church have decided to purchase
the old Presbyterian Church prop-
erty on Market Street, and it is ex-
pected that the deal will be consum-
mated to-day. A handsome Church
there will be a great improvement to
the street.

Campmeeting at Huntington Valley
Campground will open Tuesday
August 20, to continue for ten
days, arrangement for the supply
for the service already being made.
In response to the request of the
civil war veterans made last year,
a G. A. R. day will be added to
the special features.

Miss Julia Krug, daughter of
Charles Krug, who graduated last
Tuesday from the High School, has
a wonderful record for good attend-
ance. For a period of ten years,
from her primary year in the public
school until her graduation, she has
never been tardy nor absent. We
doubt if there is another such a
record in the state.

Berwick is enjoying a business
boom. New buildings are going up
notably among them being a new
postoffice and the First National
Bank. The latter is to be an
especially handsome edifice, with a
brown stone and pressed brick front.
With this increased activity, coupled
with its natural beauty, Berwick
will continue to advance.

Water was, last week, let into the
canal, for the purpose, it is said,
of floating the numerous boats out.
The Board of Health, of Danville,
has decided that the empty ditch is
a nuisance and a continual menace
to health and have requested the
Canal Company to allow the water to
remain during the heated season.

A cashier's office is the latest
acquisition to F. M. Leader's Center
Street Meat Market. The apart-
ment is about six feet square in size
and is fitted with one of the latest
improved National cash registers.
This improvement not only system-
atizes the business, but assures more
prompt attention to costumers.
Gerald Gross has been engaged as
cashier.

Associate Judge J. T. Fox and
Democratic County Chairman C.
A. Small, were returning home
from Bloomsburg, last Monday
afternoon. When along the nar-
rows below Rupert the horse took
flight at an up bound train
and ran away. The wagon was
demolished, Mr. Small escaped,
but Mr. Fox sustained several
painful bruises.

F. M. Gilmore has recently
placed a large new oak refrigerator
in his restaurant. This was made
necessary by his largely increased
patronage. In his dining room all
the delicacies of the season are
served. Oysters, clams, crabs,
frogs, chicken, turkey, ham, eggs,
pastry and nearly everything else
good to eat are found on the bill of
fare. No bar is attached, and only
soft drinks are served.

Do you want a good second-
hand bicycle? If so, go to Mercer's
Drug & Book Store. One ladies'
wheel, \$9.00, with new tires; one
gent's wheel, style, Sentinel, a bar-
gain at \$11.00; one gent's wheel,
style, Reading, for \$11.00; one
high grade Columbia wheel, gent's,
for \$9.50; one Reading Special,
with coaster brake, for \$16.50.
New last year; one Crescent tan-
dem for \$2.00.

THOMAS E. GEDDES.

The death of Thomas E. Geddes
occurred after an illness of several
weeks, at his home on west First
street, this town, on Friday morning
last, from a pneumonia affection.
The sickness which proved fatal man-
ifested itself in the latter part of April,
was in the shape of a heavy cold
which, subsequently developed into
pleurisy and finally pneumonia.

Mr. Geddes was aged sixty-eight
years. During the Civil War he
served in Co. F, 30th Regiment, Pa.
Volunteers. Shortly after his discharge
from the army he came to Bloomsburg
and has lived here since that time.
By trade he was a stone mason.
He was quite well known in lodges,
being connected with the Royal
Arcanum and Order of American
Mechanics.

The surviving family consists of a
wife and seven children: Frank, resid-
ing at Washington, D. C.; Willard E.,
of Williamsport; Ralph, of Newark, N. J.;
Elmer, of Clearfield; Myron, of
Northumberland; and Esther and
Monroe, who live at home.

The funeral took place from the
residence Monday afternoon. Services
were conducted by Rev. W. M. Fry-
singer. The Royal Arcanum and
Ent Post, G. A. R. attended in a
body.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All
druggists refund the money if it fails to cure
E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

PURELY PERSONAL

Jack Donahue, of Scranton, spent Sunday
in town.

A. H. Bloom spent Sunday in Phila-
delphia.

Miss Mary Knapp is at home with her
mother on Iron street.

E. J. Bizer, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday
with his father on East street.

A. C. Freas, Esq., of Wilkes-Barre, was
in town on Monday on business.

Mrs. A. H. Bloom entertained a lunch
party of ten ladies on Wednesday.

Robert Dent, of Ben Girding's clerical
force, visited Berwick on Memorial Day.

William Krickbaum is at Buffalo this
week, with the Penna. Editorial Association.

Francis Drinker came down from Scranton
Saturday and remained in town till Monday
morning.

Miss Name Vial and Miss Margaret Hen-
dershott spent a portion of Memorial Day at
Shickshinny.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wooley, of Danville,
took tea with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rishton
on Tuesday evening.

Rev. J. D. Smith and wife left Monday
for Gettysburg, to attend the annual State
Encampment of the G. A. R.

Mr. John G. Curran, of Selinsgrove, spent
Wednesday and Thursday in town with his
daughter, Mrs. H. C. Jones.

H. F. Dieterich and wife, of the St. El-
mo Hotel, spent Sunday with the former's
brother, Harvey, at Riverside.

A. P. Kitchen, of Harrisburg, was in
town on Saturday. He is engaged in the
grocery business in the capital city.

Dr. Silas C. Swallow, of Harrisburg, was
in town over Sunday. He opened the Sun-
day evening services in the M. E. Church.

John Watson is home from Carlisle, where
he has been a student in Dickinson Law
School. He will remain here until fall.

Harry Housel has accepted a position
with Armour & Co. as traveling salesman.
He will visit all the towns between Nanti-
coke and Sunbury.

W. C. Curran, Esq., of Williamsport,
paid Bloomsburg a short visit this week. He
is now a member of the Lyncoming County
Bar and is enjoying a nice practice.

Mrs. Nellie Garver, who has been visiting
her father, A. J. Gross, left on Saturday
with her little daughter for Bloomsburg,
where they will reside. — Selinsgrove
"Times."

E. H. Sloan of Orangeville, W. J. Hilday
of Esby and A. R. Henrie of Millinville,
representing the Agricultural Society, will
go to State College next week to attend
the annual election of trustees.

Lambert McHenry, who has been a mem-
ber of the orchestra in Scranton's leading
theatre for the past winter, returned home
Saturday. He has secured an engagement
at Thousand Islands, and will leave for that
resort the latter part of this month.

H. V. White Esq. went to State College
on Wednesday to attend Commencement
exercises. He is a trustee of the College,
and a member of the State Board of Agricul-
ture.

Mr. White delivered an address be-
fore the Board last night, the subject of
which was "The Most Effective Way of
Advertising Farmers' Institute."

Miss Harriet Sharpless, Mrs. M. E. Ent,
Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Sloan, B. F. Sharpless,
C. S. Forwald, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bitten-
bender, G. W. Sterner and two daughters,
and J. W. Masteller, of this town; Mr. and
Mrs. G. M. Gibbons, Theo. Mendenhall,
Mrs. B. Crawford, and Glen H. Tubbs, of
Benton, and S. J. Harrison, of Pealestown,
composed a party who left here Tuesday for
the G. A. R. Encampment at Gettysburg.

A rummage sale will be held in
the Tabernacle on June 17, 18, 19.
\$5000 worth of carpet will be sold
at a low figure, also a lot of furni-
ture. See posters.

William E. Elms, of Berwick,
and Samuel H. Kostenbauder, of
Catawissa, are among the gradu-
ates from Dickinson Law School,
Carlisle, this year.

J. A. Howard died at the Bloom
Poor House Monday morning of
consumption, aged forty-nine years.
He at one time was a touring evan-
gelist, and came originally from
Millville.

The Reformed church will hold a
lawn festival at O. W. Cherrington's,
on Normal Hill, Tuesday
evening, June 11. Ice cream,
strawberries and other delicacies
will be served. The festival will be
held from 5 to 10 o'clock.

The Midgets.

The performance given by the
pupils of the Third street school on
Friday evening, Saturday afternoon
and evening, netted about \$230 for
the school library. It was the best
entertainment of the kind we have
ever seen. The music was bright
and catchy, the costumes pretty,
the scenery attractive, and the acting
and singing excellent in every way.
Teachers and pupils are both en-
titled to much praise for this enjoy-
able performance. Large audiences
were present each time.

The Cuban X Giants Defeated.

Tuesday afternoon's base ball game,
between the celebrated Cuban X
Giants and the Normal School, was
about the best exhibition of the na-
tional sport that has been seen here
in many moons. The result was
quite a surprise, because few people
expected the Normal to win. The
credit for the victory belongs largely
to pitcher Williams. He outpointed
his colored opponent in the box, and
contributed to the runs-getting by
smashing a beautiful two-baser the
first time at the bat. The audience
was the largest of the season. Score
by innings:

Cuban X Giants.....0-1-0-0-1-2-0-0-4
Normal.....3-1-0-0-0-1-0-X-5

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They tell us some widths are scarce. We have full
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now. Don't you think it would be a good time to buy
when all the widths are here? We may be, as some oth-
ers, out of them, a little later on. We will sell a limited
lot of No. 1 fast edge satin back at 32c. a piece. They
are very much used for dress ornamentation, for sash
and neckwear, in wide widths. We can supply you now,
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SUMMER DRESS GOODS.

The largest line of choice new dress materials are now ready for your approv-

al and selection. Many exclusive patterns in cotton dress goods are here. You should not miss this lot of fine summer dress materials. Some of them look like silks, yet they do not cost much. We invite you to see these wash dress materials of all kinds.

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They're all here in big assortments, and at prices to please. All grades, all the popular styles and colorings. Allover laces, a big line. If you want laces of any sort see this stock.

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All the standard, as well as the new styles. See this ribbon stock.

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It certainly is far from wise
to buy jewelry wherever you see
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The imitation looks like the
genuine at first.
The wise way is to come right
to us, then you'll know precisely
what you're buying. You'll be
sure you have your money's
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