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COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Court was in session Monday, convening at ten o'clock in the morning. Hon. Robert R. Little presided. Associates Kurtz and Fox were also on the bench.

Estate of Billington Ruckle. Exceptions to account. Exceptions to appointment of auditor, etc. Opinion and order of court filed and C. E. Geyer appointed to pass upon exceptions.

Estate of Emanuel Kirkendall. Bond of administrator for sale of real estate filed and approved.

Wm. H. Hess and H. W. Fedder, supervisors of Centre township, vs. Columbia and Montour Electric Railway Co. and M. F. D. Scanlan & Co. In equity. Bill filed, etc.

Account of Alex. C. Jackson, guardian of Harry Whitemire, confirmed and petition granted for discharge of guardian.

Estate of Joel Lins. Deed of Charles S. Lins, administrator, to Wm. Shultz, acknowledged in open court.

Estate of Ezra Stephens. Auditor's report confirmed nisi.

Estate of Elias K. Shultz. Order of sale granted.

Petition of sequestrator of life estate of A. C. Freas for an order of court to make certain expenditures. Rule granted. Rule absolute.

Petition of electors of Hemlock township for change of place of holding elections from Buckhorn Hotel to barber shop of G. W. Hartman. Granted.

Clinton Herring appointed guardian of Rena Leidy, minor child of Sarah M. Leidy.

Charles Conner appointed guardian of Florence Conner, minor child of Charles Conner.

A. M. Dewitt appointed guardian of Mary L. Dewitt.

Alfred Cole appointed guardian of Emmalina, Lillian, Ezekiel, Clinton, Alfred, Peter, Ira O. and Eva M. Bredbenner, minor children of Samuel Bredbenner.

Estate of Michael Strausser. Order of sale granted.

In the matter of the assessment of damages, etc., by widening and grading Main street in Boro. of Orangeville. Appeal of W. H. Neyhard from assessment of damages filed and to be entered on record in Court of Common Pleas.

Estate of Clara E. Price. Order of sale granted. Bond approved.

Estate of Elizabeth Miller. Executor's account confirmed absolute.

Estate of Margaret Utt. Executor's account confirmed absolute.

C. L. Sands vs. John McGarvey. Rule to open judgment. Argument. Papers in hands of the Court.

M. I. Hennessy vs. Fannie Anstock. Motion and rule for new trial. Argument. Papers in hands of the Court.

In the matter of the road in Bloomsburg and Scott township from near River bridge to Funk's bridge in Scott township. Exceptions to report of viewers. Argument. Papers in hands of the Court.

In matter of the petition for the appointment of a guardian for John S. Boone, a weak-minded person. Hearing in open court. Petition of Frank W. Boone offered in evidence. Served Sept. 21st, 1901, on H. B. Meredith, M. D. Service accepted by Frank W. Boone, Nancy Boone and Josiah Boone. Affidavit of H. B. Meredith, M. D., filed. Affidavit of Nancy Boone and Josiah Boone filed. Frank W. Boone sworn. Josiah Boone appointed guardian.

Petition of Walter B. Hess and Lewis Beishline, administarator of the estate of Michael Beishline, deceased, and as attorney in fact for the heirs of the said Michael Beishline, deceased, presented for the satisfaction of a mortgage of $643,61 against Wm. Lauderbach given on April 1st, 1848, to Ralph Carpenter on a tract of land in Fishingcreek township, Columbia county, containing 141 acres and which has since become the property of the following, to wit: Walter B. Hess, 50 acres; heirs of Michael Beishline, decased, 41 acres; and J. B. Van Horn, 50 acres; that the prayer of the petitioners is based on the grounds that the legal holder or holders of said mortgage are unknown to above petitioners.

And now Oct. 7, 1901, on reading the within petition the Sheriff is directed to serve a notice stating the facts set forth herein on the holder or holders of said mortgage if to be found in said county, and if not to be found, then to give public notice as aforesaid in one newspaper published in said county once a week for four weeks successively prior to December term of Court, requiring said parties to appear at said term and answer the within petition.

BY THE COURT.

George W. Keiter, vs. Bloomsburg Water Company. Trespass. The President Judge being a stockholder in the defendant company, the above entitled cause is directed to be certified for trial and to be further proceeded in before the Hon. John Lynch of the Eleventh (Luzerne) Judicial District.

Oct. 7, 1901. BY THE COURT.

William Berninger vs the Penn'a Railroad Company. Trespass. Motion to strike off non-suit. Argument. Papers in hands of Court.

In the matter of the Good Will Hose Co. of the Second Ward for an application for a charter, John G. Freeze, Esq., the Master appointed by the Court, recommended that the application for the charter be refused and that said applicants shall pay the costs. Report of the Master sustained by the Court.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

Bloomsburg National Bank

At the Close of Business Sept. 30, 1901 (In Business Twenty-Six Months).

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Investments	$330,898.58	Capital Stock	$60,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	8,000.00	Surplus and Profits (Net)	31,483.67
Cash and Reserve	69,850.85	Circulation	59,250.00
		Deposits	258,015.76
	$408,749.43		$408,749.43

A. Z. SCHOCH, PRESIDENT. WM. H. HIDLAY, CASHIER.

DISGUISED AS A MAN.

Lizzie Thomas, of Bloomsburg, is Arrested at Nashville, Tenn.

Lizzie Thomas, who has been a conspicuous figure on the streets of Bloomsburg in the past, and whose waywardness and utter disregard for propriety, has excited comment, was arrested at Nashville, Tenn., Monday. The parents of the girl are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thomas, who have been estranged from each other for several years. Thomas is now employed in Danville, his wife resides out near Morgantown. The girl disappeared from her local common, shortly after the robbery of Leonard Jacoby's residence in Mt. Pleasant township, in which she is believed to have been an accomplice. One of the burglars, Cleveland Coleman, was recently arrested, and is now behind the bars in the County jail. He is known to have been assisted in the crime, but his accomplices succeeded in evading the law. This arrest, will, it is believed, throw some light on the case. The following account is an Associated Press dispatch from Nashville, dated Oct. 7.

"Lizzie Thomas, of Bloomsburg, Pa., a beautiful girl of eighteen years, is in tears to-night at Earlington, Ky., where she was arrested this afternoon while masquerading in male attire. Frank Taylor, a notorious diamond thief and safe blower of Louisville and Cincinnati, was arrested at Earlington this afternoon suspected of robbing a Paducah, Ky., jewelry house of several thousand dollars worth of jewelry a few nights ago. Two companions were taken into custody. The officers searched him and found an express receipt dated October 4 for goods shipped to a point in the South. It is thought this package contains the stolen jewelry. One of the party at once impressed the officers as being a woman in disguise, and upon being questioned she admitted the fact and said she had been arrested several times before but that her identity had never before been discovered. She gave her name as Lizzie Thomas, of Bloomsburg, Penna. and said she left home because she was not treated well by her brothers, and that her father is wealthy. She is unusually pretty and only about eighteen years old, has light brown hair, cut man fashion, blue eyes, full round face and features and fine complexion, is of medium height and weighs about 110 pounds. The three arrived at Earlington in a box car."

'Squire Jacoby officiated at the marriage of George Anderson, of Danville, to Miss Florence Stilles, of town. The event took place in the 'Squire's office Saturday afternoon.

THE BIG FAIR IS ON.

The Columbia County Agricultural Society opened its gates on Monday for the admission of exhibitors, of which there is a large number. The scene in and about the main buildings is one of great activity. The attendance to day promises to be good, but the management is anticipating a much larger crowd tomorrow. The entries for the races are all in, and we herewith append them. Take a glance at the list and pick the favorites.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1901.

2:17 Class Pace.—Purse $400.

Oscar L. br. g. ..... John Douls, Rochester
Rachel g. m ..... Simon Shepowick, Hazleton
Lucy Heyer b. m. ..... James Cool, Wilkesbarre
Miss Jennie b. m. ..... Wm. Meyer, Wilkesbarre
Allen S., b g. ..... L. A. Patterson, Carbondale
Timewood, blk. g. ..... " "
Wilkes Medium, b.g ..... " "
Upton Girl, blk. m. ..... " "
Bobby B., s. g ..... J. Z. Hillegas, Red Hill
Trouble, g. g ..... " " "
Tinker, b. g ..... R. G. Norton, Scranton
Pure Gold, ch. s. ..... E. Gulick, Washington
George C. Easton, br. g. ..... Shem Spigelmyer
Niano, b. m. ..... C. Clarkson, Hagerstown
Slasher Boy, rn. g. ..... W. E. Howell, Avoca
McChesney, b. g ..... J. L. Cocoman
Strathblue, b. m ..... " "
Bedford Boy, rn. g. ..... R. A. Brubaker
Walker Wilkes, b. g. ..... Less Clucker, Kenton

2:27 Trot.—Purse $300.

Danwood, s. s. ..... R. G. Houston, Georgetown
Carl Van rn. g. ..... W. A. Hartzell
Country Girl, dun m. formerly Ellie D. ..... H. S. Davis, Harrisburg
Ray M., b. g. ..... R. W. Peck, Lock Haven
Maud S., b. m. ..... W. A. Neale, Harrisburg
Catoula, b. g. ..... W. H. Moody, Harrisburg
Nina B., ... E. M. Sherwood, Dallas

2:25 Pace.—Purse $300.

Maud, b. m ..... G. A Ewing, Harrington
Gregwood, b. g ..... Gangwere & Opdyck
Royal George, blk. g. ..... A. B. Simons, Morris
Bobby B., s. g. ..... J. Z. Hillegas, Red Hill
J. Z. H. ..... " " "
Pine ..... " " "
Woodshine, ch. s ..... Babcock & Holmes
Dictator Wilkes, br. m. ..... G. W. Weaver
Rockport, b. g. ..... U. G. Eppley
Thomas W., s. g. ..... J. L. Cocoman, Bellefonte
Avoca Girl, s. m. ..... W. E. Howell, Avoca

2:19 Class Mixed County Horses—Purse $200.

Lady K., b. m. ..... Gilbert Kishbach
Nipper, br. g. ..... Wm. Mensch, Rupert
Grace, rn. m. ..... Rush Creasy, Light Street
Moon Light, ... A. C. Creasy, Cabin Run
Babe C. br. m. ..... Wilson Creasy
John Sian, br. g. ..... G. S. Ketter, Bloomsburg
Chester, br. g. ..... Wm. A. Hartzel, "
Dan M., crn. g ..... G. F. Sponenberg, Berwick
Young Topsy Taylor, b. m. ..... Frank T. Nagle

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1901.

2:13 Pace—Purse $400.

Fannie Stubbins, s. m ..... L. Shirk, Oregon
Trouble, g. g ..... J. Z. Hillegas, Red Hill
Tinker, b. g ..... R. G. Norton, Scranton
Pizarro, blk. m. ..... Samuel Withers, Reading
McChesney, b. g. ..... J. L. Cocoman, Bellefonte
Strathblue ..... " " "
Dakota Dan, g. g. ..... N. G. Christ, Washington
Jay B., g. g ..... H. M. Carlisle, Lutherburg
Highwoodspider, b. g. ..... Pigeon & Stewart

2:21 Pace—Purse $300.

Alcrane, b. g. ..... Grangwere & Opdycke
Lucy Heyer, b. m. ..... James Cool, Wilkesbarre
Miss Jennie, b. m. ..... Wm. Meyer, "
Royal George, blk. g. ..... A. B. Simons, Morris
Allen S., b. g. ..... L. A. Patterson, Carbondale
Timewood, blk. g. ..... " " "
Wilkes Medium, b.g. ..... " " "
Upton Girl, blk. m. ..... " " "
May Toskey, rn. m. ..... A. J. Schnell, Scranton
Bobby B., s. g. ..... J. Z Hillegas, Red Hill
J. Z. H. ..... " " "
Pine ..... " " "
Woodshine, ch. s. ..... Babcock & Holmes
St. Patrick, b. g. ..... G. W. London, Altoona
Dictator Wilkes, br. g. ..... G. W. Weaver
Slasher Boy, rn. g. ..... W. E. Howell, Avoca
Avoca Girl, s. m. ..... " " "
Thomas W., s. g. ..... J. L. Cocoman, Bellefonte
Fanny Dobler, b. m. ..... John F. Dobler, Girard
Silver Cord, g. g. ..... Mrs. C. I. Startewell
Luella Mc., blk. m. ..... I. G. Gray, Stormstown
Tony Wilkes, blk. g. ..... H. L. Faux, Dallas
Jemima, s. m. ..... Nat Christe, Washington, Pa

Colt Race, Under 4 Years, in County, Purse $100.

Black Bess, blk. m. ..... W. E. Tubbs, Berwick
Alice R. b. m. ..... Dr. I. L. Rabb, Bloomsburg
Gray Fleet, g. m. ..... B. M. Freas, Berwick
Lady K., b. m. ..... Gilbert Kishbach "
Bay pet, b. m. ..... W. M. Lemon, Bloomsburg
Nigger, blk g. ..... Frank Mensch, Rupert

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1901.

2:09 Class Mixed.—Purse $400.

Oscar L. br. g. ..... John Douls, Rochester
Fannie Stubbins, s. m. ..... Lem Shirk, Oregon
Pizarro, blk. m. ..... Samuel Withers, Reading
Silver Prince, b. g. ..... W. M. Hepburn
Toboggan, b. g. ..... Geo. McClosky, Johnstown
Jay B. g. g. ..... H. M. Carlisle, Luthersburg
Niano, b. m. ..... C. Clarkson, Hagerstown

2:19 Pace.—Purse $300.

Allen S., b. g. ..... L. A. Patterson, Carbondale
Wilkes Medium, br. g ..... " "
Timewood, blk. g. ..... " "
Upton Girl, blk. m. ..... " "
Rachel, g. m. ..... S. Shepowick, Hazleton
Slasher Boy, rn. g. ..... W. E. Howell, Avoca
Avoca Girl, s. m. ..... " " "
Lucy Heyer, b. m. ..... James Cool
Miss Jennie, b. m. ..... William Meyer
McChesney, b. g. ..... J. L. Cocoman
Bedford Boy, rn. g. ..... R. A. Brubaker
Bobby B. s. g. ..... J. Z. Hillegas, Red Hill
J. Z. H. ..... " " "
Pine, ... " " "
Royal George, blk. g. ..... A. B. Simons, Morris
Tinker, b. g. ..... R. G. Norton, Scranton
Woodshine, ch. s. ..... Babcock & Holmes

2:30 Trot.—Purse $300.

Country Girl, d. m ..... H. S. Davis, Harrisburg
Ray M., b. g. ..... R. W. Peck, Lock Haven
Maud S., b. m. ..... W. A. Neale, Harrisburg
Dan, s. g. ..... G. W. Loudon, Altoona
Nina B., ... E. M. Sherwood, Dallas
Light Lunch, br. g. ..... A. W. Carlisle, Harrisburg
Catonia, b. g. ..... W. H. Moody, "

The Catawissa-Normal foot ball game scheduled for Normal Athletic Field this p. m., has been cancelled on account of the fair.

WEDDED ON TUESDAY.

A genuine surprise to the many friends and acquaintances of the couple was the announcement of the marriage of William H. Brower, of this town, to Miss Margaret Love, of Derry Township, Montour County. The happy event was solemnized at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. William Love, Tuesday morning. The officiating clergyman was Rev. G. H. Hemingway, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. The house was very tastefully decorated for the occasion with ferns and potted plants. After sumptuous refreshments the newly married couple departed amid the usual shower of rice, for a wedding tour. They will arrive in Bloomsburg Saturday evening, and go to housekeeping in a house on Penn Street, which has been prepared for their occupancy. Mr. Brower ranks as one of our prominent business men, being a dealer in carpets. The bride is a graduate of the Bloomsburg State Normal School. We extend felicitations.

A Good Company.

The Murray and Mackey Bon Ton Ideals is the attraction at the Opera House this week. The Company made a favorable impression Monday evening when "A Man of Mystry" was presented, and "Sentenced for Life" on Tuesday night was well received Specialties of a high order of excellence are introduced between the acts, making a continuous performance and relieving the tiresome waits which is usually the case. The plays for the balance of the week will be as follows: Wednesday night "A Struggle for Honor," Thursday night "The Irish Exile," Friday night "Brother Against Brother," Saturday afternoon matinee "East Lynn," Saturday night "My Tiger Lily." Prices 25, 35 and 50 cents. Reserved seats can be purchased at Bidleman's.

There is no free-for-all race at the Fair this season. That event will be succeeded by the 2:09 class, which takes place Friday afternoon.

The Bloomsburg Wheelmen have issued invitations for a dance, to be held in Evans' Hall Thursday evening.

Finger Rings.

Every imaginable shape and styles in great abundance, all well selected.

Opal Rings, from $1.00 and up.

Turquoise Rings, from 75 cents and up.

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Every sportsman enjoys a good day's hunting after game. Sometimes there is plenty of game seen, but a poor gun looses the coveted prize. Now you want a good gun. You don't like to pay out a big lot of money for it, do you? We know you don't. We offer a large assortment of good, reliable guns at less than prevailing prices. We invite you to see this display of reliable guns. We mention two specials:

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Also, a large line at all prices.

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Our selection this season enables us to easily maintain our reputation for carrying the largest and most select line of Carpets in the County.

From our 25c. Carpet, up to those at $1.50, every grade is the best that can be bought for the money.

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The finest pick from the New York and Grand Rapids Exhibitions. Don't buy without consulting us.

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Our new goods are unpacked and all who have seen them say they are the finest in Bloomsburg.

This is not exaggeration. Remember, we do not buy in case lots in order to make our profits a half cent a yard more. Every piece of our dress goods was personally selected, and with the view of giving the prettiest patterns and the best quality for the least money.

Here are a few of our good things:

BLACK HENRIETTAS. $1.00 to $1.50.
BLACK PRUNELLA, $1.90.
BLACK MELROSE, $1.25 to $1.75.
BLACK SERGES, 50c., 75c., $1.00.
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We have all the popular weaves, in all the season's favorite colors.

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