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Try a pair. We have  
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**THE COLUMBIAN.**

BLOOMSBURG, PA.  
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1901.  
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**APPRENTICE WANTED.**

Boy wanted at this office to learn printer's trade. Must be at least sixteen years of age, and a fair reader and speller. Resident of town preferred.

Legal advertisements on page 7.

Next Sunday marks the beginning of the Advent season.

Books, Books, Books of many kinds at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Daniel Krum is building a barn on the rear of his East Third street property.

The *Midday Bulletin*, of Sunbury, is dead. The last issue came out on Friday.

For Wall Paper and Window Shades go to Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Only four weeks till Christmas. Our merchants are anticipating a good holiday trade.

Checkers, Dominoes, Chess and many other games at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

The painter's brush has brightened the exterior of Dr. S. B. Arment's residence on Fifth Street.

We are having a taste of real winter just now, although that season does not begin until December 21.

If you need a Lamp of any description go to Mercer's Drug & Book Store. A fine line and all prices.

A second attempt to sell the St. Charles Hotel at Unityville was made on Monday, but without success.

The dancing class which has been in progress in Dentler's Hall for two months past, has been discontinued.

John Wolf's sale of household goods was well attended on Saturday. The various articles brought a fair price.

This paper is mailed this week on Wednesday, as Thursday, the regular publication day, is a holiday and everybody connected with this office wants an opportunity to join in the general thanksgiving.

G. W. Hess has made some alterations in his store. There are few jewelry stores in this section of the state that can compare with it. His stock is large, handsome and well displayed. We call especial attention to his "Talk number 1" in this issue.

M. & C. Telephone.

**For Men Only.**

Did you ever use a pair of

**Military HAIR BRUSHES?**

If not you don't know what "brush comfort" is.

We have just received a direct importation of them and the price is lower than ever.

\$1.00 } PER PAIR. { \$3.00  
1.40 } { 3.50  
1.75 } { 3.75  
2.50 } { 4.00

W. S. Rishton, Ph. G.  
Ent Building. Pharmacist.

When will we be able to trolley to Catawissa?

The A. & T. Biograph Company will give a benefit exhibition at Millville, in the near future.

Attend the auction sale of town lots by the Bloomsburg Land Improvement Co. next Saturday at one o'clock.

A new time table went into effect on the "Penny" Sunday. The changes are noted in the schedule elsewhere in this issue.

George Pursel, of Union county and Miss Anna Boone, of Bloomsburg, were married by Guy Jacoby, J. P., Tuesday afternoon.

We have the largest, nicest and best selected stock of Pocket Books in Bloomsburg, either ladies or gents at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

The Columbia and Montour Electric Railway Company is raising the feed wire on Main Street, in compliance with the Town ordinance.

All Patent Medicines, Swamp Root, Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound, Hood's Sarsaparilla, Foley's Kidney Cure at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

E. D. Dentler won seventeen games out of a possible twenty-one at the Wheelman's euchre Tuesday evening and captured the prize, a nice fat turkey.

Lamp Globes, Chimneys, Wicks, Burners, Bracket Lamps, Stand Lamps, Lantern Globes and all lamp supplies at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

The Lord's Supper and the rite of Confirmation will be administered in St. Peter's (Lazarus) Lutheran Church, Grovania, on Sunday afternoon Dec. 8, 1901.

Nelson Welliver of Jerseytown, was gathered in by an officer for disorderly conduct on the streets of Hazleton Saturday. He was taken before the Mayor, but on the promise to leave the city was discharged.

Does your business need booming? The COLUMBIAN can help you. The cost is a trifle. We have the best equipped plant in the County. The COLUMBIAN is a good advertising medium, and we recognize no rivals in the job printing line.

There is going to be some scrambling for the County offices to be filled next fall. Aspirants are quietly projecting their claims, and "there'll be a hot time" when they line up. The Prothonotaryship, appears to be the most coveted position, and the candidates will be numerous.

Edward M. Holmes, son of W. O. Holmes, had several small bones removed from his nose by Dr. Clark at Scranton on Saturday. The bones were broken while he was taking part in a basket ball game last season and has been the source of considerable annoyance to him. The operation was eminently successful.

The Millville Creamery Company's wagon was struck by a trolley car on Main Street near Iron Saturday afternoon, and the team ran away. The accident was so sudden that the car moved quite a little distance, before the motorman could stop it. The front wheels of the wagon were demolished. The driver, fortunately, escaped by jumping. The horses were captured near the Normal School.

Dr. E. H. Vaughan, President of Soule College, Dodge City, Kansas, preached two able and eloquent sermons in the M. E. Church on Sunday. The revival services are being continued this week. The meeting tonight will be a praise and thanksgiving service. Friday evening, Rev. J. H. Daugherty will preach, and on Sunday next Dr. D. S. Monroe, a former pastor of the church will occupy the pulpit. The invitation extended to attend the meetings is general, and everybody is welcome.

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. (4 25)

Twelve miles of the new traction line between Hazleton and Wilkes-Barre is ready for the rails. Considerable rock is being encountered along the Nescopeck Mountains, and the progress of the construction crew is considerably retarded, thereby.

The Philologist Society of the Normal School is holding its reunion today. This evening "Between the Acts" a drama in three acts, will be presented in the Auditorium. The costumes for the play have been secured from Van Horn & Sons of Philadelphia.

Jacob Bomboy, of Iron Street, was apparently overcome for a few minutes in front of G. A. McKelvy's drug store Friday morning, and fell to the pavement. Assistance was near at hand and after being assisted to his feet, he was able to continue without any aid.

The Scranton High School was unmercifully slaughtered by the Normal School on Athletic Field Saturday afternoon. Touchdowns were so numerous that we couldn't keep on track of the score. When the Normal had made fifty points we quit counting. Scranton had five.

The Bloomsburg Car Manufacturing Company is a busy place these days. Repair work for the Central Railroad of New Jersey, is coming in fast and other orders are being received daily far in advance of the capacity of the plant. Every department of the industry is humming.

Inclement weather interfered with the attendance at the church services on Sunday. The order of Knights of the Golden Eagle attended the services in the Reformed Church, which made the congregation there quite large. Rev. Thomas had prepared a special and appropriate sermon for the Sir Knights, and he delivered it with great earnestness.

The upsetting of a coal oil stove in Mrs. David Lowenberg's kitchen created considerable excitement Wednesday morning. The flames leaped to the ceiling of the small interior and threatened destruction. The blaze was smothered with some carpet before much damage was done. People in the alley observed smoke issuing from the roof in large volumes and an alarm was sent in from box 13.

Charles D. Breon, who has been connected with the Normal School for the past few years, as instructor on the violin, will leave on Monday next for Oshkosh, Wisconsin, where he will play in one of the leading musical organizations of that city. He will also instruct and is assured of a class of not less than twenty pupils. His many friends at the School and in the town, will regret to see him leave, but he will take with him the best wishes of all for his future success.

The local postmaster has received a warning from the Postal Department, to be on the lookout for an alleged swindler, named Cohen, who has practised frauds by means of money orders. His plan is to go to a small post office and purchase a money order for a sum less than a dollar. Frequently the postmasters forget to mark over the dollar mark and Cohen takes advantage of this to insert sums up to \$40. He then visits a store, makes a purchase and tenders the order in payment, receiving the change.

**SHOES.**

That wear well,  
look well, and are  
comfortable.

The Herrick Shoe, for women, at \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50. "Try Me" Shoe, for women, \$2.00.

Box Calf Shoes, for women, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00. All leather.

The W. L. Douglas Shoes, for men, full line. If you want solid comfort, buy our Government Shoe, \$2.50.

W. H. MOORE,  
Cor. Main and Iron Sts.  
BLOOMSBURG, PA

The fire alarm sounded Tuesday afternoon, due to contact with the electric light wire.

A cart for sale, or exchange for hay or straw. Also one, or the pair of sorrels for sale. 10-3-tf. DR. H. BIERMAN.

A Thanksgiving dinner and supper, with oysters in all styles, will be served on Thanksgiving day by the Almeda M. E. Church. Ice cream and cake extra. COMMITTEE.

The Leader Store Co. Ltd. are ably helped in taking care of their increasing business, by Mr. A. H. Cook who has full charge of their accounts and office. He has perfected a system of retail book-keeping so accurate, that in a dispute as to the correctness of an account, the "treasurers" are usually on "the other fellow." Mr. Cook possesses the full confidence of the stockholders of the company.

The lecture delivered last Thursday evening by Mr. Howell of Scranton, at the Normal Auditorium, called forth a storm of indignation, and he is fortunate that he escaped being hissed off the stage. His subject was "Abraham Lincoln," but he took occasion to criticize Gen. Geo. B. McClellan very severely, calling him a coward and otherwise alluding to him in terms that aroused the ire of a large number of people in the audience. Mr. Howell was not on the regular course of Institute lectures, but was put on for Thursday evening because there was nothing else on hand, and he was permitted to fill in the time for want of something better. It is due to Supt. Miller to say that he was not acquainted with Mr. Howell's lecture, and if he had been, Mr. Howell would not have had an opportunity to deliver it. The memory of Abraham Lincoln needs no defender in these days, and much less does it need to be defended by an attempt to detract from the character and services of another who figured so prominently in the events of those stirring times. If Mr. Howell will only come back here and deliver that lecture at a time when eggs are plentiful and in a thoroughly ripened condition, he will probably have an interesting time.

**PURELY PERSONAL**

J. R. Townsend went to Philadelphia on Tuesday.

J. Wesley Moyer is spending Thanksgiving at Hughesville.

Dr. W. L. Woodruff, of Mobile, Alabama, spent Tuesday in town.

John F. Tooley of Danville was in town a short time on Friday.

Joseph Sands and wife spent Sunday with the former's parents at Mordansville.

Miss Edith Miller of Center Street, continues to improve, and is now able to sit up.

Mrs. W. F. Bodine is visiting in Sunbury and other Northumberland county towns this week.

Rev. J. D. Smith, of the Baptist Church, went to Pittsburg on Friday, where he remained over Sunday.

H. J. Achenbach made a business trip to Philadelphia on Friday in the interest of the Farmer's National Bank.

E. S. Fournwald was in Pittsburg Tuesday. He left here on the down train Monday evening and arrived home Wednesday.

Paul Traub came up from Philadelphia on Monday to attend his brother's wedding. He will spend Thanksgiving with his parents in Ferrville.

O. W. Ent of Northumberland, spent last week in town. He put in a couple days' hunting, but with what success we were unable to learn.

J. G. McHenry, of the firm of M. McHenry & Son, of Stillwater, was in town Monday. He says everything is moving along in a quiet way up the Creek.

Rush J. Thomson Esq., of Dushore, and E. J. Milleu Esq., of Laporte, were in town on Tuesday on legal business. They are leading members of the bar of Sullivan county.

WANTED—SEVERAL PERSONS OF character and good reputation in each state (one in this county required) to represent and advertise old established wealthy business house of solid financial standing. Salary \$18.00 weekly with expenses additional, all payable in cash each Wednesday direct from head offices. Horse and carriage furnished, when necessary. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. Manager, 316 Caxton Bldg., Chicago. (161926)

**"ELITE" FRENCH CHINA.**

We desire our patrons to know that we sell the famous "Elite" china, now so extensively advertised in leading periodicals. Dainty odd pieces or complete sets may be had at prices no higher than you would pay for ordinary makes. The "Elite" mark means perfection. Have you read the story "Limoges—Its People—Its China"? If not, leave your name at our store and we will obtain a copy for you, free.

L. E. WHARY.

**CLARK & SON.**

We offer special inducements in the following departments, in part, as follows:

**Coat and Suit Department.**  
Ladies' blue and grey Oxford Melton Cloth Coat, all lined, at \$2.98.  
Ladies' Black Kersey Coat, all lined, with storm collar, \$6.67.  
Ladies' Black American Kersey Cloth Coat, satin lined, \$8.50.  
Ladies' Black 42-inch Auto Coat, all satin lined, Kersey Cloth, \$12.82.  
Ladies' Norfolk Jacket Suit, real value, \$14.00, now \$12.00.  
Ladies' Venetian Cloth Suit, \$12.00 value, at \$10.68.

**Fur Department.**  
Ladies' Victoria Scarf, with six 20-inch tails, \$6.78  
Ladies' Long Double Scarf, 8 tails, at 5.00  
Ladies' Muffs, new block, at 5.50

**Dress Goods Department.**  
A few items mentioned here.  
Regular \$1.00 Colored Cheviots, at 85c Yd  
Regular 75c Homespun, at 56c "  
60 in. Cravenettes, all wool, at \$1.50 "  
58 in. Golf Goods, plaid backs, at 1.25 "

**Underwear Department.**  
Children's Union Suits, fleecy lined, at 25c  
Children's Vests and Pants, ribbed, fleecy lined, 25c  
Boys' heavy fleecy lined Shirts and Drawers, 25c  
Ladies' Union Suits, fleecy lined, at 50c  
Ladies' Union Suits, at \$1.00  
Ladies' Shirts and Pants, ribbed, fleecy lined, 25c ea.  
Men's Heavy Jersey Shirts and Drawers, fleecy " 42c "

**Table Linens For Thanksgiving.**  
Heavy Cream Damask at 46c a yard. All linen.  
" " " 55c " " "  
" half bl'ch'd " 50c " " "  
A nice bleached linen " 75c " " "  
A fine bleached linen " \$1.00 " " "  
Table cloths, in 2 1/2, 3, 3 1/2 yards long.

**H. J. CLARK & SON.**

**SHOES OF ALL KINDS,**  
except inferior shoes, can be found here. We offer honest material, whether it be calf or kid, and made up in an honest manner, into stylish and durable footwear, for men, women and children.

Any and every new shape or style that is worthy of consideration will be found in our stock. Our ladies' shoes, at \$2.00, have had a remarkable sale. Their merits have won friends everywhere. Another good shoe is Colonial Dame, at \$2.50.

**F. D. DENTLER.**

**TALK NO. 1.**

**My Space.**

This space will be devoted during the next twelve months to advertisements of my business. By special contract with THE COLUMBIAN I am to keep this particular position at all times. I shall change my advertisements each week and shall try to tell you, in a brief and interesting manner, why I believe it will be to your advantage to give me your patronage. I shall make only such statements in my advertisements as I would make in talking to you face to face, and shall always stand ready to prove the truth of everything I say. I propose by skillful work, full value and honest methods, to do the spectacle and jewelry business of Bloomsburg. I am already doing a large percentage of it.

**Geo. W. Hess,**  
OPTICIAN AND JEWELER, BLOOMSBURG, PENNA.

**Some More of Those CHILDREN'S UMBRELLAS**  
At 65c. and 75c. each, and they are good quality for the price.  
Call and examine them.

**J. LEE MARTIN,**  
The Jeweler.

Christmas comes on Wednesday this year. The foot ball season is on its last legs.

Cash For Paper: Mill Wood.

Cash will be paid for Paper Mill wood, delivered to Pennsylvania Paper Mills at Catawissa, Pa. Communicate with GRANT HERRING, Pres. or H. A. MCKILLIP, Treas., 10-31 tf Bloomsburg, Pa.

**James Reilly,**  
BARBER AND HAIRDRESSER.  
STRICTLY FIRST-CLASS.  
EXCHANGE BLOCK, SECOND FLOOR