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D. R. Coffman has been re-appointed janitor of the Court House, at a salary of \$25.00 per month.

Geo. P. Ringler was the fortunate one at Tuesday evening's euchre at the Wheelmen's Club House.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Chamberlin are home after an extended visit with relatives in Philadelphia and other cities.

Will Guernsey, the piano tuner, will be in town the week beginning January 27th. Leave orders at the COLUMBIAN office.

Diefenbach Bros., the ice dealers, have been engaged the past few days in harvesting and housing the frozen crystal.

The Defenders of Scranton will endeavor to take a fall out of Normal's basketball team in the gymnasium tomorrow night.

The wheelmen will play basketball with the Wilkes-Barre 9th Regiment team, in the Armory in that city to-morrow evening.

John Lutz the wife murderer will be hanged at Wilkes-Barre on the 21st. He refuses to talk, and has not spoken for a year.

Lewis Hayhurst died at his home in Catawissa Thursday last, aged sixty seven years. A wife survives. The deceased was a wheelwright by trade. He was assessor in Catawissa for a number of years.

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The jury wheel for 1902 has been filled by Jury Commissioners Shultz and Hagenbuch. Two hundred names were placed in the circular frame.

A little daughter has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Reighard of Newbury. Mrs. Reighard was formerly Miss Margaret Hilday of this town.

Daniel Everett hung himself in the wagon shed at the Brush Valley Hotel on Monday. A fit of mental agony is believed to have caused him to commit the deed.

Mr. Art. Bloom, Cashier of the Farmer's Bank, is to be congratulated on having obtained the rug from The Leader Store Co. Ltd. It certainly was well worth striving for.

The local castle of the Knights of the Golden Eagle are preparing for a social session on Thursday evening of next week. Music and speeches will constitute a part of the program.

Robert Adams & Co. last week purchased the Berwick electric light plant. It is said that ten thousand dollars is to be expended for improvements and that an all-day current will be furnished.

Benjamin Lore and son Frank of Pine township was in town bright and early Friday morning with a big load of railroad ties. Mr. Lore recently disposed of his timber tract to Creasy & Wells of the town.

Geo. W. Sterner was called to Philadelphia on Saturday by a telegram announcing the serious illness of his son John, at the University Hospital. He found him slightly improved, but not out of danger.

Ella Hepman, for three years past an employee at the Susquehanna House, Catawissa, died on Sunday at the residence of J. E. Singley in that town. She was twenty-one years old. Her parents reside at Zions Grove.

James Magee 2nd, General Manager of the Carpet Works, is making a trip among the trade in the west. It may not be known to many of our readers, but our Carpet Works makes three-fourths of the medium priced carriage and buggy carpets used in the country.

Mrs. B. F. Spotts died at her home in Riverside Monday morning, aged about forty-two years. A husband and one son Edward survive. The family formerly resided in Bloomsburg during a part of which time Mr. Spotts was in the employ of J. Saltzer.

Bruce Hause and Frank Barwich, who left their homes at Catawissa three years ago in defense of their country, arrived in Catawissa from the Philippines on Sunday. They were members of Company B. 4th U. S. Infantry and Company C. 4th U. S. Infantry respectively.

The remains of D. H. Keefe, who died in Wilkes-Barre on Monday, passed through this town on the D. L. & W. train at noon on Tuesday for Northumberland, where interment was made. He was 69 years of age. Mrs. B. Stookey, of Berwick, is one of five surviving children.

There was a pleasant birthday celebration at the home of our esteemed townsman Louis Cohen on West street, Saturday. It marked the rounding out of his fifty-sixth year, and in honor of the event the Alexander and Cohen families assembled, and partook of a sumptuous repast.

There are eighty-six applications for license this year. The only changes in Bloomsburg are the applications of P. B. Heddens for the Farmers Hotel on Iron street, and W. H. Gilmore for the Gilmore House on Main street. Both of these places are old stands and the applicants have both held licenses for many years. License court will be held on Monday, Jan. 20th.

Legal advertisements on page 7.

Have you broken any good resolutions yet?

Aiden Benedict's Fabio Romani which will be presented at the Opera House Friday Jan. 17th is one of the strongest and best acted plays now travelling. Walter Lawrence is an agreeable, as well as a talented actor, and this play has two characters which are well suited to his style and range. The scenery is brilliant and effective, especially the Bay of Naples and eruption of Mt. Vesuvius.

The Leader Store Co. Ltd. have laid their plans and built their hopes on doubling their business in 1902. They are making changes in the interior arrangement of the store. In their Dry Goods Department, they are planning to carry the largest line of linens and linings in the County. These in connection with well selected stocks of other staple lines of hosiery and dress goods. Their shoe department has only been open eight months but the results are very gratifying.

Mrs. Rosetta Dietterich who died at her home in Pottsgrove on Saturday, was brought to Bloomsburg over the P. & R. railroad at 11:45 Tuesday morning. A number of sorrowing friends with conveyances were in waiting for the train. The procession then moved to Rosemont Cemetery where interment was made. The deceased was a sister of Mrs. James Barton and Mrs. Mahala Barkley, of this town and Miss Carrie Quick, of Rupert.

The culinary department of the Exchange Hotel was all excitement about two o'clock Tuesday afternoon. It appears that a can of lard in some manner or other became ignited. It was extinguished before any damage was enacted and without the succor of the firemen, although the Winonas and Friendships were on hand a few minutes after the alarm was sounded. Huge black clouds of smoke poured from the windows, and it looked at first as though the whole exterior was ablaze.

Pennsylvania is to have an eight club base ball league the coming season. A meeting of magnates with that end in view was held at Reading last week. The cities that will likely be represented are Reading, Harrisburg, Chester, Pottsville, Lock Haven, Wilkes-Barre, Scranton and Hazleton. Another meeting is scheduled for next week when the matter will be definitely decided upon. If the project goes through, Will Coffman will be seen in a Reading uniform. Will has a host of friends in the pretzel city.

A feeling of jealousy says an exchange, often exists among the churches of the different denominations so that an event or entertainment projected by one will not be patronized by the members of the congregation or friends of the other. But by no means should the members of a church manifest such ill will. A better christian example should be followed, as an example to the world. Christians, no matter under what denomination they are traveling, should help each other. They are all striving toward one goal, and the assistance given each other in this life is only an incident toward making the great life beyond one of keener enjoyment.

Mrs. Sara J. O'Bryan, who had been living with her daughter Mrs. William Mushler on West Fifth street for some time past, died in the early hours of Friday morning. The transition must have been peaceful, as when Mrs. Mushler visited her mother's room about three o'clock in the morning, she was sleeping soundly. When the family arose at six o'clock she made another visit to the room when she discovered that the spirit of her mother had departed. A physician was summoned who decided that death was due to apoplexy. Mrs. O'Bryan was about sixty three years of age. The funeral took place on Monday, and the remains were taken to Williamsport for interment.

The experience of Buffalo ought to have some influence with those who reject vaccination for fear of lockjaw. The "Commercial" of that city says: "Tens of thousands of persons have been vaccinated in Buffalo during the past six weeks, and not one case has been reported where the person vaccinated has been injured by it." Moreover, the New York State Board of Health has officially declared that it has never been proven, nor is it very probable, that vaccine ever contains the lockjaw bacillus. Such evidence ought to be enough to quiet the ill-grounded fears of those who have listened to anti-vaccinationist arguments. With ordinary precautions vaccination is as safe an operation as can be performed.

PURELY PERSONAL

Mrs. N. U. Funk visited in Danville on Monday.

Ben Gidding was in Wilkes-Barre on Monday.

Glyde C. Yetter Esq. was a visitor to Danville Sunday.

John S. Williams went to Syracuse, N. Y. to-day on business.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Pursel were in Philadelphia this week.

Miss Bess Bachman is home from a pleasant visit at Shamokin.

Howard J. Traub is in Warren and Bradford Counties this week.

J. S. Woods transacted business in Williamsport on Wednesday.

E. W. Elwell, of Towanda, spent yesterday in town with friends.

Robt. Buckingham, Esq., departed on Tuesday for Philadelphia.

Mrs. Edward Daw of Philadelphia, is visiting her relatives here.

Conner Creveling and family returned to their home in Brooklyn, N. Y. on Friday.

E. S. Fornwald is attending Grand Commandery of Knights of Malta at Philadelphia.

Miss Lilla Sloan is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Andreas, in Wilkes-Barre.

G. A. Potter, proprietor of the Millville "Tablet," gave us a call while in town on Tuesday.

John Kenyon came down from Unityville on Saturday. He remained in town over Sunday.

Miss Jessie Ferguson of Harrisburg, is the guest of her sister Mrs. E. B. Tustin, on Market Street.

John Watson on Tuesday returned to Carlisle to resume his studies at the Dickinson Law School.

Louis J. Townsend has been elected secretary and treasurer of the Berwick Electric Light Co.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rishton went to Philadelphia on Monday. Barton Beisel assisted in the drug store during the week.

Rev. and Mrs. D. N. Kirby very pleasantly entertained the members of the choir of St. Paul's Church last Thursday evening.

Miss Anna Logan, who has been visiting her cousins the Misses Logan in town, returned to her home in Philadelphia on Saturday.

Mrs. David R. Coffman and Mrs. Edward Dawe left this morning for Wilkes-Barre to visit the former's daughter, Mrs. Joseph Trethaway.

Ralph, son of John Moyer, of Eighth street, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is supposed to be out of danger, and is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Deitrick, of the St. Elmo Hotel, and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Derr, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Turner at the Hotel in Orangeville on Tuesday.

Mr. A. F. Ohl of Ingram, Pa. shows his appreciation of "The Columbian" by advancing his subscription to September 1903. He has long been one of our valued subscribers.

Small-pox is said to be abating in Philadelphia.

The farce comedy, "Married by Mistake," with Rupert D. Leader as manager, left Pittsburg on Thursday for a tour through the west. Last week's theatrical papers did not report the attraction. The *Clipper* this week will no doubt contain something concerning it.

Alfred McHenry went to Cambria on Tuesday. He continued his journey from there to the Pine Creek Oil Company's possessions. He was more than surprised at its magnitude, and he firmly believes that the company has a good thing. The general formation of the rock, he says is favorable to the presence of oil.

The Normal School students' lecture course will open in the Auditorium Monday evening with Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis. The other numbers will be as follows: January 17, Elias Day; January 31, Lotus Glee Club; February 6, Dr. Ethelbert D. Warfield; February 10, Dr. J. J. Mouro. To furnish this series of entertainments necessitates an outlay of \$425.00, but with this expenditure the price of tickets has been reduced, a course ticket costing only \$1, making the single admission virtually only 20 cents. The course tickets last season were \$1.00 but there were only four numbers. Each and every number of this season's course is of a high order of merit, and in every way worthy of a generous patronage. Tickets can be had and seats secured at Bidleman's Book Store.

WILL STAND TRIAL.
Charges Against Bishop Talbot of the Episcopal Church.

Local Episcopalians are interested in the outcome of the proposed trial of Bishop Ethelbert Talbot of the Central Pennsylvania diocese, and well known here because of his frequent visits to this parish, who is charged with conspiracy to degrade and unrock Rev. Ingram N. Irvin, a rector of Huntingdon.

The denunciation, accompanied by affidavits, was in the form of a petition, and made to the general convention held at San Francisco quite recently. It was decided to appoint a court of three bishops and the trial will be held in this diocese.

The trouble arose about Mrs. Elliott, a prominent society woman of Huntingdon, Pa., wife of an official of the Pennsylvania railroad. Dr. Irvine refused to permit her to take holy communion, on the ground that she had been divorced. This resulted in

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civil and criminal actions on both sides, but after repeated postponements the cases were dropped. Later Bishop Talbot deposed Dr. Irvine on charges of "conduct unbecoming a minister." According to Dr. Irvine, Mrs. Elliott appealed to him to compromise the matter, in order to save Bishop Talbot annoyance, but that he refused.—*Sunbury Democrat.*

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