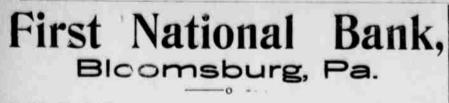
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### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR STATE SENATOR, J. HENRY COCHRAN, of Lycoming Co. Subject to the decision of the Senatorial Conferrees of the 24th District.

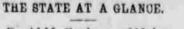
FOR CONGRESS. ANDREW L. FRITZ, of Bloomsburg. Subject to the decision of the Congressional Conferrees of the 17th District.

[The following announcements made. Of course those recently are subject to the decision of the Democratic party of Columbia County:]

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY, C. A. SMALL, of Catawissa.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE, HON. FRED. IKELER, of Bloomsburg.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,



Spring -David M. Graham, of Mahanoy City, publisher of the Daily American, has been named as postmaster of that city by Congressman Pat-terson, of Ashland.

- PRESIDENT -The Juniata Tube Co., which has a capital of \$800,000, will erect a tube mill close to the Logan Iron & Steel Co., near Lewistown. The mill will cost about \$200,000 and will give employment to about 300 persous.

> -Charles Fritsch, a well-known Lancaster politician, was taken suddenly ill Saturday evening while playing cards, and a few minutes later died from heart trouble. He was 55 years old, and a veteran of the civil war,

-Pottsville and Hazleton are to be connected by a swift line of trolley cars. Philadelphia and New York capitalists have secured the right of way. The construction of the road will begin as soon as the weather permits. The towns of Delano, Shenandoah, Mahanoy City and McAdoo will be connected.

well had reached a depth of 1000 -Seventy-five employes of the feet. But we were unable to obtain Tioga Sick Mills went on a strike any information relative the pros-Tuesday morning because Superintendent Holt would not discharge two Syrians. The girls paraded We had quite a rain last Sunday the streets in a body all the morning and they will not go back un-Farming is about to be resumed less their wish is granted. The after the lapse of the winter season mill will remain closed until help If farming were conducted under is imported. corporate syndicates the farmer

wouldn't be a foot ball to be tossed -There has been an exodus of Selinsgrove's residents to the west back and forth between house and senate at Harrisburg and Washthis week. Among those who left are Prof. Daniel Gemberling, who resigned his position as teacher in C. M. Smith is sawing for Willie the public schools, Prof. Foster Fisher, of Susquebanna University Evidently the new Supervisors and William Roming, of Penn will be initiated rather earlier this

season than usual by reason of destructive floods, washouts, and Dakota.

It is currently reported that Guf-Watsontown, just erected under the auspices of Bryon Post, G. A. R., has been accepted by the monuview after being photographed, The dedication and unveiling will take place May 17, at which time it is expected there will be a grand Flitting time is here, but right here not many changes will be

-A conference between the gen-

of Pennsylvania was held Tuesday We are engaged trimming up in Harrisburg to arrange for next summer's division encampment. July 12 to 19. It will probably be held at Mt. Gretna, but this is left for decision later on. The conferhappy review of their winter doings. Miller, Adjt. Gen. Stewart and ence was attended by Maj. Gen. The summer birds are sounding Brig. Gens. Gobin, Wiley and their notes of praise for approach- Schall.

Cleaning You are made aware of the necessity for cleansing your blood in the spring by humors, eruptions and other

outward signs of impurity. Or that dull headache, bilious, nauseous, nervous condition and that tired feeling are due to the same causeweak, thin, impure, tired blood.

America's Greatest Spring Medicine is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It makes the blood rich and pure,

cures scrofula and salt rheum, gives a clear, healthy complexion, good appe-tite, sweet sleep, sound health. For cleansing the blood the best medicine money can buy is

Hood's

Sarsaparilla It is Peculiar to Itself.

Rev. Mr. Diggles, of Williamsport, preached at St. Paul's church last night.

A second Elliott & Hatch book ypewriter has been placed in the office of the Register and Recorder.

Bishop Talbot will administer the rite of confirmation at St. Paul's Episcopal church, Tuesday evening, May 1st.

Hon. Fred Ikeler will deliver his well known lecture "Agitators" in the High School building on Center Street Tuesday evening next.

If the internal griefs of every man could be read, written on his forehead, how many who now excite envy, would appear to be objects of pity.

If you are a subscriber of the COLUMBIAN and anticipate moving this spring, let us know it, giving ment committee from the contrac- both old and new address. This tor, and is inclosed from public will insure a safe delivery of the paper.

> Neal Dougherty, of East street, has sold his personal property pre-paratory to moving to Philadelphia. His three sons are employed in the city and he will make his home with them.

Mrs. Daniel Wanich, died at her home in Hemlock township this The encampment will be held from county, Friday morning last, aged nearly sixty years. She is survived by a husband and three daughters. The funeral occurred Sunday.

ing, and Miss Ada Ellis, of Bing-hamton, N. Y., were married in those weaves, just those color-rare here ready to show you.



Fresh From Fashion Centers. News that will interest

Every Buyer, concerning New Spring Dress Goods. Some very pretty Silks, Stylish Tailor Made Suits. A Big showing of New Shoes for Spring. Newest, Nobbiest Walking Skirts. Season Furniture selling begins.

#### **Dress Goods News.** New Spring Shoes.

The new gown stuffs are here. Ready to be talked about, ready to be inspected, ready to be sold. equipment of shoes this store Harry L. Mannerbucke, of Read- Needless to tell you that in has ever attempted to show.

Another season is here and we

\$2.50. The American Girl.

\$3.50. The Patrician shoe if

Walking Skirts are in much

demand at all times and seasons.

If you are figuring on a new

piece of Furniture of any sort,

bring your figures here and see

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township. They will engage in agricultural pursuits in North -The soldiers' monument at

fy's oil well in Texas yields 125,-000 barrels per day. That is a mighty "gusher," and the report a mighty "whopper." We don't believe that the stream of water passing our house averages that much of a daily flow, floods and all in-

demonstration at Watsontown.

married will be looking for a place eral officers of the National Guard

HON. WILLIAM T. CREASY, of Catawissa Township.

FOR PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK OF THE COURTS. C. M. TERWILLIGER, of Bloomsburg.

FOR PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK OF THE COURTS, R. R. ZARR, of Bloomsburg.

FOR PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK F THE COURTS, JOHN K. MILLER, of Bloomsburg.

FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER, J. C. RUTTER, JR., of Bloomsburg. FOR COUNTY AUDITOR, GEO. H. SHARPLESS, of Catawissa. FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER,

(South Side) WILLIAM H. FISHER, of Main Twp.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, (North Side) GEO. W. STERNER, of Bloomsburg.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, WILLIAM BOGERT, of Scott Twp.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER, A. B. CROOP, of Briarcreek Twp.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE, WILLIAM KRICKBAUM, of Bloomsburg.

Alexander Billmeyer, of Montour county has been suggested as a candidate for Congress to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Rufus K. Polk. Montour county feels that it is entitled to it, and Mr. Billmeyer is willing to accept it. It is not probable that a special election will be ordered by the Governor, so that two congressmen will be voted for in this district at the general election in November, one to serve until March 4, 1903, and the other for two years from that time.

ing spring, while the "little skeet-ers" will be singing their beautiful tune of tenor and presenting their little bills. Dear little creatures. Peter Tubbs, of this place brags of a heifer calf a week and three

days old that weighs 170 pounds. It is of the breed of the Durham variety. Chicken cholera plays havoc

The season is about here when

our public schools will wind up

their winter quarters. But all

summer the children will have a

among some heu roosts.

A cold snap struck this place hard last Tuesday morning but no body was killed.

We will give a quarter for the first pint of crude petroleum that may be found in the new oil well at-Register. Yes we will go one better, we will give a dollar. Yes and we have faith too, that they will find. We wish that every body would offer a premium for a pint of oil that may be found there, as a reward for Mr. Sheerer who has had much hard luck in this new enterprise.

As a result of the recent flood says the Sunbury Item and the inundation by the Shamokin creek of the farm lands between Shamokin and Sunbury, many farmers are now reaping harvests of coal instead of grain. The banks at Buck Mountain and other points containing many tons of pea coal were washed into the creek and carried down the stream to the farm lands, which when the waters receded were left with a coat of black diamonds.

W. S. Rishton is settled in his new location, on Market Square, and now has one of the handsomest drug stores in this section. A new onyx soda fountain has been set up, which is larger than the old one, and is a beautiful piece of workmanship. A marble top extension of the counter affords increased accommodations for customers and Rishton's soda is going to be one of the leaders this summer.

Notice.

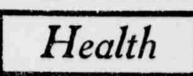
The attendance of the Jury empaneled for April 21, 1902 will not then he required, as the case which was expected to be tried has been settled by agreement of the parties. BY THE COURT.

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charge of the Pennsylvania Railroad improvements near Latrobe, were cremated in a burning stable near that town early Tuesday morning. The loss, including har- dent occurred just outside his home ness and stable supplies, is esti-mated at \$10,000. Six horses were stepping on some ice. He supposed to be the work of an head was badly cut. incendiary.

Holy Communion will be administered under the pastorate of Rev. A. Houtz as follows: Hidlay March 30 at 10:30 A. M.; Zion April 6 at 10:30 A. M.; Orangeville April 13 at 10:30 A. M.; St. James April 20 at 10:15 A. M.; and Briercreek April 27 at 10:30 A. M. Preparatory services on preceding Saturday at 2:30 P. M.

While crossing the Philadelphia & Reading railroad tracks at Mahanoy City on Thursday of last week, William Griffeth was instant-ly killed. He was a brother of Ryce Griffeth, proprietor of the Hotel at Espy.



"For 25 years I have never missed taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla every spring. It cleanses my blood, makes me feel strong, and does me good in every way."-John P. Hodnette, Brooklyn, N.Y.

Pure and rich blood carries new life to every part of the body. You are invigorated, refreshed. You feel anxious to be active. You become strong, steady, courageous. That's what Ayer's Sarsaparilla will do for you. \$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

Ask your doctor what he thinks of Ayer's Saraparilla. He knows all about this grand old family medicine. Follow his advice and we will be satisfied. J. C. AYER Co., Lowell, Mass.

property of H. S. Kerbaugh, the Wednesday evening, Justice of the Philadelphia contractor who has Peace R. H. Ringler officiated.

Charles Werkheiser was thrown violently to the ground yesterday, sustaining painful injuries. The accistepping on some ice. gotten out in safety. The fire is was rendered unconscious, and his

> Miles Sassaman, of Catawissa Black. Price \$1.00. ownship, was released from the Montour County Jail on Tuesday.

He was convicted at the Septemper term of court for manslaughter and sentenced to three months imprisonment. It will be remembered that he and George Sommers occupied the buggy which collided with a spring wagon driven by Wellington Hartman, one night at the wanted price. last summer, and in which the latter was killed.

George H. Welliver's auction sale of horses at the Exchange Stables Tuesday, was well attended. The bidding was spirited, and twenty-five animals were sold. A number of them were purchased by people living outside of the county. Teams were sold to G. Snyder, Dr. J. P. Welsh, Geo. Benner. Chas. Eck, E. Christian and H. W. Hess, while John Boyer, Charles Conner, P. H. Seeley, H. Yost, J. B. Roberts Ohl, M. T. Creasy, J. M. Unger, M. S. Munson, Ray Sponenberger, Edwin Jacobs, Geo. Burns and E.

Tyson, bought single horses. The prices of teams run from \$375 to 475 and for single horses from \$125 to \$175. Henry J. Pursel was the auctioneer.

The United States Circuit Court of appeals has decided against Thos. A. Edison, in his case with the American Mutoscope Co. and as a result that gentleman will lose many thousands of dollars which have been coming to him annually in the shape of royalties. This gives the A. & T. Biograph Co. clear sailing. The young gentlemen have been annoyed considerably of late and in several instances had to cancel their engagements, because of injunctions served upon town. them by Edison.

-Thirty head of horses, the the office of the Grand Restaurant ings that fashion dictates, as beare here ready to show you. \$2.00. We show at least 5 ing Popular. These hints your different styles, and we guaranguidance. tee every pair.

38 inch Albatross in all the new colors for spring. The new spring goods for Waists and They are stylish, fit well, you Dresses 50c. Vigero will be big sellers for spring. We show all the new colorings for spring. will be pleased if you try a pair. you try a pair, you will not wear Price 85c and \$1.25. any thing but this shoe.

Canadence Cloth 44 in. wide in Blue mode, Tan, Brown, and New Walking Skirts.

## Bright Silk Weaves.

They are in greater demand 'at The new Silks this season the beginning of a season. Price outvie the products of all previ-\$1.50, 2.50, 2.69, 4.50, 5.50 to ous seasons, in beauty and price. Waists, Skirts, or Gowns, it matters not which. This store 8.50. **Furniture Selling** shows the wanted thing in Silk Begins.

# New Tailored Suits.

The selling of Tailor-made suits, begins early. Hence we are early prepared to show you how closely we can fit you out as to style, quality and price. neat, complete equipment of the We've planned to make this big very latest fashion. Furniture equipment very use-

Ladies' Eton Jackets with yoke, facing in Grey, Black and Brown mixed, \$10.50.

Coaches Ladies' one Button Cutaway Fancy Rockers White Beds Jacket with silk faced lapels, made of Basket weave, Trimmed | Chiffonier Skirt. Price \$12.00. Ladies Bed Room Suits 18 00 to 50 00 double breasted Jacket with<br/>Peplum, made of Basket weave.Sideboards10 00 to 35 00Price \$11.50.Dining Tables5 00 to 20 00

New Oil Cloth, Linoleum, Carpet chains, Dinner sets and Bed Springs. New Go-Carts. We have one of the best makes, we show a big assortment, and we sell them at the lowest prices. We invite you to come and see them.

# F. P. PURSEL

### Retired from Business-

On Tuesday I. W. Hartman retired from business after having been actively engaged as a merchant in this town for fifty-four years. During all that time he has been one of Bloomsburg's most progressive citizens. In business, in public affairs, in the M. E. Church, he has been prominent, and he retires from active life with the respect of the whole

Harman & Hassert has received a large order for structural castings, which will be used in the reconstruction of the fire swept portion of Paterson, New Jersey.

On Wednesday, April 2. 1902 the Lackawanna Railroad will sell round trip tickets to New York at rate of one fare tor the round trip, plus \$1.00. Tickets will be good to return up to and including April 7, 1902.