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NORMAL IN GOOD FORM.

First Foot Ball of Season Attracts a Large Crowd.

The University of Pennsylvania foot ball team arrived in Bloomsburg at noon on Tuesday from Eagles Mere where they had been in training for two weeks previous. At 3:15 in the afternoon, they lined up against Normal on Athletic Field, for the first game of the season. A large crowd was present. From every part of the field, Normal's colors, maroon and yellow waved proudly in the breeze, while now and then could be seen Pennsylvania's red and blue. Never in Athletic Field's history as a play ground, has there a more enthusiastic throng of people assembled upon it, than on Tuesday. Everybody appeared to be happy.

We are not going to give a detailed account of the play, but will say that the work of Normal was excellent. When it is considered that the team is largely composed of green men, and that they had never played together before, it was truly wonderful.

While Pennsylvania has been practicing for two weeks, this was their first real test of the season. The general opinion is that the result reflects very little credit on the Pennsy eleven. Superior team work, acquired during their two weeks training, aided by some clever fake plays, carried the Red and Blue to victory. Individually, they could lay no claim to superiority, but as before stated in team work they excelled and carried off the honors, if a score of 16 to 0 can be called an honor for Pennsylvania.

In the Philadelphia *Inquirer*, a staff correspondent, says:

"In thirty-five minutes of play against State Normal School eleven here this afternoon the University of Pennsylvania team scored 16 points and only missed being scored on by six inches. It was a disappointing exhibition by the Quakers. Slow playing that made the coaches nervous, almost to distraction, characterized the Red and Blue eleven's work during the entire game, and fumbles were frequent and costly. Weissenfluh being the chief offender, and the defense, on end runs, especially on the right side, was not as strong as it has been in practice against the second team. It was on a run around right end in the first half that Captain Marcy got away from the entire Quaker team and had he not stepped six inches over the side line would have scored a touchdown."

Following is the line up and summary:

Bloomsburg.	Pennsylvania.
Fox.....Left End....	Richardson
MacAvoy...Left Tackle..	Torrey
Putnam...Left Guard...	Donaldson
Rarick....Centre.....	McCabe
Evans....Right Guard..	Piekarski
Roone....Right Tackle..	Dick
Miller,	Corcoran
Corcoran	Right End..Metzgar
Riland..Quarter Back	{ Dale, Cap
Robison Left Half Back	Howard
Marcy...Right Half Back	
Weissenfluh
Ruloff...Full Back.....	Sloan
Touch downs—Piekarski, Dale, Hare. Goals from touchdowns—Hare. Referee—Bull, University of Pennsylvania; Umpire—Fox, Normal; Timers—Cope, Normal; Evans, University of Pennsylvania; Linesmen—Kilmer, Normal; Hare, University of Pennsylvania; Time of halves—20 and 15 minutes; Score 16 to 0.	

The Injunction Case.

The case against the County Commissioners to prevent them from issuing the new county bonds amounting to \$96,000 to J. N. Thompson, cashier of the Farmers' National Bank was heard before Judge Little on Thursday. Counsel for plaintiff made an effort to have the case continued on account of the illness of Commissioner Krickbaum, a witness, but the judge ordered the case to be proceeded with. The evidence of A. Z. Schoch and Commissioners Kitchen and Fisher was taken, as was also some documentary evidence from the minute books of the Commissioners office. Fred Ikeler argued the case for the plaintiff and Grant Herring for the defendants. The Judge took the papers and will render his decision later.

SUICIDE ENDS FAMILY STRIFE.

Domestic Infelicity, A Quarrel, Arrest, then Death by His Own Hand.

Harry Sutton took his own life at his home in Nescopeck Tuesday morning, by hanging himself to a rafter in the attic. Sutton was about twenty-four years of age, and had been married about a year. He and his wife had never mated very well, quarrels were of almost daily occurrence. It appears that the primary cause for the infelicity, was an undue desire for strong drink on the part of the husband. Monday evening, after drinking heavily he had gone home. His wife took him to task, and a quarrel ensued, with the result that each had the other arrested. Sutton was locked up and his wife was taken to the home of the constable. The next morning they were arraigned before the Chief Burgess for a hearing. There was no evidence against the woman and she was allowed to go free. Sutton was held for Court. He was allowed to go to his home, for the purpose of securing John De Haven, his landlord, and who lived next door, to go on his bail bond. It appears that Mrs. Sutton was at the house when he reached there, and was packing her goods, with a view of a separation.

Sutton called at the DeHaven home, but finding his landlord out, he returned to his own home and went up stairs.

The constable was waiting for him to return to the office of the Burgess. He finally became impatient, and started after him. He went to the house and called up stairs but received no answer. Upon investigation, he found the dead body of his prisoner hanging from a rafter in the attic. He had placed the rope about his neck, and leaped out into the stairway. His spinal cord was broken. Squire Miller hastily empanelled a jury, and a verdict of suicide was returned.

PARENTS.

Now the homes are quiet again. The little people are away attending to their studies in the school-room. We parents are hoping that much good may be done for our boys and girls. Let us reason together and use a little judgment on our part. We all know how much better we feel and how much more we can do if some neighbor or friend encourages us with a little praise. It makes our hearts beat with the determination of a greater endeavor. It thrills us with a new hope, even a new life. We are happy.

I know that much of the success of our boys and girls, who are in the school-room to-day, depends on the honest encouragement which we hold out to them. It depends on the sustaining help which we may give that teacher who is laboring so earnestly to lead aright the children we have sent from our homes to her for instruction. Therefore, it is our duty to act our part well, so that the children of to-day may stand head and shoulders above us in knowledge and manliness when they become men and women.

We must bear in mind that teachers are human. They do not belong to the angelic band of ideals; but the work which they are trying to perform is of such a nature that it ranks among the very foremost of the callings of mankind. As they are human we must expect them to do some things differing from the way which we would do them. When these differences happen, do not rise up in wrathful dignity and say in the presence of the children hard words about that teacher. Sleep over the trouble, dream over it, pray over it and then, after properly cooling off, go secretly and talk it over, with the teacher.

Do not allow the children to gossip about the school. Be sure that you know that your children have prepared their lessons properly. Be sure that you get acquainted with your teacher before she has taught long. Be her honest faithful friend. Be sure that you do visit the school often; not to find fault, but to encourage that which is good. Help to raise your own school so that it may be one of the best in the county. Let us see what good we can do this winter.

L. J.

Opening of Public Library.

The Public Library room in the Clark building will be open, Friday afternoon and evening, September 26th, to receive all books, which are to be donated to the library. MRS. JOHN G. HARMAN, Chairman of Book Committee.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Bloomsburg National Bank

At the Close of Business September 15th, 1902.

[IN BUSINESS THREE YEARS.]

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Investments, \$374,615.61	Capital Stock, - \$60,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures, - 8,000.00	Surplus and Profits, (Net) 41,017.73
Cash and Reserve, - 81,500.29	Circulation, - 58,700.00
	Individual Deposits, - 300,084.06
	Bank Deposits - 4,312.11
\$464,113.90	\$464,113.90

A. Z. SCHOCH, PRESIDENT.

WM. H. HIDLAY, CASHIER.

[READ MY AD ON 5TH PAGE.]



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Hawkes Cut Glass

is clearer and more brilliant than other makes. You will find a choice assortment at

J. Lee Martin, Jeweler and Optician.

Telephone 1842.

J. G. Wells' Special Gun Sale.

A first class single barrel gun, self ejector. This is a good one \$4.48.

Special price on double barrel hammer guns \$7.98 up to \$18.00.

Don't miss this one.

New Worcester Double Barrel Hammerless Gun \$19.40.

Hunting Coats, Leggings, Shell Vests, Belts, Etc.

J. G. Wells, General Hardware, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

In Jail at Sunbury.

Calvin R. Kressler has strayed in the pervert and foolish path and as a result of his misdoings he is now in jail at Sunbury. It appears that he has been acting the roll of a Judas Iscariot for some time past, but not until Monday morning was his treachery discovered. On the night before he and Miss Mary Walters, a girl of eighteen years, walked into Hotel Zerbe at Sunbury and asked for a room. After registering as man and wife they were given a room. The next morning Mr. Zerbe asked Kressler if they were married and he said no. The two evidently anticipating trouble hurried out of the hotel but the proprietor made use of the telephone and securing an officer had them arrested.

It has since developed that Kressler had been having considerable trouble at home and that his wife had sworn out a warrant for his arrest Saturday night but he could not be found. Kressler's friends are dumbfounded at his conduct. Until very lately he had been looked upon as a man of correct habits, but drink is supposed to have led to his downfall.

Supper Netted \$120.

The chicken and flannel cake supper given in the basement of the Methodist church last Thursday night was an eminently successful affair and netted \$120. The matter of serving the supper was entirely in charge of some of the young men of the congregation and their gracefulness, promptness and very obliging manners, called forth much praise, especially from the ladies.

Appreciated the Hospitality.

The Secretary of the Centennial executive committee received a letter a few days ago from the Eagle Hose Company of Pittston, extending thanks for the \$20 prize awarded them in the hose contest, and expressing appreciation for the good time the members of the company had while they were the guests of the Winona Fire Company during the Centennial.

Council Transacts but Little Business Friday Night.

There was very little done at Friday night's meeting of the Town Council. The principal object of the session was to consider the matter of extending this year's tax duplicate. Each member gave expression to his views regarding the extension, after which it was decided to prolong the time fifteen days. The Columbia & Montour Electric Railway Company asked permission to put a switch on Seventh street above Park. The permit was granted and a committee composed of Messrs Cox, Reimard and Kashner was appointed to locate same.

A petition complaining of the bad condition of Chrisman and First streets, and requesting that they be cobbled was presented. Referred to Committee on Highways. Report to be made at the next meeting.

Mr. Reimard stated that he could make no report regarding the canal as Mr. Brown, the town engineer, had not been able to go with him to locate the drain.

Solicitor Chrisman was instructed to look up several titles in order to see who owned properties where pavements are needed.

The supremacy of the Shamokin and Bloomsburg Elk base ball teams is still undecided. The two nines made an effort to determine the question at Athletic Park Saturday afternoon but after seven innings of the hardest kind of play, the score was a tie 8 to 8, and both sides agreed to quit. Among the star players on the Bloomsburg team was brother Randall of the Catawissa *News Item*. He fielded his position in Lajole fashion, and at the bat, well, he hit the ball so hard once that it didn't come back to earth for about five minutes, and then the players had difficulty in finding it. He could very easily have made a circuit of the bases, but he didn't want the run to count that way. The other players, all of whom distinguished themselves were: John Conway, Clark Sheep, Chas. Vincent, Alex Cohen, Chas. B. Ent, Dan Hummel, Tom Hennessy and John Reighard.

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OR
SHORT

Men Of All Sizes

Are fitted here. We have suits that will fit the largest or the smallest man in town. We request the men who are under size or over size to come here before they conclude that there is no clothing made that is just their shape. We have Overcoats, Suits and Trousers made to fit men who think they cannot be fitted. Our "Stouts and Slims" are a special feature of our business. So we say, come along you men of abnormal sizes. Here are clothes for you, made in every good style of right fabrics, and no extra charge on account of your size. Glad you read this ad, arn't you?

Ben Gidding

The Clothier,
Bloomsburg, Penn'a.,
Corner Main and Center Sts.

Come in and see us,
we'll treat you right.

The Leader Department Store,

4th and Market Streets.

THE SAFEST AND BEST PLACE TO BUY GOODS.

<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 5px;"> <h3 style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">Broadcloth</h3> <p style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">1.00</p> <p style="margin: 0;">Colors, Green, Garnet, Castor, Blue, Black.</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 5px;"> <h3 style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">Waistings</h3> <p style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">50c.</p> <p style="margin: 0;">Striped Albetros, All Wool. Were 75 cents.</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 5px;"> <h3 style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">Swansdown</h3> <p style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">1.65,</p> <p style="margin: 0;">Entirely new for tailor made suits. Blue, Brown, Grey and Black.</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 5px;"> <h3 style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">Half Wool Carpet</h3> <p style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">50c.</p> <p style="margin: 0;">A good handful for little money.</p> </div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 5px;"> <h3 style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">Cheviots</h3> <p style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">50c.</p> <p style="margin: 0;">All Wool, 38 inches wide. Newest Shades.</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 5px;"> <h3 style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">Waistings</h3> <p style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">95c.</p> <p style="margin: 0;">All Wool. Fine Albetros plain and striped.</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 5px;"> <h3 style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">Etemine</h3> <p style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">90c.</p> <p style="margin: 0;">For Suitings 54in. wide, all wool very stylish.</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 5px;"> <h3 style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">Ingrain Samples</h3> <p style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">25c.</p> <p style="margin: 0;">All wool, yard wide. Nothing better for cheap rug.</p> </div>
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