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LOCAL NEWS.

George McLinn is reporting for the Bloomsburg Daily.

Lamps to burn at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Many a man's crookedness is due to his attempt to make both ends meet.

Hog Cholera medicine at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Nearly all of the state militia have been ordered home from the coal regions.

William Shultz has purchased the C. R. Henric farm in Greenwood township.

This issue is devoted largely to politics. The local news is printed on the inside pages.

No nicer, in fact none as beautiful as the lamps that Mercer the Druggist is selling.

The furiously funny farce comedy Maloney's Wedding will appear at the Opera House Nov. 6th.

James Magee is excavating for four new double dwelling houses on the East side of Magee Avenue.

Rev. M. E. McLinn, E. M. Kester and F. B. Hartman will address a prohibition meeting at Buckhorn Saturday evening.

Pure Drugs at popular prices is what you get at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

The first snow of the season came down yesterday. There were two little squalls during the day, each lasting but a few moments.

Try Dr. Hess' Chicken Panacea, it will make your hens lay. At Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Chas. D. Whitenight, who up to a few weeks ago was the proprietor of the June Ridge Hotel, has purchased the Henry Miller restaurant in Catawissa.

The Normal foot ball team was defeated at Hazleton yesterday by a score of 18 to 5. Their downfall is attributed largely to weak defensive work.

If you want a hot water bottle, fountain or bulb, syringe, nipples or baby fittings go to Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Col. John G. Freeze has had the address delivered by him in Normal Auditorium during the Centennial celebration, published in pamphlet form.

Everybody is invited to attend a social to be given by the ladies of the G. A. R. in the G. A. R. Hall tomorrow evening. Admission, with refreshments only ten cents.

Box papers from 10c. to 50c. Tablets from 5 to 25c. Envelopes from 5 to 16c. per pack. All stationery at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

On Tuesday Nov. 18th, at two o'clock p. m. George Hutchings will sell a farm situate in Hemlock township, containing 28 acres and 105 perches. There is a good set of buildings on the premises.

The Luzerne county Teachers' Institute is in progress at Wilkes-Barre this week. Prof. O. H. Yetter is conducting the music. Superintendent of Schools of this county, W. W. Evans is also in attendance.

HOW'S THIS?—We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Coal is still a scarce article. A prominent dealer told us yesterday that he had none on hand, and that there was no immediate prospect of getting stove sizes. Washery coal and small sizes from McCauley are the only available supply thus far.

The largest line of lamps in Old Columbia County at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Ask Mercer for it, if he has not got it he will get it for you. Try it.

A nuptial event of considerable importance will take place at Orangeville to-day. The contracting parties are Jacob Harman and Mrs. Agnes Mellick, both of that town. The obligations will be taken before Rev. H. C. Harman, of Danville, son of the groom.

We carry a nice assortment of Twelve Mo. Books bound in cloth for 19c. Some of the more popular titles are Robinson Crusoe, Black Beauty, Black Rock, John Halifax, Arabian Nights, etc., at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Division engineer Smith of the D. L. & W. R. Co. is now laying out the new switch, which is to be constructed to the Richards Mfg. Co., the Harman-Cogger Co. and the Dillon Green House Mfg. Co. The constructing of the switch will be a great convenience and benefit to these industries.

There was a heavy frost this morning, the thermometer standing at 28 at 7 o'clock. There were only five wagons in market, the dealers being kept away by the cold. Its a cold snap standing on a stone pavement these mornings for two hours, waiting for a few customers who attend market now.

Blank books, ledgers, day books, journals, counter books, cash books, legal paper, fool cap, letter paper and all stationery supplies at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

The Lackawanna County members of the Normal School Alumni, held their first reunion in the Scranton Bicycle Club House, Scranton, last evening. The affair was a delightful one and was largely attended, one hundred and fifty being present. Dr. J. P. Welsh and Prof. G. E. Wilbur, attended.

Miss Gertrude Goldsmith of Danville, and Mr. Samuel H. Soudheim, of Lehighton, were married in B'ne Zion Synagogue at Danville yesterday. The bride is well known in Bloomsburg, she being a sister of Mrs. Max Gross of First Street. Those from town who attended the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Max Gross and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gross.

John G. McHenry of Benton, and C. D. Eaton of Berwick, will make application on Nov. 1st for a charter for the American Stone and Cement Company, and as soon as it is granted they will open up lime quarries on an extensive scale near Turbotville. A stone crusher will be installed for the purpose of making ballast.

Mrs. M. E. Creasy, Mrs. C. W. Miller and daughter Imogene, and Mrs. Dr. Conner started this morning for Los Angeles, Cal. where they will spend the winter.

E. S. Fornwald has resigned his position in the ticket office of the D. L. & W. Railroad Company and on Nov. 1st will enter the employ of U. P. Williams as assistant in the United States Express office. Mr. Fornwald has been with the D. L. & W. Company for the past thirteen years. For four years he presided at the telegraph instrument and for nine years in the ticket office. No employee of the company has been more faithful and he is unusually popular with the officials of the road and the traveling public. If his future is as bright as his honesty, devotion and industry deserve, it will be bright indeed.

New Partnership.

The H. G. Supplee Company Limited has been merged into the Supplee-Mather Company. The new members of the firm are William Mather of Benton and Robert Mather of Millville. Both gentlemen have been in the business for some years, conducting two stores, one at Benton and the other at Millville.

An inventory of the stock of the H. G. Supplee Co. is now being made and as soon as it is completed the new firm will take hold. The stock is to be enlarged and several new departments added.

Mr. Mather has obtained recognition for business sagacity, which fact together with the integrity and aptitude of his new associates, would seem to make the success of the firm a certainty.

WASHINGTON.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, October 27, 1902. Secretary Shaw has completed his purchase of bonds and between \$22,000,000 and \$23,000,000 have been released from the Treasury as a result. The Secretary says that this ends his efforts to relieve the markets and now the bankers must take care of themselves. This, however, is not the first time the Secretary has made that statement and the bankers have refused to take care of themselves and have demanded that Mr. Shaw come to the rescue, a demand which he has promptly heeded. A prominent treasury official said, after the close of the purchase, that every banker in the country had discounted the released currency many times over and that there was every prospect that the stringency would be worse than ever within a few weeks. The bankers appreciate that a panic in Wall Street would cost the republican party hundreds of votes and that any demand they make before election will receive due attention.

A report comes from the State Department that the King of Sweden and Norway has decided against the United States and Great Britain, on the question submitted to him for arbitration, and which involved the right of the countries named to land troops at Apia, Samoa. This will mean that this country and Great Britain will have to pay heavy damages to the citizens whose property was injured by the bombardment which occurred at that time. The claims now amount to approximately \$300,000.

The fruit of civil service reform is seen in Washington before each election. Fewer and fewer clerks apply for leave to go home to vote. When their tenure of office depended on their political influence they all felt compelled to journey to their respective states to cast their ballot, regardless of whether they could afford the expense or not. Now they are practically independent of the party organization and their interests lie in the line of performing their duties, so that with the exception of a few clerks classed as "laborers" and a few who have political aspirations, there will be no exodus from Washington such as there has been in years past.

It is characteristic of the belligerent sentiment of the Roosevelt administration that Secretary Root will, in his forthcoming annual report, ask Congress to authorize the purchase of arms and equipment sufficient for an army of 250,000 men. A large share of the energy of the President and the Secretary of War has been directed towards the perfection of the military organization of late, and even Gen. Corbin has thought fit to pronounce in favor of compulsory military service. Costly maneuvers are planned for this winter in addition to those which have already occurred and Congress will be asked to authorize still further expense in this direction.

It is somewhat amusing to learn from Senator Hanna that—"The demand for a revision of the tariff comes from the democrats." "It is meant to be an entering wedge in the structure of our present prosperity, but unless the republican party be removed from power the tariff will never be changed so as to lessen the wages of the laboring men," says the Ohio politician. It is unfortunate that Mr. Hanna's statement is so far from the truth. If every voter who advocated a revision of the tariff were a democrat the chances of the party would certainly be bright and one of the most notable conversions would be that of Mr. Roosevelt himself. Sena-

Consumption

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or Cullom, Gov. Cummings, nearly a whole Massachusetts delegation, might be added to the list of prominent democrats under these conditions. As a matter of fact, the mass of the republicans are demanding a tariff revision and they will expect the next Congress to give it to them if it goes republican and therein lies the chief hope of the democratic party, for the republicans who gain office will not dare to change the tariff schedules and the people will be forced to turn to the democrats for relief. The whole Minnesota republican delegation is out for tariff reform. They are promising their constituents that the election of a republican House will insure tariff revision and Postmaster General Payne has been telling the people of his state that the President will recommend a revision of those tariff schedules that need reduction. In view of Mr. Hanna's statement the public must ask—Are these promises all buncombe or are Mr. Hanna's statements incorrect?

There are tales of apathy to be heard from the spellbinders of both parties, but it is recalled with satisfaction that there was a feeling of apathy on all sides during the campaign which preceded the election of the Fifty-second Congress. Neither democrats nor republicans could awake any enthusiasm, but the people were demonstrating anew the truth of the adage that "still waters run deep." That apathy resulted in the election of a democratic majority of about 150. Under the circumstances, the democratic leaders are not as worried over the apathy as are their republican brethren. The one great issue this year is tariff reform and the republicans are promising that in numerous schedules therefore the people, while they may do much thinking, have nothing to protest against at republican meetings.

Dr. Humphreys.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE

LACKAWANNA RAILROAD. BLOOMSBURG DIVISION. In effect Jan. 26, 1902. Table with columns for stations and times for various routes.

STATIONS.

Table listing stations and their corresponding times for various routes.

Runs daily. Flag station. Supt. Gen. Pass. Agt.

Table with columns for SOUTH and NORTH routes, listing stations and times.

On the other hand, they know full well what kind of reform they will get from a republican Congress and their true sentiments will be expressed when the silent ballots fall on November 4th.

The Attorney General is busily engaged these days on his report on the title to the Panama Canal. Whatever his decision may be he has guarded it well but it is generally believed that it will be favorable. His report will embody a complete history of the two Panama Canal companies and a statement of the action of the French courts in regard thereto. The belief that the report will be favorable is based largely on the fact that Mr. Knox spent so little time in examining into the matter. It is said that the French courts have a way of establishing disputed titles by arbitrary action and it is imagined that they have taken such action in this instance. If the title has been found to be satisfactory—and the report will begin the construction of the canal as promptly as the treaty with Columbia can be concluded.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., postoffice, and will be sent to the dead letter office November 11, 1902. Persons calling for these letters will please say "they were advertised Oct. 30, 1902": G. H. Beishline, Mr. Alvin Boone, Mr. W. J. Rooke.

One cent will be charged on each letter advertised. J. C. BROWN, P. M.

Silk tassels and pencils for programs for sale at this office. tf.

Pennsylvania Railroad.

Time Table in effect May 25, 1902. Table with columns for stations and times for various routes.

Weekdays. Daily. Flag station.

Table with columns for stations and times for various routes.

Table with columns for stations and times for various routes.

Runs daily. Flag station. Supt. Gen. Pass. Agt.

PHILADELPHIA & READING RAILROAD.

In effect March 1, 1902. TRAINS LEAVE BLOOMSBURG For New York, Philadelphia, Reading, Pottsville, Tamaqua, weekdays 7:47, 11:30 a. m., 3:53 p. m. For Williamsport, weekdays 7:57, 11:40 a. m., 4:03 p. m.

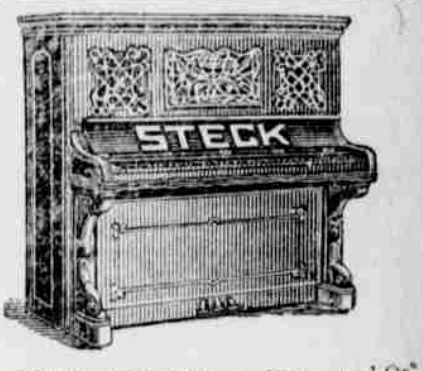
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