

THE COLUMBIAN. BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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Arrangements are being made for the annual excursion of the Normal School to Washington, D. C.

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

We acknowledge the courtesy of the Morning Press in permitting the use of their folding machine for a large extra edition of THE COLUMBIAN last week.

Montour county gives Pattison a plurality of over 1000; Dickerman, 200; Billmeyer, over 1000. R. S. Ammerman, Dem. is elected to the legislature, and Ralph Kisner, Rep. District Attorney.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hartman were bereft of one of their little twin children on Saturday. The little one had been sick for several days. Funeral, with private interment was held on Monday.

Barney McGuire was brought over from Centralia Sunday and lodged in jail. He is charged with having forcibly entered the home of David Lesher, of Centralia one night in October.

All-night service was inaugurated by the United Telegraph and Telephone Company at their Catawissa Exchange on Monday. This is a convenience that the public will appreciate.

The Runaway Match Company will give a special bargain matinee for ladies and children in the Opera House Saturday afternoon. This company promises two hours of unalloyed pleasure.

Considering all the circumstances Sterner made a splendid run. There were a number of moves by his opponents that seemed to have only the effect of creating sympathy for him.

The county is indebted to William H. Fisher for a board of commissioners consisting of three Democrats. But for his fight for his own rights there would have been two Democrats and one Republican.

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.

A. V. Hower is the owner of a litter of six fox terrier pups. They are beauties, and were greatly admired on Main street Monday when he had them out for an airing. They are eight weeks old, and all of them are promised to customers.

The Morning News, Danville's popular paper, has been enlarged to a seven column folio. The Morning News is among the best of the inland town dailies and its prosperity is well merited. Here's hoping that brother Angle may meet with continued good fortune.

The J. M. Otto & Co. cracker bakery at Shamokin was destroyed by fire early Saturday morning entailing a loss of about \$30,000. The insurance will only cover one third of the loss. S. P. Hagenbuch of Bloomsburg has been for several years and is now the traveling representative of the company.

Vote as Polled Tuesday, November 4th, 1902.

Table with columns for DISTRICTS and various political offices: Gov., Cong., Cong. S T, Rep., Gen'l Assen., As. Jud., Proth'y, Dist Atty, Co. Commissioner. Lists names and vote counts for various districts.

Evangelist Schiverea, addressed a men's meeting in the Court House on Sunday that crowded the spacious room. A very attractive feature, aside from the excellent talk, was the special music in which F. Schiverea Jr., the Y. M. C. A. choir and the Y. M. C. A. Orchestra took part.

Go and see James L. McCabe in "Maloney's Wedding" and enjoy a laugh that will tickle your memory for the balance of the season. It will be at the Opera House tonight. Three acts brimful of the brightest comedy and the most relishable fun.

If you miss James L. McCabe's "Maloney's Wedding Day" at the Opera House to-night you will miss the funniest and most entertaining comedy-drama that will be seen here this season.

Sylvester Siler of Light Street has for sale a brood mare and well-bred colt. The mare is of good size, and will work anywhere. The colt is of pacing stock.

Millions of butterflies are eaten every year by the Australian aborigines. The insects congregate in vast quantities on the rocks of the Bugong mountains, and the natives secure them by kindling fires of damp wood and thus suffocating them.

The annual meeting for the election of five new members to the Board of Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held this evening at 7.30.

Have you tried the Gem Steam Laundry yet? Work called for and delivered, to all parts of town. J. E. Fidler, Prop.

A loose guide wire on the stack of the Paragon Plaster and Supply Company was caught by a box car on the D. L. & W. Railroad on Friday and the stack torn down.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., postoffice, and will be sent to the dead letter office November 18, 1902.

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

Pittston cancelled the game with Normal on Saturday and the lovers of the sport were again disappointed. Normal has certainly been unfortunate with her schedules this year.

We guarantee our work to be as faultless as human skill and modern machinery can make it. Gem Steam Laundry. J. E. Fidler, Prop.

Any subscriber who pays up all arrears and a year in advance will be presented with a copy of the Centennial Souvenir Book of Bloomsburg. Any new subscriber paying in advance will get a receipt to Jan. 1 1904 and a copy of the book. Subscribe now.

His Clever Escape. An engaged young gentleman got rather neatly out of a little scrape with his intended. She said she had heard that he had kissed two ladies at some party at which she was not present.

The simple-minded girl thought of ten and 11, and laughed off her part. He did not explain that one was 19 and the other two years of age. Tit-Bits.

First Fall Song. The summer winds are passing, The cooler days are near; The port bluejay is soaring And says that fall is near.

OF THE SAME MIND. He-I think husband and wife should give and take. She-I quite agree with you, dear. The husband should give and the wife take all she can get. Moonshine.

Bows and Beans. They claim the bows the girls wear Upon their shoes to-day. Are something new, and yet I'm sure It's quite the other way.

Loss and Gain. Mrs. Blinks-Gh. John! I've lost my diamond ring somewhere! Blinks-Yes; I know you did. Mrs. Blinks-Why, how did you know it?

Doubtful. "No," said the capitalist, "I shall not invest in your invention. I very seriously question its practicability and its importance."

Quite an Expert. She-He's a bookkeeper, isn't he? He-I thought so. He borrowed a book of mine and never returned it. N. Y. Journal.

Doubting Thomases. Mollowitz-I wonder why all male cats are called Tom. Guffley-Probably because they are so often on the fence. N. Y. Herald.

NARROW

policy makes a narrow store too narrow to gain and retain the support of the public. The merchant who does business in an unattractive store cannot please the public so well as one in a daylight store filled with the brightest, newest merchandise.

118 Styles of Flannels and Outing Flannels. They look like French Flannels; coming in stripes, figures, Persian designs, plain colors, polka dots and plaids. Every grade worth keeping and mostly at less than regular prices.



Getting Acquainted. "Mamma sent me over to ask if you could let her have a cupful of coffee till to-morrow morning," said the little girl.

In Turn. The insect sees the tiny mite And sets him as its natural right; The chicken sees the insect fair And dines upon him, then and there.

ASSURANCE. Young Lady (who has just had her picture taken)-I hope that the pictures will be handsome.

The Millionaire's Fuel. I have money to burn. For I think on the whole That I can get money As easy as coal. -Washington Star.

Mythology Authenticated. Teacher-What is your opinion, Johnny, of the probability of truth in the story of Medusa, the Gorgon, who, if a man looked at her face, turned the gazer to stone?

An Embarrassment. "Why don't you praise your wife's cooking once in awhile and cheer her up?"

An Easy Problem. "I had quite an argument with Charley last night." "What was it about?"

His Impression. Unexpectedly the sporting reporter had been called upon to write up a wedding.

Realistic. Parke-the other day I was in a kind of 'fren' and saw my wife as the most perfect woman in the world.

Women's Suits That Fit. If they are a little too loose, or a little too tight we alter them just as a tailor would. We don't want to sell a misfit because it don't suit you.



Uncle Allen. "It isn't true in all cases," said Uncle Allen Sparks, "that familiarity breeds contempt. The more you know about the hind feet of a mule the more respect you have for them."

Poor Stuff. The milk of human kindness is scarce, and it would seem that even what we find is not extremely rich with cream.

TOO MUCH EDUCATION. Little Clarence-Is, what is experience?

Definition. Mr. Callipers-Experience, my son, is the headaches you acquire from butting against the world. -Puck.

Something Still Missing. Mr. Botts-I think, my dear, I have at last found the key to success. Mrs. Botts-Well, just as like as not you will not be able to find the key-hole. -Philadelphia Inquirer.

Police News. "Didn't the captain do anything to clean up the precinct?" "Well, he gathered up a lot of filthy lucre." -Puck.

Easily Acquired. Gliglamps - How did Wordslinger make a reputation as a critic? Paresis-By condemning good verse in bad prose. -Town Topics.

SHOES. If you have not seen our line of SHOES, it will pay you to see it. We have the largest Stock of Shoes

of any store in this section. Made by the best Manufacturers especially for me, and will FIT AND WEAR.

Our School Shoes are made extra strong to stand the hard service given a School shoe.

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