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We have the most complete lines of all styles in hoes.

**Our Stock Combines Style, Comfort and Service,**

and from it YOU CAN SATISFY any taste and suit any Purse.

**We have them in all Leathers.**

**Chas. M. Evans,**  
HYGIENIC SHOES FOR CHILDREN.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

## The Farmers National Bank

At the Close of Business Nov. 25, 1902.

**RESOURCES.**

Loans and Discounts,	\$252,342.41
U. S. Bonds,	66,000.00
Stocks, Securities, &c.,	139,354.50
Furniture and Fixtures,	5,557.50
Cash and Reserve,	64,475.72
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$527,728.13</b>

**LIABILITIES.**

Capital Stock,	\$60,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits,	59,878.91
Circulation,	59,500.00
Deposits,	348,349.22
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$527,728.13</b>

WM. S. MOYER, PRES.

M. MILLEIEN, CASHIER.

**DIRECTORS:**

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### THE COLUMBIAN.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 15, 1903

Entered at the Post Office at Bloomsburg, Pa., as second class matter, March 1, 1888.

#### Columbia & Montour El. Ry.

TIME TABLE IN EFFECT JUNE 1, 1902, and until further notice

Cars leave Bloom for Espy, Almedia, Lime Ridge, Berwick and intermediate points as follows:

A. M. 5:00, 5:40, 6:20, 7:00, 7:40, 8:20, 9:00, 9:40, 10:20, 11:00, 11:40.

P. M. 12:10, 1:00, 1:40, 2:20, 3:00, 3:40, 4:20, 5:00, 5:40, 6:20, 7:00, 7:40, 8:20, 9:00, 9:40, 10:20 and (11:00 Saturday nights only.)

Leaving depart from Berwick one hour from time as given above, commencing at 6:20 a. m.

Leave Bloom for Catawissa A. M. 6:20, 7:00, 7:40, 8:20, 9:00, 9:40, 10:00, 11:40.

P. M. 12:20, 1:00, 1:40, 2:20, 3:00, 3:40, 4:20, 5:00, 5:40, 6:20, 7:00, 7:40, 8:20, 9:00, 9:40, 10:20 and (11:00 Saturday nights only.)

Cars returning depart from Catawissa 20 minutes from time as given above

D. G. HACKETT, Superintendent.

**Calendars for 1903.**

Our calendars for 1903 are ready for those who are entitled to them. We have no calendars for persons not patrons of this office. They will be given only to the following:

To any subscriber who pays a year or more on his paper.

To any new subscriber who pays a year in advance.

To any regular patron of the advertising or jobbing department.

This rule will be rigidly adhered to.

To any new subscriber, or to any old one paying all arrears and a year in advance, we will also present a copy of the Bloomsburg Souvenir Book.

[Bell Telephone.]



On cold days it is not necessary to "bundle up" with heavy, cumbersome clothing, if you wear a perfect-fitting, tailor-made

**Frost King or Frost Queen Chamois Vest**  
These garments insure a maximum of protection with a minimum of weight.  
Price, \$3.00 For Sale By

W. S. RISHTON,

Market Square Pharmacist.

NOTE:—In case you don't wear a chamois vest and catch cold, don't forget our **COLD-I-CURE.** It never fails to cure a cold in a day or two.

The employees of the Silk Mill will receive their pay today.

Arthur Roan has resigned his position as manager of McCormick & Co's shoe store in Danville.

A very fine line of albums, and some beauties too, at Mercer's Drug and Book Store. 75c. to \$4.50

The Hon. William G. Ewing of Chicago will lecture in the Court House tonight on Christian Science. Admission free.

Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Hook, formerly osteopaths of this town are now located in Mt. Clemens, Michigan.

Hair brushes, nail brushes, cloth brushes, tooth brushes, nail brushes etc., at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

H. A. McKillip Esq. has been appointed by Judge Archbald, to succeed A. W. Duy, Esq. as referee in bankruptcy for Columbia County. Mr. Duy's election to the office of District Attorney compelled his resignation.

The Stegmaier Brewing Company of Wilkes Barre has already commenced work on the construction of its new storage plant on Seventh street. William Geiger and Isaiah Pursel have the contract for the building.

John McCormick has gone to the Ashland Hospital to have his foot operated upon. This will make the third out of town operation performed on that member in hospitals. Physicians have advised him to have it grafted but he will allow the hospital surgeon to do as he sees fit.

Ray B. Keeler has completed his apprenticeship with Geo. W. Hess and will leave next week for Kingston, N. Y., where he has accepted a position. Mr. Keeler is an exemplary young man, a first class workman and will, we hope, meet with success, which he deserves.

### LOCAL NEWS.

Legal advertisements on page 7.

No cracked collars at the Gem Steam Laundry. Try us.

Harry Wilson has sold his property on West street to Thomas E. Sands.

Calendar pads, large and small, for 1903 for sale at this office, singly or in quantities. 18-3t

There will be a vaudeville offering of exceptional merit at the Opera House tomorrow night.

Wm. Hartzell drove to Danville in a two horse sleigh on Tuesday in 40 minutes, an average of 3 3/4 minutes to the mile.

Ed. Rowe has recovered from an attack of the grip. He made his first appearance on Saturday after being in the house for a week.

Pocket books for either lady or gentleman, and the finest line in old Columbia county to select from at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

C. M. Blaker is ill at the home of J. S. Grimes. Mr. Blaker has been in poor health for some time. His condition at this writing is serious.

Mrs. Clara Bertsch, wife of G. W. Bertsch, formerly Miss Fleckenstein, is quite ill at Orangeville. She was recently removed from the Philadelphia Hospital.

The A. & T. Biograph Company did not exhibit at Benton last week. The calcium gas would not work, and the admission was refunded to those who had assembled in the hall.

Ent Circle, No. 63 L. of G. A. R. will hold a chicken supper in the G. A. R. Hall Saturday from 5 to 10 o'clock. Price 15c. Everybody welcome.

George B. Appleman of Rohrsburg received a car load of sleighs last Thursday. Since the beginning of sleighing he has sold sixty-eight and has several more in view.

DeForrest Hummer who for the past two years has been clerking in the D. Lowenberg clothing store will on Monday take a new position with the Bloomsburg Car Manufacturing Company.

The choir of the Methodist church will give a concert at Rupert this evening, for the benefit of the Rupert M. E. Church. The entire choir, twenty in number, will assist, and an excellent program will be rendered.

Isaiah Hagenbuch on Monday purchased from C. B. Robbins the old Barton property, now occupied by the Wheelmen as a club house, for \$6,500. The new owner, it is understood, will make some repairs and the wheelmen will remain.

### PURELY PERSONAL

F. B. Tustin departed yesterday for New York City.

F. P. Parsel is in the city this week buying spring goods.

Norman E. John of Wilmington, Del is a guest of W. L. Demaree on Fifth street.

Mrs. M. E. Ent is visiting friends in Wilkes Barre this week.

Ben Gidding made a business trip to York, Pa., on Monday.

John V. Logan of Harrisburg, was a Bloomsburg visitor on Monday.

O. W. Cherrington is a juror in United States Court at Williamsport this week.

J. S. Williams left on Tuesday evening for Youngstown, Ohio, to cry a horse sale.

Dr. D. W. Mears of Scranton, spent Sunday in town, with friends.

Mrs. Sarah Snyder is the guest of relatives at Orangeville.

C. A. Pollock of Hazleton, spent a few hours in town yesterday.

William L. McHenry of Stillwater, one of the executors of the estate of T. H. Edgar, was in town Wednesday.

William Fornwald of Scranton, visited his father, Harry Fornwald in town last week.

Mrs. Dr. J. C. Biddle of Fountain Springs spent a couple of days here this week with her brother, Robert Buckingham.

Louis Lowenberg departed on Sunday for Seattle, Washington, where, if he likes it, he will reside in the future.

J. Simpson Kline Esq., of Lewisburg transacted legal business in town on Saturday.

Grant Herring, Fred Ikeler, W. C. Johnston, J. P. Robinson and C. W. Miller went to Scranton yesterday where they have cases before the Superior Court.

A. W. Snyder of Millinville was in town yesterday. On account of the partially frozen condition of the river he came and returned home by way of Berwick.

Frank Reice of Espy made a business trip down through Snyder county on Monday. As a farm implement salesman Mr. Reice has few superiors. His territory includes a big portion of the State.

We have just received a very large line of some of the latest books. Please call and see them at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

A concert will be given in the Rupert M. E. church this Thursday evening for the benefit of the pastor. A liberal patronage is solicited.

Glasco Cameron has been sick for the past two weeks but is now able to attend to business again. He got to his barber shop for the first on Wednesday.

L. E. Waller Esq. has been confined to his home in Wilkes-Barre for some days past by an attack of pneumonia. It is not severe and all the symptoms are reported this morning as very favorable.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Annie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Maize, to Mr. Frank D. Hain. The ceremony will take place at the bride's home on Wednesday, January 28th, at half past twelve o'clock.

Mrs. Samuel Stills made complaint to 'Squire Jacoby on Monday that her son, aged seven years, had been cruelly treated by his teacher at school. She was advised to make complaint to the school board. The little fellow had a lump raised near his eye almost as large as a hickory nut.

The Daniel Mowrey house and lot on East First street, was on Monday sold by Guy Jacoby Esq. to H. W. Watts. Mr. Mowrey who for the past three or four years has been living in Bushnell, McDonough county, Illinois, after spending a few weeks in our midst and taking to himself a wife, in the person of Mrs. Elizabeth Keller of Light Street, departed Tuesday morning for Bushnell where he will make his future home.

The first number of the students' lecture course was given last Monday night by Jacob Riis of New York, author of "How the other half lives," "Children of the Poor," etc. His subject was "The battle with the slum," illustrated with lantern slides. It was an interesting tale of the work in New York City to better the condition of the poor. Mr. Riis' idea is that so long as children are raised in the slums that when the boys grow to be men they will cast slum votes, and therefore not only that city but the whole country suffers.

C. H. Yeager and C. H. Hoffman were arrested charged with stealing a turkey and five chickens, and given a hearing before 'Squire Jacoby on Thursday. It appears that William A. Earnest had won them at a shooting match earlier in the day and was on his way home. He stopped at the Adams Hotel in Catawissa township, and while he was inside the chickens and turkey were taken. When he emerged from the hotel, the two men in question were observed running away. Hoffman was discharged there being no evidence against him, and Yeager was held to bail for court.

Silk tassels and pencils for programs for sale at this office. 1f

# The Saving.

It's the savings that count. We offer you the opportunity of saving **10 PER CENT.**

on all your purchases of 50c. and over. We have not selected a few lines to give you the discount on, but offer you the vast stock to select from in Dress Goods, Silks, Notions, Millinery, Hosiery, Gloves, Domestic Goods, Coats, etc. Anything in the store subject to this 10 per cent. discount when bought in 50c. purchases and over. Surely an opportunity to save. Don't wait till it's too late.

### Bargains in Millinery Dress Materials

We offer the best values in millinery. You should see them. All our Trimmed Hats, Walking Hats, Felt Hats at a big reduction. All the latest styles, Wedo millinery work in all its branches.

### Coats and Suits

Big reduction in prices of these goods on the remainder of the stock.

### Fleeced Pique

Just what you have been wanting for that white waist. It's here and the price, 45c. yard.

### Underwear

A special ladies' ribbed, fleeced vest and pants at 39c. each. Ladies vests and pants at 25c. Natural Wool at 1.00 Children's at 25c. All sizes. Boys' heavy fleeced, 25c.

### Special Waistings

A lot of fine all wool French flannels the 62c. grade at 50c. yd, less 10 per cent. =45c. yd

### Wool Challie

Satin striped regular 75c. goods. This lot 65c., less 10 per cent.

### Golf Gloves-Leggins

Full line of these in all the wanted colors. Plenty of white golf gloves for all here. Leggins in Jersey and wool knit for ladies, misses and children.

H. J. CLARK & SON.

**\$2.00 and \$2.50** **\$3.00 and \$3.50**

**THE UNCLE SAM SHOE**

### A Handsome Pair of Shoes

for any member of your family can be had here, and SHOES YOU CAN FIND NO FAULT WITH, because there's no fault to be found. There is everything in being well shod, and we know our Shoes strike the acme of excellence in footwear. You can't help not only finding but taking

### Comfort in SHOES Like Ours,

which present a happy combination of superiority in the main points of fit, style, material, workmanship and prices. For instance our \$2.50 Colonial Dame, and Bordman Shoes for Women.

F. D. DENTLER.

TALK NO. 43.

## TO ORDER . . . .

Did you ever try to buy glasses and could not find a pair that you could see through? Did you make up your mind from this that you did not need glasses? Did you go on suffering from headache and eyestrain, because there was no relief? This has been the experience of hundreds of people. The secret of the matter is that they need glasses made for them. No ready-made glass in the world will ever fit their eyes or prove a benefit. My business is to take the measure of the eyes and order glasses made especially for them. If there are weak muscles or defective nerves, I see that the glasses put them into normal condition. If I have glasses in stock that fulfill all requirements, I fit them for you while you wait. Otherwise I send to the factory for them. They must fit you perfectly in every way.

**Geo. W. Hess,**  
OFFICIAN AND JEWELER, BLOOMSBURG, PENNA.

Cloisssiere Vases.	French Plaques, \$3.50.
Fancy Austrian Vases 75 to 5.00	German Vases, \$1.00 to \$5.00.
Fancy Bohemian Vases,	Japanese Vases.
\$1.00 to \$4.00.	Japanese Jardinieres,
Bronze Figures \$2.50 to \$6.00	\$5.00 to \$6.00

Salad Bowls,	Cereal Sets,	Chocolate Pots,
Mayonnaise Bowls,	Berry Sets,	Fruit Plates
Cream and Sugar Sets,	Salts and Peppers.	
Tea Pots,	Fern Dishes,	Pictures,
Bon-Bon Dishes,	Bread and Butter Plates,	Dinner Plates.
Soup Plates,		

We carry these articles in Japanese, French, Austrian, German and Bohemian ware.

**J. Lee Martin,** JEWELRY AND ART GOODS,  
TELEPHONE 1842.

We have a certain number of calendars for 1903 to give away. Subscribers who pay up during this month will get them. When the supply is gone there will be no more here, after the time stated.

Give us a call and be convinced that we are the best. Gem Steam Laundry.

"The Lights of Gotham" had a light audience Tuesday evening. The show was bad from the start. With a single exception of the manager, who took a part, the outfit was worse than amateurs. One such performance is enough to disgust the people for a whole season.