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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. 12:20, 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, 10:20 and (11:00 Saturday nights only.)
 Leaving depart from Berwick one hour from time as given above, commencing at 10:30 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, 10:20 and (11:00 Saturday nights only.)
 Cars returning depart from Catawissa 20 minutes from time as given above.
D. G. HACKETT,
 Superintendent.

Warriors Mark Grange, Huntingdon county, reports 21 new members, most of them are young people, with fair prospects for more as the result of the week of special effort.
 Wellsboro Grange, Tioga county, shows 20 new members and 10 more in sight for the same time.
 Shiloh Grange, No. 927, Susquehanna county, recently initiated a class of 12 at a special meeting, a number of members from Spring Hill Grange, Bradford county, being present. Oysters were served in the basement of the hall. This grange now has 120 members enrolled and a number of applications on hand.
 At the last meeting, "How to maintain the fertility of the soil" was opened for discussion by the Worthy Chaplain, the oldest member of the grange, and a charter member, Bro. Whitney. An interesting discussion followed.

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The Wheelmen will hold a ladies' and gentlemen's euchre at the club house tonight.

Senator J. Henry Cochran has been chosen a Pennsylvania representative at the Louisiana Purchase exposition.

The famous Ithaca Band, prize winner at the Pan American, will appear at the Opera House, on Monday next, matinee and night.

The Schwarz Orchestra will give a concert in the Town Hall, Benton next Saturday evening. They will make the trip in a hack.

Adam Smith, of Berwick, district manager of the Fidelity Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Philadelphia was in town on Monday.

Boyd Tubbs will resign his position with Ed. Roe on Saturday and enter into partnership with Harry John, the East street barber.

The newly appointed special policemen were sworn in by President of Council John R. Townsend at the Town Hall Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Welliver of Talmor were bereft of a little three year old child Saturday. Death was caused by whooping cough.

"East Lynne" with a strong cast and special scenery, will hold forth at the Opera House tomorrow night. This is a pretty play and one that never fails to please.

The verdict of an army of pastors at a recent international convention was that where there are Christian Endeavor societies there is intense loyalty to the Sunday and midweek church meetings.

William Crotty and Miss Mary E. Shoemaker were married at Danville last week. The groom formerly resided in Bloomsburg. He is at present employed as a machinist at Danville.

Richard Baker, whose revival of "East Lynne" is to be given at the Opera House tomorrow evening, was for years a popular actor in New York City and London and is famous in both cities as a stage director.

Two clever and pretty children, the Shannon sisters, aged 6 and 8 years, will appear in Baker and Gibson's revival of "East Lynne" at the Opera House tomorrow evening, taking the roles of Willie and little Isabel.

We have a nice line of wall paper and as cheap as the cheapest, at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Harry Wilbur, son of Prof. and Mrs. G. E. Wilbur, of First Street, and a graduate in last year's class of Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pa. is now city editor of the Wheeling W. Va. Register. He is at home at present on account of his health.

A physician declares that a man should sleep with his mouth closed. As a matter of fact he should keep it closed sleeping or waking. Many a man, and woman too, gets into trouble by wagging their jaws too much.

Mortimer Butler has returned home from a two weeks visit to Chicago. He was very much impressed with the bustle and life of the windy city. He says there's something doing all the time.

The Supreme Court on Monday, sealed the fate of Jacob Gearhardt, when it affirmed the judgment of the Court of Oyer and Terminer of Northumberland County. It will be remembered that Gearhardt was convicted for the murder of his wife.

Cigars. The Sweet Jaras are the finest in Bloomsburg for a 5c. smoke, try them, at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Sugarloaf township will lose two good residents next week, when P. K. Shultz and Wilbur Laubach will depart for the far west. They will go to Seattle, Washington, take up some government land and reside their permanently in the future.

P. McManus, who is constructing the Susquehanna, Bloomsburg & Berwick Railroad was on Wednesday of last week awarded another contract. He will build the Thornedale section of the new line between Thornedale and Glen Loch in southern Lancaster county.

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PURELY PERSONAL

Dr. H. V. Hower of Millinville spent Monday in town.

Mrs. F. C. Williams has returned to her home at Scranton.

L. E. Waller, Esq., of Wilkes Barre, was in town on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Heim of Danville, spent Sunday in town.

John L. Woods is visiting his daughter at Lewistown this week.

William Tilley of Hemlock was among the recent welcome callers at this office.

Mrs. William Hulme of Benton township was the guest of friends in town last week.

Fercy Carrin of Berwick, was noticed shaking hands with friends in town on Sunday.

Mr. J. L. Sechrist and two daughters of Elliott City Md. are the guests of friends in town.

W. G. Cogger, superintendent of the School Furnishing Company left yesterday for Grand Rapids, Mich.

Among those who attended the Masonic meeting held in town last week, was Gen. J. T. St. Gobin of Lebanon.

W. B. Allen and J. C. Rutter Jr. attended the meeting of the Democratic State Committee at Harrisburg on Wednesday.

C. W. Snyder has moved his tailor shop from Mrs. Ent's building to the second floor of Wells' building.

Poor health has compelled C. L. Berger to resign the office of supervisor of Briarcreek township to which he was elected last February.

Senator J. K. P. Hall of Elk Co. was elected Chairman of the Democratic State Committee on Wednesday. The State Convention will be held in Harrisburg on September 2.

A man applying for insurance to one of our life insurance companies was asked if his father died a natural death, and replied, "No, he had two doctors and a trained nurse."

Mrs. Robert J. Burdette sees in women's clubs a fruitful source of divorces and in women's love of jewelry and social shining the cause that sends men behind prison bars for embezzlement.

If you want wall paper or window curtains go to Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

A. N. Vost, Esq., has rented the rooms in the Ent building, lately occupied by C. W. Snyder, and will move his law office there as soon as the work of painting and papering is completed.

It is said, says the Watsonstown Star, that a man who squeezes a dollar never squeezes his wife. In looking over our subscription accounts we are led to believe that some awful good women in this section are not getting the pressure they deserve.
 Same thing at this end.
 A circular relating to a book entitled, "The Devil in the Church" states that the book has been endorsed by the Royal Arcanum. This is a libel on the order. No such endorsement of any book relating to sectarian or religious matters has ever been authorized by the Royal Arcanum, or any one empowered.

Bicycles. New ones for \$25.00 and they are worth looking at, at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

In the clothing of the Italian who met his death on the S. B. & B. Railroad on Monday of last week was found eighty-five dollars. His fellow countrymen sent the amount to the dead man's wife in Italy and defrayed the burial expenses out of their own pockets. In whatever else they may be lacking, the Italians in this instance performed an act of genuine charity.

The residents of the Fourth ward were aroused from their slumbers about half past eleven Monday night by an alarm of fire. The blaze which was only a slight one was in the kitchen of Samuel Kemp's home on East Eighth street. The general alarm was not sounded but the whistle of the Electric Light plant brought many people to the scene. The blaze was extinguished without the aid of the firemen.

Base balls, base ball gloves and mitts and all ball paraphernalia at Mercer's Drug and Book Store

The confectionery store of E. M. Savage is attracting much attention. He has just completed improvements. The entire interior has been repapered and the fixtures repainted. The effect is decidedly pretty and artistic. The show window contains a very tempting display of Huyler's candies and may be taken as an index of the many good things of which Mr. Savidge has a large stock.

Second hand bicycles, some good bargains at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

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Black and Colored Dress Materials.
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Dress Linings.
 Our stock is complete with all kinds. Mercerized Sateen, Selicias, Spun Glass, French Batiste, Percale, Etc.
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 These most popular and perfect fitting white waists are now ready for your choosing. Over 30 styles at present to select from. Priced from 1.00 to 4.50.
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Lace Curtains.
 We offer some extra good values in these at 1.15 to 2.25 a pair. Heavy Curtains from 3.00 to 9.00 pair.
Flowers, Foliage, Fruit, Etc.
 Another new lot of these this week. Some extra values. Roses, 12 cts. a bunch. Foliage, 25 cts. a bunch. Rose Sprays, 50 cents. Big bunches of roses 60 cts.
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