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THURSDAY, MAY 21, 1903.

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**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. 12:20, 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 100 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.

Parish House Supper.

The supper given at the Parish House last Saturday evening by St. Margaret's Guild was a record breaker, the attendance being the largest of any similar occasion ever held there. The proceeds were about one hundred dollars, and expenses about twenty dollars, leaving as the net results, eighty dollars. Mrs. Robert Hawley had the supper in charge, and it was a success in every way, the bill of fare being a most excellent one. The patronage was so unexpectedly large that the food supply began to fall short about seven o'clock, and at 7:30 they were obliged to refuse to sell supper tickets, but still had ice cream and cake. Mrs. Hawley was very ably assisted by the Guild and others. Another similar supper is talked of in the near future, for the purpose of buying dishes and silverware.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Legal advertisements on page 7.

Seven years in is our business reference. Gem Steam Laundry.

Box papers from 10c. to 50c. at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

The Schwarz Concert Company gave one of their entertainments at Orangeville Saturday evening. The audience was large and appreciative.

To-day is Ascension Day. Services were held in St. Paul's P. E. Church at 7 and 10:30 a. m. and there will be another service at 7:30 this evening.

Byron Spaw's tent show opened the season at Berwick this week. He will visit Bloomsburg all next week. He delighted large audiences here nightly last season.

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

The Supplee-Mather Company has commenced the demolition of the sheds in the rear of the store on Market street to make room for a large addition to the store building.

Dr. M. J. Hess is building a cottage on the lot recently purchased by him at Arbutus Park. W. O. Holmes has purchased a lot there and he will also erect a cottage. The park is rapidly gaining favor as a summer resort.

All bicycle sundries at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Burglars broke into George W. Keiter's mill near Rupert Sunday night, but secured no booty. It was the same party no doubt that broke into the Ikeler & Fleckenstine mill. They appear to be making a run on mills.

Sweet Potato, Tomato and Egg Plants at Jos. Garrison's, on 5th street.

The School Board and Tax Collector Kase met in the High School building Monday night and together they went over the list of exonerations. The entire list was carefully considered and a little more than \$500 was allowed in exonerations.

Wall paper from 8c. per bolt to 40c. per bolt at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Stephen Kelley of Centralia boarded a freight train at Mt. Carmel to ride home last week. He was thrown from the train and struck a switch and had his arm so badly mangled that the surgeon at the State Hospital had to amputate it at the shoulder joint.

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

A committee composed of J. M. Vastine, of Catawissa and Gerald Gross and H. J. Achenbach, of town has issued invitations for a dance to be held in Ervin's Hall, Catawissa, Wednesday evening May 27th. Oppenheim, of Wilkes-Barre will furnish the music.

Barnum & Bailey's circus will exhibit at Wilkes-Barre on Tuesday.

Manuscript covers for typewriter and legal papers, in five colors, with name printed on, are for sale at the COLUMBIAN office. 4t.

John F. Robinson's big circus will be in Bloomsburg on Tuesday, June 9th. The performance includes the grand Biblical spectacular production King Solomon and the Queen of Sheba, with 1000 men, women and horses in the cast.

Blank books and all stationery at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Photographer R. G. Phillips will open his branch gallery at Eagles Mere about July 1st.

By a typographical error last week the gift of Andrew Carnegie to the Tuskegee school was made to read \$60,000. It should have read \$600,000.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. D. Scanlan will take their departure from Bloomsburg on Monday and will locate in Phillipsburg, Pa., where Mr. Scanlan has a contract on hand.

Moyer Lewis went to Lewistown on Saturday where he will be employed by the Standard Steel Co. He will also play ball with the Burnham Athletic Association.

The Trolley Company has its line across the bridge at Catawissa nearly completed, and it will be but a short time until the cars will run across. A force of men is now at work putting down new plank at the side of the bridge not used by the trolley.

In this connection it might be well to call the attention of the officials to the condition of flooring of the Bloomsburg river bridge. The plank on many of them are badly worn, and repairs are needed.

Dent & Sharpless, stock brokers, are two well-known young men, who have built up an extensive business in buying and selling stocks of various kinds. Persons desiring to invest money in this way will do well to consult them before making purchases, and those having stock to sell can make a satisfactory arrangement with them for handling it. Their office is in the First National Bank building.

The local show season will close on Thursday, June 4 when Madelon Cauffman's scenic comedy drama "The New Railroad Jack" will be presented. The show is in its fifth successful season, and on May 12th was given its 1200th performance. The company carries an enormous black maned African lion, largest in captivity, with which is performed the most thrilling hairbreath climax ever produced upon any stage.

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

A dozen or more of our townspeople witnessed Dumont's minstrels at Danville Saturday evening. The performance they say was fine. Hughey Dougherty, who since the days of Carnross and Dixie has been a king pin in minstrelsy, was accorded a tremendous acclaim. In spite of the fact that he is 74 years of age he is still the bright particular star that he always has been, and his popularity knows no bounds.

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

Joseph Fausey died at his home in Espy early Sunday morning after a brief illness, in the fifty-seventh year of his age. Death is attributed to congestion of the brain. He was an eccentric character and known perhaps all over the county. He served his country during the civil war and received an honorable discharge. For several years past he has conducted a bus line between Espy and Bloomsburg, transporting a large number of the mill and factory employees to and from their work. His survivors are a wife and several children.

Darby-Eckman Wedding.

George W. Darby, of Harrisburg, was married yesterday afternoon to Miss Hettie R. Eckman of Roaring Creek, at her home. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Wright, rector of the Episcopal church of Danville, and the couple was attended only by their respective families and friends. After an extended bridal tour, Mr. and Mrs. Darby will live at their newly furnished house at 253 Cumberland street, Harrisburg.

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PURELY PERSONAL

Florist J. L. Dillon is in Philadelphia this week.

Miss Edna Wilson is the guest of relatives in Philadelphia.

Louis Gross and family were Danville visitors over Sunday.

Miss Bess Quick of Hazleton was the guest of Miss Claire Gross on Normal Hill over Sunday.

Doctor and Mrs. Altmiller, and Miss Irene Moyer, of Philadelphia are visiting relatives here.

Mr. Rush Cook was suddenly called to Jersey Shore this morning, on account of the death of his aunt.

Mrs. E. B. Beishline and sister Josephine Dresher of Sellersville drove to Bloomsburg yesterday. They returned home in the evening.

Mrs. William Mellick of Wilkes-Barre, Mrs. Lillie Hagenbuch of Williamsport and Jay M. Boyd and W. L. Boyd of Philadelphia attended the funeral of Jay M. Brown on Sunday.

Frank Roys is spending a several weeks vacation at the home of his parents at Lyons N. Y.

By sitting in a view commanding place on a Sunday evening one can see some awful costumes, a succession of hideous nightmares, resembling, as one observer expressed himself last Sunday evening, "a collection of rainbows struck by lightning." May be it isn't a bit nice to criticise the dress of the fair sex, but really the inappropriateness in a few instances was so very absurd that we can't refrain. One dress was so encrusted with silver spangles that you couldn't look at it comfortably without blue goggles. The wearer no doubt thought it was stunning, it might look appropriate in a colored cake walk, but if a dress maker made it for street wear, it must have been in a moment of temporary aberration. But it doesn't make much difference to some girls how they look, they will continue to blunder on in their foolish frocks anyway.

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

Episcopal Convention.

The annual convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central Pennsylvania convened in Trinity Church, Carbonale, on Monday evening, and continued through Tuesday. St. Paul's Church was represented by Rev. D. N. Kirkby and Col. J. G. Freeze. Among the business transacted was the following:

The proposition to change the name of the Protestant Episcopal Church was almost unanimously voted down.

The petition of Rev. I. N. W. Irvine to be reinstated in the ministry, from which he was deposed by Bishop Talbot, was referred to a special committee and the committee recommended that the petition be dismissed. The report was adopted by a large vote. The decision of the Supreme court in the case of Rev. Irvine is printed in this issue.

In his annual address the Bishop suggested immediate action on the question of providing for episcopal relief, and suggested the election of a coadjutor bishop. The matter was referred to a committee which recommended the appointment of a committee to take the necessary steps toward a division of the diocese, and report next year. The recommendation was adopted.

From Court House Corridors.

There has been a slump in the matrimonial market lately, and Prothonotary Terwilliger has had very little to do in this line. The month of June, however will probably bring its usual number of marriages. Licenses issued during the past week are as follows:

Boyd Eyerly of Espy to Miss Effie M. Beagle of Bloomsburg.

Louise R. Evans and Miss Mary Englehart, both of Benton.

Ernest Shultz and Miss R. Maude Jackson, both of Raven Creek.

William H. Stule and Miss Elizabeth Leitwilder, both of Centralia.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Daniel Knorr, sheriff to Frank R. Dent. Land in Catawissa.

B. H. Dodson et al, to Alonzo Unger. Land in Berwick.

Jno. G. Freeze and wife to D. W. Armstrong. Land in Bloomsburg.

David W. Armstrong to Davis Bros' Company. Land in Bloomsburg.

Berwick Land & Improvement Company to P. H. Jamison. Land in West Berwick.

Berwick Land & Improvement Company to American Car & Foundry Co., Land in West Berwick.

Newman Bower to William S. George. Land in Briarcreek township.

D. J. Waller Est. to Samuel G. Kashner. Land in Bloomsburg.

Sarah Nungesser to John Nungesser. Land in Centreville.

Joseph Reese and wife to William Haas. Land in Centreville.

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White Shirt Waists.

The best showing we've had of these. The're some beauties among them, in fact not a bad style in the lot. Priced from 4.50 to 1.00. See special waists at 85c., 1.25 and 3.25 each.

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