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 THURSDAY, JUNE 25, 1903.
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LOCAL NEWS.

Columbia & Montour El. Ry.
TIME TABLE IN EFFECT JUNE 1, 1903, 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, 9:40, 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, 10:40, 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.

The Farm Journal.
 Every subscriber of THE COLUMBIAN who is receiving the Farm Journal for five years as a premium, is notified that at the expiration of the five years they must notify the publishers to discontinue it. If subscribers allow it to come on after the five years, they must not blame THE COLUMBIAN if they have a bill to pay. Don't neglect it, but send a postal card to the Farm Journal, Philadelphia, unless you want the Journal continued at their regular subscription price. Don't write us about it, we have nothing to do with it. 2t.

Curb market was well attended this morning. Garden truck is plentiful, raspberries are scarce and high; there are some cherries but of poor quality at ten cents a box. Chickens are very scarce, at 80 cents a pair.

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W. S. RISHTON,
 Market Square Pharmacist.

Fires in low down grates and coal oil stoves have been the rule for the past two weeks, and here it is almost the middle of summer.
 The state agricultural department at Harrisburg has reports from all parts of the state, that the hay crop will not average 20 per cent. of a full crop.
 Box papers from 10c. to 50c. at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.
 Miss Helen Reice has succeeded Miss Mary Belg as cashier in Ben Gidding's clothing store. The latter will teach school near Philadelphia the coming fall and winter.

Creasy & Wells have purchased a large tract of timber land from Peter Vought in Franklin township. They have had a survey made and will start at once to cut the timber.

The D. L. & W. station at Espy was entered Friday night by burglars. A trunk belonging to Prof. Mark Creasy of Hawley was ransacked and several pieces of jewelry stolen.

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

Berwick will have a Catholic Church soon. A plot of ground at the corner of Mulberry and Cemetery streets has already been purchased, and the work of excavation will be started at once.

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

Rain on Tuesday prevented the Harrisburg-Normal game. This game would have attracted the largest crowd of the season. Everybody appears to have a desire to see the capital city in action.

Frank Bomboy has just placed in his meat market the finest refrigerator in this section. It has a front of plate glass and tiling, with columns and panels of hard wood. His market is up-to-date in every respect.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN to prepare for Government Positions. Fine Openings in all Departments. Good salaries. Rapid Promotions. Examinations soon. Particulars Free. Inter-State Cor., Inst., Cedar Rapids, Ia. 6-18 2 mo.

The State educational Association at Wilkes-Barre offers an exceptionally strong program this year, and will have additional attractions in the way of entertainments, excursions, etc. Teachers should make a note of it.

The B. & S. is smashing railroad speed records these days, and the Black Diamond Express is simply not in it. On Monday afternoon a freight train consisting of locomotion and eleven loaded cars covered four miles in five minutes.

A festival under the auspices of the United Evangelical Church of Almedia will be held at Almedia on the evening of Saturday June 27th. Ice cream, cake and all the delicacies of the season will be served. The Bloomsburg Band will furnish the music. Everybody invited.

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

Mining men say a rich ledge of ore has been discovered in the Buck mountain, a few miles from Wilkes-Barre. Ore taken from the mountain has been assayed and it is found to contain sixty-five per cent. pure copper, five per cent. silver, and \$2.50 worth of gold to the ton. All the surrounding land has been bought up by prospectors.

Tax collectors are now vested with the right to sell the furniture of those who rent houses, the owners of which will not pay the taxes. But before such steps are taken by collectors, occupants of houses may pay the arrearages and deduct the amount from the rent. This information is not generally known. It is reliable, however.

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

A good instance of the amount of misinformation that is sent out from Bloomsburg by mail and telegraph to the daily newspapers, is the story which appeared in a Philadelphia paper on Tuesday that a fifty pound carp had been taken from the river between Bloomsburg and Espy. There is hardly a week that the little things that occur are not distorted by regular and occasional correspondents. They know that a great deal of the stuff sent in is of such trivial importance that the papers won't use it, so they enlarge in order to insure its insertion.

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PURELY PERSONAL

Miss Anna Ammerman of Forks visited in town the past week.
 Mrs. H. A. McKillip went to Milton on Monday to visit friends.
 Miss Margaret Laubach, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with her parents in town.
 W. R. Kocher and family have returned from a week's sojourn at Harvey's Lake.
 Miss Margaret Miller of Harrisburg is visiting Miss Sarah Millisen on Third street.
 Mr. and Mrs. H. Champlin, of Bradford county, are visiting their son, Dr. H. W. Champlin.

Miss Claire Gross returned home Monday evening from a three days visit with Wilkes-Barre friends.

Mrs. Dr. J. H. Morgan, of Carlisle, for merly Miss Mary Curran, is the guest of Miss May Sharpless.

M. P. Lutz was a delegate from Columbia County to the Prohibition State Convention at Gettysburg last week.

Miss Vergie Vought, of Elysburg, Pa., is being entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Johnston.

Dr. A. K. Aldinger will leave tomorrow for Wilmington, Del. where he will play ball the balance of the season.

Rev. Father McCann formerly of St. Columbas Church in this town, but now of Locust Gap, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Ikeler and little son Donald, departed for New York City where they will visit relatives for several days.

What is probably the largest lumbering operation in the State is now in the hands of the Central Pennsylvania Lumber company, just organized at Williamsport. It is capitalized at \$40,000,000 and has acquired all the interests of the Penn, Elk and Union Tanning companies, also the business, mills and railroads of the Keystone Lumber company. They will cut and handle from three to four million feet annually, principally hemlock.

The Normal base ball team was treated to an excellent supper by Manager Sutliff, at F. M. Gilmore's Cafe last evening, after which an election was held and center fielder Williams was chosen captain of the team for next year. The selection meets with the hearty approval of all the boys. A harder worker, or a better all around player never covered the center field territory on a Normal team.

During the last two weeks J. Wesley Moyer has taken over one hundred new subscriptions to Philadelphia daily papers. He gives the business his careful personal attention, and is particularly watchful in the matter of delivery. All of his subscribers receive their papers regularly and in good time every morning. Wesley has been in the business a good many years and knows how to handle the trade.

Bucknell defeated Normal at Lewisburg yesterday 4 to 2. The game was a pretty one and both teams played clean snappy ball. Dr. Aldinger had his batting clothes on and secured two doubles and a triple out of three times at bat. Only seven innings were played in order that Normal could catch the train. About forty local rooters accompanied the team and there were quite a number from Danville.

Moyer Lewis, who has been playing base ball with Burnham Athletic Association returned home on Monday, to stay. He was the captain of the team, but he and the manager could not agree to the manner in which the game should be played, which occasioned a little unpleasantness between them and he resigned. His services can be employed to good advantage by the locals.

Miss Alice Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Smith and Ray G. Pensyl, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Pensyl, were married at their newly furnished home on West Main street, at eleven o'clock on Thursday morning last, by Rev. W. H. Hartman, of Espy. Miss Nell Smith, sister of the bride was bridesmaid, and Sumner Schoonover of Phillipsburg, best man. A large number of guests witnessed the ceremony.

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

William Metherell will move his family to Williamsport this week. He is a member of the Stopper and Fiske orchestra, having secured the position last week. The first engagement in which his services were required was at State College, during commencement. He will play bass viol regularly, and violin in emergency cases. Houses in the lumber city, he says, are as scarce as hen's teeth. He secured one after hunting for several days, for \$8.50 per month. After the opening of the theatrical season which occurs in September, his work will be at the Lycoming Opera House.

HATS TRIMMED FREE OF CHARGE.

50c. NEW GINGHAMS 25c.

All Choice New Patterns. Two yards for one, that's the way we will sell them this week. Quality limited. First Callers Have the Choice.

WASH GOODS.

We offer some decided values this week in choice printed wash goods.

Fine Batiste 12½c a yard
 Linen Color Lawns, 12 to 18c a yard.
 Fine Mercerized Lawns, 15c a yard.
 Cotton Ducks, 12½c a yard.
 Yd. wide Madras, 12½c a yard.

WHITE GOODS

Of all kinds are here for all purposes.
 French Lawns, 25c. up
 French Batiste, 35c. up
 India Linen, 10 to 12½c. yard

GORDON DYE HOSIERY.

All styles. Made from fine grade yarns. Fast colors.
 Lace Hose, 12½, 15, 25 and 50
 Plain Hose, 10, 15, 25 and 50
 Fancy Hose, 15c to 75 cents.

WHITE SKIRTS.

Special attention to our line of White Skirts. Priced from 50c to 4.00.

TABLE LINENS.

Full lines of all kinds, and grades. Pattern table cloths at special prices this week.

MILLINERY.

Away down go the prices on all Trimmed Hats and Straw Shapes. We prefer to take the loss now than to carry them to another season. We think this is your best chance of procuring stylish up-to-date headwear at a big saving over our former low prices. Come and see them. We do all kinds of Millinery Work and do it right.

SHIRT WAISTS.

A complete line of White Waists in newest embroidered effects priced from 1.00 to 4.50 each.

BABY DRESSES.

A complete line of white dresses, both long and short, from 25c to 3.50. Also children's white greenaway dresses from 2 to 4 years old.

SMALL WARES.

Stock Collars, Belts, Bead Chains, Wrist Bags, Pocket Books, Pin Books, Pin Cubes, Colored Stick Pins, White Belts, Hair Rats, Kid Curlers, Toilet Soaps, Perfumes, Col-gates' and Mennen's Talcum Powder 18 cents.

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This association will mature the 3rd series next month, thus proving to investors a profit of over 11 per cent. per annum on their investment and to borrowers that it is a safe and economical plan to secure money for a home.

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The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., postoffice, and will be sent to the dead letter office July 7, 1903. Persons calling for these letters, will please say that they were advertised June 25, 1903".
 Mr. R. C. Carlisle, Mr. Edward Morrison, Mr. W. H. Gulick, Miss Ida Shankweiler, Mr. B. F. Miller, Mr. August M. Shultz. Cards: Mr. Kamel Webba.
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