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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 100 a. m.
 Leave Bloom for Catawissa A. M. 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.)
 Cars returning depart from Catawissa 20 minutes from time as given above.

D. G. HACKETT,
 Superintendent.
 Success in a large measure, attended the efforts of the Buckhorn Band, at their festival Friday and Saturday evenings. Good crowds were present both evenings and the patronage could not have been better. The members of the Band feel grateful for the support extended by the public in general and particularly to the Light Street Band for the excellent music furnished. The ladies too, have their sincerest thanks for the valuable aid so willingly given. Deducting the expenses the Band came out \$175.00 to the good. The *Columbian* congratulates the Band boys on their great success.

[Bell Telephone.]
GOLD WATCH FREE!

Have you tried the New Drinks?
Golf, and Cherry Kola.
 They are delicious. With every glass you get a check, and the person, who on October 1st, returns the greatest number of checks will be awarded a

GOLD WATCH FREE,
 Either Lady's or Gentleman's size.
 Both these flavors are new and this method is taken to properly advertise them.
W. S. RISHTON,
 Market Square Pharmacist.

LOCAL NEWS.

Legal advertisements on page 7.
 Watson's Big Burlesques at the Opera House, Sept. 7th.

The price of labor in Alaska is \$4.50 to \$6.50 per day with board.
 Box papers from 10c. to 50c. at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Geo. W. Correll is ill at his home on West Main street.
 Richard Lockard is filling a position in the D. L. & W. Depot at Berwick.

Max Gross is assisting in Ben Gidding's clothing store during Joe Sands' vacation.
 S. J. Pealer, of Asbury, is a witness this week in a land case now on trial at Scranton.

Scott Eves, of Millville, entered upon his duties as druggist in Dr. Paul's pharmacy, Danville, last week.
 E. F. Row is conducting a bar-shop at Patterson Grove Camp-meeting. Boyd Tubbs has charge of the shop.

DeForest J. Hunmer has been promoted from the store room to the office of the Bloomsburg Car Manufacturing Company.
 Base balls, base ball gloves and mits and all ball paraphernalia at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Keep to the right while walking, riding or running. It is the safest thing to do on all occasions whether on a sidewalk or in the street.
 The past week at the Y. M. C. A. tennis court has been one of the most animated since the season opened, and interest is constantly increasing.

The Friendlies defeated Berwick, on their own grounds Saturday 9 to 8, ten innings. The same teams will play on Normal field Saturday afternoon.
 In anticipation of an enlargement of his stock for the fall and winter trade, shoe dealer F. D. Dentler, is having additional shelving placed in his store.

Huntington Valley Campmeeting will open on Tuesday next. Rev. W. P. Eveland will be one of the speakers. Bloomsburgers will attend in goodly numbers.
 Edward B. Tustin returned home last Tuesday. He is rapidly improving and has almost entirely recovered from his recent surgical operation for appendicitis.

"Mary dear," said a newly married young man to his wife, "You can't bake bread as mother does."
 "No, John," replied newly married Mary, "and you don't raise 'dough' as father does."
 Wallace Bros. Circus has surmounted the heavy losses by railroad wrecks and is now headed this way. They show at Harrisburg, Sept. 14, and will probably be here about the 16th.

With 20,000 remedies known to the medical profession it does seem mighty queer how long it takes the doctor to fix us up all right again when we get to feeling tough.
 All bicycle sundries at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

At a meeting of the Borough Council of Centralia held last week, Edward Minnich was appointed tax collector and the tax rate was fixed at four mills for borough and four mills for special, same as last year.
 Manuscript covers for typewriter and legal papers, in five colors, with name printed on, are for sale at the COLUMBIAN office. 4t.

Another attempt to get the Town Council together for a meeting will be made to-morrow evening. The meeting has been deferred owing to the lack of a quorum. It is hoped that another postponement will not be necessary.
 Wall paper from 8c. per bolt to 40c. per bolt at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Frank Edgar and Miss Amy Chamberlain, both of Bloomsburg, were married by Justice of the Peace W. V. Oglesby, at Danville on Monday. C. V. Ammerman, Esq. and Dr. J. O. Reed witnessed the ceremony.
 Bicycles. New ones for \$25.00 and they are worth looking at, at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

The engagement of DeForest J. Hunmer to Miss Maude Stadler, of Catawissa, is announced. It has been known for some time that an understanding existed between them, but the formal betrothal has just been made public.
 The Berwick *Enterprise* is steadily improving as a delineator of the happenings of that town and surrounding country. Proprietor Rasely spreads a net for news and a glance at the paper shows that but little if any escapes its meshes.

If you want wall paper or window curtains go to Mercer's Drug and Book store.
 The crop of water melons and canteloupes grown by the truckers will be a light one this year, and the fruit of a rather inferior grade. The continued rainfall along with the extreme cold weather was not conducive to raising a good melon crop.

Blank books and all stationery at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.
 According to estimates of the United States Agricultural department the wheat crop of the world is placed at over three billion bushels, which would give about two bushels for consumption to every man, woman and child in the world.

C. D. Kindig, of Fishingereek township and his son were recent callers at this office. It was the young man's first visit to a printing office and he was much interested in what he saw here. Mr. Kindig is one of the substantial farmers of his township, and we are glad to number him among our readers.
 Seven years in business is our reference. Gem Steam Laundry.

We are glad to notice that our suggestion made last week regarding the unsightly condition of the gutters on Third street, bore immediate fruit. They have been nicely cleaned out, and the appearance of the street enhanced a hundred percent.
 Typhoid fever is epidemic at Ashland and the disease is working sad havoc in the town. The health officials are exercising every precaution but their efforts are unsuccessful. There are upwards of thirty-five cases and last week five deaths were recorded.

Second hand bicycles, some good bargains at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.
 An invitation has been extended to President Roosevelt and Governor Odell of New York to visit Wilkes-Barre on the occasion of the convention of the State League of Republican Clubs to be held there the week of Sept. 21. It is understood that the president will accept.

Cigars. The Sweet Jaras are the finest in Bloomsburg for a 5c. smoke, try them, at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.
 For the first time since 1869 the post office department, with the issuance of the new series of stamps in preparation will make use of the American flag in one of the designs. This will be a part of the two-cent stamp, which by the way, will bear little resemblance to the one now current.

PURELY PERSONAL

D. A. Creasy is rustating for a few days at Jamison City.
 Mr. and Mrs. John Gross have been visiting in Philadelphia.
 Mr. and Mrs. William Leverett are visiting relatives in town.
 Alex. Jackson, Esq., of Berwick was in town on business Tuesday.
 Miss Bernice Bryfogle is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Sawtelle, at Stillwater.
 Charles Hower and Hudson Mann are spending this week in Philadelphia.
 W. L. Manning, of Brighton, N. Y. is visiting his brother, H. D. Manning.
 Peter A. Kline of Harrisburg arrived in town yesterday for a visit with his family.
 Mrs. Anna Johnson, of Milton, is visiting her brother, Prof. O. H. Bakless, on Iron street.
 Mrs. Paul E. Wirt and daughter Miss Pauline, are sojourning at Kinnebankport, Maine.
 Arthur Grotz returned to New York on Tuesday, after a few days visit with his parents in town.
 Miss Cora Bird, of Shamokin, has been the guest of her cousin, Miss Helier John, on Normal Hill the past week.
 Rev. D. N. Kirkby returned home last evening, from Kye, N. Y., where he has been spending his vacation.
 Mrs. and Warren Edgar, of Stillwater, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Hunt, in town the past week.
 Mrs. Alexander May and daughter Miss Inez of Mahanoy City are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Griffith at the Espy hotel.
 Editor of the Benton "Argus", A. H. Edgar and wife were among the up creek flourishing towns representatives at the county seat on Tuesday.
 Miss Ida Rinker, who won the "Morning Press" free trip to Atlantic City as the most popular school teacher, is now enjoying the outing at that resort.
 Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dent and Arthur Sharpless were among the passengers this morning for Atlantic City. They will return home on Tuesday.
 Charles O. Ray, who formerly conducted a brokerage office in the Peacock building, was in town this week exchanging greetings with his numerous friends. He is at present located in New York City.

When a nickle with a big V gets into the United States treasury it goes to the melting pot because of the danger of its being gilded and passed for a five dollar gold piece. Twenty-cent pieces have the same fate, because they are no longer issued. Old copper cents are melted with tin and zinc added to make new cents.
 The funeral of James Huber will occur from his late home in Catawissa this afternoon at two o'clock. He died Tuesday morning, after an illness of nearly a year. He was born in Franklin township June 9, 1840, and is survived by a wife, two brothers and a sister, John Huber, of Catawissa, Daniel Huber of Riverside and Mrs. Geo. Love, of Danville.

He had just alighted from the Berwick Car, having come from Philadelphia via Nescopeck, and the first of his acquaintances he chanced to meet was a young lady from Espy, who was moving down Main Street with considerable celerity. "Why" said he, after being informed that she was still single, "you don't seem to find time to get married." "No" said she, "I am kept engaged all the time."
 Deep in the enjoyment of an elaborate jag, Hiram Neyhard was picked up by Chief Knorr, on Main street below Market, on Monday, thrown into a spring wagon and carted to the lockup. His feet hung out of the back of the wagon, and the spectacle created the impression that he had been hurt. But it was only his respect that had been injured, if he has any left. He had threatened to drown himself and it was this fact that caused the Chief to keep tabs on him.

CATORIA.
 Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*
 A Toledo, Ohio, man is working on a scheme to send cold brine in summer through the pipes which through the winter uses steam or hot water to heat the buildings. He hopes to perfect a system which shall be of sufficient practical utility to do away with ice refrigerators and which will enable people to cool their houses in summer as easily as they now heat them in winter. A Bloomsburg man about three years ago racked his brain on the same scheme, but he got stuck and gave it up in disgust.

William Rogers was found lying in a field near his house Thursday evening last. He was taken to the house in an unconscious condition and died Friday morning. Death was due to paralysis. He was 73 years old and is survived by a wife and four children.
HENRY W. CHAMPLIN, M. D.,
OCULIST,
 East Building, Bloomsburg, Pa.
 I keep in stock a large assortment of first quality lenses, and spectacle and eye glass frames and mountings. I will supply you with these goods at prices less than you will pay any where else. (431)

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New Dress Goods For Fall.
 We place on our counters today a large assortment of the leading and popular Dress Goods for the coming season in the
NEWEST WEAVES.
 These goods are from the leading American Mills as well as the Foreign. They are priced for their respective qualities at popular prices. We call particular attention to the line of
BLACK MATERIALS

in this showing of Dress Goods, consisting in part of Paune Zibelines, Panama Cloth, Zibelines, Royal Broadcloth, Soliels, Soft Worsteds, Serges, Cheviots, Japan Etamine, Prunellas, Powderetts, Melroses, Knub Effects, Knub Etamine, Etc. We invite your inspection to this showing of
New Dress Materials.

H. J. CLARK & SON.
\$2.00 and \$2.50
\$3.00 and \$3.50
FREE! UNCLE SAM MADE FREE!
One Uncle Sam Sewing Machine.
 To the person returning to us the greatest number of certificates before August 1st, will be presented a
Fine Drop Head Sewing Machine
 with all necessary attachments, guaranteed for five years.
One Certificate given with each Pair of UNCLE SAM SHOES.
F. D. DENTLER.

TALK NO. 47.
Jewelry Repairing
 is an important branch of our business—we give careful, painstaking attention to it. We give especial attention to repairing fine watches—the kind that need extra, careful adjustment. We try to have our work give satisfaction—such as will win your confidence, if you leave your repairing with us.
 We want you to be satisfied, first, last and all the time.
Geo. W. Hess,
 OPTICIAN AND JEWELER, BLOOMSBURG, PENNA.

It is reported that Montoursville business men will accept the offer of O. M. Wilson, of New York, who wishes to take \$12,000 worth of stock in a bank to have a capital of \$25,000 or over. As soon as a company is organized a bank building will be erected on Broad street.
 Hard luck. Shaffer's Colts were twice bested by Burnham 2-1 and 8-0. It's bad enough to be beaten, but to be shut out entirely is rubbing it in. But cheer up, boys, Bonaparte and Caesar lost battles and every now and then a scrub team jumps in and beats Pittsburg. Will Dentler accompanied the team to Lewistown and played on Saturday, but he couldn't stand to see the boys lose, and he came home Sunday night.
 Preparing for Busy Season.
 The Canning Factory is preparing for a busy season. New and improved machinery is being installed and everything will be ready for the opening, which will probably be the latter part of this month. The management is the same as last year, and the farmers can rest assured of the best of treatment. The acreage of tomatoes throughout the county is considerably larger than it was last year, but the manager of the factory informs us that he has made ample provision for the increase and will be able to handle all that comes in. The factory is taking its place among the substantial industries of the town, and many of our people will find ready employment within its walls.