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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1903.

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NORMAL NOTES.

Dr. and Mrs. Aldinger returned home on Saturday. They have spent most of their vacation at Wilmington, Del. where the Doctor added to his laurels as a first-class base-ball player.

When the students enter they are assigned to rooms, and seats at the dining tables. Each table has a large card on it containing a number, and the student takes a seat at the table corresponding to the number given him.

School opened on Monday and all day the students came to town on every train. A large attendance is expected as the requests for rooms have been more numerous than usual at this time of year. Monday was devoted to enrolling and classifying, and the class work began on Tuesday.

The prospects for a good football team are bright. Among the last year's men who are back are MacAvoy, Putman, Robison, Rooke, Fisher and Taylor.

Miss Comba will return from Italy about October 1st, and resume her duties in the vocal music department.

An automatic fan for a rocking chair has just been patented. It has been dubbed "the ladies' delight" and "the bald headed man's friend."

[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.

In one year we will be in the heat of a Presidential campaign.

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

A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Richards on Normal Hill.

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

Our government is doing more for the farmer than all the other nations combined.

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

Wallace Bros. circus train passed through Bloomsburg on the D. L. & W. R. R. enroute to Scranton at 5:40 this morning.

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

H. J. Deitterich of Berwick was called to Philadelphia last Friday by a telegram announcing the serious illness of his brother.

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

Arbutus Park has been closed for the season. The last families to leave the resort were the Moyer and Vanderslice families. They came in on Wednesday.

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

At the annual election of the Bloomsburg Steam & Electric Light Company held on Tuesday, L. E. Waller, G. M. Tustin, C. C. Peacock, and J. C. Brown were elected directors, and L. N. Moyer treasurer.

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

William Gibson, aged about fifty years died at his home in Catawissa Sunday morning after a two weeks' illness with typhoid pneumonia. He is survived by a wife and three children. He was an employee of the P. & R. Railway Company and moved from Mahanoy City to Catawissa last fall. The funeral occurred yesterday.

Cigars. The Sweet Jaras are the finest in Bloomsburg for a 3c. snook, try them, at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Hon. E. J. Jordan died at his home in Tunkhannock on Monday, after a long illness. He represented the Bradford—Wyoming district some years ago in Congress. His wife was Miss Stella Sickler, who graduated in the academic course at the Normal in the class of 1882. She has many friends here who will sympathize with her in her affliction.

Tires, inner tubes, cements, bells, pedals, toe clips, grips pumps, saddles, &c. at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Harry M. Clark's attractions, "A Life's Mistake" and "Darkness and Daylight" will appear in the Opera House Danville, on Oct 10th and 24th respectively. The former is by Chas. Garvice and the latter by Mary J. Holmes. Both are excellent pieces and should prove welcome additions to stage literature.

Mary had a little lamb, it followed her to church, and stood around the door, like an owl upon his perch. Why don't the little lamb come in? the watchful people cried. Why Mary told the silly thing to watch for her outside. So you, each gentle maiden, may one and all still find some sheephead waiting near the door, if you admire that kind.

There was probably never any celebration carried out to a more successful termination by our sister town, Berwick than was that of Labor day. Business was suspended and the whole populace gave themselves over to the celebration. Residences and business places were handsomely decorated. The attendance was simply immense. Fully 2,000 men participated in the parade.

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

The Bloomsburg Band gave another sacred concert on the square at the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday afternoon, which was listened to and appreciated by a large audience. The band continues to improve under Mr. Calhoun's leadership, and the town has just cause to feel proud of it. Thomas Thorburn of Wilkes-Barre made an excellent address. Secretary Armstrong conducted the meeting.

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

The Columbia county Veteran Association held its annual meeting at Berwick on Monday. The association has a total membership of 470. Jerseytown was selected as the place of meeting for next year. George S. Lee of Jerseytown was elected president; George W. Sterner, Bloomsburg 1st vice-president; George W. Reifsnnyder, Catawissa 2nd vice-president; Albert Girton, Jerseytown, secretary; Chester M. Johnson, Jerseytown, treasurer.

TROLLEY ACCIDENTS.

One of the large trolley cars on Wilkesbarre & Harvey's Lake Railroad, returning from the lake Sunday afternoon, was wrecked about 4 o'clock in a mountain gorge, five miles from Wilkesbarre, and plunged down a 30-foot embankment, killing one passenger and injuring eleven others.

The wreck was caused by a stone being placed on the track at a sharp curve by some unknown miscreant. The forward end of the car rested in the creek below, and the passengers were injured by jumping out of the car when it went over the embankment. Mrs. Michael Wolfe, who was killed, was thrown out of the car, falling on her head and her death was almost instantaneous.

W. B. Poust was on the car and had his wrist sprained. He was for many years the agent of the D. L. & W. at Bloomsburg.

Fifty people were hurt by a head-on collision between two trolley cars at Fort Washington on Sunday night.

WEDDED AT HIGH NOON.

The wedding of Miss Maud Guild Barton to Oliver H. Watts, of Middletown, Pa., took place at the residence of the bride's parents, on West Main Street, yesterday at high noon. The parlors were handsomely decorated with flowers and potted plants, and the ceremony was performed under an arch of beautiful evergreen, by Rev. Eveland of the M. E. Church. The party entered the parlor in the following order—flower girls, Misses Mae and Mabel Barton, nieces of the bride; Miss Margaret Fortune and Miss Anna Johnson of Bloomsburg, bridesmaids and Mr. R. M. Stalker of Middletown, and Mr. Elmer D. Quiggle of Philadelphia, ushers; the groom accompanied by his best man, Mr. A. H. Luckenbill of Middletown; Maid of honor, Miss Anna Moore, cousin of the bride; the bride and her father.

Congratulations and refreshments followed the ceremony after which Mr. and Mrs. Watts departed on a wedding trip. They will reside at Middletown, Pa., where the groom is employed in a jewelry store.

CASTORIA
 For Infants and Children.
 The Kind You Have Always Bought
 Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

PURELY PERSONAL

Elwell Funk will return to Lehigh University on the 20th inst.

Assistant Postmaster E. H. Ent and wife are visiting at Weatherly this week.

J. Wilson Miller, of Lime Ridge was a welcome caller at the office on Monday.

Elmer E. Ferson and family, of Williamsport, spent Sunday in town with his brother-in-law B. F. Zarr.

W. H. Coffman, who has been visiting his parents for the past ten days, returned to Paterson, N. J. yesterday.

Miss Minnie Ent will return to Newark, N. J. on Saturday, to resume her duties as teacher in the public schools.

E. B. Tustin has gone to the Greene Consolidated Copper Co's mines in Mexico, Mrs. Tustin accompanied him.

Rev. D. N. Kirby returned home on Tuesday, having spent most of his vacation with his parents at Rye, N. Y.

Mrs. E. C. Drinker of South Bethlehem has been visiting relatives here for the past week. Mr. Drinker was here over Sunday.

O. W. East, of Northumberland, railway mail clerk on this division of the D. L. & W. R. R., visited his mother in town on Monday.

Mrs. Geo. White who has been spending some weeks with her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Roys, returned to her home in Tunkhannock on Saturday.

John S. Williams went to Canton, Ohio, last week, where he had two very successful auction sales of horses. He returned Monday morning.

W. L. Demaree returned from Arizona last Saturday after an absence of several weeks. In company with Capt. W. T. Hall he visited the mines of the Yucca Cyanide Milling & Mining Co.

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

NORMAL TRUSTEES MEETING.

The regular monthly meeting of the Trustees of the Normal School was held on Wednesday evening at the residence of A. Z. Schoch, President of the board. Action was taken whereby Dr. Welsh will reside out of the school, and the apartments occupied by him will be used for teachers' rooms. Dr. Welsh has rented the F. P. Billmeyer property on Market street, and will move there about the first of October.

A contract was authorized for the instalment of the Parsons system in connection with the steam heating plant of the school, whereby the buildings can be better heated with cheaper coal and less of it. Col. Freeze stated that he desired to present the school library with a set of the Works of Edmund Burke, in twelve volumes. The gift was accepted with a vote of thanks. The committee on instruction reported that Miss Mary Good had been employed as assistant in the Science department, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Fox.

Dr. Welsh stated that the school had never been so full as now. The rooms on the girls' side are all taken. The meeting adjourned at ten o'clock.

If You Don't Like Music you can avoid it. If you hate company you can manage to be alone. But what are you to do if, after taking a few mouthfuls of food, you experience such keen distress you wish you had gone empty and hungry? Why, use Dr. David Kennedy's new medicine, Cal-cura Solvent, and cure the dyspepsia. Write to the Cal-cura Company, Rondout, N. Y., for details and a free sample bottle.

DISAPPOINTED IN ROME.
 Sisters of Pope Pius X Long to Return to Venice.

The three sisters of Pope Pius X, who lived with him in Venice, and who arrived at Rome Sept. 7, have not found in Rome quite what they expected. Not that they had any formulated desires, but the sisters thought they could not fail to be certain of resuming their intimate relations with the Pontiff, while to their unaccustomed eyes all is formality. They shrunk from the curious glances cast at them when they went all over Rome. The sisters, however, could see no beauty in the ruins, having scarcely heard of them. What they liked best were the electric street cars and the new wide streets, different from the narrow lanes of Venice.

In the convent where the Pope's sisters are stopping they are treated with great respect and attention, having their meals served in their own dining room and not being allowed to do anything for themselves. No cracked collars at the Gem Steam Laundry. Try us.

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 Trustworthy lady or gentleman to manage business in this County and adjoining territory for well and favorably known House of solid financial standing. \$20.00 straight cash salary and expenses, paid each Monday by check direct from headquarters. Expense money advanced; position permanent. Address Manager, 610 Monon Building, Chicago, Ill. 9-10 18t

Chickens and Flannel Oake Supper. Having secured a bargain in envelopes we will sell a lot at \$1.75 per 1000, including printing. They are good stock, and the regular price is \$2.25. The supply is limited and the offer holds only so long as this lot lasts. If you want a bargain order now. Call at the COLUMBIAN Office and see samples. 2t

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ROSEMONT ELECTION.
 At the annual meeting of lot owners in Rosemont Cemetery on Monday, the following directors were elected; Col. J. G. Freeze, J. K. Grotz, C. S. Furman, R. R. Little, C. A. Kleim, W. E. Rinker, W. R. Ringrose, Frank Ikeler, S. F. Peacock and R. E. Hartman.

HATS TRIMMED FREE OF CHARGE

FALL STYLES

They're shown all through the store now in all kinds of goods. They're the very latest effects. They're the best showing we have placed before you, for your approval and selection. You will find many special lots amongst this showing of Fall and Winter goods. We ask your examination of same. They are the best for their respective prices, qualities have not been lowered.

Dress Goods—
 The most complete line of dress materials we have shown. Newest effects "Bourrette" a fine cloth 56 in. wide with camel's hair, knob effects here and there, the price \$1.45 the yard.
 All wool Scotch Mixtures, beautiful effects 1.00 yd.
 All wool Melrose, in black and colors 50c yd.

Broadcloths—
 A special lot of this most stylish material in black and colors. The price 1.00 yd.

Panne Zibeline—
 One of the most popular dress materials of the season, soft, lustrous Camel's hair covered, 52 in. wide. Priced 1.45 the yard.

White Waistings—
 A big line in newest effects, many damask effects. We make special mention of one lot at 38c yd. Another lot at 28c yd. Come and see the line.

Taffeta Silks—
 Special this week. Our regular 1.25 36 in. black taffeta at 1.10 the yard. Colored taffetas at 75c the yard.

Dress Trimmings—
 In the newest styles, new motifs, new drops, new bands, new jet trimmings, stole end, collars, etc.

Flannelettes—
 We call special attention to a line of these goods with a granite ground, handsome styles, look like wool, but not. Sells regularly for 12 1/2c yard. Our price 10c a yard.

Linens, Linens—
 New big lines of table linens, napkins, towels, matched table sets, lunch cloths, to velvins by the yard. Bleached damasks 50c to 2.00 a yard. Matched sets all prices. Special towels 25c. and 50c. Unbleached damask 50c. to 1.00. Lunch cloths 1.00 to 3.00.

Millinery—
 The fall outing hats are ready, new effects, popular priced. Our fine dress shapes will be ready later on, will tell you when. We do millinery work of all kinds. Separate Dress Skirts— A new line. New styles. New prices. We ask you to see them if you want a good dress skirt. See this line.

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A Soft, Black, Kid Skin, genuine welted or turned soles. Once you have made their acquaintance you will wear no other.

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 OPTICIAN AND JEWELER, BLOOMSBURG, PENNA.

CHICKEN AND FLANNEL OAKE SUPPER.
 A chicken and flannel cake supper will be served in the dining room of the M. E. church, Bloomsburg on Friday evening, Sept. 11, from 5 to 10 o'clock. A full line of side dishes included with cake and ice cream extra. Tickets 25c. The public are most cordially invited to be present and enjoy a first class supper. Committee.

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