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THE COLUMBIAN. BLOOMSBURG, PA. THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1903. Entered at the Post Office at Bloomsburg, Pa. as second class matter, March 1, 1888.

CALENDARS FOR 1904. We shall present our subscribers with calendars for 1904 as usual, under certain conditions. Calendars are expensive. It costs money to buy them. We give them away as an inducement to subscribers to pay up arrearages. That is the only benefit we get out of it. We shall give them only to those who have paid for THE COLUMBIAN within one year. None others need apply. We shall have no calendars for general distribution, but for our patrons only.

MORE EXCEPTIONS. Further exceptions to the opinion of Judge Little in the Millinville bridge proceedings were filed by Commissioner's Counsel J. B. Robinson on Thursday. They are as follows: First—Because the Court imposed the costs on the county. Second—Because the Court erred in not finding that the plaintiffs were suing in their individual rights only. Third—Because the Court did not find that the plaintiffs had not proved their right of way, and therefore, had no right in this action. Counsel claims the right to add further exceptions.

The Standard Oil Company has begun to operate in Japan. This settles it. The Japanese needn't be afraid that Russia will get them.

Overheard In Town Yesterday

"Hello! John, how is your cold this morning?" "All gone, thank you." "Why, how is that? Yesterday you were in bed with a cold which threatened to develop into pneumonia." "Oh, I bought a bottle of Rishton's COLD-CURE and I am now entirely well." "Don't it upset your stomach?" "No indeed, and it is so pleasant to take." "How much is it?" "Only 25 cents a bottle." "Thank you for telling me about it, I will go right down to Rishton's Drug Store and get a bottle."

W. S. RISHTON, Market Square Pharmacist.

LOCAL NEWS.

The Bloomsburg Band is preparing to give a concert in the near future. Box papers from 10c. to 50c. at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Jas. M. Miller has resigned his position on the reportorial staff of the Daily.

The Market Square fountain has been shut off and is being dressed for the winter.

Foot-ball has been prohibited in nine colleges, and the reason given is that it is such a dangerous game.

Howe's moving pictures will be here Nov. 27 for the benefit of the library department of the Civic Club.

Commissioner William Bogart is off this week on a hunting expedition in the wilds of Clearfield County.

The latest fad is woodchuck farming. Once it was skunks, then Belgian hares, now it is woodchucks. What next.

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

John Jones is temporarily filling the position of Secretary at the Y. M. C. A. until a successor to Mr. Armstrong is chosen.

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

The Episcopal Church Club of the Central Pennsylvania Diocese will meet in Williamsport next Tuesday.

When a woman falls into disgrace she is down, but a man can do even worse things and still be respected. Oh, this cruel world.

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

E. W. Crawford of Mt. Pleasant township has gone to Philadelphia where he will undergo an operation at the Jefferson Hospital for the removal of a tumor.

Prof. O. H. Yetter will have charge of the music at the annual teachers' institute of Montour county to be held in Danville commencing Monday Nov. 30.

Andrew Carnegie's profits for the past year exceed forty millions. This divided equally among the men in his employ, less ten per cent, would have netted them \$800.

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

Work on the new Irondale road is getting along nicely and contractor Ferguson says that two weeks of favorable weather will witness its completion.

WANTED—FAITHFUL PERSON TO TRAVEL for a well established house in a few counties, calling on retail merchants and agents. Local territory. Salary \$20.00 per week with expenses additional, all payable in cash each week. Money for expenses advanced. Position permanent. Business successful and rushing. Standard House, 330 Dearborn St. Chicago. 11-12 1st

Harry M. Fine, who for the past few months has been connected with the Berwick Enterprise, is back on the Daily.

The divorce courts are doing a howling business, mainly for the reason that women say "yes" to a man whom they scarcely know.

Calendar Pads for 1904, all sizes, for sale at the COLUMBIAN OFFICE. tf.

"The Last Farewell," the latest song by Chas. K. Harris, the most noted of American composers will be sung in the Wheelmen's forthcoming entertainment.

In Squire Jacoby's Court on Thursday last Henry Miller of Catawissa township, was held for Court in the sum of \$300.00 for shooting Harry Savage's hunting dog. The trial will come up at the December term.

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

The Normal foot ball team will go to Easton on Saturday to contest honors with the Lafayette College eleven. This is Normal's most extraordinary engagement of the season.

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

Main Township has taken the initiative in placing a guard rail along its portion of the new road along the river hill. If Catawissa township will now follow suit many accidents and consequent damage suits will be avoided.

Gus Sun's Mammoth Uncle Tom's Cabin Co. will appear in Bloomsburg next Monday evening. The production comes well recommended.

The Secret Service at Washington has announced the discovery of a new counterfeit \$5 silver certificate, series of 1899, check letter A, plate No. 161. Lyons, Register; Roberts, Treasurer.

WANTED—SEVERAL PERSONS OF CHARACTER and good reputation in each state (one in this county required) to represent and advertise the old established wealthy business house of solid financial standing. Salary \$21.00 weekly with expenses additional, all payable in cash direct every Wednesday from head offices. Horse and carriage furnished when necessary. References. Enclose self-addressed envelope. Colonial, 332 Dearborn St. Chicago. 11-12 1st

Normal defeated Susquehanna University at Selinsgrove, Saturday afternoon. Score 12 to 0. Normal has improved wonderfully in her playing during the last few weeks.

The automobile will not milk the cow nor tend the baby, according to the managers of the St. Louis World's Fair, but it will churn the butter and grind the cornmeal and do pretty nearly every other kind of work on the farm.

Another advance in the price of eggs was made in New York on Tuesday, which are now selling at 40 cents retail. The cause of the advance in eggs is not stated, more than 300,000 cases having been received in the metropolis over the corresponding period last year.

The vacancy in the elocutionary department of the Bloomsburg Public Schools caused by the resignation of Miss Annie Adams, was filled at the monthly meeting of the Board Friday night by the election of Miss Annabel Swartz of Duncannon.

The Board of Directors of the La Grande Gold Mining Company met Thursday evening last and organized for the ensuing year as follows; W. M. Perrine, of Philadelphia, president; Jas. C. Brown, vice president and C. B. Robbins, secretary.

Services over the remains of Henry Wellington, who died at Wilkes-Barre, on Wednesday last, were conducted in the A. M. E. church by the pastor Rev. T. A. J. West, Friday morning, and interment was made in Rosemont Cemetery. A surviving sister Miss Ada Wellington formerly resided here.

The Wheelmen are rehearsing nightly for their coming variety entertainment, and its success is already assured. Prof. O. H. Yetter is drilling the chorus of the first part. The overture is considerably out of the ordinary, in fact it is the most elaborate ever attempted by a home talent company, and all those who fail to attend the performance will miss a genuine treat.

To encourage you to make yourself for some friend a Christmas present of a pair of new eye-glasses or spectacles, I remit my fee for fitting during the month of December. This has been my custom for years. You are invited to call and get prices.

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PURELY PERSONAL

Miss Lillian Fowler is spending this week in New York City. Joseph Ratti returned home from New York City on Monday.

Robert Beagle of Millville was one of our welcome callers last week. Herbert Shutt, was among the excursionists to Buffalo on Saturday.

E. J. Brown was out collecting last week for street sprinkling service. Warren Edgar one of Stillwater's substantial residents was in town yesterday.

Miss Lillian Drinker and Mrs. Chas. W. Funston, spent Tuesday at Wilkes-Barre. I. W. Hartman has been visiting F. M. Everett and family of Freeland the past week.

Wallace Yennatta departed on Saturday for Philadelphia where he has secured a position. B. F. Armstrong, formerly secretary of the Y. M. C. A. is doing evangelistic work at Pottsville.

We were pleased to hear from our old subscriber John K. Keeler of Benton a few days ago. Miss Martha Robinson, who is teaching school at Robersburg, spent Sunday with her parents at Espy.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Hackett returned home last week from a visit with the latter's parents at Altoona. Dr. H. W. McReynolds occasionally walks up town now. His health has been poor for some time past.

Mrs. J. B. Ammerman of Light Street was in town on Wednesday, and favored this office with a pleasant call. Geo. B. Hummer of Elk Grove was in town a short time Tuesday. He was on his way to Bangor and Easton.

Chas. A. Wesley, one of the proprietors of Stillwater's successful paper manufacturing industry, was in town Friday. A. H. Sharpless of the firm of Dent & Sharpless is off on a business trip through the western section of the state.

Karl Wert and Paul Eyerly witnessed the Penna. Harvard foot-ball game at Franklin Field Philadelphia, on Saturday. Horton Laubach of the B. & S. Railroad office has been granted a four days vacation. He is putting in the time hunting in the vicinity of Benton.

Miss Sadie Goldsmith and Sol Goldsmith of Mt. Carmel and Dave Leopold of Milton were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gidding over Sunday.

R. D. Appleman of Alvo, Nebraska, writes us that they have had a very wet season and the crops are all late and not very good. He is one of our old and valued subscribers.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gross, Mrs. F. M. Gilmore, Mrs. A. H. Nevard, and Miss Mable Barton joined the Penna. Railroad Co's excursion to Buffalo and Niagara Falls on Saturday.

When a doctor calls for certain ingredients in a prescription and the druggist substitutes some other drugs than those called for, then that pharmacist should be liable to incarceration in prison. He is juggling with the lives of the sick and afflicted. He is almost as culpable who substitutes some mixture of his own make—"the just as good" kind—for some reputable, well-known medicine that has stood the test of many years.

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

The members' entertainment in the Y. M. C. A. last Thursday evening, which consisted of illustrated songs and two monologues, was one of the most enjoyable affairs ever held in the association rooms. A large crowd was present and every one expressed themselves as more than pleased with the entertainment. At the instance of John W. Lewis, a vote of thanks was extended to Miss Delia Geisinger, D. J. Tasker, Paul Z. Harman, and Harry J. Achenbach for the very pleasant evening furnished.

Organ recitals are not usually largely attended in this town, especially where tickets are not sold in advance. If special attention has not been called by the sale of tickets, many forget it and do not go. It is hoped that such will not be the case at the recital to be given at St. Paul's Church on November 19th. The program and the ability of the musicians are such as should interest every lover of good music in Bloomsburg, and it is hoped that the church will be filled. A collection will be taken up and all that is asked is that each person will give a reasonable amount for the pleasure afforded them.

The weather has certainly been remarkable for this time of year. The mild balmy atmosphere makes tennis playing as pleasurable as on a June day. A number of Y. M. C. A. members were out on the court including in the sport Monday afternoon. At the conclusion of the game, W. S. Rishton stated that never before has he played tennis so late in the season.

The Law Delivered.

One thousand copies of a synopsis of the laws governing the adulteration of foods are being sent out by the Dairy and Food Department to various newspapers and magazines in the state. These copies are being distributed in response to numerous requests for information of the laws governing the adulteration of food.

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LINEN SALE.

We will open a SALE OF LINENS consisting of Table Linens by the yard, Bleached and Half Bleached Pattern Table Cloths, Napkins, Towels and Towelings by the yard. Just in time for you to buy that Thanksgiving Linen, or for Christmas. You know the Clark Linens, they are pure Linen, no cotton or tow. Come and see the values offered in this sale.

Millinery, Millinery.

We will offer REDUCED PRICES on several lots of TRIMMED HATS, Felt Shapes, Outing Hats, Birds, Breasts and Ostrich Feathers. Come and see them. We do Millinery work of all kinds.

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As a result of an experiment with three flocks, numbering 1,250 hens, the Cornell University found the average cost of feeding a hen per year to be 99 cents. The average market value of the eggs exceeded the cost of food by \$1.31. The yearly production per hen averaged 128.7 eggs and the average cost per dozen of eggs was 9.2 cents.

The work of transforming the frame building on Market Square into an Electric Railway waiting room and office, which was noted exclusively in the COLUMBIAN last week, was started on Monday. David Boughton the ebony shoe shining artist has requested us to state that in spite of the improvements he will continue to do business at the old stand, he having been engaged as janitor.

The bridge on the Pennsylvania Railroad over the creek at Catawissa which was put up temporarily after the other one had been destroyed by fire last summer, is now being replaced by a double track bridge. The material that is being used in the new structure is of the very best. It is the purpose of the company to eventually double track the Sunbury division and this new bridge is a forerunner of that improvement. A force of twenty men is engaged at the work.

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