

THE COLUMBIAN.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1905.

SUSQUEHANNA NOTES.

Dr. F. P. Manhart, an old pastor of Bloomsburg, is giving his entire energy to reorganizing the Theological Department and has secured a large number of books for the library.

Under President J. B. Focht, D. D., the work of the college in all its departments has been thoroughly organized and is in perfect working order, the best in the history of the institution and there has been a large increase in the number of students.

There has been a decided gain of students in the college department which is manned by a corps of nine professors.

The Teachers' College and College Preparatory courses will open on Monday, April 3, and continue until Wednesday, August 23. These courses give every teacher an opportunity to teach and take an entire college course.

The Academy is under the principalship of Prof. E. M. Brumgart, A. M. and five assistants, all of whom are college graduates and have had the experience of teaching in the public schools.

The Music department with a corps of five instructors is under the directorship of Prof. E. E. Sheldon, a graduate and a post graduate for three years, of the New England Conservatory.

The Business department is splendidly equipped under the direction of Prof. W. W. Reno and Miss Anna Kahler, both trained teachers of wide experience.

The Athletics of the college are under the charge of Chas. E. Teufel, A. B., a student of the Theological department. Mr. Teufel is the famous ex-Bucknell catcher. We will have during the spring term, one of the best college base ball teams.

The basket ball team under the coaching of Mr. Teufel has won thus far, four of the five games played.

Democrats Will Publish Expenses.

Are Also Preparing Bill to be Introduced in This Legislature to Require all Candidates to Make Public Their Outlays.

If the plan which the Democratic lawyers of Philadelphia have in preparation is carried into effect every campaign committee and every political candidate will be required to file with the State authorities a sworn statement of the money spent in connection with elections.

This matter was brought up at the meeting of the Philadelphia Democratic City Committee last Monday night and it was decided that the Democratic Campaign Committee would publish an account of the money it expends in connection with this election.

A bill bearing upon the subject is now being prepared for introduction at this session of the Legislature. A similar measure has been introduced in Congress by Bourke Cockran, and before completing the bill Mr. Kane will confer with Mr. Cockran.

People who are walking along the road and are overtaken by the rural delivery mail wagons, should remember that however much the driver would like to give them a ride he does not dare to do so. Uncle Sam has decreed that no one shall ride in the wagons but the mail carrier, and he must be obeyed. There are sections of the country where that ruling means more than it does here, but it had to be made general Rural carriers on the routes leaving Bloomsburg say that requests for a ride are almost daily occurrences.

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THEATRICAL.

THE HOLY CITY.

The day of the stage being decried as an instrument of the devil, presenting alluring visions of sin, seems to have passed with the coming of the religious play; and the end of the warfare twixt Church and Stage seems to be as welcome to one as to the other.

Plays which a few years ago would have been denounced as infamous and even profane are today welcomed alike by Church and Laymen. An example might be cited in "The Holy City."

The play not only deals with Bible times, but in it many leading Biblical characters appear. It is a drama with the story taken from Bible history. "The Holy City" is a theatrical offering, yet the principal character is John the Baptist, and even the Crucifixion is shown in tableau (the figure of Christ being represented by a painting). Many other seemingly daring innovations are made, yet the play has received the unanimous endorsement of all of the members of the clergy who have seen it.

The secret of this seemingly marvelous change in the sentiment of the Church toward the stage may be attributed to two causes: First, the recognition by the church that such plays as "The Holy City" not only tend to direct theatregoers' attention to the Church, but that they also convey of themselves a grand good lesson, more forcefully and more successfully than any other method; secondly because the very delicacy of the subject has caused it to be treated with such respect and reverence that those who "go to scoff remain to pray" and even the most devout person can find nothing to offend.

So "The Holy City" with its cast of Bible Characters, has proven one of the successes of the theatrical season, and two companies, one in the East and one in the West, are nightly crowding the theatres in which it is shown. It will be seen here next Tuesday evening, February 21.

Deeds Recorded.

J. C. Rutter Jr., Register and Recorder has during the week, recorded the following deeds as shown by his entry book:

Charles Johnson and wife to Isaac Johnson for lot of land in Catawissa Borough, consideration \$785.

Isaac C. Johnson executor of Susan Black, deceased, for lot of land in the Borough Catawissa, consideration \$795.

John C. Christian and wife to Elwood Parks for 108 acres and 54 perches of land in Pine township, consideration \$2000.

Joseph Fullmer, Mary E. Fullmer and Rebecca J. Fullmer to Rose Hess for lot of land situate in Benton Borough, consideration \$600.

George E. Creasy and wife to Dorthy A. Schweppenheiser for land in Mifflin township, consideration \$1000.

Berwick Land and Improvement Company to Lillian Longenberger for lot of land in Borough of West Berwick, consideration \$162.50.

John J. Longenberger and wife to Mary M. Parr for land in Mifflin township, consideration \$450.

The Locust Mountain Savings and Loan Association to Boyd F. Maize, for three lots of ground in Bloomsburg, consideration \$1.

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Citizens' Caucus Was Illegal Says the Court.

There will be no Citizens' ticket to be voted for at next Tuesday's election, the Court on Monday having decreed that the said ticket is null and void.

Counsel for the relators, H. A. M'Killip, Esq., read the objections to the nominations and produced certificates showing that notice had been served on the respondents that the matter would be heard Monday morning. Clerk of the Courts, C. M. Terwilliger, on being called said that no appearance had been entered.

J. W. Hilday, clerk to the County Commissioners was called and testified to the filing of the certificate of nomination by the Citizens' caucus. There had also been filed, he said, the following withdrawals: O. W. Cherrington, President of Council and C. W. Runyon, William Hassert and C. B. Robbins, Members of Council. Remaining on the ticket were the names of W. L. White, C. M. Bittenbender and D. Fisher for Members of Council and H. G. Supplee for School Director.

A list showing that no votes had been cast at the last election for a Citizens' ticket either in this town or county by Clerk Terwilliger. Neither had there been filed in the Prothonotary's office any declaration of principles by a Citizens' party.

A. W. Duy, for the relators, cited the law in regard to what parties are entitled to file certificates of nomination, after which the Court decreed as follows:

First:—That the said certificates of nomination and the nominations named therein are null and void and of no effect.

Second:—That the so-called Citizens' Party was not entitled to file its certificates of nominations and cannot secure a place on the official ballot by the filing thereof.

Third:—That the Board of County Commissioners of Columbia County are hereby restrained and enjoined from printing the names of William L. White, for Member of Council, Charles M. Bittenbender, for Member of Council, D. Fisher, for Member of Council and H. G. Supplee, for School Director upon the official ballot to be voted at the election to be held in the town of Bloomsburg on the 21st day of February, 1905.

Fourth:—That a certified copy of this order and decree shall be forthwith served upon the Board of County Commissioners of Columbia County, or upon their Clerk, by the Clerk of the Court.

BY THE COURT.

College of Music.

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On account of the Inauguration of President Roosevelt on March 4, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round-trip tickets to Washington, March 2, 3, and 4, good for return passage until March 8, inclusive, from Harrisburg, Pittsburg, Oil City, Erie, Buffalo, Canandaigua, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre, Mt. Carmel, and intermediate stations, at rate of single fare, plus 25 cents for the round trip. Deposit of ticket with Joint Agent at Washington on or before March 8 and payment of fee of \$1.00 will secure extension of return limit to leave Washington on or before March 18. For specific rates and full information apply to ticket agents. 16 3t

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Grand Historical Entertainment—Story of the Reformation.

One of the finest entertainments ever given in Bloomsburg will undoubtedly be the "Story of the Reformation or The Life and Times of Dr. Martin Luther." For weeks a capable committee of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A., under the auspices of which the entertainment is to be given, has been hard at work getting this gigantic undertaking into shape. The best talent in town has been secured from the different churches to take part. Music is one of the leading features of the entertainment and will consist of choice solos, grand choruses and instrumental numbers.

Rehearsals are being held afternoon and evening, having begun last Monday, under the direction of Miss S. Ethel Brown, one of Mrs. Monroe's assistants.

The entertainment consists of allegorical processions, historical dialogues, stirring scenes and beautiful tableaux. The historical scenes are connected by Mrs. Monroe with lecture illustrated by nearly 100 fine stereoptical views. These views are the finest which can be secured along this line of work.

The Diet scene is very strong. The Emperor will be represented by H. V. White, Elector by W. C. Johnston, Esq., Luther by the Hon. Fred T. Ickler.

Besides these there will be Imperial Guards, Royal Guards, Guards of Honor, also Pages, Princes, Priests, Monks, Bishops, Lords, Knights, Courtiers. About 60 men will take part in this scene.

Of this trial Thomas Carlyle the great historian has said: "It is the most important event of modern times." Beside the Diet there are four other scenes. The costumes used in the entertainment are rich and elaborate, correct to history, ranging from Peasant to Prince, from Knight to Emperor. The Nun and Novice scene is beautiful and pathetic, touching some of the finest chords of the human heart.

Miss Laura Herring takes the part of the Lady Abbess. The Monk and Choir scene is interesting. The leading male singers of the town compose the choir.

The entertainment will be given at the Opera House on Friday and Saturday evenings, February 24th and 25th. Everybody interested in the Y. M. C. A. should attend.

Will Stick to Newspapers

The merchants of Easton and Phillipsburg, Pa., about 200 of whom have formed a protective association, held a meeting January 27 to consider the trading stamp and advertising questions.

It was agreed to patronize only newspapers as a medium of advertising for a period of one year.

An agreement regarding trading stamps was circulated and signed by the majority of those present promising to not give trading stamps for a period of ten years. This petition will be circulated among all the merchants of Easton and Phillipsburg for signatures.

Sheriff's Sales.

Sheriff W. W. Black at two o'clock Saturday afternoon sold the following properties at his office in the Court House:

Property of W. B. Oliver to the State Capitol Building and Loan Association for \$620.

The T. A. Hartman property in Catawissa township to Edward Kremer for \$475; two properties sold as belonging to T. A. Hartman, consideration \$5 subject to a mortgage and \$200.

Emperor William of Germany, has made the novel proposition to President Roosevelt of an exchange of college professors of the two countries. His idea is the adoption of a workable plan by which American professors may be relieved from their regular duties for a period of six months, more or less, and spend the time in giving a number of lectures in each of the prominent universities of Germany. German professors to be given similar time for lectures in American universities. Ambassador Tower, now on his way home, will present the president an outline of the scheme. It is the Emperor's belief that great benefit will be derived by students of one country from hearing a discussion of the literature, language, economic and social affairs of the other by a professor of that country.

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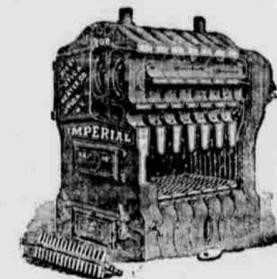
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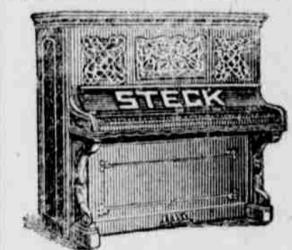
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