

THE COLUMBIAN.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

THURSDAY, MARCH 9, 1905.

EXTENSION OF THE TROLLEY.

Charter Has Been Granted the Northumberland County Traction Co. Will Connect With Danville.

A short time ago a charter was granted by the state department at Harrisburg to the Northumberland County Traction Company, the purpose of which is to extend the Lewisburg, Milton and Watonsontown trolley line from East Lewistown to Northumberland, via Montandon. At that point it will connect with the Sunbury and Northumberland road, which will give Milton and the Upper End direct connection with the county seat. When the Danville and Sunbury line and Farmer Kulp's Shamokin extension are completed to Sunbury, as they are likely to be this summer, we will have direct trolley communication with Danville, Bloomsburg, Berwick, Shamokin, Mt. Carmel and Ashland. Superintendent Mountney is now engaged in securing the right of way in Chillisquaque and Point townships and the prospect so far as the work has gone is most encouraging. Work on the line will be commenced as soon as the right of way has been secured and will be pushed rapidly to completion. It is expected to have the road finished and in good running order before fair time. This extension will necessitate the enlargement of the power house and the installation of additional power and machinery. A new car barn will have to be built, which will cover the entire lot owned by the company on Locust street, where the present barn is located. The small cars now in use will give place to large double truck cars, and the number will be increased by at least six. The determination of the company to enlarge their plant here and extend their line will be welcome news to our people. Every improvement of this kind adds to the town, not to mention that it will give employment to an increased number of men.—Milton Standard.

Easter Late This Year.

In only nine times in two and a quarter centuries has Easter fallen as late as it will this year. Only five times during this period has it come later than it does this year, and it is not possible for the great Christian holiday to fall more than two days later. In all of the years from 1786 to 2013 there is not one occasion when it falls later than April 25 and only twice does it come on this day of the month. During this period Easter Sunday falls three times on April 25, and four times on April 23. This year the festival will be observed on the 23rd. As a result of the late Easter Lent comes correspondingly late.

Coming K. T. Conclave at Williamsport.

Preparations are rapidly assuming definite shape for the fifty-second annual convocation of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Pennsylvania, which will be held in Williamsport on May 22, 23 and 24. The parade will take place on Tuesday morning, and at its close all the bands, colors and banners will be massed, when the consolidated bands will play, "Onward Christian Soldiers" while marching on Market street.

"The man who lives unto himself alone is a failure," says the Mason City Globe Gazette. "He may pile up money, he may love his wife and family in that he is generous to them in their expenditures, he may support the churches and give to charitable purposes on demand, but the men who leave their impress upon a community are those who give that community abundant service and are not always creating the illusive mirage with the bandwagon for the central attraction."

A MATTER OF HEALTH

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March, April, May

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MR. COCHRAN'S CONDITION

State Senator is Improving, and Recovery is Only Matter of Time.

The condition of State Senator Henry J. Cochran of Williamsport is reported to be improving. A specialist, Dr. Musser of Philadelphia, was called in on Friday and a consultation between him and the attending physicians, Drs. Campbell and McCormick was held. They found that the disease was confined to the right lung. Everything possible is being done for the Senator, and barring any unforeseen thing, he will pull through in a very short time.

EVANGELICAL WAR OVER.

Evidence That the Two Branches of the Church Are Getting Together.

Evidence that dissensions among the two branches of the Evangelical association is over were given at Pottsville last week. The East Pennsylvania conference of the Evangelical association was held in that city and the churches of the United Evangelical branch were occupied by ministers of the parent body. The war between the factions, which was very bitter for some years and which divided the church, has subsided and a better christian spirit prevails, and indications point that in the very near future both branches will be working in harmony for the common good.

New Diocesan Paper.

Office Engaged and First Edition of 5000 Will Appear April 1.

Plans are completed for the appearance of the first number of The Harrisburg Churchman, the official organ of the new Episcopal Diocese of Harrisburg, which is to be printed in this city and of which Rev. Robert F. Gibson, rector of Trinity Church, Steelton, is editor.

An apartment for the business office and editorial room has been engaged in the Harrisburg National Bank building, Market Square, and the first number of the paper will appear on Saturday, April 1, and it will be published thereafter on the first Saturday of each month.

A correspondent has been secured in each parish in the diocese to contribute regularly to the paper, which already has financial backing to insure its success. Five thousand copies of the first issue will be printed and distributed to practically all the communicants in the diocese.

Good Show Coming.

The management of the Opera House takes pleasure in announcing the engagement of the successful musical comedy "The Jewel of Asia" which comes to the Opera House next Wednesday evening, March 15. This is one of the big hits of the season and the production is an elaborate one. The scenery is gorgeous, the costumes resplendent and the chorus large and attractive. "The Jewel of Asia" will not appear at Berwick and those in that town who like good musical comedy should arrange to see the show here.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., postoffice, and will be sent to the dead letter office Mar. 21, 1905. Persons calling for these letters, will please say that "they were advertised March 7, 1905".

Mr. Reuben Eyerly, Mr. Kline, Miss Daisy Garrison, Miss Margaret Neyhart, Mr. Albert C. Galbraith, Mr. Harry Roberts, Mr. Harry E. Swank. One cent will be charged on each letter advertised.

J. C. BROWN, P. M.

A little leeching is sometimes a dangerous thing, in that it causes a swelled head.

SOUFFLE WITH DANGEROUS MAN.

Thomas Barrett, residing at what is known as the Lower Shanties, a man with a vicious disposition, particularly when he is in liquor, attempted to assault Dr. Biddle at the Fountain Springs Hospital, Thursday afternoon.

Dr. Biddle was informed of Barrett's presence and untidy actions and approached, and began to remonstrate with him. Barrett was very insolent and finally attempted to draw a black jack and assault the superintendent who grasped him and after choking him until he was almost breathless ejected him from the building, with the assistance of others who went to his assistance. After he had recovered himself Barrett very strongly declared his intention of shooting Dr. Biddle, though it was afterwards found that he had no revolver, or possibly he might have done so.

Barrett wandered about the grounds, and in the meantime Dr. Biddle telephoned to town for an officer. Constable Brennan responded and had considerable trouble in placing the handcuffs on his prisoner. He was taken to Ashland and on information sworn out against him before Squire Russell by Dr. Biddle he was committed to jail. He spent the night in the lock-up and was taken to prison by Constable Brennan Tuesday morning.

While in Squire Russell's office Barrett became very obstreperous and raising his manacled hands he struck Constable Brennan a fierce blow on the head with the handcuffs. He also tried to get behind the desk for the purpose of striking Squire Russell.

About a year ago Barrett visited the hospital and attempted to draw a revolver on Dr. E. E. Shifferstine, then attached to the surgical staff. Just what grievance he has against the hospital is not known. He has never been a patient there, nor, so far as can be learned, has any of his people.

Barrett is about 21 years of age, and his parents are among the most respected people in the community in which he lives. By many it is thought that he is not well balanced mentally, and this condition is aggravated when drinking. Dr. Biddle will push the case against him because he believes that he is not a safe man to be at large.

Organization of Catawissa Council.

Catawissa Boro's new council held its first meeting Monday. An organization was effected by electing J. J. Cornelius president, and George H. Sharpless, secretary. By a vote of four to three the Catawissa National Bank was chosen over the First National Bank of Catawissa, to handle the finances of the borough in the capacity of treasurer.

Elmer E. Harder was unanimously elected assistant superintendent of the electric light plant. In a lively contest for the street commissionership between D. L. Kostenbender, N. C. Hartman, Amos Kashner and Benjamin Ludwig, the former won receiving three votes, Kashner received two and Hartman one. J. A. Guie was elected Borough Solicitor over C. E. Kreisher and C. S. Kline. Geo. H. Harder and W. G. Yetter were elected Chief of Police and Borough Engineer respectively without opposition.

Democratic Call.

There will be a meeting of the Democratic County Executive Committee at the Central Hotel, Bloomsburg, Pa., Saturday, March 11, at 2 o'clock P. M. At that time any candidate wishing to register will be able to do so.

Signed, C. H. DILDINE, County Chairman.

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Evangelical Appointments.

Rev. Jos. Shambach Returned to Bloomsburg and Rev. W. Stover to Espy.

The work of the Central Pennsylvania Conference of the Evangelical Church in session at Hagerstown, Maryland, was completed Tuesday. Rev. Joseph Shambach, whose pastorate here has been so successful is returned for another year, and and Rev. W. H. Stover, goes back to Espy. Rev. H. W. Buck, has been transferred from Berwick to New Freedom in the York District. The appointments for the Lewisburg District follow.

U. F. Swengle, P. E. Lewisburg, L. S. Reichard. Milton, J. D. Shortess. Milton Circuit, J. F. Bingman. Sonestown, J. O. Biggs. Dushore, J. F. Hower. Lopez, B. F. Keller. Danville, E. B. Dunn. Bloomsburg, J. Shambach. Espy, W. H. Stover. Berwick J. W. Thompson. West Berwick, C. H. Gooding. North Berwick, E. E. Shaffer. Columbia Co. Circuit, J. M. King. Luzerne, D. F. Young. Nescopeck, W. A. Faus. Nuremberg, H. Minsker. West Nanticoke, H. R. Wilkes. Ransom, W. H. Thomas. Scranton, W. I. Shambaugh. West Clifford, W. H. Warburton. Susquehanna—To be supplied by H. T. Purkiss under the P. E. A. L. Reeser and I. M. Pines, members of Lewisburg Quarterly Conference; L. K. Harris, member of Bloomsburg Quarterly Conference.

River Bridge at Danville Will be a Beauty

The new steel bridge over the Susquehanna at Danville is fast nearing completion. The last span has been swung into place and it is possible now for footmen to cross on the planks. It is claimed that the structure will be the handsomest river bridge in the State. It will contain a wide driveway to be used for teams and a trolley line and a six foot walk on each side of the driveway.

A number of our townspeople were down on Sunday and walked across the bridge. They concur that the structure will be a handsome one.

To The Public.

I take this method of expressing my sincere thanks to the voters of Columbia county for the liberal support given me in the past and assure one and all that I appreciate the favors shown me. I also desire to say that I am not now and will not be a candidate for any office at the primary election this June.

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Columbia county papers tell of a farmer in that region who has just sold a carload of apples for twenty cents a bushel, while another has fed 500 bushels to his hogs and has twice as many left. And the consumer in Philadelphia pays fifty cents a peck for apples. The Columbia county farmers and the Philadelphia consumers obviously ought to be brought into touch with each other. Newspaper advertising would often put money into the pockets of fruit growers and obviate the necessity of casting pearls—or other marketable commodities—before swine.—Philadelphia Record.

The term "ptomaine poison" is in everybody's mouth, but few know what it really is. It develops, says "What to Eat," through the action of acid on tin. That is why every can of meat or vegetables or fruits should be turned out into an earthen bowl or crock immediately upon opening the tin can, and that is why mayonnaise should never be put into tin receptacles. Only recently several women were made seriously ill by eating salad at a reception. Investigation showed that the mayonnaise, in which was considerable lemon juice, had been allowed to stand all day in a tin pail. According to the physicians, enough poison was generated to kill forty men, and had the women eaten the mayonnaise from the bottom of the pail it would have been fatal to them.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Nathan L. Moyer, late of Pine Township, deceased. The undersigned, auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, Pennsylvania, to make distribution of the balance in the hands of Jos. W. Res, administrator in said estate, to and among the parties entitled thereto, will sit at his office in the F. P. Res building at Millville, Pa., on Tuesday, March 28th, 1905 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said date to perform the duties of his appointment, when and where all parties interested shall appear and prove their claims, or be forever barred from coming in on said fund. WM. C. JOHNSON, Auditor.

Thursday, March 9, '05. Remember the Date. Mark it Well. A REPRESENTATIVE of one of New York's largest Ladies' Suit Houses will be here that day with a line of Sample Suits and Coats of Silk, Mohair and Cloth. For those desiring exclusive styles they may order from him at that time. We guarantee prompt delivery. P. E. Hartman, SUCCESSOR TO I. W. HARTMAN & SON BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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