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LOCAL NEWS.

Legal advertisements on page 7.

Geo. W. Sterner will be the Good Will Fire Co's delegate to the State Firemen's Convention at Scranton in October.

There are advertised letters at the Bloomsburg post office for Mr. Charles W. Murray, Master George James, Mr. Ray Stroope, Mrs. H. A. Meurs.

Vanity Fair, March and Two-step by Chas. P. Elwell, on sale at all music stores. Second edition, 25 cents.

We have met lots of rich and influential men—and a few millionaires, but none of them appeared to us to be one-half so independent as the average hired girl.

Many of our townspeople went to Wilkes Barre today to get a glimpse of President Roosevelt, who, according to the program, is to be in that city four hours.

Stewart Ash, one of Briarcreek's best known residents, suffered a severe stroke of paralysis last week. It is reported however that his condition is gradually improving.

Chas. B. Lutz will guide a splinter new Ford Automobile over the numerous good roads hereabouts. His car, which by the way, is a very handsome one, arrived on Monday.

Chas. P. Elwell will continue to teach during the summer months. Instruction in pianoforte, violin, harmony and composition. Send for circular or call at 233 West Third street, Bloomsburg. If

Rev. John C. Grimes, pastor of Calvary Methodist Episcopal church at Berwick, Pa., is scheduled to preach the opening sermon of Patterson Grove Campmeeting on the evening of August 22nd.

It is best to let every small boy go swimming. He runs no greater risk of getting drowned while learning how to swim than he does of getting drowned later in life because he does not know how to swim.

The Orangeville Band extends an invitation to the public to attend their festival this coming Saturday evening, August 12th. All the seasonable delicacies will be offered for sale, and the Band will give a concert.

Rev. R. S. Nichols and his mother departed on Tuesday for a two weeks' vacation. They went first to Richfield Springs, where they spent a couple of days, and will spend the balance of the time in New England.

There will be service at St. Paul's church the next two Sundays at 10:30 A. M. with lay reading by Mr. G. B. Boggs. There will be no evening service, and all week day meetings will be omitted until September 1st.

Mrs. Mary Weiss died at her home in Manch Chunk on Saturday, aged 64 years. She was born in Bloomsburg, but moved to the Carbon county seat thirty-five years ago. She is survived by her daughter Nellie and sons William of Eckley and John of Hazleton.

Mrs. M. B. Caswell entertained a company of young people at her home on West Fifth street Tuesday evening in honor of her guest Miss Emma L. Babb of Williamsport. There were about twenty-five present and dancing was one of the many enjoyable features of the evening.

J. G. Wells started in yesterday morning to make extensive repairs to his store. The outside wall of the rear addition has settled and cracked so that it is necessary to tear it down and rebuild it. This will not interfere with his business, and the store will be open as usual. Reimard Bros. are doing the work.

Twenty-two members of Fort McClure Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution visited the site of Fort McClure yesterday afternoon. After locating the place upon which the fortified post stood, they drove to Klein's Grove, where luncheon was partaken of. The trip proved a most delightful afternoon's outing.

Y. M. C. A. tennis players and other local admirers of this interesting and recreative sport are manifesting great interest in a tournament that has within the last few days been arranged between Bloomsburg and Muncy. The match will be played on the court at Muncy, but the local representatives have not been selected yet.

The death summons came to A. W. Strang, a respected Iola resident Saturday morning, after a patient suffering with a complication of diseases. The deceased was fifty five years of age and leaves a wife and twelve children. The funeral occurred on Tuesday and interment was made in the cemetery at Strawberry Ridge.

Thos. B. Moore went to Philadelphia yesterday to purchase a bowling alley outfit. He is a member of a stock company which was organized in town last week. A building will be erected probably in the rear of E. F. Rowe's barber shop on Main street and three first class Brunswick-Balke-Collender Company alleys installed. Tom is very enthusiastic in the matter, he sees big profits in sight and will waste no time in getting the building up and the alleys in operation.

Mrs. Aaron W. Hess died at her home in Mifflinville on Sunday, after a protracted illness, aged seventy-three years. She had suffered much from paralysis, and of late had been almost helpless. She was an earnest christian lady, and a consistent member of the Lutheran church.

She leaves to survive her a husband and four children, namely: Mrs. A. W. Snyder and H. W. Hess of Mifflinville and Dr. M. J. Hess and Geo. W. Hess of Bloomsburg.

The funeral took place yesterday and was largely attended.

W. A. Evert, Esq. formerly of Bloomsburg, is lying seriously ill with appendicitis at the home of his father Hiram Evert in Mt Pleasant township. Mr Evert was admitted to the bar of this county several years ago, and shortly thereafter was the Democratic Candidate for District Attorney. He went from here to Philadelphia is but at present located at Verona. He fell a victim to the disease, while on a visit to his father. The case has required the services of three physicians, and his condition it is said is precarious.

A Drink For Each Mourner

Joseph Kuntz of Beaver Meadow, who died a few days ago, made a rather odd disposal of his estate. He directed that \$500 that was due him from a beneficial society should be used to pay his funeral expenses and provide each person who attended his funeral with a glass of beer.

Your glasses may be partly right, and proportionately helpful; but if they are not entirely right you are not getting all of the benefit you should. ONLY medical eye specialists can determine exactly what lenses are needed. Henry W. Champlin, M. D., OCUList.

NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH.

By the bursting of the fly wheel of the engine at the Dillon Greenhouse Manufacturing Company's plant Monday morning, William Yount, an employee of the plant, was struck by the flying iron, and sustained a fracture of the skull, a deep cut on his chin, a broken finger, a sprained foot and ankle, and several painful body bruises. The accident occurred so suddenly and unexpectedly, that its cause could not be given. The engine had not been running properly for some time, and on Monday, John Kelley, a machinist, from the Harman & Hassert shops, was secured to examine it. When he arrived at the plant, the engine was not running and he told Mr. Yount to start it up. He saw at once that there was something wrong and ordered the steam shut off. Scarcely had Mr. Yount complied, when there was a sound similar to an explosion, the wheel bursted, and the fragments of iron flew in every direction. One piece tore its way through the roof, another punctured a large oil tank, causing the oil to run all over the floor, and another piece, weighing probably 20 pounds, buried itself in the wainscoting. There was nothing left of the wheel.

Mr. Yount, was picked up unconscious and bleeding, and taken to Dr. Bierman's office, where his injuries were dressed. He was later removed to his home on Catharine Street.

While the injuries are of a serious nature Dr. Bierman says he does not consider them fatal. The narrowness of Mr. Yount's escape from certain death, is shown the Doctor says by the fact, that had the piece of iron, which measured more than an inch, and which imbedded itself in his head, struck his skull squarely he would have been killed instantly.

Mr. Yount was a trusted employee of the Company, honest and industrious, and it is needless to say, has the sympathy of all in his misfortune.

Reunion of Farmers.

The thirteenth annual picnic of the Farmers of Columbia and adjoining counties will be held at Grass Mere Park, Thursday, Aug. 17th 1905. Two good speakers have been engaged and will be on hand to deliver addresses.

Grass Mere Park cannot be surpassed as a picnic ground. It contains about forty acres, surrounded by the famous Fishing Creek, and while there is an abundance of shade, there is also plenty of chance to enjoy the sunshine.

A ball ground of about five acres has been laid out joining the grove on the south. There are three never-failing springs of pure, cool water situated one on either side and one at the head of the Park. Seats, swings, dancing floor and other conveniences have been provided.

There will be two games of base ball, at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m., between Grass Mere and Berwick A. A., and Grass Mere and the Ex-Y. M. C. A., of Bloomsburg. A good band has been secured to furnish music.

The Bloomsburg and Sullivan Railroad will run a special train.

A. M. Round Trip Children

D. L. & W. dept	7:30	60c	30c.
Light Street	8:00	55c	30c.
Orangeville	8:15	50c	25c.
Forks	8:27	40c	20c.
Zeners	8:33	40c	20c.
Stillwater	8:42	35c	20c.
Benton	9:00	25c	15c.
Edsons	9:05	20c	10c.
Coles Creek	9:10	20c	10c.

Arrive Grass Mere Park 9:30 a. m.

Passengers from Jamison City take regular train. Passengers arriving on P. & R., 8:33 a. m. train, and on D. L. & W., 8:53 a. m. train, will take regular B. & S. train leaving Bloomsburg at 9 a. m.

1st Section special train south will leave Grass Mere Park promptly at 4:50 p. m., and run to Bloomsburg without stop to connect with D. L. & W. train north at 6:05 p. m., and P. & R. train south at 7:00 p. m.

2nd Section will leave Grass Mere Park promptly at 5:00 p. m. and will make all stops.

A LARGE ENROLLMENT.

We are informed that the Literary Institute and State Normal School, at Bloomsburg, Pa., is enrolling large numbers of students in its various departments for the ensuing year.

This school is increasing in popularity every year. Not only does it attract because of its high standard of excellence, but also because the school's reputation is so excellent and far-reaching that young people educated there have the best chance for positions. We advise young people to send for a catalog.

PURELY PERSONAL

Gerald Gross is spending his vacation at Atlantic City.

W. E. Eveland of Fishingcreek was a town visitor on Monday.

William Webb of West Pittston was in town over Sunday.

Miss Bertha Hagenbuch has been visiting friends at Jonestown.

Paul R. Eyerly and William Fegley spent Sunday at Atlantic City.

Miss Florence Smith of Mifflinville is visiting Miss Cora Thomas at Hazleton.

Chas. M. Evans made a business trip to New York and Philadelphia this week.

Mrs. A. W. Sharpless has arrived home from a several day's visit in Catawissa.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Klasse of Benton joined the excursion to Atlantic City on Monday.

Miss Grace Elliott of Reading was the guest of Miss Delia Gensinger at Espy this week.

Miss Elizabeth Long of Wilkes Barre, was the guest of Miss Laura Warner over Sunday.

Miss Beatie Quick formerly of Bloomsburg now residing at Hazleton, is the guest of friends at Muncy.

Guy Sleppy who has been spending his vacation with his parents in town, will return to Scranton on Monday.

A. H. Edgar, wife and family of Benton were in Bloomsburg between trains on Monday en route for Atlantic City.

Miss Annie Wertz who has been the guest of Miss Anna Creasy, returned to her home at Annapolis on Monday.

Mrs. William Wren and little daughter, of Lewistown, are visiting Mrs. Wren's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Woods, on Iron Street.

Mrs. Ewing of Altoona, is the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Agnes Smith on West Third Street. She was formerly Miss Alice Smith, daughter of the late A. G. Smith Esq. and resided here for many years.

DREADFUL ACCIDENT AT BERWICK

Angelo Fiouoni Took Hold of Live Wires And Was Electrocuted

Angelo Fiouoni, an Italian laborer employed at the wheel foundry at Berwick took hold of a live electric light wire and was immediately killed Monday afternoon.

Fiouoni with two other Italians were unloading a car of lumber directly under an electric light wire. The lumber consisted of longer sticks and one of these was raised and over turned end for end out of the car. The men did not see the wires hanging above them so when they let go the stick struck the wire and knocked it down along side of the car at the same time tearing off the insulation. The foreigner not realizing the danger connected with electric light wires took hold of it to throw it out of the way. As it happened the place where he seized the wire was just where it was bare.

The wire was used for feeding a large arc light and was charged with 1100 volts. He was also standing in an iron bottom car which added to the shock.

One of the fellow workmen grabbed the man and pulled him from the wire and in so doing received a severe shock himself. He stated that while he was trying to free the man from the wire his body quivered and jerked from head to foot. His fingers were partly burned off and death was instantaneous.

Trouoni was 30 years of age and boarded in West Berwick. He is unmarried.

Twins That Are Mere Mites.

Perhaps the most remarkable pair of twins ever born in Columbia county first saw the light of day in the village of Espy last week, says the Berwick Enterprise.

The parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swagart, reside on Second street in that place. The babies are boys and are the smallest bits of humanity ever born in the county.

The largest of the two weighs four pounds exactly and his head could be easily placed in a tea cup. The smallest of the babies weighs just two pounds and it is almost impossible to imagine the appearance of a baby of this size. Its head is about the size of an ordinary apple, its fingers about like match sticks and its eyes like small beads.

The babies are both apparently healthy and are apt to live to be men. The parents, besides these have four other children who are not by any means undersized.

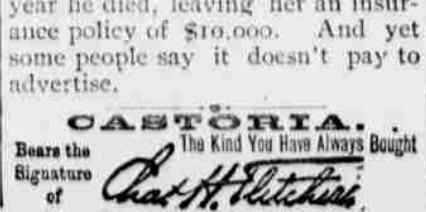
The Swagart home is thronged with visitors anxious to see these wonderful babies and the parents are proud of the mites. The mother says that for the first three days of their existence the smallest child was unable to take nourishment in the usual manner but it was kept alive with a stimulant and it now eats, sleeps and moves like any other child of its age.

Does Advertising Pay?

A Texas girl advertised for a husband and got him. The total expenses for advertising, wedding outfit, etc., were \$11. Within a year he died, leaving her an insurance policy of \$10,000. And yet some people say it doesn't pay to advertise.

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COUNTERPANES.

We will continue the sale of these at 85c., 1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 2.00, 2.25, 3.35.

<p><i>Shrunken Mustin.</i></p> <p>Yard wide at 15c. yard., 36in. linen suitings 30c. and 50c. a yard.</p> <p><i>Wash Dress Goods.</i></p> <p>All at big reductions this week. See them. 75c. for Trimmed Hats worth 2.00 to 3.00.</p>	<p><i>Black Mohairs.</i></p> <p>English make, fine, bright finish at 50c., 75c., 85c., 1.00 a yard.</p> <p><i>Rain Coats, Covert Jackets.</i></p> <p>At specially reduced prices this week. 27in. Black Taffeta Silk at 75c yd. 36in. at 1.00.</p>
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