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#### The New Year 1907 1007

The past year has been a very prosperous one generally, and indications promise an equally profitable year to come. During such good times almost every one can, if they choose, lay by something for less thriving times, which are sure to come. If you have not already done so, BEGIN NOW with the New Year, by opening an account, and regularly depositing your savings with us. We cheerfully assist our customers and friends to make prudent investments.

OUR PATRONS' PROSPERITY, AND OUR SUCCESS GO HAND IN HAND.

# The Bloomsburg Mational Bank

A. Z. SCHOCH, President.

## TIME-TABLES.

# C. C. Yatter E.q. President of Town Council Has Issued the Following Address.

Greeting.

The year just closed has been, so far as Bloomsburg is concerned, the most successful in its history.

As a people we have had uncommon success from every standpoint, the wheels of our industries have been kept humming without strike or serious accident, and there has never been a year in the history of Bloomsburg in which there existed so much commercial activity. The vs. Jeremiah Longenberger, reasons growth of our town has been almost for a new trial. phenomenal considering that it is of such a permanent character.

I have received estimates from a number of our citizens in relation on general improvements the past year, and the amount will reach dicto. halt a million dollars.

they were never in better condition. cause, etc.

The new home of our Post Office is possibly the best for a town of this size, in the State, and a proof trustee should not be removed. of our prosperity is the increase in its receipts.

Oar Main Street and particularly that section surrounding Market Square has passed from the appearance it had to the appearance of a of auditor. young city, and the Masonic Temple will be a monument for generations to come.

Our sidewalks, lights and sewers

Following is the argument list for first Monday of January, 1907: Harry A. Harman vs. J. W. judgment should not be satisfied.

NEW ACCOUNTS.

Farmers National Bank.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS \$150,000.

is increasing at a very satisfactory rate. If you have not al-

ready opened an account with us, we invite you to do so now.

C. M. CREVELING, PRES. M. MILLEISEN, CASHIER.

President Yetter's New Year's ARGUMENT LIST FOR JANUARY 7.

Strength this Bank Occupies Front Rank.

We are constantly adding new accounts and our business

In Point of Business Success and Financial

Harry A. Harman vs. Lawson McHenry, petition for rule to show cause why judgment and mortgage should not be satisfied.

Catawissa Fibre Company audit, petition for rule to strike off confirmation of auditor's report.

Alfred Vetter and George Vetter

hotel of J. R. Bibby, exception to report of viewers.

Mary A. Tucker vs. American to the amount of money expended Car and Foundry Company, motion and 14 days. for judgment non obstante vere-

M. F. Shoemaker et al. vs. Penn-We can took with pride to our sylvania Copper and Mining Com-Public and Normal Schools and pany, petition for rule to show sylvania Copper and Mining Com-

In estate of Jacob Moyer, deceased, petition for rule to show why

Eliza Fowler vs. Samuel Klase, petition for rule to strike off judgment.

Estate of William H. Creasy, auditor's report, exceptions to report

William H. Taylor, trading as Scranton Supply and Machinery Company vs. Berwick Consolidated Gas Company, demurter to plain-

The death of Mrs. Eliza A. wife of James D. Pollock, occured at her home on Fifth street on Friday Dodson and Matilda Dodson, petit- morning at 2 o'clock. She had ion for rule to show cause why not been well for some time but was confined to her bed only a few days and when the end came it was wholly unexpected. Her life went out instantly and without a struggle.

Mrs. Pollock was a daughter of Alexander Lockard deceased, of Summer Hill. She resided there until January 17, 1868, when she was married to Mr. Pollock. They spent three years in Salem town Road in Catawissa township near ship, Luzerne county, and then moved to Bloomsburg where they have resided ever since. Mrs. Pollock's age was 68 years, 2 months

She is survived by her husbanc., one son, Charles A., of Hazleton and Miss Minnie, residing at home. She was a sister of Mrs. Lucinda Martz and Mrs. Lemuel Pollock, of Berwick and Miss Elmira Lockard and J. K. Lockard of Bloomsburg. She was an active and consistent

menber of the Evangelical church from her youth.

The funeral was held on Monday morning at ten o'clock, the services being cinducted by her pastor, Rev. J. Y. Shambach.

#### Deeds Recorded.

Recorder Miller has recently reorded the following deeds:

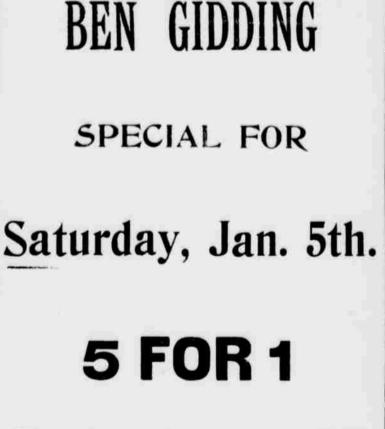
The beginning of the New Year notes the absence of most of the railroad time tables from the columns of the local newspapers. The interstate commerce commission has ruled that railroads will not be allowed to exchange railroad transportation for advertising. The result will be that the railroads will be compelled to negotiate their advertising contracts on a strictly cash basis, and the newspaper man can also pay cash for his railroad tickets. Each party will be just as well off in the end, but the change from one way to the other will result in the public being left in the dark as to the time of the arrival and departure of trains for a time.

#### Horse Meat for Dagos.

At West Berwick Monday the authorities were investigating a rumor to the effect that one of the Italians who runs a boarding house in that place has for the past several days been butchering and feeding to his boarders, horses purchased for the purpose.

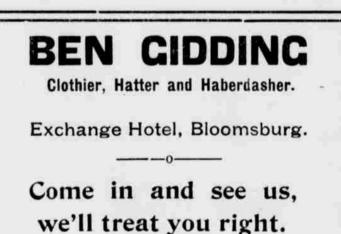
Who the man is the authorities did not wish to say. The only thing they would divulge about the matter was that they had received their information through one of the boarders, he claiming that he and about fifty other foreigners had eaten the horse flesh and that on Sunday a horse had been butchered

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WM. H. HIDLAY, Cashier.

MRS. JAMES D. POLLOCK.

have been extended and a system of paving, not yet completed or accepted from contractors, has been inaugurated which if added to each year, will result in making Bloomsburg what she now is to sidewalks the best paved town in the interior of the State.

The question of having the State assist in macadamizing of our streets has been taken up with the depart-ment, the recent Act providing that the State pays two thirds of such improvement.

The question of reduction of water for the town has been taken up with the Water Co., and from present indications a new contract will be entered into at a reduced price, that company after conference expressing a willingness so to do.

A movement to modify our form of government has been instituted which will do away with the "Annual Council' which has been for years educated at the town's expense, no matter how careful they were, and it has taken one mill of our tax each year because of this condition.

This matter is now in the hands of attorneys and a report can be expected in a very short time. "Any modification that provides years' term and will provide for recent legislation so necessary to municipalities our size, will work a wonderful change for the betterment of our town because no councilman can become familiar with his duties in one year and a change of this character will without ques-tion be an important factor in our number of local patrons as well as taxation.

Never in the history of Bloomscondition and the taxes were re- usual, it was fine. duced one mill the past year. All the improvements completed and many matters instituted and not addition to the general expenses. enthusizem, will bring success.

I trust that the year 1907 may I extend New Year greetings to produce no less results for the good our citizens. of our Bloomsburg and that the CLYDE CHARLES YETTER. is well qualified for the position.

tiff's statement.

William H. Conyngham, John A. Turner and Herbert N. Breese Co., partners, trading as the Pennsyl vania Supply Company vs. Berwick Consolidated Gas Company.

# MRS. SOBER.

Mrs. Aaron Sober of Danville died at her nome in that place on Monday morning last. She was the mother of Mrs. Dr. Henry Bierman.

The Danville Morning News says: "Mrs. Sober's whole life affords a beautiful example of Christian Cemetery; consideration \$53.40. womanhood. She was a fond and devoted wife and mother and yet her kind ministrations were felt beyond her tamily circle. In homes \$1000. darkened by sickness and sorrow, where help and sympathy were needed the most, there Mrs. Sober was always tound. Her kind ministrations and gracious motherly influence was felt throughout the en-tire community. That such a wo-man will be sorely missed, that her death will cause poignant grief, not only in her own fan 'y circle, but among all those who new and lov-

ed her, is a fact scarcely necessary to add. The funeral was held on Wednes-

day at 2 o'clock.

#### The Christmas Dance.

The holiday season would not be complete without the annual Christmas dance to add to the festivities. This function was held last Friday evening at the Exchange Hotel and several from out of town.

Oppenheim's Orchestra of Wilkburg were its finances in better es-Barre furnished music and as

contracted for during the year end- | completed may be consummated in ing have been provided for without the new year, and may we have borrowing a dollar. This includes concerted action in obtaining new the paying, the numerous brick industries. We should outline a crossings laid, installation of a policy of progressiveness which, if A. W. Snyder, the Mifflinville steam plant in the Town Hall, in carried out with persistency and merchant, has been appointed Mer-

P. D. Black and wife to Jesse A. Rhone for 70 acres and 150 perches in Jackson township; consideration \$212.81.

Fredick Stonge estate to Millard F. Cook for 2 tracts in Montour township; consideration \$620.

Ray J. Hoffman and wife to Sallie Hoffman for a half acre of land in Scott township; consideration \$400.

Jas. McCafferty to Mary McCafferty for lot in Centralia; consideration \$100.

Rosemont Cemetery Company to H. R. Reimard for lot in Rosemon t

Louise O'Blosser at al. to T. F. Hennessy for lot on West Main street near Leonard; consideration

J. H. Knouse and wife to Martha Messinger for piece of land in Jackson township; consideration \$50.

#### THE NEW SHERIFF.

C. B. Ent will enter upon his duties as sheriff next Monday. Having spent six years in the Court House as Register and Recorder, Mr. Ent is thoroughly familiar with the transaction of public business. He is popular with everybody, and we predict that he will make an excellent officer. With his genial manners he will probably be able to make those who come within his official grasp feel that he is doing them a favor when he sells them out or locks them up.

#### GOES TO ALTOONA.

Elwood G. Mateer will go to Altoona on January 10th to assume the position of manager of the Altoona district of the Bell Telephone Co. He has been the local manager since March, 1905, and has made many friends who will be sorry to have him leave.

#### Mercantile Appraiser.

A. W. Snyder, the Mifflinville cantile Appraiser by the county ionary Society of the M. E. church commissioners, for 1907. It is an and in the Sunday school, and was excellent selection, as Mr. Snyder a woman of rare accomplishments.

Irvin A. Snyder has purchased the City Hotel at Danville, and will make many improvements. He has been conducting the Exchange Hotel here for the past five years. Gehrad Snyder resumes the

#### Hosiery Mill Enlarged.

duties as proprietor of the Ex-

change, with his son William as

manager.

Ten thousand dollars have recently been expended on improvements at the Hosiery Mill, one of the town's newest industries. Twenty-three machines have just been added to the equipment and other improvements are to follow. The management is progressive and has produced a valuable plant.

#### STEREOPTICON EXHIBITION.

The T. Franklin Seiwell Stereopticon Company, o' Sau Francisco, will give an exhibition in P. O. S. of A. Hall, Lime Ridge, on Wednesday night, January 9th, and in Odd Fellows' Hall, Espy, on January 10th. They have a

January 19th will be the sixtyfirst anniversary of the founding of the VanCamp Lodge No 140 of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. It is planned to have initation ceremonies on that evening, followed by an informal social hour.

Mrs. S. C. Jayne of Berwick died suddenly at her home on Monday night. She is survived by her husband, cashier of the First National Bank of Berwick, by one son, J. Gere Jayne Esq. and five sisters. The deceased was active in the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A., in the Women's Foreign Miss-The funeral was held today.

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