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Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Lutz who have been visiting their son Frank on Long Island, have returned home.

Edward Elwell came home from Trinity College on Wednesday afternoon. He is now a member of the Junior class.

Electrical storms are quite frequent and sufficiently severe. They are getting busy quite early in the season.

W. O. Holmes' expense account filed in the Prothonotary's office shows that his campaign expenses were \$61.13.

Visiting cards and Wedding invitations at the COLUMBIAN office.

Prof. William Noetling of Selinsgrove was most cordially welcomed by his many friends at the Normal School exercises this week. For many years he was at the head of the Pedagogical department of the school.

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Miss Margaret E. Mussenman died at the home of her brother-in-law John Foulk in Orange township last Thursday. She was probably the oldest woman in the county, her age being 97 years, 4 months and 6 days.

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The graduating exercises of the Training School for Nurses at the Joseph Ratti Hospital were held in the Normal Auditorium last Thursday evening. A. Z. Schoch, President of the Board of Managers, presided, and a very interesting address was made by Dr. D. J. Waller. The graduates are Miss Thursa Drake, Miss Esther Geddis, and Miss Florence Gorrey.

Mrs. L. C. Williams died at her home on East street on Tuesday afternoon, after an illness of nine weeks. Her maiden name was Elizabeth Barkel, and she was born in England, coming to this country in childhood. Her age was 56 years, and she is survived by her husband and four children, Mrs. A. B. Black, Mrs. Howard Yetter, Ruby, and Benjamin. The funeral will take place Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

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David J. Tasker returned home last Thursday, having closed the season as manager of one of Lyman Howe's moving picture companies. He has been absent about ten months, and has traveled through many of the states west and south. His services are so highly appreciated by Mr. Howe, that when they settled up Mr. Howe made him a present of one hundred dollars. Mr. Tasker will spend most of the summer in Bloomsburg.

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MONEY IN TRUCK FARMS.

The abandoned farms of New England, New Jersey, New York and Pennsylvania, according to Col. Levi Wells, one of the dairy inspectors of the agricultural department, are rapidly being taken up by wealthy manufacturers and business men, who utilize them for summer homes. There is a great increase in the eastern states in the number of dairies and truck farms to be found near the great cities. As a matter of fact the farmers who bend their energies in this direction are making independent fortunes, for the great farms of the west have practically driven the eastern farms to the wall in the raising of grain crops and cattle. Through rotation of crops and a growing knowledge of the science of agriculture, the eastern farmers are reclaiming many farms that have been abandoned and which have been considered absolutely exhausted. In the opinion of Colonel Wells, the outlook, agriculturally, for the eastern states is brighter than it has been for half a century. —Scranton Tribune.

RATS A HELP TO ENGINEERS.

Pestiferous Rodents Put to a Good Use at Munich.
To enlist rats in the construction of telephone systems may sound like a very unscientific notion, but we have it on the authority of Neue Erfindungen und Erfahrungen that this odd arrangement was put into practice at Munich and that the familiar pest has been found a valuable assistant in this work.
To stimulate the rat, however, it was necessary to introduce his traditional enemy, the ferret. The process was simple. The subterranean tubes for the reception of the cables having been laid, a rat was let loose at the starting point. Having run a little way, a trained ferret with a string to his leg was turned in after him. The tubes ran into manholes at intervals, and the rat, furtively glancing back, sees the glaring eyes of his arch-foe rapidly approaching. By the end of the section of the tube the rat is either overtaken or falls into the manhole, and another rat is requisitioned to run the next block.
At the end of each section the string is removed from the ferret's leg and a small rope, which is then attached to the other end of the string, is hauled through. In turn a heavy cable, consisting of 200 or 300 wires, is attached to the rope and likewise hauled through the tube.
Presumably it was necessary to see that the rat received a liberal handicap, otherwise his opponent might catch him prematurely and dispatch him midway in the tube. The scheme was pronounced a great success.

Jail of Solid Rock.

Troglodytes of history have lived in their caves from choice. At Clifton, Graham County, Arizona, are a number of unwilling troglodytes who are kept within their rocky home by officers of the law. Clifton is one of the centers of copper mining in Arizona. In one sense it may be inferred that the queer jail has its advantages, for the temperature of that part of Arizona frequently rises in summer as high as one hundred and twenty degrees in the shade. But to revert to the jail itself:
It comprises four large apartments, hewn in the side of a hill of solid quartz rock. The entrance to the jail is through a box-like vestibule, built of heavy masonry, and equipped with three sets of gates of steel bars.
Here and there, in the rocky walls, holes have been blasted for windows, and in these apertures a series of massive bars of steel have been fitted firmly in the rock.
The floor of the rock-bound jail is of cement, and the prisoners are confined wholly in the larger apartments. In some places the wall of quartz about the jail is fifteen feet thick.
Some of the most desperate criminals on the southwest border have been confined in the Clifton jail, and so solid and heavy are the barriers to escape that no one there has ever attempted to break to freedom. The notorious "Black Jack" was there for months.

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COMMENCEMENT WEEK.

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THE BANQUET.

Shortly after two o'clock the dining room was thrown open and nearly 400 people sat down to partake of the banquet. Rev. Dr. Hemingway invoked the divine blessing.
The menu was as follows:
Strawberries Around Mounds of Sugar.
Nabisco Wafers.
Olives.
Sweet Pickles.
Jellied Veal, garnished with parsley Cold Ham.
Saratoga Chips.
Sliced Tomatoes, French Dressing.
Buttered Buns.
Fruit Punch.
Chicken Salad in Nest of Lettuce.
Butter Thins.
Saltine Wafers.
Neufchatel Cheese.
Neapolitan Ice Cream.
Fancy Cakes, Mixed Nuts.
Oranges.
Coffee.

Granville J. Clark '83, of Wilkes-Barre, presided as toast master in a most entertaining manner. The toasts and speeches were as follows: "Our Principal," response by Prof. G. E. Wilbur; Class of '82, Dr. Bierman; class of '97, Mrs. Martha Brugler Creasy; "Our Trustees," by Geo. E. Elwell; "Alma Mater and Alumni," by Dr. D. J. Waller; Class of '07, by Edward Lazarus. The speeches were good, and music was furnished between them by the school orchestra.

It was nearly five o'clock when the banquet closed, and it was one of the most memorable ones in the history of the school.

NORMAL COURSE.

Allabach, C. Millard, Anstock, Pearl D., Bacon, Bertha H., Baer, Bessie C., Barrett, Rose, Barrow, Mame, Best, Ella A., Bray, Morton H., Brobst, Carrie M., Brook, Margaret C., Brandage, Edna J., Buck, Olga L., Burrows, Ethel, Bush, Artemesia M., Campsie, Edith, Chamberlin, Anna J., Clancy, Elizabeth V., Cogswell, Bessie E., Conner, Helen, Conrad, Helen L., Coolbaugh, Ruth, Corby, Florence, Cramer, Cora E., Dailey, Margaret G., Dean, Alice, Delaney, Kathryn; Dever, Margaret, DeWitt, Harry, DeWitt, M. Lois, Dexter, Mabel A., Dino, John, Dino, Nicholas, Dodson, Harry A., Doty, Edythe A., Dreibelbis, Elizabeth V., Essick, Laura R., Evans, Elizabeth P., Evans, Virgie, Farnsworth, Margaret, Flynn, Evalyn, M. J., Franey, Irene, Gorrey, Helen, Gregg, Elizabeth, Griffith, Rae W., Hamlin, Rose J., Harris, John, Harter, Grace D., Henkelman, Gussie, Hess, Derl, Hess, Harriet, Hess, Harriet, Hess, Mary E., Higgins, Marie C., Hoppe, Blanche, Howard, Mae L., James, Lysod H., James, Susan W., Jenkins, Charlotte M., Johns, Norma A., Johns, S. Blanche, Jolly, E. Louise, Jones, Miriam E., Kelley, Mary A., Kitchen, Arvilla, Kline, Jennie T., Kline, Pearl, Knauss, Daisy, Koehler, Hazel C., Lamoreux, Ruth, Lazarus, Edwin, Lehman, Geo. M., Lesser, Lulu L., Lesser, Nellie E., Levan, Wm. C., Llewellyn, L. N., Lloyd, Justin, Lovering, Bertha, Marcy, Clarence A., Marcy, Howard N., Masteller, Helen, Mauser, Helen B., Maxey, Mae R., Meisberger, David T., Miller, Elda, Mitchell, Ada, Morgan, Mary, Moyer, Sadie R., Mullabey, Belle, Noble, Alma G., O'Brien, Margaret, Pritchard, Marjorie V., Quick, Reba H., Riegel, Lulu A., Rittenhouse, Laura, Roat, Helen L., Rodriguez, Antonio, Schwartzman, Eva T., Shaffer, Alice B., Shaw, Stella, Shultz, Horton R., Smith, Miriam I., Sterner, Bertha L., Todd, Genevieve, Tucker, Nellie, Vance, J. Gertrude, Wallace, Agnes F., Walters, Edith, Wanich, Myrtle C., Wardell, Helen L., Weaver, Mary E., Wells, Howard L., Welsh, Mabel, Wendt, Lillian, Westbooke, Blanche, Whitebread, Florence, Wingert, Blanche P., Wolfe, Anna, Wolfe, Esther A., Wolfert, Emma D., Zang, Minnie.

COLLEGE PREPARATORY COURSE.

Conner, Stanley, Dino, John, Frisbie, Katharine, Fritz, Charles C., Gross, Gertrude, Landis, Wm. B., McCreary, Frank, Merrill, Ernest, Moyer, Helen, Moyer, William, White, Joseph, Yeager, Clark.

COMMERCIAL COURSE.

Aspiazu, Eusebia S., Englehart, Paul H., Laubach, Murray, Reimard, Irene.

MUSIC COURSE.

Cousart, Josephine.

The curb stone market opened in good shape on Tuesday morning. There were a dozen or more wagons, and a fine variety of vegetables, and some strawberries.

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have the supreme satisfaction of knowing that his opponent will not hit back—although this may be a disadvantage rather than an advantage. To give the necessary rigidity to the head the latter is mounted upon a support, instead of swinging from a rod. The head moves freely in a socket and can be twisted in any direction. For amusement parlors an electric bell can be mechanically attached to the apparatus, the bell ringing when the head is punched sufficiently to correspond to a knockout.

Wall Papers and Nerves.

There has lately been a suggestion that black wall paper might have a soothing effect on the nerves of those to whom the overgliding and decoration of rooms has become mania, but it is more than doubtful that such subtle surroundings would ever become popular. Our walls have more to do with our good spirits than many people imagine, and I know of one instance recently where the head of a household, not very long a benedict, has taken an inveterate dislike to his abode. Though he is not aware of the fact, the aversion is no doubt inspired by the dining room paper which he himself chose, overriding the opinion of his wife, whose achievements in regard to drawing room and bedrooms were all marked successes. The dining room, dark in aspect, to begin with, is papered in a dull, dark blue paper, artistic enough in its way, but not by any means conducive to hilarity, says Woman's Life. In London, unless for so many months, we need all the light and stimulation of sun obtainable, and many a wall paper is to be had which combines artistic feeling with cheerfulness. There are few things harder to choose successfully than wall papers, so many things have to be considered.

Mileage of the Human Blood.

The speed at which the blood circulates in the veins and arteries of a healthy man is something surprising. All day long, year in and year out, the round trips continue from the heart to the extremities and back again. The red blood corpuscles travel like boats in a stream, going to this or that station for such service as they have to perform; and the white corpuscles, the phagocytes, dart hither and thither like patrol boats, ready to arrest any contraband cargo of disease germs.

The mileage of the blood circulation reveals some astounding facts in our personal history. Thus it has been calculated that, assuming the heart to beat sixty-nine times a minute at ordinary heart pressure, the blood goes at the rate of two hundred and seven yards in the minute, or seven miles per hour, one hundred and sixty-eight miles per day and six thousand three hundred and twenty-four miles per year. If a man of eighty-four years of age could have one single blood corpuscle floating in his blood all his life it would have travelled in that same time five million one hundred and fifty thousand eight hundred and eight miles.

The Stormy Equinoxes.

The popular belief that storms are more frequent about the time of the equinoxes, or when the sun crosses the line, in March and September, receives some slight degree of support from the recent investigations of European scientists, states an expert of the Weather Bureau. "In Northwestern Europe March is the stormiest month, while in the British Islands and Norway January takes the lead in that respect; but, considering Europe as a whole, it appears that storms preponderate near the seasons of the equinoxes."

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