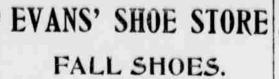
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### THE COLUMBIAN. BLOOMSBURG, PA. THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1907

Samuel at the Post Office, Bloomsburg, Pa.

Mifflin township.

A fine new line of Wedding in-vitations just received at this office.

on Wednesday.

Carl Brown is home for the holidays, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Brown.

Souvenir Post Cards are printed at this office. Half tones supplied.

Mr. and Mrs. William Loverett of Philadelphia spent Christmas here with relatives.

Reginald Hemingway, instructor in mathematics at State College, is home for the holidays.

Col. A. D. Seely will have charge of the Mummers' parade at Berwick on New Year's Day.

Mrs. Shaw and son of Philadelphia are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Foulke on Iron street.

Joe W. Armstrong of Scranton spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Armstrong.

Over one hundred Italians have left West Berwick during the past month, to return to the old country. Many more are expected to go soon.

and Mrs. Luther will be the guests ural work will be done, and the of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Elwell public will be invited to visit the next week.

ed in the Manual Training Depart- and later examine the final results ment at the Normal School, to run of the care of this model orchard the machinery. A gasoline engine for the year. The work of inspec-has been used heretofore. tion and demonstration comes

The wise person always profits by of the banks drew his \$600 from two persons were sent to jail. The to the flume in a beet sugar factory Jacob Geisinger of Forks, an old where he was working. It came ed into granulated sugar. The and among a certain type of for-banks from which they drew the eign element that most of the fish money have all along and are today law violations are to be found. as sound as the rock of Gibraltar,

ready to pay out every dollar on thousand dollars.

State to Aid Orchard Men.

To Carry Demonstrations Throughout the Year Permanent Demonstration Orchards.

State Zoologist Surface has prepared plans for giving practical and definite help to the orchard grow- trol, and this cannot be done thorers of this State, which will be of greater value to all persons concerned. The chief feature of these plans will be to carry demonstrations throughout the entire year, priations to hatcheries. showing how to treat some centrally located orchard in each fruitgrowing district for all the pests and diseases that will be liable to attack it, and produce the most perfect fruit at the least necessary expense. These demonstration a year. orchards will be selected at sites The easily available for the public, and announcements will be made, giv-Dr. F. S. Luther, President of Trinity College, Hartford, Conn., thinning fruit and other horticultdemonstration orchards at these

and other times and see for them-An electric motor will be install- selves how the work is performed,

may have an opportunity for them-

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one year to one address and send

The executive committee of the

Pennsylvania Federation of Liquor

dealers, at a meeting in Wilkes

Barre on Thursday, adopted a res-

olution declaring the present high

license law the best means for reg-

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\$5,000 or New Trial.

In the case of John B. Kraft, the

Hazleton newspaper man, who re-

the United States Express compa-

ny, Judge Archibald at Scranton

granted a rule upon the defendant

ordering him to accept \$5,000 or d

CASTORIA.

covered a verdict of \$7,000 against

ulating the liquor traffic.

both for \$3.50.

January 1st.

### FISH CULTURE.

State Commissioner Meehan Points Out the Growth of the Work of This Department.

The State board of fishery commission held its annual meeting at Philadelphia Saturday. Fish Commissioner Meehan submitted a report showing that the work of the her Christmas dinner with her commission for 1907 shows a marked increase over the work in 1906.

year aggregates the total of 663,-295,524, about two-thirds greater than the output of 1906. The State department is working in harmony with the national government and the outlook for 1908 is for a much greater output.

The fish protective work has been very satisfactory. The total number of arrests for violation of the fish the experience of others. A Michi- laws were 536. Total convictions, gan farmer who had become afraid 477; total acquittals, 59; twentythe bank and deposited it in the amount of fines imposed was \$14,-J. C. Brown has sold his farm in ifflin township. from the bauk and carried it in his of the violations were for infrac-pocket. A few days later he acci-tions of the fish basket law, the pocket. A few days later he acci-dently dropped the "\$400" wad in-gigging laws and improper taking der of her two children. We have of fish by drawing off dams. It is among those who fish for the mar-Jacob Geisinger of Forks, an old where he was working. It came among those who fish for the mar-and valued subscriber, was in town out at the end of the flume convert- ket or for the table and petty sales of Patrick Cook, the other with

There are 154 special wardens and nine regular wardens, includdeposit. The men are out just one ing the chief warden, and of this number it was necessary only to dismiss three for unsatisfactory conduct. The commissioner says that bills for verdicts of not guilty." the appropriation for warden service is only sufficient to employ uiue men, although the law auhorizes the appointment of twelve-As a consequence, each warden has from seven to eight counties to paoughly. He therefore, asks for more wardens. The commissioner also recommends that the legisla-ture be asked to increase the appro-

### HERE AND THERE.

The Italian State lottery has dis-

plant three saplings.

By emigration Europe loses 960,-000 natives every year, and in the same period 200,000 return.

There are 8,000 chemists in the United States and a very large proportion of these are employed in industrial work.

The value of the shipping passing through the Suez canal in the year ie \$55,000,000, and ourse of a

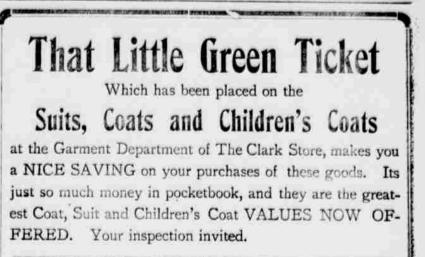
### MRS. CAREY FREE OF MURDER CHARGES.

Mrs. Bridget Carey, who was re-cently acquitted in Philadelphia of the charge of murdering her two children, was on Monday formally treed from the additional charges of having killed Patrick and Cecelia Cook, and released in time to eat cousin, Mrs. Bridget McDonald. On behalf of the Commonwealth In fish culture the output this Assistant District Attorney Gray admitted that the evidence in the Cook cases was not so strong as in the case of the children, and that it was useless to go before a jury. Sympathetic neighbors and relatives were on hand to greet the woman as soon as she was discharged, and all expressed confidence in her innocence.

The final scene of her protracted ordeal took only a few moments. Immediately after the Court opened, Assistant District Attorney Gray, without preliminary formali-ty, made this brief statement to Judge Carr :

"If your Honor pleases, I have a motion to make with regard to the case of Mrs. Bridget Carey, who two remaining bills of indictment, the murder of Cecelia Cook. We have thoroughly and carefully in-vestigated each of these cases, and find that there is not as much evidence as there was in the case of the children. There is not sufficient evidence to go before a jury. We desire, therefore, to submit the

As the defense had no objections to this procedure, the two bills were at once submitted, and verdicts of not guilty taken. Then followed the demonstration of sympathy. Mrs. Carey stepped from the prisoner's dock, a free woman, and, lay-ing her head on the shoulder of Mrs. McDouald, burst into tears. A brief talk with her attorney, Edwin M. Abbott, followed, while the Court clerk made out her formal discharge. Mrs. Carey was then surrounded by twenty or more ad-miring friends and neighbors, grasping her hand and expressing joy at her release. One aged wotributed as high as \$10,000,000 in a year. The laws of Norway compel a man who chops down one tree to line about the neck and kissed her repeatedly. Then the crowd liter-ally swept her toward the door and into the corridor of the door and into the corridor, where she was deluged with congratulatory words. As she went away with her cousin, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. Carey expressed her satisfaction and thanks to the District Attorney for releasing her in time to eat her Christmas dinner in time to eat her Christmas dinner in freedom. "I have no hard feelings," she added, "against those who have prosecut-ed me. I suppose they thought they were doing right. But even



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Two for the Price of One: THE COLUMBIAN

As usual at this season the two express companies were rushed with Caristmas packages. With two wagons each they were able to handle all the traffic promptly.

Blaine Saltzer is now playing the piano at Dreamland, and singing solos, which adds much to the pleasure of the entertainment. He makes his music fit the pictures.

Monday was a gloomy, wet, foggy day, and somewhat interfered with selves to see the final results of this the Christmas trade. However kind of work. judging from the numbers of people with packages, and the crowded condition of the stores for the past week, the merchants are not complaining.

Commissioners' Clerk A. B. Black has a fine library, and is con- and the Safety Razor is \$8.00. The stantly adding to it. He recently received a consignment of 31 books from London, all of them being old and rare volumes, one of which is said to date back to 1327. It is a manuscript.

A young man who was walking through the second floor of Pursel's store the other day saw a young lady whom he thought he recognized, and he very politely tipped his hat. Receiving no response he approached closer, and when he found it was only a lay figure he blushed all to himself.

For the drivers of funeral cabs to smoke either eigars or a pipe while driving to or from the church or cemetery with mourners in their cabs, is very bad taste to say the least. If they don't know any better somebody ought to tell them. It is a practice of too frequent occurrence in Bloomsburg.

Services at the M. E. Church on new trial would be ordered. Sunday were largely attended. Some interesting exercises were shown that Kraft had agreed, before the trial, to accept \$1,500. He held by the Sunday school in the morning, including vocal solos by was injured by being struck by an Mrs. Knies, and C. O. Skeer, a express wagon at Hazleton. chalk talk by Fred Holmes, and an address by M. I. Low. In the evening 1300 people were present. An orchestra of 16 pieces augmented Bagnature the organ. the organ.

the great bulk of this is English. through the office of the State

Saturday is the busy day of the zoologist and has reached and helped thousands of persons in this London firemen. In ten years State, and there is such a demand London had 3,393 Saturday fires, against 3,002 on Monday, the day for the local demonstrations that these will not be dropped during they were least frequent.

the spring, but the permanent de-William Cox, a trainman, was monstration orchard will be added pinned fast for two hours under the as a new feature. It is probable wreckage of three freight cars in a that the demonstration orchards wreck at McCauley, Columbia will be continued during more than county, yet escaped without injury. one year in order that the public

The average sperm whale is about 59 feet long and weighs 110,000 pounds, and will yield 60,000 blubber (from which 48,000 pounds of train oil can be made and 3,000 pounds of whalebone.)

Order The Philadelphia Press Jesse L. Livermore, the plunger Daily, one year, and they will send who cleaned up \$3,000,000 in Wall you a Safety Razor with it. The value of The Daily Press one year street, and now has 300,000 bales of cotton, is only 28. Ten years and the Safety Razor is \$8.00. The ago he was marking prices on the Press makes the unheard of offer of board of a Boston broker's office.

Mrs. Elizabeth Vasbinder has passed the century mark, yet lives alone near Phillipston, Clarion county, does her own housework and is able to read and thread a the Safety Razor to another if desired. The offer is good only to needle without the use of glasses.

> The magnificent New Calvary Protestant Episcopal church in Pittsburg, erected at a cost of \$550,000, the finest in this country outside of New York, was dedicated with imposing services on Thursday. trial.

At the age of 60 years Thomas McGuire, of North Scranton, was presented with his twenty-first child on Wednesday night. Of their

twenty-one children nineteen are living and all are enjoying good The line includes drug envelopes,

ealth. Forty chickens were stolen a few sizes, number 6, 6½, 6¾, 9, 10 health. nights ago from Mrs. Mahala and 11, catalog, &c. Prices range Craig's hennery in Berwick, but from \$1.50 per 1000 printed, up to she found a watch in the hen \$5.00. Largest stock in the counhouse. This was traced to M. ty to select from. Gries and he has been arrested for

This action was taken as it was the theft.

There are 1,454 applications for liquor license in Schuylkill county this year, which is about 20c less than last year, when only about 1,100 were granted. Half the applicants this year have remonstrances against them.

the witnesses against me must have known I was innocent. I expect to live with my cousin, Mrs. Mc-Donald, for the present."

She made a more complete statement of her plans to Mrs. Anna Melloy, next door to Mrs. Carey's old home. Mrs. Melloy was in the Court room and accompanied her part way to her new home. "Mrs. Carey told me she would not return to Hamilton street," said Mrs. Melloy later, "but would probably go up the State to her old home at Centralia, Columbia county, after a few days. She said the attendants at the prison had been very kind, helped her to get sewing work and showed her consideration in every way. She seemed stouter and in better health than formerly. Awful Death Harvest in Coal Mines. The sympathy of all her neighbors was with Mrs. Carey, and, knowing her for years, we could not be-

lieve that she would deliberately kill her little children." Mrs. Rebecca Welsh, who now

In the last 17 years 22,840 men Mrs. Carey lived at the time her have given up their lives in the two children died, was another mines of this country. As many neighbor who went down to the violent deaths have occurred in the Court room to bid Mrs. Carey Godmines during the last six years as speed. She confirmed the stateduring the preceding 11 years. The ment that Mrs. Carey would not return to Hamilton street, and also that her neighbors generally believed her innocent. She was only

sorry that she had not been called to testify for Mrs. Carey at the

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sions may be expected to continue has already proven prophetic, for since the words were written there have been three mine explosions, costing nearly 500 lives, one in

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that an increase in the number and

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of the Interior Department.

#### ELECTION NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stoc khold-ers of the Bloomsburg National Bank, of Bloomsburg, Pa., for the election of directors for the ensuing year, will be held at their banking room. Tuesday, January 14th, 1908, between the hours States are killing three times as

of 11 and 12 a. m. WM. H. HIDLAY, 12-12-4t Cashier.

Bloomsburg, Pa.

### ELECTION NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the Stockhold-ers of The Farmers' National Bank of Bloomsburg, Pa., for the election of Di-rectors will take place at their banking room, Tuesday, January 14th, 1908, be-tween the hours of 2 and 4 p. m. M. MILLEISEN, Cashier

Cashier

### ELECTION NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the policy hold rs of the Briarcreek Farmers' Muty The annual meeting of the policy h ers of the Briarcreek Parmers' Mul Insurance Company of Lime Ridge, 1 will be held at the hall of Centre Gra No, 56 P. of H on Tuesday, Jan 14th, 1908 between the hours of 10 a and 2 p. m, for the election of ty Directors to serve for the ensuing and for the transaction of such and for the transaction of such business as may properly come said meeting.

H. H. BROWN Secr

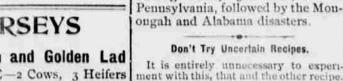
#### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE Estate of Martha F. Hartman, late of Bi

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burg, Descared.

Notice is hereby given that letter tamentary on the estate of Mart Hartman, late of Bloomsburg, Co of Columbia, Pa., have been grant A. N. Yost, to whom all persons in ed to said estate are requested to payment, and those having el demands will make known th without delay.

A. N.



Gct from your grocer, for 10 cents, a package of "OUR-PIE" Preparation— Lemon, Chocolate or Custard—for mak-ing pies that are sure to be good. 12-12-4t (1-21-6t.

number of fatal accidents each year is now double that of the year 1895. 12-5-4t. In 1906 6861 men were killed or injured in the mines, the killed numbering 2061, and the injured 4800.

Three Times as Great in Proportion as in The coal mines of the United

conducts a boarding house where