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THE COLUMBIAN.

BLOOMSBURG, PA. THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 1908. Entered at the Post Office, Bloomsburg, Pa., as second class matter, March 1, 1888.

E. B. Brower is repainting his residence on Normal Hill.

The front porch of the Heddens Hotel on Iron street is being rebuilt.

E. J. Brown is marketing a fine lot of cantaloupes from his patch on Market street below eighth.

The planks are laid on the Millville bridge, and it is now being crossed by teams and automobiles.

Geo. S. Fleckenstine of Orangeville is making some extensive alterations and improvements to his store.

The Water Company is laying a new ten inch main on Fifth street. Thirty men are working on the ditch.

Hon. Fred Ikeler has been invited to deliver an address at the dedication of a new school building at Kingston.

Edmund Savage placed a new soda fountain in his store last Saturday. It is a beauty, and the largest one in town.

Two new meat markets have recently been opened in town. No trouble to get meat, providing you have the wherewithal.

James Magee has awarded the contract to Reimard Bros. for the erection of two double houses, on Fifth and Sixth streets.

Mrs. Charles Ball, sister of our townsman John Cross, died at her home in Nanticoke on Monday. She formerly resided here.

William Leverett, Esq., of Philadelphia, who has been spending a two weeks' vacation here with relatives, returned home on Sunday.

W. S. Reed has sold over 5,000 watermelons during the season. He has been very generous with them, having given feasts to the Wheelmen, the Bible Union, and hundreds of small boys.

Not so very many years ago there were only two soda fountains in town, and one of them quit business because it did not pay. Now there are seven, and all seem to be doing a good trade. The soda habit is surely on the increase.

Last Saturday evening was like fair time on Main street. Everybody and his family were out, and there was standing room only at the picture shows. At Rinker's music was furnished by Elwell's orchestra, and the place was thronged.

Dr. J. W. Bruner has gone on a trip of two weeks, and will visit some of the large hospitals of the west. He will spend some time at Mercy Hospital, Chicago, and will also visit the Mayo Brothers at Rochester, Minn., who are reported to be among the best surgeons in the country.

The difference between the old days of our fathers and the present is graphically condensed by Editor William Hayes Grier, of The Columbia Independent, as follows: "A good many years ago, when a boy was whipped at school, he received another whipping when he went home, but in these days the father and mother wipe his tears away and go and whip the teacher."

Albra W. Baker, M. D., HOMEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON

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"THE HALL OF CHRIST."

The Aula Christi, or Hall of Christ, the only building of its kind in the world, is nearly ready for dedication at Chautauqua, N. Y. Because of the use to which it will be put it will attract world-wide attention. It has been erected at a cost of about \$40,000, and is constructed of stone, steel, white Roman brick and white terra cotta.

In this building are to be collected all the books which have been written upon the life of Christ and a vast library dealing with interpretations of Christ, and Christ in ethics, in social science and in modern civilization.

All the engravings of Christ which the art of ages has brought within reach will be collected in another room of the building, and will be kept in large drawers built for the purpose, and where any one of the photographs, engravings or other pictures will be easily accessible to those making a study of them.

The windows of the new building are of historic significance, presenting in chronological order events in the life of Christ. Within these most appropriate surroundings courses of study in the life, words and deeds of Jesus and in the results from his teachings will be conducted for old and young. A main audience room also provides for the holding of appropriate meetings. A curator and adviser will be in charge of the library and the engravings.

This new building is the cherished idea of Bishop John H. Vincent, and was first proposed by him in 1893 to symbolize to the world the Christ idea as to the central and dominant thought of Chautauqua and to afford an appropriate place for the study of the life and teachings of Jesus in all their bearings—Biblical, theological, personal, ethical and social. Bishop Vincent further said: "The Hall is a symbol, a representation of home and church circles, scattered all over the land devoted to the same work, the study of the Christ—it is again a place of worship of the Christ—a service of silence, of sacred song, of readings, of prayer and meditation; a place for reverent, honest and frequent study of Christ as a personal Saviour."

The erection of this building represents the gifts of hundreds. The largest single contributions to the work have been \$10,000 from the Massey estate in Toronto, \$5,000 from Miss Helen Gould and \$3,000 from the estate of N. T. Arnold. The last \$10,000 necessary to its completion was raised in the great audience at the recent exercises at Chautauqua, in observation of "Old First night." The first meeting was held in the new building, Monday, August 17. The formal dedication will not take place until next summer.

For headache Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills. Book on Social Sins.

Joseph Medill Patterson, the son of the editor of the Chicago Tribune, related to a dozen of the richest and most socially prominent families in the United States, has written a book called "A Little Brother of the Rich." It is sensational to a degree in its theme, daring in its treatment and brutally frank in its language, lashing society and its alleged practices as it was never scourged before.

Summed up in a sentence, Mr. Patterson's book presents a picture of New York society and incidentally of the stage, which, if it were true, is too vile and revolting for words.

According to "A Little Brother of the Rich," every fashionable woman drinks to excess, is untrue to her marriage vows, is animated by absolutely no thought except vulgar display, the gratification of animal passion and insatiable greed for money, and cares nothing for the means by which this money be obtained.

Wonder what kind of company Joseph has been keeping? His warped ideas could not have been formed from association with the great mass of noble American women. He must have based his conclusions on his knowledge of the ultra-fashionable millionaires of Chicago, Newport, and New York, with whom scandals and divorces are an everyday occurrence.

Married at Catawissa.

Miss Ella Ida, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Robbins of Catawissa, was married to Carl P. Reifsnnyder at her home, last Thursday evening, at 6 o'clock. Rev. Dr. S. C. Swallow of Harrisburg, performed the ceremony. A number of guests were present, among them being Dr. and Mrs. I. W. Willits, and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Demaree. A fine dinner was served, Mrs. Dodson catering. There were beautiful decorations and numerous gifts.

DEEDS RECORDED.

The following deeds have recently been entered on record by Recorder of Deeds Frank W. Miller:

Whitney L. Cain and wife to Samuel B. Kelchner for a lot of ground situated on Iron street in the Borough of West Berwick.

Harry A. Hess and wife to Hiram A. Kline for a lot of ground situated in Jonestown, Columbia county.

Stephen Smoyer and wife to A. C. Smoyer for 82 acres of land situated in Main township.

Stephen Smoyer and F. K. Smoyer administrators of Samuel Smoyer, deceased, to Nathan Hoffnagle for 82 acres of land situated in Millfin township.

Nathan Hoffnagle and wife to Stephen Smoyer and F. K. Smoyer for 82 acres of land situated in Millfin township.

Nathan Miller to Franklin L. Miller for 4 acres and 89 perches of land situated in Main township.

W. H. Rhoades to Emanuel Rhoades and Sarah Rhoades for 28 1/2 acres of land situated in Cleveland township.

John W. Bowman et al to Hiram Hayes Bowman for 90 acres and 29 perches of land situated in Orange township.

Isaiah Bower and wife to Wellington Williams for a lot of ground situated in Briar Creek township.

Berwick Land and Improvement Co. to Andrew Foulde for a lot of ground on the northerly side of Freas avenue, West Berwick.

Dorothy A. Swepchenheiser to W. J. Hosler for 10 acres of land situated in Millfin township.

BRYAN CLUB.

Will Organize Tonight.

County Chairman J. H. Mercer has secured the Midway, and a meeting will be held tonight at 8 o'clock for the purpose of organizing a Democratic Club. It is expected that brief speeches will be made by Congressman McHenry, Hon. John G. Harman, C. A. Small, Esq., and W. C. Johnston, Esq.

Suit for Big Damages.

Responsibility of Electric Light Companies.

Ten thousand dollars damages is asked by Howard Sornberger, son of Frederick Sornberger, of Williamsport who on the evening of June 9th last came in contact with a live wire on Park avenue, Williamsport, and received injuries which nearly resulted in his death. Suit against the Locomotive Electric company has been instituted for the plaintiff. In the statement filed it is claimed that the Locomotive Electric company was negligent in that they allowed the insulation of the wires to deteriorate and to be worn off by the action of the elements and allowed the bare and unguarded wires to become exposed. A wire of the United American Telephone company became attached, it is claimed, and hung over the uninsulated wires of the defendant company to within a few feet of the ground and the plaintiff in attempting to push it aside received the injuries complained of.

Make Use of Your Leisure Time.

If you have an hour to spend each day don't idle it away, for time is valuable. It will pay you to write to the Circulation Department of "The Philadelphia Press," mentioning this paper and they will send you an interesting book of advice, telling how to make use of your spare moments and how to make a considerable sum of money for a little work you can do very easily. A postal card will bring this information to you. Don't put it off, write at once for it will mean dollars to you. Address Circulation Department, "The Press," Seventh and Chestnut Sts., Philadelphia.

First Horse Across.

The horse of Dr. H. V. Hower of Millfinville was the first one to go across the Millfinville bridge. It was driven by Dr. Drum.

A. C. Lacey, father of Mrs. John Hummer died in Warren, Pa., on Tuesday, aged 86 years. He was apparently in robust health, and only the day before, he went from his home in Titusville to Warren on a visit.

INSTRUCTION IN MUSIC.

Chas. P. Elwell announces that he will be pleased to receive all former pupils on violin and piano-forte, as well as new ones. Latest and best methods.

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A fine new line of Wedding invitations just received at this office.

Tallest Tower; Biggest Clock.

When the clock is placed in the tower of the Metropolitan Life building in New York City, it will have the largest timepiece in the world. The diameter of the dial will be 27 feet. The letters on the dial will be 4 feet high, and the hands 12½ feet long. The next largest clock in existence is "Big Ben," in Westminster Abbey, London which has a dial of 22 1/2 feet in diameter.

February in 1908.

The calendar of 1908 shows a peculiarity in February not often to be seen. The first day of February fell upon a Saturday and the last of the month happens on the same day of the week. In February of 1908, therefore, there are five Saturdays. Similar conditions only happen once in 28 years.

Where Impoliteness Reigns.

New York men have just earned the reputation of being less polite in their treatment of women in public conveyances than are the men of other cities. Figures obtained from other cities show an average of 13 per cent of men seated while women are standing, and New York City shows about 70 per cent.

Longevity in Turkey.

According to the Medical Record Turkey's climate is productive of great longevity, or at least has that reputation. In Kent Baghthea (presumably in Turkey) there is said to be now living at the advanced age of 134 years a government book-binder, whose father was 142 years old when he died.

Charity.

Chariton county has the most charitable citizen. While sawing logs he ruled a saw by striking a horseshoe which was imbedded in one of them. Still, he says he hopes the shoe brought good luck to whoever nung it on the tree years ago.—Kansas City Times.

The Stumragers.

These European rummage sales of unpretentious title, personages will keep up just as long as American nerves think that there is more in a title than in a man.—Poughkeepsie Star.

U. S. DISPENSATORY

Describes the Principal Ingredients Contained in Pe-ru-na.

Are we claiming too much for Peruna when we claim it to be an effective remedy for chronic catarrh? Have we abundant proof that Peruna is in reality such a catarrh remedy? Let us see what the United States Dispensatory says of the principal ingredients of Peruna.

Take, for instance, the ingredient hydrastis canadensis, or golden seal. The United States Dispensatory says of this herbal remedy, that it is largely employed in the treatment of depraved mucous membranes, chronic rhinitis (nasal catarrh), atonic dyspepsia (catarrh of the stomach), chronic intestinal catarrh, catarrhal jaundice (catarrh of the liver), and in diseased mucous membranes of the pelvic organs. It is also recommended for the treatment of various forms of diseases peculiar to women.

Another ingredient of Peruna, corydalis formosa, is classed in the United States Dispensatory as a tonic. So also is cubebs classed as a stomachic and as a tonic for the mucous membranes.

Cedron seeds is another ingredient of Peruna, an excellent drug that has been very largely overlooked by the medical profession for the past fifty years. The seeds are to be found in very few drug stores. The United States Dispensatory says of the action of cedron that it is used as a bitter tonic and in the treatment of dysentery, and in intermittent diseases as a substitute for quinine.

Oil of copaiba, another ingredient of Peruna, is classed by the United States Dispensatory as a mild stimulant and diuretic. It acts on the stomach and intestinal tract. It acts as a stimulant on the genito-urinary membranes. Useful in chronic cystitis, chronic dysentery and diarrhea, and some chronic diseases of the liver and kidneys.

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In Jocular Vein.

Cholly Chumpleigh—"Would you leave your happy home for me?" Miss Caustique—"Yes, if I saw you coming and the back door wasn't locked."—Syracuse Herald.

Angry Mother (suddenly entering parlor and catching young music teacher kissing her daughter)—"Young man, is this what I pay you for?" Music Teacher—"No, ma'am; I make no charge for this."—Florida Times-Union.

Overheard near the Albert Hall during the Pan-Anglican Congress in London: She—"Tell me, Archie what brings all these clergymen together here?" Archie (of wide knowledge)—"Oh, why—aw—they have to meet like this now and again, don't cher know, to exchange sermons!"—London By-stander.

"Have you read the platform of our party?" "Yes," answered Farmer Corntossel. "What do you think of it?" "It's a good platform. But what I want to know is why politics should be the only business that allows a man to collect in advance on the strength of his good intentions?"—Washington Star.

"So it was a case of love at first sight?" "Yep; but the first sight was at her bank book!"—Syracuse Herald.

A woman calls anybody a rival who tries to have better clothes than hers.—New York Press.

Miss Oldgirl—"What do you think of Fred proposing to me when he hasn't known me a week?" Miss Frank—"I think that's the reason."—Brooklyn Eagle.

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Items of Interest to Farm Folk.

A tract of cedar consisting of fifty-four acres was sold at public auction in Tennessee recently to the Eagle Pencil Company for \$9,964. This was said to be the finest tract of cedar in Tennessee. It was the largest cedar deal that has been made for years.

One reason why you should practise a well-planned rotation of crops is that it results in economy of labor. If properly arranged, the work on one crop will partially prepare the soil for the next crop, and, too, the work is more evenly distributed throughout the year by having a variety of crops.

Many truck farmers and fruit growers succeed in producing good crops, but fail to get a satisfactory price for their products because they do not use the best methods in selling them. Several of the state experiment stations have been devoting some attention to a study of this problem and can give you some valuable information concerning grading, packing and marketing your valuable crops.

By applying to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., you can have your name placed on the list of those receiving the monthly announcement of the government publications that are ready for distribution. From this list you can select and write for any publication which you desire.

Are you planning to build a new barn or remodel the old one? If so, make ample provision for the entrance of sunlight and fresh air. Eliminate all the dark, damp corners, and you will have provided against many of the ills that are liable to come to your live stock. —August Farm and Fireside.