Post's Scholarship Prizes.

FREE TUITION.

Board, Heat, Washing, Furn'shed Room, Light use of Gymnasium, use of text books and Library and manual training for one scholastic year of 42 weeks at the Bloomsburg State Normal School will be divided between two persons to be selected by the readers of this paper.

FIRST PRIZE.

The person receiving the most votes will be entitled to a scholarship of two terms or 28 weeks including Tuition, Board and everything mentioned above.

SECOND PRIZE.

The person receiving the next highest number of votes will receive the second prize, being a scholarship for 14 weeks at the same school. This includes Tuition, Board and everything mentioned above.

The first prize is worth $139.00. The second is worth $69.50. This offer eclipses our former magnanimous offer and should bring to the front all teachers and others who are anxious to better prepare themselves for life's great duty. Every issue of the Post contains a blank ballot or voting coupon. Any person can vote as often as he or she pleases, but they must use the voting coupon below or a premium coupon issued by the editor of this paper for services rendered in its behalf. Eighteen premium coupons will be issued for every new cash yearly subscriber to this paper. Should any of the subscribers of the Post feel sufficiently interested in the welfare of any contestant and pay up all arrearages on subscription and one year in advance the subscriber is entitled to twelve premium coupons or one coupon for every month paid in advance. The premium coupons will be credited to whomsoever the subscriber names. *It must be understood that no contestant is authorized to dun subscribers for money.* Subscribers will confer a favor by reporting any persons who disregard this request.

The Teachers' Contest.

The interest in the Post's Prize Contest continues to increase. It would not be fair at this time to disclose how the vote stands, yet all the readers should know for whom votes are deposited. The names follow in alphabetical order:

Baney, Michael, Kantz.
Charles, Edwin, Port Treverton.
Gill, A. W., Middleswarth.
Keller, Laura, Adamsburg.
Kuhn, William, Shamokin Dam.
Landis, C. W., Freeburg.
Livingston, Lizzie, Selinsgrove.
Renninger, H. S., Franklin Township.
Specht, Charles, E., Swineford.
Uplinger, D. F., Mt. Pleasant Mills.
Zechman, W. I., Troxelville.

Other names will be added from time to time as soon as the number of votes will justify.

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ness for society. In fact, he had s[illegible] liously avoided the other residents [illegible] the house, and, perhaps, it was f[illegible] that reason that he scorned the el[illegible] vator, preferring to bound up t[illegible] marble stairs to his cosy rooms [illegible] the third floor. This habit great[illegible] amused his young brother, Ellio[illegible] who shared his home and any oth[illegible] comforts that the gods or John p[illegible] vided. Elliott was a happy-go-luc[illegible] artist, whose profession had not [illegible] yet brought him an income.

When John entered the pretty [illegible] he found [illegible] brother putting the finishing touc[illegible] to what he was pleased to call [illegible] "ideal head."

"Hello! Jack. I've been wait[illegible] ages for you. Shall we dine at [illegible] Albemarle to-night?"

"Why, no. I am going to [illegible] Writers' Club, so you must look [illegible] for yourself this evening."

"Well, all right, only look at th[illegible] moment before you dress. Don't [illegible] think there is something sweet in [illegible] expression?"

John walked to the easel [illegible] glanced carelessly at the sketch, ra[illegible] er bored to be forced to spend t[illegible] on one of Elliott's many daubs. [illegible] for once his attention was arres[illegible] something in the light brown eyes [illegible] pealed to him, and as he studied [illegible] face it seemed more and more to [illegible] speech his friendliness, at least. [illegible] waving, chestnut hair, the delice[illegible]

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Thursday, June 27, 1895.

Flinn's Road Bill.

Senator Flinn's road bill practically abolishes all previous legislation affecting country roads, and provides another system. It authorizes the county commissioners, whenever they deem it necessary, to survey and make plans of the roads in the townships within their counties, for repairs or improvements, with permission to levy a road tax, and improve the highways on a petition, which must be approved by the Grand Jury and the Court. The law is not mandatory.

After going through the court procedure the commissioners are given the right to proceed to view and take for the county any property necessary for roads, subject to a system of appeals and exceptions. The bill provides for the appointment of a Board of Viewers in event of the commissioners being unable to agree with property owners, at $5 per day, whose report is also subject to exceptions for thirty days after being filed. The court has power to confirm, modify, or alter the report.

The bill also provides that bids must be regularly taken on all improvements made, contracts to go to the lowest and best bidder. It applies to county bridges as well as roads.

The bill does not permit a levy of more than two mills for road building purposes. All roads or parts thereof remain under the charge of the Township Supervisors, as at present, until the commissioners' report, or the report of the viewers, covering their improvements is confirmed by the Court. Then they become public county roads, and the Supervisors are relieved from their care.

It is not expected that anything will be done under the bill this year, although an effort may be made in some built-up sections, where there is now no power to make proper improvements.

An Example for Snyder Co. Supervisors.

Last Friday a very satisfactory test of the stone crusher was made by W. C. Farrell, representig F. C. Austin and Co., of Chicago, and by the authorities of Point township. The machine was stationed on Edward Brouse's farm. Nine and one-half two-horse wagon loads of stone crushed inside of one hour. The authorities of the township purchased the crusher for $600. The power to run the machine was furnished by a traction engine. This crusher will do the township a great amount of good, and they will soon be able to brag of having some of the best country roads in the State.—*Northumberland Press.*

We copy the above clipping believing that it is a good example for Snyder County supervisors to follow. If a crusher can be bought for $600 why can not four or five districts combine and purchase a stone crusher and make our roads as good as our neighbor counties? Let us see who is the first supervisor to act in this matter.

The Bloomsburg Normal School.

Every alumnus and friend of the Bloomsburg State Normal School, will doubtless be glad to learn that the past year, although one of general business depression, has been the most successful in the history of the school. There have been in attendance during the year more than seven hundred students. The graduating class this year number one hundrd and fifty, and is considered in many respects the strongest in scholarship and teaching ability that has ever been graduated from the school. The junior class is also one of unusal promise. There is every indication that the growth of the school and the excellence of the students next year, will even surpass those of the present year.

Every effort has been made during the year to strengthen the various departments. New apparatus has been added, additional instructors have been employed and the spirit of progress has pervaded the entire institution.

Athletics have received their due attention during the year. It is very gratifying to be able to say that students, almost without exception, have shown in their gymnastic work and on the athletic field, a desire to develop themselves physically, rather than a desire to gain notoriety by feats of strength or agility.

During the year the much talked of Pollard synthetic method of teaching primary reading was investigated and tested by the school in a most practical way. The work is to become a permanent feature of the school.

Bucknell University.

The 45th annual commencement of Bucknell University at Lewisburg, Pa., closed last Wednesday and was one of the most enthusiastic ever held. At the meeting of the board of trustees the vacancy caused by the death of Alfred Taylor, of New York, was directed to be filled by direct vote of the Alumni. A rousing address was delivered before the graduates of the Ladies' Institute by Miss Cara Reese, of the Pittsburg "Dispatch" on the subject of the "New Woman," in which Miss Reese said that the "New Woman" is the "College Woman."

On the recommendation of the faculty, the board of Trustees conferred honorary degrees upon the following: Master of Arts upon Hon. John B. Warfel, Lancaster and Rev. T. A. Lloyd, Philadelphia; Doctor of Divinity upon Rev. F. J. Parry, Brattleboro, Vt. and Rev. H. F. King, Uniontown.

The number of graduates this year was very large, the classes numbering as follows: College, 27; Institute for Ladies, 17; school of Music, 4; Academy for boys, 9. The total attendance this year was 407 and the prospects for a larger attendance next year are very bright.

WEST BEAVER.

The parties that took in the show at Lewistown last week say it was small but good....L. J. Romig is improving from his late sickness. Henry Treaster is also improving slowly....The fishing party had good luck last week. The women seemed to enjoy the sport by drawing the little "sunny" into a ten foot seine....Hay is very scarce....The county is flooded with school teachers, looking up a place to warm their shins this winter. Boys have patience. Bowersox may may make a change in your minds in regard to teaching....The firm of Knepp and Houser has been disolved. Mr. Knepp has withdrawn....Henry Knepp and family of Siglerville spent Saturday and Sunday with their Sndyer county friends.

ADAMSBURG.

The Normal Commencement held in the Reformed church on Friday eve. was a splendid success. All participants performed their pieces remarkably well. Stirring addresses were delivered by Profs. Bowersox and Herman....Mrs. Isaac Kenny, son and daughter, of Newton, Kan., are visiting at this place.. Children's Day was observed in the Lutheran church on Sunday evening. The services were both interesting and instructive....The Reformed church will hold a festival on Saturday evening...Misses Nettie Specht and Ada Landis are visiting friends in Centre county....Johny Felker, who was seriously hurt, is doing as well as can be expected under the circumstances....Spencer E. Romig is spending a few days with his Uncle C. B. Witmer, of Sunbury.

The postal authorities have authorized a change in the form of money orders to be issued hereafter, but postmasters will not be supplied with the new forms until the old ones are exhausted. The changes are not material, although the new order will be a trifle smaller than the old. The assignment will be placed on the back, and the figures at the right side of the order will be duplicated on the back, so that the amount for which the order is drawn can be determined from an inspection on either side. The seal of the department will be noticed in the center of the order, being made in the tint of the paper. While the manufacture of the new form was begun by the department on the 28th of May they will not be in general use for some weeks yet.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Letters of Administration in the Estate of Phoebe A. Keeley, late of West Perry Twp., Snyder county, Pa., dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, while those having claims will present them duly authenticated to the undersigned.

W. W. WARNETS,
May 7, 1895. Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE Letters of Administration de bonis non cum Testamentis annexo of John Hassinger late of Beaver Township, Snyder County, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, while those having claims will present them duly authenticated to the undersigned.

JACOB C. HASSINGER.
Middleburgh, Pa., Adm'r d. b. n. c. t. a.
May 27th, 1895.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary on the estate of Lydia Rudy, dec'd late of Middleburgh, Snyder county, Pa., have been issued to the undersigned residing at Middleburgh. All persons, therefore, indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and those having claims against it will present them for settlement to

W. W. WITTENMYER.
May 23th. Executor.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE. Letters of administration in estate of Phillip Swineford, late of Middleburgh, Snyder Co., Pa., dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, while those having claims will present them duly authenticated to the undersigned.

J. C. SWINEFORD.
June 11, 95. Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Letters of Administration in the estate of Catherine Walter late of Middleburgh, Snyder county, Pa., dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, while those having claims will present them duly authenticated to the undersigned.

VALENTINE WALTER,
June 18th. Administrator.

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