

HISTORY OF THE BEAVER VALLEY.

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MEMORIES OF THE FORUM.

The writer was a citizen of Brighton during the winter of 1868 and 1869, and while there, united with the young men of the village in organizing a debating club, which after a while developed into a society of some merit, and of course contained a prodigious amount of talent and eloquence. No subject was feared, and we grappled not only with the most tangled scientific and financial problems, but as well, soared into the regions of space and wisely discussed questions that would almost puzzle a Hereschell. At one of our meetings we again struck terra firma and vigorously attacked a home question, that was of much more interest to us than stars, and rocks and hidden minerals. It was "Shall Brighton be made a borough," with the side issue but faintly touched, what shall the new name be. We had struck a vital point in the thoughts of the people, and ere long we found not only ourselves stirred to our depths, but the whole of the town was in ferment over the matter. Every village store became a lyceum, and every street corner and public highway was the scene of the most burning eloquence and animated action. You know that "great oaks from little acorns grow," so the books tell us—and so this little seed, sown in the antiquated brick school house, germinated, grew and spread until its branches and roots permeated every part of the town, and soon the voice of the orator and the thoughts of the quiet citizen became crystallized into action, and the work was done. The Debating Club had a prophet in it of which we were innocently ignorant. Upon one occasion he was badly afflicted with it, and fell into a vision, and while under its charming and pleasing influence he put upon paper thoughts that well nigh drove the town mad, and laid the foundation, probably, of the spirit of decided superiority shown by every thoroughbred Brightonian when perchance he meets a luckless son of New Brighton. In consequence of this vision at our next meeting a ponderous pile of manuscript greeted us, manipulated and proudly flourished by the smiling prophet. He read it, in which he indulged himself in the highest flights of fancy, all about the future Beaver Falls, in which there was to be the most unbounded prosperity, refinement and elegance. The city was to be founded by the most beautiful and charming avenue. Dwellings of surpassing magnificence and finish were to line the broad avenues, and cover the whole valley, and crown the hill sides and plateaux. The most substantial of warehouses and stores were to give a business air to the city, and complete its prosperity.

Iron works, factories, mills and all the industries that would make prosperous the town were to move at the bidding of the immense water power. Indeed, nothing was left unsaid to assure us that in the fullness of time the village should become a thriving, energetic city. It seems strange that the exact words used by our fellow-clubman on that occasion should have come true in so short a period of time, but it is almost literally true, and no doubt when the finish is added by the lapse of years, that it will be more than the fathers ever dreamed of. Of course such a prediction received censure and words of disapprobation, but men who were beyond their generation slowly shook their heads and said, "It is not beyond the bounds of possibility."

THE ECONOMY ENTER.

About this time Messrs. Baker & Henrich were in the act of purchasing the water power and lands for the use of the Economy Society, and with the wealth and energy they had to back them, none knew where the prosperity of the town might stop. They did buy it, and commenced the erection of works which have since become famous for their manufactures and fitness of work done. Men with capital and business energy were invited and urged to join their fortunes with the town. The Economy Society liberally aided all who desired it for the establishment of new manufactures, and under the shadow of their wing, many enterprises were started, giving employment to hundreds of artisans, and more than restoring the ancient glory of the place. Workingmen were encouraged in their attempts to get homes, being aided by the society. New streets were laid out, and the avenues predicted were soon in existence, and in time may be made very beautiful.

The location of Beaver Falls is an admirable one. Situated on the middle and upper falls of the Beaver, it has an immense water power. Several hundred acres lie bordering on the Beaver River and Walnut Bottom, which are peculiarly favorable for manufacturing purposes. When the water power shall have all been taken up and put to use, there is abundant room for the use of steam power, and plenty of water from which to make it. Slightly elevated above this bottom land is a plateau of the most beautiful home sites. Upon it are located hundreds of dwellings, and some very fine ones. This elevation is at once healthful and beautiful, and

should in time be the location of the residences and stores of the town, leaving the bottom for the dust and smoke of scores of factories, &c. The town is guarded on the west by a range of hills that are in themselves a picture. Along the base of these hills runs the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad, which is entirely removed from the business part of the town. A very good station has been put up by the company, and the best of facilities furnished for the use of the business men of the town. A lovely and picturesque scene is afforded from the side of the first hill in the range west of town. It gives a full view of the whole of New Brighton, Fallston, Phillipsburg, and parts of Rochester and Bridgewater. No more varied scenery can be seen anywhere than that afforded here. Charming landscapes, abruptly rising and rugged faced hills; the dancing and sparkling of the waters of the rapids; the full, gentle flow of the river; the wild grass and dismal hollows; groups of forest trees and beautiful groves; the precipices and the water falls, together with the old bridges, old style, weather-beaten houses, the architectural display of the modern house, and the hundreds of points and tints and shades which make a fine picture, are all seen from this one spot. With so much of first-class material at our own doors to make the most finished ornaments for galleries and drawing rooms, it is pleasurable to notice, that Beaver Valley can produce enough energy to make use of it. Fine stereoscopic views, large and small photographs of our own scenery, have been made by our enterprising photographers, Mr. Henry Nose and John McClain, of New Brighton. They are more valuable than views of the Alps or those generally found hanging on the walls of our well-to-do people. It is hoped that our people will see to it that this enterprise shall be a success.

THE RESIDENCES OF THE TOWN

are for the most part of a very fine class. Where there is so much to be commended, it is not well to particularize, and it is enough to say that the class of residences in the town are to its credit. It is true that there is the usual number of shanties and half-finished affairs called houses, which ordinarily afflict our towns, but they are not to be looked upon as Beaver Falls.

A fine school building has been erected within the last year and is a decided credit to the place. It has no rival in the valley, that can come up to it in point of finish. Five church organizations are in the place, having very neat and comfortable church buildings, but none of any architectural beauty or completeness. Considerable interest seems to be taken in the welfare of these organizations, and it will not be a great while until they shall have entire control of certain evils existing in the town. The "Economy Savings Institution" have erected the finest bank building in Beaver Valley. It is a creditable structure, and adds very materially to the beauty and substantiality of the place. The town is supplied with water from their "water" works, which are now in successful operation. In this enterprise, the little city has advanced beyond her neighbors.

To give a general idea of the business enterprises of the town, it will be necessary to enumerate very briefly the various business firms which are now operated within the town, and the business done by each.

In the line of professions, agencies, &c., the place is pretty highly favored, not alone by the number, but the character of the professionals.

Three lawyers representing the legal fraternity, and the cause of justice and equity, it is presumable will not suffer in their home city. Of physicians, four regular ply their vocation and keep up the character of nauseous pills and powders. Real estate agents are numerous enough to attend to the wants of the community, and the cheerful countenance of the insurance agent may be seen in season and out of season, giving gratuitous advice to willing hearers. The usual number of stores and shops are found scattered here and there over the town. Five dry goods stores are found ministering to the wants of trade, and they are of a character that no "pudd" of mine can add to, or critique detract from. A careful count reveals the fact that in addition to these five stores, there are twelve grocery stores, and some of them are doing a fine business, but Beaver Falls don't want any more of them, she doesn't hanker after them at all. A further count gives us three millinery stores, five merchant tailors, two clothing stores, three drug stores, three tobacco stores, and jewelry store, one wholesale notion store and two hardware stores. In all conscience, the town cannot reasonably ask for more in this line, and yet there seems to be no well-grounded fears for bankruptcy starling them in the face. Messrs. Heinz & Noble are engaged in the manufacture of brick, which has proved to be a very prosperous source of trade in the valley. Several coal mines are in full operation, among which we notice Messrs. James Patterson & Sons, Messrs. L. & A. Davidson, Mr. M. A. Shemmaker, Daniel Banard and James Clayton. The coal sold by these gentlemen is of a very superior quality, probably not so good as Monongahela Valley coal, but yet in every way well calculated to meet the wants of trade. It is sold by the door

of the people for about the same price that is sold in Pittsburgh.

Two planing mills are in operation under the supervision of Mr. Simon Harold and Mr. Joseph Wilson. These mills have enjoyed great prosperity in the past, when Beaver Falls was crowded with carpenters, busily erecting its numerous houses, and though their business has been somewhat curtailed by the comparative cessation of building, yet they are doing a good business, and are clever gentlemen to deal with.

A first-class flouring mill is in operation, on the site where the first one was built seventy years ago. It stands as a sentinel at the mouth of "Walnut Run," and is well located for the business carried on.

Two banks are in operation, that of the Economy Society already mentioned, and a well conducted banking house in the name of Messrs. Baker Bros. The cashier is in the person of the deservedly popular Frank A. Barker, under whose personal supervision it must prove a success.

Two good hotels are conducted in a first-class style, and deserve the patronage of the people.

THE ENTERPRISE OF THE MEN.

There are other enterprises in the town, carried on by its artisans, which space will not permit me to notice in detail. To get a proper conception of what the town is, one must see it and go through it. The quiet, yet effective work of the mechanics, the tradesmen, and all the various branches of business, are only seen in the steady, progressive growth of the town. The men and women who labor, who bear the heat and burden of the day, who make the axes, the saws, the shovels, &c., and who give the positive power that characterizes the better part of the town, are necessarily confined to the back-ground, but their silent and potent influence is felt everywhere. These workers, while noticed only in a general way, deserve more recognition from the public and their employers than is usually grudgingly given them. But Beaver Falls is fast becoming the great battle-ground, where, in great part, will be settled the relation of employer to employee. Though "dependants," they are the "hope and sinew" of the town, and as a general thing, take the lead in all moral enterprises, and give the moral character that is found in the society of the place.

Which is Which.

"Ah, Pat, Pat," said a schoolmistress to a thick-headed pedagogue, who whose muddy brain she was attempting to beat the alphabet, "I'm afraid you'll never learn anything. Now, what's that letter, eh?"

"Shure, don't you know, m'am?" replied Pat.

"I thought you would have recollected that."

"Why, m'am?"

"Because it has a dot over the top of it."

"Och, m'am! I mind it well; but shure I thought it was a 'y' speck."

"Well, now remember, Pat, it's 'I'."

"You, m'am?"

"No, no! not 'U', but 'I'."

"Not 'I', but you, m'am. How's that?"

"Not 'U', but 'I', blockhead."

"Oh, yes; faith, now I have it, m'am you mean to say that you, not I, am a blockhead."

"Pooh! fool!" exclaimed the pedagogue, almost bursting with rage.

"Just as you please," replied Pat; "fool or blockhead, it's no matter to me, which ye are so long as ye are free to own it."

DURING a class meeting several years since by the Methodist brethren of a Southern village, Brother Jones went among the colored portion of the congregation. Finding there an old man notorious for his endeavors to serve God on the Sabbath, and Satan the rest of the week, he said:

"Well, Brother Dick, I'm glad to see you here. Haven't you stole any turkeys since I saw you last, Brother Dick?"

"No, no, Brudder Jones; no turkeys."

"Nor any chickens, Brother Dick?"

"No, no, Brudder Jones; no chickens."

"Thank the Lord, Brother Dick! That's doing well, my Brother," said Brother Jones, leaving Brother Dick, who immediately relieved his overburdened conscience by saying to a near neighbor, with an immense sigh of relief:

"Ef he'd a said ducks, he'd a had me."

GOOD MARRIAGE MAXIMS.—A good wife is the greatest earthly blessing. A man is what his wife makes him. It is the mother who moulds the character and destiny of the child.

Never make a remark at the expense of the other; it is meanness.

Never part without loving words to think of during your absence. Besides, it may be that you will not meet again in life.

Never both man meet anger at once.

"I WANT to know," said a creditor fiercely, "when you are going to pay me what you owe me?" "Do you take me to be a prophet," was the soft answer which didn't turn away wrath.

FORT SMITH, ARK., has a woman black smith who can throw a mule and shoe him in fifteen minutes by the clock.

The article chiefly sold at most fancy fairs—the visitor.

Business Directory.

BEAVER.
M. & J. LAWRENCE, Physicians & Surgeons, office formerly occupied by U. S. Revenue Assessor, Third street, Beaver, Pa. April-ly
THOMAS DONOHOO, M. D. Office lower door in John Barker's building, Beaver, Pa. April-ly

MILLER, J. W. Physician and Surgeon, office at former residence of Dr. McNutt's house.
DUNLAP, J. F., Attorney at Law. Office in the Court-house, Beaver, Pa. All legal business promptly attended to. my3-73-ly

PURVIS, J. H., dealer in Fancy Dry Goods, Choice Groceries, and Notions. (Specially Tea and Sugar.) Flour, Feed, and Wooden-ware, corner of Third and Buffalo streets, Beaver, Pa. my3-73-ly

ALBION THOMAS, dealer in Dry Goods and Groceries, cor Third and Elk sts. 1729-70
WYNN, A., dealer in Dry Goods and Groceries. Also Civil Engineer and Land Surveyor, Third street. 1729-70

CLARK, J. R., dealer in Groceries and Provisions, Third street. 1729-70
SWEENEY, A. & CO., dealer in Groceries and Provisions, Third street. 1729-70

BEACON MAS. E. H., dealer in Millinery Goods and Trimmings, cor 3d and Diamond. 1729-70
ANDRIESEN HUGO, dealer in Drugs and Medicines, 3d st. See advertisement. 1729-70

MOORE, J., dealer in Drugs and Medicines, Third street. 1729-70
TILGNER, ROBERT, manufacturer and dealer in Boots and Shoes, Third street. 1729-70

MERTZ, E., manufacturer and dealer in Boots and Shoes, Third street. 1729-70
WALTER, F., Baker and Confectioner, north-east corner of the Diamond. 1729-70

NEUBUTZ, O. R., dealer in Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron Ware, Third street. 1729-70
KUHLEN, E. P., Attorney and Counsellor at Law, Office on Third street. 1729-70

HICE, FRANK WILSON, E. R. MOORE, HICE, WILSON & MOORE, Attorneys at Law. Office: Rear of the Court-house.

BRIDGEWATER.
J. USALTON'S Shady Side Photograph Gallery, Second Floor, Dunlap's corner, opposite the toll bridge. April-ly

MOLTER, J. C., Market street. Bridgewater, dealer in COAL from Bank at McKelvey's Mill. 1729-70

LEVINSON, J. C., M. D., Surgeon and Physician, Office, during the day, corner Bridge and Walnut streets; at night at his residence. 1729-70

HURST, A. C., dealer in Dry Goods, Hats and Caps, Carpets, Oil Cloths and Trimmings, Bridge street. 1729-70
STILES & CO., dealers in Groceries, Provision and Canned Goods, Bridge street. 1729-70

MULHEND, B., dealer in Carpets, Oil Cloths and Variety Goods, Bridge street. 1729-70

ROCHESTER.
DONCASTER HOUSE, opposite Railroad Station, D. Wolf, Proprietor. Pa. (nov15-ly)

SMITH, JOHN F., (New Store), dealer in Groceries, Flour, Feed, Nails, Varieties and Notions, West, Quality and lowest prices. New Brighton, cor Washington streets, Rochester. 1729-70

SPRYKER & SONS, wholesale and retail dealer in Dry Goods, Groceries, Flour, Grain, Boat Hardware, from Buffalo, Water st. oct1-70

ROSEN, W. F., Physician and Surgeon, sept13-70
OATMAN & CO., importers to Oatman, Farmers & Kinzer's dealers in all kinds of rough and dressed lumber. 1729-70

SCHROPE CHAS., manufacturer of and dealer in Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron Ware. Roofing, Siding, and all kinds of work. 1729-70

STEWART & BLANK, proprietors of Johnson's Hardware, Chapter E. A. M., No. 157, meets in Masonic Hall on first Wednesday after full moon. H. E. P., J. R. Pendleton; Secretary, John Con-

NEW BRIGHTON.
BROWN, BARNABAS & SONS, BATHING SALES, 1729-70

WILLIAM MCKINLEY, corner of Fall and Broadway. 1729-70

CALBY, G. F., general dealer in Groceries, Feed, and Cattle, 1729-70

CHAMBERS, J. P., manufacturer of Cakes and Confectionery, 1729-70

GILBERT, J. P., dealer in Groceries, 1729-70

BEAVER FALLS.
TANNEY, BROS., House and Sign Painting, 1729-70

Also Freezing and Ice, Disinfecting and Water Colors. Orders executed on short notice, in the best manner and on reasonable terms. Main St., Beaver Falls, Pa. 1729-70

SEVENSON & WITTHAM, Land office No. 180 Spring street, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Beaver Falls Pa. sept13-70

KING, Mrs. E. H., milliner and dealer in Dry Goods, Notions, Queensware, &c. Corner Main and Baker sts. 1729-70

DUNKIN, W. W., manufacturer of and dealer in Shoes, Shoes, Carpets, &c. Corner Race and Main sts. 1729-70

CLARK, Mrs. R. B., dealer in Millinery, Fancy Goods and Notions. Main st. 1729-70

FREEPORT.
LOCKHART, Dr. J. R. 1729-70

COOPER, T. L., dealer in Drugs, Medicines, Perfumery, &c. 1729-70

VANPORT.
T. WAGGONER, dealer in General Merchandise, Dry Goods, Groceries, Queensware, &c. Highest prices paid for country produce. Railroad street, Vanport. April-ly

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Directory.

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President—Milton Lawrence.
Associates—Joseph C. Wilson.
Prothonotary—John C. Hark.
Clerk of Court—John C. Hark.
Recorder—James I. Stokes.
Treasurer—Charles P. Wallace.
Commissioners—Daniel Neely, Samuel Torrence, Hugh J. Marshall.

Clerk of Commissioners—John McGowan.
Council on Commissioners—J. R. Harrah.
Coroner—Daniel Corbus.
Auditors—Jan. 9. Christy, C. H. Hoon, C. C. Riggs.

District Attorney—B. McCreery.
County Surveyor—D. M. Dugberry.
Jury Commissioners—James Warnock, Robert Potter.
Directors of the Poor—John White, Hiram Reed, Samuel Gibson.

Trustees of Academy—D. F. Cowary, S. J. Cross, John Murray, Samuel Magaw, Henry Hill, Mattison Darragh, Benj. C. Critchlow, James M. Smith.

BEAVER CHURCHES.
O. S. Presbyterian—Rev. D. J. Satterfield, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 A. M., and 6 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.
United Presbyterian—Rev. J. C. Wilson, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 A. M., and 6 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.
Methodist Episcopal—Rev. William Lynch, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.
Catholic—Rev. M. Gunkle, P. M. Priest. Services every 2d Sunday of each month at 10 A. M.

ASSOCIATIONS.
St. James Lodge, A. F. M., No. 407, S. W. Wilson, W. M., J. Morton Hall, Secretary. Meets 1st Thursday of each month.
Occidental Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 720—A. G. White, N. G., J. N. McCreery, Secretary. Meets every Friday evening.
Banking House—Thomas McCreery.

BRIDGEWATER CHURCHES.
Methodist Episcopal—Rev. D. L. Dempsey, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 10 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.
Presbyterian—Rev. J. M. Shields, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 A. M., and 6 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.
Catholic—Rev. C. Ashbury, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 A. M., and at 4 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.
A. M. E. Zion (Colored)—Rev. Lyons, Pastor. Services every other Sunday at 11 A. M., and at 7 P. M.

ASSOCIATIONS.
Etna Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 208—William Carter, W. C. T., Tillie Moorhead, W. S., meets every Friday evening in their hall above A. C. Hurst's Dry Good Store.
Ancient Order of United Workmen, I. O. O. F., No. 356—Samuel McCreery, G. G., David Woodruff, Secretary. Meets every Tuesday evening.
Harmon Grange, Encampment, I. O. O. F., No. 116—D. Shumaker, C. P. Wm. McCreery, H. D. Woodruff, Scribe, meets 1st and 3d Thursday evenings of each month in Odd Fellows Hall.

ROCHESTER CHURCHES.
Episcopal—Services every Sunday at 11 A. M. Methodist Episcopal—Rev. T. S. Hodgson, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 10 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.
Methodist Episcopal (German)—Rev. Miller, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 10 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.
Lutheran—Rev. H. Beck, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 10 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.
First German Evangelical Lutheran, St. Paul's Church—Rev. P. Born, Pastor. Services every other Sunday at 2 P. M. Sunday School at 1 P. M.
Catholic—Rev. Mr. Gunkle, P. M. Priest. Services every fourth Sunday of each month, at 10 A. M., and every Thursday at 6 P. M.

ASSOCIATIONS.
Ancient Order of United Workmen, I. O. O. F., No. 204—R. Blanchard, W. C. T., Emil Smith, W. S., meets every Wednesday evening in Cowley's Hall.
Etna Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 356—J. R. Pendleton, W. M., John Conway, Sec'y. Meets every Friday before full moon.
St. James Lodge, A. F. M., No. 157, meets in Masonic Hall on first Wednesday after full moon. H. E. P., J. R. Pendleton; Secretary, John Con-

FREEPORT CHURCHES.
Methodist Episcopal—Rev. E. B. Webster, Pastor. Services every other Sunday at 10 A. M., and alternate Sundays at 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.
Presbyterian—Rev. W. Zerkel, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 10 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.
Catholic—Rev. Mr. Gunkle, P. M. Priest. Services every Sunday at 10 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.

NEW BRIGHTON CHURCHES.
Friends—Meeting at 11 A. M. every Sunday.
Catholic—Rev. J. C. Bigham, Priest. Services, 1st, 3d and 5th Sundays each month at 10 A. M. Sunday School every Sunday at 9 A. M.
Church of God—Rev. McKee, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 10 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.
Baptist—Rev. Dr. Winters, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 10 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.
Presbyterian—Rev. A. G. Wallace, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 10 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.
Catholic—Rev. Mr. Gunkle, P. M. Priest. Services every Sunday at 10 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.
Episcopal—Rev. Spaulding, Pastor. Services at 10 A. M., and 8 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M. Seats free, and all are cordially invited.
First Methodist Church—Rev. F. S. Crowther, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 10 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.
Methodist Episcopal—Rev. J. R. Mills, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 10 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.

ASSOCIATIONS.
New Brighton Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 301—E. B. Alexander, W. C. T., Lydia E. Johnson, W. S., meets every Thursday evening.
Robertson Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 450—Henry Lloyd, N. G., N. G. Taylor, Secretary. Meets every Monday evening.
Union Lodge, A. F. M., No. 252—R. Covert, Meets 1st and 3d Tuesdays of each month.
National Bank Beaver County—John Miner, President, Edward Hoops, Cashier, Broadway.
Banking House—R. E. & H. Hoopes, Broadway.
Young Men's Library Association—Joseph Bentley, President; Hiram Platt, Secretary. Meets every Friday evening.

BEAVER FALLS CHURCHES.
Methodist Episcopal—Rev. W. B. Grace, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 10 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.
Methodist—Rev. J. F. Dyer, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening. Sunday-school at 2 P. M.
Presbyterian—Rev. Moorehead, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.
Catholic—Rev. Mr. Gunkle, P. M. Priest. Services every Sunday at 10 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sunday School at 9 A. M.
United Presbyterian—Rev. J. I. Frazier, pastor. Services on Sabbath at 10 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sabbath-school at 9 A. M.

ASSOCIATIONS.
Beaver Valley Lodge, A. F. M., 478—Meets every second and fourth Monday. T. S. Batesman, W. M.; J. L. Dawson, S. W.; S. M. Hawkins, J. W. Henry Hill, Treas.; Ch. Molter, Sec.
German Chapter 308, Meets first Monday each month. E. A. Noble, H. P.; W. H. Grim, R. A. Tomlinson, S. F. Martell; Treas.; H. C. Patterson, Sec.
Valley Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 62—W. H. Hoon, N. G.; G. James M. Nye, Sec'y. Meets every Thursday evening at 7 P. M.
Economy Savings Institute—Henry Hice, Pres't.
W. C. No. 126, F. O. S. of A.—Meets every Monday evening in Washington Hall, Ramsey's corner, Main street. G. Altman, R. B.; A. Anderson, President.

PHILLIPSBURG CHURCHES.
Methodist Episcopal—Rev. Huddleston, Pastor. Services, 10 A. M., and evening, 6 P. M. Sunday School every Sabbath at 9 A. M.
Lutheran—German—Rev. Mr. Born, Pastor. Services every other Sabbath at 10 A. M., and Sabbath School at 4 o'clock. English—Rev. Mr. Jacobs, Pastor. Services every other Sabbath at 10 A. M., and Sabbath School at 4 o'clock.
Presbyterian—Rev. W. G. Taylor, Chaplain at Pennsylvania Institute for Soldiers' Orphans. Services in Chapel at 2 o'clock, and lecture in the evening at 7 o'clock. Sabbath school at 10 A. M.

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