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From the Reading Gazette, THE STATE CONVENTION.

Mr. Wright, our candidate for Auditor General, is a native of Philadelphia, and a resident of what was the borough of Frankfort under the old municipal division of the county...

SIX LITTLE FEET ON THE FENDER.

In my heart there leech a picture Of a kitchen scene as old as time...

Miscellaneous.

A Bride of the Abyss.

TALE OF THE BLACK FOREST. BY J. WOODBURY LEWIS.

Day had deepened into twilight, and twilight into darkness, and the sombre mantle of night now resting like an eternal canopy of desolation over the vast, wilds of Bohemia...

The Number Three.

There is a strong prejudice in favor of the figure seven. The ancients prized it as the sacred number. There were seven plagues...

Names of the Months.

The names of the months were given by the Romans. January, the first month, was so called from Janus, an ancient King of Italy...

A Case for Phrenologists.

The Eau Claire (Wisconsin) Telegraph narrates the following singular case of surgery: The case is that of George C. Irvine, Esq., of Dunn Co., whose brains were literally knocked out by the falling of a tree some six weeks ago...

The Ladies of Japan in the Stereoscope.

A gentleman who returned last week from Japan, called upon us a few days since, and brought with him a number of the more interesting stereoscopic photographs of Japan...

"SOMEBODY HAPPY."

"Never go to bed at night, without making sure you've done one good action, or made somebody happy."

The Glass of Venice.

It may appear strange, but it is true, that with all our improvements and inventions, our ancestors did certain things that far surpassed anything we can produce in the same way...

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