

## Religious Miscellany.

There is no regenerator like a pure love.

Thoughts should be born of the soul, words of thought, and sentences of words.

Will you pity a body that is going to the block? and not pity a soul that is going to the pit.

If you are going to love Christ you must find some way of doing it in the things of everyday life.

It is remarkable that the words in all European languages which express forgiveness, or pardon, all imply free gift.

"Let every man please his neighbor for his good to edification." Deny yourself and serve your fellows; so will you evince your Master's spirit.

Invite Jesus, for he always says: "I will come." He may wait three days, as he did with Martha and Mary, but "I will come" is His intention. Expect him till he comes.

The man that is right with God and his fellow men can scarcely help being a gentleman. All Lord Chesterfield's letters boiled down wouldn't make as much of a gentleman as that.

Morality without religion is only a kind of dead reckoning—an endeavor to find our place on a cloudy sea by measuring the distance we have to run without any observation of the heavenly bodies.

The Christian life is not an engagement by contract between a master and his servant. It is the union of two hearts—that of the Saviour with that of the saved—the enduring ties of the most intimate love.

The last, best fruit that comes to late perfection, even in the kindest soul is the tenderness toward the hard, forbearance toward the unbearing, warmth of heart toward the cold, philanthropy toward the misanthropic.

He that unduly fears man, cannot truly fear God; and he that lives much in the fear of God will not regard overmuch what man can do with him; the want of faith is the root of all fear which becomes less and less, as faith gathers strength and increases in the soul.

"Why do you show favor to your enemies instead of destroying them?" said a chieftain to the Emperor Sigismund. "Do I not destroy my enemies by making them my friends?" was the Emperor's noble reply. Kindness is the best weapon with which to beat an adversary.

I would rather make stockings all my life long than useless verses. When one thinks of the account we shall have to render to God of all our actions, all our hours, one may well be careful as to the use made of them. Life is so short to gain heaven in, that each lost moment deserves tears.

"It is not in study on contemplation of nature, not in many things nor in anything created; that the soul can find consolation; but in God, in God alone, in his word, in the divine Scriptures, in a faithful and believing life. Ah, who is there that, kneeling down with his heart full of tears, does not rise comforted?"

What swimmer is there, who, if he saw a fellow being drowning in deep water, would not plunge in and save him; or what man if he saw one calling from the window of a house enveloped in flames, would not peril his own life to save him. But it is infinitely more to save a fellow being from a moral death.

I have no objection to the most extended and free discussions upon doctrinal points of the Christian religion; and, though the law of England does not permit it, I do not dread the reasoning of Deists against the existence of Christianity itself, because, as was said by its divine author, if it be of God it will stand.

Happiness is a state of discipline, and is only to be found in any considerable degree of perfection and permanency (without which qualities it is unworthy of the name) in a regulated and harmonious mind, where religion is the character, and reins, and guides, and moderates the mental courses in the great journey of life.

One whom we miss changes the world completely; no longer any charm, no longer any happiness here, and then we think of heaven. Thus it is that affliction leads to God. Let us bless him for having ordered our griefs as means of our salvation; this is making us like Jesus Christ, who only entered heaven through suffering.

There are a thousand ways of erring, a thousand occasions of falling, which should keep us on our guard, for alas! we are weak. A mere nothing ways us like a blade of grass. Poor human heart! always on one side or other; now 'tis sadness, now joy, now the world, now solitude; every thing has its dangers, and a Christian life is spent in alarms.

Christianity is the most perfect kind of knowledge; it must essentially produce the most perfect kind of happiness. It is the golden, everlasting chain, let down from heaven to earth; the ladder that appeared to the patriarch at his dream, when he beheld Jehovah at its top, and the angels of God ascending and descending with messages of grace to mankind.

God weighs your troubles in scales and measures out your afflictions, every drachm and scruple of them; and since they come therefore directly from a loving father's hand, accept them with grateful cheerfulness, and pray that the result which Divine Wisdom has ordained to flow from them, may be abundantly realized in your sanctification, in being made like unto Christ.

Tread carefully sinner, on the globe where Jesus' blood trickled down. Forget not Calvary. Jesus did not die in heaven nor in hell; but he came to earth, that every hill might remind you of the hill of atonement; that every tree might tell you of the cross; that every garden might whisper "Gethsemane." The earth is sacred now, for Christ Jesus came upon it to pour out his life for us.

## Dry Goods, Groceries, Etc.

FRESH ARRIVALS  
AT THE CHEAP STORE OF  
**SHOWERS & GRAHAM.**

Fail Goods: New and Very Cheap!

THE undersigned respectfully announce to the public that they are now opening an extensive assortment of FALL GOODS, at the old stand, in Graham's new building, which they offer for sale at exceedingly low prices, considering their cost, for cash or approved country produce.

Their Stock of Dry Goods cannot be Surpassed.

Customers can there find Calicoes with fast colors; Muslins, Delaines, Lawns, Cloths, Cambrics, Vestings, Ladies' Shawls, Gents' Shawls, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, Carpets, and Oil Cloths.

Their Stock of Fancy Goods is Unexcelled in Style and Variety.

Embracing Notions, Scarfs, Head-nets, Neckties, Satchels, Port Monnaies, Brushes, Photographic Albums, Pipes, Tobacco and Segars, Perfumery of all kinds, or anything else in the Notion line.

Also, HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, GROCERIES, PROVISIONS!

All of the best quality, and selected with special regard to the trade of Clearfield county.  
EDWARD W. GRAHAM.  
JOSEPH S. SHOWERS.  
Clearfield, Sept. 26, 1866.

## REMOVAL.

**J. P. KRATZER**

HAS removed to his new warehouse on Market Street, Clearfield, Pa., where he has opened a very large stock of

## DRY GOODS,

Merinoes, Glenghams, Cloths, Delaines, Prints, Cashmeres, Alpaca, Silks, Satinets, Repps, Cambrics, Towels, Coburgs, Mohair, Jeans, Lawns, Muslins, Flannels, Bonnets, Ribbons, Cloths, Balmoral Shirts, Hoop Skirts, Shawls, Dress Trimmings, Head Nets, Caps, Corsets, Gloves, Collars, Scarfs, Grenadine Veils, Table Covers.

## CLOTHING,

Casual Pants, Vests, Over-Coats, Gents' Shawls, Shirts, Hats, Caps, Under-Shirts and Drawers, Boots, Shoes, Gum Shoes, Cravats, Gloves, and Collars.

HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, GROCERIES & MUSICAL GOODS.

## GROCERIES,

Tea, Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Salt, Candles, Rice, Flour, Bacon, Fish, Tobacco, Raisins, Currants, Spices, Crackers, Vinegar, Oils, Varnish, Alcohol.

TINWARE, GLASSWARE, WOODENWARE, and STATIONERY.

## HOUSEHOLD GOODS,

Carpets, Oil-cloths, Druggist, Looking-Glasses, Clocks, Churns, Washboards, Tubs, Buckets, Flat Irons, Pans, Window Blinds, Wall-paper, Coal Oil Lamps, Umbrellas, Bedcovers, Knives and Forks, Spoons, Crocks, and Stove Blacking.

All of which will be sold on the most reasonable terms, and the highest market price paid for Grain, Wool, and all kinds of country produce.  
Clearfield, December 12, 1865.

O, YES! O, YES!!

TWENTY PER CENT. LOWER THAN ANYWHERE ELSE IN THE COUNTY.

## JOHN S. RADEBACH,

HAVING opened a new store at the "Blue Ball," in Clearfield county, wishes to notify the public that he is determined to sell all kinds of Goods CHEAPER than the CHEAPEST, in defiance to the county.

Now is your Time to Call and Examine, While he is placing on his shelves a full assortment of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Queensware, Hardware, Earthenware, Drugs, Oils, and Paints, Medicines, &c., &c., &c.

## HATS, CAPS, BOOTS & SHOES,

Of all kinds, constantly kept on hand.

## A general assortment of

READY-MADE CLOTHING

For Men and Boys' wear.

All to be sold at a very LOW PRICE, for CASH, or exchanged for all kinds of Merchandise.

SAWED LUMBER & SHINGLES taken in exchange for goods.

JOHN S. RADEBACH.

Down! Down!!

## THE LAST ARRIVAL

AND OF COURSE THE CHEAPEST!

A Proclamation against High Prices!

WE are now opening up a lot of the best and most reasonable Goods and Wares ever offered in this market, and at prices that remind one of the good old days of cheap things. Those who lack faith upon this point, or deem our allegations superfluous, need but

CALL AT OUR STORE,

Corner Front and Market streets,

Where they can see, feel, hear and know for themselves. To fully understand what are cheap goods, this must be done. We do not deem it necessary to commend and commend our stock. It is enough for us to state that

We have Everything that is Needed

and consumed in this market, and at prices that astonish both old and young.

JOSEPH SHAW & SON.

NOTICE.—Persons desiring to transact business with me at my office, are hereby notified that I will not be found with certainty at home on any day except MONDAY and SATURDAY.

WM. PORTER.

\$500 REWARD will be paid in Green-Dum's Store to any person who has used Dr. Dum's Pills according to directions and has not been cured. Address,

D. S. DUNHAM & CO.,

Decid-ly

Buhal Hobbs, Kne and Horse Blankets

Nov 18, 1866. MERRELL & BIGLER'S.

## Hardware, Tinware, Etc.

**NEW HARDWARE STORE**  
Phillipsburg, Centre County, Pa.

**G. H. ZEIGLER & CO.,**

DEALERS IN

Foreign and Domestic Hardware, Wood, Willow and Tin Ware, Stoves, Oils, Paints, Glass, &c., &c.

THE attention of Mechanics, Builders, Farmers, Lumbermen, and Buyers generally, is invited to the fact that we are offering a better assortment of goods in our line than can be found elsewhere in this part of the State, at

Prices to Suit the Times.

Our stock comprises a general assortment of Tools and Materials used by Carpenters, Blacksmiths, Carriage and Wagon Makers, &c., with a large stock of

IRON, NAILS, STEEL, SPIKES, MINING SUPPLIES, SADDLERY, ROPE, CHAINS, GRINDSTONES, CIRCULAR, MILL & CROSS-CUT SAWS,

ENAMELED, FINISHED & PLAIN HOLLOW WARE, CABLE CHAINS,

Lard, Linseed, Coal, Lubricating and Fish Oils,

TURPENTINE, BENZINE, VARNISHES,

COAL OIL LAMPS AND LANTERNS.

An excellent assortment of Fine Cutlery, com-

KNIVES, FORKS, DESERT TEA & SCISSORS, TABLESPOONS, RAZORS, &c.

BRITANNIA & SILVER PLATED WARE.

TIN WARE IN GREAT VARIETY AND BEST MANUFACTURE.

Household, Horticultural, Farming and Railing Implements of the latest and most improved patterns.

Blacksmiths can be supplied with Anvils, Bel-

lows, Vices, Sledges, Hammers, Chisels, and Mule Shoes, Horse Nails, and all kinds of Iron and Steel.

Carpenters and Builders will find in our establish-

ment a superior stock of Planes, Saws, Augurs, Hatchets, single, double-bit and peeling Axes, Hammers, Chisels, Locks, Hinges, Boreas, Bolts, Flocks, Pulleys, Saws, Cord, &c., &c., &c.

Farmers and Raimen will find everything in their line, and cheaper than can be had elsewhere.

Particular attention is invited to our stock of Stoves, comprising Spear's celebrated Anti-Dust Cook and Parlor Stoves of all sizes. Also, the Niagara Cook, Parlor Cook, Brilliant, Dawn, Deep Drop, Arctic, and Common Egg Pocket, &c.

All of the above goods will be sold cheap for cash.

G. H. ZEIGLER & CO.

Phillipsburg, Oct. 10, 1866-ly

## REMINGTON'S

FIRE ARMS.

Sold by the Trade Generally.

PRICES REDUCED.

A liberal Discount to Dealers.

Army Revolver, 44-100 in. calibre.

Navy Revolver, 38-100 in. calibre.

Holt Revolver, (self-cocking), Navy calibre.

Belt Revolver, Navy size calibre.

Police Revolver, Navy size calibre.

New Pocket Revolver, with loading lever.

Pocket Revolver, (self-cocking).

Repeating Pistol, (Holt's pat.) No. 32 cartridge.

Repeating Pistol, (Holt's pat.) No. 32 cartridge.

West Pocket Pistol, No. 25, 30 & 32 cartridge.

Gun Can, using No. 32 cartridge.

Single Barrel Shot Gun.

Revolving Rifle, 38-100 in. calibre.

Breech Loading Rifle, No. 28 cartridge.

Breech Loading Rifle, No. 46 cartridge.

U. S. Rifle, (steel barrel), with snare bayonet.

U. S. Rifle, (steel barrel), Springfield pattern.

Upwards of 200,000 furnished the U. S. Government.

Our new Breech Loading Arms have just been approved and adopted for military service in Europe.

R. REMINGTON & SON.

Agents—Moore & Nichols, New York; Wm. Reed & Son, Boston; J. C. Grubb & Co., Philadelphia; Postell & Trimbale, Baltimore; Henry Folson & Co., New Orleans and Memphis; Johnson, Spencer & Co., Chicago; L. M. Ramsey & Co., St. Louis; Albert R. Crane, San Francisco.

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## BLACKSMITHING.

NEW ARRANGEMENT.

THE subscribers, in view of coming events, design adopting a new system of doing business on and after the 1st of May next. From that date we will adopt the CASH SYSTEM, and all work must therefore be paid for before leaving the shop—making this difference, however, in favor of our customers: that our prices will be TWENTY PER CENT. LESS than is now charged for work.

Those knowing themselves indebted, and whose books accounts have not been settled, are expected to come forward and make settlement before the time above indicated. We hope these hints will not be forgotten.

GEO. C. PASSMORE & SON.

Clearfield, March 23, 1867-ly

## Clearfield Nursery.

ENCOURAGE HOME INDUSTRY.

THE undersigned, having established a Nursery on the Pike, about half way between Clearfield and Curwensville, is prepared to furnish all kinds of FRUIT TREES, (standard and dwarf), Evergreens, Shrubs, Grapes, Vines, and Raspberry Vines. Also, Siberian Crab Trees, and early and late Rhubarb, &c. Orders promptly attended to. Address,

J. D. WRIGHT.

Curwensville, Pa.

FOR SALE.—A HOUSE and LOT, on Market street, in Clearfield borough. Apply to

WALTER BARRETT.

Nov 14-ly Atty at Law, Clearfield, Penn'a.

Coal, Whale and Linseed Oil, Family Dry, and various kinds of oils and all kinds of goods for sale by

H. & L.

## Dry Goods, Groceries, Etc.

GOODS REDUCED!

GREAT REDUCTION

IN THE PRICE OF GOODS

AT

**H. W. MITH & CO'S.**

Prints, that we formerly sold at 25 cents, we now sell at

Unbleached Muslins, formerly sold at 30, we now sell at

Bleached Muslins, formerly sold at from 25 to 50, we now sell at

Alpacas, formerly sold at from 45 to 80, we now sell at

Cashmeres, 10 per cent above cost.

All-Wool De Laines, at

Common De Laines, at

And all Dress Goods at the same rates.

BOOTS AND SHOES,

Of the best quality, at an immense reduction.

FISH.

We will sell Mackerel, Herring, &c., AT COST.

BEST COAL OIL, 85 CENTS.

HOODS, NUBIAS, BREAKFAST SHAWLS, ETC.,

Of every description, greatly reduced.

We offer our stock of Dry Goods at the above figures up to the 1st of January, 1867. They are all of the first quality, New and fashionable. Any one can now have an Alpaca for the cost of a De Laine. This offer is made in good faith, and all desirous of economizing in the proper manner, have now an excellent opportunity to supply themselves at the cheapest rates.

Strictly for Cash.

H. W. SMITH & CO.

Nov 25-ly

## ANOTHER EXCITEMENT!

A FALL IN PRICES.

New Goods at the Cheap Cash Store

OF

**WILLIAM F. IRWIN,**

South Second street, Clearfield, Pa.

A FRESH ARRIVAL OF

Fall and Winter Goods,

AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

I am just receiving and opening a carefully selected stock of fashionable Spring & Summer goods of almost every description.

STAPLE & FANCY

A beautiful assortment of Prints and Dry goods, of the newest and latest styles. Also a great variety of useful notions.

DRY GOODS AND NOTIONS.

Bonnets, Shawls, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, (a large quantity), Hardware, Queensware, Drugs, Medicines, Oils & Paints, Carpets, Oil Cloths,

GROCERIES AND FRUITS,

Foreign and Domestic, such as Apples, Peaches, Currants, Prunes, Raisins, Oranges and Lemons,

FISH, BACON AND FLOUR.

Mackerel, in 1/2 and 3/4 barrels, of the best quality, all of which will be sold at the lowest cash or ready pay prices.

My old friends and the public generally, are respectfully invited to call.

WM. F. IRWIN, and approved COUNTRY PRODUCE taken in exchange for Goods.

Clearfield, Nov. 28, 1866-ly

## RICHARD MOSSOP IS NOW

Selling, at half their usual price,

DRESS GOODS,

CLOAKS AND SHAWLS,

BROWN SHEETINGS,

FLANNELS AND BLANKETS,

WOOLEN GOODS,

HOSIERY,

MEN'S CLOTHING,

GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS

LADIES' BOOTS AND SHOES,

GENTLEMEN'S BOOTS AND SHOES,

BOYS' do do

HOOP SKIRTS,

BALMORALS,

LADIES' COLLARS AND CUFFS,

RAISINS AND CURRANTS,

BROOMS AND TUBS,

CANNED FRUITS,

BEEF AND PORK,

FLOUR AND FEED,

&c., &c., &c.

SOLDERS' DOUTIES.—A recent set has passed both Houses of Congress, and signed by the President, giving a three year Soldier \$100 and a two years' soldier \$50 bonus.

FOR BOUNTIES AND PENSIONS collected by us, for those entitled to them.

WALTER BARRETT.

Atty at Law, Clearfield, Pa.

## Grape Vines for Sale.

ALL the leading hardy varieties of first quality.

Concord, 1 year old, 25 cents; do 2 years, 40 cents; do 3 years, 50 cents; do 4 years, 60 cents; do 5 years, 75 cents; do 6 years, 85 cents; do 7 years, 95 cents; do 8 years, 1.00; do 9 years, 1.10; do 10 years, 1.20; do 11 years, 1.30; do 12 years, 1.40; do 13 years, 1.50; do 14 years, 1.60; do 15 years, 1.70; do 16 years, 1.80; do 17 years, 1.90; do 18 years, 2.00; do 19 years, 2.10; do 20 years, 2.20; do 21 years, 2.30; do 22 years, 2.40; do 23 years, 2.50; do 24 years, 2.60; do 25 years, 2.70; do 26 years, 2.80; do 27 years, 2.90; do 28 years, 3.00; do 29 years, 3.10; do 30 years, 3.20; do 31 years, 3.30; do 32 years, 3.40; do 33 years, 3.50; do 34 years, 3.60; do 35 years, 3.70; do 36 years, 3.80; do 37 years, 3.90; do 38 years, 4.00; do 39 years, 4.10; do 40 years, 4.20; do 41 years, 4.30; do 42 years, 4.40; do 43 years, 4.50;