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WEDNESDAY MORNING, JUNE 22, 1870.

AN AGRICULTURAL ODE.

BY J. G. WHITTIER.

This day, two hundred years ago,
The wild grapes by the river side,
And tasteless ground-nut trailing low,
The tables of the woods supplied.

Unknown the apple's red and gold,
The blushing tint of the peach and pear;
The mirror of the Power told
No tale of orchards ripe and rare.

Wild as the fruits he scorned to till,
These vales the idle Indian trod;
Nor knew the glad creative skill,
The joy of him who tills with God.

Oh! Painter of the fruits and flowers!
We thank Thee for Thy wise design,
Whereby these human hands of ours
In Nature's garden work with Thine.

And thanks that from our daily need
The joy of simple faith is born,
That he who smites the Summer weed
May trust Thee for the Autumn corn.

Give fools their gold and knaves their power,
Let fortune's bubbles rise and fall;
Who sows a field or tills a flower,
Or plants a tree, is more than all.

For he who blesses most is blessed,
And God and man shall own his worth,
Who toils to leave as a bequest
An added beauty to the earth.

MONASTERY AND MONKS OF ST. BERNARD.

BY N. P. DODGE.

It was neither the Alps nor the historic Pass that induced our party to go from Martigny direct to Aosta.—Upon the whole route, celebrated by the marches of Hannibal, Charlemagne and Napolean, we knew there was nothing to compare with the Sierra Nevada, Arizona, or Yosemite. But we were curious to see the monks and the dogs, the former representing brave predecessors of nine hundred years lineage, for the *hospice* of St. Bernard was found in the tenth century; and the latter, the courage, endurance and the skill that looks out of the eyes of a pure canine breed as the soul of man does from his. Impracticable, therefore, as we were told the ascent was, we set forward—five of us—each with his alpenstock, a mule to carry our light luggage, and a single guide. Crossing a deep abyss, where the Drance forces its way to the valley below; avoiding the woods of St. Pierre, where Napolean encountered his greatest obstacles during that extraordinary expedition of A. D. 1800, and rising by a new road to where pines and larches are stunted from the altitude at which they grow, we reached the *Plan de Proz*, through which avalanches sweep nine months of every year. The plain is surrounded by heights. Blocks of stone are scattered in confusion. Debris of sand, rocky soil, roots and trunks of dwarf oaks, and hollows of slumping snow, almost prevent progress. Beginning from hence to scale the mountains, vegetation gradually disappears. Precipices of naked granite are before you. Glaciers stream into valleys far below. Fields of ice, bare black rocks, deep precipices, wastes without a blade of grass or tuft of moss, and a desert sterile as Sahara and far more horrid, are on every side.

It was a journey of ten hours. The sun had set. We had left far behind the begging *cretins*, those goitered women and children that disgust one with the human race,—the inhospitable cavern where we stopped to dine,—the last miserable *chalet*, with its starving goats,—and a torrent leaping and tumbling in July, under the ribs of ice,—and were groping along stone passages, our clothes soaked with the rain, our hands benumbed with the cold, and our respiration strange from the rarity of an 8,000 feet atmosphere, when a shout came from the guide, LE HOSPICE! LE HOSPICE! Care and weariness were over, and at 8 o'clock we stood on the portal of the Monastery of St. Bernard.

I happened to be first at the stone steps and found a monk on the top waiting to receive us. Never had I been more mistaken in my anticipations. I thought to see a tall, hale, rough, stern old man; but here was a pleasant, ruddy, smiling, gentlemanly host, about thirty years old, who gave me his hand and welcome with the grace of a *preux chevalier*. I told him we were five, and asked if all could be accommodated. "All," he replied, "and, were it necessary, ten times as many more. But you are wet. Stockings, shirts, and dry outer grments, are ready for you all." I thanked him, and replied that we had changes of garments on our mule. He then offered his help to take off our clothes, or for anything else he could do, and conducted us at once to our rooms, giving two with three beds in each. The apartments were long enough to have the beds lengthways, with sufficient space to dress between. On the opposite side were three plain toilet tables, with ancient looking-glasses. The sides and ceiling were all deal, without a partical of paint.—At the end was a small window, well secured to bear the storms. The beds stood about four feet high from the floor, and had each two blankets, thick coverlets, and a *couffiet*, or down bed, to cover all. There was every needful comfort, but not the least luxury. With the exception of a prison-like atmosphere,—that odor not unlike what one catches upon entering, during the cold season, the double-windowed and furnace-heated drawing-room of a Boston mansion, caused by the exclusion of the fresh, cold air,—there was everything the most fastidious could desire.

On descending to the common hall, we mingled with a dozen other travelers, of all sorts, around a large fire, awaiting supper. It consisted of soup, three or four kinds of meat, vegetables, dried fruits, and nuts.—Pure wine, nine years old, closed the repast. A second monk now joined us and assisted in doing the honors of the table. The two had the duty of attending to travelers. Both were gentlemen, easy in deportment, ready to converse, affable to guests of every class, and attentive to all the wants of their guests. They presided, partook of the fare, mingled in the conversation, joined us in the wine, filled our glasses, and engaged with us in the scientific discussions naturally suggested by the place.

After supper, when the other company retired, we gathered with the two monks closer round the fire. Between Latin, French and English, with laughable mistakes, which they enjoyed as well as we, the talk went on till late at night. We learned that there were ten monks in all and a prior. One only was a priest. One had studied medicine, and acted as a physician in the household. They were all young, or they could not have endured the climate. Their vow of devotedness was for ten years, but most of the brethren, they said, became crippled from rheumatism and pulmonary affections before half the time had expired. In all, including domestics, their number was forty.—They lived well. No austerities were practiced. Feasts and fasts alike interfered with their arduous duties, and were therefore never kept. Winter and summer, every day, they went with their dogs through the Pass.—This was their penance. They needed their utmost strength and therefore never denied themselves the most refreshing food. Their out-of-door garments were of fur. Calamities were frequent. In 1863, the prior, with three associates, three dogs, and seven travelers, were swept away by an avalanche. The number of visitors annually received averages 19,000. They have large resources. No money is demanded from guests.—Food and fuel are brought, during the summer season, from the valleys below. They can lodge two hundred guests without inconvenience.

While we were conversing over the fire, one of our company was suddenly taken ill. We feared he was dying. The medical monk was summoned. He assured us that it was only the effect of the rarified atmosphere, an attack by no means uncommon,—and, rubbing him gently, administering sugar water, and putting him in a warm bed, showing us, meanwhile, a great bell in the passage to be tolled in case he became worse,—bade us good night. He was right. The patient slept well, and in the morning was hearty as ever. For myself, anxiety about him kept me awake for awhile, listening to his breathing and to the storm raging without, when I also dropped off and awoke in the morning, saying to myself, "Well, this beats all; I have been sleeping in the Monastery of St. Bernard."

We had a good, plain breakfast with eggs. There was nothing remarkable about it except that the coffee cooled rapidly, as it must necessarily do when it boils at 187 deg. Farenheit. Issuing from the Hospice, after visiting several of the monks in their cells, we saw around us a scene desolate beyond description. Upon this highest inhabited spot in Europe there was to be seen neither tree nor shrub, wild flower nor blade of grass. Soil in the most minute quantity there was not. Animal life also shuns this waste of rocks. The fastnesses hide no wild beasts, nor do the riven pinnacles tempt the eagles to build nests in their cliffs. It was a fine day in the height of midsummer, and yet icicles were hanging from the eaves and thin crystals of frost shooting over the waterpools. Snow was in sight on every side. Hoar mountains, scarred by avalanches, formed a huge amphitheatre around the dull *hospice*. We were almost within the gates of perpetual winter, upon rocks bare of all soil, and yet we found thirteen varieties of moss, each with its minute but distinctive flower of exquisite beauty.

Of course, we were prepared to judge our hosts generously. They gave us no scant welcome; it would be churlish to speak of them with niggard praise. Aside from all that, however, they appeared to us to be good men, leading godly lives. They were free from asceticism. The trials of their lot they bore cheerfully. No devotees were ever more faithful to their shrine than these Augustinian monks are to their duties. They were correct in opinion, so far as we could judge, and liberal in sentiment. One of the brethren remarked that the Holy Catholic, Apostolic Church consisted simply of those, and those only, in every denomination, who possessed faith in Christ. They spoke warmly of English and American Protestants, because they had feeling in religion. Upon asking if singing in our own worship would be allowed the reply was, "*Oui: certainment!*" accompanied with a graceful offer of their chapel for our morning exercise. All the Fathers were young men of mild and gentlemanly manners, dressed like ourselves, except a long black gown buttoned from top to bottom, with a diagonal band of white, and a similar band on their tall black caps.

Along the Pass, within short distances, are low-browed stone hovels, meant for temporary shelters the perishing may seek during a storm. On the summit is a larger hovel, similar in construction, used as a tomb for the dead. Of course, upon the solid rock, there can be no burial place.—You look into the revolting receptacle through grated windows. The monks who die here, the travelers who never recover from the sufferings of the ascent during the winter months, and the bodies reclaimed from the avalanches, are deposited in this mausoleum. The constant frost, combined with the rarity of the atmosphere, prevents disintegration.—As death found the hapless victims, they remain. The floor is thick with skulls and bones and human dust, slowly resolving, without offensive corruption, into the elements. Alike those who died in their beds, and those whom, when the storm fell thick and fast, the hurricane of snow wound up in one white shroud; they remain here awaiting the Resurrection morning.

Of the St Bernard dogs, there were nine of different ages at the *hospice*. They are too well known to need description,—all of white, rough hair, with tawney spots, large-limbed, deep-mouthed and broad-chested, their bodies thick set, heads large and blunt, and mouths black as night. Their sagacity has probably not been overstated. With cordials slung around their necks, four, in their turn, accompany the monks in their daily sallies, summer and winter, in storm and sunshine. Bred for a single purpose, they know their errand hardly less their masters, while their instinct often serves in better turn than human reason. We were shown one,—Hector,—old, gray and bronzed, with large Shakesperian dew-laps and body huge well nigh as a Highland bull,—who had saved seventeen lives. I found my way to his heart by scratching his huge head. His playfulness had gone; poor fellow, he had learned the seriousness of life; but he had the simplicity and dignity of great size and seemed possessed of the gravity of acknowledged services. Although one could not say of Hector as the Scotch gamekeeper did of a solemn terrier, "Oh, sir, life is full of solemn sariousness to him,—he just never can get enough of fighting," yet there was about him the heavy, menacing, sombre countenance, the deep, inevitable eye and sombre look, as of thunder asleep, but ready, that would stand no nonsense. The breed, of uncertain origin, is carefully kept up not only at the *hospice*, but at the *chalets* and in the villages below.

Two nights and a day spent with our Augustinian brothers ripened our acquaintance into friendship. Their good breeding, gentle attentions, undemonstrative kindness and watchful forethought, their cheerful contentment, uncomplaining self-sacrifice and punctual attention to duty, taught us a lesson of Christian toleration. In their religious ceremonies we could not heartily join. But, in the spirit which pervaded all they did, we could not forget the words of the Apostle:

"Love never faileth; but, whether there be prophecies, they shall fail; whether there be tongues, they shall cease; whether there be knowledge, it shall vanish away." But love is of God, and cannot fail.

Medical.

P. T. I.

"For thy Stomach's Sake and thine other Infirmities."—St. Paul.

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R. B. TAYLOR.
Clearfield Pa., Feb. 24, 1869-tf

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OPPOSITE THE MARKET STREET
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☞ I keep Jewelry in all its forms and of different values, either by the piece or set.

WATCHES—A full assortment of either Gold or Silver, made by the best American and foreign manufacturers, including a fine lot of gold and silver hunting case, full jeweled, Patent Levers.

CLOCKS—Of all designs, consisting of eight-day and thirty-hour, of either weight, string or levers, and both strike and alarm.

REPAIRING.—All kinds of Watches and Clocks Repaired, and warranted.

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May 7, 1868-y H. F. NAUGLE.

READING FOR ALL!!
BOOKS & STATIONERY.

Market St., Clearfield, (at the Post Office.)

THE undersigned begs leave to announce to the citizens of Clearfield and vicinity, that he has fitted up a room and has just returned from the city with a large amount of reading matter, consisting in part of

Bibles and Miscellaneous Books,

Blank, Account and Pass Books of every description; Paper and Envelopes, French pressed and plain; Pens and Pencils; Blank, Legal Papers, Deeds, Mortgages; Judgment, Exemption and Promissory notes; White and Parchment Brief, Legal Cap, Record Cap, and Bill Cap, Sheet, Music for either Piano, Flute or Violin constantly on hand. Any books or stationery desired that I may not have on hand, will be ordered by first express, and sold at wholesale or retail to suit customers. I will also keep periodical literature, such as Magazines, Newspapers, &c.
P. A. GAULIN.
Clearfield May 7, 1868-tf

GREAT EXCITEMENT
ON SECOND STREET,
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NEW GOODS AT LOW PRICES.

THE undersigned respectfully invite the attention of the public generally to their splendid assortment of merchandise, which they are now selling

AT VERY LOW PRICES.

Their stock consists in part of

Dry Goods of the Best Quality,

Such as Prints, De Laines, Alpacas, Merinos, Ginghams, Muslins, (bleached and unbleached,) Drillings, Tickings, cotton and wool Flannels, Satinetts, Cassimeres, Cottonades, Ladies' Shawls, Nubias & Hoods, Balmoral and Hoop Skirts, &c.,

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IN SHORT A GENERAL ASSORTMENT

Of everything usually kept in a retail store, all CHEAP FOR CASH or approved country produce.

A. K. WRIGHT & SONS.
Clearfield, Nov. 7, 1867.

SOMETHING NEW AGAIN!

C. D. WATSON

Wishes to inform his old friends and the public generally that he has opened on a new

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In his old stand, opposite the Court House, SECOND ST., CLEARFIELD, PA.

His stock is all new, fresh and of the very best quality, and will be sold cheap for CASH or approved Country Produce.

If you want pure Drugs and Patent Medicines, Go to WATSON'S.

If you want Confectionaries, Canned Fruits, Pickles and Jellies, Nuts, &c., &c., Go to WATSON'S.

If you want the best Roasted Coffee, Essence of Coffee, Spices of all kinds, cheap, Go to WATSON'S.

If you want Fancy & Toilet Soaps, Flavoring Extracts, &c., &c., be sure to Go to WATSON'S.

If you want Fancy Dye Colors, Clark's 3cs Machine Thread, Pins, Needles & Notions, Go to WATSON'S.

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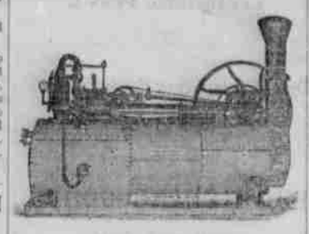

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The way to do it I will show,
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I met him once. Says he, "My friend,
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And there he got a handsome suit,
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Curwensville, Oct. 20, 1869-tf.

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Dry Goods, Groceries, Etc.

GREAT BARGAINS

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Hardware, Queensware, Tinware.

Castings, Plows and Plow Castings, Nails, Spikes, Corn Cultivators, Cider Presses, and all kinds of Axes.

☞ My Plows are of the Curwensville and Centre county make, and are warranted to be of good quality.

Drugs and Medicines,

Perfumery, Paints, Varnish, Glass, and a general assortment of Stationery,

GOOD FLOUR,

Of different brands, always on hand, and will be sold at the lowest possible figures.

LIQUORS,

Such as BRANDY, WINE, GIN & WHISKY

5000 pounds of Wool wanted for which the highest price will be paid.

CLOVER SEED.

On hand and for sale at the lowest market price.

Also, Agent for Wilson's Strattonville

THRESHING MACHINES.

☞ Call and see for yourselves. You will find everything usually kept in a retail store.
L. M. COUTRIET.
Frenchville P. O., Jan. 7, 1869.

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 seasonable 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 enumerate and itemize 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.
dec29 JOSEPH SHAW & SON.

NEW FLOUR, FEED
AND
PROVISION STORE,

THE undersigned have just received at their new stand in Wallaceton, a full supply of

Flour, Feed, Corn Meal, Bacon, &c.,

COAL OIL, (at reduced rates,)

A good article of TOBACCO, CIGARS AND SMOKING TOBACCO, constantly on hand.

All of which will be sold at LOW RATES for CASH or given in exchange for SHINGLES and LUMBER.

We respectfully ask the public to give us a trial before purchasing elsewhere.
J. R. READ & CO.
Wallaceton, April 7, 1869.

C. KRATZER & SONS

ARE RECEIVING A SPLENDID STOCK OF CARPETS AND OIL CLOTHS.

WALL PAPERS—GILT PAPER, &c.

LACE CURTAINS, WINDOW SHADES.

COUNTERPANES AND QUILTS.

LINEN TABLE CLOTHS & NAPKINS

LADIES SILK COATS & OVERSKIRTS.

ELEGANT SHAWLS & LACE POINTS.

LADIES' & CHILDREN'S TRIMMED HATS.

DRESS GOODS AND TRIMMINGS.

BEST KID GLOVES—LADIES' GENTLEMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S.

BLACK AND FANCY SILKS.

FINE BLACK ALPACAS.

UNEQUALLED STOCK LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S SHOES & GAITERS.

MEN'S CALF & FRENCH KIP BOOTS

HEAVY CALF BOOTS $5.

MEN'S AND BOYS' FINE AND HEAVY SHOES.

CASSIMERES VERY CHEAP.

BEST STONE TEA SETTS, $5.

GROCERIES, FLOUR & PROVISIONS AT LOWEST RATES.

LIBERAL DEDUCTION TO THOSE BUYING IN QUANTITY.

WOOL, MARKETING AND COUNTRY PRODUCE WANTED.

Clearfield, June 18, 1869.

New Wine and Liquor Store.

I. L. REIZENSTEIN,
WHOLESALE DEALER IN
WINES & LIQUORS,
MARKET ST., CLEARFIELD, PA.

☞ Full stock of Wine, Brandy, Gin, Whisky and Alcohol, always on hand. Special attention paid to securing a pure article for Sacramental and medical purposes. apr11-76tf

Miss E. A. P. Rynder,
AGENT FOR
Chickering's, Steinway's and Emerson's Pianos; Smith's, Mason & Hamlin's and Peloubet's Organs and Melodeons, and Grover & Baker's Sewing Machines.
ALSO TEACHER OF
Piano, Guitar, Organ, Harmony and Vocal Music. No pupil taken for less than half a term.
☞ Rooms next door to First National Bank.
Clearfield, May 5, 1869-tf.

THE DEMOCRATIC ALMANAC for 1866 1867 and 1868 for sale at the Post Office. Price 25 cents. Mailed to any address. [jel3-tf

Banks.

Clearfield County Bank.

THE Clearfield County Bank as an incorporated institution has gone out of existence by the surrender of its charter, on May 17, 1869. All its stock is owned by the subscribers, who will continue the Banking business at the same place, as private Bankers, under the firm name of the "Clearfield County Bank." We are responsible for the debts of the Bank, and will pay its notes on demand at the counter. Deposits received and interest paid when money to loan at fixed times. Paper discounted at six per cent, as heretofore. Our personal responsibility is pledged for all Deposits received and business transacted. A continuance of the liberal patronage of the business men of the county is respectfully solicited. As President, Cashier and officers of the late Clearfield County Bank, we require the notes of said Bank to be presented for redemption.

JAS. T. LEONARD, RICHARD SHAW,
WM. PORTER, JAS. D. GRAHAM,
A. K. WRIGHT, G. L. REED,
WM. A. WALLACE.

The business of the Bank will be conducted by John M. Adams, Esq., as Cashier. [jun29,'68

J. D. McGIRK. Edward Perks
BANKING & COLLECTION HOUSE
OF
McGIRK & PERKS.
Successors to Foster, Perks, & Co.,
Philipsburg, Centre County, Pa.

WHERE all the business of a Banking House will be transacted promptly and upon the most favorable terms. may7-tf

County National Bank.
CLEARFIELD, PA.

THIS Bank is now open and ready for business. Office on Second street, in the building formerly occupied by Leonard, Finney & Co.

DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS.

JAS. D. GRAHAM, RICHARD SHAW
WM. A. WALLACE, WM. PORTER,
A. K. WRIGHT, GEO. L. REED.
W. M. SHAW, JAS. T. LEONARD,
jn26,'66] Cashier. President.

Boggs Township Awake

GREAT EXCITEMENT AT
THOMAS BEERS'S!

EVERYBODY trying to get there first, for fear of being crowded out into the cold.
If you want good Shoeing done, go to BEERS.
If you want your Sleds ironed right, go to BEERS.
If you want good Mill Irons, go to BEERS.
If you want your wagon ironed in the best style and workmanship, go to BEERS.

BEERS makes the best Stump Machine in the State, and does all kinds of BLACKSMITHING as cheap as can be done in the county for Cash.

My Post Office address is Clearfield Bridge.
THOMAS BEERS.
Boggs Tp., Dec. 19, 1867-tf.

Southern Land & Emigration COMPANY,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

ORGANIZED and established for the Purchase and Sale of Farming and Mineral Lands, and improved Real Estate in the Southern States.

THOMAS B. FLORENCE, President.
JO. SEVERNS, Vice President.
J. HENRY ASKIN, Treasurer, President Fourth National Bank of Philadelphia.
JOHN MORRIS, Secretary.
THOS. C. MACDOWELL, Attorney and Counsellor.

Office: Washington Building, Corner Seventh St., and Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, D. C.

REFERENCES:
Gov. John T. Hoffman, Albany, N. Y.
Ex-Gov. Wm. Bigler, Clearfield, Pa.
Gov. T. F. Randolph, Trenton, N. J.
Ex-Gov. Wm. F. Packer, Williamsport, Pa.
Sept. 1, '69-tf.

Cheap Furniture.

JOHN GULICH

DESIRES to inform his old friends and customers, that having enlarged his shop and increased his facilities for manufacturing, he is now prepared to make to order such Furniture as may be desired, in good style and at cheap rates for CASH. He generally has on hand, at his Furniture rooms, a varied assortment of ready-made furniture, among which are

BUREAUS AND SIDE-BOARDS,

Wardrobes and Book-Cases; Centre, Sofa, Parlor, Breakfast and Dining Extension Tables; Common, French-post, Cottage, Jenny-Lind and other Bedsteads; Sofas of all kinds, Work-stands, Hat racks, Wash-stands; Rocking and Arm Chairs; spring-seat, cane-bottom, parlor, common and other Chairs; Looking-Glasses of every description on hand; and new glasses for old frames, which will be put in on very reasonable terms on shortest notice. He also keeps on hand or furnishes to order, Corn-husk, Hair and Cotton-top Mattresses.

COFFINS OF EVERY KIND

Made to order, and funerals attended with a Hearse whenever desired. Also, House Painting done to order. The subscriber also manufactures, and has constantly on hand, Clement's Patent Washing Machine, the best now in use! Those using this machine never need be without clean clothes! He also has Flyer's Patent Churn, a superior article. A family using this Churn never need be without butter!

All the above and many other articles are furnished to customers cheap for CASH or exchanged for approved country produce. Cherry, Maple, Poplar, Linwood and other Lumber suitable for Cabinet work, taken in exchange for furniture.

☞ Remember the shop is on Market street, Clearfield, Pa., and nearly opposite the "Old Jew Store."
JOHN GULICH.
November 28, 1862 y

The Lightning Tamer.

THE undersigned are the sole Agents in this county for the "North American Galvanized LIGHTNING RODS." These are the only safe rods now in use, and are endorsed by all the scientific men in the country.

We hereby notify the citizens of the county that we will put them up a better rod, and for less money, than is charged by the foreign agents who annually traverse the county and carry off our little cash, never to return.

ENCOURAGE HOME LABOR.

Those wishing Lightning Rods erected on their buildings need but address us by letter, or call in person. We will put them up anywhere in the county, and warrant them. The Rods and Fixtures can be seen at any time by calling at our store.
H. F. BIGLER & CO.
Clearfield, March 30, 1870-tf

DAVID YOUNG,
Stone-Cutter and Stone-Mason,

WILL execute all work in his line at moderate prices and in FIRST-CLASS style.

Architectural Ornaments

In ALL STYLES, Stone Dressing of every description, and all kinds of mason work contracted for in any part of the county. Any persons wishing to have respectable mason work and stone-cutting done, will find it to their interest to call upon me. I would also inform the public that I can deliver any quantity or class of stone desired, as I am the owner of a

FIRST-CLASS STONE QUARRY.

Orders for work can be addressed to
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