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CLAREFIELD, PA. WEDNESDAY MORNING, MARCH 29, 1873.

Gov. Hartranf has appointed Lyman D. Gilbert, Esq., of Harrisburg, Deputy Attorney General...

A MAGNIFICENT GIFT—Commodore Vanderbilt, of New York, has made a present of five hundred thousand dollars to the Bishops of the M. E. Church South...

LEGISLATIVE RATIONS.—Local Option came to a grief at Harrisburg on Friday last. That city voted for license.

All our exchanges last week contained this news item: "On Monday last the Supreme Court decided the local option law constitutional."

CONTINUES TO BLOW.—A Radical exchange, in alluding to the late election in the "Granite State," says: "Straw is elected Governor of New Hampshire by about 400 of a majority."

AN UNJUST JUDICIAL.—The decision of Judge Reed, of our Supreme Court, on the "Local Option" question, is a disgrace to the people of the State...

REAPPOINTED.—Gen. Grant has reappointed all the members of his Cabinet, except Mr. Boutwell, who has been elected United States Senator.

RESTORED.—Ex-Governor Holden of North Carolina, impeached and deposed from office for his crimes, has been appointed post-master at Raleigh by the President.

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Congressional Apportionment. The bill passed by the lower House, apportioning the State into Congressional districts, seems to please neither party and is severely criticized by the press.

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The Dog-Sheep Law. The bill found below is now before the Legislature, and is being pressed upon Messrs Wallace and Lawaba by a large number of our citizens.

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Effect of Bad Example. The New York Post, the ablest of the Administration organs, thus raps the State and National thieves over the knuckles.

"The Pennsylvania Legislature follows the example of the last Congress of thieves at Washington in increasing the number of members of the Legislature. This rascality will probably spread like the small-pox, and like the small-pox among material pestilences, so will the nastiest and meanest of moral sicknesses.

"General Grant is not a quick-witted man but it is marvellous that even he did not see how great a chance for achieving an almost unbounded popularity Congress gave him in raising his and their own salaries. It was simply his duty to refuse to sign a bill that contained a provision so disgraceful and so dishonest as that which gave a gratuity of \$5,000 out of the United States Treasury to the members of a Congress just going out of existence."

Coupon Years. Gen. William H. Davis of the Doylestown Democrat, has been appointed a member of the Senate Memorial Executive Committee.

Greatest Auction in the World. The State of Ohio had at least one honest Radical member in the last Congress, in the person of Mr. Stevenson. We take the following extract from his speech upon the report of the Credit Mobilier Committee.

A twin sister and brother died lately in New York one seventeen days apart. The sister was eighty-eight years, eleven months, and seven days old, and the brother seventeen days older.

1776 CENTENNIAL 1876. Mrs. T. E. Watson will open up the first spring styles.

CLEARFIELD PLANING MILL COMPANY. The property on the north-west corner of Ninth and Chestnut streets has been selected for the Post Office in Philadelphia, the total valuation of which is \$682,500.

THE PAROLED REPUBLICAN.—The citizens of Philadelphia, after the election last fall, arrested a number of the repeaters and ballot-box stuffers, and having selected a specimen "brick" named Brown, they tried, convicted and sentenced him to the Penitentiary.

My BROTHER-IN-LAW.—The New York Tribune says: Any President who would respond to office such a man as Collector J. F. Casey of New Orleans might fairly give over to blindness of mind and hardness of heart.

President Grant has reappointed brother-in-law Casey, collector of New Orleans, notwithstanding his promise to remove Casey and asked never saw fit to give.

"Clearfield Planing Mill Co." The business will be conducted under the name of the Clearfield Planing Mill Co.

THE LATEST MOVIE! DOWN! DOWN!! THE LAST ARRIVAL AND OF COURSE THE CHEAPEST!

HARTSWICK & IRWIN'S DRUG STORE. We have Everything that is Needed and obtained in this market...

CHEMICALS! NEW GOODS! PHARMACEUTICAL PREPARATIONS. (Including all new remedies.)

GROCERIES. We have just received one of the largest stocks of all kinds of Groceries ever brought in Our...

READY-MADE CLOTHING. We have a large stock of ready-made Clothing for Men and Boys...

SMOKERS AND CHEWERS. We have a long experience in the business, and an extensive and well selected stock of medicines...

J. M. KRATZER'S. 1872, 1873. FALL & WINTER GOODS. Immense Stock of Goods of every description.

FLOUR & FEED DEPOT! The attention of the citizens of Clearfield and vicinity is directed to the fact that Goodlander & Son are the agents of M. New & Co....

KRATZER & LITTLE. DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, GROCERIES, HARDWARE AND QUEENSWARE.

THE CLEARFIELD CO. NORMAL SCHOOL. For the present year, will be held in the borough of Clearfield, commencing on MONDAY, MAY 13th...

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of ANDREW HUNTER, deceased...

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary having been granted to the subscriber on the estate of GEORGE HENRY YOE, deceased...

THIS WAY, RAFTMEN.—An enlarged given notice that he is applying for a license to operate a raft on the banks of the Juniata River...