

THE REPUBLICAN.

WEDNESDAY MORNING OCT. 1, 1878.

COUNTRY CHILDREN.
Little fresh violets
Born in the wood,
Sweetly illustrating
Innocent childhood!
By an autumn breeze,
Brown as a berry,
From the mountain air,
Ringing and merry!

Blue eyes and hazel eyes
Peep from the hedges,
Shed by sun-bonnet
Frayed at the edges!
Up in the apple trees,
Headed of danger,
Mashed in embryo
Stares at the stranger!

Out in the hilly patch
Seeking for berries,
Under the orchard tree
Feasting on cherries,
Trampling the clover-bloms
Down among the grasses,
No voices to hinder them,
Dear lads and lasses.

Dear little innocents,
Born in the wilderness;
O that all little ones
Had such a childhood!
God's love spread over them,
God's grace surround them,
No sweeter heritage
Could we bequeath them!

The Ruling Passion.

The following story is told of the treatment of a drunken husband by his amiable spouse. After trying various experiments to cure his drunkenness, she at last brought herself to another plan of taking a "reformed drunkard" of her husband.

She engaged a watchman for a stipulated reward to carry Philander to the watch-house while yet in a state of insensibility, and to "frighten him a little when he recovered."

In consequence of this arrangement he was waked up about 11 o'clock at night, and found himself lying on a pine bench in a strange and damp apartment. Raising himself upon his elbow, he looked around, until his eyes rested on a man sitting by a stove and smoking a cigar.

"Where am I?" asked Philander.

"In a medical college!" said the cigar smoker.

"What a doing then?"

"Going to be cut up."

"Cut up! How comes that?"

"Why, you died yesterday, while you were drunk, and we have brought your body here to make a 'natomy.'"

"No matter, we bought your carcass, anyhow, from your wife, who had a right to sell it for its all the good she could ever make out of you. If you're not dead, it's no fault of the doctors, and they'll cut you up, dead or alive."

"You will do it eh?" asked the old sot.

"To be sure we will—now—immediately," was the resolute answer.

"Well, look here, can't you let us have something to drink before you begin?"

This last speech satisfied the watchman that the man was a hopeless case; and as his reward was contingent upon his successful treatment of the patient, he was not a little chagrined at the result; so, with no gentle hand, he tumbled the irreformable inebriate out of the watch-house.

A Summer Slide Down Hill.

Any one desirous of sliding down hill in the summer time, says a Minneapolis paper, may gratify that desire at the falls by a scout down the apron. How nicely it can be done was illustrated by a couple of tourists, without any "guide," and also by their driver. These gentlemen were much interested in all they saw about the falls, and especially in the torrent of water shooting over St. Anthony's bastion. To obtain a better view they ventured out upon the dam extending from the platform. About an inch of water runs over this dam, shoots down the apron with great velocity for the distance of 150 feet, until it strikes the timber-bod running level for twenty or thirty feet, then dashes into a regular whirlpool that froths and foams among the rocks. Unfortunately for the tourists the coffee-dam was thickly coated with a green, slimy substance, making one of the most slippery foundations imaginable; and in less time than it takes to tell it their "feet were gone," and a couple of dark streaks were visible as they went down the slippy apron like a special telegram. Spectators feared they would be dashed upon the rocks and instantly killed, but, luckily, they managed to stop themselves on the timber-bod before spoken of, and were promptly rescued. They were sorry-looking subjects, however, covered as they were by the deposit wiped up from the dam and apron, and were "wearing of the green" in the fullest sense of the word. Their driver subsequently attempted to recover an estray hat from the dam, and lacking apron-strings, he too, indulged in an unexpected trip down the inclined plane, was fished up, sponged, and the parties started for St. Paul, feeling that it was not good for them to be here.

The "Bonnet."

The political agony of Massachusetts is over, and Butler is again beaten. Seeing how the land lay, and the Convention met, he was sharp enough to withdraw his name as a candidate, and let Washburn be nominated unanimously on the score that he was good a radical as the next man, and didn't want to embarrass things. Considerate Ben! he isn't the first man who has peddled sour grapes; for if he had had votes enough to nominate him, he would not have cared how much things were embarrassed. By withdrawing before a ballot, he hid his nakedness to some extent, and he will now have credit for more strength than he possessed. The resolutions condemn the back pay grab in pretty strong terms, and slap the administration for sending federal officers around the State to interfere with local politics. The absence of a resolution endorsing the President and his administration, is a marked feature of the Convention. It is conceded that Butler, notwithstanding his defeat for Governor, came off with flying colors, and has materially bettered his chances for the United States Senate. He will yet prove a terrible terror in the sides of the Massachusetts Radicals.

It is notorious that Grant and Cameron traversed the State in the interests of Butler. But the whole crew is defeated, Grant receiving the hardest slap in the face he has got yet, the Massachusetts Hoars and Washburn nearly knocking Clearism out of him.

Dry Goods, Groceries, Etc.

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 desirable goods and have 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 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 should not be paid elsewhere.

DANIEL GOODLANDER,

LUTHERSBURG, PA.,
Dealer in

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS,

HOSIERY & GLOVES,
HATS & CAPS AND BOOTS & SHOES,

Tobacco, Groceries and Fish, Nails, Hardware, Queensware and Glassware, Men's and Boys' Clothing, Druggs, Paints, Oils, School Books, Stationery, &c., &c., a large lot of Patent Medicines,

Candles, Nuts & Dried Fruits, Cheese and Crackers, Rock and Rice Powder,

Flour, Grain and Potatoes,
Clover and Timothy Seed,

Sole Leather, Morocco, Linings, Bindings and Thread, Shoemakers' Tools and Sewing Machines.

No greater variety of goods in any store in the county. All for sale very low for cash or country produce at the Cash Corner. Aug. 27, 1878.

J. M. KRATZER.

DESIRABLE STYLES of Cassimere, &c., for Men and Boys, at J. M. KRATZER'S.

THREE-PLY, Brussels, Ingrain and other Carpets, also, door Oil Cloth, at reduced prices, at J. M. KRATZER'S.

BEST ASSORTMENT of Wall Paper ever offered in this vicinity. The \$1 per piece, five gilt paper, etc., at J. M. KRATZER'S.

THE MOST popular makes of Muslin, Sheetings, Pillow Muslin, &c., at a small advance above cost, by the piece, at J. M. KRATZER'S.

NEW GOODS, NEW STYLES, LARGE ASSORTMENT, LOW PRICES, all to be found at J. M. KRATZER'S.

LADIES DRESS GOODS, in the greatest variety of Spring shades, newest and most desirable styles, at J. M. KRATZER'S.

A VARIETY of Dress Goods, suitable for mourning, also extra velvets, &c., constantly on hand, at J. M. KRATZER'S.

RECEIVING a large supply of Ladies' and Children's Shoes, made to order and warranted. A handsome Gaiter for \$2.00 at J. M. KRATZER'S.

BEST Granite ware Tea Sets and Chamber Sets, Knives and Forks, Silver-plated Forks and Spoons, Table Linens, Napkins, very cheap, at J. M. KRATZER'S.

SHAWLS, Scarfs, Neckties, Collars, Vests, Hair Goods, Gloves, &c. Kid Gloves at 75c, also the Josephine Seaman Kid Gloves, at J. M. KRATZER'S.

CHEAP GROCERIES! LUMBER CITY, PA. The undersigned announces to his old friends and patrons that he has opened a good line of GROCERIES & PROVISIONS at the old stand of KRATZER & SPENCER, for the purpose of soliciting a liberal patronage. H. W. SPENCER, Lumber City, Pa., March 20, 1878.

T. M. ROBINSON & CO.,

Dealers in

SADDLERS,

Harness, Saddles and Bridles,

BLANKETS, BRUSHES,

Fly Nets, Collars, Whips, &c.

A large stock of TROTTERING GOODS of all descriptions. Also, a large stock of HARNESS TRIMMINGS.

Repairing promptly attended to.

Shop on Market street, Graham's Row, in shop formerly occupied by James Alexander.

Clearfield, Pa., June 25, 1878.

LOOK AND READ!

SADDLE & HARNESS MAKING!

JOHN C. HARWICK,

Market St., CLEARFIELD, PA.

In the town to go, if you want a set of new HARNESS or a new SADDLE, or anything else in that line. He turns out as good work as is done in the State. Penny train, and his prices are very reasonable.

Constantly on hand a full line of TROTTERING GOODS,

such as Trotting Saddles, Quarter and Rhinoceros, Trotting Harness, Whip, Fly Brushes and Combs, &c. A fine assortment of Nets, Horse Covers, Knee Blankets, Buffalo Robes, &c., kept in stock. In fact everything that horsemen stand in need of is always on hand.

All of which will be sold at wholesale or retail at very low prices.

Repairing promptly attended to. All work guaranteed. Shop in room formerly occupied as Post Office.

H. F. BIGLER & CO'S

-SPECIALTIES-

BUILDERS' HARDWARE,

MERCHANTS' HARDWARE,

LUMBERMEN'S HARDWARE,

FARMING UTENSILS,

MILL SUPPLIES,

IRON & NAILS,

PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES,

PAINTERS' FINDINGS,

CALCINED PLASTER.

May 28, 1878.

KRATZER & LITTLE

WILL SELL YOU

Nails, Glass, Putty,

French, Richards & Co's

Buck Lead

AND

Calced Plaster

VERY CHEAP.

Immense stock on hand.

Clearfield, Pa., June 4, 1878.

Miss E. A. P. Rynder,

AGENT for

Chickering's, Steinway's and Emerson's Pianos;

Smith's, Mason & Hamill's and Poliole's Organs and Melodions, and Grover & Baker's Sewing Machines.

Piano, Guitar, Organ, Harmony and Vocal Music. No pupil taken for less than half a term.

Clearfield, May 1, 1878.

Hotels.

WASHINGTON HOUSE,

NEW WASHINGTON, PA.

This new and well furnished house has been taken by the undersigned. He feels confident of being able to render satisfaction to those who may favor him with a call.

G. W. DAVIS, Prop'r.
May 8, 1878.

THE MANSION HOUSE,

Corner of Second and Market Streets,

CLEARFIELD, PA.

THIS old and commodious Hotel has, during the past year, been enlarged to double its former capacity for the entertainment of strangers and guests. The whole building has been refurnished, and the proprietor will spare no pains to render his guests comfortable while staying with him.

The "Mansion House" Omnibus runs to and from the Depot on the arrival and departure of each train.

JOHN DOUGHERTY, Proprietor.
April 7, 1878.

MONTROUSE HOUSE,

Opposite the Court House,

LOCK HAVEN, PENN'A.

July 17, 1878. HAUSSAL & KROM, Prop'rs.

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BELLEFRONTE, PA.,

D. JOHNSTON & SONS, Proprietors.

RAILROAD HOUSE,

Main Street,

PHILIPSBURG, PENN'A.

Table always supplied with the best market affords. The traveling public is invited to call.

Nov. 1, 75. ROBERT LLOYD.

ALLEGHENY HOTEL,

(Market St., bet. Second and Third),

CLEARFIELD, PA.

The subscriber having become proprietor of this hotel, would respectfully ask a liberal share of public patronage.

GEORGE LEIPOLDT.

SUSQUEHANNA HOUSE,

CURWENSVILLE, PA.

This old and well established Hotel, beautifully situated on the banks of the Susquehanna, in the borough of Curwensville, has been leased for a term of years by the undersigned. It has been entirely refitted, and is now open to the public generally and the traveling community in particular. No pains will be spared to render guests comfortable while staying at this house. Ample facilities are made for the accommodation of teams. Charges moderate.

Sept. 28, 1878. E. L. BLOOM.

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MARKET STREET,

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Dealers in

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS,

GROCERIES,

HARDWARE AND QUEENSWARE,

Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, &c.

Shoemakers supplied with LEATHER and SHOE FINDINGS at reduced rates.

SALT! SALT! at wholesale and retail—very cheap.

PAINTS, OILS, CALCINED PLASTER, &c. A liberal discount to builders.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS, CARPETS, WINDOW SHADES, OIL CLOTHS—in large quantities.

FISH, FLOUR, RACON, CORN MEAL and CHOP, always on hand.

All of the above goods are purchased exclusively for cash, and therefore can and will be sold as cheap as the cheapest. Feb. 12, 78.

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GREAT EXCITEMENT

AT THE

CLEARFIELD BAKERY

AND

ICE CREAM SALOON!

The undersigned having just fitted up new, large and comfortable rooms on Market street near Third, respectfully informs the public that he is now prepared to accommodate them with everything that is done in the shortest time and at all hours of the day. He keeps on hand

FRESH BREAD,

RUSKS, ROLLS, PIES,

CAKES, all kinds.

ICE CREAM,

and a general assortment of CONFECTIONERIES, FRUITS, NUTS, &c.

All of which will be delivered to customers at their residences, when requested to do so.

ICE CREAM, by the dish, served in a neatly furnished room.

Thankful for the generous patronage bestowed in the past, he hopes to merit and receive the continuance of the same from his old customers, and others.

JOHN STADLER

June 18, 78.

STEVENSON & CO'S

EXCELSIOR BAKERY,

MARKET STREET, CLEARFIELD, PA.

Having recently fitted up a new Bakery, and procured the services of a first-class Baker, we are prepared to furnish

FRESH BREAD,

ROLLS, CAKES, &c.

every day. We will deliver Bread, Rolls, Cakes of all kinds, fresh every morning, at the doors of our customers, if desired. We respectfully ask a share of public patronage, and feel sure that we can give entire satisfaction.

We also keep on hand a choice assortment of CANDIES, NUTS, ORANGES, LEMONS, TO RACCO, CIGARS, &c.

Fresh FRUITS and VEGETABLES received daily and sold at reasonable prices.

Give us a call. We strive to please.

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Sole agents for the celebrated

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OIL, PAINT, PUTTY, GLASS,

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Philipsburg, Centre County, Pa.

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STOVES, HEATERS, RANGES,