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Sabbath School at 9 A. M.
Prayer Meeting every Wednesday, at 7½ P. M.
Communion Service; first Sabbath of every month, at 10½ A. M.

West Clearfield M. E. Church.—Rev. W. SCOTT WILSON, Pastor. Preaching every alternate Sunday, at 3 o'clock, P. M. Sunday School at 2½, P. M. All are invited to attend.

Presbyterian Church—Rev. H. S. BUTLER.—Sabbath services morning and evening—Sabbath School at 2 P. M.—Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening.

Baptist Church.—Rev. —— ——, Pastor. Sabbath School at 3 P. M. Prayer Meeting every Wednesday evening.

St. Francis' Church—Catholic—Rev. P. J. SHEERAN.—Divine service at 10½ A. M., on the first, third and fourth Sundays of each month; Vespers and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 7 o'clock, P. M.—Sunday School every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

TIME OF HOLDING QUARTER SESSIONS COURT.

Second Monday of January.
Third Monday of March.
First Monday of June.
Fourth Monday of September.

TIME OF HOLDING COMMON PLEAS.

First Monday of June.
Second Monday of November.

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Our Special column is decidedly interesting in a local point of view, and profitable reading to outsiders who want to earn money.

YES, OF COURSE!

"Will you take wheat, oats or corn for subscription?" We are often inquired of in this way by letter from patrons who reside at a distance from Clearfield. We again say yes. The receipts of a responsible merchant or mill owner in the vicinity, will answer us just as well as the cash. To illustrate: If any of our patrons will deliver us a bag of grain at the mill of Joseph H. Breth, in Chest township, Horace Patchin, in Burnside, Thomas H. Forcey, in Graham, Wm. Porter or Shaw's, in Lawrence, or Brown & Boyler's, at Rockton, Union township, and forward their receipts for the amount, we will credit them on their account for the same. In this way all may soon pay what they owe, if they will pursue this course. tf.

Advertisers and others will bear in mind that all articles intended for publication in this paper must be handed in, not later than Tuesday, at 9 A. M. Don't forget it!

BULLETIN OF PUBLIC SALES!

The following sales appear in these columns. All sales advertised in the REPUBLICAN will be noticed under the local head free of charge:—

Saturday, March 13th.—Property of D. A. Catheart, deceased, in Sandy township.

Saturday, March 13th.—Property of Richard Shaw, deceased, in Clearfield borough and Morris township.

Thursday, March 18th.—The property of John Heiserling, deceased, in Sandy township.

Friday, April 2d.—Property of Arthur Reese, deceased, in Lawrence township.

New moon this morning, March 10th, at 7:51.

The birds have come, and their morning concerts and matinees are enjoyed by all.

The high wind of Friday last blew the "Rains" off of several lamp posts throughout town.

The "Gem" puzzle or "Game of 15" is having a run just now, it being all the rage everywhere.

The March term of Court will commence in this place on Monday next, and will continue in session only one week.

An interesting letter from the Stump Creek oil region appears in this paper. We hope to hear from this correspondent again.

The terrific wind last Friday afternoon demolished the large sign of the "RENSHAW" on the roof of the Opera House, and leveled the tops of two chimneys.

A very pleasant party was held at the residence of Mrs. Hannah Moore, on Second street, last Saturday afternoon. It was in honor of that lady's 69th birthday.

Jas. L. Leavy & Co., and other parties, began rafting in their timber in the vicinity of the Market street bridge last week, and on Friday started three rafts to market.

The insane woman who was arrested in this place a few weeks ago, and imprisoned in the county jail, has improved somewhat, and was liberated last Saturday. She left on the Mail train in the afternoon.

A room is being fitted up on Market street, between Pinkbreiner's bakery and Stage's meat market, to be occupied by Harry McHenrdy, of Kanthaus, as a jewelry store and watch repairing establishment.

An adjourned sale of the property of Arthur Reese, late of Lawrence township, dec'd, will take place on Friday, April 2d, 1880. For further particulars see posters, and an advertisement in this paper.

Rev. R. H. Fletcher, of Lock Haven, who has been supplying the pulpit of the Lutheran Church, in this borough, occasionally, for a number of months past, preached his farewell sermon on Sunday last, and closed his labors in this vicinity.

The Ashton Theatrical Company, which visited this place in December last, broke up at Butler, Pa., owing to the bad health of Mr. Ashton, who goes to New York to recuperate. Neil Gray, the comedian, will probably take the party.

Mr. Owens, Mercantile Appraiser for 1880, publishes a list of those engaged throughout the county as venders of general merchandise, drugs, etc., and gives notice of the time when an appeal will be held (April 24) for all who feel aggrieved as regards the amount assessed.

An occultation of the planet Mars will occur March 17th, and will be visible to the western portion of North America, beginning shortly after sunset and lasting an hour and a quarter. Now if you can find out which star represents Mars, you know all about it, and can enjoy the sight.

R. W. Vincent has been engaged in canvassing this place and vicinity for the last two weeks for the sale of fruit and ornamental trees. Mr. V. represents the well-known Morris Nurseries, of West Chester, Pa. His reports good sales at this point. He will next canvass Curwensville and vicinity. We bespeak for him success.

There was a flood in the river at this place last Friday, Saturday and Sunday, and during those days a large number of rafts passed by on their way to market. The wind on Friday made it difficult to steer, and quite a number of rafts were "moored" and stuck in consequence. Some landed along the way to avoid disaster and wait until the wind ceased.

The law firm of Messrs. Fielding, Bigler & Wilson has been dissolved.

Mr. Bowen, of Gun Lake, Mich., says: "The people here cannot do without 'Sellers' Liver Pills.'" Try them.

To accommodate raftmen returning home from Lock Haven and other points down the river, the passenger trains are now composed of four and five cars.

The first thunder shower in this vicinity for 1880 passed over town early last Thursday morning. It was a terrific one, too, and was followed by a similar one on Thursday night.

A NEW STORE.—We learn that Messrs. H. Lehman & Co. have leased one of the large store rooms in Pie's Opera House, and propose to fill it with store goods. The proprietors are now in the Eastern cities laying in a heavy stock which they will open about the 15th inst.

List of letters remaining unclaimed in the Postoffice at Clearfield, for the week ending March 8, 1880:—

Miss Nellie Arnold, Miss Lydia Barrett, Miss Minnie Genie, William Larkey, Frank Meader, George Owens, Miss Emma Schultz, Miss Emily J. Somers, Miss Carrie M. Welch.

P. A. GAULIN, P. M.

An exchange pointedly remarks that "the boy who doesn't leap over seven hitching-posts, kick a lame dog, snatch a handful of beans in front of every grocery store, knock over a box or two, and work the handle of every pump on the sidewalk, yell 'whoa, Emma!' or hit somebody with a stone or snow-ball on his way home from school, is either lazy or doesn't feel well."

The ministers and quite a number of laymen of the M. E. Churches throughout this section left on Tuesday for Altoona, to attend the annual session of the Central Pa. Conference, which begins to-day. Bishop Jame T. Peck will preside. We learn that quite a number of our citizens will visit that city towards the last of this week and remain over Sabbath.

Rev. Jacob S. McMurray, D. D., with Sunday last, closed his third Conference year in Clearfield, and, by reason of the limitation of the itinerancy, it is his last. During his stay in our midst, not only the honorary degree of D. D. has been worthily conferred upon him; but he and his family have won the esteem and respect of multitudes in this place, who will be loth to see him leave for a new field of labor.

JOHN'S DAY.—We notice that John O'Byrne, Esq., formerly of Philadelphia, lately of Delaware, and now of New York, will deliver a lecture at the Brooklyn Academy of Music on St. Patrick's Day before the Irish Societies of that city. Mr. O'Byrne is well-known to many of our citizens. He is one of the finest rhetoristic speakers now on the stage. We should like very much to listen to his lecture; but it is too far off. He will, no doubt, delight the St. Patricks of Brooklyn.

A LUMBER BOOM.—The Myersdale (Pa.) *Commercial*, published in Somerset county, of the 2d inst., says: "A party of lumbermen from Clearfield county, and elsewhere, among whom is Andrew Dill, late candidate for Governor on the Democratic ticket, arrived in Salisbury on Tuesday last to inspect the timber land purchased from Frost & Graham last Fall. Is there a boom of the lumber kind in the wind for Salisbury? This purchase is likely to prove a fine speculation for both seller and buyers.

ACCIDENT IN THE WOODS.—Mr. Samuel Bell, of West Clearfield, received a dispatch on Monday afternoon, stating that his son William had been badly hurt that day by a falling tree, in a shook camp, about two miles from Caledonia, Elk county, where he was engaged at work for John Fauver. We did not learn the extent of his injuries. Another party was cutting down the tree, and it is supposed the wind influenced it to fall in another direction from that intended. The father started for Caledonia on Tuesday morning.

HOTEL SALE.—We notice that the Ward House Hotel property in Tyrone was sold on the 29th inst., at Assignee's sale, Hon. Samuel McCamant Assignee. John T. Fowler, of Fowler station, Centre county, purchased the property, paying therefor $14,200, subject to a mortgage of $3,185. It is presumed that Mr. Fowler bought in the interest of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. The property belonged to Mrs. Mary Weston, of Tyrone. It was sold on the 23d of last December, and brought but $12,300. The sale now awaits confirmation by the Court.

THAT'S SO!—Newspaper advertising offers such facilities for addressing all classes from which customers would be likely to be attracted, that is now recognized by business men having faith in their own wares as the best of all possible salesmen—one who never sleeps and is never weary—who goes after nominees early and late—who accosts the merchant in his shop, the lawyer in his office, the student in his study, the cultivated woman at the family fireside—who can be in a thousand places at once, and speak to a million people each day, saying to each one the best thing in the best manner.

ABOUT THE STRIKE.—The Tyrone *Herald* of last Thursday says: "Owing to the strike in the Clearfield region, the coal shipments have fallen off to almost nothing. From the present outlook, very little work will be done this month. It is said that some of the operators intend to run their mines with new men. As a consequence of the stoppage, a great many railroad men are thrown out of employment, a large proportion of them being residents of Tyrone. It is a matter of regret that labor difficulties of this kind cannot be settled without seriously interfering with the business of the country."

This paper desires its friends throughout the county, when anything of interest occurs in their neighborhood, to send it to us for publication. Don't put it off by thinking that somebody else will do it, but jot it down yourself and send it to, and if it is not just correctly expressed we will see that it goes in all right. But we only want the news, such as deaths, arrivals, fires, accidents, social gatherings, &c., &c. If you have one or two items send them in. Write them on a postal card, or two postal cards, if one is not enough. But for the sake of having a good paper send us the news.

The crossings on Second street during the past few weeks have been in a fearful condition, imbedded in mud from six to eight inches deep. It is an imposition on the tax-payers, and a disgrace to our town. It speaks volumes in regard to the negligence of the borough council, whose bounden duty, if we mistake not, is to attend to such matters. We noticed one of our citizens the other day at work with a shovel, clearing one of the crossings in the vicinity of the Presbyterian Church, and he can testify that it is an small job, or pleasant one either. The Street Commissioner will fully earn the wages allotted to him for doing the work.

SHINGLES FOR SALE.—Persons desiring to purchase shingles will find it to their advantage to call on Wm. Irvin, at Curwensville, who has a large lot on hand, which he will sell at low figures.

ROUGH ON THE GROUND HOG THEORY. The Lancaster *Intelligencer*, March 11, contains the following item: "A well-authenticated story reaches us that week before last, on the farm of Mr. Miller, about three miles south of the Bunk, a trap was set to catch a skunk, instead of which a ground hog was caught. Now people believing in the theory that the ground hog, if it sees its shadow on Candlemas day (as it certainly did this year) goes into its hole and stays there for six weeks, will have trouble to explain why this particular ground hog came "out of the depth" of its hole two weeks ago. Indeed the weather for the past two weeks has not been such as to increase one's faith in ground hog theory. Instead of ice and snow and storms, we have had balmy, Spring-like breezes."

MAN DROWNED.—A young man, named Samuel Kelly, from Port Matilda, Centre county, and employed on Merrell's log drive, was drowned last Wednesday forenoon, in Wigg & Bailey's dam, on Anderson creek, about two miles above Rockton. His body was recovered soon after it disappeared in the water, but the vital spark had fled. The unfortunate man, it is supposed, tripped and fell while walking over the logs, striking his forehead violently against one of them and stunning him so severely that he was perfectly helpless. His associates made strenuous efforts to save him; but they proved of no avail. He was in the 24th year of his age, and unmarried. His remains passed through this place on the Mail train Thursday afternoon, on their way to his former home in Centre county.

THE TIMBER AFLOAT.—If ever there was any romance in rafting and logging in the early part of March, it was not on Sunday last, when it snowed and rained constantly from six o'clock in the morning until six o'clock in the evening, although acres of saw logs and scores of rafts floated by this place during the day; and quite a number of them came from the head of the river—Cherry Tree and Burnside—thus showing that the run has been more general on the first water than for many years. Notwithstanding this magnificent sum of timber this early, a large amount of it is still in the woods in portions of rafts, while that on the beach cannot be rafted without much trouble, because of the absence of sticks to make and make up platforms. As to prices, our information is too meagre to even conjecture on this point.

Don't deceive yourselves. "Dr. Sellers' Cough Syrup" for the cure of colds and coughs has no equal. Sold by druggists at 25c.

JOHN N. GARRISON, of Brookville, Collector of Internal Revenue for this district, was in town on Tuesday, attending to business connected with his office.

GOOD FARMS FOR SALE.—We call the attention of those who wish to invest in a good farm desirably located, with church and school house in sight, to the advertisement of Messrs. Fielding, Bigler and Wilson, found elsewhere in this issue.

An Editor in Luck.

St. Jacobs Oil cures rheumatism; of this I am convinced. For two years I suffered with rheumatism in my left shoulder and right arm, and last fall I was incapable of attending to my duties, and lay many a night unable to sleep on account of terrible pains. A few weeks ago a severe attack of this trouble struck me, and this time I concluded to try the St. Jacobs Oil, I must freely confess that the result has completely astonished me. The first application relieved the pain very materially, and the continued use of only two bottles has completely cured me of this chronic evil, and that, after the most eminent physicians and their prescriptions had been of no avail. I therefore consider it a duty to publish the above for the benefit of all sufferers with rheumatism and kindred complaints. G. A. HEILMAN.

Editor *Republican*, Pittsburgh, Pa.

The Sunday School.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN—*Dear Sir*: Our Society's year closes to-morrow. I could give you many interesting facts connected with the work in our home field if you had space to record them. I state one or two of the latest in hand:

Within the past few days I have seen two new Union Sunday schools well organized for the first time in their respective localities. Not less than five religious denomination are represented in them and working together in harmony. Each of these schools will have an average of over fifty members. There are some denominational schools gone into Winter-quarters, that should be "provoked to good works" by these union examples.

With these few words, I wish to express my thanks, and that of the American Sunday School Union, to the many kind friends who have continued their helpful co-operation. For the good services of the press, also, I am yours ever gratefully. E. CRITTENDEN.

BELLEFONTE, Pa., Feb. 29th, 1880.

CLEARFIELD COAL TRADE.—Statement of Coal and other freights sent over the Tyrone & Clearfield Division, Pennsylvania Railroad, for the week ending Feb. 28, 1880, and the same time last year:—

COAL.	
For the week	7997.
Same time last year	5,800
	24,551
Decrease	19,405
Previously during year	215,580
Same time last year	189,853
Increase	125,828
Total in 1880	320,756
Same time last year	224,413
Increase	100,343

OTHER FREIGHTS.

Lumber	144 cars.
Miscellaneous freights	186 "

The Shocking Tragedy at the Cambria County Poor House.

The following is taken from the Cambria *Freeman* of the 27th ult: We are indebted to Mr. Lilly, Steward of the Poor House, for the particulars of a most melancholy affair which occurred in that institution on last Monday forenoon. Elizabeth Kinney, formerly of Munster township, has been an inmate of the Poor House for about ten years, and has reached the advanced age of eighty-three years. Patroclella Weakland, of Carroll township, who is insane, has been there about four years. On the morning referred to Mrs. Kinney, Miss Weakland, an old lady named Mrs. Feight, and another inmate, Ellen Mahie, were all in what is known as the sitting room. Miss Weakland asked Mrs. Kinney for some tobacco, and upon her refusal to give it, Miss W. instantly seized a poker in the coal box and dealt Mrs. Kinney a terrible blow near the top of the head, following it up with five or six other blows equally vigorous. Mrs. Kinney sank to the floor and never afterwards spoke, dying almost instantly. Her skull was broken in and her brains oozed out. Ellen Mahie attempted to wrest the poker from the infuriated woman when she first took hold of it, but was warned to keep off, and hence desisted in her efforts to secure it. Mr. Lilly was down stairs at the time, and before he was aware of what had happened, Miss Weakland passed down stairs into the office and said to him that he must not whip her, and while she was repeating her request, which Mr. L. of course did not understand, a messenger came down and informed him of the tragedy and its sad result. Mr. Lilly states that from some cause Miss W. entertained a grudge against Mrs. Kinney for nearly two years past. The remains of the unfortunate woman were interred in the almshouse cemetery on Tuesday. Meantime the insane murderess, whose conduct has always been such as to create the impression that she was entirely harmless and therefore a fit subject to enjoy the freedom of the house and its surroundings, has been locked up for safe keeping, and will henceforth be restrained of her liberty. Not being amenable to the law, this of course is the only punishment that can be inflicted, though it is unquestionable that she should be sent to Dismont, or provided with other quarters more secure than the Poor House affords.

"The Game of Fifteen."

It is a simple game with blocks, and yet many men of many minds in our Eastern cities have become excited over it, and some have even gone crazy. To show how easy it is to puzzle the brain, we give a description of the puzzle. It consists of a square box, into which are fitted fifteen blocks, numbered consecutively from 1 to 15, as follows:—

1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12
13	14	15	

Having failed to get the right combination in the horizontal row, the player arranges the blocks in vertical columns, when the following solution is reached, claimed by some to be the correct one:

13	9	5	1
14	10	6	2
15	11	7	3
	12	8	4

THE GAME OF THIRTY-FOUR.

A sixteenth block accompanies the game, and by adding this the "Game of Thirty-four," or sixteen, is produced. The object of the player is to so arrange the blocks that the sum of their numbers will be thirty-four when added horizontally, perpendicularly or diagonally. The blocks may be taken out and changed in whatever manner the player chooses. This is the solution:

1	15	14	4
12	6	7	9
8	10	11	5
13	3	2	16

ORIGIN OF THE GAME.

One story makes the game the invention of a deaf mute in Hartford, Conn., who made it for the entertainment of the inmates of the Asylum where he lived, without a thought of the Insane Asylums for which it seems likely to prepare so many people. Another story ascribes the thing to the postmaster at Canastota, N. Y., who gave the game to a lady in Syracuse, who sent it to a lady at Welch Hill, who took it home to Hartford, where a Boston man saw it, and so on. But whoever invented it, it is the manufacturers who are reaping the profit. It is not patented, but the manufacture appears to have been confined thus far two New England firms, who are said to have been turning out the games at the rate of six or eight thousand a day, and they can hardly supply the demand.

As usual, T. A. Fleck & Co. are leading the market. mar3-3t.

The new Spring stock of T. A. Fleck & Co. is being constantly received.

Call at T. A. Fleck & Co.'s and get a Fashion Sheet. mar3-3t.

THE NEW REMINGTON FAMILY SEWING MACHINE for sale at J. E. Harder's Gun Store, Clearfield, Pa. Oct. 29-6m.

Ladies, bear in mind that in dress and millinery goods, we intend making a specialty this season. T. A. FLECK & Co.

J. F. Davis, of Portsmouth, Ohio, sold in one year fourteen thousand boxes of "Sellers' Liver Pills." Try them.

At the REPUBLICAN office is the place to get your job work done. We are fully prepared to do anything in the printing line, will do it well, and at the right kind of prices. tf.

BUY YOUR MILL NOW!—We are the proprietors of a Saw Mill, complete in every particular, which we will sell very cheap. For particulars, address E. A. & W. D. BIGLER, mch3,'80-tf.] Clearfield, Penn'a.

See a woman on horseback in another column, riding near Speer's Vineyards, with a bunch of Grapes from which Speer's Port Grape Wine is made, that is so highly esteemed by the medical profession for the use of invalids, weakly, persons and the aged. Sold by E. W. Graham, Druggist, Clearfield, Pa. jly-16-'79-tf.

Great numbers have been cured of dropsy, palpitation of the heart, heat and pain across the back, scanty and cloudy urine, by taking Baroma.

Prepared at E. K. Thompson's laboratory, Titusville, Pa. For sale by all druggists in Clearfield, and Joseph Seyler & Son, Lutherburg, Pa. 2t

A FACT.—An advertisement inserted in the REPUBLICAN will reach more readers than if published in all the other papers in the county, and cost the advertiser less than one-half. In other words, an advertisement published in our journal is worth double the price of that charged by any other publisher in the county. "It is a fact." tf.

REMOVAL.—Dr. T. J. Boyer has removed his medical office to the rooms recently occupied by Buck & Graham, in Graham's row. He makes CHRONIC DISEASES a specialty. CHARGES VERY LOW. The manufacturers having lowered prices, he is prepared to furnish STRICTLY PURE MEDICINES at greatly reduced rates. The afflicted will be benefited by giving him a call. July 23, '79-tf.

SPECIAL TO OUR CUSTOMERS.—We desire to inform our large patronage in Dress and Millinery Goods, that we intend to make these branches a specialty this coming season. Miss Mattie Rohn, our milliner, is now in Philadelphia attending the openings, and will be here soon to take charge of her department and make it the leading Millinery depot in new and late styles, as she has done heretofore. T. A. FLECK & Co.

NEW DAILY STAGE LINE.—James L. Leavy has succeeded in having a daily mail established between Clearfield and Pennfield, and will hereafter run a daily stage between the two points. His contract began with April 1st, and the stage will leave Clearfield every morning (except Sunday) at 8 o'clock, making connections with all trains on the Law Grade Railroad at Pennfield, returning after the last train the same evening. Passengers and freight will be carried at low rates. Orders left at any of the hotels will be attended to. 16apr79-tf

FARMERS, LOOK HERE!—Lytle will give you highest market prices for Wheat, Oats, Corn, Buckwheat, Butter, Eggs, Onions, Apples, dried fruits, and all kinds of produce. He has the largest and best selected stock of groceries, teas, coffees, molasses, spices, oil salt, sugar, queensware, tubs, buckets, baskets, churns, &c., in Clearfield county. He buys his goods in large quantities from manufacturers and first hands for cash, and takes the advantage of all discounts, and so he is enabled to sell at lowest prices. He gives cash prices for produce, and sells his goods at the lowest prices in the county. sept-24-'79-tf

HOW TO REACH KANSAS.—Persons moving to the West should consult their own comfort by selecting the route by which there are sure connections in Union Depots, fast trains and comfortable cars. There is no line that can compare with the Pan Handle Route in these particulars. Two daily trains leave Union Depot, Pittsburgh, via Pan Handle Route, which run through in many hours quicker time than by any other line, as follows:—

Leave Pittsburgh (city time)	9:42 a. m.	11:17 p. m.
Arrive St. Louis	7:30 "	9:00 "
" Kansas	10:30 p. m.	8:00 a. m.
" Leavenworth	11:40 "	10:15 "
" Atchison	1:20 a. m.	11:25 "
" St. Joseph	7:05 "	12:30 p. m.

Prompt connections are made in Union Depots at points named, for all land points. For further information, time tables, etc., address, W. L. O'Brien, General Passenger Agent, Pan Handle Route, Columbus, Ohio. Feb-13-81

"A SPLENDID MEDICINE."

MADISONS FURNACE, Pa. May 13, 1878.
DR. M. M. FENNER, Fredonia, N. Y.,
Dear Sir:—I have tried your Blood and Liver Remedy and Nerve Tonic and find that it is a splendid medicine. My father had been sick a long time. One bottle has helped him more than any medicine he has ever used. My wife, also, has used a bottle with good results.
Yours truly, JACOB SMITH.
Mar-3-2t

Dr. Fenner's Blood and Liver Remedy and Nerve Tonic may well be called "The conquering hero" of the times. It is the medical triumph of the age. Whoever has "the blues" should take it, for it regulates and restores the disordered system that gives rise to them. It always cures Biliousness and Liver Complaint, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Headaches, Fever and Ague, Spleen Enlargements, Scrofula, Erysipelas, Pimples, Blotches and all skin Eruptions and Blood Disorders; Swelled Limbs and Dropsy; Sleeplessness, Impaired Nerves and Narcous Debility; Restores flesh and strength when the system is running down or going into decline; cures Female Weakness and Chronic Rheumatism, and relieves Chronic Bronchitis, and all Lung and Throat difficulties. It does these things by striking at the root of disease and removing its cause.

Dr. Fenner's Improved Cough Honey will relieve any cough in one hour. Try a sample bottle at townsite.

Dr. Fenner's Golden Relief cures any pain, as Tooth-ache, Neuralgia, Colic or Headache in five to thirty minutes, and readily relieves Rheumatism, Kidney Complaint, Diarhoea, etc.

Dr. Fenner's St. Vitus Dance Specific. One bottle always cures.

For sale by Hartswick & Irvin, Druggists, Clearfield, Pa. aug-21-tf

Letter From Stump Creek.

TITUSVILLE, March 2d, 1880.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN—I expected some one would take up the pen to inform your readers as to how matters and things are moving here in this new oil field. But it seems no one is inclined that way; so, here it goes.

Since the first excitement of oil being struck on Stump creek, a number of parties have been here, leasing and buying land. Mr. Brockerhoff, from Bellefonte, has leased about 600 acres in Ready township, Clearfield county, and Henderson township, Jefferson county, agreeing to put down a well 2,000 feet deep, unless oil is sooner found; and Mr. Clemenger, from the Bradford district, has leased several hundred acres by paying a bonus of $50 for every fifty or one hundred acres. Others have leased with the privilege of buying the land at the rate of $100 per acre, if oil is found in the 1st Sand.

Dr. Hunter, an expert oil man from Pittsburgh, has bought a one-half interest from Mr. Reiter in the test well, on the Weaver farm, and has brought on four experienced drillers to put down the well 2,000 feet and test it. But behold! they had only pumped about 600 feet of water out of the well, when the Sheriff of Jefferson county served a writ of injunction on them.

I was at the well yesterday expecting to see them drill, but when I got half way I was informed by some one that the Sheriff had been there, and stopped all operations. As I wanted to see for myself, I went to the well, and, sure enough, there was neither fire nor steam on the ground; but by entering the derrick, I seen a plank placed over the hole, and fastened with a bar of iron, two staples and a padlock. I was then satisfied that Mr. Sheriff had been there. I ascertained from the drillers the whys and the wherefores. They informed me that Mr. Sheriff had issued the writ, because he did not want the territory developed, until there was no more oil in the other territories. They entertained the hope that the writ would be set aside by Judge Jenks, before whom a hearing is to be had next Saturday, the 6th, what the result will be is hard to tell for it is a complicated matter.

The people here are in the dark about this oil matter. It is so oily that no one can get hold of it; but the general impression is oil speculators will lease all the land they possibly can get, and then wait until the other territories are run out. If even Dr. Hunter is successful in raising this writ of injunction aside, he will only drill the well deeper for his own satisfaction; for he said himself, he would rather pay $1,000 if there was no oil in this well, than if there was. Unless this well is "a gusher," we will not find out even when they have struck oil. At all events, there is plenty of ground for law-suits already, and still more are brewing. Let this suffice for this time. More hereafter. H. S. L.

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Married.

BAUER—SAULSBURY.—At the residence of Mr. David Bauer, in Tyrone, on March —, 1880, by Rev. M. F. Lauffer, Mr. Charles Bauer, of Tyrone, Pa., and Miss Annie Saulsbury, of Houtzdale, Pa.

FRAZIER—ALICE.—In Karthaus township, on Saturday, February 21st, 1880, by Rev. G. W. Stroup, Mr. Jacob A. Frazier and Miss Kate Alice, both of Karthaus township, Clearfield county, Pa.

EMERICK—MICHAELS.—On Monday, March 1st, 1880, by Rev. G. W. Stroup, Mr. Benjamin Emerick and Miss Sarah A. Michaels, both of Karthaus township, Clearfield county, Pa.

Died.

OSWALD.—On Tuesday, January 27th, 1880, in Union township, of diphtheria, Reciess, daughter of John Ernest, and Mary Jane Oswald, aged 9 years, 9 months and 27 days.

OSWALD.—On Friday, February 20th, 1880, of diphtheria, Lorena R., daughter of John Ernest and Mary Jane Oswald, aged 7 months and 12 days.

OSWALD.—On Monday, February 23d, 1880, of diphtheria, Anna M., eldest daughter of John Ernest and Mary Jane Oswald, aged 12 years, 11 months and 29 days.

OSWALD.—On Monday, February 23d, 1880, of diphtheria, Mary D., daughter of John Ernest and Mary Jane Oswald, aged 6 years, 6 months and 24 days.

OSWALD.—On Saturday, February 28th, 1880, of diphtheria, Henrietta, daughter of John Ernest and Mary Jane Oswald, aged 7 years, 6 months and 24 days.

Our children have left us, the chain has been severed;
The links are all taken—save one.
Ah! will we remember their willing endeavor
To lighten the duties of home.
Has God dealt unjustly in taking so many?
Forbid that our hearts should complain:
We think that our children from baby to Annie
Still live in our Father's domain. M. D. B.

BLOOM.—In Knox township, on Saturday, January 26th, 1880, Ursila Bloom, aged 12 years, 7 months and 29 days.

Farewell, dear Ursila! thou art gone,
Never more will thou return;
On Jordan's fair and flowery plain
We hope to meet with thee again.

SANDFORD.—At the residence of Mr. J. F. Steiner, near Philipsburg, Pa., in Decatur township, Harry, son of William H. and Ella M. Sandford, of Osceola borough, aged 3 years, 6 months and 5 days.

Specials.

N. E. ARNOLD,
CURWENSVILLE, PENN'A,
PAYS CASH FOR
Saw Logs, Shingles, Bark, AND RAIL ROAD TIES,
Office opposite Irwin's Drug Store. Call in person or address as above. (mar3-1m.

WANTED.—500,000 14-feet shaved hoops, delivered at the railroad, in car loads of 8,000, at all points on the Tyrone & Clearfield, P. & E., Bald Eagle Valley, and Pennsylvania Railroads, for which I will pay the highest market price.
J. P. KRAMER,
Oct16, 1878-tf. Clearfield, Pa.

ONE HUNDRED PER CENT. DISCOUNT ON OLD PRICES.—Sewing Machines can now be purchased at Mazrell's tin and variety store, from $35 upwards. All kinds of sewing machines repaired on the shortest notice.
Clearfield, Pa., July 16, 1877.

A Mother's Grief.

The pride of a Mother, the life and joy of a home, are her children, hence her grief when sickness enters and takes them away. Take warning then, that you are running a terrible risk, if they have a Cough, Croup or Whooping Cough, which lead to Consumption, if you do not attend to it at once. SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE is guaranteed to cure them. Price 10 cts., 50 cts. and $1.00. For lame Back, Side or Chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 25 cents. Sold by C. D. Watson, Clearfield, Pa. sep17-ow.

The Best I Ever Knew Of.

J. G. Starkey, a prominent and influential citizen of Iowa City, says: "I have had the Dyspepsia, and Liver Complaint for several years, and have used every remedy I could hear of, without any relief whatever, until I saw your Shiloh's Vitalizer advertised in our paper, and was induced to try it. I am happy to state that it has entirely cured me. It is certainly the best remedy I ever knew of." Price 75 cents. For sale by C. D. Watson, Clearfield, Pa. sep17-6m-ow.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY. A marvelous Cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria, Canker mouth, and Headache. With each bottle is an ingenious nasal injector for the more successful treatment of the complaint, without extra charge. Price 50 cents. For sale by C. D. Watson, Clearfield, Pa. sep17, 1879-6m-ow.

BUGGIES FOR SALE.—R. Newton Shaw keeps a full supply of Fredonia Buggies and Platform Wagons for sale. To be seen at the Shaw House yard. Call on or address him at Clearfield Pa. may 13-tf.

COLLECTOR'S WARRANTS.—We have prepared a form, and have on hand a large quantity, of blank "Collector's Sales," which have been approved by the highest legal authority in the Courts of this county. At Twenty Cents per dozen we will mail any number to the Collector ordering them. A Collector, when compelled to advertise property, must post up not less than three notices in the most public places in his borough or township. tf.

WANTED.—Delivered at the Rail Road.—
100,000 26-inch shaved shingles.
100,000 24-inch shaved shingles.
100,000 feet of pine boards.
500,000 14-feet shaved hoops.
5,000 railroad ties.
50,000 feet of good hemlock boards.
For which I will pay the highest market price, delivered at Clearfield, or at any point on the Tyrone & Clearfield Railroad.
J. P. KRAMER.
Clearfield, Pa., Oct. 16, 1878-tf.

Just Received.

Just Received by ARNOLD, at CURWENSVILLE:—
Car Load Nova Scotia Plaster!
Car Load pure Corn, Rye and Oats Chop!
Car Load Deaken Salt!
Car Load of Choice Family Flour!
Car Load Dry Goods, Groceries, &c.!
For Shingles, Bark, R. R. Ties and Grain will be taken in exchange.
Curwensville, May 1, 1878.

CLEARFIELD MARKETS.

CLEARFIELD, PA., March, 9, 1880.

Flour, per cwt	$3 80
Buckwheat Flour, per cwt	3 00
Corn Meal, per cwt	2 00
Chop, per cwt	1 80
Chop, rye, per cwt	1 80
Chop, mixed, per cwt	1 40
Bran, per cwt	1 00
Wheat, per bushel	1 35
Rye, per bushel	85
Oats, per bushel	50
Corn, ears, per bushel	35
Buckwheat, per bushel	65
Clover seed	6 50
Timothy seed	3 00
Potatoes, per bushel	40
Onions, per bushel	45
Onions, per pound	2 40
Hams, per pound	13
Shoulder, per pound	8
Dried Beef, per pound	17
Chickens, per pair	50
Butter, per pound	25
Eggs, per dozen	12
Salt, per sack, large	2 00
Coal Oil, per gallon	15
Lard, per pound	10
Dried Apples, per pound	6
Dried Peaches, per pound	7
Beans, per bushel	1 50

PRODUCE MARKET REPORT.

PHILADELPHIA, Mar. 8.—Flour dull; superfine, $4.25@4.75; extra, $5@5.75; Ohio