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RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

Methodist Episcopal Church—Rev. Geo. Lantz, Pastor.—Services every Sabbath at 10½ A. M., and 7½ P. M.
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. Benjamin B. Auer, Pastor. Preaching every alternate Sunday, at 8 o'clock, P. M. Sunday School at 2½ P. M. All are invited to attend.

Presbyterian Church—Rev. H. S. Burnam.—Sabbath services morning and evening—Sabbath School at 9 A. 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. Burkinan.—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.

PUBLIC OFFICERS.

United States Senators—J. Donald Cameron, Harrisburg, Dauphin county; John I. Mitchell, Wellsboro, Tioga county.
Congressman—Ex-Governor Andrew G. Curtin, Bellefonte, Centre county.
Senator—Hon. Cyrus T. Alexander, Bellefonte, Centre county.
Assembly—Hon. James Flynn, Smith's Mills, Clearfield county.
President Judge—Hon. Charles A. Mayer, Lock Haven.
Assistant Law Judge—Hon. John H. Orvis, of Bellefonte.
Associate Judges—Abram Ogden, Clearfield; Vincent B. Holt, Clearfield.
Prothonotary—James Kerr.
Register and Recorder—George M. Ferguson.
Treasurer—Philip Detts.
District Attorney—J. F. McKenrick.
Sheriff—James Mahaffey.
Deputy Sheriff—F. I. Thompson.
County Surveyor—Samuel F. McCleskey, Curwensville.
County Commissioners—C. W. Kyler, Graham; P. O.; Elah Johnston, Grampian Hills P. O.; John Norris, Sr., Curwensville.
Commissioners' Clerk—Jacob A. Faust.
County Auditors—William V. Wright, Clearfield; Joseph Gillland, Three Runs; J. S. Norris, Woodland.
County Coroner—James A. Moore, Clearfield.
Jury Commissioners—Andrew J. Jackson, Clearfield; Wm. R. Brown, Clearfield.
Superintendent of Public Schools—M. L. McQuown, Clearfield.
Notaries Public—John W. Wrigley, Wm. Ramsbaugh, Cyrus Gordon, Clearfield; Joseph R. Irvin, N. E. Arnold, Curwensville; J. A. Livingstone, DuBois City.

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 a bag of grain at the mill of Joseph H. Breth, in Chest township, Horace Patchin, in Burnside, Thomas H. Forney, in Graham, Wm. Porter or Shaw's, in Lawrence, or Brown & Sayler's, at Bigtree, Union township, and forward their receipts for the amount, we will credit them on their account for the same. In this way all may now 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!

Read Fleck's fifty locals in this paper.

The bass fishing season commences on the 1st day of June.

New hats and bonnets for ladies and misses at Fleck's.

The *Citizen* office was removed to quarters on Second street last week.

The best and cheapest place to go for trimmed hats and bonnets is at Lehman's.

A very elegant line of pocket cutlery, razors, scissors and shears at Harder's. 5-25-tf

Thomas H. Murray, Esq., will deliver an oration at Philipsburg on Decoration day.

Mountain pinks, or honeysuckles, and crab-apple blossoms are among the latest things out.

Richard Arthurs, Esq., of Brookville, accompanied by Mrs. Arthurs, was in town on Monday.

"Comical" Conley made faces at a small audience in Pie's Opera House last Thursday evening.

Everybody is coming to Clearfield next Monday to hear Col. John W. Forney, of Philadelphia.

Curwensville is making preparations to observe Decoration day. The orator has not been announced.

Frank Fielding, Esq., has purchased the Alexander property on First street, adjoining his lot on the south.

There was no preaching service in the Presbyterian Church last Sabbath, Rev. Mr. Butler being absent at Penfield and DuBois.

Mr. Clark Wilson, a former publisher of this paper, is now doing evangelistic work in the Bradford oil regions. So it is reported by our exchanges.

Judge Orvis is presiding at Court this week. The attendance in the Court rooms not large. The tipstaves are John Gulich and George Owens.

Some four or five wagons were at the curb-stone market on Saturday morning. They were loaded with butter, eggs, rhubarb, potatoes, oats, etc.

A little son of Mr. M. G. Rook, of this borough, died last Saturday forenoon, of diphtheria. His remains were taken to Philipsburg on Sunday morning for interment.

Arguments in five murder cases will be heard by the Supreme Court during the first week in June, three from Snyder county, one (Nerling) from Clearfield county and one from Philadelphia.

We have printed five paper-books for cases to be argued before the Supreme Court now in session at Harrisburg. And there are more to follow. Clearfield county cases will be heard during the week beginning Monday, June 13th.

Persons attending Court this week and next week are cordially invited to call in and see Thanhauser's stock of clothing and gent's furnishing goods at his store, east room of the Opera House.

The viewers have finally located the bridge south of town to take the place of the "Goodfellow" bridge. It will cross the river below the old site—also at 125 or 150 feet below the "Beggs fording."

The depot at this place, as well as the depots all along the main line and branches of the Pennsylvania Railroad, and all the engines, are draped in mourning for the death of Thomas A. Scott. This mourning will be worn for thirty days, by order of the Company.

Rev.'s D. H. Campbell and Wm. Swan, and Colonel E. A. Irvin and wife, all of this county, are in attendance at the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, which convened at Buffalo, New York, on the 19th inst., and is still in session.

We are requested to state that the members of the Floral Committee will assemble in the rooms above Dr. Beyer's drug store, formerly occupied by the Citizen, on Saturday morning and afternoon next, and also on Monday morning, where all donations of flowers and wreaths are to be left.

Any person contemplating the purchase of a musical instrument for the household or any public institution should not fail to examine the merits of the Estey Organ. It is said to be the best instrument in use either in tone or manufacture. W. W. Price, Agent, at Curwensville, will furnish this or any other organ or piano in use. See advertisement in this issue.

Go and see Fleck's new goods, whether you wish to buy anything or not.

Fishing tackle, wholesale and retail at Harder's. 5-25-tf

Our stock of Summer goods cannot be excelled in the State. Call and see them.
H. Lemon & Co.

The ladies' furnishing goods at Fleck's "are too lovely for anything." Call and see them.

Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer is the most reliable article in use for restoring gray hair to its original color and promoting its growth.

"Esquire Flegal, one of Clearfield county's old Democratic war-horses, was in town on Monday. He is just as young as he used to be."—*Punxsutawney Spirit.*

Alexander R. Read, a former Clearfield county teacher, is conducting an educational department in the Warren (Pa.) *Ledger*. He resides at Garland, Warren county.

Our millinery department was never so crowded with orders as it is at present, which proves that we can do the best work for the least money.
H. Lemon & Co.

A new paper, called the "*Williamsburg Independent*," hails from Williamsburg, Blair county, the second number of which is before us. Rev. W. W. Dunmire and S. G. Baker are the proprietors and editors.

Thanhauser, the merchant tailor and clothier, in Pie's Opera House, is doing an immense business in the Spring and Summer trade. The reason is easily explained. He deals fairly, sells at low prices, and is pleasant and generous with his customers.

Stop Trespassing.—I hereby give notice to those persons, who make a practice of passing through my fields, to do their traveling on the public roads. If the offence is repeated I will certainly arrest those who continue this habit, and have the law enforced against them.
Richard Shaw, Jr.
5-25-2tp

Attention, Larimer Post, No. 179, G. A. R.—Comrades, you are earnestly requested to attend the regular meeting of the Post on Friday evening, May 27th, to complete all arrangements for Decoration day. The uniform caps will be given at this meeting. Let every Comrade turn out as it is important that all should be present.
By command, H. T. King, Post Com.
W. A. Ogden, Adjutant.

Miss M. Welch has just received a very fine assortment of new goods from Philadelphia and New York at her store on Market street, near the Shaw House, comprising the very latest shapes in ladies' hats and bonnets, suited to all tastes, as they are both elaborate in style. Also, a fine lot of ties, collars, ruches, laces and mettings, very handsome for neck-wear. Ladies, please call, examine goods and secure good bargains.

Thomas Reynolds Dead.—On Monday of last week, May 16th, this aged and respected citizen of Jefferson county breathed his last, at his home in Reynoldsville, after an illness of three months. He was upwards of 70 years of age, and was the last survivor of a number of persons who came from the Shadigee settlement, in New York State, forty years ago. The deceased was well-known to many of our readers in the western portion of this county.

Citizens' Band Festival.—The members of the Citizens' Band of Clearfield will hold a Festival in Pie's Opera House, commencing on Monday, May 30th, and continuing all week. Strawberries, ice cream, and other eatables of the season, and in fact refreshments of all kinds will be served. Music by the band the entire evening. The ladies are requested to give their assistance. The boys are now going around soliciting and receiving donations. It is hoped this organization will be encouraged.

Dan. M. Doherty and Ed. Leavy made a raid one den of foxes on Hugh Orr's farm, in Lawrence township, on Wednesday last, and were quite successful, capturing three Reynards alive, and their hounds killed one. The old ones and one offspring made their escape. It was a regular bonanza for the boys. These animals have been feasting on Mr. Orr's chickens for some time past, and were so bold as to put in an appearance and grab up a pullet in the daytime in full view of the members of his household.

Leg Broken.—On Tuesday of last week, while two men and a boy were taking a truck from Wallaceton to the saw-mill of Messrs. Hoover, Hughes & Co., some distance from Wallaceton, which is connected with the railroad by a tram road, the truck jumped the track, pitching Mr. Daniel Shontz off in front, and a saw that was on the truck struck him on the leg between the knee and thigh, fracturing it severely. The others escaped uninjured. Mr. Shontz is a carpenter, and resides at Philipsburg. He had been working at the mill through the past Winter, and having finished his work, was in the act of removing his tools when the accident happened. He was taken to his home at Philipsburg on a hand-car, where his injuries were attended to, and although suffering somewhat from pain, he is doing as well as can be expected.

Forging Money Orders.—A. B. Coles, claiming to be the disbursing agent of Cole's Circus, was arrested in Altoona last Thursday, at the instance of Postmaster Sarle, of East Liverpool, Ohio, on a charge of forging postoffice money orders. He had been followed to Altoona by Sarle, who had discovered, by some means what the fellow was at, and he was arrested while waiting to have six orders of $50 each cashed. Upon being searched blank orders to the amount of $6,300 were found in his possession, a number of letters addressed to postmasters in different parts of the country asking them to send the money for enclosed postal orders to him at New Haven, Conn. He had a route mapped out from Altoona to Marysville, with the time of the arrival and departure of trains noted. The prisoner was taken to Pittsburgh, where his case will be investigated.

Meeting of Lutheran Conference.—The Twenty-seventh regular Convention of the Northeast Conference of the Allegheny Synod convened in St. James' Evangelical Lutheran Church, Huntingdon, Pa., Tuesday evening, May 10th, and remained in session until Thursday, the 12th. The opening sermon, a very practical and edifying discourse, was preached by the President of Conference, Rev. M. G. Boyer, of Marklesburg, Pa., from the text, John 21:16; theme—"The Church's Duty to the Children." On Wednesday morning, Rev. J. T. Gladhill, of Luthersburg, preached a very practical sermon from Matthew, 20:6. Theme—"Vineyard Work." The speaker represented the church as the dresser of the vineyard, the children as the tender plants, which need the ingrafting (bedding) of the Word, care or dressing of the vines, and guarding or the keeping up of the fences. Rev. Mr. Gladhill took a very active part in all the sessions of the Conference.

Programme of Exercises.—The following has been determined upon as the programme of exercises for Monday next, Decoration day:—

ORDER OF EXERCISES AT THE COURT HOUSE.

1. Music by the Citizens' Band.
2. Prayer by the Rev. H. S. Butler.
3. Music by the Orphens Band.
4. Introduction of the speaker by Hon. G. R. Barrett.
5. Oration by Col. J. W. Forney.
6. Forming of Procession.

ORDER OF EXERCISES AT CEMETERY.

1. Dead March, by Sattons' Drum Corps, while entering Cemetery.
2. Music by the Orpheus Band.
3. Prayer by Rev. W. H. Dill.
4. Music by the Citizens' Band.
5. Address by Rev. George Leidy.
6. Decoration of graves, Music by the Orpheus Band, "Strew Flowers."
7. Benediction by Rev. G. R. Agee.
8. Music by the Citizens' Band.
9. Procession reform march to the Court House and disband.

That reader must be hard to please indeed who in the diversified contents of the *North American Review* for June should find nothing to win his attention. First we have an article by the Hon. Hugh McCulloch on "Our Future Fiscal Policy," treating of the problems of refunding, the remonetization of silver, and the restoration of the United States to their just rank among the maritime nations of the world. George B. Loring writes of "The Patrician Element in American Society," but the reader may apprehend no glorification of artificial rank, for in the author's estimation the patrician element here is simply the strongest popular element—that portion of the people, whatever their lineage who are engaged in developing the mental, moral and material wealth of the Republic. Dorman B. Eaton makes a spirited defense of civil service reform; Prof. W. G. Sumner states very clearly the argument for free ships; Frederick Douglass writes of "The Color Line;" Desire Charnay, of "The Ruins of Central America;" Austin Flint discusses the benefits of vaccination; J. M. Mason asserts the lawful power of the Government to regulate railway charges; and finally, Prof. E. S. Morse sets forth the evidence of the existence of man upon this continent in prehistoric times.

THE TYPOS' PICNIC.

The first meeting for 1881 of the Executive Committee of the Juniata Valley Printers' Association convened at Odd Fellows Hall, McVeytown, Pa., on Saturday, May 14th, for the purpose of taking preliminary action in relation to the fourth annual excursion of said association. The following named members put in an appearance at the time and place indicated: E. Conrad, McVeytown *Journal*; Geo. Shrom, Newport *Ledger*; B. F. Schweier, Millintown *Sentinel*; Hugh Lindsay, Huntingdon *News*; R. H. Brainard, Curwensville *Times*; J. A. Irwin, Altoona *Radical*; H. A. McPike, Ebensburg *Freeman*.

On motion of Mr. Lindsay, E. Conrad, President of the Executive Committee, was called to the Chair, and H. A. McPike assumed the duties of Secretary. Messrs. E. S. Stackpole, McVeytown *Journal*; W. E. McCarthy, Mount Union *Times*; H. J. Faunt, Lewistown *Democrat*, and W. W. Trout, Lewistown *Free Press*, being present, were on motion admitted as advisory members of the Committee.

On motion of Mr. Irwin, the President was invited to vacate the Chair temporarily in favor of Mr. Shrom, after which Mr. Irwin moved that the sincere and heartfelt thanks of the Committee be tendered to Mrs. Conrad and her amiable "worser half" for the very kind treatment and excellent banquet extended to and prepared for the members of the Committee. Adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

A motion made by Mr. Brainard, to postpone the consideration of the time and place for holding the coming picnic, led to a general interchange of views as to whether *Bedford* or *Bellefonte* should be selected as the place, they being the only points of interest suggested in that connection. It was finally determined that when the Committee adjourned, it should be to meet at Huntingdon on Wednesday, July 6th, for the purpose of visiting Bedford to ascertain what arrangements can be made for reaching that place.

For reasons not necessary now to mention, the following resolution was offered by Mr. Lindsay, and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That all railroad tickets issued, if issued, for the coming picnic be endorsed by the editor or publisher of the paper to which they are sent with the name of each applicant, and that any editor, publisher or employer, who shall sell, give or otherwise dispose of tickets to parties not in any way connected with the craft shall be expelled from the organization, and all tickets so disposed of will be taken up by the conductor on the train and full fare collected.

On motion the thanks of the Committee were tendered to Bright Star Lodge, No. 785, I. O. O. F., for the use of their fine hall and to the representative citizens of McVeytown for courtesies extended, and to the Carnot Band for tendering the compliment of an escort to the railway station, which, when received, was highly appreciated.

Small-Pox Preventive.—The following was first published in 1878, during the prevalence of small-pox. It is worth remembering and trying in small pox cases:

Certain families in Huntsville, Ala., during the prevalence of small-pox there, found the tea of black-snake root, otherwise known as cohosh, to be an efficient preventive of small-pox. Dr. G. D. Norton stated, at a meeting of the Alabama State Medical Association, that in the families using the above named root there occurred no cases of small-pox, though some were exposed to the disease. Dr. Norris vaccinated the members, not without effect, so long as they continued to use the black-snake root tea. After ceasing to use the tea he again vaccinated them, when the specific effect of the vacine virus was produced. The subject is well worthy the attention of the medical profession, as the impression is becoming widely prevalent that vaccination does more harm than good.

This same snake-root, so common to our woods—its proper name is Virginia snake-root—is an excellent preventive of billious and malarious diseases, and in curative of skin affections, eruptions, &c., is strengthening and in all respects a valuable tonic. Its good effects are largely increased by the addition of cinchona in small quantities. A quart of pure whiskey, or of sherry wine, to an ounce of snake-root, with a little cinchona and aromatic seeds to modify the taste, is about the proper preparation. One or two tablespoonful to a dose, three times a day, before meals, is sufficient. The liquor may be renewed two or three times. It is not necessary to make it an excuse for drinking whisky.

TO THE PUBLIC.

At Pie's Opera House, on Saturday evening, June 11th, a grand testimonial benefit will be tendered to the Orpheus Band of Clearfield by their friends, on which occasion Tony McAlister's Combination will appear in a first-class entertainment. They will be supported by the ever-popular comedians, Mr. and Mrs. John Cunningham, of New York, professionally known as the

JOHN | GOODBOY'S | JENNIE

now retired from the stage, after playing for the past six years in all the first-class Theatres in the United States and Canada. He was pronounced by the press and public to be the best Irish sketch artist and champion Irish jig and reel dancer in America. They have also engaged the great Negro comedian, Mr. Charles W. Bryant, late of Charley Shay's Combination, besides a host of other first-class people who will appear in a first-class entertainment. First-class music will be in attendance. Come one! Come all!! Reserved seat tickets for sale at the postoffice.

SURPRISING TO EVERYBODY.

It is surprising to most everybody what piles and piles of clothing, boots and shoes are carried away from the Boston Clothing House, just opened in Baxter's building, Long street, at DuBois, Pa. People are to be seen at that House supplying themselves with men's, boys' and children's clothing, boots and shoes from every part and direction, from most every town and village in this and adjoining counties. DuBois has never seen so many strangers coming into town as now. Since the opening of the Great Boston Clothing House it won't be very long until most everybody for 30 miles around will be convinced that a visit to that concern, even for an ordinary purchase, will pay them well. The sales of that House since the opening is very large, and the low prices they are selling clothing, boots and shoes for will make the Boston Clothing House, in DuBois, the lead ing place for clothing, boots, shoes, and everything in the line of men and boys' wear. It has the facility of doing it. 5-18-2t

A Cure at Last.—Specifics without number for the cure of Catarrh have been extensively advertised, and doubtless there is some virtue in all, but the evidence is overwhelming that Ely's Cream Balm goes more directly than any other to the seat of the disease, and though it is a comparatively new discovery, it has resulted in more cures within the range of our observation than all the others put together.—Wilkes-Barre, Pa., *Union Leader*, December 19th, 1879.

We have sold Ely's Cream Balm for Catarrh for the past year; have never had a complaint but have received praise. It gives satisfaction to every one using it.—Nat. Wolfe & Co., Druggists, Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Jan. 28th, 1880.

How She Saved Her Darling.—"I shall never again feel so awfully nervous about my babies teething," writes a grateful mother. We almost lost our little darling by a long attack of cholera infantum, but happily heard of Parker's Ginger Tonic in time. I took a few spoonfuls myself, which soon cured my nursing baby entirely, and an occasional dose has kept me and baby in such perfect health, and made us so strong and comfortable that I would not be without this reliable medicine for worlds."—A Mother of Brooklyn. 5-4-4t

A Fact.—An advertisement inserted in the Republican will reach more readers than if published in all the other papers in the county, and rest 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.

BOROUGH TAXES!

The tax-payers of Clearfield borough are hereby notified that the duplicate of Borough Taxes for 1881 has been placed in my hands for collection. All persons desiring the abatement allowed by law, must pay their taxes within THIRTY DAYS from this date.
J. C. Waterbury, Dist. Treas'r.
Clearfield, Pa., May 13, 1881-3t.

List of letters remaining unclaimed in the Postoffice at Clearfield, Pa., for the week ending May 23d, 1881:
Thomas Ashcroft, Isaac Brown, F. V. Combe, George Emerick, Edward L. Maupee, Miss Ella O'Neil.
P. A. GAULIN, P. M.

Set-nets—large, medium and small, twines, cut lines, fishing lines, fish baskets, bait boxes, tackle hooks, hooks, and every description of sporting tackle at Harder's. 5-25-tf

Silk, regina, zanella, alpaca and common covers, put on old umbrellas and parasols at J. E. Harder's store, Clearfield. 5-25-tf

Ladies, why do you shop in the city, when you can get everything you wear cheaper at home? Call at Fleck's.

A large stock of Brussels and Ingrain carpets at Fleck's.

New corsets at Fleck's.

JOHN B. GOUGH'S NEW BOOK.

"Sunlight and Shadow."

Ever since it became known that John B. Gough was engaged in writing a new book, its appearance has been watched for with intense interest. It has recently been published, and the enormous sales afford a striking instance of the success that is sure to be awarded to a really good work. Although only just published, the twenty-sixth thousand is already printed; and this fact alone is worthy of notice, for a book which sells like this must be one of extraordinary interest.

John B. Gough, the author of "Sunlight and Shadow," is too well known to require any eulogy here. Thousands are familiar with the history of his life; his early poverty, the depth of the degradation to which he descended while a victim of drink, his wretched condition and terrible sufferings, his superhuman struggles against intemperance, his reform, his relapse, his resigning of the pledge and final victory, his world-wide fame, and his extensive travels and protracted labors in this country and abroad. Thirty-five years ago Mr. Gough first published his Autobiography. He had then just recovered from a life of unparalleled dissipation, and was just entering upon that career which has since made him so famous. In 1869 a new edition of that work, with additions and amendations, was given to the public. It contained a history of his early life, with some recollections of his career as a public speaker. It did not embody the intensely interesting and exciting record of the many thrilling, pathetic, and amusing scenes from human life.

"From grave to gay, from lively to severe," which all the world knew had crowded themselves into his long and varied career. These have now been gathered for the first time, and the new book, "Sunlight and Shadow," is the medium—and the only one—through which these thrilling details have ever been presented to the public.

"Sunlight and Shadow" is indeed a remarkable book by a remarkable man. Mr. Gough's recollections of his own experiences have made him ever ready to lend a helping hand to others, and the very nature of his life-work has brought him into close contact with poverty, crime, destitution and vice, and he has listened to life histories of the most thrilling nature, and witnessed scenes that testify anew to the truth of the adage, "Fact is stranger than Fiction."

Some of the saddest and most pathetic incidents ever told are narrated in the present work, and the reader's eyes will fill in spite of himself at the power of Mr. Gough's pathos in describing scenes that have come under his personal observation.

But "Sunlight and Shadow" is not altogether a record of dark experiences. It has a bright and sunny side. Mr. Gough's stories and descriptions of the humorous side of life, as he has seen and experienced it, portray many amusing scenes. His remarkable facility for seeing the ludicrous side of every thing, and his talent for humorous descriptions are well known. No one can tell more amusing things and in a more irresistibly humorous way than John B. Gough. The comedies from life, absurd blunders, laughable mistakes, comical incidents, embarrassing situations, mostly drawn from his own experience on the platform and among the people, will provoke the mirth of the most serious. His experiences with brazen-faced people; with letter-writers and their remarkable wants; with sojourns for fame and seekers after "noddle" lectures; with beggars without number and bores of all kinds—are given in "Sunlight and Shadow" without reserve.

In short, "Sunlight and Shadow" is a mine of extraordinary interest. It can be truthfully said of it, that for thrilling interest, touching pathos and irresistable humor, no book has ever equaled it.

In point of paper, printing, binding, and above all, beautiful and costly illustrations, we have not seen its equal in many a day. It is superbly illustrated with magnificent full-page engravings, engraved in the highest style from original designs by F. O. C. Darley, Frederick Dielman, and other famous artists. The magnificent steel-plate portrait of Mr. Gough was engraved from a photograph taken expressly for this purpose, and will be highly prized by tens of thousands who have listened to his eloquence.

We advise our readers to buy "Sunlight and Shadow" at the first opportunity. They can, in our opinion, much better afford to dispense with a dozen other books than not possess this.

IMPORANT TO THE LADIES!

The most reliable place to get first-class, fashionable millinery goods, and fancy variety goods, is at Mrs. Watson's, Market street, next door to the postoffice. Mrs. W. has just returned from Philadelphia, and is now receiving an elegant stock of goods, which will surpass anything ever before brought to Clearfield. These goods are the only reliable Summer styles for the season, as goods bought before May 1st are unreliable, both as to quality and style. Ladies visiting town will do well by examining my goods before buying. My goods, considering the superior quality and late styles of trimming, will be sold very low, as I buy goods for cash only.
Mrs. T. E. Watson.
Clearfield, Pa., May 4, 1881-3t.

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 Low 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

Girls Wanted.—The proprietor of the Susquehanna House, Curwensville, desires to employ a cook and dining-room girl. Those who are not otherwise engaged will please call or address at once.
Lewis C. Bloom,
5-18-2t Curwensville, Pa.

To Sportsmen.—I have fishing tackle of all kinds; also, powder, shot, lead, caps, cartridges, etc.
Fred Sackett.
March 23, 2m.

Call at Merrill's hardware store and see the cheapest and best Sewing Machine for the least money. Dec. 22-tf.

Fleck's store, in Clearfield, is the place for dry-goods, dress goods, fancy-goods, notions, carpets and oil cloths.

A beautiful assortment of children's lace collars, and ladies' lace ties and neckwear of every description at Fleck's.

Fleck employs a milliner of experience and taste to trim hats and bonnets to order, on short notice.

See the trimmed hats and bonnets in Lehman's show-window! Something new every evening.

Ladies' gossamer water-proof cloaks and gentlemen's gossamer water-proof coats at Fleck's.

A fine lot of Ladies' new Spring Coats of the latest styles and patterns just received at Lehman's.

Have you seen the latest Spring and Summer styles in millinery goods? If not, call at Fleck's.

I have a fine line of hats and bonnets for ladies—the latest styles. T. A. Fleck.

Fleck has enough goods in his line of business to supply every lady in the county.

If you don't believe Fleck has nice cheap goods, call and see them for yourself.

T. A. Fleck's store is filled with handsome goods of every description.

New silk handkerchiefs at Fleck's, for both ladies and gentlemen.

Trunks! Trunks!! Satchels! Satchels!! very cheap at Moore's.

New silk mitts, long, and in all the new shades, at T. A. Fleck's.

New muslins, bleached and unbleached, all widths, at Fleck's.

Ladies' skirts and hosiery—of all sizes and colors at Fleck's.

New Goods at H. A. Kratzer's.

New Fancy Goods at Fleck's.

New Fancy Goods at Fleck's.

New table linen at Fleck's.

New dress goods at Fleck's.

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New carpets at Fleck's.

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LETTER FROM NEW WASHINGTON.

Mr. Editor:—Our merchants have lately arrived from the eastern cities, and many tons of merchandise are now being transported from the railroad to this place by the "wagoners of the Allegheanies." Our business horses take nobody's dust.

Mr. James McMurray, the gentlemanly clerk of the Corner store, will recreate a few days before entering upon the arduous duties of a busy Summer.

Adam Breth, Esq., our skillfull mechanic, has just completed his patent Bolt and Rivet Clipper, which for simplicity and merit excels anything of the kind we have ever seen. Mr. B. is a practical blacksmith, and we bespeak for him abundant success. "There is millions in it," if it is introduced properly.

Rev. Owen Hicks will lecture before the students of the Normal upon "The Battle of Gettysburg" some time in the future, date not fixed.

The dogs of this town gave a concert at 12 o'clock last night. They gather around the ruins and make night hideous.

The Normal School at this place is in a flourishing condition, numbering above sixty students. Letters have been received from a number of teachers who are coming. We are proud of our number and the attainments of those in attendance, considering that there is a Normal School at every cross roads.

In a conversation with our genial friend, Mr. John D. Miller, of Chest township, I gleaned the following singular facts regarding his invalid daughter. She is about three feet tall; weighs twenty-two pounds, and is nearly sixteen years old. She has never eaten anything except food suitable for a little child. She has never walked a step or spoken a word, yet she knows the members of the family and recognizes certain neighbors with childish glee. Her sense of hearing is very sharp, and any harshness or signs of anger causes her great mental agony. Her faculties seem to expand slowly, yet no important development can be anticipated because she has not the physical strength to give vitality and activity. In this case there is certainly food for the scientist to digest. The child is no doubt a heavy charge upon her aged parents, yet if she were to be called away from them she would be missed more than any other member of the family.
Bear.
New Washington, May 19th, 1881.

LETTER FROM PENN TOWNSHIP.

Editor Republican:—Please give me space for a few notes from Penn. The farmers have all their crops in the ground, with good prospects of a rich harvest. Our town (Pennville) is being improved in the way of new sidewalks.

The Pennville Normal School is in a flourishing condition, receiving new students every week. The first lecture of the course was delivered by S. T. Brechbill, Esq., of Clearfield. The subject was "General Culture." The Hall was filled to overflowing, and the lecture was pronounced by all as the best they had ever heard. The next lecture will be by the President of the State College.

Pennville boasts of the best public library in the county, a first-class school, two good Literary Societies, and a good Debating Club. Where is the town in the county that can beat us?
Citizen.
Grampian Hills, May 20, 1881.

Clearfield Coal Trade—Statement of Coal and other freights sent over the Tyrone & Clearfield Division, Pennsylvania Railroad for the week ending May 14th, 1881, and the same time last year:—

COAL.	TONS.
For the week	46,306
Same time last year	28,703
Increase	27,593
Previously during year	799,451
Same time last year	469,481
Increase	329,970
Total in 1881	845,757
Same time last year	433,184
Increase	412,573

OTHER FREIGHTS.	
Lumber	127 cars.
Miscellaneous freights	68 "

This Way for Your Pumps!—The undersigned is now sole agent for the sale of the Celebrated Wooden Pumps manufactured by the Toledo Pump Company. They are without doubt the best pump in the world. They throw more water, work easier, and last longer than any pump ever put on the market. Also, for sale, Iron Force and Pitcher Pumps. Repairing done promptly. Fred Sackett.
Clearfield, March 23d, 1881-2m.

Coal In.—If any of our coal bank men feel like trading some of their product for a series of numbers of copies of the Clearfield Republican, we will gladly show them where to put two or three hundred bushels on account in that way. We have a bin at our residence and one at the office that will hold a load every now and then. A hint to the wise is a very sage remark, and should be sufficient. tf

I have a good assortment of ladies' ties. T. A. Fleck.

Kid gloves in all the beautiful and desirable shades at Fleck's.

Did you see the handsome goods in Fleck's show window?

A handsome stock of ladies' dress goods cheap at Fleck's.

Fleck invites you to go there for your millinery goods.

New hats and bonnets for ladies and misses at Fleck's

If you don't see what you want at Fleck's, ask for it.

New black silk mitts, perfectly beautiful, at Fleck's.

New ticking at Fleck's store, on Market street.

New goods received every week at Fleck's.

New collars and cuffs for ladies, at T. A. Fleck's.

Fleck's new goods are ready for inspection.

White and black Kid gloves at Fleck's.

New goods received every week at Fleck's.

Go to T. A. Fleck's and see his new goods!

New linen handkerchiefs at Fleck's.

New oil cloths and mattings at Fleck's.

New fans and parasols at Fleck's.

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New Yankee notions at Fleck's.

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New ginghams at Fleck's.

Married.

JURY—McLAUGHLIN.—On Sunday, May 22d, 1881, by Geo. M. Stover, Esq., Mr. Curtin Jury and Ruth McLaughlin, both of Girard township.

SHIREY—HOOVER.—At the U. B. parsonage, Woodland, on Thursday, May 12th, 1881, by Rev. U. Cosby, Mr. B. B. Shirey and Miss Mentie Hoover, both of Bradford township.

MARSHALL—WOOD.—At the M. E. parsonage, in Reynoldsville, on Tuesday, May 10th, 1881, by Rev. D. C. Plankett, Mr. David Marshall and Miss Carrie Wood, both of Clearfield county.

HUGHES—ASHCROFT.—At the residence of Mr. ——Hughes, near Osceola, on Friday, April 1st, 1881, by Rev. W. S. Wilson, Mr. J. R. Hughes and Miss Rebecca Ashcroft, all of Clearfield county.

DUNCAN—EMORY.—At the M. E. parsonage, Osceola, on Friday, May 20th, 1881, by Rev. W. S. Wilson, Mr. W. S. Duncan, of Deyburg, Franklin county, and Miss Martha Emory, of Perry county.

EBERTS—MORLEY.—At the residence of the bride's parents, on Thursday, May 19th, 1881, by Rev. J. F. Tailhelm, Mr. John Eberts, of Clearfield county, and Miss Susie Morley, of Julian, Centre county.

LANSBERRY—SANKEY.—At the residence of John Sankey, Esq., in Goshen township, on Wednesday, May 11th, 1881, by Rev. W. H. Dill, Mr. Wm. H. Lansberry, of Lawrence township, and Miss Mary T. Sankey, of Goshen township.

READ—PETTYS.—At the Cosmopolitan Hotel, The Dalles, Oregon, on Thursday, April 14th, 1881, by Rev. D. B. Gray, Mr. L. G. Read, formerly of Lawrence township, Clearfield county, Pa., and Miss Arvilla Pettys, of Umatilla, Oregon.

BOTTORF—MORROW.—At the residence of the bride's parents, in Shawsville, on Wednesday, May 18th, 1881, by Rev. G. B. Agee, D. E. Bottorf, M. D., of Philipsburg, Centre county, and Miss Grace S. Morrow, of Goshen township, Clearfield county.

Died.

BOOK.—In Clearfield borough, on Saturday, May 21st, 1881, of diphtheria, Owen E., son of M. G. and Nettie J. Rook, aged 2 years, 5 months and 10 days.

RENO.—In Girard township, on Wednesday, May 18th, 1881, of dropsy, Marie, wife Victor Reno, aged 37 years.

Her funeral was one of the largest that ever was seen in Frenchville. May she rest in peace.

TAYLOR.—In Goshen township, on Wednesday, May 11th 1881, Mary E., daughter of Thomas and Myra Taylor, aged 5 years, 5 months and 13 days.

One we loved has left our number
For the dark and silent tomb;
Closed her eyes in deathless slumber,
Fairest in her early bloom.

THOMPSON.—In Brady township, on Saturday, May 14th, 1881, of consumption, Christiann, wife of Geo. M. Thompson, aged 35 years and 26 days.

She was a daughter of the late Peter Arnold of Brady township, and sister of F. K. Arnold, of Reynoldsville; George and Manassch Arnold, of Clarion county, and Samuel Arnold, of Curwensville. She united with the Lutheran church thirty-seven years ago, under the pastoral care of Rev. J. G. Dunmeyer, and lived a consistent Christian life till her death. Her life was marked by her self-sacrificing devotion to the church, her family, and the general good of the community. Through a long illness not a murmur escaped her lips. Her trust in God continued firm till the last, when she said, "Though He slay me, yet will I praise Him." Her whole character was womanly. Her virtues and graces were such as become a true wife, mother, sister. Her life was a ministry of love, hope, peace, help and consolation. As we look back over her life we are struck with her holy reserve, her gentle and tender sympathy, her serene and quiet thoughtfulness, her unfailing loving kindness, her uncomplaining and inexhaustible patience. Her husband and two daughters remain to mourn her departure. Their's is a loss, but she has gained the home of the blessed. J. T. G.

Specials.

One Hundred Per Cent. Discount on Old Prices.—Sewing Machines can now be purchased at Merrell's tin and variety store, from $35 upwards. All kinds of sewing machines repaired on the shortest notice.
Clearfield, Pa., July 18, 1877.

Wanted.—Deliv