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PENNSYLVANIA CENTRAL R. R. On and after Monday, Sept. 6th, 1869, trains will leave the Penna. Railroad Depot, at Lancaster, as follows:

READING RAILROAD.

FALL ARRANGEMENT, MONDAY, SEPT. 13, 1869.

Great Trunk Line from the North and Northwest for Philadelphia, New York, Reading, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Ashland, Shamokin, Lebanon, Allentown, Easton, Ephrata, Litz, Lancaster, Columbia, &c.

Trains leave Harrisburg for New York as follows: At 8:00 a. m., Philadelphia, at 8:45 p. m., connecting with similar trains on the Pennsylvania Railroad, and arriving at New York at 10:30 a. m., 11:30 a. m., 2:30 p. m., 4:30 p. m., 6:30 p. m., 8:30 p. m., 10:30 p. m.

Reading Accommodation Train: Leaves Reading at 6:30 a. m., 7:30 a. m., 8:30 a. m., 9:30 a. m., 10:30 a. m., 11:30 a. m., 12:30 p. m., 1:30 p. m., 2:30 p. m., 3:30 p. m., 4:30 p. m., 5:30 p. m., 6:30 p. m., 7:30 p. m., 8:30 p. m., 9:30 p. m., 10:30 p. m., 11:30 p. m.

On Sundays: Leave New York at 5:00 and 8:00 p. m., Philadelphia at 5:45 and 8:45 p. m., Reading at 6:30 and 9:30 p. m., Harrisburg at 7:15 and 10:15 p. m., Allentown at 8:00 and 11:00 p. m., Easton at 8:45 and 11:45 p. m., Shamokin at 9:30 and 12:30 p. m., Ashland at 10:15 and 1:15 p. m., Tamaqua at 11:00 and 2:00 p. m., Lebanon at 11:45 and 2:45 p. m., Ephrata at 12:30 and 3:30 p. m., Litz at 1:15 and 4:15 p. m., Lancaster at 2:00 and 5:00 p. m., Columbia at 2:45 and 5:45 p. m.

READING AND COLUMBIA R. R.

ON AND AFTER THURSDAY, AUGUST 5th, 1869,

PASSENGER TRAINS WILL RUN ON THIS ROAD, AS FOLLOWS:

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W. M. WHITESIDE, DENTIST.

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PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 27, 1869. MESSRS. FARRELL, HERRING & CO., 629 Chestnut street.

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NO SURRENDER.

BY M. P. TUPPER. Ever constant, ever true, Let the word be, No Surrender; Boldly dare and greatly do! This shall bring us bravely through. No Surrender, No Surrender; And though Fortune's smiles be few, Hope is always springing new, Still inspiring me and you With a magic-No Surrender!

Nail the colors to the mast, Shouting gladly, No Surrender! Troubles near are all but past-Serve them as you did the last-No Surrender, No Surrender! Though the skies be overcast, And above the sleety blast Disappointments gather fast, Beat them off with No Surrender!

Constant and courageous still, Mind, the word is No Surrender; Battle, though it be wild, Stagger not at seeming ill. No Surrender, No Surrender! Hope-and thus your hope fulfill-There's a way when there's a will. And the way all eases to kill Is to give them-No Surrender!

Miscellaneous.

THE TWIN SISTERS.

"Well," said Ned Arlington, "for my part I have never loved but one woman, and she is now my better half."

"I tell you," replied a fellow stage-coachman, "you have had an easy courtship. Now, I was compelled to love two ladies."

"Two ladies?"

"Yes, sir, two ladies."

"But you did not love them both alike?"

"Now, stranger, there was just the trouble. I was thinking of this precise difficulty when I remarked you had an easy courtship."

"You puzzle me!" exclaimed Ned. "Suppose you relieve our minds by a rehearsal."

"It will afford me pleasure and you entertainment," rejoined the handsome and social fellow-traveler.

"Here we leaned forward, intent on hearing how a man was compelled to love two ladies with the same degree of fervor."

"My friends," said he "if you ever visit New Haven, Connecticut, you will hear these expressions: "As much alike as the Grover girls," or this "You can no more distinguish them than "you can tell Sue from Hannah Grover." I say, ladies and gentlemen, when New Haven is discussing a point of similitude, he is sure to refer to the Grover girls."

"I had not been in the Elm City six weeks before I heard these comparisons. I went to this place intending to enter a business firm. On my arrival I stopped at the Tontine. At this hotel two gentlemen were arguing a point of law, it was when I first heard this language. One speaker was proving that expressions meant but the same thing, and paralleled the two propositions with the notorious twins."

"Now there is one thing I have in common with woman-that is curiosity. I own it, and will confess that I was on netles. Never could I be appeased until I had a view of these females."

"Tell me," said I to the book-keeper, "are these Grover girls so very much alike?"

"Are they?" said he in surprise. "Well I will tell you. Mr. Miller, if you can distinguish them after a week's acquaintance, I will pay your bill at this house for the balance of your residence."

"How can I see them?"

"I'll tell you. Observe that bright-looking gent with the white hat. That is Mr. Potter, one of our rising lawyers. He is intimate with the sisters. Obtain an introduction to him, and he will see you through."

"Are these ladies of good standing?"

"Oh I among our first people."

"Can Mr. Potter distinguish them?"

"Never, sir, never; and he looks with the eye of a detective."

"How long has he known them?"

"Three or four years, to my certain knowledge. It may be longer."

"This determined me. I soon established myself with the lawyer by retaining him in an important case. I found him more than willing to afford the introduction, as he was anxious to see the fix their identity never failed to create in a stranger. I will not forget that first interview. Two exquisitely beautiful ladies of twenty entered the room. I beheld duplicates. One was the precise copy of the other. They dressed alike, to a ribbon and a ring. Their voices and countenances gave no clue. Then their motions left you none the wiser."

"Said Potter; "Now take a good look, for I wish to see if you can identify them."

"Mr. Potter," said I, "you will embarrass the ladies."

"Not at all," said one. "We are used to this," said the other. "It is the great amusement afforded by our resemblance." Here both spoke, but, on honor, it all sounded like one voice.

"Ladies," said I, "pardon me; I know you are not horses, but allow me to look at your teeth?"

I desired this, deeming there would be found some little speck, indentation or irregularity that would ever serve as an index. They exhibited their pearly rows; but after minute investigation I was no better informed. I examined the finger-nails, then their hands, still I had no point of distinction, and gave it up that Sue and Hannah might forever exchange places without detection on my part.

"Now, ladies and gentlemen, business suddenly called me to New Orleans. While there my treasure died. I was grieved, yet from the fact that Hannah lived, my agony was but temporary. I returned two weeks after the funeral. My sister-in-law were neither betrothal nor diamond ring. There was nothing to be gained by it, and they were laid aside. My friends, I am extremely sensitive; a mere child; yet believe me, when I tell you that the presence of Hannah was a perfect and speedy restorative. I could not weep. Was she not the same as Sue in all respects? True, when I saw the family sad, I was troubled; but only on account of their grief. I had none of my own. All that I loved was in exact duplicate, and that moved before as me of yore. Yes, I confess that no husband ever suffered less.

"In eighteen months I stood in the same church, as it seemed before the same concourse. As Hannah was given to me in the holy state of matrimony, it appeared that I was enacting a farce and re-marrying my OWN wife!"

"When tender ideas arose, I found it just as natural to one as to the other. Yes, I solemnly aver I was in love-I had the connubial article."

"I frequently took them out, yet never knew whom I had. If my lady would quote Sue, I thought it clear I had Hannah, or if Hannah was mentioned, I believed I was hearing Sue. Indeed, it was a mere matter of faith. There was no evidence, for often we palmed herself on me as the other. This was a chronic dodge played on their various admirers to suit convenience and insure rest. As far as these gallants were concerned, it was immaterial. Although one might be called for by name, the other would do just as well, no one being able to detect the difference."

"I often implored them to contra-distinguish themselves by some article of apparel or jewelry. But it was fruitless. "That would spoil our fun," they would exclaim, as though I meditated some terrible infliction.

"As I have told you, I was in love. I felt that happiness depended on the possession of one of these twins. But for whom should I ask the parents? Honestly, it was no matter which one I had, as affection made no choice.

"On a lovely eve in September, one sister was from home. Now thought I, here is a surety that I can talk a whole evening to one of this dual phenomenon. As she entered the parlor, said I, "How do you do Miss Hannah?" "You are wrong, sir; it is Miss Sue." "Are you humbugging?" "Truly not; I tell you sincerely. You now address Sue Grover." I saw she looked unusually tender, and taking advantage of her faltering voice and tremulous manner, I declared my love, and she returned it with all the ardor of her true and impassionate nature. I summoned the old folks; told our devotion; gave prospects, and made all essential revelations. The senior Grovers gave us their blessings, and assured us that they would see our course of true love "should run smooth."

"But what if the other girl were to come in! What a pretty mix! How would I ever know my girl? Though I again assure you I would have proposed to Hannah just the same. My only trouble was in the multitude of embarrassments incident to non-distinguishment. On this ground I had a genuine trouble.

"Before Hannah returned, I invited Sue to take a walk on the green. When opposite the centre of the church, I spoke of the betrothal ring, and requested her to please let me see the ring she wore. She took it off, and I carefully played with it to throw her off her guard-then calling her attention to a party of students, took my Congress knife and drew the file blade through the inner part. It left a nice mark, and by this I hoped to identify her in the future. On our return to the house, I secretly posted her parents. They said that I did properly-that it was time Sue should be recognized by her affianced!"

"You think you are smart," said she, ere I left her.

"Why?" replied I.

"Oh!" responded she, "that ring game has been tried by a half dozen admirers. I suspicioned what you were at, but thought I would see how many heads would conceive the same plan. The next day neither she nor her sister wore a ring. One week after they resumed them but in neither was there a mark. It was evident that I was to be out-generated, and would have to depend on the discretion of my intended and the goodness of their parents."

"At parties I had several trials. I never knew whom I took home, and even, when home, would talk a flood of love to the wrong girl, and receive a laugh for my enthusiasm. "Hang it!" said I, "the cream of the joke is-I can't be revenged, for I might hurt the wrong lady."

"The betrothal ring was given. Now, thought I, there is a termination to my discomfiture? Well, it did terminate in just twenty-four hours. Hannah took Sue's ring, went to a jewelry store and ordered one precisely like it, and bearing the same inscription. Moreover, she charged him to see that the engraving was counterfeited beyond recognition. It was done. So was I. Now what could I do? Had Sue been willing, I could have schemed forty devices. But she relished the dish, and would never co-operate. Wedding day came. I must take a young lady on the word of herself or parents. "Well," said I, mentally, "so I get one of the girls my object will be accomplished." The ceremony was performed before an immense throng in the largest church in the city. The bridal dress fortunately enabled me to adhere to one. Congratulations being over, my beautiful wife and I journeyed to Niagara, and inspected several Canadian cities and town. "Ah!" said I lovingly to my wife, "Sue, darling, I will know you now." "How?" said she. "By the diamond ring," replied I. "Don't be too sure Clarence." "Ah!" laughed I, "Hannah will not annoy me any further." But, alas! for our earthly hopes. My beloved told her sister the name of the New York importer, and on our return a small hand was proffered, on which was a fac simile of the bridal gift. Sue now went to her room, and attiring herself in one of the twin garbs I was again unable to recognize my own wife.

CASH RATES OF ADVERTISING IN FATHER ABRAHAM.

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GENERAL NEWS.

THURSDAY next will be Thanksgiving day.

WE have yet to record a single break in the line of States that voted for Grant.

SINCE Asa Packer's defeat in the race for Governor, the stock of the Lehigh Valley Railroad has declined \$52 per share.

HON. L. M. Morrill has been appointed United States Senator from Maine, vice Senator Fessenden, deceased.

THE Altoona Indicator (Democratic) calls the present leaders of that party in Pennsylvania "antediluvian fossils."

In Baltimore on Thursday the 4th inst., the anniversary of the Emancipation Proclamation was celebrated by the colored folks.

GRADUALLY, but surely, the public debt is being reduced. The last statement shows a reduction of over seven and a quarter millions.

JEFF. DAVIS has gone home to Mississippi to contemplate the wreck his treason caused. In the midst of it may be his repentance.

In Mobile, a negro jurymen stood out against eleven men, nine of whom were white, for two days, and finally brought them to his views of the case.

WE see it stated that Col. A. K. McClure is to be associated with Alexander Cummings in the publication of the new daily commenced in Philadelphia.

DEER are reported to be very plentiful in the Allegheny Mountains this season, and hunting parties are already after the game.

MORE big tree groves have been discovered in California. It appears that there are fully twenty of them, and one has a tree one hundred feet in circumference.

It is conceded throughout the State that the Registry Law has worked well, and that there is no danger of its being repealed, as proposed by the Democracy.

THERE are two hundred and seven thousand names upon the Pension roll at the Pension Bureau, and over one hundred thousand cases are still pending for decision.

J. M. McCLURE, Esq., formerly Assistant State Librarian, has been appointed Deputy Attorney General by Attorney General F. Carroll Brewster.

It is represented, says the Crawford Journal, that two Democrats in the Vermont Legislature voted for the Fifteenth Amendment. A few more elections will convince the Rip Van Winkles of the Democracy that the world really moves.

A CONTEST between Christianity and Infidelity is to come off in Salem, Ind., commencing on the 23d inst. Mr. J. S. Sweeney is the chosen representative of Christianity, and Mr. J. W. Pike the advocate of infidelity.

THE Miners' Journal announces that the committee of the Coal Operators and Workmen's Benevolent Association have advanced the wages of miners ten per cent. on those paid in September.

WORKINGMEN exhuming bodies in the old grave yard at Dayton, Ohio, a day or two ago, took up the body of an unknown man, in a good state of preservation, which was turned completely over and found lying on the face.

THE wholesale liquor dealers of California have organized an association for the purpose of co-operating with similar bodies in the eastern States, for the enactment of laws to compel distillers to pay the whole tax on distilled spirits.

It is reported that money is being raised by the Democracy to defeat the police bill in the Legislature next winter. We will see whether any will be base enough to be purchased next session.