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Local Department.

—Are you preparing to move? —A fine lace shoe at Lyon & Co's, for \$1.25. —Mr. Frank Keller was at Baulsburg last Saturday. —Suits from \$3.50 upward at the Philadelphia Branch. —This evening at 7 o'clock the March moon will be one-quarter full. —Three and four button kid gloves from 38 cents up, at Lyon & Co's. —The finest stock of ladies' French kid button boots, at Lyon & Co's. —Spencer C. Ogen is much pleased with his new home in Georgia. —The special term of court commences on the second Monday of April. —Ladies will find a cure in Days Kidney Pad when everything else fails. —The finest line of Hamburg, Nansook and Swiss embroidery, at Lyon & Co's. —Save 25 per cent. by purchasing all clothing from the Philadelphia Branch clothing house. —The greatest bargains are offered at the One Price Clothing House. Give Lewin a call. —The new sign before Green's drug store is pretty, and the cigars sold within the store are first-class. —Mr. and Mrs. Simon Harper now occupy their new residence in Centre Hall. They moved last week. —The parish of St. John's Roman Catholic church, in this place, donated \$329.50 for the relief of Ireland. —Fine Riverside worsted, also fine diagonals, at the Philadelphia Branch clothing house. Give them a trial. —Mr. John Meese was ill last week. In his absence from business, his store was under the care of Mr. Page. —March can take the palm this year for snow and rain, slush and mud, and general disagreeable weather. —The Philadelphia Branch clothing house can sell cheaper and better clothing than any other establishment. —At Valentines' stores they have been very busy this week in arranging new goods. Fresh paint has also been put on the interior. —Lewin, at the Philadelphia Branch clothing house, feels happy, because everybody in quest of new clothing comes to his establishment. —No man can be absolutely happy without visiting the Philadelphia Branch. Their clothing cannot be equalled outside of the large cities. —If your brain is unduly excited over the game of "fifteen," smoke fifteen cents' worth of Harry Green's cigars and it will be restored to its normal condition. —The paper mill, at this place, has been purchased by a Philadelphia gentleman, named Armstrong. He is at present operating it with every indication of success. —Mrs. Wallower, sister of our good friend, Mr. Daniel Garman, died at Harrisburg on Wednesday of last week. Mr. Garman attended the funeral, which occurred at that place on Friday. —The Lutheran church of Rebersburg is about to lose the services of its pastor Rev. F. Aurand, who has been connected with that denomination for several years. His resignation takes effect the first of next April. —Centre Hall can again lift up her head to an equality with her sister towns of the county. She has a new brass band, composed of such excellent material that it will soon be able to out-blow any band in the State. —The vernal equinox will occur on Sunday or Monday next, when the days and nights will be of the same length. At the time the sun passes these equinoctial points heavy storms usually prevail on sea and land. —Notwithstanding the disagreeable condition of the weather, a very fair audience gathered to hear the sermon delivered by Rev. John Hewitt, in the Ironworkers' building, at Valentines' forge, last Sunday afternoon. —Mr. James Armor, a former employe at Mann's Axe Factory, died at his residence in Spring township on Monday week. He was about 40 years of age and a victim of consumption. A wife and three children survive him. —A team belonging to Mr. Robert McKnight ran, without any driver, a short distance along Water street, from Lamb, on Monday morning last, but were caught by Mr. Eli Baney before they reached High street. —Mr. Beck, the gentleman under the First National Bank who handles the razor so skillfully, has been occupying his spare time of late in beautifying the interior of his barber shop with paint of a decidedly bright and attractive hue. —Several new voices have recently been added to the Episcopal church choir, of course rendering it much better than formerly. Among the female voices, the clear, sweet notes of Miss Mary Bradley are quite distinguishable. She has been a member of the choir for a long time and become so conversant with the difficult church music, that she sings with a grace and ease consequent only upon long practice. Miss Mary is fast becoming one of the best lady singers in Bellefonte.

—It is thought that Rev. Seigel will be called to the pastorate of the Millheim, Aaronsburg and Salem Reformed congregations, to fill the place of Rev. Shoemaker, resigned. The trial sermons delivered by Rev. Seigel gave general satisfaction. —New Languedoc laces, at Lyon & Co's. —There is no grocer in this town who can put fifteen quarts of dollar molasses in a gallon jug, nor can any of them sell shilling sugar at the rate of three cents per pound; but there is a grocery firm (Sechler & Co.) who can sell the very best groceries at the lowest price,—and send them home, too, if you are too lazy to carry them. —A good shoe at Lyon & Co's for \$1.00. —Rev. J. F. Delong accepted an invitation to deliver a sermon in the Presbyterian church last Sabbath evening. The large congregation which gathered to hear him were much pleased with the gentleman's discourse. Mr. Delong preaches from manuscript, but does not confine himself closely to the written pages. His delivery is considered pleasant. —A good-hat at Lyon & Co's, for 35 cents. —Pepper is used to season victuals and make them toothsome, but it is not a suitable article to put in your eye. Sugar and oysters are each excellent in their place, but when mixed together and swallowed raw, are not at all pleasant to the organs of digestion. But we can buy the very best of all kinds of groceries of Sechler & Co., and eat them as we please. —A splendid button shoe at Lyon & Co's, for \$1.25. —The residences of our Aaronsburg friends, Col. J. P. Coburn and Mr. Michael Fiedler, were recently entered by thieves. At the former place the intruders must have repented of their rash deed after entering the house, for, although several articles of value were within their reach, they departed without taking anything. Only a few articles were taken from the residence of Mr. Fiedler. —Big line of linen collars at Lyon & Co's, for 8 cents. —Old maids are supposed to drink very strong tea, to use the sourest of vinegar, and to consume such groceries as suit their morose dispositions. With young maids the supposition is entirely different. They take everything mild and delightful. Whether these suppositions are true, or not, it is certain that S. A. Brew & Son, Bellefonte's eminent grocers, have groceries of all kinds and of extra quality which they sell cheap for cash to both young and old maids. —Big lot of children's suits at Lyon & Co's, from \$2.00 up. —A rich spiritual and oratorical treat will be afforded the congregation and attendants of the M. E. church, this place, next Sunday morning and evening. The Rev. George W. Miller, the former pastor, will be present and deliver one of his finished, graceful, eloquent, soul-stirring discourses on each occasion. The abilities of Rev. Miller as a pulpit orator and platform lecturer need no reference from us. He will be greeted by large audiences. Rev. Miller will hereafter be located over a flourishing charge in Wilmington, Del. —A big line of flowers for belts and neck wear, at Lyon & Co's. —The late lamented Gen'l John Bell Hood was a native of Kentucky. He identified himself before the war with Texas, by reason of his many valiant deeds as an Indian fighter, and he was severely wounded in a hand to hand engagement. At the outbreak of the late war he went into the Confederate States Army as a leader of the celebrated Texas Brigade, and died as a business man in New Orleans. His book just published, called "Advance and Retreat, Personal Experiences in the United States and Confederate States Armies," has about it the brilliancy of a romance, while every line bears the imprint of truthful history. The accounts of the inner life of the Confederacy towards its dissolution are very readable. —Wide satin ribbons, all shades, for 15 cents a yard, at Lyon & Co's. —Although but a small number of the members of the Addisonian Club sought its literary light last Saturday night, there were at least three exercises any one of which would have repaid the attendance of all the members. These were: An essay on "Oratory," by Hal Orbinson; Charles Lamb's "Disertation on Roast Pig," by Ellis Orvis; and an oration on "The Opposition encountered by Great Men," by Prof. Heebner. The latter was as fine in its sentiment and as polished in its periods as one could expect from the lips of a professional orator, and required about twenty minutes for its delivery. The discussion of the proposition, "Resolved, That the President and Vice President of these United States should be elected by a direct vote of the people," was postponed until next Saturday evening. Another proposition, "Resolved, That, under the present Constitutional provision governing the length of a Presidential term, it is inexpedient to elect any one man for more than two terms to the position of Chief Executive of these United States," is also pending and will be discussed as soon as the former question is disposed of. —Just opened a big line of broche border ribbons, at Lyon & Co's.

A LIVELY THEATRICAL ENTERTAINMENT.—Mr. F. S. Chanfrau, with a very full and complete support, performed the play of "Kit, the Arkansas Traveler," in Reynolds' Hall, on Tuesday night. In the personnel of the troupe there is not a poor actor, while Mr. Chanfrau and several others are really excellent. The two "dead beats"—Messrs. William Maurice and C. Howard—were a success in every movement. Mr. R. Fulton Russell, as "Manuel Bond," made as complete and heartless a villain as one would care to meet. Miss Josephine Baker as "Kit's Wife," and afterwards as "Alice Redding," bore the two roles in an excellent manner. With a few exceptions, this drama deals with either very odd or very rude persons, depicting the vulgar side of life, and is devoid of anything of an elevating character. Cards, pistols and bowie knives introduced between drinks form most of the thrilling incidents, with a slight bit of sentiment appearing at intervals. But the drama is replete with wit, which makes you laugh, while the numerous thrilling situations causes the blood to tingle a little faster through your veins. The only profit there is in such dramas is the laugh and consequent physical refreshment to the spectator. The stage might be made a public educator and the representation of the drama a noble profession if actors would devote their talents to more refined personations. Mr. Chanfrau was greeted with a large audience of the best people in this place, and should be pleased with his reception. All expressed themselves as well satisfied. CONFERENCE APPOINTMENTS FOR ALTOONA DISTRICT.—The following appointments for this district of the M. E. church were made at the late meeting of Conference at Altoona. Rev. A. D. Yocum, at this place, goes to Carlisle, Rev. J. Donahue coming here. This will prove a surprise to Rev. Yocum's friends, as it was generally expected and hoped that he would return for another year: S. C. Swallow, Presiding Elder, Post-office Tyrone, Pa. Altoona, First Church—B. B. Hamlin. " Eighth Avenue—J. B. Young. Chestnut Avenue—T. Sherlock. Hollidaysburg—J. B. Shaver. Dunsmuir—L. F. Smith. Martinsburg—M. L. Smith. Williamsburg—W. W. Danmire. Logan Valley—G. Guyer. Tyrone—F. B. Riddle. Port Matilda—J. R. King. Milesburg and Unionville—J. A. Woodcock. Howard—H. F. Cares, A. R. Cronce. Penn's Valley—J. B. Akers. Bellefonte—J. Donahue. Pleasant Gap—E. W. Wanner. Half Moon—G. W. Bouse. Pine Grove—L. G. Heck. Warrior's Mark—I. Hreckman. Birmingham—H. S. Mendenhall. Phillipsburg—A. M. Creighton. Grahamton—W. R. Whitney. Osceola and Houtzdale—W. S. Wilson. Clearfield—G. Leidy. Woodland—R. E. Wilson. Clearfield Circuit—C. W. Burnley. Curwensville—J. Curns. Lumber City—J. Edwards. New Washington—G. B. Ague. Glen Hope—F. Adams. Snow Shoe—H. S. Lundy. Congress Hill—J. F. Craig. Ore Hill—To be supplied. —An occultation of Mars by the moon took place last evening about 6 o'clock. By an "occultation" is meant that the planet is hidden for a short time by the moon. It is said to be very rare for the moon to deign to put out the light of a planet. The last time such an event occurred was in 1876, when, on the 6th of August and again on the 3d of September, Saturn was hidden for a short time by fair Luna. The spectacle is an interesting one to astronomers, but all ordinary persons care about the matter is to know that such an event did occur. Only the most favorable circumstances will induce them to take the trouble to look at it, and even then they do it at the risk of receiving a stiff neck for their pains. —Buy Powers & Son's good guaranteed shoes for ladies or gentlemen. You will then have a reliable article, exactly as represented, and will not be manufactured from any of the different fancy-named leathers so often sold for a first-class goods, so-called for the purpose of coloring and misrepresenting, such as grain and buff, which means split, Indian goat, which means sheep, and many other leathers which, if properly named, all mean shoddy. Powers & Son guarantee one pair of their first-class shoes to outwear for pairs of the goods above described. —The Great Island House, of Lock Haven, has been rented by Mr. Krom, of the Cummings House, and Mr. W. Penn Bigony, formerly of the Bush House, this place, who will take possession about the first of next month. The control of this house by these gentlemen will give our sister city a first-class hotel, which will frequently be the resort of Bellefonters while in that place. —We have just received a very fine lot of ladies' imitation French kid button gaiters. They are very neatly gotten up, and calculated to deceive almost any one unless they are posted in the different kinds of leather. We have also on hand the same representing gold in button or lace. These goods can be sold much cheaper than the genuine stock which they are intended to represent. The goods can be bought from ten to twelve per cent. cheaper than in any other house in the county. POWERS & SON. —Miss Ida and Master John Furey, Jr., daughter and son of Mr. John Furey, of Pleasant Gap, departed yesterday morning for Lewisburg, where they will attend school.

MEETING OF BOROUGH LEGISLATORS.—The members present at the regular meeting of Council on Monday night were President Humes and Messrs. Ardell, Hunter, McClure, Meek, Reynolds and Shortlidge. Chairman of the Water Committee Reynolds reported that Duncan, Hale & Co. had refused to erect their part of the fence along Spring creek. Mr. Ardell, however, submitted a minority report to the effect that Dr. Hale had consented to do his part provided other property owners will do the same. The following written report was submitted to the Water Committee: "The Water Committee beg leave to report: That the machinery at the Water Works is in complete working order and the engineer and superintendent of water pipes continue to perform their duties to the satisfaction of your committee. "Your committee do further report, that it has come to their knowledge that the dam adjacent to the Spring and Water Works has been raised eight or nine inches within a few years, backing an excess of water on the turbine water wheel, thereby reducing its power from eight to ten per cent., which amounts to at least 100,000 gallons per week. The witnesses to these facts are Albert Ammerman, George A. Bayard, Bartram Galbraith, Jesse Klinger, Cyrus Strickland, James L. Sommerville and John A. Wagner. In view of these facts, your committee respectfully recommend that the solicitor be instructed to institute such proceedings in equity as shall require the owners of said dam to reduce the breast of the same to its legal height. WILLIAM SHORTLIDGE, Chairman Committee. Bellefonte, Pa., March 15, 1880." This report was adopted, when Mr. McClure, seconded by Mr. Meek, introduced the following resolution, which was also agreed to: "Resolved, That in accordance with the report of the Water Committee, submitted at this meeting, the solicitor be directed to commence proceedings forthwith to have the dam of Hale & Duncan lowered to the proper height, so that there may be no obstruction to the flow of water from the Spring." The Fire and Police committee, through Mr. Ardell, reported that Mr. Lescurc agrees to close a contract for hose for the Undine Hose Company at the same price paid for that purchased for the Logan Hose Company, and to pay \$6 a section for the old hose. Also that Mr. Lescurc is in town, at his own expense, to give instructions with regard to the oiling and taking care of the hose. An application was made for two coal oil lamps on Howard street, east of Allegheny; also for a lamp near Bush's Row. A communication was received from the Undine Hose Company for Council to use their room and supply light, fuel and janitor. Also a communication from the Logan Hose Company, tendering their room. It proved the sense of Council to accept the invitation of the Logan Hose Company. Therefore, on motion of Mr. Shortlidge, it was resolved that when Council adjourn it be to meet at the Logan Hose House on the first Monday of April, at 9 o'clock A. M. President Humes said that he had important business to present to Council, and therefore called a special meeting for 6:30 P. M. on Tuesday, March 16. LITERARY ENTERTAINMENT AT HOWARD.—In our issue of February 12, a Howard correspondent made favorable mention of the Literary Society at that place, and stated that arrangements had been completed for a public entertainment to be given some time in March. We now have information that next Saturday evening, March 20, has been fixed upon as the time, and Lucas' Hall as the place for the fulfillment of this promise. The programme is varied and interesting, embracing tableaux, recitations, music, etc.; but the chief attraction of the evening will be the well-known comedy entitled "The People's Lawyer," in which Solon Shingle makes himself so prominent. We are assured that the different parts in this comedy have been appropriately assigned, and that the characters have been thoroughly studied, with a view to having the impersonations as correct and real as possible. Our young friends engaged in this very commendable enterprise solely for the purposes of self-cultivation and entertainment, and not with any idea of money making, and have therefore placed the price of admission at ten cents, with the expectation of realizing only sufficient to pay incidental expenses. We have no doubt the neat little hall will be crowded to its utmost capacity. IMPROVEMENTS.—The great stock of silverware brought to town by Frank Blair for the holidays was disposed of at auction, and since that event the gentleman in question has been making some marked improvements in the appointments of the store room in which he is located. That a change has taken place is apparent on entering the store. Paint, recently applied, contributes much to its beauty and neatness. But what arrests the eye are the remarkably deep and elegant new glass show cases, four of which have lately been added. They are all of glass and are the receptacles of many jewels, which they exhibit to great advantage. MONDAY, JANUARY 6, 1880.—Our stock of woollens for the spring and summer season of 1880 just received. Leave your order now. Respectfully, MONTGOMERY & Co., Tailors. —Mr. John G. Hess, the carriage manufacturer on Bishop street, removed last week to his former home at Pine Grove. Mr. John Bartroff will carry on the same business at the old location.

FIGHTING THE FLAMES.—On Sunday afternoon last persons coming from the Presbyterian Sabbath-school discovered smoke issuing from the windows of the Reformed church and immediately gave an alarm of fire. The building was kept tightly closed until the arrival of the hose companies, when two very effective streams of water were directed upon the flames, resulting in their speedy suppression, but not until the interior of the little edifice had been injured to a considerable extent. The fire originated in the basement of the building. It burned up between the walls, and had gained considerable headway before it was discovered. Aside from the damage caused by the flames, the large amount of water poured into the building completely ruined its interior, and several hundred dollars would be required to restore it to its former condition. There was no insurance on the building. We learn, however, that the congregation intend to erect an entirely new church edifice on their present desirable site. As the fire occurred on Sunday, a much larger crowd of people than usual were drawn together by it. Wherever there are so many people and much water is used, of course, some one must receive a thorough deluge of it. Quite a crowd was occupying the porch of the church, when a stream of water came whizzing into their midst. It struck a well-known and venerable gentleman directly upon the nose. From thence, passing in a direct line up his stately countenance, the watery stream lifted his hat rather violently from his head. This almost deprived the gentleman of his breath as well as his equilibrium, but at last he was able to exclaim in gasping notes, "Turn off that water!" Several other persons received so much of this shower, that a complete change of garments was rendered a necessity. Mr. Hal Orbinson is among those who can explain the sensations experienced by an unexpected out-of-doors bath on a rather cold day in March. A "BOOM" AMONG THE HENS.—Mr. Balsler Weber, of Howard, in connection with his good lady, are the owners of a well-bred, innocent hen which has lived and would have lived unknown to face forever had not our neighbor of the Watchman last week, got possession of an interesting incident in her humble existence and given it an airing before the public. It appears that because of her pretty color this hen was peculiarly dear to the heart of Mrs. Balsler Weber. One day the hen went in quest of something new and rare to eat, and became wedged between the outside and inside walls of the stable. Here she remained mourned for and at last almost forgotten for four weeks, until some member of the family, in an exploration after hidden hen's nests, heard a movement and a distant "cluck," when back came the memory of the long-lost hen. Knowing that the ghosts of hens do not return, and that this must be the original fowl, she was immediately extricated, greatly to the elation of all the family. The poor hen only weighed half a pound and was distressingly weak, but, under the care of her kind mistress, Mrs. Weber, she has been resuscitated and is now about as lively as ever. This hen will never again be allowed to wander away, as she is now among the most valued possessions of Mr. and Mrs. Balsler Weber. PUBLIC SALE.—We desire to again call the attention of our readers to the public sale to be made by Mr. William H. Fry from his residence, two miles west of Pine Grove Mills, next Saturday, March 20. So much good stock and such a variety of farming utensils will be disposed of as to make the sale one of unusual importance. Particular attention is called to the fine black Norman stallion, the Alderney cows, the sixteen head of Lincoln sheep, the four head of horses, the horse gears, fly nets, &c. There is also an endless variety of agricultural implements, which are fully described in the printed bills. The sale commences at 10 o'clock A. M. MAN DROWNED.—A young man, named Samuel Kelley, from Port Matilda, Centre county, and employed on Merrell's log drive, was drowned last Wednesday forenoon, in Wing & Bailey's dam, on Anderson creek, about two miles above Reckton. 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.—Clearfield Republican. —The fascinating game of 13-15-14 has had its "run" in this place and now the interest in it has waned to give place to some other diversion. The fact has been satisfactorily demonstrated that if any two of the numbers are transposed it is impossible to again place all the blocks in their proper order, leaving the right hand space of the lower row vacant. BELLEFONTE, March 5, 1880. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bellefonte Library Association will be held at their rooms on Monday, April 5, 1880, at 7 1/2 P. M., for the purpose of electing a Board of Managers for the ensuing year and for any other business that may come before them. JACOB V. THOMAS, Sec.

REV. ALEM BRITAIN.—This venerable preacher, well known and highly esteemed by many people in Centre county, has just completed his fiftieth year in the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal church. At the recent annual meeting of the Central Pennsylvania Conference, at Altoona, he was called upon to preach his semi-centennial sermon. We copy the following account of this service from the Altoona Daily Tribune of Monday last, feeling that many of the readers of the DEMOCRAT will peruse it with pleasure and interest: Rev. Mr. Britain announced his text: Deuteronomy 1:11—"The Lord God of your fathers make you a thousand times as many as you are and bless you as he promised you." The earlier part of the discourse embraced the origin, call, and character of the ancient Israelites, in which was drawn a pertinent analogy between them and the people called Methodists. The points of analogy indicated were, first, such resemblances as were exhibited in the commissioning, qualifications and adaptability to their work; of Moses and Wesley, quoting with great aptness Lord Macaulay's elegant tribute to Mr. Wesley, whose scholarship and statesmanlike qualities made him the peer of Richelieu; and, second, such resemblances as exist between the people of God's promise and those who are represented here to-day. He was careful to draw distinctions as well as resemblances, and found no objection to his line of thought in that the Jews were now cast aside, since their rejection is not eternal, and they had forfeited their blessings by the spirit of disobedience. The second part of his discourse related to his own work during the past fifty years. He remarked that fifty years ago this month he was admitted into the old Baltimore Conference. It embraced all the territory now occupied by the Central Pennsylvania Conference, together with the State of Maryland, a large part of Virginia, thence along the line of North Carolina, and up to and among the Allegheny mountains. It embraced 58 circuits, 106 ministers and 29,000 members. Now, with one-third of the territory there are 174 circuits and stations, 195 ministers and 39,000 members; or taking two conferences, 397 charges, 385 ministers and 75,000 members. My first circuit was in the Allegheny mountains, in the counties of Clearfield, Indiana and Elk. It was 300 miles in extent and required three weeks to encompass it, preaching in the meantime about nineteen times. The business of the young itinerant was to travel from settlement to settlement traversing the deer and elk paths, oftentimes without a guide, and preaching "Christ crucified" to the people in the wilds. In these hard and toilsome fields, said the speaker, I received but \$5 per month. To-day a part of that circuit—the balance being in the Erie Conference—has twelve charges, twelve ministers and pay for the support of the gospel \$8,000. This circuit was a type of the first three. The fourth was in the North Branch country, being the Berwick Circuit. Now there are eleven charges and twelve preachers occupying the field. The speaker alluded touchingly to this being the saddest hour of his life, when he felt that he should step aside, remarking that if possible he would endeavor to join in spirit John's words, "He must increase, but I must decrease." It was, nevertheless, a precious satisfaction to feel that he had witnessed during his life the conversion of 3,000 souls. From his standpoint he would now invoke upon his people the two-fold benediction of the text, the enlargement of the church in numbers and the spiritual blessings of that Holy One who had said: "Lo I am with you always even unto the end of the world." THE AFFECTING SCENE.—At the conclusion of the sermon the good bishop arose and extended the aged veteran his hand, and addressed him as a "fellow pilgrim" whom God was sending to the front and not to the rear. To the front where the chief honors are! It would take many of the men about your twenty, thirty or forty years to get to your point of distinction. He invoked upon him the blessings of Almighty God. The scene was a picture for an artist. The venerable men, the sermon, the surroundings, the memories, the multitude, the throbbing hearts, the softened eyes, all combined to make it an hour not to be forgotten. The Gospel "Battle Hymn" was sung known as "The Thousand Years." —Mr. Benjamin Bradley, of this place, met with an accident on Monday last while engaged in the planing mill of John Ardell & Co. The fingers of his left hand became entangled in the machinery of a joiner at which he was working, taking off the first two fingers at the first joint. —Mr. Samuel Lose, of Brush Valley, has contracted to erect the new Reformed church building at Madisonburg. MARRIAGES. STINE—TURNER.—At the bride's residence, March 6, 1880, by Rev. J. R. King, Mr. Samuel Stine, of Buffalo Run, Pa., to Mrs. Susan Turner, of Port Matilda. WAY—FISHER.—On the 10th of March, at Tyrone, Pa., by Rev. J. W. Bell, Mr. Meredith Way, of Altoona, and Miss Beckie Fisher, of Millersburg, Pa. SCHADE—STOVER.—On the 6th of March, 1880, by Rev. W. M. Landis, Mr. Henry W. Schade and Miss Maggie Stover, both of Miles township. STOVER—KOHLER.—On the 9th of March, 1880, by Rev. W. E. Fischer, Mr. John O. Stover, of Unionville, and Miss Matilda W. Kohler, of Milroy. SCOTCH—REESER.—On the 21st of March, 1880, by Rev. W. H. Gray, Mr. Wilson E. Scotch, of Rebersburg, and Miss Emma H. Reeser, of Fillmore. MILLER—TRESSLER.—On the 20th of February, by Rev. A. A. Kerlin, Mr. D. L. Miller, of Ennisville, Huntingdon county, formerly of Centre county, and Miss Annie Tressler, of Linden Hill, Centre county. RESIDES—SMAY.—March 11th, at the home of the bride, by John Craig, J. P. Mr. William Resides, of Buffalo Run, to Miss Mary Smay, of Beaver Mills, Centre county. DEATHS. BOHEMAN.—On the 24th of March, at Mann's Axe Factory, in Spring township, Elias Boheman, aged 54 years. HUNGARDNER.—At the residence of her mother, in Eagleville, Centre county, on Tuesday March 2, 1880, Leatie A. Hungardner, aged 24 years, 2 months and 1 day. ARMOR.—In Spring township, near the Bulling Springs, on Monday, March 8, 1880, Mr. James Armor, aged about 40 years. BATHURST.—Margaret T., daughter of J. Lawrence and the late Eliza Bathurst, born at Curtin's Works, January 22, 1855, died at the same place, March 5, 1880, aged 12 years, 1 month and 13 days. STINE.—On the 5th of March, in Tyrone, Pa., Eliza A., wife of David C. Stine, formerly of Millheim, aged about 44 years. FRANK FIELDING, LAW AND COLLECTION OFFICE, CLEARFIELD, PA. 12-17