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DISTRICT AND COUNTY OFFICERS. Congress, Hon. A. G. CURTIS, Bellefonte. State Senator, Hon. W. A. WALLACE, Clearfield.

CHURCHES. Presbyterian, Howard street, Rev. Wm. Lauric Elder, Services every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

LODGES. Bellefonte Lodge No. 268, A. Y. M. meets on Tuesday night on or before every full moon.

—From the Altoona Tribune we learn of two fatal accidents, the particulars of which are as follows: The long list of fatal accidents on the railroad was yesterday swelled by the addition of two more.

Of the second fatal accident happening yesterday, Hugh McCarty, a young unmarried man was the victim. He was employed in the yard as a brakeman.

engaged in braking a lumber car when he met his death. It is thought that he did not have proper control of the brake, probably not set tight enough,

—A party of Methodist Hill coasters came to grief on Monday night. Every thing moved along smoothly, "Lengthy" being very careful of "Snip," while "Murf" took good care that "Pudge" did not fall off, when lo! a rock suddenly made its appearance.

—Out in Clearfield county they have some mean men, as the following from the Democrat proves. We hope the K. of L. will stand by their colors and resent the outrage.

—A pair of knaves worked an old swindle on a simple citizen of one of our neighbor towns. One of them went into a cigar store carrying a violin, and after buying a cigar, asked to be allowed to leave the instrument there for an hour or so.

—The Reporter says: Centre Hall has more money invested in church property than any town of its size in the state. It has the purest water and the freshest air in the world; is always free from epidemics and has no drunkards.

—A new banking institution has been organized in Altoona, known as The Fidelity Banking Co., (limited) James W. Findley is the cashier.

Death of Old Lucy.

[The following was written by Miss Aggie B. Herick, a young daughter of Mr. L. C. Herick of Spring township. The animal was much loved by the little Miss, and this love for "old Lucy" led her to write these lines.]

Old Lucy is dead, that good old mare, We never shall see any more;

She was true and honest as steel— Always pulled with a right good will.

A leader, she was hard to beat From sixty-six to eighty-five, Never blundered or balked on the street

She would not pace but always trot Over the hill and o'er the plain, Until she reached her destined spot

In sixteen hundred and eighty-one, She felt so proud, and noble, too, The reason was without any doubt

His horse could not pull the load Up the steep and miserable hill So true old Lucy went to trade

But now she lies beneath the sod On the farm of Doctor Hale Over rocks, and not plod

Attractive, Elegant, Popular.

Have you seen Godey's Ladies Book, for January? It is sparkling with good things. "Robin Adair," the new story by Miss Rose Elizabeth Cleveland, begins in this number.

—A communication in the Daily News of Tuesday gives the particulars of an accident by which a Centre county man was killed.

—James Parton says that a curious circumstance occurred many years ago, when a testator in England left £10,000 to a friend, but with the condition that one-half the sum should be buried with him in his coffin.

—Early Wednesday morning a big burly tramp entered the residence of Augustus Wentzel, at Boyertown, and in the absence of the remainder of the family attacked his pretty daughter, Miss Della, aged 16, of splendid figure.

—The total amount contributed for the benefit of the Charleston earthquake sufferers through the Executive Relief Committee was \$634,258, which was ample for the purpose of relieving immediate distress, as the disbursements until yesterday amounted to \$48,119.

—Ducking patients until nearly suffocated, knocking them down and forcing quids of tobacco into their eyes, are amusements charged to the attendants and supervisors of the St. Louis City Insane Asylum.

Central Pennsylvania Notes.

The following is from The Watchman, of Boston. "A Pentecostal work of grace is in progress at Wilkinstown, Huntingdon county, Pa.

Religion was at a low ebb in the community. But about three families of Baptists could be gotten out to preaching services, and there was no prayer meeting and no Sunday school, while there were scores of unconverted people in the neighborhood.

Pastor Wirtz felt that a crisis was impending that unless there was a revival the church would soon become extinct. He began special meetings and sent a request to the other churches in the Association to pray that there might be one soul converted.

Pastor J. H. Chambers, of Huntingdon, who lives across a mountain eleven miles away, drove out almost every week and preached and helped the pastor in visiting.

Ridding O'Donovan Rossa.

NEW YORK, December 7.—O'Donovan Rossa, who was recently deposed from the leadership of the Fenian Brotherhood, having declared in his paper and in published interviews that he had declined the convention at which the deposition took place,

—A GIFT FOR ALL.—In order to give all a chance to test it, and thus be convinced of its wonderful curative powers Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and colds, will be, for a limited time, given away.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. In the matter of the estate of Samuel Woodring, Jr., late of North township, Centre county, Pa., deceased, he requests all who are indebted to said estate to come and make payment, and those who have claims, to present them daily at his office.

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT OF CENTRE COUNTY. In the matter of the estate of Joseph Schweibert, late of Harris township, deceased, the undersigned Auditor, appointed by the court to make distribution of the balance in the hands of the Executor,

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