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Poetry.

A Christian's Creed.
I believe in dreams of duty,
Warning where we are astray,
Promises of the glorious beauty
That once filled the apostle's soul;
As the perfumes of the garden
Are all in the ether leave,
That may still remain the nature
It hath fallen from, I believe.

Select Tale.

The Tunnel.

James Wainwright was fireman of engine No. 32, and Bill Blackford engineer. The latter had one good quality—continued faithfulness as a servant of the company. His enemies said the most powerful microscopes could have discovered no other. While he had not a friend among the haunts, their dislike was not an open one. His strength was known to be almost phenomenal. He had once knocked down a horse with a blow of his fist.

The Post.

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Where?

'About the middle of the tunnel.'
'All right. Come on.'
Into the darkness they plunged. They each carried a light, but the impression of such place is always one of intense blackness.

How a Young Lady Unwittingly Became a Wife--Her Husband's Offer.

Mr. and Mrs. David Mannering, who live at Lorimer and Jackson streets, Williamsburg, have a only daughter, Clara. She is a brunette, seventeen years old, with bright black eyes and dark curling hair that flows in waves over her slight figure. She returned but a few weeks ago from Orange county, N. Y., where she has been making a long visit. Some time since Mrs. Mannering, while talking over the contents of her daughter's trunk, which had not yet been unpacked, discovered a scroll of parchment, richly engraved and ornamented, and held together by a blue ribbon, tied in a true love knot.

Which Do You Like Best?

It is indeed a funny and ridiculous sight to see a lovely woman stop at a street crossing, give her body a feathery twist, stoop low and reach backward and downward nearly to her heel, and grab from five to forty pounds of dress trail, full of dirt and dust, shake it five or six times, like a buzzard flapping his wings to fly, then hobble across the street like a lame turkey to the other side, there to "let go," turn around four or five times, and start off like a stern wheel boat in a storm.

Transient Troubles.

Most of us have had our troubles all our lives, and each day has brought all the evil that we wished to endure. But if we were asked to recount the sorrows of our lives, how many could we remember?—How many that are six months old should we think worthy to be remembered or mentioned. To-day's troubles look large, but a week hence they will be forgotten and buried out of sight.

Do Not Forget the Place.

WELLS & OPPENHEIMER, above Keystone Hotel, Selinsgrove.
We have a Larger Assortment of HATS & CAPS than ever before. Prices Lower than ever.
Over Coats for Men and Boys, Cheaper than ever Offered. All we ask is to Come and See.
DO NOT FORGET THE PLACE.

FOR CASH

YOU CAN BUY CLOTHING! CLOTHING!
at HALF PRICE, at
Wells & Oppenheimer's,
SELINGSGROVE, PENN'A.

Table listing clothing items and prices. Includes categories like MEN'S SUITS, FINE cassimere suits, COAT, PANTS, and VEST, and Boys' Clothing a Specialty.

GRAND FALL OPENING!

AT THE New York Fancy Store.
(In Holmes' new building, opposite the Keystone Hotel.)
MARKET ST., SELINGSGROVE, PA.
A LARGER STOCK OF DRY GOODS, NOTIONS & FANCY GOODS NOW THAN EVER.

I would most respectfully announce to the public that I have just opened the largest and most complete assortment of DRY GOODS, NOTIONS AND FANCY GOODS, ever brought to this county.
LARGE VARIETY OF FELT SKIRTS, HOISERY, GLOVES, SHAWLS, A FULL LINE OF THE BEST Germantown Wool, Zephyr, Ladies and Children's Underwear.

NEW HARDWARE STORE.

READ! READ! READ!!!
Dan'l Hackenburg.
Hardware, Tinware, Stoves &c.
Also SPOUTING done at short notice, on reasonable term and satisfactory manner.

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