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BOOTS AND SHOES

and get Quality, Style and Variety at prices which will astonish our Competitors. We intend, through courteous treatment, prompt attention and small profits, to make this the leading Boot and Shoe House in Butler County.

No. 347 South Main Street, OPPOSITE WILLARD HOUSE, BUTLER, PA.



INGENIOUS MR. JONES.

Mr. Jones is a story of a blamed superior... In fact a stronger story would be pretty hard to find. He was to his friends, which the same it greatly moved.

Wounded at Cottysburg

Comrade G. W. Hammond of Root Post, G. A. R., of Syracuse, N. Y. was wounded at Cottysburg.

My Wound Broke Open

It broke open all over my face and on some parts of my body so that my face is all covered with scars now. One day I read of a man who had a wound like mine.

Blood Became Poisoned

My blood became poisoned and I was in a very bad way. I was in the hospital and after a long time it healed.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

After months of suffering I was cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. It is a great medicine for all kinds of blood diseases.

Col. C. A. Weaver

Commander of Root Post, G. A. R., himself a one armed veteran, fully confirms Mr. Hammond's statement, and J. B. Belton, the pharmacist, also endorses it.

C. & D.

WE HAVE THE MOST COMPLETE STOCK IN THIS COUNTY. Everything that is new in St. Hats. Our \$1.50 and \$2.00 are wonders for the money.

Colbert & Dale

Hatters and Furnishers, 242 S. Main Street, Butler, Pa.

Gentlemen

TO ATTIRE YOURSELVES IN NEAT AND FITTING APPROPRIATE PARALLEL LEAVE MEASURE AT

Aland's

LARGE STOCK. BEST FACILITIES. Grand Pianos for Sale.

Prof. Matiers

of Butler has opened a piano and organ parlour at No. 218 East North St., where he has on exhibition a new variety of pianos from the best makers of Europe.

Pianos and Organs

PIANOS AND ORGANS TUNED. 218 E. North St., BUTLER, PA.

AN ILL WIND

And the Fortune it Blew to Forrest Marsh.

A Rare Painting

In his diary under date of October 5, 1792, Gen. George Washington made this entry: "Sat for Ramage near two hours today, who was drawing a miniature picture of me for Mrs. Washington."

Modern Cambration

Mrs. Beason Hill—How do you like your Uncle Roscoe again. He is a great loss.

Tea for Children

Amity (to little visitor)—Do you drink tea. Wee Nicce—No'm. Mamma won't let me.

Practical Farmer

Practical Farmer—So you want to marry my daughter, eh? Practical Farmer—Yes, sir. I would like to marry your daughter.

A MISFIT APPLICANT

Applicant—I see you want a man to run the elevator. Owner of Building—Yes, but I want one who won't occupy all the room himself.—Truth.

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