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**FRESH MILK FOR SALE.**  
On and after Monday January 25 I will receive fresh milk from the country daily and will sell it in any quantity to local customers.

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**Sweet Melody Flour**  
Charley, where are you going? Going down to Levy's. Well I'll go along and get one of those 332 cigars. Best smoke in town. may5-11

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Dancing every Friday and Tuesday evening from 8 to 12 at the Elk Bridge hall. Come and enjoy the new music just received, since the last dance. Most pleasant dance hall in town. Floor unexcelled. Violin and electric player music. jan7-11

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## LABOR DAY

Will Be Celebrated in Appropriate and Elaborate Manner by Clarksburg Labor Unions.

The Trades and Labor Council at its regular weekly meeting Friday night took up the matter of celebrating Labor Day here on an elaborate scale. The subject was earnestly considered and the council took action as to definitely decide to hold the celebration and the members of the various unions will begin at once to make arrangements for the occasion.

It is desired that every union in the city shall have at least one representative at the meeting next Friday night to take preliminary steps for the celebration of the day.

The hearty cooperation of the business men of Clarksburg will be sought and there is every assurance that they all will lend the movement all possible encouragement and contribute liberally to the expense.

Fairmont, Grafton and other towns in this section will be asked to represent themselves in the affair by sending their labor councils and unions en masse to the celebration. This will mean the bringing of thousands of visitors to the city, and the day will be one of real splendor.

Already there are assurances that several noted speakers will be in attendance and deliver addresses that will be of profit to the general public as well as the members of the unions.

**WATER RENTS.**  
All water rents for the quarter ending March 31, 1904, are due and payable at the office of the city clerk. They must be paid at once, as I am required to settle for them. Prompt payments will be appreciated.

**HUGH CALLAGHAN,**  
Com. of Water Works.

**Sweet Melody Flour**  
Early tomato and cabbage plants for sale at Dudley's flower store, Main street april22-11

**Made Young Again.**  
"One of Dr. King's New Life Pills each night for two weeks has put me in my 'teens' again," writes D. H. Turner of Dempsetown, Pa. They're the best in the world for liver, stomach and bowels. Purely vegetable. Never gripe. Only 25c at Frank G. Bland's drug store.

One of the greatest blessings a modest man can wish for is a good, reliable set of bowels. If you are not the happy possessor of such an outfit you can improve the efficiency of those you have by the judicious use of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are pleasant to take and agreeable in effect. For sale by Stone & Mercer.

**BAND ATTENDS LOT SALE.**  
The Clarksburg opera house band went to Bridgeport Saturday morning to attend the Willis lot sale and furnished music for the occasion. Quite a number of real estate men and investors also went down from this city to the sale.

**For Weak, Languid People.**  
Weak, sickly people often remark "if I could only get something that would nourish me and give me strength," they do not know why, but the food they eat is of no benefit to them, they gain no flesh and feel no stronger. The fact is the stomach is too weak to perform its work, and the little appetite they once had is gone. The blood becomes more thin and watery, bringing on faint sick spells with loss of memory and ambition. There is a remedy for all this that acts in the right way. It is called Dr. Gunn's Blood and Nerve Tonic, and is sold by all druggists for 75c per box, or 3 boxes for \$2. It turns the food you eat into rich, red blood, making flesh and strength, creating an appetite because the system demands sustenance. Sold by Stone & Mercer.

**COL. KEELER LEAVES.**  
Colonel G. A. Keeler, who lately gave up the management of the Walden hotel left Friday night with his family for Lake Toxaway, North Carolina, where he is to take up the management of the big Toxaway Inn.

**A Sure Thing.**  
It is said that nothing is sure except death and taxes, but that is not altogether true. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is a sure cure for all lung and throat troubles. Thousands can testify to that. Mrs. C. B. VanMetre, of Sheperdstown, W. Va., says "I had a severe case of bronchitis and for a year tried everything I heard of, but got no relief. One bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery then cured me absolutely." It's infallible for croup, whooping cough, grip, pneumonia and consumption. Try it. It's guaranteed by Frank G. Bland, druggist. Trial bottles free. Reg. sizes 50c, \$1.00.

**DEEDS RECORDED.**  
Deeds have been recorded as follows:  
Carl Shiff to Anthony Shiff, 1 lot, Bristol.  
Icy Martin to Maria V. Kelley, 1 lot Cards district.  
T. J. Parish to George W. McIntyre 2 lots, Wallace.  
Same to A. S. Robey, 1 lot, Wallace

**A Startling Test.**  
To save a life, Dr. T. G. Merritt, of No. Mehoopany, Pa., made a startling test resulting in a wonderful cure. He writes, "a patient was attacked with violent hemorrhages, caused by obstruction of the stomach. I had often found Electric Bitters excellent for acute stomach and liver troubles so I prescribed them. The patient gained from the first, and has not had an attack in 14 months." Electric Bitters are positively guaranteed for dyspepsia, indigestion, constipation and kidney troubles. Try them. Only 50c, at Frank G. Bland's drug store.

**PAT SULLIVAN GETS THIRTY DAYS IN JAIL**  
Pat Sullivan was up before Mayor Shields in police court at the regular session Saturday morning. He was charged with being drunk and it was his third appearance before the mayor upon such a charge within the past several weeks. The whole case was handed over to Patrick and in default of payment he was sent to jail for thirty days. T. W. Wells was sent to jail for five days in default of the payment of a five dollar fine for disorderly conduct. One drunk was sent over for five days and two paid three dollars and costs to obtain their liberty.

**An Open Letter.**  
From the Chapin, S. C. News: Early in the spring my wife and I were taken with diarrhoea and so severe were the pains that we called a physician who prescribed for us, but his medicines failed to give any relief. A friend who had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy on hand gave each of us a dose and we at once felt the effects. I procured a bottle and before using the entire contents we were entirely cured. It is a wonderful remedy and should be found in every household. H. C. Bailey, editor. This remedy is for sale by Stone & Mercer.

**LOCATION MADE ON LANG FARM**  
The South Penn Oil Company made a location Friday for an oil well on L. L. Lang's farm on Brushy Fork in Simpson district, and arrangements will be made at once to begin to drill. This will be watched with much interest as it is in a field that has not been tested, and in the event it comes in a payer, a new development will be opened up.

**If You Have Dyspepsia, Read This.**  
The old way of taking pepsin, bismuth, etc., to cure dyspepsia is all wrong. They may be put up in tablets or in liquid, the result is just the same. The object is to create artificial digestion, but this does not make a cure. Stop taking the pepsin, etc., and you have your dyspepsia or indigestion back again and sick headache, it does not cure, stop taking the drugs and the pain and distress return. The only common sense method is to drive out of the system the cause of dyspepsia and sick headache, by cleansing the stomach and bowels, at the same time using a medicine that will act on the liver. This forces through the glands of the stomach the digestive fluid that nature intended. In this way you cure dyspepsia. The medicine that cures dyspepsia by this method is called Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills. Druggists sell these pills at 25c per box. It only takes one pill for a dose. Sold by Stone & Mercer.

**GOODWIN BOYS TAKEN TO JAIL.**  
Deputy Sheriffs John M. Knox and John G. Lang took John and Clarence Goodwin to the Lewis county jail at Weston Saturday morning. They are under indictment for destroying materials at one of the coal mines in this section and will be tried at the next term of circuit court.

**Worth a Thought**  
This Statement Will Interest Scores of Clarksburg Readers.  
The facts given below are worth a perusal by all who are anxious about their physical condition or are similarly situated to this resident of Clarksburg. It is a local occurrence, and can be thoroughly investigated.  
Mrs. Nancy Lowe, of 489 Mechanic street, says: "I hardly knew what it was to be free from an aching back and an irregular action and condition of the kidneys for twenty years or more. When the attacks were so pronounced that I was unable to do anything I tried remedy after remedy in my endeavors to stop constant pain across the loins. Overexertion, in fact, ordinary exertion, caused twinges which prevented me from doing the simplest household work with any degree of ease. To go up and down stairs was more than a task so that when I say I was over half the time in misery I very mildly state my condition. A newspaper account about Doan's Kidney Pills led me to go to Wells & Haymaker's drug store for a box of them. They performed exactly what they promised, everything correcting the urinary trouble, the aching ceased, my health improved, I slept much better and in other ways benefit resulted from the treatment. My son had occasion to use an ointment for a sore on his ankle. It was hurt in the first place, broke out and refused to heal. An application or two of Doan's Ointment soothed and healed the parts affected that a continuation for some time disposed of it so radically that nothing is left but a slight scar."  
For sale by all dealers. Price 50c per box. Forster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—DOANS—and take no substitute.

**DECORATION DAY AT GRAFTON**  
Monday, May 30—Only 75 Cents Round Trip via Baltimore & Ohio R. R. The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad will sell excursion tickets to Grafton and return on Monday, May 30, Decoration Day, for train No. 46, leaving Clarksburg at 10:22 a. m. Grand parade at 1:00 p. m. Hon. A. G. Dayton, mayor of the day. For tickets and additional information call on ticket agents.

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