A STRING OF ITEMS.

A MAN that breaks his word, bids others be false to him.

YIELDING is sometimes the best way of succeeding.

MISS FANNY WALLACK is playing in Boston, with much success.

THE Boston Post says that the whortleberries are so big this season that it only takes a pint and a half to make a quart.

SOLITUDE.—Solitude is sweet!—but, like the Frenchman, I wish to have a friend, to whom I can say.—*How sweet is solitude.*

MAGNIFYING glasses, to detect bank notes, are being brought into general use in Cincinnati.

SWEET TO SWEET.—The Committee of the New Hampshire Agricultural Society on Honey, is composed entirely of editors.

MR. LEACHMAN, of Florida, Ill., has a mule which kills and eats every snake that falls in his way.

GLAZING.—Sewall Short, of Baltimore, has invented a new and approved mode of inserting window glass. No putty is used.

BE not affronted at a jest. If one throw salt at thee, thou will receive no harm unless thou hast sore places.

A BLACK-FISH, weighing *two hundred and fourteen pounds*, was caught at Pass Christian, La., last week.

SYMPATHIZE with those in trouble. Strive every where to diffuse around you sunshine and joy.

AN exchange from Rhode Island wants to know if fat men will not be exempt from the *lien* law.

THE Baron Haynau has purchased in Hungary, near the Theiss, a large estate of near 6000 acres of fertile alluvial soil, at the price of £4 sterling per acre.

GREAT WHEAT.—A letter from De Witt county, Texas, says that the wheat crop in that county is uncommonly good, averaging seventy pounds to the bushel.

THE Pennsylvania Rail Road has been completed to Bolivar, ten miles east of Blairsville. The time from Philadelphia to Pittsburg is thirty hours.

A "BLOOMER" perambulated the streets of Brookville, Pa., last week. Since the heroine set the example, the ladies of that borough avow their determination to wear the breeches.

THE manufacture of ale, in Albany, engages six breweries, which consume $300,000 worth of barley annually. One hundred thousand barrels of ale are made, and sold for half a million of dollars.

SINGULAR FACT.—Betsey Overstoke, wife of Abram Overstoke, of Highland co., Ohio, aged seventy one years gave birth to a child a few weeks since. She had not had one for thirty-one years.—*State Journal.*

THE CRANBERRY CROP.—The Minnesota Democrat, of the 5th inst., says:—"Our cranberry crop will be sufficiently abundant to supply the foreign, as well as the home market. We saw some of this delicious fruit yesterday; the berries were large and nearly ripe.

ISN'T it singular that mineral waters are only beneficial to the wealthy. In all our experience, we never knew a physician to advise a poor man to go to Saratoga, or any other watering place. Why carbonate of lime should only operate on doubloons, we can't conceive.

BARON VON HUMBOLDT, although a small man—born as long as September 14, 1769—is all animation, and his conversation of the most varied and interesting character. His face is without a wrinkle; his eyes are as sparkling as ever, and I saw him read without glasses." So says a late letter.

KILLING ALDERS.—The last of August is considered the best time to cut alders, for the purpose of destroying them. Performed at this season, the operation has generally been successful. More or less will generally sprout the next year, but if the sprouts are bruised off at the same time in the year that the previous cutting was done, the extirpation will be pretty much accomplished.

THE CROPS IN OHIO.—A correspondent, writing from Northern Ohio, says:—"The wheat crop is excellent, oats, very good—better by one-half than last year; corn, very good; potatoes are injured by the potato-bug—a striped fly about three-quarters of an inch long; the grass is much injured by the grasshopper; fruit very scarce."

A BELL, twenty three thousand pounds in weight, has been cast in Boston for the iron tower in New York. Fourteen tons of metal were melted for the casting. The first cast was completely successful. The metal was poured in on Saturday, the 9th inst., and the mould opened on the Wednesday morning following, when the bell was found still hissing hot.

GROWTH OF GRASS.—The celebrated Spanish Botanist, Cavanilles, was the first who entertained the idea of "seeing grass grow," and he directed the horizontal micrometer threads of a powerful magnifying glass to the rapidly-growing stem of a American aloe, precisely as the astronomer places his cross of net work against a culminating star.—*Cosmos.*

IMMENSE FLIGHT OF GRASSHOPPERS.—On Sunday last at about 12 o'clok, M., a flight of grasshoppers passed over our city, continuing some three hours, and extending some miles to the east and west, which, in point of numbers, exceeded all computation. The sky was perfectly full, and in the rays of the sun, myriads could be seen, looking like snow-flakes, moving about in circles, and apparently going southward. Some eigh years ago, a similar phenomenon was observed in this city, but this is said to have been on a much larger scale.—*Reading Pa., Press, 12th.*

WE STUDY TO PLEASE.

THE attention of Builders and others, are respectfully invited to our extensive and well selected stock of BUILDING HARDWARE AND TOOLS, now offered by the subscriber, at reduced prices in part as follows:

American Front Door Locks, upright, with night work, plated or brass furniture, or porcelain all colors.
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American Front Door Locks and Store Door, Horizontal or upright, brass furniture, or porcelain all colors.
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Shutter, Gate, Strap, T, and Backflap Hinges, all kinds.
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Saws & Saw-mills Files, Pump Hand, and Hose Saws, long and expressly for Bank saws, all selected with care.

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American Squares and Bevels of every description.

American Rules, long & Boxwoods, Compasses, Screwdrivers, &c.

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Steel, Iron, and Wooden Braces, with C. S. Bits, in great variety.

W. Greene & Sons', Butcher's and other celebrated makes of Chisels, Files, Plane-irons, &c., &c.

Adlin's celebrated Carving Tools, all shapes.

Working men of the best and most extensive assortments of Building Hardware and Tools in the State.

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Yours, respectfully,
WM. M. MCCLURE.

No. 937 Market st., between 9th and 8th, upper side.
Philadelphia, April 12, 1851.—1y.

$50 FORFEIT.

DR. HUNTER will forfeit $50, if failing to cure any case of secret disease that may come under his care, no matter how long standing or afflicting. Either sex are invited to his Private Rooms, 38 North SEVENTH Street, Philadelphia, without fear of interruption by other patients. Strangers and others who have been unfortunate in the selection of a physician are invited to call. Those who have injured themselves by solitary vice are also invited.

READ AND REFLECT.—The afflicted would do well to reflect before trusting their health, happiness, and in many cases their lives, in the hands of physicians, ignorant of this class of maladies. It is certainly impossible for one man to understand all the ills the human family are subject to. Every respectable physician has his peculiar branch, in which he is more successful than his brother professors, and to that he devotes most of his time and study.

YEARS OF PRACTICE, exclusively devoted to the study and treatment of diseases of the sexual organs, together with ulcers upon the body, throat, nose, or legs, pains in the head or bones, mercurial rheumatism, gravel, irregularities, diseases arising from youthful excesses or impurities of the blood, whereby the constitution has become enfeebled, enables the Doctor to offer *speedy relief* to all who may place themselves under his care.

Philadelphia, April 19, 1851.—1y.

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THE Subscriber who resides in Philadelphia, offers for sale the following property in Milton, Northumberland county, viz: The large

BRICK BUILDING

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The premises would be valuable for a Foundry or other manufacturing purposes, and will be sold on reasonable and accommodating terms by applying either to JACOB CARRIGAN, Philadelphia.

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BY the use of RENDERBONES (patented last June) which is built into the Runner, so as to allow for the wear of the Stone, gives a durable cement—tyle, and driver as well as keep the balance of the stone with attrahmiing until it is worn out. Our stock of Blocks is selected in France, and the best quality only used.

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Orders received through agents will be attended to.

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For Summer use, a small Stove, called Summer baker, new and superior Furnaces for burning charcoal or stone coal. Gas ovens of several different patterns, Bake ovens, several patterns, hitching posts, Spout irons, and a variety of articles in casting, too numerous to mention. The Hardware trade can be supplied with common 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 quart Tea kettles, at very low prices for cash or city acceptance.

A few casks of superior German black lead on hand.

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Sept. 28, 1850.

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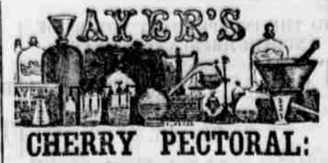

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Feb. 15, 1851.—1yeo3m

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MRS. MARY WEAVER respectfully informs the public and travelling community generally, that she has opened this large and commodious HOTEL, furnished in a superior style. From her long experience in the business of a first rate Hotel, and well known reputation to accommodate, her customers may depend on being supplied with every thing conducive to their comfort and convenience.

Feb. 15, 1851.—tf

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ANN C. MORRIS

March 8, 1851.—tf.

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Trevorton, Jan. 11, 1850.—tf.

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The attention of the public is called to the advertisement of Mr. Charles C. Tucker, Attorney and Agent at Washington City. Persons having claims for bounty Lands or Pensions are informed that the subscriber has made arrangements for the requisite forms, and claimants calling at his office, can have their papers prepared and forwarded to Mr. Tucker at Washington, and by him be properly attended to before the Department there.

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Sunbury, Jan. 18, 1851.—

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MADE from the best Jamaica Ginger, all the valuable medicinal property of which it will be found to possess in a convenient and concentrated form.

It is a most efficient and at the same time harmless, gently stimulating tonic for the stomach, and will be found very beneficial in relieving the painful and distressing feelings occasioned by the impaired action of this important organ.

From half to a whole teaspoonful taken in a wine-glassful of sweetened water will immediately remove the flatulency and oppression resulting from indigestion, and if taken two or three times daily, as required, will be found highly useful against the lassitude and sense of sinking of the stomach and tendency to its disordered action occasioned by the enervating effect of the summer heats, or following after indisposition, and for correcting the incipient stages of diarrhœa, &c.

It is also an excellent medicine for those who have injured the tone of their stomachs by the immoderate use of intoxicating liquors, by its slightly stimulating effect upon the stomach removing the craving for stimulants, while it has no injurious action on the brain, and is not succeeded by feelings of depression, which always follow the use of alcoholic stimulants.

A few drops added to magnesia, rhubarb or other purgative medicines, will render them more acceptable to the stomach and prevent the griping which is apt to accompany their action.

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Here's furniture of every style and hue,
From side boards down to kitchen tables,
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Should you not have the ready Jone to pay,
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Or any thing but yokes and threshing flails,
From pigs and turkies down to little quails.
Come on then friends, come one and all,
Keep trade a moving, as big as on the ball."

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Planes of all kinds.

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BARON LIEBIG, in his celebrated work on Animal Chemistry, says: "An Artificial Digestive Fluid analogous to the Gastric Juice, may be readily prepared from the mucous membrane of the stomach of the calf, in which various articles of food, as meat and eggs, will be softened, changed, and digested, just in the same manner as they would be in the human stomach."

Dr. PEREIRA, in his famous treatise on "Food and Diet," published by Fowlers & Wells, New York, page 35, states the same great fact, and describes the method of preparation. These are few higher authorities than Dr. Pereira.

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PENNSYLVANIA.		MASSACAUSETTS.	
CITY OF PHILADELPHIA.		All solvent banks	¼ dis
U. S. Bank notes	15 dis	RHODE ISLAND.	
All solvent banks	par	All solvent banks	¼ dis
COUNTRY.		CONNECTICUT.	
Bank of Chambersburg	1 dis	All solvent banks	¼ dis
Bank of Chester Co.	par	NEW YORK.	
Bank of Del. Co. Chester	par	CITY.	
Bank of Germantown	par	All solvent banks	¼ dis
Bank of Gettysburg	1 dis	☞ Bk notes under $5	1 dis
Bank of Lewistown	par	COUNTRY.	
Bank of Middletown	1 dis	All solvent banks	1 dis
Montgomery Co Bank	par	NEW JERSEY.	
Bank of Northumberl'nd	par	Belvidere Bank	¼ dis
Bank of Pittsburg	1 dis	Commercial Bank	¼ dis
Bank of Danville	par	Fur. Bank M'nt Holly	par
Carlisle Bank	1 dis	F. & M., Middletown Pt.	par
Columbia B'k & Bdge Co	par	Mechanics' Bk, Newark	par
Dauphin Bank	par	Merch. Bk of Burlington	par
Farmers Bank	par	Mech. & Man. Bk Trent	par
Erie Bank	2 dis	Morris Co Bank	¼ dis
Exchange B'k Pittsburg	1 dis	Newark B'k'g & Ins. Co	¼ dis
Exchange B'k, Brown'ville	1 dis	Orange Bank	¼ dis
Farmers' B'k, Bucks Co	par	People's Bk Paterson	¼ dis
Farmers' Bk, Lancaster	par	Princeton Bank	par
Farmers' Bk, Reading	par	Salem Banking Co	par
Farm. Bk Schuylkill Co	par	Somerset Co Bank	¼ dis
F. & D. Bk Waynesburg	1 dis	State Bank at Camden	par
Franklin Bk, Washin'n	1 dis	State Bk Elizabethtown	¼ dis
Harrisburg Bank	1 dis	State Bank Newark	¼ dis
Hanesdale Bank	1 dis	State Bk, N. Brunswick	par
Lancaster Bank	par	Sussex Bank, Newton	¼ dis
Lebanon Bank	par	Trenton Banking Co	par
Merch. & Man. Bank	1 dis	Union Bank, Dover	¼ dis
Miners' B'k, Pottsville	par	Yardley'ville & Del Br Co	1 dis
Mon ongahela Bank	par	☞ Bk notes under $5	¼ dis
Taylorsv'e Del Br Co	1 dis	DELAWARE.	
West Branch Bank	par	Bank of Delaware	par
Wyoming Bk, Wilkesb'rre	par	Bank of Smyrna	par
York Bank,	1 dis	Delaware City Bank	par
☞ Relief notes	1 dis	Bk Wilm'g'n & Brandywine	par
MAINE.		Farmers' Bk St Delaware	par
Bank of Wiscasset	5 dis	Union Bank, Wilmington	par
Mercantile Bk, Bangor	10 dis	☞ Under $5's	¼ dis
All solvent banks	1 dis	OHIO.	
NEW HAMPSHIRE.		All solvent banks	2 dis
All solvent banks	¼ dis	☞ Bk notes under $5	4 dis
VERMONT.		NORTH CAROLINA.	
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All solvent banks	1 dis	☞ Under $5's	2½ dis

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