ARTHUR SPRING.

This wretched criminal has but three more days to live. A marked change has come over him. He has relented much, and begins to exhibit a more becoming demeanor, as his moments on earth grow shorter.

The Inspectors of the Prison now refuse to admit any one at all to visit him in his cell, except his spiritual advisers. The object of this is to afford him proper opportunities to devote to reflection every moment of the brief period of time allowed for preperation to die.

Yesterday, the son of the felon visited him, and had two interviews with him. The meeting between them was most effecting.—A complete reconciliation took place. The guilty father clasped the son to his breast—cried over him bitterly—called him his dear, darling boy—told him that he forgave him, and asked his forgiveness; while the boy wept upon his parent's neck. He begged young Arthur not to leave him, but to stay till the execution was over, and see his remains interred. He also cut off a lock of his hair, which he entrusted to Arthur to take to his orphaned daughters.

Young Arthur piteously and touchingly appealed to his father to exculpate him, and, although the culprit did not yield to the boy's entreaties, still he refrained from criminating his son. The elder Spring was greatly subdued after the meeting was over.

The following dialogue between them contains some of the most affecting portions of the conversation, in which the son vainly endeavored to induce his father to clear him from the imputation of guilt in the murder. He said—

"My father! my father! oh, have pity upon me! oh! have pity, and tell the truth! Do, O do, say I am *innocent!* Oh, you know I am! My dear, dear father, you know I am innocent."

The father, thus appealed to, groaned aloud, and strained him to his bosom, with the most intense affection, answering:

"My son, my darling, I will tell the *truth!*"

Eagerly seizing on the expression, the son followed up his weeping request.

"Oh, my father, have pity upon me; oh! do say I am *innocent!* You know I had nothing to do with the murder of the women!"

Still that man of iron nerve, although convulsed with agony, answered cautiously, and in general terms.

"My dear, dear boy, I will do whatever I can for you. I will die for you"

Another gush of grief relieved the swelling bosom of the weeping youth, and again, in the most affecting manner, he said:

"Oh, my father, my dear father, you know I love you. Oh that I could die in your stead. For what is life to me now? My course of misery is already begun. The gloomy future grows darker every day. You are soon to die; a few brief painful hours will close your earthly sufferings: but mine, oh, my father, my sufferings, where are they to terminate? I am already pointed at, and avoided. Where shall I hide my head, if you die without clearing me from the dreadful crime? Oh, how can I bear to live!"

Then, in an agony of grief, he tenderly upbraided him.

"Oh, my father, my father, you have no pity, you have no pity. You see me bowed down with grief and you will make it deeper and darker, by witholding the truth. Oh, tell the truth, and die happy! Now, while I clasp you in my arms, let me bring you to God and ask forgiveness, and die in peace! Oh, how can you die without telling the truth?"

To all these touching appeals, the deeply agitated father returned indirect or evasive answers.

The father gently upbraided the son, as being the instrumental cause of his conviction. This brought on a passion of grief, and he convulsively sobbed out:

"O my father, what could I do, when compelled to testify; I had to speak the truth—O forgive me, forgive me, dear father, my heart was with you, while my lips spoke the painful truth. O forgive me!"

"I do forgive you, my darling, but not Burns nor Ragan."

"O yes, my dear father, all; O forgive all, and make your peace with Heaven."

The gentlemen present knelt in solemn prayer, for the weeping parent and agonized child. Afterwards they proposed to leave them alone for a little while, thus addressing the father:

"Arthur, the world has condemned you as no longer fit to live. It has been reported, that you said, that if you could get hold of your son, you would kill him. We shall now give you an opportunity to show the world, that you are not the heartless man you are reported to be"

With a face suffused with tears, he clasped him to his bosom exclaiming, "my darling, my darling, I would not injure a hair of your head."

Their parting was still more effecting.—The father clasping his son to his breast, kissed him repeatedly upon his lips, telling him to transfer them to his daughters when he next saw them, and finally gave him one fond kiss for himself.

The son has obtained an order from Mr. Reed for the remains of his father after execution, and he has transferred the same to the Rev Mr. Street, who has undertaken their interment, in accordance with his expressed wishes.

The Rev. Messrs. Street and Kensil had another long interview with him, yesterday, which resulted in the signing of the following paper, which was drawn up, and his signature witnessed by the reverend gentlemen, whose endeavors have so far been crowned with success, in having softened his stony heart, and induced at least a partial repentance.

"MOYAMENSING PRISON, June 7, 1853.

"I, Arthur Spring, do most solemnly, in the fear of God, (before whom I am soon to appear,) and the presence of Rev. John Street, and Rev. Mr. Kensil, declare that my son, Arthur Spring, Jr., (as far as I know,) had no hand in the murder of Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. Lynch; neither do I believe that he had any knowledge of those persons being murdered. Witness my hand, this day as above written. ARTHUR SPRING.

"Witnesses present—J Street, R. T. Kensil"

Young Arthur Spring, having provided for the interment of his father's remains, will not return to the city.—*Ledger of the 7th.*

THE AMERICAN.

SUNBURY.

SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 1853.

H. B. MASSER, Editor and Proprietor.

TO ADVERTISERS.—The circulation of the Sunbury American among the different towns on the Susquehanna is not exceeded if equalled by any paper published in North ern Pennsylvania.

DEMOCRATIC STATE NOMINATIONS.

FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER:
THOMAS FORSYTH,
Of Philadelphia County.

FOR AUDITOR GENERAL:
EPHRAIM BANKS,
Of Mifflin County.

FOR SURVEYOR GENERAL:
J. PORTER BRAWLEY,
Of Crawford County.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

Business Notices.

GLEASONS PICTORIAL still continues to maintain its high reputation for its beautiful illustrations as well as for the excellent style in which it is got up by the publisher. The fifth volume of this excellent publication will commence with the first of July next, which will be a suitable time to subscribe.

DR. BICKLEYS FAMILY MEDICINES.—We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Dr. Bickley, in this weeks paper. The family medicines prepared by Dr. Bickley, are highly commended by many of our best Physicians, and have been certified to by a number of re spectable individuals as will be seen by referring to his advertisement. The Doctor appears to stand well at home which is pretty sure evidence of merit.

MOROCCO, LEATHER & Shoe Finding.—In our advertising columns this week will be found the advertisement of Elias Brocious, who is engaged in a branch of business that will prove a great convenience to those engaged in shoemaking.

☞ LAND WARRANTS.—Persons having Land Warrants for sale, can dispose of them for cash, by applying at this office.

☞ Judge Jordan of this place has been holding court in Schuylkill county in the place of Judge Hegins, who has been disabled, by his late accident, from attending to business. Judge Jordan is highly commended by the Pottsville papers. Judge Hegins is not yet able to walk, having lost the use of his legs. His general health, with this exception, is nearly restored, and we trust, a little time will entirely restore him.

☞ The splenetic effusion in the Lycoming Gazette, of last week, in regard to our borough, would entirely have escaped our notice, had we not seen it referred to by our neighbor of the Gazette. It is in exceeding bad taste, and was intended, we presume, as a reply to a small article in our last paper. We might reply with much more truth and sarcasm, in the same strain, but we have too much respect for the intelligence of the good people of Williamsport. It is pretty evident that either Col. Carter, or the Schoolmaster is abroad. The editors reference to "galvanism" and "magic wires," we consider rather unfortunate. If "practise makes perfect," no one will pretend to dispute the superiority of some of our friends in the everlasting State, in the art of "wire working." The editor of the Gazette is yet young. He will no doubt, grow more discreet as he grows older. The time is fast approaching when, by iron bonds, Williamsport and Sunbury will be brought into a closer, and, we trust, a more intimate and social relationship.—Let no evil or malignant spirit, therefore, interpose its offices, to prevent such a consummation. There is "ample room and verge enough" for the enterprise and business of every town in this beautiful valley. Let then the motto of all be, *excelsior.*

☞ SENSIBLE.— Accompanying a marriage notice, a few days since, we received an order with the cash, to send our paper to the future residence of the bride. This is the first thing every sensible man who has any regard for his wife, ought to do, after marriage.

☞ The Danville Intelligencer thinks the 700 coal cars built for the Philadelphia and Sunbury rail road should have been constructed in this neighborhood, instead of York and other places. We should have preferred that course ourselves, but others bid lower for the contract, and it was of course awarded to them.

☞ Some of the whig papers are saying some terribly hard things of Senator Barnes (whig,) of the Bedford district. Two of the whig papers in his district denounce him in no measured terms, and state that if he does not resign, that he will be impeached at the next session. The Waterford Despatch thus speaks of him:

"He was always ready for a trade, and never had sense enough to keep his own secrets, so that before the session closed he was known at the same time to be the most corrupt man, and considerably the greatest ass that has found his way to Harrisburg for a long while.

☞ RAIL ROAD IRON.—The first invoice of rail road iron, for the Williamsport and Elmira rail road, reached that place on Tuesday week last.

SUNBURY AND ERIE RAILROAD.

We are rejoiced to learn that the construction of this great improvement is placed beyond all doubt. The following from the Philadelphia Bulletin announces the important fact:

"THE SUNBURY AND ERIE RAILROAD.—We are gratified to be able to announce the fact that the Sunbury and Erie Railroad will now go on to completion, with very little delay. Its construction has been placed beyond a doubt, by the completion of contracts with responsible parties for the entire line.—Messrs. Sennett, Brown, Caldwell & Co., have contracted to make one hundred miles from Erie eastward, and Messrs. Gamble, Rockafellow & Co., the next hundred miles. The remainder of the road has been under contract and in progress for some time.

THE IMPROVEMENTS AT THIS PLACE.

The force on the lock, and on the basin, at this place, have been greatly increased the past week. The lock will be a novel structure of the kind, as if will be constructed of cast iron, the first of the kind ever built, being the invention of Mr. Cleaver, the Chief Engineer of the road. The lock, when completed, will be thirty two feet wide and ninety five feet long, just large enough to admit the new steam ferry and tow boat now building at this place. On the rail road there is also a largely increased force. About seven miles of the rails have been laid down. The remainder, about 12 miles, to Shamokin, will be laid down in the course of three weeks. The burden cars are arriving almost daily, in boats, carrying eight cars each.

The steam boat is also progressing finely. The frame is up, and Mr. Kirk, the architect, says he will have her ready in ninety days from the 12th of May, the day on which the keel was laid. Her engine, of eighty horse power, is now ready. She will be 88 feet long, 31½ feet wide over her beam, with a gangway capable of holding six or eight wagons and teams.

☞ The editors of the Miltonian are down upon their neighbor of the Lewisburg Democrat, in language that is any thing but "choice Italian." In referring to the course of the Democrat, the Miltonian says—

"You can go on in your despicable mission, knowing as you do, that it is easy to make remarks, but hard to carry them into effect. Your many sayings have as much effect upon your readers, as the devil would have upon a religious multitude."

This, we think, is paying his majesty, the Prince of Darkness, but a sorry compliment.

☞ SHAD.—The shad season ended in Philadelphia on Monday last, according to the statute, the fish being deemed unwholesome later in the season. Shad fishing was at one time an important matter on the Susquehanna, but since the erection of dams, &c., none but a few straggling ones are caught above tide water. Occasionally a few are taken below the Shamokin dam, near this place. These are as plump and as fresh as ever, and as much superior to a Philadelphia shad as a salmon is to a sucker. They readily sell at from 50 to 60 cents each.

☞ INDIAN ENTERTAINMENT.—We refer our readers to the advertisement, in another column, announcing an entertainment that is to come off at this place, on Wednesday, the 15th of June, by a number of Indians of some of the tribes from Oregon. The amusements will consist of dances, music, scalping scenes and various other entertainments.

☞ The legislature of New York has been indulging in a frolic by taking a trip to Niagara Falls. The distance, 300 miles, was run in eight hours, including stoppages, or 37½ miles per hour. The rail road companies "chalked their hats" of course. The Philadelphia Bulletin thinks that Congress will, perhaps, follow the example set by the States, and take a trip on one of the Collins steamers to Europe, or an excursion on the Pacific rail road to California, some of these days.

☞ CATTAWISSA RAILROAD.—The Miltonian says that the Cattawissa rail road is to connect for certain with the Sunbury and Erie rail road at Milton, and that the road will be placed under contract during the summer. The Cattawissa Company has purchased some ten or twelve acres of ground, where the two roads connect, upon which suitable buildings will be erected to enable the company to transact their business.

☞ SPRUCE CREEK RAILROAD.—The Aaronsburg *Berichter* of last week, says that the Engineers are progressing very rapidly in making a survey of this road. They speak very favorably this far. The Brush valley people are raising money for a survey back through that region. The Penns valley people must keep wide awake to keep up with them in contending for the prize.—In Hartley township they crossed several valuable beds of iron ore.

☞ COAL LANDS IN MARYLAND.—Several gentlemen from New York recently purchased 1000 acres of coal land in the Cumberland coal region for which they paid $180,000.

☞ NEW PRESS.— The Philadelphia Bulletin has put into operation a splendid new Press, built by Hoe & Co. New York. The Press is worked by steam power and is a beautiful piece of mechanism. It i capable of printing ten thousand sheets an hour and cost thirteen thousand dollars.

☞ The Northern State Temperance Convention was held at Williamsport last week. Delegates were present from the counties of Lycoming, Clinton, Northumberland, Columbia, Luzerne, Montour, Tioga and Dauphin. Among the resolutions we find the following:

Resolved. That we adopt the principle laid down in the State Temperance Convention, held in Harrisburg in February last—'Prohibition; nothing more, nothing less.'

Resolved, That we are in favor of political action, as the only means of obtaining the enactment of a prohibitory law, and that we pledge ourselves to such action.

Resolved, That it be recommended to the several Counties and districts represented in this Convention, to hold Conventions, and nominate candidates for both branches of the Legislature, to be supported by the friends of prohibition, irrespective of party, and that such nominations be made before the first day of August next.

Resolved That the members of this Convention do pledge themselves to the support of temperance candidates, that may be brought forward in our respective counties, and to use all honorable means to secure their election.

☞ The Lackawanna and Bloomsburg rail road project is considerably discussed, at present, by the papers interested along the route. The road will extend from Scranton through Pittston, Wilkesbarre and Berwick to Bloomsburg. Scranton is already a flourishing place of several thousand inhabitants, in the Lackawanna coal region, about 18 miles above Wilkesbarre.

☞ GOLDFISH IN THE SCHUYLKILL.—Major Freas says that "gold fish are plenty above the Fairmount dam, near Philadelphia." They originally came from a private fish-pond at Lemon Hill, which breaking its banks during a heavy rain, emptied its contents of hundreds of these fishes into the Schuylkill. They are sometimes caught with a hook, but are taken in large numbers in the spring of the year, with nets.

☞ DEER CAUGHT.—Two boys, between 8 and 9 years of age, caught a one-year old deer in Windsor township, Berks county, about 4 miles from Hamburg. They drove the animal into a fence-corner, where they contrived to hold it until several persons came to their assistance, and enabled them to secure it in a stable.

☞ In consequence of the rebellion in China, tea has advanced twenty per cent in New York.—Another article, fire crackers have also gone up. We should be glad to see those entirely prohibited.

THE New Jersey Railroad Company, celebrated its Twenty-First Aniversary at Newark, on Saturday. The prosperity of the railroad, under its present management, was thought worthy of liberal compliment. The revenues are enlarged, the line of travel constantly improved; the public more comfortably accommodated in the number, frequency and speed of the trains; and, what is greatly to the credit of the immediate superintendence, and the employers of the road, out of thirteen millions of passengers carried, the life of no one seated in a car has been lost!

AN Anti-Bible Convention was in session last week for some three days at Hartford, Ct. Andrew Jackson Davis, (the Great Harmonian,) Wm. Lloyd Garrison and Mr. Theodore Parker are the only names mentioned by the Hartford papers in connection with this Convention. The Bible, it is said, has been attacked by the Convention, chiefly on the ground that it is not harmonious in itself—that it supports slavery, polygamy and other sins. These reformers have got rid of the Church and the State, the Sabbath and the peculiar ordinances of religion, and there is nothing now left for them to fight and throw away but the Bible.

NEW HOTEL.—An effort in now in progress to erect a large and costly hotel in this borough, which, we are happy to inform our numerous readers, may possibly be consummated this summer. It is intended to erect the edifice by subscription, those contributing towards the enterprise to form themselves into a joint stock company, and when the necessary means are subscribed, construct it at as early a day as possible. The enterprise is a laudable one, and we have been informed that considerable has already been subscribed thereto.—*Miltonian.*

ELECTION OF A WOMAN TO PUBLIC OFFICE.—The Portland Argus says, the Eastern District in Lyncoln County, Maine, has chosen a *lady* for Register of Deeds, in the person of Miss Olive Rose, forming an assistant in the office. Miss Rose has two thirds of the votes. The Argus remarks. "Whether a female is eligible to such an office under our laws, is the question to be settled." The Woman's Rights Convention insists that she is.

GREAT PREPARATIONS are making at Oleana, Ole Bull's Norwegian colony, in Potter county, to celebrate the coming Fourth of July on a magnificent scale. On that occasion, he expects a large number of his musical brethern to assist in the ceremony. He is fitting up a grand concert room, 100 feet in length and 80 feet wide.

THE NEW YORK EXHIBITION for the Industry of all Nations, announced officially to open on the *fifteenth of July,* will, the Times says, assuredly, without very unexpected additional embarrassment, open on or very near that day. It is the first authorized public announcement of any particular day. The managers, in common with all parties, shared in the disappointment of not being able to inaugurate their interesting enterprise in the month of May, instead of postponing it to the middle of summer.

HON. JOHN S. MCCALMONT, of Clarion, has been appointed by Gov. Bigler to the Judgeship of the Clarion district, vacated by the elevation of Judge Knox to the Supreme Court.

ACCORDING to the calculations passed on the English Life Tables, it was estimated *a priori,* that of all the immigrants to the United States, since 1790, 2,214,000 should be living at the date of the last census. The actual returns of that census give us the number of foreign born residents, 2,210,000—a remarkable instance of the accuracy which may be attained by scientific deductions, on points which seemingly admit no elements of calculation.

A WHOLESALE INDICTMENT.—The Grand Jury of Essex county, Mass., have indicted the Boston and Maine Railroad, for causing the death of the son of President Pierce, last fall. It would be a curious fact if the entire company should be convicted of manslaughter, and sent to the penitentiary.

WEAR OF LOCOMOTIVES.—The Railway *Times* says the annual deterioration of American locomotive engines is from eight to twelve per cent, upon their first cost, while five cents per mile are required for repairs, so that generally our engines destroy themselves of the rate of ten dollars value per day when in full use.

THE ALBANY AND SUSQUEHANNAH RAILROAD is said to be contracted for to Governeur Morris, George L. Schuyler, Sidney G. Miller, Jonah W. Barker, James S. T. Stranahan, and C. G. Case.

JOHN REDPATH and his wife have recovered $4500 damages from the Corporation of Alleghany City, Pa., for injuries sustained by falling down an exposed embankment.

PASSING STRANGE—A lady passing a bonnet shop without stopping.

New Advertisements.

Improvements Ahead!!

ELIAS BROCIOUS

HEREBY informs his friends and the public generally, that he has just received at his old stand, in Market street, opposite Weaver's hotel,

An excellent assortment of

MOROCCO,

FRENCH CALF SKINS,

French Lastings,

And all kinds of linings and Shoe findings,

which he offers to the trade at reasonable prices.

He also informs his customers ane others, that he still continues the Shoemaking business, and is prepared to do all kinds of work, in a good and fashionable style, and on reasonable terms.

Sunbury, June 11, 1853.—1y.

Rope Manufactory.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the people of Northumberland and Sunbury, and the public generally, that he has constantly on hand and manufactures to order, all kinds of Boat ropes, bed cords, wash lines, plow lines, twine and lines of all kinds, at his establishment in Northumberland.

RICHARD MARSHALL.

North'd., June 11, 1853.—3m.

INDIAN ENTERTAINMENT.

Given under a large Pavillion, capable of seating 1,000 Persons.

THE Celebrated Indian Chief, Kaw-Shaw-Gance, from the Wal-ait-pu nation in Southern Oregon, accompanied by O-Ka-te-wau la, a Chief from the Calla-poo-has tribe, together with their large troope of Indians, from west of the Rocky Mountains, will give an Exhibition of the manner and customs peculiar to their tribes in Southern Oregon.

AT NORTHUMBERLAND, Tuesday Evening, June 14th.

AT SUNBURY, Wednesday Afternoon and Evening, June 15th.

Consisting of a large variety of Dances, Songs, Marriages, Worships, burial Ceremonies, Scalping Scenes and casting Diseases out of a sick Indian by enchantment. Also several Historical Scenes, incident to the early settlement of our country.

Kaw-Shaw-Gance will exhibit at each entertainment a large collection of

INDIAN CURIOSITIES,

Among which may be found several specimens of *War Clubs, War Knives, War Paddles, Battle Axes, War Pipe,* Pipe of Peace, Blankets made from the bark of trees, and a large variety of Bead work, &c., &c. The Chiefs, accompanied by their warriors, will be seen riding through the streets, dressed in full Indian Costume, Painted and fully equipped for war, between 1 and 2 o'clock.

Exhibition to commence at 2½ and 7½ o'clock, P. M.

Admittance 25 cts. Children under 12 years of age half price.

Sunbury, June 11, 1852.—

Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.
NORTHERN DISTRICT.

Notice

IS hereby given that the annual Session of said Court to commence at Sunbury, on the *second* Monday of July next, will by direction of the Court be then adjourned to the *third* Monday, at which time it is also directed by the Court that all causes for argument will be taken up and disposed of without delay.

CHARLES PLEASANTS,
Proth'y S. C. N. D.

Prothonotary's Office, Sunbury, June 11, 1853.—

LIST OF CAUSES FOR ARGUMENT.

1. Bunnell vs Anson, Potter county
2. Colbitt vs Long & Williston, Tioga
3. Quigley vs Commonwealth, Clinton
4. Beele vs Stitzel, North'd
5. McCarty vs Hoffman, Lycoming
6. Knight vs Reighart, "
7. Lowry vs Allison North'd
8. Clement vs Weimer, "
9. Lyons Heirs vs Lackawanna R. R. Co. Susquehanna
10. Nones vs North'd co, North'd
11. Clark vs Hoovey, McKean
12. Same vs Same "
13. Loomis vs Kellogg, Susqueh
14. Gardiner vs Reynsford, "
15. Bowman vs Flynn, "
16. Whitman vs Montgomery, Luz
17. Chadwick vs Clark, "
18. Bush vs Johnston, Tioga
19. Robinson vs Rupert, Columbia
20. Carson vs Lumbermans Bank, Potter
21. Pardy vs Detrick, "
22. Yeoman vs Rexeford, Tioga
23. Fagely vs Bellas, North'd
24. Smiths ex'rs vs Wagenseller et al, Union
25. Same vs Same, "
26. Hummell vs Marsh. "
27. Cox vs Sartwell, McKean
28. Lycoming co vs Huling, Lycoming
29. Wagonseller vs Smiths ex'rs, Union
30. Ewing vs Spencer et al, Tioga
31. Cabel vs Bachman et al, North'd
32. Kerlin vs Bissel, "
33. Stephens vs Dimock tp., Susq
34. New York Union M. Ins. Co. vs Chittenden et al, Susqueh
35. Good et al vs Schoener, Columbia
36. State M. Ins co vs Updegraff et al, Lyc
37. Covenhaven vs Hart, Sullivan

NOTICE.

THE Venders and Retailers of Foreign and Domestic merchandize, within the county of Northumberland, will take notice that they are assessed and rated by the appraiser of mercantile taxes, for the year 1853, as follows:

PERSONS.	CLASS.	
Lewis Township.		
Amos T. Bisel, liquor	13	$15 00
George P. Kamp, liquor	14	10 50
Raup & Savage, liquor	13	15 00
Delaware Township.		
Dentler & Piper,	12	12 50
Hayes & McCormiek,	12	12 50
E. L. Piper,	13	10 00
Ludwig & Rank,	14	7 00
Jonas Wolf, liquor	14	10 50
Milton Borough.		
Nagle, Wingate, & co., liquor	13	15 00
Murray, Goodman & Moodie,	13	10 00
Seth Cadwallader & son,	14	7 00
William Heinen,	10	20 00
Frymire & Stout, liquor	12	18 75
Charles I. Engle, liquor	13	15 00
A. W. Comly,	12	12 50
Thomas Swenk,	12	12 50
Isaac Brown, liquor	13	15 00
B. K. Haag,	14	7 00
George Correy,	14	7 00
Joseph Angstadt,	14	7 00
John F. Caslow,	14	7 00
Jonathan Zellers,	14	7 00
Rhan & Chapens,	14	3 50
J. A. & W. Gray,	14	3 50
J. & M. Yount,	14	3 50
John M. Woods	14	3 50
D. Krauser,	14	3 50
Chillisquaque Township.		
Adam Conrad,	14	7 00
James Reed,	14	7 00
Ketler & co.,	14	7 00
Point Township.		
Samuel R. Wood,	12	12 50
Rush Township.		
John B. Shipman,	14	7 00
Upper Mahanoy.		
Daniel Heim, liquor	14	10 50
Daniel Iseahart, liquor	14	10 50
Gideon W. Snyder, liquor	14	10 50
Shamokin Township.		
Snyder & Zimmerman, liquor	14	10 50
Hugh H. Vastine, liquor	14	10 50
Wm. Farrow, liquor	14	10 50
John Vanzant,	14	7 00
Taggart, Barton & co.,	13	10 00
Bergstresser & Huff,	13	10 00
Samuel John,	14	7 00
W. G. Kase,	14	7 00
Upper Augusta.		
J. F. & I. F. Kline, liquor	14	10 50
Northumberland Borough.		
Marks B. Priestley, liquor	13	15 00
James Taggart & son, liquor	13	15 00
James Taggart, jr., liquor	13	15 00
Wm. T. Forsyth, liquor	13	15 00
S. B. D'Enormandie,	14	7 00
Wm. Elliott, liquor	14	10 50
Mary McCay,	14	7 00
Conrad Wenk,	14	7 00
M. J. D. Withington, liquor	14	10 50
Jacob Eckert, liquor	14	10 50
Sunbury Borough.		
Filing & Grant,	13	10 00
Henry Masser, liquor only		3 50
John Buyers & co.,	14	7 00
E. Y. Bright & co.,	13	10 00
Benjamin Heffner,	13	10 00
John Young, liquor	14	10 00
S. N. Thompson,	14	7 00
I. W. Tener & co., liquor	13	15 00
George Bright,	13	10 00
Ira T. Clement, liquor	14	10 50
P. W. Gray,	14	7 00
R. Fagely & co.,	14	7 00
Albert Elsberg,	14	7 00
Lower Augusta.		
Jacob Weimer, liquor	14	10 50
Heilner & Knoblp, liquor	14	10 50
J. R. Kaufman, liquor	14	10 50
Jacob Krebs, liquor	14	10 50
Wood, M'Donnel & Clark,	14	7 00
Lower Mahanoy.		
Andrew Ditty, liquor	14	10 50
George Brosious,	14	7 00
Witmer & Dockey, liquor	14	10 50
Elias Weist,	14	7 00
Jackson.		
Wm. Deppin, liquor	13	15 00
Wm. Cares, liquor	14	10 50
Israel Carl, liquor	14	10 50
Little Mahanoy.		
Wm. Rothermel,	14	7 00
Jordan Township.		
John Wert, liquor	14	10 50
Josiah Swartz,	14	7 00
Cameron Township.		
Charles R. Weikle,	14	7 00
Henning & Houpt, liquor	14	10 50
Coal Township.		
Ammerman, Rosser & co	14	7 00
Kase, Reed & co.,	14	7 00
R. Fagely & co.,	13	10 00
M'Gran & Barry,	14	10 00
Benjamin, Gonder & co.,	14	7 00
Einstine & Strouse,	14	7 00
Zerbe Township.		
Ed. Helfenstine,	12	10 00
Isaac Kaiser;	14	7 00

PERSONS ENGAGED IN SELLING PATENT MEDICINES IN NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY ARE ASSESSED AS FOLLOWS:

Milton Borough.		
John F. Caslow,	4th class,	$5 00
Jonathan Zellers	"	5 00
Delaware Township.		
Hayes & M'Cormick,	4th class,	$5 00
Lewis township.		
Amos T. Bisel	4th class,	$5 00

PERSONS ENGAGED IN RECTIFYING AND SELLING WHISKEY IN THE COUNTY.

Milton Borough.		
John Kohr,	10th class,	$5 00
Sophary Dence,	"	5 00

BEER HOUSES AND OYSTER CELLARS IN THE COUNTY.

Milton Borough.		
C. Stine, liquor	8th class	$8 50
David Waldron, liquor	"	8 50
Joseph Eckbert,	"	5 00
Wm. Strine,	"	5 00
C. Maikes,	"	5 00
Northumberland Borough.		
Henry Wenck, liquor	8th class,	$8 50
Sunbury Borough.		
Simon Martz, liquor	8th class,	$8 50
Philip Brymire, liquor	"	8 50
Charles Gerringer, liquor	"	8 50

BREWERS WITHIN THE COUNTY.

Milton.		
George Baker,	9th class,	$8 00

An appeal will be held at the Commissioners' Office, in Sunbury, on Saturday, the 25th day of June next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at which time and place those interested may attend

JAS. D. BARR,
Mercantile Appraiser

June 11, 1853.—

A Stray Horse

CAME to the premises of the subscriber in Little Mahanoy twsp., about three miles below Treverton, on the 2d of June inst., a dark Bay Horse, blind of one eye, and about 15 years old. The owner is requested to come forward, prove his poperty and take him away.

NICHOLAS EASTON.

June 11, 1853.—tf.

CHAIN PUMPS.—A small number of these excellent pumps have been received and are offered for sale by

H. B. MASSER.

Sunbury, June 4, 1853.—

CELEBRATED

Family Medicines.

IN offering to the public the above invaluable preparations, the subscriber would state that in consultation with his friends and some of the most respectable of the Medical faculty, it was deemed advisable to offer to the public, a few preparations of known celebrity, being prepared with the greatest care, and on the most scientific principles, as substitutes for the numerous worthless articles that are flooding the country in the form of panaceas and cure alls, prepared by the most ignorant and mercenary persons, intended to cure all diseases and good for none.

Read and Reflect.

That the Medicine, Manufactured by W. M. BICKLEY, including his Rose Pectoral for Coughs.
Cream of Camphor, for Rheumatism.
Worm Syrup for Worms.
Tooth Wash, for decayed teeth, diseased gums.
Family Pills, or blood Purifyer, have been more extensively used, and have given more satisfaction, than any other Medicines before the public, being prepared with regard to their usefulness are fully worthy the trial of the afflicted. Give them a trial.

A few powerful reasons why the above Medicines are deserving of universal patronage. (In the first place, they are prepared by a regular Physician, who understands the application of Medicines, to diseases, and consequently are perfectly safe to take. (Secondly,) they have been used with universal success, and have given more satisfaction than any other Medicines offered before the public.—(Thirdly,) they are the only medicines that have gained the patronage of Physicians, where they have been used; and (Fourthly,) they are put up in larger quantities for the same price, than any other Medicines offered to the public of the same kind. As the subscriber has a number of certificates in his possession of the highest authority, where they have been used with the most satisfactory results.—He will publish a few of them, feeling satisfied that a trial will insure their recommendation. Try them and satisfy yourself of their superiority over all others.

Read and be Convinced.

We the undersigned having been made acquainted with the ingredients entering into the Components known as Bickley's Family Medicines also having prescribed and known them to be used, with most satisfactory results; take pleasure in saying that we believe they fully meet the design for which they are recommended.

JAS. STRAWBRIDGE, M. D.
C. H. FRICK, M. D.
WM. McMAHON, M. D.
WESLEY H. GEARHEART, M. D.
WM. H. MAGILL, M. D.
B. R. GEARHEART, M. D.

Cure of pain in the side and cough from protracted Liver Complaint.

MR. Robert Adams, laboring under Chronic Liver Complaint, accompanied with a short dry cough pain in the side and breast, general debility, loss of appetite, after trying all the usual remedies recommended for coughs and diseases of the chest, who with no benefit, she was recommended to try the Rose Pectoral, from which, she not only derived immediate but permanent relief.

John Adams, son of Mrs. Robert Adams, was afflicted with a very severe cough, pain in the side, and soreness produced by incessant coughing; he was induced to try the Rose Pectoral. To use his own language, the first dose enabled him to enjoy a good night's rest. In the morning he expectorated about half pint of matter. He continued to improve until his cough entirely left him, it also had the effect of strengthening his breast, which was naturally weak. He also says that he has recommended it to a number of his friends for similar complaints, and in every case it has given satisfaction.

The above persons residents of the town of Danville, feeling that they have derived great benefits from the use of the Rose Pectoral; authorize the above statement, for the benefit of those who may be afflicted in a similar manner. GREAT CURE.

Loss of Voice restored with one bottle of Rose Pectoral.

MISS SUSAN Whitlock, of Rush township, Northumberland co., for a number of years as it is said, in the fall of 1850, lost the use of her voice from a severe cold she contracted; after trying a number of remedies, with no benefit, she was entirely restored by taking one bottle of Rose Pectoral, after which, she lost her voice again, from a fresh cold she contracted, and was again restored by the use of another bottle; she then took four bottles more, to strengthen her breast, from which she derived the most decided benefit, and has been in the enjoyment of excellent health from that time to the present.

The above statement is obtained from Dr. Purrell, the Physician who attended her; she her mother who thinks that she would not be living at this time if it had not been for the Rose Pectoral. Danville, Jan. 25, 1852.

Still another Marked Cure Effected.

MRS Samuel Sechler, being of a natural weak and delicate constitution, very susceptible to colds, was afflicted with a very severe cough, pain and soreness of the breast, loss of appetite; after using a number of the usual remedies from which, she derived no benefit, she was cured by taking one bottle of Rose Pectoral and is in the enjoyment of better health than for years previous.

Danville, Dec. 1 1850.

DR. BICKLEY:—Permit me to inform you that my wife, who is a delicate and weakly woman, laboring under a very severe Cough with pain and soreness of breast, was more quickly and effectually relieved with one bottle of your Rose Pectoral than any other medicine she had ever taken. ABNER M'BRIDE.

Jan. 1852. Samuel R. Woods' Furnace, Red D. mt.

STRONG EVIDENCE IN FAVOR OF THE ROSE PECTORAL AND FAMILY PILLS.

John Palmer taken between Christmas and New Year with a very bad cold, which ended in a dry hard incessant Cough, causing a great deal of pain whenever he coughed, was relieved very much by the time he had taken one third of a bottle, and by the time it was finished, was entirely cured. He also says that he has taken several doses of the Health Restorative or Family Pills, and that they are the mildest and most effectual purgatives he has ever taken. Danville, Jan 1, 1852.

DR. BICKLEY:—During a visit to my brother, in Danville, I took a very severe Cold, which ended in a tight hard Cough, with soreness and pain of the breast, for which I used your Rose Pectoral, and Family Pills, and take pleasure in recommending them, as the mildest and most effectual remedy I have used. Yours, respectfully,

JAMES MORGAN,
At Louis Lange' (Merchant,) Danville.

Jan. 20, 1852. White Haven, Luzerne co.

Dear Sir:—As a recommendation for your Rose Pectoral, permit me to say, that I was effectually cured of a very severe cough with pain in the breast, with less than half a bottle, and that I consider it invaluable. You are at liberty to make this public if you please.

JOHN SPERRING, (Grocer,) Danville, Pa.

My son William laboring under a severe cough and pain in his side, from an injury received by a fall, was entirely relieved by a bottle of Rose Pectoral & Cream of Camphor. I have also used your Family Pills, and altogether I consider them the best medicines I have ever used.

JOAN OVERHORP,
Rush Tp., North'd co.

Jan. 1852.

Dr. Bickley:—Sir:—As my wife who was troubled with dry, hard Cough, also sour Stomach, dependent upon debility, similar to Dyspepsia, was entirely relieved by using two bottles of your Rose Pectoral, permit me to say that I consider it an excell