

THEY TROT AND HIS YANKEE CLOCK.

'Well, sir, Dick told me one day 'bout five years or better ago, I bought a wooden-day clock from a Yankee pedlar, named Tom Jones, who used to travel thro' this country, droppin' one at most every house. 'Twas the first one he had, and I gave him fifteen dollars for it.—She was a perfect goer of a clock—and then such a beauty. Her little squatty, dumpy figur' dressed out in her painted case, just filled my eye exactly to the grates heek. I set her on the mantle shelf, so as I might allers see her. Her little penulium would swing back-wards and forwards, pickin' off the seconds at a proper rate. 'Thar she'd roll it pickin' away, day arter day and week arter week, dead bent on keepin' up with the sun, and determined that wry time pease in the settlement should git ahead of her. She'd dig ahead at the hours, never stoppin', to catch breath, but just grin away in admirable style. I'd wind her up of nights, and then go to bed, puttin' every confidence in her, and bein' perfectly satisfied that she'd do her duty faithful although I wasn't watchin' of her, and wouldn't allow the sun to be up before she'd put her hand to the hour for somes. And then, sir, when I'd be restless and couldn't sleep, or when I was sick, then what company she was to me. To be sure, she couldn't talk to me—just called my name—that's all. 'Tho' sometimes she'd say 'Dick's so plain, I'd look up at her and almost expect her to lead off a regular built chat. 'Well, sir, she continued to be good for five years, and was my delight—in fact, I may say, she hit on to be good longer than that; but it was about that time she begun monstrosly to exomble old Dave Wilson's wife, you know how she was?'

'Can't say I do exactly.' 'Why, sir, I thort you knowed—old Dave used to say that his wife was a charming creature—one of the best of women—that she didn't believe from old Mother Eve down to the present generation, a better woman never lived.—To be sure, he sed she had her ways (here Dick snuffed in imitation of old Dave whom I know very well) she would have her ways, and such ways as she did have. 'Well, sir, my clock got to be the same way, some of her works got out of fix, and for spite she don as she blamed please. 'Strike' yes sir, she did—like all ding nation! She'd take a notion to bulge off sometimes, and she'd ring on them wires one hundred and fifty times. At first I was tickled at it, and would sit and laugh at her for bein' such a fool as to be cuttin' up them arters which didn't hurt no body but herself. But at last I begun to get tired of sich foolery. It seemed to me whenever I had a tough job before me, and wanted to study it out, or whenever I was right sleepy, that then, she'd pick her chance to come them big ticks! I put up with it a long time—didn't do nothin' to her—and thort, by lettin' her have her fun out, she might get tired of it herself arter a while. But she didn't; she still hit on stouter 'n ever. On last Saturday I went up above here to muster, and, as I allers does on sich occasions, tuck rather too much of the tech-me-lightly. When I got home, I thort the place for me was in bed—so as to sleep off my boozey. I pulls off, and gets into bed; but no sooner did my head tech the piller, than up starts the clock—ch-r-ring—ch-r-ring—I determined to put a stop to any such capers that night, I got up, loaded my musket, tuck a cheer and set right down afore her. 'Now old lady, sez I, yer arter the spite game agin ar ye? 'Jist go on of you like it—but dar'n't to strike a hundred this time, and ding me if you don't ketch thunder. My threats didn't scare her one bit—she struck away, 'peared like livelier than ever. She went it so peart she soon got up to ninety—one, two, three, four, five six—I see yer gwyn it, sez I, and I cocked the old musket—ch-r-ring—I puts it to my shoulder—ch-r-ring—I lays my finger on the trigger—ch-r-ring, sez she; stouter 'n ever, and was startin' with another cheer—when I lams away, and in half a second finds myself flat on my back in the middle of the floor. As I picked myself up, I heard the old lady still goin' it; and dern me, of she didn't strike fifty times more, al' though twenty-five buckshot had tuck effect all over her countenance, and both of her hands were taken smooth off. I haint wound her up since; for, with the pluck she's got there's no knowin' what she might do, if she had a chance. She's without exception the best game I ever seed.—Spirit of the Times.

A remarkably ugly man, as conceived as ailly, said to a Philadelphian wag, who has wit enough for everything but making money.

'Why, S—, how thin you are! you'll never pay the debt of nature I'm afraid that you will dry up and blow away.'

'Well, you will pay that, at all events; for you owe nature so little that you can't repudiate.'

Counsellor Rudd, of the Irish bar, was equally remarkable for his love of whist, and the dingy color of his linen. 'My dear Dick,' said Curran to him one day, 'you can't think how puzzled we are to know where you buy all your dirty shirts.'

A NEW DRINK.—Mr. Guzzifunction I have discovered a new drink for you, suppose you try a little. 'Well, I don't care if I do,' (drinks).—'It hasn't got a very bad taste to it, and if my memory serves me right, it is what they call water, I recollect drinking some when I was a lad.'

BANK NOTE LIST.

The following list shows the current value of all Pennsylvania Bank Notes. The most implicit reliance may be placed upon it, as it is every week carefully compared with and corrected from Dick-nell's Reports.

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There is a shop kept by an old maid in Southampton England, in the window of which appear these words: "No reasonable offer refused."

TO WATCH MAKERS AND IDEAL DEALERS.

J. L. ADOMUS, Importer of Watches, Watch-Makers' Tools and Watch Materials, Wholesale & Retail.

He constantly on hand a large assortment of Swiss, Lantets, Patent, Plain Glass, Main-springs, Verges, Diels, Watch Hands, and a complete assortment of all Tools and Materials belonging to the trade; with a large assortment of Gold and Silver Lever, Lepine, and Plain Watches; all of which he will guarantee to sell at the lowest New York prices. All orders from the country punctually executed.

N. B. Country merchants and others are invited to call and examine at the Old Stand, No. 33 South Fourth street.

CITY AUCTION STORE, No. 31 North Third street, (NEAR THE CITY HOTEL), PHILADELPHIA.

C. C. MACKAY, AUCTIONEER. TO COUNTRY STORE-KEEPERS. EVENING SALES OF Hardware, Cutlery, Saddlery, Whips, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gums, English Clothing, Watches and Fancy Goods.

At Mackay's Auction Store, 31 North Third street, near the City Hotel.

MOUNT VERNON HOUSE, 95 North 2d st., bet. Arch & Race sts., Philadelphia.

BRADY & PARKER respectfully inform their friends and the public that they have taken the above named house, recently kept by J. S. Adams, and are prepared to accommodate customers in the most satisfactory manner and at reasonable prices.

CHEAP WATCHES. The Cheapest Gold and Silver Watches IN PHILADELPHIA.

GOLD LEVERS, full Jewelled, \$45 00 Silver do do, 23 00 Gold Lappers, Jewelled, 30 00 Silver do do, 15 00 Silver Quarters, fine quality, 10 00 Gold Watches, plain, 15 00 Silver Spectacles, 1 75 Gold Pens, 2 00 Gold Bracelets, 4 00

Also, on hand, a large assortment of Gold and Hair Bracelets, finger rings, breast pins, hoop earrings, gold pens, silver spoons, sugar tongs, trinkets, gold neck, curb and fish chains, guard keys and jewelry of every description, at equally low prices. All I want is a call to convince customers.

NEW AUCTION STORE, No. 6 North 3d st., third door above Market Street, PHILADELPHIA.

SALE EVERY EVENING, of a general assortment of Foreign and Domestic Hardware, Table and Pocket Cutlery, Trunks, Locks, Latches, Bods, Saws, Saddlery, Whips, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Guns, Pistols, Trimmings, Clothing and Fancy Goods.

The attention of city and country dealers is invited. The Goods are fresh, and will be warranted equal to the representations that may be made of them.

Try Kousse's Universal SHAVING CREAM. Small quantities given without Charge.

At 114 Chestnut St., PHILADELPHIA. THIS new and splendid article, a name-de-mo-nstrated, is proposed to be superior to any Shaving Cream in the United States or Europe. It is unparelleled for beauty, purity and fragrance, tho' somewhat analogous to Gu-zai-ni's Ambrosial Cream and other similar compounds. It far surpasses them all by the eminent pasty consistency of its lather, which softens the beard as to render shaving pleasant and easy. It further possesses the advantage over the imported article, in being freshly prepared, no skill being wanting in its manipulation. E. Kousse having had many years' experience in the celebrated Laboratory of Laugur, Pere et Fils, now Rensud & Co., of Paris.

J. & M. SAUNDERS, No. 21 North Fourth Street, PHILADELPHIA.

Invites Merchants and Milliners to examine their stock of Bonnets, Palm-leaf and Lushorn Hats, Fur and Cloth Caps, and India Rubber Shoes. It will be found to contain all of the most desirable kinds, and will be sold at the lowest market prices.

To The I. O. of O. F.

J. W. & F. D. STOKES, Manufacturers of Premium Odd Fellows' Regalia, No. 194 Market Street, PHILADELPHIA, First Clothing Store below 6th Street.

THE subscribers having taken the premium at the Franklin Institute, at the last exhibition, for the best Regalia, they invite the attention of the order to their establishment, where they will find a splendid assortment of P. O. and Encampment Regalia. They also make to order Lodges and Encampments, Regalia, Sashes, Costumes and Robes, and furnish every thing requisite for the convenience of new Lodges or Encampments.

New Firm.

THE Undersigned hereby gives notice, that he has associated with himself, as a partner in the mercantile business, in his store adjoining Weaver's Tavern, in Sunbury, John Haas, and that the said store will henceforth be conducted under the firm of Clement & Haas.

He also notifies all those indebted to him, to call between this and the 1st of January next, and settle their accounts.

CLEMENT & HAAS, RESPECTFULLY inform the public, that on the 9th inst., they entered into partnership, in the mercantile business, at the store recently occupied by Ira T. Clement, adjoining Weaver's Tavern, in Sunbury.

They have lately received a new stock of goods, which they will dispose of at the lowest prices.

All kinds of produce will be taken in exchange for goods.

New Goods, New Goods. Cheaper Than Ever!

JOHN H. PURDY, has just received, at his New Store, in Market Square, a fresh supply of Seasonable Goods, such as Cloths, Cassimere, Satinets, Kentucky Jeans, Coats, Drillings, Alpaccas, Gingham, Prints, Muslins, Hosiery, Gloves, &c.

EXTRAORDINARY DISCOVERY!

COOPER'S ETHERIAL OIL.—A prompt and lasting remedy for DYSPEPSIA, also for pain and discharge of matter from the Ear.

Hundreds of cures in cases deemed utterly hopeless have firmly established its superiority over every former Medical discovery.

This valuable Acoustic Medicine is a compound of four different Oils, one of which, the active and principal ingredient, is obtained from the bark of a certain species of Walnut, a new and effectual agent in the cure of Deafness.

Persons who had been deaf for 10, 15 and even 20 years, have been permanently cured by using this Oil. In fact, no numerous and so emphatic have been the testimonials in its favor, that the inventor claims for it the distinction of an Infallible Remedy, in all cases, when the Ear is perfect in its formation.

For further particulars, and evidence of its great value, see printed articles, in the hands of Agents. For sale in Sunbury, by J. W. FRILING, September 19th, 1846.—ly

WANSLOW'S BALM FOR RHEUMATISM.

UNRIVALLED AND UNEQUALLED In curing Colds, Coughs, Asthma, Influenza, Whooping-Cough, and all Diseases of the chest and lungs, leading to Consumption; composed of the concentrated virtues of the best Horse-radish, B-nest, Blood-root, and several other vegetable substances.

DENTISTRY.

JACOB HELLER, THANKFUL for the liberal encouragement which he has received, would respectfully inform his friends and the citizens of Northumberland county in general, that he has prepared himself with the best Inextinguishable Teeth (Gold Plate, Gold Fill, &c.), that can be had in the city of Philadelphia; and that he will endeavor, to the utmost of his ability, to render full satisfaction to all who may think proper to engage his services.

He will be in Sunbury at the August court, where he will be prepared, at his residence, to insert Teeth on Gold Plate, or on Pivot, on the latest and most approved plans, and attend to all the branches belonging to DENTAL SURGERY.

Ladies will be waited on at their places of residence, if desired.

His charges will be reasonable, and his work warranted.

He will visit different parts of the county, about once in three months.

Sunbury, July 15th, 1846.—6m

CORNBREAD BIK.—Blue and Black Corn-meal, of a superior quality, for sale cheap, at the store of HENRY MASSER, July 4th, 1846.

HAIR, HAIR, HAIR.

E. KIMBER, JR., No. 34 North Fourth Street, under the Merchants' Hotel, Philadelphia, (A LA MODE DE PARIS.)

KEEPS constantly on hand an extensive assortment of all kinds of Silk, Fur and Beaver Hats, which he offers for sale on the most reasonable terms. His Hats are made up of the best materials, and in the most approved style.

COLUMBIA HOUSE, CHEMIST STREET, PHILADELPHIA.

THIS large and commodious Hotel has recently been fitted up with entire new furniture. The subscribers therefore solicit the patronage of the public, and trust that their experience in the business will enable them to give entire satisfaction. Terms moderate.

FOUNTAIN HOTEL, Light Street, BALTIMORE.

THE House has undergone a thorough repair. The proprietors solicit its former patronage. Terms \$1 25 per day.

Keller & Greenough, PATENT ATTORNEYS, AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS, WASHINGTON, D. C.

DRAWINGS and Papers for the Patent Office will be prepared by them, at their office, opposite the Patent Office.

SILVER MEDAL, AWARDED BY THE FRANKLIN INSTITUTE, 1845.

CITY Daguerreotype Establishment. P. P. COLLINS, (LATE STOKES & COLLINS.) No. 100 Chestnut st., above Third, South side, PHILADELPHIA.

MINIATURES taken equally as well in cloudy as in clear weather. A dark silk dress for a lady, and a black suit for a gentleman, are preferable in sitting for a picture. No extra charge is made for coloring, and perfect likenesses are guaranteed.

IMPORTANT TO ALL COUNTRY HOUSEKEEPERS.

YOU may be sure of obtaining, at all times, pure and highly flavored TEAS.

By the single pound or larger quantity, at the **Pekin Tea Company's Warehouse,** 30 South Second street, between Market and Chestnut streets, PHILADELPHIA.

Heretofore it has been very difficult, indeed, almost impossible, always to obtain good Green and Black Teas. But now you have only to visit the Pekin Tea Company's Store, to obtain as delicious and fragrant Teas as you could wish for. All tastes can here be satisfied with the advantage of getting a pure article at a low price.

CLOTHING, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

THE subscribers are constantly manufacturing from the best French, English and American manufactured Cloths and Cassimere, CLOTHING in a very superior style, cut and workmanship.

Persons buying to sell again, will find one of the largest and most fashionable stock of goods to select from in the city, and at unprecedentedly low prices.

DANVILLE STEAM WOOLEN FACTORY. DANVILLE, COLUMBIA COUNTY, Pennsylvania.

THE Danville Steam Woolen Factory, formerly owned and occupied by Dr. PETERIK, has recently been purchased by the subscribers, who respectfully announce to their friends and the public generally, that they are now prepared to do all kinds of work in their line of business, at the shortest notice, according to order, and in the best comparative manner.

Having gone to considerable expense in repairing their machinery and apparatus, and being very particular in securing the service of experienced mechanics, they feel confident that they are capable of executing all kinds of work in a style superior to any other establishment in the country, at the old customary prices.

CLOTHS, SATINETTS, FLANNELS AND BLANKETS constantly on hand, and for sale at reduced prices, for Cash or Barter.

CARDING AND FULLING will be done in the best manner, at the usual price. All kinds of country produce taken in payment for work, at Danville market prices.

For the accommodation of those who live at a distance, Wool, and Cloth will be taken in, and when finished, returned to the following places: Plain written directions must accompany each parcel.

Columbia County.—Roup & Mar's store, Washingtonville; R. Frou's store, Jerseytown; Yeager's inn, Roaring Creek; Sharpless' store, Cattaraugus; C. F. Mann's store, Muffinsville; Miller's store, Berwick; J. Choe's Mill; Ricker's store, Orangeville; Derr's store, White Hall.

Northumberland County.—Michael Reeder's inn, Turbatusville; Ireland & Hay's store, McEwen'sville; E. L. Piper's store, Watsonstown; S. L. Comly & Co's store, Milton; Gibson's inn, Chillisqueque; Forsyth's store, Northumberland; Young's store, Sunbury.

Luzerne County.—Reynold's store, Kingston; Gildersleeve's store, Wilkesbarre; Gaylord's store, Plymouth; Sizer's store, Nanticoke; Judge Mack's Mill, Huntington.

Lycium County.—D. Clapp's store, Muncy; Shoemaker's store, Smith's Mill. GARHART & KOWNOVER, Danville, May 9, 1846.

DEXTER'S SPIRITS OF SOAP, for extracting Grease, Dry Paints, Varnish, Tar, Wax, &c. from clothing of any description, warranted not to injure the cloth or the most delicate colors. This liquid has also been used with great success in the case of Burns, Scalds, Tetter, Pimples, Itch, Head or ear Corns, &c. Price, 25 cts. per bottle. For sale at the store of H. MASSER, July 18, 1846.

E. B. MASSER, ATTORNEY AT LAW, SUNBURY, PA.

Business attended to in the Counties of Northumberland, Union, Lycoming and Columbia.

P. & A. REYDERT, LOWER & BARROW, SOXES & STROSSBERG, REYNOLDS, McFARLAND & Co., SPRING, GOOD & Co., } Philad.

PREMIUM SCALES.

Dale's Celebrated Rail Road Scales, do do Coal and Hay do do Iron Manufac' do do Portable Platform do do do do 30 different sizes, do do Dormant or Floor do do do do 5 different sizes, do do Counter do do 12 different sizes.

The above Scales are made either single or double beam, and are decidedly the most durable, accurate and convenient scales ever invented. We also have Platform and Counter Scales, Patent Balances and every kind of Weighing Machines in use—for sale, wholesale and retail, at low prices. All Scales sold by us go out of the city, are boxed free of charge, and warranted to give satisfaction to the purchaser in every particular.

GRAY & BROTHER, Manufacturers and Dealers, No. 34 Walnut street, June 27, 1846.—ly Philadelphia.

SALT.—New York Salt in barrels and bags, for sale at manufacturers' prices, by GRAY & BROTHER, June 27, 1846.—ly 34 Walnut st. Philad.

HORSE SHOES.—Burden's Patent Horse Shoes, for sale at manufacturers' prices, by GRAY & BROTHER, June 27, 1846.—ly 34 Walnut st. Philad.

PENNSYLVANIA HOUSE, DANVILLE PA.

THE subscriber, late of the Union Hotel, Muncy, Pa., respectfully informs the old and numerous customers of the

Pennsylvania House, and the public generally, that he has leased the Tavern Stand of John Rhodes, in Danville, where he is now prepared to entertain travellers, and persons visiting the town, in the very best style.

The accommodations will be such as well conducted public house should afford, and no effort will be spared to render satisfaction, in every respect, to all who may call. The citizens of Lycoming county are invited to put up with the undersigned when they visit Danville.

HENRY WEAVER, Danville, May 2, 1846.—

DENTISTRY.

PETER B. MASSER, RECENTLY FROM PHILADELPHIA, RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Sunbury and vicinity, that he has opened an office at the residence of Henry Masser, in Market street, where he is prepared to execute all kinds of DENTAL SURGERY, Plate Work, &c. on the latest and most approved plans.

Having had some experience and instruction, under one of the most eminent and successful Dentists in Philadelphia, he believes that he will be able to give satisfaction to those who may want his services.

Ladies will be waited on at their places of residence. His charges will be moderate, and his work warranted.

Sunbury, March 28th, 1846.

To Purchasers of DRY GOODS.

G. H. MOORE, No. 121 Pearl st., NEW YORK, HAVING established a Branch at No. 144 Chestnut st., Philadelphia, is now opening, and will be constantly receiving from the New York Auction, an extensive assortment of

FANCY & STAPLE DRY GOODS, which will be sold at the lowest New York prices, at wholesale and Retail. Among his stock will be found a good assortment of the following articles: Jaconets, Plain, Hair Cord, Lace, Stripe, Book, Swiss and Tartan Muslins, Bishop and Linen Lawns, Fancy Cap Netts, Fancy and Ball Dresses, Thread Laces, Irish Linens, Black Silk Trimming Laces, Linen Linens, Linen Cambrics, Linen Cambric Hdkfs., Curtain Fingings, Cashmere d'Ecose, Mouseline de Laine, Silk and Cotton Warp Alpaccas, Queen's Cloth, Gals Plaids, French Merinos, Black Silks, Gloves, Silk Hose, Shawls, Cravats, Ribbons, Embroideries, &c. &c.

Country Merchants and others visiting Philadelphia or New York to purchase, are respectfully invited to call and examine the stocks.

Nov. 1, 1845.—ly

BELIEVE AND LIVE. THOMSON'S Compound Syrup of Tar & Wood Naphtha.

THE unprecedented success of this medicine, in the restoration of health, to those who, in despair, had given up all hopes, has given it an exalted reputation above all other remedies, furnishing evidence of its intrinsic value and power, as the only agent which can be relied upon for the cure of Pulmonary Consumption, Bronchitis, Asthma, Pain in the side and Breast, Spitting of Blood, Whooping Cough, &c.

Attention is requested to the following ASTONISHING CURE, by Thomson's Compound Syrup of Tar and Wood Naphtha!

Philadelphia, May 3d, 1844. Mr. THOMSON—Dear Sir—With grateful feelings I inform you of the astonishing effects of your medicine, which has literally raised me from a death-bed! My disease, Pulmonary Consumption, had reduced me so low that my physician pronounced my case hopeless! At this juncture I began to use your medicine, and miraculous as it may seem, it has completely restored me to health, after everything else had failed. Respectfully yours,

WASHINGTON MACK, Charlotte street, above George street.

The undersigned, being personally acquainted with Washington Mack and his sufferings, best witness to the astonishing effects of Thomson's Compound Syrup of Tar, and the truth of the above statement.

JOS. WINNER, 318 North Third street, DAVID WICKERS, 42 Almond street, HUGH M'GINLEY, S. E. corner Tamany and Fourth streets. Prepared only by E. F. Thomson, N. E. corner of 5th and Spruce streets, Philadelphia. Agents.—H. B. Masser, Sunbury; D. Gross, and Dr. Macpherson, Harrisburg; Jno. G. Brown, Pottsville; Geo. East, Reading; H. Brown & M. Co., Towanda, Bradford county, Pa. Price 50 cents per bottle, or \$3 per dozen.