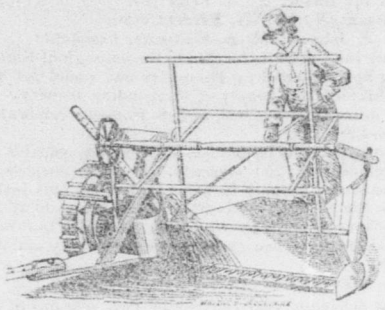


# Combined REAPER AND MOWER.



Patented by J. H. MANNY, Sept. 22, 1851, April 12, 1852, June 21, 1853, March 29, 1854, Oct. 15, 1854, and by WALTER A. WOOD, 24th day of June and 1st day of July, 1856. The best combined MACHINE ever invented.

From the success of last year's operations I take pleasure in announcing this Machine to the Farmers for the next Harvest, and feel assured it will fully meet their highest expectations. It is easily managed, cuts clean and easy, is of light draft, and readily changed from a Reaper to a Mower, and vice versa, requiring not more than a minute to make the change. The alterations from last year are as follows, viz:

All the Journals will be Case-hardened, the SHOES, GUARDS AND GEARING, will be built of the best Salsbury Iron, and wrought iron substituted for cast in several places. The Machine is made to mow lodged clover without obstruction, by simply removing four bolts and leaving off a part of the frame work. With these alterations and improvements the machine will be stronger than heretofore, when it was the only reliable COMBINED REAPER AND MOWER made.

The Machine is warranted capable of cutting from ten to fifteen acres of grass or grain per day, in a workman-like manner.

N. B. Parties manufacturing Reaping or Mowing Machines, using WOODS' PATENTS, are cautioned against their further use, and are hereby notified that payment will be exacted to the full extent for the use heretofore made of them.

For further particulars the Farmers are respectfully invited to call upon **Blymire & Hartley**, Agents for Bedford County, Pa., who will furnish Pamphlets containing Certificates, &c.

For Sale by **BLYMIRE & HARTLEY**, Bedford, Pa.

**E. K. PARSONS**, Harrisburg, General Agent for Eastern Pennsylvania, May 15, 1857.

Bedford, May 5th, 1857. Messrs. Blymire & Hartley:

Gentlemen:—I purchased one of Manny's Reaping and Mowing Machines last year. Its reputation being the highest, and having seen it cut grain to my entire satisfaction, I bought it after grain harvest. My hay was cut with it; and, from its admirable adaptation to the purposes intended—having fully equalled the representation—I am pleased to recommend it to the farmers of Bedford County as an excellent Mower and Reaper, believing it fully worth the price asked as a Mower alone.

**JOHN WATSON.**

## BEDFORD SPRINGS.

This property has, during the last year, passed into the hands of a company, who, in addition to the former buildings, have erected a handsome and commodious Hotel building, and two spacious bath-houses, and have ornamented and improved the grounds. The hotel buildings will be opened for the reception of visitors on the 10th of June inst, and kept open until the 1st of October. Passengers from Baltimore or Philadelphia reach the Springs in one day via Pennsylvania railroad, the completion of the Broad-top Rail Road leaving but twenty miles of staging over a fine road. Mr. Willard, formerly of Washington city, and recently of the Burnet House, Cincinnati, will superintend the Hotel. To invalids, generally, the Bedford waters, in connection with the mountain air, are perhaps more highly beneficial than any other in the Union.

**P. GOSSLER,** President Bedford Springs Company, June 12, 1857.

## Jos. W. Tate,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

REAL ESTATE BROKER,

Has for sale 10 Farms, 2 Tanneries, Coal Land, 12,000 acres of unimproved land in Bedford and Fulton Counties. Lots of ground in the towns of St. Joseph and Hamilton, on the Plank Road near Johns Branch, are offered at reduced prices. Sold in quantities to suit purchasers. Terms—easy. May 15, 1857.

**LADIES' DRESS GOODS.**—A Great variety of Silks, Chalmers, Lamettes, &c., to suit all tastes, at **REED'S CHEAP STORE.**

**WANTED AT REED'S STORE.**—5,000 lbs. Wool, Bacon, Butter.

**SUMMER WEAR.**—150 pieces of Summer wear, comprising Linens, Cotton and Woolen, at **REED'S STORE.** May 15, 1857.

**WANTED,** at SHOEMAKER'S Colonnade Store, 5,000 pounds of WOOL, for which the highest price will be paid. June 5, '57.

Adams & Co. have established their Express on the H. & B. T. R. R. and appointed **C. W. ASHCROFT**, Esq., agent at Hopewell.

## Notice

To the Citizens of Bedford County. All Land Warrants to be executed by me, must be placed in my hands to be regularly filed in the office.

I will execute all warrants and orders of surveys with promptness. Also, will attend to job-work on call. I will be in Bedford the first week of every month, or oftener if required.—Address, Stonerstown, Bedford County.

**SAM'L KETTERMAN.**

June 12, 1857.

## GETTYS' PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY!

Exchange Building, Bedford, Pa.,

Where Ambrotypes, Daguerotypes, &c., &c., of every description, are executed in the latest styles and improvements of the Art. A full assortment of plain and fancy cases, and gold and plated Locketts, at very low prices.

The public are respectfully invited to call and examine his specimens.

**T. R. GETTYS, Jr.**

## SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

HUNTINGDON AND BROAD TOP RAIL ROAD.

On and after Monday, March 24, 1857, two passenger trains a day, each way, (except Sundays) will run between HOPEWELL & HUNTINGDON. Leaving Hopewell at 12:15 P.M. & 6:15 P.M. Arriving at Huntingdon at 4:40 A.M. & 5:40 P.M. Connecting at Huntingdon with trains for East and West, via Penna. R. R.

**THOS. T. WERMAN,** Sup't.

Huntingdon, Feb. 26, 1857.

For pimples and wrinkles and freckles and tan, Nothing has ever been discovered by man, Like that wonderful product of tropical bowers, The popular "Balm of a Thousand Flowers," To be had at Dr. Harry's Drug & Book Store, March 6, 1857.

## DENTIST.

**D. HICKOK.**

Will attend promptly and carefully to all operations in the dental art. Teeth filled, plugged, extracted, and artificial teeth inserted, from one to six weeks. Changes made, and all operations warranted. **Office on East Pitt street, Bedford, Pa.**

## Spectacles!

The subscriber has just received a splendid variety of Gold, Silver Mounted, and Steel Spectacles, with the finest Scotch Pebbles, superior in clearness, and designed to suit persons of all ages—warranted never to FAIL—to which he invites the attention of all who are in need of the article. He has also just received an elegant assortment of JEWELRY—all of which he will sell on reasonable terms.

**DANIEL BORDER.**

Bedford, May 22, 1857.

## TO BE HAD AT DR. HARRY'S.

Essence of Jamaica Ginger, which should have a place in every family, for sale at Dr. Harry's.

## EVERHART, ASHCROFT, & CO.

Forwarding and Commission Merchants,

**HOPEWELL, PA.**

The subscribers doing business under the Firm of EVERHART, ASHCROFT, & CO., are now prepared to Store and Ship Flour, Grain, and all kinds of Merchandise upon reasonable terms.

They also keep on hand Plaster, Fish, Salt, Rock Powder, &c., to which they invite the attention of Merchants in the country and Farmers.

The highest cash prices paid for Flour and Grain that the Eastern Market will afford.

**JOHN C. EVERHART, Geo. R. BARNDOLEAR, C. W. ASHCROFT, JOHN F. LOWRY.**

Dec. 26, 1856—ly.

## Shryock & Smith,

Booksellers and Stationers, and dealers in Music

and Musical Instruments, Chambersburg.

Our Stock consists of Books, Stationery, Music, Musical Instruments, Wall Paper, Blinds, French, German, and American Lithographs, and Steel Engravings, gilt Mouldings for Frames, etc., etc., whole-sale and retail. Dr. B. F. Harry is our agent for Bedford, and all orders given him will be promptly attended to.

March 6.

## CHAIRS AND CABINET FURNITURE.

The subscriber has removed to the shop on West Pitt Street, recently occupied by William Ritchey as a Machine Shop, where he continues to make to order and keep on hand a general assortment of chairs and cabinet furniture; consisting in part of Spring Seat Parlor Chairs, French Rocking Chairs, Canoe seat and Windsor Sofas, Lounges, Ottomans, What-Nots, Music Stands, Fancy Parlor Tables, Breakfast, Dinner, and Extension Tables, Bedsteads, Bureaus, Wardrobes, &c. Suits of cottage-furniture at very moderate prices. So that it is within the reach of all to have nice, good, and fashionable furniture. The Ladies are particularly invited to call and examine for themselves, as it will be my desire to please all tastes.

N. B. Collins will be made on the shortest notice for any who will favor him with a call.

**ISAAC MENDEL, Jr.**

May 29, 1857.

## NEW SPRING & SUMMER GOODS.

The undersigned having just returned from the Eastern Cities, are now receiving a large and splendid assortment of Spring and Summer Goods, consisting in part, of Ladies Dress Goods, black and fancy Silks, plain and figured Delaines, Poplins, Challies, Lawns, Brilliants, White Goods, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, Collars, &c. &c. Sheetings, Crash, Muslins, Flannels, Tickings, fancy and union Casimires, Cloths, and a general assortment of Mens and Boys Summer Ware of all descriptions, single and double CARPET Chain, all colors. Boots, Shoes and Hats in Great Variety, Hardware, Queensware, Brooms and Buckets, Groceries, Syrup, Molasses, white and brown Sugar, green and black Tea, Fish, Tobacco, Indigo, Spices, Dye stuffs, &c. &c. all of which will be sold cheap, as they are determined not to be undersold by any one. Thankful for past favors, they hope to receive a general share of the public patronage.

**J. & J. M. SHOEMAKER.**

April 17, 1857.

Wanted, 5000 lbs. Bacon, at Shoemaker's Colonnade Store, for which the highest Market price will be paid.

## Mrs. S. E. Potts

Is just receiving and opening an elegant assortment of Spring and Summer Goods, embracing all the latest styles and patterns of Ladies Dress Goods, to which she invites their especial attention. Also a superior assortment of Trimmed and untrimmed Bonnets, Gaiters, Boutees, Slippers, Parasols, Skirts, Hosiery, Collars, Caps, &c. &c.

Bedford, April 21, 1857.

## GREAT EXCITEMENT!

The Elegant Assortment of

**SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS**

Just received and opened at

**REED'S CHEAP STORE IN BEDFORD**

having created quite an excitement in our usually quiet town, the subscriber feels confident that he can exhibit such a stock of Goods as will meet the general wants of both town and country, at fair prices. As it will cost nothing to examine his Stock he invites all in want of either substantial or Dress Goods to give him a call before purchasing elsewhere.

**JACOB REED.**

May 1, 1857.

## Protest against the Bill for the Sale of the Main Line.

The undersigned place on the Journal of the Senate the reasons for voting against the passage of the House bill No. 852, (re-printed in Senate file No. 1127.) entitled "An Act for the sale of the Main Line of the Public Works."

1st. Because, although professing to offer the Main Line to the highest bidder, the bill discriminates so largely in the conditions of sale, terms of payment, and the exemption from taxation, in favor of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, as almost to exclude bona fide competition. And yet it empowers irresponsible individuals to bid for the purpose of speculation, by authorizing them, if they should become purchasers, to assign and transfer their right to the said Main Line, under said purchase, to any Railroad or Canal company created by the laws of the Commonwealth. The privilege of transfer, under such circumstances, without increasing competition, gives color to the assertion that the bill has been so framed as to enable private parties—now engaged in procuring this legislation—to purchase merely for the purpose of selling at an advance, as an indemnity for their services.

2d. Because, although the bill purports to be a sale of the Main Line, it, in reality, merely transfers a gift to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, if that company should obtain it on the terms proposed. The extraordinary extension of credit, the low rate of interest, the release of the tonnage tax, and the exemption, forever, from all other taxation or duties for State purposes, will enable that company to liquidate every dollar of the purchase money before the last payment shall be made, by merely appropriating, for that purpose, the taxes from which they are thus released.

3d. Because the release of the tonnage tax is not accompanied with such a limitation upon the future rate of dividends of said company, as will cause said release to ensure to the benefit of the trade and commerce of the State. Such a limitation would be in accordance with the original design of the enterprising citizens of Philadelphia and Pittsburg, and of the various municipalities who subscribed so liberally to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, not expecting or desiring large dividends upon their investments, but to promote the great public objects above referred to.

4th. Because the bill provides that in the event of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company becoming the purchaser, said company shall not only be exempt from the tonnage tax, now amounting to \$226,000 per annum, but that in addition, it shall be released from the payment of all other taxes or duties to the Commonwealth on its capital stock, bonds, dividends or property. The latter amount from which the Pennsylvania Railroad Company would be thus relieved, may be moderately estimated at one hundred thousand dollars a year.

Such an exemption from taxation is not only without precedent, but should be deprecated as establishing an exceedingly dangerous one; and is in violation of that principle of equality of taxation so fundamental in our form of government.

5th. Because the bill does not contain a sufficient guarantee that the Western division of the Main Line shall be kept in good repair and operating condition; thus establishing an invidious distinction between the Eastern and Western portions of the State, although both have contributed proportionally to the burden of constructing and maintaining the entire line.

6th. Because the bill does not require that the President and Directors of the company, purchasing said line, should be citizens and residents of the State. The importance of such a requirement is manifest from the fact, that under our general law, only a majority of the Directors of Canal and Railroad companies need be resident citizens; and by some special charters even a majority is not necessary. In fact, the management of several of these companies is located entirely out of the State. Thus, by the provisions of this bill, the Main Line may pass into the hands of those whose rival interests and feelings would not afford any guarantee that it would be managed so as to subserve the great objects of its construction.

7th. Because, if the Pennsylvania Railroad Company should become the purchaser, there should be a provision, that the State, or the cities of Philadelphia and Pittsburg, shall retain a voice in the direction of the affairs of the Consolidated Line, irrespective of, and although they may part with, the stock now held by them in said company. So important a work should not be managed as much with reference to the interests of stockholders, as to those great public objects of trade and commerce already referred to.

8th. Because the charter of any company purchasing said Main Line is made and declared perpetual; and there is not such a proper or sufficient reservation of legislative control as to enable the Legislature, in the future, to protect the general interests of the Commonwealth and her citizens.

- WILLIAM WILKINS,**
- N. B. BROWNE,**
- JOHN CRESSWELL, JR.,**
- WILLIAM H. WELSH,**
- JAMES H. WALTON,**
- HENRY FETTER,**
- THOMAS P. KNOX,**
- JOSEPH LAUBACH,**
- JONATHAN ELY,**
- GEORGE P. STEELE,**
- JOHN C. EVANS,**
- GEORGE W. BREWER,**
- RICHARDSON WRIGHT,**

## CABINET MAKING BUSINESS.

The subscriber would respectfully announce to the citizens of Bedford Run, and the public generally, that he still continues to carry on the Cabinet-Making Business in all its various branches, at his old stand in the West end of the Run, immediately opposite the store of Capt. Wm. States, where he is prepared to make furniture of every kind, either plain or ornamental, on reasonable terms. Persons commencing house-keeping, can be supplied on short notice with every article of furniture they may desire.

He keeps a horse and hearse, and will make coffins to order, and attend funerals on accommodating terms.

**MORTZ KLAHRE.**

Bloody Run, May 22, 1857.

## NOTICE.

All persons are cautioned against fishing, hunting, or otherwise trespassing upon my farm in Bedford Township, as I will prosecute any who do so without leave, without respect to persons.

**PHILIP ZIMMERS.**

June 19, 1857.

## DISSOLUTION.

The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, trading under the name and firm of Heinsling & Brideham, in the Dry Goods business, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All business of the late Firm will be attended to by Geo. Heinsling, who is duly authorized to make all collections and pay all debts.

**Geo. HEINSLING,**

**JNO. G. BRIDEHAM.**

The undersigned will continue the business in the same place, where he will be pleased to wait on all who may give him a call.

**Geo. HEINSLING.**

Jan. 27, 1857.

## Bedford Hotel, And General Stage Office.

The subscriber respectfully begs leave to announce to his old friends and the public generally, that he has leased the Bedford Hotel, at present in the occupancy of Col. Adam Barnhart, and will take possession on the 1st day of April next. It is not his design to make many professions as to what he will do, but he pledges his word that his most energetic efforts will be employed to render comfortable all who give him a call. The House will be handsomely fitted up, and none but careful and attentive servants will be engaged. Persons visiting the Bedford Springs, as well as those attending Court, and the travelling community generally, are respectfully invited to give him a call and judge for themselves.

Boards taken by the week, month, or year, on favorable terms.

Ample and comfortable stabling is attached to this Hotel, which will always be attended by a careful hostler. Also, a safe and convenient carriage house.

All the STAGES stop at this Hotel.

**JOHN HAFFER.**

March 16, 1855.

## BOOK BINDING STORE.

The subscriber would respectfully inform the Public that he still continues to carry on the

## BOOK BINDING,

in No. 8 of the Franklin Buildings Chambersburg, where all binding entrusted to his care will be punctually attended to, and bound with neatness and care.

He still continues to keep on hand a good assortment of Religious, Historical, Miscellaneous Blank and School Books, Stationery &c., which he will sell on moderate terms.

**THOS. W. WRIGHT.**

Dec. 7, 1855.

## WASHINGTON HOTEL.

MRS. COOK would announce to her friends, and the public, that the Washington Hotel is now fitted up in superior order for the accommodation of guests, and she hopes to continue to receive a liberal share of custom. Persons visiting the Mineral Springs will find in the Washington Hotel a comfortable summer retreat—and no pains will be spared to please all who patronize the house.

A young gentleman of high qualification and courteous deportment has charge of the establishment.

The best of Stabling is attached to this Hotel.

Terms as moderate as any other house in the place.

Daily Mail Stages from Allegheny and Cumberland—also tri-weekly Lines from Hollidaysburg and Pittsburg stop at this Hotel.

Bedford, April 25, 1856.

## NEW FIRM AT HOPEWELL.

The subscribers, trading and doing business under the Firm of BARNDOLEAR, LOWRY & CO., would respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they have opened at the above place, and are daily receiving, a large stock of Merchandise, consisting in part of Muslins, Tickings, Osnabergs, Dells, Cassimeres, Sattinets, Cloths, Flannels, DeLaines, French Merinos, Silks, Calicoes, Hats & Caps, Hardware, Queensware, Boots & Shoes, and Groceries of all descriptions.

Also a large assortment of ready-made Clothing, all of which will be sold upon as short profits as can be had in the country.

**Geo. R. BARNDOLEAR, JOHN F. LOWRY, JOHN C. EVERHART, C. W. ASHCROFT.**

Dec. 26, 1856—ly.

## W. HOERKENS, UPHOLSTERER.

Would announce to the citizens of Bedford and vicinity, that he is prepared to do all work in his line, in the best style, and on reasonable terms. MATTRESSES, with or without Springs, made in a superior manner, equal to the best made in the city, and to this branch of his business he would invite especial attention. He may be found at the shop of Mr. John Border, near the residence of Mr. Washbaugh.

Bedford, Nov. 14, 1856.

**JUST RECEIVED.**—Boston Tea and Pic Nic Crackers, Swiss Cheese, Sardines in Oil, London Pickles, Mackenau Trout, &c.

**A. B. CRAMER & CO.**

A large assortment of Hair, Tooth and Clothes Brushes just received and for sale at Dr. Harry's.

Country Physicians can have their orders filled at City prices at Dr. Harry's.

Bedford, Dec. 5, 1856.

For the Hair, Jockey Club and new mown Hay Pomatums, Phalon's Invigorator, &c. &c. can all be had at Dr. Harry's.

Roussel's unrivalled Shaving Cream at Harry's.

## CORN SHELLERS, FODDER CUTTERS, and Corn Mills.

We but ask the Farmers to give these Machines a trial; and, if they are not good, and do not work as represented, they may be returned, and the money will be promptly refunded. Give them a trial—it will cost nothing—and, by having them you will save money.

**BLYMIRE & HARTLEY.**

Bedford, December 19, 1856.

## TO BUILDERS.

The subscriber is fully prepared to furnish any quantity or quality of Building Lumber and Plastering Laths. Orders directed to St. Clairsville, Bedford County, will be promptly attended to, by giving a reasonable notice.

**F. D. BEEGLE.**

Nov. 24, 1854.

## THE MENDEL HOUSE.

**Valentine Steckman, Proprietor.**

Boards taken by the day, week, month or year, on moderate terms.

May 9, 1856.

## FOR SALE.

A HOUSE AND LOT in Bedford, and a valuable SAW MILL in Shade Township, Somerset county.

The subscribers will sell, on reasonable terms, at private sale, a comfortable dwelling house and lot of ground pleasantly situated in the borough of Bedford.

Also, they will sell, on reasonable terms, a valuable tract of land in Shade Township, Somerset county, containing 390 acres. This land is well covered with cherry, poplar, white pine, spruce, and other timber, and has a fine water power with a good Saw Mill thereon erected. For further information inquire of

**MANN & SPANG.**

Dec. 28, 1855.

## LAW PARTNERSHIP.

**JOB MANN, G. H. SPANG.**

The undersigned have associated themselves in the Practice of the Law, and will attend promptly to all business entrusted to their care in Bedford and adjoining counties.

Office on Julianna Street, three doors south of "Mengel House," opposite the residence of Maj. Tate.

**JOB MANN, G. H. SPANG.**

June 2, 1854.

## WM. P. SCHELL, ATTORNEY AT LAW,

WILL attend faithfully to all legal business entrusted to his care in the Counties of Bedford and Fulton.

Bedford, Nov. 1, 1847.

## Henry S. King,

(Of the late Firm of King & Moorhead.)

Commission Merchant,

DEALER IN PIG METAL, BLOOMS,

Western Produce, &c. &c. &c.

No. 75, Water Street, below Market,

Pittsburg, Pa.

The undersigned will continue the Commission Business at the above place; and having provided himself with suitable conveniences for the storage of Pig Metal, Blooms, Produce, &c. is now prepared to receive consignments.

By long experience in the business, and by constant attention, he hopes to merit a generous share of trade, which he respectfully solicits.

**HENRY S. KING.**

April 27, 1855.

## WM. FOSTER,

WITH

**BALDWIN, LINDERMAN & CO.**