BY MRS. A. M. EDMOND.

The above words were the last request of an Irish lad to his mother, as he was dying of starvation. She found three grains in the corner of his ragged jacket pocket, and gave them to him. It was all she had; the whole family were perishing from famine.

Give me three grains of corn, mother, Only three grains of corn;

It will keep the little life I have Till the coming of the morn.

I am dying of hunger and cold, mother, Dying of hunger and cold; And half the agony of such a death My lips have never told.

It has gnawed like a wolf at my heart, mother,

A wolf that is fierce for blood, All the livelong day and the night beside, Gnawing for lack of food. I dreamed of bread in my sleep, And the sight was heaven to see: I woke with an eager famishing lip,

How could I look to you, mother, How could I look to you For bread to give your starving boy. When you were starving too? For I read the famine in your cheek, And in your eye so wild, And I felt it in your bony hand, As you laid it on your child.

But you had no bread for me.

The Queen has land and gold, mother, The Queen has land and gold, While you are forced to your empty

A skeleton bahe to hold; A babe that is dying of want, mother, As I am dying now, With a ghastly look in his sunken eye, And famine upon his brow.

What has poor Ireland done; mother, What has poor Ireland done, Perishing one by one.

Do the men of England care not, mother, The great men and the high, For the suffering sons of Erin's Isle, Whether they live or die?

There is many a brave heart here, mother, Dying of want and cold, While only across the channel, mother, Are many that roll in gold.

There are rich & proud men there, mother. With wondrous weath to view, And they bread the fling to their dogs to-

Would give ME life and you.

Come nearer to my side, mother, Come nearer to my side, And hold me fondly, as you held My father when HE died. Quick, for I cannot see you, mother, My breath is almost gone;

Mother ! Dear mother ! ere I die, Give me three grains of corn

Health-Hints on Consumption,

BY DR. S. S. FITCH.

will become; that as we take active or la- and place, properly authenticated. borious exercise, our lungs will be continually enlarging; that on the contrary, indolence, want of exercise, &c., will render the lung smaller, until by absence of air, the air cells will then close up and collapse their walls, as a bird folds up its plumage. By this we also learn that pure air, and even cold air, because more dense, is the best friend of the lungs, and should be resorted to with the greatest confidence, both to prevent and to cure

It is found in the history of the Amercan Indians-at one time numbering many millions of people, and inhabiting from the most extreme point north, to Patagonia south, embracing all varieties of climate and location, resting in the frigid, 'emperate and torrid zones; occupying every variety of situation, on the seaboard, on the borders of the lakes, on the tops of the highest lands, and in the most secluded valleys; on the wide spread and deceased, requests all persons indebted open prairies, and in the most arid des- to said estate to attend at the late resieris; the countries of the greatest humid- dence of the deceased, on Saturday the ity, and where it rarely ever rains, as in 24th day of April next, prepared to set-Peru; yet in all these countries, and eve- tle; and those having claims, to present ry where, such a thing as pulmonary con- them at the same time and place, prosumption has never been observed, whilst those people remained in their savage state. Bring them into our settlements, civilize them, educate them, and let them adopt our habits, and they become as liable to consumption as we ourselves.

By what peculiarity is the Indian distinguished from the civilized American? 1st, the American Indian is remarkable for the perfect symmetry of his figure .-"Straight as an Indian," is an old proverb, whose truth is instantly recognised leading from Somerset to Stoyetown by all who have ever seen the wild Indi- five miles distant from each; adjoining an, his chest is perfect symmetry, his shoulders and shoulder blades are laid the north side from east to west. They flat against the chest and the whole will be exposed to sale on the 9th of A weight of his arms, shoulders, and shoul- pril next, at 2 o'clock P. M. when due der blades, is thrown behind the chest; thus always expanding, instead of con-tracting it; the naked chest and the whole person is often exposed to the open air;

hey are much out of doors; breathe the pen sir, never stoop in gait or walk and oursue no avocations that contract the hest, or prevent its free expansion; often wash in pure cold water, exercise the lungs freely by athletic exercises, running racing, the chase, frequently dancing and shouting, &c., most vehemently nearly every day. The same holds true in re-

Animals in their wild state never have the consumption: whilst the same animals domesticated have it-as the monkey, the rabbit, the horse, &c. Consumption is the child of civilization; results chiefly from the loss of symmetry, and from effeminacy, induced by too much clothing, too luxurious living, dissipation, too little exercise, and debilita-

ting diseases and occupations. If there is an appellation that would apply to us as a nation, it is round shouldered. The habit of contracting the chest by stooping, is formed by multitudes at school, by sitting at low tables; by setting all on a heap, either in school, by not holding themselves erect, either sitting or standing; and it is a matter of habit to a great degree, with tailors, shoemakers, machinists, clerks, students, seamtresses, all of whose occupation cau-

or at their pleasure, or amusements. Practice will soon make sitting or standing perfectly erect, vastly more agreeable and less fatiguing than a stooping posture. To persons predisposed to consumption, these hints as regards writing or reading desks, are of the greatest importance. In walking, the chest should be carried proudly erect and straight, the top of it pointing rather backwards than forwards. The North American Indians, who never had consumption, are remarkable for their perfectly erect, straight walk. Next to this, it is of vast importance to the consumptive, to breathe well; he should make a practice of taking long breaths, sucking m all the air he can, and hold it in the chest as long as possible .-On going into the cold air instead of shrinking from it, draw a long breath of pure cold air. Do this a hundred times a day, if you have any symptons of weak lungs, as it will cure you; should you have a slight cold, be in the habit of drawing in a full chest of air.

Luxurious feather or down beds should be avoided, as they greatly tend to effeminate the system, and reduce the strength. For this reason, beds should be elastic, That the world looks on & sees us starve, but rather firm and hard straw beds, hair mattrasses, these on a feather bed are well; a most excellent mattress is made by combing out the husks or shucks that cover the ears of Indian corn. I first met these beds in Italy; they are delightful. Cold sleeping rooms are in general best, especially for persons in health; they should never be much heated for any person, but all should be comfortable warm

TERMS OF THE HERALD.

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Executor's Notice.

ETTERS Testamentery on the es-A tate of Mary Augustine, late of Addison township, deceased, having been granted to the subscriber, residing in Petersburg in said township, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to The larger the lungs, the more perfect attend at the residence of the subscriber FTTHE object of this establishment is their development, the less they are lia- on Saturday the 10th day of April next, ble to pulmonary consumption. That the prepared to settle; and those having more they are exercised, the larger they claims, to present them at the same time

JONAS AUGUSTINE. March 2, 1817, 61

Executor's Notice. ETTERS Testamentary on the es A tate of facob Boyer, Sr., late of Jenner township, deceased, having been granted to the subscriber, residing in said township, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby requested to attend at the late residence of the diseased, on Saturday the 24th day of April next, prepared to settle; and those having claims, to present them at the same time and place, properly anthenticated.

JACOB BOYER. Ext. March 9, '47.

Administrator's Notice. THE Subscriber, residing in Somerset township, having obtained letters of administration on the estate of Michael Boyer, late of Jenner township, perly authenticated.

JOHN CASEBEER, March 9, 1847 -- 6t. Adm'r.

TOWN LOTS FOR SALE THE undersigned resident in Somerset township, Somerset county Pennsylvania, after many and urgent requests by his fellow citizens, came to the conclusion to lay out a parcel of LOTS to form a village, on the road the Parsonage at Frieden's Church on attendance will be given, and terms made

GABRIEL WALKER.

LAW NOTICE.

S. Gebhart & Ross Forward, TTAVING associated themselves i the practice of the law will prompt-

ly attend to all business which may be entrusted to them. Office on the North west corner of the Diamond, and the same place formerly occupied by Geb-Jan. 19th '47.

MARBLE TOMB STONES.

public generally that he continues to carkeep on hand and finish to order a variety of MARBLE and COMMON

TOMB STONES. all of which will be sold at reasonable

Country produce taken in exchange for work at mirket prices. BENJAMIN WOOLLEY. March 2, 1847-1v

Administrators' Notice. MIE subscribers, residing in Brothersvalley township, having obtain-

ses them to stoop at their work, or at rest, ed letters of administration on the estate of George Walker, Esq. late of said township deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby requested to attend at the late residence of the deceased on Thursday the 15th day of April next, to settle; and those having claims against said estate, to present them at the same time and place, properly authenticated. JOHN G. WALKER.

JONATHAN G, WALKER March 9, 1847.

Somerset County, ss.

T an Orphans' Court held at Somerset, in and for said county, on the 10th day Merri of February, A. D. 1847, before the Honorable Judges thereof.

On motion of Samuel Gaither, Esq., the court grant a rule on the heirs and legal representatives of Rosanna Shaver. deceased, to appear at an adjourned Orphans' court to be held at Somerset, on the 10th day of May next, and shew cause why the real estate of said Rosanna Shaver should not be sold.

Extract from the records of said court, certified this 10th day of February, 1847.

WM. H. PICKING, February 23, 1847. clerk.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Y virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Somerset county, and to me directed, there will be exposed to while ploughing. sale by public outery, at the public square in Somerset on Friday the 16th day of following Real estate, viz:

All the right, title, interest and claim of Joseph Mason, of, in and to, a certain PLANTATION or TRACT of LAND. situate in Shade township, Somerset county, Penn'a, containing 395 acres more or less, about 120 acres cleared. and about 20 acres in meadow, adjoining lands of David Rodgers, John Paul, Jesse Berkepile, John Fry, Jr., and others, house and barn and stable, with the appurtenances-as the property of the said

SAMUEL GRIFFITH, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, Somerset / March 23 1847.

HOTEL FOR INVALIDS AT PITTSBURGH.

Drs. Speer and Kuhn.

I to supply a want greatly felt by respectable travellers on our western highways-by residents, without family, taken sick-and by patients from the surrounding towns and country who resort to this place for relief from surgical and other diseases. Such have often suffered from the want of the various comforts and attentions so necessary and agreeable to the sick, and from careless and unfaithful nurses; and been subjected to heavy and unreasonable charges.

cial attention to

ALL SURGICAL DISEASES. PARTICULARLY TO

DISEASES OF THE EYE. To these branches of his profession he will continue to devote to them the tice during that time.

The Hotel for Invalids is not an exper of which precept iment. Its establishment is suggested Public Notice is hereby givnot only as necessary to supply an evi- en, to the justices of the peace, the corodent want in this city, in the entire abof similar institutions at Cincinnati and New Orleans-the former under the care of Drs. Taliaferro, Marshall and Strader

-the latter under that of Dr. Stone. The building selected for the purpose s situated at the corner of Federal and Robinson streets, in Allegheny city, adjoining the city of Pittsburgh. It is commodious and roomy, and furnished with all accommodations necessary for

Applications for admission to be made o the subscribers, at their office on Penn street. Prusburgh, or at the establishment. No contagious diseases will be ad J. R. SPEER, M. D.

February 25, 1845.

J. S. KUHN, M. D

SUBPŒNA FOR DIVORCE.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, tion to the Honorsble, the Judges of the purpose of making partition of the Court of Common Pleas, of Somerset real estate of said deceased, to and acounty, praying that for causes therein mong his children and legal representaset forth, he might be divorced from the tives, if the same can be done without bonds of matrimony entered into with prejudice to or spoiling of the whole; THE subscriber thankful for past you, the said Ann Colhier, in all time to otherwise, to value and appraise the favors, respectfully informs the come, as if he never had been married, same according to law; at which time as if you were naturally dead. We, and place you are required to attend if ry on the Stone cutting business, at his therefore, command you, the said Ann you think proper shop in Somerset, where he will always | Collier, that setting aside all excuses and other business, you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Somerset at our County court of Common Pleas, there to be held on the first Monday of May next, to answer the petition or libel of the said Perry Collier, and to show cause, if any you have, why the said Perry, your husband, should not be divorced from your society, fellowship and company, and from the bonds of matrimony contracted with you the said Ann, as fully and effectually as if he never had been married, or as if you the said Ann, were naturally dead, agreeably to the act of Assembly in such case mace and provided, and hereof you are not to fail,

Witness the Honorable Jeremial S. Black, President of our said court at Somerset, this 19th day of Februrry, Anno Domini, 1847. A. J. OGLE. March 2, 1847. Prothonotary.

THIS WAY.

For the Interest of the Farmers & others concerned.

THE subscriber wishes to inform the public in general, that he is, and will continue in the Foundry business in the town of Mount Pleasant.

He will also continue the manufacture of all the different unmbers of the "Woodcock Self-sharpening Plough." manufactured previous to last August by the firm of "Miller and Lingencouts."-In addition to the five numbers of the above plough, he offers another improved number, which is styled the No. 6 .-This Plough is considered by persons of much experience in ploughing to be decidedly superior to any plough in use. The reason why this plough claims the superiority over other ploughs, is because of its strength, its light draught in ploughing, and for being capable of lasting a greater length of time, the strength of the point, it being successfully secured from breaking or ever becoming loose

Mr. Wondcock has attended a number of Fairs with the above named plough APRIL next, at 1 o'clock, P. M. the and received the premium over all other ploughs.

The subscriber will also keep on hand in connexion with the above ploughs a general supply of Plough Irons suring all the different numbers of the plough. He will also furnish an assortment of Ploughs and Irons to all the Agents throughout the counties of Westmoreland, Fayette and Somerset, who have been doing business for the firm of Milon which are erected a log dwelling ler & Lippencous. He will also keep on hand all sizes of Stoves of fashionable style, Grates of all lengths, Hollow-Joseph Mason, at the suit of Samuel Ware of all kinds, Saw Mill Custings of different sizes, Machinery Castings for Engines. for Stationary Horse Powers for Grist Mills, for Gearing of all kinds, and for Thrashing Machines. Persons wishing to purchase Thrushing Macaines can be accommodated by the subscriber, as he has two setts of pat terns of the Shallenbarger machine to order ready for immediate use. A machine is on hand at present ready for sale. All kinds of old mettle (except what has been burned by a coal fire) will be taken in exchange for Castings, also, country produce such as Bacon, Flour, Wheat, Corn and Oals, will be taken in exchange at market price.

SAMUEL MILLER Sr. March 2, 1847.

PROCLAMATION

THEREAS the honorable JEREMI-AH S. BLACK, President, and G. Chorpenning and John M'Carty, Esqs., Invalids will here be provided with associate Judges of the court of common

ner, and constables of said county of colls, records examinations, and inquisitions, and other remembrances, to do those things which to their offices appertain in that behalf to be done and also all those who prosecute against the prisoners that are, or then shall be, in the jail of the said county of Somerset, are to be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Given under my hand, at Somerset, this 23d day of March, in the year of our Lord 1847. SAMUEL GRIFFITH Sherift.

HORSE BILLS EATLY and Expeditionsly ex-ecuted at THIS OFFICE. To the heirs and legal representatives

of John D. Reese, decensed. To Aun Collier, GREETING: FTAKE notice that an Inquest will be HEREAS, Perry Col- held at the late dwelling house of her did on the tenth said deceased, in the township of Shade XXX day of February, eighteen in the county of Somerset, on Friday nured and forty-seven, prefer his peti- the 16th day of APRIL, 1847, for the

SAMUEL GRIFFITH. February 23, 1847. Call at the Old Stand!

MEDICINES, SPICES GROCERIES. &c.

THE subscriber respectfully informs addition to his former stock, he has just received at his Drug Store in the Borough of Somerset, a fresh supply of

Drugs, Paints, Medicines, Groceries, Dyestuffs, &c. consisting in part of the following, all of which will be sold cheap for eash or exchanged for approved country pro-

duce, viz:

PAINTES Red and White Lead, Venetian Red, Chrome Yellow and Green Vermillion Red, Prussian Blue, Terra de Sienna, Turkey Umber, Lamp Black.

ALSO; Copal Varnish, Black Varnish, Gum Shelae; gold, silver and metal leaf; white, yellow and red bronze; sand paper, turpentine and Fish Cit.

DYE-STUFFS: Indigo, Madder, Alum, Brazilwood,

Fustic, Camwood, Logwood; ALSO: Extract of Logwood, Annetto Cochineal, Solution of Tin. Blue Vilriol, oil Vitriol. GROCERIES:

Best green Rio Coffee, Tea, Pepper, Ilspire, and fine table salt. NOTIONS; combs, purses, pocket powder, shot and lead.

WISTAR'S Balsam of Wild Cherry, CONFECTIONARIES of all kinds The celebrated Sugar Coated Pills. SAMUEL KURTZ. December 29, 1846.

36) JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT .-By a reference to our advertising columns, it will be seen that this valuable Medicine is offered for sale in this city. We esteem it a pleasure to be able to recommend this medicine, as the best calculated for the purpose of curing coughs, colds, sore-throat, asthma, and all affections of the lungs. From a long personal acquaintance with Dr. Jayne, we know that he is no quack, and his medicines are not nostrums of the moder: cry-up, but are the result of his long experience as a pratising physician, and the expense of great labor .- Hartford

(Ct.) Daily Review. UNLY GIVE IT A FAIR TRIAL. - We ask no more of any one, than to give Dr. Jayne's Expectorant a fair trial. and if it does not cure the various diseases for which it is recommended, sooner and more effectually than any other medicine that has ever been offered to the public, the Proprietor is willing to undergo any penalty, however severe, the public may see proper to impose upon him. It has, and it will cure Coughs, Colds, Asthma Bronchits, Bleeding from the Lungs or Throat, Whomping Cough, Croup, and a very large majority of the most hopeless cases of CON SUMPTION, when Physicians and pre scriptions fail to do any good. Again we say, only try it. It will not harm you, but it must and it will do you good.

Sold by J. J. & H. F. Schell, Somerset Pa. Also by Edward Bevin.

> Stoystown Pa MORE PROOF.

Darlington, Beaver Co., Pa., 7 Februav, 1839. 35) Dr. D. JAYNE, - Dear Sir, - My constant, faithful and comfortable atten- pleas, in and for the county of Somerset, little son, when about two months old, dance, snd at a rate much below the usp. and assistant Justices of the courts of over was seized with a bowel complaint. It and terminer and general jail delivery and continued for two weeks without inter-While the care of both physicians will quarter sessions of the peace, in and for mission, and notwithstanding the remebe extended to every variety of disease, said county of Somerset, have issued dies prescribed by a respectable Physi- attended by several physicians, whose it is intended by Dr. Speer, to give spe- their precept to me directed, requiring clan, we gave up the child a victim, as prescriptions were ineffectual, or seemed me among other things to make public we supposed, to a fatal disease. But I to do no good. She was attended with proclamation throughout my bailiwick, providentially heard of "Jayne's Car- a constant cough and pain in the breast that a court of over and terminer and minitive," as an effectual cure for bowel Her physicians and all who seen her general jail delivery: also, a court of gen. complaint, and immediately dispatched came to the conclusion that she was in eral quarter sessions of the peace and a messenger to a town seventeen miles confirmed stage of Consumption. I made he has given a large share of his atten. jail delivery, will commence at the bor- off for a bottle. By the use of this no other calculation than for her to die. ion for the last twenty-five years, and ough of Somerset, in and for the county medicine, in less than thirty-six hours But as she commenced taking the Balsam of Somerset, in the commonwealth of the disease was checked, and by its con- she began to improve, and continued so experience arguired by a constant prac- Pennsylvania, on the 1st Monday of stant use for a few days, the child was until her health was restored, and is now MAY next, (3d day) in pursuance restored to perfect health. Shortly after entirely well. With a view of henching this, there occurred a similar case in one those who may be similarly afflicted, of the families of my congregation. I take pleasure in recommending this medprescribed "Jayne's Carminitive," and some to the confidence of the public. the result was a speedy cure.

attacked by that horrible malady, Croup, We landed in the night at Beaver Point. and when our fears were alarmed lest the hoarse sepulchral cough was the forerunner of death, we gave him a teaspoonfull of your Expectorant, and applied some liniment to the throat and breast; and before many minutes the hourseness was gone, the child breathed freely and slept sweetly. Owing to these circumstances it cannot be wondered at why I have so high an opinion of your medicines, and why I advise every family to keep them on hand, ready for

any emergency. Respectfully yours. ARTHUR B. BRADFORD. Pastor of the Presbyterian Church. Darlington, Pa.

Who can doubt the virtues of Jayne's Hair Tonic.

Summerville, N. J. Nov. 26, '42. Dr. Jayne .- Dear Sir: I send you the following certificate obtained from Mr. Guliek. I would just state that I became acquainted with him about two years ogn. At that time he was entirely hald, with the exception of a lock of hair on the back part of his head, about the size of half a dollar, and that lock of hair he told me had been made to grow by the use of your Tonic; previous to which he positively avers, he had not a single bair on his head, The bair now compietely covers his head, and is from four to five inches long. Very respectfully, yours, &c, P. MASON.

Another Proof of the Efficary of Jugue's Hair Tonic .- This will certify that I was entirely bald for about three years, when I was recommended to try Dr Jayne's Hair Tonic, I procured two bottles of Mr Mason, in Summerville, and using the Tonic for about fifteen months, my hair came in all over my head, and, although not quite as thick as his friends and the public, that, in before, yet it is constantly growing,-This surprising restoration of my hair excited the astonishment of all my acquaintances, and made me an object of curiosity to many, I am now 55 years of age, and have reason to regard the inventor of this matchless Hair Tonic as a public bene actor.

JOACHIM GULICK. New Germantown, N. J. Nov 26, 1842. For sale by J. J. & H. F. Schell, So. merset. Pa. Also by Edward Revin. Stoystown Pa.



Another New Year!

Amid the ever succession of periods, once more has revolved around. How traught with food for thought are those "mile stones" in human life!

Change after Changebooks, pins, needles, steel pens, lancet how many the changes-that a retrospect blades, tooth brushes, percussion caps, of the past 12 months will conjure up to

The Struggling Poor have in some ins ances been made happy by the dawn of brighter days; while those basking in the

Sunshine of Prosperity have had to taste the bitter pangs of want. How ought these vivid lessonsfrom off life's truthful page-to stir up the hearts of all

-to goodly deeds, And thoughts of sympathy! Death, too, has not been idle; but has helped to make up the changes of the past year. And where health once took up its abule, disease now holds its thral-

dom. But how oft is ill health attributed to Negligence or Prejudice, which induces the suffering invalid to refuse using the rightful remedy which his own peculiar malady calls for. The ex-

perience of more than Ten Thousand Trials proves the unequalled value of that pleasant and most celebrated medicine.

Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, For Diseases of the Lungs and Breast!

ANOTHER ASTONISHING CURE! Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry!

For Coughs. Colds. Consumption. &c., Important to al those affireted with Diseases of thed ungs and Breast. Will Muscles ever cease? More evidence of its suprising Health-Restora-

tive virmes!! The following has just been received from Mr Edward Stratton, of Lexington, Mo., which shows that Consumption in its worst form can be cured by Wistar's

Balsam of Wild Cherry." LEXINGTON, Mo., Jan, 21, 1845. Benjamin Phelps-Dear Sir: I take great pleasure in communicating to you what I consider an extraordinary cure effected on my daughter, about 11 years of age, by Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry. About the first of September last, my daughter was taken siek, and

Yours, with respect, sence of any special provision for the Somerset, that they be then and there, in when recently coming up the Ohio, was ". The true and genuine Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry is sold at established agencies in all parts of the U. States. Sold in Cincinnati on the corner of

Fourth and Walnut streets by SANFORD & PARK. Gen'l agents for the Western States. AGENTS FOR WISTAR'S BALSAM. J. L. SNYDER, Somerset, Lloyd & Co. Donegal,

S Philson, Berlin, Il Little, Stoystown. G H Keyser, Bedford, O toher 20, 1846 -19

FOR SALE. Six-acre lot, adjoining the borough of Somerset. For particulars in-THE PRINTER.