Altoona Tribune.

LOCAL ITEMS.

The Easton (Pa.) *Express* says that a note on the York County Bank was passed in that borough the other day, on the back of which was written, in a plain nice hand, the following: "This is the last of a very large fortune left to me by my worthy and respected uncle, who unfortunately, broke his neck by a fall from a scaffold, erected by the sheriff of Blair county. H. A. K.

We don't know who the hopeful nephew or the "worthy and respectable uncle," of the above notice can be, but judging from the tenor of the inscription on the note, we think that if the nephew keeps on in his present course, he bids fair to "break his neck" in the same manner, and if he settles in this region, perhaps in the same county, as his "worthy and respected uncle."

NEW SANCTUM.—Here we are in our new *Sanctum* (next door to our old one) as proud as though we had inherited a fortune. The fact is, that we are now comfortably fixed up, feel comfortable, and are ready and willing to render our patrons who visit us, comfortable also, if we do have to *bleed* them a little. But while we shall always try to render our *honest* patrons comfortable, we are fully bent on rendering those who are *dishonest* uncomfortable. Those who know themselves included in the latter class will do well to make a note of this, as we mean just what we say.

RETURNED.—We were highly pleased the other day, at receiving a call from our old friend J. A. McMillan, Esq., who left this place about a year ago in Company with A. McKinney, Esq., for Nebraska. He left Omaha City in December last, and since then has been sojourning in North Carolina. He represents Nebraska in glowing terms, and says "Alack" is getting along well. Sickness in his family compelled him to go South. Hope he will stay in town long enough to join with us in a fishing bout after "spockled beauties."

A PLEASANT CURE.—One of the most remarkable medicines, and very pleasant to the palate, is the Pectoral Syrup, prepared by Dr. Geo. H. Keyser, Wholesale Druggist, of Pittsburgh, Pa. Dr. K. was formerly a practising physician in Bedford County, where he used the Pectoral for four years in a practice of considerable extent, and with great success. The Pittsburgh papers speak of him and his medicine in high terms. If you have a Cough or Cold, or a Consumptive habit, go to G. W. Kessler, Altoona, and buy a bottle.

MEDICAL NOTICE.—The undersigned having associated themselves together in the Practice of Medicine and Surgery, respectfully offer their professional services to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity. By this arrangement our patrons can have the advantage of two experienced physicians without any additional charge. Office the same as heretofore occupied by Dr. Hirst.

☞ Country Practice will be promptly and regularly attended to.

C. J. HIRST, M. D.
D. R. GOOD, M. D.

NEW TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT.—By reference to our advertising columns, it will be seen that Mr. John O'Donnell, of Hollidaysburg, has opened a Merchant Tailoring establishment a few doors below the Red Lion Hotel, where he is now receiving his stock of spring and summer-goods, which he offers to dispose of on reasonable terms and make to order on short notice. His reputation for giving his customers "fits" is good, and we expect to see him share a liberal patronage.

☞ Among the numerous changes that have been made in this place lately, we must notice that of a change of proprietors of the Market House on the corner of Virginia and Annie sts. Our young friends, Messrs. Armstrong & Collins, have purchased the interest of Mr. John Allison therein, and are now engaged in serving the patrons of that house with an excellent quality of meat. We wish them success in their business and better paying customers than most by patronize new firms.

GLASS WORKS.—We call the attention of our readers to the card of Messrs Cunninghams & Co., of Pittsburgh, in to-day's paper. The glass-ware manufactured by them is of a better quality and much cheaper than that manufactured in the East. As a proof of the truth of our words we may just say that they are now supplying heavy orders from Patefit, Medicine men in New York City. Those in need of articles in their line will find it to their interest to give them a call.

RED LION HOTEL.—This popular House so long kept by Mr. Jas. Kearney, has been taken by Messrs. Herrick & Swigart, who are having it refitted in good style. Both gentlemen are eminently qualified for the business in which they have engaged, and we hazard nothing in saying that they will keep one of the best and most popular Hotels in our town. George Herrick is a "brick" and has a host of friends in town, who greatly rejoice that he has again become one of us. Success to them both.

GOING TO LEAVE.—Messrs. James and George Kearney, long the popular hosts of the Red Lion Hotel, purpose leaving town in a few weeks, for Ireland, on a visit to their relatives. They are honest upright men and exemplary citizens, and such we don't like to lose them, even for a short time. However, as they will go, we wish them a pleasant and successful passage across the "herring pond," a happy time in "Old Ireland" and a speedy return.

FURNISHING WAREROOM.—Wm. Noble, Esq., of Pittsburgh, calls the attention of the public to his large and well-stocked Furnishing Wareroom, by a card in another column. Mr. Noble has been long engaged in the business and will give perfect satisfaction to all who may favor him with their patronage. He will supply any article in his line better and cheaper than can be got in the East. See his card and you, reader, that need anything in his line give him a call.

NOTICE.—The "Union Daily Prayer-Meeting" assembles daily at 6½ o'clock, in the different Evangelical churches of Altoona, in the following order, viz: Presbyterian, Methodist, United Brethren, Lutheran and Baptist. The public are not only cordially but earnestly invited to attend. The meetings have thus far been numerously attended, and full of interest. Yet there is room for many more. Can not some more find time, and have they not the desire to spend one hour daily in the worship of the God in whom they live? In these meetings no respect is paid to the Pew-system. The churches are thrown open and all alike invited and urged to come.

By order of the Com. of Arrangements.

A. B. CLARK.

☞ At the request of friends of both parties, and from a sense of justice to our readers as well as a desire to preserve the reputations of our contributors, "Mac" and "Alpha," we have decided to publish no more communications from either, in which personalities are used.—We have now on hand "Mac's" reply to "Alpha's" last, but we will not publish it for the reason that it would do him no good, and withholding it can do him no harm. Hereafter, if our friends desire to contribute we hope they will give us something interesting to our readers.

ENTERPRISE WORKS.—Messrs Bown & Tolley, 136 Wood street, Pittsburgh, whose card will be found in another column, manufacture and keep always on hand a large and select assortment of rifles, guns, pistols, cutlery, sporting materials, and all sorts of hardware which they are prepared to sell at prices which will defy competition by Eastern merchants. The public will consult their own interests by making a note of this, and giving them a call.

THE AMERICAN HOUSE.—This large and commodious Hotel has been leased by Mr. Wm Barr, of Gaysport, who has already "set things to rights," and opened out in good style. Although ourselves unacquainted with Mr. B., yet, judging from the praises bestowed on him by those who do, we are free to say that he will keep as good a house as is in town. Although he has but lately "opened out," we learn that he has secured a large and respectable patronage.

LIQUORS.—Those in want of first-class liquors will do well to patronize Messrs Bryar & Co, of Pittsburgh. They keep a large stock of the best quality of liquors on hand, and always give perfect satisfaction to their patrons. If we must have liquor retailed, let us should retail none but the best, and that they can always obtain from Messrs Bryar & Co. They don't sell "strychnine" but the pure juice of the rye.—See card in advertising columns.

DISGRACEFUL EXHIBITION.—On Tuesday evening last a Welsh woman "with a heavy load on," cut up some antics on the street in front of our office, to the amusement of quite a crowd. She danced and hallooed around, until she got a young fellow as heavy loaded as herself to accompany her up street. The last we saw of them they were going into a barber shop together. "Oh, blush where was thy shame?" or rather where was the constable.

CHANGE OF TIME.—By reference to the Time Table of Trains in another column, it will be seen that several changes in the arrival and departure of the trains at this station have been made. Travellers or those who desire to travel will do well to make a note of this. The old adage "Time and tide wait for no man," has been changed into "Time, Tide and Trains wait for wait for no man." The change is correct too.

BARBERY.—Sam Peasants has removed his Barber Shop, not to Barbary, but to the room formerly occupied by Austin Magraw, as a grocery, and next door to the Butcher shop of Collins & Armstrong, where he is now prepared to greet his numerous Customers in a pleasant manner with a pleasant smile, and to give them a pleasant shave, and pleasantly pocket the change.

NEWRY BRANCH.—We understand that our young friend J. J. Moore, Esq., the Company's Civil Engineer, was engaged last week in surveying a branch route from Duncansville to Newry. Whether the Company propose extending the Hollidaysburg Branch to that place or not we don't know, but if they do, our word for it, "Jim" is the right boy to locate it.

RENEWED.—Major Nightwine, the popular proprietor of the "Altoona House," we are glad to say, has renewed his lease of that stand, and is now busily engaged in refitting it for business. The "Major" is a generous, whole-souled fellow, and with "Kess" and "Bob" to assist, cannot fail to render complete satisfaction to all who favor him with their patronage.

PAPER HANGINGS.—Those in want of this useful and highly ornamental commodity will consult their interests by purchasing it from Messrs Marshall & Co., of Pittsburgh. They have a splendid assortment on hand, which they are selling for little or nothing. If you don't believe us try them. See card in another column.

☞ We call the attention of the reading public to the advertisement in another column of the London Quarterlies and Blackwood's Magazine. They are all standard publications, and ought to be in the hands of every man who appreciates sound literature. See card.

AROUND AGAIN.—We are glad to notice that our old friend, John McConnell, is again "bobbin' around," although yet far from recovered from the accident he met with some time ago We hope, however, that he will soon be well enough to engage in his business.

FAIRYING, &c.—Messrs. Kryes & Walsh announce through our columns to-day, that they are prepared to do all kinds of house, sign, ornamental and carriage painting, glazing, &c.—We are pleased with their appearance and believe they understand their business.

REMOVED.—Mr. Thomas Elway has removed his Tailoring establishment into the room formerly occupied by Samuel Pleasants as a barber shop. He is now prepared to favor his patrons with particular "fits."

For the Altoona Tribune.

To the Young Men of Altoona.

LETTER NO. 1.

INTRODUCTORY.

My Young Friends:—"Wonderful," you are ready to say, "is it so that any person is enough concerned about us as to address us through the press. We thought we were a class by ourselves in this place, of whom the rest thought but little and cared less, and who have but little interest in common with the rest of the community." Permit the writer of this to assure you of your mistake. There are those who feel for and sympathize with you. The subscriber to this and the letters to follow, is one of *you* in feeling and in sympathy. Though a few years nearer the meridian of life than most of those he addresses, he has a vivid impression of former days upon his heart. He knows your joys and pleasures for he has experienced them—he knows your temptations for he has felt them—he knows your trials for he has felt them—he knows what it is to be a stranger in the midst of strangers, as is the case with many of you, for this was his lot for years. The only difference then between you and him is, that he brings to bear in his counsels, warnings and encouragements to you, the experience of a few additional years. And this is his excuse for intruding these letters upon you. It is hoped that they will be received as they are intended—kindly. It is not the intention at present that you shall know who your friend is, though he mingles with you daily, is known to you all, and is on terms of intimacy with some of you, and would like to be with all. At present he will address you over the final letters of his true name. And of this be assured, that in all he shall say, he will be actuated by the best motives and have in view your highest good.—And in order to this he will endeavor to interest and instruct you. In all his letters he will endeavor to "speak forth the words of truth and soberness." All he asks of you is a careful perusal and candid consideration of what he shall present. And if he shall be to any extent the humble instrument of instructing or interesting you, he will consider himself abundantly rewarded for his labor

You need scarcely be told, young gentlemen, that your present position, habits and character, bear a very important relation to your future standing and influence in society. It is a trite but no less true saying, that "the child is father to the man." The proverb is but intensified when youth, warm hearted, gushing, plastic youth is compared to manhood. The man is the youth developed. You then, young friends, are in this forming state. Present habits and impressions are likely to cling to you through life. Your destiny is just now shaping. How important then to you, and how desirable to the world, that it be properly directed. Hearken then to a few words of counsel, warning and encouragement from one of yourselves, who subscribes himself

Your warm and sympathising friend,

T. N. K.

HOME CORRESPONDENCE.

[From Our Own Correspondents.]

HOLLIDAYSBURG, April, 6 1858.

Martinsburg, in preference to this place, has been decided upon by the County Superintendent as the location of the Normal School. The first term will begin on the 25th of May. The services of Prof. N. A. Calkins, have been secured The Superintendent will also take part in the institution. Teachers here have an opportunity to qualify themselves, which all and every one should embrace. Suggestions and instruction will be given, which will greatly advantage them, and add to their ability as instructors of the rising generation. The accommodations are excellent and the boarding cheap, being only $12 per month.

Our town-folks don't seem to be very partial to moving, judging from the small number of persons who changed their residences on the first day of April. I do not remember to have seen in our place so little changing The jokes perpetrated on that day were rather dry and stale, though, doubtless many enjoyed them, especially the younger portion of the community.

Last Saturday the Fencibles made their appearance, and attracted much attention. The company makes up in skill, discipline and equipment what it lacks in numbers. I think much improvement is manifest. There is a more martial air about them, and their evolutions are more easy and natural, than at first.

Some three or four droves of mules passed through our town on their way to Utah last week.

The Utah fever is still on the increase. Four or five young men started this morning *en route* for that land which they think promises so much. They have our best wishes for their success, continued health, and safe return whenever the inclination and opportunity offers.

The water was let into the canal yesterday, which shows that navigation is about to open. I understand that several boats will be loaded this week, and will then start on their first trip this season. The business formerly done on this route, if revived, will pay the owners handsomely.

A Union Prayer Meeting Meeting is to be started here this week. All the Evangelical denominations will participate. It will be established on the same principles, I understand as those of the city churches. Prayers not over five minutes long, and the whole exercises to last an hour. The day on which it will be inaugurated has not yet been fixed.

The High School mentioned in a former communication is, it seems, a fixed fact. A teacher has, I believe, been secured, and efforts are being made to obtain the Academy building for the school room. Application has been made to the Board of Trustees of the Presbyterian Church, under whose direction it is, with every prospect of success.

VERITAS.

SPRUCE CREEK, April 1, 1858.

A long spell of sickness has been the cause of my failing to contribute anything to add to the interest of your columns, and now, since I have, like the snakes, crawled out to ex my self, I hardly know how to commence a communication, for from the late numbers of the *Tribune*, I see that two of your contributors, "Alpha" and "Mac," have thrown aside all conventional rules, and in my opinion even the rulers of common decency, and instead of writing or attempting to write anything interesting or instructive for your readers, have engaged in a controversy of so little importance, that I doubt whether one-half of your readers consider their epistles worth perusing. The point in controversy seems to be one, which (if their communications be true,) no sane man, woman or child would dispute, viz:—that "Alpha" is a "villain," a "sheep-thief" and a "convict," while "Mac" is a "coward," an "ignoramus" and an "ass" All that any man can expect to gain by such controversies is a somewhat disreputable popularity as a newspaper scribbler.

Our farmers are busy preparing the ground for the reception of the spring crops. The young folks in our vicinity think it is not good to be alone, consequently we have had four or five weddings during the past few weeks. Some of the newly married ones have spent the honeymoon in journeying to their western homes, while others, satisfied with the remove from single blessedness into matrimony, have settled down among former friends and connections, preferring the advantages derived from good society to the superior facility for procuring wealth in the far west.

LEROY.

OUR BLACK LIST.

I PAID THE PRINTER! Ha! Ha!

I AM SORRY I DIDN'T!

CAREFULLY COMPILED BY THE EDITORS!

COMMENTS BY "SLEM!"

Published for the protection of our brethren of the Press and the Public generally.

SWAYED NEITHER BY FEAR, FAVOR, NOR AFFECTION, WE SHALL SPEAK OF MEN AS WE FIND THEM.

The following named individuals have "victimized" us to the tune of the amounts set opposite to their names.—Our brethren of the Press and the Public generally will do well to be on their guard while dealing with them. He who would cheat the printer would scruple at nothing.

T. & L. LAMBERT & Co., Philadelphia. $2 50.
These contemptible scoundrels, as Advertising Agents for a Cider Press, patronized us to the above tune. If we ever come across them we'll *press* their miserable carcasses into their original nothingness.

DAVID AXE. $2 50.
Mr. Axe is another of our *honest* patrons. He victimized us out of the above sum, and skoed without daring us for a settlement. That *Axe* was rather *sharp* for us.

RICHARD ALLEN $2 50.
This *gent* graduated in rascality at our expense.

J. J BOTOFF. $2 50.
This gent should not be called "Bought-off" but "Slope-off." If he is not good on a *bag* he is on a *sell*. We have one consolation, however, and that is that he won't be able to cheat the Devil.

M. BOTTOFF, Bellefonte, Pa. $3 00.
We don't know whether this chap is related to the other Bottoffor not. If he ain't he ought to be, and if he is he's a *credit* to the family.

J. A. BRADLEY, Cressons, Pa., $4 00.
This 'sneak' sneakingly sneaked off, leaving us to console ourselves as we best could. He is such a veritable "sneak" that he would sell his soul a very small one) for a "fip" (a big price) and after pocketing the money sneak out of the bargain.

THOS. ROY. $2 50.
This promising young man promised to pay us but didn't. He has lately been married in Reading. Poor fellow! his punishment soon overtook him.

A. S. MCCLINTOCK, Patterson, Pa. $3 00.
This is another of our *honest* patrons. Such a small souled wretch is not worth a longer notice.

P. FLANIGAN, Pittsburgh, Pa., $3 00.
This representative of the great "Flanigan family" walked into our affections "a foot." "Fire away Flanigan," but please don't "hit" us in future.

MOSES DOTTY, ESQUIRE. $6 75.
Cheating us out of the above snug sum, affords a fair specimen of the manner in which Moses dispensed justice, and how well *qualified* he was to discharge the duties of his office. After *imperiling the eye sight* of quite a number of our citizens, he "sloped" for Baltimore, leaving a host of friends to mourn their *loss*. We commend him to the "Ping Ugglies," "Rip Raps," &c., as a fit recruit for their ranks.

F. A. C. DUTTY, $4 00.
This lazy puppy is a "chip of the old block," who exemplifies the truth of the old adages "like daddy like child," and "what is bred in the bone won't come out of the flesh." He also has "sloped" to the more congenial atmosphere of Baltimore. Good riddance to bad rubbish.

Dr. W. E. HOYT, Syracuse, N. Y., $7 50.
This impudent quacks bill is the cheapest one for advertising. He is an arrant knave, who, making his living by means of the Press, is mean enough to cheat printers. We hope, when sick, he may be quacked to death by some brother quack.

Rev. W. S. H. KETS, Tyrone, Pa., $2 00.
This political parson who sports the "cambric" extensively, owes us the above sum for printing Notices to K. N. Councils, stating his terms for lecturing before them. We should think that his "Intense Americanism" should lead him to pay his honest debts. We hand him over to the tender mercy of his conscience—if he has any—if not, to that of his friend and prototype

L. PALMER & Co., Travelling Opticians, $1 50.
The above firm was composed of a couple of precious rascals, as "dutch as sour crout," who passed themselves off as opticians. Whether they were or not we don't know, but we do know, that instead of improving the sight of our "peepers," they effectually "closed them up."

CUMMINGS & Co., Travelling Ambrotypists, $1 25.
This is another pair of contemptible knaves. Their skill was strikingly exemplified in our sad experience, they having left an indelible *impression* on our memory, that we were the victims of misplaced confidence.

RICHARD WHITE, $4 00
This falsely named *gent* has left town without settling up with us, thus leaving a *black* record against him on our books, and getting his name on our *black* list. It is not the only *black* act he has been guilty of.

A. CLARKE, $1 50.
We suppose this gent had not time to settle this small bill before leaving, as he left town about a hundred yards ahead of the constable, making 2,40 time.

G. W. TAYON, $2 50.
This gent *fried us on* to the above tune, and then put us off by absquatulating without paying.

THOS. LEE, Jr., left town owing us $2 50.
LANG & WAGNER do. 4 25.
DANIELS W. GARDNER, do. 2 50.
I. KARG, do. 3 00.
A. J. ANDERSON, do. 1 00.

☞ The above is only the first chapter of our "Life Pictures." We have ample material for a dozen more, which will appear in due time.

Time of Arrival and Departure of trains running on the Penn'a. Railroad, at Altoona station.

Express Train East arrives	8.48 A. M.,	leaves	8.55 A. M.
" " West "	8.35 "	"	8.45 "
Fast " East "	1.30 P. M.	"	1.30 P. M.
" " West "	9.50 "	"	10.00 "

ALTOONA WAY TRAIN leaves Altoona for Philadelphia at 6.15 A. M., and returning arrives at Altoona at 7.00 P. M.

The HOLLIDAYSBURG BRANCH connects with Express train West, Altoona Way Train East and West and with East Mail Train East

The BLAIRSVILLE BRANCH connects with Johnstown Way Train East and West, Express Train West and East Mail Train East.

Dec. 21, '56-tf] THOS. A. SCOTT, *Sup't.*

Time of the Closing and Arrival of Mails at Altoona Post Office.

MAILS CLOSE.

Eastern Way at	1 00 P. M.
Western " "	8 00 A. M.
Eastern Through Mail "	8 00 "

MAILS ARRIVE.

Eastern Through Mail	8 25 A. M.
Western Way and Hollidaysburg	1 40 P. M.
Eastern " " "	7.15 "

Hollidaysburg mails close at 1.00 P. M. and 6.45 P. M., and arrive at 8.15 P. M. and 7.30 P. M.

June 6, '57-tf] JOHN REPPLIER, P. M.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—We would call your attention to the advertisement of Prof. O. J. Wood's Hair Restorative, which appears in the columns of our present number.

From our long acquaintance with the proprietor, and with numerous individuals who have used his preparation with perfect success for the last two years, we feel no hesitation in recommending the article as superior to any of the preparations now in use for the same purpose, viz: for restoring gray hair to its original color, a sure and perfect cure for baldness, and a never-failing preventative for the falling of the hair.

It is decidedly the best and most popular in use for beautifying, preserving, restoring and strengthening the hair, relieving diseases of the skin, and removing scurff, dandruff, and all eruptions and feverish heat from the scalp.

We speak in relation to the above from what we know, having been personally acquainted with numerous persons who have used the restorative for the above purposes with the most gratifying results.

It is not often we notice a patent medicine. Indeed, we think we have never puffed one before: but Prof. Wood's Hair Restorative is something so superior to most of the preparations of the day, that we cannot forbear asking the attention of our readers to it.—(*Catholic Vindicator.*

WOODLAND CREAM,"—*A Pomade for beautifying the Hair*—highly perfumed, superior to any French article imported, and for half the price. For dressing Ladies Hair it has no equal, giving it a bright glossy appearance. It causes Gentlemen's Hair to curl in the most natural manner. It removes the dandruff, always giving the Hair the appearance of being fresh shampooed, Price only fifty cents. None genuine unless signed

FETRIDGE & CO. Proprietors of the "*Balm of a Thousand Flowers.*"

For sale by all Druggists.

THE PANIC—MORE FAILURES.—The panic in New York seems to be on the increase. In this city everything goes on smoothly, and the only failures we have heard of were the failures to furnish good fits made by some inferior clothing establishments. There is no such difficulty to be encountered by those who patronize the Brown Stone Clothing Hall of Rockhill and Wilson, Nos. 603 and 605 Chesnut street, above sixth. Gentleman and youths never fail to procure capital fits at this popular establishment.

THE BEST COUGH MEDICINE.—One of the very best Cough Medicines to be found anywhere, is Dr *Keyser's* Pectoral Syrup. sold by G. W. Kessler, at 50 cents per bottle

☞ The stated Councils of the "WINNEBAGO TRIBE," No. 25, I. O. R. M., are held every Tuesday evening in the I. O. O. F. Hall, in the Masonic Temple. Council Fire kindled at 7th run 50th breath

June 25, '57-1y] A. EBERLE, *C. of R.*

☞ A CARD—TO THE LADIES.—DR. DUPONCO'S GOLDEN FRENCH PILLS *are infallible in removing elapses and irregularities of the menses.* These Pills are nothing new but have been used by the doctors for many years, both in France and America, with unparalleled success in every case; and he is urged by many thousand ladies who have used them, to make the Pills public, for the alleviation of those suffering from any irregularities of whatever nature, as well as to prevent pregnancy to those ladies whose health will not permit an increase of family.—Pregnant females, or those supposing themselves so, are cautioned against using these Pills while pregnant, as the Proprietor assumes no responsibility after the above admonition altho' their mildness would prevent any mischief to health; otherwise these Pills are recommended. Full and explicit directions accompany each box. Price $1 per box. Sold wholesale and retail by G. W. KESSLER, General Agent for Altoona and vicinity. He will supply dealers at proprietor's prices, and send the Pills to ladies (*confidentially*) by return mail on receipt of $1 through the Altoona Post Office.

Each box has my signature. J. DUPONCO, New York.

Samuel Breslin, general agent for Tyrone City. [1y-27

ALTOONA MARKETS.

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY LOWTHER & M'DOWELL.

Flour—Superfine,	℔ bbl.	$5.25
" Extra,	℔ "	$5.50
Corn Meal,	℔ cwt.	2,00
Buckwheat	℔ "	2,40
Potatoes,	℔ bush.	75
Apples,	℔ "	87
Butter,	℔ ℔	22
Lard,	℔ "	14
Pork,	℔ "	06
Side,	℔ "	05
Eggs,	℔ doz.	16

M'LAIN & LEHR'S FLOUR MARKET.

M'Lain & Lehr sell their Flour at the following rates:—

White Wheat Flour, Extra Family,	℔ bbl.	$5.25
" " " " Superfine,	"	5.00
" " " Superfine,	"	4,75

H. LEHR'S FLOUR MARKET.

Extra Family Flour,	℔ bbl.	$
Superfine Extra, best quality,	"	5 25
" " Brush Creek,	"	5 00
Superfine,	"	4 75

MARRIED.

On the 21 inst., by M. Calvert, Esq., Mr. HENRY PRESCOT, of this place, to Miss CATHARINE HUGHS, of Logan township.

DIED.

At Port Matilda, Centre county, Pa., on the 25th ult., MARY ELLEN, wife of James Purdue, aged 23 years and 3 months.

NEW VOLUMES OF THE FOUR GREAT BRITISH REVIEWS, namely,
Edinburgh, North British, Westminster, and London Quarterlies, and Blackwood's Edinburgh Magazine, (Monthly.)
Commence with January, 1858.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.—Any one Review or Blackwood. $3 a year. Blackwood and one Review—or two Reviews. $5. The four Reviews and Blackwood, $10. Four copies to one address. $35).

Postage (which should be paid quarterly in advance) on the four Reviews and Blackwood to any Post Office in the United States, only 80 cents a year, namely: 14 cents a year on each Review, and 24 cents a year on Blackwood.

Address, L. SCOTT & CO., Publishers.
April 8, 1858. 54 Gold Street, corner of Fulton, N. Y.

HOUSE, SIGN, ORNAMENTAL & CARRIAGE PAINTING.—The undersigned beg leave to inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that they have commenced the business of

HOUSE, SIGN, ORNAMENTAL AND CARRIAGE PAINTING, GLAZING, PAPER-HANGING, VARNISHING, &C., &C.,

in all their various branches, and are prepared to do all work entrusted to them with neatness and dispatch.

They have on hand a large assortment of painting materials and Window Glass of all sizes, also stained Glass and Looking Glass Plates, which enables them to do work in an improved style and at reduced rates.

By strict attention to business we hope to merit a share of public patronage.

Our room is on Virginia street, immediately opposite Kessler's Drug Store. KRYES & WALSH.

April 8, 1858-3m*

THE SUMMER SEASON—JESSE SMITH would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and the public generally that he has just returned from the East with a large and varied assortment of

HATS AND CAPS,

Which he purchased at low prices for cash and will sell at

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL at but a small advance on the original cost. His stock comprises HATS and CAPS of every description, size and shape. All who are in want of anything in his line will do well to give him a call, as he feels confident he can suit the most fastidious, in quality and price.

He is always ready and willing to exhibit his stock *free of charge*, so that none need fear to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

Remember that his store is on Virginia street, directly opposite the Lutheran Church. [April 8-3m.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE received until the 15th of APRIL 1858, for the erection of a SCHOOL HOUSE and PARSONAGE in the Borough of Altoona, said buildings to be erected in conformity with Plans and Specifications, to be seen at office of John Shoemaker in said town. Proposals for the whole or part of said work will be considered.

R. W. OLIVER,
WM. BOYDEN,
A. MAXWELL,
WM. P. CLEMSON, } *Committee.*

Altoona, April 1, 1858-2t.

☞ The Pittsburgh *Dispatch* and Harrisburg *Telegraph* publish 3 times and send bills to this office.

THE NEW ROCHELLE OR LAWTON BLACKBERRY.

Having made arrangements with Rev. J. Knapp for a supply of Plants of this valuable Blackberry, we can now offer thrifty plants for sale at the following prices:

1000 plants	$125,00	25 plants	$3,50
500 "	65,00	12 "	2,00
250 "	35,00	6 "	1,25
100 "	16,00	3 "	1,00
50 "	8,00	1 "	,50

The "Springfield Republican," of Massachusetts, says: "It is the Queen of all berries, of most magnificent proportions, exquisite flavor and delicate texture."

Extract from the proceedings of the American Pomological Society, held in Boston:

Mr. CABOT, of Mass. "I wish to inquire about the New Rochelle Blackberry."

Rev. WM. CHEEK, of Stonington, states: "The New Rochelle Blackberry has fruited with me for the first time this season; *it fulfills all its promises, which is all that need be said of it.* Coming just after Raspberries, it prolongs the season of small fruits a month or more, and it is a great acquisition. It deserves a place in every garden."

Mr. FINK, of New York. "It is the most remarkable acquisition; very sweet and delicious indeed, and the hardiest plant possible."

Mr. MAURICE, of New York. "It is very large, tender and delicious. I think it is the greatest acquisition we have had."

Mr. CLARK, of Conn. "I never saw anything more productive."

Mr. SAUL, of New York, "I can corroborate what others have said."

Mr. PRINCE, of New York. "It is a most remarkable acquisition of the Blackberry kind—very sweet and delicious indeed; a great bearer, and the hardiest plant possible."

GEO. GABRIEL, Esq., of Stonington, Conn. "It has fruited with me for the first time this season. It fulfills all its promises, and deserves a place in every garden."

Mr KNOX who has five acres in cultivation exhibited last season some of the fruit before the Pittsburgh Horticultural Society. The Pittsburgh Chronicle says: "Many of our citizens visited the rooms of the Society with a view of examining Mr. Knox's collection, and those who were fortunate enough to see it expressed their admiration in no measured terms." The Society awarded the exhibition a diploma.

Orders addressed to Rev. J. KNOX, or the subscriber, and accompanied with the cash, or a suitable reference where the parties are not known, will be filled in the order in which they are received.

NEWMAN'S THORNLESS BLACKBERRY PLANTS for sale at the same prices. JAMES WARDROP.

9-3t. 47 Fifth street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

MONEY SAVED IS MONEY EARNED, and in these "hard times," it is desirable to know where to go in order to save money in purchasing DRY GOODS, GROCERIES OR PROVISIONS.

By way of information,

LOWTHER & McDOWELL,

OF THE

Cheap Corner,

would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona, that they have just received their

FALL AND WINTER GOODS,

which they will sell at prices to suit customers in this Financial Panic and that defy competition.

Our stock consists, in part, of Silks, French and Printed Merinos, Plain and Printed Cashmeres, Ombre Striped Eugenies, Delains, Ducals, Coburgs, Gala and Woolen Plaids, Stella and Brocha Shawls, Chenille Shawls and Scarfs, Cloaks, Mantillas, Velvets, Velvet Ribbons, &c.

Zephyr Goods, consisting of Mantillas and Hoods for ladies, misses and children, Victorinas, &c. Our stock of

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS,

such as Linens, Sheetings, Pillow Linens, Table Linens, Napkins, Damasks, Drilling Cambrics, Tickings, Flannels of all colors, Carpets, Matting, Stair Cloth, Oil Cloths, &c., is unusually large. Our stock of

BOOTS, SHOES, GAITERS, SLIPPERS, &C.

for Men, Women, Boys, Misses and Children, is not surpassed in variety or cheapness in the town. Our

STOCK OF GROCERIES

are the best that could be procured in the Eastern market. We have also Flour, Potatoes, Meat and many other articles not herein enumerated.

Be sure and drop in and examine our stock, and we will make it an object to purchase. [Oct. 29-tf.

ALTOONA SELECT SCHOOL.—The Second Term of this Institution will commence on the 6th of April next, under the superintendence of J. B. EWING, in the West Ward Public School House. The school will consist of pupils of both sexes. At the commencement of each session the scholars will be examined and classed in that department for which they are best fitted. The course of instruction will embrace Mathematics, ordinary and higher English branches and Latin. The Session will continue Four Months.

TERMS.

Primary Department—Alphabet, Orthography, Reading, Elements of Arithmetic and Geography $3.50.
Junior Department—Reading, Writing, Primary Grammar, Geography and Arithmetic, $ 50.
Senior Department—Grammar, Geography, History, Arithmetic, Algebra, Geometry, Natural and Moral Philosophy, Rhetoric and Latin, $ 00.

Scholars in the *Senior Department* will be permitted to study any of the branches taught in the other departments.

No deduction made except in cases of protracted sickness.

A complete set of Maps, Charts and Globes, together with a number of pieces of Philosophical Apparatus are connected with the Institution, according every advantage to students that can be obtained at distant Academies and Seminaries.

A competent corps of teachers will be employed.

It will be the aim of the Principal to make the Institution worthy the confidence of the public. March 4, tf

ANOTHER REDUCTION IN PRICE at McCormick's Store.

Having adopted the CASH SYSTEM, (or at least credit will not be given to any other than those who are *willing and can give* satisfactory reference and assurance of prompt monthly payment,) and desiring to make it the interest of all to patronize our store, we have made a very great reduction in the prices of all descriptions of goods, and will give our entire time and attention to keeping up an assortment to suit the wants of our customers, such as

DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
HARDWARE,
QUEENSWARE,
CEDARWARE,
STONEWARE,
BOOTS & SHOES,

Gaiters, Slippers, Hats and Caps, Dried Fruit, etc., all of which will be sold as cheap as the cheapest.

All articles of produce taken in exchange for goods at their highest market price.

Thankful for past favors, we hope to share the patronage of those who are in want of goods. [March 25-tf.

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers for sale a tract of EIGHTY ACRES of land, situate in Ferguson township, Clearfield county, on the South side of the West Branch of the Susquehanna River, about five miles from Curwensville and one mile below Lumber City. The premises are conveniently situated, and among other inducements to purchasers are two extensive beds of

IRON ORE,

one of which exceeds nine feet in thickness and yields from forty-five to eighty per cent. There is also an abundance of

LIMESTONE AND STONE COAL

on the premises, making it a desirable situation to persons wishing to engage in the manufacture of Iron.

There is the best of water power on the premises, and the river is navigable with arks, boats, &c., from this point.

Persons desiring any further information will address

WM. G. MCCRACKEN,
March 25-3m.] New Millport, Clearfield Co., Pa.

PINE GROVE ACADEMY AND SEMINARY.

Pine Grove Mills, Centre County, Pa.

J. E. THOMAS, A. B., Principal.

The Thirteenth Session of this Institution will commence April 28, 1858, and continue five months.

TERMS—Boarding and tuition in English Branches $85.

Reference—Dr. G. D. Thomas, Altoona. [Mar. 25-3m*

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP—Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, trading under the name of Peter Reed & Co., has been this day, March 20, 1858, dissolved by mutual consent. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said firm are requested to make immediate payment. PETER REED,

March 25-3t* JOHN BONAWITS.

SHERIFFALITY.—I offer myself as a candidate for the office of SHERIFF of Blair county, at the ensuing election in October next. If elected, I pledge myself to discharge the duties appertaining to said office to the best of my ability.

Feb. 4, 1858-4t] JOHN B. WARFEL.

WOOD!. WOOD!! WOOD!!!—90 Cords of good dry OAK WOOD for sale by LEWIS GWIN, 2 miles North of Altoona.

March 18, 1858-tf.

LUMBER FOR SALE.—60,000 Shingles 50,000 Lathes, and all kinds of BUILDING MATERIAL, lower than the lowest, for Cash. Apply to JOHN SHOEMAKER.

O YES! O YES!—GENTLEMEN draw nigh and hear. JOSEPH P. TROUT announces to the public, that he is ready to discharge his duty as an Auctioneer whenever called upon. [Jan. 2, '56.

FLOUR.—THE BEST QUALITY OF FAMILY FLOUR for sale, Wholesale and Retail.—Apply to J. SHOEMAKER,

Dec. 11, 1856-tf. Masonic Temple.

PEA NUTS.—5,000 BUSHELS WILMINGTON Pea Nuts in store and for sale by WM. N. SHUGARD,

March 25, '58-1y] 191 North 3d street, Philadelphia.

ALMONDS, WALNUTS, CREAM Nuts and Filberts in store and for sale by WM. N. SHUGARD,

March 25, '58-1y] 191 North 3d street, Philadelphia.

GROCERIES.—A LARGE AND complete assortment of Groceries have just been received at the store of J. B. SHUMAN.