Altoona Tribune.

LOCAL ITEMS.

MELANCHOLY DEATH OF A YOUNG LADY.—It is our painful duty this week to chronicle one of the most melancholy accidents that ever occurred in this place, which resulted in the untimely death of MATILDA CALDWELL, daughter of Judge Caldwell of Gaysport, aged twenty-one years.—The sudden demise of this young lady is another fearful illustration of the frail tenure by which human life is held.

On Wednesday evening last a wedding took place at the Lutheran parsonage in this place, the parties being Mr. TOBIAS WERTZ, residing below town, and Miss MARY C. WAGGE, of Hagerstown, Md. A few minutes previous to the wedding, Miss Caldwell accompanied by another young lady, passed the parsonage on their way to prayer meeting. Mrs. Knight saw Miss Caldwell passing, and being on terms of great intimacy, invited her in to witness the ceremony, and spend the evening. She accepted the invitation, and they had a pleasant and agreeable time until 11 o'clock, when the party broke up. Several vehicles were in attendance to convey to their homes the friends of the parties who lived at a distance, and it was agreed that a young man named Wertz—a brother to the bridegroom—should take Miss Caldwell to her home in a buggy. Some noise at the Court House, made by boys, caused the horse to become frightened, but Mr. Wertz reined him up. The gas light at the Logan House again scared the animal, but before reaching the bridge. Mr. W. had succeeded in quieting him. When near Confer's tavern, in Gaysport, some person came out of a house with a lantern, the glare of which scared the horse a third time, and he became unmanageable. While drawing the reins tight, the right one broke, and the young man still holding on to the left, caused the horse to make a circle, when Mr. Wertz jumped out, and was just on the point of grasping the reins of the bridle when Miss. C. screamed, the horse took a fresh fright, and started down the turnpike. He had scarcely run thirty yards before Miss C. as is generally supposed, attempted to jump out, but fell, striking her head on the hard ground. She was immediately removed to her home, and Drs. Landis and Coffey called, who rendered every aid in their power, but she died in three hours after the accident. Of course no one was to blame for this unfortunate occurrence, as it was clearly one of those for which no human agency can be held responsible.

The sudden death of Miss Caldwell cast a deep gloom over the entire community, caused not only by the nature of the death, but because she was lovely, amiable, and enjoyed the confidence and esteem of a large circle of friends and acquaintances. How forcibly does her death remind us of the poets lines,

> "Early, bright, transient,
> Chaste as morning dew,
> She sparkled, was exhaled,
> And went to Heaven."

At the time of the accident, Judge Caldwell was absent in Centre county, and did not hear anything of it until he reached Tyrone. One can readily imagine the sorrow of a fond doting parent, leaving a daughter in the bloom of youth and beauty, returning and finding her in the habiliments of the grave, cut off without even the privilege of a tender farewell to him who comes nearest of all on earth to her. When we reflect on the sad end of one so young and so beloved, cut off in the bright May morning of life we realize in its fullest force by what a brittle thread human life is held—

> "Leaves have their time to fade,
> And flowers to wither in the north wind's breath,
> And stars to set—but all,
> Thou hast all seasons for thine own, O death!"

Her funeral took place on Friday afternoon, and her remains were attended to the Presbyterian Graveyard by a large *courtege* of sorrowing friends.

On Sabbath last, Dr. Junkin preached the funeral sermon, and the Presbyterian Church was filled with people. He alluded specially to the deceased several times, and on one occasion called the attention of the congregation to the fact that not a note had been sounded on the Harmonium—that the fingers which touched it to the praise of Jehova on Sunday last were now cold in death.

The community sympathizes deeply with the grief-stricken parents, who have indeed lost the flower of their flock. Time may assuage their sorrow, but years will not suffice to efface her image engraven on the tablets of their memory until time with them shall be no more.

> "Long, long be their hearts with such memories filled!
> Like the vase in which roses has once been distilled,
> You may break, you may ruin the vase, if you will,
> But the scent of the roses will hang round it still."

—*Whig.*

A BEAUTIFUL SIGHT.—A few evenings since we were called in to view a number of articles, on exhibition at the store room of Mrs. McMullen, at the "Cheap Corner," which are to be placed in the Bazar now being got up by the ladies of St. John's Church in this place, for the purpose of obtaining means to complete the erection of the parsonage for their pastor.—The first objects that attracted our attention were two gold watches of the finest quality—one a lady's and the other a gentleman's. Next came a silver service, consisting of six pieces, elaborately carved and finished in the very best style. Next we noticed a beautiful bible and prayer-book, gotten up in a style unequalled by any we have heretofore seen. There was numerous othes articles, which we have not room to notice. The above goods are to be disposed of by tickets, the price ranging from 10 cents up to $1, according to the value of the article. A number of beautiful quilt patterns, are also on exhibition and are worth going to see. Call in ladies and gentlemen, and view the articles even if you don't buy chances.

THEFT.—On last Sunday-a-week the house of Mr. Newton, in Frankstown township, was entered while the family were at Camp Meeting, and some $10 or $12 in money stolen therefrom. A couple of young men, named Thompson and Conroy, belonging to the neighborhood, were arrested a day or two after on a charge of perpetrating the offence, and Thompson was committed for trial, but Conroy turned up missing at the Justice's office and not since been taken. Thompson has since been admitted to bail.—*Register.*

MASONIC PICNIC.—Agreeable to previous arrangement, the picnic of the Masonic Fraternity came off in Beale's Wood's on Friday last.—The morning was rather unfavorable and the idea of repairing to the grove had almost been given up, when about ten o'clock "Old Sol" burst through the watery vapors that had before shut out his light, reviving the spirits of the party, and as the cars were in readiness they were soon on their way to the grove. We learn from those in attendance that everything passed off pleasantly and in order, indeed there could be nothing else than mirth and pleasure and proper decorum where such spirits as those who led the exercises of the day are in attendance. Although not one of the party, nevertheless we shared bountifully in the good things provided for the occasion, for which the donors will please accept our thanks. A number of ladies and gentlemen from a distance were in attendance, and we warrant that they cons der the day spent in the grove one the most pleasant in their lives, and our people the most agreeable they have ever met.

ROBBERY.—On Friday night last, some villain or villain's entered the back room attached to our office, the door of which did not happen to be locked, and forcing open the back door of Mr. Jacob Nichols Green Grocery, abstracted therefrom a couple of bushels of sweet potatoes and a number of water melons. There had been no money left in the drawer of the grocery, consequently they had to carry off the potatoes to pay for their trouble. We could not find that anything had been disturbed or carried away from our department, with the exception of about a dozen of Dr. Young's Pocket Æsculapius, to which the thieves are welcome, as we have no doubt they and their friends stand in need of the advice contained therein. A snuff-box was found among the sweet potatoes, on the morning after the transaction, which the owner can have by calling on Mr. Nichols, and if he don't choose to call for it, it is more than likely that Constable Ely will be deputized to carry it to him.

FIRE AT DUNCANSVILLE.—On Tuesday morning of last week a fire broke out in the double frame dwelling of Mr. Daniel Beatty, in Duncansville. It was first discovered by Mr. Beatty and his brother-in-law, who were sleeping together, at which time there was nothing but the lath and plastering between their bed and the flames, and in less than a minute from the time they were awakened the bed on which they had been sleeping was on fire. From this house the flames communicated to the house of Mr. Christ Kephart. All efforts to save the buildings proved unavailing. Both buildings, together with the greater part of the furniture, &c., of Mr. Beatty and a portion of that of Mr. Kephart, were consumed. The loss is estimated at $2,000 which is mostly covered by insurance. How the fire originated is a mystery.—The report that it started from some coals about a bake-oven attached to Mr. Beatty's house is incorrect. There was no fire in the oven on the day previous, nor has there been for years

SOMETHING NEW, NOVEL AND COMFORTABLE.—On Friday morning last, we noticed an extra car attached to the Express Train Westward.—Curiosity led us to inspect it, when we found it to be one furnished with Woodruff's patent seats and couches. They are constructed in such a manner that the seats can be quickly converted into comfortable sleeping couches, capable of accommodating about fifty persons. These couches are just the thing for night and through travelling, and the "sleeping car" will certainly become one of the "institutions" of the Pa. R. R. The car is run by Mr. Woodruff himself, the Company granting him permission, and passengers can have the benefit of it by paying him fifty cents in addition to the regular fare. Should the Company adopt them, however the extra charge we presume would be thrown off.

LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.—The "Altoona Mechanics Library Association" which met at the Library room on Tuesday evening last, elected the following officers for the ensuing year:—

President—Thos. Burchnell,
Vice President—Rev. A. B. Clark
Secretary—Benj. F Rose,
Treasurer—David T. Caldwell,
Librarian—Chas. V. B. Kennedy.
Directors—Thos. P. Sargent, Christ. R. Hostetter, Chas R. McCrea, Louis C. Brastow, John Shoemaker, Dr. DR. Good, Clement Jaggard,
Auditors—James S. Mann, Jocob Good Jas. H. Dysart.

We shall speak more at length in reference to the above Association in our next issue.

STATE AGRICULTURAL FAIR.—The State Agricultural Fair opens at Pittsburg on the 28th inst. Excursion Tickets will be issued from all stations on the Pennsylvania Railroad, good from the 27th of September until the 2d of October. Articles intended for exhibition at the Fair will be returned from the Fair free of charge, on presentation to the Agent at Pittsburg of the Company's receipt, showing that full toll sheet rates were paid in shipping them to that place, and that a release had been given exhonerating the Company from any loss or damage that might be sustained in transportation or while in the cars or at the depots of the Company.

I. O. R. M.

The members of Winebago Tribe will meet at their Wigwam, at 8 o'clock on Saturday morning next, in full regalia. The ladies will assemble at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Masonic Temple.

The procession will be formed in front of the Masonic Temple, at 9½ o'clock, and after marching through the principal streets, will return to the Temple and rest for 15 minutes. The procession will be re-formed with the ladies in front and march directly to Hagerty's woods.

E. C. Allen, of Susquehannah Tribe, No. 12, and Wm. M. Allison of Winebago Tribe, No. 35, will deliver addresses.

GATES CURED.—The Superintendent of the Insane Asylum, at Harrisburg, has certified that Joseph Gates recently sent to that institution by the Court of Quarter Sessions of this county, is no longer insane, and the Court has ordered his discharge. He is the individual who attempted to set fire to the jail in Hollidaysburg while incarcerated therein.

MINER HURT.—*Narrow Escape from Death.*—On Friday last a man named McCartney, engaged as a minor in Condron's Ore Bank near this place, applied a match to the priming of a blast he sought to discharge, expecting to get out of harm's way before the explosion, but the powder was too quick for him, and he was laid over with his face full of particles of slate &c., and so seriously injured that he thought he was killed! His escape from instant death was certainly surprising, for the accident occurred in a narrow drift of the mine, and the blast raised some two tons of ore.—*Register.*

A SURPRISE PARTY.—On Saturday afternoon last, some fifty or sixty young ladies and gentlemen of this place, received written invitations to a social party. When all were rejoicing in the prospect of happy time, their fond anticipations were suddenly blighted by the information that the persons whose names composed the committee of invitation, and also those at the place to which they were invited, knew nothing about the party. After considerable discussion it was generally agreed that the whole affair was a "sell."

☞ In our last issue we gave notice of the commencement of a writing school under the charge of Mr Clowes. We are glad to hear that he has quite a large class of ladies and gentlemen. We are informed that he intends remaining for some time and will shortly commence another course of lessons. We think his style and system is only equalled by the very best penmen in the country. We wish him success, and feel sure that time and money is well spent in attending his school.

LEAD ORE.—A few days since we were presented with a specimen of lead ore from the mine recently opened in Sinking Valley, in this county, which was noticed some time since by one of our correspondents. The ore appears to us to be remarkably pure and of the best quality, and is said to be very abundant. With the ore is also taken out a substance supposed to be quartz, which it considered valuable.

☞ Bayard Taylor's last letter to the *Tribune* contains the following:

"What more interested me than the speed of the horses, was the beauty of the Polish women of the better classes. During two years in Europe, I have not seen so great a number of handsome faces as I saw in an hour yesterday. It would be difficult to furnish a larger portion from the acknowledged loveliness of Philadelphia, Baltimore, or Louisville. I heard of an American marrying a Polish lady at Dresden, the other day, and I must commend his taste—These maids of Warsaw are not only radient blonds, who se eyes and hair remind you of corn flowers among ripe grain, but also dark-eyed beauties, with faces of a full Southern oval, lips round and delicate as those of an Amorette, and a pure golden transparency of complexion.—The connoisseur of womans beauty can nowhere better compare those rival styles, nor have so great a difficulty in deciding between them.

Wandering along the streets with throats full of dust, we were attracted to the sign of a Bavarian beer shop. The proprietor soon learned that we were strangers. He was very desirous of importing a negro girl from America for a bar-maid. "I should have all the nobility of the city here," said he. "She would be a great curiosity. There is that woman Pastrana; with the hair all over her face—she made a great fortune, they say. There are not many of the kind, and if I could get one quite black, with a woolly-head, I should make more money in a day, than I now do in a month." He wished to engage me to send him such an attraction, but I respectfully declined.

Paper Currency.

An article calling attention to some of the many frauds and deceptions in a public currency, thus refers to a very prominent one:

The *Pennsylvanian*, in a well written article, calling attention to one of the many frauds and deceptions, in a paper currency, says: "The changing of notes from a lower denomination into a higher, is so frequently practiced, and the prevention of this sort of forgery so very easy and simple, that the wonder only is that, to this day, no steps have been taken to put an effectual stop to it. If the banks of all the States were to agree upon a certain size for one dollar notes, enlarging the size of two dollar notes a little only, say one quarter of an inch, which would be quite enough to distinguish between them at first sight, and without even examining the face, and increasing in the same manner the dimensions of the threes, fives, tens, etc., the particular forgery alluded to would be rendered wholly impracticable. It could not fail to be discovered, at the very first attempt at issuing altered notes, however perfect the alteration itself." This is all very well, but does not our neighbor think a more direct and efficacious policy would be to do away altogether with bills of less denomination than ten or twenty dollars, and makes his detective policy apply to bills of twenties, fifties and hundreds?

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 & Wilson, Nos. 603 and 605 Chestnut street, above sixth. Gentlemen 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 GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY.

SIR JAMES CLARKE'S

CELEBRATED FEMALE PILLS.

Prepared from a prescription of Sir J. Clarke, M. D., Physician Extraordinary to the Queen.

This invaluable medicine is unfailing in the cure of all those painful and delicate diseases to which the female constitution is subject. It moderates all excess and removes all obstructions, and a speedy cure may be relied on.

TO MARRIED LADIES

it is peculiarly suited. It will, in a short time, bring on the monthly period with regularity.

Each bottle, price one dollar, bears the Government Stamp of Great Britain, to prevent counterfeits.

CAUTION.

These Pills should not be taken by females during the first three months of Pregnancy, as they are sure to bring on Miscarriage, but at any other time they are safe.

In all cases of Nervous and Spinal Affections, Pain in the Back and Limbs, Fatigue on slight exertion, Palpitation of the Heart, Hysterics and Whites, these Pills will effect a cure when all other means have failed, and although a powerful remedy, do not contain iron, calomel, antimony, or anything hurtful to the constitution.

Full directions in the pamphlet around each package, which should be carefully preserved.

Sole Agent for the United States and Canada,
JOB MOBES, (late I. C. Baldwin & Co.)
Rochester, N. Y.

N. B.—$1.00 and 6 postage stamps enclosed to any authorized Agent, will insure a bottle, containing 50 Pills, by return mail.

B. L. Fahnestock, Pittsburg, Wholesale Agents; also, for sale by all Druggists. [June 3, 1858-1y.

☞ See advertisement of Dr. Sandford's LIVER INVIGORATOR in another column.

ALTOONA MARKETS.

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY J. & J. LOWTHER.

Flour—Superfine,	℔ bbl.	$4,75
" Extra,	℔ "	$5,00
Corn Meal,	℔ cwt.	1,75
Potatoes.	℔ bush.	75
Dry Apples,	℔ "	1,75
Butter,	℔ ℔	20
Lard,	℔ "	14
Hams,	℔ "	12
Shoulders,	℔ "	10
Side,	℔ "	12
Eggs,	℔ doz.	10

M'LAIN & LEHR'S FLOUR MARKET.

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

White Wheat Flour, Extra Family,	℔ bbl.	$6,12
" " " " Superfine,	" "	5,50
" " " Superfine,	" "	5,12

Barrel Salt $2,00 and $2,10 per barrel.
Sack " 1,75 " 1,80 " sack.
Alway on hand.

H. LEHR'S FLOUR MARKET.

Extra Family Flour,	℔ bbl.	$5 50
Superfine Extra, best quality,	" "	5 00
Superfine,	" "	4 75

DIED.

In this place, on the 2d inst., infant daughter of Andrew and Mary C Taylor, aged about 2 months.

LIST OF LETTERS—REMAINING

in the Post Office at Altoona, Sept. 1, 1858.

Andrews E. F.	Kopp A. H.
Bowers Carrie	Landis David M.
Borck Alex	Loe Joseph
Bibergoe Jacob	Mathews John V.
Brown J. B.	Mercer W. M.
Bridenbaugh J. J.	McLelland J. H.
Bock Peter	Nelson
Bears Henry	Owen John
Brock F. C.	Piper W. K.
Colderwood M. A.	Rosenberg Miss
Cousman David.	Rhodes Jacob
Cutler Philp	Rosenthal J.
Clark T. C.	Row Mary.
Conaghan James 2	R. S. Lodge I. O. O. F.
Coutner Henry	Robinson J.
Cromack John	Redsecker Kate
Cherry L.	Showden Sarah G.
Douny Dewitt	Spradling John
Dorsey Mary 2	Sage D. O.
Dunn Margaret	Sorel Robert
Davis Robert 2	Showelter E. F.
Douty Moses	Stutzel John
Davis A. W.	Sphon Wm.
Fay Margaret	Shingler Andrew
Foster Anna M.	Walton Susan
Fry Robert	West John
Farrell Lawrence	Wendall Jacob
Gregory Anthony	Zille Frederick
Gwen John B.	Ziegler Garrett
Geib Peter 2	FOREIGN.
Graff J. A.	Hertle Lewis
Gerz N.	Murry Mary
Harkness George	Smith Philip
Humphreys M. M.	Soubley Jane
Holman J.	Thomas Hopkins
Brummacher M.	

Persons calling for letters on this list will say they are advertised. John Shoemaker P. M.

CREAM TARTER, SUPER-CARBONATE of Soda, Saleratus, Washing Soda, Durkee's Baking Powder, in store and for sale at A. ROUSH'S Drug Store.
Sept. 2, '58-tf.]

WM. S. BITTNER,
SURGEON DENTIST,
Office immediately opposite the Lutheran Church, on Virginia street. Teeth extracted without pain, by means of electricity—no humbug. A student who can come well recommended for morality and possesses a good English education, will be taken. [Sept. 2, '58-1y.

HOME TESTIMONY.
[From the Lewistown Aurora.]
I have been afflicted for ten years with Chronic Diarrhœa, and have received more benefit from Du Vall's Galvanic Oil than any other medicine I ever used. ALEX. McKEE.
Oliver township, Mifflin county, Pa.
This is to certify that I used Du Vall's Galvanic Oil in my family in some of the diseases for which it is recommended and found to act almost spontaneously. I recommend it to all who suffer from pain. A. M. INGRAM.
Sept. 2, '58—1y. Decatur township, Mifflin co., Pa.

MORE TESTIMONY. ALTOONA, July 3, 1858.
J. D. STONEROAD,—*Dear Sir*;—Mr. Wm. Turnbaugh, who has been suffering several years from Rheumatism, was so ill that his friends and relatives were summoned to witness his death. I induced his friends to try the virtue of your preparation, and they did so, as a last resort; and to their astonishment and joy, he began to improve, got better and better, and now, so far as I know, he is a hale and stout man. This is not the only case where the Galvanic Oil has surpassed human expectations. In every case where I have recommended the Oil, it has done what it promises to do. Send us another $20's worth. Yours truly,
Sept. 2, 1858-1y.] HENRY LEHR.

SUFFERING HUMANITY, READ THIS.—The undersigned takes this method of informing the public generally that there is no medicine now offered to the public that is equal to DU VALL'S GALVANIC OIL in relieving suffering humanity.
I was an observer of its effects on a friend of mine, who suffered almost everything from a neuralgic affection which resisted the best medical treatment in Centre county. We applied freely the Galvanic Oil to the painful part, and gave some inwardly, and in 20 minutes the patient was asleep, and when awakened was free from pain and continued so. This is a positive fact which I am willing to make good at any time. A case of Felon was cured in nearly the same length of time. J. H. HANN.
Sept. 2, 1858-1y.] Centre Hill.

MOUNTAIN RESTAURANT AND LAGER BEER SALOON.—The proprietor of this favorite Saloon,
Under the Masonic Temple,
would respectfully announce that he keeps constantly on hand an excellent article of LAGER BEER, manufactured at the Altoona Brewery, which is pronounced the best in the country. Also, Cakes, Cheese, Sardines, Pretzels, &c.
He has recently fitted up his Saloon in a style unequalled in the country, having placed in it
A BILLIARD TABLE AND TWO BAGATELLE BOARDS,
for the accommodation and amusement of those who may wish to engage in those games:
He will spare no pains to render every attention to his customers which they require, and he hopes thereby to merit and receive a liberal share of patronage.
Sept. 2, 1858-3m.] F. NOTHWANG.

AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL,
R. E. SELLERS' Imperial Cough Syrup,
Hoofland's German Bitters,
Bœrhave's Holland Bitters,
Sandford's Liver Invigorator,
Lindsey's Blood Searcher,
Clarke's Female Pills,
Duponco's Golden Pills,
Wright's, Ayer's, Wilson's and McLane's Pills,
Merchant's Gargling Oil,
Perry Davis' Pain Killer,
Matchett's Fourfold Liniment,
Mexican, Arabian, Nerve and Bone Leniment,
In store and for sale at
Sept. 2, 1858-tf.] A. ROUSH'S Drug Store.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.—By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Blair county, the subscriber will sell by public vendue or outcry on the premises, on THURSDAY the 30th day of SEPTEMBER, 1858, at 10 o'clock A. M., all the following described Real Estate, situate in Logan township, Blair county, Pa., and late the property of Mrs. Martha Hunter, dec'd., to wit:

A Tract of Land containing about 40 acres, (the exact quantity will be made known on day of sale,) adjoining lands of the heirs of Allen McCartney, lands of the heirs of Rees Rees, lands of John McCartney, lands of the heirs of Alexander Gwinn and lands of Moses Thompson and others, lying within two miles of Altoona, on the Altoona & Clearfield Plank Road.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-half of the purchase money to be paid on confirmation of sale. Balance in one year thereafter with interest, to be secured by Judgment Note of the purchaser on bond and mortgage.
JAMES LOWTHER,
Sept. 2, 1858-4t] Adm'r of Mrs. Martha Hunter.

VALUABLE PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE.—The subscriber offers at Private Sale until the 1st day of November next, the following property, to wit:

A Lot of Ground situate in East Altoona, adjoining lots of F. A. Denning, dec'd., and John Foulknor. The Lot is in excellent working order with a lot choice FRUIT TREES all in thrifty growth. The Lot is situated in a desirable part of the town, on one of the principal and most pleasant streets. If not sold by the 1st of November next, it will be leased for a term of years.

Also—A Lot containing One Acre of Ground, situate in Logan township, on the public road leading from Baker's Furnace to the Allegheny Mountains and about ¾ of a mile from Altoona, having thereon erected, a Good FRAME HOUSE, a good STABLE, SPRING HOUSE, and all other necessary out-buildings. There is a never failing spring of water and a lot of choice Fruit Trees on the premises. Also an excellent new Grape Arbor with a lot of vines in thrifty growth. The ground is in high state of cultivation and under good fence. If not sold by the 1st of November next, it will be offered for rent.

Persons desiring information respecting to above property will receive it by calling upon
September 2, 1858-2m] GEORGE R. CRAMER.

SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN.—VOLUME FOURTEENTH begins September 11, 1858.
MECHANICS, INVENTORS, MANUFACTURERS AND FARMERS.

The Scientific American has now reached its Fourteenth Year, and will enter upon a New Volume on the 11th of September. It is the only weekly publication of the kind now issued in this country, and it has a very extensive circulation in all the States of the Union. It is not, as some might suppose from its title, a dry, abstruse work on technical science, on the contrary, it so deals with the great events going on in the scientific, mechanical and industrial works, as to please and instruct every one. If the Mechanic or Artizan wishes to know the best machine in use, or how to make any substance employed in his business—if the Housewife wishes to get a recipe for making a good color, &c.—if the Inventor wishes to know what is going on in the way of improvements—if the Manufacturer wishes to keep posted with the times, and to employ the best facilities in his business—if the man of leisure and study wishes to keep himself familiar with the progress made in the chemical laboratory, or in the construction of telegraphs, steamships, railroads, reapers, mowers, and a thousand other machines and appliances, both of peace and war—all these *desiderata* can be found in the Scientific American, and *not elsewhere*. They are here presented in a reliable and interesting form, adapted to the comprehension of minds unlearned in the higher branches of science and art.

TERMS:—One Copy, One Year $2; One Copy, 6 Months, $1; Five Copies, 6 Months, $4; Ten Copies, 6 Months, $8; Ten Copies, Twelve Months, $15; Fifteen Copies, Twelve Months, $22; 20 Copies, Twelve Months, $28, in advance.

Specimen copies sent gratuitously for inspection. Southern and Western money, or Postage Stamps, taken for subscriptions.

☞ Letters should be directed to
MUNN & CO., 128 Fulton Street, N. Y.

☞ Messrs. Munn & Co. are extensively engaged in procuring patents for new inventions, and will advise inventors, without charge, in regard to the novelty of their improvements. [Aug. 19, 1858.

DUVALL'S GALVANIC OIL.
Prepared originally by Prof. H. DU VALL, formerly of the College of Surgeons, at Paris, is now offered to the public, ☞ for the cure of sore and painful diseases.☜
For instance—Pain or soreness in any part of the system, Rheumatism, pain in the back, breast or side, healed breasts, neuralgia, burns, sprains, headache, cramp in the stomach, or any other disease that is SORE and PAINFUL, and it is only over this class of diseases that we claim a perfect VICTORY. We say positively to our patrons we can relieve the sufferer 99 times out of 100. We would just say to the public, Prof. Du Vall was 25 years in bringing to this medicine superiority over all others.
Price 50 cents per bottle—½ per cent. cut off to the trade. All orders must be addressed to
J. D. STONEROAD, Proprietor,
Sept. 2, 1858-1y.] Lewistown, Pa.

Agents for Du Vall's Galvanic Oil—Henry Lehr, G. W. Kessler, and A. Roush, Altoona, and all dealers in medicines everywhere.

PATENT KEROSENE OR CARBON OIL LAMPS!
Unrivaled in Beauty, Simplicity Safety or Economy.
Every person desiring to obtain the very best and cheapest portable light within their reach, should call at the store of the undersigned and examine these Lamps before purchasing elsewhere, and we pledge ourselves to demonstrate
1st. That NO ACCIDENT can occur by explosion.
2d. That they emit no offensive odor while burning.
3d. That they are very easily trimmed.
4th. That they are easily regulated to give more or less light.
5th. That they burn entirely free from smoke.
6th. That the light is at least 50 per cent. cheaper than any other light now in common use.
These lamps are admirably adapted for the use of Students, Mechanics, Seamstresses, Factories, Halls, Churches, Stores, Hotels, and are highly recommended for family use.
The burner of the Carbon Oil Lamp can be attached to old side, hanging and table fluid and oil lamps, at a small expense, and will answer every purpose of a new lamp.
We guarantee perfect satisfaction in all cases.
Aug. 19, 1858-tf.] G. W. KESSLER.

NEBRASKA.—NOW IS THE TIME TO INVEST.—The undersigned is fully prepared to enter Government Lands in the Omaha land district. Sale of lands to commence on the 6th of September next, and continue for two weeks. All lands entered during sale to be paid for in Gold—after the sale Land Warrants can be used.
Nebraska is being rapidly settled with a hardy and energetic set of farmers. Good lands can be secured at and after the public sale, near large settlements. All you that want to invest, will do well to send on your Warrants soon. Warrants and drafts can be sent by mail with safety. Letters of inquiry answered.
Omaha City, Aug. 19, 1858. ALEX. F. McKINNEY.
REFERENCES:
Bell, Johnson, Jack & Co., Bankers, Altoona, Pa.
Rev. A. B. Clark, " "
Thos. A. Scott, Gen'l Supt. Penn'a R. R., "
John P. Anderson, Esq., Huntingdon, Pa.

LOGAN HOTEL.—THE UNDERSIGNED respectfully informs the citizens of Blair county and others, that he has opened up the LOGAN HOUSE, formerly kept by Sheriff Beck, at the west end of Hollidaysburg, for the reception of strangers and travellers.—Everything connected with the house has been refitted in the new with the choicest furniture, &c., &c.
The house is large and commodious, and well calculated for convenience and comfort.
His TABLE will be furnished with the very best the market can afford, and no pains or trouble will be spared to render those who may choose to favor him with their patronage comfortable and happy during their stay with him.
His STABLING is ample, and an obliging and careful hostler will always be in attendance.
☞ The Williamsburg stage, which makes daily trips between this place and Williamsburg, stops at the Logan Hotel.
Dec. 17, 1857.—tf.] JOHN KEIFFER.

POSITIVE INFORMATION!—THE undersigned having perfected their Spring Stock, now offer to the public the LARGEST LOT OF GROCERIES ever presented in the town of Altoona.
Our object in publishing this card is to present the following facts:
1st. The recent hard times have very much reduced the price of Groceries in the city, especially to cash buyers.
2d. We bought these Groceries in large lots, many of them from first hands.
3d. We bought them entirely for cash.
4th. We sell for ready pay.
5th. We keep our stock full by weekly receipts.
6th. We are determined to keep up the credit of our house.
7th. We sell more GROCERIES than any other store in Blair county, at less per cent.
8th. We sell cheaper than any other store in the county.
A continuation of patronage is respectfully solicited.
Altoona, June 10, 1858. McLANE & LEHR.

BLAIR COUNTY DAGUERREAN ROOMS.—Mr. G. W. FISHER, the Hollidaysburg Artist, begs leave to inform our readers that he is prepared to take
Photographs of deceased persons,
from Daguerreotypes, at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms. He has just received a large stock of durable and neat cases, of all sizes and styles, including a new pattern of Family Case for four persons, and is prepared to fill them with perfect likenesses.
AMBROTYPE, DAGUERREOTYPE OR PHOTOGRAPH.
Give him a call. Rooms on the corner of Montgomery and Allegheny streets, Hollidaysburg, Pa. [June 17-tf.

CASSVILLE SEMINARY.
ONLY $22,50 PER QUARTER.
The terms of this school are so low and the privileges enjoyed here so unusual, that many even at a great distance find it to their advantage to patronize it in preference to schools nearer home. All Branches, both useful and ornamental are taught. Students of both sexes and all ages are received. The whole expense of one student for a year need not be over $90. A circular will be sent to any one desiring it. Address John D. Walsh, Cassville, Huntingdon county, Pa. [August 12-3m.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the estate of Dr. C. F. Sellers, late of Altoona, Blair county, dec'd have been granted to the undersigned, residing in aforesaid. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims will present the same duly authenticated for settlement.
August 26, 1858-6t] C. B. SINK, *Adm'r.*

TAKE NOTICE, THAT THE ASSESSMENT No. 15, made by the Lycoming Mutual Insurance Company, in Blair county is payable at my office. The Assessment is 3 per cent. on all notes in force May 13, 1858. JOHN SHOEMAKER,
Altoona, July 15, 1858. *Receiver.*

PRIVATE SALE.—THE SUBSCRIBER has on hand a few articles of Household Property, among which are a couple of excellent STOVES, which he will dispose of cheap for cash. The articles can be seen at J. & J. Lowther's Store.
July 1, 1858.—tf WM. McDOWELL.

PEA NUTS.—5,000 BUSHELS WILLMINGTON Pea Nuts in store and for sale by
March 25 '58-1y] 191 North 3d street, Philadelphia. WM. N. SHUGARD,

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.

FLOUR.—THE BEST QUALITY OF FAMILY FLOUR for sale, Wholesale and Retail.—Apply to J. SHOEMAKER,
Dec. 11, 1856-tf. Masonic Temple.

HENRY LEHR'S STORE IS IN John Lehr's old stand, nearly opposite McCormick's store, in North Ward. [June 18, '57-1y.

500 DOZEN FRESH EGGS JUST received and for sale by J. J. JICKES.

THE LIVER INVIGORATOR!
PREPARED BY DR. SANFORD:
COMPOUNDED ENTIRELY FROM GUMS,
is one of the best Purgative and Liver Medicines now before the public, that acts as a *Cathartic*, easier, milder, and more effectual than any other medicine known. It is not only a *Cathartic*, but a Liver remedy, acting first on the *Liver* to eject its morbid matter, then on the stomach and bowels to carry off that matter, thus accomplishing two purposes effectually, without any of the painful feelings experienced in the operations of most *Cathartics*. It strengthens the system at the same time that it purges it; and when taken daily in moderate doses, will strengthen and build it up with unusual rapidity.

The LIVER is one of the principal regulators of the human body; and when it performs its functions well, the powers of the system are fully developed. The *stomach* is almost entirely dependent on the healthy action of the *Liver* for proper performance of its functions; when the *stomach* is at fault, and the bowels are at fault, and the whole system suffers in consequence of one organ—the Liver—having ceased to do its duty. For the diseases of that organ, one of the proprietors has made it his study, in a practice of more than twenty years, to find some remedy wherewith to counteract the many derangements to which it is liable.

To prove that this remedy is at last found, any person troubled with LIVER COMPLAINT, in any of its forms, has but to try a bottle, and conviction is certain.

These Gums remove all morbid or bad matter from the system, supplying in their place a healthy flow of bile, invigorating the stomach, causing food to digest well, PURIFYING THE BLOOD, giving tone and health to the whole machinery, removing the cause of the disease—effecting a radical cure.

BILIOUS ATTACKS are cured, PREVENTED, and, WHAT IS BETTER, PREVENTED, by the occasional use of the LIVER INVIGORATOR.

One dose after eating is sufficient to relieve the stomach and prevent the food from rising and souring.

Only one dose taken before retiring, prevents Nightmare.

Only one dose taken at night, lessens the low spirits, invigorates the system.

One dose taken after each meal will cure Dyspepsia.

☞ One dose of two teaspoonsful will always relieve SICK HEADACHE.

One bottle taken for female obstruction removes the cause of the disease, and makes a perfect cure.

Only one dose immediately relieves Cholic, while Jaundice removes all sallowness or unnatural color from the skin.

One dose taken a short time before eating gives vigor to the appetite, and makes the food digest well.

One dose often repeated cures Chronic Diarrhœa in its worst forms, while Summer and Bowel complaints yield almost to the first dose.

One or two doses cures in children: there is no remedy in the world, as it is by exciting the absorbents to throw out the disease after a long sickness.

A few bottles cures Dropsy. Worms suffer, safer, or speedier *never fails*.

We take pleasure in recommending the medicine as a preventive for Fever and Ague, Chill Fever, and all Fevers of a Bilious type, and thousands are willing to testify to its wonderful virtues.

All who use it are giving their unanimous testimony in its favor.

☞ Mix Water in the mouth with the Invigorator, and swallow both together.

THE LIVER INVIGORATOR
IS A SCIENTIFIC MEDICAL DISCOVERY, and is daily working cures, almost too great to believe. It cures as if by magic, *even the first dose giving benefit*, and seldom more than one bottle is required to cure any kind of Liver Complaint, from the worst *Jaundice* or *Dyspepsia* to a common *Headache*, all of which are the result of a DISEASED LIVER.

PRICE ONE DOLLAR PER BOTTLE.

DR. SANFORD, Proprietor, 345 Broadway, New York.
☞ Sold by G. W. KESSLER, Altoona; and retailed by all Druggists. [May 27, 1858-1y

THE GREAT BEAUTIFIER! SO *Long unsuccessfully sought,*
FOUND AT LAST!
FOR IT RESTORES PERMANENTLY GRAY HAIR TO its original color; covers luxuriantly the bald head; removes all dandruff, itching and all scrofula, scald head and all eruptions; makes the hair soft, healthy and glossy; and will preserve it to any imaginable age; removes, as if by magic, all blotches, &c., from the face and cures all neuralgia and nervous headache. See circular and the following:

Dover, N. H., Feb. 24, 1857.
PROF. O. J. WOOD & CO.—Gents: Within a few days we have received so many orders and calls for Prof. O. J. Wood