ITEMS OF GENERAL NEWS.

☞The Erie Gazette is out with a strong editorial in favor of Judge McLean for President.

☞Fifty of the best [illegible] of Lowell are making arrangem[illegible] up and settle a township in Minn[illegible]

☞The New York State Council of Americans has ratified the Philadelphia nominations. A member of the Order from Buffalo asserted positively, that Mr. Fillmore was a member of the Order in good standing.

☞The Democratic State Convention of Connecticut have nominated Samuel Ingraham Governor and John T. Waite for Lieut. Governor.

☞An editorial anti-Nebraska Convention was held at Decatur, Illinois, on friday, when delegates were appointed to the State Convention to meet at Bloomington on the 23d of May, to nominate State officers.

☞The whole amount of lumber manufactured in the Saginaw valley Michigan the past year was, in boards, 93,000,000, and in lath, 26,000,000, with 276 saws and 863. Reducing the lath to board measure, it would amount to the gross quantity of 105,500,000 feet, which, at $10 per thousand, would amount to the sum of over $1,000,000, as the value of the lumber business in the Saginaw valley for a single year. These facts in regard to the extent of this trade in a single section of the State will serve to give some idea of the great wealth of Michigan in pine timber.

☞Within a circuit of some sixty or seventy miles, in Ohio, 1,500,000 pounds of leaf tobacco were raised annually, and of this 2,300 tons were sent to Louisville last year, while about 1,200 tons went to Cincinnati.

☞It is a singular fact that ship timber is being sent from New York to the eastward to be made into vessels, many of which will hereafter be owned and employed in that city. One firm has sent seven cargoes to the port of Kennebeck, Maine, within a short time, and is supplying timber for the construction of about a dozen ships. The supplies are obtained from extensive forests in Ohio.

☞The Springfield *Argus* speaks of a new rifle musket manufactured at the United States armory in that city, which has just been brought to perfection under the direction of the War Department, and which will hereafter be made for the service. This weapon weighs about nine and one-half pounds, has the rifle barrel, the Maynard primer, and all the improvements which modern science has brought to the aid of this branch of manufacture.

☞The bill to impose heavy fines and penalties upon Gamblers and Lottery Policy dealers, has passed both Houses of the Legislature of Maryland, and is now a law of the State. The provisions are stringent in the extreme, but not more so than the necessity of the case demanded.

☞A despatch from Chicago, announces the election of the Democratic candidate for Mayor by *five hundred major ty*, and the success of the entire Democratic ticket over the combined forces of Know Nothingism and Abolitionism.

☞In the Senate of Louisiana, on the 28th ult., a bill was introduced providing that no more slaves shall be emancipated in that State, unless the master shall furnish, a bond for their transportation beyond the limits of the United States.

☞The Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce recently passed a resolution calling upon Congress to make an appropriation for the improvement of the Ohio river at the Falls.

☞The Democratic members of the Legislature of New Jersey have united in the expression of a preference for the Hon. James Buchanan for the Presidency.

☞In the New York Superior Court, a decision has been given that the city corporation was liable for damages received by a person who stepped on an insecure vault grating. The usual view is that the owner or tenant of the property is liable.

☞A Washington correspondent of the *Journal* states that a Massachusetts gentleman is preparing "the Masonic career of George Washington" for publication, compiling it from unmistakable records. It will contain many curious facts and interesting letters.

☞At the French exposition there was exhibited a watch which created much interest and admiration. It tells the name and day of the month, the equation of time; is a repeater striking the minute as well as the hour; is a thermometer of tolerable accuracy, and winds itself up by the action of its own movement. The price of this most ingenious piece of workmanship is thirty thousand francs.

☞We find a paragraph in circulation in which it is estimated that the clergy cost the United States six million dollars per year; the criminals, twelve millions; the dogs, ten millions: and the lawyers, thirty-five millions.

☞The Virginia Senate has appropriated, to the State Historical Society, one thousand dollars a year, for five years for the purchase of documents pertaining to the early history of that State.

☞The lower Cotton Press at New Orleans, was destroyed by fire on the 7th inst., with most of its contents, involving a loss of $189,000. A large portion of the cotton destroyed was insured partly in New York offices.

☞The Tremont Mutual Insurance Company, of Boston, on account of heavy losses, have determined to issue no more policies. The assets will cover all demands.

☞A party of fifty fillibusters arrived in New York on Friday in the Philadelphia train, and sailed on Saturday in the Star of the West for Nicaragua.

☞Governor Minor, of Connecticut, has appointed Friday, the 21st, as a day of fasting, humiliation and prayer, in that State.

☞The horses in New York have suffered beyond endurance, in consequence of snow. The Spirit of the Times says that no less than nine hundred were killed or died in that city during the late snow season.

☞There are some *lights to the shadows* which rest upon Sevastopol. Mr. Duncan Matheson writes from Balaklava to Mr Drummond, of Stirling, Scotland, that he has distributed 52,000 tracts, and some 7000 Bibles and Testaments, mostly in Italian, among the Sardinian soldiers.

☞The Fayetteville (N. C.) *Observer*—states that recent discoveries have disclosed the fact that coal and iron of the best quality abound in exhaustless quantities in that vicinity. Coal is brought to the surface by machinery of the Egypt Company, it says, at the rate of a ton per minute.

☞A bill to incorporate and endow an Agricultural College in Maryland, appropriating $6000 annually from the State Treasury, has finally passed both branches of the Legislature. This annual appropriation is, however, not available to the college until subscriptions to its capital stock to the amount of 2000 shares, at $25 per share actually secured and made good.

☞It appears from the records of the State Department, that the number of emigrants arrived from foreign Countries for the year ending December last, was two hundred and thirty thousand four hundred and seventy-six. Of this number, one hundred and sixty-six thousand five hundred and sixty-two arrived at New York.

☞The bill removing Mr. Hufty, the Know-Nothing Sheriff of New Orleans, has been passed by both branches of the Louisiana Legislature. His election was contested in consequence of the illegal destruction of the ballot boxes at the election in November last; the votes destroyed, it is sworn, would have elected Mr. Bell, the Democratic candidate.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

FIRE.—On Saturday night last, the Smoke house and Wash house of Mr. Saml. Linn, Esq., caught fire, and was burned to the ground, destroying a considerable amount of meat belonging to Mr. Linn and his neighbors, who had it there to smoke. There was no water to be had from public hydrants—as by order of the Town Council they were removed. Believing they intended for the best to compel all freeholders to introduce water on their property and to have private hydrants, might be pardonable. But did not that fire prove that they should have public hydrants on public streets from the main pipes. In the vicinity of that fire, there was but one or two private hydrants yielding water, all the rest were frozen up—no engine, no fire-hooks or ladders—in fact no precaution or prevention at hand to put out fire. In a borough under such circumstances it is cruel to others to hear the cry of fire, and then be unable to render assistance to save property, but must stand by and see valuable buildings destroyed, without being able to give any assistance on account of having no public hydrants, engine, hooks, ladders or fire company. Is it not time for the citizens of Bellefonte to be up and doing in this matter—not by meeting, passing resolutions, committees to form companies, &c., but honestly to meet and at once purchase a good and sufficient engine, hooks, ladders and suction box, form a company and be prepared for an emergency in case of fire. We do not know of any town that is less prepared or in more danger from fire, and as we have been informed has before this had ample warning to provide for the ravages of the element of fire.

WE HAVE BEEN INFORMED that the landlord of the Pennsylvania Hotel, Capt. R. D. Cummings, has leased the entire second story of Brockerhoff's Row, fronting on Main street, and intends making such improvements as will render the establishment one of the most complete and convenient hotels in the interior of the State. The Captain has a reputation, as an entertainer of man and beast, all over the Commonwealth, and we appreciate his commendable enterprise and industry to maintain the good name of the good old "Pennsylvania Hotel." This addition will make the house not only the largest, but the most comfortable in the county.

THE MARKETS.

REPORTED WEEKLY FOR THE DEMOCRATIC WATCHMAN, BY WM. J. KEALSH

BELLEFONTE, March 12

There has been some improvement in favor of the producer, in the prices of wheat and rye in the east since last week's report. Breadstuffs are steady. The opening of navigation may change the prices somewhat, and cause a decline.

Flour has been selling in this town at $8 50 per bbl. for good quality, with demand only for immediate wants.

Wheat is bought at per bushel.

Rye—small sales at 65 to 70 cents cash, per bushel.

Corn—very little coming in. The price for corn in the car during last week was 45 cents. It is spoken of as not being worth more than 48 cts., but as it does not bear hauling any distance it may not get down below 45 cents.

Oats—considerable coming in, varying in prices for small lots according to the wants or convenience of the consumer, from 28 to 31 cents per bushel.

Beef.—The market for fat cattle in the eastern cities has advanced, Our farmers within a few years, have improved their stocks of cattle very much. The citizens of this region are gratified by seeing as fine looking fat cattle being driven into town as can be seen in the Philadelphia and New York markets. Lieb, and Gilliland & Cottle are supplying this neighborhood with a very superior quality of beef. Messrs. Gilliland & Cottle purchased of Mr. Jacob Sparr near Boalsburg, a steer and a heifer each three years old, weighing respectively 1575 and 1281 on foot—terms private. These cattle are equal to any offered in the eastern markets. Samuel Gilliland of Harris township, is now feeding five head of cattle, which were intended for the State Fair at Harrisburg, all coming within the ages set forth in the advertisement. They deserve more than a passing notice, Their ages and weight are as follows: Cow 8 years old 1300 lbs.; Cow 5 years old 1520 lbs.; Heifer 3 years old 1590 lbs.; Steer 4 years old 1950 lbs., and Steer 2½ years old 1800 lbs. The Steers are perfect specimens of the Durham, and Devon breeds. Harris township has fattened more and better cattle than any other township in the county.

Pork	7 cts., very little coming in.
Potatoes	50cts. per bushel.
Butter	20cts per lb.
Tallow	12½ " "
Lard	10 " "
Eggs	15cts. per dozen.

EDUCATIONAL.

The following letter we copy from the February number of the *Pennsylvania School Journal*. As it refers to a subject that is interesting to all classes of the community, we bespeak for it a careful perusal:

These are the primary branches—not merely in position, but they are of primary *importance* too. *This is too apt to be forgotten.*

I propose to consider what attainments in these branches might be considered necessary, to entitle a teacher to a No. 1 certificate.

That peculiar form of comparison which mercantile men use, but which grammarians, I believe, do not recognize, in which a super superlative grade is signified by the phrase "A, No. 1," is not applicable to State certificates. The "No 1" is the absolutely superlative, and it should be true to its significance, both in justice to teachers who have acquired a claim to it, and as an inducement to others not to stop short of excellence.

As writing naturally precedes reading, I will remark on it first. And first: the candidate should be skillful in writing copy-hand. In writing between lines, a quarter of an inch apart or less—which is the utmost reach of six-years-old-fingers—the strokes should not only be uniform in distance and grade, but accurately joined and strictly to the lines. Small hand should be the same in miniature. Capitals and figures should be well balanced and gracefully outlined.

The teacher should also have some skill in engrossing in back or upright hand, and in lettering in German and Roman. It is a refreshing change of practice to learners, and often useful.

Some skill and taste should be manifested in the composition or getting up of headings or titles, verses, epitaphs, &c, although this art more properly belongs to composition.

Another accomplishment which must now a-days be considered essential to the qualifications of a finished teacher of writing is a practical knowledge of phonographic short-hand. This art should be understood by every common school teacher, because it should be taught and learned in every common school, and for the following reasons among others.

1st. It is the best possible scriptal exercise for the hand. The strokes are of necessity geometrically correct in direction, in curvature and in length. They are the best first lessons in drawing or draughting. The monotony of ordinary writing wearies scholars. After some weeks of practice, the sameness of the process induces blots, faults, desperate dashes of the pen, shrugging of the shoulders, lolling of the tongue, and other symptoms of disgust. An occasional change to figures, capitals, print, or the endless combinations of form in phonographic writing, relieves this, and keeps up constant care and therefore constant progress.

2d. Its practice cultivates the ear, involving an intimate practical knowledge of the sounds in every word to be written, and is therefore an important auxiliary in the study of a much neglected feature in modern spelling book.

3d. The art is simple, so that children of eight years can readily learn it, and a teacher unacquainted with it, can in a week or two of two half hours daily practice, advance himself to give the first blackboard lessons to a juvenile class, and to illustrate interestingly.

4th. It is, when acquired, an invaluable accomplishment. Prof Hart, Principal of the Philadelphia High School for many years, and the best authority that can be quoted, says, "Whatever value be attached to writing an art is increased five fold by a practical knowledge of phonography;" and he speaks in the highest terms, from experience in the school under his charge, of the incidental advantages attending its practice, and of its value in every business, and as supplying of itself a ready and reliable means of support. All who are familiar with the art concur in this testimony.

5th. Like the ordinary hand it should be learned and practised in childhood, to secure full expertness and manual dexterity. Few adults can practice sufficiently to educate their more rigid muscles.

The candidate for a No 1 certificate as a Teacher of Reading must, of necessity be a good reader. The writing master may accomplish much by using other copies than his own, and by securing close imitation and proper control of the pen: but the teacher of reading cannot well borrow elocutionary examples, nor can his scholars discover of themselves how a sentence or passage should be read with proper effect, any more than they could find out how to sing a tune when first learning music, without having heard it sung.

The teacher must, then, be a good elocutionist, ready at the utterance, description, or identification of the sounds of the language, as described in phonetic works and in all spelling books published since public attention has been specially called to the phonetic features of English words—of which Towers' Speller and Enunciator is a good illustration. He should of course be able to render any of the examples of reading in pauses, inflections, force, emphasis, manner, time, &c., given in works on Elocution (of which Parker and Zachos' Reading and Elocution is an admirable and practical example) with the ease and naturalness of tone, which only long and careful practice under good copies can give, especially if erroneous habits have been pre-acquired.

It is naturally to be expected that teachers should be most thoroughly versed in the rudiments of instruction. It is where the fullest ability is most requisite. Those who make their steps firm and sure are not likely to fail in subsequent ones.

W. G. WARING.

Boalsburg, Dec. 2, 1855.

DEPOSIT BANK, of Humes, McAllister, Hale & Co, Bellefonte, Centre county, Pa. Deposits received, bills of exchange and notes discounted, collections made, and proceeds remitted *promptly*. Exchange on the east constantly on hand
March 12, 1856 —3mos.

FURS FOR SALE. Persons in want of a fine article of Furs would do well to send their orders to the undersigned, who is prepared to furnish them at the lowest rates:
Victorines, and all varieties of LADIES FURS always on hand, at prices much lower than can be offered by the wholesale and retail houses of New York and Philadelphia.
GLOVES, ROBES, &c., can also be purchased.
All orders addressed to
GEORGE KEPLER.
Pine Grove Mills, Centre co.,
will meet with prompt attention.
March 12, 1856—tf.

☞**Notice.—Because of a modification** of the plan of the College Building for the Farmers' High School of Pennsylvania the time for allotting the work has been postponed until THURSDAY, the 13th day of March next, up to which time proposals will be received for its erection, including all the materials. Bidders are invited to predicate their bids upon the use of brick as well as stone for the building. The plan and specifications, as finally adopted by the Committee, may be examined at any time after the 20th of February, inst., at the office of the State Society in Harrisburg, by application to Henry Gilbert or A. O. Heister. Proposals may be addressed to H. N. McAllister, Bellefonte, or Frederick Watts, Carlisle.
FREDERICK WATTS,
H. N. McALLISTER,
JAMES MILES,
Building Committee.
feb20-3t

☞FITS! FITS! FITS!—Persons laboring under this distressing malady will find Dr Hance's Epileptic Pills to be the only remedy ever discovered for curing Epilepsy or Falling Fits. These Pills possess a specific action on the nervous system; and although prepared especially for the purpose of curing Fits, they will be found of especial benefit to all persons afflicted with weak nerves, or whose nervous system has been prostrated or shattered from any cause whatever. The dyspeptic patient, whose stomach has lost the power of duly converting food into a life-sustaining element, is relieved by a single course of the extraordinary Pills. The gastric fluid re acquires its solvent power, and the crude nutriment which was a load and a burden to the sufferer, while his digestive organization was paralysed and unstrung, becomes under the wholesome revolution created in the system, the basis of strength, activity and health.
Sent to any part of the country by mail, free of postage. Address SETH S HANCE, 108 Baltimore street, Baltimore, Md Price—one box, $3, two, $5; twelve, $24.

☞WHISKERS, BEARD AND MUSTACHIOS force to grow in six weeks by Dr. LAFONT'S CAPILARY COMPOUND. Warranted not to stain or injure the skin. Price $1.00 per Package, or three for $2,50 Sent to any part of the country, by mail, on receipt of a remittance. Address SWEETSER & Co., Box 730 Post Office, Baltimore, Maryland.

WANTED—6 GOOD PLASTERERS. None but competent hands, who can come well recommended need apply.
feb27-3t C. W. LAMBERT, Bellefonte.

☞**Literary.—The Centre Co. Teachers'** Library has been established in the Borough of Milesburg. A room is secured, and is now being fitted up for the reception of Books. All persons desirous of promoting the enterprise, can do so by forwarding books or money to the subscribers at Milesburg.
JAS. S. HALL,
JOS. O. McMEEN,
Assistant Librarians.
feb27-tf

FARMERS AND OTHERS IN want of CHERRY TABLES of all sizes, made of cherry twelve years old and manufactured under the eye of the subscriber. Also, DOUGH TRAYS. Farmers and others are respectfully invited to examine these articles before purchasing elsewhere, as they will get an article which will be warranted to stand all kinds of usage.—Cash or Country Produce will be taken in exchange for the Tables. Enquire of
JOSEPH SCHNELL,
Spring Street, Bellefonte, Pa
N B. Carpenter work of all kinds promptly attended to. mar5-3t

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT FOR THE for the County of Centre. In the matter of the Estate of JACOB GATES, deceased.
The Auditor appointed to audit, settle, and adjust the account of Joseph Gates and Henry Goss, Administrators of Jacob Gates, deceased, will meet the parties interested, for the purposes of his appointment, at his office, on Wednesday, the 2d day of April, A. D., 1856, at 1½ o'clock P. M.
JAS. H. RANKIN,
mar5-'55 Auditor

NOTICE, I, Martin Stone, have purchased the following personal property of William Tillbury, to wit:—
One Grey Mare, Two Bay Mares, one Roan Gelding, one Dunn Mare, one Bay Gelding, one Bay Mare with foal, one broad wheeled wagon with bed and cover, one four horse wagon, one buggy, farming utensils and household furniture, three-fifths of seventy acres of grain in the ground.
The purchase was made on the 4th of March, in the township of Potter, Centre county, all of which has been re-delivered to William Tillbury as my property.
MARTIN STONE,
mar4,1856-3t Bellefonte

BOOK AND JOB PRINTING OFFICE. The Publisher of THE DEMOCRATIC WATCHMAN has, in connection with his Newspaper Establishment, the most extensive and complete
JOB PRINTING OFFICE,
To be found in Central Pennsylvania, composed entirely of
NEW MATERIALS,
And the latest and most fashionable style of Plain and Fancy Type, and is prepared to execute all kinds of
BOOK AND FANCY JOB PRINTING,
In the very neatest style, and at the shortest notice—such as
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☞GOLD, SILVER and BRONZE PRINTING executed in the handsomest manner.
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Satisfaction guaranteed in regard to neatness, cheapness and punctuality in the fulfilment of all orders
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EMPIRE DAGUERREAN GALLERY.
The blushing flowers fade from earth,
Youth's beauties pass away,
But Barnhart's pictures ever bloom,
To mock at Time's decay!
This Gallery is now opened to the public, under the control of
J S BARNHART,
With facilities for Daguerreotyping rarely equalled or perhaps never surpassed in the country. A soft, mellow *tone*, beautifully blended in light and shade; a perfect delineation of features and drapery, and the pleasing effect incident to a judicious arrangement of the attitude, are truly objects worthy of no small consideration. Like many other branches of science, the most important requisites can only be attained by years of practical experience and close observation. Of such we have had the advantages.
Those who have friends they fondly cherish, should remember disease may soon lay its withering hand upon them. The vital spark of life, that to-day imparts bright anticipations of the future, to-morrow may be waning amid the last glowing embers of mortality. Why not secure your pictures when it is both expedient and economical to do so? We wish not to be under the necessity of transferring your image to a polished surface, in the icy embrace of death. *We are often called upon to* perform this sad act in memory of the departed, but hereafter in no case will our charge be less than $10, nor will the pictures of such as have died of contagious diseases be taken for any inducement whatever.
Pictures inserted in cases of almost every variety of size shape or finish. Also, GOLD and GILT LOCKETS kept constantly on hand.
Instructions given and Apparatus furnished on reasonable terms.
☞Room, Brockerhoff's Row, second floor, Bellefonte, Pa. nov27-tf

PLASTERING.—The undersigned, having made the most extensive arrangements, and having a large stock of material on hand, will be ready at a short notice to attend to all orders in his old line of business. He has employed none but the best workmen, and all work entrusted to his care, will be executed in a style which cannot be excelled. Wherever I furnish materials,
THE WORK WILL BE WARRANTED
The men employed are none but the best, and in the absence of apprentices, builders can rely upon having their work done in such a manner as will give satisfaction.
☞All orders addressed to Bellefonte, Centre county, Pa., will be promptly attended to
feb27-tf C W LAMBERT

ATTENTION FARMERS, AND ALL OTHERS INTERESTED! CORN SHELLERS!
The undersigned respectfully informs the Farmers and the public generally of Centre county, that he is now manufacturing the
ROUGH AND READY CORN SHELLER
One of the best, most convenient, durable, and at the same time, the most easy running shellers ever offered to the public. It will shell green and dry Corn, cleaning the cobs from end to end, and separating them from the Corn.
☞Warranted to run easier than any other sheller in the United States or elsewhere, for the quantity of Corn shelled per day. It is constructed with two cranks, so that two persons can turn it, and shell from 200 to 300 bushels per day. It can also be attached to horse power.
Call and see them before purchasing any other, as I am certain you will be satisfied with this.
DANIEL DERR,
nov27 Bellefonte

STEAM UP IN MILESBURG. THE Marble speculators at Lock Haven are in a great panic about my invention of enameling letters on marble, they are satisfied it will make all botch work more conspicuous. That is a fact, for all lettering cut must be engraved in the finest style and well formed. It has outstripped the peddling agents, and given them the fever and ague. Be cool, gentlemen. Don't flurry; for your malady may turn into something worse. I can cure you, if you follow my instructions.
My improvement in lettering marble cannot stop; it has taken root, and is blossoming like a rose.—There will be erected in the spring, in the Bellefonte Cemetery, three sett of Marble tombstones *with the enamelled lettering*. This is the first of the kind in America, or in the world, that has ever been heard of.
My steam apparatus is in full operation, and my all orders will be attended to as soon as possible. The people of Centre county can appreciate their own artists, and they show it by sending their orders to
A. PARTERAGE,
mar5 Milesburg Marble Works

☞**Notice is hereby given to all whom** it may concern that the subscriber, having disposed of his entire stock of goods, &c, in Howardville, Centre county, wishes to settle up his accounts. All persons knowing themselves indebted will please call and make immediate payment, and those having claims against him will present them for settlement.
The subscriber will be found at the Perry House, one mile below Howardville, where he is now located. His friends in Clearfield and the public generally will bear in mind that it will be advantageous to them to call upon him when returning home from down the river.
ABR. SUSSMAN,
feb20-'56 Perry House, Centre county.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF FIG- ured, Barred and Black Silks, at low prices, to be had at
jan23. J. B. AWL & CO

JUST RECEIVED—A LOT OF DRY Goods, Groceries Corn Brooms, &c., at the store of J. B. AWL & CO.

JUST RECEIVED—A LARGE LOT OF Ladies trimmings, buttons, &c., by
jan23 J. B. AWL & CO.

FOR SALE—A LAND WARRANT, of One Hundred and Twenty Acres.
feb6 JAMES H. RANKIN.

SUPERIOR LOT OF MOUS DE LAINS Calicoes, Casimeres, &c., received this day the Cheap Store of J. B. AWL & CO.

PHILADELPHIA ADVERTISEMENTS.

SUPERIOR TEAS IN THE ORIGINAL HALF CHESTS, IN BOXES of 6 and 12 pounds, for sale by
JENKINS & CO.,
(Original inventors of the Metallic Tea Pack.)
N W corner of NINTH and MARKET Streets, PHILADELPHIA.
☞Teas in Metallic Packs put up in Half Chests, containing a variety of both Black and Green, to suit buyers.
Printed List of Prices, Terms, &c., furnished by mail to all who order them.
All Teas warranted to please, or no sale.
One and the same price and terms to all, and one only.
Half Chests of Black contain about 35 pounds, and of Green, about 50 pounds each. [fe27-3t

H. BECKER. J. S. DELL.
BECKER & DELL, MANUFACTURERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN CLOTHING,
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GEO H ROBERTS, J. R. SELTZER,
J. T. RANK. jun30-6m

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W C BIDDLE,
W M GRISCOM
feb13-6m*

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Importers and Wholesale Dealers in ENGLISH, FRENCH & GERMAN GOODS
Hosiery, Gloves, Mitts, Pongee and Linen Hdkfs, Cravats, Ribbons, Laces and Embroideries, Merino Silk and Cotton Shirts and Drawers, Trimmings, &c, &c, &c, &c, &c. feb13-3m

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To canvassers, this work presents greater advantages than any other general map published for many years. ☞Agents wanted. Address
J. AUGUSTUS PRATT,
jan16-3m Publisher

PARKER'S NEW DINING SALOON, S W corner of SIXTH and CHESTNUT Sts Philadelphia. This new and magnificent saloon is now open for the accommodation of visitors, and from its popular advantages cannot fail to please.
Our location, central—our larder, well supplied—our cooks the most experienced—our bar stock'd with the choicest wines and liquors—waiters attentive. Segars unexceptional—charges moderate—accommodations generally unsurpassed, insure to our patrons and all who may favor us with their custom, satisfaction in all particulars. ☞Therefore call and see the new saloon, at the S W corner of Sixth and Chestnut Streets. jan16

REMOVAL.—DRUGS, GLASS AND PAINTS. ROBERT SHOEMAKER & Co, thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon them, hereby give notice, that owing to the great increase in their business, they have been obliged to seek more room, and to secure it, have removed from their old old stand, N W corner of Second and Green streets, to their new and spacious STORE N E CORNER OF FOURTH and RACE Streets, where an entire new and greatly enlarged stock of DRUGS, PAINTS GLASS, DYE-STUFFS, &c, they are now prepared to furnish all their old, as well as new customers, with any article in their line, at the lowest prices and on accommodating terms.
We shall use every means on our part to render satisfaction to all who may favor us with their custom. ☞As to prices, we can compete with any other house, and the quality of our goods is unsurpassed. ROBERT SHOEMAKER & Co.,
N. E. corner of FOURTH and RACE Sts,
Philadelphia
Manufacturers of Paints in Oil Putty, &c
Importers of French Zinc Paint
Sole Agents for Philadelphia for the sale of FRENCH PLATE GLASS
Dealers in all kinds of plain and fancy WINDOW GLASS
Prices current sent on application by mail, and goods delivered at any of the Depots or Wharves free of expense to the purchaser. feb13-1y

SAINT LAWRENCE HOTEL, CHESTNUT STREET, PHILADA.
This new Hotel is located in Chestnut street, between Tenth and Eleventh, running back to George street, an entire square with ample room and accommodations for 250 persons.
This Hotel has much to render it attractive to the Traveller, Sojourner and Citizen, being directly opposite the Academy of Fine Arts, Parkinson's Garden and Saloons, and in one of the most pleasant and fashionable places on Chestnut Street, also, in the immediate neighborhood of the Theatres, and other places of amusement.
The Rooms are large, airy, and well ventilated—many of them have communicating doors suitable for Families and Parties travelling together. The Furniture is entirely new, and of the most improved style, embracing all the late modern Hotel improvements.
Its close proximity to the different Railroads diverging from the city, being only one square distant from the great Pennsylvania Railroad Depot, and its central and pleasant location, render it as desirable for the Merchant, as the Traveller for pleasure. Coaches will always be in readiness to convey passengers to and from the Hotel.
The proprietor would also beg leave to give notice, that he will be assisted in the management of this New Establishment, by Mrs. M. L. Neefe, the late popular Proprietress of the Yellow Springs Penn., who will have the whole and entire charge of the Ladies' Department, and by Mr George W. Mulle, late Superintendent of the St. Charles Hotel Pittsburg, Penna.
Under this arrangement, the Proprietor flatters himself that he will be able to provide for every want, and establish the character and reputation of the House as strictly a first class hotel!
jan16 WM S. CAMPBELL, Proprietor

VALUABLE SAW MILL FOR SALE. Will be sold at Private Sale a valuable Saw Mill, with about SIXTEEN ACRES OF LAND, part of which is Timber, and can be cultivated. It is situated about one mile north of Milesburg. The mill has an overshot wheel, well calculated for sawing plastering Laths, which are greatly wanted in this neighborhood. Lumber will be taken in part payment. This is a good chance for any person wishing to make a good investment. Apply at
A PARTERAGE'S Marble Works,
jan16 Milesburg

LOST.—ON THE ROAD BETWEEN Milesburg and Howardville, on Thursday last, a LADY'S FITCH FUR VICTORINE. (or Tippet,) yellow and black mixed. Any person finding it and leaving it with ABRAHAM SUSSMAN, Howardville, or T M HALL, Milesburg, or at the CONRAD HOUSE, Bellefonte, will be reasonably rewarded. jan9

BACON.—TEN THOUSAND POUNDS BACON for sale, including Sides, Shoulders, and Hams, at KEALSH'S.
☞TAKE NOTICE.—Any person wishing to purchase a few pounds will get it as cheap as any other who may purchase a thousand. feb6

IF LOCK HAVEN WILL SEND UP their celebrated artist to Milesburg, he can be instructed how to form his letters right, for the school boys of Centre county laugh at his lettering on tomb stones, for they can do far better. [fe20

WANTED.—25,000 LAP AND 15,000 Joint Shingles, at the store of
feb20 J. B. AWL & CO.

DRIED PEACHES AND DRIED AP ples just received and for sale by
jan23 J. B. AWL & CO

MASON BROTHERS, NEW YORK, Published Saturday, January 10th, LAMMERE; By Mrs JULIA C. DORR, author of "Farmingdale." 1 volume, 12mo. Price, $1 25.
The many readers and admirers of "Farmingdale," will anticipate with pleasure a new volume from the pen of "Caroline Thomas," (the *nom-de-plume* formerly used by Mrs. C. Dorr.) We can assure them that they will not find "Lammere" one whit less charming than its predecessor. We shall be disappointed if the public do not award it yet warmer praise.
Published Saturday, Feb. 9th,
EDITH, OR THE QUAKER'S DAUGHTER
A TALE OF THE PURITAN TIMES.
By one of her Descendants. 1 vol 12mo. Price $1.25
The scene of this Domestic Tale is laid during that religious persecution of the Quakers, which is so deep and sad a stain upon the bright fame of the Puritans. To the charm of absorbing interest as a tale, it adds the attraction of historical accuracy.
We have never announced new books with greater satisfaction than in the present instance. These are not sensation books. They do not in any respect belong to the "gutter literature" of the day. Though differing widely in plot, purpose and style, they may alike lay claim to fascinating interest and in adaptation to improve both head and heart.
MASON BROTHERS,
feb27-3t New York.

TO PRINTERS.—FOR SALE. A fount of Nonpareil, nearly new of Johnson's Scotch face.
Two founts of Brevier, second-hand, in good condition.
A number of display founts suitable for cards and advertisements.
Three large imposing stones
Also, a large number of Brass Galleys, Composing Sticks, Cases, Stands, Column rules, Brass Dashes, one pair of double medium Chases, Cuts, and a variety of articles generally used on a double medium newspaper. For further information enquire of the editors of this paper, or of
ROBERT P. CHRISTY,
Filzwater street, above Eighth,
Jan16-tf PHILADELPHIA.

A FREE RECEIPT!—AS A CERTAIN gentleman claims to have made a very brilliant discovery in the manufacturing of marble, we will give the following receipt gratis:
1st. Sink the letters ¼ of an inch, (roughly.)
2d. Heat the stone 250 degrees
3d. Get three cents worth of such cement, (called hot lava)
4th Smelt and pour the letters full, when cold, rub off with pumice stone. (A brilliant discovery!)
Verily we live in an age of humbuggery.
S A GIBSON,
jan16 Lock Haven Marble Works

LITERARY LABOR.—The undersigned is prepared to furnish, at a short notice, Essays on all and every subject, such as Sermons, Orations, Lectures, Speeches, Poems, Resolutions for Public Meetings, Obituaries, and written disquisitions upon literary, theological and political subjects.
Terms, moderate.
☞Singing editors supplied with verses at half price.
☞All communications strictly confidential.
☞Address, JULES JANIN, Jr., *Democratic Watchman* Office, Bellefonte, Centre county, Pa
de19-1y*

ESTATE OF HENRY REEDER, DE- CEASED. Whereas Letters of Administration on the Estate of HENRY REEDER, dec'd, late of Gregg township, Centre county, Pa., have been granted to the undersigned, residing in said township. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please come forward and settle the same, and those having claims against the estate will present them properly authenticated to
JOHN BISHEL,
feb6-'56 Administrator

ESTATE OF PETER NEESE DEC'D.—Whereas, Letters of Administration on the Estate of PETER NEESE, deceased, late of Gregg township, Centre county, Pa, have been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please make payment, and those have claims will present them properly authenticated for settlement, to
PETER NEESE,
jan30-6t Administrator

MEDICAL PARTNERSHIP.—DR. GEO L POTTER having associated with him in the practice of medicine, Dr J B MITCHELL they offer their professional services to the citizens of Bellefonte and vicinity. When necessary the consulting attention of both will be given without additional charge.
☞Dr. Mitchell's residence at Mrs. Bonnel's, Bellefonte dec12-tf

WM. P. MACMANUS, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Attends to collections in Centre, Clinton and Clearfield counties.
Also, Deeds, Mortgages, &c., legally drawn. Terms, moderate. Office with James Macmanus Esq, Bellefonte, Pa. jan16-tf

WILLIAM H. BLAIR, ATTORNEY AT LAW BELLEFONTE, PENN
Office with Hon. James T. Hale nov28

JAMES H. RANKIN, ATTORNEY AT LAW, BELLEFONTE, PA.

ALL KINDS OF PRODUCE TAKEN in exchange for goods for which the highest market price will be paid.—Also, five tons of Pork wanted by
jan23 J. B. AWL & CO.

BEANS, HOMINY, RICE, RAISINS; Nuts of all kinds, just received and for sale by
nov27 PRUNER

SUGAR, COFFEE, TEA, MOLASSES, Chocolate, Spices of all kinds, Salt, Oils, Fish, Vinegar, Apples, &c. A good and fresh assortment for sale by [nov27] PRUNER.

TO THE LADIES.—A SPLENDID AS- SORTMENT of Collars, Undersleeves, Linen Hdkfs, Thread Laces, and Prints of the best make and color, warranted. Call and examine the different varieties, at [nov27] KEALSH'S

CORN STARCH, CANDLE WICK, GUN Caps, Shot, Lead, Pen Knives, can be purchased cheap, at
nov23 PRUNER.

TOBACCO.—A SMALL QUANTITY of the favorite Tobacco, which was so popular among the chewers last winter. Call immediately and supply yourself, at KEALSH'S

CANDIES.—AN ENDLESS VARIETY, wholesale and retail, cheaper than the cheapest always on hand and for sale by
nov23 PRUNER

MALAGA RAISINS.—JUST REC'D, at the Store of J B AWL & CO

BOOTS AND SHOES.—A large stock of Winter Boots and Shoes, for Gents and Ladies' wear; also, Boys' Misses' and Childrens' Boots and Shoes, of all kinds, for sale by J B AWL & Co.,
jan16 Bellefonte

SNOW SHOE STEAM SAW MILL.—The subscriber having erected a large Steam Saw Mill, is prepared to saw to order bills of any description at the shortest notice.
ROBERT LIPTON,
On the Snowshoe road, 11 miles from
nov23-1y* Milesburg. Pa.

BARNUM IS GOING TO MILESBURG after the man that made the brilliant discovery in the manufacturing of marble, and carves turkey buzzards for American eagles and grasshoppers for angels. feb27-tf

HARDWARE.—A general assortment of Hardware and Table Cutlery for sale by
Jan16 J. B. AWL & Co, Bellefonte

KEEP IT BEFORE THE PEOPLE, that the beautiful Marble Work, manufactured by S. A. GIBSON, of Lock Haven, drew the highest premium awarded at the Centre County Fair dec12-tf

BOOTS AND SHOES.—A large assortment of well-made Boots and Shoes, just received and for sale by
dec19-tf KEALSH.

SEGARS.—LARGE LOT OF TULIPAN and Beranco Segars, for sale by the box, at the Store of J. B. AWL & CO

FOR SALE—A TWO HORSE WAGON—double lock, finished in the best style, by
feb20 J. B. AWL & CO.

FRESH LOT OF GROCERIES.—COM- prising Sugar, Coffee, Molasses, &c., at the store of [feb20] J B AWL & CO.

THE CHEAP CORNER. NEW, CHEAP AND DESIRABLE GOODS. The undersigned has just received and opened at his well known and cheap corner, a stock of well-selected and seasonable goods, as follows:
FOR LADIES APPAREL.
Dress Silks of various kinds, colors and Cashmeres, Alpaccas, Bombazines, Bombazetts, Mous De Laines, Calicoes, Handkerchiefs, Shawls, Scarfs, &c., &c., at moderate prices.
HIS CLOTHS
Consist of French, English and American manufacture, of all hues and colors, and of a texture to suit.
CASSIMERS,
Foreign and Domestic—he has a superb article, comprising the latest styles. Also
VESTINGS,
Of Black Satin, Fancy Silk, Velvet, &c.
HOSIERY OF ALL KINDS.
HATS AND CAPS.
Cravats, Scarfs, Plain and Figured Satin Stocks, Black Silk and Fancy Handkerchiefs.
BOOTS AND SHOES,
For Ladies, Misses and Children. Also
READY-MADE CLOTHING.
A full assortment of COATS, of various fashions, PANTS and VESTS to suit the season and various tastes of customers. Come and examine for yourselves.
GROCERIES.
Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Tea, Chocolate, Spices of all kinds and of good quality, Salt, &c., &c.
QUEENSWARE AND CUTLERY,
Of every kind and variety, selected with much care to suit every demand in a neighborhood like ours.
HARDWARE.
Of all kinds and descriptions; besides every other article found in a store.
I hope by strict attention to business, honesty in giving full weight and measure, and furnishing good and cheap articles to receive the patronage of the public. I respectfully invite all to examine my goods and judge for themselves.
C. DERR,
Corner of the Diamond and Allegheny street,
nov28-tf Bellefonte.

TWELVE THOUSAND GIFTS!!!—THE WALKER ASSOCIATION having purchased the right to "Watson's Celebrated Metallic Horse Powder" Receipe now offer them for sale at the low price of One Dollar each, (not the 20th of their value.) ☞Every person owning or having the care of Horses should possess themselves of this recipe at their earliest opportunity.
The Association will give a numbered certificate with each "Receipe" gratuitously, entitling the holder to one of the following 12,000 Gifts.

LIST OF GIFTS

1 Perpetual Loan, without interest		5,000	$500.00
1 " " "		200	200.00
10 Gold Watches, valued each at		100	1000.00
20 " " "		60	1200.00
20 " Guard Chains,	"	40	800.00
20 Silver Watches,	"	25	500.00
100 Gold Finger Rings,	"	6	600.00
1000 Bibles,	"	1.50	1500.00
1000 "	"	1	1000.00
1500 Books,	"	0.50	750.00
8323 "	"	0.25	2032.00

☞The committee to distribute the property are to be selected by the Receipe Holders, at such time and place as they may hereafter designate. It is expected that the Receipes will all be sold at as early a day as possible.
All orders for Receipes must be addressed to the
WALKER ASSOCIATION,
Walker P. O. Centre county, Pa.,
Where they will receive prompt attention of the Agent of the Association. Jan9

LADIES' DRESS GOODS AND TRIM- MINGS. A great variety, for sale by
Jan16 J B AWL & Co

IF YOU WANT TO BUY GOOD AND CHEAP GOODS call on
H BROCKERHOFF,
Who has just received from Philadelphia and beautiful stock of Goods, consisting of the fashionable Dress Goods for Ladies and Gentlemen such as French Merinos, Alpacas, Paramatta Cloth, Persian Cloth, Delaines, Debege, Silks, Prints of all description. Also, Cloths, Cassimers, Plain and Fancy Cassinets, Vestings, also a large lot of Dress Trimmings, Buttons, Ribbons, Gloves, Mitts, Woollen and Cotton Hosiery, and a variety of FANCY GOODS too numerous to mention.
Flannels of all kinds, Shawls Bleached and Unbleached Muslins, Tickings Checks Ginghams, &c.
Also, Groceries of all kinds! Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes Hardware and Iron, Queensware Buckets, Tubs, Baskets, and all goods usually kept in a country store
LUMBER
All kinds of Lumber for sale at a reasonable price
Bellefonte, D 12 tf

FARMER'S TAKE NOTICE!!! THE undersigned having secured the Agency for Centre County, for the much celebrated
HAY AND GRAIN HORSE RAKE,
known as "Sander's Patent," would inform Farmers that he can furnish rakes for all who will give their names as early as possible. ☞To mechanics who wish to make a profitable investment, he will sell the right for townships or parts of townships, at reasonable prices. The rake is attached to buggy wheels or if desired, wheels will be made for them. The teeth are spring wire, and yield readily to the inequalities of the surface, leaving a clean sward behind, alike on stony and smooth surfaces. All wishing to see one of the rakes can gratify their curiosity by calling at Centre Hall. To all I would say, don't purchase till you see my rake, and if satisfaction is not rendered, you may be assured that you are an exception to all buyers.
G. YEAGER.
jan16 Centre Hall

LIVERY STABLE.—NOW FOR A PLEASANT RIDE. The subscriber informs the citizens of Bellefonte and vicinity, and the travelling public generally, that they can at all times be furnished with good and trusty horses for either riding or driving by calling on him at the Pennsylvania Hotel. He has a good stock of Horses, as well as Buggies, Carriages, Hacks Rockaways, Saddles, Harness, &c. Careful drivers furnished when desired.
☞All who wish to drive safe and fast horses, and ride in neat and comfortable vehicles, can be accommodated R. D. CUMMINGS
dec12 Bellefonte.

WANTED IN EXCHANGE FOR DRY GOODS Groceries, Hardware, Drugs, Boots, Shoes, Clothing, &c.,
5000 lbs. Roll Butter
5000 " Lard.
1000 " Tallow
1000 doz. Eggs
1000 bushels Cloverseed
For which the highest market price will be paid in exchange for Dry Goods.
Cloverseed will be purchased for Cash at the store of the subscriber, JARED B. FISHER,
dec25 Centreville.

ESTATE OF AMOS GARBERICK, Dec'd—Whereas, Letters testamentary with the will annexed, &c. of the estate of Amos Garberick, dec'd late of Walker township Centre co., have been issued to the undersigned, residing in Marion and Walker townships. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated to
JOHN GARBERICK,
WM GARBERICK,
feb6 Executors

TO MERCHANTS, & ALL OTHERS who are engaged in the sale of DEER SKINS; and all description of FURS. The subscriber being extensively engaged in the
FUR BUSINESS,
invites all who have such articles to dispose of to give him a call. He pays the highest market price in cash. It would be well for our hunters to remember that I pay them cash, and give them the full value of the skins they have to dispose of.
All communications promptly attended to, by
G. M. KEPLER,
dec21 Pine Grove Mills

STAGES FOR TYRONE.—DAILY.—The undersigned would respectfully inform the travelling public that he now runs a daily line of Stages to Tyrone—Tri-weekly by way of Stormstown and Warriorsmark, and tri-weekly via Bald Eagle Plank Road.
From Tyrone on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, from Bellefonte on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, and the following days on the Storms own route.
dec12 R. D. CUMMINGS

MEN WHO HAVE MUCH WRITING to do we advise them to try KEALSH'S superior STEEL PENS and INK. These articles are just the thing for school teachers. dec12

MARTIN STONE, AUCTIONEER, will attend to the crying of Real Estate Sales, Public Vendues, &c. Having had considerable experience in the business he flatters himself that he able to give satisfaction. nov27-tf

GROCERIES.—J. B. AWL & Co. offer for sale a large assortment of HYSON, YOUNG HYSON, IMPERIAL, OOLONG and CHULAN TEAS, SUGARS, COFFEES, TOBACCO and SEGARS of every description. jan16

LANCASTER QUILTS.—SPLENDID variety. Just received and for sale by
nov27 KEALSH.

HARDWARE.—A large variety, for sale at
dec19 KEALSH'S