

Farm, Garden & Household.

STEALING FRUIT, FLOWERS, &c.

In some States there are no laws, or laws of insufficient kind, to protect the owners of fruits, flowers, crops, trees, &c., against thieves. It was so in Pennsylvania, up to within a few years; but now, after much difficulty in obtaining a proper enactment, the owners of this species of property, have, to some extent, as the owners of cattle, household goods or bank notes, protection afforded them by law. We prayed for this law, many years, but it was long, very long, coming; and now that we possess it, now that the proprietors of this valuable description of estate, are secured in the enjoyment of it by the strong arm of municipal power, the deprivations of thieves—formerly so daring and destructive—have greatly diminished, indeed have almost entirely ceased. In numerous instances that have come to our notice, the law has been put in force, fines imposed, and in one or two cases the thieves have been sent to prison. Such being the penalties of the law, and the infliction resting entirely with any justice of the peace—no owner of fruit, flowers, green-houses, gardens, orchards, &c., should fail to put the law in execution against every trespasser and thief. There should be no temporizing, no hesitating, on the part of the sufferers; and where a firm policy is maintained, and the penalties are meted out promptly, there will soon be no need to inflict them more than once or twice in any locality.

Well may a writer whose complaint is now before us, say, that "pilfering fruit, or destroying the flowers of neighbors, is a most disgraceful act." Ay, it is more—it is as criminal as robbing you, or destroying any other species of property. And why should it not be? If a person expends a hundred, a thousand, or five thousand dollars in an orchard, a garden, and his appliances; he values them quite as highly, and they contribute quite as much to his enjoyment and comfort as his horses, his cattle, his watch, or his jewelry. And why, therefore, should they not be protected against the thief and the spoiler, with equal sacredness and solicitude?—Ger. Tel.

FLAVOR OF FRUIT IMPROVED BY THINNING.

An article in the Journal of Horticulture, has the following very judicious remarks on the propriety of thinning fruit:

"The flavor of fruit, bearing extreme sunless seasons, is entirely under the control of the gardener. A clever man can command flavor; a dull man when he finds his fruit flavorless, makes idle excuses, which should never be listened to. If a tree trained to a wall be allowed to ripen, say ten dozen of fruit, when five or six dozen only should have been left, they, although they may be of a fair size and color, suffer in flavor to an extent scarcely credible. How often has the gardener had occasion to complain of his pears not being good, although produced on fine trees trained against walls? He complains of the season; but it is in most cases owing to the trees being allowed to bear just double the number they ought to have done. The following ought to be inscribed on every wall, and in every fruit and orchard house:—"By thinning, you make indifferent fruit bad." By crowding you make good fruit bad." If very fine and high flavored fruit is wished for, a tree capable of bearing three dozen of medium sized peaches should be allowed to bear only twelve or fifteen. It is like drawing a tooth, and every fruit that falls to the ground creates a pang; but it must be done. A small, sharp pen-knife is the best instrument to employ and is much better than tearing off the fruit with the finger and thumb. A well-formed peach or nectarine tree, be it bush or pyramid, with its fruit properly thinned and nearly ripe, is one of the most beautiful, articles the skill of the cultivator can produce.

BRAN MASHES FOR HORSES.

Many who keep horses give them no change of food. It is hay and oats all the time. Those who pretend to keep fine horses, will not even suppose make a regular feed of corn. For horses, we know, are fed almost entirely on corn in the West. It is only as a feed for a plough team—but certainly not for fine carriage or buggy horses. But horses, whether fed regularly on corn or oats, should have a bran mash at least once a week—and if twice all the better. It cools the system—it opens the bowels and cleanses and purifies them. It keeps the horse in health. It wards off the cholera and other bowel complaints. There will be fewer horses dying with the bots, cholera and similar diseases, if bran mashes are given weekly.

THE CATTLE DEFICIENCY.

By a statistical article prepared by Dr. Metcalf, of Massachusetts, compiled from the census returns, and other data, it is shown that up to 1860, 28 milch cows, 8 working oxen and 44 other cattle—making 80 neat cattle—were required for each 100 inhabitants. There has not been a deviation of one per cent. from this rule for the last thirty years.

Leaving Texas and the Pacific slope out of the estimate, as having little to do with the demand and supply of other parts of the country, and the ratio is reduced to 68 cattle for each 100 inhabitants.

NOTICE.

HUNTINGDON AND BROAD TOP R. R. TRAINS LEAVE MT. DALLAS: 9:25 A. M. and 3:40 P. M. LEAVE HUNTINGDON: S. A. M. and 4 P. M. April 7, 1865.

SALE.

A LARGE quantity—in sacks and in barrels—wholesale and retail—at Bloody Run Station, on the 14th of April, JOHN W. BARNOLLAR.

THE BARGAIN STORE STILL AHEAD!

G. R. & W. OSTER, BEDFORD, PA.

Have just received a very large and beautiful stock of New and Cheap Goods.

AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

To meet the popular demand for lower prices, we are now selling many of the daily necessities of the people a hundred per cent. lower. Any body that sells lower than we do will soon learn the road to the Poor House; but we have made up our minds that if we have to bust up to get all the money we can and to owe a million of dollars, is better than five thousand.

DRESS GOODS.

Black Silks, Alpaca, Bombazines, Mohairs, Reps, Poplins, Superfines, Delaines, Challies, Brillants, Lawns, Prints, Cambrics, Jacquets. Shirting Linens. Best Bleached and Unbleached Muslins, in all widths, from 12 1/2 to 39. White, Scarlet, Solitaires, Grey and Check Shirting Flannels, Gingham, in 24 and 36 inch widths. Denim and Tickings, Shirting Stripes, and Cottonades from 20 cts up to 75 cts. Linen Dicks, Drillings and Checks. Cloths, Cassimers, Satinets, Tweeds and Jeans. Superior Wool Ingrain Carpets and Floor Oil Cloths. Embossed Wool and Oil Cloth Table Covers.

HOSIERY AND GLOVES.

Shirt Necks, Lined and Paper Shit Collars, Stockings, Neckties, Suspenders and Handkerchiefs, Bathing and Hoop Skirts. Window Shades and Wall Papers.

HATS.

Every quality, style and color, from 12 1/2 cts. up.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

The largest and best assortment of Ladies', Gents', Misses' and Children's Tampons, Morocco, English Kid, Glove Kid, French Lasting, Goat and Fine Calf, Balmorals, Gaiters, Boots, Buskins, Slippers and Ties in town, with or without heels, made to order, call and see them, they speak for themselves.

QUEENSWARE.

A large assortment.

GROCERIES.

Prime Rio, Java and French Breakfast Coffee, Extra fine Imperial, Young Hyson, Japanese and Oolong Tea; Prepared and Essence of Coffee; Sugars and Syrups, a choice assortment; Corn Starch, Farina; Extracts for flavoring and Spices of all kinds.

TOBACCO.

Extra Congress, Navy, Span Roll, Flounder, Dew Drop, Eldorado, Grapeline, 12 inch Twist, bright Virginia Cavendish, Solitee, Century Brand and Fine Cut Cavendish Chewing Tobacco. Also, Smoking Tobacco and Segars of the choicest brands.

HERRING, MACKEREL AND SALT.

Together with a great variety of other goods, to which we invite the early attention of everybody; but don't come without the money.

TERMS—CASH.

May 1st, 1865.

GEO. DEMERIT & CO., JEWELERS,

303 BROADWAY, N. Y.

(CORNER DEARE STREET.)

100,000 WATCHES, CHAINS, GOLD PENS AND PENCILS, &c. WORTH \$500,000.

To be sold at ONE DOLLAR each without regard to Value.

AND NOT TO BE PAID UNTIL YOU KNOW WHAT YOU WILL RECEIVE.

SPLendid LIST OF ARTICLES

ALL TO BE SOLD FOR ONE DOLLAR EACH

100 Gold Hunting Cases Watches each \$100.00

1000 Gold and Silver Chains 2.00 to 15.00

1000 Ladies' Watches 35.00

500 Silver Watches 15.00 to 25.00

6000 Gold Neck and Vest Chains 12.00 to 15.00

2000 Gold and Silver Chains 2.00 to 15.00

3000 Vest and Neck Chains 4.00 to 12.00

4000 Solitaire Jet & Gold Brooches 4.00 to 8.00

1000 Coral, Lava, Garnet, Brooches 5.00 to 8.00

7000 Gold, Jet, Opal, &c. Ear Drops 3.00 to 8.00

5000 Gents' Breast and Scarf Pins 3.00 to 8.00

6000 Oval Band Bracelets 2.00 to 8.00

2000 Pebble and Ribbon Rings 2.00 to 5.00

3500 California Diamond Pins, Rings 2.00 to 8.00

2000 Gold Watch Keys 2.50 to 6.00

5000 Solitaire Sleeve Buttons, Studs 2.00 to 8.00

2000 Gold Buttons 4.00 to 6.00

6000 Miniature Lockets 2.00 to 7.00

3000 Miniature Lockets, Magic 4.00 to 9.00

2500 Gold Toothpicks, Crosses, &c. 2.00 to 5.00

3000 Pebble and Ribbon Rings 2.00 to 5.00

5000 Chased Gold Rings 2.00 to 5.00

4000 Stone Set Jewelry 2.00 to 6.00

6500 Sets Ladies' Jewelry, Jet, gold, &c. 5.00 to 15.00

4000 Sets Ladies' Jewelry, 5.00 to 15.00

8000 Gold Pens, silver case & pencil 4.00 to 8.00

4000 Gold Pens, silver holder & case 6.00 to 10.00

6000 Gold Pens, mounted holder 2.00 to 6.00

All the goods in the above list will be sold, without reservation, for ONE DOLLAR EACH. Certificates of all the various articles are placed in certain envelopes sealed and mixed. These envelopes will be sent by mail, or delivered at our office, without regard to choice. On receiving a Certificate, you will see what article it represents and it is optional with you to send one dollar, and receive the article named, or any other in the list of same value.

By this mode we give selections from a varied stock of fine goods, of the best make and latest styles, and of intrinsic worth, at a nominal price, while all have a chance of securing articles of the very highest value.

In all transactions, by mail we charge for forwarding the Certificate, paying postage, and insuring the business, 25 cents each. Five Certificates will be sent for \$1.50; eleven for \$2; thirty for \$5; sixty-five for \$10; and one hundred for \$15.

SECURE A CERTIFICATE! There is no hazard or risk. There are no blanks. Every Certificate represents an article. As we sell none of the lower grades of jewelry no person can receive less than the value of their money, and they may get an article worth \$50, \$100, or a hundred fold!

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED. Every person knows what they will receive before the article is paid for. On receipt of a Certificate you see what article it represents, and it is, of course, at your option to take it, or any other article in our list of the same value. We guarantee entire satisfaction to every purchaser, and if there should be any person dissatisfied with any article received from us, they may immediately return it, and the amount paid will be refunded. One trial will prove to any that this sale gives purchasers greater advantages than any other ever proposed.

STAND FROM UNDER! CHEAP CORNER.

COMING DOWN WITH A CRASH.

J. B. FARQUHAR

Has been to the City purchasing his

SPRING STOCK.

and takes pleasure in stating he is fully prepared to sell at

A REDUCTION OF FROM 25 to 50 per cent.

ON FORMER PRICES.

We ask the public to examine our stock, as we are determined not to let any one under sell us.

COLONADE BUILDING.

J. B. FARQUHAR.

Brown Muslin 50 cents,

AT CHEAP CORNER.

Calico Twenty-Five Cents,

AT CHEAP CORNER.

Delaines Thirty-Five cents,

AT CHEAP CORNER.

GOOD MACKEREL

Barrels, Half Barrels, Quarters & Kits,

FARQUHAR'S CHEAP CORNER,

EAST PITT STREET.

Bedford, April 7, 1865.

GREAT SUCCESS OF THE Bedford County Mutual Oil Company.

Over 50,000 Shares Already Sold.

Capital Stock.....\$150,000.

Par Value of Shares.....\$1.00.

No Favoritism. Every Subscriber on the Ground Floor.

The property of the above named company, which is about being organized under the mining laws of Pennsylvania, consists of the following valuable territory, to wit:

1. A lease of one-half acre, known as "No. 2," on the Tenney and Storow purchase, on Cherry Run, Venango county, Pa., just above the celebrated "Red" well, within a few rods of a well just struck, flowing at present 100 barrels per day. A new derrick erected upon the lot. One half the oil to the company.

2. A lease of one-half acre in close proximity to the above, known as "No. 6," on the Tenney and Storow purchase on Cherry Run. New derrick erected upon the lot. One half the oil to the company.

3. The refusal for sixty days, of a lease on Sugar Creek, of two acres of ground; five-eighths of the oil to the company.

4. Seven acres in fee simple on the waters of Ritchey Run, one mile from its junction with the Allegheny, about the same distance from the Fox and White runs by the "Stump Island Oil Company." All fat, boreable territory, at present under cultivation, with a good frame house upon it.

5. Three acres in fee simple on the Allegheny river, just below the mouth of the Clarion river. There is room on this tract for a half dozen wells.

6. The Allegheny and Clarion River Oil Company, of Philadelphia, are now sinking several wells immediately opposite this property, with excellent prospects of success.

In presenting the above basis to the public, it is confidently believed that it cannot be excelled by that of any other company yet organized. The two leases on Cherry Run are themselves worth more than the territories of many companies which profess to be based upon a million capital.

The Cherry Run region has proved to be the surest oil-producing territory yet discovered. Nineteen tenths of the wells bored on this stream have been successful. The great "Red" well, flowing 375 barrels per day, the "Mountain" well, boring 400 barrels all of the large wells yet struck, are located on Cherry Run.

It is proposed to sell a sufficient number of shares to pay for the territory, and to raise working capital by the sale of the shares at the low price of ten cents per share, thus placing every subscriber to this fund on the ground-floor, and giving each subscriber a pro rata interest in the territory, rigors, engines, and other property of the company, as well as the shares of stock remaining unsold after the purchase money and working capital are raised. From the nature of the lease bearing up on them must be commenced within sixty days from the 20th of April, 1865, which is a sufficient guaranty that the company will proceed without delay in the development of the territory.

The following named persons have been elected Officers of the company.

President—J. B. FARQUHAR. Secretary and Treasurer—JACOB REED.

DIRECTORS: Wm. Masters, B. F. Meyers, H. T. Smith, J. M. Shoemaker, J. H. Embel, F. D. Beckler.

Persons desiring to secure Stock in this Company will please call immediately on any one of the above officers.

CALL AT CRAMER & CO.'S IF YOU WANT CHEAP GOODS!

THERE YOU WILL FIND A Good Stock; ALL OF WHICH IS OFFERED AT PRICES CORRESPONDING WITH THE GREAT DECLINE.

April 7, 1865.

WHISKERS! WHISKERS!

Do you want Whiskers or Mountaches? Our Gremlin Compound will force them to grow on the smooth face or chin, or hair on bald heads, in Six Weeks. Price, \$1.00. Sent by mail anywhere closely sealed on receipt of price. Address, WARRNER CO., Box 135, Brooklyn, N. Y.

NEW MACKEREL, HERRING, and SHAD.

For Sale at Bloody Run Station, feb17:65m J. W. BARNOLLAR.

GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES OF DRY GOODS,

AT BARGAINS, BARGAINS, BARGAINS,

FOR CASH. Stock Must be Reduced.

APRIL 7, 1865.

SALE.

A LARGE quantity—in sacks and in barrels—wholesale and retail—at Bloody Run Station, on the 14th of April, JOHN W. BARNOLLAR.

WASHINGTON HOTEL.

BEDFORD, PA.

ISAAC F. GROVE, Proprietor.

THE subscriber would respectfully announce to his friends in Bedford County, and the public generally that he has leased for a term of years, this large and convenient brick hotel, at the corner of Pitt and Juliana streets, Bedford, Pa. known as the WASHINGTON HOTEL, and formerly kept by Wm. Dierker.

This House is being thoroughly re-fitted and re-furnished, and is now opened for the reception of guests. Visitors to the BEDFORD SPRINGS, and persons attending Court, will find this House a pleasant and quiet temporary home. Every attention will be paid to the accommodation and comfort of the guests. Charges will be moderate.

Extensive Stabling is attached to this Hotel, and a careful and competent Hostler will be in attendance.

Special attention will be paid to the accommodation of the farming community. Coaches leave this House Daily, (Sundays excepted) at 8 o'clock A. M. and 2 o'clock P. M., to connect with the trains going East, from Mount Dallas Station and Blooming Run, and will also leave tri-weekly, (Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday) for Somerset. The traveling public will find it decidedly to their advantage to stop with him.

ISAAC F. GROVE.

Bedford, April 7, 1865.

628. HOPKINS' 628.

Hoop Skirt Manufactory,

No. 628 Arch st. above 6th, PHILA.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

The most complete assortment and best quality and styles of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Hoop Skirts, in the City. Those of "Our Own Make," are gotten up expressly to meet the wants of First Quality Trade, making both long and short, and of desirable styles, size, lengths and size-waists, in trail and plain SKIRTS, from 19 to 56 springs, from 33 to 44 inches long, and 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, and 36 parts making both long and short, and of a hundred varieties for Ladies; in Misses' and Children's Skirts we are beyond all competition; all that are made by us have stamped on the kid cap "Hopkins' Hoop Skirt Manufactory," No. 628 Arch street, Philad'a., and are warranted to give satisfaction.

Agents for the "NEW FLEXIBLE" Skirt, the most pliable, durable and equal to Bradley's "Duplex Elastic" Skirt, and at much lower price.

Also, constantly in receipt of a full assortment of good Eastern made Skirts which are being sold at very low prices.—Kid padded and metallic fastened 16 springs 85 cents, 20 springs \$1.20, 26 springs \$1.50, 30 springs \$1.75 and 40 springs \$1.90. Skirt made to order.

Call—One Price Daily. For circular containing catalogue of styles, lengths, sizes and Prices, call at or address by mail, inclosing stamp for postage, "Hopkins' Hoop Skirt Manufactory," No. 628 Arch street, Philadelphia." ap28:2m

BEFORE THE COURT, held at Bedford, in and for the County of Bedford, on the 1st day of May, A. D. 1865, before the Judges of the said County.

On motion of John Cassens, Esq., the Court granted a rule on the heirs and legal representatives of Catharine Miller, late of Harrison township, dec'd., to wit: Mary Ann, intermarried with Peter Lehman of Venango county, Pa., Heester, intermarried with Daniel M. Miller, of Harrison township, and Daniel H. Miller, of Harrison twp., and also Elizabeth Miller of Bedford twp., Susan intermarried with John Lewis, of Harrison township, and John S. Miller a minor of Harrison township; these three being children and heirs of Sarah, a daughter now deceased; to and appear at our office of John Cassens, Esq., the Court, on the 1st Monday, 4th day, of September next, to accept or refuse to take the real estate of said deceased, in testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the said Court, at Bedford, the 1st day of May, A. D. 1865.

J. O. E. SHANNON, Clerk.

MILLINERY GOODS.

BROOKS & ROSENHEIM, WHOLESALE DEALERS,

No. 431 MARKET STREET, North Side, PHILADELPHIA.

Have now open their usual handsome variety of RIBBONS, BONNET MATERIALS, STRAW & FANCY BONNETS, "LAIN" MILLS, MILLINERY HATS, FLOWERS, RUCHES, LACES, and all other articles required by the

MILLINERY TRADE!

By long experience and strict attention to this branch of business exclusively, we flatter ourselves that we can offer inducements, in variety, styles, quality and moderate prices—not everywhere obtainable. Our stock is constantly replenished and our prices are respectfully solicited.

Particular attention paid to filling orders. mar17:3m

1865. PHILADELPHIA 1865.

HOWELL & BURKE, MANUFACTURERS OF WALL PAPERS,

CORNER FOURTH and MARKET STREETS, PHILADELPHIA.

N. P.—A fine stock of Linen Shades constantly on hand. feb24:3m

BEST WHITE LEAD!

PURE LIBERTY LEAD, BEST ZINC. Unsurpassed in quality. Lays down, Durability, Firmness and Economy. PURE LIBERTY LEAD.

Warranted to cover more surface for same weight than any other Lead. Try it and you will have no other.

PURE LIBERTY ZINC. Selected Zinc, ground in Refined Linseed Oil, unequalled in quality. Lays down, Cleans and Brightens. PURE LIBERTY ZINC.

Warranted to do more and better work at a given cost than any other—Get the Best! Manufactured at J. T. WIGTON'S.

PENNSYLVANIA PAINT AND COLOR WORKS.

Orders executed promptly by ZIEGLER & SMITH, Wholesale Drug, Paint, and Glass Dealers, PHILADELPHIA, No. 137 North Third Street, mar17:3m

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

A. Estate of JOHN THOMAS C. DICKEN, late of Cumberland Valley township, deceased. Letters of administration on said estate having been granted by the Register of Bedford County to the subscriber, residing in said township, all persons having claims or demands against the said estate are requested to make them known to me without delay, and those indebted are notified to make immediate payment. LEVI HARDINGER, Administrator.

S. & W. SHUCK.

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF STAPLE DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, QUEENSWARE, A GREAT VARIETY OF SHOES for Ladies, Children, Men and Boys Shoes and Boots.—HATS and CAPS. 500 CORDS of TAN BARK WANTED. apr. 8, 1864.—H.

BLINDS AND SHADES.

B. J. WILLIAMS,

10 North Sixth Street, PHILADELPHIA.

MANUFACTURER OF VENETIAN BLINDS AND WINDOW SHADES. The largest and finest assortment in the city at the lowest cash prices. STORE SHADES MADE AND LETTERED. apr17:2m

NEW GOODS

JUST RECEIVED AT MRS. STEWART'S.

CALL AND SEE THEM.

Winchester's HYPOPHOSPHITES.

ACT PROMPTLY AND CERTAINLY IN ALL CASES OF CONSUMPTION.

They immediately increase the strength and deepen the color of the pale blood. They subdue the Chills and Fever, and diminish the Expectoration. They check the hectic sweats, always, in from seven to fourteen days. They are a tonic, invigorant, and the patient rapidly gains flesh, the cough and the difficult breathing are speedily relieved, the appetite becomes active, and the evacuations regular and uniform. ALL THE GENERAL SYMPTOMS DISAPPEAR RAPIDLY THAT SEEM MARVELLOUS.—J. F. Churchill.

THE HYPOPHOSPHITES

are an appropriate and SPECIFIC REMEDY for every disorder characterized by any one or more of the following SYMPTOMS:—