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Professional Cards.

A. P. W. JOHNSON, Surveyor and Civil Engineer, Huntingdon, Pa. Office: No. 113 Third Street. aug21, 1872.
DR. H. W. BUCHANAN, DENTIST, No. 225 Hill Street, HUNTINGDON, PA. July 5, '72.
D. CALDWELL, Attorney-at-Law, No. 111, 34 Street, Office formerly occupied by Messrs. Woods & Caldwell. (Jan. 12, '71.)
DR. A. B. BRUMBAUGH, offers his professional services to the community. Office, No. 523 Washington Street, one door east of the Catholic Parsonage. (Jan. 4, '71.)
E. J. GREENE, Dentist, Office removed to Leister's new building, Hill Street. (Jan. 4, '71.)
G. L. ROBB, Dentist, office in S. T. Leister's new building, No. 523, Hill Street, Huntingdon, Pa. (Jan. 12, '71.)
H. C. MADDEN, Attorney-at-Law, Office, No. 113, Hill Street, Huntingdon, Pa. (Jan. 12, '71.)
J. FRANKLIN SCHOCK, Attorney-at-Law, Huntingdon, Pa. Prompt attention given to all legal business. Office 229 Hill Street. Court House. (Jan. 12, '71.)
J. SYLVANUS BLAIR, Attorney-at-Law, Huntingdon, Pa. Office, 113 Hill Street, three doors west of Smith. (Jan. 4, '71.)
J. CHALMERS JACKSON, Attorney-at-Law, Office with Wm. Dorris, Esq., No. 495, Hill Street, Huntingdon, Pa. All legal business promptly attended to. (Jan. 12, '71.)
J. R. DURBORROW, Attorney-at-Law, Huntingdon, Pa. will practice in the several Courts of Huntingdon county. Particular attention given to the settlement of estates of decedents. Office in the Journal Building. (Feb. 7, '71.)
J. W. MATTERN, Attorney-at-Law and General Claim Agent, Huntingdon, Pa. Sallies' claims against the Government for back pay, bounty, widow's and invalid pensions attended to with great care and promptness. Office on Hill Street. (Jan. 4, '71.)
L. S. GEISSINGER, Attorney-at-Law, Huntingdon, Pa. Office one door East of R. M. Speer's office. (Jan. 12, '71.)
K. ALLEN LOVELL, J. HALL MESSER,
LOVELL & MUSSER, Attorneys at Law, Huntingdon, Pa. Special attention given to COLLECTIONS of all kinds; to the settlement of ESTATES, &c.; and all other legal business prosecuted with fidelity and dispatch. (Nov. 6, '72.)
R. A. ORBISON, Attorney-at-Law, Office, 321 Hill Street, Huntingdon, Pa. (Jan. 12, '71.)
JOHN SCOTT, S. T. BROWN, J. M. SHIPLEY,
SCOTT, BROWN & BAILEY, Attorneys at Law, Huntingdon, Pa. Pension, and all claims of soldiers and soldiers' heirs against the Government, will be promptly presented. Office on Hill Street. (Jan. 4, '71.)
WILLIAM A. FLEMING, Attorney-at-Law, Huntingdon, Pa. Special attention given to collections, and all other legal business attended to with care and promptness. Office, No. 225, Hill Street. (Jan. 12, '71.)

Hotels.

JACKSON HOUSE, FOUR DOORS EAST OF THE UNION DEPOT, HUNTINGDON, PA. Nov. 12, 73-6a.
MORRISON HOUSE, OPPOSITE PENNSYLVANIA R. R. DEPOT, HUNTINGDON, PA. J. H. CLOVER, Prop. April 5, 1871-ly.
Miscellaneous.
H. ROBBLEY, Merchant Tailor, in Leister's Building (second floor), Huntingdon, Pa., respectfully solicits a share of public patronage from town and country. (Feb. 16, '72.)
R. A. BECK, Fashionable Barber and Hairdresser, Hill Street, opposite the Franklin House. All kinds of Tonic and Pomades kept on hand for sale. (Jan. 12, '71.)
HOPKINS & SKRESE, Manufacturers of all kinds of CHAIRS and dealers in PARLOR and KITCHEN FURNITURE, corner of Fifth and Washington streets, Huntingdon, Pa. All articles will be sold cheap. Particular and prompt attention given to repairing. A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited. (Jan. 15, '73.)
W. M. WILLIAMS, MANUFACTURER OF MARBLE MANTLES, MONUMENTS, HEADSTONES, &c. HUNTINGDON, PA. STER PAPER CORNICES, MOULDINGS, &c. ALSO SLATE MANTLES FURNISHED TO ORDER. Jan. 4, '71.
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FOR ALL KINDS OF PRINTING, GO TO THE JOURNAL OFFICE

The Muses' Bower.

A Defence.
BY J. W. WELCH.
Oh! if they tell me, Mr. Printer,
There's a rumor now abroad,
That the MUSES' BOWER
Certain verses never wrote;
So conscientious public
On "Poems" scribbled down,
And loudly bellowed, "kick him down."
Yes, they say the pearly glimmer
That illumines the classic mind,
Never did the dark recesses
Of my stupid nature find;
Consequently, "As I suppose,"
And perhaps his education's
They have branded me full soon,
And presented me a ticket
To oblivion's land of gloom.
Now, let column's fair leader
Come from out his loathsome cave,
And in truth's benignant waters
His inhuman spite lave.
In the columns of the JOURNAL
Will I fight the battle through,
By denouncing my defence,
Can my untaught pen subdue,
Oh! the light of education
Is most potent I admit,
And I would its golden flashes
On my darkened mind did lit;
His inhuman spite have
Who possesses common sense,
Would not dare to stain his manhood
By denouncing my defence.
But the person I'm describing
Is the self-important fool,
Who thinks all useful knowledge
Is obtained at Normal School;
Oh! my paper-collar'd stipend,
With your lasting garters shed,
Don't compare your education
With the priceless gift of God.
When I wrote those humble poems
No pretensions did I make,
On the wings of pearly fancy
My departure far to take;
I but wrote the modest effort
Which my untaught pen made;
Twas dictated by the impulse
Of a warm and guileless heart.

The Story-Teller.

Doctor Vathek;

AMY MOORE'S ROMANCE.

BY CAPT. CHARLES HOWARD.

CHAPTER I.

It was a sunny day in the midst of the "flowery month," and merry picnic people of Swansdown were enjoying themselves in a cool grove, in sight of Oak Hill. Amy Moore's picturesque home, a little way from the town, was the scene of the picnic. Amy had driven up the spirited little bay to the picnic grounds early in the forenoon, to show her golden-haired little brother the sights, and spend several hours among her own friends from the town. She was the accepted belle of the country, five miles around Swansdown, and everybody courted the smiles she had to bestow—smiles such as had never fallen to the lot of beautiful woman. The day passed pleasantly to Amy. She contented herself with watching Doctor Vathek, who she knew, would some day ask for the prettiest hand in all the district—hers. I cannot say that the artless girl loved the doctor, who was fully five years her senior. He was the only suitor she had ever had. Intelligent, refined, the master of his honorable profession, and, to all outward manifestations, a true gentleman, there was much about the doctor to captivate the fairer sex. Any thought he could love him, but to tell the truth, reader, she had never tried. If it were in accordance with the parents' wishes that she should become Mrs. Vathek, she would willingly relinquish him to her golden god, and try to love him for his sake. The golden god of day was yet far from the western horizon, when a professional call took Otho Vathek from Amy's side, and a few minutes later, to oblige her boyish brother, the pretty heiress of Oak Hill entered the parlor, and set out for home. Not far from the grove rushed a turbulent stream, whose steep banks were covered with May grasses and flowers to the very edge. The spectators were lined with little groups of picnickers, whom Amy could distinguish with the superb glass which she had accepted at the hands of Doctor Vathek. "Any, do stop the horses, and let me get that pretty flower for mamma," begged Harry, disposing his already large bunch of flowers in his sister's lap. "Harry, you have gathered flowers enough already," said Amy. "You were quite anxious to go home a few moments since, and now you will never get there, if you stop to pick every gaudy flower you see." "But just this once," pleaded the boy, bestowing a look upon his sister which she could not resist. "Any, I'm the only little brother you have, and I'll love you more than ever, if you leave me pluck the flower." A tear glistened beyond Amy's smile, and she gently drew rein. Harry sprang from the phaeton, and ran, with a childish shout, to the group of ladies. He quickly broke several of their stems, and was returning when a pistol shot smote the mild spring air. Down the cliff some person was amusing himself with target shooting. The unexpected report startled the boys, and suddenly wheeling, for Amy's hands rested lightly upon the lines, they dashed towards the cliff. The phaeton barely missed little Harry! With pallid face, but still self-possessed, Amy tried to recover the lines, but they were jerked over the dasher before she could touch them, and she settled back into the vehicle, waiting, with a terrible calmness, for the dreadful fate seemingly in store for her. Rapidly the steeds, blind with fright, neared the cliffs, a hundred feet below which roared the muddy stream over its rocky bed. Groups of merry people stifled their laughter at her peril, and many bided their faces in their hands, that they might not witness her impending doom. To attempt to arrest the speed of the infuriated animals seemed death as horrible as a leap from the cliff, but there was one who possessed the nerve requisite for the attempt. He was a young man, who had quitted the busy city for a few days' rest and pleasure and quietude in the country, and was con-

Reading for the Million.

The Siamese Twins.

From the "All Day Item."

CHAPTER II.

The autopsy completed at last—Dr. Pancoast and Professor Allen explain things—Full report on the important subject. We are at last able to lay the result of the autopsy of the Siamese Twins before our readers. The following official report of the specimen, which was presented to the College of Physicians of Philadelphia, was held at the hall of the Medical Society, on the 23rd of February, 1874, for the purpose of hearing the report of the Commission on the Siamese Twins, Dr. W. S. W. Ruschenberger, United States Navy, in the chair. A special meeting of the College of Physicians of Philadelphia was held at the hall of the Medical Society, on the 23rd of February, 1874, for the purpose of hearing the report of the Commission on the Siamese Twins, Dr. W. S. W. Ruschenberger, United States Navy, in the chair. The bodies of the Siamese Twins being upon the table, the meeting proceeded to hear the report of Dr. Pancoast and Allen. 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