# The Huntingdon Journal.

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READING MATTER ON EVERY PAGE.



W. L. FOULK,
Agent of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia Press Association,
Is the only person in Pittsburgh authorized to receive advertisements for the JOURNAL. He has our best rates.


## Laws Relating to Newspaper Subscriptions and Arrearages.

The following is the law relating to newspapers and subscribers.

1. Subscribers who do not give express notice to the contrary, are considered wishing to continue their subscription.
2. If subscribers order the discontinuance of their periodicals, the publishers may continue to send them until all arrearages are paid.
3. If subscribers neglect or refuse to take their periodicals from the office to which they are directed, they are held responsible until they have settled their bills, and ordered them discontinued.
4. If subscribers move to other places without informing the publishers, and the papers are sent to the former direction, they are held responsible.
5. The Courts have decided that "refusing to take periodicals from the office, or removing and leaving them uncalled for, is *prima facie* evidence of intentional fraud.
6. Any person who receives a newspaper and makes use of it, whether he has ordered it or not, is held in law to be a subscriber.
7. If subscribers pay in advance, they are bound to give notice to the publisher, at the end of their time, if they do not wish to continue taking it; otherwise the publisher is authorized to send it on, and the subscriber will be responsible until an express notice, with payment of all arrears, is sent to the publisher.

## HUNTINGDON POST OFFICE.

*Time of Arrival and Closing of the Mails.*

Mails arrive as follows:

From the East at 7.32 a. m., 3.55 p. m., 8.10 p. m.
" West at 8.30 a. m., 9.24 a. m., 4.10 p. m. (closed mail from Altoona and Petersburg,) and 10.53 p. m.
" South (Huntingdon and Broad Top R. R.) 6.35 p. m., and closed mail from Bedford at 8.25 a. m.
" Donation and Conproport's Mills, (Wednesdays and Saturdays) at 12 m.
" Union Church (Wednesdays and Saturdays) at 11 a. m.

Close as follows:

For the East at 9.00 a. m., 8.15 p. m.
" West at 11.40 a. m., (closed mail to Petersburg,) 5.10 p. m., 7.45 p. m.
" South (H. & B. T. R. R.) at 8.30 a. m., and closed mail to Bedford at 7.45 p. m.
" Donation and Conproport's Mills, (Wednesdays and Saturdays) at 1 p. m.
" Union Church (Wednesdays and Saturdays,) at 1 p. m.

Office open from 6.30 a. m. to 8.30 p. m., except Sundays and legal holidays, when it will be open from 8 a. m. to 9 a. m.

J. HALL MUSSER, Postmaster.


## REDUCTION!

Until further notice, we propose to insert *specials*, or *locals*, in our local columns—not among the items, but distributed through the local matter—at TEN CENTS per line, eight ordinary words constituting a line. No charge, however, will be made for less than fifty cents. tf


## LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

### Brief Mention—Home-made and Stolen.

Colds are common.
Saturday is moving day.
The waters are on a high.
The roads are shockingly bad.

Our merchants are brushing up for the spring trade.

Huntingdon will soon have as many doctors as patients.

Blooms are being turned out at the Petersburg Forge.

Now is the time to plant advertisements for the Spring trade.

There is a great deal of *license* wanted at the April term of Court.

Pay the Printers and help them to pay the demands upon them.

Owing to the cloudy weather of Saturday the eclipse was invisible.

The late heavy snow fall brought the shovel brigade out in full force.

The wild pigeons have taken their departure from the Allegheny.

There were no services held in the M. E. church on Sunday night.

R. S. Westbrook occupies his new quarters opposite the JOURNAL Store.

Ground will be broken in three or four weeks for the new Lutheran church.

Birmingham has had a leap year party, and everybody thereaways is happy.

The Pennsylvania railroad conductors are to be uniformed, *a la* Johnny Bull.

It is said that a fine quality of marble has been found on a farm in Centre county.

The old saw, that "winter lingers in the lap of spring," is very appropriate at this time.

The Beaver Falls *Courier* has donned a new head, which greatly improves its appearance.

A number of the leading citizens of Mount Union are talking of emigrating to the South West.

A new church will be erected, the coming summer, by the Presbyterian congregation of Orbisonia.

When you come to Court pay the printers, if you owe them, and don't go out of town saying you forgot it.

David S. Henderson, esq., was in town on Monday. He reports all things lovely in the r gion of Alexandria.

Those of our subscribers who change their place of residence should so inform us that we may correct our mailing list.

Why don't the police arrest those persons who violate the ordinance against throwing snowballs? Echo answers, why?

Rev. John D. Brown, late Missionary to India, has taken a supernumerary relation for the coming year, owing to bad health.

The employees of the Pennsylvania railroad are making strenuous efforts to keep the track clear of tramps and other trespassers.

Some half a dozen of persons have been held for trial at the coming court, to answer the charge of stealing coal from the wharf.

We would be pleased to publish our friend's items from the Upper End, did they not contain matter that might subject us to prosecution.

The bad weather last week seriously operated against business. The snow made some work for the boys but bad for all other persons.

The railroad policemen have strict orders to arrest all boys who are found jumping on and off moving trains. The penalty is fine and imprisonment.

The "Guarantee" Wanamaker & Brown give is not a mere nominal thing, but a signed contract protecting those who buy at 6th and Market, Philadelphia.

"I don't see why a woman worries to have a trail and then picks it up and carries it after her," is what we heard a female remark upon our streets on Sunday.

The Rockhill Iron and Coal Company is shipping 100 tons of East Broad Top coal per day. The Pennsylvania railroad is a heavy patron of this company.

The finest assortment of picture ornaments or adorning ladies fancy work and any thing that a highly-colored head, picture, or motto will adorn, for sale at the JOURNAL Store. tf.

Intelligence reached this place, on Saturday evening, that Will. Euchre, an adopted son of Peter Euchre, had been severely injured at Lilly Station on the Allegheny. He lost an arm.

W. H. Swartz, esq., local editor of the Hollidaysburg *Standard*, is an inmate of the Insane Asylum, having lost his reason during a recent severe illness. We hope he may speedily recover.

Nobody should go to church, or public meeting, hacking away and disturbing the preacher or orator, with their cough. Use Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup at once; it only costs 25 cents a bottle.

Dr. E. J. Greene, having disposed of his business in this place, we understand will take up his residence in Peoria, Ill. We are sorry to lose so clever a gentleman as the Doctor from our midst.

The people of Mount Union claim that the panic has had little effect upon the laboring classes of that place—all have been able to secure labor either on one or the other of the railroads, at the tanneries, or at the furnaces.

Snow balling may be very pleasant amusement, but occasionally it has its serious phases. On Saturday last a son of Henry Leister, of the Leister House, was hit in the eye and severely injured by a misguided ball.

An unknown tramp was found on the railroad, one morning last week, between Henry & Co's crossing and the Muddy Run bridge, cut to pieces. There was nothing to identify him. He was buried by the railroad authorities.

The store of Star & Co., of Orbisonia, was entered and robbed of a number of valuables one night last week. Some of the goods were found secreted in a trunk between Mt. Union and Newton Hamilton. No arrests have been made.

Mrs. Mary A. Mumper, Executrix of A. M. Mumper, esq., late of Barree Iron Works, deceased, paid over $52,000 in the Prothonotary's office in a single payment. It is very seldom that such extensive payments are made in this county.

Editors do not like to print an article lazily long, and the general reader does not care for a couple of yards of song; so gather your wits in the smallest space, if you want a little renown; and every time you write, my friend, boil it down.

There is a warm contest in Warriorsmark, on the question of license. A numerously signed remonstrance will be presented to the Court. We are sorry to hear that there is some ill feeling on the subject. Such questions should be settled on their merits.

The Furnaces at Orbisonia are shipping from forty to fifty tons of pig iron, every day and report says they have abundance of orders. The ability to manufacture iron so cheaply at this point, gives them advantages over almost every establishment in the country.

The ordinance, in regard to keeping the sidewalks clear of snow, is a dead letter, so far as some people are concerned, whilst others are *impudently* ordered to clean their pavements before the last fleecy flake has settled upon terra firma. Come, no discrimination, gentlemen.

We are gratified to hear that Wm. March & Brother have settled all the claims of Stewart, March & Co., and their old stand is open again, and will close out their present stock regardless of cost. These gentlemen desire the liberal patronage of the community, and we hope they may receive it.

There is a considerable emigration to the West from this place and the surrounding country. It seems to us that the West must be just as badly crowded as this region is.—Our advice would be to wait until the Texas Pacific railroad is a fixed fact and then let a colony or 500 or 1000 go together and they can support themselves.

Ladies, now is the time to buy your patterns of Spring styles at the JOURNAL store.—We are selling large numbers daily. The Domestic Patterns are universally admitted to be the best in the market. We refer with pleasure to Mrs. Libkicker, Miss Mary Bumbaugh, Mrs. Madara, Miss Sade Search or any other Dress-maker in town. Any pattern not on hand promptly ordered. tf.

The people of Petersburg are now thinking about the higher life. Blackburn, the Evangelist, from Richmond, Indiana, is instructing them in its mysterious beauties. He should get up a tabernacle and hold forth to Huntingdon county politicians for at least six months. It would be a grand thing if he could make them have an inner-consciousness of the correctness of their walks.

The following is the new scale of postal rates:

A one-cent stamp for a circulair.
A two-cent stamp for a newspapair.
A three-cent stamp for a sealed lettair.
All licked on in the right cornair.
Lick, brother, lick with care,
On the right hand side, not everywhere,
Unless you want the postmastair
To make things hot, and "cuss and swear."

William O. Decker, whom we noticed last week as being under arrest for embezzlement, has admitted his guilt, as will be seen from the following, which we clip from the court proceedings of the Quarter Sessions of Philadelphia:

"William O. Decker pleaded guilty to a charge of embezzlement. The defendant was in the employ of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company and had control of the business of the yard at Ninth and Berks streets. He was first employed as telegraph operator and afterwards had charge of the cash receipts. The amount of peculations aggregated $1,745.88. Sentence deferred."

HISTORY OF HUNTINGDON COUNTY.—The interest taken, in all parts of the county, in Milton S. Lytle's history is indicated by the large number of prominent citizens who have shown a disposition to assist in the preparation of it. Mr. Lytle has already received many sketches and reminiscences embracing a very great proportion of the county.—Among those who are thus aiding him we may mention Dr. J. A. Shade, of Shade Gap, Saml. McVitty, esq., of Saltillo, B. F. Ripple, of Orbisonia, John Dougherty, of Mt. Union, Hon. D. Clarkson, of Cassville, Dr. J. H. Wintrode, of Marklesburg, J. L. McIlvain, esq., of Jackson township, Geo. W. Owens, esq., of Birmingham, and Col. Wm. Dorris, of Huntingdon. This plan will most certainly make the work complete in all its details. Mr. Lytle's general history of the county is progressing satisfactorily, and, after he has arranged and added these sketches of every locality, cannot but be of the greatest interest. All of the old families of the county will have something recorded concerning them.

BURGLARY AT YELLOW SPRINGS.—On Friday night last four persons broke into a store at Yellow Springs, and carried off about $125 worth of goods, money, &c. The burglars were discovered by a gentleman who noticed a light in the store and the neighborhood was aroused but not in time to capture the burglars. There was a slight snow on the ground and a party of young men were organized for pursuit and at a vacant house, a short distance above Shafersville, they were overtaken and two of them captured, the other two escaped but were run down and also captured, and the whole number were lodged in Hollidaysburg jail. One of the party was recognized as a man named Hughes, from Clearfield county, who had harvested a year or two ago at Mr. Patterson's.

Y. M. C. A. BOOKS.—By authority of the Y. M. C. A. of Huntingdon, the undersigned committe give notice that all persons having any of the Books, or other property, of the Y M. C. A. which existed in Huntingdon in former years, are requested to return them to either of this committee; that they may be labeled and placed in the library for use.

They also solicit Books and periodicals of proper character for the use of the new Organization. Persons having books which they do not need or are willing to donate, will please hand them to either of us.

FRANK CREMER,
CHAS H. BOYER,
A. L. GUSS,
W. R. MILLER,
SAM'L. LANGDON.


Do you want a pair of SHOES? Go to MONTGOMERY'S; his stock is bought direct from manufacturers and he sells cheap.


CONFERENCE APPOINTMENTS. — The following are the appointments, for the ensuing year, by the Central Pennsylvania Conference of the M. E. Church, at its annual session, at Harrisburg:

WILLIAMSPORT DISTRICT.

T. MITCHELL, Presiding Elder, Williamsport Postoffice.
Williamsport, Pine Street—D. S. Monroe, C. W. Burnley, sup.
do Mulberry Street—J. J. Pearce.
do Price Chapel—J. A. Woodcock, J. F. Davis, sup.
do Third Street—J. M. Lantz, J. B. Polsgrove, sup.
do Newbury—E. H. Yocum.
Lycoming—J. Y. Rothrock.
Loyalsock—G. B. Ague.
Duboistown—A. C. Crosthwaite.
Jamestown—J. W. Rae.
Montoursville—A. M. Creighton.
Muncy—A. S. Bowman.
Hughesville—A. B. Hooven.
Muncy Creek—A. D. M'Closky.
Watsontown—A. W. Gibson.
Montandon—To be Supplied.
Elimsport—J. Gray.
Milton—A. D. Yocum.
Lewisburg—R. Hinkle.
Mifflinburg—M. P. Crosthwaite.
Salladasburg—H. Wilson.
Cogan Valley—Z. S. Rhone.
Liberty Valley—H. S. Lundy.
Ralston—A. P. Wharton.
Jersey Shore—W. C. Hesser.
Pine Creek—J. R. King.
Great Island—D. B. M'Closky.
Lock Haven—S. Creighton.
Salona—A. E. Taylor.
Beach Creek—E. Butler.
Hiner's Run—J. B. Akers.
Renovo—J. Hunter.
Westport—To be Supplied.
Leidy—T. S. Faus.
Sinnemahoning—L. G. Heck.
Emporium—H. F. Cares.
Pennfield—E. M. Chilcoat.
Wharton—J. B. Moore.
West Creek—G. W. Baker.
E. J. Gray—Pres. Williamsport Dickinson Seminary, and Member of the Mulberry Street Quarterly Conference.
H. A. Curran—Prof. in Keystone Normal School, and Member of the Mulberry Street Quarterly Conference.
I. H. Torrence—Cor. Sec. Pennsylvania Bible Society, and Member of Mulberry Street Quarterly Conference.

DANVILLE DISTRICT.

N. S. BUCKINGHAM, Presiding Elder, Bloomsburg Postoffice.
Danville, St. Paul's—W. A. Houck
d Trinity—J. P. Moore.
Riverside—J. T. Wilson.
Northumberland—G. Warren.
Washingtonville—L. S. Crone.
Iola—J. Lloyd.
Buckhorn—J. Horning.
Bloomsburg—J. S. McMurray.
Espy and Light Street—A. Brittain.
Orangeville—H. S. Mendenhall.
Benton—C. L. Benscoter, R. Loveland.
Berwick—J. H. M'Garrah.
Mifflinville—F. Gearhart.
Beach Haven—H. B. Fortner.
Bloomingdale—J. F. Brown, I. N. Moorehead.
Muhlenberg—N. B. Smith.
Shickshinny—J. Moorehead.
White Haven—A. M. Kester.
Hickory Run—W. A. Carver.
Weatherly and Stockton—B. P. King.
Beaver Meadow—J. P. Benford.
Hazleton—W. W. Evans.
Jeansville—M. L. Drum.
Conyngham—J. Stine.
South Hebberton—T. O. Clees, J. R. Shipe.
Catawissa—S. W. Sears.
Elysburg—J. Guss, C. J. Buck.
Shamokin—W. L. Spottswood.
Centralia—G. M. Larned.
Helfenstein—G. V. Savidge.
Mount Carmel—N. W. Colburn.
Ashland—A. M. Barnitz.
Trevorton—J. W. Feight.
Snydertown—G. H. Day.
Sunbury—J. A. DeMoyer.
Selinsgrove—E. T. Swartz.

HARRISBURG DISTRICT.

B. B. HAMLIN, Presiding Elder, Chambersburg Postoffice.
Harrisburg, Grace Church—C. A. Holmes.
do Ridge Avenue—J. C. Clarke.
do St. Paul's—J. A. Melick.
do Fifth Street—P. F. Eyer.
do Mt. Pleasant—H. N. Minnigh.
New Cumberland—S. M. Frost.
York, First Church—S. L. Bowman.
do Duke Street—H. R. Bender.
Wrightsville—E. E. A. Deavor.
Castle Fin—F. E. Greyer.
Shrewsbury—A. W. Guyer, J. Guldin.
Hanover and New Oxford—A. R. Miller.
Gettysburg—M. L. Ganoe.
Littlestown—O. Hicks.
York Springs—J. A. McKindless, C. W. Marshall.
Wellsville—J. H. Black.
Benderville—T. H. Tubbs.
Waynesboro'—J. H. M'Cord.
Green Castle—W. V. Ganoe.
Chambersburg, First Church—W. G. Ferguson.
do King Street—M. L. Smith.
Mercersburg—T. M. Griffith.
McConnellsburg—J. P. Long.
Fort Littleton—R. L. Armstrong.
Cove—E. W. Wonner.
Shippensburg—H. C. Cheston.
Green Village—W. Moses.
Mont Alto—A. R. Bender.
Rohoboth and Newville—R. Mallelieu.
Carlisle, First Church—G. Leidy.
do Emory Chapel. To be supplied.
Mount Holly—G. Graham.
Mechanicsburg—W. Rink, O. Edge, sup.
Fairview and Marysville—J. Y. Shannon.
Duncannon—W. H. Keith.
Liverpool—T. S. Wilcox.
Newport—J. W. Buckley.
T. P. Ege, President Irving Female College, member of Mechanicsburg Quarterly Conference.

JUNIATA DISTRICT.

M. K. FOSTER, Presiding Elder, Huntingdon Postoffice.
Huntingdon—F. B. Riddle, J. R. Akers.
Petersburg—W. A. Clippinger.
Manor Hill—W. R. Whitney.
Ennisville—W. J. Owens.
Mount Union—W. C. Robbins.
Newton Hamilton—H. M. Ash.
M'Veytown—J. M. Johnston.
Granville and Lewistown Junction—J. Montgomery.
Lewistown—G. T. Gray.
Freedom—J. W. Ely.
Decatur—W. Schriber.
Milroy—L. F. Smith.
Mifflin—T. Sherlock.
Thompsontown—M. C. Piper.
Port Royal—J. W. Olewine, W. H. Bowden.
New Bloomfield—G. W. Dunlap, J. H. S. Clarke
Concord—J. A. Ross, O. H. Huston.
Burnt Cabins—W. A. M'Kee.
Shirleysburg—W. S. Hamlin, P. Strawinsky.
Three Springs—E. Shoemaker.
Cassville—T. F. M'Clure.
M'Connellstown—J. W. Bell.
Saxton—W. M'K. Reily, A. S. Baldwin.
Everett—J. Donahue.
Ray's Hill—E. White, J. F. Pennington.
Bedford—G. D. Penepacker.
Bedford Circuit—J. B. Shaver.
Schellsburg—W. E. Hoch.
Pleasantville—G. A. Singer.

ALTOONA DISTRICT.

T. M. REESE, Presiding Elder, Altoona Postoffice.
Altoona, First Church—J. Curns.
do Eighth Avenue—S. C. Swallow.
do Chestnut Avenue—J. W. Leckie
Hollidaysburg—H. C. Pardoe.
Duncansville—A. W. Decker.
Martinsburg—J. W. Cleaver.
Williamsburg—J. W. Haughawout.
Logan's Valley—W. M. Meminger.
Tyrone—R. E. Wilson.
Port Matilda—W. W. Keese.
Milesburg—W. Gwynn.
Curtin's and Pleasant Gap—W. S. Wilson.
Howard—R. H. Colburn.
Penn's Valley—G. W. Bouse.
Bellefonte—G. W. Miller.
Half Moon—G. Guyer.
Pine Grove—J. A. Dixon.
Warriorsmark—J. M. Clarke.
Birmingham—R. H. Wharton.
Philipsburg—M. L. Smyser.
Grahamton—H. Linn, T. H. Switzer, sup.
Osceola—B. H. Crever.
Clearfield—B. F. Stevens.
Woodland—J. F. Bell.
Clearfield Circuit—W. H. Dill, I. Heckman.
Curwensville—J. B. Young.
Lumber City—F. Adams.
New Washington—W. H. Norcross.
Glen Hope—W. W. Dunmire, G. G. Senser.
Snow Shoe—J. F. Craig.
Congress Hill—I. Edwards.
Bigler—To be Supplied.
J. S. W. Dean, Prof. in State Agricultural College, and Member of Pine Grove Quarterly Conference.
W. Earnshaw, Chaplain of National Asylum for Disabled Soldiers, Dayton, Ohio, and Member of Warriorsmark Quarterly Conference.
J. R. Hykes and A. J. Cook, Missionaries to China.

Williamsport has been selected as the place for the meeting of the next Conference.

W. M. LLOYD'S ASSETS.—The Altoona *Tribune* says: A statement which appeared in the Pittsburgh *Commercial* on Saturday last has led, we find, to misunderstanding and unnecessary anxiety on the part of many who are interested. The item referred to was headed "One Million Behind," and proceeds to give, in the main correctly, a statement of the liabilities of W. M. Lloyd, both at Altoona and Ebensburg, and also in the various other banking firms with which he was connected, amounting to about $1,000,000. The *Commercial* did not state what the corresponding assets were. Mr. Lloyd's individual estate, as appraised at reduced rates and filed by his assignees in Hollidaysburg, amounts to over $688,000. In each of the other firms at Tyrone, Latrobe, etc, is, we learn, a fair body of assets of which the *Commercial* also did not speak. From this it would seem that by judicious management his individual creditors have good prospects, for they have the first claim on this individual estate and it would also seem that the shortage elsewhere cannot be so great as has been feared. It has also been pointed out that the list of creditors now given is different from the amount of indebtedness contained in Mr. Lloyd's statement made when he first closed. That statement included only the creditors of the Altoona office, because it then appeared that the other offices would be able to take care of themselves. The list now filed includes both the individual creditors and the creditors of the different partnership firms, because the bankrupt law demands that all who have *provable claims* against a debtor shall be included in the list of creditors. The claims of Mr. Lloyd's creditors in Tyrone, Latrobe, &c., are provable claims, for they may be proved against his individual estate in case he should be eventually forced into bankruptcy. These considerations, together with the well known fact that the expenses of winding up an estate under the bankrupt law are ruinous and eat up a large part of the assets before the creditors are reached at all, have induced many who signed the petition to ask the court for leave to withdraw on the ground that they signed under a misapprehension.

GRAND OPENING of Boots and Shoes for Men, Youths, Ladies, Misses and Children to-day at MONEGOMERY'S CLOTHING AND SHOE STORE, nearly opposite the Post-office. Latest styles of button and lacing gaiters, kid and goat shoes. My stock is entirely new and bought from manufacturers at lowest cash prices and will be sold for cash at prices to suit the times. Call and examine my stock and prices.

JUST received, at B. Oppenheimer & Sons, a large lot of Dry Goods, slightly wet from the late fire in Philadelphia, will be sold at one-half the regular price. For instance, best Calicoes at 5 cents per yard.

BOROUGH SCHOOLS.—The Board of School Directors, of this borough, have selected the following corps of teachers for the Hill Schools:

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| Principal and General Superintendent. | J. IRVIN WHITE | $100 00 |
| 1st Grammar, | Geo. W. Sanderson | 60 00 |
| 2d Grammar, | Oliver L. Stewart | 42 50 |
| 1st Primary, | Miss Sarah E. Gregory | 37 50 |
| 2d Primary, | Miss Beckie Isenberg | 37 50 |
| 3rd Primary, | Miss Mattie B. Speck | 37 50 |
| 4th Primary, | Miss Mertie M. Shaver | 37 50 |
| 5th Primary, | Miss Laura G. Black | 37 50 |

WEST HUNTINGDON.

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| 1st Grammar, | W. H. Sheeder | $60 00 |
| Intermediate, | S. B. Taylor | 40 00 |
| 1st Primary, | Miss Mary A. Grim | 37 50 |
| 2nd Primary, | Miss Emma S. Isenberg | 37 50 |

No teacher has been selected for the colored school. About forty colored children in the district and only from seven to eleven attend school, the balance are allowed to run the streets. This is very discouraging, and we are assurred that if a better attendance cannot be had, that the abandonment of the school is in contemplation. The schools will open on the 4rd of April, with, it is thought, much better prospects than usual. The schools are improving very rapidly.

MAILING LETTERS AT THE CARS.—We recently published a statement in reference to the reception of letters and other mail matter by route agents at the cars, which stated that a penalty of five dollars was attached to each offence. The following settles the disputed question. It is addressed to the Reading *Times and Dispatch* by the General Superintendent of Railway Mail Service at Washington:

*Dear Sirs*—Our attention has been called to an article in your issue of March 21st, respecting the mailing of letters at the cars. The regulation quoted or referred to, viz: Chapter 23, of the laws and regulations, has no reference whatever to route agents but only to mail carriers or contractors. Enclosed please find instructions to route agents. Your attention is called to section 1, 2 and 3 of the same which govern route agents in this matter. Very respectfully,

THEO. N. VAIL, Gen. Supt.

Section 2 of the instructions referred to says: "All previous instructions forbidding the reception of letters and other mail matter at the cars are rescinded. Letters and other mail matters must be received at the cars up to the last moment of the starting of the train at all stations, as in the case of railway post-offices."

A NEW LAW.—For the benefit of persons who carelessly handle fire-arms, or point them toward people "for fun," we publish the following Act, recently passed by the Legislature:

*Be it enacted, etc.*, That any person within this commonwealth who shall playfully or wantonly point or discharge a gun, pistol or other fire arms at any other person, shall be guilty of misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars, and undergo an imprisonment not exceeding one year, or either or both, at the discreation of the court.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.—There will be a meeting of the Huntingdon County Agricultural Society in the Court House, Huntingdon, Pa., on Tuesday evening, April 11th, 1876. A full attendance of members is requested, as business of importance will be brought before the Society.

By order of
ALEX. PORT, Pres't.
J. R. PATTON, Sec'y. [2t

REMEMBER THIS.—Now is the time of the year for Pneumonia, Lung Fever, Coughs, Colds, and fatal results of predisposition to Consumption and other Throat and Lung disease. BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP has been in this neighborhood for the past two or three years without a single failure to cure. If you have not used this medicine yourself, go to your druggist's S. S. Smith, and ask him of its wondrful success among his customers. Two doses will releive worst the case. If you have no faith in any medicine, just buy a Sample Bottle of Boschee's German Syrup for 10 cents and try it. Regular size Bottle 75 cents. Don't neglect a cough to save 75 cents. cow.

JUST received, at B. Oppenheimer & Sons, a large lot of Dry Goods, slightly wet from the late fire in Philadelphia, which will be sold at one-half the regular price. For instance, best Calicoes at 5 cents per yard.

"WE are going to have a well of spether;" "A spell of weather, you mean;" "Ye-s, and I am going to MONTGOMERY'S to buy me a pair of shoes; he sells good shoes and sells them cheap.

Every school boy and school girl should have one of Wiley's Union pens. tf.

## The Successful Physician.

*[From the St. Louis Globe.]*

There is probably no man to whom the community owe so much as to the honest, fair-spoken physician, who does his actual duty both to himself and to his patients. Really skillful physicians are not so numerous that their virtues need no mention, and hence the advertisement of Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, may well claim the reader's attention. Dr. Pierce is a type of a class of men who obtain success by careful and well directed effort, not attempting too much, or creating false ideas as to ability. The only reliable physician in these days of complicated disorders and high pressure living is the "specialist," the man who understands his one branch of the business. Such in his line is Dr. Pierce. For the benefit of his readers he has written a "Common Sense Medical Adviser," which is well worth reading by those who need such a work. With strict business honor, high professional skill, reasonable fees, and a large corps of competent assistants, Dr. Pierce will doubtless make his name familiar as "household words."

A FEW FACTS! READ!—We have at last been able to get freight rates that will allow us to supply parties in this section with PLASTER from the richest beds in the world—the Onondaga. It analyses 6 per cent. more Gypsum than any other known bed. Constantly on hand in quantities to suit.

HENRY & CO.

HUNTINGDON AND BROAD TOP RAILROAD—*Report of Coal Shipped:*

| | TONS |
|---|---|
| For week ending March 25, 1876 | 4952 |
| Same time last year | 10507 |
| Increase for week | |
| Decrease for week | 5554 |
| Total amount shipped to date | 63,466 |
| Same date last year | 75,781 |
| Increase for year 1875 | |
| Decrease | 12315 |

SIXTY kinds of Chairs and Rockers, at the LOWEST CASH PRICES, at J. A. Brown's Carpet and Furniture Store, 525 Penn St. Buy where you can select from variety. Also, beautiful Chamber and Parlor Suits. march24-3t

Every body should use Lava Pens. They will outlast all other pens. They are not corrosive. They are excellent. Durborrow & Co., have the sole agency for the county.—$2.00 per gross. 20 cents per dozen. 2 cents apiece. tf.

A SURE CURE FOR SEAT AND STOMACH WORMS. *Dr. Hutchinson's Vegetable Worm Destroyer.*—Price, 25 cents a box. For sale by Druggists and Storekeepers. A. W. Wright & Co., Wholesale Druggists, Market and Front Streets, Philadelphia. [nov3-6m

RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA, LUMBAGO, RHEUMATIC GOUT, SCIATICA, NERVOUS and KIDNEY DISEASES, guaranteed cured by Dr. FITLER'S RHEUMATIC REMEDY. JOHN READ & SONS, Sole agents for Huntingdon county, May19-1y.

MRS. E. M. SIMONSON, formerly E. M Africa, has just returned from Philadelphia, with a handsome assortment of hats, choice goods and novelties of the season. All are invited to call. Corner of Fi th and Penn Sts., Huntingdon, Pa. tf.

A full line of handsome, cheap and fashionable Stationery at the Journal Store.

## HUNTINGDON MARKETS.

Corrected Weekly by Henry & Co

WHOLESALE PRICES.
HUNTINGDON, PA., March 30, 1876.

| | |
|---|---|
| Superfine Flour | $5 50 |
| Extra Flour | 6 00 |
| Family Flour | 6 25 |
| Red Wheat | 1 20 |
| White Wheat | 1 25 |
| Bark per cord | 7 00 |
| Barley | 60 |
| Butter | 20 |
| Brooms per dozen | 2 00 |
| Beeswax per pound | 30 |
| Beans per bushel | 1 75 |
| Beef | 6@7 |
| Cloverseed ℔ 64 pounds | 7 50 |
| Corn ℔ bushel on ear | 40@45 |
| Corn shelled | 45 |
| Corn Meal ℔ cwt | 1 50 |
| Candles ℔ lb | 12½ |
| Dried Apples ℔ lb | 8 |
| Dried Cherries ℔ lb | 5 |
| Dried Beef | 15 |
| Eggs | 20 |
| Feathers | 60 |
| Flaxseed ℔ bushel | 1 00 |
| Hops ℔ lb | 25 |
| Hams smoked | 14 |
| Shoulder | 10 |
| Side | 12 |
| Hay ℔ ton | 16 00 |
| Lard ℔ lb new | 15 |
| Large Onions ℔ bushel | 1 25 |
| Oats new | 35 |
| Potatoes ℔ bushel, new | 35@40 |
| Plaster ℔ ton ground | 13 00 |
| Rye, new | 65 |
| Wool, washed | 40@50 |
| Wool, unwashed | 25@30 |
| Timothy Seed, ℔ 45 pounds | 2 50 |

QUOTATIONS
OF
*WHITE, POWELL & CO.,*
BANKERS AND BROKERS,
No. 42 SOUTH THIRD STREET.
PHILADELPHIA, March 25, 1876.

| | BID. | ASKED |
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| U. S. 1881, c. | 122¾ | 122¾ |
| " 5-20, c. '67, M. and N. | Called Bonds. | |
| " " " '64, " " | | |
| " " " '65, " " | 118¾ | 118¾ |
| " " " '65, J. and J. | 119¼ | 119¾ |
| " " " '67, " " | 121½ | 121¾ |
| " " " '68, " " | 121 | 123¼ |
| " 10-40, coupon | 118¾ | 118¾ |
| " Pacific 6's, cy | 126⅞ | 127 |
| New 5's, Reg. 1881 | 118½ | 118¾ |
| " " c. 1881 | 118½ | 118¾ |
| Gold | 114 | 114⅝ |
| Pennsylvania | 56⅝ | 56⅞ |
| Reading | 50⅝ | 50⅞ |
| Philadelphia & Erie | 26⅝ | 26⅞ |
| Lehigh Navigation | 49⅞ | 50 |
| " Valley | 61½ | 62 |
| United R. R. of N. J. | 137¼ | 137½ |
| Oil Creek | 14½ | 14⅝ |
| Northern Central | 37⅜ | 37⅝ |
| Central Transportation | 48¾ | 48½ |
| Nesquehoning | 54 | 54½ |
| C. & A. Mortgage 6's, '89 | 100 | 106¼ |

## Trade Market.

PHILADELPHIA, March 29.

Petroleum firm; refined, 14½@14¾c; crude, 11¾@11¾c. Flour firm but demand has fallen off; Pennsylvania family, $5.85@6.75; high grades, $7.25@7.25. Prime wheat steady, other kinds dull and weak; Pennsylvania red, $1.50; amber $1.50@1.51; western red poor at 95@1.05; fair and good at $1.10@1.20; No. 1 spring, $1.38@1.40; No. 2 do., $1.33. Rye, 82c. Corn active and strong, yellow, 63½@65. Oats in better request, white 45@40; mixed, 44. Whisky at $1.13.

## Philadelphia Cattle Market.

PHILADELPHIA, March 29.

Cattle dull; extra Pennsylvania and western steers, 7¼c.; fair to good do, 5½@6c.; common, 4@5c. Sheep unchanged at 5@7¾c. Hogs lower, $12@13.75.

## The Altar.

RIGGLE—DECKER.—At the bride's home, in Logan Valley, near Altoona, on the 20th inst., by Rev. A. W. Decker, Mr. Luther A. Riggle, of Altoona, to Miss Jennie Decker.

PIPER—LAIRD.—At Mr. Laird's, on the 27th of November, 1875, by Rev. Martin Murphy, Mr. John A. Piper to Miss Mary A. Laird, both of Huntingdon county.

## The Tomb.

DAVIS.—At his residence, in Morris township, on the 14th inst., of old age, John Davis, Sr., aged 83 years, 10 months and 7 days.

Mr. Davis was one of Huntingdon county's good and highly respected citizens. He was beloved and highly esteemed by all who knew him. He was one of the oldest subscribers to this paper on our list.

POPE.—In Huntingdon, on the 21st. inst., of diptheria, Violet A. Pope, aged 2 years, 1 month and 7 days.

FESTER.—In this place, on Tuesday, 21st inst., of paralysis, Henry Fester, in the 68th year of his age.

BREWSTER.—In Mt. Union, on the 26th inst., Mrs. Mary Brewster, in the 79th year of her age.


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## Oppenheimers' Column.

B. OPPENHEIMER & SONS.

WHETHER THEY ARE

Jews or Gentiles,
Christians or Moslems,
Brahamists or Worshippers of Isis,

Is not the question in these hard times, but

**Are they selling Cheap Goods?**

and this everybody, who has tried, and has a spark of common sense about him, MUST admit, even our heathen friend of the Gentile standard.

We, as business men, consider it mere cowardice to draw religious topics into business questions, and with sensible people will avail nothing. If our heathen friend would have only taken in considertion that

**"A Dollar Saved, is a Dollar Earned,"**

especially in times when a man cannot earn a great deal, and save all he can, he would easily comprehend why our

**Storeroom is Crowded,**

and his—void of customers. We pity the man to the fullest extent of our ability, but are unable to help him, if he cannot help himself. If, in these hard times, an opportunity is offered to the public

***To buy Goods for less money than ever before, of course everybody will embrace it.***

The enlightened people in the present age, cannot be talked out of common sense and reason by a few merchants who have well shown the material they are made of by asking

**Exorbitant Prices,**

when they had the opportunity, without any compensation of their conscience. So do not listen ye enlightened people of this county, to the sayings of these men who have, when opportunity offered, fleeced you constantly, with an endurance worthy of a better cause.

See to your interest ye people of Huntingdon and County, and come at once and buy what you need, as we cannot stay here but a

**FEW WEEKS MORE.**

The merchants having made it impossible for us to rent our present store-room, and we are unable to rent another.

***This alone should give you sufficient evidence how much they like us; for which they certainly have sufficient cause.***

Show them your intelligence, ye people of Huntingdon and County, and convince them that the 19th Century is too far advanced in age for one class of people to impose upon the balance with impunity. Show them that you resent their action, and also show that you appreciate our presence, by calling at once and looking at our stock.

**Our Rules Are**

**1st. One price only, to everybody.**

**2d. Goods exchanged at any time, if not cut.**

**3d. Money returned upon application.**

This shows sufficiently that we are not like others who try to get the advantage of a customer, as it would avail us little because we return the money whenever demanded from us.

***Convince yourselves of the above by calling at once at***

B. OPPENHEIMER & SONS,

SAXTON'S CORNER,

South east corner of the Diamond,

HUNTINGDON, PENN'A.


## New Advertisements.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given, to all pers