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FLOUR FACTORS,

AND GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, FOR THE SALE OF

Bacon, Lard, Butter, Wool, Ginseng, Cloverseed, &c., Broad and Cherry Streets, PHILADELPHIA.

Advances made, if required, on Receipt of Consignments. The Cars will be unloaded at our Warehouse. Produce consigned to us for sale will not be subject to portage or storage. C. & B. are Agents for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

Oct. 20, 1849—1f.

BUZZY & CO.,

Commission Merchants,

FOR THE SALE OF

FLOUR, GRAIN, SEEDS,

And all descriptions of Country Produce, BROAD STREET, EAST SIDE, Between Race and Cherry, PHILADELPHIA.

Respectfully solicit a share of the business from this vicinity, and refer to

Messrs. LONGENECKER, GRUBB & Co., Bankers, W. RUSSELL, Esq., Cashier, Lewistown. E. E. LOCKE, Esq., Millin county. R. J. ROSS, Esq., Cashier, Harrisburg. Messrs. FUNK & MILLER, SAMUEL JOHNSON, Esq., Marietta, Lancaster county, Pa.

GEORGE M. TROUTMAN, Cashier, of Western Bank, Messrs. JAS. J. DUNCAN & Co., and Merchants generally. Philadelphia. October 6, 1849—6m.

PURE FRESH COD LIVER OIL.

THIS new and valuable medicine, now used by the medical profession with such astonishing efficacy in the cure of

Pulmonary Consumption, Scrofula, Chronic Rheumatism, Gout, General Debility, Complaints of the Kidneys, &c., &c.,

is prepared from the liver of the Cod Fish for medical use, expressly for our sales.

(Extract from the London Medical Journal.)

"C. J. B. Williams, M. D., F. R. S., Professor of Medicine in University College, London, Consulting Physician to the Hospital for Consumption, &c., says: I have prescribed the Oil in above four hundred cases of tubercular disease of the Lungs, in different stages, which have been under my care the last two years and a half. In the large number of cases, 206 out of 221, its use was followed by marked and unequivocal improvement, varying in degree in different cases, from a temporary retardation of the progress of the disease and a mitigation of distressing symptoms, up to a more or less complete restoration to apparent health.

"The effect of the Cod Liver Oil in most of these cases was remarkable. Even in a few days the cough was mitigated, the expectoration diminished in quantity and opacity, the night sweats ceased, the pulse became slower, and of better volume, and the appetite, flesh and strength were gradually improved.

"In conclusion, I repeat that the pure fresh oil from the Liver of the Cod is more beneficial in the treatment of Pulmonary Consumption than any agent, medicinal, dietetic or regimenal, that has yet been employed."

"As we have made arrangements to procure the Cod Liver Oil, fresh from the cod quarters, it can now be had of us, pure by the single bottle, or in boxes of one dozen each.

"Its wonderful efficacy has induced numerous spurious imitations. As its success depends entirely on its purity, too much care cannot be used in procuring it genuine.

"Every bottle having on its wrapper signature may be depended upon as genuine.

"Pamphlets containing an analysis of the Oil, with notices of it from Medical Journals, will be sent to those who address as free of postage.

JOHN C. BAKER & CO., Wholesale Druggists and Chemists, 106 North Third Street, Philadelphia, October 13, 1849—6m.

BLIND MANUFACTORY.

H. CLARK, VENETIAN BLIND MANUFACTURER, Sign of the Golden Eagle, No. 139 & 143, South Second Street, below Dock Street, PHILADELPHIA.

KEEPS always on hand a large and fashionable assortment of WIDE and NARROW SLAT WINDOW BLINDS, manufactured in the best manner, of the best materials, and at the lowest cash prices.

Having refitted and enlarged his establishment, he is prepared to complete orders to any amount at the shortest notice. Constantly on hand an assortment of

Mahogany Furniture.

of every variety, manufactured expressly for his own sale, and purchasers may therefore rely on a good article.

Open in the evening.

* * * * * orders from a distance parceled carefully, and sent free of portage, to any part of the city.

H. CLARK, Philadelphia, August 18, 1849—1y.

GEORGE BELLIS,

Wholesale Commission Agent, FOR ALL KINDS OF

FISH,

No. 54 North Wharves, Above Race Street, Philadelphia. Philadelphia, April 21, 1849—1y

Philadelphia Advertisements.

LIFE INSURANCE.

The Girard Life Insurance Annuity and Trust Company of Philadelphia, Office No. 159 Chesnut Street. Capital \$300,000. Charter Perpetual.

CONTINUE to make Insurances on Lives on the most favorable terms; receive and execute Trusts, and receive Deposits on Interest.

The Capital being paid up and invested, together with accumulated premium fund, affords a perfect security to the insured. The premium may be paid in yearly, half yearly, or quarterly payments.

The Company add a BONUS at stated periods to the insurances for life. This plan of insurance is the most approved of, and is more generally in use than any other in Great Britain, (where the subject is best understood by the people, and where they have had the longest experience), as appears from the fact that out of 117 Life Insurance Companies there, of all kinds, 87 are on this plan.

The first BONUS was appropriated in December, 1841, amounting to 10 per cent. on the sum insured under the oldest policies; to 81 per cent. 71 per cent. &c., &c., on others, in proportion to the time of standing, making an addition of \$100; \$75; \$50; &c., &c., to every \$1000, originally insured, which is an average of more than 50 per cent. on the premium paid, and without increasing the annual payment to the company.

The operation of the Bonus will be seen by the following examples from the Life Insurance Register of the Company, thus:

Policy.	Sum Insured.	Bonus or Addition.	Amount of Policy and Bonus payable at the party's decease.
No. 58	\$1,000	\$100 00	\$1,100 00
" 88	2,500	250 00	2,750 00
" 4,000	400 00	40 00	4,400 00
" 276	2,000	175 00	2,175 00
" 333	5,000	437 50	5,437 50

PAFFLETS containing the table of rates, and explanations of the subject; Forms of Application, and further information can be had at the office, gratis, in person or by letter, addressed to the President or Actuary.

B. W. RICHARDS, President.

Jno. F. JAMES, Actuary. [ap28:1y

PAPER! PAPER!

No. 21 Bank Street, Between Market and Chesnut, and 2d and 3d Streets, PHILADELPHIA.

THE subscribers beg leave to call the attention of country buyers to their extensive stock of Papers, embracing the different varieties of Printing, Hardware, Writing, Envelope, and Wrapping papers, Tissue papers, white and assorted colors, also Bonnet and Box Boards, &c.

Being engaged in the manufacture of printing papers, they solicit orders from printers for any given size, which will be furnished at short notice, and at fair prices.

Market prices either in cash or trade paid for Rags.

DUCKETT & KNIGHT, No. 21 Bank Street, Philadelphia. October 6, 1849—1y.

The Great China Store OF PHILADELPHIA.

THANKFUL to the citizens of Lewistown and its vicinity for their increased custom, we again request their company to view our large and splendid assortment of China, Glass and Queensware. Dinner sets, tea sets, toilet sets, and single pieces, either of Glass, China or Stone Ware, solid in quantity to suit purchasers, for less than they can be had elsewhere—in fact at less than wholesale prices. American and English BRITANNIA METAL GOODS, in greater variety than ever before offered in the city. Fancy China in great variety, very cheap.

WE would invite any person visiting the city to call and see us—they will be pleased to walk around our beautiful store, and to view the finest China and the cheapest of the world produces. Very respectfully,

TYNDALE & MITCHELL, No. 219 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia. September 25, 1849—1y.

Wholesale & Retail CLOCK STORE,

No. 238 Market Street, above Seventh, South Side, PHILADELPHIA.

ALTHOUGH we can scarcely estimate the value of TIME commercially, yet by calling at the above establishment, JAMES BARBER will furnish his friends, among whom he includes all who daily appreciate its usefulness, with a beautiful and perfect Index for marking its progress, of whose value they can judge.

His extensive stock on hand, constantly changing in conformity to the improvements in taste and style of pattern and workmanship, consists of Eight-day and Thirty-hour Brass Counting House, Parlor, Hall, Church, and Alarm CLOCKS, French, Gothic and other fancy styles, as well as plain, which from his extensive connection and correspondence with the manufacturers he can put at the lowest cash figure, in any quantity, from one to a thousand, of which he will warrant the accuracy.

Clocks repaired and warranted. Clock Trimmings on hand.

*CALL and see me among them.

JAMES BARBER, 238 Market St. Philadelphia, August 18, 1849—1y.

MANUFACTORY OF POCKET BOOKS, &c.

No. 52 1/2 Chestnut Street, above Second, PHILADELPHIA.

THE subscriber respectfully solicits public attention to his superior and tasteful stock of

Pocket Books,	Pocket Knives, and
Bankers' Cases,	Other Fine Cutlery.
Bill Books,	Gold Pens and Pencils,
Writing Cases,	Seal Cases,
Card Cases,	Chest Men,
Port Monies,	Back Gammon Boards,
Purses,	Dominoes, &c., &c.

His assortment consists of the most fashionable and modern styles, of the finest quality and excellent workmanship, embracing every desirable fancy pattern, which he will at all times be prepared to exhibit and furnish wholesale or retail on the most pleasing terms.

Purchasers who desire to supply themselves with articles of the best quality will consult their own interests by calling at this establishment.

F. H. SMITH, Pocket Book Manufacturer, 52 1/2 Chestnut Street. August 25, 1849—6m.

A VERY large and handsome stock of Ready-made CLOTHING, Boys' do., just landed and now opening at

oc20 NUSBAUM, BROTHERS.

HATS AND CAPS.

FOR Men and Boys, a large assortment at reduced prices. C. L. JONES, oc27. New Cheap Cash Store.

BLACK ALPACAS.

OF these goods a large assortment on hand, for sale by the piece or yard very low—12 1/2 cents, 18 1/2 cts., 25 cts., 31 cts., 37 1/2 cts., 44 cts., 50 cts., 56 cts., 62 1/2 cts., 75 cts., 87 1/2 cts., \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50; also a handsome assortment of Bombazines.

C. L. JONES' nov3. New Cheap Cash Store.

Bar Iron.

BEST quality Bar Iron for sale cheap for cash, at

C. L. JONES' New Cheap Cash Store, dec 15

Sleigh Bells.

A large assortment of Sleigh Bells just received, comprising every style; for sale at least 20 per cent. lower than can be had elsewhere at

C. L. JONES' New Cheap Cash Store, dec 15.

MUFFS, BOAS, Victorines, &c.

WE will open in a few days a large and handsome lot of Furs, such as Muffs, Boas, Victorines, Bellerines, of Genet, Lynx, Cooney, Squirrel and Fitch, which will be the cheapest and handsomest ever offered. An examination of the same is respectfully requested.

NUSBAUM, BROTHERS. Lewistown, Oct. 20, 1849.

TO THE LADIES.

C. L. JONES respectfully informs the ladies that he made a large purchase of Cashmeres when last in the city, at greatly reduced prices, and is now able to sell a genuine article of Cashmere at the extremely low price of 25 cts. per yard equal to any to be had at 50 cts. at other places. Call soon, as they are selling like hot cakes.—Also, a splendid assortment of sack Flannels and many other new goods just received and arriving at the celebrated new cheap cash store.

Nov. 17. C. L. JONES.

Carpets! Carpets!

At Jones' Carpet Hall

CAN be seen the most splendid assortment of every grade and quality—Rag, Venetian, Ingrain, and Imperial; RUGS &c. These Carpets are direct from the celebrated manufactory of A. B. Culton & Co., in Chester county, and warranted good—no auction trash. Call and see.

C. L. JONES' Oc27. New Cheap Cash Store.

SHAWLS! SHAWLS!

AT JONES' NEW CHEAP CASH STORE!

8-4 Silk Plaid Wool Shawls,	\$2 50
8-4 Cassimere do	4 00
8-4 super. plaid wool do	5 00
16-4 do do long do	3 75
16-4 do Bay State do do	12 00
16-4 do black Thibet long do	10 00
16-4 do Bay State long do	6 50

Plain and Embroidered high colored Thibet Merino Shawls.

The above list with many others are just opening this week at the celebrated New Cheap Cash Store.

Nov. 3. C. L. JONES.

BASKETS and CEDAR-WARE.

OF the above goods a very extensive assortment just opening, consisting of

Market Baskets, all sizes	
Clothes do do	
Travelling do do	
Dinner do do	
Knife do do	

Churns, Tubs, Buckets, &c., &c., &c. C. L. JONES, nov3. New Cheap Cash Store.

HAT & CAP EMPORIUM.

N. J. RUDISILL, At his Old Stand in Market Street,

HAS just received the Beebe & Costar Fall Fashion of Hats and Caps, and is now prepared to furnish both old and new customers with an article, which he will warrant good, and nothing shorter. He has now on hand a large and general assortment of

HATS AND CAPS, FOR MEN AND BOYS,

which he will dispose of, WHOLESALE or RETAIL, on as fair terms as can be obtained here or elsewhere.

His Omaha friends will also find him prepared to suit their tastes. His unrivalled BROAD-BRIMS will receive the same care and attention which he has always bestowed upon them. Don't forget the old stand, where you may depend upon not being disappointed.

N. J. R. feels grateful for the generous patronage he has thus far received, and assures all that he will spare no pains to give the general satisfaction that he has hitherto succeeded in affording all who have dealt with him.

Lewistown, Sept. 15, 1849—1f.

Fall Fashions Received.

W. G. ZOLLINGER'S HAT MANUFACTORY,

Market Street, Lewistown, adjoining Kennedy & Porter's Store.

MR. Z. informs the citizens of Mifflin and the adjoining counties, that he has just received the fall fashions, and is now prepared to furnish all in want of new HATS or CAPS with an article, neat, durable and well finished, comprising every style manufactured for this market.

The care and attention he has ever given to the manufacture of the style of Hats preferred by his numerous Omaha customers, will be continued; and he feels warranted in giving the assurance that they will not be disappointed.

COUNTRY MERCHANTS

will find it decidedly to their advantage to give him a call, for his arrangements are now such, as to enable him to furnish any quantity that may be desired on the shortest notice.

Grateful for the encouragement he has thus far received, he will continue to deserve it, by continued assiduity to the wants of his friends, and strict attention to his business.

Lewistown, Sept. 29, 1849.

WIDE BLACK SILKS.

JUST received a few pieces more—sell at the former low prices at

C. L. JONES' nov3 New Cheap Cash Store.

Irish Linens.

A LARGE lot bought at a bargain in Philadelphia, and selling by the piece or yard at a small advance at

C. L. JONES' oc27 New Cheap Cash Store.

BLANKETS!

PERSONS in want of Blankets are invited to a large stock just received at

C. L. JONES' nov3. New Cheap Cash Store.

P. S. Remember these Blankets are fresh goods just opened, no old stock.

HOSIERY AND TRIMMINGS.

THE fullest and most complete assortment of Hosiery and Trimmings ever opened before in Lewistown will be found at

C. L. JONES' nov3. New Cheap Cash Store.

Cloths, Cassimeres, Sattinets, and Vestings,

IN endless variety, at every price and quality, for sale 20 per cent. below the usual price, at

C. L. JONES' nov3. New Cheap Cash Store.

Umbrellas.

SILK, Cotton, and Gingham, a large assortment for sale very low, by the piece or dozen—50 cents, 60 cts., 70 cts., 80 cts., 90 cts., \$1.00, \$1.12 1/2, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, Silk at \$2.50, \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$4.50.

C. L. JONES' nov3. New Cheap Cash Store.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

WHEREAS the great rush at C. L. Jones' celebrated new cheap cash store for desirable and cheap goods has rendered it at many times impossible to wait upon all the customers, many have had to wait, and some being in a hurry have been obliged to leave the store; this is to inform all such that there is now an additional force added, so that all can be accommodated without delay. Come on for cheap goods at

C. L. JONES' Celebrated New Cheap Cash Store. November 17, 1849.

Queensware & Glassware.

QUITE an extensive assortment just opening at the New Cheap Cash Store.

Gift French China Tea Sets.

do do do Plates.	
White Iron Stone Tea and Dinner Sets.	
do Granite do do do	
Light Blue do do do	
Flouring Blue do do do	

Toilet Sets, 6 pieces; Plates of all kinds and sizes by the single or dozen; also a large assortment of Cups and Saucers, by the single Set; Gravy Bowls; Soup Tureens; Molasses Pitchers; colored and white glass Candlesticks; Preserve Dishes, in endless variety; French China Mantle Ornaments; Salt-cellars, various patterns; Tumblers; Glass Jars, various sizes; stone Jugs; stone Jars; large Turkey Dishes, white, blue and mulberry, also steak Dishes to match; Bowls; Pitchers; sauce Dishes; and a large lot of common Cups and Saucers, all offered for sale at unprecedented low prices for cash, at

C. L. JONES' nov3 New Cheap Cash Store.

W. H. IRWIN, ATTORNEY AT LAW,

HAS resumed the practice of his profession in this and the adjoining counties. Office at the Banking House of Longenecker, Grubb & Co. Jan. 20, 1848—1f.

GEO. W. ELDER, ATTORNEY AT LAW,

Lewistown, Mifflin County, Pa. OFFICE two doors west of the True Democrat Office. Mr. Elder will attend to any business in the County of Centre county. August 25, 1849—1f.

W. J. JACOBS, Attorney at Law,

WILL attend promptly to business entrusted to his care in this and adjoining counties. Office one door west of the Post Office. June 16, '49—1y.

MAGISTRATE'S OFFICE.

CHRISTIAN HOOVER, Justice of the Peace,

CAN be found at his office, in the room recently occupied by Esquire Kulp, where he will attend to all business entrusted to his care with the greatest care and despatch.

Lewistown, July 1, 1848—1f.

Samuel Hopper, CARPENTER,

Is ready at all times to build the best Houses, and can do that very thing.

Residence No. 5 Hale Street, Lewistown. March 31, 1849—1f

M. MONTGOMERY, Boot & Shoe Manufacturer

MARKET STREET LEWISTOWN.

CONTINUES to manufacture, to order, every description of BOOTS AND SHOES, on the most reasonable terms.—Having competent workmen in his employ and using good stock, his customers, as well as all others, may rely upon getting a good article, well made and neatly finished.

January 22, 1848—1f.

Doctry.

"ARE WE ALMOST THERE?"

"Are we almost there? are we almost there?" Said a dying girl, as she drew near home; "Are those our poplar trees that rear Their forms so high 'gainst the heaven's blue dome?"

Then she talked of her flowers, and she thought of the well, Where the cool waters dash o'er the large white stone, And she thought it would sooth like a fairy spell, Could she drink of that fount when her fever was on.

While yet so young, and her bloom grew less, They had borne her away to a kinder clime; For she would not tell that 'twas only distress That had gathered life's rose in its sweet spring time.

And in secret she sighed for some secret spot, Where she oft had played in childhood's hour, Though shrub or floweret marked it not, 'Twas dearer to her than the gayest bowyer.

And oft did she ask, 'are we almost there?' Still her voice grew faint, and her flushed cheek pale, And they strove to soothe her with useless care, As her sighs escaped on the evening gale.

Then swiftly, more swiftly, they hurried her on, But their anxious hearts felt a chill despair, For when the light of that eye was gone, And the quick pulse stopped—she was almost there.

Miscellaneous.

TWO WAYS TO TELL A STORY.

WE hope there are many readers of the Daily Mail who have had practical evidence that a little kindness, however homopathic the dose may be, goes five times as far towards making those around you happy, as cargoes of sour answers or surly rebukes. There are two very distinct ways of telling the same story. Some men will make hosts of friends, while others will find it impossible to discover one. Bluntness and frankness may do very well, but as a general thing it is prudent to study effects as well as causes. Jones may say to Smith:

"Smith are you going to pay that note to-day?"

"No I shan't; it don't suit me, and I shan't do it."

"Then by thunder I'll see if you don't!" says enraged Jones. A lawyer gets a case, a squabble follows, and they both pay dearly for a lesson in civility. How different Brown would fix it!

"Smith, what is the state of your finances this morning; do you feel as though you could let me have the \$30 to-day?"

"Well, no, I can't," says Smith, "I'm very short; can't you wait on me a few days, it would be an accommodation?"

"Well," says Brown, "let it stand; do something for me as soon as you can, will you, Smith?"

"Certainly I will." They part—friends and brothers.

"Go away with that noise!" says some bullet-headed fellow to the poor itinerant organist and his monkey. The poor fellow goes away, mortified and soured against his species; how differently the good heart, the peace-maker does it.

"My man, your music is pleasant, but it disturbs us now; there are a few pennies, play for some others further on your way." The organist goes along, smiling at the man who has ordered him off. There is five times the force in kind words and generosity, than there is in morose sulks and arbitrary measures. We cannot live long nor happy among our species, without the aid of kindness and generosity. It is not necessary to knock a man down to convince him he is in error, or hold a knife at his breast to assure him his life is in your power. Politeness and civility are rare jewels; they render two-fold good, blessing him that giveth and him that receiveth. It is quite astonishing, when we calculate the entire safety and splendid per centage it yields—that so few invest in that capital stock—good humor and kindness.—Boston Mail.

THE SCIENCE OF PSYCHOLOGY.

The cultivators of this new science, says the New York Day Book, are constantly bringing curious things to light. One of the most novel of these is termed Psychometry, which seems to be the art or science of measuring souls. It is managed in this fashion:—You must first find what is termed an impressible person. There are persons of so delicately susceptible a nervous organization as to be powerfully affected by a very slight influence. Professor Buchanan, of the Ohio Eclectic Medical College, at one of his medical lectures, distributed to his class little packages, containing different medicines carefully put up in two or three envelopes. These papers, impervious to ordinary senses, the students were requested to hold in their hands. At the end of twenty or thirty minutes some twenty of the class were found to have received a distinct impression as to the nature of the medicine in their hands. Opium, cathartics and emetics not only made an impression which conveyed an idea of their taste, but produced nausea, and other characteristic effects. This was one of several tests of impressibility.

When a person is found to be easily impressed, that is, to have the power of receiving ideas of the qualities of things by other than the usual medicines, other and far more curious experiments may be proceeded with. Take a letter, folded and sealed in its envelope, and place it in the hands of such a person, and in a few moments he will have a clear conception of the contents of the letter, the feelings of the writer, his character, pursuits, personal appearance, and so on. It seems like a veritable reading or measuring of the soul.

These experiments are tried daily, in this city, and over the whole country, and the results are of a very curious and interesting character. They are tried in private, by philosophers who are seeking after the truth; and not with any view to publicity or speculation, and it is only by accident that we have become apprised of the existence of such phenomena; but the few experiments we have seen are quite conclusive as to the existence and exercise of such a faculty, however the philosophers may account for it. Persons whom we know

intimately, who are thousands of miles away, some on land and some on sea, have been accurately described to us, and their characters, feelings and motives laid open, by a person who knew nothing of them, simply by holding in the hand a closely enveloped letter.

"This looks wondrously like necromancy—but all that is past. Two hundred years ago, witchcraft was a terrible reality, for the people were hanged for it—but now witchcraft is science. There are no longer any mysteries or miracles. We are learning more of Nature's laws, and do not find so many exceptions as we thought. Within the material world, there rises up a spiritual, with its own peculiar laws and phenomena, and these we are just beginning to investigate. Those who have any curiosity to explore these seeming mysteries further, will find them very ably discussed in the Journal of Man, a monthly, edited by Dr. BUCHANAN, of Cincinnati.

From the New York Spirit of the Times.

THE CELEBRATION.

"You remember the time when they finished the road as far as Waynesboro, don't you?"

"Yes."

"Wal, they had a mighty to do about it, they did. There was Gov. Dudley, Doctor Andrews, Squire Griswold, Bill Lane, (him as was so near a beaten Stanley for Congress,) old Dick Washington, and a heap of the 'big boys,' come down to the borough to have rate justification. They had the darndest biggest sort of a barbecue, chords of old 'red eye,' and the big gun—they wanted everybody to jure and have a bustin' frolic. Wal, it was warranted over the hull county, and as everybody was gwine, I thought I might as well go, too—so I slipped the old mar in the cart, and put out for the borough."

"Wal, Doctor, I had a pretty easy time of it gwine down, I did—the old mar shyng once and a while when she heard any lumberin' about; but all things considerin', Doctor, I managed purty well. That old mar was a caution, Doctor. She was a perfect sight, any how, she was—and if any pistol was shot off any whar about her, nuthin' could keep her in the cart. Some of these days, Doctor, I'd tell how she served me and brother 'Tart—you know 'Tart, Doctor—I know you do. All the accident that happened was gwine up the hill by Lew Musgrave's thar, close by Ool Pike's, the Quaker, when some of Lew's boys popped a cap on an old smoke pole at a partridge, when how she did rip! She cavorted right smart, but it was no go—she only broke one try pin, and arter gettin' up the hill I fixed that, and we proceeded tolerably well to the borough."

"Wal, Doctor, we got thar, and I thought I might as well get down and lead her by the court house. There was a heap of people on the green, and I didn't 'zactly know what mought happen, so I got down—I did, and slipped the bride over my arm, and was walking along, looking at the crowd to see what was goin' on."

"Thar was 'bundance of folks, Doctor—men, wimmen, childing, and niggers in a fuss—oyster carts, cake carts, and all such sort of doings plenty." Wal, Doctor, I was proceedin' on, tryin' to find some place to hitch the mar to, Holy Moses! her steam bang! went the big gun! The old mar started, and snatched me heels over head, my cart struck an oyster cart—cysters plates, spoons, pans and bowls went flyin'—down I went, but I held on to the bridle, Doctor, I did, and arter a rip or so, I sorter stopped her headway, and made out to get up."

"Thunder and mud! Doctor, such a sight!—I never seed the like afore—you'd a thought it had been rainin' nothin' but oysters and plates for a week—here a pan and thar a puddle of soup big enough to swim my old 'scovy drake—the oyster man scurrin' every thing in an inch high—the old mar snortin' and the folks hollerin' like blue biezars! Wal, Doctor, I sorter shook myself and was lookin' round to see what all the fuss was about, when I seed Old Artur—Old Artur Spikes—you know him, Doctor, and General Meze, with their mouths wide open and nigh about fit to bust. 'Go it Abe,' said Old Artur—and go it I did, for twant half a second before bang! went that cussed old gun agin'!"

"Je-ho-saphat! didn't that old mar rary, and didn't I! Thar they was laughing at me, ready to split! The old cake 'oman had a fork sticking right slam into my leg, and the old man Artur and the General holdin' on to their trousers to keep from dyin'! I riz—looked around—hopped up and struck my heels together three times afore I cum down, and swore if they'd only give me half a chance I could lick the hull kit and bilin' of 'em, and they mought let that darned, cussed big gun kick me in the bargain!"

"Them's the doins down to Waynesboro, Doctor—let's liquor!"

We were, not long since, much amused by a couple of Hoosier girls, who came aboard the steamer— at the little town of Mt. Vernon, Indiana. They had evidently never been a thousand miles from home, and were making their first trip on a steamboat. The elder one was exceedingly talkative, and perfectly free and unconcerned, with regard to the many eyes that were scanning her movements. The other was of the opposite turn of mind, inclined to bashfulness. At dinner our ladies were honored with a seat at the head of the table, and the eldest one, with her usual independence, cut her bread into small pieces, and with her fork, reached over and enrolled each mouthful in the nice dressing on a plate of beef-steak before her. The passengers preserved their gravity during the operation by dint of great effort. Perceiving that her sister was not very forward in helping herself, she turned round to her and exclaimed loud enough to be heard by half the table— "Sal, dip into the Gravy—Dad pays as much as any 'em!" This was followed by a general roar, in which the captain led off.— "The girls arrived at their place of destination before supper, and when they left the boat, all hands gave three cheers for the girls of the Hoosier State.