

Agricultural, &c.

ORANGE QUINCE.—This fruit is of recent introduction in many localities, where its habitudes are not yet fully understood. It takes high rank among culinary fruits, and is eminently deserving all the attention and care that can be bestowed upon it. Salt is an excellent manure for the orange quince. Prepare rich, deep loam by careful digging, and having transplanted your trees, sow on about four quarts of salt to each tree, taking care to apply it over the surface to the entire extent of the surface shaded by the limbs, but not in immediate contact with the trunk. Over this spread a small quantity of hay or grass, saturated with salt. This process of mulching will be found both efficient and economical, and will tend to protect the trees from the attacks of insectivorous depredators, as well as to secure a vigorous development of the spongioses—the genuine lactals of the vegetable system. The saw and pruning-knife should be used but sparingly during the first years of its growth.

CLARIFYING LARD OIL FOR THE HAIR.—To every 20 pints of lard add one of alcohol; place them in a clean glass vessel and shake them frequently for about two days, after which allow them to stand until they become quite clear and a sediment has fallen to the bottom. Pour off the clear and use it for hair oil. It may be colored a light purple with alkanet root, and also scented with the essential oil of lavender, rosemary, bergamot, &c. Maintaining the same proportion of parts by measure—one of alcohol to twenty of lard—pint of the latter may be clarified as well as twenty.

GINGER BEER.—Two gallons of ginger beer may be made as follows:—Put two gallons of cold water into a pot upon the fire; add to it two ounces of good ginger, and two pounds of white or brown sugar. Let all this come to the boil, and continue boiling for half an hour. Then skim the liquor and pour it into a jar or tub, along with one sliced lemon, and half an ounce of cream of tartar. When nearly cold, put in a teacupful of yeast to cause the liquor to work. The beer is now made; and after it has worked two days, strain it and bottle it for use. Tie the corks down firmly.

WASHING SILVERWARE.—It seems that housekeepers who wash their silverware with soap and water, as the common practice is, do not know what they are about. The proprietor of one of the oldest silver establishments in the city of Philadelphia says that housekeepers ruin their silver by washing it in soapsuds; it makes it look like pewter. Never put a particle of soap about your silver and it will retain its original lustre. When it wants polish take a piece of soft leather and whiting, and rub it hard.

RICE CAKES.—Boil rice until it is soft, and while it is warm make it into cakes or flat balls. Dip these balls into a beaten egg, and then roll them into Indian meal till thoroughly coated. This done, fry them in lard, which is better than butter for this purpose. Serve them with sauce, or with butter and cream and sugar.

MOULDINESS.—Fruit jellies may be preserved from mouldiness, by covering the surface one-fourth of an inch deep with finely pulverized loaf sugar. Thus protected they will keep in good condition for ten years.

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OPENING OF
SPRING GOODS
AT THE
PEOPLE'S STORE.
 SHAWLS, PARASOLS,
 MANTILLAS, STRAW GOODS,
 RIBBONS, COLLARS,
 Challies, Brilliants, Poppins,
 Shaker Hoods, Lawns,
 Dress Trimmings, Robes, Ducals, Byadine
 Stripes, Flounced Robes, Organdie
 Mullins, Flouncings, Brass
 Hoops, Kid Gloves,
 GRENOLINE SKIRTS,
 BANDS, PRINTS, TICKS,
 WINDOW PAPERS,
 DRILLS, BLEACHED AND BROWN MUSLINS,
 together with a general assortment of
 CLOTHS, CASSIMERES AND SATINETTS,
GROCERIES
QUEENSWARE,
Ready-made Clothing,
Boots and Shoes, &c.
 May 7, 1857.

GILT Window Shades, as low in price as the common window shades, and far superior in appearance and beauty; buff and green Muslin Shades, 30, 36 & 42 inches wide. Flowered Laminates, and painted window shades from 75 cents to \$2 per pair, for sale by
 F. G. FRANCISCUS,
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TO Wholesale Dealers and Retailers of Merchandise in Mifflin county.—The following is a list of Merchants and Dealers, and the various classes, agreeably to the provisions of the Act of Assembly:

Class	Place of Business	Class
14th class	Armagh township,	\$7 00
13th "	do	10 00
12th "	do	12 00
11th "	do	15 00
10th "	do	20 00
9th "	do	25 00
8th "	do	30 00
7th "	do	40 00
Names of Retailers.	Place of Business.	Class.
A. W. Graff,	Armagh township,	13
Joseph Beck,	do	14
John Kohler,	do	14
William I. & G. Farst,	do	14
Thompson & Watson,	do	14
Thomas Runyan,	do	14
J. B. Alexander & Co.,	do	13
H. H. Gibboney,	do	14
Brislin & Sterrett,	Brown township,	12
James Parker & Son,	do	13
H. Kepner,	do	14
Wm. McKinney,	do	14
Freedom Iron Co.,	Derry township,	13
John Hoopes,	do	14
Daniel Matters,	do	14
Levi Sultzbach,	Decatur township,	14
John Kane,	do	14
Jacob Rohrer,	Granville township,	14
Hop Furnace Co.,	do	14
Blymyer & Brislin,	Lewistown,	13
Hardt & Bros.,	do	14
R. H. McClinton,	do	14
Mrs. Fosselman,	do	14
Lytte Porter,	do	14
I. T. Cordell,	do	14
F. J. Hoffman,	do	10
McCoy & Ellis,	do	13
John Hamilton & Co.,	do	13
N. J. Rudisill,	do	14
Edward Frysinger,	do	14
John B. Seisheimer,	do	14
George W. Thomas,	do	14
James McCord,	do	14
H. W. Junkin,	do	14
S. M. Frank,	do	14
F. A. Hardt & Co.,	do	14
Peter Spangler,	do	14
H. A. Zollinger,	do	14
Joseph F. Yeager,	do	14
George W. Gibson,	do	14
Jacob Everich,	do	14
James McConahy,	do	14
William Bottorf,	do	14
William G. Zollinger,	do	14
John Kennedy,	do	14
John Albright,	do	14
Samuel Marks,	do	14
A. Felix,	do	14
Mrs. M. Wertz,	do	14
Henry Steudle,	do	14
J. Holtzworth,	do	14
E. Boehner,	do	14
J. Irvin Wallis,	do	14
J. D. Stonerod,	do	14
F. G. Franciscus,	do	10
Kennedy, Junkin & Co.,	do	12
Johnston and Clark,	do	14
John Davis,	do	14
R. U. Parker & Bros.,	do	13
Robert Patton,	do	14
A. A. Banks,	do	14
Charles Ritz,	do	14
George W. Stewart,	do	14
William Lind,	do	14
George Blymyer,	do	14
F. E. Loop,	do	14
E. D. Auner,	do	14
Gilbert Waters,	do	14
Z. O. ner,	do	14
Joshua Wiley,	do	14
George B. Patterson,	do	14
Charles Stambarger,	do	14
William Lytle,	do	14
Roswell D. Smith,	do	14
Francis McCoy,	do	14
Alfred Marks,	do	14
S. Molson,	do	14
H. M. Pratt,	do	14
W. B. Hoffman & Co., (Lumber Yard.)	do	14
F. G. Franciscus, (Lumber Yard.)	do	14
Samuel Comfort, (Lumber Yard.)	do	14
John Levy, (Coal Yard.)	do	14
A. Marks,	do	14
Jas. Allison,	do	14
S. Comfort,	do	14
Junata Iron Co.,	McVeytown,	14
W. G. Macklin,	do	12
Geo. W. Brehman,	do	14
William Hardy,	do	14
E. Horner,	do	14
McCoy & Rohrer,	do	14
John Price,	do	14
C. Stoner,	do	14
Thomas Gibbs,	do	14
Samuel Ault,	Menno township,	13
James Lashell,	do	13
Elliott & Myers,	do	13
Samuel Sechrist,	Newton Hamilton,	13
John Vanzandt,	do	14
Biggs & Co.,	do	12
John Purcell,	do	10
Michael Yutzky,	Oliver township,	14
John Strong,	do	14
Samuel Haffley,	Union township,	12
Raphael McGlaughlin,	do	14
Hoar & McNabb,	do	11
Wm. Sankey,	do	14
Samuel B. Grossman,	do	13
A. F. Gibboney,	do	14
John B. Smelker,	Wayne township,	14
A. J. North,	do	14
MILLS.		
E. E. Locke,	Armagh township,	14
Maleny & McManigal,	do	14
D. & S. Harshbarger,	Bratton,	14
E. W. Hale & Co.,	Brown,	14
Joseph A. Taylor,	do	14
Jerman Jacob,	Derry,	14
J. M. Yeager,	do	14
Casper Dull,	Oliver,	14
McWilliams & Sterrett,	Lewistown,	9
A. Marks,	do	11
Augustine Wakefield,	Granville twp.,	14
Stookey,	Brown twp.,	14
Joseph Strode,	do	14
Joseph Hardt,	Wayne twp.,	14
Smith & Heister,	Newton Hamilton,	14
Henry Swartzell,	Union twp.,	14
Plank & Yoder,	do	14
Eating Houses, Oyster Cellars, &c.		
Daniel Eisenbise,	Lewistown,	8
William Bottorf,	do	8
John A. Ross,	do	8
Alexander Eisenbise,	do	8
Samuel Marks,	do	8
George Siegrist,	do	8
Mrs. M. Wurtz,	do	8
C. Stoner,	McVeytown,	8
John Price,	do	8
E. Horner,	do	8
H. Kepner,	Brown twp.,	8
Raphael McGlaughlin,	Union twp.,	8
Distilleries and Breweries.		
E. E. Locke & Co.,	Armagh twp.,	10
Jacob Fisher,	Lewistown,	10
George Siegrist,	do	10

An appeal will be held at my office in Lewistown, on TUESDAY, May 26th, 1857, where persons who feel themselves aggrieved can attend if they think proper, and obtain

that redress to which they may be entitled by law.
 WM. F. SHAW,
 Mercantile Appraiser.
 Lewistown, April 23, 1857.—4t

The above Licenses will be ready immediately after the appeal, and as there has been some difficulty in collecting heretofore, all Licenses not lifted by the 15th day of June, 1857, will be collected by law, agreeably to the order of the State Treasurer.
 HENRY ZERBE,
 ap23-4t Treasurer of Mifflin County.

Clocks, Watches, and Jewelry.
NEW OPENING.
ROBERT W. PATTON,
 (Successor to M. Buoy.)
 HAS just received from Philadelphia and opened on Market street, next door to the old stand, in the room recently occupied by John A. Sterrett, a large assortment of

Clocks, Watches, and Jewelry.
 He has gold and silver watches of every kind and price, some of them of very superior finish, and warranted A No. 1; a splendid variety of

Fine Jewellery,
 including breast pins, ear rings, finger rings, bracelets, cuff pins, watch guards, pens, pencils, spectacles, and every other saleable article of Jewellery, as well as a lot of

Silver and Plated Ware.
 Also, a great variety of FANCY ARTICLES. Strict attention will be given to REPAIRING clocks, watches, and jewelry, and all work will be done promptly and warranted. Mr. P. is determined to sell his goods low—as low as they can be had elsewhere, and perhaps a little lower—and he therefore hopes to merit and receive a liberal share of patronage.
 Call round and see. ap23

W. & G. MACKLIN,
 McVeytown, Pa.,
 keep constantly on hand a large assortment of
Staple and Fancy Dry Goods,
CLOTHING,
BOOTS AND SHOES, HATS AND CAPS,
STRAW GOODS,
HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, CEDARWARE,
Groceries,
Wall and Window Papers,
STATIONERY,
CARPETS, DRUGGETS, OIL CLOTHS, RUGS,
LINES,
OIL, LEAD, PUTTY, TAR, PITCH, OAKUM,
Salt, Fish, Plaster, Guano,
Cement, Stone Coal and Grind Stones.
 We are paying the highest market price for all kinds of GRAIN; or where parties desire it we will ship their Grain by canal and pay them net proceeds, after deducting freight.
 McVeytown, February 5, 1857.

The Comet is Coming!
 AND THE LARGE STOCK OF
NEW GOODS
 OF THE FIRM OF
KENNEDY, JUNKIN & CO.,
 For the Spring and Summer!
 Has come and is ready for a full display of its **CHEAPNESS AND BEAUTY!**
 We therefore invite all to come and see and know for themselves that Kennedy, Junkin & Co.'s is the place to buy cheap goods. We will not be undersold—we buy cheap for cash in the city and will sell cheap for cash.

COUNTRY PRODUCE taken in exchange for goods at all times.
 We have all kinds of goods for sale, embracing
Delaines, Alma Cloths, Du Calls,
CRAPE DE SPANG, SWISS AND CANBRICS,
CLOTHS AND CASSIMERES,
Clothing, Hats and Bonnets, Boots and Shoes, and all kinds of Trimmings.
 Don't forget the cheap store of
 ap30 **KENNEDY, JUNKIN & CO.**

CIGAR MANUFACTORY
 AND
TOBACCO STORE!
 East Market street, immediately opposite the Post Office,
LEWISTOWN, PA.
 THE undersigned would respectfully make known to Merchants, Confectioners, Hotel Keepers, and citizens generally of this and adjoining counties, that he has commenced the **TOBACCONIST BUSINESS,** and will constantly keep on hand Tobacco and Segars of all kinds, of superior brands, which he will dispose of on most reasonable terms at **WHOLESALE OR RETAIL.**
 ap16 **EDWARD FRYNSINGER.**

WM. LIND,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
 East Market street, Lewistown,
 a few doors east of Geo. Blymyer's store,
 HAS just received from the city a choice selection of
CLOTHS,
Cassimeres,
and Vestings,
 specially selected by himself, embracing some very superior goods, from among which his old customers and as many new ones as may choose to call, can secure articles for dress that will vastly add to their personal appearance when made up. Call and examine the stock, which will be found to be all that is represented, if not a little more.
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WAKEFIELD'S hand Corn Planters, Lebanon county horse power Corn Planters, received and for sale by
 F. G. FRANCISCUS.
WALL and Window Paper, 200 different patterns, for all tastes and prices.
 ap30 **F. G. FRANCISCUS.**
GO to Hoffman's for Tubs
 Go to Hoffman's for Barrels
 Go to Hoffman's for Brooms
 Go to Hoffman's for Baskets
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SEEDS.—Garden seeds, Spades, Rakes, Hoes, &c. at
 F. J. HOFFMAN'S
SHOT GUNS.—Single and double Shot Guns, very low, at
 MACKLIN'S, McVeytown.

GLAD NEWS.
Full of Hope to the Afflicted and Suffering!

Many of the Thousand Portals of Death may be closed, and life made happier and more comfortable to thousands who are now in danger.
 Doubtless this world contains many a balm to soothe its physical woes and cure its Diseases. Among those in prominent rank stands

BOWMAN'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND,
 A SAFE and speedy cure for Consumption, not only in those more fatal forms of Throat and Lung Diseases, such as Colds, Coughs, Quinsy, Difficulty of Breathing, Bronchitis, Ministers' Sore Throat, Weakness of the Chest, Asthma, Inward Croup, Spitting of Blood, Inflammation, Whooping Cough, Pain in the Breast and Side, Hoarseness, Catarrh and Catarrhal Affections, Inflammation of the Lungs, Bleeding of the Lungs, &c. But its superior excellence is best tested in the more advanced affections of the Lungs. For the truth of the above statement and the efficiency of the preparation as an antidote, we refer the public to the following testimonials. Language is scarcely strong enough to tell the great power of this wonderful discovery! The doubting may try and be convinced. The proprietors point to the following bona fide certificates with confidence in their influence on the community; they are but samples of the many hundreds of testimonials in our possession:
 Allegheny, July 19, 1856

Mr. H. M. Bowman—Dear Sir—I feel it my duty to let you know what your compound has done for my daughter, and wish you to publish it if you can in hope that some suffering one may be induced by it to try your valuable medicine. My daughter was born on the 15th of August, 1853, and went to Cincinnati to live, where her husband (James Hoyt) was engaged in business. In six months after her husband died, and I sent her to come home, where in four months she was confined and caught cold which she never got over. It seemed as though we could get nothing to help her. We tried six different physicians for one year and then sent her to New York to a celebrated physician there, and she took medicine from him for eight months; but he could not cure her. Her cough was fixed and stubborn and seemed as though it would tear her breast during the season of cough, and her breathing was at times very difficult. Failing to get relief from physicians, we thought we would try Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and she took it regular for seven weeks, but it did her no permanent good. We then tried Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, but with all she still became worse, and it seemed as though she was beyond cure, when one day my wife was in at one of our neighbor's houses (Mr. Maynes') and she saw them give your Vegetable Compound to one of their children for a cough and she got three or four doses to bring home and try it. After my daughter had taken it she breathed a little easier, and we sent and got a bottle of it, and when it was taken there was a marked change for the better. I then got six bottles, the most of which she took as directed until finally cured—it is three months since she was cured, and she has not had a cough since. I am glad to say she is as healthy as she ever was. We unite in our prayers to God that you may be prospered and that your Vegetable Compound may be the means of restoring health to many, as it has to one who is dear to us; we cheerfully recommend it to the public as the best medicine for Lung Diseases that we ever got hold of. Try it suffering one and see. Believe me, my dear sir, to ever remain
 Your earnest friend,
 THOS. H. BANKS.
 Philadelphia, Aug. 13, 1856.

Last spring, while in Pittsburgh, I had a bad cold and cough which troubled me much, and a friend of mine gave me a bottle of Bowman's Vegetable Compound for a cough and I took it regular for a few days, and I found relief almost immediately. I had taken many things for cough and hoarseness but never got anything to help me as it has done. I believe it to be the best medicine for coughs and hoarseness that I ever used, and I cheerfully recommend it to the public.
 T. H. STANTON,
 Pastor of the 1st Prot. Meth. Church, Philadelphia.
 From Judge Vanhorn, of the District Court at Cincinnati:
 Cincinnati, May 1, 1856.
 I have used Bowman's Vegetable Compound for bronchitis for several weeks, and believe it to be the best medicine for those diseases, and the only one I ever got to give me any permanent relief. I will certify to its efficacy to the public as an honest and efficient medicine and will perform what it is published to do.

TO THE PUBLIC.
 I have used Bowman's Vegetable Compound in my family for coughs, colds, and ministers' sore throat and believe it to be the best thing that I ever got for those complaints, and cheerfully recommend it to the public.
 Rev. JACOB GASTON,
 Pastor of the Clinton street M. E. Church,
 June 10, 1856.
 Here is one from the old pioneer Methodist preacher of Ohio, Rev. J. B. Finley:
 I believe Bowman's Vegetable Compound to be the best remedy for diseased throat and lungs, of the day. I have tested it, and found it to be the best of all the popular remedies I ever tried, and I have tried very many. I recommend it to the public—try it and you will be convinced of its superiority.
 Rev. J. B. FINLEY,
 Cincinnati, July 12, 1856.

Here what Dr. Benson, of Cincinnati, says—(extract from a letter):
 Bowman's Vegetable Compound contains a virtue that is not possessed by any other remedy in my knowledge. It does not only soothe the disease over, giving it only temporary relief (like most of patent medicines), but it commences at the root of the disease and performs a perfect cure.
 G. W. BENSON, M. D.
 Our space will not permit us to publish any certificates in full, but we would refer to the following persons whose letters are in our possession, certifying to its worth:
 Rev. Bishop Morris, Cincinnati,
 Rev. Robert Walker, Port mouth,
 Rev. John Power, Butler,
 John L. McKinstry, Pittsburgh,
 Henry S. Griffith, Esq., Wheeling,
 C. C. Baker, Pittsburgh,
 Capt. E. Gordon, Maryland,
 John T. Mendenhall, New Brighton,
 Mrs. Mary Morrow, Beaver,
 Mrs. M. Evans, Vanport,
 Robt. Greenlee, Freedom,
 Isaac Sutherland, Meadville,
 Mrs. A. Gettys, New Castle,
 Henry Smith, Lawrence county,
 Mrs. Sarah Lowry, New Castle,
 Rev. G. Seaman, Allegheny City,
 T. C. Cunningham, Isaac Whitesides, Bridge water,
 D. Marrata, Louisville,
 Rev. Wm. Smith, Freedom,
 Judge Key, Wellsville,
 Capt. Geo. Kennedy, Allegheny,
 James Wilkins, Steubenville,
 J. P. O'Neil, Venango county,
 Rev. Henry Cline, Louisville,
 Dr. James Parsons, Maryland,
 Rev. John Watkins, Georgetown,
 Capt. Jacob Poe, Butler county,
 James L. Dadds, Louisville,
 Ex-Gov. Wm. Bigler, Rev. G. Seaman, Louisville.

BOWMAN & CO.,
 New Castle, Lawrence co., Pa.
 Agents wanted in every village. Apply by letter otherwise to the proprietors. oc16
Foundry and Machine Shop.
 THE public are hereby notified that I have rented the Foundry and Machine Shop in the borough of Lewistown, known as the "Inniana Iron Works," and the large and general assortment of Patterns, late the property of Zeigler and Willis, now of John Sterrett & Co. and Wm. Willis, and that I am prepared to do all kinds of
Casting, Turning, &c.
 on the shortest notice and in the best and most complete style.
 JOHN ZEIGLER,
 Lewistown, April 17, 1856.—4t.

THE GREATEST MEDICAL DISCOVERY OF THE AGE.

DR. KENNEDY, of Roxbury, has discovered in one of our common pasture weeds a remedy that cures
Every Kind of Humor
 from the worst Scrofula down to a common Pimple.
 He has tried it in over 1100 cases, and never failed except in two cases, (both thunder humors). He has now in his possession over two hundred certificates of its virtue, all within twenty miles of Boston.
 Two bottles are warranted to cure a nursing Sore Mouth.
 One to three bottles will cure the worst kind of Pimple on the Face.
 Two to three bottles will clean the system of Biles.
 Two bottles are warranted to cure the worst Canker in the Mouth and Stomach.
 Three to five bottles are warranted to cure the worst case of Erysipelas.
 One to two bottles are warranted to cure all Humor in the eyes.
 Two bottles are warranted to cure Running of the Ears and Blisters on the Hair.
 Four to six bottles are warranted to cure corrupt and running Ulcers.
 One bottle will cure Scaly Eruption of the Skin.
 Two to three bottles are warranted to cure the worst case of Ringworm.
 Two to three bottles are warranted to cure the most desperate case of Rheumatism.
 Three to four bottles are warranted to cure the Salt Rheum.
 Five to eight bottles will cure the worst case of Scrofula.

A benefit is always experienced from the first bottle, and a perfect cure is warranted when the above quantity is taken.
 Reader, I peddled over a thousand bottles of this in the vicinity of Boston. I know the effect of it in every case. So sure as water will extinguish fire, so sure will this cure humor. I never sold a bottle of it but that sold another; after a trial it always speaks for itself. There are two things about this cure that appear to me surprising; first that it grows in our pastures, in some places quite plentiful, and yet its value has never been known until I discovered it in 1846—second, that it should cure all kinds of humor.
 In order to give some idea of the sudden rise and great popularity of the Discovery, I will state that in April, 1852, I peddled it and sold about six bottles per day—in April, 1854, I sold over one thousand bottles per day of it. Some of the wholesale Druggists who have been in business twenty and thirty years, say that nothing in the annals of patent medicines was ever like it. There is a universal praise of it on all quarters.
 In my own practice I always kept it strictly for humors—but since its introduction as a general family medicine, great and wonderful virtues have been found in it that I never suspected.
 Several cases of epileptic fits—a disease which was always considered incurable, have been cured by a few bottles. O, what a mercy if it will prove effectual in all cases of that awful malady—there are few who have seen more of it than I have.
 I know of several cases of Dropsy, all of them aged people, cured by it. For the various diseases of the Liver, Sick Headache, Dyspepsia, Asthma, Fever and Ague, Pain in the Side, Diseases of the Spine, and particularly in diseases of the Kidneys, &c., the discovery has done more good than any medicine ever known.
 No change of diet ever necessary—eat the best you get and plenty of it.
 DIRECTIONS FOR USE.—Adults—one spoonful per day—Children—over 10 years, dessert spoonful—Children from 5 to 10 years, tea spoonful. As no directions can be applicable to all constitutions, take sufficient to operate on the bowels twice a day.

Manufactured by
DONALD KENNEDY,
 No. 120 Warren St., Roxbury, Mass.
 Wholesale Agents: New York City, C. V. Clicker, 51 Barclay street; C. H. King, 192 Broadway; Rushton and Clark, 275 Broadway; A. B. & D. Sands, 100