

THE HOUSEKEEPER.

ALL ABOUT TOMATOES.

Tomato Catsup.—Take ripe tomatoes and scald them just sufficient to allow you to take off the skin; then let them stand for a day, covered with salt; strain them thoroughly, to remove the seeds. Then to every two quarts, add three ounces of cloves, two of black pepper, two nutmegs, and a very little Cayenne pepper, with a little salt. Boil the liquor for half an hour and then let it cool and settle. Add a pint of the best cider vinegar, after which bottle it, corking and sealing it tightly. Keep it always in a cool place.

Another Way.—Take one bushel of tomatoes, and boil them until they are soft. Squeeze them through a fine wire sieve, and add—half a gallon of vinegar, one pint and a half of salt, two ounces of cloves, quarter of a pound of allspice, two ounces of Cayenne pepper, three table-spoons of black pepper, five heads of garlic, skinned and separated. Mix together, and boil about three hours, or until reduced to about one-half. Then bottle without straining.

To Pickle Tomatoes.—Always use those which are thoroughly ripe. The small round ones are decidedly the best. Do not prick them, as most recipe-books direct. Let them lie in strong brine three or four days, then put them down in layers in your jars, mixing with them small onions, and pieces of horse-radish; then pour on the vinegar (cold), which should be first spiced as for peppers; let there be a spice-bag to throw into every pot. Cover them carefully, and set them by in the cellar for a full month before using.

Green Tomato Pickles.—Slice green tomatoes and put them over the fire, with cold vinegar and spices, let them boil five minutes. Put them in jars, and they will remain good for several weeks.

Broiled Tomatoes.—Take ripe tomatoes of good size, scald them to remove the skin, then cut them in slices half an inch thick, and broil them over a hot fire in a gridiron. Use butter, pepper and salt on them, and they will be excellent.

Green Tomato Pie.—Slice the tomatoes, thin a layer of them on a paste lined pie plate, then cover them with half a tea-cupful of sugar, and pulp and part of the grated rind of a lemon. Cover with paste.

Pine-Apple Preserve.—Twist off the top and bottom, and pare off the rough outside of pine apples; then weigh them and cut them in slices, chips or quarters, or cut them in four or six, and shape each piece like a whole pine-apple; to each pound of fruit, put a tea-cup of water; put it in a preserving kettle; cover it and set it over the fire and let them boil gently until they are tender and clear; then take them from the water, by sticking a fork in the centre of each slice, or with a skimmer into a dish. Put to the water white sugar, a pound for each pound of fruit; stir it until it is all dissolved; then put in the pine-apple; cover the kettle, and let them boil gently until transparent throughout; when it is so take it out, let it cool, and put it in glass jars; as soon as the syrup is a little cooled, pour it over them; let them remain in a cool place until the next day, then secure the jars as directed previously. Pine-apple done in this way is a delicious preserve. The usual manner of preserving it, by putting it into the syrup without first boiling it, makes a little better than sweetened leather.

To Corn Beef for Summer. Take the brisket plate, or any good piece of fatted beef, fresh killed; saw, and cut up in three or four pound pieces, sufficient for one or two days; lay it in a half barrel suitable for beef, or a lard keg. Make a good strong brine with cold water, strong enough to float a fresh egg, dissolve half an ounce of saltpetre and put it in the brine; lay in the beef, put a clean, flat stone on it to keep it down, and pour in the brine, sufficient to cover it; let it lie over night; boil it in water enough to cover it; add a handful of salt; let it boil two or three hours, or until tender. This will keep two or three days in a cool place.

N. B.—Put some salt in the barrel or keg that you salt your meat in once in a while; that will keep the brine always strong and good.

Watermelon Preserves.—Cut a watermelon in two, and take out the soft inside; then pare or scrape the green rind from the firm white portion of the melon, and cut it into such shapes as you choose. Put the soft part of the melon with all its liquid into a preserving kettle in which there are two tea-cups of water, and let it boil for a few moments; strain it, and add three-quarters of a pound of white sugar for each pound of melon you are to preserve; put it over the fire, and stir it until dissolved; then put in the melon, and boil until clear throughout; flavor with green ginger root or with lemon, adding the inside of a

couple of lemons to the liquid; when the soft part of the melon is transparent take it up with a skimmer and spread on flat dishes to cool. Let the syrup boil until thick; pour it into a pitcher to cool and settle. Put the preserves into jars; pour the syrup over, and seal next day.

FREEBURG ACADEMY

Snyder County Normal School, FREEBURG, PA.

THE next session of this Institution commences on the 27th of JULY, and continues 22 weeks. Encouraged by past success, increased efforts will be made to enable students to acquire a sound mental, moral and physical education. The Academic Department embraces all the branches constituting a thorough English, Classical, Mathematical and Scientific Education, together with Music, Drawing, Painting and French.

A NORMAL DEPARTMENT has been established and heretofore well attended, in which Teachers, and those wishing to become such, can prepare themselves for the profession.

Terms—Half in Advance.
For Board, Tuition, Room, &c., per session of 22 weeks, \$52 to \$60
Tuition alone, per quarter of 11 wks. \$4 to \$6
Music, Drawing, Painting and French at usual charges.

Students can enter at any time.
For catalogues, &c., address
jly15 GEO. F. McFARLAND, Principal.

NOTICE.—We, the undersigned, give notice, agreeably to the laws of Pennsylvania, that we intend making application to the next session of the Legislature of Pennsylvania for the incorporation of a Bank, to be located in the borough of Lewistown, county of Mifflin, and State of Pennsylvania, under the name, style and title of "THE MIFFLIN COUNTY BANK," issue to be secured by bond and mortgage on real estate to be appraised by three men appointed by the Governor, at three-fourths its cash value, and joint and separate liability of all the stockholders, to have general banking and discounting privileges, with a capital of One Hundred Thousand Dollars, with the privilege of increasing it to Five Hundred Thousand Dollars.

Wm. Cummins, Wm. Thompson,
Davis Bates, Thomas Reed,
John Henry, John D. Nageny,
Alexander Reed, Wm. Beatty,
Wm. M. Fleming, Abner Thompson.
Lewistown, June 24, 1858.—6m

TAKE NOTICE.

Felix's New Grocery, Provision and Fish Store,

On Point of Valley, Mill and Doreas Sts.

If you want Shad, Mackerel and Herring, go to Felix's.

If you want Salt by the sack, Ham, Shoulder and Side, go to Felix's.

If you want Crockery Ware of the best quality, best and cheapest Groceries, best of Tea, Spices, Soaps, Perfumery, and Fancy Articles, such as Ladies' Baskets, Brushes, Combs, Pins, &c., &c., go to Felix's Cheap Cash Grocery.

If you want Confectioneries, Toys, Dried Fruit, all kinds of Crackers, Biscuits, Cakes or Ice Cream, go to Felix's.

VARIETY STORE.
Farmers and others having all kinds of Produce to sell will please give me a call, as I will pay cash for Butter, Eggs, Lard, Smoked Meat, Dried Fruit, Poultry, Potatoes, &c., at a percentage off for Groceries or any goods in my line at cash prices.

If you want Furniture for which Produce can be taken in exchange, give me a call, as I still carry on the Furniture and Undertaking business. Call and examine my stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

july15 A. FELIX.

HARDWARE!

To Buy Cheap for Cash,

Blacksmiths, buy at Hoffman's,
Carpenters, buy at Hoffman's,
Saddlers, buy at Hoffman's,
Shoemakers, buy at Hoffman's,
Cabinetmakers, buy at Hoffman's,
Farmers, buy at Hoffman's,
Builders, buy at Hoffman's,
Housekeepers, buy at Hoffman's.

Don't forget, if you want good Stoves, Pump Chains, Oil Cloths, Nails, Steel, Iron, Cutlery, Vices, Bellows, Chains, Glass, &c., F. J. Hoffman's Mammoth Hardware Store, and you can be accommodated. mh11

DRUGS, DRUGS, DRUGS,
Medicines, Medicines, Medicines,
Paints, Glass, Oils, Glass, Oils,
Oils, Glass, Oils, Glass, Oils,
Trusses, Trusses, Trusses,
At Hoffman's.

FLOUR.—I have now on hand and shall continue to keep a supply of Extra Superior Flour from Pittsburgh, which we will warrant to give entire satisfaction.

N. B. Those who want a good article can find it at mh11 F. J. HOFFMAN'S.

WALL PAPER.—As the Spring opens, housekeepers will be looking around for Wall Paper, where a good supply can be found and cheap. This can be done at mh11 F. J. HOFFMAN'S.

White Corn Meal.
An excellent article for sale by mh11 F. J. HOFFMAN.

CORN BROOMS,
A good article for 1 1/2 cents at mh11 F. J. HOFFMAN'S.

GROCERIES.—F. J. Hoffman's is the store where good Groceries can be found, and at low prices. mh11

Fruit and Tomato Jars!
I HAVE now on hand a fine assortment of JARS for putting up Fruit, Tomatoes, &c., which every family may do well to get a supply of, viz:
Glass—pint, quart, and half-gallon.
Stone Ware—pint, quart, and half-gallon.
Yellow Ware—Self-sealing quart.
Prices low. jly8 F. J. HOFFMAN.

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BACON
TAKEN in exchange for Salt and Fish at right prices. F. J. HOFFMAN.

STOVES!—Stoves, Stove Pipe, Zinc, Fire Brick, Grates, and everything belonging to the stove business, for sale by aug12 F. G. FRANCISCUS.

Neat, Cheap & Durable.

W. G. ZOLLINGER,

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It is always prepared to supply the public with all the different styles of Hats of the best qualities and at such prices as to defy competition. He has now on hand a large assortment of Fall and winter Hats and Caps, of all the latest styles, which he will sell at the lowest cash prices. He invites everybody to call and examine for themselves, as he is satisfied that his stock cannot fail to please.

For the Omaha he has constantly on hand, or will make to order, hats to their taste of any required size or brim, at prices that cannot fail to be satisfactory.

Country Merchants will find it to their advantage to give me a call, as a liberal deduction will be made on wholesale purchases, and especially so to punctual men. Don't forget the place, next door to Kennedy's store and nearly opposite the Odd Fellows' Hall. oct22

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,

especially 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. oct22

Snuff, Smoking Tobacco & Pipes!

JUST received, the largest assortment of the above articles ever brought to the Juniata country. The subscriber also keeps on hand

Cut and Dry Maccoboy,
Broken Tobacco Rappee,
German Pipes Congress and
Clay Pipes Scotch Snuff,
Cigar Cases Matches,
Snuff Boxes &c. &c. &c.

All of which he pledges himself to sell at prices so low as to satisfy all. Give me a call. ap29 E. FRYSINGER.

HOWARD ASSOCIATION,

PHILADELPHIA.

A Benevolent Institution, established by special endorsement for the relief of the sick and distressed, afflicted with Venereal and Epidemic Diseases.

To all persons afflicted with venereal diseases, such as Syphilis, Gonorrhoea, Seminal Weakness, Impotence, Gleet, Gonorhoea, the vice of Onanism or Self Abuse, &c. &c.

The Howard Association, in view of the awful destruction of human life caused by venereal diseases, and the deceptions practiced upon the unfortunate victims of such diseases by Quacks, several years ago directed their Consulting Surgeon, as a Charitable Act worthy of his name, to open a Dispensary for the treatment of this class of diseases, in all their forms, and to give Medical Advice GRATIS, to all who apply by letter, with a description of their condition, (age, occupation, habits of life, &c.) and in cases of extreme poverty to furnish Medicines Free of Charge. It is needless to add that the Association commands the highest medical skill of the age, and will furnish the most approved modern treatment. The Directors, on a review of the past, feel assured that their labors in this sphere of benevolent effort have been of great benefit to the afflicted, especially to the young, and they have resolved to devote themselves with renewed zeal to this very important but much despised cause.

Just published by the Association, a Report on Syphilis, Gonorrhoea, or Seminal Weakness, the vice of Onanism, Masturbation or Self Abuse, and other Diseases of the Sexual Organs, by the Consulting Surgeon, which will be sent by mail (in a sealed letter envelope) Free of Charge, on receipt of Two Stanzas for postage. Address, for Report or treatment, Dr. GEORGE B. CALLEN, Consulting Surgeon Howard Association, No. 2 South Ninth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. By order of the Directors, EZRA D. HEARTWELL, President. GEO. PATRICK, Secretary. dec3

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THE YOUNG AMERICA CORN SHELLER

The most Complete, Simplest, & Cheapest Cornsheller in the World!

J. P. Smith's Patent, November 25, 1856.

The farmers of Mifflin county and vicinity are most respectfully informed that arrangements have been made for the manufacturing of this celebrated machine at Lewistown, and that they will be offered for sale at the store of F. G. FRANCISCUS. All persons are requested to call and see them operate. County Rights in the State of Pennsylvania for sale by the subscriber, to whom all letters respecting the same may be addressed.

LEWIS KURTZ,
jan21-ly Aaronsburg, Centre Co., Pa.

Clocks, Watches, and Jewelry.

ROBERT W. PATTON,

(Successor to M. Buoy.)

Market street, next door to the old stand, in the room recently occupied by John A. Sterret, has on hand 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 Jewelry, including breast pins, ear rings, finger rings, bracelets, cuff pins, watch guards, pens, pencils, spectacles, and every other saleable article of Silver, 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. Thankful for the patronage heretofore received he respectfully asks a continuance of the same, and will endeavor to please all who may favor him with a call.

Call round and see. ap22

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SUMMER STOCK

NEW GOODS.

R. F. ELLIS, of the late firm of McCoy & Ellis, has just returned from the city with a choice assortment of

Dry Goods and Groceries, selected with care and purchased for cash, which are offered to the public at a small advance on cost. The stock of Dry Goods embraces all descriptions of Summer Goods suitable for Ladies, Gentlemen and Children, with many new patterns. His

Groceries comprise Choice Sugars, Molasses, Java, Rio and Laguira Coffee, superior Teas, &c. Also, Boots and Shoes, Queensware, and all other articles usually found in stores—all which the customers of the late firm and the public in general are invited to examine.

R. F. ELLIS.

Fish, Salt, Plaster and Coal always on hand.

Country Produce received as usual and the full market price all week therof.

Lewistown, June 3, 1858. [D]

COME AND SEE!

Kennedy, Junkin & Co's

CHEAP CASH STORE,

WHERE they have just received a new and splendid stock of

SPRING & SUMMER GOODS, which they offer lower than ever. They invite all to call at their store any and every day, as they are always ready and willing to wait on customers. We enumerate a few of our goods, as follows:

Black Silks 50c to \$1 3/4 per yard
Fancy do 50c to 1 3/4
Fancy Dolaines 12 to 25c
Chalra 15 to 30c

Lavilla and Du Calls 12 1/2 to 25c per yard
Lawn and Gingham 6 1/2 to 25c
All kinds White Goods for dresses
Cloths and Cassimeres 50c to 5 50 per yard
Mantillas and Shawls, Dress Trimmings,
Cottonade, Hosiery and Gloves,
Calicoes 6 1/2 to 12c, best quality

Readmade Clothing, Lower Than Ever!
Brown and White Sugars, 8 to 12c per lb.
Coffee 12 1/2 to 14c per lb.
Best Teas and Spices
Syrups 12 1/2 to 15c cents per quart
Guineas and Whisk Ware very low
Boots and Shoes cheaper than ever

We have everything that people want, and will sell cheaper than any other house in town, for Cash or Country Produce. Give us a call. Don't forget, at ap29 KENNEDY, JUNKIN & CO'S.

To the Public.

The subscriber would inform his friends and the public that he has opened a shop in part of the room formerly occupied by M. Montgomery, adjoining the Post Office, where he is prepared to make to order Ladies', Gentlemen's or Children's

Boots, Shoes & Gaiters, of all descriptions, of the best quality, and at reasonable prices for cash, and from his experience in the business, and determination to please, he hopes to give satisfaction to all who may favor him with their orders.

Repairing Done in the best manner. A share of public patronage respectfully solicited. my20-1f JOHN CLARKE.

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MOWER & REAPER,

With Wood's Improvement, FOR 1858.

FARMERS who are desirous of getting the best Mowing and Reaping Machine in use will please send in their orders before the 10th of June.

Any comments upon the superiority of this machine over all others is unnecessary, as it is universally and justly pronounced to be the best ever taken into a harvest field. Every Machine warranted. Call soon upon F. G. FRANCISCUS, my27 Agent.

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Information given respecting Unsettled Lands, and Taxes paid if authorized by the owners.

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1 large BRICK HOUSE & 2 small FRAME HOUSES on the lot at the corner of Grand and West Market streets, Lewistown.

4 BRICK HOUSES and 2 FRAME HOUSES AND LOTS, on Hale street.

1 FRAME HOUSE on the corner of Main and Charles street.

1 BRICK HOUSE, near the residence of Judge Parker.

Also, a WOOD LOT on the South side of the Juniata River, about 1 1/2 miles from Lewistown, containing about 56 acres, well watered, adjoining the Pennsylvania Railroad, with a two story Frame House on it—not occupied. Inquire of

JNO. R. WEEKES,

Justice of the Peace,
Scribner & Surveyor,
OFFICE West Market street, Lewistown, next door to Irwin's grocery. ap29

GEO. W. ELDER,

Attorney at Law,

OFFICE in West Market street, opposite Eisenbise's Hotel, will attend to any business in the courts of Mifflin, Centre, or Huntingdon counties. Lewistown, July 1, 1853

WOOL WANTED.—Wanted, at the store of the undersigned, East Market street, Lewistown, 10,000 POUNDS OF WOOL, for which the highest market price will be paid in trade. KENNEDY, JUNKIN & CO. Lewistown, May 26, 1858.

Fruit and Ornamental TREES, Strawberry, Raspberry, Currant, and Gooseberry Plants, in great variety. Inquire of Wm. Butler, Lewistown, Pa., or J. E. JOHNSTON, Agent, Trenton, New Jersey. aug13

Suited to the Times!

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Of Every Description.

GENTS', LADIES' and CHILDREN'S SHOES!

On account of the hard times, E. C. Hamilton has determined to make a GREAT REDUCTION in the prices of Boots and Shoes to persons having the Cash. His stock comprises a large assortment of Gents', Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes, suitable for the season, which he will sell lower than they have ever before been sold in Lewistown; a very large assortment of fine Summer Boots and Shoes, of the best material and workmanship, which he will sell at remarkably low prices, so as to suit the times and give satisfaction to the purchaser. Boots and Shoes of every description made to order, both neat and durable, and from 10 to 20 per cent. lower than elsewhere. All rips sewed gratis. Repairing done on shortest notice. Don't mistake the place, in the Public Square, second door east of the National House, at the sign of P. F. Loop.

E. C. HAMILTON.

Lewistown, June 24, 1858.

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THE testimony of Prof. Booth and Dr. Brinckle having previously been published, the following is now added: From Prof. McCloskey, formerly Professor of Theory and Practice of Medicine in the Female Medical College of Pennsylvania, and late Professor of Surgery in the American College of Physicians, &c.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 27th, 1856.
Mr. Joseph E. Hoover:—A trial of your Liquid Hair Dye will convince the most skeptical that it is a safe, elegant and efficacious preparation. Unlike many others, it has in several instances proved serviceable in the cure of some cutaneous eruptions on the head, and I have no hesitation in commending it to those requiring such an application. Very respectfully,

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HOVER'S WRITING INKS, including Hoover's Writing Fluid and Hoover's Indelible Inks, still maintain their high character, which has always distinguished them, and the extensive demand first created has continued uninterrupted until the present.

Orders addressed to the Manufactory, No. 416 Race street above Fourth, (old No. 141.) Philadelphia, will receive prompt attention by JOSEPH E. HOVER, dec17 Manufacturer.

THE EXTENSIVE STOCK

OF

GOLD & SILVER

WATCHES,

CHAINS, BRACELETS,

RINGS, BREASTPINS,

AND OTHER

JEWELRY;

FANCY ARTICLES,

CLOCKS,

and a beautiful assortment of

BOOKS AND STATIONERY

are now selling at greatly reduced prices at Junkin's old stand, corner of Brown and Market streets, opposite Russell's Banking House.

Those who desire to buy at prices corresponding with the times, will please call.

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Cigar Manufactory

AND

Tobacco Depot

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Tobacco.

The pure Old Virginia Dandelion Twist

Atkin's genuine Smyrna Fig

Goodwin's Fine Cut, in tin foil

Anderson's best Honey Dew, fine cut

Bidgood's Juicy Fig Pounds

Competitor Pounds

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Oscar's Congress Tens, 27 " "

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Gift Opera Tulipans \$5.50 per m.
Concha Opera Fancy Fortunas
Eagle Principe " Laguagra
Justo Sanz do " Concha
La Napoleone Imperiadora
Alemanas Exnis
Tirabeque Omer Pascha
Washingtons Half Spanish
Virgins \$6 per m. &c. &c.

Which I can sell at from \$3.50 to \$20 per thousand. my6 E. FRYSINGER.

DYSPEPSIA.

As shown by the statements of the Board of Health of New York, caused the death of 76 persons out of 100 deaths in one week, and 131 deaths by consumption of dyspepsia in one year. It is a well attested fact that dyspepsia is the origin of the sufferings of a large number of those who die of consumption, and it becomes the duty of every one to use such precautions against the cause of dyspepsia as science and experience have revealed.