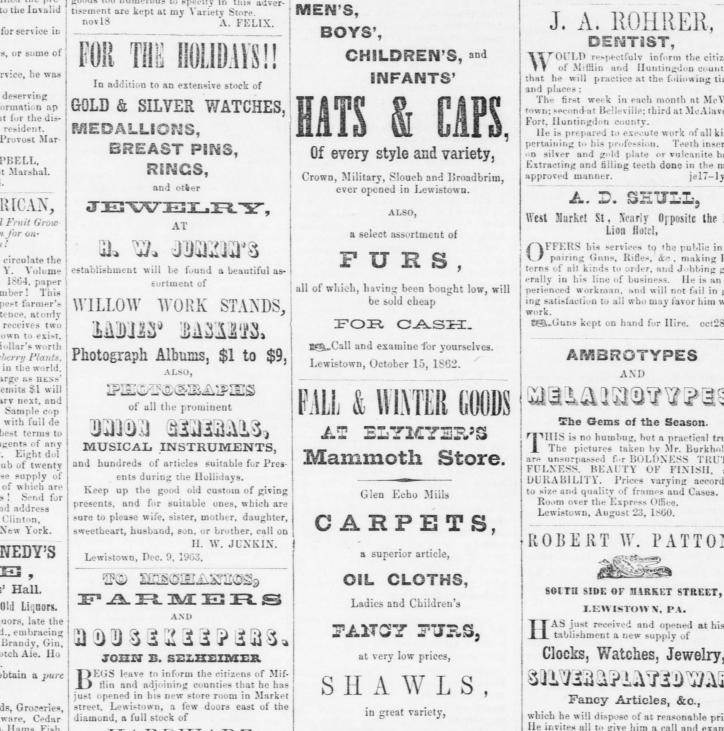


A Beautiful Experiment .- If an acorn be suspended by a piece of thread to within half an inch of some water contained in a hyacinth glass, and so permitted to remain without being disturbed, it will in a few months, burst, and throw a root down into the water, and shoot upward its tapering stem, with beautiful little green leaves. A young oak tree, growing in this way on a mantle-shelf of a room, is a very intoresting object.

To Print Leaves and Weeds .- Between a folded sheet of paper, well covered with printer's ink, a leaf or seaweed is placed, and the folded paper and its contents are then placed in one of the little wooden presses, between soft leathers, and rolled with a wooden roller. All the ribs, veins and prominences of the leaf are thus inked over. Now, if the inked leaf be placed upon paper, and rolled in the same manner. it yields of course an impression of itself, and gives an imprint of its finest parts.

To Perfume Clothes-Cloves in a coarse powder, one ounce; cassia, one ounce; lavender flowers, one ounce; lemon-peel, one ounce. Mix and put them into little bags, and place them where the clothes are kept, or wrap the clothes around them. They will keep off insects.

Cranberry Tart.-Wash the berries in a pan of water, rejecting the bad ones; simmer them till they become soft and burst open ; strain through a tine wire sieve, removing all the hulls; add sugar to the taste; bake on a thick under-crust in a moderate oven.



R. F. ELLIS, of the late firm of McCoy & Ellis, has just returned from the city Great Exhibition COALS OCALS WILLIAM LIND. WILLEBBABBE GOAL, has now open AT with a choice assortment of A NEW STOCK Dry Goods and Groceries A. FELIX'S selected for family use, at OF selected with care and purchased for cash, Grocery and Variety Store. J. C. BLYMYER & CO'S. **Cloths**, Cassimeres which are offered to the public at a small advance on cost. The stock of Dry Goods em-AVING just returned from the city with the largest stock and most braces all descriptions of ATTENTION, BLACKSMITHS! AND VESTINGS. WONDERFUL CURIOSITIES Allegheny Smith Coal, which will be made up to order in the neat-AND AT est and most fashionable styles. ap19 FANCY NOTIONS J. C. BLYMYER & Co's. Excise Stamps that were ever kept in Lewistown for BRAIDING HOLIDAY PRESENTS. For Sale at the AND LEWISTOWN POST OFFICE. I would invite the community at large to BRAID STAMPING call and see this great exhibition of fancy AGREEMENT, and useful articles. BANK CHECK, NOTES AND DRAFTS, Done on the most fashionable patterns by I also invite customers to call and examine my stock of MRS. MARION W. SHAW. BOND, CONTRACT. Groceries, Lewistown, Sept. 23, 1863-CONVEYANCE, LEASE, of which I keep a general assortment, con stantly on hand, fresh for family use, which a. J. Budisill, MORTGAGE. POWER of ATTORNEY, PROBATE OF WILLS. All kinds of Spices, Dried Fruit, Fine Black and Green Teas, Coffee, Confectioneries, plain and fancy styles, large stock of East Market street, PROTEST. ORIGINAL PROCESS. Any other description of Stamps wanted will be furnished at short notice in any quan-tity desired. jan28 LEWISTOWN, SUGAR TOYS for the Holidays, and a large variety of Has now open the largest assortment of goods too numerous to specify in this adver-J. A. ROHRER. DENTIST. WOULD respectfuly inform the citizens of Mifflin and Huntingdon counties, that he will practice at the following times and places : The first week in each month at McVey. own; second at Belleville; third at McAlavey's Fort, Huntingdon county. He is prepared to execute work of all kinds pertaining to his profession. Teeth inserted on silver and gold plate or vulcanite base. Extracting and filling teeth done in the most approved manner. jel7-ly. A. D. SHULL, West Market St , Nearly Opposite the Red Lion flotel, OFFERS his services to the public in re pairing Guns, Rifles, &c., making Pat terns of all kinds to order, and Jobbing generally in his line of business. He is an experienced workman, and will not fail in giving satisfaction to all who may favor him with Guns kept on hand for Hire. oct28 1y AMBROTYPES AND MELAINOTYPES, The Gems of the Season. THIS is no humbug, but a practical truth I The pictures taken by Mr. Burkholder are unsurpassed for BOLDNESS TRUTH FULNESS. BEAUTY OF FINISH, and DURABILITY. Prices varying according to size and quality of frames and Cases. Room over the Express Office. Lewistown, August 23, 1860. ROBERT W. PATTON,

HAS just received and opened at his es-tablishment a new supply of

Pall & Trinter GOODS. suitable for Ladies, Gentlemen and Children,

with many new patterns. Ilis Grocerics

comprise Choice Sugars, Molasses, Java, Rio and Laguyra 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 the customers of the face armine. in general are invited to examine. R. F. ELLIS.

Country Produce received as usual and the full market price allowed therefor. Lewistown, April 30, 1862.

Not Wiman's Steam Gun ! BUT

MARKS & WILLIS' States Provide Bar

THE subscribers have erected a Plaster Mill in connection with their Steam Mill, and are prepared to furnish all who may call and are prepared to turnish all who may call on them, at any time, with fine, fresh ground Plaster. They will purchase all kinds of Grain offered, and pay the highest market prices. Flour and Feed, Coal of all qualities and sizes, Salt, Fish, Groceries & ..., constant-ly on hand and for sale to suit the times. MARKS & WILLIS. Lewistown, Jan. 15, 1862

Lewistown, Jan. 15, 1862.

SADDLES, HARNESS, &c.

The subscriber having now on hand one of the best and largest stocks between Philadelphia and Pittsburgh, in order to accommodate business to the times, offers for sale complete assortment of

Saddles, Harness, Bridles, Collars, Trunks, Whips, Hames, Valises, Carpet Bags, which are offered for sale low for cash, or ap-

proved credit. Among his stock will be found some high-

ly finished sets of light Harness equal to any anufactured, Let all in want of good articles, made by experienced workmen, give him a call.

JOHN DAVIS.

Lewistown, April 19, 1860.

LUMBER! LUMBER!! Wm. B. Hoffman

WOULD respectfully inform the public that he has now on hand a very large

stock of Lumber, embracing: Boards, Plank, Scanting, Shingles, Shing-ling Lath, Plastering Lath, Garden Pale, Fence Rails, Sash of

all sizes, Doors, Blinds and Shutters and ready worked Flooring.

Mr. H., being a practical carpenter, and having selected his stock personally with great care, Farmers, Builders, and others, needing anything in his line, are assured that they will find it to their advantage to give him a call. N. B. Mr. II. is still agent for the sale of

the celebrated wooden water pipe manufactured by the Williamsport Company. Orders for any size will be promptly attended

Lewistown, June 11, 1862.

TREMENDOUS FIGHT ! A ND Knock down of prices, since the new arrival of Boots, Shoes and Gaiters the PEOPLE'S BOOT AND SHOE STORE, in West Market street, nearly opposite Maj. Eisenbise's Red Lion Hotel.

MORAL & RELIGIOUS

From the Sunday School Times

John Adams and the Sabbath. The elder John Adams, while President of the United States, as he was returning from the country to his family in Boston, was interrupted by a New England snow storm, which effectually blocked up his way. He was then at Andover, twenty miles from Boston, where his family, as he had learned were waiting his arrival. Sabbath morning the roads became for the first time passable. On the question of going to Boston that day, it was the opinion of the clergyman of the place that the circumstances of his detention, and the sickness of his family, would justify his traveling on the Sabbath. His reply was, that the justifiable occasion in this case would not prevent the bad influence of his example on those who might see him traveling on the Sabbath, without knowing the cause. He therefore decided to wait till Monday. Have we chief magistrates now who are as scrupulously careful to shun the appearance of evil?

The Profane Pilot.

All the day I was the witness of his skill and power, as he guided our little steamer a low stage of the river. through the countless intricacies of the navigation. I was a deeply rained witness, too, of his dreadful profanity. Frightful oaths, in startling frequency, broke from his lips. Yet he was kind, good-natured, frank, and open-hearted, and I could not but feel a lively interest in him. I could not but press him, as we parted, to look well after his eternal welfare, put in such jeopardy by his wicked life. He fetched my exhortation to an abrupt close by the reply: 'Stranger! a man that pilots a stern-wheel steamer on this river, in such a stage of water, ought to go to heaven anyhow !'

MEN WANTED FOR THE INVALID CORPS.

ONLY those faithful soldiers who, from Wounds or the hardships of war, are no longer fit for active field duty will be received in this Corps of Honor. Enlistments will be for three years unless sooner discharged. Pay and allowance same as for officers and men of the United States infantry; except that no premium or bounties for enlistment will be allowed. This will not invalidate any pensions or bounties which may be due

for previous services. For the convenience of service, the men will be selected for three grades of duty Those who are most efficient and able bodied, and capable of performing guard duty, etc. will be armed with muskets, and assigned to to companies of the First Battallion. Those Those of the next degree of efficiency, including those who have lost a hand or an arm; and the least effective, including those who have lost a foot or leg, to the companies of the Second or Third Battallions; they will be armed with swords.

The duties will be chiefly to act as provest guards and garrisons for cities; guards for hospitals and other public buildings; and as will be offered at the lowest cash price clerks, orderlies, &c. If found necessary they may be assigned to forts. &c.

Acting Assistant Provost Marshals General are authorized to appoint Officers of the Regular Service, or of the Invalid Corps, to administer the oath of enlistment to those men who have completely fulfilled the pre scribed conditions of admission to the Invalid Corps, viz :

1. That the applicant is unfit for service in the field

2. That he is fit for the duties, or some of them, indicated above.

3. That, if not now in the service, he was honorably discharged. 4. That he is meritorious and deserving

For enlistment or further information ap ply to the Board of Enrollment for the district in which the applicant is a resident.

By order of JAMES B. FRY, Provost Mar-J. D. CAMPBELL,

Captain and Provost Marshal. Huntingdon, January 6, 1864.

THE RURAL AMERICAN, The Best Faper for Farmers and Fruit Grow ers—Eight Dollars Premium for on. ly Twenty Subscribers !

want 10,000 club agents to circulate the Rural American, Utica, N. Y. Volume VIII commences January 1st, 1864, paper free to club subscribers in December! This is decidedly the best and cheapest farmer's and fruit grower's paper in existence, atomly \$1 a year, and every subscriber receives two of the best GRAPE VINES known to exist sent free of all expense, or one dollar's worth of Russell's Great Prolific Strawberry Plants, the largest and most productive in the world many of which are actually as large as HENS EGGS! Lery person who remits \$1 will receive the paper free to January next, and through 1864 for his money! Sample cop ies sent free to all applicants, with full de tails. Positively I offer the best terms to Postmasters and other club agents of any other publisher in this country. Eight dol lars in premiums for every club of twenty subscribers! I have an immense supply of the choicest grape vines, all of which are to be FREE to my subscribers! Send for specimen copies immediately, and address T. B. MINER, Clinton, nor18 Oneida Co., New York.

NATHANIEL KENNEDY'S STORE, In the Odd Fellows' Hall.

A Very Choice Assortment of Old Liquors. T OFFER for sale all the liquors, late the stock of John Kennedy, dec'd., embracing prime French Brandy, Cherry Brandy, Gin, Wines, Jamaica Spirits, and Scotch Ale. Ho tel keepers are requested to call. article for the sick. ALSO Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods, Groceries, Queensware, Stoneware, Hardware, Cedar ware, always on hand; Shoulders, Hams, Fish. Herring, Shad, and Mackerel ; Dried Be a most excellent quality; with Boots and Shoes in great variety. All the goods will be sold very low. N. KENNEDY. very low. N. KH Lewistown, January 15, 1861.

shal General,

Are there not many who have as absurd self-righteous schemes of reaching heaven as this profane pilot on the Father of Waters?-Congregationalist.



S not the question, but where is WM. D. McIntyre's VARIETY STORE ? Two doors west of Sample's Hotel, where is constantly kept on hand a new, clean and fresh assortment of fine and common

CANDIES, NUTS, FRUITS,

Temperance Drinks,

CAKES.

STATIONERY &c. NOTIONS-such as Needles, Pins, Thim-

bles. Combs, Soaps, Extracts, Hair Oils, Fishing Tackle, Segars, Tobacco, Matches, Spices, &c., &c.

WM. D. McINTYRE, Proprietor. J. M. STAUBER, Salesman. Lewistown, May 20, 1863.

TIN WARE & STOVES

OF all patterns, constantly kept, and for sale at very low figures, as usual, at the ous BIG COFFEE POT SIGN. famous Lewistown, August 6, 1862.

DRUCS.

S PECIAL attention given to the purchase and sale of Drugs. The amount sold is The amount sold is a sufficient guarantee that the medicines are a sufficient guarantee . pure and prices moderate. F. J. HOFFMAN.

SUPERIOR TEAS.

YOUNG HYSON, Imperial and Black at jy1 F. J. HOFFMAN'S.

vue belief fund.

S the action of the Relief Board does not A S the action of the Relief Board does not seem to be fully comprehended, frequent applications for relief being made in person or by letter to the undersigned, he deems it proper to state that payments will be temporarily renewed to those formerly on the list on presentation of certificate signed by not less than three known taxpayers, stating that the applicant has not received sufficient from her husband or other support, to enable her, together with her own industry. to make a living for herself and family, and giving reasons for such inability. This is intended for the benefit of all really in need, and for no others.

The following form for applications for relief on the part of families of drafted men, is published for public information : The undersigned respectfully represents that her [here insert husband; son, or broth er, as the case may be] who was her support, has been drafted, and is now in the service of the U. States as a soldier ;- that she has ----child____, aged ____years ;--that neither he nor she owns real property nor personal estate sufficient for her maintenance ;- that she is --- years of age

- health. Signature of applicant. Sworn and subscribed before me this day of 1863.

and in -----

J. P.) At the head of the application the name of the soldier, the company and regiment he is in, and when and where enlisted, must be stated, or a certificate accompany it that he has been mustered into the service.]

The undersigned, residents of the district in which the above applicant resides, hereby certify that they believe the facts set forth above are true, and that she is justly entitled to the benefits of the relief fund.

(To be signed by at least two known taxpayers.) On the reception of the above, the full ben:

efit of the relief fund of this county will be awarded for 12 weeks, and should the drafted man not receive his pay regularly, it can be renewed under the reduced rates. The above form can be filled up by almost

any person, and will render unnecessary per-sonal applications to the undersigned. GEO. FRYSINGER,

Secretary to Relief Board. Lewistown, January 13, 1864.

HARDWARE,

comprising everything usually kept in a Hardware Store, and which will be sold at a ower profit than goods of this kind have even before been offered in Lewistown. The fol-lowing classification embraces the leading articles on sale :

FOR MIDDIELANICS 8

A general assortment of Carpenters' and oiners' Tools; a large lot of Hinges, Screws, Door Locks, Bolts, Axes and Hatchets, Door Bells, Chalk, Twine, Tacks, Trowels, Gate Hinges, etc. Butchers' Tools, consisting of Patent Saws, Spring Balances, Cleavers, Knives, Steels, etc., etc.

INOIR IFAIRMINIRS 8

Scythes, Sickles, Rakes, Forks, Shovels, Hoes, Sandboards for Scythes. Trace and Halter Chains, Currycombs, Cards, etc.

FOR HOUSEKEEPERS AND OTHERS: An excellent assortment of Fine Cutlery, comprising Knives and Forks of varied styles Dessert, Tea and Table Spoons, Scissors, Razors. etc. Also, Buck Saws, Cedar Spiggots, Andirons, Shoe Brushes, Mouse Traps, coarse and fine Sieves.

IRON, NAILS, &c.

All sizes of Nails and Brads, very low by the keg; nail rod, bar, round and hoop Iron; Steel; Iron Wire, Carriage Springs, Wagon Boxes, etc., etc.

A call is respectfully requested, as I am confident that my goods and prices will

not fail to please. JOHN B. SELHEIMER. Lewistown, May 21, 1862.

T O B A C C O!Genuine Oriental Turkish, Im. Turkish, Rose, Favorite, Union, Kiss-me-quick, Seafarlatti, &c.

No. 1, 2 and 3 CUT & DRY, very low.

ALSO,

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PIPES, TOBACCO-BOXES, CIGARS,

and in fact everything that belongs to his line of business, at very low figures.

Call and examine for yourselves, and save money by buying at the Cigar and Tobacco Store of

E. FRYSINGER, Lewistown, Pa.

DRESS GOODS.

an immense assortment in

FRENCH, ENGLISH AND Saxony Goods.

comprising Merinoes, Reps, Va'ours, De Laines &.,

Ladies' and Gentlemen's

HOSIERY AND GLOVES,

in large variety.

Ladies Cloaks.

Ready-Made Clothing,

a large stock,

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, SATINETS VESTINGS.

and a general assortment of

Men's Wear for Winter. Best make

HOOP SKIRTS. in large variety.

Lewistown, November 11, 1863.

Large Stock of Furniture on Hand.

FELIX is still manufacturing all kinds A. of Furniture. Young married persons and others that wish to purchase Furniture will find a good assortment on hand, which will be sold cheap for cash, or country produce: aken in exchange for same. Give me a call o : Valley street, near Black Bear Hotel. feb 21

SAUSAGE CUTTERS and Stuffers at F. J. HOFFMAN'S.

Clocks, Watches, Jewelry, Solveb & plated ware

A Contraction

LEWISTOWN, PA.

Fancy Articles, &c.,

which he will dispose of at reasonable prices. He invites all to give him a call and examine his stock, which embraces all articles in his line, and is sufficiently large to enable all to make selections who desire to purchase. REPAIRING neatly and expeditiously

attended to, and all work 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 their custom. feb2

To my Friends both Old & New.

I've something good to tell you, Were you sitting by my side, But of things I've to sell you, You can read at your fire side.

If you'll only send and get ook I have for you. That will tell you all and yet Will keep you laughing too.

And since the book is printed, To my stock I've added new, Things even there not hinted, So I'll mention one to you.

I've bought a Patent Fastning, Tis for puting up tin spout, Neater, better and more lasting, Than any you see about.

But I must be brief you know In a column here like this, So now I'll say, but ho! That COFFEE POT SIGN don't miss. P. S .- A good Lard Can for every man, And a Fat Press that is the oct21 J. IRWIN WALLIS.

> NEW COODS TOM COX'S.

AVING a fine assortment of Shoes suit able for spring and summer, I would in vite my customers to call and take a look at them, as they consist of Women's, Misses and Children's work, of all the various styles, such as Ladies', Misses and Children's Balmorals of very handsome styles; also Men's Balmoral Gaiters, Oxford Ties, and street, Lewistown. Brogans. Boys and Youth's Balmorals of different styles. As Shoes are very high, I propose to sell at very small profit, for cash. Home made work on hand, and will make all the various styles to order at shortest notice at the old stand in the public square,

third door west of Geo. Blymyer's store. ap22 1863 T. COX.

AMERICAN WATCHES,

English Lever Full Jeweled, Detached dit to, Cylinder Escapements, and all kinds. War prices, at PATTON'S.

Call and examine for yourselves our large and varied assortment of Ladies', Gentlemen's and Children's wear, which we will sell cheaper than the cheapest. Look at the price list: Mens coarse Boots, from \$1.40 to 3.00 \$1.40 to 3.00 2.50 to 3.25 Men's Calf Boy's 90 to 1.87 Men's Brogans " 75 to 1.62 Women's Gaiters, high heels, 75 to 1.25 Misses' and Children's Shoes, 12 to 75 Trunks, Valises and Carpet Bags of various sizes and patterns, constantly kept on hand. Measures taken for boots and shoes, which will be made at the shortest notice. Repairing done in the neatest manner

E. C. HAMILTON. aug27-y

A NEW STOCK OF BOOTS & SHOES,

lust received ! Billy Johnson always ahead ! So come on boys! Prices very little higher than last Fall!

A^S his stock is regularly made to order. he can recommend it to be good, and warrant it against rips the same as homemade work, and it being purchased before the last rise in prices, gives him an opportunity of selling cheaper than those now purchasing. He also has a stock of cheap work on hand which he don't recommend unless it be to wear out fast.

MANUFACTURING of all kinds attended to as usual, and repairing on the shortest notice, but hear in mind that his terms are strictly CASH. No goods given out unless paid for, and in all cases where work den't suit and is returned in good order, the money will be refunded so customers will oblige him very much by complying with the above regulations. He is thankful to customers for the past, and hopes to have a liberal share of their patronage in the future. sep9 WM. JOHNSON.

Lock Repairing, Pipe Laying, Plumbing and White Smithing THE above branches of business will be promptly attended to on application at the residence of the undersigned in Main jan10

GEORGE MILLER.

OILS. COAL Oil, Lard, Sperm and Flaxseed Oils. mb25 F. J. HOFFMAN. F. J. HOFFMAN.

ALBUMS,

OF all kinds and styles from 75 cents to \$10. Call and see, at PATTON'S.

COAL HODS, Sheet Zinc, Pokers, Shovels and Mica at F. J. HOFFMAN'S.