

The following humorous and eccentric letter has been received in reference to St. Marys and lands in Elk county:

MANERIM, Lancaster Co., Pa.
Messrs. Editors:—There has been much excitement and inquiry in our neighborhood as to the lands of the "Ridgway Company" located in Elk county, Pa.

Advertisements seem to have gone abroad in almost every direction, where John Gut-tomburg's offer is at all used, and even within the quiet shades of our own pleasant village that same printer's ink has held up to view the wonderful attractions and belongings of these Western Pennsylvania Lands. A farm and a home seeming almost to be within my very reach, and at a price too, so comfortably moderate, that I dropped from my grasp the Evening Star, in which was detailed the advertisement, and began to reflect. Action prompted me at once to prepare for a trip to Elk, and the next day with carpet bag in hand, and determination at heart, I embarked upon the excursion. By railroad I set out for Tyrone city, in Blair county, at which place I found an excellent team belonging to the Company, in waiting, and ready for a start to St. Marys. Young Mr. Shultz, under whose supervision and Jehusub this department seemed to be, I discovered was an excellent companion, but off we must go, so hurried! Boys—"get away dobbins from before us!" And away we went, for the land of big trees and maple sugar.

During the whole of this trip I observed no roughness in the roads, nor had I any occasion to regret my hurried exodus to the settlement, now for the first time looming upon our sight. This must be attributable to the entertaining conversation of our whip, who every now and then would cheer us with a lively joke or story, for in truth let me say it—the roads were of the roughest kind, jolting one's poor bones most terrifically. Christopher Columbus and Andrew Jackson, what was my amazement when I began to behold more clearly the tidy and tidy habitations of St. Marys, in all its virgin purity of whiteness and humility.—What, during the whole ride from Clearfield had I seen to compare at all with this? Around and about everything gave indications of neatness and hospitality.—and as the Queen of Sheba once said to Mr. Solomon several years ago—that even the half had not been told of his kingdom; so the moiety had not been written of the glory of this place. Although now only, as it were, on the threshold of the property owned by the Ridgway Company, my expectations seemed to be fully realized.

Many of my friends endeavored to dissuade me from going upon the trip, and disclaimed the whole thing as a humbug; but in spite of all opposition or obstacle I went, and now I can snap my fingers and whistle at them, for their want of faith, and leave the old fogies to take care of themselves as best they can. "My heart is in the Highlands." Here will I pitch my tent and chase the wild deer of Elk county. Crockett was correct, "be always sure your right," then speak with that persistency which belongs so exclusively to the American character, "Go ahead."

We have all just alighted from our conveyance, and are in the good keeping of the worthy and industrious proprietor of the Washington Hotel, St. Marys. But hark!—the dinner-bell—how delightful to the keen edge of appetite, a sound argument for its elation.

Much disturbed by baneful phlebotomy, Of the smoking venous lancets, In the land of the Boningens. Very pleasant was the dinner, Like the starlight or the moonlight, Or a gleam of early sunshine, In the land of the Boningens. Do not outward, go not outward, Lending, begging, buying, fearing, But come Northwest, for we know now, Of the land of the Boningens.

But enough of these false measures.—Let me say that we have dined. And such a repast as rarely falls to my lot to partake of. At the thought of such an entertainment, your city gourmand would dance in a paroxysm of delight. Such excellent fare and belongings are rarely dispersed except in these regions. What Staubins or Gubbins may say to the contrary notwithstanding.

Less me, what a healthful look every man seems to have that you meet here.—They are so robustous, that dang me if I can't believe they have got the constitution of the United States, and the women, too, bless them. I never believed that diseases were contagious, until I sat alongside one of these Elk County blue-eyed dandies, and caught the palpitation of the heart.—This trouble, I believe, belongs to every climate, common in all regions, high land or low land, and I yielded to its soft influences with a becomingness quite praiseworthy.

The Elk girls may not, perhaps, be as rich in those shining qualities which grace your city belles. They may never have heard of Phidias, or his statue of Jupiter; the beautiful Helen and the Trojan war, or Cape May, but they do know all about the useful, such as knitting, churning, mending, sewing and baking, and all other necessary accompaniments to comfort and enjoyment, and even in that accomplishment of music which is so much the pride and boast of your city belles, put many of the city girls to the blush.

Let me say to my friends, that in addition to a glorious rich soil, with its wealth of timber and minerals, and a home, there is also to be found a wife to grace that home, and make its fireside happy. Seek not in vain—as you surely will, if you seek elsewhere—but your city girls, I cannot away with, with pinched shoes and wincing steps. Give me none of your hour-glasses and mould of form, but one who has a waist like a cotton-bale and foot like a flounder. Such will not do of thin soles or consumption—except of corn. They are the true help-meets, who will rouse it and laugh it through the world with willing hearts and un murmuring lips.

I have hardly begun to say all I want, but I must not forget to allude to Mr. Schultz, who kindly piloted me over the Ridgway Co. lands. The scenery, of gently sloping hill and dale, with its majestic timber, formed a grand picture, for the sight I observed here and there the trees were decorated with cuts, made by the sun's early pioneer, or recent survivor. Mr. S. also exhibited to me some fifteen coal openings, all of which are buds of promise for future traffic and prosperity.

Mr. S. has taken my order for ten shares, which I have hastened to forward before the increase in rates, which I learn the company have raised to \$12 per acre, instead of \$8.
Twelve dollars an acre is a small price for this land. From my inquiries, I find out the lands in the vicinity are much higher. I intend to give another letter shortly.—Being an old Lancaster county farmer, I pretend to know something about land, and in my next I will walk into the merits of the question about a feet. Thus far I find everything of the most promising character, fine crops, limestone soil, and good arable land, neither hilly nor stony—enough already to satisfy any one who is not too lazy to work for a living.
Yours, very respectfully,
DAVID LONG.

Bounty Land Claims.

I am undersigned will attend promptly to the collection of claims for Bounty Lands under the late act of Congress. Those who have already received 40 or 80 acres, can now receive the balance, by calling on the subscriber and making the necessary application.
JOEL B. DANNER.
Gettysburg, March 12, 1855.

David A. Buchler,
Attorney at Law,

Will promptly attend to collections and all business entrusted to his care.
Office in the Diamond, adjoining store of A. B. Kurtz.
Gettysburg, Feb. 4, 1855.

Edw. B. Buchler,
Attorney at Law,

Will faithfully and promptly attend to all business entrusted to him. He speaks the German language. Office at the same place, in South Baltimore street, near Forney's drug store, and nearly opposite Danner & Ziegler's store.
Gettysburg, March 20.

D. McConaughy,
Attorney at Law,

(Office removed to one door West of Buchler's Drug & Book-store, Chambersburg street.)
Attorney & Solicitor for Patents and Pensions.
Bounty Land Warrants, Back-pay suspended Claims, and all other claims against the Government at Washington, D. C.; also American claims in England. Land Warrants located and sold, or bought, and highest prices given. Agents engaged in locating warrants in Iowa, Illinois and other Western States.
Apply to him personally or by letter.
Gettysburg, Nov. 21, 1853.

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Price 25 cents per phial.
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NEW WHOLESALE Drug Store.

N. SPENCER THOMAS, No. 26 South Second street, Philadelphia, Importer, Manufacturer and Dealer in Drugs and Medicines, Chemicals, Acids, Dye Stuffs, Paints, Oils, Colors, White Lead, French and American White Zinc, Window Glass, Glassware, Varnishes, Brushes, Instruments, Ground Spices, Whole Spices, and all other articles usually kept by Druggists, including Borax, Indigo, Ghee, Shellac, Potash, &c., &c. All orders by mail or otherwise promptly attended to. Country Merchants are invited to call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere. Goods sent to any of the wharves or railroad stations. Prices low and goods warranted.
[March 17, 1855.]

WANT HATS, CAPS, BOOTS & SHOES.

at least 20 per cent cheaper than you ever bought before, remember it is COBEAN & PAXTON'S, where they are to be had in great variety, consisting of Gent's and Boys' fine Silk, Fur and Slouch Hats, of the latest style, all colors and sizes,—white, black, brown, tan, blue, drab, fawn, &c. Also, a large assortment of Men's and Boys' fine Calf, Kip, and Grain Boots & Shoes,—Gent's fine Cloth and Patent Leather Gaiters.

careful Ladies, if you want walking and fine Dress Shoes, such as Jenny Linds, Buskins and Ties, Kid and Morocco Slippers; also a beautiful article of Ladies' Dress Gaiters, with a large stock of Misses' and Children's fancy Gaiters and Shoes,—that you find Cobean & Paxton's, at the south-east corner of Centre Square, before purchasing elsewhere, as they have by far the largest stock of seasonal goods in town, and are determined to sell very cheap.—Take care, and keep a SHARP look out that you do not mistake the place.—Remember Cobean & Paxton's new Store, at the old stand of Keller Kurtz.
Gettysburg, March 31, 1855.

NEW GOODS!

GEORGE ARNOLD HAS just returned from the city with a large and beautiful stock of Goods as has been offered to the public at any time—among which are Hosiery, Gloves, Under-sleeves, Collars, Trimmings,
Opera & Robe Lawns, DeBages, &c.
Gentlemen's Goods in great variety: black, blue, brown, olive, claret, drab, plaid, clouded and figured Cloths; black, brown, and fancy Cassimeres, figured, plaid and plain, of every shade of colors: Drab deTate, Cashmerettes, Bombazines, Silk-warp Alpaccas, &c.
Also Ready-made Clothing in great variety, with a large stock of
Queensware, Groceries, &c.
all of which will be sold as cheap as they can be had at any retail establishment in the county. The Ladies will please call, as we are at all times pleased to see them. The Gentleman's attention is invited to our large assortment in their line. In connection with the store is also
CLOTHING EMPORIUM.
at the Sand-stone Front, where everything is done up in the neatest and best manner. We can rig a man from head to foot, on the very shortest notice. Call and judge for yourselves.
April 7, 1855.

LET US REASON TOGETHER!

Holloway's Pills.
Why are we sick?—It has been the lot of the human race to be weighed down by disease and suffering. HOLLOWAY'S PILLS are specially adapted to the relief of the WEAK, the NERVOUS, the DELICATE, and the INFLAMM, of all climates, ages, sexes, and constitutions. Professor Holloway personally superintends the manufacture of his medicines in the United States, and offers them to a free and enlightened people, as the best remedy the world ever saw for the removal of disease.
These Pills Purify the Blood.
These famous PILLS are expressly combined to operate on the stomach, the liver, the kidneys, the lungs, the skin, and the bowels, correcting any derangement in their functions purifying the blood, the very fountain of life, and thus curing disease in all its forms.
Dyspepsia and Liver Complaints.
Nearly half the human race have taken these Pills. It has been proved in all parts of the world, that nothing has been found equal to them in cases of disorders of the liver, dyspepsia, and stomach complaints generally. They soon give a healthy tone to these organs, however much deranged, and when all other means have failed.
General Debility. In Health.
Many of the most despotic Governments have opened their Custom Houses to the introduction of these Pills, that they may become the medicine of the masses. Learned Colleges admit that this is the best medicine ever known for persons of delicate health, or when the system has been impaired, as its invigorating properties never fail to afford relief.
Femate Complaints.
No female, young or old, should be without this celebrated medicine. It corrects and regulates the monthly courses at all periods, acting in many cases like a charm. It is also the best and safest medicine that can be given to children of all ages, and for any complaint; consequently no family should be without it.
Holloway's Pills are the best remedy known in the world for the following Diseases:
Asthma, Debility, Liver Complaints, Bowel Complaints, Fever and Ague, Lowness of Spirits, Coughs, Female Complaints, Dropsy, Headache, Indigestion, Stomach and General Complaints, Intermittent Fevers, and all other Diseases of the Blood.

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Ready-made Clothing

AT SAMSON'S
CHEAP CLOTHING EMPORIUM.
If you want a suit of READY-MADE CLOTHING, complete in every respect, of the latest style, and cheaper than they can be purchased at any establishment in the county—call at MARCUS SAMSON'S, opposite the Bank, in York street. I have just received from the Eastern States the largest and best assortment of Goods ever offered in Gettysburg. In offering to sell BETTER Goods at LOWER prices than other dealers, I simply request purchasers to call and satisfy themselves of the truth of my offer, by a personal examination of my goods and prices. Buying exclusively for cash, I can buy cheaper and sell cheaper than any other person in the county. My Goods are made up in the best style by experienced workmen, and can't be excelled by any customer Tailor. My stock consists, in part, of
Coats of all Sizes,
and all Pants and Vests, of the latest and most fashionable styles and every kind of goods suitable for Spring and Summer wear; also
BOOTS AND SHOES,
and a large assortment of GENTLEMEN'S AND BOYS' FURNISHING GOODS, consisting of extra quality linen bosom Shirts, Suspenders, Gloves, half Hose, Collars, neck and pocket Handkerchiefs, and an extraordinary assortment of black satin and fancy self adjusting Stocks, and various other fancy articles, together with Umbrellas, Trunks, Carpet Bags, Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes.
I am also prepared to sell wholesale to country merchants at cheap rates, Ready Made Clothing at CHEAPER RATES THAN CAN BE HAD IN THIS COUNTRY. If you doubt it, call and examine for yourselves.
MARCUS SAMSON.
N. B. All Goods bought of me will be exchanged if they do not prove satisfactory.
Gettysburg, April 14, 1855.

New Hardware Store.

THE subscribers would respectfully announce to their friends and the public that they have opened a Hardware Store, in Baltimore street, adjoining the residence of David Ziegler, Gettysburg, in which they always intend to offer to the public a large and general assortment of
Hardware, Iron, Steel, Groceries, CUTLERY, COACH TRIMMINGS, SPRINGS, AXLES,
SADDLERY,
Cedar-ware, Shoe Findings,
Paints, Oils, and Dye-stuffs,
in general, including every description of articles in the above line of business, to which they invite the attention of Coach-makers, Saddlers, Carpenters, Cabinet-makers, Shoe-makers, Saddlers, and the public generally. Our stock having been selected with great care and purchased for cash, we guarantee (for the ready money,) to dispose of any part of it on as reasonable terms as they can be purchased anywhere.
We particularly request a call from our friends, and earnestly solicit a share of public favor, as we are determined to establish a character for selling Goods at low prices and doing business on fair principles.
JOEL B. DANNER,
DAVID ZIEGLER.
Gettysburg, June 9, 1851.

GREAT ATTRACTION AT Frazer's Cheap Watch & Jewelry Store!

ALEXR. FRAZER respectfully informs the public, that he has just received a large and splendid assortment of rich and new style GOLD JEWELRY of all kinds, including Breast Pins, Finger Rings, Ear Rings, of the most fashionable styles; fob, vest and guard Chains, Cuff Pins, Watch Keys, &c. Also, Albert Spoons, Fancy Vases, Watch Guards, Keys, and Chains, GOLD & SILVER WATCHES, together with a large assortment of
Morning Goods, suitable for persons in mourning, and numerous other articles in his line—all of which will be sold at the lowest cash prices.
As I have purchased all my goods from regular Jewellers, I will WARRANT them to be what I pronounce them. Of this purchasers may rest assured.
WATCHES AND JEWELRY REPAIRED, as heretofore. Give me a call, in Baltimore street, a few doors from the diamond, if you want good Jewelry, and the genuine article, lower than the same can be purchased any place out of the city.
ALEX. FRAZER.
Gettysburg, Nov. 5, 1855.

New Establishment.

THE undersigned, lately from the city of Baltimore, would respectfully inform the public generally, that he has opened a MARBLE YARD, in McSherrystown, Adams county, Pa., near the Public House of John Busbey, Esq., where he is prepared to furnish to order in the most elastic and workmanlike manner, Monuments, Tombs and Headstones, of all kinds; as well as all other articles in his line of business, on as reasonable terms as any other establishment in the country. He intends keeping constantly on hand, Monuments of all kinds, both plain and ornamental, Table Slabs, &c., &c.
From his long experience in the business, together with accommodating terms and a desire to render entire satisfaction, he hopes to receive and merit a liberal share of public patronage.
May 9, 1855. 3m
E. D. KERIN.

Stauff & Harley.

CHEAP WATCHES AND JEWELRY, wholesale and retail, at the Philadelphia Watch and Jewelry Store, No. 96 North Second street, corner of Quarry, Philadelphia.
Gold Lever Watches, full jeweled, 18 carat cases, \$28.00; Gold Lepines, 10 carat, \$24.00; Silver Levers, full jeweled, \$12.00; Silver Levers, gold cases, \$9.00; superior Quarters, \$7.00; Gold Spectacles, \$7.00; fine Silver do, \$1.50; Gold do, \$1.00; Ladies' Gold Pencils, \$1.00; Silver Tea Spoons, set, \$5.00; Gold Pens, with pencil and silver holder, \$1.00; Gold Finger Rings, 37 1/2 cents to \$8.00; Watch Glasses, plain, 12 1/2 cents; patent, 15; Lunet 25; other articles in proportion. All goods warranted to be what they are sold for.
STAUFFER & HARLEY.
On hand, some gold and silver Levers and Lepines, still lower than the above prices.
October 1, 1855. 1y

Hay Wanted.

PERSONS having Hay to sell will do well by calling on the subscriber, in Gettysburg, who is desirous of purchasing. The highest market price will be paid at all times.
As he intends having the Hay, after being packed, hauled either to Hanover or Baltimore, the preference to haul will be given to those from whom he may purchase.
SOLOMON POWERS.
December 6, 1852. 1y

Gettysburg Foundry.

A NEW FIRM!
THE undersigned, having entered into partnership to carry on the Foundry business under the firm of WARREN & SONS, hereby make known to the citizens of Adams and adjoining counties, that we are prepared to make everything in our line of business. We have constantly on hand, the
Hathaway and other Cooking Stoves, the Parlor Air-Tight and Ten-plate Stoves, of various styles and sizes; Pots, Kettles and Pans, and all other Iron Cooking Utensils, Wash-Irons, Washing Machines, Ash-plats, Boot-scrappers, &c. Castings for Mills and other Machinery, PLOUGH CASTINGS, of every description, &c. We make the Saylor, Blocker, and different kinds of Withrow Ploughs. We have also got different patterns of
Fencing and Railing, for Cemeteries, Yards and Porches, which can't be beat for beauty and cheapness.
All the above articles will be sold cheap for cash or country produce.
Blacksmithing still continued.
BRASS CASTINGS and everything in our line made to order.
THRESHING MACHINES repaired at the shortest notice. Being Moulders ourselves, we will do our work right.
THOMAS WARREN,
MARTIN WARREN,
HIRAM WARREN,
THOMAS A. WARREN.
Gettysburg, May 14, 1855. 1f

Now is the Time,

FOR CHEAP DAGUERREOTYPES!
S. WEAVER respectfully announces to the Ladies and Gentlemen of Gettysburg and vicinity, that he has resumed the Daguerreotype business, at the old stand, in Chambersburg-street, where he will be happy to receive visitors desirous of securing perfect Daguerreotypes of themselves or friends.
Being furnished with an entirely new and costly apparatus, he is prepared to take pictures in every style of the art and insure perfect satisfaction.
Charges from 50 cents to \$10.
Hours of operating from 8 A. M. to 4 P. M.
In dress avoid light, red, blue, or purple. Dark dress adds much to the beauty of the picture.
Feb. 4, 1855. 1f

A LARGE AND CHEAP LOT OF GROCERIES, &c.

MANUEL ZIEGLER has just returned from the city with the largest lot of GROCERIES he has ever before opened, to which he invites the attention of all, convinced that he can offer BARGAINS. He has also a fine lot of HAMS, SHOULDERS, &c.; FISH of all kinds; Oranges, Lemons, and other fruits; Crackers, Nuts, Confections; Segars, Tobacco, Snuff, and a general variety of everything, "from a needle to an anchor," almost. Give him a call, if you want to buy what's cheap and good.
Country Produce taken in exchange for Goods.
[May 7, 1855.]

PHILADELPHIA ADVERTISEMENT.

Evans' Fire & Thief Proof Safes!
Evans' Merchants, Lawyers, Farmers and others, having Books, Papers or other valuables, to preserve from FIRE or BURGLARS.
Day & Newell's (Hobb's) BANK LOCKS.
A CARD.—The "FIRE PROOF SAFE," that preserved our Books, Papers, &c., during the "Great Fire at Hart's Building," was purchased of OLIVER EVANS, 61 S. 2nd St., Philadelphia.—Gatz & Buck.

Refrigerators & Water Filters.

EVANS' Premium Ventilated Refrigerators for cooling and preserving meats, butter, milk, water and all articles for culinary purposes.
WATER FILTERS, for purifying brackish or muddy water, whether affected by rains, limestone, marl or other causes; can be had separate or attached to the Refrigerators—a small quantity of Ice cooling the whole, in the warmest weather. PORTABLE SNOW BATHS, for the use of warm or cold water. WATER COOLERS, for Hotels, Stores and Dwellings. SINK TRUCKS, for moving boxes, hales, &c.—SEAL PRESSES, COYTING DO., DROGGIST DO.
No. 61 South Second St., 2 doors below Chestnut.
(ESTABLISHED IN 1835.)
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OLIVER EVANS.

TRUSSES! TRUSSES! TRUSSES!!!

C. H. Needles.
TRUSS AND BRACE ESTABLISHMENT, N. W. Corner of Tenth and Race streets, Philadelphia, IMPORTER of fine FRENCH TRUSSES, combining extreme lightness, ease and durability with correct construction.
Hernial or ruptured patients can be suited by reuniting amounts, as below.—Sending number of inches round the hips, and stating side affected. Cost of single Truss, \$2.25, \$4, \$5, Double—\$5, \$6, \$8 and \$10. Instructions as to wear, and how to effect a cure, when possible, sent with the Truss.
Also for sale, in great variety, Dr. Banning's Improved Patent Body Brace, for the cure of Prolapsus Uteri; Spinal Props and Supports, Patent Shoulder Braces, Chest Expanders and Erector Braces, adapted to all with Stoop Shoulders and Weak Lungs; English Elastic Abdominal Belts, Suspenders, Syringes—male and female. Ladies' Rooms, with Lady attendants.
[Aug. 6, 1855.] 1y

Tailoring.

Removed a Few Doors South of the Old Stand.
J. H. SKELLY respectfully informs his old customers and the public generally, that he continues the TAILORING BUSINESS, near his old stand, in South Baltimore street, where he will be happy to accommodate all who may patronize him. All work entrusted to his care warranted to fit and be of most substantial make. Thankful for past favors, he solicits a continuance of public patronage.
The New York Spring and Summer Fashions are received. Call and see them.
Gettysburg, April 9, 1855.

Spouting!

GEORGE and Henry Wampler will make a House Spouting and put up the same low for cash or country produce. Farmers and all others wishing their houses, barns, &c., spouted, would do well to give them a call.
G. & H. WAMPLER.
April 18, 1855. 1f

Farms, after the 1st of June, 1850.

A FARM WITHIN THE REACH Of Every Man!
27,000 ACRES of good FARM and COAL LAND in Elk county, Benning township, Pennsylvania, for sale, giving a Farm of 26 Acres for \$200, payable in installments of \$1 per week, or at the same rate monthly. Farms of 50, 75, 100, or more acres adjoining in proportion. Each Farm fronts upon a road thirty feet in width.
The Soil is a rich limestone loam, and especially adapted to cultivation, as it is neither hilly nor stony, but gently rolling or fine table land. Around and through this property there are already some 20,000 acres under cultivation, and its fertility has been established from the crops produced. Upon this subject it is easy to be fully satisfied. There is ready cash market for produce which is much better than trade. It is the
Cheapest, as land of a similar quality is selling at much higher prices adjoining, and especially such as contains coal.
The Coal.—This in particular is the Coal District, several veins underlying the whole property, and the attention of miners, and those acquainted with coal lands, is especially called to it. It has the advantage of being nearest to the great lake market, by which it will be conveyed by the Sunbury and Erie Railroad now under contract and in course of completion from Erie to Ridgeway, with descending grade the whole way. The soil over bituminous coal is the best, for instance England and other countries. The price per acre is trifling for the coal alone, as it will certainly, in so favorable a location within a short time, pay largely.—This is important as an immense coal trade will soon open. Four coal companies have already been started to work mines in the vicinity, and there are now fifteen openings around St. Mary's.
The Timber, Stockholders also receive.—There is no reservation whatever either of timber or coal. It is very valuable, and will pay for a great part of the land. On account of the excellence of streams there are fine opportunities for mills.
For Health, the location is much recommended by Physicians. The chills and fevers are unknown, also pulmonary complaints, being protected from the north east winds by the Alleghenies. The water is pure and amongst the best, the land abounding in fine springs.
Four Railroads will shortly be completed, connecting it by a direct communication with New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburg, Erie, Buffalo, and all the cities on the Lakes. They are the Sunbury and Erie, the Allegheny Valley, the Pittsburg and Buffalo, and the Venango. Energetic exertions are also being made for the building of the Tyrone and Clearfield, which also passes through this property. The effect of this upon trade, and general development, as well as the coal, may be imagined.
The large and