The Hardest Case on Record.

He took the ague badly,
And it shook him, shook him sorely;
Shook his boots off, and his toe nails;
Shook his teeth out, and his hair off;
Shook his coat all into tatters;
And his shirt all into ribbons;
Shirtless, coatless, hairless, toothless,
Minus boots, and minus toe-nails,
Till it shook him, shook him till it
Made him yellow, gaunt and bony;
Shook him till it reached his death-bed;
Shook him till it shuffled off altogether
Off his mortal coil and then it
Having made him cold as could be,
Shook the earth still down upon him;
And he lies beneath his grave-stone,
Ever shaking! shaking! shaking!

☞ *Here* is an old English riddle, but it is still worth guessing:

"More fickle than the wind that blows,
More fragrant than the damask rose;
What strikes with dread the honest tar;
What Nelson fears amid-st the war;
What's colder than the frigid zone;
What, ladies, you may call your own;
What's sweeter than a mutual kiss,
Will instantly unravel this."

A Beautiful Picture.

Hon. Edward Everett gave an eloquent address before the N. Y. State Agricultural Society, on the 9th inst., at Buffalo. His description of "a noble farm" cannot be surpassed; and it will attract little less attention in the city than in the country. We give it below:

A NOBLE FARM.

What is there on earth which can more entirely charm the eye, or gratify the taste than a noble farm? It stands upon a southern slope, gradually rising with variegated ascent from the plain, sheltered from the northwestern winds by woody heights, broken here and there with moss-covered boulders, which impart variety and strength to the outline.—The native forest has been cleared from the greater part of the farm, but a suitable portion carefully tended, remaining in wood for economical purposes, and to give a picturesque effect to the landscape. The eye ranges round three-fourths of the horizon over a fertile expanse—bright with the rippling waters of a cheerful stream, a generous river, or a gleaming lake—dotted with hamlets, each with its modest spire; and, if the farm lies in the vicinity of the coast, a distant glimpse from the high grounds, of the mysterious, everlasting sea, completes the prospect.

It is situated off the high road, but near enough to the village to be easily accessible. A gravel walk, in the style of nature, leads from the house to the post-office, village church, neighbors, or a frequented highway. The house is in due proportion to the farm, with walks, meadow and woodland, [illegible] A substantial dwelling, [illegible] convenience and nothing [illegible] with the fitting appendages of [illegible] and corn barns and other [illegible] perhaps, a living fountain of water,—secure in [illegible] by itself, a position well chosen to command the rising scene. A few acres on the [illegible] of the dwelling, set apart to gratify the [illegible] with the choicest flowers of rural beauty, [illegible] adorned with a stately avenue, with noble [illegible] trees, with graceful clumps, shady walks, a velvet lawn, a brook murmuring [illegible] a pebbly bed, here and there a grand [illegible] and shadow at sunset streams across the field; all displaying, in the real loveliness of nature, the original of those landscapes of which art in its perfection strives to give us the counterfeit presentment.

Animals of select breed, such as Paul Potter never painted, roam the pastures or [illegible] and Rosa Bonheur never painted, roam the pastures or fill the burdles and the stalls; the plow walks across the plain, and opens the genial bosom of the earth to the sun and air; nature's holy sacrament of seedtime is solemnized; silent dews, gentle showers, and kindly sunshine, shed their sweet influence on the soil; golden wavelets, driven by the western wind, run over the joyous wheatfield; the tall maize flaunts in her crispy leaves and nodding tassels; while we labor and while we rest, while we wake and while we sleep, God's chemistry, which we cannot see, goes on beneath the clods; germ and stalk, and leaf and flower, and silk and tassel, and grain and fruit, grow up from the common earth;—the mowing-machine and the reaper—mute rivals of human industry—perform their gladsome task; the wellpiled wagon brings home the ripened treasures of the year; the bow of promise fulfilled spans the foreground of the picture, and the gracious covenant is redeemed, that while the earth remaineth, summer and winter, heat and cold, day and night, seed-time and harvest, shall not fail.

ONE SETTLED PRINCIPLE IN THE APPLICATION OF MANURE.—The principle to which we have reference is this, that the more intimately any manure is mixed with the soil, the greater will be its fertilizing effect. This is so well established and important practically, as to make it desirable that every means should be adopted, especially with costly commercial manures, which will bring manures into more perfect contact with the soil. Foremost among means for this end stands, of course, the judicious use of manure in liquid state; next to this is the method of compost heap. The efficacy of such manure as guano, &c., might be increased, if for some time before they were employed they were mixed with a considerable portion of muck, loam, or good soil, and moistened, or, in other words, made into a compost. Where this cannot be done, on account of want of time or help, the practice of a large farmer in England might be advantageously imitated. This practice, not yet laid before the American farmer, so far as we have noticed, consists in mixing guano intimately with an equal bulk of salt, in the hopper or otherwise, at the time of sowing it, after (or with the seed-drill.) The employer of this method thinks it helps the act of distribution greatly, especially when the guano is previously pounded fine—and then the rapid assumption of moisture of soil. It is a practice well deserving of trial or adoption.

TO PREVENT SPROUTS.—Many trees are liable to throw up sprouts for yards around, and for years after being cut down, to the great plague and trouble of the owner of the soil, keeping him digging and grubbing to remove the sprouts to the detriment of his crops and his own patience—such for instance as locust, poplar, gum and others. To prevent this, all that is necessary, after cutting down the tree, is to bore a hole, say ten to twelve inches down into the stump, and fill with common salt. This will kill the living principle to the utmost extent of the roots. The best time probably would be some time in August, though I have killed locust in spring, and gum in August, while others that I did not salt kept me grubbing for years.

☞ Do all in your power to teach your children self-government. If a child is passionate, teach him by gentle means to curb his temper. If he is greedy, cultivate liberality in him. If he is sulky, charm him out of it by frank good humor. If indolent, accustom him to exertion, and train him so as to perform even onerous duties with alacrity. If pride comes in to make obedience reluctant, subdue him by counsel or discipline.—In short, give your children the habit of overcoming their besetting sins.

A PSALM OF LIFE.

BY HENRY W. LONGFELLOW.

Tell me not in mournful numbers,
"Life is but an empty dream!"
For the soul is dead that slumbers,
And things are not what they seem.

CHORUS.

Ho, ca chee lunk, chee lunk, chee la le,
Ho, ca chee lunk, chee lunk, chee la,
Ho, ca chee lunk, chee lunk, chee la le,
Hi ho, hie a chee lunk, chee la.

Life is real! Life is earnest!
And the grave is not its goal,
"Dust thou art, to dust returnest,"
Was not spoken of the soul.
Ho, ca chee lunk, &c.

Not enjoyment, and not sorrow,
Is our destined end or way;
But to act, that each to-morrow,
Find us farther than to-day.
Ho, ca chee lunk, &c.

Art is long, and time is fleeting,
And our hearts, though stout and brave,
Still, like muffled drums are beating
Funeral marches to the grave.
Ho, ca chee lunk, &c.

In the world's broad field of battle,
In the bivouac of Life,
Be not like dumb, driven cattle!
Be a hero in the strife!
Ho, ca chee lunk, &c.

Trust no future, howe'er pleasant!
Let the dead past bury its dead!
Act, act in the living present!
Heart within, and God o'erhead.
Ho, ca chee lunk, &c.

Lives of great men all remind us
We can make our lives sublime,
And departing, leave behind us,
Footsteps on the sands of time.
Ho, ca chee lunk, &c.

Foot-prints that perhaps another,
Sailing o'er life's solemn main,
A forlorn and shipwrecked brother,
Seeing, may take heart again.
Ho, ca chee lunk, &c.

Let us, then, be up and doing,
With a heart for any fate;
Still achieving, still pursuing,
Learn to labor and to wait.
Ho, ca chee lunk, &c.

Tune, 'Pop Goes the Weasel.'

Hallo, Stranger, step a minute—
Here's a Store, just drop in it
And view, with wonderful surprise
The Books and Toys that meet your eyes—
At BULLARD'S.

I have Books and Paper, just the best,
That you can find, East or West;
If any of my friends should come to,
Call in, I will ease your mind about it—
At BULLARD'S.

Fine Books, Pens and Paper too;
All kinds of Children's Books and toys;
In short, here everything you'll find
In the Book and Stationery line—
At BULLARD'S.

So come along, come one, come all,
Come rich and poor, great and small,
And I will sell you Books so cheap,
I know I shall your custom keep—
At BULLARD'S.

Montrose, May 1 1857.

MONOPOLY! MONOPOLY!!

THIS is the great principle among our selfish, small merchants;—in spite of this look at the late Act passed at Harrisburg, prohibiting hawking and peddling in Susquehanna County! so all persons desiring to gratify some of the Merchants who have expressed a desire to do them some "large favors"

GUTTENBERG, ROSENBAUM & CO.,

DOWN WITH MUNOPLY!

Their large wagon will run more regularly than ever before, until their license for peddling expires. In order to accommodate the community and be able to battle monopoly successfully, they have made arrangements to get New Goods weekly from New York, and they will sell the same from 15 to 20 per cent cheaper, than any other establishment in Susquehanna County. We have now received our

NEW SUMMER GOODS!

The largest, cheapest and best selected stock ever offered in this market. It is not necessary to enumerate the articles which our assortment comprises it is sufficient to say that we have a general stock of the latest and most fashionable goods in the market and we cannot fail to suit the public, as well in taste as in prices. A few words more to our fellow-citizens, and particularly to those who feel themselves independent and not obliged to purchase at some particular store. We know that it will be for your interest to examine and price our goods before purchasing elsewhere; that is a true motto that "a penny saved is better than two earned." We are determined to spare no pains to give general satisfaction, and we shall always be ready and happy to exhibit our assortment to those who will favor us with a call.

GUTTENBERG, ROSENBAUM & Co.

Montrose, May 21th, 1857.

LOOK AND READ!

SOMETHING NEW!

THE undersigned, Merchant, at Dimock Four Corners, has lately discovered that for ready pay, he can sell more goods and make more money, at one half the usual profit put upon country goods, consequently I can sell goods from five to ten per cent lower than other establishments in this section. But do not take my word for it, call and see for yourselves. Bring a little cash, or some kind of country produce, and buy your goods at a price unparalleled in the history of mercantile trade. My stock is large and well selected, and I am receiving new additions every week. My terms of sale are ready pay. It will certainly be for your interest to call and see me before purchasing elsewhere.

Flour and salt kept constantly on hand.

WM. H. THAYER.

Dimock, Jan. 14, 1857.–2y1

New Era in Montrose!

THE WAR IN KANSAS CONTINUES!

BUT those who attempted to get up a fight in Montrose, against "second rate goods and high prices," with the fag-ends of three or four old stocks have fizzled; and

Keeler and Stoddard,

whose BOOT AND SHOE STORE is located on Main street, South of Searle's Hotel,—with the largest and best assortment of Goods ever brought into this market, bought at the

LOWEST FIGURE,

and which they will sell a *little* above cost, are determined to give "the old codger" a hard one.

We do not intend to be undersold by any other establishment in Town. We have only to say, Come and See, for "seeing is believing." We do not desire to *puff* our goods, preferring to "let our works praise us;" but we may be permitted to say, for the information of purchasers, that we have just received AN EXTENSIVE STOCK of Superior quality and style, comprising all kinds of Gentlemen's, Ladies', and Children's wear. Also a general assortment of Findings, and Leather of all kinds.

Work made to order, and repairing done neatly.

KEELER & STODDARD.

Montrose, June 11, 1856.

NOTICE.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that S.A. WOODRUFF is receiving a net lot of Stoves and Wares of all kinds usually kept in the Stove and Tinware line of business, among which may be found a better assortment of Stoves, heavier, larger, and more durable than ever before offered in this county. All the proof you need will be just to call and examine for yourselves. All stoves warranted in every respect.

Kept constantly on hand, an extensive assortment of *TIN WARE*, made out of the best materials, which is offered for sale as cheap as can be bought in any market. Also on hand, Lead Pipe of all sizes, Chain and Gearing for Chain Pumps, all sizes Brass and Porcelain Kettles, and all kinds Japanned Ware.

Jobbing done on short notice and in good order. All goods in the line will be sold cheap for cash or (approved) credit. S. A. WOODRUFF.

Montrose, May 1, 1857.

GROCERIES.

A complete assortment at

C. P. & O. M. HAWLEY'S.

THE MUTUAL
Fire & Live Stock Insurance Company,
OF PHILADELPHIA,
NO. 86 WALNUT STREET, ABOVE FOURTH.
CAPITAL $500,000.

Make Insurance against loss or damage by Fire, on Buildings, Furniture and Merchandise generally. Also, on Horses and Cattle, against death from any cause.

☞ *LOSSES PROMPTLY ADJUSTED.* ☜

DIRECTORS:

B. R. Miller, Henry Jones, F. S. Hoecklay, J. R. Flanigan, J. Crosdale, Saml. J. Randall, Chas. Flanigen, of Whitington, Del.

WM. M. CARTERET, *Sec.*

B. R. MILLER, *Pres't.*

BILLINGS STROUD, *Agent.*

Montrose, July 1, 1857.–1y

Manufacturer's Insurance Company.
CHARTER PERPETUAL.
Granted by the State of Pennsylvania.
CAPITAL, $500,000.
FIRE, MARINE, & INLAND TRANSPORTATION.

THIS Company was organized with a Cash Capital, and the Directors have determined to adapt the business to its available resources—to observe prudence in conducting its affairs, with a prompt adjustment of losses.

A.S. LIPPINCOTT, Pres't. WM. A. RHODES, Vice Pres't.
ALFRED WEEKS, Secretary.

DIRECTORS.—Aaron S. Lippincott, Wm. H. Thomas, Charles Wise, J. Rinaldo Sank, Wm. A. Rhodes, William Neal, Alfred Weeks, John P. Simons, Charles J. Field, James F. Smyth.

OFFICE, No. 10 Merchants' Exchange, Phil.

A. N. BULLARD, *Agent.*

Montrose, Pa., May 13, 1857.–1y

FIRE! FIRE!! FIRE!!!

Lycoming Co. Mutual Insurance Company.
Capital.—$2,200,000.

IT is one of the best Companies in the State. It was incorporated in 1840, its Charter perpetual. It has insured, since it went into operation, thirty millions of property, and paid over six hundred thousand dollars losses. About twelve thousand has been paid in this County.

Applications received at the store of B. R. Lyons & Co., Lanesboro, and at Montrose.

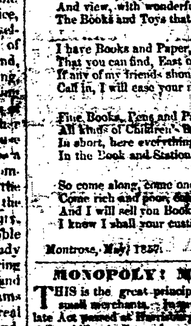
B. R. LYONS, Agent.

Montrose, Jan. 1857. v2n1y1

CABINET MANUFACTORY.
A. A. HALL,

MANUFACTURER and dealer in all kinds of Furniture, is now prepared to fill all orders in his line of all kinds, at wholesale or retail, on short notice. Retail prices range from $3 to $[illegible]. Rooms in the building formerly occupied by Messrs. Tracy & Hall, [illegible] door north of the Post Office. Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere. Thankful for past favors he hopes by strict attention to business and a desire to please, to merit a share of public patronage. Cabinet Ware of every description, such as Bureaus, Tables, Stands, Bedsteads, Chairs, &c., constantly on hand and made to order on short notice.

New Milford, Dec. 17, 1856.



STEAM GRIST AND HAY MILL.

THE undersigned, successor to the above establishment, will keep constantly on hand *Superfine and Fine Flour, Corn Meal of superior quality, also Chop and Bran* at the lowest cash prices. Custom work will be done with despatch, and in all cases *warranted.* 13tf

Montrose, July, 1853.

Valuable Lands For Sale.

FOR SALE IN ONE BODY, about 5500 acres Land on the waters of Spring Brook, a branch of the Lackawanna river in Luzerne County, Penn'a., about midway between the thriving towns of Scranton and Pittston. These lands are covered with valuable timber, and being situate in the most extensive mineral region in Pennsylvania—known to contain iron ore—and believed to abound in coal, and being also in the immediate vicinity of several railroads made and now in progress—offer to the capitalist an opportunity for the investment of money that seldom occurs. For further information apply to N. P. Hisack, Esq., No. 11, Wall street New York, or to the subscriber, at Montrose, Susquehanna county, Pa., the attorney in fact of the owners.

April 6, 1854. HENRY DRINKER.

SOAP MANUFACTORY.

THE subscriber keeps constantly on hand for sale at his establishment in Montrose, the best quality of *SOFT SOAP*, manufactured from the lye of wood ashes and grease, in the old fashioned way, and not by any patent process.

For those that furnish the grease, he manufactures the soap for $1,50 a barrel. Warranted in all cases to be a good article, or the Soap may be returned and the money refunded.

PRICES.

Per barrel	$5,00
Half Barrel	2,50
Gallon	25

Wholesale dealers will be furnished—if delivered at the Asbery in Montrose—at the rate of ten barrels for $45, or at Scranton at ten barrels for $50.

JOHN HENRY WARES.

Montrose, March 17, 1856. 10y1

ABEL TURRELL,

HAS just returned from New-York, with a large and choice variety of *GOODS*, bought for Cash, and selected with much care, from over thirty of the best Houses in New-York, which he offers to his customers and the public, at low prices, for Cash. His stock comprises;

DRUGS,
MEDICINES,
PAINTS,
OILS,
WINDOW GLASS,
DYE STUFFS,
CROCKERY, GROCERIES,
MIRRORS, GLASS WARE,
CLOCKS,
WALL PAPER,
WINDOW PAPER,
WINDOW OIL SHADES,
FANCY GOODS,
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS,
JEWELRY,
PERFUMERY,
DRY GOODS,
HARD WARE,
STONE WARE,
WOODEN WARE,
BROOMS,
BRUSHES,
JAPANNED WARE,
BIRD CAGES,
CANARY SEED,
WHIPS, POCKET KNIVES,
UMBRELLAS,
GUNS,
PISTOLS,
AMMUNITION,
TURPENTINE,
CAMPHENE,
BURNING FLUID,
ALCOHOL,
LIQUORS,
(For Medicinal Purposes, only.)
TRUSSES,
SUPPORTERS,
SHOULDER BRACES,
PORT MONIAES,
SPECTACLES,
SILVER & PLATED SPOONS, FORKS, &c.,
GOLD PENS,
STATIONERY,
VIOLIN STRINGS, BOWS, &c.,
And all of the most popular
PATENT MEDICINES.

Thankful for the liberal patronage hitherto received, he hopes to merit a continuance and large increase of the same. ABEL TURRELL.

Montrose, June 10, 1857.

SMYTH'S
Self-Acting Bent-Lever

PLATFORM SCALES.

THIS INVENTION claims *superiority* over every other, in the following respects: In the invariable scientific principle involved, and upon which it acts; in its unerring accuracy; in its lightness and strength; in its wonderful capacity, convenience of form, and applicability to every purpose for which Scales of any kind are required; in its perfect simplicity, in the absence of any complication liable to variation, or to get out of order; and, finally, in the important fact, that this scale can be afforded at about *one-third* the cost of any other Platform Scale, of like capacity and accuracy in use. And possessing in an eminent degree, all these merits, this Invention is conceded to be one of the most useful and valuable ever brought before the public. And coming, as it does, within the reach of all, it cannot but find an unprecedented sale and undivided market among farmers, housekeepers, mechanics, merchants, &c. everywhere, for the exclusion of every other weighing apparatus.

The invention of the Scales and the many invaluable improvements which we have made within the past few months, have brought them to such a degree of accuracy, that they may be safely relied upon in every transaction of weight.

Manufactured and for sale only by

R. H. EATON & CO.

HARFORD, Susq. Co., Pa., May 13, 1857.

OPINIONS OF THE PRESS.

IMPORTANT INVENTION.—For some five years past, Mr. D. M. Smyth, of Pennsylvania, (now of this State) an ingenious and scientific mechanic, has concentrated his mind and means upon an invention at length perfectly successful, and for which a patent have just been issued by the Government of the United States. This invention is known as "Smyth's Self-Acting Bent-Lever Platform Scale," and as this is the first public notice of this useful and valuable improvement, we shall take the liberty of expressing ourselves freely upon its merits. The platform of the scale is about 12 by 18 inches, and the whole scale is about 8 inches high and weighs entire only about 25 pounds, while it has the extraordinary capacity of weighing any article from one ounce to four hundred pounds. Its compactness and convenient, and is applicable to every purpose for which scales of any kind are required. Under the platform and attached to the levers is a weighted arm or pendulum is attached an indicator, and the pendulum, the instant any weight on the platform moves from its centre of gravity, stops at a point indicating the exact weight. The scientific principle upon which it acts admits of no inaccuracy or change, and a given pressure or weight on the platform must always carry the pendulum and indicator to the same point.—Beyond doubt is the correct one, and perfectly applied in this instance, the result leaves no room for doubt. He seems to have perfection itself—at least so far as concerned, and to have combined these an invariable scientific principle, with compactness, convenient form, durability and accuracy. An important feature in this Scale is that of all these merits it possesses the advantage of being cheap, and within the reach of all.—*Albany Eve. Jour., Jan. 28, 1856.*

[illegible] this new Platform Scale and [illegible] by the Journal. The principle is simple and beautiful, and ensures [illegible] the price will be three times less than of the scales now used.—*Albany Express.*

SMYTH'S PATENT PLATFORM SCALE.—We have examined this new invention. Nothing can be simpler [illegible] developed than the principle upon which the platform which sustains the [illegible] poises out, upon the graduated circumference, the exact weight. In other platform scales the measure of avoirdupois has to be ascertained by moving a loose weight on a beam, as on a steelyard, till it hits the precise point. Smyth's invention is a self-working one, and indicates at once, and to the minutest fraction, the figures. By attaching the weight on the end of the pendulum, the scale becomes multiplied by fives or tens: by releasing the weight it gives ounces instead of pounds. For household purposes, it is as cheap and far better than steelyards; and is finding the way to all well regulated kitchens where the receipt book, with its prescriptions of weights and proportions, is used.—*Albany and Argus.*

A NEW IDEA—If anybody doubts that this is an inventive age, they should call and examine Smyth's Self-Acting Bent-Lever Platform Scales. For simplicity of design, and economy of space, they take precedence of any scales that have yet been invented.—There is one peculiarity about this scale; it possesses very little machinery, and can never make a mistake so long as the laws of gravitation continue. Smyth's scale has another advantage—its small cost.—*Knickerbocker.*

SMYTH'S PATENT PLATFORM SCALE.—This new and valuable invention was on exhibition at our State Fair just closed. Nothing in its department received more attention or was more generally admired or approved. This scale, possessing the extraordinary merits conceded to it at the East, cannot but be exceedingly valuable, and must, we think, come into general use.

The *Albany Evening Journal* publishes the above, and adds: This scale (Smyth's) was also exhibited at the State Fair at Watertown, and not only received every attention given it in Ohio, but carried off the first and highest premium awarded—a diploma and silver medal.—*Cleveland (Ohio) Journal.*

"SMYTH'S SELF-ACTING BENT-LEVER PLATFORM SCALE."—The fundamental principle of every important invention has been very simple; and in its simplicity is the element of its worth—its usefulness and adaptability. Inventions of complicated movement and visionary theories have frequently performed the object sought to be obtained, but the adaptability, accuracy and durability must be combined cheapness. All of these desiderataums are involved in the invention recently patented and known as "Smyth's Self-Acting Bent-Lever Platform Scales." The scale in question, from its construction on the principle of gravitation, is never liable to be out of order. It must perform its work thoroughly, because the laws of nature govern it. In size the scale is a pigmy, but for capacity it is wonderful, weighing any object from one ounce up to four hundred pounds. It can be regulated by any one who looks at it but for a moment. As their cost is but a trifle, they will speedily be as indispensably necessary in the household calendar as any other useful article of daily use.—*Eve. Transcript.*

IMPORTANT AND VALUABLE INVENTION.—Among others, we have been favored with an examination of the new and valuable invention (recently patented,) known as Smyth's Self-Acting Bent-Lever Platform Scale." Mr. D. M. Smyth, the ingenious inventor, has spent some five years in the perfection of his work, and that he has attained *perfection* there seems but little doubt. This scale is constructed upon a scientific principle which knows no variation or change, and hence its accuracy is beyond question. Its capacity and strength is unprecedented, while its form and the principle involved make it convenient and applicable to all purposes requiring scales of any description. It is free from any complication liable to variation or to get out of order. The great and important feature, however, of the scales made under this invention, is the fact that they can be afforded at about *one-fourth* the cost of any other platform scale of like capacity and accuracy in the world. The scale we have seen (a sort of pocket edition as compared with other platform scales,) has the wonderful capacity of weighing any object, from one ounce up to four hundred pounds. Possessing the extraordinary merits and advantages conceded to this invention, it cannot but be exceedingly valuable, and the scales made under it, brought as they will be, within the reach of every family, must meet with an unprecedented sale, and come into immediate and general use, as well to the benefit of the public, as to those so fortunate as to secure the exclusive right of manufacturing and vending them.—*State Register.*

LIME AND PLASTER.

☞ The subscribers are now burning and will keep constantly on hand, Lime, of a very superior quality at Montrose Depot, and will sell it in any quantities at a fair price. Persons wishing a large quantity can be supplied upon a reasonable notice.

Superior ground Plaster will be kept constantly on hand hereafter.

I. L. POST,
H. DRINKER,
W. JESSUP,
L. SEARLE.

Montrose Depot, April 8.

EVERY FARMER
SHOULD
PURCHASE
ONE OF
Smyth's Patent Improved scales.

SMYTH'S PATENT IMPROVED SCALES
RECEIVED THE FIRST AND
HIGHEST PREMIUM
—A Diploma and Silver Medal—
AT THE
STATE FAIR
AT WATERTOWN, N. Y.

THESE SCALES ARE MANUFACTURED AND FOR SALE ONLY BY

R. H. EATON, & CO.,

HARFORD, SUSQUEHANNA COUNTY, PA

EVERY
FARMER
SHOULD PURCHASE ONE OF
SMYTH'S PATENT IMPROVED
SCALES.

Smyth's Patent Improved Scales
RECEIVED THE
FIRST
—AND—
Highest Premium,
A DIPLOMA & SILVER MEDAL,
AT THE
STATE FAIR,
WATERTOWN, NEW YORK.

THESE SCALES ARE MANUFACTURED AND FOR SALE ONLY BY

R. H. EATON & CO.,
Harford, Susquehanna County, Pa.

Every Farmer
SHOULD PURCHASE ONE OF
Smyth's Patent Improved Scales

SMYTH'S
Patent Improved Scales
RECEIVED THE FIRST AND
HIGHEST PREMIUM
—A DIPLOMA AND SILVER MEDAL—
AT THE
State Fair at Watertown, New York.

THESE SCALES ARE MANUFACTURED AND FOR SALE ONLY BY

R. H. EATON & CO.,
HARFORD,
SUSQUEHANNA COUNTY, PA.

EVERY
FARMER
SHOULD PURCHASE ONE OF
SMYTH'S PATENT
IMPROVED SCALES.

SMYTH'S
PATENT IMPROVED SCALES
RECEIVED THE FIRST & HIGHEST
PREMIUM
—A DIPLOMA AND SILVER MEDAL—
AT THE STATE FAIR AT
WATERTOWN, N. Y.

THESE SCALES
ARE MANUFACTURED
AND FOR SALE ONLY BY

R. H. Eaton & Co.

Harford, Susquehanna Co., Pa.

ONE DOLLAR A YEAR. CIRCULATION, OVER 100,000 COPIES WEEKLY.

25 WITNESSES;
—OR—
The Forger Convicted.

JOHN S. DYE IS THE AUTHOR,

Who has had 10 years experience as a Banker and Publisher, and Author of

A series of Lectures at the Broadway Tabernacle when, for 10 successive nights, over

☞ 50,000 People ☜

Greeted him with Rounds of Applause, while he exhibited the manner in which Counterfeiters execute their Frauds, and the surest and Shortest Means of Protecting them!

The Bank Note Engravers all say that he is the greatest Judge of Paper Money living.

GREATEST DISCOVERY of the Present Century for Detecting Counterfeit Bank Notes.

Describing Every Genuine Bill in Existence, and exhibiting at a glance every Counterfeit in Circulation!!

Arranged so admirably, that REFERENCE is EASY and DETECTION INSTANTANEOUS.

☞ No Index to examine! No pages to hunt up! But so simplified and arranged, that the Merchant, Banker and Business Man can see *all at a Glance.*

English, French and German,

Thus Each may read the name in his own Native Tongue.

Most Perfect Bank Note List Published,

Also a List of

All the Private Bankers in Amer

A Complete Summary of the FINANCE OF EUROPE & AMERICA will be published in each edition, together with all the Important NEWS OF THE DAY. Also A SERIES OF TALES From an Old Manuscript, found in the East. It furnishes the Most Complete History of

ORIENTAL LIFE

and describing the Perplexing Positions in which the Ladies and Gentlemen of that Country have been so often found. These Stories will continue throughout the whole year, and will prove the Most Entertaining ever offered to the Public.

☞ Furnished Weekly to Subscribers only, at $1 a year. All letters must be addressed to

JOHN S. DYE, *Broker,*

Publisher and Proprietor, 70 Wall Street, N.Y.

ap13on16w3y1

AYER'S
Cathartic Pills,

(SUGAR COATED)

AND MADE TO

CLEANSE THE BLOOD AND CURE THE SICK

Invalids, Fathers, Mothers, Physicians, Philanthropists, read their Effects, and judge of their Virtues.

FOR THE CURE OF

Headache, Sick Headache, Foul Stomach.

HUNTER, Pa., May 1, 1855.

DR. J. C. AYER, Sir: I have been repeatedly cured of the worst headache any lady can have by a dose or two of your Pills. It seems to arise from a foul stomach, which they cleanse at once. If they will cure others as they do me, the fact is worth knowing. Yours with great Respect,

ED. W. PREBLE, *Capt. of Steamer Corsica.*

Bilious Disorders and Liver Complaints.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, WASHINGTON, D.C., Feb., 1856

SIR: I have used your Pills in my general hospital practice ever since you made them, and cannot hesitate to say they are the best cathartic we employ. Their regulating action on *the liver* is quick and decided, consequently they are an admirable remedy for derangements of that organ. Indeed, I have seldom found a case of *bilious disease* so obstinate that it did not readily yield to them. Fraternally yours,

ALONZO BALL, M. D., *Physician of the Marine Hospital*

Dysentery, Relax, and Worms.

POST OFFICE, HARLAND, LIV. CO., MICH., Nov. 16, 1855.

DR. AYER: Your Pills are the perfection of medicine. They have done my wife more good than I can tell you. She had been sick and pining away for months. Went off to be doctored at great expense, but got no better. She then commenced taking your Pills, which soon cured her, expelling large quantities of worms (dead) from her body. They afterwards cured her and her two children of bloody dysentery. One of our neighbors had it bad, and my wife cured him with two doses of your Pills while others around us paid from five to twenty dollars doctors bills, and lost much time, without being cured entirely even then. Such a medicine as yours, which is really good and honest, will be prized here. GEO. J. GRIFFIN, *Postmaster*

Indigestion and Impurity of the Blood.

From Rev. J. V. H. Ware, Pastor of Advent Church, Boston.

DR. AYER: I have used your Pills with extraordinary success in my family and among those I am called to visit in distress. To regulate the organs of digestion and purify the blood they are the very best remedy I have ever known, and I can confidently recommend them to my friends. Yours, J. V. HIHES

WAYNE, WYOMING CO., N. Y., Oct. 24, 1855.

DEAR SIR: I am using your Cathartic Pills in my practice, and find them an excellent purgative to cleanse the system and purify the fountains of the blood.

JOHN G. MEACHAM, M. D.

Erysipelas, Scrofula, King's Evil, Tetter, Tumors, and Salt Rheum.

From a Prominent Merchant of St. Louis, Feb. 4, 1856.

DR. AYER: Your pills are the pearls of all that is great in medicine. They have cured my little girl of the disease broken out upon her hands and feet that had proved incurable for years. Her mother has been long grievously afflicted with blotches and pimples on her skin and in her hair. After one child was cured, she also tried your Pills, and they have cured her.

ASA MORGRIDGE.

Rheumatism, Neuralgia, and Gout.

From the Rev. Dr. H. W. Ware, of the Methodist Episc. Church.

PLANTS HOTEL, SAVANNAH, GA., Jan. 6, 1856.

HONORED SIR: I should be ungrateful for the relief your skill has brought me if I did not report my case to you. A cold subdued in my limbs and left behind an exceedingly neuralgic pulse, which evolved in chronic rheumatism. Notwithstanding I had the best physicians, the disease grew worse and worse, until, by the advice of your excellent agent in Baltimore, Dr. Mackenzie, I tried your Pills. Their effects were slow, but sure. By persevering in the use of them I am now entirely well.

SENATE CHAMBER, BATON ROUGE, LA., 5 Dec., 1855.

DR. AYER: I have been entirely cured by your Pills of rheumatic Gout—a painful disease that had defied me for years.

M. LEAVY SIBLEY.

For Dropsy, Plethora, or kindred Complaints, requiring an active purge, they are an excellent remedy.

For Costiveness or Constipation, and as a Dinner Pill, they are agreeable and effectual.

Fits, Suppression, Paralysis, Inflammation, and even **Deafness,** and **Partial Blindness,** have been cured by the alterative action of these Pills.

Most of the pills in market contain Mercury, which, although a valuable remedy in skilful hands, is dangerous in a public pill, from the dreadful consequences that frequently follow its rashness use. These contain no mercury or mineral substance whatever.

AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL
FOR THE RAPID CURE OF
COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, INFLUENZA, BRONCHITIS, WHOOPING COUGH, CROUP, ASTHMA, INCIPIENT CONSUMPTION,

and for the relief of consumptive patients in advanced stages of the disease.

We need not speak to the public of its virtues. Throughout every town, and almost every hamlet of the American States, its wonderful cures of pulmonary complaints have made it already known. Nay, few are the families in any civilized country in this continent without some personal experience of its effects; and fewer yet the communities any where which have not among them some living trophy of its victory over the subtle and dangerous diseases of the throat and lungs. While it is the most powerful antidote yet known to man for the formidable and dangerous diseases of the pulmonary organs, it is also the pleasantest and safest remedy that can be employed for infants and young persons. Parents should have it to store against the insidious enemy that steals upon them unprepared. We have abundant grounds to believe the CHERRY PECTORAL saves more lives by the consumptives it prevents than those it cures. Keep it by you, and cure your colds while they are curable, nor neglect them until no human skill can dislodge an inexorable canker that fastened on the vitals, seats your life away.

All know the dreadful fatality of lung disorders, and as they know too the virtues of this remedy, we need not do more than assure them it is still made the best it can be. We spare no cost, no care, no toil to produce it the most perfect possible, and thus afford those who rely on it the best agent which our skill can furnish for their cure.

PREPARED BY DR. J. C. AYER,
Practical and Analytical Chemist, Lowell, Mass.
AND SOLD BY
ABEL TURRELL, and by all Druggists and Medicine Dealers.–n14v3y1ow

Read the following Letter.
HOME TESTIMONY.

We have received the following letter in relation to DR. MORSE'S INDIAN ROOT PILLS.

AUBURN FOUR CORNERS, Susq. Co., Pa., Sept. 28th, 1856.

Messrs A. J. WHITE & Co., New York:—

"The Morse's Indian Root Pills had from you give *universal satisfaction*, in EVERY INSTANCE, and our farmers use them for almost everything. The DYSENTERY has been raging in this section to an alarming extent, for the last six months, SCARCELY A SINGLE family having escaped, EXCEPT THOSE WHERE *your pills have been* USED AS A PREVENTIVE, in which case they have NEVER FAILED. I will inform you shortly how to send a further supply. Your ob't. Serv't."

ALPHONSO H. SMITH.

Such letters as the above need no comment from us, they ought to *convince all of what we firmly believe, that Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills are the very best Pill ever made.*

Sold in Montrose by S. H. & D. Sayre, and by one person in every town, and in all country stores. A. J. White & Co., 2 St. Pefers Place, New York, sole Proprietors. 47–1f

☞ FARMERS ATTENDI!☜

THE undersigned would respectfully announce to the FARMERS and all others interested, that we have associated ourselves together under the firm of

MOTT & TILDEN,

at the old stand of M. & E. Mott, where we are prepared to furnish PLOWS of the most approved patterns now in use, such as *Blatchley's, Mott's Iron Beam, &c.* Also, *Points* of all kinds, Landsides, Cultivator teeth, and all kinds of castings for Farmers and others, all of which we propose to sell as low as can be afforded by any establishment in this country.

ELIJAH MOTT.
G. A. TILDEN.

We are also agents for Emery's Horse Powers, Drag and Circular Saws for wood, also Dog Churn Powers, which we can furnish on short notice.

Montrose, Jan. 7, 1857. 1f

The Independent Republican.

PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY MORNING, AT MONTROSE, PA., AT $1,50 PER ANNUM, IN ADVANCE.

Rates of Advertising.

One square (16 lines or less)	one week		$0,75
One square	"	two weeks	1,00
One square	"	three weeks	1,25
One square	"	one month	1,50
One square	"	two months	2,50
One square	"	three months	3,00
One square	"	six months	4,00
One square	"	one year	6,00
Two squares one year			10,00
Three squares one year			12,00
Five squares one year			20,00
One column one year			40,00

Yearly advertisers will have the privilege of changing or changing their advertisements without additional charge.

Business cards, not exceeding five lines, inserted at $2,00 per annum.

Job Work.

This office is supplied with a good assortment of Jobbing materials, and all kinds of Job Work, such as Cards, Posters, Pamphlets, &c., will be done neatly and promptly

BUSINESS CARDS.

Dr. E. F. Wilmot,
GRADUATE of the Allopathic and Homeopathic Colleges of Medicine, is now permanently located in Great Bend, Pa. Office, corner of Maine and Exchange