THE FARMER'S COLUMN.

Whittling Shingles.

FROM THE WOOL GROWER.

Scene.—*Mr. Pinchandle's door-yard—John and Editor seated on a log, the sunny side of his great wood-pile — John whittling a beach chip: the editor a bass wood splinter.*

THE EDITOR.—Whittle from you, John; why don't you whittle from you?

JOHN—What's the difference? Whittling is whittling, any way, whether you whittle towards you or from you.

EDITOR.—A mistake, John; a palpable mistake. There is philosophy in whittling. There is a right way and a rong way to do everything; and for the right way there is always a good reason.

JOHN—Pray what reason for whittling from you? It's a small matter at best—really too small to consider.

EDITOR.—Wrong again. It's the observance of these little things—the consideration of trifles—that constitute what men call good or bad luck—There now, you have cut your finger—not bad, I hope.

JOHN—Not very. Blast the knife—(*Throws it down*)

EDITOR.—Well, this is an apt illustration—proof positive—before I had commenced my argument.

JOHN—I'd like to know what cutting my finger has to do with luck, good, bad, or indifferent?

EDITOR.—Everything. If you had considered a moment you would have seen that whittling towards you was dangerous; common prudence would have shown you that you might cut your fingers; while if you whittle from you there was no danger. Herein, then, is the key to that phantom which men call luck.

JOHN—Don't you believe in luck?

EDITOR.—Don't I believe the moon is a green cheese? No, sir. There is no such thing. It's all moonshine. Just now you cut your finger, and you say "I am unlucky." No such thing—you were stupid, careless. There's old Gripe, who began with no other capital than his axe, worth now his thousands; and you and every body else says, "a lucky as Old Gripe," and yet we all know that he has made his money by the operation of a clear intellect—a shrewd, close observance of little things—turning the stream at the fountain, and not waiting until it gets to be a river.

JOHN—Training the sapling and not the tree.

EDITOR.—Exactly. A good idea. You always find him about his business. His work is never behind. His hay don't get caught in the rain—His wheat is never wet in the bundle or swath—He looks at little things. If his grain is to stand out over night, it's all nicely put up in shocks and capped; if his hay can't be cured the same day, it's raised and cocked. He says I am not to meddle with his chemists but I am not to say that's sure against coarting men which he can not read. He always whittles from him; and he is called lucky."

JOHN—And he is lucky.

EDITOR.—No such thing, if you mean by that chance favoring him more than others. Now there's Dick Careless, he is always ruing his luck and luck. Dick works hard. I think he does more real hard work than Gripe. But every body passes poor Dick, he has such "bad luck." If it were not for his wife he would have been in the poor house before, now. Every body says of what a clever fellow is Dick," and so he is, he minds every body's business but his own. Dick stacks his hay, but neglects to put on binders, and the top blows off and his stack is ruined. He has a nice crop of wheat cut, and intends to cart to-morrow, so he leaves the wheat carried into bunches. But to-morrow it comes on to rain, and his wheat gets wet and sprouts, and then you say "well just Dick's luck." Dick has had "bad luck" with his sheep and cattle and horses, always losing more or less every year. Now, you believe in luck—well just tell me why he loses more than you do?

JOHN—He is careless Don't take pains enough with them.

EDITOR.—All [illegible] Will you do you think I [illegible] To [illegible] and only [illegible] believer in luck. There's Tapewall, every body says "what a lucky fellow he has been, got rich as a nabob, and had only a few goods to start upon." While Bingham, who had a fine store, full of goods, went all to smash in three years!

JOHN—Yes, and old Tape bought his fine store and house at about one quarter its cost. Wasn't that luck?

EDITOR.—No, sir. Tape lived within his means, and accumulated his profits. He did not care for a fine store while he could sell his goods in the old one; and being at less expense he could sell a little cheaper, and thus get the best custom.—Bingham lived up to his income, and a little [illegible]

JOHN—Well there's one kind of luck I know you delight in, and that's ready.

EDITOR.—And pray what's that?

JOHN—Pot-luck, to be sure.

EDITOR.—Good; I am with you.

Bank Note Table.

Pennsylvania.		(New Jersey—continued.	
All Philadelphia banks	par	State, at Morris,	failed
Bank of U. States	15	Commercial, Camden,	
Bank of Chester county	par	Elizabethtown and New	
Do Delaware county	do	Brunswick,	¾
Do Montgomery co	do	Farmers	do
Do of Gettysburg	1½	Trenton B'ng Company	par
Do of Middletown	1½	Union, Somerville	¾
Do of Montgomery co	par	**New York.**	
Do of Northumberl'nd	do	All City banks	par
Do of Pittsburg	par	Albany City,	¾
Do of Susq co no sale		Albany Exchange	par
Capitole	1½	Atlantic, Brooklyn,	par
Chambersburg	1½	Atlas, Clymer,	30
Columbia bk & bridge co.	par	Bank of Albany	¾
Doylestown	do	" Auburn	failed
Easton	do	" Brockport	50
Erie	1	" Buffalo	closed
Exchange	1	" Commerce	failed
Exchange, Hollidaysb'g	1½	" Olean	do
Farm, Rockcreek	par	" Newburg	par
Far & Drov., Waynesb'g	1½	" Poughkeepsie	par
Farm., Quarryville	par	" Rochester	do
Farmers, Reading	do	" Salina	failed
Farm., Schuylkill co	do	Ballston Springs	¾
Franklin	2	Brooklyn,	par
Harrisburg	1½	Canal, Albany	10
Honesdale	¾	Catskill	¾
Lancaster	par	Commercial, Albany	do
Lancaster co	do	" Oswego	failed
Lebanon	do	" Buffalo, closing	
Mech & Manufac	1	Cattaraugus co. b.	failed
Mount Pottsville	par	City, Buffalo	failed
Monongahela	1½	Commercial, Utica,	par
West Branch	1½	Erie county	50
Wyoming	par	Farmers', Malone	closed
York	¾	" Warwick	do
RELIEF NOTES		" Galway	do
Maine.		" Seneca co.	do
Calais	10	Farm & Drov. Somerv	par
Mechanic	2	Farm., Jamaica co.	do
Merchants	2	" Hudson	do
All solvent banks	¾	" Penn Yan	failed
New Hampshire.		Hamilton bk,	failed
All solvent banks	¾	Highland, Newburg	par
Vermont.		Hollister & Co	do
All solvent banks	¾	Kinderhook	do
Massachusetts.		Kingston	do
All solvent banks	par	Lansingburgh	par
Rhode Island.		Lockport & F. Tr. co.	par
Manufac'rs, Pister	par	Manufac'rs, Hester	par
Mechanics, Providence	par	Merch. Poughkeepsie	par
Merch & Mech, Troy	do	Merch & Mech, Troy	do
Mer & Farm, Albany	do	Mer & Farm, Albany	do
Mohawk	¾	Mohawk	¾
N Y State, Albany	do	N Y State, Albany	do
Ogdensburg	¾	Ogdensburg	¾
Pacific, Brooklyn	par	Pacific, Brooklyn	par
Powell, Newburg	par	Powell, Newburg	par
Poughkeepsie	par	Poughkeepsie	par
Prattsville	¾	Prattsville	¾
Saratoga Springs	¾	Saratoga Springs	¾
Saratoga county	¾	Saratoga county	¾
Seneca River	failed	Seneca River	failed
Staten Island	failed	Staten Island	failed
Statebk of N Y.	¾	Statebk of N Y.	¾
Schenectady	¾	Schenectady	¾
Tanners, Catts	par	Tanners, Catts	par
Troy	par	Troy	par
Troy City	¾	Troy City	¾
Union Buffalo	failed	Union Buffalo	failed
Utica County	¾	Utica County	¾
Wallkill bk'g	failed	Wallkill bk'g	failed
Warren bk'g	¾	Warren bk'g	¾
Westchester county	par	Westchester county	par
All other banks	¾	All other banks	¾
Connecticut		**Maryland**	
All solvent banks	¾	All solvent banks	¾
Virginia		**Virginia**	
All solvent banks	¾	All solvent banks	¾
Ohio		**Ohio**	
All solvent banks	¾	All solvent banks	¾
Indiana		**Indiana**	
State, at Indianapolis	¾	State, at Indianapolis	¾

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12 " M.	"	3 "	P. M.
4½ " P. M.	"	5 " 15 "	"
"	Market-st.	6 " 45 "	"
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1 " P. M.	Paterson	1 "	P. M.

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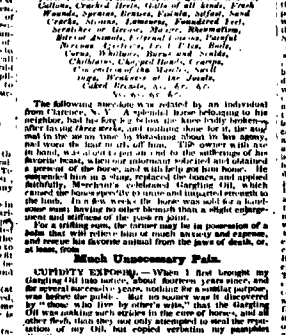

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