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**Public Sale.**  
WILL be sold on Saturday the 26th day of May 1838, at 1 o'clock P. M. at the house of Christian Ley, innkeeper in the town of Pinegrove, the undivided moiety or half part of a certain tract of coal land, situate in Barry township, Schuylkill county, containing four hundred acres or thereabouts, bounded by the lands of Jacob Christ, Wm. Graeff, and others.

**Read the Following.**  
**Interesting and Astonishing Facts.**  
MORE conclusive proofs of the extraordinary efficacy of DR. WM. EVANS' celebrated Camomile and Aperient Anodyne Pills in alleviating afflicted mankind.  
To James Dickson, 36 Cornhill, Boston, Agent for the sale of Dr. Wm. Evans' Camomile Pills, Lowell, Mass., Nov. 15, 1838.

**NEW BAKERY & CONFECTIONARY ESTABLISHMENT.**  
**Frederick C. Epting**  
RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public in general, that he has opened a Bakery and Confectionary Establishment in the borough of Pottsville, where he will always keep on hand and bake to order all kinds of cakes of every variety of pattern—and where also, will always be kept on hand, Bread by the Loaf, of an excellent quality, and of a large size. His Confectionary comprises a large and general assortment selected with care, and sold at the very lowest rates.

**CALL AT THE New Establishment.**  
Corner of Centre and Market Streets, Pottsville.  
THE subscribers, respectfully, announce to their friends and the public generally, that they have taken the store formerly occupied by Jacob Bull & Co., corner of Centre and Market streets, where they are now provided with a choice assortment of  
**Dry Goods, Groceries, Liquors, &c.**  
which they are determined to sell at the very low prices of  
**HAZZARD & STRAUCH,**  
No. 2. All kinds of Country Produce taken at the highest market prices.  
April 1 26

**Notice and Caution.**  
**LETTERS** Testamentary of the estate of **MARY BAINE**, deceased, having been granted to the subscriber, sole executor of her last will and testament. All persons having claims against the said estate, will please present them for settlement, and all persons indebted to the same are requested to make payment to the subscriber, who is the only person legally authorized to receive said debts. The administration granted to Strange N. Palmer, Esq., having become void by the probate of the will of the said Mary Baine, and the consequent granting of the Letters of Schuylkill County, of letters testamentary to the subscriber.

**EXPRESS LINE OF STAGES.**  
THE Proprietors of this Line (which has been fitted up in an superior manner for the accommodation of the Travelling Community), respectfully announce to the public, that the Line will positively commence running between  
**POTTSVILLE & PHILADELPHIA,**  
on Wednesday the 28th day of May, and will continue to leave their office at the **Pennsylvania Hall, Pottsville,** daily at 6 o'clock, A. M. and arrive in Philadelphia, at 6 o'clock P. M. at the following rate of Fare:

**INTERESTING CASE Cured by Dr. Wm. Evans' Camomile Pills.**  
Mr. BENJAMIN BOWN, of Shippen and Georges streets, Philadelphia, afflicted for seven years with extreme nervousness, which he was not able to write his name—his symptoms were, excruciating daily spasmodic pains in the head, loss of appetite, palpitation of the heart, giddiness and dizziness, utter inability of engaging in any thing that demanded vigor or courage, sickness and weakness, extreme debility, disturbed rest, a sense of pressure and weight at the stomach after eating, great mental despondency, severe flying pains in the chest, back and side, constipation, a dislike for society, and general distressing symptoms of various medicines used before the public, had no effect, until, observing in a public paper some cures performed by Dr. William Evans' Camomile Tonic and Family Aperient Pills, he was induced to give them a trial, which he is at this time happy to state that they effectually cured him of all his distressing symptoms.

**INTERESTING CASE.**  
**DYSPEPSIA BY PNEUMONIA.**  
Mrs. Anne G. Kenny, No. 115 Louis street, between Stanton and Houston streets, afflicted for ten years with the following distressing symptoms:  
Acid eructation, daily spasmodic pains in the head, loss of appetite, palpitation of the heart, giddiness and dizziness, utter inability of engaging in any thing that demanded vigor or courage, sometimes a visionary idea of an aggravation of her disease, a whimsical aversion to particular persons and places, groundless apprehensions of personal danger and poverty, an irritable and wearisome temper, discontinued digestion on every slight occasion, she conceived she could neither sleep nor live, she became despondent, and thought she led a most miserable life, never was one day, with frequent mental hallucinations. Mrs. Kenny had the advice of several eminent physicians, but could not obtain even a temporary relief from their prescriptions, until her husband persuaded her to make trial of my mode of treatment. She is now quite relieved, and finds herself not only capable of attending to her domestic affairs, but avows that she enjoys as good health at present as she did at any period of her existence.

**Books! very low.**  
BANNAN offers for sale the following standard works at the very low prices attached.  
Home, Smollett and Miller's England 4 vols. sheep, with plates \$10 00  
Clarke's Commentary, 4 vols. sheep, 12 00  
Wesley's works, 10 vols. complete, 11 00  
Buck's Theological works, 6 vols. sheep, 4 00  
Scott's Bible and Commentary, 3 vols. sheep, 6 00  
Byron's works, Dearborne's Edition, 4 vols. 4 25  
Ruffin's Ancient History, 1 vol. sheep, Dearborne's Edition with Maps and plates, 4 25  
Josephus 1 vol. with plates, 2 25  
Murray's works complete, 1 vol. 3 25  
Moore's works, Library Edition, 2 vols. 2 00  
Cowper and Thompson's works, 2 vols. 2 25  
Latham's works, 2 vols. 2 00  
Burde's village Sermons, 2 vols. 2 00  
Dodridge's Family Expositor, 3 vols. 3 50  
Encyclopedia of Geography, 3 vols. with 1200 cuts and 100 Maps, 10 50  
Fox's Book of Martyrs, with plates, 2 25  
McKenzie's 5000 Receipts, with plates, 1 37  
Together with a variety of other Books at very low rates, to suit the times.  
July 1 26

**Notice and Caution.**  
The Coal business will be continued by the subscriber, who will keep a supply of the best Red, White and Grey Ash Schuylkill Coal, at the lowest market prices by the cargo or retail, at the office No. 25 South 5th St. Pottsville, Pa. may 5 34  
**CALEB PARKER.**

**Public Sale.**  
PURSUANT to an Order of the Orphans' Court of Schuylkill County, on Saturday the 26th day of May, 1838, at 1 o'clock P. M. at the house of Christian Ley, innkeeper, in the town of Pinegrove, Dr. Jacob Christ, Administrator of the estate of **Solomon Christ**, late of Schuylkill County, deceased, will expose to sale by Public Vendue, the undivided moiety or half part of a certain tract of land, situate in Barry township, Schuylkill County, containing four hundred acres or thereabouts, bounded by lands of Jacob Christ, William Graeff and others, held in common with Adam Raodenbosh. Also, the legal estate of the said intestate in the one third part, and some small equitable interest amounting to about one twelfth part of a certain house and lot, situate in the town of Pinegrove, in the above county, bounded by lots of John Barr and others, being the house and lot which Jacob Christ, Esq., resided at the time of his decease. Also, one lot of ground in the town of Deerfield, near the town of Pinegrove, bounded by Tulpehocken street and other lots, being the same lot purchased from Benjamin Berger—late the estate of said deceased.

**INTERESTING CASE.**  
**ASTHMA, 5 YEARS STANDING.**  
Mr. Charles Hobart, No. 122 Orange street, N. Y., afflicted for five years with humoral habitual asthma, applied at the office 100 Chatham street to the late Dr. Peter Pinkney, for relief from his distressing symptoms. A sense of tightness across the chest, with the greatest difficulty of breathing, distressing cough, generally ending with copious expectoration of viscid phlegm, could not rest the face turbid and of a livid hue—could not lie in a horizontal position without the sensation of oppression and loss of spirit, and dizziness in the head, and loss of appetite, and inactivity in the limbs. He was treated by several eminent physicians in this city, likewise used several remedies without obtaining any permanent benefit, until his friends persuaded him to place himself under Dr. William Evans' treatment. He is now relieved of his complaint, and called at the office to express his gratitude for the benefit he had received. October 21, 1837.

**New and Elegant Goods.**  
NATHANS & Co. have just received and offer for sale,  
6-English merinoes, from 50 to 75 cts per yard  
Super French do at \$1.50 per yard,  
Tartan, merino, worsted, silk and cotton shawls, Red, white, yellow, green and scarlet flannels, Bleached and unbleached Canton flannels, from 10 to 25 cts per yard.  
Worsted hosiery, comfort caps, children's hose, Winter prints, gloves, &c. &c.  
Cotton hats and wadding at 61 per sheet.  
June 3 34

**THE HOLY BIBLE.**  
FROM the works of Henry and Scott, and above one hundred other writers, published in London by the Religious Tract Society, revised and abridged in two volumes, with Maps and Engravings. This valuable work is published in parts, at 25 cents each. Twelve parts are already completed, and can be obtained at the subscribers Book Store where subscriptions will also be received.  
June 24 34

**Wholesale and Retail Hardware Store.**  
**POLLOCK & WEAVER** have just received in addition to their former stock of Hardware, Muscovado, spring, by screw, hand, and hand-screw plates, warranted cast steel axe, broad axes, hand do, hammers, hammers, Bostons & Mullins axes, socket and firmer chisels, drawing knives, blacksmith hammers, cut & wry drills, A. J. & S. 6 & 8 cast spurs, single, cut and double planeirons and planes, assorted locks, latches, hinges, &c. screws, round and square bolts, need, plated and in no squares.  
All of which are offered on the most accommodating terms.  
Feb 18 34

**Confectionary Manufactory.**  
THE subscriber respectfully announces to the public that he has commenced the Manufactory of Confectionary in all its various branches, at his Store in Centre Street, nearly opposite the Pottsville House, where Confectioners and others can always be supplied wholesale and retail, at the lowest Philadelphia cash prices.  
Country Merchants are respectfully solicited to call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere.  
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**JOHN S. MARTIN.** 50-4f

**ASTHMA, THREE YEARS STANDING.**  
Mr. Robert Monroe, Schuylkill, afflicted with the above distressing malady. Symptoms—great languor, flatulency, disturbed rest, nervous headache, difficulty of breathing, lightness and stricture across the breast, dizziness, nervous irritability and weakness, could not lie in a horizontal position, without the sensation of impending suffocation, palpitation of the heart, distressing cough, costiveness, pain of the stomach, drowsiness, great debility and deficiency of the nervous energy. Mr. E. Monroe gave up every thought of recovery and dire despair set on the countenance of every person acquainted with his existence or happiness. He by accident he noticed in a public paper some cures effected by Dr. Wm. Evans' medicine, in his complaint, which induced him to purchase a package of the Pills, which resulted in completely removing every symptom of his disease. He wishes to say his gratitude for this declaration, so that those afflicted with the same or any other distressing complaint, may be induced to purchase the Pills, which he is happy to say, have relieved him of his disease, and he is now enjoying the same refreshing health.

**Boats for Sale.**  
FOUR good new Schuylkill Boats, built of best and strong timbers, and strong construction. Apply to  
**SAM'L HARTZ,** March 26 34

**Miller & Haggerty,**  
**WHOLESALE AND RETAIL**  
Dry Goods, Grocery, Wine & Liquor Store  
(Next door to Mortimer's Hotel.)  
THEIR connection with a house in Philadelphia enables them to keep on hand a very extensive assortment of goods, which they will sell at Philadelphia prices. Store and Tavern keepers and private families, would do well to call and judge for themselves.  
April 19 34

**Public Notice.**  
AS it appears, that because Mr. Crane obtained no patent for smelting Iron Ore with Anthracite Coal in this country, many suppose that they are now at liberty to adopt the method of smelting Iron Ore with Anthracite by the use of a heated air blast, although I gave notice last year that I had a patent for smelting Iron Ore with Anthracite Coal, both by the use of a cold atmospheric, and a heated air blast. I would now inform the public again, that on the 14th of January, 1838, I received a letter from the Commissioner of Patents at Washington, stating: "Sir, upon examining the case of Mr. Crane's application for a patent for smelting Iron Ore by means of Anthracite, I have reviewed his claim as interfering with your patent of Dec. 1833, and have given notice to his attorney of this decision." Every attempt to smelt Iron Ore with anthracite by the use of a heated air blast, is an infringement upon my patent, against which I caution and warn all men as I shall prosecute every one infringing upon my rights according to law. And I further offer to defend patent rights for the erecting of furnaces, according to my patent, upon very moderate terms.  
**FREDERICK W. GEISSENHAUER,**  
New York, May 16, 1838. 31-1

**NEW IRON & Hardware Store.**  
THE subscribers would respectfully announce to the public, that he has added to his former stock, Iron and Hardware, consisting in part of American and English Cast Iron, Pig Iron and Bessemer Iron, Round Iron, assorted sizes, Cast, Crank, Sheet, German and English, Blister, and A. M. Steel Yards, Morse's, and Smith's, Bellog's, Cast Steel bands, chipping and Broad axes, nails and spikes, together with a general assortment of Iron Monkeys, all of which will be sold at reduced prices, by  
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**Port Clinton Foundry FOR SALE.**  
WILL be sold at private sale, the Foundry pleasantly situated at Port Clinton, Schuylkill county, on very reasonable terms. This Foundry is at the commencement of the Little Schuylkill and Susquehanna Rail Road, now making, and the site is one of the best in the country for the purpose of a large business. For terms, &c. apply to  
**PARKE & TIERS,** Iron Founders, Philadelphia, or **ISAAC MYERS,** Port Clinton. July 29 34

**Wholesale and Retail Dry Goods Store.**  
**POLLOCK & WEAVER** have just received in addition to their former stock, a quantity of **DRY GOODS**: Super Superior Blue and Black Cloth, superior fine colored do, new style Cassimeres, satinetts and Bevetines, (ladies') &c. &c. Feb 18 34

**Proposals for Coal.**  
SEALED Proposals addressed to the subscriber, will be received at "Philadelphia Alms House, Bookery," until the 15th July next, for supplying the institution, with Fifteen hundred tons of white and red coal, free from dust, and of any impurity, to be delivered at the Alms House, on the west side of the river Schuylkill by the first of the next month.  
**WILLIAM S. STACHTON** Steward.  
Applicants will confer their communications on Proposals for Coal, Philadelphia, May 16 34

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**Queen Victoria's Saline.**  
A new elegant article for Ladies' Dresses, and just received for sale by  
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**Wetherill & Brother,**  
AT THE OLD STAND  
No. 65 NORTH FRONT STREET,  
PHILADELPHIA.  
**MANUFACTURERS OF**  
White Lead and Oil, Red Lead, White Oil, Yellow Oil, Green Oil, Patent Yellow, Sugar Lead, Copra, Ag. Foris, Maritime Acid, Epsom Salts, Tart. Acid, Sup. Carb. Soda, Corros. Sub. Merc.  
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in all the above articles, and also in all the articles mentioned under the above head, they please themselves to supply their friends and the public on the most reasonable terms.  
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**THE CHURCHMAN'S MANUAL.**  
A position of the Doctrine, Ministry and Worship of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States, by the Rev. Brazealin Dana, Rector of Christ Church, Philadelphia, just received and for sale here.  
April 18 34

**TAPUYAS ELIXIR.**  
For the instantaneous cure of  
**THE TOOTH ACHES.**  
Discovered and brought to its greatest perfection by **MONSIEUR CHABERT** who has been successful in curing many of his friends and the public on the most reasonable terms.  
This is a certain cure of Tooth Aches in which I have certainly found it of very great service.  
**J. R. HARVEY,**  
Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London, Sept. 10, 1830.  
A friend stepped in to say that he had visited the Five King this evening, and witnessed his successful cure of the Tooth Ache. One John boy in particular, who looked cross enough in his ten penny suit, clear off, in ten minutes, smiled at the decayed tooth and diffed his pain. U. S. Gazette.  
A fresh supply of the above Elixir just received and for sale by  
**B. BANNAN,** Sole Agent for Schuylkill. July 13 34

**Painted Jaconets.**  
JUST received and for sale by the subscriber, a few pieces of Splendid Painted Jaconets, together with a choice selection of chintzes &c. for sale by  
**HAZZARD & STRAUCH,** April 21 34

**Musical Instruments.**  
THE subscriber has just received and offers for sale  
4 keyed German Flutes, plain, Clarinet Flutes, Flageoles, Violins, Violin Bridges, Flat Strings, and Bow Strings, Clarinet Reeds, Guitar Strings, Violin Bows—extra make. Also, one Half Doz. recently imported, and sold at the lowest prices.  
**JOHN S. MARTIN,** May 5, 1838.

**Catholic Books.**  
**PIGOU'S GUIDE,** Key to the Catechism, by the Rev. Fr. P. Pigou, O. S. B. 12s. 6d.  
Catholic Prayer, by the Rev. Fr. P. Pigou, O. S. B. 12s. 6d.  
Four Men's Catechism and Small Catechism, by the Rev. Fr. P. Pigou, O. S. B. 12s. 6d.  
Just received and for sale by  
**B. BANNAN,** Dec 23 34

**Lumber.**  
50,000 Lumber, suitable for building or other purposes, for sale by  
**A. A. GIBB,** April 18 34