THE PRAIRIES.—Bryant has written a delightful poem—second only to his "Thanatopsis"—on these "gardens of the desert." A poetical contributor to the Burlington (Vt.) Free Press has also apostrophized them, but in a more practical and familiar style. He says:

Great Western waste of bottom land,
Flat as a pancake, rich as greese!
Where gnats are full as big as toads,
And skeeters are as big as geese!

O! lonesome, windy, grassy place,
Where buffaloes and snakes prevail!
The first with dreadful looking face,
The last with dreadful sounding tail!

I'd rather live on camel's rump,
And be a Yankee Doodle beggar,
Than where they never see a stump,
And shake to death with fever n' ager!

Clippings.

AFRAID OF THE BILERS!—During the height of the *opposition* between the two steamboat lines, running from the Kennebec to Boston, last summer, and just as the rival boats were making ready to start, a wagon hove in sight in which was an old lady, with an accompaniment of bandboxes and bundles, evidently equipped for a journey. The respective agents of the two lines sprang towards her. "Take the Marshall, marm! fine boat." "Try the Penobscot, new boat, built last summer, commanded by the favorite of everybody—Capt. ———," &c. &c. The boys and loafers around echoed the claims of *their* favorites in concert. "Hurrah for the Penobscot," "Go the John Marshall." The old lady, who had probably never seen a steamboat before, and whose chief notion of the varmints was connected with their boiler bursting propensities, was almost beside herself with terror at the hubbub.

"O, Lordy! I wish I'd never stirred a step—if I'd a known there was to be such an awful time as this, I'm sure I would'nt. The pesky bilers—I know they'll burst—every body's looking after me, and nobody's attending to 'em. There, go right away, all of you, I'm going straight back. I could'nt rest a wink for fear of them pesky bilers."

"You need give yourself no anxiety on account of the boilers in the Marshall," said the agent of the M., "they are new and sound, and could'nt be made to burst.

"Are you sure of it?" said the old lady, evincing symptoms of a favorable disposition towards the Marshall—"you ain't a tryin' to practize on the credulity of a poor lone woman, I hope?"

"No fear of me—sound as a teakettle," was the reply."

The old lady was about descending from the wagon to embark in the Marshall, when No. 2 stepped up."

"Madam," said he, in a serious tone, "No doubt the Marshall's boilers are sound enough, but the best boilers are dangerous things. We knew that a great many people had been killed by them—especially of late—and *took the boilers out of our boat three weeks ago!*"

"You did," said she; "that's the boat for me, then. Jemes, (to the boy in the wagon) pass out the basket, and the bonnet-box, and the umbrella, and the parasol—and don't forget the new shoes and doughnuts under the seat. Tell Sally I went in the boat without any bilers, and she need have no fears of me."—*Bostonian.*

THE COMMON LAW.—A legal Member of Congress was once foiled in an important law-suit before an Indiana jury, by the adroitness of a pettifogger who was opposed to him. The "honorable gentleman" was but little acquainted in that region of his circuit, whereas the pettifogger was altogether at home. The former had occasion, in the course of his argument, to make frequent reference to the "common law of England," which made his side of the case quite clear; but his antagonist soon demolished *that* strong-hold.

"Gentlemen of the jury," said he in reply, "what have *you* to do with the *common* law of England? What have you to do with *any* English law? If we are guided by English law at all, we want their *best* law not their *common* law; we want as good law as Queen Victoria herself makes use of; for, gentleman, we are *all* sovereigns here. But we don't want no English law. United States' law is good enough for us; yes, *Indi-a-na* law is good enough for Indiana jury; and so I know you will convince the wordy gentleman who has come here to insult your patriotism and good sense by attempting to influence your decision through the *common* law of England!"

The jury gave the pettifogger his case without consultation!—*Knickerbocker.*

'MEXICAN PILLS.'—There was a curious scene yesterday at the Bank of Missouri. It seems that about two hundred little boys are employed at the Arsenal in the filling of cartridges, and yesterday, having received the proper documents, they marched up in a body to the Bank to make a draw upon Uncle Sam. The whole neighborhood was lively as a bee-hive, and the jingle of silver made music of the merriest kind. There were half dollars in hats, half dollars in handkerchiefs—pantaloons pockets were ripped, and coat tails were torn off by the weight of the treasure. The floor of the bank within was completely covered by squads of urchins who were busily counting over their piles. Such a run on the bank has been unknown since the grand smash which introduced shin plasters.

'How much do you make a day?' demanded a bystander of a cute looking urchin.

'Oh, some times more, sometimes less,' was the reply. 'Pends a good deal upon how hard you work.'

'Can you make a dollar a day?'

'Dollar a day! wuss'n that I reckon.'

'A dollar and a half?'

'And a quarter better, I kin!'

'What do you call your work?'

'Makin' *Mexican pills!*'

'And uncle Sam is a good paymaster, eh?'

'Well, he aint anything else, hoss!' and off ran the little rascal jingling all over with dollars.

'Hallo! Jim! You great six footer you. What are you beating that poor old nigger for?'

'Why, Lor bless your soul, massa, I is tryin' to conquer a peace! Ye see dis old nigger kep a fuss all de time 'bout me takin' his tater patch. I ax de ole fool if he didn't know 'twas my destiny, an' if he ever hear 'bout de Angler Saxons, as how dey was bound to take every ting dey could. But he jes go on sayin' it was his'n. Den I jis takes half his patch from him, and told him help yumself if he could. Den he g t mad an' told me I'd better not. Den I gives um jesse a few times, an' he kicks back, 'an' now I is tarmined to conquer a piece, as Massa Polk says, an' take de hull patch from him for his sass.—*Hamilton Intelligencer.*

HIBERNIAN.—A medical friend of ours who not long ago attended an Irish porter, laid by with the fever, on leaving him one fine morning when he become convalescent, advised him if he could muster strength to take a walk round a neighboring square. Calling the next day, the doctor inquired if his last prescription had been followed. 'Not exactly, doctor,' was the patient's reply, 'though almost. Finding I haden't strength to walk away round the square, *I went half round and back again, ye see!*'

CHANCELLOR KENT.—We meet the following in the Cleveland True Democrat. Whether true or not, it is truly characteristic of the brisk, quick spoken and humorous old jurist:

POCKETING AN INSULT.—Nicholas Biddle, when President of the U. S. Bank, obtained the opinion of Chancellor Kent on some important point of law, for which the Chancellor charged a fee of $100. 'That is not enough, Judge,' said Mr. B.' here are $200 and your services are cheap enough at that.' 'How is this?' said the Chancellor, 'do you think I do not know the value of my own opinion? You have insulted me, sir, *insulted* me; but on the whole I guess *I'll pocket the insult,*' and very quietly put the money in his pocket.

GOING OVER TO THE ENEMY.—The London Herald relates an anecdote of a poor Irish woman who kept a small fruit store in the vicinity of Covent Garden, and who seems to have had her own understanding of the motto—"*Of two evils choose the least.*" Being asked by a gentleman who purchased some fruit from her 'how trade was, she replied—

'Och, yer honor, I'm sure it's bad enough: it's myself that's thinking of givin' it up, and goin' over to the famine!'

"Where did you obtain those *skeletons,* Dr. Bubs?" "I raised 'em!"

Medicines.

VALUABLE VEGETABLE REMEDY.

DR. SWAYNE'S
Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry

THE ORIGINAL AND GENUINE PREPARATION!

Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Liver Complaint, Spitting Blood, Difficulty of Breathing, Pain in the Side and Breast, Palpitation of the Heart, Influenza, Croup, Broken Constitution, Sore Throat, Nervous Debility, and all Diseases of the Throat, Breast, and Lungs; the most effectual and speedy cure ever known for any of the above diseases, is

DR. SWAYNE'S COMPOUND SYRUP OF WILD CHERRY.

LETTER FROM THE REV. R. JACKSON. Formerly pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, New York.

CINCINNATI, FEB. 15, 1846.

DR. SWAYNE—Dear Sir:—Permit me to take the liberty of writing to you at this time, to express approbation, and recommend to the attention of families and others your valuable medicine—your Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry. In my travels of late, I have seen in a great many instances, the wonderful effects of your medicine in relieving children of very obstinate complaints, such as coughing, wheezing, choking with phlegm, asthmatic attacks, &c. I should not have written this letter, however, however at present, although I have felt it my duty to add my testimony to it for some time, had it not been for a late instance where the medicine above alluded to was instrumental in restoring to perfect health an only child, whose case was almost hopeless, in a family of my acquaintance. 'I thank heaven," said a doting mother, "my child is saved from the jaws of death."

Beyond all doubt, Dr. Swayne's Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry is the most valuable medicine in this or any other country. I am certain I have witnessed more than one hundred cases where it has been attended with complete success. I have used it myself in an obstinate attack of Bronchitis, in which it proved effectual in an exceedingly short time, considering the severity of the case. I can recommend it in the fullest confidence of its superior virtues. I would advise that no family should be without it; is very pleasant, and always beneficial; worth double and often ten times its price. The public are assured there is no quackery about it.

R. JACKSON, D. D. formerly Pastor of the First Presbyterian Church New York.

Thousands of letters such as the above can be shown testifying to the good effects of this valuable remedy, in curing Consumption, coughs, colds, asthma liver complaint spitting of blood, nervous debility pain in the side and breast, and all diseases of the lungs.

Reader! are you suffering from a cold or disease of the lungs? Try this remedy! you will not, perhaps, regret it. It will arrest all those disagreeable symptoms which strikes so much terror to the mind, and prolong your days; beware of all preparations purporting to contain Wild Cherry, except that bearing the signature of Dr. H. Swane, on the outside wrapper of each bottle, as they are not quite likely destitute of the article from which they borrow a name.

Prepared only by Dr. H. SWANE, corner of EIGHTH and RACE Streets, Philada.

READ THE TESTIMONY.

PHILADELPHIA, September 4th, 1846.

Dr. H. Swayne:—Dear Sir:—Being for a length of time afflicted with a very violent cough, with a pain in my side and breast, soreness of the lungs, shortness of breath, loss of appetite, night sweats, &c. I made trial of various remedies, which were recommended highly in the papers, but gradually grew worse. The violence of my cough was such, that the blood rushed profusely from my nostrils when the paroxysms of coughing came upon me. Indeed my whole system seemed prostrated, and the hour of my departure seemed close at hand.

At this time you recommended the use of your COMPOUND SYRUP OF WILD CHERRY, which immediately began to soothe, comfort, and allay the violence in my cough, relieved the pain in my side, strengthened and healed my lungs, &c. I continued the use of it, but now, thanks to God, and to the effect of your Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry, I am cured and able to pursue my daily labors.

I think it an invaluable medicine in coughs, colds and disease of the lungs, and one that should be known to all afflicted. If persons would purchase the original and genuine article, as prepared by you, and not tamper with the many spurious and worthless preparations which are attempted to be palmed off on the reputation of yours, it might be the means of saving many valuable lives. I freely offer this statement for the benefit of those who are suffering as I was.

EZEKIEL THOMAS.

In 13th st., 2 doors from the corner of Willow.

Mr. Thomas' case, above alluded to was a very severe one, and his residence is within the reach of all; so any one can call and have the above substantiated by a personal interview.

CAUTION! STRANGERS AND INVALIDS.

Beware of all preparations of Wild Cherry, except Dr. Swayne's Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry, as they are most likely, quite destitute of the very article from which they borrow a name. Dr. Swayne has succeeded in obtaining and concentrating the virtues of the Wild Cherry Tree in such a manner as to constitute one of the most efficacious remedies in diseases of the Lungs, at the same time most pleasant to take, that is known to the medical world. It is unnecessary for us to refer particularly to the many remarkable cures performed by it, or to dwell at length upon the peculiarly healthful properties of the Wild Cherry.—Suffice it to say, that its healing, and at the same time, strengthening qualities are wonderful; and in many instances, persons who had been afflicted for years with consumption, coughs, asthma, liver complaint, spitting blood, nervous debility, and various diseases of the Lungs, have been, by its use, restored to perfect health. Be careful to observe, that each bottle bears the written signature of Dr. Swayne, or you may have a spurious and worthless mixture palmed upon you for the genuine medicines.

Remember! all preparations of Wild Cherry are fictitious and counterfeit, except that prepared by

DR. SWAYNE,
N. W. cor. of Eighth and Race streets, Philada.

Dr. Swayne's Guide to Health, can be obtained gratis.

Only Agents in Pottsville, Pa., are J. G. BROWN, & DANIEL KREBS, C. & J. HUNTZINGER, Schuylkill Haven, H. YOUTS, Orwigsburg, RITTER & Co., Reading, and by Agents in all parts of the United States.

November 28, 1846. 48—

DR. LEDY'S

SARAPARILLA & VEGETABLE BLOOD PILLS

IN consequence of the increasing demand for Dr. Leidy's Blood Pills, and the encouragement by the public in employing them, in preference to all others, the proprietor was obliged to have constructed a machine, which would make them more rapidly and with less labor, consequently less expense than heretofore. Having effected so desirable an object, and that the public may share the benefits of such great improvement in Pill making, his boxes will henceforth contain

FORTY PILLS IN A BOX,

and the price the same as heretofore, namely:—Twenty five cents a Box—five Boxes for One Dollar!

Dr. Leidy's Sarsaparilla and Vegetable Blood Pills have, during the past few years, been more successfully employed throughout the United States, Mexico and the West Indies, than any others, and the rapidly increasing demand for them is unparalleled.

They are the only Pills in existence, known to contain Sarsaparilla in them, the proprietor only knowing how to combine the Sarsaparilla with other substances in form of pills,

IF PILLS ARE NECESSARY

for purging or cleansing the stomach and bowels, for purifying the blood or fluids of the body, as an alternative for removing the causes of disease and arresting its progress, and as a Spring purifier these pills will be found more effectual than any other.

YOUNG AND OLD, MALE OR FEMALE,

may at all times take them without change of living, restraint from occupation, or fear of taking cold from exposure to all kinds of weather, for they contain no mercury or minerals, which are contained in other pills, and which make other pills so unsafe or dangerous to take, and uncertain in their effects.

PERSONS OF ALL CONSTITUTIONS

whether feeble or debilitated, or of robust and strong constitution, can take them without prostrating or debilitating the system: they operate so easy and gentle, yet effectual, that little inconvenience is caused in taking them.

THEY ARE GOOD AT ALL TIMES,

for all diseases of whatever nature or kind.

Caution is necessary! Be sure at all times to ask for and take no others than Dr. Leidy's Blood Pills. All others by names nearly similar, are spurious, and calculated to deceive; the proprietors of them thinking to sell them on the reputation of the genuine, bona-fide and only true Sarsaparilla and Vegetable Blood Pills of Dr. Leidy.

☞ Beware of such imposition, fraud and trickery.—Touch them not, much less take them, for being manufactured to deceive the public of their money, they will besides deceive the body and your system by their effects.

Remember! 40 Pills in a Box for 25 cents—Five Boxes for One Dollar. [No others contain Forty Pills to the box.]

☞ To be had in Pottsville at JOHN S. C. MARTIN'S Drug Store. Also, at JOHN G. BROWN'S Drug Store.

May 23, 1846. —1y

DR. SCARPA'S ACOUSTIC OIL! THE ONLY CURE FOR DEAFNESS.

DEAFNESS CURED.

Scarpa's Compound Kreusote Acoustic Oil

FOR the cure of Deafness, pains and the discharge of matter, from the ears; also all those disagreeable noises like the buzzing of insects, falling of water, whizzing of steam, &c., which are symptoms of approaching deafness, and also generally attendant with the disease.

HERE is something worth attending to coming as it does from a man so extensively known as is Mr. Graeff both in city and country.

"I hereby certify that from the effects of a severe cold last winter, I became partially deaf, attended with very disagreeable noises like ringing of bells, &c. which gradually increased, until I completely lost the hearing of one ear,—when I was induced to try Scarpa's Acoustic Oil, and am now happy to say, that with the use of one bottle of the above medicine I can hear as well as ever, and all disagreeable noises have entirely disappeared. Any further information respecting my case, will be gladly given, by calling on me at No. 45½ North Fifth street near Race. DANIEL GRAEFF.

Philadelphia, Nov. 11, 1843.

For sale by Mr. B. B. Gumpert, No. 129 North 8. street, Philada.; in Pottsville by JOHN G. BROWN: in Harrisburg by G. GROSS, and in Reading by Mr EARL, where those interested can obtain many interesting certificates of cures.

December 12, 1846 50-1y

OFFICE OF THE
Spring Garden Mutual Insurance Company.

THIS Company having organized according to the provisions of its charter, is now prepared to make Insurances against loss by Fire on the mutual principle, combined with the security of a joint stock capital.—The advantage of this system is, that efficient security is afforded at the lowest rates that the business can be done for, as the whole profits (less an interest not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum on the capital) will be returned to the members of the institution, without their becoming responsible for any of the engagements or liabilities of the Company, further than the premiums actually paid.

The great success which this system has met with wherever it has been introduced, induces the Directors to request the attention of the public to it, confident that it requires but to be understood to be appreciated.

The act of Incorporation, and any explanation in regard to it, may be obtained by applying at the *Office Northwest corner of 6th and Wood sts., or of* B. BANNAN, Pottsville.

CHARLES STOKES, President.
L. KRUMBHAAR, Secretary.

DIRECTORS,

Charles Stokes,	George W. Ash.
Joseph Wood,	Abraham R. Perkins,
Elijah Dallett,	David Rankin,
P. L. Laguerenne,	Walter B. Dick,
Samuel Townsend,	Joseph Parker,

The subscriber has been appointed Agent for the above mentioned Institution, and is prepared to effect Insurances on all descriptions of property at the lowest rates. B. BANNAN.

February 28, 1846. 9—

CHEAP CASH STORE,
IN MARKET STREET.

THE subscriber has just received and is now opening at the New Cheap Cash Store in Market St., second door above Second street, an elegant assortment of FRESH AND SEASONABE GOODS, among which may be found the following, suitable for Ladies' wear.

Black and Mode colored Thibet Shawls,	
Rich Printed Cashmere do,	
Merino do,	
Elegant Lawns and Bareges,	
Dress Silks, &c.,	
Elegant Mous. de Laines,	
Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs,	
Silk and Common Hosiery,	
Ribbons, Laces, &c., &c.,	

A large assortment of White Goods.
DRY GOODS of almost every description,
GROCERIES, a choice assortment.

Also attached to the above establishment is a NEW & FASHIONABLE TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT, under the superintendence of *Mr James McMurney,* where also can be found a large stock of

READY MADE CLOTHING,

And Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, &c., of the best quality which will be made up in the most fashionable and durable manner, warranted to fit, at short notice. The Philadelphia, New York, and Paris quarterly fashions can always be seen at the Store.

Ladies and Gentlemen will find it to their interest to give him a call, feeling confident that he can supply them with all kinds of goods at least 10 per cent. cheaper than they can be purchased at any other establishment in Pottsville, as he sells for cash only.

ROBERT TURNER.
Feb 27, 1847 9-1f

Coal Screens! Coal Screens!!

THE suscriber is extensively engaged in the manufactory of WOVEN WIRE SCREENS upon an improved and entirely new principle, for which he has secured LETTERS PATENT, and which he confidently believes will be found upon trial, superior to every other screen in use for durability and all the qualities of a good screen. They are woven entirely of wire, and can be made with meshes and threads of any required size and strength.

WIRE WEAVING OF EVERY DESCRIPTION will be executed at the shortest notice, and screens made to every pattern, adapted to all the uses for which screens are required.

☞ The subscriber has recently removed his establishment to Coal Street, near the corner of Norwegian street. HENRY JENKINS.

Pottsville, April 4 1846 14-

A CARD.

DR. FREDERICK SPECK, takes this method to announce to the citizens of Tremont and vicinity, that he is prepared to engage in the practice of his profession in all its branches, and at the same time, respectfully solicite a share of their patronage:

He can be found at Hipple's Hotel, in Tremont.
Tremont, May 15th, 1847. 20—1y

Life Insurance.

THE GIRARD LIFE INSURANCE, ANNUITY & TRUST CO., OF PHILADA.
OFFICE 159 CHESNUT ST.

MAKE Insurance on Lives, grant Annuities and Endowments, and receive and execute trusts.

Rate for insuring $100 on a single life.

Age	For 1 year.	For 7 years. annually.	For Life. annually.
20	0 91	0 95	1 77
30	1 31	1 35	2 36
40	1 69	1 83	3 20
50	1 99	2 09	4 60
60	4 35	4 91	7 00

EXAMPLE:—A person aged 30 years next birth-day, by paying the Company $1 31, would secure to his family or heirs $100, should he die in one year; or for $13 10 he secures to them $1000; or for $13 60 annually for 7 years; he secures to them 1000 should he die in 7 years; or for $23 60 paid annually during life he provides for them 1000 whenever he dies; for $65 50 they would receive $5000 should he die in one year.

JANUARY 20, 1815.

THE Managers of this Company, at a meeting held on the 27th December ult., agreeably to the design referred in the original prospectus or circular of the Company, appropriated a Bonus or addition to all policies for the whole of life, remaining in force, that were issued prior to the 1st of January, 1842. Those of them therefore which were issued in the year 1836, will be entitled to 10 per cent upon the sum insured, making an addition of $100 on every $1000. That is $1100, will be paid when the policy becomes a claim instead of the $1000 originally insured. Those policies that were issued in 1837 will be entitled to 8½ per cent, or $85 50 on every $1000. And those issued in 1838, will be entitled to 7½ per cent, or $75 on every 100, and in ratable proportions on all said policies issued prior to 1st of January, 1842.

The Bonus will be credited to each policy on the books endorsed on presentation at the Office.

It is the design of the Company, to continue to make addition or bonus to the policies for life at stated periods.

B. W. RICHARDS, President.

JOHN F. JAMES, Actuary.

☞ The subscriber has been appointed Agent for the above Institution, and is prepared effect Insurances on divs, at the published rates, and give any information desired on the subject, on application at this office.

BENJAMIN BANNAN.

Pottsville Feb. 8th, 5—

NATIONAL LOAN FUND
LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY of LONDON
Empowered by Act of Parliament.

CAPITAL £500,000 STG.

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For the New York Branch, J. L. Star, 74 Wall st. New York; for the New England Branch, E. A. Grattan, Merchant's Exchange, Boston; for Maryland and Washington Branch, D. McIlvain, German st. Baltimore; for the other Branches, Wm. Peter, 68 south 4th street Philadelphia.

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SOLICITORS.—W. Van. Hook, New York; F. Dexter, Boston; J. M. Campbell, Baltimore, Wm W. Hacker, Philadelphia.

This institution, founded on the Mutual Safety and Joint Stock principle, and embracing all the recent improvements in the science of Life Insurance, after having experienced the most marked success in Europe, has established offices in British America and various parts of the United States, where its principles are winning equal favour and approval.—Amongst the many advantages which it offers to all persons wishing to insure their lives, are 1st—its PERFECT SECURITY, arising from a large paid up and safely invested capital; 2d—its moderate rates of premium; 3rd—the participation of all profits by the insured, which (as the business of the Society in Great Britain and elsewhere, has become very extensive,) is of the utmost benefit and importance; 4th—the use given to the Assured of two thirds of the amount of their former payments, whenever required—thus obviating the objections against Life Insurances with those whose incomes are precarious, and who might dread the possibility of being in arrear with their premiums, and of thereby forfeiting their previous payments.

Pamphlets containing the Society's rates and every other information, may be obtained on application to the Agent, at No. 68 south Fourth street, Philadelphia, of Charles De Forest, West Branch Valley, and at the office of the Miners' Journal, Pottsville

June 28th 26—

Fire Insurance.

INDEMNITY AGAINST LOSS BY FIRE
The Franklin Insurance Co.,
OF PHILADELPHIA,
Capital $400,000, Paid in
Charter Perpetual,

CONTINUE to make Insurance, permanent and limited, on every description of property, in town and country on the usual favorable terms. Office 163 *Chestnut Street* near fifth Street.

CHARLES N. BANCKER, President.

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Tobias Wagner,	*Mordecai D. Lewis*

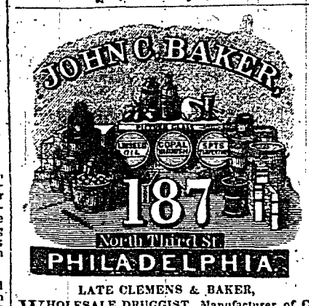
CHARLES G. BANCKER, Sec'y.

The subscriber has been appointed agent for the above mentioned institution, and is now prepared to make insurance, on every description of property, at the lowest rates.

ANDREW RUSSEL.

Pottsvill, June 19, 1841. 25—1y

Philadelphia.



LATE CLEMENS & BAKER,

WHOLESALE DRUGGIST, Manufacturer of Copal Varnish, sole Agent for the Franklin Glass Works. Having been long engaged in the manufacture of Copal Varnish, (as well as other kinds,) is now prepared to offer to purchasers an article which in quality, cannot be surpassed by any in the Union. Also, receiving weekly from the above celebrated Works, Window Glass of every size. Constantly on hand a full assortment of White Lead, of the most approved brands, Red Lead, Litharge, Saxony Magnesia, &c., which will be sold at Manufacturer's prices, together with a large and well selected stock of Drugs, Medicines, Dyes, Acids, Fine Colors, Perfumery, &c., in short every article in the Drug line. Merchants, Physicians and Dealers in general, are requested to call and examine the stock and prices, feeling satisfied they will be induced to purchase.

Philada., February 14, 1846. 7-1y

TO CAPITALISTS & OTHERS.

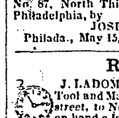
Pennsylvania Coal & Iron Lands, For Sale.

1671 ACRES 19 Perches and allowance of 6 per cent. of first rate farming Lands, located in Jenks Township, Jefferson county, finely Timbered and Watered, and having several Mill sites upon them. Two main roads run through the lands, and improved Farms adjoin, while Saw and Grist Mills are in the immediate neighborhood. This land was selected by a gentleman of experienced judgment, and is considered by judges to be one of the best tracts in the county. Its proximity to the Clarion and Allegheny rivers, and numerous navigable streams, and the proposed Railroad to Pittsburg and Erie, renders it highly desirable as an investment at present prices.

Abounding in Iron Ore and Bituminous Coal of fine quality, it is believed to present one of the most advantageous locations for Iron Works in West Pennsylvania. The present owner purchased with a view of erecting such Works, but engagements in another quarter obliges him with great reluctance to forego his intention. Maps will be shown, and every information given by the undersigned. The lands are patented, and the titles and quality will be warranted, and sold free and clear of all incumbrance.

R. SHEAFF SMITH,
15 North Thirteenth street.

Philadelphia January 3, 1846. 1—



CHEAP WATCHES & JEWELRY

AT THE PHILADELPHIA WATCH & JEWELRY STORE,

No. 96 North Second Street, corner of Quarry.

GOLD Lever watches, full jewel'd, 18 car.

cases,	$45 00
Silver Lever Watches, full jewelled,	23 00
Silver Lever Watches, 7 jewels,	18 00
Silver Lepine Watches jewel'd, 1st quality,	14 00
Superior Quartier Watches,	10 00
Imitation Quartier Watches, not warranted,	5 00
Gold Spectacles,	8 00
Fine Silver Spectacles,	1 75
Gold Bracelets, with Topaz stones,	3 50
Ladies' Gold Pencils, 16 carats,	2 00
Gold Finger Rings, 37½ cts, to $8; Watch Glasses, plain 12½ cts., patent 18¾, lunet 25.	

Other articles in proportion. All goods warranted to be what they are sold for. O. CONRAD.

On hand, some Gold and Silver Levers, 2 Lepine and Quarters, lower than the above prices.

Dec 5, 1846 49-1y

ATTENTION!!
MILITARY STORE.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform his friends and customers, that he has located his MILITARY CAP MANUFACTORY In Third street, No. 96, a few doors below Race, where he would be pleased to see his old customers, and as many new ones as are disposed to favor him with their custom. He still continues to manufacture Military and Sportmen's articles of every description, such as Leather, Cloth, Felt, Silk and Beaver Dress Caps, of all patterns; Forage Caps, Holsters for Troop, Body do, Cartrouch Boxes, Bayonet Scabbards, Sword Belts of all kinds, Canteens, Knapsacks, different patterns; Fife Buckles, Passing Boxes, Tube do, Brushes and Pickers, Plumes, Pompoons, Firemen's Caps, Leather Stocks, Gun Cases, superior quality Shot Bags, Game Bags, Drums, &c.

☞ Orders thankfully received and promptly attended to WM. CRESSMAN,

No. 96, North 3d st, a few doors below Race.
Philada., January 12th, 1844 2—

HOVER'S FIRST PREMIUM WRITING INK.

FROM Dr. Hare, the celebrated Professor of Chemistry in the University of Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 11, 1843.

"Dear Sir:—Having tried your ink, I will thank you to send me another bottle, as I find it to be excellent

"I am yours truly, "ROB'T HARE."

From Dr. Locke, of Cincinnati, distinguished for his numerous scientific researches.

"MEDICAL COLLEGE OF OHIO, CINCINNATI, January 17, 1844.

"Having used Mr. Hover's Writing Ink, I am satisfied that it is the *best* which has ever come to my knowledge, and especially is it *excellent* for the use of the *Steel Pens, and will not corrode* them, even in long use JOHN LOCKE, Prof. of Chemistry."

HOVER'S ADAMANTINE CEMENT.

From a well known scientific gentleman.

"PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 27, 1846.

"Mr. Joseph E. Hover:—Sir:—A use of your cement, and some practical *tests* of its superiority, has induced me to recommend it to others as an invaluable article for mending China, Glass, or Cabinet ware.

"CALPBELL MORFIT, Analytic Chemist."

For sale, wholesale and retail, at the manufactory, No. 87, North Third street, opposite Cherry street, Philadelphia, by

JOSEPH E. HOVER, Manufacturer.
Philada., May 15, 1847 20—

REMOVAL.

J. LADOMUS has removed his Watch, Watch-Tool and Material Store, from No. 33, South 4th street, to No. 246, Market street, where he has on hand a large assortment of Gold and Silver Lever, L'Epines, and Plain Watches, with a complete assortment of tools and materials, such as Lunette, Patent, and Plain Glasses, Main Springs, Verges, Hand Dials, etc., of every description, to which he has added a complete and splendid assortment of JEWELRY, consisting of Ear Rings, Finger Rings, Breast Pins, Bracelets, Gold Chains, Keys, etc., which he will guarantee to sell at the lowest New York prices, wholesale and retail.

N. B.—Country Merchants and others visiting the city are invited to call and examine his stock and large assortment at No. 246, Market street, below Eighth, south side. Orders from the country promptly attended to.

☞ A large assortment of Gold Pens, at reduced prices.

Philada., May 22, 1847 21—6m

Temperance Grocery Store.

JAMES S. SPENCER & Co., Wholesale and Retail Grocers, S. W. corner of Second and South streets, Philadelphia, have constantly on hand, and for sale, an extensive assortment of Groceries of all descriptions (EXCEPT LIQUORS) Flour, Provisions, and Fish, which they offer at as low prices as they can be purchased at in the city. The attention of Country dealers and families is particularly requested to their stock of Teas, Coffees, and Sugars. Goods purchased, delivered at any point in the city free of all expense.

Phila., April 3, 1847 14-6m

PASCAL IRON WORKS,
PHILADELPHIA.

WELDED Wrought Iron Flues, Suitable for Locomotives, Marine and other Steam Engine Boilers, from 2 to 5 inches in diameter. Also, Pipes for Gas Steam and other purposes; extra strong Tubes for Hydraulic Presses; Hollow Pistons for Pumps of Steam Engines &c. Manufured and for sale by

MORRIS, TASKER & MORRIS,
Warehouse S. E. corner 2d and Walnut sts., Philada.

Philada Nov. 22d 1845 47—

To Machinists and others.

PLATT'S universal Chuch, all sizes, from 6 to 20 inches; Salter's Spring Balances, made expressly for Steam Engines, 80, 50 and 24 pounds. Platform and Counter Scales, more than 56 different sizes and patterns. For sale wholesale and retail at the lowest manufacturer's prices, at No. 31 Walnut street, by

GRAY & BROTHER.
Philadelphia, Feb. 7, 1846. 6—

JUNIATA BOILER IRON.

55 TONS assorted boiler iron, Nos. 3, 4 and 5 of widths of 26, 32, and 36 inches and random lengths,

A. & G. RALSTON,
4, South Front st, Philada.

Philada., July 11, 1846 28—

Safety Fuse.

FOR blasting rocks, is perfectly safe, and the only article which the engineers on the Erie Canal permitted to be used, for sale at BANNAN'S

May 15—20 *Book and Stationery Store.*

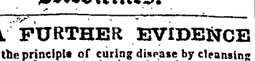
Gold Pens $1 75.

A GOOD article of Gold Pens, as low as $1 75, made by Levi Brown, the original inventor. Also, pens at only $1 25, just received and for sale at BANNAN'S Cheap Stationery Store, where all kinds of goods, in his line can be had wholesale and retail, at Philadelphia prices. May 8 19

The Business Man's Assistant,

CONTAINING a variety of practical and useful rules, tables, forms, &c., illustrated by a variety of examples, the whole designed to assist the accountant and to facilitate the instruction of the illiterate—a very valuable book, at only 12½ cents, just published and for sale at BANNAN'S Book-store. Apr 24 17-

COLLIERY WORKS,



FOUNDRY & MACHINE SHOP.

THE subscribers, at their old stand, corner of Rail Road and Callowhill streets, are prepared to manufacture to order, at the shortest notice, *Steam Engines* and *Pumps*, of any power and capacity for mining and other purposes, *Battin's Coal Breaking Machines*, with solid and perforated rollers, as may be required.

Also *Engines* and *Blowing Cylinders* with all necessary machinery for *Blast Furnaces. Hot Air Pipes*, of the most approved plans, Cup and Ball joints and *Water Tuyers*, of the very best construction. They particularly invite the attention of Iron Masters and parties engaged in the Iron trade, to their large stock of *Patterns* for *Rolling Mills*, having lately constructed the machinery for two of the largest Mills in the country, viz:—The Wyoming Mill at Wilkesbarre, and the Rolling Mill at the Montour Iron Works, Danville. They are fully prepared for this kind of work, together with every variety of general machinery. Of the quality of their work and materials, it is enough to say, that *time* and *experience*, the most infallible tests, have amply demonstrated the genuine character of their engines and machinery.

Orders are respectfully solicited and will be promptly attended to. HAYWOOD & SNYDER.

Pottsville, January, 17, 1846. 3-1y

A CARD.

DR. G. W. KNOBEL,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,

RESPECTFULLY announces to the citizens of Pottsville and vicinity, that he has located himself in this place for the purpose of pursuing the practice of his profession.

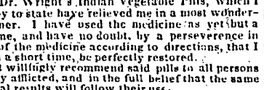
His office will be in the room formerly occupied by E. N. Carvalho, as a Book store, in Market street, above Centre.

He can be consulted at Kempton's Drug store in Port Carbon, every morning between the hours of 10 and 12 o'clock.

REFERENCES:—John G. Brown and Andrew Russel, Pottsville.

April 10, 1847 15-1y

POTTSVILLE IRON WORKS.

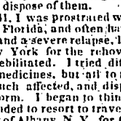


E. W. McGINNIS,

REPETFULLY announces to the Public, that he has taken the Establishment known as the Pottsville Iron Works, on, Norwegian street, where he is prepared to build all kinds of Steam Engines, manufacture Rail Road Cars, and Machinery of almost every description, at the shortest notice, and on the most reasonable terms.

☞ Persons from abroad, in want of Steam Engines will find it to their advantage to give him a call before engaging elsewhere. May 11

Farm for Sale.



THE subscriber will sell a valuable farm, consisting of 170 acres, situated in Pinegrove township, Schuylkill county, about 4 miles below Pinegrove. About 80 acres of the land is cleared, and in a state of cultivation, ten of which is in meadow. The balance is woodland, well timbered. The Union Canal runs through the property. The buildings consist of a two storydwelling house, a new Switzer barn, and other out buildings. There are two orchards on the farm, and an abundant supply of good water on the premises close by the buildings. There are fifteen acres of winter grain in the ground. For terms and other particulars, apply to the subscriber in Pinegrove.

PETER FILBERT.
October 10, 1846 41-tf

Tamaqua Iron Works.