Miners' Journal.

POTTSVILLE.

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TAMAQUA.

☞ Mr. E. J. Fay is authorised to receive subscriptions for the Miners' Journal, and receipt for the same, at his Drug store, in Tamaqua.

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At his Real Estate and Coal Agencies,
Corner of Third & Chesnut Streets, Philadelphia,
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No. 15, State Street, Boston, and
South east corner of Baltimore, & Calvert Streets, Baltimore, is our Agent for receiving subscriptions and advertisements for the Miners' Journal.

☞ The circulation of the Miners' Journal is greater than any other paper published in Northern Pennsylvania, and has nearly double the circulation of any other paper published in Schuylkill county. It also circulates largely among capitalists, manufacturers, iron and coal dealers, throughout the Atlantic and Eastern States.

THE PROTECTIVE POLICY OF THE COUNTRY!
The People Demand its Restoration!

For President.
General ZACHARY TAYLOR;
Subject to the Decision of the Whig National Convention

Democratic Whig County Meeting.

The County Committee invite the Democratic Whigs of Schuylkill county to assemble in County Meeting, at the Court House in the borough of Orwigsburg, on *Monday, the 6th of March* next, (Court week,) at 1 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of, appointing delegates to the State Convention to be held at Harrisburg, on the 15th of March, and also to appoint conferees to meet those from Dauphin and Lebanon counties, to select a delegate to the National Convention, and transact such other business as may be deemed necessary in the present alarming state of the country.

It is earnestly requested that the Democratic Whigs should turn out that there may be a full and free interchange of sentiments on the public measures of the day from all sections of the county. British Free Trade, the offspring of Locofoco ascendency, is unfortunately saddled upon the country, and its desolating effects are witnessed in our idle collieries, deserted work shops, and the lowness of wages which threaten the laboring classes of the country.

C. W. Pitman, Jacob Kline,
John Reed, James H. Graeff,
Daniel B. Keesher, John W. Heffner,
George Kaufman, John Provost,
Joseph Bressler, John Bolto, Jr.
County Standing Committee.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

We have received the proceedings of two meetings held on Wednesday last in Minersville, which, together with the communications on the subject, we are compelled to omit in the present number from the want of room. They referred to the question of the proposed new Railway, and as this subject has for the last three weeks engrossed the greater portion of our paper, and there appears to be no abatement of the demand for our columns, we shall hereafter be compelled to admit only advertisements all articles treating on that subject—more particularly as nearly all that can be said, *pro* or *con*, has already been expressed through our columns.

We are reluctantly compelled to omit the favor of our friend, *Mount Carbon*, on account of its great length.

Several communications, which we have not yet had time to examine, will receive our attention next week.

We would direct the attention of our readers to the communications of correspondents in the present number.

We are compelled to omit an interesting Biography of the late Mr. Adams, together with a collation of incidents attending his death and burial. We may, possibly, give them in our next.

INTERESTING LECTURES.

The Rt. Rev. Alonzo Potter, Bishop of this Diocese, delivered a Lecture in and for the benefit of the new Episcopal Church of this Boreugh, on Thursday evening last. The weather which, late in the afternoon, became somewhat inclement, prevented many from venturing out, and the attendandance therefore, though quite respectable in number, was still not so large as it should have been. Of the Lecture it would be mere supererogation to speak, unless we were to recount the sentiments expounded, which we are unfortunately unable to do, not having been able to *hear*, distinctly, one-half of the interesting discourse, on account of the *reverberation* or echo of the speaker's voice, which was as clear and deep-toned as any that was ever sent forth. We regard this as a serious defect in the building, and hope that it may not remain with it when fully completed. David Paul Brown, Esq. the eminent lawyer of Philadelphia, and known throughout the Union as one of the able st orators in this country, will deliver a Lecture at the same place, on Thursday evening next. The price of admission will be 25 cents. Tickets should be procured in season, for we shall be much mistaken if the fame of the celebrated lecturer does not create an unusual demand for them.

HENRY CLAY IN PHILADELPHIA.

Mr. Clay is still in Philadelphia. The enthusiasm of the people whenever and wherever he appears among them, is extraordinary. During the present week he has been kept constantly busy in making calls, and exchanging salutations with old friends. Committees from nearly every town and City in the State, have poured into Philadelphia, inviting him to visit their respective localities. Among others who thus waited upon him, was a delegation of our citizens, who enjoyed an hour's uninterrupted conversation with the distinguished man. He assured them of the great desire he entertained to visit the Coal Region, and spoke very intelligently of its resources and characteristics, adding that the season was unfavorable to inspect satisfactorily the mining operations, &c. and that if it would ever be his fortune again to visit the North, he would certainly 'call and see us.'

He will leave on Monday or Tuesday next, for New York, where he will remain but a day or two. His visit to Philadelphia, we may add, was purely of a business nature, and he has been detained much longer than he expected.

WILLIAMSPORT AND ELMIRA RAILROAD.

There is a great anxiety among the friends of internal improvement, to connect our Pennsylvania improvements with the New York and Erie Railroad at Elmira. This can be done by completing the Williamsport and Elmira Railroad, 25 miles of which have been in operation some years, through the most costly and difficult part of the way. About 52 miles remain to be completed. This county and its mining and manufacturing interests, would be greatly benefited by a direct communication with the western part of New York and with the Great Lakes. But it suppose that the Williamsport and Elmira Road is encumbered with debts to a much greater amount than the works already constructed would now sell for, and the stock is hopelessly lost. No capitalist will advance funds, to complete the road while it is thus incumbered. The remedy is obvious. There should be a Sheriff's sale of the Road. A bill for this purpose passed the Senate at two successive Legislatures, but through the influence of private interests was defeated each time in the Lower House. It is hoped that our members will give this important subject their attention. If the present stockholders cannot complete the road, they ought not to prevent others from expending money in completing a work so important to the interests of Pennsylvania. The rapid progress of the New York and Erie Railroad brings up the measure of connection as one of the highest importance.

WHIG COUNTY MEETING.

The Whigs of Schuylkill County will assemble in County Convention, at Orwigsburg, on Monday next. The circumstances which call them together are interesting and unusually important. Delegates to the Whig State Convention, to meet at Harrisburg on the 15th inst., will be appointed, and also conferees to meet others appointed from this Congressional district, who are to appoint a Delegate to the Whig National Convention.—These things are important, and especially so at this particular juncture, when the whole country is beginning to groan under the effects of locofoco free trade.

LECTURES.

If we have been without snow, during the present winter, and thereby denied those amusements which are its certain concomitants;—if business has been usually inactive, and every body proportionately dull—we have had at least, one source of pleasure and recreation for the winter night, enjoyed in few other Boroughs. We have from the commencement of the winter been feasting on the choicest productions of some of the most eminent public men—Poets, Divines, Lawyers, Doctors, Editors,—meeting them sometimes in the church, and sometimes in the "Senate House," in evening *soiree*, where "venerable statesmen" "Mingle with their *friendly* bowl,
The feast of reason and the flow of soul!"

We have had Judge Barton, Joseph R. Chandler, E. Joy Morris, Prof. John Hart, Dr. McMurtrie, J. Bayard Taylor, and others—to say nothing of the *series* delivered before the Senate by members of that body, which in point of actual interest, we are proud to say, would, with perhaps an exception or two, favorably compare with any yet delivered in our borough.

The lecture of Rev. Mr. Stuckey, before the Senate, (which we forgot to announce last week,) was a very fine production; the effect of which was heightened by an almost faultless declamation. The Lecturer was complimented with an unusually large attendance of ladies and gentlemen,—a compliment which his fine talents and high personal worth eminently deserved.

The next Lecture before the Senate, will be delivered by Dr. Whitney. This will occur on *Wednesday* evening, instead of Tuesday, as announced at the last meeting.

PATRICK MORAN.

This person, who is under sentence of death for murder, last week escaped from the custody of the Sheriff of this County, by breaking through the walls of the prison, and disengaging himself through some acquired means, from his manacles. No intelligence of his whereabouts has yet come to hand, though a reward of two hundred dollars is offered by the Sheriff for his arrest. He is about 5 feet 7 inches in height; stoutly built; broad shoulders; rather short neck; dark hair and whiskers; fresh face and rather healthy appearance and carriage. He is about twenty-two years of age; is a native of Ireland, and speaks the English language very well. He had on when he escaped, a black frock-coat; black satin vest; dark pantaloons; a fur hat, &c. &c.

SCHUYLKILL NAVIGATION.

Water was admitted into the several levels of the Schuylkill Canal, on the 1st instant, between Port Carbon and Althouse's, (31 miles from the head of the works) and by to-morrow (Sunday.) the whole of that part of the line will be in navigable order. The canals near Reading still need some repairing, and the opening of Navigation in that quarter will be delayed about a week longer. By the 15th inst. boats may pass with full loads throughout the whole line.

The small quantities of ice at several points, which may for a few days interfere with the boats, will be broken and thrown out of the way.

KENTUCKY DELEGATES.

The Philadelphia *Inquirer*, and other Journals, state that the delegates to the National Convention, from Virginia and Kentucky, have been instructed to vote for General Taylor. This is a mistake. Those from Kentucky will vote for Mr. Clay or the General, as they think proper—no instructions having been given them. Those from Virginia, too, can do as they please—and in both delegations there are friends of each of these eminent men.

REMOVAL BILL PASSED!

The Bill to remove the seat of justice of this County from Orwigsburg to Pottsville, has finally passed the Legislature, and ere this has no doubt received the signature of the Governor. We therefore congratulate the citizens of our County on the result, and hope that whatever unkindness may have been engendered between parties during the agitation of the question before the people, may now "in the deep cavern of some coal-pit be buried!"

THE TREATY OF PEACE.

The Senate has not yet disposed of the Treaty of Peace—though four or five days have been devoted to its consideration. The papers are full of rumors regarding their disposal of it—it being sometimes believed that it will be ratified, and again that it will be refused. We shall see what is to be done with it, in a few days more.

OUR TABLE.

Books, magazines, and papers of all kinds, have been suffered to accumulate for several weeks past, and we propose next week to give some of them a passing notice. We cannot do it this week.

HANDSOME COMPLIMENT.

The Coal Dealers of Port Richmond, the Delaware terminus of the Reading Railroad, have presented to Mr. M. S. Buckley, the agent for the Company there, a handsome service of silver as an acknowledgement of his business services.

SUDDEN DEATH.

On Tuesday last, Mr. John Stall, an aged and respectable citizen of this Borough, who appeared to be in the enjoyment of excellent health, whilst eating a piece of pie, fell over very suddenly, and expired in a few minutes.

☞ PAYMENT OF INTEREST.

The Schuylkill Navigation will be prepared to pay in full, on Monday next, the interest on their mortgage loan.

Small Talk.

☞ *Bad far Fortune Tellers.*—A bill has been reported in the Senate of this State, to repress the business of fortune-telling. It makes this time-honored and venerable profession, an indictable offence, and subjects all who practice it, upon conviction, to fine and imprisonment.

☞ *More of the "Blessings."*—The Rolling Mill at South Wilkesbarre closed its operations last week—the proprietors not feeling able to carry on the business at the present prices of iron, and the labor in manufacturing it. So we go! Who next?

☞ *Foolish Notion.*—A village school teacher, who committed suicide near N. Orleans, lately, by hanging himself, might have been saved by a person who discovered him while yet the body was warm, but that he thought he must go for a coroner first.

☞ *My Esteemed Sir.*—A man should take care to show himself affable and courteous to his domestics, for by his behavior he makes their conduct more supportable to them. It is purely the effect of fortune that they are so low, and that we are above them.

☞ *Death's Doings.*—When the Cameron Guards left Pittsburg for Mexico, they numbered ninety-four officers and men. Now there are but twenty-four men fit for duty. "O war! war! thou false baptized!"

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☞ *The Greek Slave* will remain one week longer at Washington, when it will go to Baltimore, and thence to Philadelphia. It is a great work—by *the Powers!*

☞ *His Whereabouts.*—At the last accounts, Hutchinson, the Mint defaulter of Philadelphia, was in the island of St. Thomas. He intended extending his trip to Port au Prince.

☞ *South Carolina* is showing her hands.—Her public men and public journals are coming out, one after the other, for Gen. Taylor for the Presidency.

☞ *It is Hinted* that Col. Fremont is to be made a Brigadier General in case of the passage of the ten Regiment bill. If we are to have peace, what is to be done with the ten Regiments!

☞ *Gen. Z. Taylor* was recently confined to his room by an attack of sickness. He however, conquered the enemy, after a siege of two or three days, and now he is about again.

☞ *Our Public Works.*—The Canal Commissioners give notice that all the public works of the State will be open for navigation by the 15th inst.

☞ *Delegate Appointed.*—The Whigs of Berks County have appointed Dr. D. Luther of Reading, to represent them in the National Convention. He is uninstructed, we believe.

☞ *Cassius M. Clay* is delivering Lectures in Baltimore, on Mexico. The people of Uncle Sam's dominions have been pretty well lectured, by sword and tongue, relative to that country.

☞ *A Lucky Sawyer.*—Hon. Wm. Sawyer, of Ohio, of (Sausage memory!) has been appointed Minister to Bagota. He should have been sent to *Ham*-burg or *Bologna*.

☞ *Curious Circumstance.*—When the cholera was in England, sixteen years ago, there was not a single thunder-storm during the whole visitation, although it was a hot summer.

☞ *The American Institute* of New York propose establishing an Agricultural College and experimental farm. It would be a good and useful feature in that Institution.

☞ *The Supreme Court* of the United States has decided, in the celebrated Dorr rebellion case of Rhode Island, against the Dorrites, and in favor of the law and order party.

☞ *Dr. Joseph Randolph,*—for many years an eminent Surgeon in the Pennsylvania Hospital, expired at his residence in Philadelphia, on Tuesday last.

☞ *Pa. and Ohio Railroad.*—The act incorporating the Pennsylvania and Ohio Railroad Company have succeeded in melting copper ore with anthracite coal in a manner which produces much better results than the old method.

☞ *The Combined Wisdom* of the great locofoco party of this State, will be represented in State Convention, this day, at Harrisburg.

☞ *Gulling Names.*—The New York *Globe* calls the true *Sun* (the new organ of the Brandreth portion of the locofoco party) the "*pill box!*"

☞ *The Ohio Legislature* promised to adjourn on the 25th ult. our Legislature pretend that they will adjourn about the 15th inst.

☞ *A Manly Candidate.*—The Whigs of North Carolina have nominated Charles Manly as their candidate for Governor of that State.

☞ *Concerning Widows.*—Why are these interesting creatures like a broken glass? Because they need *repairing!*

☞ *The Mad-dog Fever*, or more properly, hydrophobia among the dogs, still rages in Philadelphia.

☞ *The Methodists*, in New Orleans, have finished a church edifice at a cost of 62,000 dollars.

☞ *The Locofocos* of Rhode Island have nominated for Geovernor Adnah Lacket.

☞ *Rev. J. N. Maffit*, the eloquent, is preaching away in Little Rock, Arkansas.

☞ *A Grand Fancy Ball* will come off on Monday evening next, at the Astor Opera House, New York.

The Coal Trade for 1848.

☞ Amount of Coal sent over the Philadelphia and Reading Rail Road, for the week ending on Thursday evening last:

	WEEK.	TOTAL.
Port Carbon,	4,812 12	39,663 05
Pottsville,	1,840 12	16,888 03
Schuylkill Haven,	6,465 14	43,813 15
Port Clinton,	1,838 10	12,309 07
	14,977 17	112,779 10

RATES OF TOLL AND TRANSPORTATION ON RAIL ROAD.

	From Mt. Carbon.	Sch. Haven.	Pt. Clinton.
To Philadelphia,	$1 70	$1 60	$1 40
To Richmond,	1 70	1 60	1 40

MINE HILL AND SCHUYLKILL HAVEN R. R.

The following is the amount of Coal transported over this Road, during the week ending on Wednesday evening

Per last report,	6,812 09 tons. 37,433 07 "
Total,	44,285 16 "

WILLIAM NEWELL, Collector.

SCHUYLKILL VALLEY RAIL ROAD.

Amount of coal passed over the Schuylkill Valley Rail Road, for the week ending Saturday evening last:

Per last report,	2,110 18 tons. 10,268 12 "
Total,	12,379 10 "

JESSE TURNER, Collector.

MOUNT CARBON & PORT CARBON RAIL ROAD

Amount of coal passed over the Mount Carbon and Port Carbon Rail Road, for the week ending Saturday evening last.

Per last report,	4,227 12 tons. 32,531 01 "
Total,	36,758 16 "

JESSE TURNER, Collector.

MILL CREEK RAIL ROAD.

Amount of coal passed over the Mill Creek Rail Road for the last six days

Per last report,	3,052 05 tons, 23,068 12 "
Total,	27,020 17 "

GEORGE HADESTY, Collector.

MOUNT CARBON RAIL ROAD.

Amount of Coal transported over the Mount Carbon Rail Road, to Thursday evening last:

Per last report,	2,173 08 tons 17,265 06 "
Total,	19,438 14 "

NATHAN CLEAVER, Collector

HAMS, SHOULDERS, and DRIED BEEF just received and for sale low by
March4-10) LITTLE & MARTIN, Centre street.

STONE WARE.—Just received a small lot of very beautiful STONE WARE. Jugs all sizes from 3 gals., down to 1 qt., Pitchers, do, do, Butter Crocks with lids, a first rate article for making butter sweet and clean, for sale by
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GROUND SPICES—By the keg always on hand and for sale by
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MATCHES AND BLACKING—Always on hand and for sale at low rates by
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LANCASTER COMBS.—The celebrated Lancaster COMBS by the dozen or gross for sale by
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PULVERISED AND CRUSHED SUGAR—Suitable for Hotels and Family use, for sale by
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Country Merchants take Notice!
BRING THIS LIST WITH YOU.
A. Travers & Co.,
84, *Maiden Lane, (late Linton & Travers,)*
OFFER for sale in quantities to suit purchasers,
1,000 R'ms Ruled Cap Paper, a $1 25 to $1 50 p: r'm
2,000 reams Ruled Letter Paper, 1 00 to 1 50 do
10,000 do Wrapping Paper, 75 to 1 00 do
10,000 Rolls of Paper Hangings a 5 cts. to 6 cts. pr p'ce.
5,000 do American Satin do. 12½ " 18 do
5,000 pair of Window Transparent Window Shades, of our own manufacture, beautiful designs and colors, at from $1 00 to $1 50 per pair.
10,000 lbs. of Wool Twine and Wrapping Twine of all kinds, from 12½ to 15 cts. per lb.
We also have other goods in the same proportion, and we guarantee to please you if you will call and see us at 84, Maiden Lane. A. TRAVERS & CO.
New York, March 4, 1848 10-2m

A Card.

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New Firm.

THE subscribers having this day entered into a copartnership for the purpose of transacting a general wholesale and retail business in IRON, GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HAY, FLOUR, and FEED, at the well-known York Store in the borough of Pottsville, would most respectfully beg leave to say that they have now on hand a large and well selected stock of Bar Iron of all descriptions, also Flat Bar and T Rail Road Iron of various sizes, suitable for drifts and lateral roads, which they offer for sale as low as can be had in the County. Also, a fresh stock of Groceries and Provisions constantly on hand at very low prices for cash. Also, Cast, Blister, and Shear Steel, Nails and Spikes, Oils, Flour, Feed, &c., all of which they would respectfully solicit an inspection of by the public, and relying as they do upon a strict attention to business to be able at all times to accommodate their customers.
E. YARDLEY & SON.
P. S.—The subscriber would take this opportunity to return his sincere thanks for the liberal patronage he has heretofore received from his friends and the public generally, and respectfully so lcits a continuance of the same for the new firm.
Pottsville, March4, 1848-10] EDW. YARDLEY.

New Marble Yard
IN POTTSVILLE.

THE subscriber announces to the public that he has opened a MARBLE YARD in Norwegian street, a short distance back of Fox & Mortimer's Hotel, where he intends keeping on hand a large supply of Monuments, Tombs, Grave Stones, Posts, &c., of as good material as any in the city of Philadelphia can produce, and which will be executed in the best mechanical style, and at short notice.

He invites the especial attention of builders and others to call at his Yard, as he intends keeping a supply of Marble for house work, such as Window Sills, Door Sills, Steps, Platforms, &c., of the very best material, both of Marble and Brown Stone.

He has also made arrangements with an extensive Marble Mantel Establishment in Philadelphia, to supply Marble Mantels of every style and pattern, at the lowest city prices. His prices will be regulated accordingly.
March 4, 1848-10-1y] THOMAS C MOORE.

Tobacco! Tobacco!
George W. Hickman & Co.,
48½, *Market Street,*—PHILADELPHIA,

WHOLESALE Dealers in TOBACCO, SNUFF, and SEGARS, offer great inducements to Country Merchants. Their stock consists of the most celebrated brands of Cavendish, Lottier's, and Greenes's 3, 6, and 8 plug, Congress 3 and 6 lump, and all the best brands 1, 2, 5, 8, 16, and 32 lump. Mrs. Milter & Co.'s and Anderson's fine cut Smoking Tobacco, Pipes, Pipe Heads, Spanish, Half Spanish, and American, Segars, all of which they will sell as low, if not lower than any other House in the city. Do not forget to call at 48½, 3 doors below Second street, south side, Philadelphia.
Phila. March 4, 1848 10-3m

Wholesale Clothing Warehouse,
No. 152½, Market Street,(between 4th and 5th,)
PHILADELPHIA.

The subscriber respectfully solicits the attention of Country Merchants and Dealers generally to the examination of a complete stock of READY MADE CLOTHING, which for extent, variety, and workmanship, he flatters himself will give universal satisfaction, while his reduced scale of prices presents to purchasers inducements which cannot be surpassed by any other establishment in the United States.
Phila. March 4, 1848-10-3m] JACOB REED.

A Card.

Little & Martin.

WHOLESALE and Retail Dealers in DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, TEAS, LIQUORS, &c. Store on Centre street, near the corner of Mahontango, to which the attention of the citizens of *town and country* is respectfully solicited.
JOHN L. LITTLE.
Pottsville, March4-10 JOHN S. C. MARTIN.

Wholesale Boot and Shoe Store.
CHEAP FOR CASH.
No. 35, South Third, above Chesnut Street,
PHILADELPHIA.

THE subscriber has established and continues to do an exclusive CASH business, and suffering no losses, he is enabled and determined to sell BOOTS and SHOES by the package or dozen, at lower prices than any other regular Shoe house in this city.

He keeps constantly on hand a good assortment of Men's, Women's and Children's shoes, of Eastern and City manufacture.

Small dealers supplied at the same prices as large ones.

Purchasers will please examine the market thoroughly, and they will find there is no exception to this advertisement. THOMAS L. EVANS,
No. 35, South Third, above Chesnut street,
March 4, 1848-10-6m] Philadelphia.

OIL STORE.—Philadelphia.
3000 Gals. Bleached Winter Elephant Oil.
1897 do Extra White Winter Elephant do.
4750 do Bleached Winter Whale do.
8300 do Refined Common do.
1375 do Bleached Lard Oil.
50 Boxes Sperm Candles.
145 do Colgate's Pearl Starch.
250 do Brown soap, assorted soap.
375 do Mould and Dip Candles.
On hand, in store, and for sale at lowest market prices by
Phila, March 4-10-1m] POMEROY & EMERICK,
No. 10, South Water street, below Market. Oil Dealers.

Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills.
In the City of Mexico! Greatsuccess among the Volunteers! Letter from a High Sheriff of South Carolina! Testimony of the Public Press! Wright's Pills Triumphant!

EXTRACT of a letter from the editor of the Greenville Mountaineer, South Carolina.

Dr. W. Wright.—Dear Sir— * * * A week or two ago I sent you a Mountaineer, containing a letter from one of our Volunteers in the City of Mexico, in which he pays WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS, above all the circumstances, the highest meed of praise I have ever known a medicine to receive. The Volunteer, Wm. W. Goodlett, Esq., is a gentleman of fine standing—an accomplished and well educated man, and was recently HIGH SHERIFF of this District. By one of your advertisements in a Charlestown paper, I happened to notice the location of your office, and thought you might confer some value on your medicine in regard to your medicine, therefore I sent the paper.

The following is an extract from the letter referred to above:

"My health is very fast improving. I procured a few days ago, some of *Dr. Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills*, and they have acted on my system LIKE MAGIC!!"

Thus it appears that the brave and patriotic Volunteers who have gone to Mexico to defend the rights and honor or their country, already begin to realize the extraordinary value of this incomparable medicine. Long life to them!!

OPINIONS OF THE PRESS!

[*From the Delaware Express, Delhi, N. Y.*]

WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS.—Although not particularly friendly to patent medicines, we must confess that we have become a convert to these pills, having had an opportunity on more one or three occasions to test their efficacy. For a gentle medicine, one or two will be found mild though effective. Where *bile or other impurities* have accumulated, and where the purgative medicine is required, a dose of three or four of these pills taken on going to bed, will be found effectual in cleansing the stomach and restoring the bowels to a healthy state. We speak from experience and take pleasure in commending the pills to the public.

[*From the Boston Daily Times.*]

WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS.—Of all the public advertised medicines of the day, we know of none that we can more safely recommend for the "ills that flesh is heir to," than the pills that are sold at the depot of the North American Dispensary, Health, No. 193, Tremont street, Boston. Several instances we know of where they are used in families with the highest satisfaction; and no longer ago than yesterday, we heard an eminent physician of this city recommend them in high terms.

A PRIVATE OPINION!

From Morristown, St. Lawrence, County, N. Y.

* * * WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS, are the *best medicine ever offered in this section of country* in my opinion. H. BERNARD.

POWERFUL TESTIMONY!

From Bergen, Genesee County, N. Y.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That I have used WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS in my family, and have sold to various persons, within a short time, one hundred and fifty boxes of them, and they have universally been spoken of as A GOOD MEDICINE. *They have relieved a number of individuals* who were in a declining state of health, and IN A NUMBER OF CASES have CURED THE PILES—some cases of long standing. I do cheerfully recommend WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS to all who are out of health, as being a most excellent medicine. Yours, &c., H. WILCOX.

From Cape Vincent, Jefferson County, N. Y.

DR. W. WRIGHT:—Dear Sir:— * * * We have sold your INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS for the last four years. We find they give universal satisfaction, and believe they are the *best medicine now in use.*

Your very truly, A. STRONG CASE!

Cough, Intermitting Fever, Inflammation of the Lungs, Pain in the Chest and Side, Scarcity of the Breast, Night Sweats, and Bilious Complaints, certainly relieved.

Stirling Centre, Cayuga Co., N.Y., December 29, 1847.

DR. W. WRIGHT:—Dear Sir:—About six months ago I became much debilitated by over exertion and a distressing Cough, which continued to increase, attended with Pain in the Chest and Side, and much Soreness of the Breast, with Cold Night Sweats, which reduced me very low. After being confined to my bed for several days, I got a box of your INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS, and after using them a short time I was RESTORED TO MY USUAL HEALTH.

From the benefit which I received from the use of your Pills, and from the universal good name which they have among my friends, who have used them for Diseases of the Lungs and Liver, and also for Bilious Complaints, I am induced to believe that WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS are decidedly the *best family medicine now in use.* Yours truly,
DANIEL C. SANFORD.

HORRIBLE MISTAKES!!

Are sometimes made by confounding one medicine with another, and administering the wrong article. Equally horrible are those mistakes which are made by supposing that all Pills are alike, and that therefore, it is indifferent which are taken, and if one kind is bad all are bad together. This is a very great mistake. There is as much difference between WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS and other articles, as between midnight and noonday! We do not wish any to take our word merely for this statement. Let any one, having taken other medicines, try this. Nothing more will be necessary.

Many persons have been led away by a COUNTERFEIT SUGAR, as it is called, thinking that it would remove the nausea of the medicine. But they are generally mistaken. Without SUGAR those articles have nothing to recommend them, and would not be sold a single day. But with the sugar, and by giving the article a name *similar* to WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS they gain a temporary notoriety. Where they are, in a sheep's clothing, of whom the public should steer sufficiently clear.

Let it be remembered that WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS are prepared with special reference to the laws governing the human body. Consequently they are always good, always useful, always effective in rooting out disease. Every family should keep them on hand.

THOMAS BEATTY, Pottsville.
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Dewees, Poff & Co., McKeansburg.
Geo. R. Drey; Tuscarora.
Henry Koch & Sons Middleport.
Wm. Taggart, Tamaqua.
E. & E. Hammer, Orwigsburg.
Wheeler & Miler, Pine grove.
Aaron Mattis, Lower Mahantango.
Jonas Kauffman, Jonestown.
Jacob Kauffman, Mahantango.
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To the Iron Manufacturers
AND MINERS OF PENNSYLVANIA.

THE great staple interests of the State of Pennsylvania, namely, the production of Iron and Coal, upon which her prosperity so intimately depends, are now suffering to such an extent on account of the ruinous prices to which they have fallen, in consequence of the immense importations of foreign iron, as to awaken the most serious apprehensions.

The importance of these great and growing branches of Pennsylvania industry, in the success of which, the manufacturer, the farmer, the miner, artisan and laborer are either directly dependent or deeply interested, cannot be exaggerated or too highly estimated; and the question of their existence or downfall, is one of prosperity or adversity to every citizen of this State, and ought to be a matter of serious consideration to the General Government.

We cannot shut our eyes to the fact that a great revulsion has come upon those interests within a very short period, and it is equally obvious that this event is directly attributable to a revulsion of the same kind upon the same branches of industry in England.

It becomes us, therefore, whose interests are deeply involved, to enquire why the industrial branches of this country should necessarily depend so intimately upon those of foreign countries, that, when theirs are prostrated and ruin hovers over them, ours are involved in a similar unfort unate crisis,—that for every pulsation of the foreign market our as should respond—that no foresight or prudence on our part based upon the domestic demand or domestic supply, can protect us against the improvidence and wild speculations of foreigners.

It becomes us also to enquire, why the late demand or iron in Europe, which inflated prices to such a pitch that it could not be imported into this country, and of necessity induced the construction of a large number of Furnaces and Rail Mills for the purpose of supplying iron for our own improvements, which otherwise must have come to a stand, having suddenly ceased abroad, English iron is now pouring in upon us at prices ruinous to the American Manufacturer; and the result is, that many mills have already suspended operations from necessity, and thousands of laborers are deprived of employment. Their late customers, the railroad companies which brought them into existence, finding they can purchase foreign iron cheaper than American, naturally looking to their own interests, have abandoned them, and it is known that orders for English Rails, to the value of $5,000,000 are now gone abroad from the Eastern States alone.

The dependence of this country upon the fluctuations of English prices for iron, of necessity involves the existence of this branch of American and pre-eminently Pennsylvanian industry.

We believe this evil to be directly traceable to the operation of the American Tariff of 1846, which when the price is high abroad, increases the duty on imported iron $3 per ton for every advance of $10, and no protection is wanted; and when the price is low, diminishes the duty $3 for every fall of $10 per ton, at a time when the greatest protection is wanted. Or, in other words, encourages the domestic article, by an extra duty, when no encouragement is required; but when prices are ruinously low, invites the importation of the foreign article by diminishing the protection on the American article.

It is therefore apparent, that under the operations of such a tariff, the price of iron must be subject to the greatest possible fluctuations—at one time making it so high that it cannot be imported at all, when, by its scarcity, American enterprize, deceived by the phantom of prosperity, is enlisted in its manufacture, and for a while capital and labor become profitably employed. At another time, making it so low that American capital is endangered or lost, and American labor becomes unemployed by the stoppage of "furnaces, mills, and collieries."

It is the duty therefore, of all interested in the production of iron and coal in this State, seriously to enquire whether a policy so fatal to the departments of our industry, essential to national prosperity and independence, will be persevered in under circumstances so different from those existing when the present tariff became a law. The general government cannot be insensible to the representations which it is our duty as Pennsylvanians, as well as manufacturers and miners to make, nor should it withhold any remedy in its power tending to ameliorate the evil and injustice bearing so onerously on these highly important branches of domestic industry.

In view of the foregoing facts, the undersigned would respectfully recommend to their fellow manufacturers and miners the propriety of holding a Yearly Convention at the city of Harrisburg, on the 22d day of March next, for the purpose of devising some plan in order to accomplish by every honorable endeavor a remedy for the evils complained of, and of making known, both to the General and State Governments, the injurious effects of the present Revenue Laws on the great staple interests of Pennsylvania.

We therefore hereby publicly notify all interested and concerned in the production of Iron and Coal that a Convention will be holden on the 22d day of March next, at Harrisburg, for the purpose of taking into consideration the present state of these trades.

Colwell & Co., Montgomery County Iron Work.
Samuel R. Wood, Columbia " "
Smith & Richards, Carbon " "
S. L. & W. S. Richards, Mauch Chunk "
Grisse & Kropf, Cumberland County "
Reeves, Buck, & Co., Philadelphia.
F. & J. Parke, Chester County.
T. H. & J. Gardner, Chester County.
A. Gibbons, Jr. & Co., "
Steele & Worth, "
Jas. Yeatsley & Brothers, "
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James Irvin & Co., Centre County.
C. & J. Curtius, "
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Wm. Schell, Montgomery County.
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