MINERS' JOURNAL,

AND POTTSVILLE GENERAL ADVERTISER.

I will teach you to pierce the bowels of the Earth, and bring out from the caverns of Mountains, Metals which will give strength to our hands and subject all Nature to our use and pleasure.—*Dr. Johnson.*

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PHILADELPHIA.

To the Citizens of Schuylkill Co.

ROBERT SHOEMAKER,

HAS now on hand, and offers for sale on the most reasonable terms, a full assortment of Fresh Drugs and Medicines; Window Glass, all sizes and qualities, of French, English and American Manufacture; White Lead, pure and No 1, of all the most approved brands, by the barrel or keg. Also, Colors of every description, either dry or in Oil; Linseed Oil, Spirits Turpentine, Varnishes, Paint Brushes, Diamonds, Putty, Putty Knives, and a full assortment of painters materials. Likewise—Glue, Potash, Dye Stuffs, Bleaching materials for milliners use, &c., &c. All the popular Patent Medicines, as Swaim's Panacea and Vermifuge; Dr. Jayne's Medicines; Shoemaker's Renowned Rheumatic and Strengthening plasters, the best remedy in existence for Rheumatism, Pains or Weakness in the Back, Breast or Side.

Every article warranted genuine, and all articles sold will be delivered at any of the wharves or depots, free of expense to the purchaser.

"Quick Sales and Small Profits."

ROBERT SHOEMAKER,
S W corner Second and Green Sts., Philad'a.

N B—Orders by mail promptly attended to.
March 23, 1850 13 6m

William Holloway,
DRUGGIST,
No 376 Market Street, above 11th, (Girard Row)
PHILADELPHIA,

OFFERS for sale, Drugs, Chemicals, Paints, Oils, Window Glass, &c., at the lowest market prices.

The patronage of Physicians keeping their own medicines, and the trade generally, are respectfully solicited; assuring them, that all medicines furnished will be GENUINE, of the best quality, and prepared with the greatest accuracy.

Store Keepers will find it to their advantage to call, as the Stock is large, well selected and of unquestionable quality, and put up in forms convenient for retailing.

☞ An assortment of Chemicals, Glass, &c., suitable for Daguerreotypists, always on hand, at low prices.
Oct 27 1849. 44-3mo

Spring Millinery Goods
J. C. & W. E. TABER,
IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS,
No. 19 South Second Street, corner of Black Horse Alley, Philad'a,

HO! HO! HO! HO! HO!

BEG leave to announce to their customers, and the trade in general, that they have now in store, and are daily receiving, a large assortment of Spring Millinery Goods, consisting of the following articles:

Col. Grode Naps, all price	Chip Bucktams,
Col. Gloss Finnes, do	Crown Linnes,
Col. Poult de Soi, do	Inside Artificial Flowers,
Col. Gro de Orleon do	Outside do do
Bonnet Irsns, do	Grapes, black English do
Col. Tarlatans, do	Bonnet Ribbons, all prices,
White do do	Satin, do from No 1 to 16,
Covered Whalebones,	Mantua do do
Black Whalebones,	White cold Stations,
Crowns, Frames,	Cotton and silk Quillings,
Bonnet Wires,	&c., &c., &c.

And by far the choicest assortment of Milliners Goods in the city of Philadelphia, selected with great care, and many of the goods of our own importations, which are well worthy of the attention of the Millinery trade of these great United States, and California gold dust received at par.
March 16, 1850. 11-2m

Bargains! Bargains!
H. WARD,
NO. 77 NORTH SECOND STREET,
PHILADELPHIA,

STRAW BONNET MANUFACTURER, will keep constantly on hand a good assortment of all the various kinds of Bonnets, such as Albont, Tyrolese, California, Tulip, French Lacey, English Dunstables, China Braids, Fibre Braids, &c., &c.—all of which he will sell at very small profits, at wholesale and retail, for cash. Milliners and others are respectfully invited to call and examine before purchasing, as it is confidention to do justice to all that may favor us with a call.
March 9, 1850. 10 2m

Straw Bonnet Manufacture.
NO 49 SOUTH SECOND ST.,
THIRD DOOR ABOVE CHESNUT, EAST SIDE,
PHILADELPHIA.

JOSEPH L. LIPP, respectfully reminds the trade that now is the time to make Spring purchases of Bonnets, Hats and Artificial Flowers, and that I can do as well if not a little better for you than any others in the trade. Please call and examine my well selected stock of Spring Millinery Goods, before purchasing elsewhere. I am constantly manufacturing and receiving goods from the New York Auctions, which enable me to sell very low at wholesale or retail.
March 9, 1850. 10-2m

New Music!

LEE & WALKER, successors to Geo Willig, No. 162 Chesnut street, under Barnum's Museum, have just published the following beautiful Ballads, Polkas, &c.:

Think are you Speak, by N. J. Steele.
The Secret, by the author of "Will you love me then as now."
Fancy Kate, as sung by Mr. Hudson, Music by Dr. Cunnington.
"Raise the bright Flag of Columbia," adapted to the popular air of "Ever be Happy," in Opera "Enchantress."
The Thou art gone, by the late "J. T. S. Sullivan."
Hopeless Love, " "
Woman's Love, " "
A Dream that love can never forget, by M. Keller.
Diligent Polka, by J. A. Getze.
Primrose do, by M. Keller.
Phenix do, as performed at Cape May, by Johnson's Band.
Gallop Brilliant, from the Opera of the Four Sons of Aymon, by T. C. Worrell.
Six Amusements, Elegancies, by Charles Voss.
L. & W. have the pleasure to announce to the public that their stock of Sheet Music consists of the largest and most complete assortment to be found in the country, they are constantly adding to their stock all the new Music published in New York, Boston, &c.

PIANOS.

A fine assortment of the best manufacturers of New York and Boston, at the lowest cash prices.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

Also, a general assortment of Guitars, Violins, Banjos, Flutes, Accordeons, &c., Violin, Guitar, and Harp Strings of the best Italian qualities, all of which will be furnished to the public and the trade at the lowest rates.

Orders punctually attended to.
Jan 18, 1850. 3-1f

Piano Fortes.

THE Largest, Cheapest, Best and most elegant assortment of PIANO FORTES in the United States, can always be found at the warehouse of the Subscriber, 171 Chesnut Street, above Fifth, at the Old Stand occupied more than a third of a century, by Mr. Geo Willig, music publisher.

PIANOFORTES
HARPS
ORGANS,
SERAPHINES,
ÆOLIANS, &c., &c.

Fresh from the most celebrated Manufacturers in New York, Boston, Baltimore, Philadelphia, and elsewhere. Sold wholesale and retail, at the maker's cash prices.

OSCAR C. B. CARTER,
171 Chesnut Street, Philadelphia.
Feb 9, 1850 6-1y

Wholesale and Retail
CLOCK STORE.
No. 238 MARKET ST. ABOVE SEVENTH,
South side—PHILADELPHIA.

H. & W. would inform their friends and the public generally, that they have taken the above store, where they intend keeping a full and complete assortment of the newest styles and most approved patterns of STOVES, consisting in part as follows:

Warren, Prall & Co's. Quincy Air Tight Cook 5 sizes.
Warren's Improved National " " " 5 "
The Eagle Air Tight Cook, " " 4 "

And all the most prominent Stoves in the market together with an extensive assortment of Parlor, Hall Church and Store Stoves; Wood and Coal Air Tight Radiators.

The fact of our having the most extensive and elegant assortment in the market, will make it emphatically for the interest of those connected with the trade to call and examine the same.

HOBSFULL & WHEELER.
No. 239 Market Street, near Sixth, Philada.
Nov 24, 1849. 48-1y

WATCHES! WATCHES!
GREAT INDUCEMENTS TO PERSONS IN WANT OF A GOOD WATCH.
LEWIS R. BROOMALL,
NO. 110 NORTH SECOND STREET,

HAVING received additional supplies of Gold and Silver Watches of every description, from London, Liverpool and Switzerland unusual portunities, is now prepared to furnish the very best article at a price far below the usual prices for the same quality, and which cannot be undersold by any other store in Philadelphia or elsewhere. Every watch sold will be perfectly regulated, and warranted to be as good as represented.

Watches at the following low prices:

Gold Levers, full jewelled, 18 karat cases, only	$26 00
Silver do do do	12 00
Gold Lepines, jewelled, 18 karat case,	22 00
Silver do do	8 00

The L. R. Broomall Gold Pen, a superior article in silver case, with pencil, and warranted, $1.50; Gold Pencils for $1.00 and upwards, Gold Medallions, and Locket for Daguerreotype Likenesses, Gold Chains, Gold and hair Bracelets, Breast Pins, Ear Rings, Finger Rings, and a general assortment of every description of Jewelry at unusually low prices.

LEWIS R. BROOMALL,
No 110 North Second st., second door below Race
Philadelphia. [April 14, '49. 16-1y

Vinegar Store,
(FORMERLY THE OLD STAND OF Mr. ALSOP,)
NO. 164 VINE STREET,
Two Doors Below Fifth Street, Philadelphia

The Subscriber respectfully informs his old customers and others, that he has constantly on hand Cider and Pickling Vinegar, wholesale and retail.

Orders by mail promptly attended to.
D. R. STRAWN
March 30, 1850 13-1m

Wholesale and Retail
STOVE DEALERS,
No. 239 Market St., near Sixth—PHILADELPHIA.

H. & W. would inform their friends and the public generally, that they have taken the above store, where they intend keeping a full and complete assortment of the newest styles and most approved patterns of STOVES, consisting in part as follows:

Warren, Prall & Co's. Quincy Air Tight Cook 5 sizes.
Warren's Improved National " " " 5 "
The Eagle Air Tight Cook, " " 4 "

And all the most prominent Stoves in the market together with an extensive assortment of Parlor, Hall Church and Store Stoves, Wood and Coal Air Tight Radiators.

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HOBSFULL & WHEELER.
No. 239 Market Street, near Sixth, Philada.
Nov 24, 1849. 48-1y

A CARD.—LITTLE & MARTIN,

WHOLESALE and Retail Dealers in DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, TEAS, LIQUORS, &c., Side on Centre Street, near the corner of Mahantongo, to which the attention of the citizens of Town and country is respectfully solicited.

JOHN L. LITTLE,
Pottsville, Oct 27-41. JOHN S. C MARTIN

PHILADELPHIA.

Mercer Jones,
Wholesale Looking-Glass, Whip, Brush, Comb, Basket and
WOODEN WARE STORE,

NO. 145 North Third Street, four doors above the Eagle Hotel, and directly opposite to James Kent & Santee's Dry Goods Store, between Race and Vine Streets, Philadelphia.
March 23, 1850 12-6m

Spring Millinery Goods,
JOHN STONE & SONS,
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN SILKS, RIBBONS AND MILLINERY GOODS.
NO. 45 SOUTH SECOND STREET,
PHILADELPHIA.

WOULD call the attention of Merchants and Milliners visiting the city, to their large and rich assortment of Spring Millinery Goods, received by late arrivals from France, such as

Black Silks for Casing Bonnets,
Fancy Bonnet and Cap Ribbons,
Plain Mantua and Satin Ribbons, from No 1 to No 12,
French and American Artificial Flowers,
White and colored Crapes,
French Chip Hats,
Fancy Nets and Laces,
Fancy Trimmings, Quillings, Crowns, Tips,
Covered Whalebones, Buckrams, Cane, &c.,

Together with every article appertaining to the Millinery trade.
March 23, 1850 11-1m

Cloth Store.
No. 8 North Second Street, three doors above Market,
PHILADELPHIA.
NATHAN T. CLAPP,

INVITES the attention of his friends and others to his large and choice assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres, and Vestings, comprising in part:

French, Belgian, Antwerp and West of England } CLOTHS, of every shade and quality, a large assortment.

SUMMER COATINGS.

Black and fancy colored Habit Cloths.
Super black and fancy colored Cassimeretts.
French Tricots and check Cassimer Coatings.
Drap D Ete's Summer and Cream Cloths.

PANTALOON STUFFS.

Super black French Cassimeres and Doeskins.
French fancy and mixed Cassimeres, every variety.
Merino Cassimeres, all colors and qualities.
Plaid and striped Cassimeres, in every variety.
White and fancy Linen Drillings, splendid styles.
Goods and Beaverteens, of every quality.
Satinetts all shades and qualities.

VESTINGS.

Super black Satin and Cashmere Vestings.
Splendid fancy Silk Vestings, new designs.
Wove and colored Marseilles, large assortment.
Drab Cloth and other coarse Trimmings.
With a great variety of Goods for Boys' wear.

ALSO, A large assortment of Tailors' Trimmings, for sale very low by the piece or at retail.

NATHAN T. CLAPP,
No 8 N Second St 3 doors above Market.
March 23 1850 13-2m

Blind Manufactory.
H. CLARK,
VENITIAN BLIND MANUFACTURER
Sign of the Golden Eagle, No 139 and 143 South Second st. below Dock st.
PHILADELPHIA,

KEEPS always on hand a large and fashionable assortment of WIDE AND NARROW SLAT WINDOW BLINDS, manufactured in the best manner, of the best materials, and at the lowest cash prices.

Having refitted and enlarged his establishment, he is prepared to complete orders to any amount at the shortest notice.

Constantly on hand an assortment of MAHOGANY FURNITURE of every variety, manufactured expressly for his own sales and purchasers may therefore rely on a good article at a low price.

Open in the evening.

Orders from a distance packed carefully, and sent free of porterage, to any part of the city.

H. CLARK.
August 25, 1849. 35-1y

Biddle, Reeves & Son,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
BEDSTEAD MANUFACTORY,
Nos. 89 & 91 ST. JOHN STREET,
PHILADELPHIA.

WHERE Cabinet Makers, Hotels and Private Families can be supplied with Bedsteads of every pattern an quality, made in the most fashionable and substantial manner.

N. B The patent Screw Bedstead, a very superior article, manufactured at this establishment. All kinds of Turning done at the lowest rates.
March 16, 1850. 11-6m

The Tobacco Market.
WM. S. DOBBINS,
NO. 269 NORTH SECOND STREET,

HAS the largest and cheapest Tobacco Warehouse in Philadelphia. He has on hand, at present, over two millions of Cigars, from common to the best imported, the most of them are over two years old. If you want to buy good Cigars, try him once; he has 50 bales fine Cuba and Havana Leaf Tobacco.

100 hhds. of the best Maysville, Kentucky and Maryland Leaf Tobacco.

125 boxes of the finest brands of Cavendish and Plug Tobacco.

25 boxes of the best old Black Fat Cavendish, not to be surpassed by any other for richness of flavor and good quality. A large stock of Smoking Tobacco, Pipes, &c., constantly on hand.

The subscriber has constantly employed over three hundred hands, to make Cigars, which enables him to sell more reasonably than any other house. All dealers are invited to call and examine his stock, at 269 North Second St., opposite the Golden Lamb Hotel, and 51 South Second St., one door above Chesnut, east side, Phila
March 2, 1850. 9-6m

Oliver Evans,
No. 61, South Second Street, Philadelphia,
MANUFACTURER OF
SALAMANDER, FIRE AND THIEF PROOF SAFES.

WITH Powder proof locks, and warranted equal to any other make for security against fire or burglars, having withstood the test of both, without injury to the contents of other makers.

Also, in store and for sale,
Letter Copying Presses and Books.
Seal Presses for Corporations, Banks, &c
Dragstedt's Patent Copying Cylinders and Pans.
Housing Machines for Stores, Factories, &c.
Portable Shower Baths, of a new and superior construction, intended for either cold or warm water.
Refrigerators for cooling and preserving meats, butter milk, &c., in the warmest weather, suitable to stand in any part of the house or cellar.
Water Filters, warranted to purify muddy or bad water whether affected by clams, marl, limestone, or any other cause.
March 9, 1850. 9-1y

E. Hicks Jones,
Wholesale Wooden, Willow Ware Broom, Brush Comb, Looking Glass and Variety Store,
NO. 18 NORTH SECOND STREET,
PHILADELPHIA,

(Under I. Sidney Jones' Carpet Warehouse.)

HAVING enlarged my store, I have on hand and am constantly manufacturing and receiving from the Eastern States and Europe, additions to my stock.

Cedar Ware—500 nest Cedar Pails, painted and gilt, 300 nest painted Tubs, 100 churns and 200 staff churns, 100 dozen Cedar and 600 dozen painted Pails, 200 doz. Wash Boards, 100 doz. nest Sugar and Flour Boxes, Spigots, Spoons and ladles.

Willow Ware—600 nest Market and 200 nest Clothes Baskets, 400 Willow Cradles, Chairs and Cradles; a large assortment of French and Domestic Brushes.

Brooms and Brushes—10,000 Wire Brooms, 10,000 Straw Brooms, 2 0 doz. each Wall, Paint, Scrubbing, Shoe and Hearth Brushes; Tooth, Shaving, Cloth and Hair Brushes of every style.

Combs—2000 dozen fancy Combs, of various patterns, side, neck, pocket, dressing and fine tooth Combs of various styles.

Looking Glasses of Pine, Cherry, Walnut, Mahogany and Gilt Frames, of all sizes and patterns; German, French and English looking Glass Plates, of all sizes, from 7 by 9 up to 72 by 120—packing insured to all parts of the Union—together with a large assortment of Variety Goods too numerous to mention. The attention of merchants is respectfully solicited to the examination of my Stock, all of which will be sold low for cash or city acceptance, so as to anticipate any competition that can be offered.
March 2, 1850. 9-1y

Roberts'
CARPET EMPORIUM,
No. 46 North Second Street, Below Arch,
PHILADELPHIA.

THE attention of Housekeepers & Merchants is invited to our large and elegant assortment of Carpeting, Oil Cloths, Window Shades,—consisting in part of

20 pcs. new style Imperial 3 ply Carpetings,	
50 " do Extra superfine Ingrain, do	
50 " do Superior all wool filling, do	
50 " do Self quality all woollen Venitian do	
75 " do Cotton, Ingrain and Venitian, do	

A large lot of List, Rag, Hemp and Cotton Carpets, from 10 to 50 cts per yard.

A large and splendid assortment of new style Gothic and Landscape Window Shades, direct from the manufactory, which, with the carpets, can be sold at the lowest cash prices, Wholesale and Retail, by

RICHARD ROBERTS.
No. 46 N. 2d St., below Arch, Phila.
March 16, 1850. 11-3m

Arch St. Wall Paper Warehouse,
NO. 142 ARCH STREET,
BETWEEN SIXTH & SEVENTH, SOUTH SIDE,
PHILADELPHIA.

THE Proprietor of the above extensive establishment has lately opened his superb stock of Wall Papers, which are all of the latest styles, and of the very best manufacture. Paperhangers from the country can rely on being accommodated with patterns suitable for every purpose, without the inconvenience of looking further.

He is determined to sell at such prices as the advantage of a cash business affords.

EDWARD BURTON.
N. B.—Paper hung in the Country at City Prices.
March 9, 1850. 10-2m

PHILADELPHIA.

Iron Store.

THE subscriber, having removed his Iron business to the large Store,

No. 13 NORTH WATER STREET,

is now prepared to receive orders to any extent, and for any description of Iron and Steel; his stock is replenished from his own importations, by almost every Packet, and feels confident in his ability to give satisfaction to all who may favor him with their custom. Terms the most accommodating.

WM. DE COW,
Feb 16, 1850. 12 N. Water Street, Philadelphia. 7-

Samuel H. Bibighaus & Co.
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC HARDWARE, CUTLERY, &c.
No. 165 North THIRD Street, 2d door below VINE,
PHILADELPHIA.

WHERE they intend keeping a general assortment of Hardware on hand, at lowest market prices. Country Merchants, are respectfully invited to call.

N. B.—Depot for John Bell's Planes.
Jan 19, 10. 3-1y

Oils, Candles, Soap, &c.

THE subscribers have in store on favorable terms

2600 gallons Bleached Winter Sperm Oil,	
6000 do Unbleached do do	
2500 do Bleached Fall do	
2000 do do Solar do	
2000 do do Winter Lard Oil,	
3000 do do Elephant Oil,	
3000 do do do Whale Oil,	
2500 do do Spring do do	
16,000 do Strained North West Coast Whale Oil,	

very light, for minters' use,

1800 gallons Common Oil, suitable for greasing,
600 do do Paint Oil,
10,000 lbs Tanners' Oil, comprising Straits, Banks, Shore, and Tanners' Whale Oil,
400 boxes Adamantine Candles,
500 do Mould and Dipped Tallow Candles, assorted sizes, (no charge for boxes,)
250 boxes Yellow and Brown Soap,
Peruvian and Patagonian Guano.

BOLDEN & PRICE,
No. 31 North Wharves, 3d store above Arch Street,
Feb 9, 1850. 9—3mo] Philadelphia.

HARDING AND HOLL,
WHOLESALE COMMISSION PAPER WAREHOUSE
No. 21 Minor St., between 5th and 6th and Chestnut and Market Streets, Philadelphia

KEEP constantly on hand a large and varied stock of all kinds of PAPER, suited to Publishers, Merchants, Manufacturers, Schools, &c., &c. We have now arrangements with some of the best Mills in the country to manufacture Paper expressly for us, so that every exertion shall be made to give entire satisfaction to our customers. We return our most sincere thanks to our old friends for past favors and hope from our increased stock, and exertions, to merit a continuance of their custom.

All orders from the country promptly attended to. They can accommodate publishers with any given size of printing paper, at the shortest notice. We would say to those desirous of a good and cheap article, give us a call and examine for yourselves.

☞ Market prices paid in cash or trade for rags.

S. W. HARDING,
B. FRANKLIN HOLL,
Feb. 16, 7-6mo No. 21 Minor Street, Phila.

Cheap Blinds and Shades!
B. J. WILLIAMS,
NO. 12 NORTH SIXTH STREET,
PHILADELPHIA,

VENITIAN BLIND MANUFACTURER and wholesale and retail Dealer in Window Shades—awarded the highest Premiums at the New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore exhibitions.

Curtains made and lettered for Stores and Public Buildings.

A large assortment of Blinds and Shades of new styles and finish, at the lowest Cash prices. The public will find it to their interest to call.

Old Blinds painted and trimmed to look equal to new.

B. J. W. informs the patrons of FREMAN'S old establishment, No 113 South Second st., that he has removed from there to No. 12 North Sixth St., where he respectfully solicits a continuance of patronage.
March 16, 1850. 11-3m

United States and Foreign
PATENT AGENCY,
No. 78 DOCK STREET, opposite the Exchange,
PHILADELPHIA, PA.

WM. BULLOCK, Civil Engineer and Mechanician, offers his services for the transaction of all business connected with the Patent Office.

MODELS, DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS neatly and accurately made and Patents obtained with despatch. His thorough, theoretical and practical knowledge of the Mechanical arts, induces him to promise that in all cases where he advises an application for a Patent, in case it is not obtained, the fees for his services will be returned, and he will also guarantee, that all patents obtained through his office, will be sustained by the courts. Many inventors are subjected to great delays and loss of time and money by employing incompetent persons to make their specifications, and frequently have to surrender their patents and get re-issued.

Inventors at a distance can send their models and a statement of their claims directed to WM. BULLOCK, U S. Patent Agency, No. 75 Dock Street, Philadelphia, Pa., and the strictest secrecy will be observed until the Patent is obtained.

Drawings and Specifications for Factories, Mills, &c., and all kinds of Machinery purchased on Commission, and competent men furnished to put the same in operation in any part of the United States, South America and the West Indies.

REFERENCES:

Hon. ZADOCK PRATT, President of the Mechanics Institute, New York
Messrs. STILLMAN, ALLEN & Co., Novelty Works, New York.
" PETER MORRIL & Co., Columbian Foundry New York
" COULT, ELLICOTT & DAVIES, Philadelphia, Pa.
" ADAMS & JUSTICE, Pittsburg, Pa.
Mr. THOMAS J. LOVEGROVE, Baltimore, Md.
" ROBERT A. TAYLOR, "
" DANIEL GOSS, Cincinnati, Ohio.
" WALTER BUTLER, Chicago, Illinois.
" J. N. MILLER, Savannah, Ga.
" WM. C. GRIGGS, Mobile, Ala.
" R. T. TURNBULL, Washington, Miss.
" THOS. J. KERR, Charleston, S. C.
May 12. 20-1y

Coleman's Chemical Cutlery Stores
Nos. 22 and 33 ARCADE and 209 CHESNUT Street—PHILADELPHIA.

COUNTRY merchants can save from 10 to 15 per cent. by purchasing at the above stores. By importing my own goods, paying but little rent, and living economically, it is plain I can sell cheaper than those who purchase their goods here, pay high rents, and live like princes.

Constantly on hand a large assortment of Pen and Pocket Knives, Scissors and Razors, Table Knives and Forks, in ivory, stag, buffalo, bone and wood handles; Carvers and Forks; Steels, &c; Butcher Knives, Dirks; Bowie Knives of superior temper and Plain Bowies, &c. Just received, a large stock of Badgers and Westenholm's fine Pen and Cologress Knives

Also, a large assortment of Accordeons, &c., &c.; also, fine English Twist and German Guns.

JOHN M. COLEMAN, Importer.
Jan 5, 1849. 1-tf

Paper! Paper! Paper!
NO. 21 BANK STREET,
Between Market and Chesnut, and 2d and 3d sts.
PHILADELPHIA.

THE subscribers beg leave to call the attention of country buyers to their assortment of papers embracing the different varieties of Writing, Hardware, Writing, Envelope, and Wrapping papers, Tissue papers, white and assorted colors, also Bonnet and Box Boards, &c.

Being engaged in the Manufacture of printing papers, they solicit orders from printers for any given size, which will be furnished at short notice, and at fair prices.

Market prices either in cash or trade paid for Rags.

DICKETT & KNIGHT, No 21 Bank st.
Sept 8, 1849. 37-1y

Harkness & Son's
FASHIONABLE CLOTHING STORE,
NO. 128 MARKET STREET,
The Southeast corner of Fourth—PHILADELPHIA.

N. B—Look out for the Five Story Building (128)

THIS Deservedly popular Establishment has maintained for the last twenty years a reputation for the excellence and cheapness of Clothing unsurpassed by any other house in the trade! In consideration of the immense amount of public patronage bestowed on them, the proprietors have spared neither pains nor expense in securing the services of cutters of undoubted ability; and for the Fall Trade of 1849, they offer such a stock of superior ready made Clothing as they are confident cannot be equalled in Philadelphia or elsewhere. Every article of clothing manufactured by them is of the best materials and workmanship, and from the superior facilities they possess in the purchase of their goods, they are enabled to supply the public at the lowest rate. Those who have not yet visited this Emporium of Fashion, by examining the style and quality of their clothing will be satisfied that it is their interest to purchase of Harkness & Son.

Among this immense assortment of goods will be found elegant double stitched overcoats of the latest styles, from $9 00 to $15, sold elsewhere at $15 00 to $20 00, superior black Dress and Frock Coats from $7 00 to $15 00, worth double the money; fancy and black Cassimere Pants, $3 00; rich and black Satin Vests, $2 50, and a magnificent lot of Cloaks at $10 00, such as cannot be bought at other stores for less than $15 00. All other articles at corresponding low rates.

N. B.—Every Garment sold at this house is warranted to fit with ease and elegance.

HARKNESS & SON,
S. E. Corner of Fourth and Market-street.

N. B.—C. Harkness & Son are the only agents in Philadelphia for the sale of R. HEINISCH'S Premium Tailors Shears, Ladies Scissors, &c.
Oct. 13, 1849. 42-6mo

C. A. Du Bouchet,
SURGEON DENTIST,
133 SPRUCE STREET, ABOVE FIFTH,
PHILADELPHIA,

RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Pottsville that he is prepared to perform all operations on the TEETH at short notice.

TERMS MODERATE.

Students instructed in all the branches of Mechanical and Surgical Dentistry.
Jan 26, 1850. 4-1y

TO RENT—A FARM of 100 acres cleared, a Dwelling House, near Mount Carbon. Apply

J. M. CAMPBELL, Agent.
Aug 23, 1849. 31-tf

Poetry.

[From the New York Tribune.]

LAMENT OF WINTER.

BY MRS. E. J. EAMES.

I am going, I am going!—have ye no last word for me?
No "God speed you," on my polar path beyond the Northern sea?
Have ye no kind farewell for one your eyes may see no more?
Why are the voices silent now that welcomed me of yore?

I know that Spring with fairy gifts has travelled back again,
With fragrant airs, and singing birds, and blossoms in her train;
And 'tis not strange that ye should turn from my unsmiling face
To fold the fair new comer in your rapturous embrace.

Ye are bidding me a glad farewell, smiling you see me go,
Though ye gave me a right welcome in my first pure robe of snow;
Now I hear the gladsome greeting ye give my rival gay—
Oh! for one friendly wish to cheer me on my lonely way!

Have ye no memories to recall writ on my rugged brow,
Is the sympathy that shared your joys and griefs forgotten now?
Forgotten the long evening hours of converse full and free,
When at your warm firesides I held the kindliest ministry?

All vanished now! a fairer form is seated in my place,
And of the former times is left no memory or trace;
Ye will not miss me nor lament this truth too well I pray,
We part, mine—*mine*, is all the grief—and weeping this I go!

It were too sad a thing to say that thus old friends and ties
Are broken loose and cast away when newer ones arise;
Too sad the thought that even thus our faith and friendship fade,
And human hearts retain no trace that human love has made

Choice Reading.

THE TIES OF HOME.

1. *The early Tie; or Childhood's Home.*

O! The innumerable delights that cluster around that dear name—*home!* You breathe that word with an awe few others inspire. With it are associated the dear remembrances of youth—of *first* friends of *dearest* friends. You pronounce that thrilling name, and, as if by magical influence, images of loved ones, of by-gone years, dance before your mind. The kindred spirits with whom your soul held sweet converse, are invoked, and your fancy revels in delightful reminiscences. You again walk over those grounds, arm in arm, with that dear one whose memory you love to cherish. You again bow at the family altar, with those whom, long since, time has made old, distance separated, or death snatched from earth. You are again the prattling boy, or the joyous, laughing girl, sporting with childish glee about the threshold of the dearly-loved homestead; or, you are the wiser youth, or more steady maiden, wandering over those grounds, and talking to those trees, and birds and flowers—learning lessons of life's realities, from their fading—or feeding, as free from care as the little brook that comes trotting by your feet, and leaves you far behind in the race.

And what is it that endears that place, and makes you start with joy at the mention of it, or, brush the silent tear, when you recall it? You remember the form of the mother moving there, in her graceful majesty, in her affectionate tenderness. You think of her, in her angelic offices, ministering to every necessity, anticipating every wish, and contributing to make the hearthstone the most attractive spot on earth. There she nursed you; there she taught you to lisp her own dear title; to bow in solemn reverence at her knee, to lift the heart and voice in prayer to God.

You call to mind the, *father*. There you stood at his side, or sat upon his knee, and gazed into his manly countenance, and listened to his grave instructions, until your love and respect was drawn out, such as only a child can know for a father. There you enjoyed his counsel in all difficulties, and you felt the need of his guidance, for your young and inexperienced mind. Alas! for those who have lost this fond parent, while yet they are unable to wander alone in life's wilderness.

You are reminded of a gentle *sister's* influence. She moved by your side, as a heaven-born attendant, and hovered near you when temptation would entice, to lure you from its beguiling path. She was your confidant, your very self, only superior, milder, and more tender. You loved her, because she was your own sweet sister; you loved her, as the star of the family circle, as the devoted, all-abiding sharer in your youthful joys and sorrows.

There, too, you recollect, was the *brother*. You watched his growth from helpless infancy. You led him out to study the boy's duties; you listened to the first desire he breathed to make himself famed. You remember his holy ambition, his unchecked ardor, his manly respect for himself and for the feelings of others. Or, if you be younger than he, you can recall his tender care of you, his kindness in teaching, his unselfish daring. Most of all, you think of the intimate communion of spirit there was with you; he was free, open, joyous. Your brother was the pride of your father's heart—the bud of promise in the "family tree."

The time-worn mansion now stands before you. Every stone in its walls, every tree on the grounds, every hillock, and slope, and plain, is as familiar as the loved ones that dwelt there. The fancy wanders back, and the associations of each is present to your mental eye. In that room, lying next to the roof, you slept. There you were often lulled to sleep by the heavy rain pattering over your head; which has never sinced sounded so delightfully. There your treasures were hoarded. In the little sitting-room, on the stand, lay the family bible, and night and morning you bowed with the loved ones at your side, around the family altar.

You enter with awe the room above.—There your father's spirit escaped from earth, and you think of him now as walking among the saints in glory. Every spot in the neighborhood is endeared by the recollection of some incident of by-gone years. On *this* you played in childish innocence; on *that* you stood to watch the far-off eagle, or the approaching cloud. *Here* you sat in deep meditation; *there* you wandered by the brook, or plundged into its yielding bosom, or hunted the retreating game. *There* you knelt, and learned of God, in the sights around, or listened breathlessly to the many voices of nature.

But where shall we end in our description of the delights of our early home. The remembrance of it will follow us through life, and often in the calmness of thought, will we live over again the time there spent, and wish ourselves children, not only in knowledge of the ways of the world, but in the unconscious joys of that best of all periods of life.

11. *The Present Tie—Manhood's Home.*

A second link that holds man to earth, is the home which he *now* enjoys, the interests which are absorbed in his present situation. Its associations are the most tender, its delights the most sweet. He has entered the busy scenes of life, and thrown off all, but the remembrance, and secret influence of former years. His intercourse has become more extended, his knowledge more general and more minute. He has learned the world, its mammon-lustings, its empty vanity, its want of charity and truth, and in the toils of business, the vexations of professional duties, and the disappointments attending all employments, he has become sickened with it. It is a mere mart, wherein each one is vieing to underate his brother, and ruin him; a mere political arena, where each, in struggling for his own aggrandisement, or for the mere delusive thing called fame, hesitates not to blast his neighbor's hopes and name, if he has chanced to step before him. Here, all are designing, and he looks upon man, thus displayed, with disgust.

It is then he can retire within his own little family. Be he a husband: a tie stronger than life binds him, a golden cord twines around his very heart—the partner of his bosom, the sharer of his existence, the day star of his earthly hopes, the centre of his earthly joys. When he is cast down by cares, and dispirited by disappointments, her soul melts to the same temperature. She enters into all his troubles by the channel which none other than a wife's affections can open; she pours the true solacing balm into his heart, and points to higher joys, in reserve. She, too, draws out his desires, in holier aspirations—lifts him from thoughts, and dark broodings on material objects, to the enjoyment of the spiritual found in her own unfathomable resources of devotion. If he be gay and joyous her soul is lightsome too. As the untouched lute gives forth a sound, in unison with the note struck upon another, placed near it, so do the vibrations of his own heart strings, make her's *vocal*.

Thus the wife is the light of a man's home. The husband is the protector, the adviser, the constant lover, the truest friend—the friend of her life, and the object for which she leaves her early home, and binds herself a willing, joyful subject, by bands stronger than death, and only to be severed by it.

If around the table of this house, a *family* has collected: if upon the Bible's "record" are written the names of these precious pledges of fidelity and love, the tie is strengthened two-fold. That home is prized and longed for, and sought; for there, not only sits, in manly love, the husband, or in tender sunshine of affection, the wife, but there play and prattle the children—lovely in their helplessness and dependence. These fill up the domestic circle, and the thought of laboring for them, of seeing them prosper in life, makes effort sweet and toil a pleasure.

The first-born is the steady boy, or the bright-eyed girl, upon whom rest the mutual hopes of loving parents; or it has grown up to fulfil those anxious wishings, and be the comfort of their hearts, and the pride of all. The others, given by God's love, to be trained for him, are like stars around the board, the hearth and the altar.—Morning and night let these cluster round, and hear and ask of Jesus, and kneel in devout love before Him, while the father's ear falls on their ears, as he pleads that God who has made them one, on earth, may through His grace, grant a blessed reunion above, a whole family in Heaven.

Such is our picture of domestic bliss, but it is left unfinished. There are other delights such as those of younger years experience. They have not families, but compose a part of these very dependencies, the sons and daughters, adults, but still at home with parents. What are their means of joy? Ah! to live for those parents; to do all in their power to repay their kindness and sacrifice of self; to hold up their age, to gladden their lives, and then to have them by your side to smile upon you, to encourage, to guide you still! These are its ties, and be it ours to make these joys perennial.

111. *The Strongest Tie—Our Final Home.*

"Home, sweet home!" gaily sings the school-boy, as he throws down his satchel in his father's house, and hastens to embrace his parents. "Home, sweet home!" cries the husband as he is met by his wife and merry children. "There is no place like home!" sighs the wanderer, as he casts his thoughts back upon the happy fire-side he has left, and longs to rejoin those who encircle it. "Sweet home!" murmurs the hardy mariner, as he mounts the rigging of his home-ward bound vessels, and peers out to catch a glimpse of the welcome shore. How his heart bounds, as he descries dimly the dark line of his native land along the distant horizon.

So the wanderer on earth pants for the happy home on high; so the traveller on Time's ocean looks out anxiously towards the shore which is to end his journey. "This world is not my home," triumphantly breathes the Christian, as he views the evil that surrounds him, the wickedness of those who make not God their choice. As he sees earthly hopes perish—friends, one by one, fail, and expectations disappointed—as he becomes sickened by the deceitfulness of those in whom he has confided, he