

MINERS' JOURNAL.

SATURDAY, FEB. 15, 1851.

Pitman of Washington, and Senator Frailey, Col. Struthers, W. J. Dobbins, Esq., and others of Harrisburg for public documents, the year ending 30th June, 1850.

FROM THE SAME TEXT.

One hundred thousands dollars spent for Rum! The enormous amount of money annually : W expended in the borough for Rum, and the ruinous consequences it produces are fruitful themes. Every week's observation confirms our previously taken positions and suggests new points for discussion.

There is but little difficulty in convincing mea of the ruinous effects of the free use of alcoholic drinks upon a community, but the trouble is to persuade them to do something for their remedy. No unprejudiced man, with the proper use of his senses, can refuse to acknowledge that Rum causes poverty, suffering and misery in families, and is the destroyer alike of fortune and talent, and the 'C cause of crime, disgrace and premature, and often ignominious death. These are its ordinary-every-day effects. Yet many, whom interest or appetite influences, though unable to answer or contradict the friends of Reform, are unwilling to co-operate with them, or do any thing for the suppression of the traffic, though daily witnessing its blasting and ruinous effects. Such men need more stringent reasons, than mere words to move ;

We learn that the friends of Temperance in the borough are getting up petitions to the Judges of our County Court, to withhold 1 license from all those dealers who persist in ! I carrying on the traffic on the Sabbath day. We hope the friends of Temperance throughout the County will second their efforts, and remonstrate against this outrage in terms that cannot be misunderstood or neglected. We want to see these sinks of infamy closed at least on the Sabbath. They do enough

mischief in six days—they ought to be sus-

pended one day in the week. But on whom does the burden of Rumdrinking fall most heavily? A merchant told us some days ago, that the most sales of liquor in the borough were made to the laborer and mechanic : so that the burden falls heaviest on those who are least able to hear it-on the hard working man, that earns his bread and supports his family by the sweat of his brow. His hard-wrought wages are wrung from him with an iron grasp, his orderly habits broken in upon, his character blasted, and his family neglected, and perhaps made to suffer abuse and ill treatment, in addition to the ordinary privations for want! of food and clothing. Laying aside the general philanthropy, which would prompt every good citizen to remove whatever tempts and ruins his neighbour, we ask in the name of expediency and pecuniary intesest, it every merchant would not be better off, were his customers all sober men? They would have more money to spend-their families would be maintained in better style, and many articles of trade now beyond the intemperate customer's means, would then be supplied, as ordinary expenses, to hundreds of fami-!

Suppose these men should be called on to visit the hovels of their victims, and witness in the home of the drunkard, the misery their ! avarice has produced—let them behold the drunken husband in the midst of his beggared and starving children-his wife worn down with continued toiling, and the cares of her; destitute family-let the Rum-seller see this and reflect that he is the guilty cause of this inhuman spectacle. Let him see the positive ill-treatment, to say, nothing of the wants and privations introduced into families by this monster-vice.

lies, now living without them.

We ask every merchant and store keeper to think over these things, and if he will be convinced in no other was that it is his advantage, as well as duty, to stop the sale of liquors, our word for it, one year's trial will thoroughly confirm the opinion.

Coal and Improvement Companies .-We understand that the Coal Operators of Henry Eckel, Schuylkill County are preparing a strong David Greenawalt, Protest against the incorporation of any Com- John Kitzmilles, panies to be located in this County for mining | Caleb Wheeler, Coal or opening Coal Veins. We believe it will receive the signature of every Individual Operator in the County. Will the Legislature disregard it? We hope not.

Important.—A decision has lately been ment of debts. It reverses the generally received opinion on the subject, and secures the "laborer's hire" from any molestation in

such disposition has been manifested in this rona" makes a similar allusion, County, but on the contrary, all parties have Oft have I heard both youths and virgins say, united in the subport of the measure. Even

sing in Philadelphia, and exhibits frauds of deposited. the most astounding character. It is now The observance has latterly fallen into of the State. evident that W. B. Reed was elected by much disrepute from the gross licenses as- The above is from the Norristown Herald. thepeople, and a traudulent return made from sumed, for some years past, by Valentine We are glad to see the right spirit, manifes-Moyamensing, giving the certificate to Hon. writers in sending anonymous communica. ted in so substantial a quarter. The feeling B. Kneass. Many persons who did not re- tions. In several of the larger cities it is re- is gradually developing itself in different side in the Ward, and whose names appear | cognized as a fineable offence.

INVESTMENTS IN THE COAL TRADE OF SCHUYLBILL COUNTY. We give below a table of investments made for mining purposes exclusively, in the Coal Region of Schuylkill county, together with the number of hands employed, average wages paid per month, the product of the Collieries and its value. It does not include any Real Estate, unless the Real Estate is embraced in the estimate given by the Delaware

We would here remark that the table does not embrace all the interests. After it was in type and prepared for publication, we discovered that the investments in Branch township were not included, and after diligent search they could not be obtained. We hope, therefore the different Operators in that township will be kind enough to furnish us with the amount of their investments, &c., together with those in other sections that have been omitted, and also with such corrections as may be pointed out by Operators. In many instances, the Deputy Marshall's were compelled to estimate themselves from the information derived from Superintendents, who were not sufficiently acquainted with the expenditures.

These statistics are based on the situation of the Collieries, product, expenditures, &c.,

As the table is one of the most important that has ever been prepared, and exhibits the

immense investments made by	r INDIVIDUALS in	the mining hi	isiness of Schi	relkitt come
ty, we are anxious that it should be as correct as possible. We will republish it next week, together with such additions and corrections as may be furnished in the course of the ensuing week. All corrections and additions must be handed in by Wednesday next.				
COAL OPERATORS.	CAPITAL POWER.	HANDS. WAGES	Y ANNUAL PRODUCT.	VALUE.
Pottsville. Thomas Miles, & Co. Norwegian Township.	\$ 20,000 Steam.	40 8,1,60	00 8 18,000	\$ 37,000
George H. Potts, George Spencer & Co.	63,147 do 30,000 do	236 3,75 60 1,56	0 39,285 0 20,000	40,000
George Rich, Jonathan Wasley,	6,000 do 40,000 do	50 1,00 65 1,70		30,000 33,000
James McKown, Delaware Coal Co.,	2.500 Horse. 500,000 Steam.	25 30 186 4,78		7,800 75,000
Minersville. Philip Jones,	1,000 do	25 40	0, 6,000	12,000
Joseph F. Taylor. Cass Township.	2,000 do	20 45		\
George & Wm. Payne, Charles M. Hill,	80,000 do 10,000 do	200 5,00 50 120	0 15.000	28,000
John Reese, Jones & Evans,	700 Horse. 10,000 Steam.	12 24 45 100	0, 10,000	
M. P. & G. Heilner, Gideon Basi & Co.	210,000 do 40,000 do	700 16,00 150 3,00	0 30,000	86,000
Jacob Serrill, James C. Oliver,	5,000 do 8,000 do	30 65 20 40	0, 2,000	16,000 3,600
George Spencer & Co. William Morris,	30,000; do 12,000 do	60) 1,50 35 40	7,000	10,000
Wm. & Chas. Britton, Dolbin & Rogers,	9,000; do 7,000; do	74 60 50 99	9,500	15,200
William Petherick, Richard Hecksher,	20,000 do 60,000 do	160 34,50 300 8,00	63,000	57,500 100,800
Johanna Cockill, Joseph F. Taylor, Bluthe Township.	6,000 Horse. 5.000 do	30 - 60 36 - 65		12,200
Joseph Whitfield, Rogers, Sinickson & Co.	25,000 Steam. 60,000 do	150 11,00 300 56,00		
John Williams. Thomas Pollard,	2.000 Horse. 1.000 do	25 45 12 25	0 5,000	6,500
Thomas Williams. A. Steinberger.	1,000 do 28,000 Steam.	20 45 80 2,20	0 3,300	2,900 5,200 13,000
Collahan & Hanon, Elijah Dodson.	6,000 Horse. 4,000 do	40 , 80 16 45	0 8,000	14,000 6,500
Sager Chadwick, James C. Oliver,	25,000 Steam. 10,000 do	50 50 40 80	0 10,000	16,000
Dennison, Bowman & Co. James Neal,	14,000 do 28,000 do	69 : 1,20 50 1,00	0 12,000	17,000
John Tucker, J. & B. Quigley.	20,000 do	40 80 10 20	0 8,000	14,000
Connery Rhodes & Co. Wm. Williams;	15,000 Steam. 1,000 Horse.	60 1.20 12 24	0 15,000	26,500
B. N. Titus & Co. Henry Guiterman & Co.	6,000.Steam. 12,000 do		8,000	15,500
Sillyman & Reed. James Penman.	13,000 do 3,000 Horse.	40 80	0 7,000 0 7,000	9,100
Wm. Williams, New Castle Township.	1,200 Steam.	36 60		
Wood & Moore, Isaac W. Richardson,	1,000 Hand. 4,000 Horse.	16 17	0 3,200	5,100
Steel & Wood, Joseph G. Lawton,	4,500 Hand. 50,000 Steam.	15 30 125 2,70	0 - 25,000	37,000
Wm. & Thomas John John Hornles	40,000 do 3,000 Hand.	150 3,80 16 30	0' 20,000	3,500
Adams & Miller, David Brown & Co.	60,000 Steam. 10,000 do	100 2,00 100 2.00	14,000	60,000 28,000
Daniel Edwards, Smith & Glenn,	6,000 do 1,000 Hand.	30 60 10 18	1,250	2,200
Samuel Sillyman. Walker, Frantz & Co.	50,000 Steam. 1,000 Hand.	100 2,00 4 9 90 1,00	670	
Francis J. Parvin, Price & Hughes,	10,000 Steame 1,000 Hand.	5 10	960	1,600
Milnes, Haywood & Co. John Pinkerton.	100,000 Steam. 25,000 do 13,000 do	200 4,00 150 3,50 80 1,60	12,000	84,000
Kelly & Fogerty, Sillyn an & Fister, David Chillas,	13,000 do 15,000; do 5,000; Hand. ;	50 1,60 9 18	19,300	28,800 29,000 2,600
Lewis Dougherty, Charles Miller,	14,000 Steam. 60,000 do	40 75 100 2,00	11,000	14,000
E. Norwegian Township. Capewell, Dovey & Co.	10,000 do	75 1,50	Ļ	21,500
Wm. Y. Egard & Co. Winterstein & Headley.	60,000 do 5,000 do	100 2,50 20 40	0 20,060	38,000
Haywood & Co. T. & W. Pollock.	29,000 do 10,000 do	70 1,40 50 1,00	15,250	21,300 31,000
John G. Hughes, James Berry,	50,000 do 1,000 Hand.	$ \begin{array}{ccc} 60 & 1,20 \\ 12 & 18 \end{array} $		28,500 2,900
J. & R. Carter.	13,000 Steam.	200 4,50		102,500
Heaton & Carter, R. Ratcliff & Co.	5,500 do 10,000 do	30 60 70 1,40	0 20,000	126,000
William Donaldson, James Taggert,	3,000 do 6,000 do	60 1,20 40 1,80		30,000 21, 0 00
Schuylkill Township. Charles Bennett.	4,500 Horse.	20 33		9,000
William Cooper. John Tucker,	20,000 Steam.	50 1,30 80 1,95	0 28,000	37,500
C. Sillyman & Co. George H. Potts.	16,000 do 51,315 Steam.	70 1,60 75 2,02	8 20,000	39,000 87,500
Wiggan & Co. Jones, Berkbeck & Co.	5,000 do 7,000 do	8 16 60 1.40		4,800 27,000
Frailey Township. Colt. Gaskins & Lomison,	35,000 Steam. 1,000 do	60 1,75 15 43		45,000 16,000
McCormick & Clark, Molly & Smith, Tremont Township.	5,000 do	15 43		

7,000 6,000 Horse. \$2,527,862 15 16,541 8149,813 \$1,598,549 \$2,856.764 After throwing off all the expenditures made by incorporated Coal and Improvement Companies, embraced in the above table, it will be seen that the investments made by IN

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DIVIDUALS engaged in the trade will exceed TWO MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.
We will reserve further comments until the table is complete. In the mean time, we would be under obligations if the different Operators would furnish us awarded, in a case tried in the Court of Com- with the length of their Railroads under ground, and those in connection with their collieries, mon Pleas, of this County, which exempts not belonging to any of the incorporated lateral Railroad Companies, together with the the wages of laborers mining coal, by the Coal rents paid on the different tracts,—and also with the owners of the land on which they ton or wagon, from attachment for the pay- are inining. Our object is to complete a table that will be of great value to the trade. - In every case where secrecy is desired, it will be strictly complied with.

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ST. VALENTINE'S DAY.

Tremont Township,

Pinegrove Township.

The 11th of February, has long been held

on the tally list as having voted, swear that We devote one column of to-day's Jour- eral outpouring in favor of the project, from they did not vote at the election, and many nal exclusively to our lady-friends. It con- one end of the line to the other. were absent from the Ward. More voters, tains several poetical extracts of much beau-

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THE PEOPLE'S ROAD.

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A few days since, Mr. Frailey, Senator sacred to St. Valentine, a presbyter, who was behaved in Rome in the raign of Charling Senate petitions numerously signed, asking The Remoral Question, -- We learn beheaded in Rome, in the reign of Claudius. Senate peritions numerously signed, assume for an act of incorporation to construct a Railfrom Harrisburg that an effort is making Chaucer mentions the generally received road from Pottsville to Norristown, and on he need to be need to render the Removal a party question in opinion that birds paired at that season, and Saturday last, he read in his place and prethe House. This is to be regretted. No Shakspeare in the "Two Gentlemen of Ve- sented a bill for that purpose. This measure is attracting, at this time, a large share of public attention, and so far as we can understand, a decided feeling in its favor is mani-fested. In the coal region the people are on Orwigsburg, we learn that the people generally, knowing that the removal must take place shortly, are satisfied that it should some it is supposed to have originated in a some it is supposed to have originated in a vicinity are fully sensible of the advantages take place after the next term of the Court. Pagan custom, once prevalent, of boys and which must result from the downlesses of Pagan custom, once prevalent, of boys and which must result from the completion of this great improvement, and they will aid in contested Election case is now progress names from an urn, in which they had been whatever may be necessary to secure this di-

rect communication with the mineral wealth places, and before long we shall have a gen-

DA Left-handed Compliment.-A letter SHERIPP'S TALES of REAL ESTATE.

Flooring, Fencing and Serving Board. Tou will find it to your interest to call and examine for your-selves.

CHURCHMAN & GARRISON,
734 Dock street, Philada.

Feb. 15, 1851

NEW MUSIC.

Therefore all persons having suits pending, and all persons whose duty it shall be to appear at said Court, will take notice and govern themselves accordingly. CHRISTIAN M. STRAUB, Sheriff.

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Flooring, Fencing and Shelving Board. You will find it to your interest to call and examine for your selves.

CHURCHMAN & GARRISON, Anderson John Albright Jacob.

Feb. 15, 1551

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JENETT'S NYIONAL FLUTE TEACHER, comprising conicise and simple rules of instructions, and a complete and beautiful variety of popular airs, quicksteps. Marches, Waltza, Quadrills, &c., and several beautiful Daetts, composed and newly arranged by a distinguished Professor of Music.

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JENETT'S BOOK OF DUITTS, TRIOS AND Quartetts. The Duetts composed and stranged for two violins and two Ulutes; the Trues for the three violins and two Ulutes; the Trues for the three violins and three flutes, and a beautiful selection and arrangement of Quartetts for four instruments, just received and tor sale at B. BANNAN'S Cheap Beok and Music store Centre-st., Pottsville, Feb. 15, 1551

PROCLAMATION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A COURT IN of Compon Please, for the trial of causes at issue in and for the county of Schuylkill, will be field at Orwigsburg, in the county of Schuylkill, will be field as Orwigsburg, in the county of Schuylkill, wi

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Feb. 3, 1851.

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, the Hon-LUTHER KIDDER, Esquire, VP President of the Court of Common Pleas of the county of Schuylkill, in Pennsylvania, and Justice of the several Courts of Quarter Sessions of the Pence, Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery, in Scald county, and Bressawix F. Pourov, and Jacob Hamber, Esquires, Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Pence, Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery, for the trial of all capital and other offences, in the said county of Schuylkill, by their precepts to me directels have ordered a Court of Common Pleas, Over and Terminer and General Gool Delivery, to be holden at Orwigsburg, on Monday the Iohiclay of March next, st II o'clock A M. to continue two works, if necessary.

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REV. ROBERT HURTINGTON. Amongst the eminent men of the last and

present century, may be named Rev. Robert Huntington, the founder of a sect of Antinomians, called after him, Huntingtonians .-In early life he was a Coal heaver, and resided at New Castle, upon the Tyne in England, where he was employed in the busines above designated, and was known then only as a very ignorant, vicious man ; but some instrumentality, he became a inoral not a religious man, and ultimately a ver celebrated preacher. To show how mea his condition at one time: it is stated in a me moir written by himself, after he becam religious, and had learned to read and writ that on one occasion, he was reduced so low by want of employment, and previou sickness, that he was in danger of perishing for want. He states, that having been two days without any food, save a small piece o dry bread and water, Saturday night found him without a morsel of foodsof any kind, for the immediate wants of himself and his wife, and their next day's subsistence. They had locked the door, that their neighbours should not come in upon them, and see their destitution: when he proposed to his wife that they should kneel down, and pray to

God for his mercy in the strait, in which they found themselves. He says, "I poured

"For the Miners' Journal.

out my soul in fervent prayer, and while on my knees, there came a knock at the door: this we paid no attention to, till I had ended my prayer; when on opening the door, we found a loat—a leg of mutton—and a basket herriug. f potatoes. In some short time after this, he became : preacher-had a Chappel built for him-and was listened to, by immense crowds. . Soon this, he lost his wife, and was persuaded to remove to London, where a large Church was built for him, which was always filled to overflowing. Here he rose to great eminence—was followed not only by the masses, but by literary men, and by personof distinction. He soon after married Lady Mary Sanderson-kept his close carriage,

coachman and footman, in livery-had Country Seat, to which he retired in the summer months, and there he built a large

the appurtenances, consisting of a two-story name dwelling house and a stable, and a well of good water near the door-late the estate of CHARLES REIN-OEHLS.

Also, all those undivided thirty-charge one hundredth parts, equal to an undivided interest of the hundredth parts, equal to an undivided interest of think Mr. Wesley's now in Heaven?" The Committee retired and after a short think Mr. Wesley's now in Heaven? The Committee retired and after a short also not an individed interest of think Mr. Wesley's now in Heaven? The Committee retired and after a short think Mr. Wesley's now in Heaven?

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By Telegraph and Yesterday's Mail.

PHILADELPHIA, FRIDAY 4 O'CLOCK. Wheat Flour, \$3,50-Rve, do. \$3.37 per bbl.—Corn Meal, \$2 87 do.—Wheat, led \$1 07. White, \$1 12.—Rye, 70 cents.—Corn 60.—Oats, 44 cents per bushel.— Vhiskey 264 cents per gallon.

Taffray in Minesota .- A rencontre lately ook place at St. Paul's, Minesota, between Ir. Joseph Gooper, a brother of Hon. James Spoper, and a Mr. Goodhue, editor of the oneer of that place. The latter had made n attack in his paper upon Hon. Judge Coopr. then absent, which his brother Joseph resented. An affray ensued in which Mr. C. was slightly wounded with a pistol shot, and Mr. G. stabbed in two places with a knife. Neither dangerously injured.

Twenty-five of the thirty-one States which form this Union, have at this time Locofoco Governors. Even old Massachusetts has now a Locofoco Governor -- Ex

It will not be so two years hence. Locofoo Governorship, where the people know any thing about Whig rule, doesn't generally five long. In Massachusetts, after only three weeks' trial, the Governor has been pronounced . neither fish, flesh nor good red

Convicted .- Pharaoh, the young man ried in West Chester last week for the murder of Miss Sharpless, a school missiress near that borough in September last, was convicted of "murder in the first degree."-The Record says, to give some idea of his haracter: on the way back to his cell, he emarked that he "did not understand such d d-d verdict." -and that it was "a d-d

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Also, allthose undivided thirty-four and eighty-finer one hundredth parts, equal to an undivided interest of 1521 screes, of and in all those ten adjoining tracts of 1521 screes, of and in all those ten adjoining tracts of 1521 screes, of and in all those ten adjoining tracts of 1521 screes, of and in all those ten adjoining tracts of 1521 screes, of and in all those ten adjoining tracts of 1521 screes, of and in all those ten adjoining tracts of 1521 screes, of and in all those ten adjoining tracts of 1521 screes, of and in the township of Tenonu and 1521 screen, of 1521 screen,

opening avenues to every desirable market. and at all seasons of the year. And Wheneas, the range of mountains with the general face of the country between Fremont and Mount Eagle, plainly indicates that a practicable route of very light grade. can be obtained for a Railroad between those

mus. therefore. Resolved. That an effort be made to obtain the passage of a Law by the Legislature of Pennsylvania, incorporating a Company to locate and build a Railroad from or near Tremont, in the County of Schuylkill, o Mount Eagle, in the County of Dauphin. Resolved. That the building of such connecting link of Railroad, will afford a market for Coal to the Schuylkill Region, that under existing circumstances, cannot be made available, and will at the same time