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From the Philadelphia Sun.

SOCRATES AND XANTIPPE.

"OUR" vs. "MY."

Socrates Snooks, a Lord of Creation,
A second time entered the marriage relation;
Xantippe Caloric accepted his hand,
They thought him the happiest man in the land
Ere the first waning honey-moon passed o'er his head,
One morning to Xantippe, Socrates said,—
I think, for a man of my standing in life,
This house is too small, as I now have a wife.
So, as early as possible, Carpenter Cary
Shall widen my house, my barn, and my dairy.
O, Socrates, deary, Xantippe replied,—
I hate to hear everything vulgarly worded.
Whenever a gentleman speaks to his bride,
He ought to say "our!"—no pronoun beside;
So, whenever you talk of your chattels again,
Say *our* dairy, *our* cow-yard, and *our* pig-pen.
With your leave, Mrs Snooks, I will talk as I please,
I'll speak of my horses, my garden, my trees.
Say *our*, the lady cried out in a rage!
I won't, Mrs. Snooks, though you ask me an age.
O woman, though only a piece of man's rib,
If the story in Genesis tells not a fib,
If your naughty companion e'er quarrel with you,
You frequently prove the best man of the two
In the following cave tiff was certainly true,
The lovely Xantippe just pulled off her shoe,
And laying about her on all sides at random,
The adage was verified "nil desperandum."
For Socrates Snooks, after trying in vain
To ward off the blows which pattered like rain,
Believing that "valor's best part was discretion,"
Crept under the bed like a terrified Hessian.
But the dauntless Xantippe, not one whit afraid,
Converted the siege into a blockade;
And when Socrates cried, it's so wearisome here,
She sweetly replied, say "our," my dear.
At length, when he'd reasoned the thing in his pate,
He concluded 'twas useless to strive against fate,
And then like a tortoise protruding his head,
Said, "May we come out from under our bed?"
"Aha," said his wife, "Mr Socrates Snooks,
I see you accede to my terms, by your looks;
I'll let you come out, and from this happy hour,
If you'll only obey me, I'll never look sour."
Tis said, the next Sunday, we going to church,
He chanced for a pair of clean trowsers to search,
Having found them, he asked, with a few nervous twitches,
My dear, may we put on our new linen breeches?

Wit and Humor.

☞ HORRIBLE DREAM.—We once heard a very laughable joke which a hen pecked husband got upon his Mrs. Caudle. He had borne her railing for many a long year, till one morning while she was blustering away about the wood, short potatoes, flour, &c., he remarked very pathetically:

"Jerush, I had a dream last night, a very queer one, and it gives me some uneasiness. I dreamed that I was taken sick and died."

"Well, if it was no more than that," said Jerush, "I wish it had been more than a dream,"

"But that is not all," said the husband. "I went to hell, and when I got there, inquired of one of the imps for the old devil himself, and was shown into presence. The old fellow recognized me at once, and said he, "have you come here to stay?" I told him *I had*. "Well I can't have you here," said he "for if you stay, when Jerush dies she'll come, and then hell will be in an uproar all the time!"

Soon after the completion of the narrative of the dream, there came a fellow's head, which made him obliged to seek quarters elsewhere, till his Jezebel's wrath had subsided.

☞ AN UNBELIEVER.—A Dutch widower, out west, whose better half departed on the long journey to the spirit land some twelve months ago, determined, the other day, to consult the 'Rappers,' and endeavor to obtain spiritual communication, feeling anxious respecting the future State of his wife.—These 'rappers,' be it known, were not the genuine 'mediums,' but of a bogus kind—adventurers endeavoring to reap a harvest out of the late mysterious developements.—After the usual ceremonies, the spirit of Mrs. Hauntz' manifested its willingness to converse with her disconsolate spouse.

'Ish dat you, Mrs. Hauntz? inquired the Dutchman.

'Yes dearest, it is your own wife, who—

'You lie, you tam tevil of a ghost,' interrupted Hauntz, starting from his seat, 'mine frau speak notting but Deitch, and she never said 'tearest' in her life. It was always 'Hauntz, you tief!' or 'Hauntz, you tirty schamp!' and the Dutchman hobbled from the room well satisfied that the 'rapping spirits' were all humbug and that he was safe from any further communication with his shrewish frau on this earth.

☞ PLAIN EXPOSITION.—A schoolboy down east was reading aloud in the Old Testament when coming to the phrase. "making the *waste* places glad," he was asked by the pedagogue what it meant? The youngster paused—scratched his head—but could give no answer, when up jumped a most precocious urchin, and cried out: "I know what it means, master. It means hugging the girls; for Tom Ross is allers huggin' 'em round the waist, and it makes 'em as glad as can be."

☞ ADVICE GRATIS.—When you visit a young lady in a house warmed by hot air from a furnace in the basement, as soon as the conversation ceases to be general, throw a mat or rug over the "Register;" otherwise the kitchen maid will have the benefit of your foolish speeches to retail to her gossips; or perchance, an anxious parent may incline to avail himself of the advantages of this modern whispering gallery. Being a bachelor of experience, we speak by card on this matter.

☞ A TOAST.—Here's a health to all those that we love, and a health to all those that love us, and a health to all them that love those that we love, and a health to all them that love those that love us; including the man who formerly was acquainted with a man who once knew a man (not the one that *we* knew) that used to know a man whom we were some time since very well acquainted with.

☞ THE FOLLOWING orders were given by the Captain of a western steamboat, when she was about to engage in a race with another boat; "Rosin up, thar, and tell the engineer to shut down the safety valve! Give her goss. Gentlemen who haven't stepped up to the captain's office and settled, will please retire to the ladies' cabin till we pass that boat or bust. Fire up!"

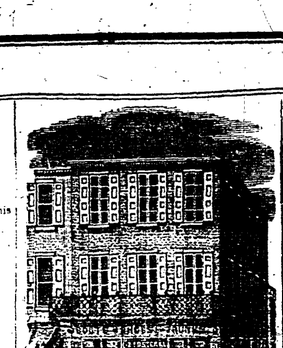
☞ SOME years ago there was a young English nobleman at Washington, who had not much brains, but a vast number of titles. Several ladies were one evening mentioning the number of titles. "He is Lord Viscount so and so, Baron of such a court," &c. "My fair friends,' said Lieut. L., "you have omitted one title, he is *Barren of Intellect*."

☞ MR. REYNOLDS, the Member for Dublin, lately said, that Cardinal Wiseman "was born of Irish parents, in Seville, in Spain; he lived there until he was seven years old, and after that visited his own *native country* of Waterford."

☞ GEORGE COLEMAN getting out of a hackney coach one night, gave the driver a shilling. "This is a bad shilling sir," said the driver. "Then it is all right," said George, with his inimitable chuckle, "it is all right; yours is a bad coach."

"TIS SAID that absence conquers love, but I believe it not," as the loafer said when he looked into the *empty rum jug*.

☞ A CURIOSITY.—Grass taken from the path of rectitude.



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Our stock of Gum Elastic Shoes are of the best manufacture and articles the country can afford. Ladies and Gentlemen would do well to call and provide themselves with good Gum Shoes, the best preventive yet discovered of Colds Coughs and Consumption.
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Boots and Shoes, made and repaired to order.
TERMS CASH.
Dec. 15, 1849. 49-1y

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2 inch 3-ply per foot	11 cents.	4-ply	13 cents.
3 " "	15 "	"	17 "
4 " "	19 "	"	24 "
5 " "	23 "	"	30 "
6 " "	27 "	"	35 "
7 " "	31 "	"	40 "
8 " "	35 "	"	45 "
9 " "	42 "	"	55 "
10 " "	50 "	"	65 "
11 " "	55 "	"	70 "
12 " "	62 "	"	75 "
13 " "	66 "	"	85 "
14 " "	75 "	"	90 "
15 " "	80 "	"	97 "
16 " "	85 "	"	1,05 "
18 " "	95 "	"	1,18 "
20 " "	1,05 "	"	1,30 "

WATER HOSE

½ inch, per foot,	22 cents.		
¾ " "	25 "		
1 " "	28 "		
1¼ " "	30 "		
1½ " "	33 "		
1¾ " "	38 "		
2 " "	50 "		
2½ " "	55 "		
3 " "	60 "		
3½ " "	65 "		

For sale, at Factory prices, by B. BANNAN, Agent for the Manufacturers.
Also, Steam Packing of ½ to 1 inch thick Car Springs, Rings, &c., for Water Pipes.
April 12, 1851 15—

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THE SUBSCRIBER HAVING MADE Arrangements in various parts of Ireland and Scotland, and with Messrs. SPOONER, ATWOOD & CO., Bankers, London, is prepared to draw Sight Bills from One Pound Sterling to any amount required, payable in all parts of England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales.
Persons remitting Five Dollars to the Pound in paid funds, with the name of the person who is to draw the money, a bill for the amount, with a receipt for *them to hold, will be returned.*
Collections made in all parts of Europe, and Foreign Bills of Exchange cashed.
J. P. SHERWIN, Pottsville, Pa.
Jan. 4, 1851 1-1f

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Mackerel,	Cheese,	Butter,
Salmon,	Beef,	Hams,
Herring,	Pork,	Sides,
Codfish,	Lard,	Shoulders, &c.

☞ Charles F. Norton, of this place, acts as salesman for this concern, and invites his friends to call. All orders promptly attended to.
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Sept 7, 1850 36-3mo

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At the Phila. Wardrobe, S. E. Cor. Market & 6th Sts.
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Selling for Cash only enables us to offer Clothing at a very trifling advance.
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Southeast Corner Market and Sixth Streets.
March 15, 1851. 11-1f

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For the Cure of
COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, BRONCHITIS, WHOOPING-COUGH, CROUP, ASTHMA, AND CONSUMPTION.
Among the numerous discoveries Science has made in this generation to facilitate the business of life—increase its enjoyment, and even prolong the term of human existence, none can be named of more real value to mankind, than this contribution of Chemistry to the Healing Art. A vast trial of its virtues throughout this broad country, has proven beyond a doubt, that no medicine or combination of medicines yet known, can so surely control and cure the numerous varieties of pulmonary disease which have hitherto swept from our midst thousands and thousands every year. *Indeed, there is now abundant reason to believe a Remedy has at length been found which can be relied on to cure the most dangerous affections of the lungs.* Our space here will not permit us to publish any proportion of the cures *effected* by its use, but we would present the following opinions of eminent men, and refer further enquiry to the circular which the Agent below named, will always be pleased to furnish free, wherein are *full particulars*, and indisputable proof of these facts.
From the President of Amherst College, the celebrated *Professor HITCHCOCK.*
"James C. Ayer—Sir: I have used your *Cherry Pectoral* in my own case of deep-seated Bronchitis, and am satisfied from its chemical constitution, that it is an admirable compound for the relief of laryngial and bronchial *difficulties. If my opinion as to its superior character can be of any service, you are at liberty to use it as you think proper.*
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"I deem the *Cherry Pectoral* an admirable composition from some of the best articles in the Materia Medica, and a very effective remedy for the class of diseases it is intended to cure."
NEW HAVEN, CT., Nov. 1, 1849.
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Prepared and sold by JAS. C. AYER, Practical Chemist, Lowell, Mass.
Sold in Pottsville, by JOHN G. BROWN; Minersville, J. B. FALLS; and Druggists generally.
April 5, 1851 14-3m

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B. BANNAN,
Bookseller, Publisher and Manufacturer.
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BROOKVILLE, FIRE-CLAY, EARTHEN AND STONE-WARE MANUFACTORY.
THE PROPRIETOR OF THIS MANUFACTORY, near Brookville, in Schuylkill county, Pa., respectfully solicits custom of the surrounding Storekeepers for the articles of his manufacture, where he offers as *great a variety* and as cheap and lower in price than the trade of this region have ever yet bought. They consist in part of Rockingham-ware, viz: Pitchers, Coffee-Pots, Tea-Pots, Sugar-Bowls, Creams, Fruit-Plates, Spittoons, &c. &c.
STONEWARE, FIRE-PROOF PUDDING DISHES,

"	"	"	Nappies "
"	"	"	Pie "
"	"	"	Vegetable "
"	"	"	Baking Plates, &c.

Also, Yellow Stoneware, Ginger and Root Beer Bottles, Jugs, Pitchers, Bowls, Preserves, Jelly and Pickling Jars; Jelly and Cake Moulds, Basins, Ewers and Chambers, and generally every article manufactured. He also, manufactures to order the following:
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Nov. 23, 1850 47-1f

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Specimens may be seen at the office of the subscribers.
HARRISON, BROTHERS & Co.,
No. 431 South Front St., Philada.
April 22, 1848. 17-1f

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THE SUBSCRIBERS WOULD MOST RESPECTfully inform the public, that they are now prepared to manufacture all kinds of either White Pine, Yellow Pine or Hemlock lumber, Plastering Lath or Shingles, at their Saw Mills, in Penn township, Schuylkill county, about 9 miles from Tamaqua. They hope, by selling at fair prices and a disposition to render satisfaction to all who may have dealings with them, to merit a liberal share of *patronage*.
All orders thankfully received and speedily executed. They will contract for delivering lumber at any station along the Reading Railroad or Schuylkill Canal.
Persons wishing information respecting the prices of lumber, will please address Franklin C. Smith, Agent, Tamaqua, or the undersigned at Pottstown, Montgomery county.
SMITH & MINTZER.
Jan. 25, 1851 4-6m

New Steam Saw Mill.
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JOHN TEMPLE
August 17, 1850 33-1y

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HAVING AGENCIES, AT CAMDEN, NEW JERsey, opposite Philadelphia, are prepared to insure approved risks, against loss or damage by Fire, among others interesting to Scranton, Carbondale, Pa., are the various colliery establishments, which the above Companies insure at moderate premiums.
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J. M. WRIGHT, Agent F. & P. I. Co.
February 1, 1851. 5—3m

INDEMNITY.
THE FRANKLIN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA.
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DIRECTORS.

Charles N. Bancker,	George W. Richards
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Continue to make Insurance, permanent or limited *on every description of property*, in town and country at rates as low as are consistent with security.
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Mortgages,	$390,555 65	Stocks,	51,563 25
Real Estate,	108 356 00	Cash, &c.,	45,157 87
Temporary Loans,	125,459 00		
			$1,220,097 67

Since their incorporation, a period of eighteen years, they have paid upwards of *one million two hundred thousand dollars*, losses by fire, thereby affording evidence of the advantages of insurance, as well as the ability and disposition to meet with promptness, all liabilities.
CHARLES N. BANCKER, President.
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Pottsville, Jan 11, 1851

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The following are a few examples from the Register:

Policy.	Sum Insured.	Bonus or addition.	Am't of policy and bonus to be paid by future additions.
No 58	$1000	$252 50	$1,252 50
" 89	2500	656 25	3,156 25
" 276	5000	475	2,475 00
" 333	5000	1187 50	6,187 50
&c.	&c.	&c.	&c.

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B. W. RICHARDS, President
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B. BANNAN.
June 29, 1850 26-1y

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Dec 29, 1849. 53-1f

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Dec. 14, 1850 50-3t

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(ESTABLISHED IN 1851.)
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P. W. BYRNES & CO., 28 WATERLOO ROAD, Liverpool, 13 EDEN QUAY, Dublin.
FOR REMITTANCES TO AND PASSAGE FROM *Great Britain and Ireland.*
ARRANGEMENTS FOR 1851.—The subscribers beg to inform the public throughout the United States and Canadas, that they have completed their arrangements for the year 1851. Persons sending for their friends, or those returning to the "Old Country," will find it their interest to select our several magnificent and well-known Lines of Packets, sailing as below, for their conveyance. No expense has been spared to have Emigrants made comfortable during the voyage. All passengers engaged with us will be shipped under the superintendence of our own Firm;—being the Oldest Established and most extensive in the Trade, and with such unequalled arrangements, Emigrants will meet with facilities from us, that no other House can furnish. We can confidently assert, without fear of contradiction, that of the hundreds of Thousands sent out by us during the last "Twenty-six Years," not one has had just cause of complaint.
All our engagements are plainly stated, and when made are strictly adhered to. The undermentioned Vessels comprise our Lines of Liverpool Packets:
THE "SWALLOW TAIL LINE," SAILS FROM New York on the 6th and 21st, and from Liverpool on the 6th and 21st of every month, comprises
THE CONSTITUTION, Capt. John Britain;
" QUEEN OF THE WEST, " F. H. Hallet;
" LIVERPOOL, " J. Gordon;
" AMERICA, " J. McWilliams;
" NEW WORLD, " E. Knight;
" ALBERT GALLATIN, " J. A. Delano;
NEW SHIP
" CONSTANTINE, " R. L. Aunting.
THE "RED STAR LINE," SAILS FROM NEW York 11th and from Liverpool 26th every month, are
The CONSTELLATION, Capt. W. W. Allen;
" WATERLOO, " E. Harvey;
" WEST POINT, " F. C. Allen;
" HYDENBWRIER, " J. Collyer.
THE "DRAMATIC LINE," SAILS FROM NEW York 25th, and from Liverpool 11th every month, are
The ROSCIUS, Captain J. Shoppy;
" SIDDONS, " E. Hewes;
" GARRICK, " C. R. Adams;
" HENRY CLAY, " F. M. French.
The following comprise our "AMERICAN," and "SAINT GEORGE'S LINE PACKETS," sailing from New York and Liverpool every five days: The Saint George, Atlantic, David Cannon, Westmoreland, Andrew Foster, Washington, Rhein, Saint Patrick, Crescent, De Witt Clinton, Charles Crooker, Mermon, Saint Louis, Empire State, Josephine, Jamestown, and many others, which this limited space will not admit of here enumerating. In addition to the above Magnificent Lines, the subscribers will despatch from Dublin, Drogheda, Belfast, Cork, Galway, Sligo, Waterford, &c., &c., First Class American Ships, to New York, and other Ports, every two days.
LONDON LINE OF PACKETS, comprising the following Magnificent Vessels, sailing as follows:

FROM NEW YORK.			
PRINCE ALBERT,	1st May,	1st Sept.	
AMERICAN CONGRESS,	16th "	16th "	16th "
YORKTOWN,	1st Feb.	1st June,	1st Oct.
INDEPENDENCE,	16th "	16th "	16th "
LONDON,	1st March,	1st July,	1st Nov.
CORNELIA GRINNELL,	16th "	16th "	16th "
PATRICK HENRY,	1st April,	1st Aug.	1st Dec.
SIR ROBERT PEEL,	16th "	16th "	16th "
FROM LONDON.			
PRINCE ALBERT,	21st Feb.	21st June,	21st Oct.
AMER'N CONGRESS,	5th Mar.	5th July,	5th Nov.
YORKTOWN,	21st "	21st "	21st "
INDEPENDENCE,	5th April,	5th Aug.	5th Dec.
LONDON,	21st "	21st "	21st "
CORNELIA GRINNELL,	5th May,	5th Sept.	5th Jan.
PATRICK HENRY,	21st "	21st "	21st "
SIR ROBERT PEEL,	5th June,	5th Oct.	5th Feb.
FROM PORTSMOUTH.			
PRINCE ALBERT,	24th Feb.	24th June,	24th Oct.
AMER'N CONGRESS,	8th Mar.	8th July,	8th Nov.
YORKTOWN,	24th "	24th "	24th "
INDEPENDENCE,	8th April	8th Aug.	8th Dec.
LONDON,	24th "	24th "	24th "
CORNE'S GRINNELL,	8th May,	8th Sept.	8th Jan.
PATRICK HENRY,	24th "	24th "	24th "
SIR ROBERT PEEL,	8th June,	8th Oct.	8th Feb.

THE NEW LINE OF PHILADELPHIA PACKETS, sails from Liverpool on the 18th of each month, and comprises
The JAMES BROWN, Capt. A. Udhl;
CONDAR, " J. G. Barstow;
NEW SHIP,
JAMES H. GLIDDEN, " Ambrose Child.
THE BALTIMORE LINE OF PACKETS SAILS from Liverpool on the 8th of each month, is comprised:
The MARY HALE, Capt C. H. Rollins;
FRANCONIA, " J. A. Smith;
ANNAPOLIS, " J. C. Graham;
AUGUSTUS, " T. Lord.
In all cases where persons decline coming the money will be refunded without deduction, on returning us the Passage Certificate and Receipt.
Remittances to England, Ireland, Scotland & Wales.
The subscribers have at all times for sale DRAFTS in sums to suit the parties, on the NATIONAL BANK OF IRELAND AND ALL ITS BRANCHES, &c., which are paid free of discount in all the principal towns throughout the United Kingdom. Persons residing in the country, and wishing to send money to their friends, may insure its being done correctly, on their remitting us the amount they wish sent, with the name and address of the person for whom it is intended; a Draft will then be forwarded per first SAILING PACKETS or STEAMER, and a Receipt returned by mail.
P. W. & Co. have well known responsible Agents in all the seaport towns in IRELAND, SCOTLBND and WALES from whence Steamers leave for Liverpool, and in many of the interior towns, who are most attentive to Emigrants on embarcation, at the moderate rate of 5s. for each adult passenger, and the payment of our Drafts, are so perfect that no possible delay or disappointment can occur.
For Passage apply personally, or address by letter, post paid, P. W. BYRNES & CO.,
82 South street, New York,
or BRANNAN, Pottsville.
If you desire your business transacted *promptly and safely*, call at B. Bannan's Office, where the drafts are issued, payable in all parts of Europe without discount, at any of the Banks, and without any delay.
Jan. 11, 1851 2-1f

CLOTHING, CLOTHING, CLOTHING
CHEAPER THAN EVER!
At "OLD OAK HALL," corner of Centre and Mahanoy streets.
THE PUBLIC ARE RESPECTFULLY INFORMED that the alterations to Old Oak Hall Clothing House, have at length been completed, and that a most EXTENSIVE ASSORTMENT OF FALL AND WINTER CLOTHING has been purchased for the coming season, at prices far lower than any heretofore offered in Pottsville. The attention of the public is directed to the fact that this is the only Clothing Establishment in Schuylkill County, where every article of Clothing is made that is exposed for sale, and consequently this establishment possesses advantages which enable them to sell
CHEAPER THAN ANY OTHER
Clothing House in the County can possibly do. A saving to purchasers of
TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT.
can be effected here, over all City made Clothing—no difference is now made whatever, between the wholesale and retail price of goods—it having been determined to bring the selling price down to the low cash and cheapest rate.
As this is exclusively a *Cash Store*, but ONE PRICE IS ASKED, from which no abatement will in any instance be made—and is intended to bear in mind that the IMMENSE STOCK OF CLOTHING at "Old Oak Hall," is cut and made in the most approved and fashionable city styles, and is entirely different in make and appearance to the Clothing generally sold in the country.
The public are invited to call and judge for themselves, before making their purchases of Fall and Winter Clothing; and remember that only one price is asked, which is the best guarantee that can be given to protect the public from imposition.
All persons who desire the cheapest, best, and most fashionable Clothing, do not forget to call at
C. T. TAYLOR'S,
(late Lippincott & Taylor's Old Establishment,)
Old Oak Hall, cor. Centre and Mahantango Sts.
(Opposite the Exchange Warehouse.)
A CARD.
EDWARD T. TAYLOR, HAVING JUST RETURNED from Philadelphia and New York, with one of the largest assortments of fashionable Cloths, Cassimeres and Rich Silk Vestings, &c., ever introduced in Pottsville, begs to inform his numerous patrons and the public generally, that he is prepared to execute their orders in style of fashion that cannot be surpassed in or out of Philadelphia, and at prices suited to the times. E. T. TAYLOR,
Merchant Tailor.
[Late of the firm of Lippincott & Taylor.]
August 24, 1850 34-1f

NEW HOUSE Furnishing DRY GOODS
AT LOW PRICES.
SHEPPARD & VAN HARLINGEN, 274 CHESTNUT Street, above 6th Phila., respectfully call the attention of Families and Buyers to their extensive and perfectly fresh Stock of First Class Linen and House Furnishing Goods, consisting in part of
BEST MAKE Housewife Sheeting Linens.
do Barnaly and Irish Sheetings,
do Pillow Case Linens,
do Damask Table Cloths,
do Damask Table Linens,
do Damask Napkins, Doylies and Towels,
do Tow clings of all descriptions,
do Marseilles Quilts and Counterpanes,
do Blankets, English and American,
do French Table and Piano Covers,
do Furniture Chintzes and Dimitees
do Emb'd Lace and Muslin Curtains,
do Worsted Damasks and Moreens.
Our Stock is made up entirely of Staple Goods, and being principally of our own importation, and bought for cash, we offer to buyers, either Wholesale or Retail, very great inducements.
N. B. Always on hand of best quality, a General Assortment of Cambric Handkerchiefs, Jaconet, Book, Mull, Swiss and Cambric Muslins; also Shirting Sheeting and Pillow Case Muslins, Tickings, Furniture Checks, &c., &c., at Wholesale prices.
March 29, 1851 12-6m

POTTSVILLE LIVERY STABLE.
THE UNDERSIGNED RESPECTFULLY announce to the citizens of Pottsville and vicinity, that Charles P. Miller,