Wit and Humor.

A CLOWNISH JOKE.

Upon some hasty errand Tom was sent,
And met the parish curate as he went;
But just like what he was—a perfect clown—
It seems he passed him with a covered crown.
The gowrsman stopped, and turning, sternly said
"I doubt, my lad, you're iller taught than fed."
"Why, aye," says Tom still jogging on, "that's true,
Thank God, he feeds me but I'm taught by you."

BUSINESS TRANSACTION.

"Have you got a haxe to sell?" inquired a cockney, as he entered a Yankee's retail shop in the Queen of the West.

"Axe? well, I guess I have."

"Well, I wants a 'atchet."

"Hatchet? Oh! well, I can accommodate you I reckon, Mister: you don't want to chop your letters off, nor nothing;" and the Yankee thrust his tongue in one side of his mouth, and grinned.

"Let's see your 'atchets."

"Here's a first chop one, worth a dollar, but seein' it's you, you may take it for three shillings and ninepence."

"Ow much be that?"

"Sixty two and a half cents, 'cactly."

"I'll give you fifty, fellaw."

"Oh, couldn't think on't—cost me sixty cents." "No, mister, we can't trade. I must make a leetle profit," and the shopkeeper was replacing his articles.

"Well sir, I'll give you sixty-two cents."

"Oh! well, mister, I never stand for half a cent."

The exquisite paid down two quarters and a levy, which the Yankee put into his drawer, and handed him the hatchet.

"I want my 'alf cent," said John Bull.

"Well, mister, how on earth can I give you a half cent—we've no coins of that sort; you'd better buy something else, and I'll make it even."

"No—I must have my half cent."

"Well, mister, if you must have it, you must, that's all, but you won't want another, I reckon." Saying this, he took the hatchet from his customer's hand, and walking to the door laid a cent on the stone.

"Stop! stop! fellow! —you'll ruin me 'atchet."

He was not in time, however. The Yankee had already cut the cent on the doorstone in two parts, merely remarking that those, who were determined to have a half cent, ought to pay the expense of getting it."

Any one of no vast erudition will find a very instructive moral in the above, and for naught we know, the suggestion contained in it will be of great advantage to the Board of Currency.

FIT FOR A LAWYER.

An old lady walked into a lawyer's office lately, when the following conversation took place:

Lady.—Squire, I called to see if you would like to take this boy and make a lawyer of him.

Lawyer.—The boy appears rather young, madam. How old is he?

Lady—Seven years, sir.

Lawyer.—He is too young—decidedly too young. Have you no boys older?

Lady.—Oh yes, sir, I have several; but we have concluded to make farmers of the others. I told my man I thought this little feller would make a first rate lawyer, and so I called to see if you would take him.

Lawyer.—No madam: he is too young yet, to commence the study of the profession.—But why do you think this boy so much better calculated for a lawyer than your other sons?

Lady.—Why, you see, sir, he's just seven years old to-day; when he was only five, he'd *lie* like all nature, when he got to be six, he was *sassy* and *impudent*—as any critter could be; and now he'll *steal* everything he can lay his hand on.

"DOING A LANDLORD."

There really seems to be no limit to the art of swindling. The following case given in the Baltimore *Sun*, illustrates the "prevailing style" at present:

Some few days ago a man called upon the owner of a vacant house, obtained the key, examined the premises, approved, and agreed with the landlord to take them. Before he had time to move in, however, a person met the landlord, and asked if the house aforesaid had been taken by the former naming him. The landlord said it had: and the querist then cautioned the landlord against receiving him as a tenant, alleging that he designed to use the house for certain illicit practices, which shall be nameless.—Shocked at the idea, the honest landlord posted off in quest of his new tenant, and having found him, pressed an objection to his taking possession. The tenant remonstrated, vowed he had been slandered, but could not get a very clear account of his purpose. However, after some higgling, the man having taken possession of the key on his side, consented to relinquish his right for the sum of five dollars, in good and lawful money, then and there paid over. The bargain was struck, and the money paid, and the landlord retired with the satisfaction of a fortunate escape, at a moderate premium: but he had the further satisfaction to find, shortly afterward, that his tenant and his precious adviser were confederates in a game which had cost him, as their honest and credulous dupe, the five dollars aforesaid.

☞ SAM SLICK says, writing from England:—"Arter all, they hain't got no Indgin corn here; they can't raise it, nor punkinpies, nor quinces, nor pea-nuts, nor silkworms, nor nothin'. Then, as to their farmin'—Lord! only look at five great elephant-lookin' beasts in one plough, with one great lummokin' fellow to hold the handle, and another to carry the whip, and a boy to lead, whose boots have more iron on 'em than the horses huffs have, all crawlin' as if they was a-goin' to a funeral. What sort of way is that to do work? It makes me mad to look at 'em. If there is any airthly clumsy fashion of doin' a thing, that's the way they are always sure to git here. They are a benighted, obstinate, bull-headed people, the English, that's a fact, and always was."

☞ A GOOD ONE.—Davy Crockett happened to be present at an exhibition of animals, some time ago, at least, in the city of Washington, where a monkey seemed to attract his particular attention, and he abstractedly observed, "If that fellow had on a pair of spectacles he would look like Major Wright, of Ohio." The Major happened to be just behind Crockett and overheard the observation, and gently tapped Davy on the shoulder, when he, Davy, very formally remarked, "I'll be hanged, Major, if I know whose pardon to ask—*your's or the monkey's.*"

☞ WIDE AWAKE.—A Scotchman who lately put up at an inn in the town of Hudson, was asked in the morning how he had slept. "Troth, man," replied Donald, "nae very well either, but I was muckle better off than the *bugs*, for de'il ane o' them closed an e'e the hale night."

☞ A WOMAN quarreling with her husband, told him she believed if she was to die, he would marry the devil's daughter.—"The law does not allow a man to marry two sisters, replied the tender husband.

POTTSVILLE ACADEMY.

THE undersigned having been entrusted with the direction of the Pottsville Academy, takes the liberty to recommend this Institution to the patronage of the public. The principal, who received his education in the best universities of Germany and Paris, and who has been for several years engaged in teaching in this country, will teach ancient and modern languages, as Latin, Greek, Hebrew, German and French, the higher branches of Mathematics, as Geometry, Algebra, Surveying, Mensuration and Calculus, as well as Natural Philosophy and the principles of Chemistry; while Mr. J. T. STOCKTON, a graduate of Yale College and a practical Book-keeper, will take charge of the English branches, as Spelling, Reading, Writing, Composition, Rhetoric, Arithmetic, History and Geography. The principles of Book-keeping will be taught and the pupils exercised in the keeping of fictitious accounts by double entry. Maria G. Ayer, a graduate of New Hampshire Female Seminary, has been engaged to teach the Elementary branches and Drawing. Even the smallest boys will be faithfully taught by the teachers themselves, and to young men an opportunity will be afforded to prosecute their studies as far as at any of our common Colleges. With a strict discipline shall be combined a respectful and kind treatment of the scholars. Pupils from abroad can be accommodated with boarding on moderate terms, in respectable private boarding houses. Those desiring to learn the German language thoroughly, can find admittance in an accomplished German family. The terms of Tuition are as hitherto, $21 yearly, for Languages and Drawing $8 extra. The year is divided into 3 sessions, 1st from the 1st Monday in Sept. to New Year, $10, extra $3; 2d, from New Year to the 2d Monday in April, $7 and $2 50 extra, 3d from thence to the 3d Monday in July, $7, and $2 50 extra. Bills payable at the end of the first month of each session. It is highly important that every scholar should enter the School with the commencement of the first session.

L. ANGELE, Principal.

July 12, 1851 — 28-1y

REMITTANCES to the OLD COUNTRY.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAVING MADE Arrangements in various parts of Ireland and Scotland, and with Messrs. SPONNER 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 par 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-tf

Franklin Venitian Blind Manufactory.

JACOB BEAN, No. 300 MARKET STREET, TWO doors above Sixth, opposite Franklin Square, Philadelphia, where he will keep constantly on hand or manufacture to order a superior and fashionable assortment of Venitian Blinds, unsurpassed for lightness, richness, durability and finish, which will be sold on the most reasonable terms. He respectfully solicits a continuation of the patronage of his old friends and the readers of the Miners' Journal, and invite all who study economy, in the way of *cheap* and excellent Blinds, to give him a call.

N. B. Old Blinds neatly repaired, painted and trimmed. Orders from the country carefully put up.

Phila., Oct. 19, 1850 — 42-1y

N. M NEWNAM'S

(*Beatty's Row, Norwegian street, Pottsville, Penna.*)

Plumbing Shop.

HAS CONSTANTLY ON HAND A SUPPLY OF all sizes of Lead Pipe, Sheet Lead, Block Tin, Bath Tubs, Shower Baths, Hydrants, Hose, Double and Single Acting Pumps and Water Closets; also, all kinds of Brass Cocks for water and steam, Brass Oil Cups, and Glass for Engines. All kinds of Copper Work and Plumbing done in the neatest manner at the shortest notice.

N. B. Cash paid for old Brass and Lead.

Pottsville, Oct. 26, 1850. — 43-tf

COACH MAKER'S REMOVAL.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAVING FITTED upon one of the largest Coach Shops in the State, in Coal Street, Pottsville, (next to J. I. Adams & Co.'s Screen Factory, where his facilities for manufacturing all kinds of Carriages and Light Waggons cannot be surpassed—being a practical Mechanic, and having a numberof years' experience in the business, he hopes to give general satisfaction.

All kinds of Carriages and Light Wagons kept on hand, or second-hand Waggons for sale.

All repairs neatly done. Orders from a distance promptly attended to.

WISTAR A. KIRK.

June 7, 1848 — 23-tf

CARPETS and FLANNELS for SALE.

THE SUBSCRIBER RESPECTFULLY CALLS the attention of his customers and the public generally to his stock of Imperial Lining, and Rag Carpets, and also Flannels and Matts, Ingrain Carpet from 50 to 80 cents, Listing 56, Rag Carpets from 37½ to 45 cents per yard, Imperial Carpets *marketed all wool and fast colors* at 90 cents per yard, and Silk Carpets, Venetian and Hair from 25 to 28.

J. FRANKLIN BARRIS,
Manufacturer of Carpets and Flannels,
North West Corner of Centre and Minersville Streets,
Pottsville Pa.

July 26, 1851 — 30-tf

Dr. Swayne's Family Medicines

STILL ANOTHER REMARKABLE Cure of Consumption,

And its dangerous attendants, after having been given up to die by Physicians and Friends, the annals of history cannot furnish a parallel

It should be extensively known throughout the world for there are thousands laboring under similar diseases, which will prove fatal, unless arrested by the powerful AGENCY OF DR. SWAYNE'S COMPOUND SYRUP OF WILD CHERRY.

READ, AND BE CONVINCED.

POINT OF ROCKS, Frederick County, Md., } June 8th, 1851.

DR. SWAYNE.—*Dear Sir*:—Believing it a duty I owe to the public, and in justice to you, I have thought proper to make known one of the most extraordinary cures, in my own case, that has ever been truly recorded. In the month of October last I was afflicted with a severe gathering in my breast, which formed a large abscess, and also commenced to ulcerate, and very much afflicted them, and discharged large quantities of corruption, external and internal. Attend ts large quantities passed through my Lungs, which I threw up. My breath could be passed through my Lungs, as I cut through the cavity of my breast with apparent ease, attended with a violent cough, day and night, loss of sleep, and in the extreme debility, so that my physicians thought my case entirely hopeless and beyond the power of medicine.—I remained in this wretched condition for a long time until I was reduced to a mere skeleton, and there seemed to be no hope for me, but having read in the public papers of the many wonderful cures performed by your CELEBRATED COMPOUND SYRUP OF WILD CHERRY, I immediately sent to Baltimore for five bottles and commenced its use, and to my great satisfaction and anxious family, the abscess or opening in my lungs began to heal, and the cough subside, and on using ten bottles I was restored to perfect health. I feel very grateful and firmly believe, that to your valuable medicine, under the blessing of Providence, I owe my life, and rejoiced for the great change, and I am happy to say that I am now enjoying as good health as I ever have.

For the satisfaction of those who are not acquainted with me, I append to this certificate the names of gentlemen well and favorably known to a large portion of Maryland and Virginia, and who I feel sure will doubtless induce all who are similarly afflicted to try your wonderful and invaluable Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry. Yours, Very Respectfully,

THOMAS DIXON.

The subscriber is well acquainted with Thomas Dixon, and can testify that he has been afflicted as above represented. I regard his recovery almost a miracle. He is a worthy member of society.

JAMES R. DURBOROW,
Pastor of Berlin Circuit, Baltimore Conference.

We, the undersigned, residents of the Point of Rocks and vicinity, are acquainted with Thomas Dixon' and know him to have been afflicted as above represented and was thought by his friends, as well as by many of our skilful physicians, to be past recovery, but by the exclusive use of that inestimable remedy, *Dr. Swayne's Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry*, is now restored to perfect health, and we feel duty bound to recommend this valuable medicine to all who may be similarly afflicted.

Fred. Rizer, Merchant,	J. O. Thomas,
Lloyd C. Belt, "	W. H. Smith,
Samuel W. Hauser, "	E. W. McGill,
William S. Watkins, "	Philip Haines,
John Walter, "	Philip Mehrbaum,

The above invaluable medicine is the result of many years extensive practice in Philadelphia by Dr. Swayne.

Very Important Caution.

Remember no preparation of Wild Cherry is genuine, except the original article as prepared by Dr. Swayne. See that his *Portrait* is on the wrapper around each bottle. Unless you obtain this Compound you will never know the real virtues of Wild Cherry.

DYSPEPSIA OR WORMS.

Swayne's Celebrated Vermifuge

A safe and efficacious remedy for Worms, Dyspepsia, Cholera Morbus, Sickly or Dyspeptic children or adults: and the most useful Family Medicine ever offered to the Public.

J. J. AYRES, a highly respectable merchant of Williamsport, Md., states: I have tried your Vermifuge in my own family, and can speak in the very highest terms of it. My wife is so much pleased with it she will use no other.

Remember! none is genuine except that in square bottles, with the portrait of Dr. SWAYNE on each wrapper.

☞ See that the name is spelt correctly.

SWAYNE.

Dr. Swayne's Sugar Coated Sarsaparilla and Extract of Tar Pills.

These are undoubtedly the best Pills offered to the public, and no family should be without them. Safe and easy in their operation, without producing any griping pain or unpleasant feelings. They are peculiarly adapted to cleanse and purify, thereby rendering it fit to nourish and invigorate the whole system. A few doses will oftentimes prevent a severe attack of sickness, and for complaints to which females are subject, they are invaluable. No Pills can have a better effect than these for monthly irregularities which occasionally happen to women. They assist at the commencement of puberty; also when there is a check from cold, or improper exposure, and even at the time of their entire cessation. By taking this medicine women would be carried on through with the change of life without danger or infringement on their more youthful days of womanhood.

Be particular to obtain the genuine, see that they are in boxes turned out of the solid wood, covered with a red label with the signature of DR. SWAYNE thereon.

REMOVAL.

DR. SWAYNE, Proprietor of the, widely celebrated COMPOUND SYRUP OF WILD CHERRY AND OTHER FAMILY MEDICINES, has removed his Principal Office from the corner of Eighth and Race street, to No. 4 NORTH SEVENTH Street, above Market, Philadelphia, where all orders must be addressed.

AGENTS FOR SCHUYLKILL COUNTY.

JOHN G. BROWN,	Pottsville, Pa.
J. CURTIS C. HUGHES,	
JAMES B. FALLS,	Minersville, Pa.
JOHN W. GIBBS,	

C. & G. HUNTZINGER, H. J. SHEAFER, Schuylkill Haven, H. SHOELER, Port Carbon; JOHN A. OTTO, Taylorsville; H. F. HAAS, Tuscarora; E. J. FOX, Tamaqua; G. REIFSNYDER, New Castle; W. MONTREITH, W. Patch St. Clair; MYER & SILLYMAN, Patterson; PAUL BAAS, Pinegrove; KEEL & BARNDT, Tremont; COCHILL & SON, Llewellyn; JOHN WILLIAMS, Middleport; C. FRAILEY, Orwigsburg; CONNOR & RHOADS New Philadelphia; S. MERTZ, Orwigsburg Landing; J. STARTON, McKeansburg; JACOB KAUFFMAN, and G. & E. WEIST, Lower Mahantango; and by all Dealers in medicine everywhere.

☞ Agents wishing a fresh supply of Dr. SWAYNE'S MEDICINES will please send their orders to the Principal Office, Philadelphia.

Sept. 13, 1851. — 37-1y

JUST RECEIVED A BEAUTIFUL ASSORTment of Ladies' Garnet and Pearl Breast, Pins, Bracelets and Ear Rings, for sale low by

BRADY & ELLIOTT.

Dec. 14, 1850. — 50-tf

RAGE FOR ANNEXATION.

THE friends of peace and order need not fear to go in strong for Davy's Annexation Air-Tight Cooking Stove, because they have no difficulty to manage it, and it performs to admiration—Every House-keeper is want of a Cooking Stove, should go in for one of them which burns either wood or coal, (six sizes.) call and see for yourselves, the recommendations from those that have this Stove in use. For Parlor, Hall or Office, the Gas Burner stands unrivalled, and is therefore highly recommended, warranted to perform well, is very clean, easily managed, and economical. Also, a very extensive assortment of almost all kinds of Stoves and Patterns that can be named, and too numerous to mention. The Public, my Customers, Friends, and the Trade, are invited to call if in want of Stoves. Castings for repairing kept on hand.

N. B. Davy's Annexation Cook and Gas Burner, are only for sale at

JACOB P. PLEIS'
Old Stand, 97 N. 2d St., Philadelphia, who has the exclusive right for this market.

Sept. 6, 1851. — 36-2m

LIBERTY STOVE WORKS.

BROWN Street, above FOURTH, Philadelphia.

THE undersigned respectfully inform the public that they have commenced operating in their new FOUNDRY and are now ready to execute CASTINGS of every description, on the most reasonable terms.

They invite the attention of Stove Dealers to their large assortment of STOVES all of which are entirely new, got up at a considerable expense expressly for the Fall Trade, among which are the Liberty Air Tight Cook, Complete Cook, Star Air Tight, Star Franklin, Jenny Lind Fire-King Radiator, Salamanders, Tea Kettle, &c.

As they intend using the best quality of iron, employment the best Moulders and Finishers, the dealer will find it to their advantage to call and see their assortment, before purchasing elsewhere, as no pains or expense will be spared to make their Castings saleable and attractive. Particular attention paid to Jobbing.

ABBOTT & LAWRENCE.

August 16, 1851. — 33-3m

A GREAT EXCITEMENT

AMONG THE PEOPLE.

BY EXAMINING his large Stock of Stoves, Tin, Hollow and Brass ware at S. HOOVER'S, Pottsville, Pa. Now is the time for cheap Bargains, the undersigned would respectfully call the attention of Schuylkill county and vicinity in general, to his large and most splendid assortment of Cooking, Parlor Office and Hall Stoves, ever offered before in this region. Among which are the Ætna Air-tight, the Globe Air-tight, which are selling for twenty dollars. Also the Mount Vernon Air-tight, independent Air-tight the flat top complete, and Springville Air-tight, the complete Cook, improved, and various other kinds of Cooking Stoves. Also a large assortment of Parlor Stoves, among which is a square cast iron Radiator, the Dolphin Radiator, the square screen, the Bow Franklin, open front parlor and hanging parlor variety Stoves. Also, a very large and handsome style of Chamber, Rooms, Office and Hall Stoves. He has on hand always a large stock of Tin Ware, Hollow Ware, Brass Ware and Japanned Ware. Which he always has on hand wholesale and retail at lower prices than have been purchased for before. You will please call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

All kinds of Tin and Sheet Iron work done at the shortest notice.

SOLOMON HOOVER.

Centre Street, 4 doors above Market Street, Pa.

August 2, 1851. — 31-tf

New Foundry and Machine Shop

THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVE FORMed a co-partnership, under the name and title of THOMAS CORSON & JOHNSTON, for the purpose of prosecuting the business of making machinery, at their New Works, on the corner of Markley and Lafayette streets, in the borough of Norristown, to furnish castings of all descriptions, at short notice and on reasonable terms.

Machinist & Tools of all descriptions made to order on the most approved plan, under the supervision of Mr. John Miller, who is experienced in this branch of business, having directed his attention to it for a number of years.

They are also prepared to undertake all kinds of English building and repairing, which will be executed with neatness and dispatch. Also: Shafting turned and fitted to order, of any size and length, and Boilers built of the best material.

Jobbing work done and attended to promptly, and the public may be assured that no effort will be spared to give satisfaction with all orders which may be entrusted to them.

SAMUEL THOMAS,
R. R. CORSON,
ARCHIBALD JOHNSTON.

June 7, 1851. — 23-6m

BEAVER MEADOW IRON WORKS.

HUDSON & COOPER, IRON AND Brass Founders, respectfully inform their patrons, and the public generally, that they are now prepared to make the above establishment, to manufacture to order Engines of every Size; Pumps, Railroad and Drift Cars, and every other description of Iron and Brass Castings suitable for the Coal mining or other business, on the most reasonable terms. Also, Blowing Cylinders for Blast Furnaces and Machine work in general

Repairing of all kinds done with neatness and despatch, at the lowest prices. All work furnished by them will be warranted to perform well. They would solicit the custom of those who may want articles in their line in this vicinity. All orders will meet with immediate and prompt attention.

S. W. HUDSON,
B. ALLEN.

March 15, 1851. — 11-1y.

POTTSVILLE IRON WORKS.

CARPENTER & MASON RESPECtfully announce to the public that they have taken the Establishment known as the Pottsville Iron Works, on Mahantongo street, where they are prepared to build all kinds of Steam Engines, manufacture Railroad Cars, and Machinery of almost every description, at the shortest notice, and on the most reasonable terms.—Persons from abroad, in want of Steam Engines, will find it to their advantage to give them a call before engaging elsewhere.

May 17. — tf

PASCOL IRON WORKS.

PHILADA.—WELDED WROUGHT Iron Flues, suitable for Locomotives, Marine and other Steam Engine Boile from 2 to 5 inches in diameter. Also Pipes for Gas, Steam and other purposes; extra strong Tube for Hydraulic Presses; Hollow Pistons for Pumps of Steam Engines &c. Manufactured and for sale by

MORRIS, TASKER & MORRIS.
Warehouse S. E. corner 3d and Walnut sts

FOUNDRY PROPERTY FOR SALE.

THE SUBSCRIBER wishing to leave the county, offers his Foundry, Machine Shop for sale. The Shop is situated in the Borough of Tamaqua, and are well fitted up for business. Every information respecting the business heretofore done, will be given to persons wishing to purchase. The premises may be seen.

JOHN K. SMITH.

Tamaqua, July 5, 1851. — 27-tf.

EAGLE IRON WORKS.

IN THE BOROUGH OF POTTSVILLE,—formerly conducted by Messrs. Lyman, Wren & Co. respectfully solicit a continuance of the custom of the works. Being practical Mechanics, they flatter themselves that their knowledge and experience of the business will enable them to turn out work that will not fail to give satisfaction to the most fastidious. They are prepared to manufacture Steam Engines, Pumps, Gearing, Breakers, Drift Cars, Railroad and other Castings, &c.

All orders thankfully received and promptly executed on the most reasonable terms.

LYMAN, WREN & CO.
THOMAS WREN,
JAMES WREN.

June 15, 1850—24-1y]

PIANOS.

THE subscriber having just received an elegant 6½ octave Piano from the celebrated establishment of Conrad Meyer, with all the latest improvements, Rosewood frame, it will be sold at the manufacturer's lowest prices.

A beautiful assortment of Melodeons, or Seraphines will be received in a few days, of the most approved manufacture.

Persons in want of any kind of Musical Instruments can now be supplied with *good articles* at reasonable prices.

B. BANNAN.

August 30, 1851. — 38-

LAND WARRANTS.

BOUNTY LAND WARRANTS OR CERTIFicates, Pension Certificates, and all sums of money due on account of arrears of pay or services, or property lost, or destroyed in military service, expenses incurred, or money expended for organizing Volunteer Companies, or other services performed in the service of the United States, and all other claims against the Government strictly attended to, and all claims secured at the shortest notice. Persons holding unpaid land claims against the United States can have them adjusted by calling at my office, in Centre street, next door to Jacob Kline, Esq.

D. G. McGOWAN.

Pottsville, Nov. 2, 1850 — 44-tf

BLAKE'S Patent Fire Proof PAINT.

THE Subscribers have just received a further supply of this singular and valuable substance. In addition to the slate color, they have a beautiful chocolate colour, resembling the hard stone now in use, and so much admired for the front of buildings. Its principal ingredients are silica, alumina and protoxide of iron, which in the opinion of scientific men satisfactorily accounts for its fire-proof nature. The two former substances being non-conductors, and the latter acting as a cement, to bind the whole together and make a firm and durable paint.

For use it is mixed with Linseed Oil, and applied with a brush, the same as ordinary paint, to wood iron, tin, zinc, canvas, paper, &c. It hardens goods ally and becomes stone like. It is particularly suitable for roofs of buildings, steamboat and car-decks, railroad bridges, fences, &c. A roof coated with the article is equal to one of slate, at a vast saving of expense.

Specimens may be seen at the office of the subscribers.

HARRISON, BROTHERS & Co.,
No. 434 South Front St., Philada.

April 22, 1848. — 17-tf

COLEMAN'S Cheap Cutlery STORE.

Nos. 33 and 33 ARCADE and 409 CHESNUT Street—PHILADELPHIA.

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

JOHN E. COLEMAN.

"Encourage Home Manufactures if you want to support the Region—that's the Doctrine"—*Ben Johnson.*

BROOKVILLE, FIRE-CLAY, EARTHEN AND STONE-WARE MANUFACTORY.

THE PROPRIETOR OF THIS MANUFACTORY, near Brookville, in Schuylkill county, Pa., respectfully solicits a share of the patronage of the storekeepers for the articles of his manufacture, where he offers as *equal to any* made elsewhere, and lower in price than the trade of this region have ever yet bought. They consist in part of Gallons, Jugs, viz: Pitchers, Coffee-Pots, Tea-Pots, Sugar-Bowls, Creams, Fruit-Plates, Spittoons, &c., &c.

STONEWARE, FIRE-PROOF DINING DISHES:

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

Also, Yellow Stoneware, Ginger and Root Beer Bottles, Jugs, Pitchers, Bowls, Preserve, Jelly and Pickle Jars; Churns of all sizes, Milk Pots, Eggers and Chambers, and generally every article manufactured. He also, manufactures to order the following:

Fire Bricks of any shape or size;
Stoves Cylinders and Linings of all patterns;
Flue and Flooring Tiles;
Arch, Key and Wedge Bricks;
Oven, Arch and Floor Tiles, &c., &c.

☞ Orders for the above are respectfully solicited.

Office and Show Ware-room (Wholesale only) in Silver Terrace Buildings, Centre street, Pottsville.

Address, F. HODGSON, Agent, Pottsville.

Nov. 23, 1850 — 47-tf

CASPER HEFT.

IMPORTER AND DEALER IN WINES, Liquors, and Imported Segars, No. 104 North THIRD street, Philadelphia, would respectfully call the attention of Hotel Keepers, and others to his well selected stock of WINES, LIQUORS and imported CIGARS, in store and under Custom-house lock and key. BRANDIES of various Brands, consisting of Pale and Dark, Martel & Co.; Pinet, Hennessy, Maglory, Otard, Dupuy & Co., and Otard's Super Cognac Brandies, and various Brands of Cognac and other Brandies.

WINES, &c.—Fine old Madeira, Sherry, Teneriffe and Lisbon Wines—Super old Port Wine, Claret of different kinds, old and light of, in Glass. Heidsick, P. A. Mumm & Co., and Geisler's Genuine Anchor Brands, in Pints and Quarts.

CHAMPAGNE, together with a general assortment of Scotch and Irish Malt Whiskeys, Holland Gin, Jamaica Spirits, Peach Brandy, old Bourbon, Monongahela Whiskey: Wild Cherry, Blackberry, Raspberry and Ginger Brandies. ☞ Superior Wine and Stomach Bitters ☞

Philada., June 7, 1851 — 23-6m

PHŒNIX SOAP WORKS.

South East Corner of Crown & Vine Streets, Philada.

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFER FOR SALE THE Various qualities of their Soaps, and respectfully invite the attention of purchasers resident in Philadelphia, below Arch, (west side) where they can be found a large assortment of the above named articles, just received from the manufactures.

BACON & CO.

ALFRED LAWTON being connected with the above Establishment, solicits the patronage of his friends, and will attend to all orders sent by mail or otherwise.

Philada., May 24, 1851. — 21-tf

TO COUNTRY MERCHANTS.

TWENTY PER CENT SAVED.

COUNTRY MERCHANTS buying BOOTS and SHOES, can save twenty percent by calling on WM. KING, No. 46, North 2nd Street, Philadelphia, below Arch, (west side) where can be found a large assortment of the above named articles, just received from the manufactures.

August 16, 1851. — 33-3m

F. FORD VENETIAN BLIND AND TRANSPARENT WINDOW Shade Manufacturer, Wholesale and Retail, No. 91, South Second street, Philadelphia. LETTERED SHADES for Store Windows painted to order.

ALSO Reed Blinds, Buff Shades, Paper Curtains, Fireboard Plates, Oil cloths, &c. Gilt Cornices, Bands and Pins, &c., for Drapery Curtains.

August 16, 1851. — 33-1y

DOCTOR YOURSELF FOR TWENTY-FIVE CENTS!!!

By means of the Pocket Esculapius, or Every one his own Physician! 30th edition with upwards of a hundred engravings, showing private diseases in every shape and form, and malformations of the generative system, by

WM. YOUNG, M. D.

The time has now arrived, that persons suffering from secret diseases, need no more become the victim of quackery, as by the prescriptions contained in this book any one may cure himself, with out hindrance to business, or the knowledge of the most intimate friend, and with one-tenth the usual expense. In addition to the general routine of private diseases, it fully explains the causes of manhood's early decline, with observations on marriage—besides many other derangements which it would not be proper to enumerate in the public prints.

Any person sending twenty-five cents enclosed in a letter, will receive one copy of this book, by mail, or five copies will be sent for one dollar.—Address, "DR. W. YOUNG, No. 152 Spruce street, Philadelphia," Post-paid.

☞ DR. YOUNG can be consulted on any of the Diseases described in his different publications, at his Office, 152 Spruce street, every day between 9 and 4 o'clock, (Sundays excepted.)

Philada., Nov. 9, 1850 — 23-1y

METHODIST HYMNS—A large assortment of Methodist Hymns always on hand and for sale at publishers' prices at

B. BANNAN'S
Cheap Book and Stationer Store.

April 19, 1851 — 16

THE PRICE OF PASSAGE

FROM LIVERPOOL AND THE DIFFERENT Ports in Ireland, to New York and Philadelphia, has been considerably reduced at BANNAN'S PASSAGE AGENCY.

Drafts in sums of £1 and up to £500, issued at his office, payable in any part of Europe, on presentation at any Bank, without discount. The money for drafts issued at Bannans's Office, is received in about one-half the time it usually takes to receive funds sent by other Agents, *and it is sure to go safe.*

☞ Letters post paid containing par money, five dollars to the pound sterling, with proper direction, will be forwarded immediately, and a receipt forwarded to the person sending it; by addressing

B. BANNAN, Pottsville Pa.

Agent for the old established House of P. W. Byrnes & Co., Liverpool.

June 21, 1851 — 24-

S. P. TOWNSEND'S SARSAPARILLA

The Genuine Article,

GREATLY IMPROVED—MANUFACTURED BY Doctor CHILTON, the Great Chemist.

Dr. S. P. Townsend's Sarsaparilla, The most Extraordinary Medicine in the World! Over two hundred and fifty thousand persons cured of various diseases, within the last two years. It cures Scrofula, Stubborn Ulcers, Effects of Mercury, Fever Sores, Erysipelas, Rheumatism, Consumption, General Debility, Dyspepsia, Costiveness, Skin Diseases, Liver Complaint, Dropsy and Gout, Ringworms, Cancers and Tumors, Heart Diseases.

The great beauty of this medicine is, that it never injures the constitution, and is always beneficial, even to the most delicate, and is the only medicine ever discovered that creates new, pure and rich blood, and that reaches the bone. Thousands are ready to testify to its many virtues.

GREAT SPRING AND SUMMER MEDICINE.

Every person should take a bottle spring and fall, to regulate the system and drive out all impurities.

TAKE CARE OF YOUR CHILDREN.

One bottle of Dr. S. P. Townsend's Extract of Sarsaparilla will cleanse the system of a child.

READ THE EVIDENCE.

This is to certify that my daughter was afflicted with a horrible disease in the face (which resisted the efforts of my family physician,) and was entirely cured by half a bottle of Dr. S. P. Townsend's Sarsaparilla.

WILLIAM WYCOFF.

Uniontown, Fayette co., Pa., July 9, 1850.

This is to certify that we have sold Dr. S. P. Townsend's Sarsaparilla for many years, and believe it is a very valuable medicine, many cures having been effected in our vicinity. A young man by the name of Wesley Rotherock, of this place, was cured of the Scrofula, (having large lumps in his neck) by the use of one bottle. THOS. REED, & SON,

Huntingdon, Pa., July 3d, 1850.

☞ Druggists and others are informed that we have made arrangements to supply this medicine by the Dozen, at the Manufacturers' prices. It will be to their advantage therefore to procure their supplies from us.

The Recipe to manufacture this article, was sold a few months ago, for the sum of *One Hundred Thousand Dollars*, the best evidence of its great worth as a medicine. The sale has been unexampled.

The article sold as Old Dr. Jacob Townsend's, is all a "humbug." Jacob Townsend is a Vender of Periodicals in New York, and a firm pay him several hundred dollars a year for the use of his name, for the purpose of manufacturing a spurious article, and palming it off upon the public as the "genuine article," by calling it old Doct. Jacob Townsend's Sarsaparilla.

☞ If you want the genuine article always ask for Doct. S. P. Townsend's Sarsaparilla.

Aug 3, 1850 — 31-tf

The Wife's Help and Husband's Joy.

GERMAN WASHING FLUID!

THIS ARTICLE IS MUCH CHEAPER AND EASIER to use than soap, and is warranted to perfectly cleanse all kinds of clothes without doing any injury whatever to the clothes. It contains no Potash, Soda Ash, Spts. Turpentine, Ammonia, Acids, or any other article whatever that will injure the most delicate *a fabric or the flesh.* Calicoes are warranted not to fade if washed with this Fluid.

This Fluid was originally discovered by the celebrated Professor of Chemistry, Dr. Mitscherlich of Berlin, and for which he has ever since had an extensive sale throughout Germany and other parts of Europe. A gentleman from whom I. P. Hart purchased it is a thorough Chemist, and was for many years the sole superintendent of Dr. Mitscherlich's Laboratory, and was therefore the only person in the United States who had any knowledge of the mode of making it, and any other article purporting to be such must be of a spurious nature. We ask you to *Try it. It is not one of the many Humbugs.* If you do not like it the money will be in every instance, *be refunded.* It entirely does away with that laborious task of rubbing the clothes upon the wash-board, which wears out the clothes more than the regular use of them.

It is an article better adapted for cleansing clothes from dirt, grease, stains, iron-mould, mildew, setting colors in washing, and restoring to their original color that have been stained with acids, cleansing dirty and greasy Carpets, coat collars, hats, wool, &c., and for scrubbing floors, and cleaning paint, than anything which has ever been offered to the public.

Washing Fluid is put up in large Pint Bottles, and retails at 12½ cents per bottle. Each bottle contains sufficient for two ordinary Washings.

B. BANNAN

Has been appointed sole Agent for the sale of the Fluid in the counties of Schuylkill, Lehanon, and Northumberland, by Messrs. Hoyt & Gardner, the Proprietors, and he is prepared to furnish it to Merchants, &c. wholesale, to sell again, at the Proprietor's prices by the dozen bottles.

☞ It is also for sale retail at his Store in Pottsville. Certificates seen at his Store. Try it and judge for ourselves. One and a half cents given for empty Bottles at his Store.

☞ Merchants and others who desire to keep the article for sale, in the counties named, will please send in their orders, and the terms will be given.

Pottsville July 26, 1851. — 30-tf

"Encourage Home Manufactures if you want to support the Region—that's the Doctrine"—*Ben Johnson.*

BROOKVILLE, FIRE-CLAY, EARTHEN AND STONE-WARE MANUFACTORY.

THE PROPRIETOR OF THIS MANUFACTORY, near Brookville, in Schuylkill county, Pa., respectfully solicits a share of the patronage of the storekeepers for the articles of his manufacture, where he offers as *equal to any* made elsewhere, and lower in price than the trade of this region have ever yet bought. They consist in part of Gallons, Jugs, viz: Pitchers, Coffee-Pots, Tea-Pots, Sugar-Bowls, Creams, Fruit-Plates, Spittoons, &c., &c.

STONEWARE, FIRE-PROOF DINING DISHES:

"	"	Nappies	"
"	"	Pie	"
"	"	Vegetable	"
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