Wit and Humor.

A MATTER-OF-FACT MAN.

Here is a very amusing picture of that species of odd fish known as a *matter-of-fact man*:

'I am what the old women call an odd fish.' I do nothing under the heavens without a motive—never. I attempt nothing unless I think there is a probality of my succeeding. I ask no favours when I think they won't be granted. I grant no favours when I think they are not deserved; and finally, I don't wait upon the girls when I think my attention would be disagreeable. I am a matter-of-fact man—I am. I do things seriously. I once offered to attend a young lady home—I did, seriously; that is, I meant to wait on her home if she wanted me. She accepted my offer. I went home with her; and it has ever since been an enigma to me whether she wanted me or not. She took my arm and said not a word. I bade her good night, and she said not a word. I met her the next day, and I said not a word. I met her again, and she gave me a two hour's talk. It struck me as curious. She feared I was offended, she said, and couldn't for the life of her conceive why. She begged of me to explain, but did not give me the ghost of a chance to do so. She said she hoped I would not be offended; asked me to call; and it has ever since been a mystery to me whether she wanted me to call or not.

I once saw a lady at her window. I tho't I would call. I *did*. I inquired for the lady, and was told that she was not at home. I expect she was. I went *away* thinking she was. I rather think so still. I met her again. She was offended—said I had not been very neighborly. She reproached me for my negligence; said she thought I had been unkind. And I have ever since wondered whether she was *sorry* or *not*.

A lady once said to me that she 'should like to be married,' if she could get a good congenial husband, who would make her happy, or at least *try* to. She was not difficult to please, she said. I said 'I should like to get married too, if I could get a wife that would try to make me happy.' She said, Umph! and looked as if she meant what she said. She *did*. For when I asked her if she thought she could be persuaded to marry me, she said she'd rather be excused. I excused her. I've often wondered *why* I excused her.

A good many things of this kind have happened to me that are doubtful, wonderful, mysterious. What, then, is it that causes doubt and mystery in the ways of men? *It is the want of fact.* This is a matter-of-fact world, and in order to act well in it, we must deal in matter-of-fact.'

A STRUGGLE FOR A KISS.

"Ah, Sally, give me a kiss and be done with it, do?"

"I won't, so there now."

"I'll take it, whether or no."

"Do, if you dare."

So at it we went, rough and tumble. Awful destruction of starch now commenced. The bow of my cravat squat up in a half a shake. At the next bout smash went my shirt collar, and at the same time some of the head fastening gave way, and down came Sally's hair like a flood in a mill-dam broke loose, carrying away half-a-dozen combs.—One dig of Sally's elbows, and my blooming ruffles wilted down like a dish cloth. But she had no time to boast. Soon her neck tackling began to shiver, parted at the throat, and whorah came a string of white beads scampering and running races every way you could think of over the floor.

By hokey, if Sally Jones ain't the grit, there is no snakes. She fought fair, however, I must admit, and neither tried to bite or scratch; and when she could fight no longer for want of breath, she yielded handsomely. Her arms fell down by her side—her hair back over her chair—her eyes closed—and there lay a little, rosy mouth all in the air. Lord! did you ever see a hawk pounce upon a robin, or a humblebee on a tater blossom? I say nothing.

"BLIND TO HIS OWN INTERESTS."

A rather amusing incident came under our observation a couple of days since, which we volunteer to give our readers:

One of Heath's sprinkling wagons, used to dampen the streets of the city by water from a large reservoir containing several hogshead, was proceeding slowly down Fourth street, engaged in the laudable task of flooring the dust, when the attention of a raw Hoosier was attracted towards the singular looking vehicle.

"Hallo, stranger," said he, addressing himself quite audibly to the driver, "you're losin' all of your water, thar!"

No answer was made by the person addressed.

"I say, old hoss," said the hoosier, "you're losing your water right smart thar, I tell you, and I'll be dog-on'd if your old tub won't be dry, next you know."

The driver was silent. The stranger again addressed John:

"Look here, you fool, don't you see tha somethin's broke loose with your old cistern on wheels, and that all of your water is leakin' out?"

Still the driver was silent, and the Hoosier turned away in disgust, saying:

"I allow that fellow is a little the biggest fool I ever did see, but if he is so blind to his own interest as to throw away his labor in that way let him do it and be——."

WOMANS' VOICE.

"The voice of woman, gentlemen," said a romantic individual, in a late argument at the club rooms, "the voice of woman, no matter how much you may be inclined to sneer at the sentiment, exercises a soothing, an inspiring, a hallowing influence upon the ear of man; comforts him in dismay, and banishes from his mind all those troubles which, when she is absent, conspire to sink him to the depths of despondency."

"Tom! you rascal," exclaimed his wife at this instant, bursting into the room, "come home you loitering scamp, and leave these worthless fellows to themselves. O! when I get you at home won't you catch it? Well, I guess you will!"

Here Tom left the room abruptly, with his enraged spouse, evidently satisfied of the inspiring influence of the "voice of woman."

☞ THE MAN that "cusses" the State because he is compelled to pay a few cents school tax, and who grumbles every time he buys a school book, and who don't take his county paper because he can get one from the city that has more horrible murders in it for a good deal less money, was in at the Circus last week, and brought his wife and "nine small children." It didn't cost him over a "V," though he saw the clown, got a little tipsey, and had a glorious spree! Cheap, wasn't it?

☞ MR. VERIGREEN, being about to take his honeymoon trip, after having seated his bride in the cars, goes forward and accosts the *fireman* as follows:—"Naow, Mr. Ingineer, I want you to be very keerful, and go slow, cause you see I've jest been married, and my wife and me are goin' in this 'ere train."

Scientific and Practical.

CARBONIC ACID.

☞ WHEN COAL, wood, or other substance containing carbon, is brought to a very high heat in the presence of oxygen, combustion, that is chemical union ensues. The two materials combine; heat, light, motion and electricity are evolved during the process; and the product is another colorless gas, which is carbonic acid. This gas is proved to be an acid by its pungent taste, its effect in changing a vegetable blue color to red, and by its combining with alkalies and other oxides forming some of the class of compounds called *salts*. The diamond being nearly pure carbon, burns up, producing this acid gas.

In chemical union, bodies combine only in certain fixed proportions, or given weights. Thus, 1 pound of hydrogen always combines with 8 lbs. of oxygen, or with twice that weight. So, too, with 14 lbs. of nitrogen, 8, or 16, or 24, or 32, or 40 lbs. of oxygen combine, but no qualities between these. The lowest weights in which these bodies united are termed their combining numbers or equivalents.

The equivalent of oxygen is 8, that of carbon 6.

Now in the formation of carbonic acid, we find one equivalent of carbon united with two of oxygen. This is the gas which is emitted by the respiration of animals, volcanization, and it exists solid in many of the metal ores.—*Scientific American.*

BURNING SMOKE.

☞ TWO YEARS AGO the cities in England and Scotland were like smoked hams (owing to the dense volumes of smoke which filled the atmosphere by the use of bituminous coal. The fields of grain were black in appearance from the same cause, and the hedges were in the like condition.—Now all is changed; the sky is no longer like a smoke-house; the rains descend in clear streams, not in inky rivulets; the houses begin to look as if their faces were washed, and the hedges begin to wear their old dark green appearance. All this has been accomplished by an Act of Parliament making it penal for factories to let their smoke escape. The smoke is all burned by simple contrivances, and at a great saving of fuel. What cannot science accomplish?

CURRIES.

☞ CHICKENS, PIGEONS, mutton chops, lobsters, and veal, all make good curries. It the curry dish is to be made of fowls, they should be joined. Boil the meat till tender, in just sufficient water to cover it, and add a little salt. Just before the meat is boiled enough to take up, fry three or four slices of pork till brown—take them up, and put it in the chickens. Let them brown, then add part of the liquor in which they were boiled, one or two teaspoonsful of curry powder, and the fried pork. Mix a teaspoonful of curry powder with a tea-cup of boiled rice, or a little flour and water mixed—turn it on to the curry, and let it stew a few minutes.

INDIAN LOAF CAKE.

☞ ONE POUND OF Indian meal, a quarter of a pound of butter, two eggs, half pound of sugar, a quarter of a pound of raisins, a quarter of a pound of currants. Cut up the butter in the Indian meal, pour over it as much boiling milk as will make a thick batter. Beat the eggs very light; when the batter is cool, pour them into it.—Seed the raisins, wash, pick and dry the currants, mix them with the raisins, and dredge as much wheat-flour on them as will adhere to them. Stir the fruit into the batter and add the sugar. Bake it in a moderate oven two hours.

BATTERY IN A LEMON.

☞ PROFESSOR BAKOFFNER is experimenting just now in London on a new vegetable battery discovered by Surgeon Le Moit, of Paris. The battery consists of a simple lemon, which contains within itself all the necessary qualities, and will last till the acid is exhausted—say eight or ten days. It decomposes water, acts powerfully on the magnetic needle, and is capable of transmitting messages by the submarine telegraph across the Channel—an uninterrupted distance of thirty miles. A combined battery of four lemons is said to have a very great power.

TO KEEP UTENSILS SWEET.

☞ TAKE HALF a gallon of fresh lime, and put it in a vessel containing ten gallons of water. Stir it frequently for one day, and dip your pans, pails, strainers, &c., into it. It will effectually remove all acidity or bad odor, and promote cleanliness.—The vessel can be filled as often as circumstances require.

Information for the People,

OR THE PLAIN "WHY" AND "BECAUSE."

☞ WHY is the true-love knot so called? Because of its origin from the Danish verb *trulofa fidem do*, (Lat.) I plight my troth or faith; a knot among the northern nations being the symbol of love, faith, and friendship, pointing out the indissoluble tie of affection and duty. Sir Thomas Browne, with his usual erudition, says, "the true lovers' knot had, perhaps, its origin from Nodus Herculanus, or that which was called Hercules; his knot resembling the snaky complication in the Caduceus, or rod of Hermes; and in which form the zone or woolen girdle of the bride, was fastened, as Turnebus observes in his Adversaria." Hence, evidently, the bride favors or top-knots at marriages, which were formerly of various colours.

☞ WHY is the rattle-snake inaudible in the wet season? Because, as the cups of the rattle consist merely of dried matter, which, in the dry season, is brought into a condition to make a noise when the animal moves, so, in like manner, the rattle, in the wet season, is soft and mute.

☞ WHY is not a parlor window an eligible place for bulbous roots in glasses? Because it is often too warm, brings on the plants too early, and causes them to be weakly. They should, however, be kept moderately warm, and near the light.

☞ WHY do small needles float on water? Because the particles of water cohere among themselves, and the weight of the needles is not sufficient to overcome that cohesion.

☞ WHY do persons become sleepy after eating lettuce? Because it contains a milky juice, which, like opium, is a narcotic.

FIRE PROOF SAFES!

EVANS & WATSON respectfully inform the public that they have added largely to their facilities for manufacturing articles in their line, by the erection of a large Factory in Eighth Street, below Vine, and are now prepared to furnish those who may favor them, with FIRE PROOF SAFES, &c., in a superior manner, at the shortest notice. They will warrant their safes to undergo as much heat as any other safes; and in order to satisfy the public that this is not mere assertion, they hold themselves in readiness at any time to test them fairly with any other safes that are made.—They have the names of many merchants and others, in this city and other places, which they can give in reference.—Their celebrated safes have been well tested by accidental fires as well as by public bonfires, as the report below will show.

Great Triumph Achieved by EVANS & WATSON'S Iron Safe!!! Philadelphia,

FIRE PROOF CHESTS!

AT THE STATE FAIR, HARRISBURG, PA., OCT. 30, 1851.

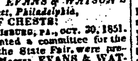
The undersigned, appointed a committee for the purpose, by the officers of the State Fair, were present this afternoon, when Messrs. EVANS & WATSON *tested one* of their small sized Salamander Fire Proof Chests, at which time they consumed THREE hours, sufficient to destroy the cast iron first. On coming to the Chest, the papers, *together with 2000 circulars*, deposited in our presence, were taken out, not only having been preserved, but not having the appearance of scorch upon them.

John B. Cox, Chas. E. Heister, E. E. Boudinott, Committee.

Joseph Ritner, Ex-Gov. of Pa.
A. O. Heister,
A. T. Newbold,

EVANS & WATSON,
Salamander Fire and Thief-proof Safe Manufrs.
No. 83 Dock Street, Philadelphia.
Aug. 21, 1852. 34-1y

GEORGE BRIGHT'S



NEW HARDWARE STORE, 2 doors below Mats's Hotel, and nearly opposite the Miners' Bank, Pottsville, where will be found an excellent assortment of HARDWARE:

Coach Trimmings, Springs, Saddlery, Shoemakers' Tools, Carpenters' Tools, Glass and Paints, Bar Iron of all sizes, Rolled do do do Nails and Spikes, Railroad Iron and Nails, Smith Tools, Building materials, Cast Steel, Spring do Steel, Arm Bliister, Mill Saws, Cross-cut Saws, Fine Hand-saws,

G. B. returns his thanks to the public for the patronage they extended to his late firm of Bright & Port, and flatters himself that, in his individual capacity, he will be able to deserve and command their continued support by the quality of the goods he has in store, strict attention to business, and the low rates at which he is determined to sell.

GEORGE BRIGHT,
Late of the firm of Bright & Port.
March 27, 1852. 12-1y

POTTSVILLE ROLLING MILL.

THE SUBSCRIBERS respectfully announce to the public, that their new Rolling Mill is now completed and in full operation, and that they are prepared to supply all kinds of Bar Iron of various sizes, which they will warrant to be superior in quality to any published from abroad, at the same prices.

They also manufacture T Rails, for the use of the Collieries and Lateral Roads, weighing from 21 to 26 lbs. per yard, and made of the best iron, which will be found much cheaper than the imported article.

Being practical mechanics, and having said considerable experience in the Iron business, they flatter themselves that they can give entire satisfaction to purchasers, and will also make it their interest to patronize home manufactures.

HARRIS, BURNISH & CO.
Dec. 6, 1851. 49-1f

BEAVER MEADOW IRON WORKS.

HUDSON & ALLEN, IRON AND Brass Founders, respectfully inform their patrons, and the public generally, that they are now prepared, at the above establishment, to manufacture Steam Engines of every size; Pumps, Railroad and Drift Cars, and every other description of Iron and Brass Casting 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,
L. H. ALLEN.
March 15, 1851. 11-1y.

POTTSVILLE IRON WORKS.

GEO. MASON & CO. RESPECTfully announce to the public that they have taken the Establishment known as the Pottsville Iron Works on Norwegian 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 11 1f

PASCAL IRON WORKS.

PHILAD'A.—WELDED WROUGHT Iron Flues for Locomotives, Marine and other Steam Engine Boiler 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 8. E. corner 3d and Walnut st.

TOWN HALL.

IRON AND HARDWARE STORE.

THIS MUSEUM of manufactured wares has lost none of its attractions, and I am now able to offer to the public, either for their inspection or purchase, one of the finest and most useful stock of Foreign and Domestic HARDWARE *ever offered* in the County. With many thanks for the patronage extended to the late firm, I flatter myself able to supply all the wants in my line of business, cheap as the cheapest, with usual promptness and despatch. FRANK POTT.
April 3, 1852. 14-tf

COLEMAN'S Cheap Cutlery STORE. *Nos. 32, 34, 36, 38, and 37 Arcade, Philada.* TWENTY Per cent saved from 10 to 15 per Cent. by purchasing at the above Stores. By importing my own Goods, paying but little rent, and living economically, I is able to sell much lower than those 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, Revolving and plain Pistols, &c.

Just received, a large stock of Rodgers' and Wostenholm's fine Pen and Compass Knives.

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

JOHN M. COLEMAN, Importer.
Dec. 27, 1851. * 52-tf

FAIRBANE'S PLATFORM SCALES.

THE subscribers have supplied Messrs. Weldon & Shoemaker with a full assortment of the sale of this superior make of Scales, and are prepared to furnish any description of their make, capable of weighing from 1 oz. to 20 tons. A sample of scales can be seen at the York Store.

E. YARDLEY & SON.
April 3, 1852. 14-tf

IRON COMMISSION WARE HOUSE, *CENTRE STREET, POTTSVILLE.*

THE subscribers are prepared to furnish the Trade, Mechanics and Operatives of Schuylkill county, (*freight added*) wholesale or retail, best American Bar Iron, manufactured in Pottsville, and warranted of superior quality. Also, Iron Wire Rope for collieries; and Cable Chains, furnished at short notice direct from the importer. E. YARDLEY & SON.
York Store, Nov. 22, 1851. 47-tf

Dr. J. S. HOUGHTON'S

☞ Entered according to Act of Congress, in the year 1851, by J. S. HOUGHTON, M. D., in the Clerk's Office of the District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

Another Scientific Wonder!

GREAT CURE FOR DYSPEPSIA!

DR. J. S. HOUGHTON'S PEPSIN, the true Digestive Fluid, or Gastric Juice—prepared from the Stomach of the fourth Stomach of the Ox, after directions of BARON LIEBIG, the great Physiological Chemist, by J. S. HOUGHTON, M. D., Philadelphia, Pa.

"I Disturb?" Such is the true meaning of the word *Pepsin*. It is the chief element, or Great Digesting Principle of the Gastric Juice—the *Solvent of the Food*, the *Purifier, Preserver*, and *Stimulator* Agent of the Stomach and intestines. It is *extracted* from the Digestive Stomach of the Ox, thus forming a true Digestive Fluid, precisely like the natural Gastric Juice in its Chemical powers, and furnishing a complete and perfect substitute for it.

This is Nature's own Remedy for an unhealthy Stomach. Not of course, in the usual irritative powers. It contains no Alcohol, Bitters, Acids, or Nauseous Drugs. It is extremely agreeable to the taste, and may be taken by the most fastidious patients who cannot eat a water cracker without acute distress. Beware of DRUGGED IMITATIONS. Pepsin is NOT A DRUG.

Half a tea-spoonful of Pepsin infused in water, will digest or dissolve *Five Pounds of Roast Beef in about two hours*, out of the stomach.

SCIENTIFIC EVIDENCE!

☞ The Scientific Evidence upon which this remedy is based is in the highest degree curious and remarkable.

Call on the Agent, and get a Descriptive Circular, gratis, giving a large amount of Scientific Evidence, from Liebig's Animal Chemistry; Dr. Combe's Physiology of Digestion; Dr. Pereira on Food and Diet; Dr. John W. Draper, of New York University; Prof. Dunglison's Physiology; Prof. Silliman, of Yale College; Dr. Carpenter's Physiology; &c., together with reports of cures from all parts of the United States.

PEPSIN IN FLUID AND POWDER.

Dr. Houghton's Pepsin is *prepared in Powder and Fluid Form*—and in Prescription vials for the use of Physicians. The Powder will be sent by Mail, free of postage, for one Dollar, sent to Dr. Houghton, Philadelphia.

☞ OBSERVE THIS!—*Every bottle of of the genuine Pepsin* bears the written signature of J. S. HOUGHTON, M. D., sole proprietor, Philadelphia, Pa. Copy right and Trade Mark secured.

Sold by all Druggists and Dealers in Medicines.—Price, one Dollar per bottle.

AGENTS—Benj. Bannan, Pottsville, Wholesale and Retail Agent; J. G. Brown and J. S. C. Martin, Pottsville; Jas. S. Falls, Minersville.
Oct. 9, 1852. 41-1y

HOWELL & BROTHERS,

MANUFACTURERS of PAPER HANGINGS, No. 142 CHESTNUT Street, Philadelphia, ask the attention of consumers and the Trade to their extensive stock of PAPER HANGINGS, of their own manufacture and importation, *embracing every variety* of goods in their line, which they will sell at low rates. Their manufactory being their most extensive in the country, they are enabled to offer unequalled inducements to purchasers.
Sept. 4, 1852. 36-3m

LADIES, WHY WILL YOU BE *UNHAPPY!*

WHEN PROFESSOR VANHORN, the celebrated ASTROLOGER of the 19th Century, gives advice in all affairs of the heart, which, if allowed, cannot fail to guide the single to a happy marriage, and makes the married happy!!! Ladies who are unhappy through trouble, misfortune and disappointment, consult him daily, they follow his advice and are made happy. Others consult him to know what is before them; others seek information of those they love, and all are made happy and contented!!! If you value your future happiness, delay no longer, consult him yourself and be happy.

Terms.—For an interview of 15 minutes 25 cents, in full. $1. All Letters and Interviews are strictly private and confidential. All Letters pre paid secure a private interview, those at a distance can make their case known by letter, the strictest honor and most inviolable secrecy observed, all letters to be pre-paid.—No. 2, George street, Second house, North side, above Schuylkill Sixth, Philadelphia.

WEALTH AND GOOD FORTUNE.—Gentlemen, look to your interest before it is too late!!: Consult and follow the advice of Professor VANHORN, if you do, success will crown all your undertaking.—Men who have been unfortunate and unsuccessful in life and in business. Men who have worked hard and struggled against adversity and misfortune the greater part of their lives, and found the more they tried to get forward in the world the more things went against them!!! These men have consulted him for the last 30 years, and all those who were wise enough to follow his advice are now rich and happy, while those who neglected the advice he gave them, are still struggling with adversity. Terms for gentlemen $1 for an interview of 15 minutes, in full $2.

No. 2 GEORGE Street, second house, North Side, above Schuylkill Sixth, Philadelphia. All letters and communications will be strictly PRIVATE AND CONFIDENTIAL.

April 17, 1852. 16-1y*

NEW GOODS.

THE subscriber has just returned with a second stock, for this season, of new and seasonable Dress Goods.

Silk and Wool Barege,
All do do do
25 Different Patterns Barege De Laines,
Summer De Laines.
Embossed Brilliant Dress Patterns,
Dotted do do do
Summer Silks, Gingham Lawns,
Ginghams, French Lawns,
English and American Lawns, a variety of new and handsome styles, fast colors, very low,
Long and short Mohair Mitts,
Peare Silk Gloves,
Alexander's light Col'd Kid Gloves,
English and American Prints, 100 pieces, by the piece or yard, low.

The above comprises a variety of new and handsome style of goods, which, for beauty and cheapness, defies competition, for sale by

A. HENDERSON, Ag't.
June 5, 1852. 22-tf

INDIA RUBBER GOODS.

PREPARE FOR WINTER.

LADIES' and Gentlemen's Sandals, a capital article for the feet for damp and cold weather.

India Rubber Overcoats with Life Preservers attached, a new and seasonable article.

India Rubber Leggins and Pants.

Long Dirting Gloves for gardening.

Also, Lined India Rubber Mitts for handling rough work in cold weather.

Ladies' lined Rubber Gloves.

Breast and Nursing Bottles, Funnels.

Horse Boots.

Money Body Belts, &c., &c.

Just received and for sale, wholesale and retail, by

B. BANNAN.
Sept. 25, 1852. 39—

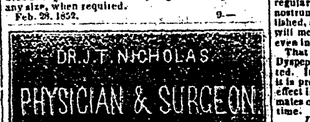
INDIA RUBBER AND GUTTA PERCHA *BELTING.*

THE subscriber is agent for the sale of India Rubber and Gutta Percha Belting, and will furnish it to any length at the lowest cash prices. This Belting is considered better and cheaper than any other kind in use, and it has the advantage of the material being worth at least half its first cost, for other purposes, after it is worn out as belting. It is in use at all the Collieries in this Region.

Also, India Rubber and Gutta Percha Hose, for various purposes, such as conveying water, Speaking Tubes, Fire Engines, &c., all of which will be furnished at manufacturers prices, at

B. BANNAN'S Variety Store.

☞ India Rubber Packing of all the different thickness always on hand. Car Springs and Rings cut to any size, when required.
Feb. 28, 1852. 9—



OFFICE AND DRUG STORE, MARKET STREET, POTTSVILLE.
Dec. 14, 1850 50-tf

OILS, TALLOW GREASE, and OHIO MINERAL PAINT.

300 Barrels Machinery Oil, Price 75 cts. per gallon.
2500 Gallons do do
In casks of various sizes. do do do
200 Barrels Bolted Paint Oil, do 55 do do
5000 Gallons, do do do
In casks of various sizes, do do do
250 Barrels Tanners' Oil. Various kinds and qualities, from 35 to 60 cents per gallon.
1500 Gallons in Casks of various sizes. Various kinds and qualities, from 35 to 50 cents per gallon.
50 Tons Tallow Grease, for Heavy Bearings and Coarse Machinery, in Barrels or Casks, of any consistency required. Price 6 cents per lb.
150 Tons Ohio Mineral Paint, in Barrels, at the lowest market price.

Machinery Oil, warranted not to chill in the coldest weather, and considered by those using it equal to Sperm Oil.

Boiled Paint Oil, equal to Linseed Oil, other than for white.

I am constantly receiving large supplies of the above named articles, and my motto is, "Small profits and quick returns." B. F. FOND.

50 Water street, (under the Pearl st. House,) N. Y.
June 19, 1852. 25 3m

VARNISH, STEAM PUTTY AND *PAINT MANUFACTORY.*

THE undersigned having made extensive alterations and improvements in his machinery, and having introduced Steam into his Factory, would most respectfully call the attention of his friends and customers through the country to his large and well selected stock of VARNISHES, PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, &c., which for variety and quality cannot be excelled by any similar establishment in the State. Coach Body, Carriage, Cabinet and China Gloss Varnishes, and Putty of every description, dry and ground in Oil, and put up at short notice in cans of convenient size for country trade.

Glazier's Diamonds, Gold Leaf, Fallette, Putty and Black Knives, Sable and Camel Hair Pencils, Varnish, Paint, Graining and Kalsomine Brushes, and English, French and American Glass of all sizes, suitable for Store Fronts, Dwellings &c., with a good assortment of Enameled and Colored Glass for Public Buildings, Vestibules, &c., &c., constantly on hand and for sale on as reasonable terms as any manufacturer, at the old established PAINTERS' FURNISHING AND VARIETY STORE No. 80 North Fourth street, west side, below Race st., Philadelphia. C. SCHIRACK.
April 24, 1852. 17—1y

VERY CHEAP.

THE UNDERSIGNED having removed to Potter County, offers all his Real Estate in Pottsville at great bargains,—*he is determined to sell* at some rate, upon the most accommodating terms as to time, &c. The property consists of ONE NEW HOUSE, finished in the most approved modern style, situated corner of Second and Norwegian streets, at present in occupancy of the Prothonotary of Schuylkill County. The premises are two story in front, and sixty feet in depth—the house having a cooking range, hydrant in the kitchen—fine shade trees in the rear of the yard. The house is altogether one of the best and most complete dwellings in Pottsville.

Also, one large TWO STORY HOUSE, near the upper end of Market street, formerly occupied as a Hotel—lately as a store and dwelling. The property has been rented for $300 per annum, and adjoining this, are several vacant lots which will be sold with or without it, *if desired. This is considered one of* the best business stands in that part of the town, being at the corner of Market and Twelfth streets.

Adjacent to the above, are two lots with two dwelling houses commenced, and contracts with a responsible contractor to finish the same. All of this property *must and shall* be sold, and to men of moderate means. *Be independent* and be idefedly great, for he will sell cheaper and wait longer for his pay, than *was ever heard of before* in this community. As he lives a great distance from Pottsville, *he is anxious* to close out his property here at once, and will be prepared to make the title on the spot. He will be in Pottsville on the 15th inst., and will remain for two weeks, and may be seen at any time, either at the Exchange Hotel, at Mortimer's Hotel, or at Womeldorf's Saddler Shop, in Centre street. Give him a call, and you shall not go away empty handed. Application may also be made to his agent, Wellington Kline, in Market street.

SAMUEL M. MILLS.
April 17, 1852. 16-tf

FOR SALE.

THE SUBSCRIBER offers for sale the well known *Tavern-Stand, called the Pottsville House*, situate in the Borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill county, Pennsylvania. It is large and commodious, and in good repair, and situate in the most central part of the business position of the town. Any person wishing to engage in active employment, either as a partner or Inn-keeper, will find it to their advantage to call and examine the premises before they purchase elsewhere. For terms apply to the undersigned at his office, in Market street, Pottsville.

D. G. McGOWAN.
July 10, 1852. 28-tf

HOUSES AND LOTS

IN LAWTON'S ADDITION TO PORT CARBON.

THE LAWTONVILLE TRACT is now laid out into Lots, and will be sold on terms which will enable every industrious man to purchase for himself and family

A HOUSE AND HOME.

A plan of the property can be seen, and the terms of Sale made known by application at the office of

EDWARD OWEN PARRY, Agent,
of the Kentucky Bank, Centre street, Pottsville.
September 4, 1852 36-tf.

IMPORTANT NEWS TO THE PUBLIC.

Dr. G. N. BOWMAN, *Surgeon Dentist*, takes this method of informing the public generally and his friends in particular, that he has removed his Dentistry from the former room which he occupied, to the second story of the new brick building in the corner of MARKET and SECOND streets, west side, and four doors above N. M. Wilson's Office, where he will at all times be ready to perform all Operations on the Teeth, and from his extra advantages in his profession, and the long time in this and some of the large Cities, in practical experience, he can and will warrant all his work, or ask no compensation.

Dec. 20, 1851. 51-tf

COACH MAKER'S REMOVAL.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAVING FITted up one of the largest Coach Shops in the State, in Coal Street, Pottsville, Pa., next to J. H. 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. Also, second-hand Wagons, &c.

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

WISTAR A. KIRK.
June 5, 1848 23-tf

SULLENDU & PASCAL,

HATTERS,

No. 6, South SIXTH street, between Market and Chestnut streets, Philadelphia,

HAVE constantly on hand a beautiful and extensive assortment of HATS and CAPS, which they respectfully invite their friends and the public *generally to call* and examine, while visiting "THE CITY OF BROTHERLY LOVE."
February 21, 1852 8-1y

LIVER COMPLAINT.

JAUNDICE, DYSPEPSIA, CHRONIC OR NERVOUS DEBILITY, DISEASES OF THE KIDNEYS,

and all diseases arising from a disordered Liver or Stomach, such as Constipation, Inward Piles, Fullness of Blood to the Head, Acidity of the Stomach, Nausea, Heart-Burn, Disgust for Food, Fullness, or weight in the Stomach, Sour Eructations, Sinking or Fluttering at the pit of the Stomach, Swimming of the Head, Hurried and Difficult Breathing, Flittering at the Heart, Choking or Suffocating sensations when in a lying posture, Dimness of Vision, Dots or webs before the Sight, Fever and dull pain in the head, Deficiency of Perspiration, Yellowness of the Skin and Eyes, Pain in the Side, Back, Chest, Limbs, &c., Sudden Flushes of Heat, Burning in the Flesh, Constant Imaginings of Evil and great depression of spirits, can be effectually cured by

DR HOOFLAND'S
Celebrated German Bitters,
PREPARED BY
DR. C. M. JACKSON, at the German Medicine Store, 120 ARCH Street, Philadelphia.

Their power over the above diseases is not excelled—if equalled—by any other preparation in the United States, as the cures attest, in many cases after skillful physicians had failed.

These Bitters are worthy the attention of invalids. Possessing great virtues in the rectification of diseases of the Liver and tender glands, exercising the most searching powers in weakness and affections of the digestive organs, they are without, safe, certain and pleasant.

READ AND BE CONVINCED.

[FROM THE "BOSTON BEE."]

The Editor said, Dec. 22nd,

Dr. Hoofland's Celebrated German Bitters for the cure of Liver Complaint, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Chronic or Nervous Debility, is deservedly one of the most popular medicines of the day. These Bitters have been used by thousands, and a friend at our elbow says he has himself received a cure from their use and permanent cure of Liver Complaint from the use of this remedy. We are convinced that, in the use of these Bitters, the patient consults a safe strength and vigor—a fact worthy of great consideration.—They are pleasant in taste and smell, and can be used by persons with the most delicate stomachs with safety and without any restraint. We speak from experience, and to the afflicted we advise their use.

"Score's Weekly," one of the best Literary papers published, said, Aug. 23—

"*Dr. Hoofland's German Bitters*, manufactured by Dr. Jackson, are now recommended by some of the most prominent members of the faculty as an article of much efficacy in cases of debility and weakness. As such in the case, we would advise all mothers to obtain a bottle, and thus save themselves much sickness. Persons of debilitated constitutions will find these Bitters advantageous to their health, as we know from experience the salutary effect they have upon weak systems."

MORE EVIDENCE.

The Hon. C. D. HINELINE, *Mayor of the City of Camden, N. J., says:*

"HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS.—We have seen many flattering notices of this medicine, and the source from which they came induced us to make inquiry respecting its merits. From inquiry we were persuaded to use it, and must say we found it specific in its action upon those diseases of the Digestive organs, and the powerful influence it exerts upon nervous prostration is really surprising. It calms and strengthens the nerves, bringing them into a state of repose, making sleep refreshing.

If this medicine were more generally used, we are satisfied there would be less sickness, as from the stomach, liver, and nervous system arises the majority of real and imaginary diseases emanate. Have them in a healthy condition, and you can bid defiance to sickness generally. Yours, respectfully, C. D. HINELINE.

This medicine we would advise our friends who are at all indisposed, to give a trial—it will recommend itself. It should, in fact, be in every family. Not every or medicine can produce such evidence of merit."

Evidence upon evidence has been received (like the foregoing) from all sections of the Union, the testimony of the most competent witnesses in its favor, is, that there is more of it used in the practice of the regular Physicians of Philadelphia, than all other nostrums combined, a fact that can easily be established, and fully proving that a scientific preparation will meet with their quiet approval when presented even in this form.

That this medicine will cure Liver Complaint and Dyspepsia, no one can doubt after using it as directed. It acts specifically upon the stomach and liver; it is preferable to calomel in all bilious complaints, its effect is immediate. They can be administered to females or infants with safety and reliable benefit at any time.

Look well to the marks of the genuine.

They have the written signature of C. M. JACKSON upon the wrapper, and his name blown in the bottle, *without which they are spurious.*

For sale Wholesale and Retail at the GERMAN MEDICINE STORE, No. 120 ARCH Street, one door below Sixth, Philadelphia; and by respectable dealers generally through the country.

☞ PRICES REDUCED.—To enable all classes of invalids to enjoy the advantages of their great restorative powers. Single Bottle 75 cents.

Also for sale by John G. Brown, Pottsville; Jas. B. Fail, Minersville; S. R. Dickson, Schuylkill Haven, Pa.

July 31, 1852. 30-eowly

PAINTING, GLAZING and PAPERING *REMOVAL*

J. W. BOWEN having removed his shop to 2 doors above the American House, Centre Street, and taken into partnership his brother, the undersigned announce to the public that they are prepared to execute all orders in their line with the greatest despatch, and on the most reasonable terms. They employ good workmen and their customers may, therefore, be sure of satisfactory jobs.

They, also, beg leave to call attention to their splendid assortment of Paper-hangings, Window-shades, &c., comprising every variety of style and quality, to suit the taste and pocket of purchasers, and which they offer at the lowest CITY prices.

J. W. BOWEN & BROTHERS.
2 doors above American House, Centre St.,
Pottsville, April 17, 1852. 16-tf

CHEAP CHINA, GLASS, &c.

N TYNDALE & MITCHELL,
o. 219 CHESNUT Street, Philadelphia,

OFFER to the citizens of Pottsville and its vicinity, the choice of their beautiful and immense stock, in any quantity and of all qualities, of Dinner, Tea and Toilet Plates, Dishes, Pitchers, Sets, &c., French or English China, or Ironstone Ware.

As also GLASS WARE, cut and moulded in great variety, at the very lowest rates.

Hotels, Boarding and Private Houses supplied with the best articles at very cheap prices.
June 5, 1852. 23-1y

PURE WHITE LEAD.

WETHERILL & BROTHER, Manufacturers, No. 65, NORTH FRONT Street, Philadelphia, have now a good supply of their warranted pure WHITE LEAD, and those customers who have been sparingly supplied in consequence of a run on the article, shall now have their orders filled.

No known substance possesses those *preservative* and beautifying properties, when used with paint, in an equal extent with unadulterated white lead; hence any admixture of other materials only mars its value. It has, therefore, been the steady aim of the manufacturers, for many years, to supply to the public a perfectly pure white lead, and the increasing demand for *the article, is proof that it has met with favor. It is invariably branded on one head:* WETHER