Wit and Humor.

AFFECTING.

'Twas on the moonlight sidewalk,
'Neath the ailanthus tree,
That she leaned against my waistcoat,
And whispered—"Marry me!"
Oh! that agonizing moment,
I never, never shall forget;
Her lips with nectar laden,
I think I taste them yet.
Just as this little Eden
Approached reality;
A gruff voice uttered sternly—
"What is all this I see?"
And then I felt a pegged boot
Applied with might and main;
I fell upon the sidewalk,
And off went Mary Jane!

A CURIOUS PRAYER.

The Syracuse *Star* is responsible for the following:

"In the State of Ohio there resided a family consisting of an old man by the name of Beaver and his three sons, all of whom are hard 'pets,' who had often laughed to scorn the advice and entreaties of a pious though very eccentric Minister who resided in the same town. It happened one of the boys was bitten by a rattlesnake and was expected to die, when the Minister was sent for in great haste. On his arrival he found the young man very penitent and anxious to be prayed with. The Minister, calling on the family, kneeled down and prayed in this wise:

"O Lord, we thank thee for rattlesnakes; we thank thee because a rattlesnake has bit Jim. We pray thee send a rattlesnake to bite John; send one to bite Bill; send one to bite Sam; and, O Lord, send the biggest kind of a rattlesnake to bite the old man, for nothing but rattlesnakes will ever bring the Beaver family to repentance!"

☞ RAILWAY MAXIMS.—(*Perfectly at the service of any Railway Company.*)—Delays are dangerous. A train in time saves nine. Live and Let Live. After a railway excursion, the doctor. Do not halloo till you are out of the train. Between two trains we fall to the ground. Fire and water make good servants, but bad masters. A director is known by the company he keeps. A railway train is the thief of time. There is no place like home—but the difficulty is to get there. The farther you go the worse is your fare. It's the railway pace that *kills*. The great charm about a railway accident is, that no matter how many lives are lost, "no blame is ever attached to any one." A railway is long, but life is short—and generally the longer the railway the shorter your life.—*Punch.*

☞ A SCIENTIFIC VIEW OF IT.—Hastings, of the Knickerbocker, must be a 'queer' fellow. He says in his paper:—"How any one can look at a human foot, composed of 144 bones—any quantity of elastic cartilage—a gill and a half of lubricating oil, and ten thousand other arrangements for first class kicking, and still believe that it's a duty to receive an insult without making a man smell of leather, is one of those eccentricities connected with the human mind that we never could fathom."

☞ HIGHFALUTIN STYLE.—"He drank a mug of ale," is a simple and proper expression of the fact, and tells its own story; but the disciple of the inflated usually would render it in this wise:—"He raised the foaming beverage to his lips, he gulped it wildly, furiously. He paused for breath. Again sank mouth, nose and chin deep in the tankard.—And with a laugh that shook the rafters of the crazy barn, he shouted, 'I've drank it, yes, all, yes, every drop! ha! ha! ha!'"

☞ "YOU SAY, Mrs. Smith, that you have lived with the defendant for eight years.—Does the court understand from that, that you are married to him?"

"In course it does."

"Have you a marriage certificate?"

"Yes, your honor, three on 'em—two gals and a boy."

Verdict for the plaintiff—call the next case—Gag & Bluster vs. the Pizerington Institute.

☞ AN EXCHANGE gives the following as the best rule for being rid of neighbors' hens in your gardens. It will be seen to deviate from the doctrine of the moral suasionists:—"1st. On the appearance of hens in the garden, give the owner notice. 2d. On their second appearance, kill them and throw the bodies over the fence of the owner. 3d. On all subsequent appearance of hens, thro' the season, kill and eat them!"

☞ "JOHN, how does the thermometer stand?"

"Against the wall, Dad."

"I mean how's the mercury?"

"I guess it's pretty well: it hasn't complained lately."

"You little rascal. Is it colder than yesterday?"

"I don't know, Dad, I'll go out, though, and feel."

☞ THEY have some cute darkies out in California. A letter-writer says—"As I sat at breakfast this morning, in the hotel, I asked one of the waiters, 'Pray tell me, my boy, why is it that those rolls, which should be hot, are always cold?' The little fellow grinned as he replied—'Don't KNOW, massa, unless it be that those buscuits are made of Chili (chilly) flour.'"

☞ "WHY DON'T you take a seat within the bar?" asked one gentleman of another, in the new court room, yesterday.

"For the best reason in the world," replied the other, "my mother always told me to keep out of bad company."

That'll do; but we wouldn't like to have a case in our court after saying it.

☞ "IT'S QUITE too bad of ye, Darby, to say that your wife is worse than the devil!"

"An't it plaze your riverence, I can prove it by the Holy Scripture—I can, be the powers! Didn't your riverence, in the sermon yesterday, till us if we resist the devil, he'd flee from us. Now, if I resist my wife she *flies at me!*"

☞ JUDICIAL WIT.—It is told of Lord Norbury, that *when passing sentence of death* upon a man for stealing a watch, he said to the culprit:

"My good fellow, you made a grasp at time, but you caught eternity."

☞ THE BEST OF REASONS.—"Dick, I say, why don't you turn that buffalo robe t'other side eout?—hair side is the warmest."

"Bah, Tom, you get out. Do you suppose the animal himself didn't know how to wear his hide? I follow his style."

☞ IT IS SAID that a pretty pair of eyes are the best mirror a man can shave by.

'Zactly so, and it is unquestionably the case, that many a man has been shaved by them.

☞ THE "Key to Uncle Tom's Cabin" is a very inappropriate name for Mrs. Stowe's last literary production, as the old negro's shanty had no lock, and of course needed no key.

☞ Punch says that the heirs of Robinson Crusoe have instituted a suit for the recovery of Juan Fernandez on the ground that their great ancestor "was monarch of all he surveyed."

☞ "JOHN, has the docter arrived?"

"Yes, sir."

"Then go immediately for the undertaker, for coming events cast their shadows before them."

☞ "NO PAINS will be spared," as the quack said when sawing off a poor fellow's leg, "to cure him of the rheumatism!"

☞ WHY IS a horse half way through a gate like a half-penny? Because there's a head at one side and a tail at the other.

☞ "TOM, who did you say our friend P., married?" "He married forty thousand dollars; I forget her other name."

MEDICINAL.

CELEBRATED FAMILY MEDICINES.

IN offering to the public the above invaluable preparations, the subscriber would state, that in consultation with his friends, and some of the most respectable of the Medical faculty, it was deemed advisable to offer to the public, a few preparations of known celebrity, being prepared with the greatest care, and on the most scientific principles, as substitutes for the numerous worthless articles that are flooding the country in the form of nostrums and cure alls, prepared by the most ignorant and mercenary persons, intended to cure all diseases and good for none.

Read and Reflect.

That the Medicine, manufactured by W. M. BICKLEY, including his Rose Pectoral for Coughs, Cream of Camphor, for Rheumatism, Worm Syrup for Worms, Tooth Wash, for decayed teeth, and diseased gums. Family Pills, or Blood Purifyer, have been more extensively used, and have given more satisfaction, than any other medicines before the public, being prepared with regard to their usefulness are fully worthy the trial of the afflicted. Give them a trial. A few powerful reasons why the above medicines are deserving of universal patronage. (In the first place,) they are prepared by a regular Physician, who understands the application of Medicines to disease, and consequently are perfectly safe to take.—(Secondly,) they have been used with universal success, and have given more satisfaction than any other Medicines offered before the public. (Thirdly,) they are the only medicines that have gained the patronage of Physicians, where they have been used, and (Fourthly,) they are put up in larger quantities for the same price, than any other Medicines offered before the public, of the same kind. As the subscriber has a number of certificates in his possession of the highest authority, where they have been used with the most satisfactory results, he will publish a few of them, feeling satisfied that a trial will insure their recommendations. Try them and satisfy yourself of their superiority over all others.

Read and be Convinced.

We, the undersigned, having been made acquainted with the ingredients entering into the compounds known as Bickley's Family Medicines, also, having prescribed and known them to be used, with the most satisfactory results, take pleasure in saying that we believe they fully meet the design for which they are recommended.

JAS. STRAWBRIDGE, M. D.
C. H. FRICK, M. D.
WM. McMAHON, M. D.
WESLEY H. GEARHEART, M. D.
WM. H. MAGILL, M. D.
B. R. GEARHART, M. D.

Cure of pain in the side and cough from protracted Liver Complaint.

Mrs. Robert Adams, laboring under Chronic Liver Complaint, accompanied with a short dry cough, pain in the side and breast, general debility, loss of appetite, after trying all the usual remedies recommended for coughs and diseases of the chest, with no benefit, she was recommended to try the Rose Pectoral, from which she not only derived immediate, but permanent relief.

John Adams, son of Mrs. Robert Adams, was afflicted with a very severe cough, pain in the side, and soreness produced by incessant coughing; he was induced to try the Rose Pectoral. To use his own language, the first dose enabled him to enjoy a good night's rest—in the morning he expectorated about half pint of matter. He continued to improve until his cough entirely left him, it also had the effect of strengthening his breast, which was naturally weak. He also says that he has recommended it to a number of his friends for similar complaints, and in every case it has given satisfaction.

The above persons residents of the town of Danville feeling that they have derived great benefits from the use of the Rose Pectoral; authorize the above statement, for the benefit of those who may be afflicted in a similar manner.

GREAT CURE.

Loss of voice restored with one bottle of Rose Pectoral.

Miss Susan Whitlock, of Rush Township, Northumberland County, for a number of years an invalid, in the fall of 1850 lost the use of her voice from a severe cold she contracted; after trying a number of remedies, with no benefit, she was entirely restored by taking one bottle of Rose Pectoral, after which, she lost her voice again, from a fresh cold she contracted and was again restored by the use of another bottle; she then took four bottles more to strengthen her breast, from which she derived the most decided benefit, and has been in the enjoyment of excellent health from that time to the present.

The above statement is obtained from Dr. Pursell, the Physician who attended her; also her mother, who thinks that she would not be living at this time if it had not been for the Rose Pectoral.

Danville, Jan. 25, 1852.

Still Another Marked Cure Effected.

Mrs. Samuel Sechler, being of a naturally weak and delicate constitution, very susceptible to colds, was afflicted with a very severe cough, pain and soreness of the breast, loss of appetite; after using a number of the usual remedies from which she derived no benefit, she was cured by taking one bottle of Rose Pectoral, and is in the enjoyment of better health than for years previous. [Danville, Dec. 1, 1850.

READ THE FOLLOWING:

This is one of the strongest cases that can be produced in favor of the virtue of a medicine.

Doctor Bickley—Sir:—In reply to your enquiries as regards the effects of the Rose Pectoral in my family, it affords me pleasure and satisfaction to inform you that, *in my own case, I* was affected with cold and a cough for about three weeks, which troubled me very much at night, so as to disturb my sleep. I procured a bottle of your Rose Pectoral, and by taking one tablespoonful for three successive nights, on going to bed, was entirely cured. I have also used it to entire satisfaction with my children. But the most remarkable effect was in the cure of my father, at this time in his seventieth year of age. For the last fifty years, he has been troubled with Asthma, and cough which distressed him very much, (particularly when he would take cold,) and for which he had tried a number of remedies in vain. I induced him to try a bottle of your Rose Pectoral, and most wonderful to relate, by the time he had taken half a bottle, in doses of one tablespoonful three times a day, was entirely cured. Hoping you may find it equally beneficial in persons similarly affected. I remain yours respectfully, JOHN FOLEY,
Of firm Hancock & Foley, Iron Manuf's, Danville, Pa.
Danville, Dec. 6, 1852.

Doctor Bickley—Being in the employ of Messrs. Hancock & Foley, with whom you have established an agency for the sale of your Family Medicines, I take pleasure in informing you, that in as far as we have an opportunity of judging of their virtues from persons who have used them, that they give general satisfaction. Yours respectfully,
JAMES COUSART,
W. G. PATTON.

Still Another.

Doctor Wm. M. Bickley—Dear Sir:—Please send us three doz. Rose Pectoral as soon as you can; it is now getting known, and we find it to be one of the best medicines for colds we have ever had.
CLEMENS & HEISLER.
Pottsville, Nov. 24, 1852.

Dear Sir:—We, the undersigned, bring in the employ of Messrs. Groves and Comly at whose store you have an Agency for the sale of your Family Medicines, state that we have had an opportunity of knowing the opinions of numerous individuals who have used them, and that they give general satisfaction. We have sold a great many of your Pills, which are universally liked, being very mild in their operation.
W. LEISENRING,
Danville, Attest, W. M. KEPLER.

Doctor Bickley:—As a tribute of merit, for your skill in preparing one of the very best and most effectual remedies that I have ever known (used) for coughs and colds, permit me to inform you that having had a very bad cough and cold, I took one bottle of your Rose Pectoral, which acted like a charm, affording me the most decided and immediate relief.—I have recommended it to a number of persons, and have also had an opportunity of observing the results, and can safely say that in every case it has given satisfaction. Believing your remedies to be what they are represented, and worthy the patronage of the community, I remain yours, respectfully,
AARON W. COMLY,
Firm of Comly & Groves, Iron Co. Store, Danville, Pa.

Doctor Bickley:—This is to certify, that about three months since, my wife was attacked with Rheumatism throughout her general system, but particularly in her hands and feet, which were very much swollen, for the last month she has been confined to her bed, and has not been able to either turn or help herself, after having recourse to every remedy I could hear of, with no benefit, she continued getting worse, when despairing of her recovery, I was advised to try the Cream of Camphor, as the last resort, and can safely say, that it afforded her immediate relief, and although we have used but two bottles, her health is fast improving, which I can attribute entirely to the use of your Cream of Camphor, as we have used nothing else. Yours truly,
ELIJAH SEARCH, Danville, Dec. 1, 1852.

Dr. Bickley—Dear Sir:—As I have had some experience, as well as observation in reference to the good qualities of some of your Medicines, I would inform you that about eighteen months since, I had an attack of bilious remittent fever, which left my breast sore and weak, accompanied with a very troublesome Cough. After trying a number of remedies, with no benefit, I was cured with less than a bottle of your Rose Pectoral, as my breast was very sore from coughing; it had a very soothing effect. From its having such a decidedly beneficial effect in my case, I was led to make enquiry of different persons whom I knew had used it, as to its general merits, and found out of a great number who have used it, but one case in which it did not give the most entire satisfaction. Hoping this may assist to bring your valuable medicines into general notice, I remain yours,
Rev. JOHN STINE,
Pastor M. Episcopal Church, Milton, Pa.
Dec. 6, 1852.

Dr. Bickley—Sir:—As my wife, who was troubled with a dry, hard cough, also sour stomach, dependent upon debility, similar to Dyspepsia, was entirely relieved by using two bottles of your Rose Pectoral—permit me to say that I consider it an excellent remedy. Yours respectfully, Rev. Mr. WILLARD,
Pastor Lutheran Church, Danville, Pa.
Danville, Jan. 31, 1853.

Dr. Bickley—Sir:—As a recommendation for your invaluable medicines, I would inform you that since my arrival in Danville, not being able to procure the same remedies, I have been in the habit of using, previous to my residence here, I was induced to try your Rose Pectoral in my family, all of whom were laboring under very bad colds, and find it more efficacious than any medicines I have ever used. I have used it in my own case. Also, that of my wife, my sister in-law and children, and in each and every case have found it equally beneficial. I have also tried your Worm Syrup and Cream of Camphor, and have found them also very effectual. Yours respectfully,
MICHAEL GROVES, firm of J. P. & J. Groves.

Dr. Bickley:—During the August term of Court at Danville, 1852, I slept with my window up, and in the morning found that I had taken such a severe cold that it was with difficulty I could speak sufficiently loud, so as to be understood, having heard of the celebrated virtues of your Rose Pectoral, I was induced to try it, and to my agreeable surprise and satisfaction, was entirely cured by the time I had taken half a bottle of it. Since then, whenever I feel the effects of a cold in my system, I take a few doses and find it relieve sooner, and more effectually than any medicine I have ever taken. In addition, I would inform you that my wife had a very severe attack of Rheumatism in her arm and shoulder, from which she suffered a great deal of pain, and from which she was entirely relieved by the use of the Cream of Camphor. CORNELIUS GLECKER,
Derry township, Montour County.

Having been cured of a pain in my arm (similar to Rheumatism) which deprived me of the free use of it for about four months. By using one bottle of Cream of Camphor I would state that I consider it the best remedy of the kind I have ever used in my family, and I would freely recommend it to others with similar affections. Yours respectfully
JONAS WOLF, Rush tp., North'd. Co.

My wife having Rheumatism of the arm for a number of years, which prevented her from using it in doing her work; after having spent a great deal of money in trying different remedies with no benefit, was entirely cured by using only one bottle of your Cream of Camphor. WILLIAM EVANS,
Miner for S. B. Wood, R. Point.

Doctor Bickley:—Having received a very severe injury in my side by falling off a load of hay, from which I was unable to follow my work, was recommended to try a bottle of Cream of Camphor, which afforded immediate relief. GRIFFITH CARR,
Rush tp., North'd. Co.

My wife, suffering from most excruciating pain, throughout her general system, which prevented her from sleeping, (being occasioned by a long and protracted spell of sickness,) for which she used a number of remedies without benefit, was entirely relieved by the use of Cream of Camphor.
GEO. B. BROWN, Surgeon Dentist, Danville, Pa.

Child cured of Bowel Complaint and Ague, (of two years' standing,) by Worm Syrup.

My child being afflicted for the last two years, with Bowel Complaint and Ague, until it was reduced to a mere skeleton, I tried a number of remedies with no permanent benefit, until I gave it a bottle of your Worm Syrup, since which time it has been well and got quite fleshy. I also have recommended it to a number of my friends, and in every case it has given satisfaction. L. LEVI.
At Louis Lange, [Merchant,] Danville.

I have used your Worm Syrup in my family, and consider it not only effectual, but the most pleasant article I am acquainted with. J. LASHELS, Danville.

Having used your Worm Syrup in my family, it helps my children more than any preparation of the kind, and is more pleasant to take. D. MORGAN,
Montour Row, Danville.

I have had occasion to use your Worm Syrup in my family, and prefer it to any Vermifuge I have used.
FRED. DUB, Frosty Valley, Montour Co.

Dr. Bickley:—Having used your Worm Syrup, and Cream of Camphor, and Family Pills in my family, they gave good satisfaction, and I consider them the most effectual and pleasant remedies we have had in our family. JONATHAN R. RISHEL, Danville.

Having Scurvy of my mouth very bad, I was induced to try a bottle of your Tooth Wash, which acted like a charm, hardening my gums, and removing all disease. JONATHAN R. RISHEL, Danville.

The above medicines are for sale Wholesale and Retail by W. M. BICKLEY, M. D., Proprietor, Danville.

Also—For sale by the following Agents in Schuylkill County:

Clemens & Heisler, Jno. G. Brown, John S. C. Martin, Dr. Sanderson, Pottsville; Weist, Weimer & Co., Minersville; M. G. & F. Heilner, Llewellyn; Geo Reppliez, Josiah Parkin, St. Clair; Geo. Reifsnyder, New Castle; J. C. Connor, Ashland.

☞ Call on the Agents and get a circular containing a full description of the different medicines.

April 16, 1853. 16-ly

TRAVELING.

SUNDAY EXCURSION TRAINS.

PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAILROAD.

ON and after SUNDAY, June 6th, 1852, and on every following Sunday, until further notice, an Express Excursion Passenger Train will leave Philadelphia at 7½ A. M., and return from Pottsville at 4 P. M., same day; stopping at all Way Routs on the Line and at the following stations at the hours stated:

UP TRAIN.		DOWN TRAIN.	
Stations.	Time A.M.	Stations.	Time P.M.
Leaves Philad'a	7.30	Leaves Pottsville	4.00
Passes Phoenixville	8.31	Passes Mt. Carbon	4.07
" Pottstown	8.58	" S. Haven	4.15
" Reading	9.34	" Reading	5.21
" S. Haven	10.43	" Pottstown	6.00
" Mt. Carbon	10.52	" Phoenixville	6.26
Arrives at Pottsville	11.00	Arrives at Philad'a.	7.20

FARES.

For the round trip, up and down, in No. 1 Cars: From Philadelphia to Phoenixville and back, same day, $1 40
" " Pottstown, " " 1 75
" " Reading, " " 2 50
" S. Haven, Mt. Carbon & Pottsville, 4 00
Reading to Pottsville and back same day, 1 50

☞ No Baggage carried with these trains. All Tickets must be purchased before entering the cars.

May 29, 1852. 22-tf

PASSENGER TRAINS.

OFFICE OF THE PHILADELPHIA & READING RAILROAD—SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.—From Philadelphia to Pottsville. On and after May 17, 1852, there will be two passenger Trains daily (Sundays excepted,) between Philadelphia, Reading, and Pottsville.

MORNING LINE.

The Express Train leaves Philadelphia daily except Sundays, at 7½ o'clock, A. M. The Way Train leaves Pottsville daily, Sundays excepted at 7½ o'clock, A. M.

AFTERNOON LINE.

The Way Train leaves Philadelphia daily, except Sundays, at 2½ o'clock, P. M. The Express Train leaves Pottsville daily, except Sundays, at 3½ o'clock, P. M.

HOURS OF PASSING READING.

For Philadelphia at 9 o'clock 10 minutes, A. M., and 4 o'clock 51 minutes, P. M. For Pottsville at 9 o'clock 34 minutes A. M. and 6 o'clock P. M.

Both Trains stop at all the Stations along the line.

FARES:

	1st class cars	2d class cars
Reading to Philadelphia,	$1 75	$1 45
do to Pottsville,	1 05	85
Philad'a to Pottsville,	2 75	2 25

Depot in Pottsville, corner of Union and Railroad streets rear of American House. Passengers cannot enter the cars unless provided with a ticket.

Fifty pounds of baggage will be allowed to each passenger in these lines, and passengers are expressly prohibited from taking anything as baggage but their own wearing apparel, which will be at the risk of its owner.

By order of the Board of Managers
S. BRADFORD, Secretary.
June 5, 1852. 23-tf

LITTLE SCHUYLKILL RAILROAD.

OFFICE OF THE LITTLE SCHUYLKILL NAVIGATION Rail Road and Coal Company.

ON AND AFTER TUESDAY, APRIL 1, 1851, the Passenger Train will leave Tamaqua daily (Sunday excepted,) at 6½ o'clock A. M. and 2½ o'clock P. M., and connect with the Morning and Afternoon Trains from Pottsville, on the Reading Railroad.

Returning, will leave Port Clinton, on the arrival of the Morning Train from Philadelphia on the Reading Railroad. FARE,
To Philadelphia, $3 00
" Port Clinton, 75
JOHN ANDERSON General Agent.
Tamaqua, April 10, 1851 15-tf

TRANSPORTATION.

READING RAILROAD COMPANY.

OFFICE OF THE PHILA. & READING RAILROAD CO.
Philadelphia, March 11, 1853.

The rates of FREIGHTS and TOLLS on Coal transported by this Company, will be as follows from the 14th inst., to July 31st, inclusive:

TO	FROM Mt. Carbon.	Schuylkill Haven.	Port Clinton.
Richmond,	1 60	1 55	1 35
Philadelphia,	1 60	1 55	1 35
Inclined Plane	1 60	1 55	1 35
Nicetown,	1 60	1 55	1 35
Germantown R R.,	1 60	1 55	1 35
Falls of Schuylkill,	1 60	1 55	1 35
Manayunk,	1 60	1 55	1 35
Spring Mill,	1 50	1 45	1 30
Conshohoc'n & Plymouth R. R.,	1 45	1 40	1 25
Rambo's and Potts' and Jones'	1 40	1 35	1 20
Nor'ist'n or Bridgeport,	1 35	1 30	1 15
Port Kennedy,	1 35	1 30	1 15
Valley Forge,	1 30	1 25	1 15
Phoenixville,	1 15	1 10	1 00
Royer's Ford,	1 15	1 10	1 00
Pottstown,	1 15	1 10	1 00
Douglassville,	1 15	1 10	1 00
Birdsboro',	1 05	1 00	95
Reading,	95	90	90
Betw'n. Reading & Mohrsville,	95	90	90
Mohrsville,	95	90	90
Hamburg,	95	90	
Orwigsburg,	95	95	

By order of the Board of Managers
S. BRADFORD, Secretary.
March 19, 1853. 12-tf

SCHUYLKILL NAVIGATION.

OFFICE OF THE SCHUYLKILL NAVIGATION Co., March 10th 1853.

The charge for the use of Cars, and for Toll on Anthracite Coal, carried on the SCHUYLKILL NAVIGATION, will be as follows until August 1st, 1853:—

TO	FROM Port Carbon.	Mount Carbon.	Sch'l Haven.	Port Clinton.
	cts.	cts.	cts.	cts.
Philadelphia,	60	59	57	50
Manayunk,	60	59	57	50
Spring Mill,	50	49	47	40
Conshohocken,	50	49	47	40
Plymouth Dam,	50	49	47	40
Bridgeport,	50	49	47	40
Norristown,	50	49	47	40
Port Kennedy,	47	46	44	38
Valley Forge,	47	46	44	38
Pawling's Dam,	47	46	44	38
Pt. Providence,	45	44	42	36
Phoenixville,	43	42	40	35
Royer's Ford,	43	42	40	35
Pottsto'n Ld'g.	43	42	40	35
Port Union,	41	40	38	34
Birdsborough,	41	40	38	34
Reading,	38	37	35	31
Allhouses,	38	37	35	31
Mohrsville,	38	37	35	31
Hamburg,	35	34	32	28
Orwigs'g Ld'g.	20	29	27	—

The charge will be per ton of 2240 lbs. less five per cent. allowance for waste as usual, and no charge less than twenty-five cents per ton will be made for any distance.

By order of the Managers,
F. FRALEY, President.
March 19, 1853. 12-tf

PHILADA & READING RAILROAD

REDUCTION OF FREIGHT ON MERCHANDISE, to commence March 1, 1851.
RATES OF FREIGHT PER 100 LBS.

ARTICLES TRANSPORTED.	Between Pottsville & Philadelphia	Between Reading & Pottsville
1st Class.—Bituminous Coal, Bricks, Ice, Iron Ore, Limestone, Pig Iron, Plaster, Slate, Tiles,	9 cts.	4½ cts.
2d Class.—Blooms, Burr Blocks, Cement, Grindstones, Guano, Laths, Pitch, Railroad Iron, heavy, Rosin, Salt, Sills, Shingles, Tar, Turpentine, Timber and Lumber,	10½ cts.	5½ cts.
3d Class.—Ale, Beer and Porter, Ashes, Pot and Pearl, Bark, Barley, Bones and Horns, Coffee, Cotton, Whiskey & Domestic Liquors, Grain, Iron Castings, rough; Rolled, Bar or Hammered Iron, Boiler Plates, Flat Bar Railroad Iron, Lead and Shot, Molasses, Potatoes, Nails and Spikes, Salt Provisions, Sugar, Saltpetre & Tobacco, unmanufactured,	12½ cts.	6½ cts.
FLOUR per barrel,	25 cts.	11 cts.
4th Class.—Apples, Bran, Butter, Cheese, Cordage, Earthen-ware Eggs, Groceries, (except those stated) Hemp, Hardware & Cutlery, Hollow-ware, Lard, Leather, Live Stock, Manufactures of Iron, as Machinery; Oil, Oysters, Paints, Raw Hides, Rags, Russia Sheet Iron, Seeds, Steel, Sweet Potatoes, Tallow, Vinegar & Wire.	17 cts.	9 cts.
5th Class.—Books and Stationery, Boots and Shoes, Camphine & Spirit Oil, China, Glass and Queensware, Cigars, Confectionery, Dry Goods, Drugs, Fresh Fish, Meat and Fruit, Foreign Liquors, Hops, Spirits of Turpentine, Teas, Wines and Wool.	22 cts.	11 cts.

March 1, 1851. 9-tf

NEW ARRANGEMENT.

HOWARD, EARL & CO.'S EXPRESS LINE.—We are prepared to receive and forward Daily per Passenger Train, (our Express Car being always in charge of special messengers) merchandise of all descriptions, packages, bundles, specie, bank notes, &c. Also, particular attention paid to collecting Bills, Drafts and Accounts. Packages and Goods delivered daily to all intermediate places between Philadelphia and Pottsville. Offices—Centre Street, Pottsville; No. 43, South Third Street, Philadelphia; No. 6 Wall Street, New York; No. 8 Court Street, Boston.
HOWARD, EARL & Co.
Jan. 1, 1853. 1-tf

NEW ARRANGEMENTS.

THE undersigned desire to inform the Public that they have established themselves at Leesport, in connection with the St. Clair Depot, for the purpose of purchasing Flour, Grain, Hay and Produce. They are thankful for past favors, and are now prepared to deliver goods, wholesale and retail.
UHLER & BROTHER.
St. Clair, January 6, 1853. 2-tf

EYRE & LANDELL,

Fourth and Arch streets, Philadelphia,

ARE now receiving for Spring Sales, a Fine STOCK OF DRY GOODS, Black and Colored Silks;
Fashionable Shawls;
New designs of Dress Goods;
British, French and INDIA GOODS;
Linen, Damasks and furnishing Goods;
Full stock of American Cotton and Woolen Goods.
N. B. Wholesale Buyers supplied with *scarce* and desirable Dry Goods, at low prices, *per nett Cash.*
Feb. 19, 1853 8-3m

CATHOLIC SCHOOL READING BOOKS.—The Subscriber has just received a fresh supply of the 1st, 2d and 3d Books of Reading lessons, compiled by the Brothers of the Christian Schools. Also; Catholic Prayer Books and Catechisms for sale cheap by B. BANNAN,
Publisher and Bookseller.
July 10, 1852. 28-tf

WORKS OF DANIEL WEBSTER—in six volumes, with portrait—the only complete edition of the works of Webster published. It has passed through no less than three editions since the author's death. Just received and will be sold at Publisher's prices at B. BANNAN'S
Cheap Book Store.
Feb. 26, 1853. 9—

PEW PRAYER BOOKS.—Just received, a choice lot of Prayer Books, with large print, neatly bound, but cheap, for Pews. Also, a lot of elegant Prayer Books, to suit the taste of the most fastidious—all of which will be sold very low at
B. BANNAN'S
Cheap Wholesale and Retail Book & Stationery Store.
April 9, 1853. 15—

FIRE INSURANCE.

A FULL STATEMENT

OF the Affairs of the MOHAWK VALLEY FARMERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, on the thirty first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two. The office of said Company is located at Scotia, Schenectady County, New York.

The amount of capital stock of this corporation paid in, and secured to be paid in, or invested according to the provisions of its charter, is in premium notes, and notes for cash; based upon applications for insurance to the amount of $106,452 23

Received since the period of organizing, being the 28th day of July, 1851, in additional premium notes and cash premiums, 95,344 93—$201,797 16

The amount of said capital stock, with said additional premium notes and cash premiums so aforesaid received, and possessed by this corporation, over and above its losses, expenses and cancelled premium notes is 174,894 83

The whole amount of debts owing to this corporation, and which are amply secured by good bonds, 17,745 53

Office furniture, stationery & fixtures on hand, 564 61—18,310 44

The whole amount of losses of this corporation, including losses on fire insurances paid, expenses, fees paid to ag'ts, expenses in organizing this corporation, and for office furniture, fixtures and stationery, 14,399 61

In addition to the above, there is claimed for losses on proofs, expenses and accounts unadjusted 7,810 01

Amount of claims not acknowledged as debts. 900 00

The amount for which this corporation is bound as surety, and for which it may become liable on the happening of contingent events, is, on policies of insurance, 1,576,493 11

STATE OF NEW YORK, Schenectady County, } ss.

ADAM C. VAN PATTEN, President, and JASPER BELL, Secretary of the Mohawk Valley Farmers' Insurance Company, being severally duly sworn, depose and say, and each for himself says, that the foregoing is a full, true and correct statement of the affairs of the said corporation, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and that they are the above subscribed officers, and the officers thereof.
ADAM C. VAN PATTEN, Pres't.
JASPER BELL, Sec't.
Subscribed and sworn before me, this 25th day of January, 1853.
D. SMITH, Justice.
Agent for Schuylkill County, JOSEPH MORGAN.
April 22, 1853. 17-1m

STATE MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. PHILADELPHIA AGENCY.

NO. 145 Chesnut street, United States Hotel Building. GILLETT & COGGSHALL, Agents.

Abstract from the Second Annual Report, made May 1st, 1852:

Whole number of policies issued in both branches of business, Twenty Thousand, 20,000
Whole amount of property at risk, $15,250,825 00
Total amount of Premiums received in cash, and Bills receivable, $375,200 27
Total amount of losses and expenses, 100,150 75
Amount of Cash and Guarantee Capital now in reserve for future losses, $250,125 75
Including a Cash surplus of 50,075 25

The Company was organized but two years since, upon purely mutual principles, and with no expectation of so far superseding many other institutions.—It is, nevertheless true, that its success is unparalleled, and the amount of business done, number of Policies issued, and losses met with and paid, in the same period, exceed that of any Insurance Company upon record. Its capital increases with its liabilities, and no part of this can be applied otherwise than for the benefit of the parties insured by this Company.

DIRECTORS:
J. P. Rutherford, Prest., A. J. Gillett, Secretary;
F. C. Sedgwick; Samuel Jones, Philada.;
John B. Packer; John B. Rutherford;
Robert Klotz; H. T. Jones;
A. A. Carrier, Actuary.

We, the undersigned, residents of Schuylkill county, and members of the State Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, take pleasure in recommending the above Company to those seeking safe and cheap Insurance, it being a purely Merchants' and Farmers' Company.
Hon. Sol. Foster, Pottsville, J. & B. Carter, Tamaqua,
Richard R. Morris, do J. W. Shoemaker, S. H.
J. M. Beatty & son, do Heilner & Shay, Min's.

The Subscriber has been appointed sole agent of the above Company for Pottsville and vicinity, and all applications for insurance must be addressed to him.
JAS. H. GRAEFF.
Office opposite the Miners' Bank, Pottsville.
July 10, 1852. 28-tf

INDEMNITY.

THE FRANKLIN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA.

OFFICE No. 163½ Chestnut street, near Fifth St.

DIRECTORS.
Charles N. Bancker, George W. Richards
Thomas Hart, Mordecai D. Lewis,
Tobias Wagner, Adolphe E. Borie,
Samuel Grant, David S. Brown,
Jacob R. Smith, Morris Patterson,

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.

The Company have reserved a large Contingent Fund, which with their Capital and Premiums, safely invested, afford ample protection to the assured.

The assets of the Company on January 1st, 1848, as published agreeably to an Act of Assembly, were as follows, viz:
Mortgages, $890,558 65 Stocks, 51,563 25
Real Estate, 108,358 90 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.
CHARLES G. BANCKER, Secretary.

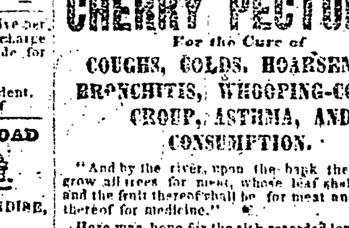
The subscriber has been appointed agent for the above mentioned institution, and is now prepared to make insurance, on every description of property, at the lowest rates. ANDREW RUSSEL, Agent.
Pottsville, Jan 11, 1851 2-tf

INSURE YOUR HOUSES!

THE undersigned, Agent for the Lycoming County Mutual Insurance Company, which has probably become more popular than any other similar institution in the State, is prepared to effect insurances against loss by Fire, on all descriptions of Buildings, Merchandize, and other property, on the usual fair and liberal terms of the Company. Losses are always promptly paid as soon as they are satisfactorily made known. Persons having property to be insured, may apply to the subscriber, in Pottsville, either personally or by letter, and they shall be promptly attended to. JOHN HARLAN.
June 26, 1852. 26-tf

MEDICINAL.

AYER'S



CHERRY PECTORAL

For the Cure of
COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, BRONCHITIS, WHOOPING-COUGH, CROUP, ASTHMA, AND CONSUMPTION.

"And by the river, upon the bank thereof, shall grow all trees for meat, whose leaf shall not fade and the fruit thereof shall be for meat and the leaf thereof for medicine."

Here was hope for the sick recorded long ago, and every year adds new proof to the assurance that these promises shall not fail.

As medical Science discovers and designates the remedies nature has given, one by one, the diseases that afflict our race yield to the control of art. Of all the maladies we suffer from, none has carried more victims to an untimely grave than Consumption of the Lungs. Subjoined we give some evidence that this too may be cured, and that Pulmonary complaints, in all their forms, may be removed by CHERRY PECTORAL.

Space will not permit us to publish here any proportion of the cures it has effected, but the Agent below named, will furnish our Circular, free, whereon are full particulars and indisputable proof of these facts.

Sufferers, read and judge for yourselves:

FOR INFLUENZA AND WHOOPING COUGH.
NASHVILLE, TENN., June 26, 1851.

Sir:—I have repeatedly used your Cherry Pectoral for Whooping Cough and Influenza, and have no hesitation in pronouncing it a complete remedy. Four of my children have been afflicted with these diseases, and the free use of the Pectoral has always afforded almost instant relief. JAMES GLOVER.

We attest the truth of the above statement.
M. McGINTY, Editor Nashville Whig.
J. M. ZIMMERMAN, Druggist.

FOR A CONSUMPTIVE COUGH.
PITTSBURG, PA., Feb. 25, 1851.

Dear Sir:—For three years I have been afflicted with a cough, so distressing that I frequently despaired of recovery; much of the time I was obliged to sit up all night in my chair, as my cough would suffocate me when I laid down. Having used many remedies without much relief, I at last tried the CHERRY PECTORAL, which, under Providence, has cured me altogether. I am with gratitude yours,
JAMES M'CANDLESS.

This is one of the numerous cures of Asthma which have been accredited to Cherry Pectoral.
ALBANY, N. Y., April 17, 1848.

DR. AYER, Lowell. Dear Sir:—I have for years been afflicted with Asthma in the worst form, so that I have been obliged to sleep in my chair for a larger part of the time, being unable to breathe on my bed. I had tried a great many medicines, to no purpose, until my physician prescribed, as an experiment, your Cherry Pectoral.

At first it seemed to make me worse; but in less than a week I began to experience the most gratifying relief from its use; and now, in four weeks, the disease is entirely removed. I can sleep on my bed with comfort, and enjoy a state of health which I had never expected to enjoy.
GEORGE S. FARANT.
Commission and Forwarding Merchant.

From the President of Amherst College.
EDWARD HITCHCOCK, M. D., LL. D., &c.

J. 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.
EDWARD HITCHCOCK.
Amherst, Sept. 12, 1849.

Among the other distinguished authorities who have lent their names to recommend this preparation as the best known to them for affections of the lungs, are:
President Perkins, Vermont Medical College,
Prof. Silliman, Yale College,
Prof. Valentine Mott, New York,
Prof. Cleaveland, Bowdoin Medical College,
Prof. Butterfield, Ohio Medical College,
Canadian Journal of Medical Science,
Boston Medical and Surgical Journal,
Charleston, S. C., Medical Review,
New Jersey Medical Reporter,
Hon. Henry Clay, U. S. Senator,
Hon. Geo. P. Marsh, Am. Ambassador to Turkey,
Gen. Emanuel Bulnes, President of Chili
Rt. Rev. Ed. Power, Lord Bishop of Toronto,
Rev. Doct. Lansing, Brooklyn, New York,
Archbishop Purcell, of Cincinnati, Ohio.
Also, many eminent personages in foreign countries.

Not only in the more dangerous and distressing diseases of the Lungs, but also as a family medicine for occasional use, it is the safest, pleasantest, and best in the world. Prepared and sold by
JAMES C. AYER,
Druggist and Chemist, Lowell, Mass.
Sold in Pottsville, by John G. Brown; Minersville J. B. Falls; and Druggists generally.
Feb. 26, 1853. 9 3m

DR. [illegible] PHYSICIAN & SURGEON
OFFICE AND DISPENSARY,
MARKET STREET, POTTSVILLE, PA.
Dec. 14, 1850 50-tf

MEDICINAL.

Medicines which never fail to give satisfaction, and are used by many Physicians in their practice.

THE BEST SARSAPARILLA COMPOUND IN THE WORLD.

DR. J. S. ROSE'S celebrated Compound Fluid Extract of FRESH HONDURAS SARSAPARILLA. Prepared by him only, at his Laboratory. Quart bottles, $1. Small bottles, 50 cents. Warranted free from Mercury. As a Spring and Summer Medicine, for purifying the Blood, it has no equal. This Compound is made by a chemical process, without exposure to the air, and therefore contains all the virtue of the truly valuable root, Honduras Sarsaparilla, combined with other ingredients, to render it efficacious in purifying and enriching the blood, and to cure all Skin Eruptions and Skin Diseases, Scrofulous Sores, and their bad effects on the Constitution, Dropsical Swellings, Rheumatism from Mercury, Biles, Old Sores, Kidney and Bladder Affections, cleansing the system of mercury, and raising up a weak and broken down constitution from any cause.

In short, this carefully made preparation of Sarsaparilla will do all that can be done by any compound of the root Sarsaparilla, as the thousands who have used it will testify. It is also a pleasant purifying beverage, enlivening the spirits, giving appetite and tone to the stomach, and as a drink, (with a little cool water, mineral or soda water,) will be found superior to all others.

Females who have used this compound, from being delicate, weak and pale, soon become robust and have a fine color. It possesses great invigorating properties.

DR. J. S. ROSE'S

GREAT PAIN CURER! *THE WONDER OF THE AGE!!!* ALL PAINS CURED LIKE MAGIC.—This wonderful preparation is used internally and externally, giving immediate relief from all bodily pains.

If used according to directions, it not only relieves all pain, but it cures it usually on the first application. It may be relied upon for curing and giving almost instant relief, as thousands who have used it can testify, to Rheumatism, Ague, Sudden Colds, Cholera, Dysentery, Cholera Morbus, Pleurisy, Earache, Cholic, and Toothache, and all pain in the stomach or Bowels, Headache, Pains in the Womb, Pains in the Limbs, Joints, Back, Spine Disease, Lumbago, Scalds, Burns, Chilblains, Sprains, Bruises, Pimples, and all Chronic Eruptions.

If you wish to be relieved from ALL PAIN, use Dr. Rose's PAIN CURER.

If you desire to be cured of ALL DISEASES, take his Family Medicines. Price 12½, 25, and 50 cents per bottle.

For Liver Complaints, Dyspepsia, &c.

THE Liver being the largest gland in the human body, it is more frequently deranged than any other. Then follow Dyspepsia, Constipation, Cold Feet and Loss of Appetite—the skin becomes yellow; the spirits droop, and there is a great aversion to society. Regulate the Liver, and you correct all these evils.—The surest preparations to take are DR. ROSE'S celebrated Railroad or Antibilious PILLS. They carry off the bile, and soon give appetite and strength.

His Dyspepsia Compound should be taken where a person has been troubled with Dyspepsia a long time. Price 50 cents; but for Colds, Bilious habits, jaundice, &c., take DR. ROSE'S Antibilious or Railroad PILLS. 12½ and 25 cents per box.

☞ The above preparations can be found, with circulars and full directions, at the stores of B. Bannan, Agent for the County; John G. Brown, John S. C. Martin, Pottsville; J. W. Gibbs, Minersville; and E. J. Fry, Tamaqua.

April 2, 1853. 14-tf

NUTTALL'S LYRIACUM.

THREE DIFFERENT PREPARATIONS FOR THE CURE OF THE THREE DIFFERENT STAGES OF CONSUMPTION.

FIRST STAGE. INCIPIENT. SYMPTOMS.—Cough, pain in the breast, side, head, back, joints and limbs; inflammation, soreness and tickling in the throat, fever difficult and quick breathing, *expectoration difficult, slight and frothy.*

SECOND STAGE. CONFIRMED. SYMPTOMS.—Costiveness, spasmodic cough, *violent fever, night,* morning and midday sweats, hectic flush in the face and cheeks, *burning heat in the palms of the hands and soles of the feet, expectoration easy, copious and streaked with blood.*

THIRD STAGE. TUBERCULAR. SYMPTOMS.—Diarrhoea, diminished fever, cough, and morning sweats, great and increasing debility, frequent fainting fits, slight delirium, & swelling of extremities.

TO THE AFFLICTED.

The appearance in THREE BOTTLES, of *Nuttall's Syriacum* is a rare era in Medicine, from its novelty and direct opposition to the old *absurd and invariable text and bottle system;* while its SUCCESS, prepared in this manner, each Bottle containing a different Preparation, in curing the different stages which characterize Consumption, has established the welcome truth of the curability of every stage of Pulmonary Consumption.

Physicians approve of it because it is based upon correct Physiological and Pathological principles. The Public approve of it, because it is common sense, as they know from sad experience that one cure will not suit all the three stages of Consumption. The suffering, disappointed and discouraged invalid approves of it because he sees a reasonable Hope, and when he uses Nuttall's Syriacum, his hopes are realized.

If he is in the first stage of Consumption, and uses the FIRST BOTTLE, his expectoration, difficult and painful, becomes free and easy, his cough yields, as well the soreness, tickling in his throat, inflammation, pain in his breast, side, head, back, joints and limbs are removed.

If he is in the second stage, and uses the second bottle, his fever leaves him, his disturbed slumbers become sweet and refreshing, his night sweats vanish, his expectoration, copious and bloody, assumes a healthy appearance, and at length disappears, his bowels become regular, his appetite returns, the flush in his cheek disappears, the burning heat in the palms of his hands and soles of his feet, are removed, and his cough now ceases, he recovers and is well.

If he is in the third stage and uses the third bottle, his Diarrhoea gradually ceases, his weak bowels become strong, his cough and other bad symptoms disappear, feeble digestion becomes strong and vigorous, *his stomach recovers its proper tone,* and he creates new, rich and nourishing blood, his strength returns, *his wasted body is clothed with flesh,* his life is saved, and he is RESTORED TO HEALTH!

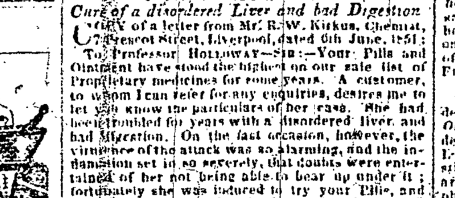
Each bottle of *Nuttall's Syriacum* has the symptoms of the stage for which it is intended, printed in front of the wrapper, whereby every Invalid knowing his own symptoms, *can judge for which bottle he requires;* consequently, no mistake can occur in selecting the proper medicine.

☞ *See Pamphlet in possession of the editor of this paper,* containing Dr. Nuttall's Pathology of Consumption, Lectures on the Structure and Uses of the Human Lungs, and Certificates of cures.

☞ Prepared only by Dr. WM. NUTTALL, Inventor and Proprietor. Price one dollar per bottle.—Principal Office 278 RACE Street, one door above Eighth, Philadelphia.

Jan. 29, 1853. 5-1y

THE ROAD TO HEALTH.



HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.

Cure of a disordered Liver and bad Digestion.

Copy of a letter from Mr. R. W. Kirkus, Chemist, 7 Prescot Street, Liverpool, dated 6th June, 1851.

To Professor HOLLOWAY—SIR:—Your Pills and Ointment have stood the highest on our sale list of Proprietary medicines for some years. A customer, to whom I can refer for any enquiries, desires me to let you know the particulars of her case. She had been troubled for years with a disordered liver, and bad digestion. On the last occasion, however, the violence of the attack was so alarming, and the inflammation set in so severely, that doubts were entertained of her not being able to bear up under it; fortunately she was induced to try your Pills, and she informs me that after the first, and each succeeding dose, she had great relief. She continued to take them, and although she used only three Boxes, she is now in the enjoyment of perfect health. I could have sent you many more cases, but the above, from the severity of the attack, and the speedy cure, I think, speaks much in favor of your astonishing Pills.
(Signed.) R. W. KIRKUS.

An extraordinary cure of Rheumatic Fever, in Van Diemen's Land.

Copy of a letter inserted in the Hobart Town Courier, of the 1st March, 1851, by Major J. Walch:

Margaret M'Connigan, nineteen years of age, residing at New Town, had been suffering from a violent Rheumatic Fever for upwards of two months, which had entirely deprived her of the use of her limbs; during this period she was under the care of the most eminent medical men in Hobart Town, and by them her case was considered hopeless. A friend prevailed upon her to try Holloway's celebrated Pills, which she consented to do, and in an incredibly short space of time they effected a perfect cure.

Cure of a Pain and Tightness in Chest and Stomach of a person 84 years of age.

From Messrs. Thew & Son, Proprietors of the Lynn Advertiser, who can vouch for the following statement—Aug. 2, 1851:

To Professor HOLLOWAY—SIR:—I desire to bear testimony to the good effects of Holloway's Pills—For some years I suffered severely from a pain and tightness in the Stomach, which was also accompanied by a shortness of breath, that prevented me from walking about. I am 84 years of age, and notwithstanding my advanced state of life, these Pills have so relieved me, that I am desirous that others should be made acquainted with their virtues. I am now rendered, by their means, comparatively active, and can take exercise without inconvenience or pain, which I could not do before.
[Signed.] HENRY COE,
North Street, Lynn, Norfolk.

Wonderful efficacy of Holloway's Pills in cases of Dropsy.

Persons suffering from Dropsy, either about the turn of life, or at other times, should immediately have recourse to these Pills, as hundreds of persons are annually cured, by their use, of this direful complaint in its different stages, where all other means had failed.

These celebrated Pills are wonderfully efficacious in the following complaints:

Ague,	Inflammation,
Asthma,	Jaundice,
Bilious Complaints,	Liver Complaints,
Blotches on the Skin,	Lumbago,
Bowel Complaints,	Piles,
Colics,	Rheumatism,
Constipation of the Bowels	Retention of Urine,
Consumption,	Scrofula, or King's Evil,
Debility,	Sore Throats,
Dropsy,	Stone and Gravel,
Dysentery,	Secondary Symptoms,
Erysipelas,	Tic Douloureux,
Female Irregularities,	Tumours,
Fevers of all kinds,	Ulcers,
Fits,	Venereal Affections,
Gout,	Worms of all kinds,
Headache,	Weakness, from whatever cause, &c. &c.
Indigestion,	

Sold at the Establishment of Professor HOLLOWAY, 244 Strand, (near Temple Bar, London,) and by all respectable Druggists and Dealers in Medicines throughout the British Empire, and of those of the United States, in Boxes at 37½c, 87½c, and $1 50 each. Wholesale by the principal Drug Houses in the Union; by Messrs. A. B. & D. Sands, New York; and by Mr. C. D. Knight, 7 South Sixth Street, Philadelphia.

☞ There is a considerable saving by taking the larger sizes.

N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each Box.

☞ T. W. DYOTT & SONS, 132 North Second Street, Philadelphia, Wholesale Agents for Pennsylvania.

Also for sale by John G. Brown; and Clemens & Heisler, Pottsville; E. J. Fry, Tamaqua; Dr. J. W. Gibbs, Minersville.

Dec. 18, 1852. 51-1y

DR. J. S. ROSE'S NERVOUS AND INVIGORATING CORDIAL.

The greatest discovery in Medical Science!

THIS astonishing Preparation for raising any weak constitution, debilitated by care, labor, study or disease, acts like a charm. It gives strength and appetite, and possesses great invigorating properties.

For Heart Disease, all Nervous Affections, Flatulence, Heart Burn, Restlessness, Numbness, Neuralgia, raising the spirits and giving power to the whole system, it is almost miraculous in its effect.—50 cents a bottle.

CHESTER COUNTY, Aug. 27th, 1852.

I have been affected with nervous sensations the past four years, and have used many medicines without relief until I used Dr. Rose's Nervous Cordial.—Before using one bottle, from being restless weak and nervous, I derived great benefit, and feel like another man; now enjoying better health, and having quiet sleep. Previous to using the cordial, I was restless, and my eyes were frequently twitching, and my nerves always; they are more quiet, and I feel better every way, both in mind and body.
JAMES WILLIAMS.

The above Preparation to be had of B. BANNAN, Sole Agent for Schuylkill County. Also, of E. J. Fry, Tamaqua; and Doct. J. W. Gibbs, Minersville.

Feb. 26, 1853. 9-tf

DR. BARRON'S MAGICAL PREPARATION.

North East Corner of NINTH and RACE Streets, PHILADELPHIA.

WHERE he continues to treat all private and delicate diseases, guaranteeing a cure in all cases. Strangers and Residents, of both sexes, are invited to the Doctor's Private Rooms, where he can always be consulted confidentially, free of charge.

☞ Persons residing at a distance, by enclosing three dollars in a letter, post-paid, stating symptoms, will receive a bottle of the Doctor's Magical Preparation, by return of mail.

☞ Office Hours from 8 o'clock, A. M., till 10, P. M.

Sept. 18, 1852. 38-1y

HARDWARE, &C.

IRON COMMISSION WARE HOUSE,

CENTRE STREET, POTTSVILLE.

THE subscribers are prepared to furnish the Trade, Machinists and Operators, at Philadelphia prices, (freight added) wholesale or retail, best American Bar Iron, manufactured in Pottsville, and warranted of superior quality. Also, light T rails, suitable for mines, and Cable Chains, furnished at short notice direct from the Importer. E. YARDLEY & SON.
York Store, Nov. 27, 1852. 47-tf

FAIRBANK'S PLATFORM SCALES

THE Subscribers have been appointed agents for the sale of this superior make of Scales, and are prepared to furnish any description of their make, capable of weighing from ½ oz. to 500 tons. A sample of scales can be seen at the York Store.
E. YARDLEY & SON.
April 1, 1852 14-tf

CIRCULAR SAW MILLS.

THE subscriber is the duly authorized agent of George Page & Co's Patent Circular Saw Mill, and can furnish at the shortest notice, any of the Saw Mills manufactured by them, and at as low rates as they can be procured from the manufacturer. Any information in regard to the mills, can be had from the subscriber. DANIEL LARER.
April 2, 1853. 14-1y

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, 33, 34, 35, 36, and 37 Arcade, Philada.

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

Constantly on hand, a large assortment of Pen and Pocket Knives, Scissors and Razors, Table Knives and Forks, in ivory, stag, buffalo, bone and wood handles, Carvers and Forks, Steels, &c., Butcher Knives, Dirks, Bowie Knives, Revolving and plain Pistols, &c.

Just received, a large stock of Rodgers' and Wostenholm's fine Pen and Congress 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

GEORGE BRIGHT'S

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

Coach Trimmings,	Files,
Springs,	Fire Trays,
Saddlery,	Britania ware,
Shoemakers' Tools,	Assortment of fine Locks,
Carpenters' Tools,	Table Cutlery,
Glass and Paint,	Pocket Cutlery,
Bar Iron of all sizes,	Table Spoons,
Rolled do do do	Anvils and Vices,
Nails and Spikes,	Assortment of fine Guns,
Railroad Iron and Nails,	Sheet Iron Crucibles,
Smith Tools,	Wire, Tin Plate,
Building materials,	Brass Kettles,
Cast Steel,	Sad Irons,
Shear Steel,	Pans and Boilers,
Arm Blister,	Chains,
Mill Saws,	Railroad Tracers,
Cross-cut Saws,	Powder and Shot,
Cine Hand-saws, &c.	

G. B. returns his thanks to the public for the patronage they extended to the late firm of Bright & Pott, 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 & Pott.
March 27, 1852. 13-1y

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. equal in 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 as well as by public burnings, as the report below will show.

Great Triumph Achieved by EVANS & WATSON'S No. 83 Dock Street, 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 FOUR cords of wood over it, commencing at 1 o'clock, P. M., and having exposed it to a *white heat for two hours,* sufficient to destroy the cast iron feet. On opening the Chest, the papers, contained with 200 circulars, deposited in our presence, were taken out, not only having been preserved, but not having the appearance of scorch upon them.

Joseph Ritner, Ex-Gov. of Pa. John P. Coy,
A. O. Heister, Chas. F. Hessler,
A. T. Newbold, E. B. Boudinott, Committee.

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

WORLD'S FAIR PREMIUM SAFES

More Proof of their Superiority!

THE LATE FIRE IN JERSEY CITY.

MR SILAS C. HERRING—Sir: It gives us much pleasure to state that a SAFE of your make was the means of preserving our books and valuable papers, together with a lot of Silver Spoons, Forks, &c., from destruction by the fire that occurred in our store on the night of the 27th ult., at No. 46 Montgomery Street. The fire commenced near the Safe, which, owing to its situation on a wall did not fall into the cellar, but was exposed to the full heat of the fire from its commencement, and when taken from the ruins had all the brass plates and knobs completely melted off. Yours, R. B. EARLE & Co.
Jersey City, Feb. 3, 1853.

Great Fire in Strawberry Street—Letter from Lewis & Co.—Philadelphia, March 29, 1852.

MR. JOHN FARREL. Sir: It affords us much satisfaction to inform you that the "Herring Salamander Safe" which we purchased of you a short time since, preserved our books and papers in good condition during the severe ordeal through which it passed at the disastrous conflagration that took place at our warehouse on the morning of the 25th inst., in which the safe was exposed to the most intense heat for some hours, and when dragged from the flames was red hot on several sides. We make this statement by way of bearing testimony to the worth of these valuable Fire Proofs. Very respectfully,
J. LEWIS & Co.

The Proprietor of the *genuine* "Herring Salamander Safes," challenges the whole world, in the sum of *One Thousand Dollars,* to produce their equal. Awarded the PRIZE MEDAL at the WORLD'S FAIR, London, and the GOLD MEDAL by the American Institute. Over 5000 of these safes have been sold and are now in use, and more than 100 have passed triumphantly through accidental fires.

Second-hand Safes and "Salamanders" of other makers, having been taken in part pay for "Herring's," for sale at cheap rates.
JOHN FARREL,
34 Walnut St., Philadelphia.

☞ Marbleized Iron Mantles, Table Tops, &c., from the Works of the celebrated "Salamander Marble Co." on hand in great variety.
March 12, 1853. 11-2m

IRON FOUNDERS.

STEAM CAR FACTORY.

THE subscribers beg leave to inform the public, that in addition to their former STEAM ENGINE SHOPS and FOUNDRY, they have recently put up new Machinery and Shops for the manufacture of COAL CARS, TRUCKS and other Rail Road Cars, by Steam power, which enables them to execute all that kind of work, not only much better, but with greater despatch and at the very lowest prices. Having thus made these extensive preparations, individuals and companies requiring work of this kind, will find it to their advantage to give them a call.
SNYDER & MILNES.
Oct. 25, 1851 43-tf

WASHINGTON IRON WORKS,

POTTSVILLE, PA.

J. WREN & BRO'S. respectfully invite the attention of the business community to their New Machine Shop and Foundry, erected between COAL and Rail-road Streets, and fronting on Norwegian Street, where they are prepared to execute all orders for Machinery of Brass and Iron, such as Steam Engines, all kinds of Gearing for Rolling Mills, Grist and Saw Mills, Single and Double-acting Pumps, Coal Breakers, Drift Cars, all kind of Railroad Castings, such as Chairs, for flat and T Rail; Frogs, Switches, &c.; all kinds of cast and wrought Iron Shafting. Being Practical Mechanics, and after having made the demands of the Coal Region their study for years, also all kinds of Machinery in their *line of business,* they flatter themselves that work done at their Establishment will give satisfaction to *all who may honor them with a call.* All orders thankfully received and promptly executed on the most reasonable terms.
JOHN Y. WREN,
THOMAS WREN,
JAMES WREN.
Oct 2, 1852. 40-tf

FRANKLIN IRON WORKS.

THE SUBSCRIBERS ANNOUNCE to the public that they are the Proprietors of the Franklin Works, Port Carbon, lately carried on by S. Sillyman, where they continue to manufacture to order, at the shortest notice, Steam Engines, Pumps, Coal Breakers, and Machinery of almost any size or description, for mining or other purposes. Also Railroad and Drift Cars, Iron or Brass Castings of any size or pattern. Orders are respectfully solicited.
GEO. B. FISLER & BROTHER.

FRANKLIN SHOVEL WORKS.—The subscribers continue to furnish the Colliers and Dealers of Sch'l. County, with Shovels of all kinds, at the lowest Philadelphia prices. Attention is particularly called to their Coal Shovels. Orders for Shovels of any size or pattern promptly attended to.
GEO. B. FISLER & BROTHER.
Aug. 21, 1852. 34-tf

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 obtained from abroad, at the same prices.

They also manufacture T Rails, for the use of the Collieries and Lateral Roads, weighing from 21 to 50 lbs. per yard, made of the best Iron, and which will be found much cheaper than the imported article.

Being practical mechanics, and having had 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 manufacture.
HARRIS, FURNISH & CO.
Dec. 6, 1851. 49-tf

BEAVER MEADOW IRON WORKS.

S. W. HUDSON, IRON and BRASS Founder, respectfully informs his patrons, and the public generally, that he is fully 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 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 him will be warranted to perform well. He would solicit the custom of those who may want articles in his line in this vicinity. All orders will meet with immediate and prompt attention.
S. W. HUDSON.
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 tf

MEDICINAL.

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, Fluttering 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 or 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 lesser glands, exercising the most searching powers in weakness and affections of the digestive organs, they are withal, 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 an effectual and permanent cure of Liver Complaint from the use of this remedy. We are convinced that, in the use of these Bitters, the patient constantly gains 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 under any circumstances. We are speaking from experience, and to the afflicted we advise their use.

"SCOTT'S WEEKLY," one of the best Literary papers published, said, Aug. 25—

"*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 female weakness. As such is 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 diseases of the liver and 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 the great majority of real and imaginary diseases emanate. Have them in a healthy condition, and you can bid defiance to epidemics generally. This extraordinary 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. No other medicine can produce such evidences of merit."

Evidence upon evidence has been received (like the foregoing) from all sections of the Union, the last three years, and the strongest testimony 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 diseases*—the effect is immediate. They can be administered to female or infant with safety and reliable benefit at any time.

Look well to the marks of the genuine.

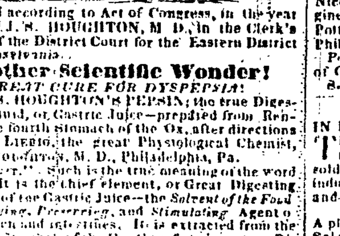
They have the written signature of C. M. JACKSON upon the wrapper, and his name blown in the bottle, *without which they are spurious.*

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. Falls, Minersville; E. R. Dickson, Schuylkill Haven, Pa. [July 21, 1852, 30-eowly

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 Rennet, or the fourth stomach of the Ox, after directions of Baron Liebig, the great Physiological Chemist, by J. S. Houghton, M. D., Philadelphia, Pa.

"Pepsin." 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 Purifying, Preserving,* and *Stimulating* 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. No art of man can equal its curative powers. It contains no Alcohol, Bitters, Acids, or Nauseous Drugs. It is extremely agreeable to the taste, and may be taken by the most feeble 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. B. Falls, Minersville; E. J. Fry, Tamaqua. [Oct. 9, 1852. 41-1y

TRANSPORTATION.

SCHUYLKILL NAVIGATION.

THE Schuylkill Canal and Navigation is now open for the passage of boats throughout the entire line from Port Carbon to Philadelphia.

The following rates of tolls will be charged for the year 1853.

MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.
To be charged per ton of 2240 pounds.

FIRST CLASS.

Iron Ore, Clay, Sand, Gravel, Manure, Unwrought Stone, Brick-bats, Limestone, Slacked Lime, Quarry Spalls, Cordwood, Posts and Rails, Rough Bark and Gypsum, one cent and a half per ton per mile for the first ten miles, and a half cent per ton per mile for each additional mile, but no charge shall be made for any distance exceeding thirty cents per ton.

SECOND CLASS.

Unslacked Lime, Marble, Wrought or Scabbled Stone, Bituminous Coal, Bricks, Ice, Soap Stone and Copper Ore, two cents per ton per mile, for the first ten miles, and half a cent per ton per mile for each additional mile, but no charge shall be made for any distance exceeding forty cents per ton.

THIRD CLASS.

Iron of all kinds in any stage of manufacture beyond the ore, Salt and Fish, one cent per ton per mile for the first twenty miles, and half a cent per ton per mile for each additional mile, but no charge shall be made for any distance exceeding fifty cents per ton.

FOURTH CLASS.

Grain, Flour, Seeds, Timber, round and square, Sawed Lumber, Hoop Poles, Shingles, Laths, and Staves in boats, Hay and Straw in bales, Merchandise of all kinds, and all articles not otherwise specifically enumerated, two cents per ton per mile for the first ten miles, and a half cent per ton per mile for each additional mile, but no charge shall be made for any distance exceeding sixty cents per ton. Timber round and square, Sawed Lumber, Hoop Poles, Shingles, Lath and Staves, in rafts, shall be charged according to the rates in this section, provided the several links of a raft shall be allowed to alternate at the locks with any ascending or descending boat that may be ready to pass, otherwise such rafts shall be charged the full charter rates of 6½ cents per ton per lock below the city of Reading, and four cents per ton per lock above said city.

NOTE.—In all cases where one or more locks are passed, and the distance carried shall be less than two miles, the charge for Toll shall be for two miles according to the class to which Articles carried may belong.

In all cases where the foregoing Rates, for Tolls only, shall exceed 6½ cents per ton on the ascertained tonnage of the vessel, for any lock passed below Reading, or 4 cents per ton above Reading, the Tolls shall be charged at these last-mentioned Rates on all Articles.

TOLL ON EMPTY BOATS.

Certificates will be granted to Boats intended to be run regularly in the trade on the line of the Canal, by the payment of TEN Dollars to any Collector. These certificates will entitle the Boat to a permit for each trip to pass the whole or any part of the line empty, during the boating season of 1853, provided such Boat shall pay a sum in Tolls equal to Ten Dollars per month.

Boats not entitled to such permits will be charged five cents per mile, unless they carry Cargo which has paid Five Dollars in Tolls; but no charge shall be made (for any distance) exceeding One Dollar.

Any Boat not permitted as aforesaid, and running upon a single level of the Works, shall pay for each lock they may at any time pass, four cents per ton on the ascertained tonnage thereof, above Reading agreeably to Act of Assembly.

☞ Masters of Boats will be required to exhibit Bills of Lading, or Manifests of their Cargoes, (when they are demanded by the Collectors or Locktender,) at the time of applying for a Permit, or at any other time when they shall reach the office of a Collector of Tolls, during the passage of the Boat to the place of destination. If they do not present correct Bills of Lading, or Manifests of their Cargoes, they will be charged the extreme limits authorized by law.

By an Act of Assembly, passed April 17, 1846, it is provided, that if any person engaged in transporting Coal, Iron, Lumber, or other articles of Merchandise, or any property whatsoever, on any River, Canal, or Railroad, shall sell, pledge or dispose of the same, or any part thereof, without the consent of the owner thereof, he shall, on conviction, be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and be punished by a fine of not less than FIFTY, nor exceeding FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS, and also by imprisonment in the jail of the proper county, for not less than twenty days, nor more than one year, at the discretion of the court.—And any person who shall knowingly purchase any such property from any transporter thereof, without the consent of the owner, shall be liable to pay such owner double the value of the property so purchased.

By order of the Managers,
F. FRALEY, President.
Office Schuylkill Navigation Company, March 12, 1853. 11-tf

NORTON & CLYMER,

TRANSPORTERS AND COAL DEALERS, will have a Line of First Class Canal Barges, running between Pottsville, Albany, New York, Reading and Philadelphia, on the opening of Navigation.

☞ Contracts for Freight will receive prompt attention. Residence—Reading, Pa.
W. H. NORTON, DANIEL B. CLYMER.
Feb. 19, 1853. 8-3m

DRY GOODS, &c.

THE PHILADELPHIA FAMILY
MOURNING STORE
BESSON & SON,
No. 52 SOUTH SECOND ST.
HAVE AT ALL SEASONS A FULL ASSORTMENT OF
BLACK & MOURNING GOODS
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

Spring and Summer Goods.

Blk Bombazines	Blk Crape Veils,
" Summer Bombazines	" Love Veils
" Bombazine Alpacas	" Best Kid Gloves
" Tamise	" Kid Finish Silk do
" Canton Cloth	" Thibet Shawls
" Mousseline de Laine	" Barege do
" Bareges,	" Crape Collars, &c.
" Brazilienne, do	SECOND MOURNING.
" All wool Barege	Mousseline de Laine
" Barege de Laine	Mousseline de Bege
" Mohair Lustre	Barege de Bege,
" Grenadine	Baregettes
" Silk Tissue	Barege de Laine
" Chaly	Lawns, Bareges;
" Silks	Ginghams
" Foulard Silks	Foulard Silks;
" Gingham	English Chintzes
" Lawn and Chintz	Neapolitan Gloves
" English Crapes.	Handk'fs, Collars, &c.

April 2, 1853. 14-3m

SILKS, SHAWLS and EMBROIDERIES.

J. V. DEPUY, has the pleasure to announce to his numerous customers in SCHUYLKILL COUNTY, that he has now open at his beautiful spacious and well lighted store, No. 41 North EIGHTH street, Philadelphia, a splendid assortment of New SPRING GOODS, comprising,

Rich Figur'd Silks,	Plaid Silks,
Changeable Silks,	Striped Silks,
Plain Silks,	India Silks,
Black Silks,	Turc Satins,
Mantilla Silks,	Watered Silks,
Chene Silks,	Lining Silks, &c.

PARIS EMBROIDERIES.

Comprising Honiton Lace Goods, Muslin and Lace Collars, Sleeves, Chemisettes, &c. Embroidered Cambric Handkerchiefs, Worked Dress Muslins, Edgings and Insertings, &c.

FANCY DRESS GOODS.

Comprising every variety in the newest styles.

BEAUTIFUL SHAWLS.

Canton Crape, Broche Thibet, Cashmere and other Shawls, Ladies and Gents Kid Gloves, Handkf's., Cravats, Ribbons, Laces, &c. The whole stock will be offered at the LOWEST PRICES, at which goods of equal quality can be bought in America, and shown with pleasure to all who may favor him with a call.
J. V. DEPUY,
No 41 North Eighth Street
Philada. March 5, 1853 10-3m

J. STEWART DEPUY,

Carpets & Oil Cloths. Window Shades.

No. 223 North SECOND Street, above Wood; Philadelphia, would respectfully call the attention of his friends, and the Public in general, to his large and well selected stock of CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, MAT'GS, WINDOW SHADES, DOOR MATS, STAIR RODS, PIANO COVERS, TABLE COVERS, COCOA MATTING, from ½ to 1½ yards wide, for Public Houses, Counting Houses, &c.

Also, to my Branch Store, 136 Spring Garden Street above Ninth.
Feb. 26, 1853. 9-6m

REAL ESTATE

Desirable Private Residence FOR SALE.

THE subscriber will sell, at private sale, the House and Lot now occupied by him in Port Carbon, Schuylkill County. The House is a two-story double Frame Building, containing two large Parlors, Dining-Room, Sitting Room, and eight Chambers, and a Kitchen adjoining the Dining Room, all in excellent condition for the occupancy of a genteel family. The Lot is 150 feet front by 150 deep, and is laid out in a Flower and Vegetable Garden, in excellent condition, and well stocked with all kinds of choice Vegetables, such as Asparagus Roots, Strawberry, &c.; there is also a Stable and Carriage House Wash House, &c., and all the conveniences for a desirable residence. Also, a lot adjoining, 150 feet front, 150 deep, containing choice fruits, Pears, Apples, Plumbs, Cherries, &c., Catawba and Isabella Grapes; the whole under a high state of cultivation. There is a never-failing well of most excellent water—the whole will be sold a bargain. Persons desirous of purchasing, will call on BURD PATTERSON, or J. F. WHITNEY, Real Estate Agent, Pottsville, or on the subscriber, who resides on the premises, where price and terms will be made known.
E. F. WHITNEY.
Oct. 30, 1852. 44-tf

TO COAL OPERATORS.

THE North American Coal Company offers for rent *for a term of years,* the Mines upon the tract of land called Centreville, in Schuylkill County. These *Mines are well known as among the best of the Red Ash veins of the Region*—among them are the Spohn, the Palmer, the Clarkson, and Peach Mountain veins.

The tract lies within a mile of *Pottsville,* and is connected with the Mount Carbon Railroad by a Railroad owned by the Company. Its proximity to the Reading Railroad gives to this tract great advantages as regards transportation.

A more particular description is deemed unnecessary, as any person disposed to lease the Mines will, of course, examine for themselves.

Two small engines on the tract will be leased *with the mines.*

The attention of persons disposed to lease Coal Lands, and who can command some capital, is invited to this property. Reference can be had to D. E. Nice, Agent of the Company, F. W. Shafer, Civil Engineer, Peter Simpson, Engineer of Mines, all of Pottsville; or to the subscriber, No. 98 South 4th st., Philadelphia.

Possession can be had at any time after the 24th of October next. JAS. HEPBURN, Pres't
Sept. 11, 1852. 37-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.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

SOLOMON FOSTER'S

New Wholesale and Retail Boot and Shoe Store, Corner of Centre and Market Streets, Pottsville.

THE SUBSCRIBER INVITES THE ATTENTION of the public to the very extensive assortment of Goods, consisting of

GENTLEMEN'S Calf Stitched, Pudged and Pegged Boots, Calf and Kip, double soled Sewed and Pegged Boots, Water Proof Boots Sewed and Pegged, from $2 to $4; New England and Philadelphia manufactured Coarse Boots, in great variety, constantly on hand; Cloth and lasting Gaiter Boots, and Congress Gaiters, Calf Nullifiers, Oregon Ties, and Sewed and Pegged Ties.

MINERS' Boots and Monroes, of first quality, at low prices.

BOYS' and Youths' Boots and Monroes course or fine.

LADYS' French and English Lasting Gaiter Boots, Morocco, Calfskin and Goat Bootees, French Morocco, Kid welt and pump spring Buckskins and Jeffersons, French Morocco and Kid Turnrounds, from 50 cts. to $1; New England Bootees and Shoes of all kinds cheap.

MISSES' and Childrens' Bootees and Shoes, a large assortment suitable for this market, constantly on hand.

GUM Elastic Shoes.

Our stock of Gum Elastic Shoes are of the best manufactured 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.

TRUNKS, Carpet Bags and Valices.

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☞ Messrs. Meyers and Chickering received the two first Medals at the World's Fair, for their Pianos in a contest for superior merit with all Europe.
April 23, 1853. 17—

Attention!

YE lovers of the beautiful! Nature and Art have united their efforts to please you, at ALLEN'S DAGUERREAN GALLERY, corner of Market and Centre Streets. The subscriber has returned to Pottsville to take the personal charge of his rooms, and is now ready to take good Daguerreotypes of all who desire them. Come soon in the day, then, and you are pretty sure to get a chance to sit.

Prices as usual, one dollar and upwards.

N. B.—REDUCTION made in the prices of fine Papier Mache Cases, large Cases and Frames.
A. M. ALLEN.
April 9, 1853. 15 tf

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March 26, 1853. 13—

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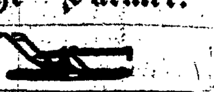
March 6, 1853. 10—

The Farmer.



A HINT TO FARMERS.

The *Maine Farmer* gives the following pertinent paragraphs on the importance of the proper care of stock:

We may send to England for Durham cows, and to Spain or Saxony for the choicest sheep; we may search the world over for cattle that please the eye, but unless they receive the best care and liberal feeding they will most assuredly deteriorate and eventually become as worthless and unworthy of propagation as any of the skeleton breeds that now haunt our rich but neglected pasture lands. We remember an anecdote in point, and will relate it by way of illustration. A farmer having purchased a cow from a country abounding in the richest pasturage, upon taking her to his own inferior pastures, found that she fell short of the yield which he was informed she was accustomed to give. He complained to the gentleman of whom he had purchased, that the cow was not the one he had bargained for, or in other words, that she was "cracked up to be."

"Why," said the seller, "I sold you my cow, but did not sell you my *pasture* too."

The above, which we cut from an exchange, reminds us of the reply which a shrewd old farmer, whom we knew many years ago, made to one of his neighbors. The latter had obtained some pigs of a man residing some miles off, and who, because intelligent, was always very successful in his farming operations, particularly surpassing his neighbors in raising pork. Shortly after meeting the old gentleman referred to, he says, "Well, Mr. Sweetser, I'm going to beat you in raising hogs this year; I have got some of J. M——'s breed."

"A-a-h," drawled out the old man, "you'd better get the breed of his hog trough."

RURAL AXIOMS.

It is as cheap to raise one ton of grass or clover as a ton of burdocks or pig-weeds.

It costs no more to raise a hundred bushels of cider apples, or ten barrels of Virgalieus or Bartletts, than the same quantity of choke pears.

An axe costing two dollars, with which a laborer may cut fifty cords a month, is a cheaper tool than an axe costing but one dollar, with which he can cut only forty cords.

A "cheap plough" at five dollars, costing in one season three dollars in repairs, and three more in lost time to teams and men, and by retarding crops, is a dearer plough than one at ten dollars, requiring no repairs.

A cow bought for ten dollars, whose milk but just pays her keeping, affords less profit than one at thirty dollars, giving twice the quantity of milk afforded by the former.

A common dasher-churn at two dollars, used one hundred times a year, is not so economical a purchase as a Kendall churn at four dollars, requiring but half the labor to work it.

A ten-acre field costing fifty dollars per acre, and ditched, manured, and improved at fifty dollars more, so as to give twice the crops, is much more valuable than twenty acres unimproved, costing the same money.

The man who loses half an hour of time worth one shilling, and wears his wagon and team equal to two shillings more, by going over a long and rough road, to avoid a plank road toll of sixpence, loses just two and sixpence by the operation.

The laborer who wastes half his strength in working all day with a dull saw, because he cannot give a shilling or afford an hour to get it sharpened, will waste at least twenty-five cents per day, or six or seven dollars per month.—*Albany Cultivator.*

BITS OF THOUGHT.

To raise good cattle, a farm should be in such a state that it would produce good corn, good cabbage, or good clover.

An increase of farm products lessens the market price, and the consumer is more benefitted than the producer. Therefore the encouragement of agriculture is the interest of the whole people. It is the first duty of States to encourage agricultural improvement.

The brightness of the plow-share will prove a better security to our republican institutions than all the windy patriotism of long speeches in Congress.

He who encourages young men in the pursuit of agriculture is doing a good work for the morals of society a hundred years hence.

The lady who treats the husbandman with scorn, because he is a farmer, contributes something towards increasing the number of candidates for the State Prison and the gallows.

All the true honor or happiness there is in this world follows labor. Were it not for working-men, there could be no progress in either science or art. Working-men are earth's true nobility. Those who live without work are all paupers.

For the community to honor one who spends life in genteel idleness, is like dressing a hog in silk stockings.

Mirth and vanity are known like a bottle of beer; but wisdom and virtue by their abundant products for lasting good. It is not the most show that does the most service.—Still water often runs deep.—*Granite Farmer.*

HILLING CORN.

After many experiments, I am forced to regard the hilling of Indian Corn, as an error. In no case where it has been tried, and the results contrasted carefully with those on a flat surface, has there been wanting the most irrefragible evidence of its harmful tendency in the stultification and diminution of the produce. It is unnecessary to enter into a specification of the laws, purely natural and physiologically demonstrable, which produce this deterioration of the productive energies of the corn plant; the fact being so, any one who is curious on the subject, can demonstrate it for himself, and much more satisfactorily and convincingly than it can be done on paper. Facts, not theories, are what we want. As a means, therefore, of completing a very judicious and highly desirable revolution in our practice, I recommend to every person to make the trial. Let the surface be retained perfectly level, & flat, with no elevation of the soil around the roots. Plant the corn in rows running longitudinally and traversely of the field, and so regularly as to admit of the cultivator performing its important work with the utmost facility, and my word for it, the system will need no other recommendation than will follow from the result.—*Germantown Telegraph.*

EGGS FOR SETTING.

All those having setting hens would do well to take notice of the following remarks, and they will have a chicken for every egg they set:

Take eggs not more than three or four days old, and have a candle or lamp; hold the egg in one hand with the broad end upwards, close to the candle; place the edge of the other hand on the top of the egg, and you will immediately perceive the incubation end. Some people can tell a pullet from a rooster. The mark for a rooster is crosswise, and a pullet lengthwise. Another way is to place your tongue on the large end of the egg, and you will find a strong heat if fresh and good, and less heat if old and doubtful. Eggs put by for hatching should never be put in a damp cellar, as the dampness destroys this heat.

SHRUBBERY.

Trim up your shrubbery. If you have none be sure to plant some of various kinds around your house, in your lane, and in your garden. A country house without shrubbery and flowers, is as destitute as a bachelor's dwelling.

☞ A WRITER in the *Journal* of the London Horticultural Society gives an account of an orange tree in the island of St. Michael's that produced twenty large boxes of oranges, each box containing upwards of a thousand fruit.