The Miners' Journal

POTTSVILLE, PA.

SATURDAY, NOV. 26, 1853.

☞ THE MINERS' JOURNAL has a larger circulation than any other Newspaper published in Northern Pennsylvania. It circulates among the Coal, Iron and business men, not only in this and the adjoining counties, but in all our cities, and it also circulates largely among the masses in Schuylkill county, which renders it one of the most valuable Advertising mediums in the County. But few papers have so many names entered on its subscription list.

☞ Clergymen and Public School Teachers supplied with The Miners' Journal at $1 [illegible]

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Who are authorized to receive subscriptions, advertisements, &c., for the Miners' Journal, and receipts for the same.

RECEIPTS,

For Miners' Journal since last Publication.

☞ We hope those in arrears abroad will forward their amounts due, as speedily as possible, as our expenses for paper and labor are very heavy.

Andrew Russel, to July 1, 1855,	$2 00
T. M. Russel, to July 1, 1855,	2 00
E. O. Parry, to July 1, 1855,	2 00
C. H. Stephens, to Nov. 19, 1854,	2 00
Geo. Williams, to May 19, 1854,	1 00
Reeves, Buck & Co., to Jan. 1, 1854,	2 00
Daniel T. Moore, to Jan. 1, 1854,	5 00
Henry C. Baird, to Jan. 1, 1854,	1 00
Lehigh Coal Co., to Jan. 1, 1854,	2 00
Thomas Biddle & Co., to Jan. 1, 1854,	2 00
Athenaeum, Philada., to Jan. 1, 1854,	2 00
J. H. & W. B. Hart, to Jan. 1, 1854,	2 00
C. B. Rogers, to Jan. 1, 1854,	4 00
Roberts & Walton, to Jan. 1, 1854,	2 00
J. & S. Batten, to Jan. 1, 1854,	2 00
Jonn. Hart, to Jan. 1, 1854,	2 00

BUSINESS DEPARTMENT.

☞ PUBLIC VENDUE of Lumber and Shingles, Dec. 9th, in Union Township.

☞ A TAVERN Stand, with suitable outbuilding and lot—a valuable property—for sale in Port Carbon.

☞ R. D. SHOENER announces a large and constant assortment of Oil, Soap and Candles at his establishment in Norwegian street. He is doing a good business—give him a call.

☞ THOSE WANTING Plumbing and Gas-fitting expeditiously and well done should call on SMITH & DOWNING, basement of building below Miners' Journal Office. They are industrious young men, and understand their business thoroughly.

PHILADELPHIA ADVERTISEMENTS.

☞ SLOPE CHAINS of various sizes and of the best quality, advertised by Daniel McCarthy, 56 Swanson street, and 2 Dock street Wharf.

☞ ADAMS & SUTTER, Produce Commission Merchants, 6 S. Water street. See the list of articles they deal in.

☞ FASHIONABLE CLOTHING at various low prices, at Harkness & Son's, 138 Market street. See the advertisement.

☞ BURTON & REED, Wholesale Grocers, corner of Front and Arch streets, invite customers from Schuylkill County to give them a call and try them.

☞ WE CANNOT publish our Philadelphia letter for this week—the holiday on Thursday rather over-crowded us yesterday.

☞ A Good article on modern Rome, from the pen of "Kirwan" (Rev. Dr. Murray) will be found on the first page.

☞ HON. JAS. COOPER will lecture before the Literary Society next Wednesday evening.

The usual programme of exercises was not brought in till 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon—hence its omission.

☞ An excellent Address on "The use of the Bible in Common Schools" is published in the last (November) number of the Pennsylvania School Journal, recently delivered before the Conemaugh Teachers' Institute, at New Alexandria, Westmoreland Co., by T. H. Burrowes, Esq. Mr. B's thorough acquaintance with the Common School system of the State, together with his experience as a Teacher, renders his opinions on this subject peculiarly valuable. We shall try to make room for some extracts at an early day.

BOROUGH PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

A full statement of the financial affairs of the Public Schools of Pottsville, up to June 1st, 1853, properly audited, will be found in another column; and also the last report of the Superintendent. Both are clear and explicit, and represent the Educational prospects of our Borough in a most favorable and promising light.

Comparison with a recent report of the Public Schools in Philadelphia, and also with the cost of tuition in our Private Schools, will show the superior economy of education in the Common Schools, besides other peculiar advantages.

We gather from the Philadelphia report alluded to that the number of pupils attending the day schools on the 30th day of June, 1853, was 25,836 male, and 24,249 females; total, 50,085. The whole expenditure of the Board for the year, was $411,393 85, of which amount $394,396 83 was for day schools, and $16,997 02 for night schools; but the amount directly chargeable to the education of the 50,085 children now in the schools was $358,714 70, or an average of $7 16 to each pupil. The report continues:

"The cost of supporting the High School, with an attendance of 512 pupils, was $17,419 53, or $34 02 for each pupil. The cost of supporting the Normal School and School of Practice, with an attendance of 510 pupils, was $[illegible], or $[illegible] for each pupil. The cost of supporting the grammar, secondary, primary and unclassified schools, with an attendance of 49,052 pupils, was $335,468 45, or $6 84 for each pupil. The cost of furnishing the books and stationery, included in these calculations, was 75 cents for each pupil, for the year."

The number attending the Pottsville schools was, in round numbers, 1200, and the average cost of tuition alone was $4 12. The reduction in the average attendance for the year is principally owing to the unusual decrease in the number of pupils for the month or two immediately preceding the Summer vacation, the schools being all pretty well filled the remainder of the year.

The total expenditure for the year, including Teachers' salaries, Fuel, Repairs, Chemical and Philosophical Apparatus, Loans paid, Interest, Water and Room rents, Insurance, &c., &c., [illegible] $8,697 10; from which must be deducted $1,742 80 for outstanding orders, and $250 for loans paid, which properly belong to the expenses of last year—leaving $6,704 30, or an average of $5 59 to each pupil. This estimate, it must be recollected, is made for a year when the expenses comprise several extra items, such as cannot occur again. Taking from this ($5 59) the cost of tuition proper ($4 12) and we have an average of $1 47 for incidental expenses to each of the 1200 pupils. The Philadelphia schools, omitting the High and Normal schools, which raise the average, cost the pupils an average of $6 84, each, or without books, which are not furnished here, $6 09; or 50 cents higher than the Pottsville schools. The estimate for our schools also embraces the expenses in all the departments—the High School, where the ancient language and the higher mathematical and scientific branches are taught, as well as the inferior classifications.

Now, taking three several grades of Private Schools, from the lowest to the highest, where the prices of tuition are generally $3, $6 and $8 per quarter respectively, we have the average yearly cost over $22, say $20.—The expense, then, of educating, that is, thoroughly preparing for a Collegiate course 1200 pupils in the Public Schools, is $6,708; while in Private Schools they will cost $24,000—or, the same amount of money, expended for educational purposes, will go four times as far, and we contend, the pupils be just as good, if not better, scholars in the Public as in the Private Schools. To recapitulate:

The average cost of tuition for each of 49,000 pupils, in Philadelphia,	$6 09
1,200 pupils in Pottsville,	5 59
Private Schools	20 00

We make these comparisons and comments with no intention to disparage our Private Schools; but simply to show Tax-payers with what economy the School Board expend the annual contributions put into their hands by the public, and to convince them that they receive a *fair quid pro quo*.

☞ REV. A. B. QUAY delivered an interesting lecture on the subject of Colonization, in the Presbyterian Church, in this place, Thursday night. We shall give an abstract of it next week. The address was followed by some pertinent remarks by W. P. FOULKE, Esq., of Philadelphia, and Rev. Messrs. WASHBURN and McCOOL, of Pottsville.

☞ WE KNOW nothing of the circumstances alluded to by our Schuylkill Haven correspondent—he is, doubtless, able to answer for all he writes. We may, however, remark that we consider such subjects, fairly treated, a proper matter for public discussion—the people at large have a right to know how their official servants behave themselves and who gets the money that the Tax Collectors take out of their pocket.

☞ WINTER APPLES, of the best quality, are abundant at Indianapolis, at from 20 to 30 cents per bushel. Large quantities are being sent away in barrels, by the several railroads.

Wish some could reach Pottsville. Apples are selling here at $1 50 a bushel and $4 00 a barrel, and not much at that.

THE PHILADELPHIA POST-OFFICE.

More Mismanagement.

The following note explains itself—we omit names, though they are at the service of interested parties, at any time:

MR. BANNAN—*Dear Sir:*—Messrs. ——— & ——— would like the Journal to arrive Saturdays, (they receive the Register Saturday) as it is of no use after then. They say if they cannot receive it before Monday, they will be obliged to discontinue it. Please attend. Yours, &c.,
Philadelphia, Nov. 17, '53.

This is positively outrageous. About two months ago we addressed ourselves in pretty plain English to some of Judge Campbell's minions for retarding the delivery of our paper, and even in several cases going so far as to order us to stop it, without any authority whatever from the subscribers; and now having detected and exposed them in that piece of official manœuvering, they resort to another method of curtailing our subscription.

Well, as we have tried one means of defence, and that has been evaded by a change of tactics on their part, so will we change ours. *The first Postmaster we find unnecessarily delaying the delivery of our paper*, WE WILL PROSECUTE!

The Miners' Journal is mailed punctually and regularly every Saturday morning, and goes down to Philadelphia along, and in the same Mail-bag, with the *Register* and other Saturday papers from this place, by the first train of cars; leaving Pottsville at 7½ o'clock, and arriving in the city, generally, at 11½—11¾ A. M.

We have made enquiries of the Postmaster here and also in our Printing Office, and both confirm this statement—not one solitary case of failure being recollected by either. Why, then, is our paper not delivered on Saturday, the day it arrives? The fact that the *Register* is, shows that the *Journal can* be, if the Philadelphia Postmaster were so disposed, and attended to his business. The cause of these constant annoyances toward the *Journal*, as we have before intimated, is deeper seated than in the thick heads of Postmasters and their clerks.

This is not the first complaint of this kind from our *Philadelphia subscribers*; and, in every instance, it has been effectually remedied by our friends going to the Post Office, on Saturday, and *demanding* the paper, on the strength of our assurance that *it was there*. But we will adopt another means of redress hereafter—we are out of all manner of patience with this sort of imposition.

Postmasters are paid—and generally *well* paid—to speedily forward and early deliver all Mail matter for the accommodation of the public; and, so far as we can help it, they shall not neglect their business. Please make a note of that, gentlemen Postmasters generally.

GIRARD COAL LANDS.

Routes, &c., to Outlets to Market, &c.

The following letter, submitted to the Philadelphia City Councils at a meeting on Wednesday night, will prove interesting to our readers:

Pottsville, October 21, 1853.

A. G. WATERMAN, Esq.—*Dear Sir:*—In reply to your various enquiries regarding the Girard Coal Lands, I submit the following:

These lands are situated principally in the southern division of the second anthracite coal field, and embrace, as perhaps their most valuable portion, the coal valley of the Shenandoah Creek, from the debouche of the latter into the Mahonoy Creek up the Shenandoah a distance of nearly three miles.—Esteemed as some other parts of the Girard Lands may be for coal, yet the Shenandoah basin is probably the most important for present use, since for the above mentioned distance it is entirely covered by the Girard title, and presents in all its features every requisite for producing coal above water-level, of first quality, in large quantities, and at the minimum cost of mining.

The next most favored coal basin of the Girard lands is situated at the junction of and on the east and west forks of the Mine Run, principally on the former, covering it for a distance of about two miles, excluding the three coal tracts now in possession of the heirs of Stephen Girard which head the extreme head waters of the East Mine Run—This coal basin has natural advantages fitting it for a large production of coal above water-level.

The third and last distinctive coal basin within the Girard lines, without particular mention of some strips and over-lappings of the surveys on portions of the coal measures, is the main Mahanoy basin extending from Girardville east, on the line of the Mahanoy Creek, for a distance of about four miles. The coal in this basin is well down in the valley, judging from the apparent crops of the seams (the critical geological examination may yet prove it to range high enough on the flanks of the basin to give some coal above water) and will therefore *probably require for an extended production*, mining operations below the water level.

Having thus generally described the location of the principal coal lands of the Girard Estates, I would remark that, without decrying other portions of the anthracite measures of Pennsylvania, the district of the Mahanoy coal field in which they are situated, presents the coal measures in a most favorable exposition. The rich underlaying white-ash strata of coal are exposed at the gorges of Locust Gap, Big Gap, Mine Run Gap, and the mouth of the Shenandoah, in a manner unequalled, and with the single exception of the obstacle of the Broad mountain, easy to surmount, coal must be afforded from this region at the minimum of the different elements of cost to the producer.

There are now, as you are aware, different railroad routes projected to connect the region in question with tide water, as follows:

The Mahanoy extension of the Mine Hill and Schuylkill Haven Railroad at present in course of active construction, will have one of its termini above the confluence of the Mine Run and Mahanoy Creeks, thus opening the Girard Mine Run Basin. *From this point to the mouth of the Shenandoah Creek* it is about two and three-quarter miles, and a railroad can be easily constructed with a slight rise to the eastward, favoring the transit of the coal from the Shenandoah basin; which improvement the Mine Hill Company would probably undertake if called for by colliers. The Mine Hill extension has been planned with elaborate care, so, as to overcome in the most feasible manner the axis of the Broad mountain intervening between the second coal field and the Pottsville basin; and the construction and arrangements connected with the future working of the road are perfect in character, and promise every possible facility to vent the heavy coal tonnage that must seek its line for an outlet to market.

Next, farther east, the route by way of the Danville and Pottsville line, which originally was intended and partly finished to run to Mount Carbon; but now a connection may be made on the summit of the Broad mountain with the New Boston extension of the Mill Creek Railroad. This road is not yet under construction, though, if the enterprise of the Mine Hill extension should prove profitable, doubtless it will be undertaken. This route, as regards the Mine Run Girard coal basin, offers in gradients and distance about equal to the Mine Hill extension line, but for the Shenandoah and Mahanoy basins, it is probably somewhat the more direct route to market.

Last, a line to run east from some point in the *neighborhood of the east boundary of the Mahanoy* Girard coal basin, traversing the valuable coal tracts belonging to Messrs. Buck, Biddle and others and the thirteen Girard tracts purchased by Messrs. Forbes & Co. under a writ of partition, finding its outlet somewhere in the vicinity of the Pine Creek Gap at the eastern end of the South Mahanoy coal basin, connecting with the extension of the Little Schuylkill Railroad above Tamaqua. This route offers for the Girard lands at least an unfavorable connection with the valley of the Schuylkill to Philadelphia but it possesses the advantage of a direct railroad communication by way of the Mahoning and Lehigh Valleys, with the waters of the Bay of New York, in distance not exceeding one hundred and forty miles.

In the general movement now making to develop the *resources of the middle coal field*, other railroad enterprises are spoken of which it would be difficult for me to explain, unless you had a local knowledge of the topography of the country; but suffice it to say, they must all directly or indirectly contribute to the development of the Girard coal lands.

In view of these approaching connections of the Mahanoy coal region with tide-water, active colliers are commencing to lease the coal lands and to establish collieries; a confident expectation being entertained that the expense of crossing the Broad mountain with the coal will be at least neutralized by the cheaper cost of mining. Without expressing any decided opinion on these expectations, or whether the transportation companies and land owners will be obliged to content themselves with smaller charges than usual, to enable the colliers successfully to encounter the Broad mountain difficulty, I call your attention to the fact that much of the land bordering on the Girard Estates is alive with the preparations for improvements, and that if the preparatory arrangements be made, coal tenants can be obtained for the Girard coal lands, and a *revenue derived*, perhaps small at first, but which will progressively increase with the steadily swelling demand for the great staple of Pennsylvania.

Respectfully yours,
J. D. MEREDITH.

RAILROAD EXCITEMENT IN ERIE.

Effects of Bribed Legislation.

The people of Erie, generally a well-disposed and peaceable city, have been wrought up to quite a fury about their Railroads.—To premise:—Erie has two Railroads terminating within its municipal limits, on opposite sides; the one on the West having a guage of 4 ft. 10 in. and the other on the East, the N. & N. E. R. R. Company, 6 ft.—both according to law "made and provided" at Harrisburg. Last winter, New York money bought an enactment through our Legislature, to change the guage of certain Railroads, so as to conform this N. & N. E. R. R., among the number, with the one on the West of Erie, and thus make a continuous line from New York through Pennsylvania to Ohio. The N. & N. E. R. R. Co. have, accordingly, prepared to remove their old rails and relay them with the new guage; whereupon the citizens of Erie and vicinity have determined upon the most summary sort of resistance; resolving in public meetings that they would tear up the new track as fast as laid, and declaring open hostilities against all who attempt to enforce the unjust and iniquitous guage law in their city limits. The following despatch from the *Buffalo Advertiser*, dated 20th inst., may furnish some idea of the state of feeling among the citizens:

"The excitement was greatly increased yesterday, in consequence of articles in the Buffalo and Cleveland papers. The Mayor was engaged all day in swearing and arming special police, and about two hundred are in readiness. The first brigade of volunteers and firemen were out in the afternoon yesterday, and by resolutions, offered their services to the Mayor, if he is unable to enforce the ordinance by police force. The excitement extends through this and adjoining counties south of here, and offers of help from all quarters are received by the Mayor.

"A special messenger has been sent to the arsenal at Meadville, for four nine-pounders. All are resolved not to submit to the carrying out of bribed legislation, and, with the present feeling, if the directors attempt an alteration of the track, every bridge in the county will be swept from the road. The people feel that they are right, and with that feeling they are determined to protect their rights, regardless of consequences."

So much for trying to impose bribed legislation upon the people—and they do right to resist it. Every enactment of the Legislature, bought as that manifestly was, deserves to meet with a similar fate. The New Yorkers are said to have placed $50,000 at the disposal of the members at Harrisburg to effect the Guage Law Repeal referred to.

THE COAL TRADE FOR 1853.

The quantity sent by Railroad this week is 32,753 08—by Canal 25,983 02—for the week 58,737 13 tons. Total by Railroad 1,548,874 16 tons against 1,623,812 08; do. by Canal 827,847 07 against 759,244 01 tons to same period last year.

The decrease this week is 7,175 tons. The Railroad fell short 8,133 tons, and the Canal gained 957 tons. The decrease from this region has dwindled down to 6,331 tons, which will probably be made up before the close of the season. The Railroad year will close on the 30th of this month—but the Managers of the Canal have *given notice* that it is their intention to keep the Canal open by extra exertions so long as the weather will permit.

The Delaware & Hudson Company offer their Lump Coal on board at Rondout, at $4 50 per ton.

The high prices of freight and the short supply, which has greatly enhanced the prices of Coal in the markets abroad, has placed the trade in a state *that requires great prudence on the part of our Operators* to keep it profitable to themselves hereafter, and also to protect their customers abroad. Many of the dealers to the East refuse to lay in a full supply at the present rates, under the impression that Coal will be forced into the market by the Operators here at lower rates at the close of the season, than the prices they have been charged for the stocks on hand. Such was the case last year, and prices declined at the close of navigation—Dealers are therefore very cautious, and are holding back. If the Winter should prove to be mild, many think that the stocks they have on hand will carry them through. If, on the other hand, it should prove to be severe, the supply will be short and prices must advance. This prudence is *undoubtedly necessary in the present state of the market* on their part—but at the same time it is calculated to depress the price of Coal here, unless our Operators pursue the same cautious policy. Assurances ought to be given at once on their part that the price of Coal will not be permitted to fall below a certain point this season. This can be done by refusing to sell at lower rates, and, if necessary *reduce their establishments preparatory for Winter operations*. That it would be to their interest to do so, is most obvious—confidence would be restored—more Coal would be taken by dealers abroad—the market would be better supplied, and prices would be maintained at a fair rate for the opening of Spring business, and besides the Paper given for Coal sold will be promptly met at maturity. Every thinking and prudent Operator will pursue such a course—and *all* ought to be convinced that the cut-throat policy pursued last Fall, gave no advantage to the participators, but was the means of *reducing* the price of Coal below the cost of production at the opening of navigation last Spring; and those low rates ruled the trade up to August, when it was satisfactorily ascertained that the supply would be short. A similar course this Fall will unquestionably produce similar results, and the trade may be rendered unprofitable during the whole of next season.

The Railroad Company, we understand, will not reduce their rates below $2 per ton before the 1st of March next.

BY TELEGRAPH.

FRIDAY, 3 O'CLOCK.

Freights from Richmond:

To Boston,	$2 00
New York	1 25
New Haven,	1 90
Providence,	2 25
Washington,	1 37
Albany,	2 25
Charleston,	2 25

REPORT OF SHIPMENTS.

From Richmond, for the week ending on Saturday, Nov. 19, 1853:

Sh.	Bk	Bg	Sch.	Sl's	Bts	Destination.	Tons
		6	45			Boston & vicin	10,422
			20			Conn. & R. I.	3245
			13		50	N. Y. & vicin.	9492
			13		5	North River	2498
1	1		17	15	14	Southern Pts.	4146
T'l 1	1	7	108	15	69	For the week,	29,803

Vessels for season, 6,967. For season,	1,069,299
To same time last year,	1,203,154
Decrease this year,	133,855

Boston and vicinity includes everything going East of Cape Cod, to Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Maine.

Southern Ports includes everything to the Southern States and West Indies, as well as to all towns on Delaware River below Richmond.

COAL TRADE BY RAILROAD & CANAL. FOR 1853.

Sent by Railroad and Canal for the week ending on Thursday Evening last.

	RAILROAD. Week.	Total.	CANAL. Week.	Total.
P. C.	12,092 14	509,395 03	10,274 19	350,854 05
P.	1,321 08	51,280 14	1,827 12	65,423 17
S. H.	13,975 16	656,048 02	11,755 15	348,151 06
P. Cl.	5,373 10	302,240 17	2,124 19	63,317 19
	32,753 08	1,548,874 16	25,983 05	827,847 07
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	58,737 13	2,376,722 03		

Shipments last year to same period.

	Week.	Total.
Railroad,	33,693 10	1,623,812 08
Canal,	21,604 09	759,244 21
	55,297 19	2,383,056 09
		2,376,722 03
Decrease so far this year.		6,334 06

RAIL ROADS.

The following is the quantity of Coal transported over the different Railroads in Schuylkill County for the week ending Thursday evening:

	Week	Total.
Mine Hill & S. H. R. R.	28,159 16	946,055 18
Mill Creek do	10,340 19	411,081 01
Mount Carbon do	2,888 05	138,453 07
Schuylkill Valley do	13,654 10	427,754 05
Mt. Carbon & Pt Carbon	15,208 07	478,050 07
Little Schuylkill R. R.	9,343 10	321,902 16
Union Canal do	2,314 06	76,320 08
Swatara do	1,249 02	51,029 13

LEHIGH COAL TRADE FOR 1852.

For the week ending Nov. 19, 1853:

	Week.	Total.
Summit Mines,	9,759 07	365,532 16
Room Run Mines,	2,510 16	74,581 07
Beaver Meadow Co.	1,725 01	49,430 17
East Sugar Loaf,	1,388 05	27,316 15
Spring Mountain Coal,	4,492 11	119,910 15
Coleraine Coal,	2,138 14	50,814 15
Hazleton Coal Co.,	3,759 19	112,880 05
Cranberry,	1,945 04	46,398 12
Sugar Loaf,	1,337 03	40,951 09
Buck Mountain Coal Co.,	1,655 09	72,130 04
Wilkesbarre Coal Co.,	696 19	25,102 09
	31,904 08	985,253 04
Last year	30,235 11	1,078,243 02
Decrease this year,		92,989 18

RATES OF TOLL AND TRANSPORTATION ON RAILROAD TO DEC. 1, 1853.

From	M. Carbon.	S. Haven.	P. Clinton
To Richmond,	2,00	1,95	1,75
To Philadelphia,	1,85	1,85	1,65

RATES OF TOLL BY CANAL UNTIL CLOSE OF SEASON.

From Port Carbon to Philadelphia,	1 00
Mount Carbon to "	98
Schuylkill Haven to "	95
Port Clinton to "	85

RATES OF FREIGHT BY CANAL.

	Philadelphia.	N. York.
From Port Carbon,	85	2 00
" Mount Carbon,	85	2 00
" Schuylkill Haven,	80	1 95
" Port Clinton,	00	0 00

NEW ADVERTI'MTS.

PUBLIC VENDUE.

70,000 Feet of Lumber, and 16,000 Shingles will be exposed to Public Sale, on FRIDAY, the 9th day of December next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the House of Jacob Rapp, dec'd., late of Union Township, Schuylkill County. At the same time Buckwheat and Oats will be sold.
Conditions shall be made known on the day of sale, by the subscriber. JOEL KISTLER, Adm'r.
Union Tp., Nov. 26, 1853 48-3t

GREAT SAVING TO MERCHANTS.
Soap Delivered without Expense.
R. D. SCHOENER respectfully announces to the public that he has constantly on hand Oil, Soap and Candles of his own manufacture, at his Factory in Pottsville, which he will warrant to be equal to any sold here or elsewhere, and at lower prices than can be purchased at any other establishment.
☞ The highest cash prices paid for Tallow, at his factory, Norwegian Street, Pottsville.
Nov. 26, 1853 48-tf

GAS-FITTERS AND PLUMBERS.
SMITH & DOWNING having had very considerable experience as Gas Fitters feel great confidence in offering their services to the citizens of Pottsville. They have combined business on their own account, in the Basement of the building below Miners' Journal Office, where all orders either for Gas Fitting or repairing may be left and they will receive the most prompt attention. Their pipes and other materials shall be of the very best kind, and their Fittings of every description that may be desired will be furnished and put up in a workmanlike manner and at the shortest possible notice.
SMITH & DOWNING.
Nov. 26, 1853 48-6m

Slope Chains.
THE undersigned begs respectfully to call the attention of Miners, Coal Merchants, and all those in want of BEST PROVED or BEST BEST CHAINS, for mining or other purposes, to his large stock of Best Best Chains, assorted sizes, from ⅜ inch to 1¼ inch, made from best refined iron.
Also, to his large stock of BEST PROVED CHAINS, assorted sizes, from 3-16 inch to 1½ inch, made from the best cable iron, which will be sold on very reasonable terms, by DANIEL McCARTHY, No. 56 Swanson Street, and No. 2 Dock St. Wharf, Philadelphia.
REFER TO
W. Y. Acard & Co., George Mason, Esq., Port Carbon; Charles Miller & Co., McClintock & McKnight, Philadelphia, Jonathan Cockill, Esq., Llewellyn.
Nov. 26, 1853 48-6m

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.
PURSUANT to an order of the Orphans' Court of the County of Schuylkill, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the subscriber, Executor of the last Will and Testament of Charles Harman, late of the Borough of St. Clair, in the County of Schuylkill, deceased, will expose to sale by public vendue on SATURDAY, the 17th day of December next, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Public House of Mrs. GRAEFF, in the Borough of Orwigsburg, in the County of Schuylkill, aforesaid, all that certain Messuage, Tenement and two tracts or pieces of land situate in the township of North Manheim, in the County of Schuylkill and State of Pennsylvania, to wit:
The one of them bounded by lands of William Graeff, lands late of Henry & Jacob Hoffman, now Jacob Allbach, lands of Frederick Fried, &c., containing 14 acres, more or less.
The other of them bounded by lands of Michael Graeff, Benjamin Pott, lands now or late of Henry Hoffman, &c., containing 6 acres and 26 perches, more or less, late the Estate of said deceased.
Terms and conditions made known at the time and place of sale by JOHN SEITZINGER, Executor.
By order of the Orphans' Court. LEWIS REESER, Clerk.
Pottsville Nov. 26, 1853 48-4t

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN!
C. HARKNESS & SONS'
Fashionable Clothing Warerooms,
NO. 138 MARKET ST.,
(The South East Corner of Fourth Street,)
PHILADELPHIA.
THE Proprietors of this extensive and long-established Clothing Emporium, have maintained an envied celebrity for the Cut, Style, Quality and Prices of their Clothing, and they now offer to the citizens of Philadelphia and its vicinity, one of the largest, best assorted and most fashionably got up stock of desirable clothing to be found in the city, comprising
Superior Heavy Baltic Beaver Over Coats, $6 00 to 9 00
Superior Blue and Brown French Cloth Over Coats, 8 00 to 14 00
Fine and superior Black Cloth Dress & Frock Coats, 6 00 to 15 00
Super'r Black & Fancy Cass'r Pants, 2 50 to 5 50
Fine Black Satin Vests, 2 00 to 4 00
Fancy Woolen Vests, 1 00 to 3 50
And all other articles of Winter Wear, in endless variety, and at the lowest prices.
N. B. Call and see for yourselves.
Nov 26, 1853 48-3m

JAMES B. ADAMS. CHARLES E. SUTTER.
ADAMS & SUTTER,
PRODUCE & COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
No. 6, SOUTH WATER ST., PHILAD'A.,
And Wholesale Dealers, at low Cash Prices,
Goshen Butter, Glade & do., Penn'a packed do., Jersey and Western Lard, Herkimer Co. Cheese, Pine Apple do., Sap Sago do., Buckwheat Meal, Pearl and Hulled Barley, Dried Apples & Peaches, Beans & Split Peas, Codfish & Scaled Herring, Mott's Castile soap, Canary and Hemp Seed, Mould, Adamantine and Sperm Candles, Dairy Salt & Bath Brick, German Clocks, Havanna Segars, Homony, N. Y. Plums, Cranberries, Currants, Raisins, Citron, Dates.
Sweet Oil, Figs, Chocolate, Broma and Cocoa, Baking Powder, Saleratus, Pearl Ash, Maccaroni & Vermicelli, Hecker's Farina and Corn Starch, Bee's-wax, Dr.-yarn and Lamp-wick, Sal-soda, Indigo, Nutmegs, Pure Ground Spices, Kingsford's & Colgate's Pearl Starch, Coxe's Pearl and Common Starch, Carraway & Mustard seed, Rice, Flour, Coffee Extracts, Lemon Syrup, Tapioca, Pepper, Sauce, Coleman's Mustard, &c. &c.
ADAMS & SUTTER, 6 South Water Street, Philad'a.
Nov. 26, 1853. 48-3m

MORGAN'S MAGIC BALM
UNRIVALLED in its effects for speedy relief and permanent cure of contused wounds, sprains or bruises, rheumatism, cramps, headache and pains generally, and for burns.
Its effects are really wonderful, as can be shown by numerous recommendations of the first respectability.
Pottsville, March 1, 1851.
MR. J. MORGAN—*Dear Sir:*—Being relieved by your Magic Balm, I will give you a statement of the indescribable Rheumatic pains I suffered. For about ten years I was sometimes laid up for weeks together, unable to walk across the room, I used all the remedies I could find, or that were recommended to me, without effecting a cure.
When I commenced using your Magic Balm, I had been suffering for six successive days and nights, without any rest, and in less than twenty-four hours after using your Balm I could be about, and very little pain remained, and in a short time I was entirely relieved.
I do not believe there is a remedy in use for Rheumatism, that can be compared to your Magic Balm. It is now more than ten months, and I had but one slight return, and an only application of your Balm gave immediate relief.
I have the most implicit confidence in it, and would not be without it.
I have recommended it to others, and they too, have found immediate relief. Respectfully yours,
DAVID EGERMAN.
Pottsville, Nov. 17, 1853.
MR. MORGAN.—I desire, for the Public good, to bear testimony to the wonderful effects of your Magic Balm. I first used it for a very severe injury received by being thrown from a wagon, from which I was laid up for several weeks, under the hands of one of the best physicians, and made use of many other remedies with very little relief, and was suffering very much from pain, without rest, when I was advised to try your Magic Balm, and in less than twenty-four hours I was relieved of the pain, and I continued to improve until I was entirely cured.
ROBERT SMITH.
Philad'a., Sept. 15, 1853.
Having used Mr. Joseph Morgan's "Magic Balm" with the most satisfactory result, in a case of severely bruised and swelled limb, upon which its influence was truly MAGIC in relieving the pain, reducing the swelling and healing the wound. I therefore earnestly recommend it as a necessary which should be kept in the house of every family.
WM. F. ORRICK, Broad Street, Philadelphia.
☞ No one should travel on a Railroad, without carrying a bottle of the Magic Balm; should an accident occur, they might be relieved of an immense deal of suffering.
FOR SALE in Pottsville by the Proprietor, Market St., by J. L. Foster and John G. Brown, Centre St.; in Schuylkill Haven by S. R. Dickson; in Minersville by John Mattinnes, Sunbury St; and by the Proprietor, wholesale and retail, No. 165 North SECOND St., Philadelphia,
Nov. 26, 1853 48-4m

SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

Statement of the Receipts and Expenditures of the School Board of the Borough of Pottsville, from June 1, 1852, to May 31, 1853, both days inclusive.

Dr

D. H. SEIBERT, Treasurer, in account with Pottsville Borough School District—

To am't collected from Geo. M. Cumming, Esq., late Treas'r, from June 1, 1852, to June 1, 1853,	$445 24	
Am't collected on ac't of P. Haffa's Notes, on which Judgments are obtained,	[illegible]	
Am't State app. for School year 1852,	456 24	
Am't collected R. Woodside's Estate,	287 83	
Rent of School Room,	11 00	
From Sallie Wight,	4 00	
Fines,	3 17	
Loans,	450 00	
		$2,906 79
Am't Seated taxes collected on Dup. for School year 1852-'53, up to June 1, 1853,	$148 50	$8,355 29

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Paid outstanding orders drawn on late Treasurer, Mr. Geo. M. Cumming,	$1,742 80
Paid on orders drawn on Treasurer from June 1, 1852, to June 1, 1853, as follows:	
For Tuition,	4,938 63
For Fuel,	280 94
Cleaning and sweeping School Houses, attending Fires, &c.,	286 98
Repairs of buildings and property,	337 36
For seats and painting do in High School,	159 00
For Chemical Apparatus purchased,	325 60
Printing and Stationery,	39 20
Water Rent,	9 25
Insurance,	9 60
Surveying lot,	7 00
Making out Duplicate,	12 00
Attorney's Fees,	15 00
Rent for room for holding meetings,	26 00
Secretary's Salary,	25 00
Incidental Expenses, articles furnished Schools, such as Brushes, Towels, Buckets, Glass, Materials for Chemical Apparatus, &c. &c.	140 41
Loans Paid,	250 00
Interest paid on Loans and outstanding orders to June 1, 1853,	92 99
	$8,697 10
Difference in half cents	3
	$8,697 10
Receipts,	8,355 29
Due Treasurer, May 31, 1853,	$341 90
Outstanding orders unpaid June 1, 1853,	$205 00
Due the School Board from Duplicate for 1852-'53, after deducting probable exonerations,	$551 50
From Philip Haffa, late collector, judgement,	193 21
From Woodside's Estate, late Treasurer,	249 36
	$1,294 07
Estimated cash value of the School Property of the borough, clear of all incumbrances,	$17,000

Pottsville, Nov. 15, 1853.

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the Borough of Pottsville, have examined the above account, and believe it to be correct.
RICHARD LEE,
GEORGE LAUER,
ELIJAH HAMMER.

☞ All the papers in the Borough will give the above account one insertion, and charge School Board.
Nov. 26, 1853 48-1t

LYONS' KATHARION.
HAVE you used Lyons' Katharion for the hair? It is the most delightful toilet article in the world and is preeminently beneficial for Grey and Bald heads. The Katharion fully restored my hair after a baldness of twelve years. Yours truly,
R. L. ATWATER, No. 56 Warren Street, New York.
Also, Lyons' Extract of Pure Jamaica Ginger, for dyspepsia and general nervous debility, &c., can be had at C. BARLET'S Perfumery and Variety Store, Centre St., Pottsville.
Oct. 29, 1853. 44-tf

OFFICIAL.

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, the Hon. Charles W. Hegins, President of the Court of Common Pleas of Schuylkill Co., in Pennsylvania, and Justice of the several Courts of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery in said County, and the Hon. E. R. Hubley and Solomon Foster, Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery, for the trial of all capital and other offences in the said Co. of Schuylkill, by their precepts to me directed, have ordered a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery and Quarter Sessions of the Peace, to be holden at Pottsville, on MONDAY, the 5th day of December next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to continue two weeks if necessary.

Notice is therefore hereby given to the Coroner, the Justices of the Peace, and Constables of the said county of Schuylkill, that they are, by the said precepts, commanded to be then and there at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the said day, with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations and all other remembrances, to do those things which, in their several offices, appertain to be done; and all those that are bound by recognizances, to prosecute against the prisoners that are or then shall be in the gaol of said County of Schuylkill, are to be then and there to prosecute them as shall be just.

God Save the Commonwealth.
JAMES NAGLE, Sheriff.
Sher'ff's Office, Pottsville, Nov. 12, 1853. 46-tc

N. B.—The Witnesses and Jurors who are summoned to attend said Court, are required to attend punctually. In case of non-attendance, the law, in such cases made and provided, will be rigidly enforced. This notice is published by order of the Court; those concerned will govern themselves accordingly.

PROCLAMATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Court of Common Pleas and Quarter Sessions of the Peace, for the trial of causes at issue, in and for the County of Schuylkill, will be held at Pottsville, in the county aforesaid, on MONDAY, the 12th of March next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to continue two weeks, if necessary.

Therefore all persons having suits pending, and all persons whose duty it shall be to appear at said Court, will take notice and govern themselves accordingly. JAMES NAGLE, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Pottsville, Nov. 29, 1853. 41-tc

MANUFACTURES.

William W. Hamer,
No. 99 North SECOND Street, 2 doors above the Mt. Vernon Hotel, Philadelphia.
MANUFACTURER of Fine Oil or Camphene, Fluid, Lard and Oil LAMPS, Chandaliers and Candelabras for Churches, Stores, Parlors, &c. The subscriber would respectfully invite the attention of storekeepers, and the public in general, to his large stock of Goods, consisting of the above named articles, which will be disposed of at the lowest Manufacturer's prices, *Wholesale and Retail.*
N. B.—Also, best quality of Burning Fluid, Pine Oil, Camphine, Globes, Shades, Wicks, &c.
☞ NEWELL'S PATENT SAFETY LAMPS, a new article for sale.
November 5, 1853 46-3m

MOROCCO FACTORY.
MOROCCO, LEATHER AND SHOE FINDING Store, at Derr's Old Stand, on Railroad Street,
POTTSVILLE,
The undersigned respectfully informs the customers of the above *well known establishment*, that he will continue the MANUFACTURE of all kinds of
MOROCCO,
Such as Kid, Straits, French morocco, Shoe, Hat & Book Bindings, Pink Linings, &c., &c., and will constantly have on hand a general assortment of all kinds of
LEATHER,
Such as Oak-Tanned and Red Sole Leather, Slaughter Kips, French and City Calf Skins,
Miners' Upper Leather,
And a variety of Shoe Findings, such as Threads, Nails, Pegs, Clamps, &c., &c., all of which will be sold at the LOWEST CASH PRICES.
JOHN L. MINNIG.
☞ All kinds of Skins, such as Sheep, Goat, Deer, &c., and also Sumac, taken in exchange for Leather, at the highest market prices, or paid for in CASH.
Pottsville, Oct. 29, 1853. 44-tf

The Best—The Cheapest,
Corner of CENTRE & MAHANTONGO Sts.
THE pleasantest Rooms and most convenient to customers, where a few hundred specimens can be seen among which are *some of our greatest States*men and ladies, President's House, General Post Office, Treasury Building and Girard College. All are invited to call and examine these specimens as they are well worth a visit.
Persons who have had difficulty in getting suited elsewhere are invited to give me a trial, as I have a superior SKY LIGHT and SIDE LIGHT Arrangement.
Children's Likenesses taken in a few seconds, by an improved process. ☞ Call early to avoid the crowd.
Superior Pictures, Pearl and Cheap Cases, at greatly reduced prices at C. VANDERBURG'S Daguerrean Rooms, Cor. Centre & Mahantongo Sts.
☞ Gentlemen and Ladies may rely upon having superior Pictures and polite attention.
November 5, 1853 45-tf

More & Gallagher,
Ridge Road and Coates Street, Philadelphia.
Iron Founders and Manufacturers of
WROUGHT and CAST IRON RAILINGS and all kinds of Ornamental and Architectural Iron Works; Iron Railings for public and private grounds, Verandahs, Settees, Chairs, Tables, &c.
Particular attention paid to the enclosure of Burial Lots.
More & Gallagher's Book of ORIGINAL DESIGNS and list of prices sent to persons wishing to make a selection.
November 5, 1853 45-3m

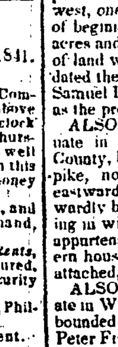
PORT CARBON
SOAP AND CANDLE FACTORY.
THE subscriber announces to the public that he manufactures all kinds of Soap and Candles at his Factory, in Port Carbon, Schuylkill County, which he will warrant to be equal in quality to any obtained abroad, and at lower prices than similar articles can be purchased in Philadelphia or elsewhere.
The highest market price for Tallow will be paid in cash at his Factory.
HENRY GUITERMAN.
October 22, 1853. 43-1y

REMOVAL.
PIERSON & DIAMENT, (late Wm. Pierson.)
WHOLESALE and Retail BLANK BOOK MANUFACTURERS and STATIONERS have removed from No. 24 North 4th Street, to N. W. Corner of 4th and Cherry Streets, PHILADELPHIA.
Account Books of the finest quality, together with all kinds of superior Stationery, suitable for Banking or Commercial purposes, constantly on hand.—Books ruled to any pattern, and made in the most durable manner, at the shortest notice. All work warranted.
☞ Banks, Offices, and Merchants supplied on moderate terms.
Oct. 1, 1853. 40-3m

SIBBALD'S PATENT METALLINE COMPOUND.
FOR the preservation of Steam Boilers, from the adhesion of scale incrustation, corrosion, &c. Patented in this Country, Great Britain, France, &c.
This composition has been extensively tested on Steam Boilers, by the Government of the United States and individuals, it prevents the adhesion of Scale, the corrosion of the Boiler, and is calculated to protect it from the injurious effect of all water. It is also applicable to IRON; or WOOD and IRON where they come in contact; to Railroads &c. Pamphlets of its merits, and certificates from the United States Navy Department and others furnished, and the Compound for sale by SNYDER & MILNES.
Oct. 1, 1853. 40-6m

MISCELLANEOUS.

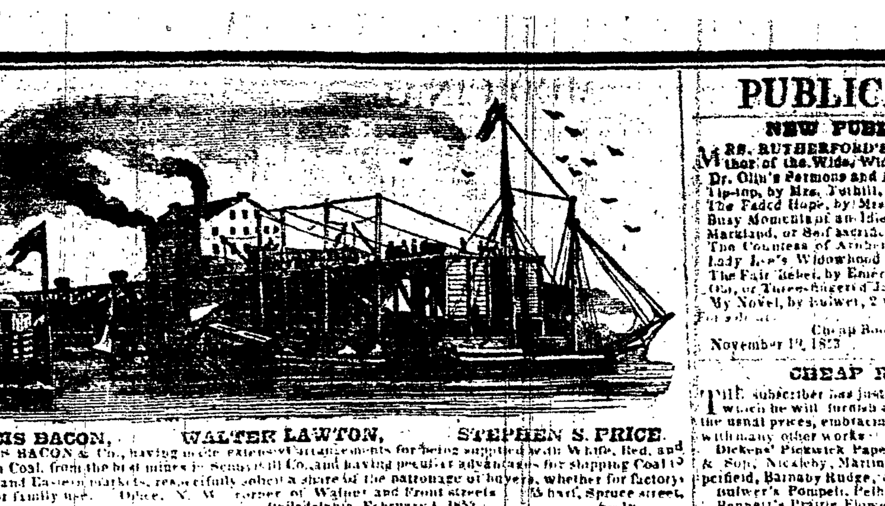
FOR SALE.
500,000 *FEET OF LUMBER.*
THE undersigned hereby offer for sale a large quantity of PINE and HEMLOCK PLANK and BOARDS, which are well manufactured and are about half a mile from the Cattawissa, Williamsport and Erie Railroad, on the Bank of the little Cattawissa Creek, 14 miles from Pottsville. A portion of the Pine is clear or panel stuff, and all of the Hemlock is of the best quality of *White Hemlock.*—The lengths vary from 16 to 30 feet, and the whole is as good a lot as can be found in Cattawissa Valley. It is carefully piled up, and will be sold in one lot or lots to suit purchasers. For particulars, apply to A. MALCOLM & CO., Cattawissa, or to A. A. KENNEDY, Cattawissa Valley.
November 19, 1853. 47-tf

MEN WANTED!
FOR THE UNITED STATES ARMY:
ARTILLERY SERVICE!

A NUMBER of men are wanted immediately for the United States Artillery. Apply soon. GOOD PAY, CLOTHING AND BOARDING FURNISHED TO THE SOLDIER. Medical attendance furnished also, *without charge.*
☞ A few good BAND MUSICIANS will also be taken, if application be made early.
☞ Particulars will be made known on application at the RECRUITING RENDEZVOUZ, CENTRE Street, Pottsville, Pa.
Nov. 19, 1853. 47-tf

INDIA RUBBER COATS, &c.,
AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES!
THE subscriber has just received, direct from the Manufacturers, a lot of
India Rubber Coats and Overhauls,
" " Leggins and Caps, Also,
" " Horse Covers, &c., &c.
All of which will be sold about 30 per cent. cheaper than usual prices, wholesale and retail. Good Coats, as low as $4 50, Overhauls, $2 50, Leggins, $1 75, and Caps $1, Large Horse Covers $4 only, together with a variety of other India Rubber Goods, such as Ladies' and Gentlemen's Sandels, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Gloves, driving and working Gloves, &c., at B. BANNAN'S Cheap Book and Variety Store.
November 12, 1853 46—

FIVE PER CENT.,
SAVING FUND.
Chartered by the State of Pennsylvania, 1841.
CAPITAL STOCK $250,000.
THE SAVING FUND of the National Safety Company, No. 62 Walnut Street, two doors above *Third, Philadelphia, is open every day* from 9 o'clock A. M., to 7 o'clock, P. M., and on Monday and Thursday evenings until 9 o'clock. This institution is well known as one of the safest and best managed in this country, and pays *Five Per Cent.* Interest on money paid in there, from the day of deposit.
Any sum from one dollar upwards is received, and all sums, large or small, are paid back on demand, without notice, to any amount.
The SAVING FUND has *Mortgages, Ground Rents*, and other first class investments all well secured, amounting to *half a million of dollars* for the security of depositors.
Office No. 62 Walnut Street, 2 doors above 3d, Philadelphia.
HON. HENRY L. BENNER, President.
ROBERT SELFRIDGE, Vice President.
THOS. T. SMILEY, Actuary.
BOARD OF REFEREES.
Hon. Wm. Richards, Pottstown, J. D. Streeper, Esq., Editor of the *Ledger*, Pottstown; J. M. Schoneman, Esq., Editor of the *Neutralist*, Skippackville; Enos Benner, Esq., Editor of the *Farmer's Friend*, Sumneytown; Hon. Joel Jones, late Mayor of Philadelphia; Hon. John Robbins, Jr., member of Congress, 4th district, Pa.; Hon. James Page, late Postmaster of Philadelphia; Hon. Wm. Pennington, late Governor of New Jersey; John G. Brown, Esq., Pottsville; Frederick Lauer, Esq., Reading.
Philad'a., Oct. 29, '53 [April 23, '53. 17-1y] 44—

NEW BOOKS.
Sloan's New Guide for Carpenters, a complete Book of Lines, for Carpentry and Joinery, 16th edition.
Janney's Life of George Fox, 8vo,
Leiber on Civil Liberty and Self Government 2 vols.
Horner & Smith's United States Dissector, new edition.
Stearn's Notes on Uncle Tom's Cabin.
McConnel's Western Characters, with illustrations, by Darley.
The Faded Hope, by Mrs. Sigourney.
Tip-Top, by Mrs Tuthill.
Mr. Rutherford's Children, by Miss. Wetherel.
The Shady Side, or a life in a Country Parsonage.
Smith's Landscape Gardening—Park and Pleasure Grounds.
Jane Setor, or the King's Advocate, by James Grant: with a large assortment of late Miscellaneous Works for sale at low prices, at B. BANNAN'S Book and Stationary Store.
Nov. 26, 1853. 48—


FRANCIS BACON, WALTER LAWTON, STEPHEN S. PRICE.
FRANCIS BACON & Co., having made extensive arrangements for being supplied with White, Red, and Grey Ash Coal, from the best mines in Schuylkill Co., and having peculiar advantages for shipping Coal to the N. York and Eastern markets, respectfully solicit a share of the patronage of buyers, whether for factory, steamboat or family use. Office, N. W. corner of Walnut and Front streets. 25 half Spruce street, Schuylkill. Philadelphia, February 1, 1853. 6—1y
☞ ALFRED LAWTON is our Agent in Schuylkill County, for the purchase and shipping of our Coal.—Office, Yardley's Building, Morris' Addition, Pottsville.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

SHERIFF'S SALES of REAL ESTATE.

BY virtue of sundry writs of *Venditioni Exponas* and *Levari Facias*, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Schuylkill County, and to me directed, there will be exposed to Public Sale or Vendue, on SATURDAY, December 3d, 1853, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Public House of JOHN C. LESSIG, (Exchange Hotel,) in the Borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill County, the following described Real Estate, to wit:

ALL that certain Farm or tract of land situate in Wayne Township, Schuylkill County, containing about 145 acres, more or less, bounded by lands of Peter Hertzog, Peter Laubenstein, John Zechman and others, with the appurtenances, consisting of two 1½ story Log Dwelling Houses, and a Log Barn—As the property of JACOB MINNIG.

ALSO, All that certain two-story Frame Dwelling House and Frame Kitchen, and two lots of ground, situate in the town of Tremont, Schuylkill County, bounded and described as follows:—The one lot is marked in the plan of said Town with No. 2, and situate on the north side of Main Street, and west of Crescent Street; the other lot is marked in the plan of said Town with No. 3, and situate also on the north side of Main Street, and west of Crescent St.—As the property of JACOB BICKELMAN.

ALSO, All that certain two-story Frame Tavern-house, with a two-story Frame Kitchen attached, a 1 story Frame Dwelling House and 2 Frame Stables and lot of ground situate in the Town of Port Carbon, in Norwegian Township, in Schuylkill County, bounded by Jackson street, by lot No. 91, by Spruce street and Pine Alley, containing in front, on Jackson Street, 63 ft., and in depth 225 feet, and being the lot which is marked in the general plan of the Town of Port Carbon with the number 92—As the property of WILLIAM B. GLASSMIRE.

ALSO, A part of two lots of ground, situate in the Town of Donaldson, Schuylkill Co., marked in the plan of said town with Nos. 7 and 8, bounded as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of a certain Frame House on lot No. 7, thence along Centre Street 63 feet, 3 inches to Harrison St., thence northwesterly along said Street to Miners' Alley, thence west thirty-six feet five inches, thence south through lot No. 7 to the place of beginning 150 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a 2 story Frame Dwelling House, and a 1½ story Frame Dwelling House, and a Frame Carpenter Shop, as the property of DAVID KREBS.

ALSO, All those certain four lots of ground situate in West Branch Valley, North Manheim Township, Schuylkill County, on the road leading from the Centre Turnpike to Strauch's Mill, bounded by lands of Isaac Strauch and William Myton, containing together 120 feet in width or breadth, and 190 feet in depth or length, with the improvements consisting of a two-story Stone Dwelling House and a Blacksmith Shop —as the property of MARKS E. ECKERT.

ALSO, All those certain two contiguous lots or pieces of ground situate on the northeasterly side of Centre Street, in the Borough of Pottsville, in the County of Schuylkill, marked in Benjamin Pott's additional plan of said Borough number thirteen and fourteen, containing in front or breadth on said Centre Street one hundred and twenty feet (60 feet each lot) and in depth two hundred and thirty feet, bounded northwestwardly by a twenty feet wide alley, (now called Union St.) northeasterly by another twenty feet wide alley, (now called Railroad Street) southeasterly by lot number fifteen, and southwesterly by Centre Street, *excepting* one hundred feet in width of the rear of said lots and extending across the rear of both said lots from Union Street to lot No. 15, which part thereof was sold and conveyed by Henry Geisse to the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company as a Depot, and is now used by them. Upon the premises to be sold is erected the extensive three-story Brick Hotel with a Stone Basement under the same, called the "Pennsylvania Hall," with Sheds, Stables, and other outbuildings. Fronting on Centre Street there is also a two-story Frame Building, about 80 feet in length by 24 in breadth, at present used as a Billiard-saloon and Ten-Pin Alley. Fronting on Union Street there is a two-story Frame Stable. Upon the premises there is a large and never-failing Spring of Water with a Pump thereon—as the property of ENOCH W. McGINNES.

Seized, taken in execution, and will be sold by JAMES NAGLE, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Pottsville, Nov. 12, 1853 46-ts

SHERIFF'S SALES of REAL ESTATE

BY Virtue of several writs of *Venditioni Exponas* issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Schuylkill County, and to me directed, there will be exposed to Public Sale or outcry, on SATURDAY, December 10th, A. D. 1853, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Public House of John C. Lessig, (Exchange Hotel) in the Borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill County, the following described Real Estate, to wit:

THE one undivided fourth part of all that *certain tract* or parcel of land situate in the Borough of Pottsville, in the County of Schuylkill, beginning at a post, a corner of James House's lot thence by the same north, 36 degrees west 220 feet to a post, and south fifty-four degrees west 120 feet to a post, thence by Alter's Addition and Eli Cake's lot north 36 degrees west, 190 feet to a post, thence by said Cake's lot south, 54 degrees west, 475 feet to a post, thence by land formerly of Jonathan Wynn north, 36 degrees west 20 feet to a post, north 21½ degrees east, 68 feet to a post, north 22½ degrees west, 128 feet to a post, north 67 degrees east, 150 feet to a post, on the western side of Coal street, thence along the same north 22½ degrees west 116 feet to a post, thence through the said street north [illegible] degrees west 67 feet to a spruce stump, north 53½ degrees east [illegible] feet to a post, on the west line of Coal street, thence along the same north, 22½ degrees west 95 feet to a post, thence by land formerly of said Wynn south, 67½ degrees west, one hundred and fifty-nine feet to a post, and north 22½ degrees west 80 feet, thence by land of Farnum and McGinness north 69 degrees east, 9 perches and six-tenths to a post in Coal street, thence along the same south 23 degrees east 24 perches to a post, thence by said Farnum and McGinness land north, 64 degrees east 142 perches and five-tenths to a post, thence by land formerly of John Young south, 24 degrees east 20 perches to a spanish oak stump, thence along a public road, now called Norwegian street, south, 4 degrees, west 17½ perches to a post, south 16 degrees west, 68 perches to a post, and south 54 degrees west 41 perches to the place of beginning, containing, by estimate, 40 acres and 51 perches, strict measure, with the appurtenances, excepting and excluding, however, the following lots or pieces of ground, marked in the plan of the Eastern Addition to Pottsville, with the numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 29, 30, 56, 57, 62, 63, 64, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 78, 81, 156, and 157, and a lot of ground on Railroad street, sold by Charles Lawton to John James, containing in width 24 feet, and in depth 435 feet; also, excepting and excluding a two and a half story frame house, with a stone-basement story, and lot of ground, situate on the eastwardly side of George street, containing in width 25 feet, and in length 150 feet, sold by Charles Lawton to Charles Lawton, Jr.; also, a two storied frame house, with a basement story of stone, and lot of ground, situate on the eastwardly side of George street, containing in width 25 feet, and in depth 150 feet, sold by Charles Lawton to Joseph Carrol, with the appurtenances, consisting of 2 two and a half story frame dwelling houses, with basement stories of stone, 2 two-story frame houses, 1 one-story frame house, and 3 small frame tenements, as the property of CHARLES LAWTON.

ALSO, The undivided moiety or half part of all that certain tract or piece of land situate in Branch township, Schuylkill County, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stone corner on line of the New York and Schuylkill Coal Company's land, and corner of Philip Zimmerman's tract, thence north twenty-five degrees west one hundred and fifty-eight and five-tenths perches to stones, thence north fifty-six degrees east 100 perches to a small maple tree, thence south thirty-four degrees east one hundred and seventy-six and two-tenths perches to a stone, thence south sixty-five degrees east, one hundred and twenty-six and five-tenths perches, to the place of beginning, containing one hundred and eleven acres, and allowance; and being the same tract of land which was surveyed in pursuance of a warrant dated August 3d, A. D. 1825, granted to Samuel D. Franks, Esq., with the appurtenances.

ALSO, The undivided moiety or half part of all that certain tract or piece of land situate in Branch township, Schuylkill County, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stone corner on line of the New York and Schuylkill Coal Company's lands, thence north thirty-four degrees west one hundred and seventy-six and two-tenths perches to a small maple tree, thence north fifty-six degrees east, twenty and a half perches to a maple, thence south thirty-four degrees east, thirty-two perches to a spanish oak, thence north fifty-six degrees east, two hundred and fifty-six perches to a stone, thence south thirty-four degrees east, twenty four perches to a chestnut oak, thence south fifty-five degrees west, one hundred and eighty-seven perches to a stone, thence south sixty-five degrees west, one hundred and sixty perches, to the place of beginning, containing two hundred and sixteen acres and 148 perches, and allowance, which tract of land was surveyed in pursuance of a warrant dated the 23d day of December, 1821, granted to Samuel D. Franks, Esq., with the appurtenances, as the property of SAMUEL HEFFNER.

ALSO, All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the Borough of Orwigsburg, Schuylkill County, bounded southwardly by the Centre Turnpike, northwardly by a twenty feet wide alley, eastwardly by lot of Henry Shoemaker, and westwardly by property of Adolph Dohrman, containing in width 60 feet and in depth 180 feet, with the appurtenances consisting of a two-story brick tavern house with a two-story brick kitchen thereto attached, and a frame stable.

ALSO, All that certain farm or tract of land situate in West Brunswig township, Schuylkill County, bounded by lands of Joseph Boyer, Daniel Gessley, Peter Fisher and Peter Boyer, containing about 103 acres, more or less, with the appurtenances consisting of a 1½ story log dwelling house and a water-power saw-mill—as the property of SETH LEYMEISTER.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold by JAMES NAGLE, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Pottsville, November 29, 1853. 47-ts

HURD'S GOLDEN GLOSS.
FOR THE HAIR.—Among the many preparations for the growth of the Hair, this GOLDEN GLOSS takes the lead. Three reasons will be given why it is so universally used and preferred to all others.—1st, Because it has proved the most effectual in baldness. 2d, Because it imparts a beautiful dark gloss and delightful perfume to the hair. 3d, Because the Ladies, with fine discrimination, which they all possess, have adopted it. Many other reasons could be given why it is a great favorite, but those who want more have only to give it a trial. Price 25 cts. in large bottles. FOR SALE by Druggists and Storekeepers everywhere.
W. C. HURD, Proprietor, 204 Broadway, New York.
☞ Large Discount to Merchants.
November 19, 1853 47-3m

ICE! ICE!!
THE subscriber announces to the public that he has purchased Benjamin Weller's Ice House, at Tumbling Run Dam, and will be prepared to supply the community with as much ice as they may want during the whole of the ensuing season at reasonable rates. Having experience in the business, and being determined to supply *home customers*, in preference to those abroad, he flatters himself that he will give entire satisfaction to the community.
GEORGE J. HEHR.
Nov. 12, 1853. 46-tf

WATCHES, &C.

JOSEPH S. ELLIOTT,
Practical Watchmaker, and Dealer in Watches, Jewelry &c., at the Old Stand, two doors above the Miners' Bank, Centre Street Pottsville,
RESPECTFULLY invites the attention of the Public to his large and elegant assortment of Gold and Silver, Patent Lever, Duplex, Anchor Escapement, Horizontal, Lepine and Plain Watches, Imported and American Clocks. *Fine Gold Jewelry*, embracing a variety of entirely new styles of Breast Pins, Ear Rings &c., Gold and Silver Pencils, and Pen cases, Superior Gold Pens, Silver Spoons, Forks, and Butter Knives, Plated and Britannia Ware, Silver, Pearl, Shell and Paper Mache Card Cases, Plated Castors, Cake and Card Baskets, Fine Cutlery, Violin and Guitar Strings, &c. &c.
All Fresh Stock, just received and opened, at the Old Stand, and New Store—Where the repairing of all kinds of Gold and Silver Watches, Clocks and Jewelry will be carefully attended to.
☞ Don't forget, two doors above the Miners' Bank, Centre Street, Pottsville.
JOSEPH S. ELLIOTT.
Nov. 12, 1853. 46-6m

WILLIAM BRADY,
(Of the late firm of BRADY & ELLIOTT.)
SIGN OF THE BIG WATCH, opposite Mortimer's Hotel, respectfully announces to his friends and the public, that he still continues to offer for sale a choice assortment of Clocks, Watches, Silver Ware and fine Jewelry, &c., to which he invites attention. He is determined not to be undersold by any here or elsewhere. Call and judge for yourselves. With his experience in business, and a desire to please, and a guarantee that all goods shall prove to be as represented, he hopes still to retain his share of patronage.
N. B.—All kinds of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry carefully repaired and warranted.
WILLIAM BRADY, Centre St., Sign of the Big Watch, Opposite Mortimer's Hotel.
Oct. 8, 1853. 41-1y

WATCHES, JEWELRY AND SILVER WARE.
THE undersigned would most respectfully inform his friends and the public generally, that he has recently enlarged and otherwise improved his store, and is prepared to offer goods which for beauty and style of finish, cannot be surpassed. He has now in store an extensive assortment of WATCHES, JEWELRY, SILVER WARE and FANCY GOODS, &c., to which he invites attention. Being determined to dispose of them at prices which cannot fail to render satisfaction. He has considerable experience in the business, and will endeavor to please those who may favor him with their patronage. All goods guaranteed to be as represented.
N. B.—Watches and Jewelry repaired and warranted. All orders by mail or otherwise promptly attended to. JAMES B. FIDLER.
No. 12 South 2d St., below Market St., Phila.
☞ Don't forget the number.
July 16, 1853. 29-1yf

REAL ESTATE.

VALUABLE PROPERTY
IN POTTSVILLE, FOR SALE.
THE Subscriber offers the following described valuable property at private sale:—A brick Kitchen, on Market Street, now occupied by the subscriber, 44 feet front by 30 feet deep, 2½ stories high, with a frame kitchen adjoining 12 by 16 feet, with all the necessary out buildings. There are 28 feet reserved in front, for a front building. The lot is 20 feet front by 190 feet deep. There is also, a 2 story frame building, on the back end of the lot, fronting on Lyon Street, which brings additional rent for the property. These buildings are all well finished.
Also a double frame building in Minersville street, 28 feet by 26 feet, 2 stories front with basement kitchen and garret, well finished, with the sidewalks curbed and paved. On the premises is a well of good water. This property rents for $155.
DANIEL NAGLE.
Nov 19 1853. 47-3t

FOR SALE.
THE "Clinton" Tract of Coal Land, containing 132 acres, 48 perches, situated in Norwegian tp., Schuylkill Co., Pa.
This valuable Coal property is upon the West Norwegian Creek, and the West Branch of the Mount Carbon Railroad, about two miles north of Pottsville. It is covered with a fine growth of Timber, suitable both for sawing timber and for mining purposes. The [illegible] runs through it. The "Diamond" Coal Seam, with its usual [illegible] other smaller seams, crops along the north line. The underlying Gray and White Ash Coals are also on it at a greater depth. A Slope is being sunk on the "Diamond" Seam close to the west line, and it is probable that the Clinton Tract [illegible].
For terms apply to J. D. MEREDITH, Agent for Mrs. Elizabeth Spohn, Centre St., Pottsville, Pa.
October 22, 1853 43-3m

IMPORTANT NEWS to the PERSON
OF MODERATE MEANS.
FOR SALE.—A two-story Frame Dwelling House situated in East Market Street, adjoining the Dwelling House of Mr. J. W. Bowen.—The House is almost new, and is in excellent repair. It is a complete dwelling for a small family. In the rear end of lot of the above property is another two-story frame Dwelling, facing on a 20 feet street; said building is also new and in good order, and is offered for sale in connection with the other property. The owners of the above property reside in Philadelphia, and as they cannot give the property their personal attention, they are anxious to dispose of it at once.
The man of small means would do well to apply immediately to the owners, WISE, PUSEY & WISE, 197 MARKET Street, Philadelphia, or to GEO. W. SLATER, of Pottsville.
Oct. 8, 1853 41-2mo

PRIVATE SALE
Of valuable REAL ESTATE in the Borough of POTTSVILLE.
THE undersigned will leave Pottsville in April next for the Western Country and intending previous to that time to sell the following Real estate, viz:
No. 1. A valuable Tavern Stand—well known as the "POTTSVILLE HOUSE," situated on Centre street, opposite Mahantongo street, being the most desirable location for a Hotel in the Borough of Pottsville. The House is built of stone, 3½ stories high, 40 feet front by 110 feet deep, with Kitchens, Ice Houses and other conveniences for a Hotel.—There are also Stabling, Carriage Houses, &c., attached. The property is worthy the attention of Capitalists and will be sold at a price which renders it the most desirable investment in Pottsville.
No. 2. A lot 20 feet front by 210 feet deep, on which is erected the following property; on Centre street is a 2½ story Stone Dwelling and Store House, Dining Room and Kitchen attached. This property is well calculated for any kind of mercantile business. The buildings have been occupied the past 10 years by Mr. F. Sanderson as a Drug Store. On rear end of the above mentioned lot (which is on Railroad street) are substantial frame Dwellings, which are nearly new and are now rented. The latter property will be sold in connection with the former.
No. 3. A lot 25 feet front by 240 feet deep, situated on Centre street, between Norwegian and Market street (east side) on which is erected a large three story Brick Dwelling and Store House. The Dwelling has a large three story Kitchen and dining room attached. The store room is 100 feet deep by 22 feet wide. The above is without exception the most desirable store stand in the Borough.
No. 4. A frame Dwelling situated on Norwegian Street, a few doors below 4th street. It is a desirable property for a small family.
Persons desirous of purchasing would do well to call upon the Subscriber without delay as he is determined to sell and will sell cheap and on accommodating terms. GEORGE W. SLATER.
Oct. 15, 1853. 42-3mo

FANCY FURS, &c.
An Elegant and Durable Hat FOR $3 00.
Equal, if not superior to any ever offered
FOSTER & GEBHARD,
THIRD Street, below Chestnut, PHILADELPHIA.
OFFER at very reduced prices the following: Ladies' Riding Hats and Bonnets, Children's Fancy Hats, of all sorts, Cloth, Plush and Glazed Caps of every variety of style, Gentlemen's Driving and Traveling Caps, Soft Hats of every style and finish, at prices to suit all.
Also, Young Gents' Hats,
☞ A general assortment of Ladies' Fancy Furs.
November 5, 1853 45-3m

FANCY FURS, BUFFALO ROBES &c.
THE subscriber would respectfully call the attention of his country friends and the public generally to his splendid assortment of
LADIES FANCY FURS,
Consisting of Muffs, Boas, Victorines, Cuffs, Fur Gloves, &c. Such as Stone, Martin, Fitch, Siberian Squirrel, Silver Martin, Mink, Hudson Bay and Russian Sable Chinchillas, &c., with a full assortment of Fancy Carriage and Sleigh Robes, Foot Muffs, &c.
N. B. Just received, a splendid assortment of BUFFALO ROBES, for sale by the Bale or single Robe.
☞ The highest price paid for Shipping Furs.—Wadding constantly on hand.
GEORGE F. WOMRATH, Importer and Manufacturer, No. 13 N. Fourth St., Philad'a.
Oct. 22, 1853 43-3m

E. GARRIGUES,
Printer, Bookseller and Stationer, Centre St.,
POTTSVILLE, PA.,
RESPECTFULLY asks the attention of Merchants, Teachers, and the public generally, to the large assortment of books, &c., offered at his new store, comprising standard works for the professions, Church Books for every denomination, German and English, Gift, Miscellaneous, Juvenile, Toy & School Books. Obtained directly from the Publishers, by special arrangement, and at the Trade Sales—imported and domestic fancy and staple stationery.
Stationers' Fine Cutlery and Japanned Ware. Fancy Goods, &c.
These goods are all new and desirable, and have been selected with great care from the full stocks of the largest Importing Houses and American Manufacturers in New York and Philadelphia; also, a large assortment of
BLANK ACCOUNT BOOKS,
Of their own manufacture, embracing a general variety, from the common half-bound to the extra superfine, neatly ruled and substantially bound, with bands and rivets; small blank Memorandum and Pass Books, Cyphering and Copy Books, Time Rolls, Bills of Lading, Coal Tickets, Checks, Drafts, Promissory Notes, &c., &c.
BOOK AND JOB PRINTING,
Of every description, neatly executed; Blank Books ruled to any pattern and bound to order; Music, Magazines and other publications bound in every style of Plain and Ornamental Binding, the most durable and elegant.
RAGS bought for cash, or received in exchange for goods. E. GARRIGUES.
N. B.—E. G. offers for rent two large, light and airy rooms, suitable for Offices, situated in the same building with the Book store.
Jy. 31-tf

LUMBER! LUMBER!! LUMBER!!!
THE undersigned is prepared to furnish bills of Hemlock, Oak, and White Pine Lumber to any extent, and of the largest sizes, having under his control mills that are sawing over 100,000 feet of lumber per week. T. J. HUGHES, Ag't.
October 29, 1853 43-1y

PUBLICATIONS.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.
MRS. RUTHERFORD'S CHILDREN, by the author of the Wide, Wide World.
Dr. Olin's Sermons and Lectures, 2 vols.
Tip-top, by Mrs. Tuthill.
The Faded Hope, by Mrs. Sigourney,
Busy Moments of an Idle Woman, 50 cts.
Markland, or Self sacrifice, 50 cts.
The Countess of Arundel, by Reynolds, 50 cts.
Lady Lee's Widowhood from Blackwood, 25 cts.
The Fair Rebel, by Emerson Bennett, 25 cts.
[illegible] Jack, 25 cts.
My Novel, by Bulwer, 2 vols., new edition, 75 cts.
For sale at B. BANNAN'S Cheap Book and Stationery Store.
November 19, 1853 47—

CHEAP READING.
THE subscriber has just received a lot of Books, which he will furnish at two thirds and one-third the usual prices, embracing the following, together with many other works:
Dickens' Pickwick Papers, Oliver Twist, Dombey & Son, Nickleby, Martin Chuzzlewit, David Copperfield, Barnaby Rudge, &c. &c.
Bulwer's Pompeii, Pelham, Eugene Aram.
Bennett's Prairie Flower and Leni Leoti.
Michelet's Jesuits and Jesuitism and The People.
Whitefriars, or the days of Charles the 2nd,
The Spitfire, by Captain Chamier,
Matilda Montgomerie, or the Prophecy fulfilled,
Jack Adams, by Captain Chamier,
Breckenridge's Modern Chivalry,
Roath's Love Adventures of Solomon Slug,
Neal's Charcoal Sketches,
Cecilia, by Miss Burney,
Home and its Influence,
Liebig's Animal and Agricultural Chemistry.
Douglass Jerrold, Job Pippins, Isaac Cheek, Toms Trumps, &c.
Blackwell's Laws of Life,
Hind on the Solar System
The Milliner and the Millionaire, by Mrs. Hooker,
The Deserted Wife, by Mrs. Southworth,
Travels of Anna Bishop in Mexico,
Convert of St. Paul, by Dumas,
Remorse, and other tales, by James,
Edith's Legacy, by the Author of Adelaide Lindsay,
Culverwell on Consumption, and how to be happy,
Grammont without a Master.
The subscriber would here remark that he has selected his cheap Books with care, and nothing will be found among them, as far as his knowledge extends, that would be improper to introduce into any family.
B. BANNAN, Cheap Bookseller and Publisher.
November 19, 1853 47—

WINTER EVENING READING.
VALUABLE STANDARD AND MISCELLANEOUS BOOKS,
RECEIVED from the late Trade Sales, and offered at prices varying from 10, 20 to 30, and some 40 per cent. less than publisher's rates, at B. BANNAN'S Cheap Book and Stationery Store, Centre Street, Pottsville, immediately opposite the Episcopal church.
Persons in want of Books at unusual low rates, had better call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere—as he pledges himself to sell his books as low, and some much lower, than they can *be procured* at what are termed the cheap Bookstores of the city.
Parents would save themselves many a pang in after life, if they would procure their children some good books to read at home at nights, instead of permitting them to run about the streets. We have on hand a very large assortment of choice Juvenile Books, selected with great care for children, which we will sell unusually low. Try it, Parents—a little money spent in that way may save your children from the many temptations which surround them in this community.
Complete Works of Thomas Dick, 2 vols., 8vo,
Thiers' History of the French Revolution, 2 vols.,
" " " Napoleon, 2 vols.,
Macaulay's Miscellanies, 5 vols.,
Selections from the British Poets, 3 vols. 8vo,
Hedge's Prose Writers of Germany 8vo,
Onderdonk's Sermons, 2 vols 8vo,
Heroic Women of the Revolution 8vo,
Miss Lambert's Handbook of Needle work,
Payson's Sermons, 2 vols, 8vo,
Life and Speeches of Henry Clay, 8vo,
De Cormenin's History of the Popes, 2 vols,
Frost's Pictorial History of America, 2 vols,
South's Sermons, 2 vols, 8vo,
Edmondson's Sermons, 2 vols,
Tupper's Works, 4 vols,
Wheeler's Rural Architecture,
Strickland's Memoirs of the Queens of Henry 8th,
Dick's Lectures on Theology, 8vo, sheep,
Willis' Prose and Poetry of Europe and America,
Manning's Sermons, 4 vols, 8 vo,
Melville's " 12 "
Coopers's Novels, 12 "
Irving's Works, 12 "
Guizot on the Fine Arts 8vo,
Silliman's Travels in Europe, 2 vols,
Dicken's Home and Social Philosophy,
Hood's Choice Works, 4 vols,
Pictorial History of England, 4 vols,
Byrne's Dictionary of Mechanics, 2 vols, 8vo,
Comprehensive Commentary, 6 vols, royal 8vo,
Clark's " 4 "
Scott's " 3 "
Gardner's Farmers Dictionary,
Goldsmith's Animated Nature, 2 vols 8vo,
Hume's History of England, 6 vols,
Macaulay's " 2 "
Gibbon's History of Rome, 6 "
Hitchcock's Religion of Geology,
Library of Natural History, 2vo, 400 engravings,
Bulwer's Novels,
Pictorial Cyclopedia of useful Knowledge,
Murray's United States, 2 vols,
Pictorial Family Cyclopedia, numerous engravings,
Illustrated Mirror of the World,
Layard's Discoveries in Nineveh, 8vo,
Dr Olin's Works, 2 vols,
Lossing's Pictorial Field Book of the Revolution, 2 vols,
Dr. Chalmer's Works, 4 vols,
Channing's Works, 6 vols,
Hildreth's History of the United States, 6 vols,
Sparks' Life and Writings of Washington, 12 vols,
Men, Women and Books, by Leigh Hunt, 2 vols,
Anthon's Classical Dictionary, royal 8vo,
Johnson's Works, 2 vols, 8vo,
Boswell's Life of Johnson, 2 vols, 8vo,
Brande's Encyclopedia of Science, Literature and Art, royal 8vo,
Barnes' Notes, on the New Testament,
Mosheim's Church History, 2 vols,
Stephen's Travels in Yucatan, 2 vols,
Sparks' American Biography, 10 vols,
Wandering Jew, illustrated, 2 vols,
Plutarch's Lives, 8vo,
Lynch's Dead Sea Expedition, illustrated,
Kennedy's Life of Wirt, 2 vols,
Agnes Strickland's Queens of England, 6 vols,
Encyclopedia Americana, 14 vols, 8vo,
Webster's Dictionary, the 8vo, royal 8vo, and 4to editions, in various bindings,
Harper's New Miscellany, 26 vols,
Appleton's Popular Library,
Cooley's Cyclopedia of useful Knowledge,
Griffin's Bards of the Bible,
Lord Mahon's History of England, 2 vols, 8vo,
Pictorial life of Napoleon, 8vo,
Taylor's Ancient and Modern History, 2 vols, 8vo,
Grace Aguilar's Popular Works, 8 vols,
Downing's Cottage Architecture, 8vo,
Haupt on Bridge Construction, 8vo,
Lyell's Elements and Principles of Geology, new editions,
November 19, 1853 47—

The English Book Store.
THE subscribers having now completed their arrangements for the importation of English Books, invite the attention of Libraries, Booksellers, and the public generally to their stock, which will be the largest and most desirable, and well-selected, and at the most reasonable prices. Importing direct from the English Publishers and thereby enabled to sell in many instances English editions at the same prices as are paid for inferior American ones.—Their [illegible] entirely to Foreign Books, purchasers may depend upon finding the best Assortment at their establishment.
New Publications received by every Steamer—Books imported to order, weekly, from England, France and Germany in much less than the ordinary time required.
Monthly Catalogues of new and old English Books furnished gratis, on application, or sent by mail to any part of the country. Any information respecting Foreign Books furnished, on application, by mail or otherwise.
☞ Subscriptions received to all Foreign News papers and Periodicals. C. J. PRICE & Co., No. 7 Hart's Buildings, (up stairs) Sixth St. above Chestnut, Philadelphia.
November 5, 1853 45-2m

New Music.
HOW Sweet is the Land, [illegible] composed for the Piano Forte by [illegible]
[illegible] arranged for the Piano-Forte by John Brown.
Katy's Cry [illegible] song and chorus by Wood's Minstrels, composed by [illegible]
The Ploughboy's Polka, [illegible]
The Italian Girl's Prayer, Music by G. W. Hewitt.
La Prima Donna Valse, composed for the Court Balls of the Queen of England by Jullien
The Prima Donna Song, Music arranged from Jullien's celebrated Valse, by Thomas Baker.
The Tear, a German Ballad for Soprano or Tenor Voice, composed by F. Kucken,
Jullien's Musical Tour in America, written expressly for and performed at his Grand Concerts.
Emmie Polka, performed by the Germania Society, composed by Carl Bergmann.
Take me Home, composed by W. V. Bloomfield.
Dodworth's Very Best Polka.
Fluto Waltz, by E. E. Cate.
My Old Kentucky Home, 10th edition, as sung by the Christy Minstrels, written and composed by Stephen C. Foster.
Just received and for sale at B. BANNAN'S Cheap Music and Book Store.
November 5, 1853 45—

PHILADELPHIA.

BURTON & REED,
WHOLESALE GROCERS,
North E. corner of Front and Arch Streets,
DESIRE to call the attention of the merchants of Schuylkill County, when visiting or ordering goods, having always on hand a well selected stock of Groceries, Teas, &c., calculated for the country trade. They are constantly receiving from the agricultural districts produce, dried fruit, Butter &c., with which they can supply their customers at all times.
Philad'a. Nov 19, 1853 47-6m

MILLINERY GOODS,
(Wholesale and Retail.)
E. C. HALLIDAY,
No. 17 South NINTH Street, above Chestnut, PHILADELPHIA
NOW open, and are constantly receiving, the most approved style of
French Flowers and Feathers,
Plaid and new styles Fall Ribbons,
Silks and Satins, of every shade,
New styles of Velvets for Bonnets,
Gold and Silver Ribbons,
Bonnet Linings,
Bonnet Frames and Crowns, of the newest shapes, being made directly from French Patterns, these shapes are unsurpassed.
November 19, 1853 47-3t

PERUVIAN GUANO.
IN order that Farmers and Dealers may be certain to procure their supplies of Peruvian Guano without delay and disappointment, the undersigned have made such arrangements as will enable them to furnish it. They have now landing 100 tons.
EDMUND A. SOUDER & CO., Dock Street Wharf, Philadelphia.
November 12, 1853 46-3t

OILS—SOAP—GUANO.
15,000 GALLONS WINTER BLEACHED Elephant and Whale Oil,
10,000 Gallons Racked Whale Oil,
1,000 Boxes Olive and Brown Soap,
1,500 Bags Peruvian Guano.
For sale by J. B. A. & S. ALLEN, 7 and 8 South Wharves, Philad'a.
November 12, 1853 46-3t

TOYS, TOYS AND FANCY GOODS.
THE Subscriber has just arrived from Europe with a fine and large assortment of TOYS of every description; Kid, Wax and Gum Dolls, Fancy Baskets, Harmonicas, Pipes, Snuff and Tobacco Boxes, Segar Cases, Dominoes, Canes and a great variety of other articles, too numerous to mention. Being all of his own selection from the manufacturers, he can sell them cheaper than ever before. JOHN DOLL, No. 90 N. 2d St., between Arch and Race Sts., Phila.
Sept. 24, 1853. 39-3m

DAVIS & CULIN,
Dealers in
LAMPS, LANTERNS & CHANDELIERS,
N. E. corner Fourth and Cherry Sts.
PHILADELPHIA,
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Post-Script.

By Telegraph and Yesterday's R. R. Train.

PHILAD'A., FRIDAY, 4 O'CLOCK, P. M.

Wheat Flour, $7—Rye do. $5 per bbl.—Corn Meal, $3 76 do.—Wheat, Red, $1 50, White, $1 60—Rye, 96 cts.—Corn, 78 cts. Oats, 42 cts. per bushel.

NORTH AMERICAN CO.'S BORING.

Up to 12 o'clock yesterday, the Boring had been extended *5 feet in the Mammoth or great* White Ash Vein. The character of this vein is such as there can be no mistaking it.

It was struck at the depth of 21 feet below the surface of the "Seven foot" vein, some Slate and Iron nodules intervening.

The entire depth of the boring is now about 110 feet.

LATEST FROM EUROPE.

Highly Important News!!!

War declared by the Czar.—Battles on the Danube and in Asia.—Russian forces beaten with great slaughter.

By the arrival of the Washington and Canada we have one week's later advices from the East.

There seems to have been much fighting between the opposing forces at different places, in which the Turks came off victorious.

The Emperor of Russia has published an official declaration of war.

Five Russian officers were reported to have arrived at Constantinople, as prisoners of war.—The combined fleets had anchored in the Bosphorus.—Bucharest was announced to have been stormed by the Turks.—The Sultan, it is said, has refused all pacific mediation.

The French Consul at Bucharest, under date of November 6th., telegraphed the following to Paris:

"On the 2nd and 3rd insts., the Turks crossed the Danube from Toutourkai, 18,000 strong, and on the 4th the Russians attacked them with 9000 troops. After a brisk cannonade, a combat at the point of the bayonet ensued; lasting *three hours!* The Russians lost several officers and 136 privates killed, besides 6 superior officers and 18 subalterns, and 479 privates wounded. The Turkish loss is not stated."

Another account of the same battle, received via Vienna, states that fourteen Russian superior officers were killed, and that the Turks were masters of the field, the Russians finally retreating on to Bucharest.

It appears that, Omar Pacha crossed at three points—with 18,000 at Altenibza—4,000 at Kalvache, and 2,000 at Giurgivo.

Before the Turks crossed the Danube, a body of Cossacks came to the river's bank and made signs insulting to the Egyptians in the Turkish army, who rushed to the boats, rowed across in the face of the Cossack's fire, and punished them well, chasing them inland, and returned to the camp in triumph.

Several other movements of the Turks on the banks of the Danube are reported; among them, the destruction of a Russian steamer at Hirsiva.

Accounts from Constantinople, state that Selim Pacha had crossed the Russian frontiers in Asia, and that a battle ensued near Baltoura in which 5000 troops were engaged. Both armies fell back as night came on.

In a second battle, the Russians were defeated, and on the 20th of October, Masko Bey, an officer in Selim Pacha's staff, with a small force, was suddenly attacked by a body of Russian cavalry. The Bey fell back, fighting, toward the main body of the Turkish army, when the battle speedily became general. Fifteen thousand Russians were engaged, and the contest was most desperate. The Russians were again defeated, and fled, pursued by the Turks, who planted the Sultan's standard, and made their quarters at the Russians' position of Orolle, eight hours distance from Clorockdere, where the battle began.

The Russian force which was defeated and beaten back to Bucharest in the previously mentioned battle, was the main body under General Davenberg, which is estimated at from 30 to 40,000 strong.

The news summed up shows that the Turks have beaten the Russians in Asia, that the Turkish left wing in Europe has beaten the Russian right wing, comprising the principal force of the Czar; and, that the Turkish centre has whipped 9000 R[illegible] [illegible] opposite Toutourkai, and was pressing upon Bucharest.

VIOLATION OF THE SABBATH.

The *New York Observer*, a religious paper, in recording a recent frightful collision on the Hudson River Railroad, and wonderful escape of the passengers, makes the following comments:

"In making a record of this occurrence, we cannot forbear to allude to the circumstance, that since this Company departed from their original determination to keep the Sabbath, and have been running trains upon that day, these occurrences have greatly increased. The same was true of the New Haven and other roads. The former enjoyed a remarkable exemption from disasters, while it continued to respect the Sabbath, but the change was marked by a series of occurrences, the most remarkable of which was the dreadful Norwalk tragedy. We believe this road has now discontinued its Sunday trains.

"We do not regard this world as the place of retribution, nor do we look upon events calamity in the light of a judgment, but the command to 'Remember the Sabbath-day to keep it holy,' has too many terrible sanctions connected with it to escape the special notice of those who are accustomed to regard the hand of God in connection with human affairs. It has long been observed that those who systematically break this command seldom enjoy continued prosperity in this world. Nothing is gained by appropriating to secular labor, and to purposes of secular gain, the time which God claims as his own. He frowns upon those who thus violate his holy day.

"We would in this connection reprobate the custom, which we are informed is very common upon our Railroads, even those on which there are no Sunday trains, of taking this day for making repairs, especially where such repairs would interfere with the ordinary business of the Roads. We do not believe that any of these violations of the Sabbath, by which men are compelled to work seven days in the week, will in the end be found to be profitable, even in a temporal point of view."

These are timely and, we heartily believe, truthful comments. We have heard it said, though on what authority or with how much correctness, we know not, that the accidents on the Reading Railroad have been nearly or quite doubled since the introduction of their Sunday trains. Being principally or almost exclusively confined to the coal and freight trains, the public know very little about the extent or number of these accidents as they transpire—the Company's Report at the end of the year, will, perhaps, be the best and most reliable source of information. As a matter of interest on this subject, it may be well to make a note of this for the forthcoming Report in a few months.

RUSSIA AND TURKEY.

A singular Political prophecy.

Napoleon I. was a great Statesman as well as General. His thorough knowledge of the affairs and policy of the several European States in his day made him a very correct political prophet. Of the then future destiny of Russia and Turkey he used the following remarkable language, at St. Helena, in 1817—Thirty-six years ago:

"In the course of a few years Russia will have Constantinople, the greatest part of Turkey, and all Greece. This I hold to be as certain as if it had already taken place. Almost all the cajoling and flattery which ALEXANDER practiced towards me, was to gain my consent to effect this object. *I would not consent, foreseeing that the equilibrium of Europe would be destroyed.* In the natural course of things, in a few years Turkey must fall to Russia. The greatest part of her population are Greeks, who, you may say, are Russians. *The powers it would injure, and who could oppose it, are England, France, Prussia, and Austria. Now, as to Austria, it would be very easy for Russia to engage her assistance, by giving her Servia and other provinces bordering upon the Austrian dominions, reaching near to Constantinople.* THE ONLY HYPOTHESIS ON WHICH FRANCE AND ENGLAND MAY EVER BE ALLIED WITH SINCERITY, WILL BE IN ORDER TO PREVENT THIS. But even this alliance will not avail. France, England, and Prussia united cannot prevent it. Russia and Austria can at any time effect it. *Once mistress of Constantinople,* Russia gets all the commerce of the Mediterranean, becomes a great naval power, and God knows what may happen;" &c.