THE MINERS' JOURNAL,

AND POTTSVILLE GENERAL ADVERTISER.

I WILL TEACH YOU TO PIERCE THE BOWELS OF THE EARTH, AND BRING OUT FROM THE CAVERNS OF MOUNTAINS, METALS WHICH WILL GIVE STRENGTH TO OUR HANDS AND SUBJECT ALL NATURE TO OUR USE AND PLEASURE.—*Dr. Johnson.*

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IRON FOUNDERS.

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

BEAVER MEADOW IRON WORKS.

HUDSON & BRO., Iron and Brass Founders, respectfully inform their patrons, and the public generally, that they are fully prepared, at the above Establishment, to manufacture Steam Engines of every size, Pumps, Railroad and Drift Cars, and every other description of Iron & Brass Castings suitable for the Coal mining or other business, on the most reasonable terms. Also, Blowing Cylinders for Blast Furnaces and Machine work in general.

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

S. W. HUDSON,
B. W. HUDSON.

March 4, 1854 9 1y

FRANKLIN IRON WORKS.

THE SUBSCRIBERS ANNOUNCE to the public that they are the Proprietors of the Franklin Works, Port Carbon, safely 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 Schu'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, 1853 31-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 attended fully received and promptly executed on the most reasonable terms.

JOHN Y. WREN,
THOMAS WREN,
JAMES WREN.

Oct 2, 1852. 40-tf

TO COAL OPERATORS AND OTHERS

PIONEER BOILER WORKS.

THE Subscribers respectfully invite the attention of the business community to their Boiler works, on the Island adjoining the Pioneer Furnace, Pottsville, Pa., where they are prepared to manufacture

BOILERS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,
Smoke Stacks, Air Stacks, Blast Pipes, Gasometers, Drift Cars, &c., &c. Boilers on hand.

Being practical Mechanics and having for years devoted themselves entirely to this branch of business, they flatter themselves that work done at their establishment will give satisfaction to all who may favor them with a call. Individuals and Companies will find it greatly to their advantage to examine their work before engaging elsewhere.

JOHN & JAMES NOBLE.

May 5, 1853. 19-tf

FOUNDRY AND MACHINE SHOP.

STEAM CAR FACTORY, &c.

NOTICE.—The business of the late firm of SNYDER & MILNES, will be continued by the subscriber in all its various branches of Steam engine building, Iron Founder, manufacturer of all kinds of machinery for Rolling Mills, Blast Furnaces, Railroad Cars, &c., &c. He will also continue the business of Mining and Selling the Celebrated *Pine Forest White Ash, and Lorena and Spohn Pelzer Red Ash Coals*, being sole proprietor of these Collieries.

GEORGE W. SNYDER.

Jan. 21, 1854 3-tf

Pennsylvania Wire Works.

No. 21 ARCH street, above FRONT, Philad'a.

THE subscribers have on hand, and are constantly manufacturing, SIEVES, RIDDLES, SCREENS, WOVEN WIRES, *of all meshes and widths.* Also, all kinds of plain and fancy Wire work. Brass and Iron Wire Sieves, of all kinds; Brass and Copper Wire Cloth for Paper Makers, &c. Cylinders and Dandy Rolls covered in the best manner.

Heavy Twilled Wire for Spark Catchers, Sieves for Brass and Iron Founders, Screen Wire, Window Wire, Safes, Traps, Dish Covers, Coal and Sand Screens, &c. DAYLISS, DARBY & LINN.

August 12, 1854 32-3m

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 manufactures.

JOHN BURNISH & CO.

Dec. 6, 1851. 49-tf

SUNDAY SCHOOL BOOKS AND LIBRARIES.

THE subscriber always keeps on hand a large assortment of Sunday School Books, such as are generally used in Sunday Schools. Also,

Sunday School Libraries of 100 vols.,	$10 00
Do do Nos. 2 and 3, each,	10 00
Do do do at	5 00
Do do do at	3 50
Cottage Library,	3 00
Episcopal Sunday School Library, 100 vols.,	10 00

ALSO,
500 Testaments, German and English,
200 Bibles, English and German,
English and German Reward Books,
Hymn Books, &c., &c., all of which will be sold at Sunday School Union prices, and the carriage saved by purchasing at B. BANNAN'S
Cheap Book and Stationery Store.

June 25, 1853. 26—

FRENCH TRUSSES.

Weighing less than 2½ ounces.

FOR THE CURE OF HERNIA OR RUPTURE:

ACKNOWLEDGED by the highest medical authorities of Philadelphia, incomparably superior to any other in use. Sufferers will be gratified to learn that the occasion now offers to procure not only the *light est and most easy*, but as *durable* a Truss as any other in lieu of the cumbrous and uncomfortable article usually sold. There is no difficulty attending the fitting, and when the pad is located, it will retain its position without change.

Persons at a distance, unable to call on the subscriber, can have the Truss sent to any address, by remitting FIVE DOLLARS for the single Truss, or TEN for the double—with measure round the hips, and stating side affected. It will be exchanged to suit if not fitting, by returning it at once, unsoiled.

For sale only by the Importer,
CALEB H. NEEDLES,
Cor. Twelfth & Race Streets, Philadelphia.

☞ Ladies, requiring the benefit of MECHANICAL SUPPORTS, owing to derangement of the Internal Organs, inducing Falling of the Womb, Vocal, Pulmonary, Dyspeptic, Nervous and Spinal Weakness, are informed that a competent and experienced Lady will be in attendance at the Rooms, (*set apart for their exclusive use,*) No. 114, Twelfth st., 1st door below Race.

June 24, 1854 25-1y

G. W. RIDGWAY & CO.,

DEALERS IN OILS

FOR MINES, MACHINERY and MANUFACTORIES, No. 30 N. WHARVES, PHILADA.

☞ Orders received by J. A. MOORE, Pottsville.

April 1, 1854 13-1y

DRY GOODS.

DRY GOODS AND GROCERY STORE.

J. PARKIN,

At the Old Stand of FRY & MARTZ,

RESPECTFULLY announces to the Public that he has purchased the stock of the above business firm at their old stand, and having made considerable additions thereto by recent cash purchases, respectfully solicits a share of public patronage.

In order to make room for a choice selection of goods, suitable for the Autumn trade, J. P. has determined to sell his present stock of Spring and Summer goods at a very low figure.

Aug. 19, 1854 32-tf

CARPETS AND OIL CLOTHS.

"ELDRIDGE CHEAP CARPET STORE."

PERSONS wanting Carpets or Oil Cloths will do well to call at ELDRIDGE'S before they buy, for he being under very light store expenses, is enabled to offer great inducements to buyers, and will sell Wholesale or Retail, at the lowest prices in the city.

Splendid Imperial,
Superfine Ingrain,
Fine and Medium do, } CARPETS.
Venitians of all kinds,

And Oil Cloths from 2 feet to 2 feet wide, to cut for rooms, halls &c., with a large assortment of Ingrain carpets from 25 to 50 cents per yard; Entry and Stair carpets from 10 to 50 cents per yard. Also, STAIR-RODS, HEARTH-RUGS, TABLE and PIANO-COVERS, BAG CARPETS, &c., &c.

H. H. ELDRIDGE,
No. 41, Strawberry street, one door above Chestnut, between Second and Third, Phila.

September 16, 1854. 37-3m

Fall and Winter Dry Goods.

1854.

J. V. DEPUY,

No. 41 North EIGHTH Street, Philadelphia.

THANKFUL for past favors, respectfully invites his customers and the public, to examine a New and Splendid stock of seasonable goods, comprising

Rich Plaid Silks,	Wide Lyons Velvets,
New Striped Silks,	Cloaking Cloths,
Brocade Silks,	Woolen Plaids,
Plain Silks,	French Merinoes,
Black Silks,	Mous de Laines,

Cloaks, Manitillas, and Shawls, cheap.

Ginghams, Prints, &c., in assortment; Ribbons, Embroideries, Gloves, &c.

Owing to the daily sacrifice of large quantities of desirable goods at Auction, the subscriber is enabled during the present season to offer

UNUSUALLY GREAT BARGAINS

J. V. DEPUY,
No. 41 North Eighth st. Philad'a.

Sept. 16 1851 32 3m

FALL DRY GOODS—FULL STOCK.

EYRE & LANDELL, Fourth and Arch sts., Philadelphia, will be able to offer extra inducements to the Country Buyers this Fall, as their Stock of Goods will be very full, and bargains from the New York and Philadelphia Auctions, daily received.—Full assortment of the following:

Shawls,	Flannels,
New Silks,	Muslins,
F. Merinoes,	Linens,
Wool Plaids,	Table Covers,
M. DeLaines,	Blankets,
Cashmeres,	Quilts, &c.

Owing to the excess of importations, we shall be daily in receipt of GREAT JOBS, from Auction.

EYRE & LANDELL,
Fourth and Arch streets, Philadelphia

☞ TERMS NET Cash, and prices low, accordingly.

Sept. 9 1854 36 3m

PRIVATE SALES.

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 good a bargain can be found in Catawissa 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

FOR SALE.

A new THREE-STORY BRICK HOUSE and other valuable Property in Pottsville.

THE subscriber offers at Private Sale, on the most reasonable terms, his new three-story BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, in Second Street, a few doors above Market, immediately beside the 1st Methodist Church. This fine building is just completed, and has not yet been used. It is large, light and airy, has all the convenience that a house-keeper would desire, and is located in a pleasant and convenient part of the town. There is a never-failing well of excellent water in the cellar—very important considerations in the present scarcity.

TERMS—One-fourth cash, and the balance to suit the purchaser, provided only it be properly secured.

ALSO, Four Frame dwellings on Callowhill St., immediately in the rear of the new Brick, above mentioned. These are likewise desirable properties. They can be had on the same easy terms.

☞ The whole will be sold low.

N. B.—Titles clear and indisputable.

L. WOMELSDORFF.

Opposite Episcopal Church, Centre St., Pottsville.

Dec. 31, 1853 53-tf

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

THE Subscriber offers to sell at Private Sale the following described Real Estate, upon reasonable terms:

No. 1. The undivided one-half interest of all those three tracts of land, situate in Branch and Tremont Townships, Schuylkill County, which were surveyed in January 1795 on warrants to John Otto, Peter Filbert and John Kidd. The undivided one-half interests in the above tracts amounts to 659 acres. The land is well wooded with timber suitable for railroad sills and props.

No. 2.—All that certain lot of ground situate in the Borough of Schuylkill Haven, upon which is erected a large three-story Brick Dwelling, and all necessary out-buildings. This property is now occupied by Dr. Lewis Rover. To any one desirous of practising medicine in Schuylkill Haven, an opportunity is now offered to secure a comfortable house and office rarely to be met with.

No. 3. All that certain lot of ground situate in Port Carbon, bounded and described as follows—Beginning at a post on the south side of Pottsville Street, at a corner of the lot belonging to Henry Porter, thence by the same south twenty-four and a half east one hundred feet to a post, thence north sixty-five and one half east fifty feet to a post, thence north twenty-four and one half west one hundred feet to Pottsville Street, thence by the same south sixty five and one-half west fifty feet to the place of beginning.

No. 4. A tract of first rate timber land, containing 215 acres, situate in Schuylkill Township, about three miles back of Tuscarora, in Locust Valley.

HIESTER CLYMER,
Office in Centre Street, Pottsville, directly opposite the Episcopal Church, 2d story.

Sept. 3, 1853. 36-tf

VALUABLE PROPERTY IN POTTSVILLE AT PRIVATE SALE, CHEAP.

The Subscriber offers at Private Sale all that tract of Land and building lots, known as the "Carbon Hill" or "Young's Hill" property in the Borough of Pottsville, extending from the River Schuylkill above Mr. Lauer's Brewery to the Port Carbon road, being about 250 yards in width and containing 30 acres, more or less. This property may be said to be invaluable, not only for the purposes of building, but also as offering the best locality in the Borough, on which to erect suitable Water Works for supplying the town with water. Apply at his office, corner Coal and Callowhill Streets.

GEORGE W. SNYDER.

August 27, 1853. 35-tf

Chambers' Popular and Entertaining Works.

MISCELLANY of Useful and Entertaining Tracts, 10 vols.

Papers for the People, 6 vols.
Select Writings of Robert Chambers, 4 vols.
Life and Works of Burns, 4 vols., 12m.
Home Book and Pocket Miscellany, 6 vols.
Repository of Instructive and Amusing Papers, 4 vols.
Information for the People, 2 vols.
Cyclopædia of English Literature, 2 vols. For sale low at

B. BANNAN'S
Book and Stationery Store.

August 12, 1854 32—

Mathematical Instruments,

DRAWING PAPER.

ALWAYS on hand a large and splendid assortment of Mathematical Instruments, varying in price from $1 to $25. Drafting and Artists' materials of every description. Osborne's superior Water Colors, Whatman's English Drawing Paper, of all sizes. Also, Roll Drawing, 28, 41 and 55 inch cut to any length; double-t Drawing Paper, of all sizes, Tracing Muslin and Paper, &c., &c., for sale at

B. BANNAN'S
Book and Stationery Store.

Jan. 28, 1854 4—

MISCELLANEOUS.

MARSH'S TRUSSES.

FOR Sale at MARTIN'S DRUG STORE, an assortment of Marsh's Improved Trusses, among which are

Double and Single Improved Trusses,
Do do do old style do
Utero Abdominal Supporters,
Ladies' Shoulder Braces,
Gentlemen's Elastic Suspender Shoulder Braces,
Suspensory Bandages, Silk and Cotton.

JOHN S. C. MARTIN, Agent.

Sept. 24, 1853. 39-tf

PAINTING, GLAZING and PAPERING

REMOVAL.

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

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

J. W. BOWEN & BROTHERS.

2 doors above American House, Centre St., Pottsville, April 17, 1853. 16-tf

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 mill purposes, to his large stock of *Best Best Chains*, assorted sizes, from ⅝ inch to 1½ 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. 96 Swanson st., and No. 2 Dock st. Wharf, Philadelphia.

REFER TO

W. V. Agard & Co.,	Port Carbon.
George Mason, Esq.,	
Charles Miller & Co.,	Philadelphia.
McClintock & McKnight,	
Johnson Cockill, Esq., Lewellyn.	

June 21, 1854 25-6m

MUSIC PUBLISHING HOUSE.

LEE & WALKER,

SUCCESSORS to GEORGE WILLIG, No. 186 CHESTNUT Street, under the UTAH HOUSE, Philadelphia, are constantly publishing the latest Music from the most popular Authors in the United States, in a style that will vie with any issued at any other house, either in this country or Europe.

They have also the pleasure to announce to the public that their stock of Sheet Music on hand consists of the largest and most complete assortment to be found in the country; they are constantly adding to their stock all the new Music published in New York, Boston, &c.

They also publish several Instruction Books, which are in general use throughout the country.

PIANOS.

A fine assortment of the best manufacturers of New York and Boston, at the lowest cheap prices.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

Also, a general assortment of Guitars, Violins, Banjos, Flutes, Accordeons &c., Violin, Guitar and Harp Strings of the best Italian qualities, all of which will be furnished to the public and the trade at the lowest rates.

Orders punctually attended to.

☞ All Lee & Walker's Music and Publications can be obtained at B. BANNAN'S Book and Music Store, Pottsville.

Philadelphia, Feb. 4, 1854 5-tf

LEATHER AND FINDINGS.

THE subscriber respectfully invites the attention of dealers and others, to his large and well selected stock of Leather and findings, which is kept constantly fresh by repeated drafts upon the manufacturers of this country and of Europe, and which is made up in part of the following articles, viz:—The best oak and red Sole; Slaughter, Saddling and Damaged do.; Harness, Brindle, Band and Welt Leather; Tuong and Lacing do; Wax Upper, Boot Grain, Buff and Split do.; Dry Slang Kips, Salted and Collar do.; City, Country, French and Patent Calf Skins; Boot leg Morocco, Buck Skins, Pad Skins, Chamois, and Morocco; Bindings and Linings of almost every description; Shoe thread, Patent thread; Silk out end, Laces, and Silk and Union Gallooons; Black and Colored English Lasting, Worsted Uppers and crimped Fronts and Footlings; Awls, Tacks, Needles, Eyelet and crimping machines and Eyelets; Steel, Iron, Copper and Zinc Nails; Files, Rasps, Knives; Rubbers, Pegs, Bristles and Boot Web; Hammers, Boot and Shoe Tools, Lasts, Crimps, Clamps, Handles Gum, Colt's Cod Liver Oil, Tanners' oil; Shoe Tools and Currier's Tools of all kinds, ready for use, besides many other articles not enumerated above and all of which will be sold at the lowest market rates, by JOHN WHITE,

Importer & Dealer, 497 Market st., above Fifth, Philadelphia.

Aug. 12, 1854. 32 1y

PRESERVE YOUR TEETH!

IF you would have a pleasant breath, good health, and a set of dental apparatus that will add materially to the expression of "the human face divine" M. D. L. HODSON'S unrivalled VEGETABLE TOOTH-PASTE for cleaning the teeth, has been prepared expressly with a view to supply a deficiency of the toilet, and meet the wants of those who appreciate the utility of those useful organs—the TEETH.

It combines the astringent, antiseptic, and fine aromatic properties requisite in rendering an article of its nature pleasant, safe and useful; and claims the merit of being ENTIRELY FREE FROM ACID of any kind, yet effectually removes stain, counteracts the effects of vitiated secretions of the mouth, and prevents the accumulation of tartar, after it has once been properly removed.

All who have used this Tooth Paste, give it the preference over other kinds manufactured elsewhere—the composition of which they know but little or nothing.

Prepared only by M. D. L. DODSON
Dentist, Pottsville.

By whom it will be supplied to dealers at a liberal discount.

July 29, 1854 30-tf

GOOD BOOKS AT LOW PRICES.

BANCROFT'S History of the United States,
Lossing's Pictorial History of the Revolution,
Hume's History of England, 6 vols.,
Gibbons' History of Rome, 6 vols.,
Waverly Novels, complete in 12 or 27 vols.,
Frost's Pictorial History of America, 2 vols.,
Dick's complete works, 2 vols.,
Chambers' Information for the People, 2 vols.,
" Popular Miscellany, 10 vols.,
" Papers for the People, 12 vols.,
Webster's Works, 8 vols., 8vo.,
Works of John Adams, 8 vols., 8vo.,
SPARKS' Life and Writings of Washington, 12 vols.,
Rollin's Ancient History in 2 vols., or 4 vols.,
Lord Mahon's History History of England, 2 vols.,
Burkitt's Notes on the New Testament,
Scott's Commentary on the Bible,
Comprehensive Commentry, 6 vols.,
Hildreth's History of the United States,
The Statesman's Manual, 4 vols., portraits,
Ure's Dictionary of Arts, Manufactures and Mines,
Life and Speeches of Henry Clay,
Scott's complete Works, 10 vols.,
Pictorial Family Cyclopedia,
Library of Entertaining and Useful Knowledge,
Goodrich's Pictorial History of all Nations,
The Standard Poets, various editions
Family and Pocket Bibles,

With a general assortment of Miscellaneous Books, and Stationery for sale cheap at B. BANNAN'S.

August 19 1854 33—

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 hands 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; Plain and Ornamental Binding, the most durable and elegant.

RAGS bought for cash, or received in exchange for goods. E. GARRIGUES.

OILS, &c.

OHIO FIRE PROOF PAINT.

A FEW Barrels of the Ohio Fire Proof Paint, Slate and Brown colors, *the genuine article* for sale by the subscriber. Also a few kegs of Paint Oil, at 37½ cents a gallon, and Grease at 6 cents a pound to close out a lot. For sale by B. BANNAN.

April 29, 1852. tf—

FERRUGINOUS

OR COMPOUND IRON PAINT.

A FIRE AND WATER PROOF PAINT of great durability, and the power of resisting all atmospheric influences during a lengthened period of time. Can be had at the Hardware and Iron Stores of

GEORGE BRIGHT,
Agent for the above Paint.

August 6, 1853. 32-tf

J. B. A. & S. ALLEN,

7 and 8 South Wharves, PHILADELPHIA

DEALERS IN OIL,

HAVE constantly in store, a large stock of the following Oils, viz:

5000 galls.	Bfd. Sperm,	10,000 galls.	Bfd. Whale,
5000 "	Unbf'd. "	12,000 "	Refined do
600 "	Solar,	6,000 "	Lard do
1100 "	Elephant,	1,000 "	Greasing do

To which they ask the attention of Coal Operators, Machinists, &c.

September 2, 1854 (Feb. 4, 1854 5 1y) 2a—

ROSENDALE HYDRAULIC CEMENT.

AN excellent article for lining Cisterns, Vaults, Spring houses and Cellars, and for keeping dampness from wet and exposed walls. For sale by

CHARLES SHEPARD SMITH,
Of and Successor to the late firm of EVI SMITH & SON,
N. W. Corner of Front and Willow Sts. (opposite the old stand) Railroad, Philadelphia.

Aug. 26, '54 [April 15, '54 15-1y] 31—

INSURANCE.

The Pottsville Mutual and Joint Stock Life Insurance Co.

OFFICE—Centre st., next door above Green's Jewelry Store.

CAPITAL $100,000—Charter Perpetual.

THIS Company recently chartered by the Legislature of Pennsylvania, is fully organized.

The Company is prepared to effect insurance upon lives, and to receive and execute trusts, and to allow interest on monies received at the rate of five per cent per annum, unless otherwise agreed upon,—Principal and interest payable on demand.

Capital and assets safely invested in Bonds and Mortgages, and other good securities.

Annual dividend of the profits will be made payable in cash, or appropriated to the payment of premiums.

For rates of Premiums on Life Insurance, see printed tables, supplied at the Company's Office.

NATHAN EVANS, Pres't,
SOLOMON FOSTER, Vice Pres't.
B. T. TAYLOR, Secretary and Treasurer.

Sept. 16, 1854 37-tf

STATE MUTUAL INSURANCE CO.

Fourth Annual Statement, May 6, 1854.

Assets May 1st, 1853,		$355,318 70
Cash Premiums and interest received the past year, mutual department,	$101,618 22	
Bills Receivable in same,	28,647 94	
Cash Premiums, Stock Dep'mt,	40,282 30	
		170,568 56
		$525,887 26
Losses, Expenses, Commissions, Reinsurance, Mutual Department,	$101,509 33	
Do do Stock do	27,039 58	
		128,548 91
ASSETS:		
Bonds, Mortgages, Stock and other good securities,	$173,135 78	
Bills Receivable,	187,009 86	
Cash on hand and in hands of Agents,	19,558 58	
		$379,704 16

For Fire or Inland Insurance, apply to

JNO. T. SHOENER, Agent.

July 15, 1854 28-1y

Anthracite Insurance Company.

CHARTER PERPETUAL—granted by State of Pennsylvania.

Authorized Capital $400,000.

Office No. 99 WALNUT street, between Third and Fourth Streets, Philadelphia.

This Company, with a cash Capital paid in, combined with the mutual principle in their Marine and Inland Department, secures to the assured ample indemnity, with participation in the profits, and without liability for losses.

The Company will issue policies at the usual rates of premiums, embracing MARINE, FIRE and INLAND RISKS.

DIRECTORS:

Dr. D. Luther,	Wm. C. Ludwig,
Lewis Audenried,	Joseph Maxfield,
Peter Sieger,	John E. Addicks,
George F. Tyler,	Harry Conrad,
Samuel H. Rothermel,	B. Hammett,
Davis Pearson,	Samuel Castner,

DR. D. LUTHER, President.
WM. C. LUDWIG, Vice President.
WM. S. DEAN, Secretary.

☞ PETER D. LUTHER, has been appointed Agent for the above Company, in Schuylkill County, to whom persons desiring Insurance can apply.

April 8, 1854 14-1y

Miners' Life Insurance

—AND—

TRUST COMPANY,

POTTSVILLE, PA.

CAPITAL, $100,000—CHARTER PERPETUAL

THIS COMPANY, chartered by the Legislature of Pennsylvania, with a Capital of One Hundred Thousand Dollars, is now fully organized, and has commenced business.

The Company is prepared to receive monies and other property in Trust, and allow interest on all monies deposited in trust, at the rate of five per cent per Annum; Principal and interest payable on demand.

For rates of Premium on Life Insurance, see the printed Tables supplied at the office of the Company, Centre Street, Pottsville, three doors south of the Exchange Hotel.

JACOB HUNTZINGER, Jr., President.
JOHN H. ADAM, Sec'y and Treasurer.

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LIFE INSURANCE

THE GIRARD LIFE INSURANCE, ANNUITY and TRUST COMPANY of PHILADELPHIA. Office No. 132 CHESNUT ST., the First Door East of the Custom House. Capital, $300,000. Charter Perpetual. Continue to make insurance on lives on the most favorable terms.

The Capital being paid up and invested, together with a large and constantly increasing reserved fund, offers a perfect security to the insured.

The premiums may be paid yearly, half-yearly, or quarterly.

The Company add a bonus periodically to the Insurances for life. The first Bonus, appropriated in December, 1844, and the second Bonus in December, 1849, amount to an addition of $262 50 to every $1000 insured under the oldest policies, making $1862 50 which will be paid when it shall become a claim, instead of $1000 originally insured; the next oldest amount to $1537 50; the extra to $1212 50 for every $1000; the others in the same proportion according to the amount and time of standing, which additions make an average of more than 60 per cent. upon the premiums paid, without increasing the annual premium.

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Pamphlets containing table of rates and explanations, form of application and further information can be had at the office.

THOMAS RIDGWAY, President,
JOHN E. SAUL, Actuary.

☞ The subscriber is Agent for the above Company in Shuylkill County, and will effect Insurances, and give all necessary information on the subject.

B. BANNAN.

April 9, 1853. 15-1y

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Wholesale Druggists and Manufacturing Chemists, No 211 Market street, above 8th, PHILADELPHIA;

OFFER for the acceptance of Country Dealers a general assortment of Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Paints, Oils, Glass, Varnishes, &c., &c.

August 5, 1854 31-3m

From Abroad.

GREAT EXCITEMENT IN IRELAND.

Diabolical attempt to throw a Railway Train with a Protestant Association—(900 Persons)—Over a Precipice!—Partial success of the Scheme—Loss of Life—The killed and wounded—A scene of horror.

THE ROMAN CATHOLICS ACCUSED OF THE CRIME.

A most atrocious outrage, having its origin in the Irish Catholic and Protestant feuds, had caused much indignation throughout all England and Ireland, when the steamer left. An excursion train with *nine hundred* passengers, including most of the Protestant gentry of the country, had been on a visit from Enniskillen to Londonderry, and on returning at night the train was thrown off the track by huge blocks of stone placed so as to throw the cars over a precipitous embankment. Owing to the caution of Lord Enniskillen, who placed himself on the engine with the driver, the train was proceeding at a very slow pace, otherwise the consequences must have been fearful. As it was several persons were killed and wounded.

The *London Morning Herald* characterizes the affair as an attempt at a "Romish massacre of Protestants." The *Times* alludes to it as intended to be a repetition of "St. Bartholomew's."

The statement in the *Herald* says:

"To enable you better to understand the nature of the occurrence, I may premise that about a fortnight since a number of the Apprentice Boys of Derry took advantage of the recently-opened line of railway between Derry and Enniskillen to pay a visit to the latter town, a natural proceeding enough when we consider the position those towns relatively bear in Irish story. On that occasion the visit passed over auspiciously, and with great enthusiasm. Shortly afterwards an invitation came from the men of Derry to those of Enniskillen, requesting that they should reciprocate (be compliment by visiting the maiden city. Accordingly on Friday, the 15th ult., an excursion train, containing nearly a thousand persons, the most respectable inhabitants of Enniskillen and the neighborhood, headed by the Earl of Enniskillen left for Derby.

The weather proved auspicious, and everywhere along the line were the excurtionists greeted in the most enthusiastic manner.

Be it observed the excurtionists carried no banner, nor had they any music with them.

On reaching Derry all the respectable inhabitants of the place, the mayor, ten of the magistrates, the dean and the Protestant clergy, turned out to meet them; passing a day delightful from the harmony and good-will which marked it, the excurtionists started for Enniskillen at a quarter past 5 P. M. Nothing in particular marked the homeward journey save fresh tokens of good will from the loyal inhabitants of the district through which they passed. They were not however, destined to reach Enniskillen without being made to feel that to God alone they should be indebted for deliverance from the hands of ferocious and cowardly enemies.—When the train had arrived within 14 miles of its destination the occupants of it were startled by a sudden shock. On getting out, they found to their dismay that their lives had hung upon a hair; as far beneath they discovered the engines (two in number) hurled off the line, and providentially brought to a standstill from the softness of the ground in which they were. The place selected for this diabolical attempt at wholesale massacre was admirably adapted for the purpose, as it was at the brink of a precipice all but perpendicular. The night also was extremely dark. On making an examination, it was discovered that one poor man was crushed to pieces, and two others had both legs broken.

Lord Enniskillen, who was unfortunately on the second engine, had a most miraculous escape, being discovered jammed between the second engine and the first carriage, and suffering fearfully from the steam which was scalding him. Fortunately none of the carriages were dragged off the line.

The cause of the occurrence was soon discovered, stones some cwts. in weight were found on the rails, which were themselves unscrewed for several yards, and thus, from the fiendish machinations of bloodthirsty Romanists, some 900 persons—men, women and children—were brought into the very jaws of death, and being preserved from their great peril by a merciful Providence, found themselves cast adrift in the darkness of the night, at a distance of upwards 14 miles from their homes. However, the same God who protected them hitherto led them on, and all reached Enniskillen in safety; many—even females and children—being obliged to go on foot.

Is not this a proof that Popery is true to her boast. "That she is unchanged and unchangeable;" still animated by the spirit which breathed in her at the time of the Gunpowder Plot, and that where she has the way, she wants not the will to extirpate what she calls heresy, after her own peculiar fashion.

Too much praise cannot be bestowed on the outraged Protestants for refraining from taking revenge; had they done so, many a Romanist would have bitter cause to rue the occurrence; but be it said, not one angry word passed their lips. All were deeply engaged in offering up praise to their maker for their deliverance.

But this is no reason why government should not look to it, and beware how they leave the Protestants of Ulster to avenge themselves. Several have been arrested on suspicion, and it is to be hoped that a clue may be found to the instigators and perpetrators of this foul deed.

It now appears that for days previous to the excursion dark hints were thrown out by the Romanists in the town and neighborhood as to the probable fate of the train. Unfortunately the Protestants could not credit the existence of such villainy, and disregarded the mutterings of the coming storm.

The "Fermannagh Mail" an Irish Journal says: Shortly after the occurrence took place, a crowd of country people assembled, and although we blush for our common humanity when we pen such a sentence, yet the truth should be told, which as we have been informed by an eye witness, is most discreditable to the peasantry of that district. Our informant states, that hardly one of those who came up would condescend to put a hand to render the slightest assistance; and although one fellow was paid liberally for bringing a little water, and another was paid to bring a door to carry off the poor sufferers, neither of these fellows returned. That such an occurrence should take place in a Christian country, and the characteristics with such hard heartedness the hour of need, will scarcely be believed.

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