Wit and Humor.

CATCHING TARTARS.—Some two miles distant from Boston, there resides a physician, somewhat noted for his penurious manner of dealing with those who may chance to fall in his "practice." Let me cite one of the many incidents relating to this gentleman, which has happened during his residence here:

Some time since, in settling an account with one of his neighbors, the following items were rendered in his bill. It should be mentioned that he had a field of buckwheat immediately adjoining his friend's house:

"Mr. ——— To Dr. ——— Dr.
"To pasturing Bees on Buckwheat, from June to September, $0 63
"To time spent in watching said bees, 3 00
$3 63

Such an account was of course refused payment; but the Doctor carried it up into "the courts," one after another, but, after all, had the pleasure of paying all the costs, besides bearing the odium attached to such small proceedings.

Now this, which was assured by our correspondent as *true* in all respects, is only equalled by a like story of a somewhat similar physician, in a certain town in the region of "Down East," which shall for the present be nameless. The story is entirely authentic, and is told in the dialect of those parts, by a simple-minded narrator:

"I 'xpect you've hear'n tell of Dr. A———, hain't you?"

"No, I never have."

"Well then, I'll tell you. You see one day I met the Doctor at Simpkin's store, a buyin' some groceries. It was awful cold. I felt a little hoarse, and my tongue was dreadfully furred. So says I to the Doctor:

"My head feels a little acheish like; what do you think I had better do?"

"Why friend S———," says the Doctor, says he, "the best thing you can do is to go straight home and soak your feet, and take a sweat; 'cause if you dont," says he, "like as not you may have a fever."

"Says I, Doctor, I was just a thinkin' that a little sweat would do me good, and I guess I'll go home and try it right away."

"Well, I did; I went home, and took a bowlfull of tansey-tea, bitter as gaul, and if I didn't sweat like a beaver, 'taint no matter. The next morning my head was as clear as a bell, and I was as good as ever I was."

"Well, a day or two afterward I met the Doctor; and after a little talking, says the Doctor, says he:

"Neighbor J———, I've got a little bill agin you!"

I looked at him *clus*, and says I, "A *bill*, Doctor?"

"Yes," says he, "a bill for advice, you know at Simpkin's store the other day."

What do you think he had gone and done? He'd actually charged me tew dollars for telling me to go home and take a sweat, which I was just going to do myself.

"Well, Doctor," says I (for I didn't want to appear small you know), "it's all right; I'll bear it in mind."

Well, a few days after, the doctor was passing by my door in his chaise, and somehow or 'nother one of the wheels got a little loose; so says I, "Doctor, ef you don't drive that linch pin in an inch or so, that wheel will come off."

Says he, "Thank you," and he took a stun and driv in the pin.

Well, I went into the house and just made a charge of it; and when he came along the next time I presented him the bill.

"Hello!" says the Doctor, says he; "what on airth is this for?" says he.

"Why, it's for advice," says I.

"Advice!" says he—"what advice? I hain't had none o' your advice."

"Why, for driving in your wheel-pin and I've only charged you two dollars twenty-five cents; and if I hadn't given you the advice it might have cost you twenty times as much."

"Well," says the Doctor, "the difference between your bill and mine is just twenty-five cents."

"That's all you owe me," says I.

"Well, I'll bear it in mind," says he.

And I expect he will; he's as tight as a candle mould, the Doctor is, and I guess he is as *able* to bear it in mind!

We confess to a degree of pleasure in the perusal of these "diamond-cut-diamond" anecdotes. They indicate that order of "compensation in nature," by which meaness so often is "overcome of itself." And, in this connection we will close with "one more of the same sort," which is related of a Mr. S———, an honest and highly esteemed grocer, for many years a resident of one of the larger towns of New Hampshire.

It seems that a man had purchased some wool of him, which had been weighed and paid for, and Mr. S——— had gone to the desk to get change for a note which had been handed to him by his "customer." While standing at his desk, he happened to turn his head, and saw, in a looking glass which was suspended near him, a stout arm reach up and take down from the shelf a heavy "white oak" cheese, and put it in the bag!

Instead of appearing suddenly, and rebuking the man for his theft, as many a less reflecting person would have done, thereby losing his custom forever, the crafty old gentleman gave the thief his change, as if nothing had happened, and then, under the pretence of lifting the bag to lay it on his horse for him, he took hold of it, and suddenly exclaimed:—

"Why, bless me, I must have reckoned the weight wrong!"

"Oh, no," said his customer, "that can't be so, because I counted *with* you, you know."

"Well, well," said Mr. S———, "we won't dispute about the matter, it is so easily settled by just putting the bag in the scales again," which he proceeded at once to do.

"There," said he, "I *told* you so. I *thought* I must be right. I made a mistake of nearly twenty pounds; however, if you don't want the whole, I'll take a part of it out; it don't make any odds to *me*."

"No, no!" said the victim, struggling in the wicked trap which he had set for his neighbor, and stopping the hands of Mr. S———, on the way to the strings of the bag—"I guess I'll take the whole."

And this he did, paying for his honesty by receiving "skim-milk" cheese at the high price of wool.

MRS. PARTINGTON, reading an account of a railroad accident, was much surprised to learn that the locomotive had been driven off the track by one of the switches. "She shouldn't have thought," she said "that the great iron engine would mind such a little thing as a switch." "Yes, but you must remember, mama," said Ike, gravely, "the locomotive has a *tender behind!*" "Oh, that, indeed," resuming her paper, "well you needn't talk about it, my son, go on with your lesson."

A MARRIED lady found her two sons quarrelling; and, in hopes of putting an end to their differences, uttered the following:—"You young rascals, if you don't desist directly, I'll tell *both* your fathers."

AN INQUISITIVE priest having asked a young female her name, while in the confessional, she replied, with as much wit as modesty, "Father, my name is not a sin."

"IF YOU don't give me a penny," said a young hopeful to his mamma, "I know a boy that's got the measels, and I'll go and catch them, so I will!"

PAPA, DO PEOPLE buy snuff? "Yes my dear. Why?" "Well, then, why do people say they *take* it?"

A NEW patent remedy to make lazy husbands smart: namely, "put Cayenne pepper in their boots."

REAL ESTATE SALES.

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, 1854 35-tf

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

A DESIRABLE FARM, situate in Wayne township, in the county of Schuylkill, containing 100 acres, of which 30 acres is Wood Land, the balance in a good state of cultivation. The improvements are a large two story House, suitable for a Store or Tavern, for which it is at present occupied, a good Spring House, with a dwelling overhead, and an excellent Spring of Water; two orchards, a good barn and sheds, and other out-buildings. Price and terms low and reasonable. Title good, and possession given when desired.

ALSO, a desirable building lot in Norwegian Addition to Pottsville, (Fishbach,) near the Centre Turnpike, 55 by 195 feet. Apply to
SAMUEL HARTZ, *Real Estate Agent.*
September 23, 1854 38-tf

PUBLIC SALE OF TOWN LOTS.

WILL be sold at the Public House of of PHILIP KOONS, in the borough of Pinegrove, on THURSDAY, the 18th of January, 1855, viz:

Three Lots fronting on Tulpehocken street, between Wood and Canal streets, 40 by 163 feet deep.

Two Lots fronting on Tulpehocken street, south of Canal street, 60 by 163 feet deep.

Three Lots fronting on Mifflin street, between Canal and Wood, 60 by 100 feet.

Two Lots fronting on Wood street, between Tulpehocken and Mifflin, 45 by 120 feet.

One House and Lot, corner of Mifflin and Canal streets.

Also a tract of 12 acres Meadow Land, adjoining lands of Peter Filbert, John Stone, Wm. Eckert and others.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock on said day, when attendance will be given, and terms of sale made known, by
ECKERT, GUILFORD & CO.
Pinegrove, January 6, 1855 1-2t

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 3 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, and has all the conveniences that a housekeeper 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—a very important consideration 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 street, 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

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

PURSUANT to an order of the Orphans' Court of the County of Schuylkill, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the subscriber, Administrator of the Estate of JOHN HARRY, late of the township of Fermanagh, in the county of Juniata, deceased, will expose to sale by public vendue, on THURSDAY, the 25th day of January next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Public House of David Lomison, in the town of Donaldson, in the county of Schuylkill, aforesaid:

All that certain Stone Church, situate in the town of Donaldson, in the county of Schuylkill, and state of Pennsylvania, to wit: bounded in front by Harrison street forty feet, and extending in depth fifty feet, being the building known as the Donaldson Presbyterian Church, and all the right, title and interest of the said deceased, in the lot of ground on which said Church is built, containing in front on Harrison street, fifty feet, and extending in depth one hundred and fifty feet, late the estate of said deceased. Terms and conditions made known at the time and place of sale by
ISAAC KURTZ, *Adm'r.*
By order of the Orphans' Court:
JOSHUA BOYER, *Clerk.*
January 6, 1855 1-3t

NEW YORK ADV.

AMERICAN ARTISTS' UNION!!

THE AMERICAN ARTISTS' UNION would respectfully announce to the citizens of the United States and the Canadas, that for the purpose of cultivating a taste for the fine arts throughout the country, and with the view of enabling every family to become possessed of a Gallery of Engravings, BY THE FIRST ARTISTS OF THE AGE, they have determined, in order to create an extensive sale for their Engravings, and thus not only give employment to a large number of artists and others, but inspire among our countrymen a taste for works of art, to present to the purchasers of their engravings, when 250,000 of them are sold, 250,000 GIFTS, of the actual cost of $150,000.

Each purchaser of a One Dollar Engraving, therefore receives not only an Engraving richly worth the money, but also a ticket which entitles him to one of the Gifts when they are distributed.

For FIVE DOLLARS, a highly finished Engraving beautifully *painted* in oil, and Five GIFT TICKETS, will be sent; or Five Dollars' worth of splendid Engravings can be selected from the Catalogue.

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AGENTS:

The Committee believing that the success of this Great National Undertaking will be materially promoted by the energy and enterprise of intelligent and persevering Agents, have resolved to treat with such on the most liberal terms.

Any person wishing to become an Agent, by sending (post-paid) $1, will receive by return of mail, a One Dollar Engraving, a "GIFT TICKET," a Prospectus, a Catalogue and all other necessary information.

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LIST OF GIFTS:

100	Marble busts of Washington, at $100,	$10,000
100	" " Clay, at $100,	10,000
100	" " Webster, $100,	10,000
100	" " Calhoun, $100,	10,000
50	elegant Oil Paintings, in splendid gilt frames, size 3x4 ft. each, $100,	5,000
100	elegant Oil Paintings, 2x3 ft. each, $50,	5,000
500	steel plate Engravings, brilliantly colored in oil, rich gilt frames, 24x30 inches each, $10,	5,000
10,000	elegant steel plate Engravings, colored in oil, of the Wash'ton Monument, 20x26 in. each $4,	40,000
237,000	steel plate Engravings, from 100 different plates, now in possession of, and owned by the Artists' Union, of the Market value of from 50 cts. to $1 each,	41,000
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20	perpetual loans of cash, without interest or security, of $250 each,	5,000
50	do do do of $100 each,	5,000
100	do do do of 50 each,	5,000
250	do do do of 20 each,	5,000
2,000	do do do of 10 each,	20,000

Reference in regard to the Real Estate, F. J. VISCHER & Co., Real Estate Brokers, N. York. Orders, (post-paid) with money enclosed, to be addressed
J. W. HOLBROOKE, Sec'y,
505 Broadway, N. Y.

The Engravings in the catalogue are now ready for delivery.
August 5, 1854. 31-6m

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LEONARD SCOTT & CO., N. York, continue to re-publish the following British Periodicals, viz:

1. THE LONDON QUARTERLY, (Conservative).
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The present critical state of European affairs will render these publications unusually interesting during the forthcoming year. They will occupy a middle ground between the hastily written news-items, crude speculations, and flying rumors of the daily journal, and the ponderous Tome of the future historian, written after the living interest and excitement of the great political events of the time shall have passed away. It is to these Periodicals that readers must look for the only really intelligible and reliable history of current events, and as such, in addition to their well-established literary, scientific, and theological character, we urge them upon the consideration of the reading public.

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LEONARD SCOTT & CO.,
54 Gold Street, New York.
December 30, 1854 51-4t

INDIA RUBBER OVER-COATS, &C.,
At Greatly Reduced Prices!

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All of which will be sold about 20 per cent. cheaper than usual prices, wholesale and retail. Good Coats as low as $1 50; Over-alls, $2 50; Leggins, $1 75; and Caps, $1; together with a variety of other India Rubber goods, such as Ladies' and Gentlemen's Sandals, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Gloves, driving and working Gloves, &c., at
B. BANNAN'S
Cheap Book and Variety Store.
December 9, 1854 48-

PHONOGRAPHIC INSTITUTE,
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J. NICOL.
September 23, 1854 38-6m

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Of an unrivalled manufacture, for sale at the lowest market rates, for cash.
THOMAS & CORFIELD,
No. 316 North Second street, above Noble, Philadelphia.
November 11, 1854 44-3m

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No. 21 North Third Street.

CONSTANTLY on hand, a large assortment of Pen and Pocket Knives, Scissors, and Razors, Table Knives and Forks, in ivory, stag, buffalo, bone and wood handles; Carvers and Forks, Dirks, Bowie Knives, &c.

ALSO—a very extensive assortment of Waiters, Tea Trays, &c.

Fine English Guns, Colt's Pistols, Allen's Revolvers, and Single and Double barrelled Pistols, with a general stock of Fancy Hardware, constantly on hand.
JOHN M. COLEMAN, *Importer.*
Philadelphia, Dec. 30, 1854 [Dec. 27, '53-52] 51-tf

TRAVELING.

LITTLE SCHUYLKILL RAILROAD.

OFFICE of the Little Schuyl. Navigation Railroad and Coal Company.—On and after Monday, May 27, 1854, the Passenger train will leave Tamaqua, daily, (Sundays excepted,) at 6¾ o'clock A. M., and 2¼ o'clock P. M., connecting with the morning and afternoon trains for Philadelphia, on the Reading Railroad.

Returning, will leave Port Clinton on the arrival of the Passenger Train from Philadelphia.

FARE:—To Philadelphia, $3 10; to Port Clinton, 75 cents.
J. EDW. BARNES, General Agent.
Tamaqua, June 24, 1854. 25-tf

SUNDAY EXCURSION TRAINS.

PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAILROAD.

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

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

FARES,
For the Round Trip, up and down, in No. 1 Cars:

From Philad'a to Phœnixville and back same day,	$1 40
" " Pottstown, "	1 75
" " Reading, "	2 50
" " S. Haven, Mt. Carbon & Pottsville,	4 00
" Reading to Pottsville and back same day,	1 50

No Baggage carried with these Trains. All Tickets must be purchased before entering the Cars.
May 29, 1852. 22-tf

PASSENGER TRAINS.

OFFICE OF THE PHILADELPHIA and Reading Railroad.—Summer Arrangement.—FROM PHILADELPHIA TO POTTSVILLE.

On and after May 17, 1852, there will be two Passenger Trains daily, (Sundays excepted), between Philadelphia, Reading and Pottsville.

MORNING LINE.

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

AFTERNOON LINE.

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

HOURS OF PASSING READING.

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

Both Trains stop at all the Stations along the Line.

FARES:

	1ST CLASS CARS.	2D CLASS CARS.
Reading to Philadelphia,	$1 75	$1 45
Reading to Pottsville,	1 05	85
Philadelphia to Pottsville,	2 75	2 25

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

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

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

THE Liverpool & Philadelphia STEAMSHIP CO.

INTEND SAILING THEIR FAVORITE STEAMSHIPS:

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CITY OF MANCHESTER,	2125, Capt. Wylie,
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FROM PHILADELPHIA:
CITY OF MANCHESTER, *Thursday*, 18th January, 1855,
KANGAROO, about *Thursday*, ———

FROM LIVERPOOL:
CITY OF MANCHESTER, *Wednesday*, 20th Decem., 1854,
KANGAROO, about *Wednesday*, ———

RATES OF PASSAGE:

FROM PHILADELPHIA.		FROM LIVERPOOL.	
Saloon Berths,	$90	Saloon Berths,	21 guin.
Midship "	65	Midship "	15 "
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		Including Steward's Fees.	

THIRD CLASS PASSENGERS:

A limited number of Third Class Passengers will be taken from Philadelphia and Liverpool, and found in provisions:

From Philadelphia, $30 | *From Liverpool*, $40
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Certificates of Passage will be issued here to parties who are desirous of bringing out their friends, at corresponding rates.

Drafts on Liverpool from £1 upwards.

An experienced surgeon will be carried on each ship.

All goods sent to the Agents in Philadelphia and Liverpool, will be forwarded with economy and despatch.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
RICHARD EDWARDS,
Corner of Second and Market streets, Pottsville.
SAMUEL SMITH, *Agent*,
17 Walnut st., Philadelphia, or 7 Broadway, New York,
and WILLIAM INMAN, *Agent*,
No. 1 Tower Buildings, Liverpool.
November 25, 1854 46-tf

CATAWISSA, WILLIAMSPORT
And Erie Railroad:

Open to Milton, Northumberland County, Pa.—Eight and a half hours from Philadelphia to Milton.

ON and after Monday, September 25, and until the Extension by the Sunbury and Erie Railroad Company to Williamsport, is completed, Passenger Trains will be run every day (except Sundays) as follows:

Leave Reading Railroad Depot, corner of Broad and Vine streets, Philadelphia, at 7.30 A. M.; connect at Port Clinton with the Cattawissa Company's Cars, (passing over the Little Schuylkill and Catawissa Railroads), and arrive at Milton at 4.30 P. M.

Packet Boats leave Rupert's (opposite Catawissa) for Wilkesbarre immediately on the arrival of the Cars, and leave Wilkesbarre at 11 P. M., connecting with the noon Train, and arrive at Philadelphia the same evening.

Stages or Packets will leave for Williamsport on arrival of the Cars at Milton, and returning, leave Williamsport every morning to connect with the train at Milton; which starts at 11 o'clock, A. M. connecting with the Reading Railroad at Port Clinton, and arrives at Philadelphia at 7.30, P. M. By this route, the distance between Philadelphia and Williamsport is accomplished in *Fourteen hours.*

Passenger trains leave Williamsport for Elmira every day, except Sundays, at 7 A. M., connecting at Elmira with trains for Buffalo, Niagara Falls, and other Western points. Trains leave Elmira for Williamsport at 4 P. M. Passengers there take the morning stage to Milton.

Passengers leaving Philadelphia, will procure their tickets for this route, at the above named depot of the Reading Railroad Co.

FARE:

Philadelphia to Catawissa,	$3 75
do to Milton,	4 50
do to Williamsport,	5 50
do to Wilkesbarre,	4 50
Tamaqua to Wilkesbarre,	2 00

Passengers from Pottsville, should take the 8 o'clock morning Valley train, to connect with this line at Tamaqua, for up country.

A freight train will leave Milton on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and Port Clinton on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday of each week. Goods carried to and from Philadelphia without transhipment. Apply at the Reading Railroad Freight Depot, corner of Broad and Cherry streets.
WM. D. LEWIS, *President.*
December 16, 1854 49-tf

TRANSPORTATION.

ADAM'S & CO.'S EXPRESS.
POTTSVILLE TO HARRISBURG.

This line connects daily with all their great Southern and Western Routes. By arrangement their place of business in Pottsville will be at the office of Howard & Co. Those having articles for transmission by said line, will call upon C. B. COTTER, Adam's & Co.'s Agent, at said Office.
S. S. WILLIAMS, Superintendent.
April 22, 1854 16-tf

PHILAD'A. & READING RAIL ROAD.

RATES OF FREIGHT ON MERCHANDIZE.

ON AND AFTER NOVEMBER 1st, 1854, until further notice, the following Rates of Freight will be charged per 100 pounds:

ARTICLES OF FREIGHT.	Between Pottsville & Philadelphia.	Between Pottsville & Reading.
Dry Goods, Confectionery, Books, Carpetings, Cigars, Fresh Meat, Fish, Glass, &c.	30	15
Anvils, Bran, Butter, Copper, Eggs, Earthenware, Grindstones, Groceries, Hemp, Hams, Hardware, Hides, Hollow-ware, Leather, Machinery, Oysters, Oils, Seeds, &c.	22	11
Ale, Beer, Cotton, Coffee, Grain, Bar Iron, Lead, Molasses, Nails, Spikes, Rice, Salt, Provisions, Sugar, Whiskey, &c.	18	9
Brooms, Fire Bricks, Guano, Mill Stones, Pitch and Tar, Salt, Scrap Iron, Timber and Lumber, &c.	15	7½
Bricks, Coke, Cord Wood, Clay, Gravel, Ice, Iron Ore, Limestone, Manure, Pig Iron, Plaster, Slate, &c.	12	6
Flour, per barrel,	30	15

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PHILAD'A & READING RAILROAD.

OFFICE of the Philada. & R. R. Co., *Philadelphia, August 1, 1854.*

The rates of Freight and Tolls on Coal transported by this Company, will be as follows, until further notice:

FROM	Mount Carbon.	Schuyl. Haven.	Auburn.	Port Clinton.
To Richmond,	225	220	205	200
" Philadelphia,	215	210	195	190
" Inclined Plane,	215	210	195	190
" Nicetown,	215	210	195	190
" Germantown R. R.	215	210	195	190
" Falls of Schuylkill,	215	210	195	190
" Manayunk,	215	210	195	190
" Spring Mills,	200	195	180	180
" Conshohocken and Plymouth Railroad,	200	195	180	180
" Rambo's and Potts' and Jones',	195	190	180	175
" Norristown or Bridgeport,	195	190	180	175
" Port Kennedy,	185	190	180	175
" Valley Forge,	190	185	165	175
" Phœnixville,	180	175	165	160
" Royer's Ford,	180	175	165	160
" Pottstown,	175	170	160	160
" Douglassville,	175	170	160	150
" Birdsboro',	165	160	155	150
" Reading,	165	150	150	145
" Between Reading and Mohrsville,	155	150	140	140
" Mohrsville,	155	150	140	140
" Hamburg,	155	150	—	—
" Orwigsburg,	155	150	—	—

By order of the Board of Managers,
S. BRADFORD, Secretary.
Aug. 12, 1854 32-tf

MEDICINAL.

HOMŒPATHIC BOOKS &C.

FOR SALE by J. MORGAN, No. 133 Vine Street, Philadelphia. Herring's Domestic Physician, with Medicine Chest, containing over 100 remedies, for $10, and will be sent by Railroad to any place, not exceeding 100 miles, free of freight. Orders for Books or Medicines promptly attended to.
JOSEPH MORGAN.
Feb 25, 1854 8-tf

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. DODSON'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 argillaceous and 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 stains, 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 compositions 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

FRENCH TRUSSES

WEIGHING LESS THAN 2½ OUNCES, for the cure of HERNIA or RUPTURE, acknowledged by the highest medical authorities in Philadelphia, incomparably superior to any other in use. Sufferers will be gratified to learn that the occasion now offers to procure not only the *lightest 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 the 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. 12th and Race Sts, Philad'a.

Ladies requiring the benefit of MECHANICAL SUPPORTS, owing to derangement in 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 12th street, 1st door below Race.
June 21, 1854. 25-1y

WILBOR'S COMPOUND OF PURE COD LIVER OIL AND LIME.

A CURE FOR CONSUMPTION, *Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, General Debility, and all Scrofulous Humors.*

The Proprietor has succeeded (from directions of Professor Stone) in Combining the Oil and Lime so perfectly that the taste of the Oil, which is so nauseous to persons generally, is entirely overcome, and it can be taken by the most delicate females with pleasure. And as regards the benefit of this article over the pure oil, the following case, by Prof. Stone, is sufficient to convince the most sceptical. The young lady was 24 years of age.

"Her disease was one of unmixed phthisis, which had been expected to terminate in the course of a few months, fatally. The upper part of both her lungs was filled with tubercles; and in some places were beginning to soften. The case was evidently a bad one. The treatment of cod liver oil was at first used, but without marked improvement. The phosphate of lime was then administered with the oil, and the result, as in the case of many others, was soon apparent. The patient was rapidly getting well."

CAUTION.—On account of the great reputation of this Compound for all Lung Complaints, the subscriber would caution the afflicted against using any except that manufactured by him, as he has the only recipe in the U. States for combining the *pure Oil* with *Lime* in a proper manner. Therefore as you value your health, purchase none except that manufactured by
ALEXANDER B. WILBOR, *Chemist,*
166 Court Street, Boston.

For sale in Philadelphia by T. W. DYOTT & SONS 132 North Second Street. For sale in Pottsville by J. C. HUGHES, Druggist, opposite Episcopal Church.
Pottsville, November 11, 1854 44-tf

M'LEAN'S VOLCANIC OIL LINIMENT

THE UNPARALLELED SUCCESS of this Liniment, and the miraculous cures that it has and is performing, in all parts of the Western and Southern country, is a sufficient guarantee for its astonishing efficacy.

Two Dollar Bottles of McLEAN'S VOLCANIC OIL LINIMENT has cured the most inveterate cases of Chronic and Inflammatory Rheumatism, Neuralgia and Gout; in recent cases a few applications will give relief. For Paralysis, Contracted Muscles, Stiffness or Weakness in the Joints, Muscles, or Ligaments, it will never fail. If applied according to the directions, the once shrivelled and stiffened limbs will regain the elasticity of youth. Two applications will cure Sore Throat, Toothache and Earache. Children with Croup or Quinsy, it will almost instantly remove any local inflammation or Pain. For Sore Nipples, Caked Breasts, Sore Lips, Chapped Hands, Chillblains, &c., it is the only reliable remedy. One fifty cent bottle has never failed in curing the Piles. Hundreds who were afflicted for years with that distressing disease, have been cured by a few applications. It will cure Bronchele or Goitre, any unnatural Lump, Node or Tumor, and it will cleanse and heal any Ulcerous Sores, or a disease called Fever Sores on the Leg, no difference how long they may have existed.—One fifty cent bottle will heal the most severe burn or Scald. Fresh Cut or Wound, without a Scar. Bites of Mosquitoes, Stings of Bees, Wasps or any poisonous insect, one application will give instant relief. For Bruises, Sprains, &c., it is an infallible remedy.

McLEAN'S VOLCANIC OIL LINIMENT has been thoroughly tested in each and all of the above diseases, and we have never known it to fail in performing a cure when applied according to directions. Who then will suffer from external diseases when a safe and sure remedy is so easily obtained?

EVERY FAMILY should keep a supply always on hand, for use in times of need.

READER!

Have you friends that are suffering from external diseases? Then go tell them to call at once and get a supply and be cured.

TO PLANTERS, FARMERS AND OTHERS.

Working a large number of hands and stock, hundreds of dollars can be saved annually by using McLEAN'S VOLCANIC OIL LINIMENT. It is equally efficacious in curing diseases in Horses and other animals, such as Splint, Spavin, Nodes, Swelling or Lameness. It will cure Pole-evil, Fistula, Old Sores or Sweeney, if properly applied. For Strains, Bruises, Scratches, Chafes, Saddle or Collar Galls, Recent Sores, Wounds, &c., it is an infallible remedy. There is no mistake about it. McLEAN'S VOLCANIC OIL LINIMENT will never fail to cure any of the above diseases, if applied according to the directions which accompany each bottle in English and German.

Read the following certificate, which is INCONTESTABLE PROOF of what we have asserted:

J. H. McLEAN, St. Louis, Mo.—Dear Sir: I was afflicted for fifteen months with rheumatism, so much that I was unable to attend to any business. My legs, arms and fingers were swollen dreadfully, the muscles were contracted, and I suffered the most excruciating pain. I applied some five or six bottles of Mustang Liniment—it had no more effect than so much grease. I obtained one dozen bottles of Volcanic Oil Liniment of your agent, Mr. Pike, for which I shall be ever grateful to him and in five days I was entirely well and I take pleasure in recommending it to the public. And I also add that one of my horses got cast in the stable and was unable to stand up. In the morning I made one of my boys rub on some of your Liniment, and in three hours he could walk about the yard apparently as if nothing had happened to him. Mr. Davies and others of my neighbors were present at the time and they concur with me in saying that no planter should be without a supply of this invaluable medicine on hand. I remain, yours, &c.,
MOSES B. WHITE.
Panola, Miss., Feb. 5, 1854.

Then trifle no longer with the many worthless Liniments offered to you. Obtain a supply of McLEAN'S CELEBRATED LINIMENT. It will cure you.

For sale by J. H. McLEAN, sole proprietor, corner Third and Pine streets, St. Louis, Mo.

For sale by J. G. Brown, Pottsville; J. Kellar Burns, Minersville, Agent for the county.
Jan. 6, 1855. 1-1y

WONDERFUL CURE OF A METHODIST MINISTER!

DR. SWAYNE'S Celebrated Family Medicines—no family should be without them.

Dr. Swayne's Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry.
The original and genuine preparation.

The wonderful cures performed by this invaluable medicine, in pulmonary Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Croup, Spitting of Blood, Liver Complaint, Pain in the Side and Breast, Tickling or raising in the throat, and all diseases of the Lungs and Breast, have excited the astonishment of all who have witnessed its marvellous effect; there is no account of a medicine from the earliest ages, furnishing a parallel.

READ THIS EXTRAORDINARY CASE.

DR. SWAYNE—Dear Sir: I feel it a debt of gratitude due to you—and a duty to the afflicted generally, to offer my humble testimony in favor of your Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry. Some three years since, I was violently attacked with Cold and Inflammation of the Lungs, which was accompanied with a very distressing Cough, and pain in the breast and head; a very considerable discharge of offensive mucous from my Lungs especially upon changes of weather, however slight. At first I felt no alarm about my condition, but was pretty soon convinced that I was rapidly going into Consumption. I grew daily weaker, and at length was scarcely able to walk about, or speak above a whisper, such was the exceeding weakness of my Lungs. During this time I had tried various preparations and prescriptions, but found no relief—growing all the time worse. Just here I was advised and persuaded by a deaf friend in Wilmington to make trial of your Syrup of Wild Cherry. I must confess that previously I had been prejudiced against patent medicines, and I am still against those coming out of the hands of empyrics, but understanding your claims to the profession and practice of medicine, and having implicit faith in the sayings of my friend, I forthwith purchased of Dr. Shaw, one of your agents, a few bottles, and commenced its use. My disease was at this time of 20 or 25 months' standing, and consequently was deeply seated. I found, however, considerable relief from the use of the first four or five bottles.—But being a public speaker, I frequently attempted to preach with my increasing strength, and thereby ruptured those vessels that had already begun to heal; in this way, doubtless, my cure was greatly retarded. In consequence of acting thus imprudently, I had to use 12 or 13 bottles before I was perfectly restored. I have no question a much smaller number of bottles would have made me sound, but for the above indiscretion. The Syrup allayed the feverished habit, did away with the distressing cough, put a stop to the discharge of matter from the lungs, and gave them and the entire system good health. I have deferred giving this certificate till now for the purpose of being perfectly satisfied with the permanency of the cure, and now that I feel perfectly well, I offer it with pleasure.
REV. J. P. JORDAN.
Dublin County, N. C.

DR. SWAYNE—The Rev. J. P. Jordan is a highly respectable Minister of Dublin County, in this State; he desired me to forward to you the foregoing certificate, being fully acquainted with the facts, I can testify that this statement is correct. I shall publish it in our papers, as he is generally known throughout our section.
Very respectfully, DR. WM. SHAW, Druggist,
Wilmington, N. C.

The Rev. J. P. Jordan is well known by us; whatever he may state may be strictly relied upon.
C. & D. DUPRE, Druggists,
Wilmington, N. C.

Look well to the Marks of the Genuine.

INQUIRE PARTICULARLY FOR Dr. Swayne's Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry, the original and only genuine; remember, it is put up in square bottles, covered with a beautiful wrapper, (steel engraving), with a portrait of Dr. Swayne thereon; also his signature.

DYSPEPSIA OR WORMS.

SWAYNE'S CELEBRATED VERMIFUGE is certainly the most pleasant and effectual remedy for the destruction of Worms, or the cure of that most unpleasant complaint, Dyspepsia, that has yet been offered to the public. None genuine except that in square bottles, with the portrait of Dr. Swayne on each wrapper.

DR. SWAYNE'S SUGAR COATED SARSAPARILLA AND TAR PILLS, for irregularities incident to females, for Dyspepsia, &c. No medicine makes such certain cures as Dr. SWAYNE'S SUGAR COATED SARSAPARILLA AND TAR PILLS. They act as an alternative, produce a healthy state of the secretions, removing all obstructions.

Dr. Swayne's Cholera Morbus, Diarrhœa, and Dysentery Cordial, a speedy and effectual remedy for ASIATIC CHOLERA, Common Cholera Morbus, Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Cholera Infantum or Summer Complaint. Pains in Stomach and Bowels, Vomiting, Sea Sickness, Sickness of the Stomach, Lowness of Spirits, and all affections of the Stomach and Bowels.

FOR SALE BY
JOHN G. BROWN, } Pottsville.
JOHN S. C. MARTIN, }
G. & W. HUNTZINGER, Schuylkill Haven.
ECKEL & HARNDT, Tremont.
J. & A. BURNS, } Minersville.
H. W. PREVOST, }
R. J. FRY, Tamaqua.
A. R. FENIMORE, Beaver Meadow.
And by all the principal Storekeepers in Schuylkill and adjacent counties.
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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, Double and Single old style Trusses, Utero Abdominal Supporters, Ladies' Shoulder Braces, Gentlemen's Elastic Suspender Shoulder Braces, Suspensory Bandages, Silk and Cotton.
JOHN S. C. MARTIN, *Agent.*
September 24, 1853 32-tf

LYONS' KATHAIRON.

HAVE YOU used Lyons' Kathairon for the hair? It is the most delightful toilet article in the world and is preeminently beneficial for Grey and Bald heads. The Kathairon 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 Street, Pottsville.
October 23, 1853 41-tf

GOOD NEWS FOR THE LADIES.

DR. VANHORN, the celebrated Astrologer of the 19th century, has the secret which guides the single to a happy Marriage, and to make the Married happy. Ladies who were unhappy through trouble, misfortune, disappointed hopes and false promises, have been made happy by him. His medical advice was never known to fail. He is a married man, a man of family, which makes the Ladies consult him in the most delicate cases with perfect confidence. He is the married and single ladies' confidential Doctor and adviser. He shows *the likeness of your future Husband!!*

GOOD FORTUNE—WEALTH,

Eminence and happiness are within the reach of all.—Those who had had bad luck, and found the more they tried to get forward the more things went against them, consulted him; their bad luck has left them, and they are now fortunate, rich and happy. He has the secret that stops the slander and envy of your enemies.

GENTLEMEN!—Look to your interests before it is too late. Men who have been unfortunate and unsuccessful in life and in business—men who have worked hard and struggled against adversity and misfortune, the greater part of their lives, and found the more they tried to get forward, the more things went against them—these men have consulted him for the last thirty years. All those who have followed his advice are now rich and happy; while those blinded by prejudice and ignorance, neglected his advice, are still laboring against adversity and poverty. He shows the *likeness of your future Wife.*

All interviews are strictly private and confidential. Dr. Vanhorn has changed his residence and office to No. 354 Lombard street, between Juniper and Broad, the 4th house from Juniper, on the South side, opposite the Church. *Ring the Basement Office Bell.*
July 8, 1854 27-1y

AVOID ALL QUACKERY,
AND TAKE MEDICINES PREPARED BY A
Regular Physician only.

A REMEDY for each disease, and all pain cured.—Coughs, Colds, Consumption, Croup, Whooping-Cough, Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Scrofula, and all Skin Eruptions, Fever and Ague, Billious Fever, Cholera, Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, Bowel Affections, Piles, Sore and Weak Eyes, Rheumatism, Heart Disease, Palpitation, Neuralgia, Kidney and Bladder Affections, Dropsy, Falling of the Womb, and Female Complaints.

Dr. J. S. Rose's celebrated Family Medicines are the result of thirty years' practice in Philadelphia. His prescriptions are for each complaint, and have been well tested and approved by hundreds of Physicians, and thousands of patients.

Dr. J. S. Rose's Cough Syrup or Expectorant.—This Syrup, having stood the test of many years' experience, as a remedy for irritation or inflamation of the Lungs, Throat or Bronchia, is acknowledged by all to be a remedy eminently superior to all other known compounds used for the relief and radical cure of Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Consumption and all Lung Diseases. Price 50 cents and $1.

Dr. J. S. Rose's Whooping Cough Syrup.—This preparation always relieves, and prevents the whooping cough from running into other diseases: such as inflamation of the Lungs, Dropsy in the Chest, and Consumption. It gives instant relief, and frequently cures in one week.—Price 50 cents.

Dr. J. S. Rose's Croup Syrup.—Children are also liable to Croup, which dangerous complaint yields immediately to DR. J. S. ROSE'S NEVER FAILING *Croup Syrup.* Price 25 cents.

Dr. J. S. Rose's Pain Curer cures all pain, internal or external. It may be relied on for curing and giving almost instant relief to Cholera Morbus, Cholic, and all pains in the Stomach or Bowels, Rheumatism from Cold, Sore Throat, Pains in the Limbs, Back or Side, Chilblains, Sprains and Bruises. Safe to all ages. Price 12½, 25 and 50 cents.

Dr. Rose's Alterative or Blood Purifier, for Scrofula, Old Eruptions, and all diseases arising from an impure state of the blood—price $1.

Dr. Rose's Alterative or Family Pills: for Liver complaints, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Sour Stomach and Costiveness—25 cents.

Dr. Rose's Golden Pills, for falling of the Womb, Female Weakness, Debility and Relaxation—50 cents.

Dr. Rose's Female Pills, a valuable remedy for female complaints. Superior to Hooper's Pills—25 cents.

Dr. Rose's Dyspeptic Compound, a sure cure for Dyspepsia—50 cents.

Dr. Rose's Tonic Mixture, for Chills, Fevers, and general Debility. A never-failing remedy—50 cents.

Dr. Rose's Compound Extract of Buchu, for all diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder, and for Dropsy—50 cents.

Dr. Rose's Nervous Cordial, for all nervous conditions of the system, Neuralgia, Heart Disease, Palpitation, &c., &c.—50 cents.

Dr. Rose's Pile Ointment—50 cents. *Eye and Tetter Ointments*—25 cents.

Dr. Rose's Elixir of Opium—superior to all other forms of Opium—25 cents.

All whose constitutions are impaired by disease, or weak by nature, should read Dr. J. S. ROSE'S MEDICAL ADVISER (which contains a description of the diseases of our climate and the mode of treatment.) It can be had without charge of all the druggists in Philadelphia and JENKINS & HARTSHORNE, corner of Second and Walnut streets, and by B. BANNAN, Agent for Schuylkill County.
December 23, 1854 50-tf

DR. J. B. MARCHISI'S
Celebrated Catholicon, for the Relief and Cure of suffering Females.

It stands preeminent for its curative powers in all the diseases for which it is recommended, usually called FEMALE COMPLAINTS.

Of these are Prolapsus Uteri, or Falling of the Womb; Fluor Albus, or WHITES; Chronic Inflamation and Ulceration of the WOMB; Incidental Hemorrhage or Flooding. Painful, suppressed & Irregular Menstruation, &c. with all their accompanying evils. (Cancer excepted) no matter how severe or of how long standing.

The Catholicon far surpasses other remedies, in being more certain, less expensive, and leaving the system in a better condition. Let all interested call and obtain a pamphlet (free) containing ample proof from the most respectable sources of the beneficial results of its use; together with letters from highly experienced Physicians, who have used it in their practice, and speak from their own observations.

REFERENCES:—P. B. Peckham, M. D., Utica, N. Y.; L. D. Fleming, M. D., Canandaigua, N. Y.; M. H. Mills, M. D., Rochester, N. Y.; D. Y. Foote, M. D., Syracuse, N. Y.; Prof. Dunbar, M. D., Balt., Md.; J. C. Orrick, M. D., Baltimore, Md.; W. W. Reese, M. D., New York City; W. Frescott, M. D., Concord, N. H.; J. P. Newland, M. D., Utica, N. Y.; Rev. C. S. Beard, Glenn Springs, S. C.

Pamphlets had Gratis at the store of J. CURTIS HUGHES, Agent, Druggist, Pottsville, Pa.

Also, sold by most of the leading Druggists in the adjoining counties.

Notice to the Unfortunate Female.

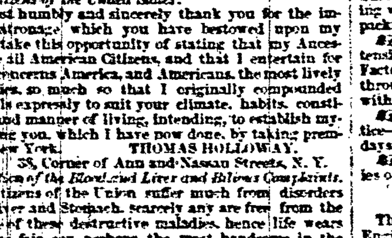
I feel it a duty incumbent upon myself to declare publicly the great blessing Dr. Marchisi's Uterine Catholicon has proved to me. For two years my health was miserable; I was almost unable to walk. Physicians pronounced my case falling of the womb. Extensive ulcerations, commencing with fluor albus. The pains, irritation, prostration and the intolerable fœtid discharge rendered life almost a burden. In this miserable condition, Dr. P. F. Newland recommended Dr. Marchisi's Uterine Catholicon. After taking four bottles I found myself in perfect health. Gratitude for my restoration makes me ardently desire that all my sex, alike unfortunate, may find sure relief from this inestimable medicine.
ELIZABETH NEWLAND,
No. 19 West Street, Utica, N. Y.

The above statement I know to be true.
F. P. NEWLAND, M. D., Utica, N. Y.

I have no hesitation in saying Dr. Marchisi's Uterine Catholicon is invaluable in uterine diseases generally.—I have used it in Fluor Albus, Amenorrhœa Prolapsus Uteri, and in cases of extensive ulceration of the vagina and os uteri. It is worthy of the notice of the faculty.
JOHN C. ORRICK, M. D.,
Baltimore, Md.

J. B. MARCHISI'S & Co., Proprietors. Central Depot, 304 Broadway, N. Y.
Feb. 11, 1854. 6-1y

THE AMERICAN'S FRIEND.



HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.

To the Citizens of the United States:

I most humbly and sincerely thank you for the immense patronage which you have bestowed upon my Pills. I take this opportunity of stating that my Ancestors were all American Citizens, and that I entertain for all that concerns America, and Americans, the most lively sympathies, so much so that I originally compounded these Pills expressly to suit your climate, habits, constitutions and manner of living, intending, to establish myself among you, which I have now done, by taking premises in New York.
THOMAS HOLLOWAY.
38, Corner of Ann and Nassau Streets, N. Y.

Purification of the Blood and Liver and Bilious Complaints.

The Citizens of the Union suffer much from disorders of the Liver and Stomach, scarcely any are free from the influence of these destructive maladies, hence life wears fast. The fair sex, perhaps the most handsome in the World, up to a certain period when, distressing to say, many lose their teeth and good looks, while yet in the heydey of life, such sad evils may be effectually remedied by continually keeping the blood pure, and the Liver and Stomach in a healthy action, when the life will flow smoothly, and resemble plants in a congenial clime, where an eternal spring appears to reign. As it regards the preservation of the human frame, and the duration of life, much may be effected, and I say fearlessly, that health and life can be prolonged for many years beyond their ordinary limits, if Holloway's Pills are taken to purify the blood according to the rules laid down for health contained in the directions which accompany each box.

A case of Weakness and Debility, of ten years' standing, cured by Holloway's Pills.

Copy of a Letter from Captain John Johnson, Astor House, New York, January 5th, 1854:

To PROFESSOR HOLLOWAY, 38, Corner of Ann and Nassau streets, New York—Sir:—It is with the most heartfelt pleasure I have to inform you that I have been restored to health and strength by taking your Pills. For the last ten years I suffered from a derangement of the Liver and Stomach, and was reduced to such an extremity that I gave up my Ship, never expecting to go to sea any more, as I had tried every remedy that was recommended to me, but all to no purpose; and had given myself up to despair, when at last I was recommended to try your Pills. After using them for three months, the result is that I am now in better health than I have been for eleven years past, and indeed as well as I ever was in my life. You are at liberty to make this known for the benefit of others. I remain, Sir, yours respectfully,
(Signed) JOHN JOHNSON.

These celebrated Pills are wonderfully efficacious for the following complaints:

Ague,	Indigestion,
Asthma,	Jaundice,
Bilious Complaints,	Liver Complaints,
Blotches on the Skin,	Piles,
Bowel Complaints,	Retention of Urine,
Constipation of the Bowels,	Scrofula or King's Evil,
Debility,	Stone and Gravel,
Dropsy,	Secondary Symptoms,
Erysipelas,	Venereal Affections,
Female Irregularities,	Worms of all kinds,
Fevers of all kinds,	Weakness, from whatever cause, &c., &c.
Gout,	
Headache,	

Sold at the Establishment of Professor HOLLOWAY, 80, Maiden Lane, New York, and 244 Strand, London; also by all respectable Druggists and Dealers in Medicines throughout the United States, in Boxes at 37½c, 87½c, and $1,50 each. To be had Wholesale of the principal Drug Houses in the Union.

There is considerable saving by taking the larger sizes.

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

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

Also for sale by John G. Brown, and Clemens & Heisler Pottsville; R. J. Fry, Tamaqua; J. Kellar Burns, Minersville; and J. C. Hughes, Druggist and Apothecary, opposite the Episcopal Church, Pottsville, Pa.
May 6, 1854. 19-tf

PLUMBING.

GAS-FITTING, PLUMBING &C.
SMITH & DOWNING, BURNT OUT

on the 10th have re-opened an establishment, for the above business, in Silver Terrace, where they will be thankful for orders, and promise prompt attention and satisfactory work.
Pottsville, October 28, 1854 43-tf

PLUMBING ESTABLISHMENT.

H. DICKINSON respectfully announces to the public that he has purchased the entire stock of the late firm of Moreton and Dickinson, and intends carrying on the plumbing business in all its branches at the old Stand under the Pottsville House, where he hopes by attention to business, he may be able to merit a share of the public patronage. He will guarantee his work to be as good, and it will be done on as reasonable terms, as can be done elsewhere.
H. DICKINSON.
August 27, 1853. 53-tf

PLUMBING SHOP.

N. M. NEWNAM, Beatty's ROW, Norwegian Street, Pottsville, Penna., has constantly on hand a supply of all sizes of Lead Pipe, Sheet Lead, Block Tin Bath Tubs, Shower Baths, Hydrants, Hose, Double and Single Acting Pumps and Water Closets; also, all kinds of Brass Cocks for water and steam, Brass Oil Cups and Globes for Engines. All kinds of Copper Work and Plumbing done in the neatest manner at the shortest notice.

N. B.—Cash paid for old Brass and Lead.
Pottsville, October 26, 1850. 43-tf

MUSIC, PIANOS.

MUSIC! MUSIC!!

JUST RECEIVED and for sale, at B. BANNAN'S Book and Music Store, opposite the Episcopal Church, Centre street, the following new and beautiful pieces:

Eclipse Polka, by	Roerig,
Soldier's Funeral March,	Lemon,
Fleur des Champs,	Wallersten,
Love Star Waltz,	E. L. Loud,
Cottage Hill Quickstep,	Philpy,
Irish Evergreen Quadrille,	
L'Ultima Preghiera,	Nigri,
Cari Giorni,	Persiana,
Il Crociato,	Donizetti,
L'Addio,	Vaccay,
Anchid Provas,	Donizetti,
Presso Un Ruscello,	Vaccay,
Prairie Flower Polka,	Mercerou,
Why not be Happy yet,	Welland,
There Comes a Time,	Scherzer,
Love Lullaby,	Getze.

December 9, 1854 48-

PIANOS AND MELODEONS.

THE SUBSCRIBER will sell Meyer's, Hallett, Davis & Co.'s and Fisher's Pianos, from $10 to $15 less than the manufacturers' prices. He will *guarantee* Meyer's Pianos, to be what they are represented. His instruments are selected by a competent person, as regards tone and quality, and range in price from $200 to $500, either with or without the Æolian Attachment.

C. Meyer has received the highest premium at the London Crystal Palace Exhibition for his Pianos, in competition with all the manufacturers of Europe and America.

MELODEONS.

Of Carhart's Patent—which he will also *guarantee*, ranging in price, for dwellings, from $45 to $125; for churches, from $75 to $200. Melodeons delivered in Schuylkill County, at city CASH PRICES, thus saving to the purchaser; packing, freight and risk, which is an important consideration.

Several Melodeons, of superior tone, on hand—price 45 and $60.
B. BANNAN.
Music-Dealer and Agent for the sale of Pianos and Melodeons.
May 27, 1854. 21—

WATCHES, JEWELRY.

AVISE'S

CHEAP WATCH AND JEWELRY STORE, No. 72 North Second street, opposite the Mt. Vernon House, Philadelphia.

Gold Lever Watches, full Jeweled, 18 K cases, $28; Silver Lever, full Jeweled, $12; Silver Lepine, $9; Quartier, $5 to $7; Gold Spectacles, $4 50 to $10; Silver Spectacles, $1 50; Silver Table Spoons, per set, $14 to $18; Silver Desert Spoons, $9 to $11; Silver Tea Spoons, $4 75 to $7 50; Gold Pens and Gold Cases, $3 25 to $5; Gold Pens and Silver cases, $1; together with a variety of fine Gold Jewelry, Gold Curb, Guard and Fob Chains. All goods warranted to be as represented. Watches and Jewelry repaired in the best manner. Also, Masonic Marks, Pins, &c., made to order.

N. B.—All orders sent by mail or otherwise, will be punctually attended to.
September 9, 1854 35-1y

STAUFFER & HARLEY,

CHEAP WATCHES & JEWELRY—Wholesale and Retail, at the "*Philadelphia Watch and Jewelry Store,*" No. 96 North Second street, corner of Quarry, Philadelphia.

Gold Lever Watches, full Jewelled, 18 carets fine, $28.
Gold Lepine Watches $18 to $24.

Silver Lever, full jewelled	$12	Gold Spectacles,	$7 00
Silver Lepine, jewels,	9	Fine Silver do	1 50
Superior Quartiers,	7	Ladies' Gold Pencils,	1 00
Gold Bracelets,	3	Silver Teaspoons, set,	5 00

Gold Pens, with Pencil, and Silver Holders $1.

Gold Finger-rings 37½ cents to $80; Watch-glasses, plain, 12½ cents; Patent, 18¾ cents; Lunet, 25 cents; other articles in proportion. All goods warranted to be what they are sold for.
STAUFFER & HARLEY.

On hand—some Gold and Silver Levers and Lepines still lower than the above prices.
September 23, 1854 38-10m

WATCHES.

JUST RECEIVED, an extensive assortment of Watches, as follows:

Fine Gold Magic Hunting and Hunting Case Patent Lever, from $60 to $200.

Gold Anchor Lever and Lepine, from $22 to $50.

Silver Watches—Hunting and Open Face from $5 to $40.

Jewelry—Also a very extensive assortment of Fine Jewelry.

Plated Ware.—Just received, a variety of the latest patterns and best quality, by the set or single piece.

Fancy Goods—In every variety, such as Fine China Figures, Flower Vases, Inkstands, Ornaments, &c.

Musical Instruments.—Superior Violins, Guitars, Accordeons, Flutes, &c., &c.

All of which are offered at the lowest market prices.—Call and see for yourselves, at
MAX LEIMMERS, (*Late L. Fisher.*)
Centre street, 3 doors above Mahantango.
Pottsville, Dec. 16, 1854. [Aug. 26, 34] 45-tf

WATCHES, JEWELRY,
Silver-Ware and Fancy Goods.

A CHOICE ASSORTMENT of the finest quality for sale at the lowest cash prices, at WM. B. ELTONHEAD'S, No. 184 South Second street, between Pine and Union, West side, Philadelphia.

The assortment embraces a Large and Select Stock of Fine Watches, Jewelry, Silver Ware, Albata Ware, plated with fine Silver, in Spoons, Forks, Ladles, &c.—Jet Goods, Fans and Fancy Articles of a superior quality, deserving the examination of those who desire to procure the best goods at the LOWEST CASH PRICES.

Having a *practical knowledge* of the business, and all available facilities for Importing and Manufacturing, the subscriber confidently invites purchasers, believing that he can supply them on terms as favorable as any other establishment in either of the Atlantic Cities.

All kinds of Diamond and Pearl Jewelry and Silver Ware manufactured to order, within a reasonable time.

Watches, Jewelry and Silver Ware *faithfully repaired.*
WM. B. ELTONHEAD.

No. 184 South 2d St., a few doors above the 2d St. Market, West Side.

In the South Window of the Store, may be seen the famous BIRD CLOCK, which commands the admiration of the scientific and curious.
Sept. 23, 1854 38-1y.

GUM BELTING, &C.

TO MINERS & MANUFACTURERS.

GUM BELTING, Packing, Blasting Paper, Gum Hose, &c., &c.

The subscriber desires to call the attention of Coal Operators, Machinists and others, to his Agency for the sale of Gum Belting, Packing, Fire Engine, Hydrant and Conducting Hose, Steam Packing, Miners' Safety Lamps, Blasting Paper, &c., &c.

GUM BELTING.

The experience of the last eight years has gained for this Belting the confidence of the consumers; this, together with the fact that great improvements have been made in the quality, warrants the manufacturers in asserting it to be superior to leather or anything else, for all open Belts, (more especially for heavy or main Belts) for the following reasons:

1. The perfect equality of width and thickness which it will retain.

2. No degree of heat under 300 degrees Farenheit injures it, and it remains flexible in any degree of cold.

3. It is of great strength and durability, does not slip on the pullies, consequently a gain of power is obtained, and, when adjusted to machinery does not require alteration, as is the case with leather, or any other.

4. The cost is much below leather or any other Belting.

These Belts are more durable than leather; and range from 25 to 100 per cent. cheaper in price than the leather Belts of the same strength. They are also peculiarly adapted to Colliery purposes because the coal dirt and dust seem only to add to their durability—and after being worn out are worth nearly, if not quite, half price for packing.

The subscriber's orders, in consequence of his extensive sales, have the preference over all orders at the Factory—and he can always procure the Belts ordered through him; that have to be made of a heavier quality, within the given time.

Three and four Ply Belts obtained in 24 hours' notice—from 6 to 16 Ply can be made to order from 8 to 12 days' notice, of any length and breadth.

These Belts are now used in almost all the Collieries of Schuylkill county, and give entire satisfaction.

STEAM PACKING.

This article is now in general use by the most skillful Engineers and Machinists throughout the United States.

It is prepared so that 300 degrees Farenheit will not affect it, and is superior to everything else, as no substance has so much elasticity, which stands so high a degree of heat, and may be used about all parts where packing is necessary, viz: Manhole Plates, Piston Rods, Steam Joints, Steam Chests, Cylinder Heads, Stuffing Boxes, etc., etc.

Furnished in rolls of any required length, ⅛ to 1⅛ inch in thickness, and 36 inches wide, or made and cut to order of any dimensions.

HOSE.

Having made great improvements in the manufacture of Vulcanized Rubber Hose, for Fire Engines, Locomotive Engines, and general purposes, it is offered with renewed confidence as decidedly the best article in use.

[Purchasers will please notice that sizes here given, are the inside diameters, and each size will fully measure in clear what it is marked.]

LOCOMOTIVE AND FIRE ENGINE HOSE.

Warranted to stand a pressure of 175 lbs. per square inch.

1½ inch per foot,	60 cents.
2 " "	65 "
2¼ " "	70 "
2½ " "	75 "
2¾ " "	80 "
3 " "	90 "

HYDRANT HOSE.

Warranted to stand a pressure of 75 lbs. per square inch.

¾ inch per foot,	25 cents.
1 " "	28 "
1¼ " "	32 "
1½ " "	35 "
1¾ " "	40 "
2 " "	45 "

CONDUCTING HOSE.

Suitable only for light conducting purposes, and will not be warranted if under pressure.

½ inch per foot,	21 cents.
¾ " "	24 "
1 " "	27 "
1¼ " "	30 "
1½ " "	35 "
1¾ " "	40 "
2 " "	45 "

Hose of any size and strength made to order—also Suction Hose for Fire Engines and other purposes.

The above Hose has great advantages over leather, as it needs no oiling, is perfectly tight, will stand a very high degree of heat without injury, and is not affected by the severest cold.

COUPLINGS, BRANCHPIPES, &C. FURNISHED AT THE LOWEST RATES.

BLASTING PAPER.

Always on hand, a superior article made to order, of different sizes and weights, from 27 pounds to 60 pounds per Ream.

MINERS' SAFETY LAMPS.

Of the best make for working, by the dozen or single.—Also, Imported Wire Gauze, for covering and repairing Lamps, by the yard.

All the above articles for sale, wholesale and retail, by
BENJAMIN BANNAN,
Agent for the Manufacturers, Pottsville.
July 15, 1854 28—

PHILADELPHIA.

C. W. RIDGWAY & CO.,

DEALERS IN OILS, for Mines, Machinists and Manufacturers, No. 30, North Wharves, *Philadelphia.* Orders received by
J. A. MOORE, *Pottsville.*
April 1, 1854 13-1y

SAMUEL W. PEPPER,

SUCCESSOR to HENRY J. PEPPER & SON, dealer in Watches, Jewelry and Silver-ware, No. 175 Chesnut street, (opposite the State House), Philadelphia.
May 27, 1854 21-1y

BUSHNELL & TULL,

MANUFACTURERS of SLEIGHS, Sleds, Wheel-barrows, Gigs, Coaches, Swings, &c., &c., for children. Wholesale and Retail, 64 Dock street, above 2d, Philadelphia.
September 23, 1854. 38-6m

BOYS' CLOTHING.

THE SUBSCRIBER, would respectfully inform their numerous friends and customers of Schuylkill County, that their assortment of Clothing for Young Gentlemen is much larger than ever, and they are disposed to sell *cheap.* Persons living at a distance, have the privilege of exchanging clothing, purchased at this store, if they do not suit.
F. A. HOYT & BROTHER,
272 Chestnut St., corner of Tenth, Philada.
April 22, 1854 16-1y

J. B. A. & S. ALLEN,
7 and 8 South Wharves, Philadelphia,

DEALERS IN OIL, have just received, direct from New Bedford, the following supply of Oil, which they offer for sale at the lowest market rates:

Winter Sperm Oil, 3,000 gal. | Winter Whale Oil, 12,500 g'l.
do Elephat Oil, 9,600 do. | Racked do do 7,000 do.

Also, in store, Greasing Oil, Pale and Brown Soap, Sperm and Adamantine Candles.
November 18, 1854 [Feb. 4, 5-1y] 45-

DRESS AND CLOAK TRIMMINGS,

NO. 296 Chesnut street, below Eleventh, and No. 170 South 2nd street, below Spruce, Philadelphia.

We invite attention to our complete RETAIL assortment of *Plush and Silk Bindings, Fringes, Buttons and Staple Trimmings* of our own importation and manufacture.

Orders executed at a few hours' notice.
J. G. MAXWELL & SON,
296 *Chesnut street, and* 170 *South 2d street.*
Philadelphia, December 2, 1854 47-3m

TO CASH BUYERS.

BAILEY & BROTHER,
No. 252 Chesnut St., above Ninth, Philadelphia,
HAVE NOW OPEN

A LARGE STOCK OF CARPETINGS,

EMBRACING the new and leading styles in Velvet, Tapestry, Brussels, Ingrains and Stair Carpets, Oil Cloths, &c., all of which will be sold at the lowest CASH PRICES:

Wholesale or Retail.
September 23, 1854 38-1y

SAMUEL S. FETHERSTON.

DEALER IN LAMPS, LANTERNS, Chandeliers, and Candelabras, No. 152 S. 2d street, above Spruce, Philadelphia. Having enlarged and improved his store, and having one of the largest assortments of Lamps in Philadelphia, is now prepared to furnish Pine Oil, Camphene, Burning Fluid, Lard and Oil Lamps, and Lanterns of all patterns; Glass Lamps by the package, at a small advance over auction prices. Being a manufacturer and dealer of Pine Oil, Burning Fluid and Alcohol, which will be furnished to Merchants at such prices that they will find it to their advantage to buy. Also, Household Glassware, of all descriptions, at the lowest market prices.
Philadelphia, October 28, 1854. 43-1y

LADIES' FANCY FURS.

JOHN FAREIRA, Importer, Manufacturer and Dealer in all kinds of Fancy Furs, for Ladies and Children, at 284 Market Street, above Eighth, Philadelphia.

Having now completed my large and beautiful assortment of all the different kinds of Fancy Furs, that will be worn by ladies and children during the present season; this assortment of Furs is equal to any to be found in this City, either for quality, variety or beauty. Having bought my Furs in Europe for Cash, and having had them manufactured by the most competent workmen under my own supervision with reasonable economy, I am determined to sell at small profits, and for Cash only.

STOREKEEPERS would do well to give me a call before purchasing elsewhere.
JNO. FAREIRA.
October 14, '54. 41-3m.

W. C. WILLMARTH,
Arch Street Hat Store.

North-East corner of Eighth and Arch Sts., Philadelphia. W. C. WILLMARTH, (Late of the New Hat Co.,) respectfully invites the public to the above establishment, where may be found an elegant assortment of HATS, CAPS, UMBRELLAS, &c., of every description in vogue. In particular, he would call attention to his Moleskin Hats at 3 dollars, which for Beauty, Durability and everything that constitutes a good Hat, will bear comparison with those generally sold elsewhere for $4. His stock of Gent's and Youth's Soft Sporting Hats, Wide Awakes, and Traveling Caps, cannot be surpassed, and the prices are so low as to place them within the reach of all. TO THE LADIES he would state that it is his intention to keep always on hand such a variety of CHILDREN'S FANCY HATS, Velvet and Cloth Embroidered Caps, Riding Hats, Beaver and Felt Bonnets, that all tastes may be suited, from the most expensive to the most economical, and hopes by strict attention to the wants of the public, to merit a share of their patronage.
November 11, 1854. 44-3m

GREAT WESTERN IRON FOUNDRY.
E. W. SHIPPEN & Co.
IRON FOUNDERS & MANUFACTURERS.
PLAIN ORNAMENTAL MACHINERY CASTINGS,
MARKET ST. 2 SQUARES WEST OF THE BRIDGE
WEST PHILADEL'A.
September 30, 1854. 39-3m

FIVE PER-CENT. SAVING FUND,
Of the National Safety Company.

WALNUT STREET, South-West corner of Third street, Philadelphia. Incorporated by the State of Pennsylvania in 1841.

Five per-cent interest is given and the money is always paid back whenever it is called for, without the necessity of giving notice for it beforehand.

People who have large sums put their money in this Saving Fund, on account of the superior safety and convenience it affords, but any sum, large or small, is received.

This Saving Fund has more than half a million of dollars securely invested for the safety of depositors.

The office is open to receive and pay money every day, from 9 o'clock in the morning till 7 o'clock in the evening, and on Monday and Thursday evenings, till 8 o'clock.

People who have money to put in, are invited to call at the office for further information.
HENRY L. BENNER, *President.*
ROBERT SELFRIDGE, *Vice President.*
WM. J. REED, *Secretary.*
November 11, 1854. 44-1y

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, skirting and damaged do; Harness, Bridle, Band and Welt Leather; Thong and Lacing do; Wax Upper, Boot, Grain, Buff and Split do; City Slaughter 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 boot cord, Laces, and Silk and Union Galloons; Black and Colored English Lasting, Worsted Uppers and crimped Fronts and Footings; 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 Trees, Lasts, Crimps, Clamps, Handles, Gum, Color, Cod Liver, and Tanner's 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 and Dealer, 497 Market St., above 15th, Philadelphia.
Aug. 12, 1854. 32-1y

JOSEPH WOOD & SON, PHILADA.,
OFFICE OF INFORMATION, CORRESPONDENCE,

special and General Agency and Collection. Confidential negotiations and trusts executed in the city of Phila. and State of Penna. and neighboring cities and states. The Messrs. Woods will devote themselves to the collection of money upon claims and obligations of every kind, to the execution of private trusts, general and special agencies, settling estates of decedents &c., and to any delicate and confidential negotiations, inquiries and investigations of a proper and legitimate character and all other professional business requiring special attorneys.

He will afford to *Merchants, Professional Men, Farmers, Mechanics, Laborers, Companies and Individuals in the United States,* information in relation to *Mercantile, Commercial, Financial, Mechanical, Agricultural and Professional business,* and also upon matters connected with *Political, Scientific, Literary, Religious and Benevolent Societies and Institutions.*

The charges or fees will be proportionate to the importance of the business, to the amount of time and labor employed, and expense attending the service. *Fees and Commissions* in all cases to be promptly paid.

All orders must be accompanied with a fee, which if not sufficient, answers will be returned for the purpose of effecting satisfactory arrangements. Address,
JOSEPH WOOD & SON, *Agents,*
No. 76 S. 4th St., West side, above Walnut, Philad'a.
November 11, 1854 44-3m

"IMPORTANT NOTICE."
Great Reductions.

AGNEW & CO., 196 Chesnut street, PHILADELPHIA, respectfully inform the citizens of Pottsville and vicinity, that they have made their *Great Fall Reductions in Prices for Paris Cloaks, Shawls, Silks and Dress Goods.*

CLOAK AND SHAWL DEPARTMENT.

This department contains one of the richest and most extensive assortments of the kind ever offered in this city, taken from the very richest styles of Paris and London importations.

Brocha, Gold bordered, Bay State Plaid Long and Square Shawls.—These goods have been greatly reduced, and are offered to buyers as real bargains.

SILKS AND DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.

Plaid, Stripe, Brocade and Plain Silks—a large and beautiful stock, comprising new and fashionable styles—*very cheap.*

500 pieces rich Cashmere and Satin Plaids, Lupins, Merinoes, and Cashmeres, at 20 per cent. below importation cost prices from 62½ to $1 25.

Fine Muslins, Cashmeres, French Chintzes, Linens, Sheetings, Hosiery, Embroideries, Ribbons, Gloves, &c. Our customers and friends from the country are cordially invited to extend us a call—we feel assured that in prices and the styles of our goods we cannot be surpassed.
AGNEW & CO.,
196 *Chesnut street, below Eighth.*
December 16, 1854 49-3m

MATCHES! MATCHES!!

JOHN DONNELLY, Manufacturer and Inventor of *Safety Patent Square Upright Wood Box Matches.* No. 106 North Fourth Street, above Race, Philadelphia. Matches having become an indispensable article in house-keeping, the subscriber after a great sacrifice of time and money is enabled to offer to the Public an article at once combining *Utility and Cheapness.* The Inventor knowing the danger apprehended on account of the flimsey manner in which Matches are generally packed in paper, has by the aid of new Steam Machinery of his own invention, succeeded in getting up a Safety Patent Square Upright Wood Box; this box is far preferable, inasmuch that it occupies no more room than the old round wood box, and *contains at least Two Hundred per cent. more matches,* which to shippers is considerable advantage; it is entirely new, and secure against moisture and spontaneous combustion, and dispels all danger on transportation by means of Railroad, Steamboat or any other mode of conveyance.

These matches are packed so that one gross or more may be shipped to any part of the world with perfect safety. They are the most desirable article for home consumption, and the Southern and Western markets that have ever been invented.

Dealers and Shippers will do well to call and examine for themselves.

These matches are WARRANTED to be superior to anything heretofore offered to the Public.
JOHN DONNELLY,
106 North Fourth street, Philadelphia.
December 9, 1854 48-6m

The Farmer.

HOOF BOUND.—The following are the directions of Dr. Dadd for this disease:

"In all cases we must endeavor to give the frog a bearing on the ground; and in order to do this the shoe ought to be removed. A dry, brittle, and contracted hoof may be improved by repeated poulticing with soft soap and rye meal, applied cold. So soon as the hoof softens, let it be dressed, night and morning, with turpentine, linseed oil, and powdered charcoal, equal parts. Yet, after all, a run of grass in a soft pasture, the animal having nothing more than *tips* on his feet, is the best treatment. A very popular notion exists, that cow manure has a wonderful effect on a contracted hoof; but it is the candid opinion of the author, and no doubt the reader will coincide, that filth and dirt of every kind are unfavorable to healthy action.—Such remedy, aside from its objection on the score of decency, savors too much of by-gone days, when live eels were sent on an errand down horse's throats to unravel their intestines. If any benefit belongs to such an objectionable application, it is due to the property it possesses of retaining mixture; therefore cold poultices and water are far superior. Clay and moist earth, placed in the stall for the horse to stand on, are far inferior to a stuffing of wet oakum, which can be removed at pleasure. In order to keep it in contact with the sole, we have only to insinuate two strips of wood between the sole and shoe; one running lengthwise and the other crosswise of the foot. It affords considerable pressure to the foot, is cooling and cleanly, and is far superior to the above articles."

PROFITS OF FOWLS.—I have sixteen hens at this time, and have lost along during the season some four or six. They are the old fashion kind of hens, and quite a number of them are from four to seven years old. They have laid from about the middle of February to November 9th, inclusive, 2017 eggs, which at fourteen cents—the average price—amounts to $25 85. The cost of keeping during the time has been $10 37, all of which I have bought at this year's high prices. Thus they have netted me $12 66 clear profit. My practice is to keep lime and feed in the hen house all the time, and as a general thing to let them run at large. They have done little or no damage in the garden, to which they have free access. Corn I find to be altogether the cheapest food for them. One hen stole her nest and hatched 10 chickens, and the cost of raising the four that were not killed is included in the above.—*Berkshire Culturist.*

FATTENING CHICKENS.—Fowls or chickens may be fattened in four or five days by feeding them three times daily with rice boiled in milk, always fresh, as sourness prevents them from fattening. Give them clear water to drink. By this method the flesh is made particularly white.—*Albany Register.*

Recipes.

A GOOD RECIPE FOR BREAD, BREAKFAST AND TEA CAKE.—"Aunt Ann" in the *Ohio Cultivator,* communicates the following receipt for bread, breakfast and tea cake, and says she has seen nothing in that paper like it.—"Please try it, and if it answers satisfactorily, give it to the public in thy own name." It is as follows:

"Take buttermilk, or any other sour or thick milk, let it boil, and then stand till cool enough to prevent scalding, have ready some flour and pour the whey over it so as to make a thick sponge, beat it well and then stir in the yeast, (which should be good,) then cover with a cloth and let it stand till it becomes light, make the bread entirely of the sponge, and make it quite soft and pliable, knead it some fifteen minutes, then let it get very, very light before moulding into loaves, but do not let the loaves get too light, and bake it slow. If the sponge should become sour, dissolve a little soda, or saleratus, and stir in. I often work sugar and butter into the light dough and make rusk, or a little butter alone to make rolls for dinner or tea; but if I want them for breakfast, I take some whey, butter and yeast and make the dough over night.

"I also make a nice cake which suits very well for winter. Take half cup of butter, two of sugar, three of flour, and one of sour cream, (instead of eggs,) get it ready for the oven in the usual way, then sprinkle and stir in a tea-spoonful of soda, bake it dry, both the bread and cake suit farmers' wives better than our city Aunts and Cousins, as sometimes lack cream, &c. But tell them to try it, and if they miss once, try, try again for they are all good."

TO MAKE HARD WATER SOFT.—WASHING.—Dr. Playfair, of England, asserts that the cost of washing is about one-twelfth the income of a family of small means. He enters into a computation based on one dozen shirts. Suppose the dozen to cost eighteen dollars. If only two of them are washed, at six and a half cents each, the bill for the year will be six and a half dollars; and in three years the washing will have cost more than the shirts. So that, according to this computation, a garment will have doubled its cost by washing by the time it is worn out, and some articles much more. Dr. P. says, for every hundred gallons of Thames water, thirty ounces of soap are entirely lost before the hardness of the water is overcome. Prof. Dewey, in this country, has shown that by the use of unslacked lime we may render hard water soft.

TO PREVENT CRAMP.—Those who may be subject in the night time to that excruciating pain called cramp, may be secured against its attacks by tying any kind of bandage round the leg immediately above the knee; or it may be remedied by breathing forcibly and taking long respirations, thus exciting the action of the lungs, by which means the whole system will be animated, and perhaps in less than a minute the disorder will be abated, and the pain effectually removed. So it is said.

TO KEEP WORMS FROM DRIED FRUIT.—Place your fruit in a steamer, over a pot of boiling water, covered tightly. When thoroughly heated, tie them up immediately in a clean cotton or linen bag, and hang them up. This method is preferable to heating in an oven, as that is apt to render them hard, even if you are so fortunate as not to burn them.

GREASE FOR COARSE BOOTS.—Take a Coal made of white pine, of the size of a hen's egg, well burnt, pulverize it finely, mix it with enough of clean melted tallow to make it of the consistence of thick paste. Two or three applications will make the leather soft, and will keep the water out.

FOR COUGH OR HOARSENESS.—An excellent drink in case of cough or hoarseness, may be made by boiling two table-spoonfuls of linseed in a quart of water, until the water is thickened, then strain it, and flavor with lemon juice and brown sugar.

TO WHITEN THE TEETH.—Mix honey with finely powdered charcoal and use the paste as a dentrifice.

FOR THE PERSPIRATION OF THE HANDS WHEN SEWING.—Rub them occasionally with dry wheat bran.