Wit and Humor.

PENSIVE SAMMY vs. PENSEZ A MOI.

Some few years since, on a cold, frosty November morning, in one of our prominent Western cities, a large covered wagon drew up in front of one of the principal music-stores, the clerk of which had anxiously anticipated some customer to relieve him from the monotony of his position. Observing that the occupants of the wagon were hesitating what to do, rubbing his hands very affably, stepped to the door without their notice, and saw two specimens of either sex, both veritable Hoosiers, in earnest conversation; from which he inferred that they had sold out their marketing, and were returning home; judging also, from their remarks, that they were brother and sister, the latter the most important man of the two, at least so far as tongue was concerned. Said she: "I tell yer, Jake, this yer's the place, shure! didn't Ole Hoss say it had a dog-on big fiddle, all over goold, hangin' over the door? I'll bet any o' them thar city fellers kin smile off Fransay like all wrath; they kin, shure!" To which her companion replied: "Wal neow, yeou, Sal, if that's so, jest yeou shake off sum o' them thar shucks off o' that humspun o' yeourn, ef yeou want em to think yeou're sum persimmons, afore yeou budge eout o' the waggin, and mind yeou stick the right huff eout fust, 'cawse them thar city fellers 's got eyes like a 'possum, and they allers use 'em, dod blast 'em!" "Don't yer suppose I've been in this yer diggins afore, yew Jake, yew?" said she; "jist yew hold on tew the critters, or they'll be off quicker 'n skeered pups, they will, shure! an' I'll git eout an' see if this yer newsishener's got the tewne I'm arter." The clerk stepped back to the door before our heroine had alighted; and as she drew near, he very politely bowed her in, she in return curtseying as best she could, although contrasting rather ludicrously, she being so much the taller of the two. Proffering the buxom lass a seat at the counter, and stepping quickly behind it, the clerk accosted her with, "Rather cold this morning, Ma'am," recieving the reply, "Wall, I reckin 'tis summut chilly shure; but, Mister, may be you've got sich a tewne as Pensive Sammy hain't ye?" "Pensive Sammy?" reiterated the clerk, meditatingly—"Pensive Sammy? reelly, Miss, I do not recollect a piece of that name, but I'll look for it." With commendable perseverence he examined the different folios containing the requisite initials, then the catalogues of the different publishers, but all in vain, and turning to his fair customer, who had watched him closely, he said he could not find it, neither did he recollect such a piece. "Yew never did, didn't ye?" she inquired; "Wal, ginn me that thar ole book kiver, that yew keep yew're tewnes in, I kin find it, I dew." She had not looked long before she st pped, and eyeing the clerk inquiringly, said: "Wal, neow, I forgot tew ax ye, dew yew purley de Fransay? Jest look o' that thar! that thar's the tewne, shure's ye live, that is!" "Oh! that is *Pensez a moi*, Miss," said he, "a very popular old ballad, and much sung here; you do not pronounce the name of it exactly right, that's all; it is called *Pensez a moi*." "What?" said she; "dem me hear yew say that wunst more, will ye?" He repeated it, and gave her the meaning of it. But she losing her patience, replied: "Look a here, Mister, I kin say Fransay, I kin. I learnt by word o' mouth; an' the feller as learnt me kin rattle it off worse 'n the fever an' ager. Yew hain't got the hang o' that thar, shure's yere born, yew hain't.—But that that's the piece any how; an' I'll take it, shure. Aleow much is't?" "Ten cents ma'am," was the reply: and while it was being wrapped up, she soliloquized: "That thar city fellar thinks he knows a heap, an' he dun no nuthin' no how; he sez: 'Pon-saize!' p, o, n, pon! an' its p, e, n, pen!—s, e, a, i, s, e, o; seuisel an' its s, e, v, sev!—ony the v's got kinder twisted Fransay-fash'n, with a long end tew it; an' of P, e, n, s, e, v, ain't Pensive, my name ain't Sal Plintin. He needn't tew try no Buckeye talk on tew me, he needn't. He sez, 'in, o, i, means me!' that's so, shure; fur that's the way Ole Fransay up in Indianer sez; and ain't that Sammy when yew put the fust half on tew it, I'd like tew know? only ye got tew rattle it off jist like the Fransay fellars dew." So abstract had she been with her meditations, that she well nigh forgot her parcel, but, turning round, received it from the clerk, saying: "Here's yer dime, Mister, sorry I troubled ye, but yew hain't got the hang o' that thar Fransay, yew hain't. Jist cum up tew eour diggins in Indi-an-er, an' our Fransay fellers 'll show ye how tew say that thar to a persimmon, they will." And with a "Good mornin' Mister," she stepped into the wagon, and imparting to "Jake" her discovery of the assumption and ignorance of the "city-fellers," drove off in high glee.

"SLOCUM, how is it to-day—can you take that note up?"

"I'm sorry to say I can't—never was so cramped in my life."

"By the way, you are always cramped, are you not?"

"I'm sorry to say I am; and yet there is a natural cause for it."

"And what is that?"

"Why I was weaned on green apples and water mellons."

"Do you cast things here?" inquired a Yankee, the other day, as he sauntered into the foundry and addressed the proprietor.

"We do."

"You cast all kind of things in iron, eh?" was the next inquiry.

"Certainly, don't you see that is our business?"

"Ah! well *cast me a shadow*, will you?"

SOMETHING FOR DAIRYMEN.—If twenty-seven inches of snow give three inches of water, how much milk will a cow give when fed on ruta-baga turnips? Multiply the flakes of snow by the hairs on the cow's tail; then divide the product by a tuenip, and a pound of chalk, and the sum will be the answer.

NEW POET.—A correspondent sends us a small poem, which he says, "he composed awl himself." One verse will do for a specimen:

A squirel is a prete bard,
Its got a quirle'tale;
He stole awl me chil-ilr korn,
And et it on a rael.

AQUATIC.—"I'm afloat! I'm afloat!" screamed out a young lady of powerful lungs and fingers to match, as she exercised both at the piano.

"You're afloat, eh?" growled an old sea dog; "I should judge you *were* afloat by the *squall* you raised."

NEVER CAST an indignity upon a boy, for you may yet live to be a supplant for that boy's favor. The man who will be President in the year 1898, is now perhaps engaged in peddling matches for a living, or driving a clam express wagon.

FEMALE LOVELINESS.—A pretty woman is a brilliant poem, full of rhyme, sentiment, and all manner of illustrations. When bound in one's arms, she increases to several volumes.

THE business hours of birds differ from our own, their *notes* being mostly given out before 10 A. M.

THE DOMESTIC SOLUTION OF VULGAR FRACTIONS—Bread pudding.

THE REAL ORDER OF MERIT.—A ready—money-order.

ADVICE TO BARNUM.—Now you've written your life, try to mend it.

A MATERIAL GUARANTEE.—Being measured for a coat, and finding your own cloth.

PHILADELPHIA.

DEGOU & MIDDLETON,
IMPORTERS of, and dealers in IRON AND STEEL, *No. 13 North Water Street, above Market, Philadelphia.* April 7, 1855. 14-1y

BOUNTY-LAND WARRANTS.
SOLDIERS, and the Widows of persons who have served in any of the wars of the United States, since 1790, who are entitled, under the late act of Congress, to 160 acres of land, can have their claims promptly attended to at reasonable charges, by applying to J. JONES, *Att'y, Attorney & Counsellor at Law,* April 28, 1855* 17-6m 21 Exchange Pl., Balto.

CALEB MILLER, SUCCESSOR TO JOHN A. BROWN, *No. 22 South Sixth Street, Philadelphia,*
MANUFACTURER of Emery, Sand and Glass Paper, Emery, Sand and Emery Cloth, and Chalk; wholesale prices. Philadelphia, February 10, 1855 6-3m

THOMAS DEPUY. WATSON DEPUY.
DEPUY & SONS,
NO. 43 North Second Street, below Church-hill, and South-west corner Eighth & Spring Streets, *Philadelphia*, would respectfully inform their former customers and others, that they have just added to a splendid assortment of *Carpets, Oil Cloths, Matting, Window Shades, Door Mats*, &c., &c., at very reduced prices, wholesale and retail.
TAKE NOTICE.—*We will sell our goods as cheap as any other House of the kind in the City.*
Philadelphia, April 7, 1855 14-6m

STRAW AND MILLINERY GOODS,
Wholesale and Retail.
WM. T. HILL, Straw Hat and Bonnet manufacturer and dealer in Straw Goods in general, No. 321 North Second street, (below Noble, east side, directly opposite Bull's Red Lion Hotel,) Philadelphia, where may be found a large and extensive assortment of goods in the above line, to which the attention of Country Storekeepers and Milliners is particularly invited. ☞ All goods sold at the lowest cash prices. March 24, 1855 12-3m

MILLINERY GOODS.
Spring Sales, 1855.
JOHN STONE & SONS, No. 45 South Second Street, Philadelphia, have just opened their Spring importations of *Silks, Bonnet Ribbons, Flowers, Laces, Crapes, &c., &c.*, including a general assortment of *Millinery Articles* of the most fashionable styles.
The above goods have been imported expressly for our Spring sales, and comprise the largest and best assortment in our line to be found in this market.
Philadelphia, March 10, 1855 10-3m

CARPETING SELLING BELOW COST
THE Subscriber, determined to close out all the new styles of English Velvets, Tapestry, Brussels, Ingrains and 5 Ply and Venetian Carpets made by the celebrated John Crossley & Sons, England; together with an immense stock of Ingrain, 3 Ply and Venetian Carpets of desirable manufacture, oil Cloths, Stair Rods, Draggets, Sheep Skins and Cocoa Mats, &c., &c., below cost, for cash. Now is the time for bargains.
ROBERT B. WALKER.
199 *Chesnut street, below Eighth, south side.*
Philadelphia, March 10, 1855 10-3m

TO CASH BUYERS.
BAILEY & BROTHER,
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HAVE NOW OPEN
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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

ARCH STREET HAT STORE,
N. E. Cor. 8th & Arch Sts., Philadelphia.
At the above establishment may be found a complete assortment of every description, at prices which cannot fail to please. Every article is manufactured on the premises, and no goods are allowed to leave the store unless they are perfect in every respect. Particular attention is invited to the *Marvin Hats* at *Three Dollars*, which for beauty and durability will compare favorably with those sold elsewhere for four dollars.
April 14, 1855 13-3m W. C. WILLMARTH.

SOMETHING NEW.
CLOTH for *Window Shades*. **C. H. MILLER'S** *New article of Gum Cloth, and now in store.* **Self-Acting Improved Spring Fixtures.**

French Glazed Window Shades
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Gold Border Shades, Full Landscape Border Shades, Scroll Landscapes, Scroll Landscapes and Flowers, Rich Tassels and Window Shades, Fixtures, Cords, Tassels, &c., &c. Store, Lockport, Lodge-room and other Shades made to order, at C. H. MILLER'S
Exclusive Window Shade Manufactory,
No. 6 Depot, South West corner Second and Arch streets, Philadelphia. April 21, 1855 16-3m

AND'W R. REEDER, AUCTIONEER,
NO. 167 N. Third St., (4 door below Vine) Philadelphia.
Sales at Store Every Evening,
Commencing at 7 o'clock. Will be sold at the Auction Store, a general variety of goods; consisting in part of Boots and Shoes, Cloths, Cassimers, Hardware, Carpets, Patent Thread, Spool Cotton, Black Silks, Lambrettas, Hosiery and Gloves of all kinds, Silk and Linen Hdk'fs, Shawls, Clothing, and many other goods not enumerated. The attention of Country Storekeepers is particularly invited to these sales, where will always find goods to suit them. ☞ Goods can be examined on the afternoon previous to the sale. Every article guaranteed to be as represented.

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Great Bargains!
LACY & PHILLIPS,
SADDLE and Harness manufacturers, Fifth and Minor streets, Philadelphia, beg to call the attention of their patrons and the public generally to their present location, and to apprise them that having arranged the portion of their stock saved from the late fire, and intending to commence business on their old stand, as soon as it is repaired, with an entire new stock, consisting of every description of Double and Single Harness, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Riding Saddles, and every article in the trade, at a very heavy reduction from the original cost, they respectfully invite its inspection by the public generally.
Philadelphia, Feb. 17, 1855. 7-3m

BARLOW'S INDICO BLUE
IS now well established as the best article ever offered for *Blueing Clothes*. It is entirely free from *Acid*, or anything injurious to the finest articles.
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Drugs, Chemicals, Paints, Varnishes, Dye Stuffs, &c., with a most fair assortment of everything in the line, to Storekeepers, Physicians and Manufacturers supplied at reasonable rates. ALF. WILLIS, Druggist.
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Of the National Safety Company.
WALNUT STREET, South-West corner of Third street, Philadelphia. Incorporated by the State of Pennsylvania in 1851.
Five percent 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.
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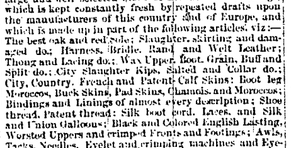
JOHN DONNELLY.
106 North Fourth street, Philadelphia.
December 9, 1854 48-6m

A. L. ARCHAMBAULT'S
Portable Steam Hoisting and Pumping Engines,



FOR loading and discharging Cargoes, Piledriving, mining from Open Mines, pumping Water, driving Saw-mashers, &c. Also, arranged expressly for driving portable and stationary Saw Mills. Also, to attach them to Mills where water-power has failed.
WOOD OR COAL CAN BE USED FOR FUEL.
They are moved by a team on any road. The first Premium (Silver Medal) was awarded by the Franklin Institute, at their exhibitions in 1857 and 1858; also by the Pennsylvania State Agricultural Society, at Philadelphia, in 1854. Manufactured only by the inventor,
A. L. ARCHAMBAULT,
N. E. cor. 16th & Hamilton Sts., above Widow,
(late 13 Drinker's Alley.)
☞ *Engines always on hand.*
Philadelphia, January 27, 1855 4-6m

PHILADELPHIA.

LEVY & Co., No. 29, N. 4th Street, Philadelphia.
FRITZ, HEILBRONNER, Manufacturers, Third street, corner of FRENCH CALF-SKINS, and dealers in Calf and Sole Leather and Kipp. Philadelphia, February 17, 1855 7-1y

AUSTIN BROWN,
MANUFACTURER and Wholesale Dealer in FLOOR, CARRIAGE AND TABLE OIL CLOTHS, Warehouse, No. 110 North Third Street, S. W. corner of Race, up Stairs, Philadelphia.
Dealers are assured that I have the largest Stock in Philadelphia, and will sell at the very lowest rates.
March 17, 1855 11-3m

CITY MARBLE WORKS
And Steam Mantle Factory,
CORNER OF VINE AND FIFTH STREETS, PHILADELPHIA.
J. E. & B. SCHELL, having greatly improved their facilities for the manufacture of every variety of *Marble Works*, embracing the best styles of *Mantles, Table-tops, Flooring, Tombs and Monuments*, are prepared to supply orders upon reasonable terms.
Philadelphia, March 10, 1855. 10-3m

PLATFORM SCALES
OF every description, suitable for Railroads, &c., for weighing Hay, Coal, Ore, and Merchandize generally. Purchasers run no risk, *every Scale is guaranteed correct*, and if, after trial, not found satisfactory, can be returned without charge.
☞ Factory at the Old Stand, established for more than twenty years, corner of Ninth and Melon streets, Philadelphia. ABBOTT & CO.,
Feb. 10, 1855 6-6m *Successors to Ellicott & Abbott.*

SPRING GOODS, 1855,
J. D. GREEN has now in his store a large and choice stock of SPRING DRESS GOODS, to which he particularly asks the attention of the ladies of Pottsville. Beautiful spring silks, from 62½c. to $2.50, Barèges and Grenadine robes, French Lawns and Jaconets, Plain Cambricks and Percals, British and French prints, Barège de laines, Summer mouselins, &c. Bischof's super. Black silks, unequalled in color and quality; Shawls and Mantillas in great variety, and at the lowest prices.
J. D. Greene has but ONE PRICE, and that the LOWEST for CASH. Corner of Ninth and Arch streets, Philadelphia. March 17, 1855 11-3m

COLEMAN'S CUTLERY STORE,
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, Birks, Bowie Knives, &c.
Also—a very extensive assortment of Walters, 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. 20, 1854 [Dec. 27, '54-2y] 51-tf

BARGAINS IN CARPETS.
BAILEY & BROTHER, Chesnut St. above Ninth, Philadelphia, are now offering a very large stock of CARPETINGS, at greatly reduced prices, consisting of
Velvet, Tapestry and Brussels:
Three Ply, Ingrain and Venetians:
Floor Oil Cloths, Druggets and Mats;
Canton Matting, &c., &c., in all widths.

Also, American Ingrains.
20,000 yards of new styles at 50, 62½, and 75 cents, being the best assortment ever offered at the prices. Most of these goods are reduced about 25 per cent since the summer prices.
BAILEY & BROTHER.
March 17, '55 11-3m No. 252 Chesnut St., above 9th.

SAMUEL S. FETHERSTON,
DEALER IN LAMPS, LANTERNS, Chandeliers, and Candelabras, No. 162 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 offered to retail Shop Oil, Camphene, Burning Fluid, Hard and Oil Lamps, and Lanterns of all patterns; Glass lamps by the package at a small advance over auction prices. Being 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, Oct. 28, 1854. 43-1y

NEW SPRING GOODS,
At Warburton's Cheap Store!
WHERE will be found a splendid and cheap stock constantly replenished from New York and Philadelphia Auctions, of *EMBROIDERIES* in all the newest designs, of every description, imported at prices which cannot fail to satisfy purchasers. *LACE GOODS*, in the choicest patterns of English, French and German, as well selected and extensive a stock as can be found in the city.
Gloves, Hosiery, imp ried Muslins and Fancy Goods.
Millinery Goods Cut a Wholesale Prices.
An extensive assortment of Goods, suitable for the trade, which will be offered on the most advantageous terms at
1220 *Chesnut and S., 2nd Dry Goods Store below Seventh*
Philadelphia, March 31, 1855 13-2m

FURNITURE! FURNITURE!!
H. F. Hoover
Respectfully informs his customers of Pottsville, and the people generally of Schuylkill county, in search of the best Furniture, that they will find it greatly to their advantage to purchase at his Warehouse, where they will find a large stock of the most modern styles to select from. The subscriber does not say that his Goods are for less than cheap, and buying his materials for cash, and having no apprentices, but employing the best of workmen, enables him to offer great inducements to those in want of really good Furniture at low prices. Those who must have a bargain, can purchase at the store "one shilling." All goods bought at his Warerooms will be warranted, and if intended for the country will be packed with care and despatch.
H. F. HOOVER,
No. 125 *South Second street, below Chesnut, west side*, Philadelphia, March 10, 1855 10-3m

GAS FIXTURES AND LAMPS.
GREAT Bargains at No 221 North Second street, above Vine, Philadelphia.
The subscribers offer to the trade and public in generals of their own manufacture, in all its various branches of latest style and finish, Gas Chandeliers, Pendants, Side Brackets, Drop Lights, Hall Lanterns, &c., &c., all kinds and desirable patterns of Lamp Chandeliers, Side Brackets, Pendants, Improved Fine Oil Lamps, Hall, Lard, Oil, Suspending, Stand and Night Lamps, both fancy and plain, suitable for all purposes where light may be required. Girandoles, Bracket-holders, Vases, large variety of Ship Lamps, Binnacle, Side and Stand Lamps. All work warranted and prices reduced, in consequence of having extensive machinery and being practically engaged, giving strict attention to the manufacturing part; also to the accommodation of customers.
FAIRCHILD, HORNTHO & BROTHER.
Philadelphia, March 31, 1855. 13-3m

F. H. SMITH,
MANUFACTURER OF
Fort Monnaies, Pocket Books & Dressing Cases,
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ALWAYS on hand, a large and varied assortment of

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NEW MUSIC
LEE & WALKER, Successors to GEORGE WILLIG, No. 180 Chesnut street, under the Girard 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 large assortment of the best manufacturers of New York and Boston, at the lowest cash prices.
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.
Also, a general assortment of Guitars, Violins, Banjoes, Flutes, Accordeons, &c., Violin, Guitar and Harp Strings, of the best Italian quality—in all of which the trade is 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

TO THE LADIES
Of Pottsville and Vicinity.
AGNEW & CO., 196 Chesnut Street, Philadelphia, are now offering to purchasers a splendid stock of New Spring Shawls, Mantillas and Dress Goods; their assortment of Parisienne Mantillas is very extensive, comprising one of the best selected stocks in the city, and at extremely low prices.
Shawls.—Broche, Cashmere and Gold Bordered Shawls, long and square. Also, a large assortment of Rich Embroidered and Plain Canton Crape Shawls.
Silks.—Particular attention is requested to our stock of Brocade, Plain, Plaid, Stripe, Moreu Antiques and Black Silks, of all qualities and prices. Wish Silks in great variety.
Dress Goods.—Flounced Barege Robes, Grenadines, Tissues, Barèges, Organdie's Mousseline Challis Delaines, Brilliants, French and English Chintzes, &c. Embroideries, of all descriptions, Collars, Sleeves, Ruffles, Insertings, with a full stock of Ribbons, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Gloves, Hosiery, &c.
Constantly receiving fresh supplies of seasonable goods, per steamers from Havre, Liverpool, New York and Philadelphia Auction Sales. Purchasers are requested to call and examine our stock of splendid Paying Goods before purchasing. AGNEW & CO.
March 31, '55 13-2m 196 *Chesnut St., Philadelphia.*

A STEAM ENGINES FOR SALE,
AT the Fairmount Rolling Mill, 30th street, above Coates, Schuylkill, Philadelphia.
One horizontal, high pressure English—sixteen inch cylinder, five feet stroke, with two force pumps, a copper air vessel, a 6 inch exhaust header combining 6 five inch tubes, a flat iron bed-plate, with or without pedestals, fly wheel shaft, counter shaft, and cog wheels—but without fly-wheel and hollers; rated at seventy-five horse power. Suitable for a Colliery or Pumping Engine.
Also, one small Upright Engine—ten inch cylinder, by fourteen and a half inches stroke, with a fly-wheel pulley six feet diameter by ten and a half inches face—the whole upon an iron bed-plate and columns, without pump or boiler; rated at ten horse power. Both of the above Engines were built by Reaney, Neafie & Co., Kensington, and can be seen in operation at any time, by calling on the subscribers. They are to be sold to give place to larger ones.
Also, an Upright Tubular Boiler—three feet diameter, eleven feet high, containing ninety-two tubes four inches and a-quarter in diameter, with a new flue-iron chimney and damper, twenty-nine inches diameter and thirty-five feet high, giving a draft of forty-six feet from the grate bars.
The above described machinery will be sold separately or together. The Engines to be delivered the first week in July next. The small Boiler is now in use and can be delivered at any time. CHARLES E. SMITH & CO.
Philadelphia, March 31, 1855 13-3m

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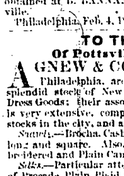
Patent Champion Fire Proof Safes,
With Hall's Patent Powder Proof Locks.



With which were awarded SEVEN Gold Medals at the World's Fair London, 1851, and also at the World's Fair, New York, 1853 and '54. The subscribers are the sole manufacturers and proprietors in this State of the above unequalled Safes and Locks. The reputation of the genuine "Herring's Safe" is world wide, and by the last thirteen years the mercantile community have witnessed and borne testimony to their *never failing* fire proof qualities. More than 12,000 of these Safes have been sold, and over *two hundred* have passed triumphantly through accidental fires. The public are assured that all Safes manufactured by the subscribers are not only guaranteed to be fully equal, but in many respects even superior to those which have been so severely tried by fire. For will forget their services in the burning of the "Tribune establishment," New York, and at the Great Fire in Strawberry street, at the large fire last July, opposite the Girard House: and still more recently in the fire at Fifth and Minor sts. in this city, in which these Safes came forth the acknowledged *Champion*; when many other securities failed. FARREL & CO.
Iron Safes and Bank Lock Makers, 33 Walnut st., Philada.
Chilled Iron Safes, with Powder Proof Locks; manufactured expressly for Banks, Brokers, Jewellers, and others requiring security from arsons. **Bank Vaults, Doors, &c.,** on hand, and made to order. All the most celebrated **Locks for sale at manufacturers' prices.** Fifty per cent. saved.
Second hand "Safes," "Salamanders" and "Iron Chests" of other makers, having been taken in part payment for Herring's, for sale at half price.
March 17, 1855 11-3m

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MINERSVILLE, Schuylkill County, Pa., continue to manufacture to order, all sizes of
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