Wit and Humor.

THE COURTIN'.

BY JAMES RUSSELL LOWELL.

Zekle crep' up quite unbeknown
An' peeked in thru the winder,
An' there sot Huldy all alone,
'Ith no one nigh to hinder.

The walnut logs shot sparkles out
Towards the pootiest—bless her!—
An' leetle fires danced all about
The chiny on the dresser.

Agin the wall the crooknecks hung,
An' in amongst 'em rusted
The old Queen's arm that Gran'ther Young
Brought down from Concord busted.

The very room, coz she was in't,
Looked warm from floor to ceilin',
An' she looked full as rosy agin
As the apples she was peelin'.

She heer'd a foot, an' know'd it tu,
A raspin' on the scraper—
All ways to once her feelin's flew,
Like sparks in burnt up paper.

He kin' o' l'itered on the mat;
Some doubtful o' the seekle;
His heart kept go'in pitty-pat,
But hern went pity Zeekle.

STITCHING A BUTTON-HOLE.

"The best shot I ever knew, was a tailor, at Albany. He used to be very fond of a brousin' in the forest sometimes, and the young fellows were apt to have a shy at Thimble. They talked of *skirts* of the forest, the *capes* of the Hudson, laughing in their *sleeves*, giving a fellow a *basein*, having a *stitch* in the side, *cuffing* a fellow's ears, taking a *tuck-in* at lunch, or calling mint-julip an *inside lining*, and so on; and every time any o' these words came out, they all laughed like anything.

"Well, the critter, who was really a capital fellow; used to join in the laugh himself, but still grinnin' is no proof a man enjoys it:—for a hyena will laugh, if you give him a poke.— So what does he do, but practice in secret every morning and evening at pistol-shooting for an hour or two, until he was a shade more than perfection itself. Well, one day he was out with a party of them same *coons*, and they began to run the old rig on him as usual. And he jumps up on eend, and in a joking kind o' way, said: 'Gentle*men*, can any of you *stitch a button-hole*, with the button in it?'— Well, they all roared out like mad.

"'No, Sirree,' sais they, 'but come, show us, *Thimble*, will you? that's a good fellow. Tom fetch the *goose*, to press it, when it's done.— Dick, *cabbage* a bit of cloth for him to try it upon. Why, Tom, you are as *sharp as a needle*.'

"'Well,' said he, 'I'll show you.'

"So he went to a tree, and took out of his pocket a fippenny bit, that had a hole in the centre, and putting in it a small nail, which he had provided, he fastened it to the tree.

"'Now,' said he, taking out a pair of pistols, and of ammunition, from the bottom of his prog-basket, where he had hid them. 'Now,' said he, 'gentle*men*, the way to stitch a button-hole, is to put balls all round that button, in in a close ring, and never disturb them; that's what we tailors call workmanlike,' and he fired away, shot after shot, till he had it.

"'Now,' said he, 'gentle*men*, that button has to be fastened,' and he fired, and he drove the nail that it hung on, into the tree. 'And now, gentle*men*,' said he, 'I have stood your shots for many a long day; turn about is fair play. The first man that cracks a joke with me, on account of my calling, must stand my shot, and if I don't stitch his button-hole for him, I am no tailor: that's all.'

"Well, they all cheered him when he sat down, and they drank his health; and the boss of the day said: 'Well, Street,' said he, 'you *are a man*.'

"There you are again, said Street; that is a covered joke at a tailor being only the ninth part of one. I pass it over this time, but let's have *no more of it*.'

"'No, Sirree, no,' said boss; 'on honor now, I didn't mean it. And I say, too, let there be no more of it.'"

QUANDARIES.—Knocking at the wrong door, and hesitating whether you shall run away and say nothing about it, or stay and apologize.

Crossing the road until you see a gig coming one way, and a cab another—so that if you move on, you are sure to be knocked by one, and if you stand still, you may possibly be crushed by both.

Finding yourself in a damp bed on a cold night, and cogitating whether you will lie still and catch your death, or get up and dress, and pass the night on the two cane-bottom chairs.

Paying your addresses to a pennyless fair one, under the impression that she is an heiress; and on discovering your error, having the option of marrying the young lady, or of being shot by the young lady's brother.

Dining at a friend's house, where you must either drink wine till you become intoxicated, or refrain till you become disagreeable.

Coming to four cross roads, one of which you must take at random, or just walk back a mile or two and inquire your way.

Being blandly informed by a surgeon that you can either have your leg amputated, or leave it alone and die in a few days.

YOU PUPPY, YOU.—A tradesman, where the schoolmaster had not been abroad as much as would have been more convenient, employed a boy to write his letters for him; and, for some cause, not being in a very good humor, called the boy, for being absent, a puppy, at the conclusion of every dictated sentence. The boy, in revenge for being so called, wrote every word he said, as follows:

"SIR:—I have purchased the goods, you puppy you, as per order, you puppy you; they are cheap, you puppy you. I shall ship them by canal, when navigable, you puppy you.— Please send me by return of mail, you puppy you, the amount of enclosed bill, you puppy you. By so doing you will oblige

Your humble servant,
you puppy you,
TOM RIVER,
you puppy you."

HIGHFALUTIN.—A new paper has been started at Quakertown, Bucks County, Pa., entitled the "Star Spangled Banner," which in point of rhetoric, *takes down* anything we have met with lately. Its introductory editorial opens with the following sublime burst:

"It is with mingled emotions of profound mortification and sincere regret, we feel ourself compelled, by a sense of imperative duty, to acknowledge the unavoidable cause of our great delay in issuing the first number of the Banner!!"

THE PUN OF THE PIANIST.—At a large fire at a piano-forte maker's, an instrument worth two hundred guineas was burned. It was inlaid with mother-of-pearl and other costly decorations. "Dear me," said a gentleman to the proprietor, "how was it they could not contrive to save that splendid instrument?" "why," replied the proprietor, who, being insured, could afford to joke, "the reason was, that the engines could not *play* upon it, I am told."

GUSTAVUS was a youth of eighteen.
"Gustavus, do you love me now as ever?"
"My dear, can you doubt my affection? I would make any sacrifice for *you*!"
"Then do, Gustavus, please cultivate a nice pair of whiskers. They would be so becoming."
"Aw, love; for *your* sake I will *try*!"

A WAG in New York, standing at the corner of Oliver and Cherry streets, opposite to one of the "Catskill ice" carts, drew a piece of chalk from his pocket and marked M before the word "ice," which of course made it read, "Catskill mice."

A NEW PLAY has just been brought out in Brooklyn. It is called "The Haunted Dog Cart; or the Mysterious Bow wow." It is written by the gentleman who proposed to cur-tail Hamlet.

THE MAN who "fell into rapture" with a pretty girl was got out with much difficulty.

PHILADELPHIA.

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, Bereze and Grenadine robes, French Lawns and Jaconets, Pixin Cambricks and Percals, British and French prints, Bareze de laines, Summer mouseline, &c. Bischoff's super. black silks, unequalled in color and quality. Shawls and Mantillas in great variety, and at the lowest prices.

J. D. Green has but ONE PRICE, and that the LOWEST for CASH. Corner of Ninth and Arch streets, Philadelphia. March 17, 1855 11-3m

GAS FIXTURES AND LAMPS.

GREAT Bargains at No. 221 North Second street, above Vine, Philadelphia. The subscribers offer to the trade and public in general, of their own manufacture, in all its various branches, of latest style and finish, Gas Chandeliers, Pendants, Side Brackets, Drop Lights, Pillar Lights, &c. &c. Also, new and desirable patterns of Lamp Chandeliers, Side Brackets, Pendants, Improved Pine Oil Lamp, Fluid, Lard, Oil, Suspending, Stand and Night Lamps, both fancy and plain, suitable for all purposes where light may be required. Girandoles, Bouquet-holders, Vases, large variety of Ship Lamps, Binical, Side and Stand Lamps. All work warranted and prices reduced, in consequence of having extensive machinery and being Practical Mechanics, giving strict attention to the manufacturing part; also, to the accommodation of customers.

HEIDRICK, HORNING & BROTHER.
Philadelphia, March 31, 1855 13-6m

BARLOW'S INDIGO BLUE

IS now well established as the best article ever offered for Bluing Clothes. It is entirely free from Acid, or anything injurious to the finest articles.

All Housekeepers who have not used it will find it much cheaper and less trouble than Indigo or any other article out. The great demand for it has brought out several Imitations. Storekeepers and consumers will be careful to get BENJAMIN BARLOW'S, put up at Alfred Wiltberger's Drug Store, No. 189 North Second Street, Philadelphia. Storekeepers can get their supplies from the Grocers and Druggists they deal with, at prices that will pay them a good profit.

Drugs, Chemicals, Paints, Varnishes, Dye Stuffs, &c., &c., with a best rate assortment of everything in the line. Storekeepers, Physicians and Manufacturers supplied at reasonable rates. ALF. WILTBERGER, Druggist,
No. 189 North Second Street, Philadelphia.
April 7, 1855 14-6m

F. H. SMITH,
MANUFACTURER OF
Port Monnaies, Pocket Books & Dressing Cases,
N. W. Cor. Fourth & Chesnut Sts., Philadelphia.

ALWAYS on hand, a large and varied assortment of
Port Monnaies, Pocket Books, Bankers' Cases, Note Holders, Port Folios, Pocket Memorandum Books, Dressing Cases, Work Boxes, Cabas, Traveling Bags, Backgammon Boards, Chessmen, Portable Desks, Cigar Cases, &c. &c.
Also, a general assortment of English, French and German Fancy Goods.
Fine Pocket Cutlery, Razors, Razor Strops, and Gold Pens.
Wholesale, Second and third floors.
F. H. SMITH,
N. W. Corner Fourth & Chesnut Sts., Philadelphia.
☞ On the receipt of $1, a superior Gold Pen will be sent to any part of the United States, by mail—describing Pen, thus—medium, hard, or soft.
March 31, 1855 13-1y

MUSIC PUBLISHING HOUSE.

LEE & WALKER, Successors to GEORGE WILLIG, No. 188 Chesnut street, under the Utah House, Philadelphia, are constantly publishing the latest Music, from the most popular Authors in the United States, in a style that will vie with any issued at any other house, either in this country or Europe.

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

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

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

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

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

Orders punctually attended to.

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

Philadelphia, Feb. 4, 1854 5-tf

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 Ready-made Mantillas is very extensive, comprising one of the best selected stocks in the city, and at extremely low prices.

Shawls.—Brocha, 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 Brocades, Plain, Plaid, Stripe, Moray Antique and Black Silks, of all qualities and prices. Wash Silks in great variety.

Dress Goods.—Chintzed Barege Robes, Grenadines, Tissues, Bareges, Organdie Mouslines, Challie Delaines, Brilliants, French and English Chintz, &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 Spring Goods before purchasing. AGNEW & CO.,
March 31, '55 13-3m 196 Chesnut St., Philadelphia.

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 he keeps constantly fresh by a perpetual supply from the manufacturers of this country and of Europe, and which is in part composed of the following, viz:—Thick and thin Spanish Sole Leather; Slaughter and Damaged Sole; Harness, Bridle, Band and Welt Leather; Thick and Light Upper; Wax Upper; Boot, Grain, Buff and Split do.; City Slaughter Kips, Split and Collar do.; City, Country, French and Patent Calf Skins; Boot leg Morocco; Bark 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 enlarged Fronts and Footings; Awls, Tacks, Needles, Tools and crimping machines and Eyelets; also, Copper and Zinc Nails, Gilt Heel Bags, Knives, Rubbers, Pegs, Bristles and Rand Web; Hammers, Boot and Shoe Trees, Lasts, Crimps, Clamps, Handles, Gum, Pole, 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. JOHN WHITE,
Importer and Dealer, 457 Market St., above 13th, Philadelphia.
Aug. 12, 1854. 32-1y

STEAM ENGINES FOR SALE.

AT the Fairmount Rolling Mill, 30th Street, above Coates, Schuylkill, Philadelphia. One horizontal, high pressure Engine—sixteen inch cylinder, five feet stroke, with two force pumps, a copper steam steam (?) heater, [illegible] with fifty-two copper tubes, a [illegible] gallon plate, with or without pedestal. Fly wheel shaft, counter shaft [illegible] with all of the wheels—but without the boilers; [illegible] at seventy-five horse power. Suitable for a Colliery or Pumping Engine.

Also, one small Upright Engine—a new cylinder, by fourteen and a half inches stroke, with fly-wheel plain six feet diameter, by ten and a half inches face—this will do up in a ton bed plate and columns is without pump or boiler; 2 at ten horse power. Both of the above Engines were built by Messrs. 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 [illegible] tubes, two iron tubes, and seven-eighths inches in diameter, with a new flue iron chimney and damper, twenty-one 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 not in use and can be delivered at any time. CHARLES E. SMITH & CO.
Philadelphia, March 31, 1855 13-3m

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 housekeeping, 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 Matches 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 secured against moisture and spontaneous combustion, and dispels all danger on transportation by means of Railroad, Steamboat, or any other mode of conveyance.

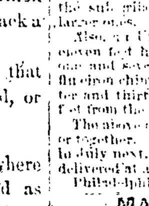
These matches are packed so that one gross or more may be shipped to any part of the world with perfect safety. They are the most desirable article for home consumption, and the Southern and Western markets that have ever been invented.

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 4-6m

HERRING'S
Patent Champion Fire Proof Safes,

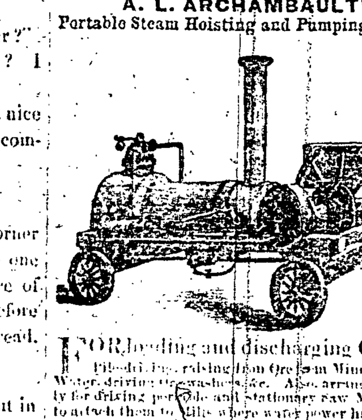


With Hall's Patent Powder Proof Locks, which were awarded separate Medals at the World's Fair London, 1851, and also at the World's Fair, New York, 1853 and '54. The subscribers are the sole manufacturers and proprietors in this State of the above unequalled Safes and Locks. The reputation of the genuine "Herring's Safe" is world wide, and for 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 actually 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. Few 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 fires at Fifth and Chesnut sts. in this city, in which these Safes came forth the acknowledged Champion when many other securities failed. FARRELL & CO.
Iron Safe and Bank Lock Makers, 34 Walnut st. Philada.
Chilled Iron Safes, with Powder Proof Locks, manufactured expressly for Banks, Brokers, Jewellers, and others requiring security from robbers. Bank Vaults, Doors, &c., on hand and made to order. All the most celebrated Locks for sale at manufacturers' prices.

Second hand Safes. "Salamanders" and "Iron Chests" of other makes, having been taken in part payment for Herring's, for sale at half price.

March 17, 1855 11-5m

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



FOR loading and discharging Cargoes, Piledriving, raising Iron Ore from Mines, pumping Water, driving Concrete washers, &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 1851 and 1853; also by the Pennsylvania State Agricultural Society at Philadelphia, in 1854. Manufactured only by the inventor,
A. L. ARCHAMBAULT,
N. E. cor. 15th & Hamilton Sts. above Willow,
(late 17 Drinker's Alley.)
☞ Engines always on hand.
Philadelphia, January 6, 1855 1-6m

PHILADELPHIA.

DECOU & MIDDLETON,

IMPORTERS of, and dealers in IRON AND STEEL, No. 15 North Water Street, above Market, Philadelphia. April 7, 1855 14-1y

LEATHER.

FRITZ, HENDRY & Co., No. 29, N. Third street, Philadelphia, Morocco Manufacturers, Curriers, and Importers of FRENCH CALF-SKINS, and dealers in Red and Oak Sole Leather and Kipp.
Philadelphia, February 17, 1855 7-1y

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, Jr., Attorney & Conveyancer,
April 28, 1855 17-6m 21 Sansom St., Philada.

CITY MARBLE WORKS
And Steam Mantle Factory,
CORNER OF TENTH AND VINE STREETS, PHILADELPHIA.

J. E. & B. SCHELL, having greatly improved their facilities for the manufacture of every variety of Marble Work, embracing the best styles of Mantles, Tablestops, Flooring, Tombs and Monuments, are prepared to supply orders upon reasonable terms.
Philadelphia, March 10, 1855. 10-3m.

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.
May 12, 1855 [Ap 22, 1854 16-1y] 19-

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, Crape, &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. 10-6m

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

J. S. DEPUY & SONS,

NO. 223 North Second Street, below Callowhill, and Southwest corner Eighth & Spring Garden Streets, Philadelphia, would respectfully inform their former customers and others, that they have just laid in a splendid assortment of Carpets, Oil Cloths, Mattings, 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

GUANO & SUP. PHOSPH. OF LIME.

THE subscribers are prepared to supply the above valuable fertilizers at market prices, in lots to suit purchasers. In store, 1,000 barrels Super Phosphate of Lime, warranted equal to any that is made.

Mexican Guano.

We call the attention of Farmers and Dealers to this Guano. By chemical analysis it is found to contain a larger proportion of Phosphate than Peruvian Guano.— 2,000 barrels landing. For sale by
J. & B. A. & S. ALLEN,
Feb. 10, 1855 6-1y 7 & 8 S. Wharves, Philadelphia

CARPETING SELLING BELOW COST

THE Subscriber, determined to close his Carpet business, offers the entire stock, consisting of all the new styles of English Velvets, Tapestry, Brussels, Ingrains and 3 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 domestic manufacture, Oil Cloths, Stair Rods, Druggets, Sheep Skins and Cocoa Mats, &c. &c., below cost, for cash. Now is the time for bargains.
ROBERT B. WALKER,
130 Chesnut Street, below Eighth, south side,
Philadelphia, March 10, 1855 10-3m

ARCH STREET HAT STORE,
N. E. Cor. 8th & Arch Sts., Philadelphia.

AT the above establishment may be found a complete assortment of Hats, Caps, Umbrellas, &c., 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 which are not perfect in every respect. Particular attention is invited to the Moleskin Hats at Three Dollars, which for beauty and durability will compare favorably with those sold elsewhere for four dollars.
April 14, 1855 15-3m W. C. WILLMARTH.

SOMETHING NEW.
CLOTH — C. H. MILLER'S — Spring SHADES. New article of Gum Cloth and new STYLE OF Improved Curtain Fixtures.
French Glazed Window Shades.

Are the great attraction now of the whole country. Gold Border Shades, Full Landscape Border Shades, Scroll Landscapes, Scroll Landscapes and Flowers, Every variety of Window Shades, Fixtures, Cords, Tassels, &c. ☞ Store, lettered, Lodge Room and other Shades made to order, at C. H. MILLER'S
Exclusive Window Shade Manufactory,
☞ Depot, South West corner Second and Arch Streets, Philadelphia. April 21, 1855 16-3m

MATHEMATICAL, OPTICAL AND
Philosophical Instruments,

AS SPECTACLES, Microscopes, SPY GLASSES, DRAWING INSTRUMENTS, separate and in cases; Engineers' Levels, Theodolites and Transits; Surveyors' Compasses, Chains, Tapes, Protractors, Parallel Rules, Ivory Scales, &c. Air Pumps, Electrical Apparatus, Magic Lanterns, Thermometers, Barometers, Galvanic Apparatus, Magnets, &c. School is supplied by JAMES W. QUEEN,
264 Chesnut street, Philadelphia.
☞ Priced Catalogues, with over 150 illustrations, sent by mail, gratis, throughout the United States and Canada.
May 12, 1855 19-3m

PLATINA POINTS
For Lightning Rods.

OUR POINTS are made of a tapering copper body, about 6 inches long, with a tip with fine gold to prevent the action of the weather, and tipped with solid platina. they have been in use for over 18 years and have given general satisfaction. Price $1 00, $1 25, $1 50, $2 00 & $3 00, at per point, according to the quantity of platina. Printed directions to accompany each point. Manufactured by
McALLISTER & BROTHER, (Established in 1796,)
194 Chesnut street, below Eighth, Philadelphia.
☞ Glass insulators and iron staples furnished.
May 12, 1855 19-3m

THOMAS & THACKRAY,
Boys' Clothing Establishment,
No. 506 Green street, above 10th.

THE UNDERSIGNED respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they have taken the store above mentioned and intend keeping constantly on hand and make to order, Youths' and Children's Clothing, of the most improved styles.— Mr. Coop of Thackray, so long and favorably known as cutter for the Messrs. Hoyt, will give his personal attention to that branch of the business, and flatters himself that he is able to please, thereby hoping to secure a fair share of patronage. Very respectfully,
THOMAS & THACKRAY.
Philadelphia, May 12, 1855 19-3m

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, 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] 1-tf

AND'W R. REEDER, AUCTIONEER,

NO. 167 N. Third St., (1 door below Vine,) Philadelphia.
Auction Sale 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, Cassimeres, Hardware, Carpets, Patent Thread, Spool Cotton, Blank Books, Umbrellas, 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, as they 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. March 3, 1855 9-3m

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 Mattings, &c. &c. 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 cents a yard from former 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. 152 Second 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

HARNESS! HARNESS!!
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 apprize them that having arranged the portion of their stock saved from the late fire, and intending to recommence business at their old stand, as soon as it is re-erected, with an entirely new stock, now offer to sell their present 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 deduction from the original cost, and respectfully invite its inspection by the public generally.
Philadelphia, May 19, 1855 20-3m

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 astonish and please.

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, Imported Muslins and Fancy Goods.
Millinery Goods Cut at Wholesale Prices.

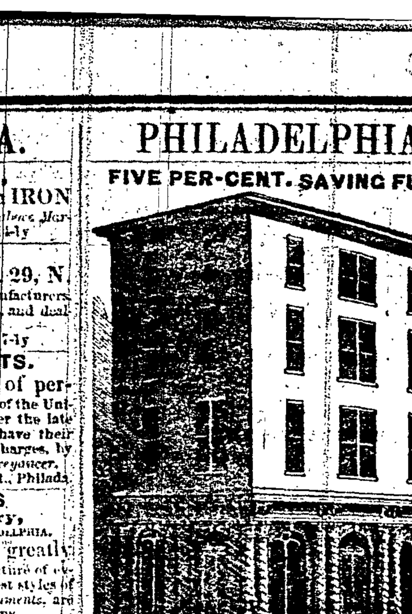
An extensive assortment of Goods, suitable for the trade, which will be offered on the most advantageous terms, at WARBURTON'S,
166 South 2nd St. 2nd Dry Goods Store below Spruce.
Philadelphia, March 31, 1855

FURNITURE! FURNITURE!!
H. F. Hoover

Respectfully informs his customers of Pottsville, and the people generally of Schuylkill county, in want of Furniture, that they will find it greatly to their advantage to purchase at his Wareroom, where they will find a large stock of the most modern styles to select from. The subscriber begs to say that his facilities for manufacturing, 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, as he much prefers the quick sixpence to the slow shilling. All goods bought at his Wareroom will be warranted, and if intended for the country will be packed with care and dispatch.
H. F. HOOVER,
No. 126 South Second Street, below Dock, west side,
Philadelphia, March 10, 1855 10-3m

PHILADELPHIA.

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 9 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.
May 19, 1855 [Nov. 11, 1854-44-] 20-

SHERIFF'S SALES.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Schuylkill County and to me directed, there will be exposed to Public sale or outcry, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 9th 1855,

at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Public house of Daniel Hill in the Borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill county, the following described Real Estate, viz:

All that certain tract of Coal Land, Situate in the township of Tremont, in the County of Schuylkill and State of Pennsylvania, formerly in Pinegrove township, Berks county, which was granted by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and surveyed on a warrant to John Philip Lesher and John Miller, bearing date July 18th A. D. 1783, and bounded by lands surveyed in the names of John Lesher and Peter Bright on the east, and Philip Delhaas on the west, and also lying upon the branches of Lorberry creek and Fishing creek, containing 402 acres, 6 perches, and all allowance, being the same tract of land which John C. Kianer (?) and wife by indenture, dated the 12th day of April, 1852, recorded in Schuylkill county in Deed Book No. 37 page 581, granted and conveyed to Jacob Lesser in fee, with the appurtenances, consisting of 2 two story log Dwelling houses. Seized and taken in execution as the property of JACOB LESSER, and will be sold by

Sheriff's Office, Pottsville, JAMES NAGLE, Sheriff.
May 19th, 1855 20-4t

SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

BY virtue of several writs of Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Schuylkill county, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale or outcry, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 2nd, 1855,

At 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at the public house of Daniel Hill in the borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill county, the following described real estate, viz:

The one undivided half part of all those three pieces or parcels of land situate in Union township, Schuylkill county, bounded and described as follows to wit:—The first piece or parcel is bounded as follows—beginning at an iron wood, in line of land of Peter Gearhart, thence by the said land and lands of Henry Kare and Lawrence Singley, crossing the Catawissa creek, south 73 degrees east 272 perches to a stone heap, thence by land surveyed to John McLaughlin south 11 degrees west 173 perches to a birch in the line of John Black, thence by said line south 73 degrees west 236 perches, to a post corner of the said John Black, thence along the other part of said survey north 15 degrees west 71 perches to a heap of stones, north 76 degrees east 84 perches to a forked chesnut oak, north 8 degrees west 87 perches to the place of beginning; containing 320 acres and allowance. The second piece or parcel of land is bounded and described by beginning at an ironwood running by land of the heirs of John Singer, deceased, south four and a half degrees west 212 perches to a post, thence by other lands of said heirs of John Singer deceased, north 73 degrees east 39 perches to a stone heap, thence north one degree east forty-six and a half perches to a forked chesnut oak, thence north 8 degrees west 156 perches to the place of beginning; containing 27 acres strict measure. The third piece or parcel of land hereby granted and conveyed is bounded by beginning at a stone at the southerly abutment of the county bridge on the Big Catawissa creek, in said Union township, county aforesaid, in the middle of a public road leading to Mahanoy Mountain, and running thence by said road by land of said Peter Gearhart south fourteen and a half degrees west 54 perches to a stone in line of lands surveyed in the name of Abraham Roberts, thence by said line south 73 degrees east 42 perches to a poplar, thence by land of the said Peter Gearhart north twenty-six and a half degrees west 76 perches to the place of beginning, containing 15 acres and a half acre strict measure, being the same three pieces or parcels of land granted and conveyed to the said George D. Haughawout, in fee, by deed of James Pleasant and George Hughes and wife, dated the second day of June, 1854, and recorded at Pottsville, Oct. 28th, 1854, in the office for recording of deeds, &c. in and for the county of Schuylkill, in Deed Book, No. 41, page 383, as by reference to the said deed will more fully and at large appear.

ALSO, All that certain lot or piece of ground situate and fronting on Mahantongo street, in the borough of Pottsville, in the county of Schuylkill, containing in front on said Mahantongo street, 20 feet and in depth 117 feet, being the northeasterly part of the lot marked No. 78 in the plan of said borough of Pottsville, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame dwelling house, with a two story frame kitchen with stone basement thereto attached; seized, taken in execution, as the property of GEORGE D. HAUGHAWOUT, and will be sold by

Sheriff's Office, Pottsville, JAMES NAGLE, Sheriff.
May 12th, 1855 19-4t

TRAVELING.

PASSENGER TRAIN,
Mine Hill & Schuylkill Haven Railroad.

CHANGE OF HOURS.

THE PASSENGER Train on this Road will hereafter run as follows, to connect with the Philadelphia Trains at Schuylkill Haven.

LEAVE SCHUYLKILL HAVEN
At 6.30, A. M. and at 3, P. M., daily, except Sundays.

LEAVE SCHUYLKILL HAVEN
At 12, M. and 7.30, P. M. daily, on the arrival of the Philadelphia Trains, except Sundays.

Fare through, each way, as follows:

S. Haven to Seek's	5	cts.	Min'rllle to West Wood	10	cts.
" " Beck's	12	"	" Ashtonwville	12	"
" " Germantown	15	"	" Germantown	15	"
" " Ashtonwville	15	"	" Beck's	20	"
" " West Wood	20	"	" Seales	25	"

May 12, 1855 19-tf F. TIBBITTS, Sup't.

PASSENGER LINES.
Philadelphia and Reading Railroad.

1855. SPRING ARRANGEMENTS. 1855.

THE GREAT Northern and Western United States Mail Routes.
Fare reduced.
LITTLE SCHUYLKILL, CATAWISSA, SUNBURY and ERIE, WILLIAMSPORT AND ELMIRA RAILROAD.

Through to Buffalo, in 16 hours.
" Niagara Falls, 16 "
" Detroit, 24 "
" Chicago, 34 "
" St. Louis, 48 "

Ticket Office, N. W. corner Sixth and Chesnut streets, and Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Depot, corner Broad and Vine.

On and after MONDAY, May 7th. Three Passenger Trains will leave the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Depot, corner Broad and Vine streets, daily, (Sundays excepted) as follows:

Day Express—6 A. M.

Stopping at Phoenixville and Reading, only. Connecting with Catawissa, Williamsport and Erie and Williamsport and Elmira Railroads; arriving at Elmira at 4, P. M., connecting with New York and Erie and Buffalo and New York city Railroads for Dunkirk and Buffalo; and from thence, via steamers on Lake Erie or Lake Shore Railroad, to Cleveland, Toledo, Monroe, Sandusky and Detroit. Also, with Elmira, Canandaigua and Niagara Falls Railroad; connecting at Canandaigua with New York Central Railroad, East and West, and at Suspension Bridge with Great Western and Michigan Central Railroad for Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis, and all points in Canada and Western States.

Mail Train—7.30 A. M.
Stopping at all Stations and running to Pottsville only.

Night Express—3.30 P. M.

Running every day, stopping at all Stations and running to Pottsville. Connecting at Port Clinton with Catawissa, Williamsport and Erie, and Williamsport and Elmira Railroads, arriving at Elmira at 4, A. M.; connecting with New York and Erie, Buffalo and New York city and Lake Shore Railroads, for Buffalo, Dunkirk, Erie, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Toledo, Chicago, and all points West.— Also, with Elmira, Canandaigua and Niagara Falls Railroads; arriving at Niagara Falls, at 10.30, A. M., connecting with Day Express of Great Western Railroad for Detroit, Chicago, etc.

Passengers by Day Express, breakfast at Port Clinton, and dine at Williamsport. Passengers by way of Night Express, take supper at Port Clinton.

This Route, with its connections, forms the shortest and most direct route to Canada and the Lakes.

Only one change of baggage between Philadelphia and Canada or the Lakes.

Passengers purchasing Tickets by this Line have the privilege of stopping at any of the above points and resuming their seats at pleasure.

Fare from Philadelphia to

Tamaqua,	$2 90	Buffalo, via Tonaw'nda,	10 00
Catawissa,	3 15	Niagara Falls, via Elmira, Canada and N. Y. Central R. Railroad,	
Rupert,	3 40		
Danville,	3 60		10 00
Milton,	5 15	Niagara, via Buffalo,	10 00
Williamsport,	5 90	Suspension Bridge,	10 00
Elmira,	7 00	Cleveland,	11 75
Jefferson,	7 45	Toledo,	14 75
Starkey,	7 95	Cincinnati,	16 00
Penn Yan,	8 00	Detroit, via Rail,	16 00
Horiseo,		Buffalo and Lake,	
Geneva, via Gorham,	8 00		13 00
Steamer		Chicago, via Gt. Western and Michigan Central Railroad,	20 00
John Areet,	8 00		
Canandaigua,	8 60		
Honeoye Falls,	8 75	Chicago via Buffalo and Lake Shore Michigan Southern Railroad,	20 00
Caledonia,	8 85		
Le Roy,	8 95		
Batavia,	9 00	Chicago, via Buf. Lake and Michigan Central Railroad,	20 00
Rochester,	8 60		
Buffalo, via N. Y. and E. and Buf. and N. Y. City,	10 00	Rock Island,	25 00

E. T. HUBBELL, Ticket and Freight Agent,
N. W. corner Sixth and Chesnut streets.
G. A. NICOLLS, Sup't Philadelphia & Reading Railroad.
T. McKISSOCK, Sup't Catawissa, W. and Erie Railroad.
HENRY COFFIN, Sup't Williamsport and Elmira Railroad.

PASSENGER TRAINS
Between Pottsville and Philadelphia.

On and after May 7th, 1855, the Passenger Trains will leave the Depot at Pottsville, corner of Union and Railroad streets, daily as follows:

From Pottsville to Philadelphia.
Morning Line, at 7 30 A. M.
Evening Line, at 4 P. M.
Sunday Train, (once a day), 7 30 A. M.

From Philadelphia to Pottsville.
Morning Line, at 7 30 A. M.
Evening Line, at 3 30 P. M.
Sunday Train, once a day, 3 30 P. M.

HOURS OF PASSING READING.

For Philadelphia, at 9 o'clock, 10 minutes, A. M., and at 5 o'clock, 24 minutes, P. M. For Pottsville, at 9 o'clock, 34 minutes, A. M., and 6 o'clock, P. M.

FARE IN ALL THE LINES—BOTH WAYS.

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

These tickets to be used on the day they are bought.

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.

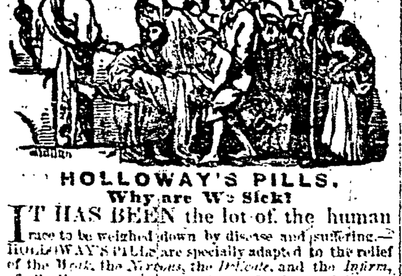
☞ All tickets must be purchased before entering the cars. By order of the Board of Managers.
May 19, 1855 20- S. BRADFORD, Secretary.

MEDICINAL.

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 28, 1855 41-tf

LET US REASON TOGETHER.



HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.
Why are We Sick?

IT HAS BEEN the lot of the human race to be weighed down by disease and suffering.— HOLLOWAY'S PILLS are specially adapted to the relief of the Weak, the Nervous, the Delicate, and the Infirm, of all climes, ages, sexes, and constitutions. Professor Holloway personally superintends the manufacture of his medicines in the United States, and offers them to a free and enlightened people, as the best remedy the world ever saw for the removal of disease.

These Pills Purify the Blood.

These famous Pills are expressly combined to operate on the stomach, the liver, the kidneys, the lungs, the skin, and the bowels, correcting any derangement in their functions, purifying the blood, the very fountain of life, and thus curing disease in all its forms.

Dyspepsia and Liver Complaints.

Nearly half the human race have taken these Pills. It has been proved in all parts of the world that nothing has been found equal to them in cases of disorders of the liver, dyspepsia, and stomach complaints generally.— They soon give a healthy tone to these organs, however much deranged, and when all other means have failed.

General Debility. Ill Health.

Many of the most despotic Governments have opened their Custom Houses to the introduction of these Pills, that they may become the medicine of the masses.— Learned Colleges admit that this medicine is the best remedy ever known for persons of delicate health, or where the system has been impaired, as its invigorating properties never fail to afford relief.

Female Complaints.

No Female, young or old, should be without this celebrated medicine. It corrects and regulates the monthly courses at all periods, acting in many cases like a charm. It is also the best and safest medicine that can be given to children of all ages, and for any complaint; consequently no family should be without it.

Holloway's Pills are the best remedy known in the world for the following diseases:

Asthma,	Headaches,
Bowel Complaints,	Indigestion,
Coughs,	Influenza,
Colds,	Inflammation,
Chest Diseases,	Inward Weakness,
Costiveness,	Liver Complaints,
Dyspepsia,	Lowness of Spirits,
Diarrhoea,	Piles,
Dropsy,	Stone and Gravel,
Debility,	Secondary Symptoms,
Fever and Ague,	Venereal Affections,
Female Complaints,	Worms of all kinds.

Sold at the manufactories of Professor Holloway, 80 Maiden Lane, New York, and 244 Strand, London, and by all respectable Druggists and Dealers of medicines throughout the United States, and the civilized world, in boxes, at 25 cents, 62½ cents, and $1 each.

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

N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each box.
May 26, 1855 21-1y

THE GREATEST
Medical Discovery of the Age.

DR. KENNEDY, of Roxbury, has discovered in one of our common pasture weeds a remedy that cures
Every Kind of Humor,
from the worst scrofula down to a common pimple.

He has tried it in over 1100 cases, and never failed except in two cases (both thunder humor.) He has now in his possession over two hundred certificates of its virtue, all within twenty miles of Boston.

Two bottles are warranted to cure a nursing sore mouth.

One to three bottles will cure the worst kind of pimples on the face.

Two to three bottles will cure the system of biles.

Two bottles are warranted to cure the worst canker in the mouth and stomach.

Three to five bottles are warranted to cure the worst case of Erysipelas.

One to two bottles are warranted to cure all humor in the eyes.

Two bottles are warranted to cure running of the ears and blotches among the hair.

Four to six bottles are warranted to cure corrupt and running ulcers.

One bottle will cure scaly eruption of the skin.

Two or three bottles are warranted to cure the worst case of ringworm.

Two or three bottles are warranted to cure the most desperate case of rheumatism.

Three to four bottles are warranted to cure the salt rheum.

Five to eight bottles will cure the worst case of scrofula.

A benefit is always experienced from the first bottle, and a perfect cure is warranted when the above quantity is taken.

Reader, I peddled over a thousand bottles of this in the vicinity of Boston. I know the effects of it in every case. So sure as water will extinguish fire, so sure will this cure humor. I never sold a bottle of it but that sold another; after a trial it always speaks for itself.— There are two things about this herb that appear to me surprising: first that it grows in our pastures, in some places quite plentiful, and yet its value has never been known until I discovered it in 1846—second, that it should cure all kinds of humor.

In order to give some idea of the sudden rise and great popularity of the discovery, I will state that in April, 1853, I peddled it and sold about six bottles per day—in April, 1854, I sold over one thousand bottles per day of it.

Some of the wholesale druggists who have been in the business twenty and thirty years, say that nothing in the annals of patent medicines was ever like it. There is a universal praise of it from all quarters.

In my own practice I always kept it strictly for humors—but since its introduction as a general family medicine, great and wonderful virtues have been found in it that I never suspected.

Several cases of epileptic fits—a disease which was always considered incurable, have been cured by a few bottles. O, what a mercy if it will prove effectual in all cases of that awful malady—there are but few who have seen more of it than I have.

I know of several cases of Dropsy, all of them aged people cured by it. For the various diseases of the Liver, Sick Headache, Dyspepsia, Asthma, Fever and Ague, Pain in the Side, Diseases of the Spine, and particularly in diseases of the kidneys, &c., the discovery has done more good than any medicine ever known.

No change of diet ever necessary—eat the best you get and enough of it.

Directions for use.—Adults, one table-spoonful per day—children over ten years, a dessert spoonful—children from five to eight years, teaspoonful. As no directions can be applicable to all constitutions, take sufficient to operate on the bowels twice a day.

Manufactured by DONALD KENNEDY,
No. 120, Warren street, Roxbury, Mass.
Price, One Dollar.

Wholesale Agents:—New York city, C. V. Clickner, 81 Barclay street; C. H. Ring, 192 Broadway; Rushton & Clark, 275 Broadway; A. B. & D. Sands, 100 Fulton St. Wholesale agent for Pennsylvania, T. W. Dyott & Sons, 132 North 2nd Street, Philadelphia.

For sale in Pottsville, by J. G. Brown, J. C. Hughes and H. Estenson.
May 19, 1855 20-1y

TESTIMONY OF THE WILCOX FAMILY.
READ WHAT THEY SAY OF
DR. SWAYNE'S
Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry!!
The most effectual and speedy Cure known for
Consumption, Coughs, Colds,
Asthma, Bronchitis, Liver Complaints,
Spitting of Blood, Difficulty of Breathing, Pain in the Side and Breast, Palpitation of the Heart, Influenza, Croup, Broken Constitution, Sore Throat, Nervous Debility, and all Diseases of Throat, Breast and Lungs.

A Truly Wonderful Cure!

The following highly interesting statement of the case of Miss Naomi Wilcox, well known for character and respectability to a large portion of the citizens of St. Lawrence county, New York, is truly worthy of attention and so well authenticated that the most skeptical must be at once satisfied of its correctness:

To Dr. Swayne, Philadelphia—

GOUVERNEUR, St. Lawrence Co., N. Y., Dec. 16, 1854.

Dear Sir—Having experienced very great benefit from the use of your COMPOUND SYRUP OF WILD CHERRY, I feel bound, as an act of humanity, to recommend this most invaluable medicine to others. More than eight years ago I fell into a gradual Consumption; and notwithstanding the use of many other remedies, I continued to grow weaker, and more and more disordered in my Lungs and Stomach until myself and my friends despaired of my life. My digestive powers became so exhausted that I could not bear the lightest kind of food, except in the minutest quantities. In this condition, at the request of my brother, I began to use your SYRUP. Almost immediately I derived great benefit from it. In less than three days after commencing the use of small doses, my stomach began to recover its natural tone and power—gradually every bad symptom began to give way, and in a few months I recovered to a state of comfortable, though not perfect health. I have no hesitation in saying that to your "WILD CHERRY" I owe, under God, the continuance of my life, and a degree of health far beyond my expectations. I have since had attacks of the same old symptoms, but in every instance I have resorted with perfect success to the use of your medicine.
NAOMI WILCOX.

GOUVERNEUR, N. Y., 16th Dec., 1854.

I certify that the above named Naomi Wilcox, is my sister. I have nursed and attended her in all her sickness, and I know that the foregoing statement is correct. I have also administered Swayne's Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry to other members of our family with uniform success; and I have recommended it to others of my friends and neighbors, and have been often assured of its very great beneficial effects, and in more than one instance to the saving of life, as I believe.
PANTHEA WILCOX.

GOUVERNEUR, N. Y., 16th December, 1854.
St. Lawrence County.

It is hereby certified that the foregoing certificates were signed by the Misses Wilcox in my presence: that they are intelligent and highly respectable persons: that their reputation for truth and veracity is irreproachable.
HARVEY D. SMITH, Justice Peace.

☞ Be Careful in Purchasing ☜

To obtain the original and only genuine preparation of Wild Cherry; which must have the portrait and signature of Dr. SWAYNE on each wrapper around the bottle.— Until you obtain this compound you will never know the real virtues of Wild Cherry.

SUBSTANTIAL EVIDENCE
OF THE WONDERFUL CURATIVE PROPERTIES OF
DR. SWAYNE'S FAMILY MEDICINES.

D. C. Martin, Reedsburg, Wayne county, Ohio, writes: November 24, 1855. As my supply of your medicines is exhausted, I wish you to send me a further supply immediately. The wife of D. V. Vansyckle, M. D., of this place, has been using your Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry and wishes to continue. The Doctor thinks it is the best medicine for Consumption, his wife has ever used.

Robert G. Thompson, Wattsville, Carroll county, Ohio, writes, May 24, 1854—"I am out of your Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry, and also Sugar Coated Tar Pills. I have had calls for your Panacea, Soothing Syrup and All-Healing Ointment, also your Fever and Ague Pills; but it does beat all what a demand there is for the Compound Syrup. Don't fail to send me a full supply; also, your Sugar Coated Pills; my customers will use no other Pills but yours. Ship as before, by Cleveland and Wellsville Railroad.

George A. Gardner, Stoystown, Somerset county, Pa., writes: "Your medicines are in great demand here, especially your Sugar Coated Sarsaparilla and Tar Pills, and afford general satisfaction to all who have made use of them." Your Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry, two bottles and one box of your Pills, raised a child of William Johnson's of this place from her death-bed of Consumption, after the doctors considered her case a hopeless one. You will please forward me a full supply of all your preparations, without delay, by way of Chambersburg."

Dr. Swayne's Bowel Cordial.

A speedy and effectual remedy for Asiatic Cholera, Common Cholera Morbus, Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Cholera Infantum or Summer Complaint, Pains in the Stomach and Bowels, Vomiting, Sea-Sickness, Sickness of the Stomach, Lowness of Spirits, and all affections of the Stomach and Bowels.

The above valuable medicines are prepared only by Dr. SWAYNE & SON, at their Laboratory, No. 4 North Seventh street, Philadelphia.

FOR SALE BY
JOHN G. BROWN,
JOHN S. C. MARTIN, } Pottsville.
G. & W. HUNTZINGER, Schuylkill Haven.
ECKER & BARNDT, Tremont.
J. K. BERNS, }
H. W. PREVOST, } Minersville.
E. J. FRY, Tamaqua.
A. R. PENROSE, Beaver Meadow.

And by all the principal storekeepers, in Schuylkill and adjacent counties.

"Swayne's U. S. Almanac," containing much useful information for all families, can be had gratis of our agents, all and get one.

May 5, 1855 [July 20, 1854 30-1y] 18-

NEW YORK.

PHRENOLOGICAL CABINET.

FOWLERS, WELLS & CO., Phrenologists and Publishers, 231 Arch street, below Seventh, Philadelphia, furnish all works on Phrenology, Physiology, Water Cure, Magnetism and Phonography, wholesale and retail, at New York prices. Professional examinations, with charts, and full written descriptions of character, day and evening. Cabinet free.
Philadelphia, February 24, 1855 8-1y

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AND
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Business cards per annum, not exceeding 6 lines, with paper included	30 00
do six months	20 00
Special notices, per line	25

YEARLY ADVERTISERS.

A liberal arrangement will be made with those who advertise by the year.
May 26, 1855 20-

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MANUFACTURES.

EXTENSIVE MARBLE YARD,
Mahantango St., Pottsville.

THE Subscriber is prepared, at his old Stand, to furnish all kinds of materials in his line, for building purposes—plain and ornamental. He invites particular attention to the Tomb Stones and Monuments of his manufacture. They can be had in every variety of style, and will compare favorably in beauty and finish, with any obtained elsewhere; and are offered at cheaper rates.
Jan. 13, 1855 2-1y JOHN T. LANG.

WIRE ROPES.

FISHER HAZARD, Manufacturer of Wire Rope for Inclined Planes, &c., &c., Carbon Co., Pa. Ropes of superior quality and of all lengths and sizes on hand and made to order on short notice.

Reference can be made to E. A. Douglas, Superintendent and Engineer, Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company; N. D. Courtright, Superintendent Hazleton Coal Company, Mauch Chunk; A. G. Brodhead, Superintendent Beaver Meadow Coal Company, Mauch Chunk; Belford, Sharpe & Co., Contractors, Summit Hill, Penna.
October 14, 1854 41-1y

VENETIAN BLIND MANUFACTORY.
5th St., bet. Norwegian & Mahantango.

W. M. ZERBE announces to the citizens of Pottsville and vicinity, that he is prepared to manufacture Venetian Blinds of every size, color and styles at short notice and at the lowest rates. He feels confident that a trial alone is sufficient to be convinced of the advantage of purchasing his Blinds.

A fine assortment of Blinds constantly on hand. He is also prepared to repair, paint, and trim old Blinds in such a manner as to render them almost equal, in appearance, to new. Jan. 27, 1855 4-1y

GODFREY GRAF,

GILDER, Looking-Glass, Picture, and Portrait Frame Manufacturer—constantly keeps on hand a large assortment of Engravings; also Mirrors, Picture and fancy frames of all patterns and sizes. Old frames regilt, and all kinds of gilding done to order at the lowest prices.
GODFREY GRAF, Gilder,
7th St. 1 door below Penn st. East side, Reading, Pa.
Geo. Hammer's Patent Machine Corks, from Philadelphia, always on hand, and orders received at the same prices as in his Factory.
Reading, April 14, 1855. 15-6m

THOMAS JACKSON,

FLAT and Round Rope Maker, Reading, Pa. White, Tarred, and Manilla Rope of any dimensions.

Flat Ropes, for Mining or other purposes, Towing lines and Canal cordage of all kinds.

Bed-Ropes, Wash-lines, Sash-cord, &c. Superior Packing for Steam Engines. Also, patent prepared Hemp Packing, a very superior article, saturated with a composition which fully enables its capability to stand friction, and insures its preference wherever it has been tried. Orders thankfully received and promptly executed.
November 11, 1854 44-1y

POTTSVILLE
Saddle and Harness Manufactory.

The Subscriber would again most respectfully invite the attention of the citizens of Pottsville and the Coal Region in general, to his large and well selected stock of SADDLERY, all kinds of
Carriage and Team Harness,
Collars of all descriptions, Fly Harness, &c. He desires all who may need anything in the above line to call and see his goods before purchasing elsewhere, as there can be nothing lost.

Orders for Harness, &c., promptly filled on reasonable terms. LEFEVER WOMELSDORFF.
Opposite Episcopal Church, Centre street, Pottsville.
March 3, 1855 [May 13, '54] 9-tf

CUBA HAS FALLEN,
So has the Price of Hats and Caps.

WE would again most respectfully invite the attention of the citizens of Pottsville and country in general, to our large and elegant assortment of all kinds of goods in our line, that we have now received, and are in daily receipt of, comprised of Hats, Caps, Furs, &c.

Gentlemen's Fine Moleskin Hats, always on hand, or made to order of the latest styles. Otter Caps, Kossuth Hats, Shanghaies—in short, anything in the Hat and Cap line.

We would also invite the particular attention of the Ladies to our assortment of FURS, which have been selected with great care from the largest stocks in the country.— Nothing shall be left undone on our part, to give satisfaction. Call and give us a trial, next door to Pottsville House. G. C. LIVEZLY & CO.

N. B.—A large assortment of Buffalo Robes on hand, at prices to suit the times.
November 18, 1854 [May 20, 1y] 45-

MOROCCO FACTORY.

MOROCCO LEATHER and SHOE Finding Store, at Dorr's old stand, on Railroad st., Pottsville.

The undersigned respectfully informs the customers of the above well known establishment, that he will continue the manufacture of all kinds of
MOROCCO,
Such as Kid, Straits, French Morocco, Shoe, Hat and Book Bindings, Pink Linings, &c., &c.; and will constantly have on hand a general assortment of all kinds of LEATHER, such as Oak Tanned and Red Sole Leather, Slaughter Kips, French and City Calf Skins.

Miners Upper Leather, and a variety of Shoe Findings, such as Threads, Nails, Pegs, Clamps, &c., &c., all of which will be sold at the lowest cash price.
JOHN L. MINNIG.
☞ All kinds of Skins, such as Sheep, Goat, Deer, &c., and also Sumac, taken in exchange for Leather, at the highest market prices, or paid for in cash.
Pottsville, Oct. 29, 1853. 44-tf

MACHINE CARPENTRY.
SASH, DOOR, MOULDING & R. R. CAR FACTORY AT
St. Clair, Schuylkill County, Pa.

THE Subscriber, (of the late firm of Bright & Lawton), having now his Manufactory in complete order, is prepared to manufacture by machinery, Window Frames, Sash, Doors, Blinds, Shutters, Banisters, Awning Posts, and generally all turning in Wood. Also, Drift & Railroad Cars, with the Iron work complete, &c., &c. at the shortest notice.

He has for sale Lumber of any description, and can furnish Bills of Lumber at short notice. Also, an assortment of Doors, Sash (glazed and primed), Bed Posts, &c., &c., constantly on hand.

Persons desirous of purchasing articles in his line of business, are invited to call and examine his stock and workmanship before purchasing elsewhere.

Orders are solicited, and strict attention will be given to their faithful and prompt execution.
St. Clair, February 3, 1855 CHARLES LAWTON, Jr. 5-1y

KETCHUM'S MOWING MACHINE

With Reaper Attachment.

KETCHUM'S celebrated Mowing Machine has been improved by the addition of a Reaper Attachment, and it is now offered to the public as a Mower and Reaper combined, with full confidence, that it is the most perfect and successful machine now in use.

This addition of the Reaper has been effected by enlarging the main wheel, by circular sections bolted to the rim of the wheel. (This has been patented.) It can be changed to the Reaper in a few minutes, without injury to the Mower.

The agency for the sale of this well-known machine is still retained by us, and may be seen at the Office No. 75 South Wharves, Philadelphia, where they will be delivered to purchasers after the 15th of 5th month (May) next, by one of us in person.

Price of Mowers $115. Mower and Reaper combined, $135. Terms cash. Communications to be addressed
REEVE & BROTHERS, Allowaystown, N. J.
April 14, 1855. 15-2m

PAINTING, &C.

JAMES H. MUDEY,
House & Sign Painter, Glazier & Paper Hanger,

NORWEGION street, first house from Centre, and opposite Mortimer's Hotel.

Wall Papers.

The Board Prints, &c., of various styles, at the lowest Cash prices. An Apprentice wanted.
Pottsville, March 31, 1855 [Dec. 30, '55 51] 13-

PAINTING, GLAZING & PAPERING.

DANIEL NAGLE would respectfully inform his friends and the public that he has removed his establishment into Market street, opposite Dr. Nicholas's Office, where he will be happy to receive orders for all kinds of business in his line. He keeps always on hand an assortment of
Paper Hangings, Glass, Paints & Enameled Glass,
all of which he will furnish at the lowest rates, and he pledges himself that he will execute all work entrusted to his care promptly, in the best style, and at reasonable rates. He therefore invites the people generally to give him a call. Pottsville, April 14, '55 15-6m

PAINTING, GLAZING & PAPERING.
Removal.

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

They, also, beg leave to call attention to their splendid assortment of Paper-hangings, Window-shades, &c., comprising every variety of style and quality, to suit the taste and pocket of purchasers, and which they offer at the lowest City prices.
J. W. BOWEN & BROTHERS.
2 doors above American House, Centre St.
Pottsville, April 17, 1852. 16-tf

STOVES & TIN WARE.

SOLOMON HOOVER,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN Stoves, Tin ware, Hollow ware, Brass ware, Brittania ware, Cutlery, &c. Thankful for past patronage, he hopes, by strict attention to business, to merit a continuance of the favor of his old customers and the public in general. He has just added to his already large stock of the above named articles, a variety of Cooking, Parlor and Office Stoves, of the latest and most approved styles. Also a variety of Household Furniture, such as Tinned and Enamelled Boilers, Tinned and Iron Tea Kettles, Brass Kettles, Brittania Ware, Japanned Ware, Frying and Roasting Pans, Sad Irons, &c. &c.

Also continually on hand a large assortment of Tin-ware, &c. He has now the largest and best stock of his line ever offered in Schuylkill County, to which he invites the attention of the public in general, as he feels confident, that he can suit them both in price and quality. They would therefore do well to call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere.

N. B.—Roofing, Spouting and Jobbing promptly attended to. Also, old stoves repaired, or odd plates, fire-brick grates, &c. can be had for repairing the same. Old stoves, and all other old iron taken in exchange for new.
SOLOMON HOOVER.
At his old stand, Centre street, above Market.
Pottsville, Penna.
August 26, 1854. 34-tf

NEW TIN WARE,
Copper and Stove Manufactory.

GEORGE H. STICHTER announces to his numerous friends, and the public generally, that he has engaged in the above mentioned business and on such an extensive plan, that he is enabled to sell his goods at prices which cannot be surpassed in cheapness in any other similar establishment in the county. His store is in Centre Street, a few doors South of the place where he was formerly engaged with D. L. Esterly, in the Hardware business.

Among the many articles in his store he will only make mention of the following:

Stoves with pipe, Copperware, Copper Kettles, of all sizes; Brass Kettles, Japanware, Tin-ware, of every description, Hollow-ware, Tin by the Box; Roofing Tin by the Box; Japan Tin by the quantity or by the pound; Sheet Iron, by the quantity or otherwise; Russia Sheet Iron by the hundred or by the pound. Also, a new Patent Water-cooler, which is one of the most useful improvements of the day, especially for families during hot weather, and, in short, all other articles belonging to a complete establishment of the kind.

Orders for work in his line, such as Tin-roofing, Spouting, &c., as also mending, will be attended to promptly at the shortest notice.

☞ The highest market price will be paid for old Pewter and Lead, or goods given in exchange.
GEO. H. STICHTER.
Pottsville, August 12, 1854. 32-tf

WATCHES, JEWELRY.

SAMUEL W. PEPPER,

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

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, $4.25 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

WATCHES.

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

Fine Gold Magic Hunting and Hunting Case Patent Lever, from $50 to $200.

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

Silver Watches—Hunting and Open Face from $5 to $30.

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's
Centre street, 3 doors above Mahantango.
Pottsville, Dec. 16, 1854 [Aug. 26, 34] 4-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 pure 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.

HARDWARE.

FAIRBANK'S SCALES.

THE subscribers, agents for the manufacturers, have just received a new article, called the "Union Counter Scale," calculated to weigh from ½ an ounce to 240 lbs. For sale at the York Store.
Pottsville, April 28th, 1855. E. YARDLEY & SON. 17-

IRON COMMISSION WARE HOUSE,

CENTRE STREET, Pottsville.— The subscribers are prepared to furnish the Trade Machinists and Operators at Philadelphia prices, (freight added), wholesale or retail, best American Bar Iron, manufactured at Pottsville, and warranted of superior quality. Also, light T rails suitable for mines, and Cable Chains furnished at short notice direct from the importer.
E. YARDLEY & SON,
York Store, Nov. 22, 1853 47-tf

NOTICE.

THE SUBSCRIBER hereby gives notice that he has appointed Mr. GEORGE BRIGHT, Hardware Merchant, sole Agent for the sale of "The Patent Door and Gate Spring," in this region.
J. S. GRAY.

THE SUBSCRIBERS are prepared to execute orders for the above mentioned Springs. They are decidedly the best article ever offered to the public, being remarkable for simplicity and durability. For sale, wholesale and retail, at BRIGHT & LERCH'S
Iron and Hardware Store, Centre Street,
opposite Miners' Bank, Pottsville.

HARDWARE AND IRON DEPOT.

THE SUBSCRIBER, having now arranged his goods at his new place of business, and with a new determination of furnishing all such goods as the business of the Coal Region may require, at their lowest market value, solicits the inspection of the Public. I shall be always on hand and have on hand a full stock of

Bar Iron,	Chopping Axes,
Flue Iron,	Coal Shovels,
Cast Steel,	Trace Chains,
Slit Iron,	Nails and Spikes,
Rope,	Tackle Blocks,
Bellows,	Anvils and Vices, &c.

Hardware and Iron Depot, CENTRE STREET, three doors above Market, East side. FRANK POTT,
July 15, 1854 28-tf

CLEMENS & HEISLER'S

HARDWARE AND IRON STORE, Centre Street, a few doors above Market (East side) have constantly on hand a full assortment of

Smith's Tools,	Axles and Springs,
Building Materials,	Table Cutlery,
Shoemaker's Tools,	Pocket Cutlery,
Files and Rasps,	Carpenter's Tools,
Nails, Spikes and Brads,	Britania Ware,
Counter and Platform Scales,	Allen's Revolvers,
Bar and Rolled Iron,	Rifle Barrels,
Flue and Sheet "	Table and Tea Spoons,
Cast, Shear and Blister Steel,	Brass and Enameled Kettles,
Tin, Plate and Sheet Zinc,	
Bar, Copper and Sheet Brass,	Pans, Boilers & Tea Kettles,
Pig and Bar Lead,	Heavy Railroad Traces,
Castings of all descriptions,	Railroad Iron and Spikes,
Mill, X-cut and Circular Saws,	Double and Single Guns,
Butcher's Choppers, Cleavers and Knives,	Double and Single Pistols,
	Shot and Game Bags,
Anvils and Vices,	Powder Flasks,
Blocks and Tackles,	Powder and Shot,
Chain Pumps,	Water Proof Percussion Caps,
Iron, Copper and Brass Wire,	
Coach Trimmings,	Rifle Mountings.

The Subscribers would respectfully invite the attention of the public generally, to the above and other articles of Hardware, too numerous to mention, as they are determined to sell as low as any concern out of Philadelphia.
August 27, 1853. 35-1y

BRIGHT & LERCH'S

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

Coach Trimmings,	Files,
Springs,	Fine Trays,
Saddlery,	Britania Ware,
Shoemaker's Tools,	Assortment of fine Locks,
Carpenter's Tools,	Table Cutlery,
Glass and Paint,	Pocket Cutlery,
Bar Iron of all sizes,	Table Spoons,
Rolled "	Anvils and Vices,
Nails and Spikes,	Assortment of fine Guns,
Railroad Iron and Nails,	Shoe Iron Crucibles,
Smith Tools,	Wire, Tin Plate,
Building Materials,	Brass Kettles,
Cast Steel,	Sad Irons,
Shear Steel,	Pans and Boilers,
Agm Blister,	Chains,
Mill Saws,	Railroad Traces,
Cross-cut Saws,	Powder and Shot.
Fine Hand-saws,	

G. B. returns his thanks to the public for the patronage they extended to him in his individual capacity, and hopes the new firm, by the quality of their goods, strict attention to business, and accommodating prices, will deserve and command their continued support.
BRIGHT & LERCH,
Dealers in Hardware and Iron, Centre street,
Pottsville, January 6, 1855 1-tf

The Farmer.

GRASS AND GARDEN SEEDS, FRUIT TREES
Agricultural Implements, &c.

THE subscriber will keep on hand Clover, Timothy and other Grass seeds. White Clover and Lawn Grass seeds, together with Garden and Field seeds, which he will warrant to be fresh and good. He will also receive orders for all kinds of Fruit Trees, (warranted to be what they are represented) Agricultural Implements, &c., all of which will be furnished at manufacturers prices. As seeds and trees sold by the subscriber are selected with great care, only from growers of reputation and standing. He sells no seeds sold promiscuously in the market, purchased for those who sell cheap, without regard to the character of the seed sold. Nor does he purchase his seeds grown promiscuously in small gardens, as their too close proximity deteriorates their quality, particularly those of the same species. This is an important consideration to those who purchase either seeds or trees. For trees, &c., send in orders early to
B. BANNAN.

MIXED HUSBANDRY.—The practice of mixed husbandry, as it at present exists in some sections of our country, is an evil of much greater pecuniary importance than many allow, or accorded to the subject only a hasty examination, are probably disposed to believe. It is indeed very rarely the case that any crop can be made to grow with others, is permitted a monopoly of the soil, but is compelled to share its limited amount of nutriment with one or more other crops.

Thus corn, and beans, and pumpkins, and not unfrequently turnips, are found on the same soil! We have also potatoes and running beans and Indian corn, the latter planted to save "sticking" the beans, and a variety of similar associations, which are always a drawback—in the way they are conducted—upon the resources of the soil, whose system of enrichment is rarely based upon principles sufficiently liberal to furnish the aliment required by a single crop, much less to maintain a double or triple one. But all land not expressly prepared for this over-cropping, one vegetable is as much as should be allowed; but when there is an abundant supply of alimentary matter in the soil, in the condition of active soluble humus, it is not an injudicious, and by no means a wasteful course, to plant two kinds of vegetables, as for instance, Indian corn and beans, and peas and potatoes, as these products are sustained principally by different kinds of pabulum, and thus do not necessarily interfere with each other. But the prime consideration here, is to know that the energies of the soil are such, in extent and force as to render it capable of sustaining this double drain. The richer lands are, the less liable will they be to suffer from the alternations of wet and dry, and consequently less likely to fail in dry time. This is one of the many important advantages to be enumerated as the natural attendants of high manuring. When land is made rich, there is no extravagance in making large demands upon it. The corn crop may under such circumstances, be associated with beans, and even pumpkins also, and with the probability of good success: but to expect to take, year after year, twice as much from the soil as we return to it, or as it has to spare, is absurd, and what no judicious farmer, capable of discrimination, will ever be tempted to attempt.

GUANO FOR INSECTS.—A correspondent of the *Horticulturist* says:—"Some time last summer, while budding some young peaches, I found that ants had taken possession of several feet in one row. They very earnestly resisted my attempts to innoculate the trees, inflicting many unpleasant wounds on my hands and arms. In order to disperse the warlike little nation, I sprinkled near a pint of guano along the little ridges. This threw them into immediate consternation. I noticed little collections of winged ants huddled together, and seeming to be quiet, while those without wings ran about in great agitation. The following day not a single insect could be found where the day previous they appeared to be innumerable."

Guano is also said to be a remedy for the striped bug, when put on cucumber hills, taking care not to sprinkle it on the leaves.

COAL ASHES.—One of the best purposes to which coal ashes can be applied, in towns and country, is in making garden walks. If well laid down, no weeds or grass will grow, and in use they become as solid and more durable than brick. We have used this for many years, and find it to be excellent.

PROFITS OF ORCHARDS.—A distinguished agriculturist, who has 1000 apple trees, and intends to set out as many more, says that his apples will sell at 25 cents per bushel, they are his most profitable crop—and if they will not sell, they are the cheapest food he can raise, for all kinds of animals.

Recipes.

HOW TO DO UP SHIRT BOSOMS.—A contemporary furnishes the following recipe for producing a rich gloss on the linen shirt bosoms, &c:—"Take two ounces of gum arabic powder, put boiling water, (according to the degree of strength you desire) and then having covered it, let it set all night—in the morning, pour it carefully into a clean bottle, cork it and keep it for use. A tablespoonful of gum water stirred into a pint of starch made the usual manner, will give lawns either white or printed, the appearance of newness, when nothing else can restore them after washing."

COD LIVER OIL.—It is well known that this oil has been held up by many physicians as a perfect cure for almost every disease. Dr. Bedford of N. Y. city, in one of his clinical lectures, asserts that he cannot boast of much success in using it. He has been compelled to abandon its use, as he has found it to disagree with the stomachs of his patients. He has experienced the best effects from the use of olive oil.

A PREVENTIVE AGAINST MOTHS.—Take cloves, caraway seeds, nutmeg, mace, cinnamon, and tonquin, of each, one ounce; then add as much florentine, orris-root as will equal the other ingredients put together. Grind the whole well to powder, and then put it in little bags, among your clothes, &c. It is a pleasant perfume, and will keep away moths, though camphor gum will accomplish the latter object equally well.

BAKING HAM.—Most people boil ham. It is much better baked, if baked right. Soak it for an hour in clean water and wipe it dry, next spread it all over with thin batter, and then put it into a deep dish with sticks under it, to keep it out of the gravy. When it is fully done, take off the skin and batter crusted upon the flesh side, and set it away to cool. You will find it very delicious, but too rich for dyspeptics.

HAIR TONIC.—To two parts [illegible] of the best olive oil, add one of spirits of wine, put them into a bottle, and shake it well together. With this anoint the hair every morning and evening. For the first time it should be well rubbed with a piece of flannel into the parts of the head most affected.

RINGBONE.—A correspondent of the *Boston Cultivator*, gives the following:—Take wines or cider brandy, add saltpetre as much as will dissolve, and wash the ringbone [illegible] three times a day. One of my neighbors cured one of three or four years' standing by the application of this a few times.

TO PRESERVE HAMS.—The best way we know to serve hams during hot weather, is to sew them up in stout cotton bags, cover them with coal dust in barrels, and keep them in a cool place.