Wit and Humor.

From the Sunday Dispatch.

NUBBINS COMMITTEE AT THE THEATRE

BY RAFFIN ENDS, ESQ.

The immortal Nubbins awaited with feverish anxiety the rising of the painted canvas, yclept a curtain, and frowned severely at Japslack, who was amusing himself by slyly throwing paper balls at various bald-headed old gents in the parquet.

The overture commenced, and is thus described in the Nubbins notes of the occasion:

General ramble by the drums, with an occasional squeak from a fife.

Faint rasping on the big fiddle brought into action the trombone.

Trombone and big fiddle become exhausted, and are relieved by a fearful effort of all the flutes and the triangle.

Trombone and drums go into action and charge upon the flutes; triangle retires in disgust, and the flutes surrender at discretion.

The leader comes in with a double flourish; all the violins follow up; cat-gut and horse-hair suffer excruciating torture, until a reserve corps of French horns and bugles come roaring and blasting in, and create a universal medley of discord and noise, full of sound and fury, signifying nothing.

Ta-ta-ra-ta solo by the trumpet.

Another grand rush, and the overture is concluded by a wild pell-mell scraping; blowing, beating and striking of the whole combined forces.

Leader lays down the suffering catgut, the sheepskin ceases its perturbed grumbling, the horns are silent, and the orchestra retire to—"lager up."

Up went the curtain, and the play began. When that was over, a young lady, with ten million checks, india ink eyebrows, cotton calves, concealed by fleshings, and short skirts, appeared and executed a mysterious sort of Spanish dance, which consisted of two long jumps, three spins on one toe, several tree-toad hops backward on the heels, sixteen fascinating bows to the parquet, and an unlimited quantity of enchanting smiles.

Japslack was delighted—enthusiastic.

"Wonderful—charming—I am prepared to say, delicious. I fell in love once with a dancing girl—splendid girl—black eyes—blue hair—no—blue eyes and black hair—could dance herself into the affections of anybody—danced into mine—finally danced into my pockets—infatuated—gave here paste jewelry—costly of course—wedding day fixed—everything ready—white vests and groomsmen all ready—lot the bridegroom cometh—with the etceteras—but the bridegroom didn't find the blushing bride—the blushing bride had eloped with an ambitious supe—I was dished, and that's all." These remarks were delivered to Mr. Nubbins, in a whisper just loud enough to annoy an ancient couple, who sat immediately behind them.

After the dance, Signor Bullii Bolero Bundilbucker, the renowned professor of posturing, to all the royal highnesses of all the monarchical governments in existence, made his appearance, to the infinite delight of the gods in the gallery.

Signor Bullii Bolero Bundilbucker began by standing on his head, and knocking his heels together, and then turning a series of inextricable and marvellous summersaults, he alighted upon his feet, took a drink of water, rubbed his slippers in some pulverised rosin, and—was at it again. In ten minutes he contrived to twist himself into more shapes than the most active imagination could conceive in a month, and finally, taking his toes in his teeth, and tying his arms in a bow-not around his neck, rolled off.

Then came a farce, which would have been very funny had it not been preceeded by the tragical deeds of Signor Bolero Bundilbucker. Everybody got married in the farce—all the bag-wigged, round-sleeved fathers, cut their unsuspicious children off with a shilling each, and wrathfully thumped the stage with emphatic canes, and then consented to accommodate everybody by ending the play with relenting hearts.

The curtain came down—the orchestra went off—and Nubbins and his friends went home.

FUN FOR THOSE WHO LAUGH.—"How rapidly they build houses, now," said Cornelius to an old acquaintance, as he pointed to a two story house, "they commenced that building only last week, and they are already putting in the lights." "Yes," rejoined his friend, and next week they will put in the liver."

What is idleness? Working yaller mountains on a pink subsoil—or a blue-tailed dog in sky colored convulsions What is joy?—To count your money, and find it overrun a hundred dollars. What is conscience? Something that guilty men feel every time it thunders.

A Memphis paper announces the first appearance on any stage of a Mr. Lanier, a painter of repute, in the character of Othello, and apologizes for any short comings, in advance, on the ground that the debutant has never seen the character personated by any one!

An eastern editor, in an obituary on a young lady who had recently died, closed by saying—"She had an amiable temver, and was uncommonly fond of ice cream and other delicacies."

A dog, which had lost the whole of her interesting family, was seen trying to poke a piece of crape through the handle of the door of one of the sausage shops in this city.

A FEW DEFINITIONS.—Author—A dealer in words, who gets paid in his own coin.

Bargain—A ludicrous transaction, in which each party thinks he has cheated the other.

Belle—A beautiful but useless insect, without wings, whose colors fade on being removed from the sunshine.

Critic—A large dog that goes unchained, and barks at everything he does not comprehend.

Distant Relation—People who imagine they have a claim to rob you if you are rich, and to insult you if you are poor.

Editor—A poor fellow, who every day is emptying his brain, in order that he may fill his stomach.

Fear—The shadow of hope.

Friend—A person who will not assist you because he knows your love will excuse him.

Grave—An ugly hole in the ground, which lovers and poets wish they were in, but take uncommon pains to keep out of it.

ROMANCE.—The following thrilling extract is taken from an unpublished romance: "Listen to me, Gasparado. When first I met the lady Arabella in the brilliant saloon of the Court de Pomperoso. I was struck with the spiritual lustre of her dove-like eyes. In short, my friend, I loved her, although I knew nothing of her birth, fortune or station. 'Twas one moonlight eve, in the garden of the old chateau, when I pressed her to become my own, my cherished bride. She shrank from me, saying:

"'Thou knowest not who I am.'

"'I care not,' said I, passionately.

"'Then I do!' cried she, in piercing tones. 'I am your unknown washerwoman, and I'd thank you to pay me for the six pieces I washed for you last week!'

"Gasparado, I left forever the sunny clime of Italy a broken hearted man!"

THE man who climbed a freshly-peeled poplar pole, forty feet long, and drew the pole after him, is now engaged in the "menagerie," to ride a switch tail horse chesnut tree around the ring without stirrups.

A LATE writer, in speaking of soiireoiil, says it is the connecting link between dam and cabbage and pickled mauace.

PHILADELPHIA

LEATHER.

FRITZ, HENDRY & Co., No. 29, N. Third street, Philadelphia: Morocco Manufacturers, Curriers, and Importers of French Calf-Skins, and dealers in Rod and Oak Sole Leather and Kipp. Philadelphia, February 11, 1855 7-1y

WM. FRANCK, AUCTIONEER,

N. W. corner 3d & Buttonwood Sts., late Tammany PHILADELPHIA.

Positive Sale every Evening,

AT 7½ O'CLOCK, AT THE AUCTION STORE.

WILL be sold without reserve, for Cash—Cloths, Cassimeres, Satinets, and Dry Goods generally, Boots and Shoes, Cutlery, Guns, Clothing, Musical Instruments, and Merchandize generally.

☞ *The Auctioneer will give his personal attention to sales of every description.*

Philadelphia, February 17, 1855 7-1y

MITCHELL & CROASDALE,

(SUCCESSORS TO G. W. RIDGWAY & CO.)

No. 30 N. Wharves, above Arch st., Philada.

OFFERS for sale, at the lowest rates, the following articles: Brown, Olive and Pale Soaps, Winter Sperm Oil, Lard Oil, Miners' Oil, Tanners' Oils, Paint Oils, Rice, Naval Stores, Extra White Winter Elephant Oil, Extra White Winter Solar Oil, Bleached Winter Whale Oil, common Whale Oil, refined Whale Oil, Sperm and Adamantine Candles, Mexican and Peruvian Guano, &c., &c.

October 6, 1855 40-3m

FALL STOCK OF NEW GOODS, FOR 1855.

SEASONABLE Shawls, Fashionable Silks, full stock Black Silks, Dress Goods, all kinds, Blankets and Flannels, Linen and Cotton Sheetings, Staple Housekeeping Goods, Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings.

EYRE & LANDELL, Fourth and Arch Sts., Philada.

P. S.—Storekeepers and other *net cash buyers* supplied with scarce and desirable Dry Goods at low rates. Bargains from Philadelphia and New York Auctions daily.

N. B.—8 cases French Merinoes, all colors, wholesale, from 65 cents to $1 25.

September 15, 1855 37-3m

CLOTHING PALACE—CARD.

CLOTHING OF A SUPERIOR QUALITY, AT

THOMAS P. DILL & CO.'S

GREAT CHESNUT STREET CLOTHING PALACE

NO. 165, one door below 5th, north side, in the new Iron building.

Merchants who want to purchase a finer article of ready-made clothing than has ever before been offered, and gentlemen who would please themselves in any garment for their wardrobes, or in suits for their sons, should go this establishment, so admirably in keeping throughout, with the Great Street of Fashion, on which it is located, and purchase the best. We can alone satisfy a correct taste. Suits or single garments made to order at the shortest notice. A full assortment of fine Furnishing Goods also offered. Everything in the latest style of Fashion, and ticket-marked with the lowest cash price in plain figures.

Philad'a, October 13, '55 41-6m

GREAT BARGAINS IN DRY GOODS,

Wholesale and Retail.

Opening of Fall Goods.

FAUSSETT & GREEN, No. 15 North Second street (corner of Jones' Alley,) Philadelphia. Receiving daily from the Philadelphia and New York Auctions, all the most desirable styles of Dress Goods, Paris Mohairs, Lustrino, Parramatta, Madonas, Debeges, de Lanes, Shawls, Estella Bordered, Cashmere, Thibet, Bay State, Long and Square Blanket Shawls; Table Covers; Wool Plaids; Sack and Opera Flannels; Linen Table Cloths; Towels; Tickings; Linen and Cotton Diaper; Red and White Flannels; the best and cheapest Muslins in the city. We call especial attention to our Black Silks, all the celebrated makes at the lowest cash prices and warranted Oil Boiled; also, to our Long and Square Brocha Shawls; Blankets, all sizes, and all prices, together with a large assortment of Men's and Boys' wear; the largest and cheapest Satinetts in the City and all other goods too numerous to mention, at the Cheap Store of

FAUSSETT & GREEN.

Sept. 22, '55 38-3m

MUSIC PUBLISHING HOUSE.

NEW MUSIC LEE & WALKER, Successors to GEORGE WILLIG, No. 156 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 fine assortment of the best manufacturers of New York and Boston, at the lowest cheap prices.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

Also, a general assortment of Guitars, Violins, 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 Books and Music Store, Pottsville.

Philadelphia, Feb. 4, 1855 5 tf

AGNEW & CO'S SILK AND SHAWL STORE, No. 100 Chesnut St., Philadelphia.

WE take leave to inform the Ladies of Pottsville and vicinity, that we have now open a full stock of Fall and Winter French Goods, just arrived by Havre and Liverpool Steamers. In our shawl room will be found the most extensive assortment of Brocha, Long and Square SHAWLS, Stella and Printed Bordered SHAWLS, in the city; while our CLOAKS, TALMAS and MANTILLAS, in *Velvet Cloth and Moire Antique*, cannot be surpassed.

☞ **Silk and Dress Goods.** ☜

This department is supplied with all the newest styles of Brocades, Plaid, Stripe, Plain, Moiré Antique and Black Silks, white Moire Antique for bridal dresses, Rich Silk Robes Brocaded, Printed Cashmeres and Delaines, Lupines, Merinos and Cashmeres, a large assortment of all colors and very cheap.

Embroideries, Ribbons, Gloves, &c.

☞ **Mourning Goods,** ☜

Of Lupins, Bombazines, Cashmeres, De Laines, &c.

We earnestly solicit a call from our Country friends, feeling confident from our great facilities for purchasing goods, we can offer great bargains. AGNEW & Co.

P. S.—Constantly receiving new goods by the European Steamers.

October 13, 1855 41-2m

SAVING FUND

OF THE

U. S. Insurance, Annuity and Trust Co.,

SOUTH E. corner Third and Chesnut streets, Philadelphia.—Capital $250,000. Money is received on deposit daily. The amount deposited is entered in a Deposit Book and given to the Depositor, or, if preferred, a certificate will be given.

Interest is paid at the rate of *five per cent.*, commencing from the day of deposit, and ceasing fourteen days previous to the withdrawal of the money.

On the first day of January, in each year, the interest of each deposit is paid to the depositor, or added to the principal as he may prefer.

The company have now upwards of 3,500 depositors in the city of Philadelphia alone.

Any additional information will be given by addressing the Treasurer.

DIRECTORS.

Stephen R. Crawford, Pres't.	William M. Godwin.
Law. Johnson, Vice Pres't.	Paul B. Goddard,
Ambrose W. Thompson,	George Mellerio,
Benj. W. Tingley,	James Devereux,
Jacob L. Florence,	Gustavus English.

Secretary and Treasurer - *PLINY FISK.*
Teller and Interpreter - *J. C. OEHLSCHLAGER.*

September 8, '55 36-1y

Simon R. Snyder. J. W. Gruff.

Wholesale Clothiers,

No. 282 North Second Street (west side).

October 20, '55 42-1y

COLBERT'S

Envelope Manufactory & Printing Office,

55 South Fourth street (opposite Library street), Philadelphia. Die sinking, engraving, printing, embossing, &c. Original designs. business devices, notes, bill-heads, labels, seals, views of buildings, stores, machinery, &c. accurately drawn and engraved, on reasonable terms. Persons at a distance can have their engravings executed from daguerreotypes, by sending them per express or otherwise. Die sinking and embossing. Blank for business cards, envelopes, labels, &c., seals for societies, corporations and companies, engraved and embossed, on wood or brass. Office seal presses, heads of newspapers for common printing or cylinder presses.—Embossed printing, for business cards, envelopes, labels, &c. Plain and ornamental Job Printing, business cards, circulars, notices, bill-heads, promissory notes, Druggists' and Apothecaries' labels, plain and embossed, manufacturers' labels, tabs and tickets.

Printer to gold, silver and colors, envelope printing, salt and flour bags, &c., manufactured and printed at the shortest notice in all colors. Paper bag manufactory, grocers', bakers', confectioners', and all kinds of paper bags for sale. Envelopes of all qualities and descriptions, viz.: for homeopathic medicines, self-sealed and printed directions, for putting up medicines for sending abroad. Wedding and visiting cards engraved and printed. Also, envelopes of the finest English and French paper, to fit exactly any card, circular or invitation. Conveyancers' envelopes, to fit deeds, bonds, mortgages, &c., made in the best manner.

N. B.—*Orders sent by Express, as per agreement.*

Sept. 22, '55 38-

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.

ISAIAH L. BENNER, *President.*
ROBERT SELRIDGE, *Vice President.*
WM. C. REED, *Secretary.*

May 12, 1855 Nov. 18, 1854 31-tf 20-

PHILADELPHIA

DECOU & MIDDLETON,

IMPORTERS of, and dealers in IRON AND STEEL, *No. 12 North Water Street, above Market, Philadelphia.* April 7, 1855 14-1y

HAMMER & CHAEFF,

No. 103 North Third St., Philadelphia,

STORE IN

Notions, Trimmings and Auction Goods.

July 23, '55 29-6m

WILLIAM T. FRY,

IMPORTER of rich fancy goods, toilet articles, portemonnies, writing and dressing cases, canes, combs, bronzes, fans, opera glasses, paintings and paper mache goods, and manufacturer of traveling desks, dressing cases, and travelers' companions. Always on hand, a great variety of rich fancy and useful articles, suitable for Bridal, Birthday, and other presents.

128 Arch Street, opposite the Theatre, Philadelphia.

Sept. 29, '55 39-3m

WHEATLEY'S ARCH ST. THEATRE

Arch Street, above Sixth, Philadelphia.

THE STAR COMPANY,

COMPOSED of the first Artists in the world, and exceeding in Strength and Talent any Dramatic combination heretofore offered to the Theatrical public, will appear every night in Comedy, Tragedy, Serio-Comic Drama, Vaudevilles, Musical Burlettas, &c., &c. When visiting the city go there.

August 25, '55 34-6m

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

BOYS' CLOTHING.

THE SUBSCRIBER, would respectfully inform their numerous friends and customers of Schuylkill County, that their assortment of Clothing for Young gentlemen is much larger than ever, and they are disposed to sell *cheap*. Persons living at a distance, have the privilege of exchanging clothing purchased at this store, if they do not suit.

F. A. HOYT & BROTHER,

272 Chestnut St., corner of Tenth, Philada.

April 22, 1855 16-

NOTICE.

HAVING purchased the entire stock of the late GEO. W. RIDGWAY & CO., we shall be thankful for a continuance of the liberal patronage bestowed upon Mr. Ridgway; and having made arrangements to be in constant receipt of a full assortment of GOODS, we feel confident we can give entire satisfaction to the customers of the late house, and respectfully solicit the trade in general to call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere.

MITCHELL & CROASDALE,

Sept. 22, 1855 38-1y No. 30 N. Wharves, Phila.

FURS! FURS!! FURS!!!

Ladies' Furs!

M. GETZ, Nos. 7½ South Second and 88 Arch streets, Philadelphia, has now arranged and offers for sale, on reasonable time, his large and valuable assortment of the latest styles of CAPES, PELLERINES, and VICTORINES, of the following choice selections:

Russian Sable,	Mink Marten,	Silver Marten,
Canada Sable,	Brown Marten,	Siberian Squirrel,
Hudson Bay Sable,	Stone Marten,	Fitchi, &c.

Philadelphia, Oct. 6, '55 40-2m M. GETZ.

TOYS, FANCY GOODS, &C.

JUST received a splendid assortment of new Toys, Fancy Articles, Canvass, China Babies, Dominoes, Games, Musical Boxes, Blind Images, Razor Cases, Snuff Boxes, and Tobacco Boxes, Plain and Fancy Boxes, Porte Monnaies, Puzzles and Tricks, Slates and Pencils, Toys of all kinds, with an endless variety of other goods. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

N. B.—Canes mounted with gold, silver, ivory, and neatly repaired.

GEO. DOLL,

Oct. 6, 1855 No. 10½ North 6th St., (above Market,) Philada. 40-2m

BOYS' CLOTHING.

THOMAS & THACKERAY,

No. 500 Chesnut Street, above 5th, Philadelphia,

HAVE constantly on hand and make to order BOYS' CLOTHING, of the most improved styles, from a distance purchasing at this establishment, have the privilege of changing any article which may not suit.

N. B.—A large assortment of Patent Shoulder-seam Boys' Shirts, together with a general assortment of Youths' Furnishing Goods, which we are prepared to sell at low prices for cash.

September 1, '55 35-6m

FANCY FURS,

For Ladies and Children.

JOHN FAREIRA, Importer, Manufacturer and Dealer in all kinds of FANCY FURS, No. 244 Market street (above Eighth), Philadelphia.

Having now completed my very large and beautiful assortment of all the different kinds of Fancy Furs, and fashioned into all the different styles and fashions that will be worn during the present season by Ladies and Children, and being determined to sell my goods at *small profits*, it will be to the advantage of Ladies and others to give me a call before purchasing.

N. B.—Storekeepers and the trade will do well to call, as they will find one of the largest and best variety of stocks to select from in the city. JOHN FAREIRA.

Sept. 22, '55 38-1m

LADIES' FANCY FUR STORE.

European and American Furs.

THE subscriber has opened for the season, his usual splendid assortment of FURS, consisting of Russian and Hudson's Bay Sables, Stone and Mink Marten, Royal Ermine, Arctic Chinchilla, &c., &c.

His assortment of Furs, for trimmings is large and desirable. Also, a fine assortment of Ladies' and Gents' Fur Gloves, Gent's Fur Collars and Cuffs, Carriage and Sleigh Robes, Foot Muffs, &c.

All the above articles are made in the newest styles and warranted. GEO. F. WOMRATH,

No. 13 North 4th street, Philadelphia.

N. B. All kinds of SHIPPING FURS bought.

Oct. 20 '55. 42-3m

TO DEALERS IN OIL CLOTHS.

THE UNDERSIGNED being largely engaged in manufacturing Oil Cloths, has made arrangements to sell his own manufactured goods. The stock in store is complete, the quality unsurpassed and the prices at which he can afford to sell, cannot fail to give satisfaction.

Special care will be taken in selecting for orders. His stock consists of FLOOR OIL CLOTHS, from 2 to 18 feet wide—over three patterns, oaks, tapestry, marble and tiles; CARRIAGE TOP OIL CLOTHS, on ducks, drills and muslin, enamelled and plain surfaces; TABLE OIL CLOTHS, 4 to 6-4 wide, in the prettiest patterns, superior to the imported; STAIR DRUGGET OIL CLOTHS, &c. Warehouse, 79 Arch st., below Third, Philadelphia.

THOMAS POTTER, *Manufacturer.*

August 4, '55 31-6m

TO FOUNDRYMEN, MACHINISTS & OTHERS

A. PURVES, N. E. corner South and Penn streets, Philadelphia, furnishes input copper and brass, pig iron, sheet iron, solder, fire bricks, portable forges, spelter, block tin, lead, foundry mouldings, facings, crucibles, antimony, babbit metal, sand of all kinds, brass, old copper, &c., &c. He is also a dealer in wrought and cast scrap iron and other metals. He is his desire to accommodate manufacturers and others at a distance from the city, by furnishing any article they may want in their business. Articles not mentioned in the above will be procured at a forward'd. Any inquiry in the above line will be promptly answered.

A. PURVES,

N. E. corner South and Penn streets.

Sept. 22, '55 38-1y

WOOD'S ORNAMENTAL IRON WORKS,

Ridge Avenue, Philadelphia.

THE attention of the public is invited to the extensive manufactory and warerooms of the subscriber, who is prepared to furnish, at the shortest notice, Iron Railing of every description for Cemeteries, Public and Private Buildings, also Verandahs, Balconies, Fountains, Settees, Chairs, Lions, Dogs, &c., and other Ornamental Iron Work of a decorative character, all of which is executed with the express view of pleasing the taste, while they combine all the requisites of beauty and substantial construction.

Purchasers may rely on having all articles carefully boxed and shipped to their place of destination.

A book of designs will be sent to those who wish to make a selection.

BIDDLE WOOD,

Ridge Avenue, below Spring Garden St., Philada.

Oct. 6, '55 40-2m

PUBLICATIONS.

YEAR BOOK OF AGRICULTURE.

855-56.

THE ANNUAL of Agricultural Progress and Discovery, for 1855-56, exhibiting the most important discoveries and improvements in Agricultural Mechanics, Agricultural Chemistry and Botany, &c. &c., with numerous engravings. A capital book for Farmers and Horticulturists. For sale at B. BANNAN'S

Book and Stationery Store.

Pottsville, Dec. 1, '55 48-

NEW ENGLISH EDITION

OF

LYELL'S ELEMENTARY GEOLOGY.

JUST ISSUED,

A MANUAL of Elementary Geology; or, the ancient changes of the Earth and its inhabitants, as illustrated by Geological monuments, by Sir Charles Lyell, M. A., F. R. S. Fifth English edition, greatly enlarged, and illustrated with 750 wood cuts, in one Vol., 8vo. Cloth, $1 75.

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B. BANNAN'S

Sept. 22, '55 33- Book and Stationery Store

GRATIS!

Just Published, a New Discovery in Medicine!

A FEW WORDS on the rational treatment, without Medicine, of Spermatorrhea or Local Weakness, Nervous Debility, Low Spirits, Lassitude, Weakness of the Limbs and Back, Indisposition and Incapacity for Study and Labor, Dullness of Apprehension, Loss of Memory, Aversion to Society, Love of Solitude, Timidity, Self Distrust, Dizziness, Head-Ache, Incontinent Night Sweats, Pains in the Side, Affection of the Eyes, Pimples on the Face, Sexual and other Infirmities in Man.

From the French of Dr. B. De Leney.

The important fact that these alarming complaints may easily be removed *without Medicine* is in this small tract clearly demonstrated; and the entirely new and highly successful treatment adopted by the author, fully explained, by means of which every one is enabled *to cure himself perfectly, and at the least possible cost*, avoiding thereby all the advertised nostrums of the day.

Sent to any address gratis, and post free in a sealed envelope, by remitting (post paid) two postage stamps to

DR. B. DE LANEY,

Sept. 12, '55 17-6m* 17 *Lispenard St., New York*

IMMENSE SUCCESS!

THE CHEAPEST MAGAZINE IN THE WORLD.

"BALLOU'S DOLLAR MONTHLY."

Designed for Every American Home.

ENCOURAGED by the unprecedented success which this popular monthly has met with, and the rapidity with which it has increased its circulation, the proprietor has resolved to make it still more worthy of the patronage of the public. That this admirable work is *a miracle of cheapness*, is admitted by every one, containing, as it does one hundred pages of reading matter in each number, being more than any of the $3 magazines, and forming two volumes a year of six hundred pages each, or *twelve hundred* pages of reading matter per annum, for ONE DOLLAR!

Ballou's Dollar Monthly is printed with new type, upon fine white paper, and its matter is carefully compiled and arranged by the hands of the editor and proprietor, who has been known to the public as connected with the Boston press for sixteen years. It pages contain news, tales, poems, stories of the sea, sketches, miscellany, adventure, biographies, wit and humor, from the best and most popular writers of the country. It is also spiced with a record of the notable events of the times, of peace and war, of discoveries, and improvements occurring in either hemisphere, forming an agreeable companion for a leisure moment or hour, anywhere, at home or abroad, each number being complete in itself.

No sectarian subjects are admitted into its pages; there are enough controversial publications, each devoted to its peculiar set or clique. This work is intended for "THE NATION," north or south, east or west, and is filled to the brim each month with chaste, sparkling, pleasant miscellany, just such as any father, brother or friend, would place in the hands of a family circle. It is in all its departments, fresh and original, and, what it purports to be, the cheapest magazine in the world.

Any person enclosing $1 to the proprietor, as below, shall receive the magazine for one year; or any person sending us *eight* subscribers and $8, at one time, shall receive a copy gratis.

M. M. BALLOU,

Publisher and Proprietor,

Corner of Tremont and Bromfield streets, Boston.

Dec. 1, '55 48-1y

TO BUILDERS.

LUMBER! LUMBER!!

The subscriber, respectfully announces to the public that he has completed his Steam Circular Saw mill in Tucker's Alley, Schuylkill county, and is now prepared to furnish all kinds of lumber at the lowest prices—such as Pine, Hemlock and White Oak of every other description. [illegible]

☞ Bills of Lumber cut to order at the shortest notice.

Nov. 17, '55 46-tf EDWARD R. BLAND.

LUMBER! LUMBER!!

THE Dauphin & Susquehanna Co. having two saw mills running, and fill with dispatch, and at the lowest rates, orders for Hemlock, Poplar or Oak lumber, of the usual sizes and lengths under 50 feet.—Also, Chesnut shingles, shingling lath, and plastering lath always on hand. Persons desirous of ordering Bridge bills or any heavy quantities of lumber, will find it to their interest to apply to the undersigned, as the Company has a large number of trucks on the track, and can give great dispatch to any orders they may receive.

ELLWOOD MORRIS, *Sup. & Supt.*

Letter address—"Harrisburg, Pa."

November 10, '55 45-1m*

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, Brackets, Mouldings, Awning Posts*, and generally all turning to *Wood*. Also, *Drift & Railroad Cars*, with the [illegible] Iron work complete, &c., &c., at the shortest notice.

He has for sale Lumber, 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.

CHARLES LAWTON, Jr.

St. Clair, February 3, 1855 5-1y

NEW LUMBER YARD,

In Schuylkill Haven.

PALM & FRITZ, respectfully invite the attention of Builders and others, to their large assortment of *Seasoned and Green Lumber*, which they will be prepared to furnish by the latter end of March next, at the lowest payable rates, FOR CASH!!

Our stock consists of WHITE and YELLOW PINE BOARDS, PANNEL and HEMLOCK. Also heavy stuff, such as BEAMS, JOISTS, RAFTERS, SCANTLINGS, POSTS, &c. We have also ordered a large assortment of different qualities of JOINT and LAP SHINGLES, PICKETS, CEILING-LATHS, PALING and PLANK, together with all other materials belonging to the Lumber Trade.

One of the firm being a practical builder, we flatter ourselves on having an advantage over those who have been engaged in the business alone, and yet its value has never been set to give the entire satisfaction. Our heavy lumber has been sawed to order, thus preventing much waste to the purchaser or builder.

Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere. Yard opposite Dr. Palm's office. P. R. PALM,

EDWIN G. FRITZ.

Schuylkill Haven, February 24, 1855 8-1y

TO CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS.

The Schuylkill Co. Lumber & Manufacturing Co., HAVING now their large Shop on Railroad Street in full operation are prepared to furnish to carpenters and builders, generally, Doors, Blinds, Shutters, Sash Mouldings, Door and Window Frames, and every article in our line in the latest style and workmanlike manner, and at a saving of 25 per cent, on former cost. They have also on hand a large assortment of Lumber.

White Pine Plank, 3, 2½, 2, 1½, 1¼, 1, ¾ & ½ inch panel.
White Pine Boards and White Pine Flooring.
Yellow do do do Yellow do do
Dry and Green Hemlock of all kinds for building purposes.
Oak, Maple, Poplar, Chair, Plank and Scantling Boards, 1 and 1½ inch.
Dry and Walnut Plank, for railing.

Also turned work, such as bed posts, table legs, banisters, on hand or turned to order, and bills of stuff sawed to order at the shortest notice.

One Ten Horse Engine with 20 feet boiler, all complete and in good order, for sale, cheap, by the Schuylkill Co. Lumber Company.

Pottsville, August 11, '55 32-tf

MANUFACTURES.

PORT CARBON SHOVEL FACTORY.

Charles Smith, Proprietor.

All kinds of coal shovels, spades, coal riddles, &c.

The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited.

July 28, '55 30-1y

NEW BOOT AND SHOE STORE.

CENTRE STREET, NEXT DOOR BELOW FOX & BRO., POTTSVILLE.

SAMUEL STROUSE has just opened a large stock of all kinds of Boots, Shoes, Trunks, Carpet Bags, Gumshoes, &c. He also will always be found Ladies' and Children's Shoes, Gaiters, Slippers, &c., of every variety. Also, Boots and Shoes suited for Miners' wear.

☞ Manufacturing and Repairing done with shortest notice. Oct. 20 '55 42-tf

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 point beauty and finish, with any obtained elsewhere; and are offered at cheaper rates.

JOHN T. LANG

Jan. 13, 1855 2-1y*

BLINDS AND SHADES,

OF every variety, on hand and made to order, by

A. H. BRITTON & CO.,

No. 40 North Third Street, Philadelphia.

Manufacturers of Gold Borders and painted Shades, of beautiful designs, with every description of Blinds and Shades, trimmings, facings, &c., wholesale and retail, at prices that will give satisfaction.

October 13, '55 41-6m

VENETIAN BLIND MANUFACTORY.

5th St., bet. Norwegian & Mahantango.

W. ZERBE announces to the citizens of Pottsville and vicinity, that he is prepared to manufacture *Venetian Blinds* of every size, color and style, 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

CHEAP BOOTS AND SHOES.

THE subscriber thankful for past patronage, would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally that he still continues the business of selling, making and repairing BOOTS and SHOES, of all kinds, at the shortest notice and almost reasonable prices, at the corner of Centre and Coal streets, Pottsville, and would solicit a continuance of their favors, hoping that strict attention to business will merit it. SILAS STROUSE.

Cor. Centre and Callowhill Sts., opposite Exchange Hotel.

November 10, '54 45-tf

BUSHNEL & TULL.

No. 64 Dock Street, Philadelphia,

MANUFACTURERS of Children's Carriages, Gigs, Coaches, Barouches, Velocipedes, Chaises, Wheel-barrows, Nursery Swings, Rocking Horses, Sleds, Dorrill Carts, &c., &c., wholesale and retail.

September 22, 1855 38-1y

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, Drift 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 9-tf [May 12, '54]

MOROCCO FACTORY.

MOROCCO LEATHER and SHOE Finding Store, at Derr'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 prices.

JOHN L. MINNIG.

☞ All kinds of Skins, such as Sheep, Goat, Deer, &c., and also Sumac, taken in exchange for Leather, at the highest market price, or paid for in cash.

Pottsville, Oct. 29, 1855. 44-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, Beaver 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 Hotel. G. C. LIVZEY & CO.

N. B.—A large assortment of Buffalo Robes on hand, at prices to suit the times.

November 18, 1854 [May 20, 1y] 45-

Firm of Bond & Kellogg, Druggists.

Brookfield, Mass., January 12, 1855.

Prof. Wood—DEAR SIR:—Having made trial of your Hair Restorative, it gives me pleasure to say that its effect has been excellent in removing inflammation, dandruff, and a constant tendency to itching, with which I have been tro