Wit and Humor.

DIAMOND CUT DIAMOND.

They say money makes the mare go; but Uncle John had a mare once and at times, all the world wouldn't make her move an inch. She was a slight animal, and could trot at a spanking pace, too, whenever she felt inclined; but that wasn't every day by a jug full. "Old Muley," as Uncle John called her, would go along very well for a while, until something would disturb her equanimity, when all at once she would come to a dead halt, and there she would stay until she got tired and hungry; you might have coaxed until doomsday to no purpose, and as for beating, at the first crack of the whip up would fly her heels, then look out for the dasher (if she was attached to the wagon) and yourselves too; out of that you would be obliged to come, to a dead certainty, or remain to have your brains kicked out. Uncle John bought her from a person who sold her for want of use at what he considered a bargain but he soon found out that the bargain was over on the other side. Unfortunately for the old gentleman, Muley was in a good mood at the time, and the money ($200) was paid and received with apparent satisfaction by both parties to the transaction, and Muley put her best foot foremost, and soon landed Uncle John safe at his home.—He was delighted with his purchase; the mare was just the animal he had been looking for, for some time, and he retired to bed that night under the firm conviction that he had at last succeeded in getting a horse entirely to his liking, but he was doomed to bitter disappointment.

It was decided that I was to take her out next morning, to test her trotting powers. Jim, the hostler, was ordered to bring her out; but Muley would not stir a peg, not she; she was patted and coaxed, but she declined moving most doggedly. The whip was resorted to, which brought out only her kicking propensities to the fullest extent.—Uncle John swore. "What a villain that horse jockey is," said he; "he gave me his word of honor, as a man, that she was as kind and gentle as a lamb. If ever I come across him I will horsewhip him—if I don't, then horsewhip me," and he famed again, but it was of no use; Muley was determined to stay where she was, and we were obliged to let her stay till the latter part of the afternoon, when she very condescendingly walked out, and kindly permitted herself to be harnessed to the light wagon, when Uncle John and I got in, and started off finely, and we anticipated a pleasant drive; but as we were passing a small bridge over a creek, about a mile from the house, I inadvertently touched her with the whip on the flank, to dislodge a fly, when bang went her heels through the dasher. We leaped out in less than no time, as a matter of course, and confound her, she brought all standing to an anchor, as the sailors say; there she was, right in the centre of the bridge, so that nothing in the shape of a wagon could pass us on either side; here was a predicament. Vehicle after vehicle came up, and the people in them became impatient. At last we got a rope from a teamster, who was waiting to pass over the bridge, and made it fast round her neck.

"Out of that she must come," said Uncle John, "dead or alive. Now, Mr., have the goodness to put a couple of your best horses to that rope, and if she don't come, pull her neck off."

The horses were hitched—crack went the whip, and Muley found out that if she must she must, and reluctantly consented to be pulled a short distance from the bridge into the road. The blockade having been raised, the fleet departed—not so Muley; there she remained till nightfall, when prudence whispered to her "oats," and pricking up her ears, with a neigh, she was off in a smart trot for home, which we reached safely, but no thanks to Muley though.

The following morning we tried her again, and to our agreeable surprise, she started beautifully, and kept along in fine style, when we overtook a gentleman in a York wagon, going along quietly enough, when we took to be a fine looking mare. Holding up a little to examine more particularly, we were accosted by the inmate of the wagon with:

"That's a fine looking mare of yours, sir!"

"Yes," said Uncle John, "and she's as fine as she looks—that's not a bad looking mare you have there, either."

"Can't well be beaten; capital mare, sir, though I must say it myself. Would like to buy your horse; make a good match for one that I have at home—like to trade sir?"

"Well," said Uncle John, "my mare suits me, but if I can make any thing by the operation that might alter the case; if you warrant your mare kind, and give me fifty dollars to boot, its a trade."

"Can't think of such a thing, sir—tell you what I will do, I am a man of few words; haven't much time to bargain long; know what I'm about; will trade even—that's all I have to say, sir; speak quick; my mind's made up; even or off?"

"Kind and sound?" asked Uncle John.

"Warrant her," said the stranger.

"Done," said Uncle John, and in the next minute the mare was unhitched and the transfer made—the quickest horse trade I ever witnessed.

"Good morning, gentlemen," said the stranger, and he gave Muley a touch with the whip, and the next moment her feet went through the dasher.

"You've stuck me, sir!"

"Sorry," said Uncle John; "never knew her to do such a thing before; coax her a little, stranger, and she'll be all right directly—go long!" and he in turn touched his mare with the whip; up she reared on her legs, and giving a tremendous sheer, upset the wagon and threw us both out luckily without injury. Snap went the shafts, and she off like lightning down the road.

"Look here," said Uncle John, "didn't you warrant that mare kind?"

"Never knew her to do any such a thing before; but don't grumble old fellow, for curse me if I have made much by the trade that I can see." "Whoa!" and up went Muley's heels again, and out of the wagon went the stranger.

I could restrain my laughter no longer, and I collapsed; so did the stranger, and John thought it best to follow suit, and for full five minutes we roared.

Bidding the stranger good-bye, with the assurance that the mare would be ready to go probably about dinner-time, we pulled our shattered wagon out of the way, and Uncle John started on foot for home, whilst I took the opposite direction in search of the mare, which I found about half a mile below at the turnpike gate, the gate-keeper having secured her. The stranger and the mare were still there when I returned; the former sitting upon a fence waiting patiently on the movements of the latter.

The following day Uncle John said to me, "Harry, I wish you would have that infernal mare taken to the horse-market, and sell her at any price; if you can't sell her, give her away, but don't bring her back again—if you do I'll have her knocked in the head."

"It shall be done, if possible," said I, and in an hour's time she was under the saddle in the horse market. I took the old gentleman at his word, and jumped at the first offer, and got seventy-five dollars paid down for her.

"Stranger," said the purchaser, "if you'd a stuck out a while longer, I'd a give you a hundred dollars for this mare."

"Yes," said I, "and if you'd stuck out a while longer, I would have sold her for a quarter of the money;" and I bade him good day. This was the last we ever saw of the two mares.

"I WISH my portrait taken," said a young man from the country to a daguerreotypist.

"Very well, sir—just take a seat here."

"You warrant a resemblance?"

"Certainly."

"For how long a time?"

"For many years, and even when old age overtakes you, there will be some traces of your features."

"But suppose I catch the small-pox, how can you warrant a durable likeness?"

"Just bring it back," said the artist, smilingly, "and I will punch a few holes in it."

TWO GENTLEMEN once visited Balzac at his country residence, and there met a little old dried up fellow, whose comical appearance attracted their attention so much that they smiled.

"Don't smile," said Balzac, "he is a hero—for forty years he has adored a woman, and he has not yet kissed her hand."

COL.—What's the difference between a man of the North and a man of the South?

Answer—One blacks his own boots, and the other blacks his own blacks.

NAVAL EXPENDITURE.—The most economical vessel of war has been said to be the screw steamer.

A SHREWD REALITY.—Being punched over by the pole of an omnibus coming upon you at the rear.

CHEMISTRY OF THE CONFEDERACY.—The product of pale brandy is often a red nose.

CURE FOR FLEAS.—Throw them in the hot!

REAL ESTATE SALES.

FOR SALE.
1000 Acres of Valuable Coal Land.

ONE THOUSAND Acres of the valuable Broad Mountain Coal lands, situated in Butler and Barry townships, Schuylkill county, Pa., is hereby offered at private sale. The Ashland Extension Railroad runs through part of the property, which is underlaid with Coal seams and well timbered. For references, or information apply to Samuel Lewis, Esq., Cimbria street, or to the subscriber, at his Real Estate Agency, 15 Railroad street, Pottsville, Pa. The terms are half cash, and half postage bonds. FRANCIS BERNGER.
Pottsville, April 19, 1856 16-tf

COAL LANDS FOR SALE.

PRIVATE SALE.—That Celebrated tract of splendid Coal land known as the "Spohn Tract," containing the justly celebrated seam "Spohn Vein," also what is generally known as the "Seventy-five acre tract," adjoining, on the Mt. Carbon Rail road and in West Norwegian Township, owned by Nicholas R. Thorpin Esq., is hereby offered at private sale, on the most advantageous terms.

The first contains all the Coal Veins in the Great Southern Anthracite Regions—including, besides other, tracts, those generally known as the *Palmer, Charity Pick, Christian, Peach Orchard, Orchard, Primrose and Mammoth*, with all the underlying, though yet unexplored, beds of coal which are known to exist in the formation, averaging when proved, over a hundred feet of solid Coal. In fact, the tracts now offered, contains the richest Coal deposits in the County.

For information, apply to Francis Spencer, Esq., agent for Coal lands, and real estate generally. Office in Rail road street above E. Market street, Pottsville, Pa.
March 22, 1856 12-tf

COAL MINE FOR SALE.

ALL the interest of the Lessee in Three celebrated veins of Coal, in the Southern Anthracite Coal Region, at a distance of about Three miles from the town of Pottsville.

The Veins included in the lease, have each about Two thousand yards of run.

The lease which is made on more favourable terms than could now be procured, embraces an unexpired period of between eleven and twelve years.

The improvements consist of Four pumping and hoisting, and Four breaking Engines, Three slopes, One single and one double Breaker, Sixty houses new and in good repair.

About Three hundred thousand tons of Coal are now opened, by gangways and tunnels.

The capacity of the Colliery is estimated at Two hundred thousand tons per annum. One of them is believed to be capable of producing in the aggregate, from millions of tons, with little additional expense, the machinery erected, being calculated for that purpose.

For terms &c., apply to J. M. WETHERILL,
Pottsville, Penna.
or BURD PATTERSON, Esq.

FOR SALE OR TO LEASE.
Improved Coal Lands.

THE COAL LANDS comprising the Hancock and Searle's Farms, containing about 247 acres, situated about 2¾ miles from the borough of Wilkesbarre, Luzerne county, and six miles from Pittston, directly on the North Branch Canal, are offered for sale or to lease on favorable terms. The farms are all capable of being put into a high state of cultivation, and 1½ half rolling land and half flats.

At a most convenient distance from the Canal a shaft is sunk to the depth of 95 feet, cutting the celebrated 10 feet vein of Coal. An engine of 50 horse power, (new,) built by Marshall & Lanning, with frame building, pumps, pipes, &c., all in complete order, are already erected in connection with the shaft. In addition to the 10 feet vein, there are underlying the whole property the celebrated Baltimore vein, 25 feet thick, and four other workable veins of Coal. If leased, the breakers, schutes, miners' houses, etc., will be put up complete by the owners, and capable of mining and sending away during the season of 1857, fifty thousand tons of Coal. For particulars, apply to A. LAWTON, Agent,
B. BANNAN, Wilkesbarre, Luzerne county, Pa.
November 15, '56 46-3m

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

PURSUANT to an order of the Orphans' Court of the County of Schuylkill, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the subscriber, Administrator of Andrew Mortimer, late of the borough of Pottsville, in the County of Schuylkill, deceased, will expose to sale by public vendue on Saturday, the 21st day of February next, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Exchange Hotel of F. B. Kaercher, in the borough of Pottsville, in the County of Schuylkill aforesaid, All that certain half lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Pottsville, in the County of Schuylkill, and State of Pennsylvania, to wit: On the southeasterly side of Market street, in the borough of Pottsville aforesaid, being the northeasterly half of lot marked in Pott and Patterson's Addition to said Borough with No. 72, the aforesaid half lot containing in front on Market St., thirty feet and in depth to Norwegian street, two hundred and forty four feet, be the same more or less, bounded in front by Market street aforesaid, in the rear by Norwegian street aforesaid, on one side by lot No. 70, and on the other side by the other part of said lot numbered seventy-two, (72) the said half lot to be thirty feet wide all the way through, with the appurtenances, consisting of a double two story frame dwelling house with stone basement story on Market street, and a one and a half story frame dwelling house on Norwegian street, and a small frame stable, late the estate of said deceased. Terms and conditions made known at the time and place of sale by SAMUEL M. MORTIMER,
Administrator, &c.
By order of the Orphans' Court, JOSHUA BOYER,
Pottsville, Jan. 24, '57 4-5t Clerk

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

PURSUANT to an order of the Orphans' Court of the county of Schuylkill, in the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the subscriber, Administratrix, with the Will annexed, of Edward Colkehan, late of the borough of Port Carbon, in the county of Schuylkill, deceased, will expose to sale by public vendue on Tuesday, the 10th day of February next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the public house of Bartholomew O'Regan, in the borough of Port Carbon, in the county of Schuylkill aforesaid,—All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the borough of Port Carbon, in the county of Schuylkill and State of Pennsylvania, to wit: At the southwesterly corner of Canal and Coal streets, being composed of nine full, equal undivided tenth parts of the lot which is marked No. 15 on the map or plan of the town of Port Carbon, as laid out by Seltzinger, Kelm & Company, and the northwesterly portion of the lot which is marked No. 17 on the said map or plan aforesaid, upon which is erected a two story brick house, with out-houses, &c.

ALSO, All that certain half lot or piece of ground, situate in the town of Port Carbon, now the borough of Port Carbon, aforesaid, being marked and numbered in the general plan of Patterson's Addition to said town—say The half of lot No. 75, containing in breadth 31 feet and in length or depth 198 feet, more or less.

ALSO, All that lot or piece of ground situate and lying the village of New Philadelphia, Blythe township and county of Schuylkill, and lying on the main street of said village on the main road leading from Pottsville to Tamaqua, known by No. 0 in the map or plan of said village of New Philadelphia, the said lot having been obtained on ground rent from George Patterson, upon which said lot there is erected a two story new frame house with the necessary outbuildings late the estate of said deceased. Terms and conditions made known at the time and place of sale by

MARY O'REGAN
Administratrix.
By order of the Orphans' Court. JOSHUA BOYER,
Pottsville, Jan. 10th, '57. 2-5t Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE.

THE subscriber will offer at Public Sale, on SATURDAY, the 31st day of January, A. D. 1857, at the public house of John L. Yeager, in the borough of Pinegrove, at 10 o'clock, A. M., the following described valuable real estate:

No. 1. A certain piece or tract of land situate in Bethel and Pinegrove townships, in the counties of Schuylkill and Lebanon, containing 183½ acres, adjoining lands of Eckert & Guilford, Col. Acrigg and others, whereon is erected a new saw mill, a new bank barn, 2 houses, and other outbuildings. There is about 30 acres of land in clear and in a good state of cultivation—the balance is covered with good timber. There is also a good orchard, and a spring and well of water convenient to the houses. The soil of the land is red shale. The Union Canal runs along the land. Lime can be procured at a very reasonable rate.

No. 2. A certain piece or tract of land, situate in Pinegrove township, containing 10 acres, adjoining lands of James M. Rohrer, Dauphin & Susquehanna Railroad, and others, marked in draft No. 7.

No. 3. A certain piece or tract of land, containing 10 acres, and marked in draft No. 6.

No. 4. A certain piece or tract of land, containing 10 acres, and marked in draft No. 5.

No. 5. A certain piece or tract of land, containing 10 acres, and marked in draft No. 4.

No. 6. A certain piece or tract of land, containing 10 acres, and marked in draft No. 3.

No. 7. A certain piece or tract of land, containing 8 acres, and marked in draft No. 2.

No. 8. A certain piece or tract of land, containing 2 acres, and marked in draft No. 1.

No. 9. A certain lot or piece of ground, containing 5 acres, situate along the Dauphin & Susquehanna Railroad, in Bonawitz's Addition to Pinegrove, and marked in said plan No. 70. The land is under good cultivation, with running water on the same.

No. 10. A certain lot or piece of ground, containing 6 acres, along the Dauphin & Susquehanna Railroad in the Bonawitz Addition to Pinegrove, and marked in said plan No. 69. The land is under good cultivation, and about 200 young fruit trees planted on the same, and a never failing spring of water.

No. 11. A certain lot or piece of ground, containing 4 acres, situate in the Bonawitz Addition, and marked in said plan No. 68. It is under good cultivation.

No. 12. A certain lot or piece of ground, containing 5 acres, situate in the Bonawitz Addition, and marked in said plan No. 67, being under high cultivation—at present in grass.

No. 13. A certain lot of ground, corner of Tulpehocken and Furnace streets in the Bonawitz Addition, and marked in said plan No. 65.

No. 14. A certain lot of ground, 60 feet front and 150 feet deep, fronting on Tulpehocken street, in the Bonawitz Addition, and marked in said plan No. 7.

No. 15. A certain lot of ground, 60 feet front and 150 feet deep, fronting on Tulpehocken street, in the Bonawitz Addition, and marked in said plan, No. 13.

No. 16. A certain lot of ground, 60 feet front and 150 feet deep, fronting on Tulpehocken street, in the Bonawitz Addition, and marked in said plan, No. 14.

No. 17. A certain lot of ground, 60 feet front and 150 feet deep, fronting on Tulpehocken street, in the Bonawitz Addition, and marked in said plan, No. 16, it being a corner lot.

No. 18. A certain lot or piece of ground along the Union Railroad, and fronting on Tulpehocken street; the same is in length about 250 feet along the said Union Railroad, and the said Tulpehocken street, suitable for a wood and timber landing, marked in plan of Bonawitz Addition, No. 36.

No. 19. A certain lot of ground fronting Railroad St., 60 feet front and 150 feet deep in the Bonawitz Addition, No. 49.

No. 20. A certain lot of ground fronting Railroad St., 60 feet front and 150 feet deep in the Bonawitz Addition, No. 50.

No. 21. A certain lot of ground fronting Tulpehocken street, 60 feet running back to the Union Railroad, in the Bonawitz Addition, No. 27, whereon is erected a comfortable two story frame dwelling house.

No. 22. A certain piece or tract of land, situate in the Borough and Township of Pinegrove, adjoining lands of John Hese, Geo. Eisenbaum and others, containing 6 acres and 61 perches, about 3½ acres is clear; the balance is covered with good timber.

No. 23. A certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough of Pinegrove, fronting 60 feet on Tulpehocken street, running back to an alley, adjoining lots of Mary Snyder and Wendel Schwartz, whereon is erected a one and a half story frame dwelling house, with stone basement.

No. 24. A certain lot of ground, situate in the Township of Pinegrove, fronting on Sunbury Road, adjoining lots of John Gerhy and Barack Mock, containing 60 feet in width 60 feet and in depth 150 feet, whereon is erected a one and a half story frame dwelling house with basement.

No. 25. The undivided one half of a certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough of Pinegrove, fronting 50 feet on Tulpehocken street, and running back 170 ft. to the Dauphin and Susquehanna Railroad, whereon is erected a building 51 feet front and 32½ feet deep, with kitchen attached, 16 feet square, and an out kitchen, together with other necessary buildings. The place is suitable for most any public business, and has been used for upwards of 25 years for a store stand.

No. 26. The undivided one half of a certain corner lot of ground, situate in the Borough of Pinegrove, corner of Tulpehocken and Pottsville streets, 60 feet front on Tulpehocken street, and running back along said Pottsville street, to the Dauphin and Susquehanna R. Road.

No. 27. The undivided one half of a certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough of Pinegrove, adjoining the last described lot, fronting 55 feet on Tulpehocken street, and running back to the Dauphin and Susquehanna Railroad, whereon is erected a one and a half story building, 14 by 18 feet.

No. 28. The undivided one half of a certain lot of ground, situate in the Addition to Pinegrove, fronting 50 feet on Tulpehocken street, and running back to the Union Railroad, whereon is erected a two story frame dwelling house, 24 by 22 feet.

No. 29. The undivided one half of a certain lot of ground, situate in the Addition to Pinegrove, fronting 50 feet on Tulpehocken street, and running back to the Union Railroad, whereon is erected a good two story frame dwelling house, with stone basement.

No. 30. The undivided one half of 2 acres of land, in the Borough of Pinegrove, adjoining lands of Wilson Banet, O. R. Florence, and Geo. Eisenbaum; the same is under good cultivation.

No. 31. The undivided one half of 4 acres of land, in the Borough of Pinegrove, bounded by the Tulpehocken street, lands of Charles, Molly, George Eisenbaum and others, whereon is erected a one and a half frame dwelling house and a bank barn. The land is in good order and at present in grass.

Terms and conditions will be made known at time of sale by CHARLES MOLAT.
Pinegrove, Jan. 17, '57

BOOTS, SHOES, &c.

SHOES, BOOTS, TRUNKS AND TRAVELLING BAGS.

DANIEL SCHERTLE, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer, and retail and wholesale dealer, respectfully invites the attention of his customers to his large and substantial stock of Children's shoes, Ladies' wear, Gentlemen's dress boots, gaiters, &c., together with the general assortment of boots, shoes, trunks and carpet bags which he has just now on hand at his establishment,

One door above the corner of High and Market streets, opposite the Watch House.

N. B.—Miners' shoes and boots made to order at the lowest prices, at the shortest notice, and warranted from the best of materials. Everything in the Shoemaking line furnished with despatch, and warranted to give satisfaction. Try him, and you will not be disappointed.
Pottsville, April 5, 1856 14-1y

PLUMBING.

GAS-FITTING, PLUMBING & SOLDERING.

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

PLUMBING ESTABLISHMENT.

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

Give him a trial.
H. DICKINSON.
[August 27, 1855 33-tf]
Pottsville, Jan. 5, '56 1-tf

HARDWARE.

ALL sorts of T Rails, from 22 to 60 pounds per yard, on hand and for sale by E. YARDLEY & SON.
Dec. 8, 1855 49-

ALCOHOL, Fluid, Camphene, Turpentine, &c., for sale by J. T. HANNUM.
Schuylkill Haven, August 23, '56 34-

10 TONS Zinc Paints, and White Lead, for sale by J. T. HANNUM.
Schuylkill Haven, August 23, '56 34-

FOR SALE—A large quantity of 2d hand slope Chain for sale, of various sizes from ⅝ inch to 1⅛ inches in diameter.
Dec. 8, 1855. 49- E. YARDLEY & SON.

OHIO Mineral Paints, Chrome Green, Chrome Yellow—dry and in Oil, and COLORS of every description, for sale by J. T. HANNUM.
Schuylkill Haven, August 23, '56 34-

100,000 lbs. Peruvian Guano for sale, by the bag or ton, at Schuylkill Haven by J. T. HANNUM.
Schuylkill Haven, August 23, '56

20,000 FEET Window Glass; also, Looking Glass Plates, and Putty for sale by J. T. HANNUM.
Schuylkill Haven, August 23, '56 34-

FUN AHEAD!—Just received, a large assortment of Dentgen's Patent Butter; come and see them. Boys' Sleds, Rough and Plated Sleigh Bells, at STICHTER & THOMPSON'S.
Pottsville, December 6, '56 49-

SAUSAGE CUTTERS & STUFFERS, Choppers, Cleavers, Scale Beams, 1-2-1 Balances, with bow and twine, Blocks and Tackle Ropes, &c., at STICHTER & THOMPSON'S.
Pottsville, December 6, '56 49-

PREMIUMS AWARDED to Bright & Lerch, at the Schuylkill Haven and Orwigsburg Fairs, for the largest and best assortment of Hardware and Cutlery. Call and examine their stock before purchasing elsewhere.
Pottsville, October 18, '56 42-

LIGHTNING RODS AND POINTS. JUST received, an assortment of Lightning Rods and Points, with fixtures complete, which any farmer can put up—and for sale cheap by
June 21, '56. 25-tf BRIGHT & LERCH.

AGENCY for the Reading Agricultural Machine Shop.—Having the agency for the widely celebrated Agricultural implements manufactured at the above Shop, I invite the attention of farmers and can furnish them with these goods at manufacturer's prices FRANK POTT.
Pottsville, June 28, '56 26-

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 Store here.
E. YARDLEY & SON.
Pottsville, April 28th, 1855. 17-

J. T. HANNUM

WHOLESALE & RETAIL Dealer in Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Turpentine, Camphene, Alcohol, Burning Fluid, Looking Glass Plates, Window Glass, Putty, Gum Shellac, Saltpetre, Peruvian Guano, Gaskum, Pitch, Tar, Rosin, &c., &c., at Philadelphia prices—opposite the Swan Hotel, Schuylkill Haven.

N. B.—The patronage of retail dealers, and the public generally, is respectfully solicited. Orders filed and sent with dispatch to all parts of the country.
Schuylkill Haven, August 23, '56 34-tf

IRON COMMISSION WARE HOUSE

CENTRE STREET, Pottsville.—The subscribers are prepared to furnish the Trade Blacksmiths and Operators at Philadelphia prices, (freight added) to purchasers or retailers, 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 Rolling Mill.
E. YARDLEY & SON,
York Store, Nov. 22, 1853 47-tf

COLEMAN'S CUTLERY STORE,

No. 4 North Market Street, Sign of the Big Knife.

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, LEFEVER WOMRATH, *Importer.*
Philadelphia, Dec. 30, 1854 [Dec. 27, '54-52] 51-tf

REMOVAL

Of D. L. Esterly's Hardware Store.

HAVING removed from the corner of Centre and Market streets, to Fry & Marts's old stand, immediately opposite, Mr. Esterly would invite his friends and the inhabitants of this and adjoining counties, that everything in the hardware line will always be found at his establishment. His store is now complete, and he will be prepared to offer his goods at the lowest prices. ☞ Remember to call at D. L. Esterly's Hardware Store, Centre street, below Market.☜

R. B. Coxe's patent screens, of Esterly & Frick's manufacture, received and promptly attended to.
Pottsville, April 19, 1856 16-

MORRIS, JONES & CO.,

IRON & STEEL MERCHANTS,
Market and Sixth Streets, Philadelphia,

Have always on hand and for sale BEST ENGLISH REFINED IRON—Full assortments of "Hingetts," and other favorite brands. BEST AMERICAN BARS—ordinary sizes, or rolled to order for bridge purposes, &c., &c. PENNSYLVANIA BOILER PLATE—Promiscuous sizes, or cut to required size. BOILER RIVETS—Down brand, made to order. BEST ENGLISH CAR AXLES—American and English. FLUE & SHEET IRON—For covering schutes, &c. AMERICAN SCOTCH PIG IRON. RAILROAD IRON—T rails and flat bars suitable for mines, turnouts, &c. JUNIATA, ENGLISH & NORWAY BLIST RODS, BOLTS, NUTS and WASHERS—For bridges, cars, and the machinery generally. CAST, SHEAR, MACHINE and BLISTER STEEL. Also, an extra quality for taps and dies. The above, together with a full assortment of Iron, Steel, Nails and Spikes, to which the attention of dealers, railroad companies, engineers, miners, founders and machinists is invited.
May 10, 1856 19-1y

FOR THE PEOPLE!

Read and Reflect before you Buy.

STICHTER & THOMPSON take pleasure in announcing that they have opened a new **Hardware and Iron Store,**

On the corner of Centre and Market streets,

and invite the attention of their friends and the public generally to an inspection of their large and varied assortment of goods, which will consist in part of Table and Pocket Cutlery, Bollers, Saucepans, Brass and Iron Kettles, Rifles, Guns and Pistols, Rifle Barrels, Powder and Shot, Percussion Caps, Iron, Brass and Copper Wire, Iron, Steel, Bellows, Anvils, Vices, Files and Rasps, Traces, Nails and Spikes; Muley, Hill, X Cut and circular Saws; English, American and German Grass Scythes, Sickles, Scythe Stones and Rifles, Hoes, Rakes, Spades and Shovels; Hay and Manure Forks; Riddles, Sieves, Axes, Hatchets, Hammers, Planes, Saws, Ropes, White Lead, Oil, Glass, Locks, Latches and Hinges; Butcher Saws, Choppers, Cleavers, Dial Balances with Bow and Swivel, expressly for Butchers, &c. IRON of all kinds and descriptions. Our foreign goods are manufactured by the best makers, and the domestic articles for the most part obtained directly from the manufacturers, comprising Cabinet and Building Materials; Carpenter and Shoemaker Tools; Smith and Miners' Tools; Moulders', Plumbers and Gas Fitters' Tools; Agricultural and Farming Implements; House Furnishing Goods of every description, and in great variety—in short, every article in our line can always be found with us. Our goods are purchased at the lowest prices for CASH, and we intend to put on but a small advance, it will enable us to sell goods lower than they have ever been offered in this market. Under this conviction we confidently opening a cash store here, and take the liberty of submitting this proposition to you for your consideration. Being satisfied that a business based upon these principles will come with all the support and approbation of all our friends, we therefore propose to sell goods LOW, for one price, with no deviation, which we are firmly convinced will contribute in mutual benefit to all who practice it. We take this opportunity of respectfully soliciting your patronage, assuring you that no pains or exertion will be spared to please, nor any effort withheld to promote the interest or secure the approbation and support of all our friends and patrons. Give us a call at the corner of Centre and Market street.—Store formerly occupied by John S. Morris.
STICHTER & THOMPSON.
Pottsville, May 31, 1856 22-tf

HARDWARE AND IRON DEPOT.

THE subscribers have enlarged his goods at his near 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, Fine Iron, Cast Steel, Slit Iron, Rope, Bellows, Hardware and Iron Depot, Centre Street, three doors above Market, East side. FRANK POTT.
July 18, 1854 23-tf

BRIGHT & LERCH'S

NEW HARDWARE STORE Two doors below Mais' Hotel, and nearly opposite the Mansion House, Pottsville, where will be found an excellent assortment of HARDWARE:

Cook Trimmings, Springs, Saddlery, Shoemaker's Tools, Carpenter's Tools, Glass and Paint, Bar Iron of all sizes, Rolled Iron, Nails and Spikes, Railroad Iron and Nails, Smith Tools, Building Materials, Cast Steel, Shear Steel, Arm Bitslay, Mill Saws, Files, Fine Trays, Britania Ware, Assortment of fine Locks, Table Cutlery, Pocket Cutlery, Table Spoons, Anvils and Vices, Assortment of fine Guns, Sheet Iron Crucibles, Wire, Tin Plate, Brass Kettles, Sad Irons, Pans and Boilers, Hatches, Rattlesnake Tracks, Powder and Shot.

Dealers in Shipbuilders and Iron, Contractors and Builders, at lower rates than it can be bought elsewhere in the County. Our supply through the means of their extensive business, and labor saving machines, manufactured articles in their line at a saving of 25 per cent. on former cost.

Their large workshops have been in successful operation for the past year, turning out vast quantities of

Doors, Sash, Mouldings, Blinds, Window Frames, Panel Work, Bed-posts, Bannisters, Shutters,

And all kinds of framed, Panelled and Turned Work. Which they have constantly on hand. They are ready to execute orders at the shortest notice, for any quantity or quality of sawed or manufactured stuff.

Dry and green Hemlock, of all kinds, for building purposes. Oak, Maple, Poplar, Cherry, Walnut and scantling boards; Cherry, Walnut, Mahogany, &c., for cabinet work; White and Yellow Pine boards for flooring, raw or planed and tongued; Yellow Pine plank, 3, 3½, 4, 4½, 5, 6, and ½ inch panel, always ready; also, lath, laths, beams, ratts, scantling, posts, shingles, lath, ceiling lath, pallings, &c., &c.

☞ Bills of sawed stuff and everything in their line on hand or to order, at the shortest notice.
Pottsville, March 29 '56 10-

CLARK'S PATENT FLOURING MILL.

The Great Invention of the Day.

THE subscriber announces to the citizens of Schuylkill county that he has secured the right to sell EDWIN and JAMES M. CLARK'S new Patent Flouring Mill, which is pronounced the greatest American invention of the day. The subscriber has one of these Mills in full operation now, in Tremont, where he invites all persons to call and see it in operation.

This highly ingenious, and much needed invention, forms an entire new feature in the manufacture of Wheat into Flour; and the splendid manner in which it performs its work, Grinding, Bolting, and separating the grain at a single process, it operates upon seven different qualities of Flour and Feed, and that within a space of only twenty-one feet in length by four feet in breadth, at the rapidity of twelve bushels per hour, on a pair of French burr millstones only thirty inches in diameter. The Grain is converted at a single operation into Extra and Superfine Flour, Fine Flour, Middlings, Shipstuff, Shorts and Bran, any power being applicable to propel it, from a four horse up to any other desired. The small space it occupies would not be noticed when placed in a room with other machinery, and the small amount of power it requires to propel it, makes it certain that, ere long, it will supersede and revolutionize quite other Flouring Mills. So applicable is this Mill to the wants of the world, that every new mill, machine shop, locomotive shop, foundry, forge, rolling mill, or any building having a power already erected, can have within its walls a complete Merchant Flouring Mill, at the trifling cost of from four to seven hundred dollars, and thus the enormous amount of Grain raised within the United States, can be converted into Flour within the States.

With one of these Mills nearly every large Colliery establishment in this county, where steam power is used for pumping, should be erected. They could be erected at a small expense and would enable them to manufacture their own flour.

This Mill only occupies a space of 21 feet in length, by 4 in width. It is easily portable and when put up can be placed in a wagon or drey, and with a single horse hauled to any part where they desire to use it. Its construction is of the most simple kind, and can be connected with any engine by a single belt.

Single or Double Mills will be dispatched or by the subscriber, from the Mill of the Manufacturers of various sizes from 8 inches to 4 feet in diameter, the Mills in operation, the Writer is the residence of the subscriber.
J. A. CLARK.
Dec. 22, '55 25-tf

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 Gray and Bald heads. The Kathairon fully restored my hair after a baldness of twelve years. Yours truly,
R. L. ALTWATER.
No. 80 Warren Street, New York.

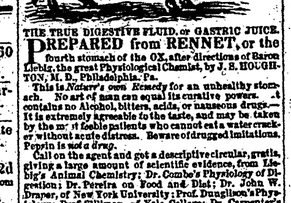
Also, Lyons' Extract of Pure Jamaica Ginger, for dyspepsia and general nervous debility, &c., can be had at C. BARKER'S
Perfumery and Variety Store, Centre Street, Pottsville.
October 25, 1853 41-tf

BROWN'S APERIENT.

ALTHOUGH it thunders and lightnings in all corners of Schuylkill county, and rains new Drug Stores, the undersigned still maintains in a firm manner, his old establishment as heretofore, and will continue to accommodate his customers in such a prompt and satisfactory manner as to warrant and secure their entire confidence. At the same time he takes this opportunity to return to his friends and patrons his grateful acknowledgments for the very substantial manner in which they have, during many years, favored him with their patronage, and hope they will continue to appreciate our humble efforts to serve them. Our Drug Store is fitted up in a superior manner and is well stocked with all kinds of drugs. In this respect our establishment cannot be excelled by any other similar concern.
JOHN G. BROWN,
Druggist and Chemist.
Pottsville, June 21, '55 25-tf

GREAT CURE FOR DYSPEPSIA!

DR. J. S. HOUGHTON'S



THE TRUE DIGESTIVE FLUID, or GASTRIC JUICE. PREPARED from RENNET, or the fourth stomach of the OX, after directions of Baron Liebig, the great Physiological Chemist, by J. S. HOUGHTON, M. D., Philadelphia, Pa.

This is *Nature's own Remedy* for an unhealthy stomach. No art of man can equal its curative powers. It contains no Alcohol, bitters, acids, or nauseous drugs—it is extremely agreeable to the taste, and may be taken by the most fastidious patients who cannot eat a water cracker without acute distress. Beware of drugged imitations. Pepsin is *not a drug.*

Call on the agent and get a descriptive circular, gratis, giving a large amount of scientific evidence, from Liebig's Animal Chemistry; Dr. Combe's Physiology of Digestion; Dr. Pereira on Food and Diet; Dr. John W. Draper, of New York University; Dr. Wilson's Physiology; Prof. Silliman, of Yale College; Dr. Carpenter's Physiology; &c., together with reports of cases from all parts of the United States.

☞ Sold by all druggists and dealers in Medicines—Price ONE DOLLAR per bottle.
B. BANNAN, *Wholesale and Retail Agent,* Pottsville.
March 8, '56 10-

CHAS. W. EPTING,
Wholesale and Retail
Druggist and Chemist.
S. E. Corner Centre and Norwegian Sts.,
(Opposite Mortimer's Hotel,)
POTTSVILLE, PENNA.

The subscriber, having taken possession of the house formerly occupied by Mrs. E. M. Beatty, has converted the same into a **Drug and Apothecary Store,** such as he thinks will prove satisfactory to all purchasers, and respectfully calls the attention of his friends and the public to his choice stock. He has taken great care in the selection of his Drugs, Medicines, &c., and can therefore cheerfully recommend such and every one as being

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