Wit and Humor.

An original contributor sends the editor of the *Cayuga Chief*, the following "owed" to Rock River, with an intimation that if he "put it in" his "valuable Gournal," he will send more from his pen. The editor "put it in":

Pelewah streame!
How on, Rock River, thy tides to Janesville
Or any other place in that direction.
We look on thy gliney surfise, and dream
Of ladies. Of the dizes when the red fellers
Paddled all round here, and dasky Squaws
Bathed in thy waters, and washed
their poppoos.

These times a'nt no more.
Here and there a solitary muskrat
lingers, and the watermakes 'mong the cat-tails.

Flowing streame! run on,
And where koshkeynong spreads out
considerably, stop a spell, and then
leave For the Mississippi, or some other
See Pearl.

Too thousand fleets
of Ingins and Squaws have paddled o'er these
in vane. They've gone up,
and from Kanshkow's dam to Jefferson,
There's not a red cuss to be found.
I look down into thy peelewid bussum,
And see slathers of rush horse and suckers
spatabling about and wiggling their damp tales
in the Wet. Go it fishes!
Murmuring streame. As I sit here
On the Bank and see the runnin on,
I think of dog-days, and how I'll sweat
and want suthin cool. I'll Kum
at sunset, and standing where I sing thee
now Thus feelingly, jump in all over
and pot Wet! I will, by *Jimmey!*
and, Leap, and Kick, and Splash,
And make Kwik Alfred exertions,
And throwing out my limbs like a frog,
Agitate thy peelewid waters in various
directshuns, and Astonish the funny natives
Considerably, I reckon. Then emergin
from thy Peelewid bussum, all drippin,
As naval as when nater got me up,
I'll come ashore agin and put On
my Clothes, much rejuvynated.

Its Getting Damp, Scuse,
where I've Sin sittin, and I'll rise up
and go to the House.

Peelewid streme, Adoo!

Upsets of Pulpit Gravity.—Many good stories of this character are told, but the following, from the Baltimore *Methodist Protestant*, are among the most amusing we have seen:

A minister was preaching to a large congregation in one of the Southern States, on the certainty of a future judgment. In the gallery sat a colored girl with a white child in her arms, which she was dancing up and down with a commendable effort to make the baby observe the proprieties of the place. The preacher was so much interested in his subject, as not to notice the occasional noise of the infant, and, at the right point of his discourse, threw himself into an interesting attitude, as though he had suddenly heard the first note of the trump of doom, and looking towards that part of the church where the girl with the baby in her arms was sitting, he asked in a low deep voice:

"What is that I hear?"

Before he recovered from the oratorical pause so as to answer his own question, the colored girl responded in a mortified tone of voice, but loud enough to catch the ear of the entire congregation:

"I don' no, sa; but I spec it is dis here chile; but, indeed, ra, I has been a doin' all I could to keep him from sturbin you."

It is easy to imagine that this unexpected rejoinder took the tragic out of the preacher in the very shortest time imaginable, and that the solemnity of that judgment day sermon was not a little diminished by the event.

Another instance, equally confounding to the minister, happened, we believe, in Richmond, Virginia. A large congregation had assembled to listen, to a stranger of some notoriety. Soon after he had introduced his subject, the cry of "Fire! fire!" in the street, very much disturbed the congregation, and many were about to retire, when an elderly brother rose and said:

"If the congregation will be composed, I will step out and see if there is any fire near, and report."

The congregation became composed, and the minister proceeded. Taking advantage of the occurrence, he called attention to a fire that would consume the world—a fire that would burn in the lake that is bottomless; and had just completed a sentence of terrible import, and not without marked impression on his audience, when a voice from the other end of the church, as if in fatal denial of all he said, bawled out:

"It's a false alarm!"

The effect was ludicrous in the extreme. The old man had returned; but his inopportune response spoiled the force of the eloquent appeal from the pulpit, and even the preacher could scarce refrain from joining in the universal smile that passed over the congregation.

Rev. Mr. S. was preaching in one of the Methodist Episcopal churches in Baltimore, and there was in attendance a good Methodist brother, very much given to responses. Sometimes these responses were not exactly appropriate, but they were always well meant. The preacher, usually lucid, was rather perplexed and felt it himself.—He labored through his first part, and then said:—"Brethren, I have now reached the conclusion of my first point."

"Thank God!" piously ejaculated the old man, who sat before him, profoundly interested. The unexpected response, and the suggestive power of it, so confused the preacher that it was with difficulty he could rally himself to a continuance of his discourse.

Good.—The North Carolina *Argus* tells the following capital story, for which it is indebted to the stump speech of a Virginia member of Congress. We have read nothing that called our cachinatory muscles more violently into play, for a long while.

The proprietor of a tan yard adjacent to a certain town in Virginia, concluded to build a stand or a sort of store on one of the main streets for the purpose of vending his leather, buying raw hides, and the like. After completing his building he began to consider what sort of a sign it would be best to put up for the purpose of attracting attention to his new establishment, and for days and weeks he was sorely puzzled on this subject.

Several devices were adopted and on further consideration rejected. At last a happy idea struck him. He bored an auger hole through the door post, and stuck a calf's tail into it with the bushy end flaunting out. After a while he noticed a grave looking personage standing near the door with his spectacles on, gazing intently on the sign. And there he continued to stand, gazing and gazing, until the curiosity of the tanner was greatly excited in turn. He stepped out and addressed the individual,

"Good morning," said he.

"Morning," said the other, without moving his eyes from the sign.

"You want to buy any leather?" said the storekeeper.

"No."

"Do you wish to sell hides?"

"No."

"Are you a farmer?"

"No."

"Are you a merchant?"

"No."

"Are you a lawyer?"

"No."

"Are you a doctor?"

"No."

"What are you, then?"

"I'm a philosopher. I have been standing here for an hour, trying to see if I could ascertain how that calf got through the auger-hole, and I can't make it out to save my life."

A Fair Victim of the Hellenic Epidemic.—A young lady of our city, says the Cincinnati *Gazette*, pretty and interesting, of course, requested a private interview with her papa, in his library, one day last week, and told him that she had fixed her affections upon a gentleman whom she knew he would be unwilling she should wed; but without whom she could not and would not live.

Papa requested the name of the gentleman who had won his daughter's heart; but she, going into dramatic platitudes, declared she felt assured he would not give his consent, but fate had united them in soul; that the heliotrope of her existence must ever turn to the sun of his love; that the harmony of earth and heaven would be marred if two adoring spirits were divided; if the divine stream of their life did not unite, and flow through the vale of time, clear, bright and beautiful.

"But who—who is he? Pray tell me," interposed the father.

The name was given; and the parent, without a moment's consideration, consented to the union.

The daughter then burst into a Medean storm of seeming grief, which very naturally astonished her parent.

"Why, what ails you, my dear child? Have I not granted your wish? I am perfectly willing you should marry him you love. What more can I do?"

Sighs, tears, groans and wringing of hands *were the only answer.*

"Tell me, my darling, why you are wretched? *Have I not given my consent?*"

"Yes, yes, (sobbing violently)—but—but—"

"But, what?"

"Why, how, now—I can't—"

"Speak out, my child—what is it?"

"I can't—there's a great lump of caution—I can't, don't father—I am wretched; for now—can't elope!"

MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW GAS CONGREVE MATCHES.
THE UNDERSIGNED having the exclusive sale of the New Gas Congreve Matches, will furnish storekeepers at manufacturers' prices.
Pottsville, Feb. 27 '57 9-] BRIGHT & LEROY.

GRASS SEEDS.
CLOVER, Timothy, Orchard Grass, and other *Grass Seeds, for sale* by the quart or bushel at B. BANNAN'S
Wholesale and retail Seed and Book store, Pottsville.

CHEAP FUEL.—Coke for sale, in large or small quantities, at the low price of 5 cents per bushel. Inquire either at the office, or works of the Pottsville *Coke Company.*
Pottsville, November 22, '56 47-tf

'LADIES' WORK BASKETS, OR' STANDS,
BEAUTIFUL Patterns—Light and Durable. Also, Suspension Flower Baskets, just received and for sale by B. BANNAN.

WATER METRES.
THE Subscriber having been authorised by the manufacturers of Water Metres, will supply all orders left with them, at their prices.
Pottsville, August 30, '56 E. YARDLEY & SON.

A CARD.
E. T. TAYLOR wishes to call the attention of his customers and the public in general to his new style Spring RAGLANS.
Corner of Centre and Mahanoy streets, Pottsville.
May 2, '57 18.

DODSON'S TOOTH-PASTE.
DODSON'S TOOTH-PASTE, is undoubtedly the best dentifrice in use, for cleansing, beautifying, and preserving the Teeth. Price 25 cents per box.
Pottsville, April 25, '57 17-6m*

LEONARD, FRY & CO.,
Bankers & Dealers in Exchange.
TAMAQUA, PA.
COLLECTIONS ATTENDED TO and drafts for sale on all the principal cities in the Union. Also, drafts for sale on England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales. June 14, '56 24-

WATSON'S ANNALS OF PHILADELPHIA.
ANNALS of Philadelphia & Pennsylvania, in the Olden Time; a collection of memoirs, anecdotes and incidents of the city and its inhabitants—numerous engravings. New revised edition, publishing in numbers, at 25 cents each. Subscriptions received at B. BANNAN'S
Book and Stationery Store.

OILS! OILS!!
H. JOHNSTON, Agent for A. A. LANE, (late Lane and Hussey,) wholesale dealer in OILS and CANDLES, No. 124 Pearl, and 68 Water street, New York. All orders left at the office of James H. Graeff, Esq., or at the Exchange Hotel, will receive prompt attention.
September 28, '56 39-tf

DRAFTS ON EUROPE.
BELL & SON'S DRAFTS on the Quaker House of John & Edward Cordesy & Co., of *London*, and on the Belfast Banking Co. of Ireland, always for sale, in sums from £1 up to £500, by the subscriber, at his Bookstore, Pottsville. These firms have nothing to do with the Passenger Lines, and they are considered the safest houses in this country and in Europe. BENJ. BANNAN.

VULCANIZED RUBBER HOSE.
For Hydrants, Locomotives, Fire Engines, and other purposes.
THIS HOSE has great advantages over leather, as it needs no oiling, is perfectly tight, will stand a very high degree of heat without injury, and is not affected by the severest cold. It can be had of any size from ¼ inch to 3 inches inside diameter—larger sizes made to order. Also, Couplings, Branch Pipes, &c. For sale by B. BANNAN.
Pottsville, May 23, '57. 22 21.

LAKE CHAMPLAIN IRON ORE.
THIS celebrated Ore is used principally for Puddling and in Blast Furnaces. It has been used extensively for years past in Pittsburgh, Wheeling and other places West. It is also used extensively in Troy and at most of the Iron establishments at the East.
The subscriber will contract to sell this Ore delivered in Troy. No charge for engaging freight of same from there when requested. J. G. WITHERBEE.
Port Henry, Essex County, New York.
April 25, '57 17-2m

KRAMM & WOLFF,
Dealers in Grain and Country Produce,
Milton, Northumberland county, Pa.
THE subscribers are now prepared to fill any orders of Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Potatoes, Bacon, Butter, Eggs, Lard, &c., that may be wanted in Philadelphia. Coal operators and provision dealers of Schuylkill county would do well to get their supplies of grain and provisions from us, as we can supply them at prices to be to their advantage. Send us your orders.
KRAMM & WOLFF.
Milton, June 28, '56 26.

TERRA COTTA CHIMNEY TOPS,
TERRA COTTA GARDEN STATUARY,
TERRA COTTA SCROLLS, for buildings,
TERRA COTTA VASES, for gardens and flowers,
TERRA COTTA SUN-DIALS,
TERRA COTTA CORINTHIAN, IONIC, GRECIAN and ORGIAN-CORINTHIAN CAPS for columns, ranging from 10 to 40 inches in diameter—for sale by the subscriber, at manufacturers' prices, at his store in Pottsville, carriage only added. B. BANNAN.
Agent for the Manufacturers.
Also English Building Tiles for Vestibules, Office, &c
May 23, '57 21.

CHOICE HOUSEHOLD ARTICLES.
DOCTOR KANE Refrigerator, one of the best and most approved and complete kind for drawing rooms.
Gauze Covers for Meat, Butter or Fruit Dishes—different patterns and sizes.
Water Filterers, for cleansing all kinds of dirty water.
Water Coolers, for offices and private dwellings.
Patent Horse Radish, Potatoe, Bread, Cracker, or Sugar Graters.
Ice Crackers, Match Stands, &c. Self-sealing Fruit Jars.
Jelly Moulds, Bird Cages, &c. Patent Ice Cream Freezers, a capital article. Patent Baby Jumpers and chairs.
For sale by B. BANNAN.

JUST THE THING WANTED!
Patent Churn—Simple and Durable.
DICKERSON'S PATENT PREMIUM CHURN is a capital article. It is constructed on scientific principles, and a child can churn butter in eight minutes. Attached to the churn is an apparatus for showing the temperature of the cream, and also a place to add either warm or cold water to reduce or increase the temperature of the churning point. It is perfectly simple and durable, and of sizes suitable for those who keep one, two, three or more cows. Prices, $4, $5 and upwards. For sale, wholesale and retail, at the store of B. BANNAN,
Agent for the Manufacturers.
Pottsville, May 23, '57 21.

SAVE YOUR TIME.
READY MADE PAPER BAGS,
FOR GROCERS, DRUGGISTS, CONFECTIONERS, BAKERS, &c.—The Subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public that he has been appointed Agent for the sale of
Patent Machine made Paper Bags,
MANUFACTURED BY
Messrs. John M. Lewars & Co., of Philadelphia.
These Bags are of *class and quality of paper suitable* for all persons who use the article, and are offered at such prices as will at once command them to the consumer.
There are many advantages in purchasing and using *ready made Bags.* Where no bags are used, it requires double the quantity of paper and string to pack the same number of pounds, and more time in putting up a package.
Where an extensive business is done and *Bags* made by hand, by buying *ready made Bags*, much *time* can be dispensed with. By using them, you will not only save *time* and *money*, but always have a convenient receptacle in which to put up your goods.
Wherever these Bags have been introduced, they have given *entire satisfaction.*
For sale at *Manufacturers' prices* by
B. BANNAN,
Paper and Book Dealer and Stationer.
Centre street, opposite Episcopal Church, Pottsville.
The first rate assortment of WRAPPING PAPER always on hand.
Feb. 21, '57. 8-

THROUGH IN SIX MINUTES.
Ashtime's Patent Cream Freezer.
AN EXTRAORDINARY and astonishing improvement in Cream Freezing will freeze in SIX MINUTES, by a simple and elegant application of well known principles producing this desirable and enterprising result. A child of ten years can manage it without difficulty. THREE MEDALS awarded by the Maryland Institute, and First Class Diplomas of the Metropolitan Mechanics' Institute, attest the superiority of this over all others.
As a further and convincing proof of the excellence of this Freezer, the undersigned would state, that THOUSANDS have been sold since the Patent was issued.
The large and increasing demand for this popular article induces the agents to remind dealers to forward their orders early, and thereby prevent delay.
Orders by mail will meet with prompt attention.
Annexed is a list of the retail prices of the freezer, for the convenience of those wanting a single one.
PRICE OF FREEZER—RETAIL:
Two Quarts, $2 22; Three Quarts, $2 38; Four Quarts, $4 25; Six Quarts, $5 25; Nine Quarts, $6 25; Fourteen Quarts, $8 25; Twenty Quarts, $11 25.
B. BANNAN,
Sole Agent for Pottsville in Schuylkill county.
N. B. We can recommend the above article to be what it is represented. Several ladies who tried it last year confirm all that is stated above, and add that they will freeze custards &c., in *four minutes.*
Pottsville, April 4, '57 14.

GARDEN, FARM TOOLS, &C.
JUST received and for sale at the Seed, Field and Implement Store of the subscriber—
Grass Lawn Rakes; do Garden Rakes.
Pruning Chisels and Knives—Budding Knives.
Ladies' Flower Rakes.
Fruit or Folding Ladders—a capital article.
Ladies' Pruning Scissors and Transplanting Forks.
Transplanting Trowels, and Pruning Shears—for Box, &c.
Pocket Pruning Saws. Neat Eggs, Cuttle Fish, &c.
Ladies' Scissors for Gathering Flowers, &c.
Hedge and Garden Shears, Hoes, &c.
Toy Spades for Ladies.
Grass Edging or Border Shears.
Garden Reels with *Lines for Planting*, &c., &c.
Dahlia Roots, Summer Bulbous Roots, Plants and Shrubbery of every description—not on hand, obtained to order at short notice.
Also, for the Farm—
Side Hill or Swivel Plows, best kind.
Double Moulding Board Plows.
Truck Plows, and Hard Cultivators and Plows.
Horse Cultivators, latest and best Patterns.
All of which are of the latest and most approved Patterns. The subscriber also procures all kinds of Agricultural Implements to order, at manufacturers' prices, at his Seed and Variety store, where he will pay attention to this subject—and procure the best kind of implements at the lowest rates.
All kinds of Farm and Garden Seeds furnished wholesale and retail, at the lowest rates by the Bushel, Quart, or five cent paper.
Our seeds are of the best kinds and can be warranted. No uncertain seeds sold. B. BANNAN.
Dealer in Seeds, Books, &c.
Pottsville, April 4th, '57 14.

SAVE MONEY THESE HARD TIMES!
DRAINAGE AND WATER PIPE.
Just the Thing Wanted in the Mining Regions.
THE subscriber has been appointed Agent for the sale of the Vitrified Stone Water and Drainage Pipe. This pipe ranges in size from 3 inches up to 12 inches in calibre, and will bear a pressure of from 75 to 100 feet fall of water; is as easily laid as iron pipe—connections can be made at any point—and in addition will last forever—in fact much more durable than iron pipe, because it does not rust—and is afforded at the following rates at our store, Pottsville, or can be sent direct to points where Rail Roads run from Philadelphia when quantities are required. Freight deducted from these prices when parties receiving the Pipes pay Freight.

3 inch pipe	14	cents per foot.
3 " "	15	" "
4 " "	16½	" "
5 " "	22	" "
6 " "	25½	" "
7 " "	40	" "
8 " "	47	" "
9 " "	57	" "
10 " "	67	" "

These are the cheapest and most durable pipes that can be obtained for conveying water. We believe they can be laid down cheaper than wooden pipes and are only about half the price of iron and lead pipes. Call and see them at the store of B. BANNAN,
Agent for the Manufacturers.
Pottsville, June, 1857. 23

A. S. CONGAS,
Banker, Dealer in Exchange, and Land Agent,
Stillwater, Minnesota.
COLLECTIONS attended to and taxes paid throughout the Territory. Will attend to the purchase and location of Government lands in Minnesota, Wisconsin and Iowa, and furnish drafts of lands located by him, with accurate descriptions of the soil, timber, &c. Particular attention will be given to locating land warrants. Persons desiring him to locate warrants should either leave blanks for the assignees' names, or attach to the warrants Powers of Attorney, authorizing him to locate them in their names. Certificates from the Land Office will be immediately forwarded to those for whom such locations are made.
June 28, '56 26 1y

TRAVELING.

THE ADAMS EXPRESS COMPANY.
POTTSVILLE TO HARRISBURG.
This line connects daily with all their great South and Western Routes. By arrangement their place of business in Pottsville will be at the office of Howard & Co. S. S. WILLIAMS, Superintendent.
April 22, 1854 10-tf.

PASSENGER TRAINS.
Schuylkill Valley and Tuscarora.
ON and after MONDAY, April 6th, 1857:

LEAVE POTTSVILLE:		LEAVE TUSCARORA:	
At 7.30, A. M.	At 3, P. M.	At 8.30, A. M.	At 4.45, P. M.

On Sundays:

LEAVE POTTSVILLE:		LEAVE TUSCARORA:	
At 8, A. M.	At 1, P. M.	At 9, A. M.	At 3, P. M.

Passengers by the 3, P. M., Train will connect at Tamaqua, with Trains going North and South, on the Catawissa, Williamsport & Elmira Railroad.
Fare—TWENTY TO TAMAQUA, 50 CTS—GO
E. H. WHEELER, *Superintendent.*
April 18, '57 16-3m

LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD.
SUMMER ARRANGEMENT of Passenger Trains! Commencing WEDNESDAY, May 6, 1857.

Down Trains.

Leave Mauch Chunk	at 7.35	A. M., and	1.00 P. M.
" Slatington	8.17	"	1.40 "
" Catasauqua	8.37	"	2.17 "
" Allentown	9.08	"	2.27 "
" Bethlehem	9.25	"	2.43 "
" Freemansburg	9.35	"	2.52 "
Arrive Easton	10.00	"	3.15 "

Up Trains.

Leave Easton	at 8.45	A. M., and	4.40 P. M.
" Freemansburg	9.15	"	5.05 "
" Bethlehem	9.25	"	5.15 "
" Allentown	9.40	"	5.22 "
" Catasauqua	9.51	"	5.43 "
" Slatington	10.35	"	6.21 "
Arrive Mauch Chunk	11.00	"	7.00 "

Both Trains connect at Mauch Chunk with trains running on the Beaver Meadow Railroad to Weatherly and Beaver Meadow, also, at Freemansburg with trains running on the North Pennsylvania Railroad. The morning Train down will connect with trains on the Belvidere Delaware and Lackawanna & Western Railroads to Belvidere and Scranton.
The afternoon Train down will connect with the trains on the Belvidere & Central Railroad to Philadelphia & New York.
The afternoon Train up will connect with trains on the Belvidere Delaware Railroad, from Scranton and Belvidere.
There will be but one connection between Easton and Philadelphia by way of North Pennsylvania Railroad, which will be in the morning. ROBERT H. SAYRS,
May 9, '57 19- *Supt. & Eng.*

PASSENGER LINES.
Philadelphia and Reading Railroad.
1857. WINTER ARRANGEMENTS. 1857.
THE GREAT Northern and Western United States Mail Routes
☞ *Speed increased and Fare reduced.* ☜
LITTLE SCHUYLKILL, CATAWISSA, SUNBURY and ERIE, WILLIAMSPORT AND ELMIRA RAILROAD.

Through to Buffalo, in		16 hours.
" Niagara Falls,	"	16 "
" Detroit,	"	24 "
" Chicago,	"	36 "
" 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, Dec. 8th, Three Passenger Trains will leave the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Depot, corner Broad and Vine streets, daily, (Sundays excepted,) as follows:
Day Express—7.30 A. M.
Stopping at Conshohocken, Norristown, Pottstown, connecting with Catawissa, Williamsport and Erie and Williamsport and Elmira R. Road; arriving at Elmira at 5.15 P. M., connecting with New York and Erie and Buffalo, and New York Central 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 or Great Western Railroad for Detroit, Chicago, etc.
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 by Day Express, breakfast at Port Clinton, and dine at Williamsport. Passengers by way of Night Express take supper at Port Clinton.
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 95	Buffalo via Tonawanda,	10 00
Catawissa,	4 35	Niagara Falls, via. El-	
Rupert,	4 40	mira, Canandaigua &	
Danville,	4 50	N. F. Railroad,	10 00
Milton,	5 15	N. Falls, via. Buffalo,	10 00
Williamsport,	6 00	Suspension Bridge,	10 00
Elmira,	7 00	Cleveland,	11 50
Jefferson,	7 65	Toledo,	14 75
Starkey,	7 65	Cincinnati,	16 00
Penn Yan,	8 00	Detroit, via. Rail,	16 00
Gorham,	8 00	" Buffalo and	
Geneva, via. Gorham,	8 00	Lake,	13 00
" " Steamer		Chicago, via Great Wes-	
John Arnot,	8.00	tern and Michigan	
Canandaigua,	8 00	Central Railroad,	20 00
Honeoye Falls,	8 00	Chicago, via Buffalo and	
Caledonia,	8 80	Lake Shore Michigan	
Le Roy,	8 00	Southern Railroad,	20 00
Batavia.	9 00	Chicago, via Buf. Lake	
Rochester, via. N. Y. &		and Michigan Cen-	
E. and Buffalo, Corning and N. Y. R. R.	8 00	tral Railroad,	19 90
Buffalo, via N. Y. York & Erie and Buf. and		Rock Island,	25 00
New York City,	10 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.
J. A. REDFIELD, Sup't Williamsport and Elmira Railroad.

TRANSPORTATION.

SCHUYLKILL NAVIGATION CO.
OFFICE of the Schuyl. Navi'n Co.,
March 14th, 1857.
The charge for the use of CARS and for TOLL on Anthracite Coal carried on the Schuylkill Navigation will be as follows, until further notice:

FROM	Mount Carbon.	Schyl. Haven.	Auburn.	Port Clinton.
To Richmond,	1 80	1 75	1 60	1 55
" Philadelphia,	1 80	1 75	1 60	1 55
" Inclined Plane,	1 80	1 75	1 60	1 55
" Nicetown,	1 80	1 75	1 60	1 55
" Germantown R. R.	1 80	1 75	1 60	1 55
" Falls of Schuylkill,	1 80	1 75	1 60	1 55
" Manayunk,	1 80	1 75	1 60	1 55
" Spring Mills,	1 45	1 50	1 40	1 35
" Conshohocken and Plymouth Railroad,	1 55	1 50	1 40	1 35
" Rambo's and Potts' and Jones',	1 50	1 45	1 35	1 30
" Norristown or Bridgeport,	1 40	1 45	1 35	1 30
" Port Kennedy,	1 45	1 40	1 30	1 30
" Valley Forge,	1 35	1 30	1 20	1 20
" Phœnixville,	1 35	1 30	1 20	1 20
" Royer's Ford,	1 30	1 25	1 15	1 15
" Pottstown,	1 30	1 25	1 15	1 15
" Douglassville,	1 20	1 15	1 05	1 05
" Birdsboro'	1 10	1 05	1 05	1 05
" Reading,				
" Between Reading and Mohrsville,	1 10	1 05	1 05	1 05
" Mohrsville,	1 10	1 05	1 05	1 05
" Hamburg,	1 10	1 05		
" Owrigsburg,	1 10	1 05		

The charge will be per ton of 2240 lbs, less five per cent. allowance for waste, as usual, and no charge less than twenty-five cents per ton will be made for any distance.
By order of the Managers, J. P. FLEAKER,
President.
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PHILAD'A & READING RAILROAD.
OFFICE of the Philada. & R'g Co.,
Philadelphia, March 18, 1857.
The rates of Freight and Tolls on Coal transported by this Company, will be as follows, from 15th March, 1857, until further notice:

FROM	Mount Carbon.	Schyl. Haven.	Auburn.	Port Clinton.
To Richmond,	1 80	1 75	1 60	1 55
" Philadelphia,	1 80	1 75	1 60	1 55
" Inclined Plane,	1 80	1 75	1 60	1 55
" Nicetown,	1 80	1 75	1 60	1 55
" Germantown R. R.	1 80	1 75	1 60	1 55
" Falls of Schuylkill,	1 80	1 75	1 60	1 55
" Manayunk,	1 80	1 75	1 60	1 55
" Spring Mills,	1 45	1 50	1 40	1 35
" Conshohocken and Plymouth Railroad,	1 55	1 50	1 40	1 35
" Rambo's and Potts' and Jones',	1 50	1 45	1 35	1 30
" Norristown or Bridgeport,	1 40	1 45	1 35	1 30
" Port Kennedy,	1 45	1 40	1 30	1 30
" Valley Forge,	1 35	1 30	1 20	1 20
" Phœnixville,	1 35	1 30	1 20	1 20
" Royer's Ford,	1 30	1 25	1 15	1 15
" Pottstown,	1 30	1 25	1 15	1 15
" Douglassville,	1 20	1 15	1 05	1 05
" Birdsboro'	1 10	1 05	1 05	1 05
" Reading,				
" Between Reading and Mohrsville,	1 10	1 05	1 05	1 05
" Mohrsville,	1 10	1 05	1 05	1 05
" Hamburg,	1 10	1 05		
" Owrigsburg,	1 10	1 05		

By order of the Board of Managers.
March 21, '57 9-] W. H. McILHENNEY, *Sec'y.*

PHILAD'A. & READING RAIL ROAD.
RATES OF FREIGHT ON MERCHANDIZE.
ON and AFTER MARCH 1st, 1857, until further notice, the following Rates of Freight will be charged per 100 pounds:

ARTICLES OF FREIGHT.	Reading & Philadelphia.	Reading & Mohrsville.
Dry Goods, Confectionery, Books, Carpetings, Cigars, Fresh Meat, Fish, Glass, &c	30	15
Anvils, Iron, Butter, Copper, Eggs, Earthenware, Grindstones, Groceries, Hemp, Hams, Hardware, Hides, Hollow-ware, Leather, Machinery, Oysters, Oils, Seeds, &c.,	22	11
Cotton, Coffee, Grain, Bar Iron, Lead, Molasses, Nails, Spikes, Rice, Salt, Provisions, Sugar, Whisky, &c.,	18	9
Brooms, Fire Bricks, Guano, Mill Stones, Pitch and Tar, Salt, Scrap Iron, Tin ware and Lumber, &c.,	14	7
Bricks, Coke, Cord Wood, Clay, Gravel, Ten Iron Ore, Limestone, Manure, Pig Iron, Plaster, Slate, Malt Liquor, &c.,	26	14
Flour, per barrel,	25	12

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Johnson's Dictionary of Modern Gardening.
Blake's American Farmer.
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DAVID B. GREEN, Attorney at Law, Pottsville, Pa. Office in Market street, opposite the Post Office. July 14, '56.

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