Wit and Humor.

From the Conn. Courant.

HARRY.

There are some names I love to hear,
As Edwin, Claude, and Barry;
But would you know my favorite?
I'll tell you—it is Harry.

In "Mother Goose" I always loved
The song that told of Harry,
And thought too, at that early age,
None could with it compare.

And when arrived at "girl estate,"
And lovers did not tarry—
Who brought me flowers, and wrote me songs?
Who—but my "cousin Harry?"

I in those days would oft indulge
In castle building airy,
And always called my phantom lord
By the loved name of Harry.

I quarreled with my darling friend,
The gentle, blue-eyed Carry,
Because she dared to take a drive,
And fall in love with Harry.

And still my taste remains unchanged—
I love the name of Harry;
'Tis soft and sweet, and then you know
It rhymes so well with marry.

I've many friends I dearly prize—
There's Carry, Tom and Garry,
But only one I fondly love
And think of,—it is Harry. Bel.

CALIFORNIA CORRESPONDENCE.

San Francisco, July 11th, 1850.

Sir:—I send you a speech delivered a short time ago by an eccentric genius, now in this place, who is know in your city (N. Y.) under the cognomen of Gov. Dorr, otherwise Henry N. Watson. The Gov. was an independent candidate for Street Commissioner, and every evening would get on the stage erected on the plaza for public speaking, and harangue the assembled multitude whom he managed to keep in a continual roar of laughter. The Gov. did not run for the office, having sold out as he informed me to two or three candidates running for the same office. The Gov. is one of the bo-hoys: he started from New York with but six shillings and without a ticket; but says that he can now always gingle a hundred yellow boys in his pocket.

Great Speech of Gov. Dorr Delivered on the Main Plaza, San Francisco in Presence of 10,000 People.

Fellow Republicans and Fellow Sufferers:—

We have assembled here, as Daniel Webster would say if he were present, under the bright effulgence of an April sun, to consider our condition as subjects of the United States, and as inhabitants of the greatest, richest, and sublimest country in the world. In the language of Demosthenes 'our sufferings are intolerable', and we have met together like the tribes of Egypt to consider on the mode of our deliverance. I am a plain and modest man, born at an early period of my existence, which great event occurred at home one night while my mother was out. I have struggled from the obscurity, to which an unlucky star had doomed me till I have risen like a bright exhalation in the evening, to the very summit of human greatness and grandeur. Gentlemen, I profess no principles, unfortunately I have none. On the unhappy occasion of my birth a dismal and melancholy man clothed in the sombre hues of mourning, swapped me away for another baby, and subsequently lost me at a raffle. Sad event! but who can control his fate? We are the creatures of destiny; "there is a divinity that shapes our ends rough hew them as we will." I was intended by nature for a great statesman. Had I lived in the days of Hannibal I should have beaten that great chieftain in crossing the Alps; and it is a dead certainty that I could have distanced Cortes in crossing the Isthmus. He never performed the feats I did; he never came up the Chagres river in a canoe with a deaf and dumb 'hombre,' without a red cent or a change of summer apparel; but a light heart and a thin pair of breeches gone more'ly through the world. From the snow-capp'd hills of the Sierra Nevada, whose melting waters flow mellifluously in concert with the howl of the grisly bear and the dismal shriek of the Coyote, "starting pale midnight from her starry throne," unto the bright valleys whose golden streams pour out eternal wealth to an astonished world; and even to the southern hills where the clime of Italian richness ripens the luscious grape and the prolific fig tree—a multitude of bold and daring enterprise is gathering in its mighty strength to reap the rich benefits of the El Dorado of the western world. What brings this multitude hither? It is the spirit that actuated Columbus when first he ventured forth to discover this happy land, and the women were as loving and where the latter were particular short petticoats. Sir, every man who has come here is a Columbus, he comes to discover new diggings. I am a Columbus! I was dead broke at home a Columbus was, and I have come out here to strike a new vein. But I am not going to the mines. Oh, no; you don't catch me up to my waist in water, with a juvenile pick-axe, and an incipient crow-bar, laboring under a sun of a hundred degrees, to dig out the filthy lucre. No sir, I am not on the lay—I hate labor—it was an invention to vex mankind—I prefer an office, one that is lucrative and not laborious—what you call a sinecure, and if I cannot get one myself, I will go in for any man who will divide on the dead level and no splits. On the floor of the American Congress, the most brilliant and enlightened minds of the age are excited upon the question of our admission, and the western members and the horse dealers, and the slave traders, abandon the interesting game of Bluff at a quarter ante to listen to the burning sarcasm and the magnificent eloquence of those patriots whose efforts are devoted to their country without regard to pillage. The wisest patriarchs of the present day, Clay, Webster, Calhoun, and Freeman Smith, have all opened on this subject and played the game plumb up to the handle. Dissolution has threatened us—but what care we for dissolution? If they want to leave us, they can go. The great and patriotic people of California, emulated by the intensest desire of personal aggrandisement, are willing to go it alone. Why should the Representatives of our awfully magnificent State, thunder in vain at the doors of the capitol? A country like this, bounded on the East by the Rocky Mountains and the rising sun, on the North by the Aurora Borealis and the Arctic Region, on the West, by the roseate hues that bathe in living light the peaceful billows of the Pacific Ocean, whose eternal roar sounds a requiem over the grief of the poor suckers at home who can't get here,—and on the South, by Howland and Aspinwall's steamers and the Potawatamy Indians, whose restless and predatory disposition renders the boundary line of that section, very desirable to be kept out of the Union. But can we be kept out? No! I do believe that if all creation were to burst out of the paraphernalia of natural economy, and if the States should start from their spheres, and rush down the grease plank of ancestral delinquency, co-slumper through this broad land of rich fertility and unwashed gold, nothing would stop the wreck of matter and the crush of worlds; but the biggest bloodiest fight ever seen since the day that Spartan valor poured out its life in the pass of Thermophylæ. They know us not, those pusillanimous Senators who drink their patriotism from Johnny Foy's bottle, know no more about the people of California than does an untamed cougar of the ultra and generous principles that govern the etiquette of a star ball fight. What do they know about the wants of California? We are a free country—here democracy reigns triumphant. The humblest celestial with his long tail, wanders in peaceful security around the plaza, and here too the pure and virtuous minded Sandwich Islander roams unassailed by the insidious wiles of the missionary or the dangerous refinement of modern civilization. At early dawn, notes from a thousand mellifluous instruments breathe in soft harmony on the stilly air the soul-stirring songs of sentiment and patriotism, interrupted only by the startling cries of "punglee down," make your bet jack in the door, and the more you put down the less you take up. Sir, where will you find a country like this? Talk not of oriental gorgeousness of Eastern Enemies—tell us not of the fairy scenes which poets, who revel in the great warm bath of heavenly imagination, paint with golden pens on leaves of satin. The description of this beautiful country should be written with the golden wand of an angel, dipped in the softest rays of the sun-beam, upon the blushing and delecate surface of a rose leaf. Excuse me gentlemen, I except only the rainy season and the time when the dust flies. We love our native land—we honor her flag, and would not rob the custom house, if we had a fair show. But Congress must not put on any airs, or we will take charge of the custom house and post-office, and make a great muss generally. These are my sentiments, gentlemen. If they don't admit us into the Union, we will burst open the custom house and admit all liquors free of duty. And now with a parting blessing upon the girls we left behind us, and the boys who are coming after us—we will adjourn and take a private drink. O. B. B.

Pig and Pork.—When my lady sees master pig munching and wallowing in a ditch, she curls her nose and lifts her shoulders at his nastiness. And lo! when the same pig's leg, fragrant with sage and patriarchal onions, smokes upon the board, the same lady sendeth her plate three times.

Woman's Love.—Strange is the love of woman; it's like one's beard—the closer one cuts it the stronger it grows—and both are a plague.

MISCELLANEOUS.

MELODEONS!
A beautiful rich toned Five Octave MELODEON, Rose Wood, Piano style, for sale cheap at B. BANNAN'S Book and Music Store.
Aug. 14, '58 33-

SPRATT'S PRESERVING CANS.
THE Fruits and Vegetables of Summer can be as delicious in mid Winter, if put up in these CANS. For sale at the "Hardware and Iron Depot." FRANK POTT.
Pottsville, September 18, '58 38-

Difficult to be Had—Good Needles.
JOHN ENGLISH & CO.'S Patent Helix Drilled Eyed Needles, decidedly the best in the market, of different sizes, from No. 5 to 12, always to be had wholesale and retail, at B. BANNAN'S.
Pottsville, January 30, '58 5-

GUN SMITH!
ALL kinds of FIRE ARMS made to order, CHEAP, and warranted. Tools and small machinery repaired by George Schalk, Centre street, Pottsville, opposite Samuel Morris's Store.
November 21, '57 47-1y

PAPER BAGS.
PATENT MACHINE-MADE Paper Bags, to hold from 1 to 20 pounds, for Grocers, Druggists and others, for sale by E. GARRIGUES, Centre street, Pottsville.
November 6, '58 No.45

PIANO FOR COAL.
AN ELEGANT PIANO, one of Myer's make, who took the First Premium at the World's Fair, will be sold for Coal. Apply to B. BANNAN.
Pottsville, September 4, '58 36-

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, '57 24-

ARTHUR'S
Patent Self-Sealing Cans and Jars,
For Preserving Fresh Fruit, Tomatoes, &c.
THESE CANS are of strongly made Tin, and the Jars of Glazed Fire Proof Yellow Ware and of Glass. They have been used during the last three years by thousands of families, hotels, etc., with the most complete success. They are easily filled and opened, and can be readily cleaned and used for years. To be had of various sizes, Pint, Quart, or Half-Gallon. For sale, at city prices, by B. BANNAN,
July 24, '58 30-] Centre street, Pottsville.

WM. THOMPSON,
Banker and Dealer in Exchange,
Opposite the Episcopal Church, Pottsville, Pa.
UNCURRENT Money, Gold and Silver, Land Warrants, &c., bought and sold. Will strictly attend to all collections entrusted to his care—negotiate business paper, loans, stocks, and all other securities. Money received on deposit and interest allowed.
References—Messrs. Drexel & Co., Philadelphia; Hon. C. W. Hegins, Pottsville; John Shippen, President Miners' Bank, Pottsville; Burd Patterson, Esq., Pottsville, and C. Loeser, Esq., Pottsville.
Pottsville, November 7, '57 45-

REMOVAL.
THE UNDERSIGNED, in order to reduce their expenses and avoid increased rent, so as to enable them to sell goods at prices suited to the times, have removed from the Stone Store House of Seltzinger & Wetherill, to the building adjoining the bridge on Coal street, which will hereafter be known as the "One Price Island Store," where their old customers and the public generally will find a general assortment of all kinds of goods, such as
Dry Goods, Flour.
Groceries, Feed.
Hardware, Salt.
Queensware, Fish.
Provisions, Plaster.
All of which will be sold at the lowest prices, for cash only. MATTSON & BABER.
Port Carbon, January 30, '58 5-1y

MINERS' SAFETY LAMPS.
A Superior Article.
THE SUBSCRIBER has just received from New Castle, England, a lot of Davy's Safety Working Lamps, made under the inspection of the English Government Agent, of the best quality wire gauze. Also, Gauze Covers made ready for use, for these Lamps. These are the best Safety Lamps ever introduced into this County, and are for sale wholesale and retail at about the cost of inferior Lamps. Also, Wire Gauze by the yard, and Lamp Brushes by the dozen or single. Also, the Clanney Lamp for Bosses and Mine Viewers. This Lamp is covered with a thick Glass, and gives an increased light which is of importance to Mine Viewers. BENJ. BANNAN.
These Lamps can be put into a box filled with explosive gas, and moved rapidly backwards and forwards without any covering, and will not explode.
August 8, '57 32-

NEW
Wholesale Flour and Grain Store.
THE SUBSCRIBERS beg Leave to inform the citizens of Schuylkill county, that they have leased the warehouse of Messrs. Yardley & Son, on the corner of Centre and Mauch Chunk streets, in Pottsville, where they have constantly on hand,—FLOUR, of the best extra and superfine brands, WHEAT, RYE, OATS and CORN. Also, Corn and Oats Chop, Mill Feed, Buckwheat and Corn Meal, Apples, Potatoes and Salt, &c., &c., all of which they will sell at greatly reduced prices. Orders for any quantity of Flour and Grain received and delivered at any point, on the shortest notice.
Dealers and Feeders generally will find it greatly to their advantage to give us a call, as we are satisfied that by so doing they can save at least 20 per cent. on their purchases. Give us a call and ascertain for yourselves.
BOMBERGER & BLAIR.
Pottsville, October 31, '57 44-tf

"A THING OF BEAUTY IS A JOY FOREVER."
A. M. ALLEN, corner Centre and Market streets, Pottsville, Pa., announces the latest wonders of art and science. The Atlantic Telegraph joins two continents, while Mr. Allen's Photographs in Oil, are life like, life size, beautiful pictures quickly and permanently taken. They bring to our homes the faces ever of the loved ones from the other world. This new and superior art combines the exact accuracy of the photograph, with the softness of the finest painting. By it persons in moderate circumstances may procure large portraits of those they love and revere, at the same time securing ornaments of rare beauty for their walls which will increase in value as years roll away.
Those having daguerreotypes of departed friends, can have them thus taken in any size.
Persons by this wonderful application of science and skill are enabled by a single sitting of a few seconds to obtain portraits superior to those taken on canvass which require sittings of hours from day to day, for several weeks. Call at Mr. Allen's Gallery and a moment's examination of specimens adorning his walls, must carry conviction of the beauty and accuracy of this great wonder of art, to every mind.
Pottsville, Aug 14, '58 33-tf

Bryant & Stratton's
Chain of National
Mercantile Colleges.
LOCATED AT
PHILADELPHIA, CHICAGO, Ill.
BUFFALO, N. Y., CLEVELAND, Ohio.
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A Student entering either of these Colleges has the privilege of all for an unlimited time.
PHILADELPHIA COLLEGE,
S. E. corner of Seventh and Chestnut streets.
BOARD OF REFEREES.
JOHN B. MYERS, MORRIS L. HALLOWELL,
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COLLEGIATE COURSE.
Book-Keeping,
In all its most approved forms, adapted to the various departments of Trade and Commerce, including General Wholesale and Retail Mercantile, Shipping, Forwarding, Commission, Banking, Exchange, Manufacturing, Railroading, Steamboating, &c., &c.
Penmanship.
A good hand-writing is regarded of the first importance, and is guaranteed to all completing the Course.
COMMERCIAL CALCULATIONS, MERCANTILE-LAW, BUSINESS, CORRESPONDENCE, USAGE, &c., &c., &c.
Daily Lectures are delivered upon the above subjects.
DIPLOMAS are awarded to Students completing the Course and passing the necessary examination.
General Information.
The proprietors of these Colleges design perfecting a Chain of Schools throughout the principal cities of the East and West that shall afford to young men opportunity to qualify themselves in the various modes of doing business, not only in Great Commercial Centres of the East, but in the great and growing West, also. The establishment of such Schools is believed to be indispensable to this result.
The Schools at the above points are all in a prosperous condition. Over 500 Students were in attendance upon them during last Winter's Session.
There are no terms and no vacations. Students may therefore enter and prosecute the Studies without reference to classes.
Terms:
Scholarship for Complete Course, including Book-Keeping, Writing Lectures, &c., - - - $40 00
Book-Keeping for Half Course, - - - 25 00
For further particulars send for Catalogue and Circular. Address, BRYANT & STRATTON, PHILADELPHIA.
April 10, '58 15-1y

SCHUYLKILL NAVIGATION.
THE BOARD of MANAGERS have adopted the following Rates of Toll on Miscellaneous Articles, and on Boats, to be charged on their Works during the year 1858:
TOLL TO BE CHARGED PER TON OF 2000 POUNDS.
All articles carried ten miles and under, shall pay twenty cents per ton, except where this amount shall exceed 6 cents per ton on the ascertained tonnage of the vessel for any lock passed below Reading, or 4 cents per ton above Reading. In such case, these last mentioned rates will be charged.
For any distance beyond ten miles, one cent per ton per mile additional will be charged, except that Limestone, Clay, Brick Bats, Posts and Rails, Manure and Cordwood, shall be charged not more than 30 cents per ton.
Iron Ore, Wrought or Scabbled Stone, Common Bricks, Rough Bark, Sand, Unwrought, Building, Flag and Curb Stone, not more than 35 cents per ton.
Gypsum, Slate, Marble, Fire Brick, Soap Stone, Fish, Salt, Ice, Copper Ore, Scrap Iron and Broken Castings, not more than 45 cents.
Pig Iron, Rail Road, Bar and Manufactured Iron, Castings and Machinery, Timber, round and square, Sawed Lumber, Shingles, Hay and straw, Flour, Seeds, Bituminous Coal, Distilled Liquors and Spirits, Merchandise of all kinds, and all articles not otherwise specifically enumerated, not more than 55 cents per ton for any distance: *Provided*, That if more than 100 pounds of Gunpowder are carried upon any boat, the boat and entire cargo shall pay the full charter rates for every lock passed.
Note.—In passing the Locks, Boats shall have precedence of Rafts. Rafts not complying with this regulation, will be charged the full charter rates.
TOLL ON BOATS.
The Toll authorized by the Charter of the Company, is 6¼ cents per ton for every lock passed below Reading and 4 cents per ton for every lock passed above Reading, on the ascertained tonnage of the vessel, and these rates will be charged against every boat; but conditional permits will be issued to boats which may be navigated in strict conformity to law and to the regulations of the Company, at the following rates:
Boats carrying cargo, which has paid five dollars or more for tolls—free.
Boats unladen, or with cargo which has paid less than five dollars in tolls—
For 5 miles or under, $0 50
" more than 5, and not over 10 miles, 1 00
" more than 10, and not over 20 miles, 1 50
" any distance beyond 20 miles, 2 00
Any violation of the laws or regulations for using the navigation, and for the protection of the works of the Company, will render the boat liable to an additional toll, not exceeding the full charter rate, and to detention of boat and cargo until such toll, or the commutation thereof fixed by the managers, is paid.
Boats running upon a single level of the works shall pay for each lock they may at any time pass, four cents per ton upon the ascertained tonnage thereof above Reading, and six cents per ton below Reading, agreeably to the Act of Assembly.
By order of the Board, F. FRALEY, *President.*
Office of the Schuylkill Navigation Company, *Philadelphia, March 3, 1858.* 11-

MISCELLANEOUS.

TIMOTHY SEED,
BY the bushel or quart, just received and for sale at the Seed Store of B. BANNAN.

50,000
ENVELOPES, White and Colored, by the 1000, 500 and single pack, wholesale and retail, at B. BANNAN'S Book and Stationery Store.

TRAVELER'S GUIDE.
THE latest and best Traveler's Guide throughout the United States, just received and for sale at B. BANNAN'S *Cheap Book Store.*

LIME.
FRESH LIME for sale at all times, at the kilns on the Island, for building purposes, Sand, &c., at the lowest prices. C. M. ATKINS.
JACOB FISHER, Ashland, will fill any orders promptly, and at lower prices than have been charged heretofore.
Pottsville, March 20, '58 12-tf

DRAFTS ON EUROPE.
A. BELL & SON'S DRAFTS on the Quaker House of John & Edward Corderoy & 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.

OLDEST ESTABLISHED DRUG STORE IN THE COUNTY.
"SIGN OF THE GOLDEN EAGLE,"
Centre Street, Pottsville.

The extensive business of this establishment insures at all times a fresh supply of the purest and best drugs, medicines, chemicals, &c., &c.
The proprietors, the senior being a druggist of thirty years' experience, give their personal attendance at all times.
Particular attention paid to Physicians' Prescriptions.
Paints, Oils, Glass, Dye stuffs, &c., in large assortment, wholesale and retail. JOHN G. BROWN & SON.
June 26, '58 26-

A GOOD BARGAIN CAN BE HAD!
THE SUBSCRIBER offers at private sale the old established works known as
The Franklin Iron Works,
situated in the borough of Port Carbon, Schuylkill Co., Penna.
The property consists of turning lathes, planing machines, three new engines, blacksmith's tools, foundry tools and flasks, with other tools of every description necessary for conducting the business, a large and valuable assortment of patterns of the most approved machinery now used in the region and a large stock of new castings and raw material. Possession given immediately.
The property will be sold on reasonable terms, and to any person wishing to engage in the business presents an opportunity seldom offered.
For further particulars inquire of the undersigned at St. Clair, or between the hours of 11 A. M. and 2 P. M., at Kirk & Baum's office, Pottsville. J. S. KIRK.
St. Clair, Feb. 24, 1858 9-tf

VALUABLE WATER POWERS FOR SALE.
THE SUBSCRIBER offers for sale, upon reasonable terms, three valuable water powers, having twelve feet fall each, situated on the West Branch of the Schuylkill River, 1½ miles from the borough of Cressona, 2½ miles from Schuylkill Haven, 2½ miles from Pottsville, and 4 miles from Minersville.—These water powers could be profitably applied to the manufacture of flour, powder, or mining and other tools, which find a cash market in the immediate vicinity.—They are located on the Mine Hill & Schuylkill Haven Railroad, and are also convenient of access by the public roads, so that persons desirous of improving them can have superior facilities for transportation. A substantial dam and saw mill have been erected upon one of them, so that the expense of applying it to any manufacturing purpose will be small.
For further particulars inquire of James Wierman, near the premises, or of the subscriber, at his residence in Cressona. B. A. WILDER.
July 17, '58 29-3m

VALUABLE COAL LEASES.
THE Locust Mountain Coal and Iron Company, offer to good tenants several valuable Coal leases, upon the Company's property, in Columbia and Northumberland counties. The veins offered are the large White Ash veins of the Locust Mountain, upon which collieries have been already established by Messrs. Bast & Pearson, Geo. S. Repplier and M. G. Hellner.
The mammoth vein averages about 25 feet in thickness, and the underlying vein, some 12 to 14 feet. Both veins afford a large body of Coal above water level. The quality of the Coal is well established in market.
The Mine Hill Railroad affords an avenue to the Eastern markets, and the Philadelphia & Sunbury Rail road to the Southern and Western markets. Both of these railroads are completed to the collieries upon the company's property. For particulars, inquire of
J. ANSPACH, Jr., *Prest.*, No. 88 South Fourth Street, Philadelphia.
Or ALEX. W. REA, *Eng. & Supt.*, Centreville, Columbia Co., Pa.
February 13, 1858 7-tf

E. T. ELLRICH. CHAS. A. GUNDAKER. F. F. MENDE.
That which has long been sought for in Pottsville, can now be had by going to
E. T. ELLRICH & CO'S
(*Successors to E. T. Taylor,*)
Cheap Fashionable Clothing, Merchant Tailoring, and General Furnishing Store,
Corner of Centre and Mahantango streets, where can be found the largest assortment of cloths, cassimeres, vestings, furnishing goods, and ready-made clothing ever offered to the citizens of Pottsville, which has been selected with great care from the largest houses in Philadelphia and New York. We buy for cash, and will sell for cash, at the very lowest prices. We desire to call particular attention to our customer department, being with all practical tailors, having long experience in the first houses of Paris, Philadelphia and Boston, we feel confident that our garments, cannot be surpassed for variety of style, beauty and fit, by any houses in the cities, much less in Pottsville. Our furnishing department is supplied with all the latest styles of gentlemen's furnishing goods. Shirts made to order on scientific principles, by one of the first houses in Philadelphia, and warranted to fit.
Remember the place—*Corner of Centre and Mahantongo streets.* May 29, '58 22-tf

TRAVELING.

AUSTRALIA PIONEER LINE.
Established in 1852. Carrying the U. S. Mails.
Sailing Positively on the Day Advertised.
THE superior A 1, clipper ship
"Golden Horn," 1200 tons register,
COX, Commander,
is now loading, and will sail for MELBOURNE, on the 20th of September.
This splendid and well-known ship made the voyage to Melbourne last year in eighty-six days, and is renowned for her rapid passages, and excellent Passenger Accommodations.
RATES OF PASSAGE—First Cabin Saloon, $150; Second Cabin, $100. Children in arms, free; under twelve, HALF PRICE.
For freight or passage, apply on board, or to R. W. CAMERON, 6 Bowling Green, New York.
Sight Bills for sale, and cash advances made on consignments.
Consignees in Australia: Messrs. Wilkinson, Bros. & Co.
August 21, '58 June 12, '58 24-1y 34-

LIVERPOOL, PHILADELPHIA AND NEW YORK SCREW STEAMSHIP CO.
THE Splendid Steamships forming the above Line will sail from NEW YORK as follows:
CITY OF BALTIMORE, Capt. Leitch, Sept. 9.
VIGO, " " Sept. 23.
KANGAROO, Capt. Jeffrey, October 7.
and every alternate Thursday.
From LIVERPOOL every alternate Wednesday.
Fare from New York, Cabin $75, Third Class $30.
" Liverpool, Cabin $105, $85 & $75. Th'd Class $40.
RETURN TICKETS available for six Months by any Steamer of the Line.
Cabin, $140,—Third Class, $70.
These Steamers are supplied with improved Water-tight compartments, and carry experienced Surgeons.
Persons about proceeding to Europe, or wishing to send for their friends from the old country, can purchase Tickets and obtain all information by applying to J. G. Dale, 13 Broadway, N. Y. Sabel & Corlis, 177 Broadway, N. Y., to J. H. RICHARDS, Minersville, and to RICHARD EDWARDS, Pottsville.
Passage Certificates by first Class Sailing Packets between New York and Liverpool, also Drafts sold by the above. [May 8, '58 19-1y

LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD.
Change of Time.
ON and after WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28th, the Passenger Trains of the Lehigh Valley Railroad will run as follows:

Down Trains.

Leave Mauch Chunk	at 7.15 A. M., and	12.30 P. M.	
" Lehighton	7.27 "	12.42	"
" Lehigh Gap	7.49 "	1.09	"
" Slatington	7.55 "	1.15	"
" Laury's	8.16 "	1.36	"
" White Hall	8.22 "	1.42	"
" Catasauqua	8.33 "	1.54	"
" Allentown	8.44 "	2.05	"
" Bethlehem	9.00 "	2.20	"
" Freemansburg	9.10 "	2.30	"
Arrive Easton	9.40 "	2.55	"

Up Trains.

Leave Easton	at 11.35 A. M., and	4.40 P. M.	
" Freemansburg	12.00 "	5.07	"
" Bethlehem	12.10 P. M.,	5.17	"
" Allentown	12.25 "	5.34	"
" Catasauqua	12.36 "	5.44	"
" White Hall	12.48 "	5.56	"
" Laury's	12.54 "	6.03	"
" Slatington	1.15 "	6.24	"
" Lehigh Gap	1.26 "	6.30	"
" Lehighton	1.48 "	6.52	"
Arrive Mauch Chunk	2.00 "	7.05	"

The above Trains will connect with the Morning and Afternoon Trains to and from New York and Philadelphia. The Beaver Meadow Train will leave Mauch Chunk for Wilkesbarre, Hazleton, White Haven, &c., upon the arrival of the 2 P. M. Train.
ROBERT H. SAYRE, *Supt. & Eng.*
October 31, '57 [August 8, '57 32-] 41-

PHILADELPHIA AND READING R. R.
Summer Arrangement, July 5, 1858.
DOWN PASSENGER TRAINS.
Leave Pottsville, daily, (except Sundays) at 8.15 A. M., and 3.30 P. M.—Passing Reading at 9.51 A. M., and 5.06 P. M.—Arriving in Philadelphia at 12.25 noon, and at 7.40 P. M.
UP PASSENGER TRAINS.
Leave Philadelphia, daily, (except Sundays) at 7.30 A. M., and 3.30 P. M.—Passing Reading at 10.05 A. M., and 6.07 P. M. Arriving in Pottsville at 11.55 noon, and at 7.55 P. M.
Both Up and Down Passenger Trains connect at Port Clinton with Trains to and from Tamaqua, Catawissa, Williamsport and Elmira. Morning Passenger Trains only connect at Port Clinton for Wilkesbarre, Scranton and Pittston.

LEBANON VALLEY BRANCH.
Passenger Train leaves Reading at 9.56 A. M., after arrival of Up and Down Morning Passenger Trains from Philadelphia and Pottsville. Arriving at Harrisburg at 12.35 noon, and connecting with Passenger Trains on the Northern Central, "Pennsylvania" and Cumberland Valley" Railroads, for Sunbury, Williamsport, Elmira, Pittsburg Lancaster, Baltimore and Chambersburg.
Returning, leaves Harrisburg at 2.25 P. M., after arrival of Trains from above points. Arriving at Reading for Pottsville and Philadelphia the same evening. No Trains run on Sundays.
Fares.—Between Pottsville and Philadelphia, $2 75 and $2 25; Reading and Philadelphia, $1 75 and $1 45; Harrisburg and Philadelphia, $3 25 and $2 70; Lebanon and Philadelphia, $2 60 and $2 10; Reading and Harrisburg, $1 60 and $1 30; Reading and Pottsville, $1 05 and $0 85; Reading and Lebanon, 85 and 70 cents; Pottsville and Harrisburg, $2 65 and $2 15; Pottsville and Lebanon, $1 85 and $1 50.
Through No. 1 Tickets—Pottsville to Baltimore, $5 00; Reading to Baltimore, $4; Reading to Lancaster, $2 25.
80 pounds of Baggage allowed each Passenger.
The Second Class Cars run with all the above Regular Passenger Trains.
Morning Train Down and Afternoon Train Up, only, run on Sundays.
Through First Class Tickets, at reduced rates, to Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Detroit, Chicago, and all the principal points in the West, North West, and the Canadas; and the Emigrant Tickets, at lower fares, to all the above places, can be had on application to the Station Agent.
All Tickets will be purchased before the Trains start. Higher fares charged if paid in cars.
G. A. NICOLLS, Eng. & Gen. Supt.
July 3, '58 29-

PLUMBING.

PLUMBING AND GAS-FITTING Establishment,
MARKET SQUARE, POTTSVILLE, PA.

The undersigned respectfully informs the citizens of Pottsville and vicinity, that having purchased the *Plumbing Establishment* of Henry Dickinson, and attached it to his *Gas-Fitting Business*, will hereafter carry on both branches, and hopes, by strict attention to business—keeping always on hand a large and well selected stock, employing competent workmen, and doing work at *only remunerating prices*—to receive a portion of the public patronage.
His stock will consist of Water Closets, Iron, Copper and Lead Bath Tubs, Porcelain and Copper Wash Basins, Iron and Lead Sinks, Hydrants, Pavement Plugs, Brass Cocks for hot and cold water, Gum and Leather Hose for pavements, Branch Pipes and Couplings for pavements, Iron and Lead Pipe of all sizes, Gas Fixtures of every kind, embracing a full assortment of Chandeliers, Pendants, Brackets, &c., &c., &c., manufactured of the best quality of materials, and of the latest and most approved patterns. DANIEL D. MORETON.
April 11, '58 15

HOTELS.

"WHITE HORSE HOTEL."
Corner of Centre and Mahantongo Streets, Pottsville.
Joseph M. Feger, Proprietor.
Entertainments and accommodations of the best kind, and every attention will be paid by the host and his attendants to make guests and travellers comfortable.
August 1, '57 31-1y

POTTSVILLE HOUSE,
S. W. JONES, Proprietor,
Centre street, POTTSVILLE, Pa.
Good Stabling provided.
June 26, '58 26-1y

PULASKI HOUSE,
SMITH & SLATER, Proprietors,
Centre street, POTTSVILLE, Pa.
This house having been refitted in the finest manner, guests and visitors will have every accommodation. Meals at all hours. The choicest and best liquors will be found at the bar. Travelers, as well as our citizens, will find the PULASKI HOUSE, in every respect, one of the finest hotels in the county.
June 26, '58 26-1y

PRICES REDUCED TO SUIT THE TIMES!
"NATIONAL HOTEL,"
(Late "WHITE SWAN,")
RACE Street, above THIRD,
Philadelphia.
The Proprietors of the above well-known establishment, being thankful for the very liberal patronage bestowed upon them the past year, take this method of informing their friends and the public that they are still prepared to accommodate them if favored with a call.
During the Winter months the house has been thoroughly renovated, improvements made, and other extensive alterations in contemplation.
We are determined to devote our whole attention to business and flatter ourselves with the conviction that we shall be able to give general satisfaction.
Respectfully yours, SIDES & STOVER, *Race street, above Third.*
TERMS:—$1 25 per day.
N. B.—Carriages will always be in readiness to convey Passengers to and from Steamboat Landings and Railroad Depots. S. & S.
Philadelphia, April 1, '58 15-1y

BUSINESS CARDS.

M. D. L. DODSON, Dentist, Market Street, three doors above Third, south side. [Pottsville, Jan. 23, '58 4-1y

P. W. SHEAFFER, Pottsville, Pa., late of the Pennsylvania State Geological Survey, explores lands, mines, &c. [October 13, '55 41-tf

HENRY PLEASANTS, Civil and Mining Engineer, POTTSVILLE. Office—Market street, north side, between Centre and Second. [August 8, '57 32-6m

FRANK CARTER, Civil and Mining Engineer, Surveyor, &c., will attend to surveys of lands, mines, town plots, &c. Office with Saml. Lewis, Esq., first door below Silver Terrace, Pottsville, Pa.
May 9, '57 19-tf

J. H. McELWAIN, Civil and Mining Engineer, Ashland, Pa., attends to Surveying and Inspecting Mines, surveying and dividing lands in the line of his profession. Letter address, Fountain Spring P. O., Schuylkill County, Pa. Feb. 23, 1858 8-ly

GEO. K. SMITH.] [W. R. SIMONS.
Smith & Symons,
Civil, Mining and Topographical Engineers, and Colliery Viewers.
Mahantango & Second sts., POTTSVILLE, Pa. Broad street, TAMAQUA.
April 24, '58 17-tf

HENRY W. POOLE, Geological, Topographical and Mining Engineer. Centre street, Pottsville, Pa., gives attention to surveys and examinations of Coal Lands, to surveys of mines requiring special accuracy, and to the superintendence and entire charge for proprietors of estates.
February 2, '58 [July 22, '57 27-tf]

AGENCY—For the Purchase and Sale of Real Estate; buying and selling Coal; taking charge of Coal Lands, Mines, &c., and collecting rents—from twenty years experience in the County he hopes to give satisfaction. Office Mahantango Street, Pottsville. [April 6, '58 14-] CHAS. M. HILL.

COAL.

NEVIN, SAWYER & CO.,
Shippers of the best qualities of RED AND WHITE ASH SCHUYLKILL COALS.
Also, CUMBERLAND COAL.
Offices—306 Walnut street, *PHILADELPHIA*; and 81 State street, *BOSTON*.
Producers and purchasers of Coal will find it to their advantage to give us a call.
July 3, '58 NEVIN, SAWYER & CO. 27-3m

I. F. VOORHIES & CO.,
MINERS AND SHIPPERS OF THE CELEBRATED
Lewis Vein Red Ash Coal,
From the "NEW DUNCAN COLLIERY."
They mine no other Coal—which assures its purity.
Cargo sales by J. S. SILVER, Jr., & Co., No. 11 Pine street, New York.
Pottsville, June 5, '58 23-1y

COAL. COAL. COAL.
LEWIS AUDENRIED & CO.
OFFICES:
205 Walnut street, PHILADELPHIA.
110 Broadway, NEW YORK.
86 State street, BOSTON.
Wholesale Dealers in the best varieties of DOMESTIC COALS—Sole Proprietors of Wolf Creek Colliery, capable of producing over 150,000 tons a year of the celebrated DIAMOND, (*Red Ash.*) and Black Heath, (*White Ash.*)
ALSO,
Exclusive Agents for the sale of the purely genuine Locust Mountain Coal, from the Locust Dale Colliery of Geo. C. Potts & Co., all of which will be shipped direct to New York, via Canal; or coastwise, via Greenwich Piers, (below Navy Yard, Philadelphia.)
ALSO,
At Philadelphia, from Pier No. 11, Port Richmond.
The choicest qualities of RED and WHITE ASH COALS from Schuylkill County, selected with special care, and shipped under our personal superintendence.
At Elizabethport, N. J.
LEHIGH SPRING MOUNTAIN and COUNCIL RIDGE COALS.
From Baltimore, Md.
The celebrated HAMPSHIRE BITUMINOUS COAL.
At Jersey City, N. J.
(*via Lehigh and Morris Canals.*)
The very superior WILKESBARRE COAL, from the *Baltimore Vein*, taken from the "Andwried Improvement and Coal Company's Estate," near Wilkesbarre; also, the COUNCIL RIDGE COAL; both of which, for steam purposes and for family use, are unsurpassed.
We hold certificates in our offices, from parties who have used and fully tested these Coals, and pronounce them the best Anthracite Coals for steam in use, producing no clinker, less ashes and greater blaze, than any other kinds now before the public.
May 15, '58 20-

J. G. TURNER. F. B. GOWEN.
TURNER & GOWEN,
Miners and Shippers of
WHITE ASH COAL from the East and West Mount Lafa Collieries—MAMMOTH & BLACK HEATH VEINS.
Office—Centre street, opposite Episcopal Church.
Pottsville, April 10, '58 15-1y

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.
The subscribers have associated themselves, from and after this date, under the name and style of TYLER, STONE & CO., and will conduct the business of *Dealing in Coal*, as successors to FREDERICK TYLER & CO., at No. 328 Walnut street, Philadelphia; 109 Broadway, New York; Pier No. 5, Port Richmond.
FREDERICK TYLER,
GEORGE F. TYLER,
C. NICHOLS BEACH,
WILLIAM E. STONE.
May 9, '58 19-tf

ASHLAND and MAHANOY COAL.
—The undersigned are prepared to receive orders for the celebrated Ashland Coal from the "Bancroft Pioneer Colliery." From the extensive alterations and improvements made at the Colliery this winter for preparing the Coal, they feel no hesitation in offering it to the trade as an article that can have no superior in the market, both as regards its freedom from dirt, slate and other impurities. They are also prepared to make contracts for Lehigh and Schuylkill Coal from other mines.
BANCROFT, LEWIS & CO.,
No. 19 Walnut street, Commercial Building.
February 9, '58 6-1y

CAIN, HACKER & COOK,
MINERS AND SHIPPERS OF
Black Heath Coal.
Also, dealers in other first qualities of
White and Red Ash Coals.
No. 136 Walnut street, Philadelphia, and Woodland Wharves, Schuylkill.
Thomas Cain. Morris Hacker. Jesse M. Cook.
February 27, '58 9-1y

Anthracite Coals.
CHARLES A. HECKSCHER & CO., Shippers of *Schuylkill Coals*, from the celebrated BLACK HEATH and BROAD MOUNTAIN White Ash, and the OTTO Red Ash Veins, are now prepared to execute orders, either from Philadelphia, (Richmond, wharf No. 14,) or from Schuylkill Haven, per Canal, at the lowest market rates, for single cargoes, or for contracts—to be furnished in uniform prime order.
Offices—No. 45 South street, NEW YORK; No. 132 Walnut street, PHILADELPHIA.
April 3, '58 14-1y

LUTHER, DANIELL & GABLE,
LESSEES OF KASKA WILLIAM COLLIERY, (formerly Rogers, Sinnickson & Co.) are now prepared to receive orders for their celebrated WHITE ASH COAL from the Raven and Black Heath veins, and RED ASH from the Luther and Peach Orchard veins, all of which are free burning and well adapted for family use. Having recently adopted some improvements in the machinery for the preparation of this Coal, which enables them to separate the slate and flat pieces from the square fractured, giving it a handsome and uniform size and appearance, they can confidently recommend it to the public.
Office—in Centre street, opposite the American House, Pottsville.
Agents in New York & Philad'a—ROGERS & LUTHER.
Offices: { No. 230 Walnut Street, PHILADELPHIA. No. 16 Nassau Street, NEW YORK.
February, 27, 1858 9-tf

Advertisements set in larger type than usual will be charged 50 per cent. advance on our regular rates.

FALL AND WINTER Cloaks.
THE subscribers will exhibit on Monday, and during the week,
ELEGANT CLOAKS,
IN CASTOR, BEAVER, VELVET, &c.,
To which they invite the attention of ladies and strangers. J. W. PROCTOR & CO.,
Paris Mantilla Emporium,
708 Chesnut Street, Philadelphia.
September 18, '58 38-4t

TAW & BEERS'
Lubricating Grease!
The cheapest, most reliable and durable compound used for lubricating **Heavy Machinery**, and the axles of Omnibuses, Carriages, Carts, Drays and Wagons.
It will not Gum, and is not affected by heat or cold. Manufactured and for sale in Tin Cans, Kegs and Barrels, by TAW & BEERS, Philadelphia.
June 19, '58 25-1y

Wire Rope Works of
JOHN A. ROEBLING.
Trenton, New Jersey.
A large assortment of Wire Rope constantly on hand. Orders filled with despatch. For size, strength, and cost, see circular. [Feb. 27, '58 9-1y*

OILS! OILS!! OILS!!!
HODGSON & KEAN,
Nos. 5 & 6 S. Wharves, Philada.,
General Commission Merchants, and Dealers in *WHALE AND SPERM OIL FOR MINING AND MECHANICAL PURPOSES.*
Sept. 22, '57 38-tf

Stone Ware Works,
HARRISBURG, PA.
THE attention of MERCHANTS and HOUSEKEEPERS is invited to the quality of STONE WARE manufactured at the above works. It is superior in material, quality and finish, to any made in Pennsylvania, leaving it with candid, and able judges to decide **No Poison** is used in glazing this, as there is in **Red Earthen-Ware**, the glazing being composed of nothing but salt and clay. For price list, &c., address WM. MOYER, Harrisburg, Pa.
Aug. 21, '58 34-3m

GEO. W. POMEROY & CO.,
DEALERS IN
OIL, SOAP, CANDLES, &C.
NO. 12 South Water street, below Market, Philadelphia
Sperm, Lard, Elephant, Whale, Tanners and Machinery Oil, Sperm and Adamantine Candles.
Samuel T. Miller, Salesman.
Philadelphia, January 5, '58 1-1y

JOHN A. MOORE,
Oil and Commission Merchant,
AND DEALER IN
MINERS' SUPPLIES,
No. 104 S. Water street, Philadelphia,
Has constantly on hand
Sperm, Lard, Solar, Elephant, Bleached and Racked Whale Oils, Sperm and Adamantine Candles, Burning and Greasing Oil, expressly for Miners' use, Wire Rope,
Slope Chains,
Blasting Powder, Safety Lamps, Gum and Leather Belting, Fuses, Wicking, &c.
April 1, '58 14-1y

Schuylkill Fire and Marine
INSURANCE COMPANY.
Of Pottsville.
Office in Sillyman's Building, Mahantongo st., 2 doors above Centre st., Pottsville, Pa.
CAPITAL AUTHORIZED BY LAW, $200,000.
CHARTER PERPETUAL.
This Company obtained its Charter at the last Session of the Legislature of Pennsylvania, and is now fully organized and prepared to issue Policies, at liberal rates, on Fire and Inland risks, on Public and Private Buildings, Furniture, Stocks of Goods and Merchandise of all kinds.
Also on Coal Breakers and Machinery. Inland Insurance on Canal Boats and Barges, by Canals and Rivers; also on Cargoes of Coal to Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore, &c. This Company guarantees to adjust all losses promptly, and thereby hope to merit the patronage of the public.
Directors:
S. K. M. KEPNER, J. H. ADAM,
WILLIAM MORTIMER, Jr., JOHN D. DEIBERT,
JACOB HUNTZINGER, Jr., JOHN HENDRICKS,
GEORGE LAUER, D. G. YUENGLING,
W. F. SMITH, H. H. HUNTZINGER,
ROBERT M. PALMER, GEORGE J. HEHR.
S. K. M. KEPNER, *President.*
W. F. SMITH, Secretary and General Agent.
Pottsville, January 1, '58 1-

INSURANCE.

York County
Farmers' Mutual
FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
T. A. GODFREY, Agent for Schuylkill county, has removed to Pottsville. [August 21, '58 34-6t

CHARTER PERPETUAL.] [INCORPORATED IN 1850.
THE STATE FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE Company of Penna.
OFFICE—92 Market Street, Harrisburg, Pa. Capital $380,000 dollars.
Insure all the safer classes of property against Loss by Fire, perils of Inland Navigation and Transportation.
JOHN P. RUTHERFORD, *President.*
S. Ward, *Secretary.* L. Morton, *Vice President.*
BENJ. BANNAN has been appointed Agent for this Company in Schuylkill county, and is prepared to insure all kinds of property at the lowest rates with regard to security. The rates can be ascertained at his Bookstore, Pottsville.
B. BANNAN is also Agent for LIFE as well as FIRE Insurance. [Dec. 5, '57 49-

MINERS' LIFE INSURANCE AND TRUST CO., Pottsville, Penna.
CAPITAL $100,000—CHARTER PERPETUAL.
THIS Company, chartered by the Legislature of Pennsylvania, with a capital of One Hundred Thousand Dollars, is now fully organized, and has commenced business. The Company is prepared to receive moneys and other property in trust, and allow interest on all moneys deposited in trust, at the rate of five per cent. per annum; principal and interest payable on demand. For rates of Premium on Life Insurance, see the printed Tables supplied at the office of the Company, Centre street, Pottsville, three doors south of the Exchange Hotel. JACOB HUNTZINGER, Jr., *Pres't.*
Wellington Kline, *Secretary and Treasurer.*
April 1, '58 13 tf

ANTHRACITE INSURANCE COMPANY.
Authorized Capital, $400,000.
CHARTER PERPETUAL.—Office, No. 91 Walnut street, between Third and Fourth streets, Philadelphia. This Company will insure against loss or damage by Fire, Buildings, Furniture, and Merchandise generally. Also Marine Insurance on Vessels, Cargoes and Freights. Inland Insurance to all parts of the Union. DIRECTORS:
D. Luther, Davis Pierson,
Lewis Audenried, Joseph Maxfield,
Peter Silger, Dr. Geo. N. Eckert,
John K. Blackiston, B. Hammett,
Samuel H. Rothermel, Wm. F. Dean,
D. LUTHER, *President.*
Wm. F. Dean, *Vice President.*
W. M. Smith, *Secretary.*
P. D. Luther has been appointed agent for the above Company in Schuylkill county, to whom persons desiring Insurance can apply.
January 1, '57 1-

INDEMNITY.
THE Franklin Fire Insurance Company, of Philadelphia. Office, No. 163½ Chesnut street, near Fifth street.
DIRECTORS:
Charles N. Bancker, George W. Richards,
Thomas Hart, Mordecai D. Lewis,
Tobias Wagner, Adolphe E. Borie,
Samuel Grant, David S. Brown,
Jacob R. Smith, Morris Patterson.
Continue to make Insurance, permanent or limited on every description of property, in town and country, at rates as low as are consistent with security.
The Company have reserved a large contingent Fund, which, with their Capital and Premiums, safely invested, afford ample protection to the insured. Since their incorporation, a period of 18 years, they have paid upwards of one *million, two hundred thousand dollars*, losses by fire, thereby affording evidence of the advantages of insurance, as well as the ability and disposition to meet with promptness, all liabilities.
CHAS. N. BANCKER, President.
Chas. G. Bancker, Secretary.
The subscriber has been appointed agent for the above mentioned institution, and is now prepared to make insurance, on every description of property, at the lowest rates. ANDREW RUSSEL, Agent.
Pottsville, Jan. 11, 1858 2-tf

THE LIVERPOOL AND LONDON FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.
Authorized Capital—£2,000,000, or $10,000,000.
Paid up Capital, Surplus, and Reserved Funds,
$4,000,000.
Nearly $600,000 invested in this country.
Liability of the shareholders unlimited.
The income of this Company in New York, for 1857, was upwards of $600,000.
The undersigned having been appointed agents of the above Company, are prepared to receive applications for Insurance against Fire, on every description of buildings and property, including coal breakers and the structures connected with collieries. All those parties requiring Insurance are respectfully invited to call at the office where particulars will be given, together with the Company's circular, and detailed statement of the condition of this well known and thoroughly reliable corporation.
In case the amount of Insurance desired exceeds the rules of the Liverpool and London, the undersigned are authorized to obtain it in other reliable companies.
Reference is permitted to be made to the following gentlemen:
John Tucker, Esq., John Shippen, Esq.,
James Dundas, Esq., Geo. W. Snyder, Esq.,
John R. White, Esq., Hon. James H. Campbell.
HORACE P. SMITH and HENRY W. POOLE, *Agents*,
At Office of H. W. Poole, Engineer, Centre st., Pottsville.
Jan. 30, '58 5-tf

LIFE INSURANCE.
THE Girard Life Insurance, Annuity and Trust Company of Philadelphia. Office, No. 132 Chesnut street, the first door East of the Custom House.
CAPITAL $300,000—CHARTER PERPETUAL.
Continue to make Insurances on lives on the most favorable terms.
The capital being paid up and invested, together with a large and constantly increasing reserved fund, offers a perfect security to the insured.
The premiums may be paid yearly, half-yearly or quarterly.
The company add a Bonus periodically to the insurances for life. The first Bonus, appropriated in December, 1844, and the second Bonus in December, 1849, amount to an addition of $262 50 to every $1,000 insured under the oldest policies, making $1,262 50 which will be paid when it shall become a claim, instead of $1,000 originally insured; the next oldest, amount to $1,237 50; the next in age to $1,212 50 for every $1,000; the others in the same proportion according to the amount and time of standing, which additions make an average of more than 50 per cent. upon the premiums paid, without increasing the annual premium.
MANAGERS:
Thomas Ridgway, John A. Brown,
Armon Davis, D. Danner,
John Jay Smith, Frederick Brown,
Robert Pearsall, George Taber,
Joseph Yeager, John R. Latimer,
Thomas P. James, Wharton Lewis,
Joseph T. Bailey, John R. Slack.
Pamphlets containing table of rates and explanations, form of application and further information can be had at the office. THOMAS RIDGWAY, President,
John F. James, Actuary.
The subscriber is agent for the above Company in Schuylkill County, and will effect Insurances, and give all necessary information on the subject.
April 10, 1858. 15-1y B BANNAN.

WIRE SCREENS.

WIRE COAL AND SLATE SCREENS.
JOHN H. KURTZ, (late of and successor to Kurtz & Heisler,) would respectfully call the attention of persons engaged in the Coal Business, to his Manufactory of WIRE COAL AND SLATE SCREENS, COAL RIDDLES, WIRE BROOMS, &c., &c., at the old establishment, Minersville, Schuylkill Co., Pa.
Having been engaged in the business of Screen making for upwards of twelve years, I flatter myself that I can turn out as good work as is done anywhere in the county, and would refer to the quality of my work in the past, as a guarantee of what it will be in the future, pledging myself that I will spare no pains to make my work satisfactory to all who may give me a trial.
JOHN H. KURTZ.
Minersville, July 24, '58 30-tf

ESTERLY & FRICK,
Manufacturers of Wire Coal Screens.
WOULD respectfully call the attention of gentlemen engaged in the Coal trade to their coal screens of the various sizes. They have increased facilities for turning out the best of work with promptness and dispatch. Having the most experienced hands in the State they can guarantee all work done at their Factory.
Repairing neatly and substantially done at the shortest notice.
Screen Bolts, Cogwheels, Edgeway Rings, Shafts, Gudgeons, &c., &c., always on hand.
All orders directed to the firm by mail or left at D. L. Esterly's Hardware store will receive prompt attention.
July 4, '57 27-

PAINTING, &C.

NEW STYLES WINDOW SHADES.
JUST received a large and elegant assortment of Window Shades, new and beautiful designs, including Gold Bordered, Oiled, Landscape of Floral, Gothic &c., &c., cheaper than ever.
ALSO
Figured, Glazed and Plain Paper Shades, of every description. For Sale by BENJ. BANNAN, Centre Street, opposite Episcopal Church.
Pottsville, April 10, '58 15-

PAINTING, PAPER HANGING, &C.
THE undersigned would respectfully announce to the public that he has opened a Paint Shop, in Second street, above Market, next door to the First Methodist Church, where he is prepared to execute all work in his line, such as House and Sign Painting, Glazing, Graining and Paper Hanging, on the shortest notice, and on reasonable terms. Having worked at the business for a number of years, he hopes to receive a share of the public patronage. MICHAEL KLINE.
Pottsville, April 17, '58 16-1y

REDUCED PRICES.
Wall Paper Cheap.
THE subscriber has a large lot of very choice Patterns of Wall Paper, suitable for Halls, Parlors, Dining Rooms, Chambers and Public Buildings, which he will sell at greatly reduced prices. The Stock embraces the latest and most esteemed Patterns. Paper as cheap as 5 cents a Piece.
Now is the time for Bargains, for Paper Hangings and Books at B. BANNAN'S
Cheap Wholesale and Retail Paper and Book Store.
PAPER HANGERS SUPPLIED VERY CHEAP.
October 31st, '57 44-

MUDEY & BOWEN,
House & Sign Painters & Paper Hangers;
HAVE received New Styles Plain and Decorative WALL PAPERS, GOLD WINDOW SHADES, BORDERS, &c.
Those wishing a handsome Parlor Paper should see our
Impressed Gold Papers.
They are new designs, and have a better effect than those generally manufactured.
Pure White Lead, French and American Zincs, Oils, Varnishes, &c. | Colored, Enameled, French and American Window Glass, &c.
Centre Street, Pottsville, 2 doors above American House.
April 10, '58 15-tf

LEGAL CARDS.

GEORGE D. HAUGHAWOUT, Attorney at Law, SCRANTON, PA.
Dec. 19, '57 51-1y*]

JOHN P. HOBART, Attorney at Law, Pottsville, office opposite the American House.
October 31, '57 44-1y

J. W. ROSEBERRY, Attorney at Law. Office—corner of Market and 2nd streets, Pottsville. August 9, '56 32-

MYER STROUSE, Attorney at Law. Office—Centre street, opposite the Town Hall, Pottsville. [February 9, '56 6-

DAVID B. GREEN, Attorney at Law. Pottsville, Pa. Office in Market street, opposite the Post Office. July 14, '56 28-1y

F. P. DEWEES, Attorney at Law. OFFICE—Four doors above Mortimer's Hotel, Centre street, Pottsville, Pa. [Dec. 5, '57 49-

THOMAS R. BANNAN, Attorney at Law. Office in Centre street, opposite the Episcopal Church. Pottsville, Penna. [Nov. 20, '56 47-1y

JOHN C. CONRAD, Jr., Justice of the Peace and Conveyancer—office opposite Post Office, Broad st., Tamaqua, Pa. [May 2, '57 18-

CLEMENT S. FOSTER, Justice of the Peace, Minersville—collections and agencies solicited and attended to carefully. [Feb. 23, '58 8-tf

JOHN SEITZINGER, Justice of the Peace, ST. CLAIR, will attend to all business entrusted to him with diligence and care. [1855] 8-1y

SAMUEL GARRETT, Magistrate, Conveyancer and General Collector. Office, Market St., Pottsville, next door to Post Office. [Aug. 15, '57 33-

A. P. SPINNEY, Attorney at Law, Ashland, Schuylkill county, Pa., will act as agent in the purchase and sale of Real Estate, collection of rents, &c. Ashland, May 23, '57 21-1y

CHRISTOPHER LITTLE, Attorney at Law, Pottsville, Schuylkill county, Pa. Office—In Mahantongo street, corner of Second.
April 11, '57 15-1y

GEORGE deB. KEIM, Attorney at Law, Pottsville, Penna., will attend to legal business in Schuylkill county and elsewhere. Office in Centre street, nearly opposite the Miners' Bank. [Feb. 5, '56 27-

JNO. HENDRICKS.] [CONRAD F. SHINDEL.
HENDRICKS & SHINDEL, Attorneys at Law, TAMAQUA, Pa. Having associated together in the practice of the Law, all professional business in Schuylkill and adjoining counties entrusted to their care will receive prompt attention.
May 29, '58 22-

HARDWARE.

CONSTANTLY on hand, T Rails for mining purposes, at reduced prices, for cash or good paper. HAYWOOD, LEE & CO.
Pottsville, Dec. 26, '57 52-tf

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

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

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

BRIGHT & LERCH'S
NEW HARDWARE STORE two doors below Matz' Hotel, and nearly opposite the Miners' Bank, Pottsville, where will be found an excellent assortment of Hardware:

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

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

TRANSPORTATION.

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.	Between Pottsville & Philadelphia	Between Pottsville & Reading
Dry Goods, Confectionery, Books, Carpetings, Cigars, Fresh Meat, Fish, Glass, &c.	30	15
Anvils, Bran, 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, Timber and Lumber, &c.	14	7
Bricks, Coke, Cord Wood, Clay, Gravel, Ice, Iron, Ore, Limestone, Manure, Pig Iron, Plaster, Slate, Malt Liquors, &c., Flour, per barrel,	23	14
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PHILAD'A & READING RAILROAD.
OFFICE of the Philada. & R. R. Co., *Philadelphia, March 29, 1858.*
The rates of Freight and Tolls on Coal transported by this Company, will be as follows, from 29th March, 1858, until further notice:

FROM	Mount Carbon.	Schuyl. Haven.	Auburn.	Port Clinton.
To Richmond,	1 40	1 35	1 25	1 20
" Philadelphia,	1 40	1 35	1 25	1 20
" Inclined Plane,	1 40	1 35	1 25	1 20
" Nicetown,	1 40	1 35	1 25	1 20
" Germantown R. R.,	1 40	1 35	1 25	1 20
" Falls of Schuylkill,	1 40	1 35	1 25	1 20
" Manayunk,	1 40	1 35	1 25	1 20
" Spring Mills,	1 35	1 30	1 20	1 20
" Conshohocken and Plymouth Railroad,	1 35	1 30	1 20	1 20
" Rambo's and Potts' and Jones',	1 30	1 25	1 15	1 10
" Norristown or Bridgeport,	1 30	1 25	1 15	1 10
" Port Kennedy,	1 25	1 20	1 10	1 05
" Valley Forge,	1 25	1 20	1 10	1 00
" Phoenixville,	1 15	1 10	1 00	1 00
" Royer's Ford,	1 15	1 10	1 00	1 00
" Pottstown,	1 15	1 10	1 00	1 00
" Douglasville,	1 15	1 10	1 00	1 00
" Birdsboro'	1 10	1 05	95	95
" Reading,	95	90	80	80
" Between Reading and Mohrsville,	95	90	80	80
" Mohrsville,	95	90	80	80
" Hamburg,	95	90	80	80
" Orwigsburg,	95	90	80	80

By order of the Board of Managers,
March 29, '58 14-] W. H. McILHENNEY, Sec'y

PHILADELPHIA.

SAVING FUND.

National SAFETY TRUST Company.
WALNUT STREET, South-west corner of THIRD, Philadelphia.
INCORPORATED BY THE STATE OF PENNA.
FIVE PER CENT. INTEREST.
Money is received in any sum, large or small, and interest paid from the day of deposit to the day of withdrawal.
The office is open every day from 9 o'clock in the morning till 5 o'clock in the afternoon, and on Monday and Thursday evenings till 8 o'clock.
Hon. HENRY L. BENNER, President.
ROBERT SELFRIDGE, Vice President.
William J. Reed, Secretary.
Directors:
Henry L. Benner, F. Carroll Brewster,
Edward L. Carter, Joseph B. Barry,
Robert Selfridge, Francis Lee,
Saml. K. Ashton, Joseph Yerkes,
C. Landreth Munns, Henry Diffenderfer.
Money is received and payments made in gold daily without notice.
The investments are made in REAL ESTATE MORTGAGES, GROUND RENTS, and such first class securities as the Charter requires.
July 31, '58 [Feb. 27, '58 9-1y] 31-

HENRY W. OVERMAN,
NO. 14, (Old No. 6,) South THIRD street, below Market, Philadelphia.
Leather Dealer.
Calf Skins, Moroccos, Linings, Bindings, Red and Oak Sole Leather, etc. N. B.—Rough Leather, bought or taken in exchange. [Feb. 27, '58 9-1y

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 25, '58 17-1y

OIL, PAPER, AND RAG WAREHOUSE,
E. D. WOODRUFF, JR., & CO.,
NO. 9 North Front street, PHILADELPHIA.

Winter & Spring Sperm Oil,	Winter Elephant & Solar Oil,
Lard and Tanners' Oil,	Winter & Refin'd Whale Oil,
Miners' Oil,	Greasing Oil, (low price, for
Refin'd Vegetable Paint Oil.	car use.)

IMPROVED MACHINERY OIL,
Made expressly for lubricating machinery, as a substitute for Sperm Oil, and recommended by Engineers of eminence as being superior to any before introduced.
April 24, '58 17-1y

FARMERS, ATTENTION!!
THE best article in the world for raising WHEAT, is **Leinau's Super-Phosphate of Lime**, at $40 per ton, or 2¼ cents per lb, by the barrel.
Analyzed and recommended for the Wheat and Grain crops, by Professor CHAS. T. JACKSON, *Chemist of the United States Patent Office, Washington, D. C.*
It will repay the outlay 50 to 100 per cent., and will not burn the seed by coming in contact as Guano does.
TRY IT—PROVE IT.
G. A. LEINAU, *Proprietor*, No. 21 South Front street, Philadelphia, Pa.
Or of my Agents throughout the country.
Analysis can be seen at my office. Cash mailed with the order will receive prompt attention.
A liberal discount to storekeepers who buy to sell again.
Pamphlets can be had at my office. G. A. L.
July 31, '58 31-3m

STAUFFER & HARLEY.
CHEAP WATCHES & JEWELRY—Wholesale and retail—at the "*Philadelphia Watch & Jewelry Store,*" No. 148 (Old No. 96) North Second st., corner of Quarry, Phila.

Gold Lever Watches, full Jewelled, 18 carat cases,	$28 00
Gold Lepine, 18 carat,	24 00
Silver Lever, full jewelled,	12 00
Silver Lepine, Jewels,	9 00
Superior Quartiers,	7 00
Gold Spectacles,	7 00
Fine Silver do.,	1 50
Gold Bracelets,	3 00
Ladies' Gold Pencils,	1 00
Silver Tea-spoons, set,	5 00
Gold Pens, with Pencil, and Silver Holder,	1 00

Gold Finger-rings, 37½ cents to $80; Watch Glasses, plain, 12½ cents; patent, 18¾; Lunet, 25 cents; other articles in proportion. All goods warranted to be what they are sold for. STAUFFER & HARLEY.
On hand some Gold and Silver Levers and Lepines, still lower than the above prices.
October 3, 1857. 40-1y

IMPORTANT DISCOVERY!
A Chimney possessing all the required requisites, and applicable to Dwellings, Factories, Steamboats, and any position where needed.
THE benefits resulting by the use of this improvement are—*good draught in all kinds of weather; a saving of fuel from 20 to 25 per cent.; a saving of three-fourths of the heat, now wasted; a perfect means of ventilation; a perfect protection against fire from ignition with the jamb; cheapness in the erection of chimneys, not requiring half the number of bricks, and saving one half the space in a room taken up by the ordinary chimney.*
For Factories, 30 to 40 feet in height only required to give a powerful draft for steam and other purposes.
The Lenna, Patent Chimney and Ventilation Co., No. 318 Chesnut street, Philadelphia.
Are now prepared to furnish this very valuable improvement, guaranteeing it to give satisfaction, when put up by them, or in compliance with their instruction.
N. B.—The Company desire to obtain some good agents to take charge of the selling of this improvement in this city and county. For further information address the Secretary, H. W. SAFFORD.
318 Chesnut street, Philadelphia.
October 24, '57 43-1y

TO FOUNDRYMEN, MACHINISTS & OTHERS.
A. PURVES, N. E. corner South and Penn Sts., Philadelphia, furnishes ingot copper and brass, pig iron, sheet iron, solders, fire bricks, portable forges, spelter, block tin, lead, foundry moulding, facings, crucibles, antimony, babbitt metal, sand of all kinds, brass, old copper, &c., &c. He is also a dealer in wrought and cast scrap iron and other metals. It is his desire to accommodate machinists and others at a distance from the city, by furnishing any article they may want in the above line. Articles not mentioned in the above will be procured and forwarded. Any inquiry in the above line will be promptly answered.
A. PURVES,
N. E. corner South and Penn streets.
February 14, '58 7-1y

MUSIC PUBLISHING HOUSE.
NEW MUSIC. LEE & WALKER, Successors to GEO. WILLIG, No. 188 Chesnut street, under the Utah House, Philadelphia, are constantly publishing the latest Music, from the most popular Authors in the United States, in a style that will vie with any issued at any other house, either in this country or Europe.
They have also the pleasure to announce to the public that their stock of Sheet Music on hand, consists of the largest and most complete assortment to be found in the country; they are constantly adding to their stock all the New Music published in New York, Boston, &c.
They also publish several Instruction Books, which are in general use throughout the country.
PIANOS—A 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 Book and Music Store, Pottsville. [Philadelphia [illegible] 4, 18[illegible]

MORRIS, JONES & CO.,
IRON & STEEL MERCHANTS,
Market and Sixteenth Streets, Philadelphia,
Have always on hand and for sale
BEST ENGLISH REFINED IRON—Full assortments of "Bagnalls," 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—Dover brand, made in solid dies. 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 SLIT RODS, BOLTS, NUTS and WASHERS—For bridges, cars, and machinery purposes 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, 1858 19-1y

M. W. BALDWIN & CO.,
ENGINEERS,
Broad and Hamilton streets, Philadelphia, Penna.,
WOULD call the attention of Railroad Managers, and those interested in Railroad Property, to their *System of Locomotive Engines*, in which they are adapted to the particular business for which they may be required; by the use of one, two, three or four pair of driving wheels; and the use of the whole, or so much of the weight as may be desirable for adhesion; and in accommodating them to the grades, curves, strength of superstruction, and rail and work to be done. By these means the maximum useful effect of the power is secured with the least expense for attendance, cost of fuel, and repairs to Road and Engine. With these objects in view, and as the result of twenty-three years practical experience in the business by our senior partner, we manufacture *five different kinds of Engines*, and several classes of sizes of each kind. Particular attention paid to the strength of the machine in the plan and workmanship of all the details. Our long experience and opportunities of obtaining information, enables us to offer these engines with the assurance that in efficiency, economy and durability, they will compare favorably with those of any other kind in use. We also furnish to order, wheels, axles, bowling or low moor tire (to fit centres without boring,) composition castings for bearings; every description of Copper, Sheet Iron and Boiler Works; and every article appertaining to the repair or renewal of Locomotive Engines. M. W. BALDWIN
January 23, '58 1-tf MATTHEW BAIRD.

GREAT DISCOVERY OF THE AGE.
IMPORTANT TO
Tobacco Chewers!
DR. GUSTAV LINNARD'S
Taste Restorative Troches,
The Great Substitute For Tobacco.
IT is a well known and incontrovertible fact that the use of Tobacco is the promoting cause of many of the most severe
MENTAL AND PHYSICAL DISORDERS
To which the race of man is subject, as careful analysis and long and painful experience have clearly proven that it contains certain narcotic and poisonous properties most dangerous in their effects, which by entering into the blood derange the functions and operations of the Heart, causing many to suppose that organ to be seriously diseased.
TOBACCO affects also the entire nervous system, manifesting itself—as all who have ever used the noxious weed will bear testimony—in Lassitude, Nervous Irritability, Water Brash, Dyspepsia, and many other disorders of a similar character.
THE TASTE RESTORATIVE TROCHES
Are designed to counteract these baneful influences, and have proved completely successful in a multitude of cases, and wherever used. Being harmless in themselves, they exert a beneficial effect upon the entire system, restoring the Taste which has become vitiated or destroyed by great indulgence, completely removing the irritation and accompanying tickling sensation of the Throat—which are always consequent upon abstaining from the use of Tobacco, and by giving a healthy tone to the Stomach, invigorate the whole system.
Persons who are irretrievably undermining their constitutions and shortening their lives, should use these Troches immediately and throw off the injurious and unpleasant habit of Tobacco Chewing.
These Troches or Lozenges are put up in a convenient and portable form at the low price of 50 cents per box.—A liberal discount to the Trade.
Prepared solely by the undersigned, to whom all orders should be addressed. JAS. K. BOWERS, *Druggist*, Corner 2d and Race streets, Philadelphia.
March 20, '58 12-1y

The Farmer.

GRASS AND GARDEN SEEDS, FRUIT TREES, Agricultural Implements, &c.
THE subscriber will keep on hand Clover, Timothy and other Grass seeds. White Clover and Lawn Grass seeds, together with garden and field seeds, which he will warrant to be fresh and good. He will also receive orders for all kinds of fruit trees, (warranted to be what they are represented,) agricultural implements, &c., all of which will be furnished at manufacturer's prices—with great care, only from growers of reputation and standing. He does not deal in seeds procured promiscuously in the market, from those who sell cheap, without regard to the character of the seed sold. Nor does he deal, where they're too close proximity deteriorates their quality, particularly those of the same species. This is an important consideration to those who purchase either seeds or fruit trees. For trees, &c., send in orders early to BENJAMIN BANNAN.

From Chambers' Journal.

THE PATH THROUGH THE CORN.

Wavy and bright in the summer air,
Like a quiet sea when the wind blows fair,
And its roughest breath has scarcely curled
The green highway to an unknown world—
Soft whispers passing from shore to shore,
Like a heart content—yet desiring more;
Who feels forlorn,
Wandering thus on the path through the corn?

A short space since, and the dead leaves lay
Corrupting under the hedgerow gray;
Nor hum of insect, nor voice of bird
O'er the desolate field was ever heard;
Only at eve the pallid snow
Blushed rose-red in the red sun-glow;
Till, one blest morn,
Shot up into life the young green corn.

Small and feeble, tender and pale,
It bent its head to the winter gale,
Hearkened the wren's soft note of cheer,
Scarcely believing spring was near;
Saw chestnuts bud out, and campions blow,
And daisies mimic the vanished snow,
Where it was born,
On either side of the path through the corn.

The corn—the corn—the beautiful corn,
Rising wonderful, morn by morn,
First, scarce as high as a fairy's wand,
Then, just in reach of a child's wee hand,
Then growing, growing—tall, green and strong,
With the voice of the harvest in its song,
While in fond scorn
The lark out-carols the murmuring corn.

O strange, sweet path, formed day by day,
How, when, and wherefore—tongue cannot say,
No more than of life's strange paths we know
Whither they lead us, or why we go,
Or whether our eyes shall ever see,
The wheat in the ear, or the fruit on the tree,
Yet—who is forlorn?
Heaven, that watered the furrows, will ripen the corn.

A CHINESE GARDEN.

Mr. Fortune gives a curious description of a Chinese garden in a recent letter, from which we make the following extracts:

"The plants consist of good specimens of southern Chinese things, all well known in England—such, for example, as cymbidium Chinese, olea fragans, oranges, roses, camelias, magnolias, etc., and, of course, a multitude of dwarf trees, without which no Chinese garden would be considered complete. In the above alluded to, there are some nice stone seats, which look cool in a climate like that of southern China. The floor of this building is raised a few feet above the ground level, so that the visitor gets a good view of the water and other objects of interest in the garden. That this is a favorite lounge and smoking place with the Chinese, the following Chinese notice, which we found on one of the pillars, will testify:—'A Careful and Earnest Notice—This garden earnestly requests that visitors will spit betel outside the railing, and knock the ashes off pipes also outside.' Several fine fruit trees and others are growing near the walks, and afford shade from the rays of the sun. On one of these we read the following:—'Ramblers here will be excused plucking the fruit on this tree.'—How exceedingly polite!

"Near the centre of the garden stands a substantial summer house or hall, named the 'Hall of Fragrant Plants.' The same notice to smokers and chewers of betel-nut is also put up here; and there is another and a longer one, which I must not forget to quote. It is this:—'In this garden the plants are intended to delight the eyes of all visitors; a great deal has been expended in planting and in keeping it in order, and the garden is now beginning to yield some return. Those who come here to saunter about are earnestly prayed, not to pluck the fruit or flowers, in order that the beauty of the place may be preserved.' And then follows a piece of true Chinese politeness:—'We beg those who understand this notice to excuse it!' Passing through the Hall of Fragrant Plants, we approached, between two rows of Olea fragans, a fine ornamental suite of rooms, tastefully furnished and decorated, in which visitors are received and entertained. An inscription informs us that this is called the 'Fragrant Hall of the Woches Tree.' Leaving this place by a narrow door, we observed the following notice:—'Saunterers here will be excused entering.' This apparently leads to the private apartments of the family. In this side of the garden there is some artificial rock-work, which the Chinese know well how to construct, and various summer houses tastefully decorated, one of which is called the 'Library of Verdant Purity.' Between this part of the garden and the straight walk already noticed, there is a small pond or lake for fish and water lilies. This is crossed by a zigzag wooden bridge of many arches, which looked rather dilapidated."—*Cor. of Rural New Yorker.*

Gardening for Ladies.—Make up your beds early in the morning; sew buttons on your husband's shirts; do not rake up any grievances; protect the young and tender branches of your family; plant a smile of good temper in your face, and carefully root out all angry feelings, and expect a good crop of happiness.

Recipes.

DIRECTIONS FOR PRESERVING FRUIT.

Preserving Pears and Apples.—The following is a plan which is simple and efficacious.—The apples and pears should be placed in glazed earthen vessels, each containing about a gallon, and surrounding each fruit with paper. These vessels, being perfect cylinders, about a foot each in height, stand very conveniently upon each other, and thus present the means of preserving a large quantity of fruit in a very small room; and if the spaces between the top of one vessel and the base of another be filled with a cement, composed of two parts of the curd of skimmed milk, and one of lime, by which the air will be excluded, the later kinds of apples and pears will be preserved with little change in their appearance, and without any danger of decay, from October till February and March. A dry and cold situation, in which there is little change of temperature, is the best for the vessels; but the merits of the pears are greatly increased by their being taken from the vessels about ten days before they are wanted for use, and kept in a warm room, for warmth at this, as at other periods, accelerates the maturity of the pear.

Quince Marmalade.—Gather the fruit when quite ripe; pare, quarter, and core it; boil the skins in the water measuring a teacupfull to a pound of fruit; when they are soft, mash and strain them, and put back the water into the preserving-kettle; add the quinces, and boil them until they are soft enough to mash fine; rub through a sieve, and put three quarters of a pound of sugar to a pound of fruit; stir them well together, and boil them over a slow fire until it will fall like jelly from a spoon. Put it in pots or tumblers, and secure it, when cold, with paper sealed to the edge of the jar with the white of an egg.

To Make Pure Wine of Apples.—Take pure cider made from sound ripe apples as it runs from the press; put sixty pounds of common brown sugar into fifteen gallons of the cider, and let it dissolve; then put the mixture into a clean barrel, and fill the barrel up to within two gallons of being full with clear cider; put the cask in a cool place, leaving the bung out for forty-eight hours; then put in the bung, with a small vent, until fermentation wholly ceases, and bung up tight; and in one year the wine will be fit for use. This wine requires no racking; the longer it stands upon the lees, the better.

Preserved Grapes in Bunches.—Take out the stones from the grapes with a pin, breaking them as little as possible; boil some clarified sugar nearly to candy height; then put in sufficient grapes to cover the bottom of the preserving pan, without laying them on each other, and boil for five minutes, merely to extract all the juice; lay them in an earthen pan, and pour the sirup, skimming it well for five minutes; put in the grapes, let them boil a minute or two; put them in pots, and pour the sirup over them, after which tie down.

Quince and Apple Jelly.—Cut small and core an equal weight of tart apples and quinces. Put the quinces in a preserving kettle, with water to cover them, and boil til soft; add the apples, still keeping water to cover them, and boil till the whole is nearly a pulp. Put the whole into a jelly bag, and strain without pressing.