# Wit and Humor.

## PARODY.

How dear to my heart are the scenes of my childhood,
When fond recollection presents them to view,
The cheese-press, the goose-pond, the pigs in the wild-wood,
And every old stump that my infancy knew;
The big linkum basswood, with slide and another fell;
The horses that grazed where the hives in the meadow,
The sheep on the mountain we drowned in the well,
And all the young of the milk-loving kittens,
The meek little kittens we drowned in the well.
The poor ... father with pleasure my grandfather's goggles,
Which rode so majestic astraddle his nose;
And the harness, oft mended with tow string and "toggles,"
That belonged to old Dolly, now free from her woes.
And fresh in my heart is the fresh maple woodpile,
Where often I've worked with beetle and wedge,
Striving to whack up enough to last a good while,
And grumbling because my axe had no edge.
And there was the kitchen, and pump that stood nigh it,
Where we sucked up the drink through a quill in the spout;
And the hooks where we hung up the pumpkin to dry it:
And the old cider pitcher, no doing without;
The old brown earthen pitcher, the nozzle-cracked pitcher,
The pale-ending pitcher, "no doing without."
And there was a school house, away from each dwelling,
Where school-mates would govern with absolute sway;
Who taught me my "rithmetic," reading and spelling,
And "whaled me like blazes" about every day.
I remember the ladder that swung in the passage,
Which led to the loft in the peak of the house,
Where my grandmother hung up her "pumpkin and sausage,"
To keep them away from the rats and the mouse,
But now, far removed from that nook of creation,
Emotions of grief big as tea kettles swell,
When Fancy rides back to my old habitation,
And thinks of the kittens we drowned in the well.
The meek little kittens, the milk-loving kittens,
The poor little kittens we drowned in the well.

## AN INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE.

Our readers (says the Memphis *Eagle*) will remember a circular published in our columns from Mr. James A. Jones, a candidate for Congress in Arkansas, in opposition to Mr. Rust. Jones was defeated by some six or seven thousand majority, and upon ascertaining the result came out in his paper, the *Ouachita Herald*, as follows:

DEFEATED, OR UP SALT RIVER.

"We cave."—*Muggins.*

"Not in vain should such examples be."—*Byron.*

We—that is to say James A. Jones, editor of the *Ouachita Herald* and late candidate for Congress—are ingloriously defeated. To use a classical and entirely original expression, "we have met the enemy and we are theirs." We evidently cast our pearls before swine. We magnanimously, and at a considerable sacrifice of our habitual self-respect, offered to serve a people who had no appreciation of the offering. We didn't make the people, and are not under contract to supply them with brains. If they were wilfully blind to our merit the fault is theirs. If they are opposed to receiving individually a hundred and sixty acres of land apiece, they have a right to reject it; they know whether or not they deserve it. If they don't want the rights of the South "*preserved* inviolate," why they may have them *pickled* for all we care. We did our duty and our conscience is easy. At the enormous expense of sixteen dollars and thirty-two cents we printed a multitude of circulars, sufficient to elect any man, with which we flooded this Congressional district, and a large portion of the Cherokee Nation. We wrote to our friends and to some who were not our friends to rally to our support. But they didn't rally. We then concealed ourself as well as we could at home, refusing positively to extend our acquaintance, or to see more of the public than the public did of us. With these precautions we deemed success certain. A great many persons wrote to us that we should get an overwhelming vote; they were not deceived, it was overwhelming. Many credulous persons told us that we should be elected; we listened to them and were deceived. But we forgive them, for they made us feel very comfortable—for awhile, and all earthly happiness is transitory. We shall never become a candidate again without consulting somebody on the subject first, to ascertain whether they do or not desire us to run; for we are satisfied that it is folly to be a candidate unless *somebody* does want you to run, and will vote for you on the strength of that desire.

We are not without consolation. We are not the only candidate that was defeated. There are numbers in as bad a fix as ourselves; and, besides, greater men than we claim to have been as badly beaten. Gen. Harrison, afterwards President of the United States, was once defeated for county clerk in Ohio; and James K. Polk was beaten for Governor of Tennessee. We are in good company, and therefore shall not complain.

There is one thing for which the people should be grateful to us. We did not bore them with long and tiresome speeches as some of the aspirants did. We remained "quietly at home," and they so highly appreciated our modesty that they have given us the privilege of continuing to do so. We are thankful for small favors.

Among our numerous friends, ex-Governor Drew is entitled to our warmest acknowledgments.—His intention doubtless was to assist us in beating Rust, by procuring a large and influential majority of the Democratic party to vote for him. With this object in view he made a brilliant canvass, ending in a no less brilliant failure. But, notwithstanding he carried off a considerable portion of our vote, we honor him for this laudable intentions. Hereafter he has but to command us and we will obey—if it suits us to do so.

To the fifteen patriotic and chivalrous voters who cast their suffrage for us in Pike county, we beg leave to tender our unfeigned gratitude. We owe them a debt that will be difficult to repay. As a slight evidence of our high appreciation and lasting regard, we propose that, if they will forward us a list of their names, we will send them the *Herald* for life—at the usual price, $3 per annum, *invariably* in advance.

In conclusion, we desire permission to remark that the small experiment we have just made is eminently satisfactory. Whatever aspirations we may have had for glory are entirely subdued.—The pursuit of a seat in Congress "under difficulties" is one in which we have no desire to engage. We are satisfied that we carry with us into retirement the best wishes of a generous though ungrateful people, and are content.

GO IN TIGE!—The Geneva *Gazette* is responsible for the following:

A countryman, the owner of a large, but usually good natured dog, drove in town a few days since. Near the railroad crossing, on Waterstreet, "Tiger" fell into bad company, and a regular muss ensued. Taken suddenly and almost unawares, the countryman's dog seemed hardly to comprehend whether it was a 'a free fight' in earnest, or only the rough sort of play of village 'hounds' until he found himself in a "throat to mouth" contest with a regular fighting character, in the shape of a trained bull dog, and getting the worst of it. His master, however, by this time comprehended the nature of the muss, and springing from the wagon, caught the bull dog by his "narrative," and endeavored to separate the combatants.

"Let that dog alone, or I'll *lam* you over the head!" growled a rough and excited looking customer standing by, who proved to be the owner of the bull.

"Oh, then you want 'em to fight, do ye?" ejaculated homespun, dropping the *end*; and then, at top of his voice, shouted, "go in Tige!"

And Tige *did* "go in." Instantly the tide of battle was turned. Tige secured and was making good use of his vantage ground, when bull's owner suddenly became converted to a peace-maker. Suiting the action to the idea, he made feint to release his dog from the vice-like jaws of Tiger.

"Let that dog alone, or I'll *lam* you over the head!" shouted the countryman; and he straightened up and swelled out to such huge proportions that "Rock street" desisted, terror stricken at the menace.

Tiger pursued his work in hand until the piteous "ki-yi" of the assailant seemed to produce pity in the dog's heart of the former, he relaxed his hold and the latter slunk away, with the appearance of three legs behind.

As the countryman jumped into his wagon, he called out to bull dog's master—"Whenever you want another fight, just say the word, *as me and Tige allers travel together!*"

A KISS IN THE DARK.—Holcroft, the well know dramatist, supped one evening at Opie's. After the cloth had been removed numerous stories were told, among which was one of a gentleman who, having put out his candle on going to bed, read in phosphorescent characters on the wall—"Confess thy sins." The gentleman fell on his knees; and, as expected, began to confess his sins aloud —not from terror, however—for, aware it was a trick to terrify him, devised by a certain waggish young lady in the house, and hearing a little bustle on the stairhead, guessed rightly that she and her comrades were there to enjoy his discomfiture. He confessed, as the last and greatest of his sins, that "he had kissed Miss—— frequently in the dark," and so turned the tables on his tormentor with a vengence—a lesson she never forgot.

NOT FOND OF LIGHT FOOD.—"Glass pud in—Glass pud in," shouted a Polish glazier in one of our side streets.

"No, thank you," replied a passer by, "I'm not fond of 'glass pudding,' its very apt to give one 'panes' in the stomach."

# MISCELLANEOUS.


**MELODEONS!**

A beautiful rich toned Five Octave MELODEON, Rose Wood, Piano style, for sale at B. BANNAN'S Book and Music 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*

**FAMILIAR DIALOGUES.**

A CAPITAL BOOK for SUNDAY School Exhibitions—one of the best published—For sale; very cheap, at B. BANNAN'S Cheap Book Store, Pottsville.

**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

**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 8, '56 ·No.45

**BAGLEY'S GOLD PENS.**

JUST received, a fresh assortment of these celebrated GOLD PENS, of various sizes, with Cases for the pocket or desk. We warrant these pens, and exchange them if the points come off. For sale at B. BANNAN'S Book and Stationery Store.

**REPORTS ON MINES.**

REPORTS of the English House of Commons on the working of Coal Mines, and the causes of accidents in the same, illustrated with numerous drawings, a very valuable and scarce work, 1st, 2d, and 3d Reports for sale at the Bookstore of the Subscriber. B. BANNAN. Pottsville, March 15, '58 11-

**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-

**PRESERVE YOUR TEETH!**

M. D. L. DODSON'S Celebrated Rose Tooth Paste, for cleansing, beautifying and preserving the TEETH, stands unrivaled as a dentifrice, and is undoubtedly the finest article of the kind ever offered. To be had of the proprietor, or of Henry Saylor, Druggist. Pottsville, July 31, '58 31-ly

**VIEWS OF POTTSVILLE.**

THE SUBSCRIBER has a lot of the Views of Pottsville, which is a beautiful view of the location, scenery, &c., which he will sell at the low rate of 25 cents each, to close out the lot. They were published at $1 50 each. Now is the time to procure a copy, as but few remain unsold. B. BANNAN, May 20, '58 Bookseller and Stationer.

**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.

**NOTICE.**
**To Coal Operators and Schuylkill County Merchants.**

SMOKING TOBACCO, by Steam power—600lbs a day, at Hamburg. Smoking Tobacco and Segar Manufactory, on hand and ready for sale.
200 barrels sweet scented Smoking Tobacco.
200,000 Half Spanish Segars.
200,000 Sixes, Spanish Segars.
100,000 Seed and Extra Segars.
Orders thankfully received and promptly attended to. Terms easy. MARY ANN MOYER. Hamburg, Berks County, Pa. Sept. 5, '57 36-tf

**PIANOS AND MELODEONS**
**Of the best Manufacture—Warranted,**

FOR SALE BY THE subscriber. All Pianos and Melodeons sold by him will be warranted—if not what they are represented, they can be returned.—All kinds of Melodeons will be sold at Manufacturers' *cash prices* in Pottsville, by which the purchasers save the carriage and risk of transportation. Pianos will be sold from $10 to $20 less than regular city prices according to the value of the instrument. Those who prefer it by calling on us, and receiving a letter of credit, can make their own selections at the Manufacturers, ascertain the prices, and we will furnish the instrument selected at the above rates. If there is any doubt to this matter—all we have to say is—TRY US. B. BANNAN.

**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, &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 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

**CARRIAGE FACTORY REMOVED.**

THE undersigned respectfully embrace this opportunity of informing the public that they have removed their extensive Carriage Factory, from Mauch Chunk street, where they have been since the late fire, to their New, Large and commodious building, in Morris' Addition, on the old site, where they are prepared to turn out CARRIAGES EQUAL TO THE BEST IN THE STATE and ready to accommodate their customers and all those who may favor them with their patronage. An entire new and well selected stock of materials and the same old hands will enable them to do work which in elegance and durability cannot be surpassed.

They will continue to attend to the business hereafter as before, with determination to give general satisfaction.

All orders will receive prompt attention.
Repairing done at the shortest notice.
July 18, '57 29-ly ABRIGHT & BURKHARD.

**POTTSVILLE**
**Saddle and Harness Manufactory.**

HEREWITH invite your especial attention to my very extensive stock of *Ready Made Saddlery, Harness, Collars, &c.* embracing the largest variety of styles and qualities ever offered for sale in this county, and at prices that will compare favorably with those of any other house in the trade.

Having been, for some years past, in the habit of purchasing my *Raw Material exclusively for Cash*, I find myself now in the possession of advantages from this cause not enjoyed by the trade generally, and feel that I can, with confidence, solicit the trade of all classes of dealers: and my arrangements for the coming season's trade are based upon *even a larger amount of business than I have hitherto done*; you can therefore rely upon finding at my establishment everything that is required in my line.

Orders by mail are respectfully solicited, and the goods sent warranted to give satisfaction, both as to price and quality. LEFEVER WOMELSDORFF. *Opposite Episcopal Church, Centre street, Pottsville.* March 7, 1857 10-ly

**THE LIVER INVIGORATOR!**
PREPARED BY DR. SANDFORD.
**Compounded Entirely From GUMS,**

IS one of the best PURGATIVE and LIVER medicines now before the public, that acts as a *Cathartic*, easier, milder, and more effectual than any other medicine known. It is not only a *Cathartic*, but a *Liver* remedy, acting first on the *Liver* to eject its morbid matter, then on the stomach and bowels to carry off that matter, thus accomplishing two purposes effectually, without any of the painful feelings experienced in the operations of most *Cathartics*. It strengthens the system at the same time that it purges it; and when taken daily in moderate doses, will strengthen and build it up with unusual rapidity.

SANFORD'S LIVER INVIGORATOR

The **Liver** is one of the principal regulators of the human body; and when it performs its functions well, the powers of the system are fully developed. The *Stomach* is almost entirely dependent on the healthy action of the *Liver* for the proper performance of its functions; when the stomach is at fault, the bowels are at fault, and the whole system suffers in consequence of one organ—the **Liver**—having ceased to do its duty. For the diseases of that organ, one of the proprietors has made it his study, in a practice of more than 20 years, to find some remedy wherewith to counteract the many derangements to which it is liable.

To prove that this remedy is at last found, any person troubled with **Liver Complaint**, in any of its forms, has but to try a bottle, and conviction is certain.

These Gums remove all morbid or bad matter from the system, supplying in their place a healthy flow of bile, invigorating the stomach, causing food to digest well, *purifying the blood*, giving tone and health to the whole machinery, removing the cause of the disease—effecting a radical cure.

*Bilious attacks* are cured, and, *what is better, prevented*, by the occasional use of the **Liver Invigorator.**

One dose after eating is sufficient to relieve the stomach and prevent the food from rising and souring.

Only one dose taken before retiring, prevents *Nightmare.*

Only one dose taken at night, loosens the bowels gently, and cures *Costiveness.*

One dose taken after each meal will cure *Dyspepsia.*

One dose of two teaspoonfuls will always relieve *Sick Headache.*

One bottle taken for female obstruction removes the cause of the disease, and makes a perfect cure.

Only one dose immediately relieves *Cholic*, while

One dose often repeated is a sure cure for *Cholera Morbus*, and a preventive of *Cholera.*

Only one bottle is needed to throw out of the system the effects of medicine after a long sickness.

One bottle taken for *Jaundice* removes all sallowness or unnatural color from the skin.

One dose taken a short time before eating gives vigor to the appetite, and makes food digest well.

One dose often repeated cures *Chronic Diarrhoea* in its worst forms, while *Summer and Bowel Complaints* yield almost to the first dose.

One or two doses cure attacks caused by *Worms* in children: there is no surer, safer, or speedier remedy in the world, as it *never fails.*

A few bottles cures *Dropsy*, by exciting the absorbents.

We take pleasure in recommending this medicine as a preventive for *Fever and Ague, Chill Fever*, and all *Fevers of a Bilious Type*. It operates with certainty, and thousands are willing to testify to its wonderful virtues.

*All who use it are giving their unanimous testimony in its favor.*

*Mix water in the mouth with the Invigorator, and swallow both together.*

**THE LIVER INVIGORATOR**

Is a Scientific Medical Discovery, and is daily working cures, almost too great to believe. It cures, as if by magic, *even the first dose giving benefit*, and seldom more than one bottle is required to cure any kind of *Liver Complaint*, from the worst *Jaundice* or *Dyspepsia* to a common *Headache*, all of which are the result of a *Diseased Liver.*

**Price, $1 per bottle.**

DR. SANFORD, Proprietor, 345 Broadway, New York.

Retailed by all Druggists. Sold in Pottsville by HENRY SAYLOR; and in Tamaqua, by E. J. FRY. June 19, '58 25-ly.

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

**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-ly*

**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, '58 38-4t

**ALEXANDER KERR,**
**IMPORTER AND WHOLESALE DEALER IN**
**"SALT,"**
**No. 134 South Wharves,**
PHILADELPHIA.

Ashton's Fine, Liverpool Ground, Turks Island, Ashton's and Star Mills Dairy, assorted sizes, constantly on hand, and for sale in lots to suit the trade.
N. B.—Orders solicited. [Sept. 25, '58 39 6m*

**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-ly

**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-ly

**JOHN A. MOORE,**
**Oil and Commission Merchant,**
AND DEALER IN
**MINERS' SUPPLIES,**
**No. 105 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-ly


# HOTELS.


**POTTSVILLE HOUSE,**
**JOHN F. KETNER, Proprietor,**
*Centre street, POTTSVILLE, Pa.*
Good Stabling provided. November 20, '58 47-

**"WHITE HORSE HOTEL."**
*Corner of Centre and Mahantongo Streets, Pottsville.*
**Joseph H. 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-ly

**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-ly

**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-ly


# COAL.


**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-ly

COAL. COAL. COAL.

**LEWIS AUDENRIED & CO.**
**OFFICES:**
205 Walnut street, PHILADELPHIA.
110 Broadway, NEW YORK.
30 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.
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The very superior WILKESBARRE COAL, from the *Baltimore Vein*, taken from the "Audenried 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 Laffe Collieries—MAMMOTH & BLACK HEATH VEINS. OFFICE—Centre street, opposite Episcopal Church. Pottsville, April 10, '58 15-ly

**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; 169 Broadway, New York; Pier No. 5, Port Richmond.
FREDERICK TYLER,
GEORGE F. TYLER,
C. NICHOLS BEACH,
WILLIAM E. STONE.
May 9, '58 19-tf

**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-ly*


# HARDWARE.


**FAIRBANK'S SCALES**

THE subscribers, agents for the manufacturers, have just received a new article called the "Union Counter Scale," calculated to weigh from ½ an ounce to 240 lbs. For sale at the York Store. E. YARDLEY & SON. Pottsville, April 28th, 1858 17-

**BAR AND RAILROAD IRON.**

THE subscribers have now on hand and will sell for CASH, at the lowest market price, a large stock of the best quality merchant Bar Iron, Flat Bar Railroad Iron, and light T rails, for mines. E. YARDLEY & SON. Pottsville, November 28, '57 48-

**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 Trimmings, Files,
Springs, Fine Trays,
Saddlery, Britania Ware,
Shoemaker's Tools, Assortment of fine Locks,
Carpenter's Tools, Table Cutlery,
Glass and Paint, Pocket Cutlery,
Bar Iron of all sizes, Table Spoons,
Rolled " Anvils and Vices,
Nails and Spikes, Assortment of fine Guns,
Railroad Iron and Nails, 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


# WIRE SCREENS.


**WIRE COAL AND SLATE SCREENS.**

JOHN H. KURTZ, (late of and successor to Kurtz & Hillman,) 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, '58 27


# INSURANCE.


**Schuylkill Fire and Marine**
**INSURANCE COMPANY.**
**Of Pottsville.**
**Office in Sillyman's Building, Mahantongo st., 2 doors above Centre st., Pottsville, Pa.**
**CAPITAL AUTHORISED 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, B. G. TURNOLING,
W. F. SMITH, H. H. HUNTZINGER,
ROBERT M. PALMER, GEORGE J. HEHR.
WM. MORTIMER, President,
H. H. HUNTZINGER, Secretary and General Agent.
Pottsville, January 1, '58 1-

**B. BANNAN, Agent**
FOR THE
**AMERICAN LIFE INSURANCE & TRUST COMPANY,**
**Office—American Buildings,**
*WALNUT Street, S. E. Corner of FOURTH*
**PHILADELPHIA.**
**Incorporated 1850. Charter Perpetual. Capital Stock $500,000.**

**Is Your Life Insured?**

There is, perhaps, nothing that creates so severe a pang on the death bed as the reflection that we are leaving those we love, perhaps a wife and children, dependent upon the cold charity of the world! Therefore every one in life should prepare for this emergency. It can be done, even by the poorest, through the agency of Life Insurance.

Every man who loves his family, ought to get his life insured. Every man in debt, and owning property, ought to get his life insured, lest at his death his property may be sacrificed. There are but few who could not save a small sum annually to insure their lives; which if not invested in this way would be spent perhaps, in trifles, and their families thus be left to penury and want.

Wives, persuade your husbands—you can save enough in your household affairs to pay the premiums, without feeling it—and the reflection that you are provided for, will alone be a full recompense for the outlay. Husbands can be insured in favor of their wives and children, and the amount cannot be touched by their creditors in case of their death. A person may insure his or her own life in favor of heirs, or may dispose of the amount by will.

THE FOLLOWING SAVINGS PER WEEK IS ALL THAT IS NECESSARY TO INSURE $500 FOR LIFE:

| Age. | | Age. | | Age. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 20 | 17 cts. | 32 | 24 cts. | 44 | 34½ cts. |
| 21 | 17½ " | 33 | 24½ " | 45 | 35½ " |
| 22 | 18 " | 34 | 25 " | 46 | 37 " |
| 23 | 18½ " | 35 | 26½ " | 47 | 38 " |
| 24 | 19 " | 36 | 26½ " | 48 | 40 " |
| 25 | 19½ " | 37 | 27½ " | 49 | 42 " |
| 26 | 20 " | 38 | 29 " | 50 | 44 " |
| 27 | 20½ " | 39 | 30 " | 51 | 45½ " |
| 28 | 21½ " | 40 | 30½ " | 52 | 47 " |
| 29 | 22 " | 41 | 31 " | 53 | 49 " |
| 30 | 22½ " | 42 | 32½ " | 54 | 52½ " |
| 31 | 23 " | 43 | 33½ " | 55 | 55½ " |

Any sum not exceeding $5000 may be insured on a single life. The premiums may be paid quarterly, half yearly or yearly.

**Officers:**
ALEXANDER WHILLDIN, *President*; MARSHALL HENSZEY, *Vice President*; JOHN C. SIMS, *Secretary*; JOHN S. WILSON, *Treasurer.*

B. BANNAN has been appointed Agent for the above Life Insurance Company in Pottsville, and is prepared to receive applications for Life Insurance, at his Bookstore, Pottsville. Any information with regard to Life Insurance will be given with pleasure. December 18, '58 51-

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 Merchandize 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 R. Blackiston, B. Hammett,
Samuel H. Rothermel, Wm. F. Dean.
D. LUTHER, *President.*
WM. F. DEAN, *Vice President.*
W. M. Smith, *Secretary.*

JOHN CLAYTON 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 authorized by RICHARD S. SMITH, Esq., *Agent for the State of Pennsylvania*, 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.
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 tables 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-ly B. BANNAN.


# PAINTING, &C.


**PAINTING, PAPER HANGING, &C.**

THE undersigned would respectfully announce to the public that he has opened a **Paint Shop**, in Norwegian street, next door to Smith's Liquor store, 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-ly

**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 41-

**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


# TRAVELING.


**DAUPHIN & SUSQUEHANNA R. R.**

SHORTEST AND CHEAPEST ROUTE
BETWEEN
**Pottsville and Harrisburg.**

TRAIN leaves Auburn at 9 A. M., or on the arrival of the Down Morning Passenger Train from Pottsville—Arrives at Harrisburg at 12.20 noon.

Leaves Harrisburg at 2.10 P. M., arrives at Auburn at 6.15 P. M., in time to connect with the Evening Train to Pottsville and intermediate places. Time the same.

Fare 55 cents less than by any other Route. U. R. TRACY, *Sup't.* December 11, '58 50-3m

**AUSTRALIA PIONEER LINE.**
**Established in 1852. Carrying the U. S. Mails.**
*Sailing Positively on the Day Advertised.*

THE MAGNIFICENT A 1 extreme clipper ship **"Shakspere,"** 2,400 tons burthen, FECHTER, commander, is at her berth, pier No. 9, East River, and will be despatched for Melbourne direct, positively December 10. This noble ship is worthy of being styled a floating palace. Her saloon accommodations are far more roomy and luxurious than can be found on any steamer, while for second class passengers the accommodations are both comfortable and commodious, the whole of the poop being fitted up for them.

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. Nov. 27, '58. [June 12, '58 24-ly] 48-

**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, 15 Broadway, N. Y. Isbel & Curtis, 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-ly

**LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD.**
**Change of Time.**

ON and after MONDAY, DECEMBER 20th, until further notice, the Passenger Trains of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company will run as follows:

**Down Trains.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Leave Mauch Chunk | at 4.50 A. M., and | 12.30 P. M. |
| " Lehighton | 5.01 " | 12.40 " |
| " Lehigh Gap | 5.23 " | 1.02 " |
| " Slatington | 5.29 " | 1.08 " |
| " Laury's | 5.41 " | 1.23 " |
| " White Hall | 5.58 " | 1.33 " |
| " Catasauqua | 6.11 " | 1.45 " |
| " Allentown | 6.23 " | 1.56 " |
| " Bethlehem | 6.39 " | 2.11 " |
| Arrive Easton | 7.20 " | 2.45 " |

**Up Trains.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Leave Easton, | at 11.45 A. M., and | 4.25 P. M. |
| " Bethlehem | 12.19 P. M., | 5.02 " |
| " Allentown | 12.34 " | 5.17 " |
| " Catasauqua | 12.46 " | 5.28 " |
| " White Hall | 1.00 " | 5.40 " |
| " Laury's | 1.06 " | 5.49 " |
| " Slatington | 1.29 " | 6.11 " |
| " Lehigh Gap | 1.35 " | 6.17 " |
| " Lehighton | 1.55 " | 6.39 " |
| Arrive Mauch Chunk | 2.05 " | 6.50 " |

The Morning Train down, and Evening Train up, connects at Mauch Chunk with the Cattawissa, Williamsport and Erie Trains. The Morning Train down, and Evening Train up, connects at Easton, with Trains running to and from Scranton. The Beaver Meadow Train leaves Mauch Chunk for Weatherly, Eckly, Beaver Meadow and Hazleton, upon the arrival of the 2.05 P. M. Train. Both Trains connect with Trains to and from New York and Philadelphia. ROBERT H. SAYRE, *Sup't. & Eng.* December 25, '58 52-

**PHILADELPHIA AND READING R. R.**
**Winter Arrangement, Dec. 13, 1858.**

DOWN PASSENGER TRAINS.

Leave Pottsville, daily, (except Sundays) at 8 A. M., and 2.30 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 10.08 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 at 4.55 P. M., and connecting with Up and Down Trains 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 North West, North West, and the Canadas; and 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 28.


# 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 | 50 | 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, | 28 | 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 10 |
| " Valley Forge, | 1 25 | 1 20 | 1 10 | 1 10 |
| " 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 |
| " Douglassville, | 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


# BUSINESS CARDS.


M. D. L. DODSON, Dentist, Market Street, three doors above Third, south side. [Pottsville, Jan. 21, '59 4-ly

P. W. SHEAFFER, Pottsville, Pa., late of the Pennsylvania State Geological Survey, explores lands, mines, &c. [October 13, '58 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

GEORGE K. SMITH, **Mining Engineer and Colliery Viewer,** POTTSVILLE, PENNA. December 11, '58 50-

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

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.

**DR. M. D. L. DODSON'S**

NEW DENTAL OFFICE, Market street, two doors above Third, **Pottsville, Pa.**

With greatly increased facilities for the prompt and careful execution of all manner of work pertaining to the profession, he hopes to merit a continuance of the liberal patronage that has been extended to him. He inserts Allen's Continuous Gum Teeth, Achromatic, Vulcanized Rubber, and Mineral base, block work, single gum and plain teeth, at prices to suit the times, varying from $15 to $100 for full sets; and from $10 to $50 for half sets. Teeth extracted by a new process. Teeth filled, cleansed, and medicated.

*All Work Warranted.* December 11, '58 50-3m


# PHILADELPHIA.


**DISCOVERED AT LAST.**
**A Certain Cure for Corns and Bunions.**

ALL PERSONS afflicted with these painful excresences, can effect perfect CURES, without the aid of a surgeon or the knife, by using SANFORD'S CORN PLASTERS. Sent by mail, postage paid, to any part of the country on receipt of $1. Address. S. J. SANFORD, 241 Dock street, or Box 261, P. O., Philadelphia. January 1, '59 1-10t

**FISH, CHEESE & PROVISIONS.**

PANCOAST & BRO., Commission Merchants and Wholesale Dealers in
MACKEREL, CODFISH, HAMS,
SALMON, CHEESE, SHOULDERS,
SHAD, BUTTER, BEEF,
HERRINGS, LARD, FLOUR,
WHITE FISH, PORK, FRUIT, &c.,
At the lowest prices.
**122 North Wharves, above Arch, Philadelphia.**

N. B.—The Cheapest Fish and Provision Store in Philadelphia. *Give us a Call!* January 1, '59 1-3m

**WHOLESALE DRY GOODS!**
**REMOVAL.**

JOSHUA L. BAILY, having removed to his NEW STORE,
**No. 213 Market Street, PHILADELPHIA,**

Has now open an Entirely New and Attractive Stock of **Winter Dry Goods**, consisting of over 450 Packages of the NEWEST AND MOST FASHIONABLE GOODS of the Season, adapted to the NEAR TRADE, and worthy the special attention of all *Cash, and Prompt Short-Credit Buyers!* Philadelphia, December 18, '58 51-4t

**OIL, PAPER, AND RAG WAREHOUSE,**
**E. D. WOODRUFF, JR., & CO.,**

NO. 9 North Front street, PHILADELPHIA.

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

*IMPROVED MACHINERY OIL,*

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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 we 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.—The seeds and trees sold by the subscriber are selected 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 purchase or sell seeds grown promiscuously in small gardens, where their too close proximity deteriorates their quality, particularly those of the same species. This is an important consideration to those who purchase either seeds or fruit trees. For trees, &c., send in orders early to BENJAMIN BANNAN.


## THE NIGHT BEFORE THE MOWING.

All shimmering in the morning shine,
And diamonded with dew,
And quivering with the scented wind
That thrills its green heart through—
The little field, the smiling field
With all its flowers a-blowing,
How happy looks the golden field
The day before the mowing!

All still 'neath the departing light,
Twilight—though void of stars,
Save where low, westering Venus sinks,
From the red eye of Mars;
How peaceful sleeps the silent field,
With all its beauties glowing,
Half stirring—like a child in dreams—
The night before the mowing!

Sharp steel, inevitable hand,
Cut keen—cut kind! Our field
We know full well must be laid low
Before its fragrant yield.
Plenty, and mirth, and honest gain
Its blameless death bestowing—
And yet we weep, and yet we weep,
The night before the mowing!

## GARDENING.

Driven in by the Winter's cold from our beloved garden, may we not pause and drop a word in its praise! The experience of another season has only the more confirmed us in our attachment to the pursuits of horticulture. This is an occupation of which we seldom tire. The love of it grows upon us from year to year. In Spring, we watch with an increasing interest for the first up-shooting crocus and snow-drop, the first adventurous violet and daisy. Even in mid-summer, when almost everything else fails, the garden seldom fails to enliven us; and when Autumn comes, with its wealth of gorgeous flowers and its rich fruits, we can ask for nothing more. Even at the approach of Winter, when our trees and plants are stripped of leaf and flower by the frost, what more pleasing employment than, like a good motherly nurse, to prepare them for their Winter's sleep?

Wrap up this delicate one in a blanket of clean straw; lay that flexible one upon the bosom of mother earth, and cover it with leaves, and a little soil to keep the wind from blowing off its mantle. Before you finally cover up those herbaceous plants, just draw away the earth a little, and see what fine strong buds are forming about the crowns of the roots, ready to shoot up at the earliest breath of Spring. But cover them all up now, and leave them to the sleep nature designs for them. Yonder ever-blooming roses, natives of a warmer latitude, don't neglect them now, after they have greeted you with flowers all the Summer; let them lie close upon the warm ground, in a nest of forest leaves, with a covering of boards to keep out the wet. And those other rare trees and shrubs, which have diffused the air of different climes in your northern garden, don't forget to bank up their stems, and to open a little trench to carry off all surplus water from their roots.—You did well to put some stakes around those newly planted trees, and to tie them up with leather and hay bands to keep them from blowing about . . . . Well, we have now got all the sails reefed and every thing snug and trim, for the Winter winds blow; our dear garden is having a fine sleep, and nothing can harm it.

But this is wandering. Let it, however, go to show where our heart is. Do you say, sir, that gardening requires no intelligence? Please, prove that! The best gardens we ever saw were managed by very sensible men. It requires no little study to arrange one's grounds well, then to plant and sow in the best manner, and to take care of the whole wisely through the whole season. There *are* those, indeed, with whom gardening is a mere stupid use of spade and hoe, an ignorant wear of bone and muscle, a drudgery unrelieved by a single flash of intelligence; but these are not the men we here speak of.

Do you say that horticulture exerts no good moral influence? Does it do no good to withdraw a man from scenes of temptation, and to surround him with the pure and beautiful works of God? The steady and cheerful employment of his time, which his garden requires, favors morality. It was for *the idle* boy, according to the catechism, that Satan found so much mischief to do. "A wicked man," says one, "can not make a garden, for the very labor is so virtuous and beautiful that it will rebuke him, and the things he produces will preach him sermons on morality and virtue."

But hold! Let us not go on in this serious strain, as if our favorite pursuit were falling into neglect and dishonor, and needed an argument to uphold and defend it. Never before, we believe, was the earth covered with so many smiling gardens as now, and never before were there so many enthusiastic workers in them.—*American Agriculturist.*

WINTERING CALVES—COSTIVENESS.—It is not difficult to winter a healthy calf. Good hay, shelter, water, and daily care is all that is necessary. But that care must be founded on considerable knowledge of the animal economy, if we would keep all the functions of the calf in correct and healthful action. During our rigorous winters, it is frequently thought necessary to give calves a supply of grain, which usually has a tendency to bring on disease rather than prevent it. They are almost certain to become painfully costive in mid-winter, and then need some aperient drinks, or what is better, succulent food, like roots or fruit. Every calf in our Northern climate should receive during the Winter at least one carrot, turnip, or beet, per day, to keep its bowels in good order. If nothing else offers, give them potato and apple parings, cabbage leaves, and the like—at all events give them a larger cash value in roots than grain, and note the result.

Any observing farmer has seen abundant evidences at this season, in the droppings of his calves and their daily loss of flesh, that they were not in health. The means usually adopted to remedy these evils too often but increases the cause, and though the animal may be wintered, it will be at a much increased expense over the proper way. Were we to prescribe remedies for loss of flesh, the pest of lice in calves as well as costiveness, we should base every dose on roots—green food in some form. But costiveness prevented or cured, the other evils are seldom known.

In summer and autumn also, costiveness should be guarded against. A change to fresher pastures if possible, is one of the best remedies in the case. It should be remembered also that it is important to bring them in good order into their winter quarters, for "an animal well summered is half wintered."

Voluntary exercises is beneficial—we always consider it an omen of health and thrift to witness a playful habit in calves during the winter, and would provide in all cases a sheltered, well littered yard, and allow them access thereto a portion of every day not excessively stormy.—*Country Gentleman.*

# Recipes.

TO TURTLEIZE A CALF'S HEAD.—Choose a calf's head with the skin on if you can get it. Take ½ lb. of resin pounded fine, and rub it in the hair, then dip in boiling water till the hair starts, and clean nicely; clean the liver, part of the lights, heart and tongue. Boil the heart and tongue 1½ hours, the head 1½ hours, and the liver and lights an hour. Take out the head; cut in slices, and put it in the pot with cloves, pepper, salt and mace, and a piece of butter. Fill up with the liquor. Let it boil up well, then thicken with pounded crackers or flour and water, put in a glass of wine, if you choose. Make balls of 1 lb. veal, ½ lb. pork (an onion if you like); chop in very fine, some cloves, pepper and salt, crumbs of bread or crackers, an egg, and a good lump of butter with some sweet herbs—parsley if you like. Roll into balls and fry very brown. Take the brains, and beat fine with a knife, beat in an egg and add a little salt. Mix with flour to a batter like pancakes and fry.—*Cor. of Amer. Agricul.*

SAND TARTS.—Rub one and a quarter pounds of butter into two pounds of flour, and then add two pounds of sugar; wet the ingredients with four eggs, leaving out a sufficient quantity of the whites to paint the cakes, with a feather. Roll out and cut the dough into squares, strew them over with pounded almonds (previously blanched), and cinnamon, and then bake them.