Oil and Humor.

From the Miami Democrat.

BABY'S STOCKINGS.

Cousin Maggie,
Brown eyed Maggie,
Maggie of the bower,
Have you seen some little stockings
Lying in a drawer,
Or upon the floor or chair,
Stockings any more?

Our dear baby,
Darling Louie,
With his curly pate,
Tangled amid our heart-strings,
Making life complete,
Loses stockings everywhere,
Over hall and stair.

Kitch Louie,
Little beauty,
With his earnest eyes,
Plucking flowers from the carpet,
In a bright surprise,
Flinging shoots upon the air,
Leaves his stockings there.

Or the darling
With his fingers,
Busy as his toes,
Tugging at the faithless shoe-strings,
Laughing as he goes,
Stripping both the dainties bare,
Leaves his stockings there.

Heaving jewels,
Mid the dew-drops,
Nestling in the grass,
Wooing, with his little singings,
All the birds that pass—
Springing up without a care,
Leaves his stockings there.

Round the corner,
At the window—
With his happy face,
Sober, sometimes to a dreaming;
Oftener, dimples race,
Teasing as he only dare,
Leaves his stockings there;

Little stockings,
Scarcely crumbled,
Twixt the foot and flower,
Clinging round the fairy ankle,
Only half the hour.
Pressing then his pillowed head,
Leaves them in his bed.

So we wander
All the day-time,
With a searching look,
Drawing forth the tiny treasures
From each cosy nook;
Here a stray one, there a pair,
Stockings everywhere.

SHOOTING A HORSE—A BAD SPECULATION.

I have never been able to ascertain the cause of the quarrel between the Crickleys and the Drakes. They have lived within a mile of each other in Illinois for five years, and from their first acquaintance there had been a mutual feeling of dislike between the two families.

One day Mr. Drake, the elder, was returning home with a pocket full of rocks, from Chicago, where he had been to dispose of a load of grain, and Sam Barton was on the wagon with him. As they approached the grove which intervened between them and the Drake's house, he observed to his companion:

"What a beautiful shot old Crickley's roan is over yonder!"

"Hang it, so it is," muttered old Drake.

The horse was standing under some trees, twelve rods from the road.

Involuntarily, Drake stoped his team. He glanced furtively around; then, with a queer smile, the old hunter took his rifle from the bottom of the wagon, and raising it to his shoulder, drew a sight on the Colonel's horse.

"Beautiful," muttered old Drake, lowering his rifle with the air of a man who had resisted temptation. "I could drop the old roan so handsome."

"Shoot," suggested Sam Barton, "who loved fun in any shape."

"No, 'twont do," said the old hunter, glancing cautiously around.

"I won't tell," said Sam.

"Well, I won't shoot this time, tell or not tell. The horse is too nigh—if he was fifty rods instead of twelve, so that there would be a bare possibility of mistaking him for a deer, I'd let fly. As it is, I'd give old Crickley five dollars for a shot."

At this moment the Colonel himself stepped from behind a big oak, not half a dozen paces distant, and stood before Mr. Drake.

"Well, why don't you shoot?"

The old man stammered out some words in confusion.

"That you Colonel? I—I was tempted to, I declare. But, as I said, I'll give you a V for a shot."

"Say an X, and it's a bargain."

Drake felt for his rifle, and looked at the old horse.

"How much is the old roan worth?" he whispered in Sam's ear.

"About fifty."

"Well, I'll do it. Here's an X."

The Colonel pocketed the money, muttering: "I'll be hanged if I thought you'd do it."

With high glee the old hunter put a fresh cap on his rifle, stood up in his wagon, and drew a close sight on old roan. The Colonel put his money in his pocket, and chuckled.

Crack went the rifle. The hunter let out a horrid oath, which I shall not here repeat. Sam was astonished. the Colonel stared; old roan never stirred.

Drake stared at his rifle, with a face black as Othello's.

"What's the matter with you, hey? Past time you ever served me such a trick, I swan!"

And Drake re-loaded his piece with great wrath and indignation.

"People say you've lost your knack of shooting," said the Colonel, in a tone of cutting sarcasm.

"Who said so? It's a lie!" thundered the enraged old hunter. "I can shoot——"

"A horse at ten rods. Ha! ha!"

Drake was livid.

"Look here, Colonel, I can't stand that," he began.

"Never mind, the horse can," sneered the Colonel.

Grinding his teeth, Drake produced another X.

"Here," he growled, "I'm bound to have my shot."

"Crack away," said the Colonel, pocketing the note.

Drake did crack away, with deadly aim, too, but the horse did not mind the bullet in the least. To the rage and unutterable disgust of the old hunter, roan stared him right in the face, as if he liked the fun.

"Drake," cried Sam, "you're drunk. A horse at a dozen rods! O Lord!"

"Shut your mouth, or I'll shoot you," said old Drake. "The man lies that says I can't shoot. Last week I cut a goose's head at fifty rods, and I can do it again. Crickley, you can laugh now, but I'll bet you fifty dollars that I can bring down old roan at the very next shot."

The wager was readily accepted. The stakes were placed in Sam's hands. Elated with the idea of winning back his two tens, and making an X in the bargain, Drake carefully selected a perfect ball, and with a buckskin patch, carefully loaded his rifle.

It was now nearly night, but the hunter was in the habit of boasting that he could shoot a bat on the wing by starlight, and without hesitation he drew a bead on old roan's head.

A moment later, and Drake was driving through the grove, the most enraged and desperate of men. His rifle, innocent victim of his ire, lay with broken stock in the bottom of the wagon. Sam Barton was too much frightened to laugh.

In the meantime, the gratified Colonel was rolling on the ground convulsed with mirth, and old roan was standing under the trees.

When old Drake reached home, his two sons, discovering his ill-humor, hastened to arouse his spirits with the news which they were sure would make him dance with joy.

"Clear out!" growled the angry old man, "I don't want to hear any news; get away, or I'll knock you down!"

"But, father, it is such a trick played on old Crickley."

"Old Crickley!" asked the old man, getting interested. "Glad if you have played the Colonel a trick; let's have it."

"Well, father, Jed and I this evening went out for a deer——"

"Hang the deer, let's hear about your trick."

"Couldn't find the deer, but I thought we must kill something, so Jed banged away at the Colonel's old roan—shot him dead."

"*Shot* old roan!" thundered the old hunter.

"Jed, did you shoot the Colonel's hoss?"

"Didn't do anything else."

"Then," said Jed, confident that the joke must be agreeable to his father, "Jim and I propped him up, and tied his head back with a string, and left him standing under the tree, just as if he was alive. Ha! ha! isn't it a joke!"

Old Drake's head fell upon his breast. He felt his empty pocket book and looked at his rifle.—Then in a rueful tone, he whispered to the boys.

"It's a joke; but if you ever tell of it—or if you do, Sam Barton, I'll skin you alive. I have been shooting at a dead horse for over half an hour at ten dollars a shot."

At this moment Sam fell into the gutter. He had laughed him almost to death.

A MERCHANT, the other day, reproving the keeper of a low groggery for his disreputable mode of getting a living.

"I get my living as respectable as you do," said the rumseller. "Don't you live by your bargains?"

"Yes."

"Well, so do I by my bar-gains!"

HOTELS.

POTTSVILLE HOUSE,
JOHN F. KETNER, Proprietor,
Centre street, POTTSVILLE, Pa.
☞ Good Stabling provided. ☜
November 20, '58 4tf

"WHITE HORSE HOTEL."
Corner of Centre and Mahantango 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

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NEW STYLES OF Paper Hangings,
Decorations, &c.
Oiled Window Shades, Fixtures, &c.
MUDEY & BOWEN,
Painters and Paper Hangers,
Centre Street, Pottsville, 2 doors above American House.
March 26, '59 13

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 6 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.
April 1, '59 14

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 despatch. 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.
Pottsville, March 12, '59 [July 4, '58 27] 1f

BUSINESS CARDS.

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

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—Centre street, west side, between Market and Norwegian. [August 6, '57 32-6m

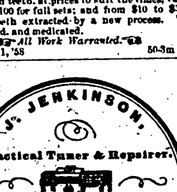
FRANK CARTER, Civil and Mining Engineer, Surveyor, &c., will attend to surveys of lands, mines, town plots, &c. Office Silver Terrace, Pottsville, Pa. [March 19, '59 12

GEORGE B. FISLER, Mechanical Engineer and Draughtsman, attends to the sale and purchase of machinery, and to the re-building and putting up of old machinery.
Port Carbon, March 5, '59 10-tf

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

AGENCY—For the Purchase and Sale of Real Estate; buying and selling Coal; taking charge of Coal Lands, Mines, &c., and collecting rents. 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



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I. P. VOORHIES,
MINER AND SHIPPER OF THE CELEBRATED
Lewis Vein Red Ash Coal,
From the "NEW DUNCAN COLLIERY."
He mines no other Coal—which assures its purity.
☞ Cargo sales by JOHN SHAY, *Agent*
For I. P. VOORHIES.
No. 11 Pine street, New York.
Pottsville, March 12, '59 [June 5, '58 23-1y] 11

SPRING MOUNTAIN COAL.
New Concern.
THE undersigned, having leased the **Spring Mountain Mines,** AT JEANSVILLE, PA., Hitherto worked by WM. MILNES & CO., are now prepared to supply this justly celebrated LEHIGH COAL, and respectfully invite orders.
C. F. RANDOLPH,
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Applications to be addressed to
Randolph & Co.,
111 Broadway, New York, Room 23;
205 Walnut street, Philadelphia;
Easton, Penn'a;
Trenton, New Jersey.
AND TO **Randolphs & Hampshire,**
Jeansville, Pa.
January 1, '59 6-1y

COAL. COAL. COAL.
LEWIS AUDENRIED & CO.
OFFICES:
205 Walnut street, PHILADELPHIA.
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36 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. Forrs & Co., all of which will be shipped direct to New York, via Canal; or coastwise, via Greenwich Pt'rs, (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 "Andrewid 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 Laffy 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 19-1f

CAIN, HACKER & COOK,
MINERS AND SHIPPERS OF
Black Heath Coal.
Also, dealers in other first qualities of
White and Red Ash Coals:
No. 138 Walnut street, Philadelphia, and Woodland Wharves, Schuylkill.
THOMAS CAIN, MORRIS HACKER, JAMES M. COOK.
February 27, '58 9-1y

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

R. W. P. ALLEN,
(Late J. B. A. & S. Allen,)
12 South Delaware Avenue,
PHILADELPHIA,
DEALER IN
Oil, Soap, Candles, &c.
☞ AGENT FOR
JNO. W. BOYD'S "CONDENSED LYE."
Philadelphia, February 26, '59 9-1y

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, '59 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, '58 38-1f

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. 25-1y

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

HARDWARE.

IRON! IRON! IRON!
A LARGE STOCK of Round, Square and Flat Refined IRON, of all sizes, manufactured at the celebrated PATO AXO ROLLING MILL, warranted equal to any imported. For sale by
BRIGHT & LERCH, *Hardware & Iron Merchants.*
Pottsville, March 12, '59 11-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 13, 1854 28-tf

BRIGHT & LERCH'S
NEW HARDWARE STORE Two doors below Mats' Hotel, and nearly opposite the Miners' Bank, Pottsville, where will be found an excellent assortment of HARDWARE:
Coach Trimmin Files,
Springs, Fine Trays,
Saddlery, Britania Ware,
Shoemaker's Tools, Assortment of fine Locks,
Carpenter's Tools, Table Cutlery,
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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

REAL ESTATE SALES.

WESTERN LANDS.
THE UNDERSIGNED, Agent for Schuylkill, Carbon, Luzerne, Columbia, Northumberland and Dauphin counties, offers for sale, 1½ To in Pacific City, Mills county, Iowa. Also, land in Illinois and Missouri, for CASH, or on time. For further information write and enclose postage stamp, to
ROBT. PATTEN, Agt.
Minersville, Schuylkill co., Jan. 22, '59 4-tf

FOR SALE.
THE undersigned offers for sale a tract of land containing 9 acres, and situated on the upper Pt. Carbon road, about a half mile from Pottsville. The improvements are two frame dwelling houses, a large small stable, and also a spring of never failing water. I will sell in one piece or in lots to suit purchasers. It is also well adapted to the raising of vegetables, and has some fine young apple trees and grape vines thereon. For further particulars enquire of
GEORGE LAUER, Orchard Brewery.
His reasons for selling the above are, that he has purchased the Tumbling Run Farm on the Schuylkill Navigation Company, and wishes to make it an extensive Farm, which will require his spare time, and also intends making a Summer resort thereon, which will be one of the finest outsides of Philadelphia.
Pottsville, Feb. 12, '59 7-tf

A RARE CHANCE
For Profitable Investment of the most Valuable Property in the Borough of Pottsville.
The subscribers offer the following valuable property at Private sale:
No. 1, The WHITE HORSE HOTEL, now occupied by JOSEPH M. FICKS. This well known property contains in front 40 feet 1 inch on Centre street, and in depth along Mahantango 95 feet 11 inches, with an extensive tavern yard. The improvements on this property consist of an extensive two-story frame tavern house, with extensive back buildings.
ALSO, Two three story brick buildings a portion of these buildings are now used for the hotel, and a portion occupied by the Pottsville Gas Co., and the Schuylkill Fire and Marine Insurance Co. on the first story, the second and third stories are occupied as a dwelling.
ALSO, A large and commodious stone stable fronting on Second street, with brick carriage house and extensive sheds.
This property is so well known that a more particular description is deemed unnecessary; any person wishing more full information will please call on the subscribers.
No. 2, All that well known tavern stand situated on Centre street, known as the NORTHWESTERN HOTEL, and kept for many years by DANIEL HILL.
This valuable property will be sold with the adjoining property—the two containing front on Centre street 65 feet 2 inches, and extending westwardly along a 20 feet wide alley 230 feet to Second street, and northwardly along Second street 91 feet 9 inches, with the improvements consisting of a two-story frame dwelling house with a large and commodious three-story brick building thereto attached. This building has been erected within a few years, and the whole arrangement is complete. The cheap and ample dining room and cooking department, it is believed, will compare with any Hotel in the County.
ALSO, A large and commodious two-story brick stable, with extensive yard room.
ALSO, A large three story stone and brick building fronting on Centre street, with a store-room on first floor and dwelling on the second and third stories.
This property, as a business stand, cannot be surpassed.
No. 3, That old and well known business stand situated on Centre street and for many years occupied by N. L. Leoser and others, as a flour and feed store.
This valuable property adjoins bright & Lerch's iron store on the north and James Sillyman on the south, containing in front on Centre street 29 feet 3 inches, and extends westwardly at the same width 85 feet with right of alley way from Centre street through the arched alley now used for the hotel and adjoining properties.
The buildings on the property consist of a good and substantial two story stone building forty feet deep, the first story occupied as a store, and the second story as a dwelling, all conveniently arranged and in good order.
To this is attached a large two story frame store house with extensive granaries for storing grain.
This property from its location for business, is well worth the attention of persons desirous of going into the flour and feed business.
If this property is not sold before the 15th day of March it will be for rent. Possession will be given on the first of April next.
No. 4. Five lots of ground on Mahantango street, extending from the brick building in the rear of Hotel, along said street, to the three story brick building on the southeast corner of Mahantango and Second streets.
This property is too well known to require any remarks.
Nos. 1 and 2, adjoining three story brick building, containing in front on Mahantango street, 42 feet, and in depth 40 feet, with frame market house, occupied by HENRY ROHRBARGER.
No. 3, containing in front on Mahantango street, 21 feet, and in depth 40 feet, with frame office, occupied by KIRK & BACON.
Nos. 4 and 5, containing in front on Mahantango St., 43 feet, 11 inches, and in depth 40 feet, with three brick office, occupied by JACOB REED, Esq., R. J. PARVIN and SAMUEL SILLYMAN.
This property for the erection of offices or public buildings, cannot be excelled by any other property in the borough. These lots will be sold singly or all together to suit purchasers.
No. 6. This desirable dwelling is situated on the south east corner of Mahantango and Second streets; for comfort and convenience as a commodious dwelling, it has few superiors in the borough.
This property contains 24 feet, 6 inches front on Mahantango street, to the corner of Second, thence along Second street, 91 feet, 4 inches to Hotel stable, thence eastwardly along said stable, 48 feet, 6 inches, thence northwardly at that width along Hotel yard, 67 feet, 6 inches to the line of the 40 feet lots. This leaves a large yard in rear of dwelling on which yard is erected a convenient brick stable, with entrance from Second street.
For further information as to description and conditions of sale, apply to
JOHN HUGHES, Esq., *Trustee.*
or S. SILLYMAN, *Agent.*
Pottsville, March 5, '59 10

LEGAL CARDS.

J. W. ROSEBERRY, Attorney at Law, Mahantongo street, near Market and 2nd streets, Pottsville. August 9, '58 32

MYER STROUSE, Attorney at Law. Office—Centre street, opposite the Town Hall, Pottsville. [February 9, '58 6

DAVID B. GREEN, Attorney at Law, Pottsville, Pa. Office in Market street, opposite the Post Office. July 14, '56 25-1y

F. P. DEWEES, Attorney at Law. OFFICE—Four doors above Mortimer's Hotel, Centre street, Pottsville, Pa. [Dec. 1, '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 2, '57 21-1y

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

JAMES ELLIS. [JOHN T. BOYLE.
ELLIS & BOYLE,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW.
OFFICE—In Mahantango street, near Centre, Pottsville, Pa.

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

INSURANCE.

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 Merchandize 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:
WILLIAM MORTIMER, Jr. J. R. GRAEFF,
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ROBERT M. PALMER, D. G. YUENGLING,
J. H. ADAM, GEORGE LAUER,
JOHN D. DEHART, JNO. BANNAN,
MILTON BOONE, SAMUEL H. SHANNON.
WM. MORTIMER, Jr., President.
H. H. HUNTZINGER, Secretary.
Pottsville, Jan. 22, '59 4

Great Western Insurance and Trust Company,
OF PHILADELPHIA.
Charter Perpetual.—Capital $500,000!
FIRE INSURANCE,
On Stores, Dwellings, Public Buildings and Merchandize generally. Also, on Houses, Barns and contents. Stock, Farm Implements, &c. *Limited or Perpetual.*
P. S. DEWALD, *Agent.*
EXPRESS OFFICE, Pottsville, Pa.
January 1, '59 1-1y

AMERICAN LIFE INSURANCE & TRUST COMPANY.
CAPITAL STOCK--$500,000.
Company's Building, Walnut st., S. E. cor. 4th, Philad'a.
LIFE INSURANCE at the usual MUTUAL RATES;
Or, at JOINT STOCK RATES, at about 20 per cent. less;
Or, at TOTAL ABSTINENCE RATES, the lowest in the world.
A. WHILLDIN, *President.*
J. C. SIMS, *Secretary.*
Christopher Little,
General Agent for Schuylkill County.
OFFICE—Mahantango st., cor. of Second, Pottsville.
January 8, '59 2-1f

FIRE INSURANCE & COLLECTING AGENCY
OFFICE—Market Street, second door above Third Street, Pottsville, Pa.
THE UNDERSIGNED, Agent of the LYCOMING COUNTY MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY, having become associated with the KENSINGTON and COAL EXCHANGE INSURANCE COMPANIES of the city of Philadelphia, is prepared to execute fire risks either on the Mutual or Joint Stock principle, and trusts that his large experience both in the insurance department, and in the adjustment of Fire Claims, as well as his general knowledge of the character and reliability of both foreign and domestic Insurance Companies, will entitle him to the confidence of persons desirous of securing themselves against loss by fire.
The undersigned will also give his attention to the collection of any monies outstanding within the limits of Schuylkill county, and will, in all cases, make a prompt and careful remittance of sums so collected to the parties employing his services in this department of business. Residents as well as non-residents, who have outstanding bills within the county, would probably promote their interests by availing themselves of the advantages offered in this advertisement.
Those residing at a distance, and unacquainted with the advertiser, are referred, for information, to any of the following named gentlemen:—

Hon. James M. Campbell,	Pottsville, Pa.
Hon. James Pollock,	Milton, "
Hon. Andrew G. Curtin,	Bellefonte, "
Hon. Henry C. Longenecker,	Allentown, "
James Rankin, M. D.,	Muncy, "
Willis P. Hazard, Esq.,	Philadelphia, "
William Pearson, Esq.,	Lock Haven, "

JACOB A. HAZEN,
Box 300, Pottsville P. O.
Feb 26, '59 9-3m

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:

Jacob Eaher,	Davis Pierson,
D. Luther,	Joseph Maxfield,
Lewis Audenried,	Dr. Geo. N. Eckert,
Peter Sliger,	J. E. Baum,
John R. Blackiston,	Wm. F. Dean,

JACOB ESHER, *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 Chestnut streets, near Fifth street.
DIRECTORS:

Charles N. Bancker,	George W. Richards,
Thomas Hart,	Mordecai D. Lewis,
Tobias Wagner,	Adolphe P. 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 additional 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 liability 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.
ABRAHAM REGER, Agent.
Pottsville, Jan. 11, 1856 2-1f

THE LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.
Authorized Capital, $10,000,000.
Paid up Capital, Secured by Funds,
$4,000,000.
Liability of the shareholders in addition.
Having been appointed Agent in Pottsville by the Liverpool and London Fire and Life Insurance Company, and for other reliable Fire and Life Insurance Companies in Philadelphia, I am prepared to take Fire and Life Insurance against Fire, on every description of building and property.
Coal Operators would find it advantageous to insure their colliery structures in reliable Companies, for which I act as Agent.
Parties desiring Insurance are respectfully invited to call at my office, where particulars may be learned, or will be furnished, circulars of the Companies, and detailed statements of their present condition.
REFERENCES:

Philadelphia.	*Pottsville.*
John Tucker, Esq.,	John Shippen, Esq.,
James Dundas, Esq.,	Geo. W. Snyder, Esq.,
John R. White, Esq.,	Hon. James M. Campbell,
David Jayne, M. D.,	Hon. C. W. Heisse,
Richard S. Smith, Esq.,	Hon. Andrew Carr,
	HORACE P. SMITH,
	Centre street, above Norwegian.
	Or at Pennsylvania Hall, Pottsville, Pa.

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LIFE INSURANCE.
THE Girard Life Insurance, Annuity and Trust Company of Philadelphia. Office, No. 152 Chestnut 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 is all 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 insurance of 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 60 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 B. Linnard,
Thomas P. James,	Henry Lowery,
	Wharton Lewis,
Joseph T. Bailey,	John B. Slack.

Phamphlets containing tables of rates and explanations, free 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 9, 1858. 15-1y B. BANNAN.

DRAFTS ON EUROPE.
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.

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 Dickson**, 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 *as low a rate as any price*—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. DANIE