Wit and Humor.

AN ODE TO LAMB.

Dried slivers of the type of innocence
Whether pith peas and mint I must dispense,
Or go the twain—blaspheming the expense—
And thus enjoy these in the fullest sense—
That is the question.

Rear section of young mutton—tender food—
Just in the dawn of green and juicy hood—
Delicties like these should not be served up nude,
But graced with all the trimmings understood,
To help digestion.

Then boil the peas—the fragrant mint prepare—
Be them, prime joint! not overdone—nor rare—
Connect the gravy with exceeding care—
When all is ready, serve—I shall be there—
Always am!

Incident short's most—when on these I dine,
Hot be the plate, and icy cold the wine—
Three slices midway of the leg be mine—
Then put the rest away—for very fine
Is cold roast lamb!

The A B C of the First Ball of the Season.

A was an Angel of blushing sixteen;
B is the Ball at which first she was seen;
C is the Chaperon that chanted at cards;
D is the Dear—temps with Frank in the Guards;
E is the Eye that its long lashes cover;
F is the Fan that it peeped wickedly over;
G is the Glove of imperitive kid;
H is the Hand it provokingly hid;
I is the Ice that tired nature demanded;
J is the Juveniles that hasten'd to hand it;
K is the Ketchup, a rare work of art,
L is the Lay that composed its best part;
M is an old Maid that watch'd the girls dance;
N is the Nose she turned up at each glance;
O is the Oka, then just in its prime;
P is the Parisian that wouldn't keep time;
Q is the Quadrille, let us hope 'twas the Lancers;
R is the Remarks that were made on the dancers;
S is the Supper they went to in pairs,
T is the Twaddle they talk'd on the stairs;
U is the Uncle that thought "we'd be gone,"
V is the Voice the young lady said "no" in;
W is the Waiter who set up till eight,
X is his Nit which wasn't quite straight;
Y is the Yawning it offer the ball;
Z stands for Zero, and that's nothing at all.

HOW I COURTED SAL.

"Well, you see arter the 'poker' scrape, me and Sal got along middlin well for some time, till I made up my mind to fetch things to a bed, for I loved her harder and harder every day, and I had an idea that she had a sorter sneaking kindness for me, but how to do the thing up rite, pestered the orful. I got some love books and red how the fellers got down on their marrer bones and talked kind parrots, and the gals they would go into a sorter trance; and then how they would gently fall into the feller's arms, but somehow or uther, that way didn't suit my notion. I asked marm how dad courted her, but she sed it had been so long that she'd forgot all about it. (Uncle Joe allers says marm done all the courtin.) At last I made up my mind to go it blind, for this thing was fairly consumin my innards. So I goes over to her daddy's and when I got there I set like a fool, thinkin how to begin. Sal sed sumthin was a trouble of the mind, and so she—

"Ain't you sick, Peter?"

She sed this mity soft like.

"Yes—no," sez I; that is I ain't adzactly well. I thought I'd come over to night,"—sez I.

"That's a mighty putty beginnin, anyhow thinks I; so I tried agin.

"Sal," sez I, and about this time I felt mity flaisty and oneasy like about the squizzinctum.

"What?" sez Sal.

"Sal," sez I again.

"What?" sez she.

"I'll git to it arter a while at this lick," thinks I.

"Peter," sez she "there's sumthin a troblin you powerful, I no; its mighty rong for you to keep it from a body, for an inherd sorrer is a consumin fire."

She sed this, she did, the deer, sly creeter—she mosed what was the matter all the time mity well, an was just a tryin to fish it out, but I was so fur gone I didn't see the plot. At last I kinder sorter gulped down the lump as was risin in my throte, and sez I,

"Sal, does you luv ony body?"

"Well," sez she "ther's dad and marm, and (countin on her fingers all the time with her eyes sorter shut, like a feller a shootin off a gun,) an thar's old Pide, (that wur an old cow or hern,) as I can't think of anybody else jis now," sez she.

Now this wur orful for a feller ded in luv; so arter a while I tries another shute.

Ses I—

"Sal, I'm powerful lonesome at hum, and I sumtimes think if I only had a nice putty wife to love and to talk to, and to move and have my bein with, I should be a tremendous feller."

With that she begins and names over all the gals, in five miles of thar, and never wunst cum a nigh namin of herself, and sed I orter git one of them. This sorter got my dander up, so I hitched my cheer up close to here, and shet my eyes, and tremblously sed—

"Sal, you are the very gal I've been hankering arter for a long time. I love you all over, from the sole of yere hed to the foot of your crown, an I don't keer who nose it; an ef you say so, we'll be jined together in the holy bons of matrimony, a pluribus unum, world without end, amen," sez I; an felt like I'd throwed up an allygater, I felt so releaved. With that she fetched a sorter scream, and arter a little while she ses, ses she—

"Peter."

"What, Sally?" says I.

"Yes!" ses she, a bidin ov her putty face behind her hands. You may depend on it, I felt orful good.

"Glory, Glory!" ses I; "I must holler, Sal, or I'll burst wide open. Hoorey for hoorey. I kin jump over a ten rale fence. I can butt a bull off the bridge, and kin do any and everything that any other feller ever could, would, should or orter do!"

With that, I sorter aloshed myself down by her, and clinched the bargin with a kiss, an such kiss—talk about your shugar—talk about your merlasses—talk about your blackberry jam—yer could not have got me to cum nigh them; they wud all a tasted sour arter that.

O, these wimmin, how good and how bad, how high and how low they make a feller feel; of Sal's daddy hadn't hollered out it was time for all onest folks to be in bed, I do beleve I'd staid there all nite.

I was dreadful sed when I got home. I pulled off my boots an crept softly into the room, I pulled dad outer bed and hugged him. I pulled marm outer bed and hugged her. I pulled ant Jane out ov bed and I hugged her. I pulled the nigger servant out ov bed and I hugged her. I roared, shored, laffed and hollered; I scrode like a rocster? I danced about and cut up more capers than you ever heard tell on, till dad thot I was crasy, and got a rope to tie me with.

"Dad," ses I, "I'm a gwine to go fur to get marrid."

"Marrid!" bawled dad.

"Marrid!" squalled marm.

"Marrid!" squealed ant Jane.

"Yes, marrid," ses I "marrid all over; jined in wedlock; hooked on fur worser or fur better, fur life and fur death, so Sal; I am that very thing; me Peter Sporum, Esquire."

With that I up and tell them all about it, from Alpher to Omegar. They were all mity pleased, an mity willin, and I went to bed as proud as a young rooster with his first spurs.

O Jehosafat! but didn't I feel tremendous good, and kept a gittin that way all nite. I didn't sleep a wink, but kept a rollin about an a thinkin, till I felt my cup ov happiness full, pressed and packed down, and a running over.

"CONSIDER ME SMITH."

There is a very good story in the papers of the day, of a joke (?) which was played by old Dr. Caldwell, formerly of the University of North Carolina.

The old doctor was a small man, and lean, but as hard and singular as the most irregular of pine knots.

He looked as if he might be tough, but he did not seem strong. Nevertheless he was among the knowing ones, reputed to be as agile as a "cat;" and in addition, was by no means deficient in knowledge of the "noble science of self-defence." Besides he was as cool as a cucumber. Well in the freshman class, of a certain year, was a burly beef mountaineer of 18 or 19. This genius conceived a very great contempt for old Bolus' physical dimensions; and his soul was horrified that any one so deficient in muscle should be so potential in his rule.

Poor Jones—that's what we'll call him—had no idea of moral force. At any rate, he was not inclined to knock under, and be controlled despotically by a man that he imagined he could tie and whip. He at length determined to give the gentleman a genteel private thrashing some night in the College Campus; pretending to mistake him for some fellow student.

Shortly after, on a dark, rainy night, Jones met the doctor crossing the Campus. Walking up to him abruptly:

"Hello, Smith! you rascal—is that you?"

And with that he struck the old gentleman a blow on the side of the face that nearly felled him.

Old Bolus said nothing, but squared himself and at it they went. Jones' youth, weight and muscle made him an "ugly customer;" but after a round or two, the doctor's science began to tell, and in a short time he had knocked his beefy antagonist down, and was straddle on his chest, with one hand on his throat, and the other dealing vigorous cuffs on the side of his head.

"Ah! stop! I beg pardon, doctor! Doctor Caldwell—a mistake—for heaven's sake, doctor!" groaned Jones, who thought he was about to be eaten up. "I—I really thought it was Smith!"

The doctor replied with a word and a blow alternately.

And, it is said, old Bolus gave Jones such a pounding, then and there, as probably prevented his ever making another mistake as to personal identity—at least on the College Campus.

MANUFACTURES.

PATENT CARPET SWEEPERS.

A most excellent article for sweeping all kinds of Carpets without any dust, and takes up everything clean. A lady who has had one in use says she would not take $10 for the one she has, if she could not replace it. For sale at S. BANNAN'S Book and Variety Store.

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Pottsville, April 23, '59. 17-6m

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Ladies' Pruning Shears.
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All of which are of the latest and most approved patterns. ☞Also, a variety of the best books on Gardening, Farming, &c. For sale at S. BANNAN'S Seed and Book Store.

POTTSVILLE
Venetian Blind Factory.

THE SUBSCRIBER respectfully announces to the citizens of Pottsville and vicinity that he has removed his Venetian Blind Factory to Market street, four doors above Centre, next door to Arnold's Cabinet Rooms, where he keeps constantly on hand and manufactures to order all kinds of Venetian Window Blinds, Window Shades, Curtains, Trimmings for Blinds and Shades, together with everything in his line of business; all of which will be sold at the lowest rates. He invites the citizens to call at his establishment, feeling confident that he can furnish as good articles as can be obtained abroad. He also attends to repairing all kinds of Blinds and Shades, and puts them up when desired to do so. W. M. ZERBE.

March 5, '59. 10-6m

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 as heretofore as before, with determination to give general satisfaction.

☞All orders will receive prompt attention.

☞Repairing done at the shortest notice.

July 16, '57. 29-1y ABRIGHT & BURKHARD.

GROVER & BAKER'S CELEBRATED
FAMILY SEWING MACHINES,

New Styles—Prices from $50 to $125.
EXTRA CHARGE OF $5 FOR HEMMERS.

OFFICES: { 495 Broadway, New York. 730 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.

These Machines sew from two spools, as purchased from the store, requiring no re-winding of thread; they Hem, Fell, Gather, and Stitch in a superior style, finishing each seam by their own operation, without recourse to the hand needle, as is required by other machines.—They will do better and cheaper sewing than a seamstress can, even if she works for cent per hour, and are, unquestionably, the best Machines in the market for family sewing, on account of their simplicity, durability, ease of management, and adaptation to all varieties of family sewing—executing either heavy or fine work with equal facility, and without special adjustment.

As evidence of the unquestioned superiority of their Machines, the GROVER & BAKER SEWING MACHINE COMPANY beg leave to respectfully refer to the following

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"Having had one of Grover & Baker's Machines in my family for nearly a year and a-half, I take pleasure in recommending it as every way reliable for the purpose for which it is designed—Family Sewing.—*Mrs. Joshua Leavitt, wife of Rev. Dr. Leavitt, Editor of N. Y. Independent.*"

"I confess myself delighted with your Sewing Machine, which has been in my family for many months.—It has always been ready for duty, requiring no adjustment, and is easily adapted to every variety of family sewing, by simply changing the spools of thread."—*Mrs. Elizabeth Strickland, wife of Rev. Dr. Strickland, Editor of N. Y. Christian Advocate.*

"After trying several different good machines, I prefer it yours, on account of its simplicity, and the perfect ease with which it is managed, as well as the strength and durability of the seam. After long experience, I feel competent to speak in this manner, and to confidently recommend it to every variety of family sewing.—*Mrs. E. D. Spooner, wife of the Editor of Brooklyn Star.*

"I have used a GROVER & BAKER Sewing Machine for two years, and have found it adapted to all kinds of family sewing, from Cambric to Broadcloth. Garments have been worn out without the giving away of a stitch. The machine is easily kept in order, and easily used."—*Mrs. A. B. Whipple, wife of Rev. Geo. Whipple, New York.*

"Your Sewing Machine has been in use in my family the past two years, and the ladies request me to give you their testimonials to its perfect adaptedness, as well as labor-saving qualities in the performance of family and household sewing."—*Robert Boorman, New York.*

"For several months we have used Grover & Baker's Sewing Machine, and have come to the conclusion that every lady who desires her sewing *beautifully and quickly* done, will be the most fortunate in possessing one of these reliable and indefatigable iron needle-women, whose combined qualities of *beauty, strength and simplicity*, are invaluable."—*J. W. Morris, daughter of Gen. Gen. G. P. Morris, Editor of the Home Journal.*

Extract of a letter from THOS. R. LEAVITT, Esq., an American gentleman, now resident in Sydney, New South Wales, dated January 12, 1858:

"I had a test made in Melbourne, in 1853, in which there were over three thousand yards of sewing done with one of Grover & Baker's Machines, and a *single* seam of that has outstood all the *double* seams sewed by other machines in needle and thread.

"If Homer could be called up from his murky Hades, he would sing the advent of Grover & Baker as a more benignant event than was ever Vulcan's smithy. He would denounce midnight shirt-making as the direful spring of woes unnumbered."—*Prof. North.*

"I take pleasure in saying, that the Grover & Baker Sewing Machines have more than sustained my expectation. After trying and returning others, I have three of them in operation in my different places, and, after four years' trial, have no fault to find."—*J. H. Hammond, Senator of South Carolina.*

"My wife has had one of Grover & Baker's Family Sewing Machines for some time, and I am satisfied it is one of the best labor-saving machines that has been invented. I take much pleasure in recommending it to the public."—*J. G. Harris, Governor of Tennessee.*

"It is a beautiful thing, and puts everybody into an excitement of good humor. Were I a Catholic, I should insist upon Saints Grover and Baker having an eternal holiday in commemoration of their good deeds for humanity."—*Cassius M. Clay.*

"I think it by far the best patent in use. This Machine can be adopted from the finest cambric to the heaviest carstimere. It sews stronger, faster, and more beautifully than one can imagine. If mine could not be replaced, money could not buy it."—*Mrs. J. G. Brown, Nashville, Tenn.*

"It is speedy, very neat, and durable in its work; is easily understood and kept in repair. I earnestly recommend this Machine to all my acquaintances and others."—*Mrs. M. A. Forrest, Memphis, Tenn.*

"We find this Machine to work to our satisfaction, and with pleasure recommend it to the public, as we believe the Grover and Baker to be the best Sewing Machine in use."—*Deary Brothers, Allisonia, Tenn.*

"If used exclusively for family purposes, with ordinary care, I will wager they will last one lifetime over year and ten,' and never get out of fix."—*John Erskine Nashville, Tenn.*

"I have had your Machine for several weeks, and am perfectly satisfied that the work it does is the best and most beautiful that ever was made."—*Maggie Atkison, Nashville, Tenn.*

"I use my Machine upon coats, dressmaking, and fine linen stitching, and the work is admirable—far better than the best hand sewing, or any other machine I have ever seen."—*Lucy B. Thompson, Nashville, Tenn.*

"I find the work the strongest and most beautiful I have ever seen, made either by hand or machine, and regard the Grover & Baker Machine as one of the greatest blessings to our sex."—*Mrs. Taylor, Nashville, Tenn.*

"I have one of Grover & Baker's Sewing Machines in use in my family, and find it invaluable. I can confidently recommend it to all persons in want of a machine."—*T. T. Thompson, Nashville, Tenn.*

"I take pleasure in certifying to the utility of the Grover & Baker Sewing Machines. I have used one go almost every description of work for months, and find it much stronger and better in every respect than work done by hand."—*Mrs. D. W. Walker, Nashville, Tenn.*

"I would be unwilling to dispose of my Grover & Baker Machine for a large amount, could I not replace it with another."—*Mrs. H. G. Scovel, Nashville, Tenn.*

"Our two Machines, purchased from you, do the work of twenty young ladies. We with pleasure recommend the Grover & Baker Sewing Machine to be the best."—*N. Stillman & Co., Memphis, Tenn.*

"The Grover & Baker Sewing Machine works admirably. I think the stitch and work far superior to that of any Sewing Machine I ever saw. On fine work, I think the machine would be hard to beat."—*W. J. Davis, Memphis, Tenn.*

"I find the Machine easily managed, very durable, and take pleasure in recommending it to all who wish convenience, economy, and pleasure."—*Mrs. F. Titus, Memphis, Tenn.*

"The Grover & Baker Sewing Machines have given such satisfaction that we cheerfully recommend them to all who wish a good and substantial Sewing Machine. It executes work with much care and speed, and more finely than any other machine I have seen."—*Mrs. R. B. Mitchell, Memphis, Tenn.*

"I am happy to give my testimony in favor of Grover & Baker's Sewing Machine, and of the perfect satisfaction it gives in every respect. It sews neatly, and is by no means complicated, and I prefer it to all others I have seen."—*Mrs. Bryan, wife of Rev. A. M. Bryan, Memphis, Tenn.*

"It affords me much pleasure to say, that the Machine works well; and I do not hesitate to recommend it as possessing all the advantages you claim for it. My wife is very much pleased with it, and we take pleasure in certifying to this effect."—*R. C. Brinkley, Memphis, Tenn.*

"It gives me pleasure to find the Grover & Baker Sewing Machine giving so much satisfaction. I have it in constant use, and find it all that could be desired. It is the most simple and durable machine in use, and I heartily recommend it."—*F. M. White, Memphis, Tenn.*

"Having seen, examined, and used many other kinds of Sewing Machines, I feel free to say that the Grover & Baker Machines are far superior to all others in use."—*M. Francois Seitz, Nashville, Tenn.*

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Feb. 26, '59.

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To Coal Operators and Schuylkill County Merchants.

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200 barrels sweet scented Smoking Tobacco.
200,000 Half Spanish Segars.
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Orders thankfully received and promptly attended to. Terms easy. MARY ANN MOYER.
Hamburg, Berks County, Pa.
Sept. 5, '57. 36-tf

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PERKINS & WILLARD,
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April 9, '59. 15-1y] *Springfield, Mass.*

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BOOTS AND SHOES,

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Our assortment comprises every variety of goods, either of Home, Eastern, Philadelphia or Reading Work, for Men's, Women's, Boys', Misses' or Children's Wear.

We manufacture and are prepared to furnish our customers with a superior article of Gentis' French or American Calf Boots, Gaiters and Walking Shoes. Water Proof and Kip Boots, suitable for Engineers; and Mechanics', Miners' and Laborers' Working Boots and Shoes. Ladies' French or English Lasting Gaiters, Button or Lace Boots, Buskins, Slippers, &c, &c.

☞Traveling and Packing Trunks, Valises, Carpet and Oil Cloth Traveling Bags. Boys' and Misses' School Satchels; and an excellent assortment of Umbrellas will always be found at our establishment, *at moderate prices.*

**Country Merchants will be supplied with any goods in our line in such quantities as they require, at a trifling advance on city prices.

Thankful to our friends for past favors, we are determined to merit a continuance of public patronage by supplying good articles upon the most reasonable terms.

Pottsville, April 20, '59. 18-tf

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This Ware is clear of all poisonous matter. The glazing is made of *common salt and clay.* Apple Butter or anything else may be kept in it with *perfect safety.*—There is NO POISON in it, as there is in the common Earthen-Ware. Milk and Butter keep much better in this material than it does in Earthen-Ware. It is burnt to a flint body, and will not absorb any part of what may be put into it, and is not liable to break or crack in using.

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**Manufactory in GILBERT street, between State and North streets, near the State Capital Steam Flour Mills, HARRISBURG, PA. [April 30, '59. 18-6m

NEW SADDLE, HARNESS & VARIETY STORE,
Pottsville.

THE undersigned would respectfully announce to his friends and the public in general, that he has opened his Saddle, Harness and Trunk Establishment, on the west side of Centre street, Pottsville, opposite the Town Hall, where he is prepared to do all things in his line of business, and keep on hand a general assortment of Saddles, Harnesses, Collars, Bridles, Whips, traveling trunks, traveling bags, satchels, &c.

He also has an assortment of hobby horses, childrens' gigs, chaises, coaches, wheelbarrows, and a variety of other fancy articles in the toy line too numerous to mention.

He has also on hand an assortment of P. G. Regalia of I. O. of O. F., and will be prepared to make them to order according to style and taste.

Feeling thankful for past favors at his old stand in Pottsville, and feeling assured that satisfaction will be rendered to all who give him a call at his new establishment.

April 16, '59. 16-6m] SAMUEL SNYDER.

JOHNSON'S
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THIS celebrated machine has obtained a character unequalled by any Washing Machine ever before used. It will not wear the clothes or break buttons; it will wash thoroughly the most delicate as well as the roughest clothing; it will rinse clean in very cold water; it will save *more than half* the time, labor and expense of washing, and therefore deserves a place in every dwelling house in the State, and is guaranteed to every purchaser to do what is here set forth the most satisfactory manner. ☞Price $10.

Address FETHERLIFF & DEAN, Tamaqua, Pa.

This simple machine can be seen in operation at our residence any day except Monday. S. BANNAN.

☞S. Bannan is also authorized to receive orders for it in Pottsville and vicinity. 17-

April 23, '59.

MINERS' SAFETY LAMPS.
A Superior Article.

THE SUBSCRIBER has just received from New Castle, England, a lot of Davy's Safety Working Lamps, made under the inspection of the English Government Agent. of the best quality wire gauze. Also, Gauze Covers made ready for use, for the same Lamps. These are the best Safety Lamps ever introduced into this County, and are for sale wholesale and retail at about the cost of inferior Lamps. Also, Wire Gauze by the yard, and Lamp Brushes by the dozen or single. Also, the Clannay Lamp for Roseses and Air Viewers. This lamp is covered with a thick Glass, and gives an increased light which is of importance to Mine Viewers.

☞These Lamps can be put into a box filled with explosive gas, and moved rapidly backwards and forwards without any covering, and will not explode.

August 8, '57. 32-

BOOT & SHOE STORE CONTINUED.

MRS. ABIGAIL SMITH, widow of the late Wm. Smith, respectfully announces to her friends, and the public, that she will continue the Boot and Shoe Business in all its branches, at the old stand in Centre street, nearly opposite the Episcopal Church, where will be kept on hand and made to order, all kinds of Boots and Shoes, embracing a general assortment for men, women and children, which will be sold at the very lowest rates. All kinds of Boots and Shoes made to order and repaired in the best style at short notice. She respectfully solicits the patronage of her friends and the public, feeling confident that they will find it to their interest to give her a call.

Pottsville, April 30, '59. 18-tf

SPRING STOCK OF BOOTS AND SHOES,
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Pottsville, June 13, '58. 23-tf

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And Leather and Shoe-Binding Store,

Railroad street, between Callowhill and High streets, POTTSVILLE, PA.

He respectfully informs his old customers, and the public generally, that he continues to manufacture ALL KINDS of MOROCCO, Kids, Straits, French Morocco, Shoes, Hat and Book Bindings, Pink Lining and Roan of all colors. He has also on hand a general assortment of all kinds of LEATHER, Oak tanned Sole, Slaughter Kips, French and City Calf skins, MINERS' UPPER LEATHER, Lacing Leather for bolts, and good Bucket Leather for pumps, and an extensive variety of Last Wires, Tacks, Nails, Pegs, &c. All kinds of skins, Sheep, Goat, Deer, &c. also, Ramse taken in exchange for leather, at the highest market prices, or paid for in cash.

Pottsville, July 10, '58. 28-

POTTSVILLE
Saddle and Harness Manufactory.

THEREWITH 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. 10-1y

MAUCH CHUNK
Wire Rope Manufactory;
Fisher Hazard & Co.,

Manufacturer of Wire Rope, for inclined planes, shafts, slopes, &c., would inform the public that he is now prepared to make *ALL KINDS, LENGTHS AND SIZES OF FLAT AND ROUND ROPE,*

At the shortest notice, of superior quality, and on the most liberal terms, at his Wire Rope Factory,

Mauch Chunk, Carbon Co., Pa.

Reference can be made to Messrs. E. A. Douglas, N. D. Cortright and A. G. Broadhead, at Mauch Chunk; to N. Patterson, Summit Hill; to Sharpe, Leisenring & Co., Tillmore, Luzerne county, Pa., and in fact, nearly all the operators in the Region who have been using his ropes.

August 14, '58. [August 8, '57. 32-1y] 33-

BUSINESS CARDS.

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

P. W. SHEAFFER, Pottsville, Pa., State of the Pennsylvania State Geological Survey, examining lands, mines, &c. [October 13, '58. 41-tf

HENRY PLEASANTS, Civil and Mining Engineer, POTTSVILLE, Corrigan—Centre street, west side, between Market and Norwegian. [August 9, '57. 32-tf

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. 19-

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. Post Carbon, March 5, '59. 10-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. 8-1y

COAL.

I. F. 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. F. VOORHIES,
No. 11 Pine street, New York.
Pottsville, March 13, '59. [June 5, '58. 22-1y.] 11-

SPRING MOUNTAIN COAL.
New Concern.

THE undersigned, having leased the **Spring Mountain Mines,** AT SHENANDOAH, PA., (lately worked by Wm. MILNER & Co.) are now prepared to supply this justly celebrated LEHIGH COAL, and respectfully invite orders.

C. F. RANDOLPH,
THEO. F. RANDOLPH,
CHARLES HAMPSHIRE.

Applications to be addressed to
Randolph & Co.,
111 Broadway, New York, Room 23;
206 Walnut street, Philadelphia;
Trenton, New Jersey.
AND TO **Randolphs & Hampshire,**
January 1, '59. Jeanesville, Pa. 4-1y

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LEWIS AUDENRIED & CO.,

OFFICES:
205 Walnut street, PHILADELPHIA.
110 Broadway, NEW YORK.
86 State street, BOSTON.

Wholesale Dealers in the best varieties of DOMESTIC COALS—*Sole Proprietors of Wolf Creek Colliery, capable of producing over 150,000 tons a year of the celebrated* DIAMOND, (*Red Ash.*) and BLACK HEATH, (*White Ash.*)

Exclusive Agents for the sale of the purely genuine Locust Mountain Coal, from the Locust Dale Colliery of Geo. C. Pores & Co., all of which will be shipped direct to New York, via Canal; or Coastwise, via Greenwich Pier, (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 superintendance.

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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 "And nicled Improvement and Coal Company's 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-

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, '59. 9-1y

Franklin B. Gowen,
Miner and Shipper of
WHITE ASH COAL from the East and West Mount Laffa Collieries—MAMMOTH & BLACK HEATH VEINS.
OFFICE—Centre street, opposite Episcopal Church, Pottsville. April 10, '58. 15-1y

TRANSPORTATION.

LEHIGH NAVIGATION.

At a meeting of the Board of Managers of the LEHIGH COAL AND NAVIGATION COMPANY, held February 3d, 1859, it was

RESOLVED, That until further notice, the rates of Toll upon the Lehigh Canal for the year 1859, be and remain the same as they were during the year 1858, but that the tolls upon Coal shipped upon said Canal, upon presentation at the Company's Weigh-Lock of satisfactory evidence of said Coal having reached tide, such drawbacks as will make the net Toll on said Lehigh Coal upon such Coal, the same as upon Coal reaching tide at Bristol.

At a meeting of the Board of Managers of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company, held February 14th, 1859, it was

Resolved, That until further notice, an abatement of 20 per cent. be allowed from the established rates of Toll on Pig Iron on the Lehigh Navigation.

By order of the Board. EDWIN WALTER, *Sec'y.*
April 16, '59. 16-3m

PHILAD'A. & READING RAIL ROAD.

RATES OF FREIGHT ON MERCHANDIZE.

ON and AFTER MARCH 1st, 1858, until further notice, the following Rates of Freight will be charged per 100 pounds:

ARTICLES OF FREIGHT.	Between Philadelphia and Pottsville.	Between Philadelphia and Reading.
Dry Goods, Confectionary, Books, Carpetings, Cigars, Fresh Meat, Fish, Glass, Ale & Porter, Brass, Butter, Copper, Eggs, Feathers, Grindstones, Groceries, Hemp, Hams, Hardware, Hides, Hollow-ware, Leather, Machinery, Oysters, Oils, Seeds, &c.	30	16
Cotton, Coffee, Grain, Bar Iron, Lead, Molasses, Nails, Spikes, Rice, Salt, Provisions, Sugar, Whisky, &c.; Brooms, Flour, Brick, Guano, Mill Stones, Pitch and Tar, Salt, Scrap Iron, Timber and Lumber, &c.	18	9
Bricks, Coke, Cord Wood, Clay, Gravel, Iron Ore, Limestone, Marble, Manure, Iron, Plaster, Slate, Nail Liquors, &c., Flour, per barrel, March 21, '57	14	7
	22	14
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PHILAD'A & READING RAILROAD.

OFFICE of the Philada. & R. R. Co., *Philadelphia, June 3d, 1859.*

The rates of Freight and Tolls on Coal transported by this Company, will be as follows, from 1st July, 1859, until further notice:

FROM	Mount Carbon.	Schuyl. Haven.	Auburn.	Port Clinton.
	cts.	cts.	cts.	cts.
To Richmond,	1 50	1 45	1 35	1 30
" Philadelphia,	1 50	1 45	1 35	1 30
" Inclined Plane,	1 50	1 45	1 35	1 30
" Nicetown,	1 50	1 45	1 35	1 30
" Germantown R. R.,	1 50	1 45	1 35	1 30
" Falls of Schuylkill,	1 50	1 45	1 35	1 30
" Manayunk,	1 50	1 45	1 35	1 30
" Spring Mills,	1 35	1 30	1 20	1 20
" Conshohocken and Plymouth Railroad,	1 35	1 30	1 20	1 20
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