field's bridal, as she could have done in that of one of her own daughters. She added, she was not at all surprised at the interest I had evinced in Mr. Morton's choice; "and I really begin to be of your opinion, Louisa, as to his kindly disposition; and as for his being parsimonious—so far as I have seen—it is rather, *Mrs.* Morton, who will limit the expenditure of the family. I wish you had seen Miss Glenfield in her bridal dress—she looked so beautiful, so calm, so ladylike. Poor Rebecca scarcely knew what to do; but I had her by my side, and she wept her tears on my bosom. Poor girl! she whispered to me that she thought it was the first time she had ever really regretted her loss of sight, she should so like to see her sister."

Miners' Journal.

POTTSVILLE, PA.

SATURDAY, JULY 9, 1859.

PENNSYLVANIA'S RIP VAN WINKLE.

"We have made the coal trade of Pennsylvania what it is. Millions of our hard dollars lie buried in the soil of Schuylkill and Lehigh counties.—We have opened mines, built machinery, reared coal towns, constructed a great network of coal railways and canals, and established factories and iron works all through the rural districts. And, while we have been doing this, the commerce of Philadelphia necessarily suffered from the diverted attention of our business men.—*Philadelphia North American.*"

We like Philadelphia. It is a glorious City—Clean streets, spacious avenues, enlarged respectability, genteel enthusiasm; but Rip Van Winkleish. Decidedly so, notwithstanding the earnest defence of the *North American.* It seems very hard that Philadelphia should have sacrificed her brilliant future for the purpose of building up the interior. But is it really so? Rhetorically, we are almost inclined to believe so. Truthfully, we know the case to be otherwise. It has been a bitter complaint of Philadelphia for years, that New York is in vulgar parlance, a "blower." It seems to be infected, for in our opinion the above quoted paragraph is "all gas." Philadelphia has "made the Coal trade of Pennsylvania what it is!" Not so. Our operators, who have sunk millions in time and money, have made the Coal trade what it is. "Millions of" the "hard dollars" of Philadelphia "lie buried in the soil of Schuylkill and Lehigh counties!" We will let Lehigh answer for herself; but as far as Schuylkill is concerned, we must say that it is a very lucrative place for Philadelphia's millions to lie buried, considering that she draws annually from this Region in the shape of Coal rents, some nine hundred thousand dollars. But few capitalists will object we think, to such an interment of their hard dollars. In regard to Philadelphia building machinery, rearing Coal towns, constructing Coal railways and canals, etc., in one sense it is the merest "bosh." Of the 368 steam engines which up to this year had been manufactured for mining purposes in this County, but 1 was made in Philadelphia. We not only manufacture here all the engines used in this Region, but we export every year to neighboring counties and to the States of North Carolina, Virginia and Ohio, engines, the handiwork of our artisans. The editor of the *North American* is not probably, aware of the fact that we have in this County, some of the most extensive machine shops in the State, owned and operated by Schuylkill County men and capital. We could readily demonstrate the fact, if he would favor us with his society, even for a single day. The statement about rearing Coal towns is about as credible as the one just noticed. It is true that Philadelphia constructed the Schuylkill Canal; but she has received from it tolls more than sufficient to pay the original investment. The same is the case with the internal railroads in this County in which she has an interest.

We do not refer to this matter, because we think it very important, for the statement bears upon its face complete refutation to those at all acquainted with the rise and progress of the Coal Region. But we notice it to exhibit the excuses Philadelphia is ready to frame, and the air of braggardism she assumes when touched upon a tender spot, her lack of commercial enterprise.—The mineral resources of this State are not so much indebted to any particular fostering of Philadelphia, as to the indomitable energy and industry of the men engaged directly in the business. Philadelphia is rather indebted to us for the bulk of her shipping trade, for without the Coal traffic she would exhibit but a meagre array of vessels at her wharves, and be but a fifth or sixth rate port.

Assuredly New York has spread out her arms to the interior quite as liberally as Philadelphia. Why has she not suffered in a commercial point of view? Simply because she does what Philadelphia so woefully fails in accomplishing. She identifies her interest with that of the interior. If there is an improvement calculated to cast a trade into her lap, she makes it, without pausing to consider the cost. Years since had she been in the position of Philadelphia, she would have constructed the Sunbury and Erie Railroad, via. a tunnel through the Broad Mountain, thereby securing not only the rich trade of the lakes, but the vast treasures of the Middle Coal Field, whose natural outlet to market would have been through Philadelphia. These Philadelphia may secure, but we fear only when New York has too firm a grasp on the West and on the Coal trade of Pennsylvania, to be affected. The consequence is painfully perceptible in the comparatively deserted wharves of Philadelphia, and the abortive attempts of her merchants to establish lines of steamships to Europe. Even her press has but a suburban reputation and influence. In the marts of the West, while New York is kept continually before the eye through her papers which are everywhere on file, Philadelphia is hardly known in the same manner. Now, we have as much pride as any Pennsylvanian, in the progress of our beautiful Eastern metropolis; but we cannot fail to recognise her faults—a prominent and fatal one being, her narrow, illiberal, non-progressive commercial policy, which is leaving her far behind her sharper rivals, and has gained for her the sobriquet—village. She grows petulant too, in her misfortunes, and inflicts upon the innocent unmerited castigation for mistakes committed at home.

COUNTRY BANKS.—Their Currency, &c.

It will be remembered that in 1858, the banks of the City of Philadelphia, after conferring with the country par banks by circular letters and repeated meetings among themselves, resolved and agreed to take at par the notes of other solvent banks of Pennsylvania east of the mountains, and that the Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank should take the notes from the other banks at one-fourth of one per cent., for the purpose of bearing the expenses of obtaining redemption from the non-redeeming country banks, by presenting their notes at their respective counters. The country par banks concurring in the arrangement, and agreeing to comply with it on their part, an early day was contemplated for commencing the arrangement, but was deferred for several months at the solicitation of the non-redeeming country banks, whose circulation was very much extended by the purchase and sale of their notes by brokers and shavers in all the par bank localities of the State. With due consideration to these banks the time was deferred and fixed for Sept. 1, 1859, and notice given to that effect. This system worked so admirably among the people, and improved the currency to such an extent, that all the growling of a few shaving banks and the shavers connected with these institutions, was soon silenced by the unanimous approval of the people and business community, who desired the advantages of this arrangement by securing to them a good par currency. But we regret to state, that on the 1st inst., the City banks, *as we learn,* without previous notice to the country par banks, who were a party to the arrangement, terminated it, and have thus thrown open again the currency of the State to the tender mercies of *Shavers and Shaving Banks.* So far as we know, the country par banks adhered faithfully to the arrangement, and cheerfully paid the one-fourth per cent. on all non-redeeming bank notes sent to their respective deposite banks in the City. If we are rightly informed, the arrangement was not faithfully and honestly adhered to by a considerable proportion of the City banks, and consequently, the expenses of sending the notes home for redemption were thrown upon the Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank to such an extent as to render it a heavy burthen of expense to them over and above the amount paid to them. Under these circumstances, no fault can be reasonably found with that Bank for declining to go on with the redemption, but the blame must rest upon those banks who acted unfairly in the matter and faithlessly to their pledges, whether in the City or country. The consequences of this change, will be a gradual reduction of the circulation of all par bank notes again, for which the notes of the under par banks will be substituted through the agency of Brokers and Shavers who purchase them at a discount in the City and circulate them in the country, where they will absorb the legitimate circulation of par bank notes. This will give to the under par banks, an excessive and illegitimate circulation, and at the same time tempt them to extend their business to a dangerous position, as they have heretofore done. The question is, how are these evils to be remedied? It appears to us, that but one way is left to effect it, and that is, for the country par banks to cease the redemption of their notes also in Philadelphia, which will effectually place all the country banks, with regard to circulation, upon the same footing, and thus each bank will have its own legitimate circulation, instead of absorbing that of others, and thus "every tub (bank) will stand upon its own bottom." It seems then clear to us that the country par banks should at once cease to redeem their notes in Philadelphia, to protect themselves from the loss of their legitimate circulation, and save the public from the dangers of an excessive circulation of the present under par banks. But it may be said this will curtail the circulation of the City banks. We apprehend it will make no difference in their circulation, whether the whole or only a part of the country banks are under par, for they will never have much circulation in the country so long as Pennsylvania country bank notes are bought and sold at a discount in the City. We regret exceedingly that the late arrangement has been abandoned. It gave us a beautiful par currency, thanks to the city and country par banks. It was at their expense; and now that it has failed, we look to the next Legislature to enact a law that will restore it to us.—Such a law would do more to keep all the banks of the Commonwealth on a sound and safe basis, than all their tinkering at the bank note currency for the last ten years; and besides, will give to the people a more safe, valuable and convenient currency. In the meantime, if all the present par banks cease the redemption of their notes in the City, as we now think they should do, the people will have time to observe its workings before the next Legislature meets.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

"The Pirate," another volume of the cheap series of the Waverly Novels, now being published by T. B. Peterson & Brothers, 306 Chestnut, is out. We have already spoken of the enterprise of the firm, and must again recommend their cheap publications to the patronage of those who do not receive them.

"Cosmopolitan Art Journal."—The June number of the *Journal* is on our table. The principal illustration "The American Eagle Guarding the Spirit of Washington," dedicated to the Mount Vernon Association, by the Cosmopolitan Art Association, is artistically designed and executed, while the articles present much that is varied and excellent both in the subject-matter and in the illustrations. The leading paper is one of marked originality and clearness, calculated to inspire a feeling of satisfaction upon the part of the thoughtful reader. The illustrated poems are charming. The story "Phantom Wife" is one of great power and beauty. The other papers of the number are from able pens, and contribute to make up a number of great general interest. In an artistic point of view, the *Art Journal* is unquestionably, the ablest of American magazines.

We observe that the new engraving for the sixth year of the Association, is the celebrated "Shakspeare and His Friends," painted by John Faed, R. S. A., and engraved by his brother, James Faed, one of the best of living engravers. The plate was engraved to sell only to special subscribers, at forty dollars for a proof, and twenty for a print. Owing to its elaborate character it was not completed until eighteen months after its promised delivery to subscribers, which left the original owners (the house of Lloyd Brothers, London) unable to keep good their promises, and induced them to consent to the disposition of the plate and copyright. After months of negotiation and the payment of a large sum of money, the Association has become its possessor, and it will be the presentation plate for this year.

The engraving is, in size 22 by 28 inches, on heavy plate paper, 30 by 38 inches. It embraces a group of fifteen persons, "Shakspeare and His Friends," giving their authentic portraits, *en costume* of Queen Elizabeth's time. The figures are disposed in standing and sitting postures. Shakspeare, the central subject, is discoursing to "the Club," and all are subordinated to this fact, in a listening attitude. In the picture we have portraits of Shakspeare, Ben Jonson, Sir Walter Raleigh, Bacon, Beaumont, Fletcher, Seldon, Sylvester, Earl of Dorset, Camden, Donne, Earl of Southampton, Sir Robert Cotton, Dekker, and Daniel.

The plate is now in the printer's hands, and will be ready for delivery to subscribers after the 1st of September next. The Association states that its arrangements are such that there will be no delay in delivery this year. Subscriptions therefore, should be commenced at once.

Local Affairs.

WEEKLY ALMANAC.

1859—July.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Moon's changes. D. H. M.
9 Saturday,	4 36	7 33	
10 Sunday,	4 37	7 33	First Q. 7 0 58 m.
11 Monday,	4 38	7 32	Full M. 14 7 57 ev.
12 Tuesday,	4 39	7 32	Last Q. 21 10 22 ev.
13 Wednesday,	4 39	7 31	New M. 29 4 48 ev.
14 Thursday,	4 40	7 31	
15 Friday,	4 41	7 30	

Thermometrical Record for the Week.

P. R & P. Telegraph Office, *Pennsylvania Hall, Pottsville.*

	8 A. M.	2 P. M.	7 P. M.	
July 2—Saturday,	73°	90°	85°	cloudy.
" 4—Monday,	60	—	—	clear.
" 5—Tuesday,	69	71	66	"
" 6—Wednesday,	74	76	71	"
" 7—Thursday,	73	77	73	"
" 8—Friday,	76	87	84	"

The Burns Club.—A stated meeting of the members of the Club will be held at the Town Hall this evening.

A match between the married and single members of the Pottsville Cricket Club will take place on the grounds of the Club to-day.

A Cricket Match—the prize a ball—will be played on the ground of the Pottsville Cricket Club, on Wednesday next, between the first elevens of the Mechanic and Atlantic Cricket Clubs.

Many of our farmers have been busy at their wheat, this week. The wheat crop pushes the grass very closely this summer, the one being ready for taking in almost as early as the other.

The Rev. R. H. Austin entered upon his duties as Pastor of the Baptist Church of this Borough, on Sunday last. The church will be open for divine service, regularly every Sabbath, hereafter.

At the October election, the following officers will be elected in Schuylkill County:—Three Assemblymen, a District Attorney, Treasurer, Commissioner, Director of the Poor, County Surveyor and Auditor.

Naval.—Ass't Surgeon Robert L. Weber, of this Borough, has been ordered to the frigate Congress, now lying at Philadelphia, and in commission for the coast of Brazil. The Congress will sail in a few days.

Corner Stone Laying.—The corner stone of the German Reformed Church of this Borough, will be laid in Market street, on Sunday, 17th inst. Several able speakers from abroad will be present, and assist in the ceremonies. The public are invited to be present.

A game of single wicket was played on Thursday between Messrs. Fox, Green and Sillyman, and Messrs. Hunt, Ridgway and H. Snyder. The former in two innings scored 13; the latter, 2. Fox never bowled better. The defeated had the cool satisfaction of ice creaming their adversaries last evening.

Contested Military Election.—A board of officers consisting of Major General George M. Wynkoop, Colonel A. Loeser, and Lieutenant Colonel James J. Seibert, left on Friday for Carbon county, to hear allegation and proofs offered in a contested election case. The Board of officers has the power to set aside or confirm the election.

Fire.—On Tuesday morning at 7 o'clock, a frame stable at Norwegian and Sixth streets, the property of George S. Patterson & Co., was almost completely destroyed by fire. Two mules were rescued. All our fire companies were on the ground, promptly, and did good service in protecting the surrounding property. The origin of the fire is not known.

Railroad Accident.—A man by the name of Jos. Heath was killed on the railroad, near Donaldson's slope, Tamaqua, on the 4th of July last. He was supposed to have been intoxicated and either fell or had lain down on the track. He was horribly mangled, the engine cutting his body completely in two, and otherwise disfiguring him as almost to defy recognition. He leaves a wife and five children.

At a Stated Meeting of Pottsville Division No. 52, S. of T., the following officers were duly elected and installed for the ensuing term:—W. P., Chas. A. Bosbyshell; W. A., Lewis A. Bright; R. S., John T. Shoener; A. R. S., O. M. Bosbyshell; F. S., Saml. R. Whitney; T., Jeremiah Reed; C., Wm. M. Raudenbush; A. C., William Hill; I. S., Saml. Jones; O. S., John H. Dounsheimer; Chap., Peter Houck; A. Chap., Henry M. Chambers.

Mr. Hall Davis, whose ability in his art is generally recognized, has returned from a professional sojourn in Harrisburg. He will for a short time assist Mr. Allen, the well known daguerreotypist of this Borough, in the production of life-size photographs in oil, which are unquestionably, the finest works of art ever produced here. Those of our readers who have not yet examined these photographs, should pay Mr. Allen a visit at his rooms corner of Centre and East Market streets.

The Rev. Dr. Vinton of Philadelphia, in company with L. R. Coffin, Esq., made a flying visit, via Altoona and the Susquehanna, to our Mountain City, on Thursday of this week. After a hasty visit to surrounding points of interest, and catching here and there a commanding view of our scenery, with the Rev. Mr. Washburn, they dined together at Mt. Carbon, and parted with the hope of again returning at more leisure. This reminds us that the Mansion House, under the care of Miss Head, is a favorite resort of visitors seeking recreation and enjoyment.

Drinking Fountains are being put up throughout Philadelphia, by the orders of Councils. We regret that the matter of fountains in our streets was not acted upon more satisfactorily, by our Council. We presume the main difficulty with the Council is, the expense; but we believe the money thus expended would result in a great public benefit, by saving many from a drunkard's career. We have seen how welcome the water at Patterson's spring in Mahantongo street, is to the thirsty pedestrian, and we think that a number of such places established in town would check the drinking of intoxicating liquor, and be a convenience to strangers and citizens. The matter is certainly worth more than a mere passing consideration.

Directors of the Poor.—A regular monthly meeting was held at the Alms House, July 5th, 1859. Present, Amos Hoffman, N. H. Buts and Charles Focht.

The Steward reported the following as the census of the House up to the first day of July, 1859: Number in the House on the first day of July, 275; same time last year, 274; decrease, 1. Of the above, 67 are in the Insane Department, 43 children in the Nursery, and 70 are under medical treatment.

Admitted during the month of June, 37; born in the House, 1; discharged, 25; absconded, 94; deaths, 5; bound out, 5. 135 out-door paupers were furnished with lodging and meals during the month. Out-door relief was granted to 11 families, amounting to $60 75.

Bills were passed and ordered to be paid to the amount of	$ 2,278 07
Previously this year,	12,590 63
Total,	$14,868 70

Corner-Stone of Grace Church, Cressona.—On Thursday afternoon of last week, 30th ult., the citizens of our young neighboring Borough of Cressona, assembled in goodly numbers to witness the ceremonies of planting a new church edifice, with appropriate religious services, according to the usages and principles of Protestant Episcopacy.

The site given by John C. Cresson, Esq., is near the residence of R. A. Wilder, Esq., by whom the stone material is contributed. At six o'clock the vestrymen and clergy in attendance, moved in procession to the ground on which the foundation walls are already constructed, and led by the Rev. Mr. Latimer, repeated the 122nd Psalm.

The Rev. Mr. Washburn, of Pottsville, then laid the corner stone in the name of the Trinity, saying, "Other foundation can no man lay than that is laid which is Jesus Christ." Addresses were made by Messrs. Washburn, Byllesby and Latimer. The singing and all the exercises were delightful. The edifice will be capacious and durable, an ornament to the Borough, and altogether, the enterprise is to be hailed as a movement of happy promise.

Frost in July.—The rare occurrence of a white frost on nights in succession in July, was witnessed in this County this week. The unusually cold summer of 1816 is thus referred to by a correspondent of the Philadelphia *Press*:

"A word, now, as to the improbability of a June frost injuring the wheat crop at all. The most striking instance on record of a *cold summer* was that of 1816. In fact, by men now living, I have frequently heard the year 1816 spoken of as *the year without a summer,* on account of its remarkable meteorological phenomenon of its having produced *ice,* in this latitude, every month throughout the entire year. Its average temperature in this city was only forty-nine degrees; the lowest I believe, ever known before or since. The same comparatively, extraordinary low temperature of that year was experienced not only throughout this country, but in England, all over the continent of Europe, and even in Africa and the West Indies. It may be observed, by the way, that, contrary to the general received opinion, that seasons in their successions balance each other in their extremes of temperature, this remarkably cold year was followed by an equally cold winter, extending from January, 1817, until late in March, as may be inferred from the fact that the Potomac river was completely frozen over at Alexandria, and that the Delaware was closed from the 2d of February until the 9th of March, an ox having been roasted on the ice, opposite this city, on the 22d of February, of that year."

Cricket Match at Port Carbon.—On Monday a match between the married and single members of the Port Carbon Cricket Club, was played. By the annexed score of the game it will be perceived that the single men were victorious by 11 runs, and 5 wickets to go down. Bad for the married men of the Club. The married members of the Pottsville Club are not so easily "taken down:"

MARRIED.

First Inning.		Second Inning.	
G. W. Snyder, c Purcill b Davis	6	c & b Stanton	1
J. E. Gibson, c & b Teasdale	3	not out	5
R. Allison, run out	4	c Allison b Downing	9
P. Gariss, b Davis	17	c Allison b Stanton	0
J. Rudy, c Allison b Teasdale	3	b Davis	3
J. Bow, b Davis	1	b Davis	0
J. Gillaspie, c Allison b Teasdale	4	Stumpt G. W. Snyder	0
H. Hain, b Davis	6	c Davis b Stanton	0
J. Kepley, b Teasdale	2	b Stanton	14
L. W. Snyder, run out	8	b Downing	1
M. Higgins, b Davis	9	b Stanton	0
L. Hilbert, not out	1	run out	7
Byes	9	Byes	13
	73		53

SINGLE.

First Inning.		Second Inning.	
W. N. Davis, b L. Snyder	33	b G. W. Snyder	23
J. Teasdale, b L. Snyder	1	st. Snyder	2
C. W. Snyder, b R. Allison	5	not out	25
J. Seligman, b L. Snyder	0	b Allison	3
Jos. Seligman, st Kepley	0	not out	
G. Downing, st. Allison	0	b Allison	0
G. Holder, not out	1	not out	
W. Gariss, b Snyder	0	not out	
D. Purcill, b R. Allison	0	not out	
A. Allison, b R. Allison	2	not out	9
T. Gariss, c Snyder, b R. Allison	4	b Allison	4
J. Stanton, b R. Allison	4	b Allison	3
Byes	9	Byes	9
	59		78

UMPIRES.

For Married, Jos. Bow.
" Single, H. Snyder.

Retailers Licenses.—According to the return of the Appraiser, the number of persons engaged in selling merchandise and produce of all descriptions, except spirituous and malt liquors, in Schuylkill County, numbers 545, and are distributed as follows:

IN BOROUGHS.

Pottsville,	150	Orwigsburg,	7
Tamaqua,	49	Cressona,	6
Minersville,	49	Middleport,	5
St Clair,	40	Port Clinton,	4
Schuylkill Haven,	40	Auburn,	4
Ashland	31	Palo Alto,	2
Port Carbon,	16		
Tremont,	15	Total in Boroughs,	435
Pinegrove,	15		

IN TOWNSHIPS.

Blythe,	10	Pinegrove,	4
North Manheim,	9	Wayne,	4
Upper Mahantango,	8	Barry,	3
New Castle,	7	Frailey,	3
Union,	7	Reilly,	3
West Penn,	7	West Brunswig,	2
Schuylkill,	5	Butler,	2
East Brunswig,	5	Mahanoy,	1
Eldred,	5	South Manheim,	1
Cass,	4	Norwegian,	1
Hegins,	4	Porter,	1
Branch,	4	Washington,	1
Foster,	4		
Hubley,	4	Total in Townships,	112
Add Boroughs,			433
Total in County,			545
Of this number there are in the Coal Region and at Coal Landings,			468
In balance of County,			77
			545

This is a formidable list, giving one licensed retailer to every 165 inhabitants, estimating the population at 90,000 for the County. Too many traffickers for the number of producers. A county cannot be substantially prosperous nor wealthy, when such is the case.

It will be observed as a curious feature of the above statement, that Tamaqua and Minersville, and St. Clair and Schuylkill Haven are "neck and neck" in the number of retailers each has.

Handsome Women to Travel With.—If it is in contemplation to spend several days at a time in hotels in cities, or in small towns, or to be a good deal in steamboats, to do so with the largest amount of comfort and complacence, in consequence of having the best things and the best places, the first and best and promptest attention from landlords, clerks and servants, *travel with a handsome woman.* There is nothing like it. No fairy wand will transmogrify things as Beauty. It types the scent everywhere. It commands everybody, from hostler to host. You may yourself be nobody, you may have a pug nose, a red head; you may be a perfect "duck" of a man—so short and fat that you can't make even a respectable waddle; your face may be pock-marked; your back may be humped; your shanks a perfect spindle, and your leg a bow—only have a magnificent woman along, and for her sake you will be treated all your journey through as seigniors treat a master, as courtiers treat their king. We have tried it reader, in our earlier years and later, and know its delight; not bothering ourselves with any over-nice discriminations, comfort is comfort, whatever may be the motive from which it springs. A diamond is a diamond, although washed from the mud by a blackamoor. We would also suggest that if you wish anything made up neatly and expeditiously, before you start, to procure one of Grover & Baker's Sewing Machines, for which Green & Hoffman, Centre street, this Borough, are Agents.

The Season.—Summer is upon us at length, in spite of the rains, the cold and the damp weather that we have experienced in a remarkable degree, during the season so far; Summer is upon us, flush in the full blown beauty of growth and garb. Broad tree shade, and smiling meadows clothe, the both green vales; and over a thousand hills is spread, the umbrageous foliage of long stretches of forest. Not that "forest primeval" whereof Longfellow sings; that forest of giant pines, dark, stern and uninviting, where only birds of prey delight to nest, and the cry of the wolf renders night hideous; not that grim forest, suggestive of Norway's cold and wolf hunts on Siberian steppes, but a softer and more pleasant "second growth," where walnut and chestnut, rock maple and ash, birch and butternut, spread their cool arbors over ground tempting for pic-nic parties.

Pic-nic parties! with plenty of girls, ("flats," ribbon, dainty bits of bonnets, smiles, bewitching ways, coquettery, little baskets containing frosted cakes, ham sandwiches and oranges—these things constitute the pic-nic style of a young lady,) with an excellent assorted complement of beaux, with a sufficiently wholesome quantity of lunch, a clear sky and just breeze enough to toss the curls from girlhood's dimpling shoulders. Ah! those pic-nics! We remember, now, a shady lane which led to a spring cooler than ever was water in the old oaken bucket—but we intend to keep that remembrance amongst the other treasured up joys of youth. Who has them not, these memories, and who, for untold gold, would part with them?

Summer has come. Hot fields for the farmer, dusty offices for the lawyer, tiresome counters for the tradesman, cross patients for the doctor.

Summer is here in truth, and it is a season as much enjoyed, probably, and more longed for, than any in the year. It ripens the grain and it invites to the free air and the wholesome breezes.

Proceedings of the Borough Council.—A stated meeting of the Borough Council was held on Tuesday evening, July 5. Present, Messrs. Mennig, Innes, Boone, Nagle, Pellnagle, Haywood, Hoover, Christian, Kienzle, the President, Mr. Nice, in the chair.

Minutes of last meeting read and adopted.

The reports of standing committees being in order, they were made in writing as follows:

Street Committee.—Reported crossings at Fourth and Fifth streets, and Norwegian, and at Second and Market streets, finished.—Reported in favor of crossing in Coal street, opposite R. Morris's property.—No report in relation to wall in Morris' Addition, for want of grade.—Continued on all other work in its hands.

Committee of Lamp and Watch.—Reported statement of Wm. Riland, watchman, which was referred back to the Com. for investigation into the charges.

Committee of Survey.—Read report of Borough Surveyor for grade of East Centre street.—The report was accepted, and the Com. was instructed to prepare an ordinance in accordance therewith.—Read report of the Borough Surveyor on width of Norwegian street near George. The report was accepted and ordered to be filed. [This matter will come up before the Court for adjudication.]

Committee of Accounts.—Reported bill of A. Schertle, for services as Borough Treasurer, Incorrect. On motion an order for $50 in his favor was ordered to be drawn.

A petition from the Pottsville Cornet Band for an appropriation to aid it in purchasing new musical instruments, was on motion, laid on the table.

A petition from citizens praying that Fairview street may be opened, was referred to the Street Com.

A petition from citizens asking for repairs on street at Womelsdorf's distillery, was referred to the Com. of Survey.

A petition from Anthony Garner, praying that a culvert may be constructed to carry off water at his property; was laid on the table.

On motion the Street Com. was instructed to erect a railing on the turnpike between Pottsville and Fishbach, where it is deemed necessary.

On motion of Mr. Innes, it was resolved that the Street Com. be authorised to make a contract to continue the culvert now being constructed in Morris' Addition, from Centre to Second street.

On motion of Mr. Innes it was resolved that the Com. of Survey be instructed to report a grade for Railroad street, in Morris' Addition, and to have the grade in Market street altered to correspond therewith.

On motion the Street Com. was instructed to erect a crossing in Coal street opposite R. Morris's residence.

On motion the salary of the Borough Treasurer was placed at the old sum, $100 per annum.—At a previous meeting it had been increased to $200.

On motion of Mr. Boone the Clerk was instructed to post the ledger from the commencement of the present fiscal year of the Borough.

On motion of Mr. Haywood it was resolved that the rate of the Borough tax for the current year, be fixed at 10 mills on the dollar.

A communication from J. Wright, Esq., in reference to the opening of Arch street interfering with his stable, was referred to a Special Committee composed of Messrs. Innes, Hoover and Nagle.

The following bills were read and ordered to be paid:

C. Wormsen and others,	$154 00
J. B. Reed,	9 00
W. L. Whitney,	50 00
Four Watchmen,	120 00
Bright & Lerch,	11 55
S. Lewis,	4 55
F. Barth,	13 52
A. Schertle,	50 00
	$453 57
Previous issue,	1,574 71
Total,	$2,028 28

Adjourned.

The Fourth.—The day was observed here with considerable spirit, with about the usual number towards evening, of intoxicated individuals, and personal encounters growing therefrom.

At 4 o'clock, A. M., the day was welcomed in by a national salute fired by the Washington Artillery Company, with its field piece. This was accompanied by the ringing of bells, in which all the fire companies participated.

At 8 o'clock the Washington Artillerists, Capt. James Nagle, left their armory with fifty-two muskets, and five officers, and marched in double files and at double quick step—a new drill adopted from the Zouave style—to the Exchange Hotel, in front of which the corps drew up to receive a new silk flag, a present from the ladies of Pottsville. The flag was presented by the Hon. James H. Campbell, in the happiest manner, and received on behalf of the corps by Lieutenant Francis B. Wallace. Several of the lady donors occupied the piazza of the Exchange Hotel, during the presentation ceremony. The flag has thirty-three stars on the blue field, the present number of States in the confederacy. It is very handsome, and is undoubtedly, highly appreciated by the corps. The Artillerists afterwards paraded through the streets of the Borough, and attracted much attention in consequence of the precision of their evolutions and soldierly appearance. We understand that in consequence of their contemplated New York excursion, no new members will be elected into the corps for three months after Monday evening next. The object is, to have the Company thoroughly well drilled at the time of its visit. In the interval the sections of the corps will be drilled by their respective officers, on different evenings in the week. A good idea.

At 7 o'clock the Scott Rifle Company, Capt. A. Loeser, paraded for target practice. The corps proceeded to the new basin, where after making some excellent shooting, putting sixty-three out of ninety-nine balls into the target, the first prize, company medal, was awarded to Sergeant Joseph Quinn. The Company afterwards went through firing and other evolutions in our streets, very creditably. They had out 32 men.

The National Light Infantry, Capt. E. McDonald, and Washington Yeagers, Capt. Strauss, also paraded, and looked remarkably well. The Infantry wore its new hat, of the same style as that of the National Guards of Philadelphia. It is a neat hat, having at present a black pompoon.—The Company, we understand, intends adopting in connection with it, a white plume.

The Troop returned on the morning of the Fourth from its encampment at Tremont. The other companies also encamped were, the Pinegrove Infantry and Donaldson Rifles. Everything passed off well with the exception of a slight accident on Saturday as a small cannon was being discharged. By some means fire communicated to a powder horn, which the cannoniers were using. It exploded, burning but not seriously, three men.

During the afternoon of the Fourth, an election for Major General of the Division, took place at the Court House. We have not heard the result, as four counties are to be heard from; but we presume, as there was no known opposition to him, that Gen. George Wynkoop has been re-elected.

The Festival at the grounds attached to Miss Walker's residence, opposite Mount Carbon, for the benefit of the Mount Vernon Fund, was very successful not only in a pecuniary but in a social point of view. During the day a large number of persons visited [illegible]. The Reading Cornet Band, numbering twenty-two performers, enlivened the scene with excellent music, while at intervals the dancing platform, charmingly located between two immense pine trees, was occupied by belles and beaux, who "tripped it on the light fantastic toe." Tables containing refreshments, etc., were interspersed throughout the grounds, in the shade of noble trees, and the ladies who attended them appeared to be kept busy in supplying the wants of customers. The Vice Regent of the Fund, for Pennsylvania, and the Lady Manager for Schuylkill County, were present. The gentlemen and ladies upon whom devolved the various arrangements, executed their respective trusts admirably, thereby contributing materially, to the delightful manner in which everything passed off. We think that a similar pic-nic should be a feature of next Fourth. It certainly, is a rational, social and pleasant way of observing the day. The Reading Band returned home on Tuesday afternoon. We must express to it our acknowledgments for a serenade previous to its departure. It is certainly a fine Band, one of which Reading may well be proud.

In the evening the usual number of sky-rockets, roman candles, etc., were displayed, the Fourth closing with a national salute from the Artillerists' field piece, and small fire-works of the citizens.

"A Journey through the Schuylkill Valley."—This is the title of a series of papers now being published in the Doylestown *Intelligencer.* The annexed, which is the last published, gives a stranger's impressions of a portion of our County. It contains some immaterial errors; but, on the whole, is calculated to amuse and interest. We therefore transfer it to our columns:

At the conclusion of my last number I had arrived at Port Clinton. It is situate on the eastern side of the river, and is a place of much business. According to the size of it, and the opportunities I had of judging from transient observation, I am of opinion that it is the greatest place of trade on the route. The railroad to Elmira, via Tamaqua and other places, intersects the Reading railroad at this place, and here a train of cars to convey passengers to Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre, Mauch Chunk, and intermediate stations, connects with the train going to and from Philadelphia to Pottsville, twice each day. Port Clinton is in Schuylkill county, near the line of Berks, and opposite the junction of the Little Schuylkill river, in a very mountainous region. As we proceed on our journey above the junction of the Little and Big Schuylkill, as they are here called, the latter continues winding its way through the defiles of the mountain, in a very sinuous course. It here becomes very small—much smaller than the Neshaminy twenty miles above tide water—but this is, in a great measure, owing to the great body of the water being turned out of its regular course, where it had flowed in its native grandeur for thousands of years before the foot of civilized man ever trod these shores, in order to supply the canals with water, and render navigation at all seasons practicable, when not prevented by freezing. As a proof of this, the attentive observer has only to view the canals and dams on the route.

On either side of the river, as we pass on the road after entering the Blue Ridge, a short distance above Hamburg, the hills and mountains rise to a great height, sometimes at least twelve hundred feet, and at the bottom of these hills, in a narrow vale, flows the river, and in many places the space between it and the mountain is merely sufficient for the construction of the road. The population along this part of the road is very sparse, and there is but very little ground that can be cultivated; but where I saw small portions of it lying near the river banks, as I sometimes observed was the case, and these were placed under cultivation, they had the appearance of being a fruitful soil. In no part of my travels have I seen a better prospect of fruit of all kinds, (if I should judge from the quantity of blossoms,) than appeared on the small portions of cultivated land on this part of the road. The farms, if they may be so called, were small; the buildings generally old, and not bearing any evidence of modern style—rustic cottages of small dimensions. Yet the land appeared well cultivated, and producing many of the necessaries of life—small meadows well set with grass; and while the inhabitants moved in a small scale of business, I was ready to conclude that they realized the truth of the poet's description of "Pious Edgar's Home."—

"A rustic cot, small yet convenient;
For his wants were few, and Edgar
Knowing what all men should know,
Was with his lot contented."

I viewed the people, alluded to, in these rural vales contented and happy in their allotted stations.

After leaving Port Clinton we next arrive at Auburn, a small place of recent origin, but at present of little importance; yet it is not impossible for it to rise in the scale of importance. We merely halted long enough here to discharge and receive a few passengers. Proceeding onward, we next arrive at Orwigsburg station, (so called to perpetuate the name of the former county seat of Schuylkill county.) It is an unimportant place, being but little else than a station house, and a few other buildings. We stopped but a very little time at this place. Proceeding onward about three miles further we enter a narrow but very fertile valley, dotted with well improved and cultivated farms, and the only tillable land of any importance that we meet with after entering Schuylkill county, and soon arrived at Schuylkill Haven, eighty-nine miles from Philadelphia. It is a beautiful and thriving village, containing probably four thousand inhabitants, and is the principal depot for the shipment of coal, both by canal and railway. Here the canal commences—the railroad continues on to Pottsville. The scenery around and about this place is the most beautiful, in my view, of any I met with on the journey. Three miles above this place we reach Mount Carbon. This is also a place of considerable business, and large quantities of coal are also shipped from this place since the construction of the railroad. When first constructed it terminated at this place, and several laterals were constructed from here to the coal mines in the vicinity of Port Carbon, St. Clair, Tuscarora, and other mining districts, and at this time there is, to all appearances, more business done in the shipment of coal here than at Pottsville. Continuing about a mile further on, we arrived at the end of our journey at Pottsville, the seat of justice for Schuylkill county—the great centre of the anthracite coal trade, and the residence of many of the most active business men, such as merchants, coal operators, mechanics, manufacturers and capitalists, that are to be found in any portion of the State. It has likewise no lack of professional men, such as lawyers, clergymen and physicians, and a goodly share of speculators and land agents, if we may judge from the number of signs that everywhere meet the view in passing through the streets.

But I have got a little in advance of my narrative, and must return to our arrival at the depot at Pottsville. We arrived at half-past seven o'clock, too late to make many observations as it was then nearly dark. A little girl, whom we met with upon landing, offered to conduct us to the house of Henry Acker, editor of the Pottsville *Standard,* and brother-in-law to the young man whose funeral we had come to attend. Soon after leaving the depot he met us and conducted us to his house, where we tarried for the night and received a cordial welcome at his well-filled table. The next morning he conveyed us to Port Carbon to attend the funeral of his associate editor, in the afternoon of the day at three o'clock.

I remained at Pt. Carbon until the next morning, having intended to return to Norristown in the morning train; but having never before been at the place, and not having had much opportunity of viewing the same, I concluded to remain until the afternoon, in order that I might have an opportunity of viewing at least some portions of Pt. Carbon, Pottsville, and the portion of country lying between them—regretting that arrangements being made previous to my coming here, rendered it absolutely necessary for me to return at this time. As my stay was short, and the greater part of the time spent there being on the first day of the week, I could make but few observations.

The whole length and breadth of the country, as far as my observations extended, is very rugged and mountainous. Running nearly parallel to each other, in the vicinity of Mt. Carbon are numerous hills or mountains, and in the plains between them are fruitful vales, generally laid off in small lots, upon which are erected buildings, for the accommodation of those who are engaged in mining—these buildings, generally, being neither commodious, elegant nor durable; great numbers of them having been hastily erected soon after the mania for speculation in coal and coal lands began to engross so much attention among speculators. The eagerness to obtain coal lands, and to dig coal, caused a tide of emigration to the place, about thirty years ago, to so great an extent that, in order to accommodate miners and other laboring men, with their families, small frame buildings were framed in Philadelphia and many other places on the canal, placed on boats and conveyed to the place and erected as soon as possible, and before being properly finished the persons for whom they were intended removed into them. The town of Mt. Carbon was first formed by buildings of this kind, before a town was erected at Pottsville. I shall now draw this number to a conclusion, and resume a further description of Mt. Carbon and of Pottsville in my next. H. W.

[CORRESPONDENCE OF MINERS' JOURNAL.]

THE FOURTH IN PORT CARBON.

Port Carbon, July 6th, 1859.

Eds. Miners' Journal:—For once within the last year our citizens have had a grand jollification—have been "patriotic," too, judging from the number of fights that occurred on the 4th. Blood was freely spilt but it "warnt the gluiwine" article—too pale, and had no stamina—ran freely, and displayed at the same time, both a pugilistic and hemorrhagic "diathesis," (I think the medical fraternity call it by that name.) It was plentifully diluted with whisky, brandy, lager, &c. Four law suits are the result of their patriotic fervor. One odd genius slightly inebriated held forth to an admiring and appreciative audience—on the text of Moses and the burning bush. "Oh," says he, "that Moses was a great old fellow, a perfect brick," when a left-hander from some saucy juvenile laid our itinerant preacher in the gutter doubled up like a jack knife, knocking all his scriptural quotations into a confused mass. Our cricketers, too, have had their share of the popular excitement. A match was played between the married and single. Before the match the married men were sanguine of success in one inning; but, alas for their fondly cherished hopes, they suffered defeat, the single men showing their pluck by good batting, fielding and freely betting on the result; P. Garis for the married men batting well, but Davis on the part of the single, driving the balls flying through the field. His batting showed a perfect abhorrence of the married state. We heard a married outsider freely offering so much cash to any man that would get Davis out. But his wickets stood for 33 when a wicket ball drove the bails. Three cheers from his party greeted him as he left his wickets. One old married man, of we should judge, seventy-five years of age, was upon the ground cheering the single men on. We came to the conclusion that the old gentleman didn't enjoy the married state any too well. The married men wended their way home sorrowing sorrowfully and mourning over their defeat; but try it again, gentlemen. For the love you bear your better halves, don't let those urchins crow over your defeat—try them again, don't give up. They strut too much with their new honors, and want to be beaten—turn the tables upon them. While on cricket, we may say that we were never more pleased than when we saw the young men of our town assembled upon the ground away from drinking houses, spending their time so profitably in this manly game, while the pure, cold water peeling in the bucket from one player to another seemed to imply a determination not to mar the game by the introduction of any malt or spirituous liquor. Go on, gentlemen in this course, and you will find that in the long run cold water pays best both for health and the pocket. In the rear of the principal amusement, was the throwing of fire balls—rather a dangerous practice we should think—and one that should not be encouraged. Our Rifle Companies paraded in uniform and presented a good appearance; the Marions looking (as they always do) well and drilling beautifully. They intend adopting the Marion light suit—blue breeches, hunting shirt, &c., and will then parade about 60 rifles. R. Allison, Captain, he having been elected again. More anon. In the meantime, Yours truly, VOX.

[CORRESPONDENCE OF THE MINERS' JOURNAL.]

THE FOURTH IN SCHUYLKILL HAVEN.

Schuylkill Haven, July 6, 1859.

Messrs. Eds.—Before dawn the American Flag floated in front of Washington Hall, and the Brass Band marched through the place. At 4½ o'clock the school all rang together the patriots of '59, and at 5 the meeting was organized, by choosing Wm. A. Field, President, and Geo. B. Allen, Secretary. The Declaration of Independence was read by Rev. Geo. A. Latimer, and speeches were made by Messrs. Allen, Potter, Latimer and Field.

After passing the resolution that the proceedings of this meeting be published in the Miners' Journal, we adjourned to partake of the collations prepared for us at our respective breakfast tables; feeling that it was good for us to be there.

The Sabbath Schools connected with the St. Paul's, United Brethren, and New Jerusalem Churches, had pic nics, and all seemed to enjoy themselves very much. Yours, A.

OPEN YOUR EYES, AND CLOSE YOUR LIPS.

BY THE BARD OF TOWER HALL.

O, ope your eyes, and close your lips,
If you would happy be;
For some we have in Freedom's land
With tongues, alas! so free,
That with their neighbor's business
They take much liberty.

From house to house, on mischief bent,
These tattling vipers go,
With tales of "Mr. What's his name,"
And "Mrs. So and So,"
That are but gossip's bubbles, which
Too many like to blow.

They shake their heads, when dresses new
Are worn by Mrs. A.,
For Mr. What you call him said
To Mr. B., folks say,
That some one told a friend of his,
He guessed she didn't pay.

If news we get of some mishap
In Maine or Mexico,
So unexpected that we start,
And, sighing, cry out oh!
These tattlers pucker up their mouths,
And say, "I told you so!"

Thank Heaven that slanderers, in snares
For others set, are caught,
And often to their bosoms fly
The shafts for others brought—
Thus slanderous words, "like chickens are,
That will come home to roost."

Full oft within a house or heart,
Some weed of wrong may be,
Of which the slanderer's tongue may make
A spreading upas tree—
Then ope your eyes, and close your lips,
Nor talk of half you see.

But if you go to Tower Hall,
And purchase bargains rare,
You should not close your lips, but tell
Of Bennett's prices fair,
So that the pleasure you enjoy
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Alpaca, Linen and Marseilles Coats, Vests and Pants, in great variety, at very low prices, at
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July 31, 1858. 31-eowly

The Sickles Trial.—The Speech of Mr. Graham.—Mr. Graham finished his great speech on behalf of Mr. Sickles, to-day. Mr. G. spoke at length, defining the law of the land, and giving his views of Scripture law. After speaking several hours he made a brilliant peroration which he finished with the following remarkable words: "And now, gentlemen of the jury, I have but one word more to say, and that is that I trust that every man will leave his seat at the adjournment of the Court, to-day, with a firm determination to obtain all his garments at the Brown Stone Clothing Hall of Rockhill & Wilson, Nos. 603 and 605 Chestnut street, above Sixth, Philadelphia."

The Immense Popularity of the Eau Athenienne, or Hair Restorer of Jules Hauel, has created a demand unprecedented over the entire country. Persons afflicted with baldness for years, after using it a short time, are gladdened by the appearance of a new and luxurious growth of hair. Imparting a vivifying influence to the cuticle of the head, it prevents the hair from falling off. And gray hairs and whiskers are quickly changed to their original life-color by its chemical action, and yet it is not a dye, nor will it soil the skin or finest linen. For sale by all Druggists, and at the Laboratory of Jules Hauel & Co., No. 704 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.

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EVERY KIND OF HUMOR,
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He has tried it in over eleven hundred cases, and never failed except in two cases, (both thunder humor.) He has now in his possession over one hundred certificates of its value all within twenty miles of Boston.

Two bottles are warranted to cure a nursing sore mouth.

One to three bottles will cure the worst kind of pimples on the face.

Two or three bottles will clear the system of biles.

Two bottles are warranted to cure the worst canker in the mouth and stomach.

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One or two bottles are warranted to cure all humor in the eyes.

Two bottles are warranted to cure running of the ears and blotches among the hair.

Four to six bottles are warranted to cure corrupt and running ulcers.

One bottle will cure scaly eruptions of the skin.

Two or three bottles are warranted to cure the worst kind of ringworm.

Two or three bottles are warranted to cure the most desperate case of Rheumatism.

Three to four bottles are warranted to cure salt-rheum.

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Directions for use:—Adults, one tablespoonful per day. Children over ten years, dessert-spoonful; Children from five to eight years, teaspoonful. As no directions can be applicable to all constitutions, take sufficient to operate on the bowels twice a day.

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Religious Intelligence.

CORNER-STONE LAYING.

THE Corner-Stone of the German Reformed Church of Pottsville, will be laid on SUNDAY, July 17th, 1859, in Market street, in the Borough of Pottsville. Services will commence at 10 o'clock A. M., 2 o'clock, P. M., and in the evening. The friends of Religion, and the public generally, are invited to attend. Several able speakers from abroad will be present to officiate on the occasion. Services will be held in both the English and German languages.

A. W. STERNER, GEORGE FISHER, JOS. DERHENN, } *Building Committee.*

NOTICES.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Second Street, Pottsville, Rev. H. E. Gilroy, Pastor. Divine service every Sabbath at 10 A. M. and at 7½ P. M.

REGULAR BAPTIST CHURCH, Mahantango st., Rev. R. H. Austin, Pastor. Services every Lord's Day, at 10½ A. M., and 8 P. M. Lecture and Prayer—Thursday Evenings. Free Pews.

ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH, Market Square, Pottsville, Rev. W. H. Luckenbach, Pastor. Divine service in this Church regularly every Sunday. Morning, at 10½ o'clock; evening, at 7 o'clock. Weekly Prayer Meeting, Thursday evening, at 7 o'clock.

THE SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH will worship regularly at the Associate Reformed Church Building, Market street—Rev. Samuel Colt, Pastor—Sabbath morning, at 10½ o'clock; evenings at 7 o'clock. Weekly Lecture and Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evenings, at 7 o'clock.

DIED.

REIFSNYDER—On the 7th inst., Angeline, wife of Washington Reifsnyder, aged 25 years, 3 months and 21 days.

The friends and relatives of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of her husband, at the County Prison, on Sunday afternoon, July 10th, at 2 o'clock, without further notice.

WANTED.

WANTED—By a skillful and experienced manager of Coal Mines, a situation as head Mining Agent who thoroughly understands the laying off and working of both pillar and long wall, and is as good a ventilator of dangerous mines as can be found, and can produce the best references and testimonials. Address A. B. C. Richmond, Virginia.
July 9, '59 28-1tc

ESTRAY.

STRAY COW.—Strayed away from the subscriber, residing at the East Mines, on Friday, the 24th ult., a small YELLOW COW, with a white tail, with large horns turned up. Whoever will return said cow to the subscriber, or give him information where he can get her again, will be reasonably rewarded. PATRICK FORD.
July 2, '59 28-3t*

STRAY COW.—Strayed away from St. Clair, June 19th, a Dark brindled COW, with a brass chain about the neck, with bell attached, and having a white stripe up the right side, which extends over the back and part way down the left side, just behind the shoulder. Whoever will return said cow to the subscriber, or give him information where he can get her again, will be reasonably rewarded. THOMAS BUTTERWICK.
St. Clair, July 2, '59. 27-3t*

DISSOLUTION.

DISSOLUTION.—The Co-Partnership heretofore existing between E. A. Beatty and John Heebner was dissolved by mutual consent on the 6th of July, 1859. The business of the firm will be settled by E. A. Beatty, who will continue the business in his own name. E. A. BEATTY, JNO. HEEBNER.
Pottsville, July 9, '59 28-6t

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—Notice is hereby given that the partnership existing between J. & J. S. RAUDENBUSH, in the mercantile business, in Port Carbon, Schuylkill county, Pa., was dissolved on the Sixth day of July, A. D., 1859, by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said firm are to be received by said Joseph S. Raudenbush, and all demands on said firm are to be presented to the said Joseph S. Raudenbush, by whom the business will hereafter be continued. JESSE RAUDENBUSH, JOSEPH S. RAUDENBUSH.
Port Carbon, July 9, '59 28-6t*

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—Notice is hereby given that the partnership of A. Hexter & Co., was dissolved on the 13th inst., and the business of the late firm is now conducted by the undersigned. G. STRATTON, WILLIAM JAMES.
Pottsville, June 17, '59 25-6t

DISSOLUTION.—The Co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm of TURNER & GOWEN, is this day dissolved, by mutual consent. The business of mining and shipping Coal from the Mount Laffee Collieries, will hereafter be continued by Franklin B. Gowen. JAMES G. TURNER, FRANKLIN B. GOWEN.
June 1, '59 25-6t

NOTICES.

NOTICE.—Whereas the subscribers have loaned to JOHN EDWARDS, of Port Carbon, Schuylkill county, one Bay Mule and one Black Horse, during our pleasure. The public are hereby cautioned not to molest said property, as it belongs to us. FRECK & SPENCER.
Minersville, July 9, '59 28-3t

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the semi annual meeting of the stockholders of the St. Clair Saving Fund Association of St. Clair, will be held on FRIDAY, the 12th day of August, 1859, at 7½ o'clock, P. M., at the Creek School House. All persons will be taken to close out the Association. All persons interested are requested to attend. JOHN B. REED, *Secretary.*
St. Clair, July 9, '59 28 3t

CAUTION.—The public are hereby cautioned and notified not to negotiate for a Coal Lease Mortgage from Mary Bowman, wife of Peter Bowman, to the subscriber, dated Jan. 8, 1859, conditioned to pay percentage on Coal to the amount of $15,857 46, secured on the Big Tucker Vein, situate in the township of Blythe, Schuylkill county, Pa., being on the Mary and Reuben Davis Tract. Recorded (No. 1220,) in Recorder's Office of Schuylkill county, at Pottsville, January 8, 1859. JAMES McCAMBRIDGE.
July 5, '59 28-4t

IN the Court of Common Pleas of Schuylkill county—
WILLIAM H. SEIBERT, vs. LEVI S. SPANGLER. } No. 55, June T., 1859. *Fi. Fa.*
JOSEPH COOVER, vs. Same Defendant. } No. 56, June T., 1859, *Fi. Fa.*
The undersigned Auditor appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Schuylkill county, to distribute the funds in Court made upon the above executions among the creditors entitled to receive the same, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office, in the Borough of Pottsville, on Wednesday, the 27th day of July, A. D., 1859, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day. LIN. BARTHOLOMEW, *Auditor.*
July 9, '59 28-3t

NOTICE.—All persons are cautioned not to let my wife have goods on credit, as I will pay no debts of her contracting. HENRY CARTER.
Palo Alto, July 2, '59 27-3t*

NOTICE.—Whereas my wife, MARY MILLER, having left my bed and board without any just cause, I hereby forbid any person from trusting her on my account, as I will pay no debts of her contracting. ANDREW MILLER.
Llewellyn, July 2, '59 27 3t*

TREMONT ODD FELLOWS' HALL ASSOCIATION.—The Board of Trustees have declared a dividend of Twelve per cent., or One Dollar and Twenty Cents on each share of stock, payable on the 15th of July, by the Treasurer, B. R. Althouse, at Tremont. T. A. GODFREY, *Sec'y.*
July 2, '59 27-3t

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the Horse, Buggy and Harness, in the care and possession of Dr. BENJ. BECKER, is the property of the subscribers, and loaned to him at our pleasure. SARAH BECKER, BENJ. HOSSLER.
Cressona, June 20, '59 26-4t

NOTICE.—The SCHUYLKILL COUNTY AGRICULTURAL, HORTICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL ASSOCIATION will hold their Fourth Annual Exhibition at Schuylkill Haven on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, October 4th, 5th and 6th, 1859. J. J. PAXSON, *President.*
J. S. Keller, *Rec. Sec'y.*
June 11, '59 24-17t

NOTICE.—The undersigned hereby gives notice that he has purchased from H. C. HAIN, of Pinegrove, the following personal property, viz:—1 Canal Boat named "Mount Vernon;" 1 Black Horse named "Frank;" 1 Dun Horse named "Billy;" all his Lumber at Stutzman's Saw Mill; 2 Hogs; Book Accounts, and other articles. All persons are hereby notified not to levy or remove the said property. W. B. MAYBERRY.
Tremont, June 27, '59 27-3t

A CARD.—I noticed in the MINERS' JOURNAL of the 18th inst., a card, dated June 15th, 1859, signed by JOSEPH BIRD, one of the firm of Bird & Douty, stating that a note purporting to be signed by Bird & Douty, in favor of Fox & Brother, for Eight Hundred and Forty Dollars, dated April 21st, 1859, at ninety days, was never given by Bird & Douty, and that Bird & Douty never received consideration for the same. Now the fact is that the above named Joseph Bird has either made this assertion for some sinister purpose, or is beside himself, for he well knows the fact, from the books of Bird & Douty, that what he stated is not correct. JOHN D. DOUTY.
Shamokin, June 20, '59 26-

IN the Orphans' Court, in and for the County of Schuylkill—
In the matter of a Petition of Frederick Koppenhaver, praying for a decree of specific performance of a contract with George Harner, late of Hubley township, in the County aforesaid—
June 23, 1859, the Court grant a Rule upon Mary Ferringer, wife of John Ferringer, and one of the heirs of the said George Harner, deceased, to appear in Court on or before the Twenty-sixth day of July next, to answer the Petition of the said Frederick Koppenhaver, or show cause why a specific performance of his contract with the said George Harner, deceased, should not be decreed in accordance with the prayer of said Petitioner. JACOB FEGER, *Clerk of O. C.*
Pottsville, July 2, '59 27-3t

FOR SALE & TO LET.

HOUSE and LOT FOR SALE.—Will be sold at private sale, a House and Lot situated in Norwegian street, in the borough of Pottsville, adjoining Ruch & Evans's Steam Mill. The House is built of frame, two stories high, with a back kitchen. For terms and other particulars apply to CYNTHIA BRALEY, on the premises.
Pottsville, July 9, '59 28-3t

LOTS FOR SALE ON TIME.—The subscriber is prepared to sell lots on Greenwood Hill on time, running from 10 to 15 years, to those who desire to improve the same. Apply to B. BANNAN.

FOR RENT—Dwelling Houses, Store Rooms, Lodge Rooms and Offices. For terms apply to L. C. THOMPSON, Corner Centre and Market streets, Pottsville.
February 5, '59 6-tf

FOR RENT OR SALE—That valuable Tavern Stand in the village of New Kirk, lately occupied by Patrick McCann. Apply to B. BARTHOLOMEW, Pottsville.
April 16, '59 16-tf

TO LET—From the first day of April next, the suit of rooms immediately opposite the Episcopal Church, now occupied as an Exchange Office. Apply to WM. THOMPSON.
Pottsville, February 5, '59 6-tf

FOR SALE.—Six pairs of Lumber Trucks will be sold cheap for cash, or note with approved security. Also, a valuable MULE, on the same terms. Apply to JOHN HUGHES, Trustee.
Pottsville, May 12, '55 15-tf

FOR SALE—One superior 8 inch Pole Pump, with column pipes and connections—all ready to be put into the mines. Will be sold low. Apply at the Tamaqua Iron Works for further information. CARTER & ALLEN.
August 21, '58 34-

LOTS IN MAHANOY CITY FOR SALE.—Apply to John Anderson, Agt., Tamaqua, or to Frank Carter, Agent, Office, No. 4, Silver Terrace, Pottsville, or at the office in Mahanoy City, on Wednesday and Thursday of each week.
June 25, '59 26-tf

FRESH LIME for sale at all times, at the kilns on the Island, for building purposes, Sand, &c., at the lowest prices. C. M. ATKINS.
JACOB FISHER, Ashland, will fill any orders promptly, and at lower prices than have been charged heretofore.
Pottsville, March 26, '59 12-tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—2 first rate 20 horse power Engines, as good as new. 2 Coal Breakers and Screens. 40 Drift Cars, and lot of Axles for Cars. 4 Mules, and large lot of Gears, Wagons, &c. Apply to WM. H. SEIBERT, *Trustee.*
Tremont, June 11, '59 24-

FOR RENT—A Three Story Brick Dwelling House, with back building, supplied with gas and water fixtures. ALSO, Two Store Rooms, with basements attached, suitable for any kind of business, between the American House and the Pennsylvania Hall. Apply to M. MURPHY.
Pottsville, February 26, '59 9-tf

FOR SALE—Two 50 Horse Engines—geared together—for hoisting and pumping. One 40 Horse Engine, with gearing for do do. 200 yards of 14 inch pipes, and working barrels. 500 yards of wire rope,—a lot of chain. One 20 horse Engine, and rollers, screens, &c., for breaker. The frame work of engine houses and breaker, and tenant houses. A large lot of T rails, flat bar iron and scrap iron. Also, drift cars, wagons, cart and sled, and two Mules. Will be sold very cheap. Apply to CHAS. M. HILL, *Real Estate Agent, Mahantango street, Pottsville.*
February 12, '59 7-tf

FOR SALE—VERY CHEAP—One 90 horse Engine, and connections for pumping water. One 40 horse Engine, for hoisting Coal, with Drum and connections. One 60 horse Engine, for pumping. One 30 horse Engine, Rollers and connections for breaking Coal. About 1200 feet of 16 inch pipes, with pumps, rods, connecting irons, &c. About 400 feet of 14 inch pipe, pump, irons, &c. A lot of T rails, chain, rope, &c. Apply to A. RUSSEL. Office—corner of Mahantango and Seconds streets,
Pottsville, January 22, '59 4-tf

MEDICINAL.

THE SECRET INFIRMITIES OF
Youth and Maturity,
JUST PUBLISHED, GRATIS, 25TH THOUSAND.

A FEW words on the rational treatment, without Medicine, of Spermatorrhea, or Local Weakness, Nocturnal Emissions, Genital and Nervous Debility, Premature Decay of the system, Impotency, and Impediments to Marriage generally. BY B. DE LANEY, M. D.

The important fact that the many alarming complaints originating in the imprudence and solitude of youth, may be easily removed WITHOUT MEDICINE, is in this small tract clearly demonstrated; and the entirely new and highly successful treatment, as adopted by the Author, fully explained, by means of which every one is enabled to cure himself perfectly and at the least possible cost, thereby avoiding all the advertised nostrums of the day.

Sent to any address, gratis and post free in a sealed envelope by remitting (post paid) two postage stamps to Dr. B. DE LANEY, 38 East 31st Street, New York City.
July 2, '59 27-3m

THE INDIAN CANCER DOCTOR,

WHO met with so many Invalids in Pottsville, in the first week of June, has made arrangements to stop at the White Horse Hotel 2 days in every month, viz: the 28th, 29th and 30th of July, also, the 29th and 30th of August, also, the 29th and 30th of September. Thousands and tens of thousands can testify to the correctness of his detecting Diseases. He treats all Diseases that flesh is heir to. His medicines are purely vegetable.

CONSUMPTION,

And all Diseases of the Lungs and Throat cured in the first stages in a short time.

He operates on the Eye and Ear. Removes all kinds of Wens, Tumors, Tonsils, Polypus, straightens crooked limbs or joints, &c., &c. He stops Toothache in One Minute, free of charge. His Pain Killer is without an equal. The best proof of it is to try it. He has had 35 years practice; has been in every State and Territory; has seen hundreds and hundreds afflicted with diseases of every name and under all kinds of treatment, which enable him at almost the first sight, to detect Disease. Now, don't wait for your neighbors. Come yourselves and see. Examination free. Medicines from 1 cent to $1.

A boy at the entrance to conduct you to his rooms. DR. W. CAMANCHE.
Pottsville, July 2, '59 27-1m*

READ! READ!! READ!!!
ESENWEIN'S
Aromatic Balsam,

IS a REMEDY not to be excelled for the relief and cure of those maladies incident to the Summer Season, viz:

Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Cholera or Cholera Morbus, Vomiting, Acidity of the Stomach, etc.

Its excellent Carminative powers, pleasant taste and soothing influence, renders it a valuable remedy in *infantile diseases peculiar to the Second Summer,* viz: *Cholera Infantum, etc.* It has a re-invigorating and tonic influence on the system, allaying inflammation and relieving pain in the stomach and bowels—and on trial will be found indispensable to the well being of every family. It will be found as well adapted to adults as children. TRY IT.

Prepared only by A. ESENWEIN, *Dispensing Chemist,* N.W. corner Ninth and Poplar sts, Philadelphia.

Price—25 cents per bottle.

Sold by Chas. W. Epting and John G. Brown & Son, Pottsville; R. H. Irvin, St. Clair; E. J. Fry, Tamaqua, and by druggists and storekeepers generally.
May 21, '59 [tf] 21-1y

Thoroughly Tried AND **Unfailing Remedies!!**

SWAYNE'S! Swayne's! Swayne's!
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The greatest Cough and Consumption Remedy in use is "Dr. Swayne's Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry," the "original" and only genuine "Wild Cherry" Compound for Weak Breast, Heart Disease, Bronchitis, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Blood Spitting, Liver Complaint, Nervous Debility, Restless Nights, &c. No remedy, boasted as it may be, can pretend to approach it.

Swayne's Sarsaparilla and Tar Pills, Sugar Coated—warranted to contain no calomel—mild and gentle purgative, unsurpassed by any Medicine for removing the Bile, cleansing the stomach, and effectually purifying the blood. These pills neither gripe, nor produce nausea.

Dr. Swayne's Bowel Cordial. A Pleasant and sure remedy for Asiatic Cholera, Cholera Morbus, Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Cholera Infantum, Summer Complaint, Pains in the Stomach and Bowels, Vomiting, Sickness of the Stomach, &c. Every family should have a bottle in the house in case of sudden attack in the night. It relieves at once pain.

Invaluable to Mothers. Parents Soothing Syrup, for Children teething. Prepared only by Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia.

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Dyspepsia or Indigestion. "Dr. Swayne's Bitter Catholicon." A very valuable Bitters, may be taken with a degree of certainty, never yet experienced by a Medicine of this character, for Constipation, Flatulence, Nausea, Heart Burn, Acidity of the Stomach, Cold Feet, Debility caused by the Infirmity of age, protracted from any cause; Depression of Spirits, Dyspepsia, or Indigestion in all its forms, only 50 cents a bottle.

All the above prepared only by DR. SWAYNE & SON, No. 8 North Seventh Street, second door above Market, Philadelphia.

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THE IMPERIAL DEPURATIVE!

The Standard Remedy of the Nineteenth Century FOR ALL DISEASES OF THE BLOOD.

PREPARED BY DR. LOUNSBERRY & CO., No. 50 North Fifth street, below Arch, Philadelphia.

For Cancerous and Scrofulous Diseases. White Swellings, Hip Disease, Malignant Ulcers, Carbuncles, Tetter, Scald Head, Ulcers of the Mouth and Throat, Eruptions of the Skin, and all HUMORS AND IMPURITIES OF THE BLOOD, are effectually and permanently cured by

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This Medicine commends itself to patients and physicians, for two reasons—First—It is just what it is claimed to be, and will do all that is claimed for it; but it will not cure every disease, because it is expressly adapted and prepared for one class of complaints, and these it cures—*In the Second place,* this Medicine masters the disease—if it is curable. Large doses of it, highly concentrated and active—so that it is pure, will in long continued use cure, if it is not asked too much. One to three bottles will in a majority of cases, exhibit its great curative properties. In this respect, time and money are saved in long and fruitless efforts to obtain a cure. In Cancerous and Scrofulous diseases, no medicine has ever equalled it in its successful cures. Tetter, so obstinate and inveterate, cannot resist the cleansing and purifying effects of the IMPERIAL DEPURATIVE.

Ulcers of every character, no matter how obstinate or long standing, invariably yield to the wonderful effects of the IMPERIAL DEPURATIVE.

Old or Young may use it alike with perfect security. If you are afflicted, try One Bottle, and if you need advice, write to the Principal Office, No. 50 North Fifth Street, below Arch, and you will receive it, (by enclosing stamp for answer.) DR. LOUNSBERRY & CO., Philadelphia.

For sale by CHARLES W. EPTING, Druggist, N. E. Corner of Centre & Norwegian streets, (opposite Mortimer's Hotel,) Pottsville, Pa.

For Sale by Druggists generally.
Dec. 11, '58 [tf] 50-

PERSONS WANTING CHANGE of climate for health. See advertisement of Hammonton Lands, another column.