Wit and Humor.

"SEVEN UP" FOR A WIFE; OR "GOOD AS WHEAT."

In the State of Tennessee there is a certain village boasting of a tavern, three stores and four groceries, where, from morning till night, and from night till dawn, a person entering the town, may find in the tavern, stores and groceries aforesaid, one or more groups of persons playing cards. Gambling there is reduced to a science, the history of the four kings is thoroughly studied, and from the school boy to the gray-haired veteran, from the Miss in her teens to the mother of a large family, they are initiated into the mysteries of high, low jack, game, right and left bowers—the honors and the odd trick. One of the best players in the village was Major Smith, the tavern keeper; or, as he expressed it, the proprietor of the hotel; a widower, who, like

"Jeptha, Judge of Israel,
Had a daughter passing fair."

Fanny, the daughter, was one of the prettiest girls in Tennessee, and therefore, one of the prettiest in the world; for we here digress in order to lay down as *ipse dixit*, that Tennessee women, in point of beauty, are matchless. The sweetheart of Fanny was a young farmer, residing in the neighborhood, whom we shall designate by the name of Bob.

It happened that one day before harvest, the young man was detained in the village, and found, as usual, at the hotel, seated between the Major and his daughter. After a desultory conversation between the two gentlemen on the state of the weather, the prospects of the approaching harvest, and such important staples of conversation, the Major asked Robert how his wheat crop promised to yield.

In reply he was told that the young farmer expected to make at least one hundred bushels. The Major appeared to study for a moment, then abruptly proposed a game of old sledge, or "seven up," the stakes to be his daughter Fanny against the crop of wheat.

This, of course, the young man indignantly refused, because he could not bear the idea that the hand of her he loved should be made the subject of a bet, or that he should win a wife by gambling for her; and, perhaps because he knew the old man was "hard to beat," and there was a strong probability of his losing both wheat and wife.

It was not until the Major, with his usual obstinacy, had sworn that unless he won her he should never have her, that the young man was forced reluctantly to consent to play.

The table was placed, the candles lit, the cards produced, and the players took their seats, with Miss Fanny between them, to watch the progress of the game. The cards were regularly shuffled and cut, and it fell to the Major's lot to deal. The first hand was played, and Robert made gift to his opponent's high, low, game. Robert then dealt, and the Major begged; it was given, and the Major again made three to his opponent's one.

"Six to two," said Miss Fanny with a sigh.

The Major, as he dealt the cards, winked and said:

"I'm good for the wheat, Master Bob."

The old man turned up a trump—it was a spade. Fanny glanced at her father's hand—her heart sank; he held the three, eight-spot, and the king! She then looked at Robert's hand, and lo! he had the ace, queen, deuce, and jack or knave. She whispered to Robert to beg—he did so.

"Take it," said the Major.

Robert led his deuce, which the Major took with his three spot, and followed by playing the king. Robert put his queen upon it. The Major supposing it was the young man's last trump, leaned over the table, and tapping his last trick with his finger, said:

"That's good as wheat."

"Is it?" asked Robert, as he displayed to the astonished Major the ace and jack yet in his hands.

"High, low, jack, gift and game," shouted Robert.

"Out!" ejaculated Fanny.

"Good as wheat," added Robert, as he flung his arms around her neck and kissed her.

In due time they were married, and ever after that, when anything occurred of a pleasing nature to the happy couple, they would express their emphatic approbation of it by the phrase, "Good as wheat."

A NEGRO DISCUSSION ABOUT EGGS.—Geneva, the lovely village on Seneca Lake, furnishes us the following specimen of Parliamentary ruling:—

In the fairest village of Western New York the "culled pussons," in imitation of their white brethren, formed a debating society for the purpose of improving their minds by the discussion of instructive and entertaining topics. The deliberations of the society were presided over by a venerable darkey, who performed his duties with the utmost dignity peculiar to his color. The subject for discussion on which we write was—

What an de mudder ob de chickens—de hen wat lay de eggs or de hen wat hatch de chicks?

The question was warmly debated, and many reasons pro and con were urged and combatted by the excited disputants. Those in favor of the latter proposition were evidently in the majority, and the president made an attempt to conceal that his sympathies were with the dominant party. At length an intelligent darkey rose from the minority side, and begged leave to state a proposition to this effect:

"Spose," said he, "dat you set one dozen duck eggs under a hen, and dey hatch, which am de mudder—de duck or de hen?"

This was a poser, was well put, and nonplussed the other side, even suggering the President, who plainly saw the force of the argument, and had committed himself too far to yield without a struggle; so, after cogitating and scratching his wool a few moments, a bright idea struck him. Rising in his chair, with all the consciousness of superiority, he announced:

"Ducks am not before the house; chickens am de question; therefore I rule de ducks out;" and do it he did, to the complete overthrow of his opponent.

MONEY DIGGING.—

What are you digging for, Sam?
I'm digging for money.
(The news spread, idlers collected.)
We are told you are digging for money, ha! Sam?
Yes, I am.
Have you any luck?
First rate luck—pays well—you had better take hold.
(All doffed their coats and laid hold most vigorously for a time. After throwing out some cart-loads, the question arose:)
When did you get any money last?
On Saturday night.
How much did you get?
Four dollars and a half.
That's rather small.
It's pretty well—six devies a day is the regular price for digging cellars all over town.
(The spades dropped, and the loafers disappeared.)

A MAN passing through a gateway in the dark, hit his nose against a post. "I wish that post was in h—ll," said he.

"Better wish it was somewhere else," said a by-stander, "you might run against it again."

"Buy a trunk, Pat?" said a dealer.

"And what for should I buy a trunk?" rejoined Pat.

"To put your clothes in," was the reply.

"And go naked?" The divil a bit of it.

SIDNEY SMITH compares the whistle of a locomotive to the squeal of an attorney when Satan first gets him.

MANUFACTURES.

LITTLEFIELD'S

Safety Steam Pump

And Fire Engine.

ALSO,

Power Pumps—Simple and Durable.

These Pumps are well known in the New England and some of the Middle and Western States, where they give great satisfaction, and have established for themselves a valuable reputation. They afford power which may be employed to drive a fan, saw, or other machinery.

☞ For testimonials, certificates, and further particulars, address the Manufacturers.

PERKINS & WILLARD,
(Formerly LITTLEFIELD & Co.)
Springfield, Mass.

April 9, '59 [8-1y]

Difficult to be Had—Good Needles.

JOHN ENGLISH & CO.'S Patent Helix Drilled Eyed Needles, decidedly the best in the market, of different sizes, from No. 5 to 12, always to be had wholesale and retail, at B. BANNAN'S.

Pottsville, January 30, '58 5-

DRAINAGE PIPE,

AND also for conveying water, from 2 to 12 inches in diameter, very cheap—cheaper than wood and as durable as iron. Persons in want of such Pipe will find it to their advantage to call at B. BANNAN'S Store, Pottsville.

March 19, '59 12-

BOSTON BELTING.

The best in the United States, all sizes always for sale at Manufacturer's prices, at the Mill, by B. BANNAN,
Agent for the Manufacturers.

☞ Belting made to any thickness at ten or twelve days' notice, at the Factory, as our orders have the preference over all others.

MOROCCO FACTORY.

Red Leather and Shoe-Binding Store.

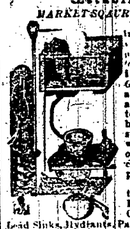
Railroad street, between Callowhill and High streets,
POTTSVILLE, PA.

THE undersigned respectfully informs Shoemakers, Storekeepers, and the public generally that he has leased the Tannery with all its appurtenances lately occupied on by John L. Menig, where he manufactures ALL KINDS OF MOROCCO, Kids, Straits, French Morocco, Shoe, Hat and Book Bindings, Pink Lining and Prints of all colors. He has also on hand a general assortment of all kinds of LEATHER, Oak tanned and Red Sole Leather, Slaughter Sides, French and City Calf Skins, MUSKRAT UPPER LEATHER, Lining Leather for belts, and good Binder Leather for pumps, and an extensive variety of Lasts, Threads, Nails, Pegs, Clamps, &c. All kinds of satins, Sheep, Goat, Deer, &c., also, Shoe taken in exchange for leather, at the highest market prices, or paid for in cash.

Oct. 15, '59-tf. SILAS STROUSE.

PLUMBING AND GAS-FITTING Establishment.

MARKET SQUARE, POTTSVILLE PA.



The undersigned respectfully informs the citizens of Pottsville and vicinity, that having purchased the *Plumbing, Roofing and Gas-fitting* business of **Henry Dickinson**, and attached it to his *Gas-Fitting Business* will hereafter carry on both branches, and hopes, by strict attention to business—keeping always on hand a large and well selected stock, employing competent workmen, and doing work at *only remunerating prices*—to receive a portion of the public patronage.

His stock will consist of Water Closets, Iron, Copper and Lead Bath Tubs, Pumps and Copper Wash Basins, Iron and Lead Sinks, Hydrants, Pavement Plugs, Brass Cocks for hot and cold water, Gilts and Leather Hose for Fire Engines, Branch Pipe and Couplings for Pavements, Iron and Lead Pipe of all sizes, Gas Fixtures of *every* kind, embracing a full assortment of Chandeliers, Pendants, Brackets, &c., &c., manufactured of the best quality of materials, and of the latest and most approved patterns.

DANIEL D. MORGAN.

Pottsville, March 26, '58 1-

SCHERTLE'S Wholesale and Retail BOOT AND SHOE STORE.

CENTRE St.,
Pottsville,
2 doors from High St.,
immediately opposite the Public School House.

The business is extensively carried on at the above named stand.

The subscriber has just returned from the Eastern Cities with a large assortment of Winter Goods. Among his assortment may be found—BOOTS and SHOES, Ladies' and Misses' GAITERS, GAITERS of all kinds and styles for Men. Also, Children's SHOES, of various kinds.

An assortment of H. F. Felix's Reading Work Boots and Shoes; Water Proof Boots; Calf and slip Boots for the Spring trade, a great variety of Gum Shoes.

My arrangements with manufacturers are such that nowhere can shoes be sold cheaper for cash than in the above store. A long experience in the business, and the fact that the best workmen are employed guarantees the best work. His prices are as low, if not lower, than at any other place that can be found. Call and examine for yourselves!

☞ Especial attention paid to the sale of Children's Shoes with METALLIC TOPS, of which a great variety in hand. D. SCHERTLE.

Pottsville, October 22, '59 44-6m

TO CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS.

THE SCHUYLKILL COUNTY LUMBER MANUFACTURING COMPANY

HAVE on hand at their extensive establishment, on Railroad street, a great quantity of lumber of every kind and description, which they can supply to Operative Carpenters and builders at lower rates than it can be bought elsewhere. They are also ready to supply, through the means of their extensive business and labor saving machinery, manufactured articles in their line at a reduction of 25 per cent. on former cost.

Their large workshops have been in successful operation for the past year, turning out vast quantities of

Doors, Window Frames,
Sash, Panel Work,
Mouldings, Bed-posts,
Blinds, Bannisters,
Shutters,

And all kinds of Framed, Panelled and Turned Work,

Which they have constantly on hand. They are ready to execute orders at the shortest notice, for any quantity or quality of sawed or manufactured stuff.

Dry and green Hemlock of all kinds, for building purposes. Oak, Maple, Poplar, chair, plank and scantling boards; Cherry, Walnut, Mahogany, &c., for cabinet work. White and Yellow Pine boards for flooring, new or made to order; White Pine plank, 3, 2½, 2, 1½, 1¼, ¾, and ½ inch panels always ready; also, plank, beams, rails, scantling, posts, shingles, lath, ceiling lath, pailings, &c., &c.

☞ Bills of sawed stuff and everything in their line on hand or to order, at the shortest notice.

Pottsville, March 26, '58 1-

MINERS' SAFETY LAMPS.

A Superior Article.

THE SUBSCRIBER has just received from New Castle, England, a lot of Davy's Safety Working Lamps, made under the inspection of the English Government Agent, of the best quality wire gauze. Also, Gauze Covers made ready for use, for these Lamps. These are the best Safety Lamps ever introduced into the County, and are for sale wholesale and retail at about 25 per cent. of inferior Lamps! Also, Wire Gauze by the yard, and Lamp Brushes by the dozen or single. Also, the Clanney Lamp for Borers and Mine Viewers. This Lamp is covered with a thick Glass, and gives an increased light which is of importance to Mine Viewers. BENJ. BANNAN.

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

August 9, '57 32

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 Race addition, on the old site, where they are prepared to turn out CARRIAGES EQUAL TO THE BEST IN THE STATE and ready to accommodate their customers and all those who may favor them with their patronage. An entire new and well selected stock of materials and the same old hands will enable them to do work which in elegance and durability cannot be surpassed.

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

☞ All orders will receive prompt attention.

☞ Painting long at the shortest notice.

July 18, '57 29-1y ABRIGHT & BURKHARD.

NOTICE.

To Coal Operators and Schuylkill Canal Boatmen.

By Merchants.

SMOKING TOBACCO, by Steam power—2000 lbs a day, at Hamburg. Smoking Tobacco and Segar Manufactory, on hand and ready for sale. 200 Sacrets sweet scented Smoking Tobacco. 200,000 Half Spanish Segars. 200,000 Sizes Spanish Segars. 100,000 Seed and Extra Segars.

Orders thankfully received and promptly attended to. Terms easy. MARY ANN NOYES.

Sept. 5, '57 36-1 Hamburg, Berks County, Pa.

PIANOS AND MELODEONS Of the best Manufacture—Warranted, FOR SALE BY THE

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

B. BANNAN.

MAUCH CHUNK Wire Rope Manufactory.

Fisher Hazard & Co.

Manufacturers 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. H. Broadhead, at Mauch Chunk; to N. Patterson, Summit Hill; to Sharpe, Letsenring & Co., Tamaqua, Luzerne county, Pa., and in fact, nearly all the operators in the Region who have been using his rope.

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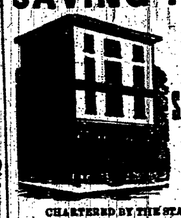
PHILADELPHIA.

SAVING FUND.



National SAFETY TRUST Company.

CHARTERED BY THE STATE OF PENNA.

Rules:

1. Money is received every day, and in any amount, large or small.
2. **Five Per Cent.** interest is paid for money from the day it is put in.
3. The money is always paid back in **Gold,** whenever it is called for, and without notice.
4. Money is received from *Executors, Administrators, Guardians* and others who desire to have it in a place of perfect safety, and where interest can be obtained for it.
5. The money received from depositors is invested in REAL ESTATE, MORTGAGES, GROUND RENTS, and such other first class securities as the Charter directs.
6. Office Hours—Every day from 9 till 5 o'clock, and on Mondays and Thursdays till 8 o'clock in the evening.

☞ This old and well established SAVING FUND has received more than **TEN MILLIONS** of dollars from nearly thirty thousand depositors.

Hon. HENRY D. BENNER, President.
ROBERT SELFRIDGE, Vice President.
WILLIAM J. REED, Secretary.

Directors:

Henry L. Benner,	Francis Lee,
Edward H. Carter,	F. Carroll Brewster,
Robert Selfridge,	Joseph B. Barry,
Saml. K. Ashton,	Joseph Yorke,
C. Landreth Munn,	Henry Ditzenderfer.

Office—WALNUT ST., S. W. corner of THIRD, Philadelphia.

April 16, '59 16-

S. FUGUET & SONS,

IMPORTERS of HAVANA Cigars, No. 216 South Front st., Philadelphia, Pa.

(ESTABLISHED 1830.)

☞ We receive, by every arrival, a full assortment of desirable CIGARS; and invite attention to our stock, which is varied and well selected.

February 11, '60 6-1y*

J. B. SHANNON,

MANUFACTURER OF

Locks, Bell-Hanger, Silver-Plater,

AND DEALER IN

Building Hardware, Nails and Sash Weights,

1009 Market St., above 10th, North Side.

☞ Bells repaired, Keys fitted, &c. Porcelain Door Plates supplied and put on. Speaking Tubes put up. Philadelphia, September 3, '59 36-1y

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Wholesale and Retail Manufacturer of

Port Monnaies, Money Belts, Bankers' Cases, Pocket Books, Philadelphia, September 21, '59

Cabas and Purses, Bethelas, Leather Bags, Post Wallets, &c. 39-1y

Dressing Cases, Cigar Cases, Writing Desks, Bill Books, &c.

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It is highly spoken of by leading members of the Profession.

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February 4, '60 -3m

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PRINTERS' SHEET AND CUT CARDS, Best and Cheapest in the Market.

Cards for Mounting Photograph Pictures, Of Superior Quality, and at Low Prices.

Blue and White, and Red White Paste-Boards, Straw Boards, &c., on hand and for sale by

WILLIAM J. REED, Secretary.

Paper & Card Warehouse, 506 Minor st., Philadelphia. January 14, '60 2-1y

GLENN'S

One Price Hat and Cap Store,

(CORNER OF THE FIVE STORY BLOCK.)

N. W. CORNER of Eighth and Race Streets, Philadelphia.

The public are respectfully invited to bear in mind that at this Store may be found an assortment of Fashionable and Handsome

Moleskin, Dress Hats, Soft Hats,

HIGH, LOW AND MEDIUM WITH CROWN, CLOTH AND GLAZED CAPS.

Plush and Plush Trimmed Caps for Men and Boys, Fancy Silk and Caps for Children, at fair prices.

☞ *Always prices for regular goods* ☜

Jan. 14, '60- 2-1y

WATCHES, JEWELRY & SILVER-WARE.

WE would respectfully inform our friends, patrons and the public generally, that we have now in *Store, and offer Wholesale & Retail,* at the lowest *Cash Prices,* a large and very choice stock of *Watches, Jewelry, Silver and Plated Ware,* of every variety and style.

Every description of *Diamond Work* and other *Jewelry,* made to order at short notice. ☞ *All goods warranted* to be as represented.

N. B. Particular attention given to the *Repairing of Watches and Jewelry,* of every description.

STAUFFER & HARLEY,
No. 622 MARKET Street, *South Side.* PHILADELPHIA.

February 11, '60 6-3m

THORNLEY & CHISM,

N. E. cor. of Eighth & Spring Garden Streets,

PHILADELPHIA,

WOULD invite special attention to a splendid stock of NEW SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS, bought cheap for CASH, and will be sold very cheap.

Very Rich Foulard Silks.
Real Make of Black Silks.
Neat Checkered Silks, Rich Chevre Silks, &c., &c.
Beautiful New Styles of Dress Goods.
Plain and Figured Alpacas.
Very Rich French Lace Mantillas, Points, Bournous, &c.

Silk Mantillas, Dusters, Stella Shawls, &c., &c.

☞ *All the Novelties of the Season Opening Weekly.*

March 10, '60 10-3m

ARCH STREET CARPET WARE-HOUSE.

Spring Stock of Carpetings!

WE are now opening our Spring Stock of CARPETINGS, which have been bought extremely low for *Cash, and will be sold correspondingly cheap.* We have all the lowest and richest *Styles of Velvet, Brussels, Three-Ply, Ingrain and Venetian*—with an extensive assortment of low priced *Carpetings; Oil Cloths, Druggets, Mats, &c., &c.*

Also, 500 pieces of 3-4, 4-4, 5-4, 6-4 white, red, check, figured and variegated *Canton Matting,* at very low prices.

As we buy exclusively for Cash, we are enabled to offer our goods much below the usual prices.

☞ *Country Merchants* and others will do us are about purchasing, are requested to make an examination, as they cannot fail being pleased with goods and prices.

OLDDEN & HICKNER.
832 *Arch street, two doors below Ninth, (North Side,)*
March 10, '60 10-3m PHILADELPHIA.

Silks! Silks! Silks!

Great Bargains in Silks.

Thomas W. Evans & Co.

Are offering an Immense Stock of

NEW SPRING SILKS,

At a Great Sacrifice.

These Goods have been purchased at Auction at the

Depreciated Prices,

And will be retailed at less than cost of

Importation!

Nos. 818 and 820 CHESTNUT STREET,

(*Opposite the Girard House,*)

PHILADELPH'A.

March 31, '60 13-3t

POTATOES--For Seed & Family Use!

TWENTY THOUSAND BUSHELS of all the different varieties, from various sections of the country, Such as

Mains Mercers,	Buck Eyes,
Blue do	Carters,
White do	Wood Seedling,
Black do	Foxtons,
Jackson Whites,	Late Pink Eyes,
Pe'th Blows,	Early do
Prince Alberts,	do Janes,
Early Dykemen,	do Rose,

To which we would invite the attention of FARMERS and others. All information will be given of the yield, quality and adaptation of the different varieties.

☞ We will sell them in quantities to suit purchasers, *at the lowest wholesale market prices.* All orders by mail or otherwise promptly attended to.

WOODRUFF & TAYLOR,
Commission Merchant & Produce Dealers,
No. 4 Arch street, PHILAD'A.

March 17, '60 11-3m

TO FOUNDERYMEN, MACHINISTS & OTHERS.

A. PURVES, Scrap Iron and Metal Merchant, Machine and Foundry Furnisher, Northeast corner of Smith's and Penn Streets, PHILADELPHIA.

Is prepared to furnish Foundrymen, Machinists and others, with the following articles:

Ingot Copper,	Steel,
Ingot Brass,	Bolts,
Block Tin,	Crucibles,
Lead,	Foundry Facings,
Spelter,	Anvils, Vices, Files,
Antimony,	&c.,
Babbit Metal,	Old Metals,
Bismuth,	Boiler Plate,
Solders,	Boiler Rivets,
Pig Iron,	Steam Pipe,
Bar Iron,	Lead Pipe,
Sheet Iron,	Washers and Nuts,

Bridge & Machine Bolts, Sheet and Bolt Copper, Sheet and Bolt Iron, Sheet Lead, Sheet Zinc, Sheet Copper, Yellow Metal Tubing for Gas, Steam or Water, Steam Fitting.

☞ Articles of every description in use by Machinists and Foundrymen, furnished to order.

☞ Cash paid for Scrap Iron and all kinds of Metals. Philadelphia, March 5, '59 10-

M. S. ALLEBACH & CO.'S

Watch & Jewelry Store,

126 North Second Street,

Opposite the Mount Vernon House, Philad'a.

WATCHES, Jewelry and Silver Ware, for sale at lower prices than at any other store in the city. Watches and Jewelry carefully repaired in the best manner.

Also, the genuine Albata Plated Ware. All the goods warranted to be as represented.

☞ Also agent for the American Watch Company, having on hand, Gold and Silver American Watches and Movements.

N. B.—All orders sent by mail or otherwise, will be punctually attended to. (Dec. 10, '59 46-1y

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Oct. 16, '58 1-

BOYS' CLOTHING.

THE SUBSCRIBER, would respectfully inform their numerous friends and customers of Schuylkill County, that their assortment of Clothing for Young Gentlemen is much larger than ever, and they are disposed to sell *cheap.* Persons living at a distance, have the privilege of exchanging clothing purchased at his store, if they do not suit.

F. A. HOTT & BROTHER.
272 Chestnut St., corner of Tenth, Philada.
April 16, '59 20-

TRANSPORTATION.

SCHUYLKILL NAVIGATION CO.

Office of the Schuylkill Navigation Company, March 12, 1860.—The charge for the use of Dave and Ice Pool on Anthracite Coal, carried on the Schuylkill Navigation will be as follows from this date, and be continue until further notice:

FROM	Port Carbon.	Mount Carbon.	Schuylkill Haven.	Auburn.	Port Clinton.
	cts.	cts.	cts.	cts.	cts.
To Philadelphia,	72	70	68	64	58
" Manayunk,	23	23	22	21	18
" Spring Mill,	23	23	22	21	18
" Conshohocken,	25	25	24	23	20
" Plymouth Dam,	25	25	24	23	20
" Bridgeport,	25	25	24	23	20
" Norristown,	25	25	24	23	20
" Port Kennedy,	25	25	24	23	20
" Valley Forge,	25	25	24	23	20
" Fawling's Dam,	25	25	24	23	20
" Port Providence,	25	25	24	23	20
" Phœnixville,	25	25	24	23	20
" Royer's Ford,	25	25	24	23	20
" Pottstown Landing,	25	25	24	23	20
" Port Union,	30	30	28	27	25
" Birdsborough,	32	32	30	29	27
" Reading,	33	33	31	30	28
" Althouse,	33	33	31	30	28
" Mohrsville,	33	33	31	30	28
" Hamburg,	33	33	31	30	28
" Orwigsburg Landing,	33	32	30	30	28

The charge will be per ton of 2240 lbs., less five per cent., allowance for waste, as usual, and no charge less than twenty-five cents per ton will be made for any distance. By order of the Managers,

F. FRALEY, *President.*

March 10 '60 11-

PHILAD'A & READING RAILROAD.

OFFICE of the Philada. & R. R. Co.
Philadelphia, March 10, 1860.

The rates of freight and tolls on coal transported by this Company, will be as follows, from March 12, until further notice:

FROM	Port Carbon.	Mount Carbon.	Schuylkill Haven.	Auburn.	Port Clinton.
	cts.	cts.	cts.	cts.	cts.
To Richmond,	1 38½	37½	30	26	18
" Philadelphia,	1 47	47	46	36	28
" Incline Plane,	1 48½	47½	46½	36½	28½
" Nicetown,	1 48	47	46	36	28
" Germantown R. R.,	1 47	47	46	36	28
" Falls of Schuylkill,	1 43½	43	42	32	25
" Manayunk,	1 38	37½	36	26	18
" Egbert's,	1 37½	37	35½	25½	17½
" Conshohocken,	1 28	27½	26½	16½	08
" Swede Furnace,	1 25	24½	23½	13½	05
" Rambo's,	1 24	23½	22½	12½	04
" Norristown or Bridgeport,	1 23	22½	21½	11½	03
" Port Kennedy,	1 17½	16½	15½	05½	97½
" Valley Forge,	1 14½	13½	12½	02½	94½
" Phœnixville,	1 09	08	07	97	89
" Royer's Ford,	1 03½	02½	01½	91½	83½
" Aramingo,	1 04	03	02	92	84
" Limerick,	1 01	00	99	89	81
" Pottstown,	98	97	96	86	78
" Douglassville,	94	93	92	82	74
" Monocacy,	92	91	90	80	72
" Birdsboro',	91	90	89	79	71
" Exeter,	90	89	88	78	70
" Reading,	86	85	84	74	66
" Tuckerton,	81	80	79	69	61
" Lewisport,	77	76	75	65	57
" Mohrsville,	74	73	72	62	54
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