Wit and Humor.

From "Vanity Fair."

ARTEMAS WARD ON "FORT."

Every man of intelleck has got his Fort. Danil Webster's Fort was to speecherfy in the Hauls of Kongriss & make Dickshunaries. Shakspeer rote good plaze, but he woodent hev bin wuth a pint of kold Sider as a stenographic Reportir. Wood hi? Hey? He bet 2 dollars he woodent.

Henry Ward Bitcher wood make a good end man for the kork opery minstrels, because he can cackle well.

Old George Washington's Fort was not to hev eny public man in the present day resemble him to eny alarming extent! Whare bowts can George's ekal be fownd? I ask, & boldy anser no whares, or eny whares else.

Old man Townsin's Fort was to maik Sasyperiller. "Goy to the wurld! anuther life saived" (Cotashin from Townsin's advertisement.)

Cyrus Field's Fort is to lay a sub machine tellergraf under the boundin biller of the Oshun & then hev it Bust.

Spaldin's Fort is to maik Prepard Gloo, which mends everything. Wouder ef it will mend a sinner wicked waze. (Improptoo goak.)

Zoary's Fort is to be a femaile circus feller.

My Fort is the grate moral show bisnis & ritin choice famerly literatoor for the noospapers, That's what's the matter with me.

&c., &c., &c. So I mite go on to an indefinit extent.

Twict I've endevered to do things which they wasn't my Fort. The fust time was when I undertuck to lick a oudashus cuss who cut a hole in my tent & krawld threw. Sez "my jentle Sir go out or I shall fall onto you putty hevy." Sez he, "Wade in, Old wax figgers," whareupon I went for him, but he cawt me powerful on the hed & knockt me threw the tent into a cow pastur. He pursood the attack & flung me into a mud puddle. As I arose & rung out my drenchi garments I konkludid fitin wasn't my Fort.

He now rise the kurtin upon Seen 2d:—It is rarely seldom that I seek censolashun in the Flowing Bole. But in a serten town in Injianny in the Faul of 18—, my orgin grinder got sick of the fever & died. I never felt so ashamed in my life, & I thawt Ide hist in a few swallers of sunthin strengthenin. Konsequents was I histed in so much I dident zackly know where bowts I was. I turned my livin wild beests of Pray loos into the streets & opsot my wax wurks.

I then bet I cood play hoss. So I harnist myself to a Kanal bote, there bein two other hosses hitched on likewise, I behind & another ahead of me. The driver hollered for us to git up & we did. But the hosses bein onused to sich a arrangement kicked & squealed & raird up. Konsequents was I was kicked violently in the stummuck & back & presently I fownd myself in the Kanal with the other hosses, kickin & yellin like a tribe of Cusctrorus savaijis.

I was rescood, & as I was bein carrid to the tavern on a grate big hemlock bord, I sed, in a feeble voise, "Boys, playing hoss isn't my Fort."

MORAUL.—Never dont do nothin which it isn't your Fort, for ef you do you'll find yourself splashin in round in the Kanal, figgeratively speakin.

THE ASTONISHED MEDDLER—A TRUE STORY.—What, says Quilp, is more intolerable than an officous intermeddler with other people's affairs? One of the most busy of the tribes was traveling in the cars not long ago, and exercising his talent in a manner at once amusing and mischievous. "Hallo!" cries Mr. Meddler, to a decrepit old gentleman, just as the train was leaving a way station, "Wake up, and step lively! This is the place where you want to get out." The old man had barely time to put his tottering legs on the platform of the depot, when the train was again in motion. "Good gracious!" exclaimed Mr. Meddler, on returning to his seat which was next the one which the old gentleman had occupied—"Good gracious! the old fellow has gone and left his carpet bag!" So he kindly threw it out of the window. Half an hour later, a young man came in from another car and inquired for a missing carpet bag. "It was on this seat," said the stranger, pointing to the spot where the old gentleman had been sitting. "Good gracious" again cried Mr. Meddler, "why, I thought that carpet bag belonged to the old fellow who got out a while ago, and so I threw it out of the window after him, 'cause I 'sposed he'd forgot it!" "The deuce you did!" said the stranger, with a scowl, "and how came the old man to leave the train?" "Why," said Mr. Meddler, "I thought I heard him say he was going to Middleport, so when we came to the depot, I told him he was there, and had better get out. That's how it was." "You had better have minded your own business," said the young man, rather sharply. "That old gentleman was going to Middlebury, to see a dying son, who will now be dead and buried, probably, before his father can get there. That's *one* of the results of your officious intermeddling with things that don't concern you. And that carpet bag is *my* carpet bag, and has got my wedding suit in it. I was to have been married to-night, if it hadn't been for *you*. You've damaged a funeral, and spoiled a wedding with your confounded nonsense!" And so he had, sure enough.—*Boston Post.*

ABERNETHY once said to a rich but dirty patient, who consulted him about an eruption, "Let your servant bring to you three or four pails of water, and put it into a wash-tub; take off your clothes, get into it, and rub yourself well with sorp and a rough towel, and you'll recover."

"This advice seems very much like telling me to wash myself," said the patient.

"Well," said Abernethy, "it may be open to such a construction."

A YOUNG lady, in reply to her father's question why she did not wear rings upon her fingers, said:—

"Because, papa, they hurt me when anybody squeezes my hand."

"What business have you to have your hand squeezed?"

"Certainly none, but still you know, papa, one would like to keep in squeezable order."

AN old farmer was in the habit, every night, of counting his live stock, to see if any had gone astray. He called to his son:

"John, have you counted the hogs?"

"Yez, sir."

"And the turkeys, cows and sheep?"

"Yez, sir."

"Well, then, John, go wake up the old hen and count her, and then go to bed."

A gentleman named Dunlop, being present at a party where one of the company had made several puns on the names of the persons present, remarked that he had never heard his name punned upon, and didn't believe it could be done. "There is nothing in the world more easy, sir," replied the punster. "Just *lop* off half the name, and it is *Dun*."

A MODEL TENANT.—"Jimmey, get some kindling wood, and be making a fire."

"Plaze, sir, I can't. Mister O'Brien used the last banister yesterday."

"The bannisters gone! Then go on the roof, and try the vartue o' thim shingles."

In a week afterwards Mr. Murphy wants a reducshin o' rint. Kase, why, the roof leaks!

"I suppose, Jim, that were I to jump into the water here, I should find it over my head and ears." "Probably over your head, Frank, but not your ears."

SHERIFF'S SALES.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

BY virtue of sundry writs of Venditioni Exponas and Levari Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Schuylkill County and to me directed, there will be exposed to sale by public vendue or outcry, on

Saturday, December 8th, 1860,

at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court House, in the Borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill County, the following described Real Estate, to wit:

All those two certain lots or pieces of ground, situate on the northwardly side of West Railroad street, lately in the township of Norwegian, now in the Borough of Pottsville, County of Schuylkill, Penna., being the lots marked 178 and 180 on the map and plan of the Norwegian addition to Pottsville, each of said lots containing in front or breadth on West Railroad street 66 feet, and in length or depth 330 feet to Wallace street. The said lot No. 178 is bounded eastwardly by lot No. 177 on said map or plan now or late the property of Charles Reed, northwardly by Wallace street, westwardly by lot marked No. 179, southwardly by West Railroad street; the said lot No. 180 is bounded eastwardly by lot No. 179 on said map or plan, northwardly by Wallace street, westwardly by lot No. 181 on said map or plan, conveyed to Peter Ketcher, and southwardly by West Railroad street, with the appurtenances—as the property of ELIJAH HAMMER.

ALSO, All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate on the corner of Norwegian and George streets, in the Borough of Pottsville, County of Schuylkill, and State of Penna; and marked and numbered in the Greenwood addition to Pottsville with number 6, bounded in front by said Norwegian street, in the rear by other land of the said Isaac Starr, James W. Paul and Thomas Biddle, lately sold to B. Bannan and others, westwardly by lot number five, and eastwardly by George street, and in depth or length on the westwardly side about 190 feet and along George street 200 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a 2 story brick dwelling house, with stone basement and a 2 story brick back building attached—as the property of RICHARD D. SHOENER.

ALSO, All that certain farm or tract of land, situate in the township of East Brunswick, Schuylkill County, bounded by lands of Jeremiah Leiblinger and Jacob Godshall, containing 22 acres, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a 1½ story log dwelling house, with a one story stone kitchen attached, and a frame barn—as the property of WILLIAM GODSHALL.

ALSO, All the right, title and interest, claim and demand, of Septimus Thomas, of, in and to all that certain farm or tract of land, situate in North Manheim township, Schuylkill County, bounded by lands of Daniel Eiler, lands now or late of George Ebbert, lands of the Schuylkill Navigation Company, and others, containing 230 acres, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story stone tavern house, with a one story kitchen thereto attached, a frame stable, a large frame shed, a fountain of water near the front door of the tavern house, a two story log dwelling house with basement of stone, a frame bank barn, 3 stone lime kilns, a one story frame office, a wharf on the Schuylkill Canal, a one story stone building, formerly used as a school house, now used as a dwelling house—as the property of SEPTIMUS THOMAS.

ALSO, No. 1—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the Borough of Port Carbon, Schuylkill County, bounded north by Mill Creek, east by Coal street, south by lot of Thomas Maloney, and west by a 5 feet wide alley, containing in width 33 feet, and in depth 95 feet, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame dwelling house, with a store room on first floor, and a brick front and stone basement, a 1½ story frame stone house, and a frame stable.

No. 2—All those certain 3 lots or pieces of ground, situate in the town of Tremont, Schuylkill County, bounded on the east by Clay street, on the south by lot of Francis W. Hughes, on the west by a 20 feet wide alley, and on the north by North street, each lot containing in width 40 feet, and in depth 150 feet, more or less, with the appurtenances.

No. 3—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the town of Tremont, Schuylkill County, bounded on the east by Clay street, on the north by lot of Samuel Wanner, on the west by a 20 feet wide alley, and on the south by another lot of Bartholomew O'Regan, containing in width 40 feet, and in depth 150 feet, more or less, with the appurtenances consisting of 3 two story frame dwelling houses with stone basements.

No. 4—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the town of Tremont, Schuylkill County, bounded on the east by Clay street, on the south by lot of Reese Besse, on the west by Spring street, on the north by Spruce street, containing in width 40 feet and in depth 150 feet, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a double 2 story log dwelling house and a frame stable.

No. 5—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the town of Tremont, Schuylkill County, bounded on the south by Main street, on the west by Miner street, on the north by Hazel street, and on the east by lot late of Henry Eckel, containing in width 40 feet, and in depth 120 feet, more or less, as the property of BARTHOLOMEW O'REGAN.

ALSO, No. 1—All those certain 2 lots or pieces of ground, situate at the southwesterly corner of Centre and Market streets, in Morris' Addition to the Borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill county, containing in width 80 feet and in depth 120 feet, bounded northwardly by Market street, eastwardly by Centre street, southwardly by lot No. 31, and westwardly by Hotel street, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story stone dwelling house, with a two story stone back building attached, a frame stable, and a small stone building.

No. 2—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate on the westwardly side of Centre street, in Morris' Addition to the Borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill county, being part of the lot marked in the plan of said addition No. 31, containing in width on Centre street 28 feet, and extending back of that width 40 feet 2 inches, then widening to 40 feet, and extending back of that width to Hotel street, bounded northwardly by lot No. 32, eastwardly by Centre street, southwardly by part of lot No. 31, and part of lot No. 30, and westwardly by Hotel street, with the appurtenances consisting of a stone dwelling house, three stories in front and two stories in the rear, with store room on Centre street, and a two story frame back building attached, and a frame stable.

No. 3—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate on the westwardly side of Centre street, in Morris' Addition to the Borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill county being the southwardly half of lot No. 30 in said addition, containing in width 20 feet, and in depth 120 feet, bounded northwardly by the other half said lot No. 30, eastwardly by Centre street, southwardly by lot No. 29 and westwardly by Hotel street, with the appurtenances consisting of a two story stone dwelling house, with basement, and a double frame dwelling house on Hotel street, 2 stories in front and 3 stories in the rear.

No. 4—All that certain tract of timber land, situate in Barry township, Schuylkill county, (now Foster Township) containing 300 acres, more or less, adjoining land of George Dewald, late Charles S. Cockill and others—as the property of MICHAEL J. SEIBERT.

ALSO, All that certain lot of ground, marked with the number 102 on the general plan of the town of Tremont, Schuylkill county, Penna., being 50 feet in front on Cressona street and running back along the bank of Good Spring Creek 135 feet, thence south 13 feet in lot of Isaac Lehman, thence 120 feet along the line of Isaac Lehman's lot being the same lot which Sebastian Buyer by his deed bearing date the 13th day of October, A. D. 1834, did convey to Enoch Morgan, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame dwelling house, (rough cast) as the property of ENOCH MORGAN.

ALSO, All those two contiguous and adjoining tracts of land, one thereof situate in Pinegrove township, and the other in the borough of Pinegrove, both in the County of Schuylkill and State of Pennsylvania, bounded (together) and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a white oak on the west branch of Swatara Creek, a corner of Jacob Huber's land, thence by said Jacob Huber's land south twenty-eight degrees and a quarter east sixteen perches and seven-tenths to a gum tree, and south eighty-seven degrees east forty-seven perches and one-tenth to a stone, thence by land of William Lutz and other land of the said Oliver B. Phreaner, south three degrees east one hundred and thirteen perches to a white oak, thence by land of George Markey, George W. Long and John Stine south eight-seven degrees west one hundred and five perches to a post on the western side of a public road, thence by land of Peter Filbert along the western side of said road north ten degrees and a half west twelve perches and six-tenths to a post, thence by land of the said Greenawalt and George, formerly a part of the larger tract hereby granted north seventy-seven degrees east eighteen perches to a post, north thirty-two degrees sixteen perches and a half to stones, north thirty two degrees west twenty-seven perches to stones, and thence by the same along the east side of Swatara Creek south forty-five degrees and three-quarters west twenty perches to a post, one perch and four-tenths southeast of the inner edge of the abutment of Swatara bridge, thence along the north-eastern side of said bridge north thirty-eight degrees west across Swatara Creek eleven perches to a post, thence along the outer edge of the Union Canal bank in the direction of north forty-one degrees east, but following the various courses of said canal bank forty-four perches and nine-tenths to a post; thence north thirty degrees and three-quarters east nineteen perches and two-tenths to a post, north eight degrees and three-quarters east thirteen perches and eight-tenths to a post, thence by land of land of William Graeff north eighty-four degrees and a quarter east one perch and fifty two hundredths to a stone, and south ninety-one perches and a half east twelve perches and a half to the place of beginning, containing together sixty acres, more or less, with the appurtenances—as the property of OLIVER B. PHREANER.

ALSO, All those certain two contiguous lots or pieces of ground, situate in the borough of Cressona, Schuylkill county, bounded north by lot of W. R. C. Buttler, east by Sullyman street, south by land of Francis M. Nichols, and west by a 20 feet wide alley, containing in width 50 feet, (each lot 25 feet) and in depth 145 feet, more or less—as the property of NELSON DRAKE.

ALSO, All that certain tract or piece of land, situate in Union township, Schuylkill county, bounded by lands of Henry Lindenmuth, dec'd, John Breish, Peter Trexler, Abraham Shoup and others, containing 92 acres, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a 1½ story log dwelling house and a log barn.

ALSO, All the right, title and interest of George Lindenmuth, of, in and to all that certain farm or tract of land, situate in Union township, Schuylkill county, bounded by land of Daniel Lindenmuth, William Lindenmuth, Joseph Paxton, Peter Horn and others, containing 200 acres with the appurtenances, consisting of a 2 story frame dwelling house, a 1½ story frame dwelling house and a log barn—as the property of GEORGE LINDENMUTH.

ALSO, No. 1—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the Borough of Port Carbon, Schuylkill County, bounded on the north by Mill Creek, on the east by lot of Elizabeth Boyer, on the south by Pottsville street, and on the west by lot of Hannah Bright, containing in width 25 feet, and in depth 100 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame dwelling house, with a one story frame kitchen thereto attached.

No. 2—All those certain 2 lots of ground, situate on Coal street, in the town of Heckscherville Schuylkill County, being numbered on the plan of said town No. 54 and 55, containing together in front on said Coal street 120 feet, and extending of that width in depth thereof, on the eastwardly side 140 feet, and on the westwardly side of said lots 97 feet, bounded northwardly by Coal street, southwardly by Water street, and westwardly by Wood street, with the appurtenances, consisting of a 1½ story frame dwelling house and a log stable—as the property of ZACCUR P. BOYER.

ALSO, No. 1—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the Borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill County, bounded on the south by Market street, on the west by Seventh street, on the north by Lyon street, and on the east by lot of William Mortimer, containing in width 60 feet, and in depth 190 feet, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a double two story stone tavern house, with a two story stone back building attached, a stone stable, and a frame shed.

No. 2—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the Borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill County, bounded on the south by Market street, on the west by lot of George Fisher, on the north by Lyon street, and on the east by lot of Daniel B. Seidle, containing in width 30 feet, and in depth 190 feet, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a frame cooper shop.

No. 3—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the Borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill County, bounded on the north by Market street, on the west by Ninth street, on the south by Norwegian street, and on the east by lot of William C. Smith, containing in width 30 feet, and in depth 244 feet, 6 inches, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story stone dwelling house with a two story stone kitchen attached, and a frame stable.

No. 4—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill county, bounded on the south by Market street, on the east by lot of Mark Crawshaw, and James Cail, on the north by lot of Long and Schmidt, and on the west by lot of Joseph Kline, containing in width 30 feet, and in depth 100 feet, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame dwelling house, with a one story frame kitchen attached.

No. 5—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the Borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill county, bounded on the north by Market street, on the west by lot of Casper Moershbacher, on the south by lot of Kyran Phalen, on the east by lot of Jacob F. Petry, containing in width 30 feet, and in depth 115 feet, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a double two story frame dwelling house.

No. 6—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill County, bounded on the west by Centre street, on the south by lot of Peter Kern, on the east by Railroad street, and on the north by lot of Joseph Woolison, containing in width 30 feet, and in depth 200 feet, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame dwelling house with stone basement, and a two story frame kitchen attached.

No. 7—All that certain farm or tract of land, situate in Butler township, Schuylkill county, bounded by lands of Samuel Haupt, ——— Bright and others, containing 320 acres more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a three story stone dwelling house, with a two story stone back building thereto attached, a frame bank barn with stone basement, a frame dwelling house and a water power saw mill.

No. 8—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the Borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill County, bounded on the north by lot of Bridget Culleu, on the east by the Mount Carbon Railroad, on the south by property of the Schuylkill County Lumber Company, and on the west by Centre street, containing in width 60 feet, and in depth 96 feet, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame dwelling house and a frame stable.

No. 9—All that certain piece or parcel of land, situate in Norwegian township, Schuylkill County, bounded on the north and west by land of Edward O'Connor, on the east by the old Sunbury road, and on the South by Market street, containing four and a quarter acres, more or less.

No. 10—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the Borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill County, bounded on the north by lot of Samuel Heffner, on the east by lot of Edward Shaughnessy, on the south by Market street, and on the west by lot of John P. Powers and Brother, containing in width 40 feet and in depth 190 feet, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a Stone Quarry.

No. 11—All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill county, bounded on the north by Market street, on the east by lot of Samuel Heffner, on the south by Norwegian street, and on the west by lot of James G. Turner, containing in width 60 feet, and in depth 244 feet, more or less.

No. 12—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill county, bounded on the north by lot of William Wren, on the east by a 20 feet wide alley, on the south by Market street, and on the west by lot of George Reinhart, containing in width 20 feet, more or less, and in depth 60 feet, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a stone cellar wall.

No. 13—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill county, bounded on the north by land of Samuel Heffner, on the east by a 20 feet wide alley, on the south by a 10 feet wide alley, and on the west by lot of William Wren, containing in width 20 feet, more or less, and in depth 100 feet, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a frame stable—as the property of JOHN McBARRON.

ALSO, No. 1—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Auburn, Schuylkill county, bounded on the east by the Schuylkill and Susquehanna Railroad, on the south by land of Wm. Mengel and Samuel K. Moyer, on the west by lot of Kennedy Robinson, and on the north by lot of Miller and Warner, containing 2 acres, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story brick tavern house with stone basement, and a two story brick kitchen attached, a two story brick dwelling house with stone basement, a large brick barn and frame smoke house.

No. 2—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Auburn, Schuylkill county, bounded on the east by lot of Samuel K. Moyer, on the south by lot of Benjamin Kramer, on the west by a public road and on the north by lot of Kennedy Robinson, containing in width 50 feet, and in depth 150 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame dwelling house with stone basement.

No. 3—All those certain two lots or pieces of ground, situate in the borough of Auburn, Schuylkill county, bounded on the east by a 20 feet wide alley, on the south by property of Samuel K. Moyer, on the west by a 50 feet wide street, and on the north by property of Charles Kramer, containing in width 70 feet, and in depth 50 feet.

No. 4—All that certain tract or piece of land, situate in South Manheim township, Schuylkill county, bounded by land of Conrad Kershner, deceased, Thomas Christ, John Schall and others, containing 160 acres, more or less—as the property of SAMUEL KRAMER.

ALSO, No. 1—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Palo Alto, Schuylkill County, bounded on the north by Bacon street, on the east by lot of William Bensinger, on the south by another lot of Elijah Bensinger, and on the west by lot of Thomas Umblebee, containing in width 40 feet, and in depth 100 ft., with the appurtenances, consisting of 2 two story frame dwelling houses, with 1½ story frame kitchen thereto attached.

No. 2—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Palo Alto, Schuylkill County, bounded on the north by Bacon street, on the east by lot of the heirs of Benjamin W. Richards, deceased, on the south by Savery street, and on the west by lot of Mark McAllister, containing in width 80 feet, and in depth 200 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of 4 two story frame dwelling houses.

No. 3—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Palo Alto, Schuylkill County, bounded on the north by another lot of Elijah Bensinger, on the east and west by property of the heirs of B. W. Richards, deceased, and on the south by Savery street, containing in width 40 feet, and in depth 100 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a frame stable—as the property of ELIJAH BENSINGER.

Seized, taken in execution, and will be sold by JOHN P. HOBART, *Sheriff.*

Sheriff's Office, Pottsville, November 17, 1860. [46-ts]

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Oct. 31, '60 44-

SEVEN YEARS!

The seven years of unrivalled success attending the "COSMOPOLITAN ART ASSOCIATION," have made it a household word throughout every quarter of the Country.

Under the auspices of this popular Institution, over *three hundred thousand homes* have learned to appreciate—by beautiful works of art on their walls and choice literature on their tables, the great benefits derived from becoming a subscriber.

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The *Art Journal* is too well known to the whole country to need commendation. It is a magnificently illustrated magazine of Art, containing Essays, Stories, Poems, Gossip, &c., by the very best writers in America.

The Engraving is sent to any part of the country by mail, with safety, being packed in a cylinder, postage prepaid.

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No person is restricted to a single subscription.—Those remitting $15, are entitled to five memberships and to one extra Engraving for their trouble.

Subscriptions from California, the Canadas, and all Foreign Countries, must be $3.50 instead of $3, in order to defray extra postage, etc.

For further particulars send for a copy of the elegantly illustrated *Art Journal*, pronounced the *handsomest magazine in America*. It contains Catalogue of Premiums, and numerous superb engravings. Regular price, 50 cents per number. Specimen copies, however, will be sent to those wishing to subscribe, on receipt of 18 cents, in stamps or coin. Address,

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N. B.—Subscriptions received and forwarded by BENJAMIN BANNAN, *Agent for* **Pottsville,** *and vicinity, where specimen Engravings and Art Journal can be seen.*

November 24 '60 47-

MAINGAY'S Combination Mine and Mineral Water Purifying and Filtering Apparatus. *POTTSVILLE, Schuylkill Co.*

THE Mine Water of Coal Regions is found by analysis, to be strongly impregnated with carbonic acid, sulphuric acid, large quantities of alum and sulphate of iron. These properties as may be well known, render it very destructive to Steam Boilers, and other apparatus used about Mines. The object of this invention is to deprive the water of these destructive properties and at same time filter it so that it will be useful for mechanical and domestic purposes.

The nature of the improvement consists in a peculiar arrangement of a series of purifying and filtering hogsheads, a hopper, a large tank or reservoir, a series of turbines, the centrifugal motion of which keeps the water in agitation and assists in commingling the neutralizing chemicals whereby the above named results are accomplished in a speedy, perfect and economical manner. A small water wheel worked by the water to be purified, gives motion to the whole machinery.

This apparatus is also intended for and is valuable on a large or small scale in *Limestone regions*, in separating the lime from the water, rendering it soft and less destructive to the human system when used as a beverage, also in preventing *incrustation* in steam boilers and cooking utensils. It can be economically employed in the South to purify *muddy and impure water* and thereby greatly improve the health of cities. This process making the water soft and easily generated into steam with less fuel, can be advantageously used by Railroad Companies for supplying their locomotives.

July 7, '60 27-

CABINET MAKING AND UPHOLSTERING.

THE undersigned having become associated in business, and having secured the services of G. Nabholts, Upholsterer, are prepared to make to order, Sofas, Chairs, Matrasses, &c., while they keep constantly on hand, everything in their line. Mr. Nabholts will attend to all orders for laying down Carpets, fixing up Curtains, and to everything in the Upholstering line of business. They have added to their present place of business, first door above the American House, the store formerly occupied by Wm. Smith, and respectfully solicit a continuance of the liberal patronage heretofore accorded the same of the firm.

Pottsville, May 5, '60 18- GRESSANG & SON.

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Nov. 24, '60 47-

FURS! FURS! FURS! Ladies' Fancy Fur Emporium.

FAREIRA & THOMSON.

OLD STAND No 818 Market street, above Eighth, South side, PHILADELPHIA.

We beg leave to call the attention of the Ladies to our large and varied stock of **Ladies' and Children's FANCY FURS.**

Having had great experience and enjoying peculiar facilities in the selection of *Furs* we confidently offer our *new stock* to the inspection of the ladies, feeling assured that they will decide with us in its being unrivalled in beauty and variety, consisting as it does, of every description of *American & European Furs* Manufactured in the latest and most approved styles.

CAPES, TALMAS, VICTORINES, CLOAKS, MUFFS, AND CUFFS—embracing Sable, Mink, Stone Martin, German Fitch, Siberian Squirrel, French Sable, French Squirrel, American Fitch, and Silver Martin.

Thankful for the very liberal patronage heretofore extended to us, we hope to merit a continuance of the same, by furnishing a *good article at the lowest Cash prices.* **Fareira & Thomson,** *No. 818 Market Street, Philadelphia.*

N. B.—OLD FURS *altered to fashionable styles.*

September 29, '60 39-3m

Ladies' One Price Fancy Fur Store!

JOHN FAREIRA, **No. 718 Arch Street,** between 7th and 8th Sts., PHILAD'A. (late of 818 Market Street.) Importer, Manufacturer of, and Dealer in all kinds of

Fancy Furs!

Having removed to my NEW STORE, 718 Arch street, and being now engaged entirely in the manufacture and sale of Fancy Furs, which, in accordance with the "One Price Principle," I have marked at the lowest possible prices consistent with a reasonable profit. I would solicit a visit from those in want of Furs, for either Ladies' or Children's Wear, and an inspection of my selection of those goods, satisfied, as I am, of my ability to please in every desired essential.

Persons at a distance, who may find it inconvenient to call personally, need only name the article they wish, together with the price, and instructions for sending, and forward the order to my address—money accompanying—to insure a satisfactory compliance with their wishes. [August 25, '60 34-5m

JAMES MITTON'S Wholesale and Retail TEA WAREHOUSE,

No. 824 Race Street, above 8th, PHILADELPHIA. ESTABLISHED 1848.

TEAS fresh and of best quality. ['60 43-1y

HOWELL & BOURKE, Manufacturers and Importers of Paper Hangings.

N. E. Corner of Fourth and Market Streets, PHILADELPHIA.

October 6, '60 40-3m]

TOWNSEND & CO., (Successors to SAMUEL TOWNSEND & Co.,)

NO. 39 SOUTH SECOND Street, above Chestnut, PHILADELPHIA, Importers and Dealers in Velvet, Brussels, Tapestries, Three Ply, Ingrain and Venetian

CARPETS,

Of the best English and American make, MATTINGS, OIL CLOTHS, &c. &c.

We solicit an inspection of our assortment before purchasing elsewhere.

Philadelphia, September 8, '60 36-3m

Buy Your Furs of DAVID H. SOLIS, Importer of Furs, 622 ARCH ST., ab. 6th, PHILA. Furs! Furs!! Furs!!!

DAVID H. SOLIS has removed his Fur Store to No. 622 Arch Street, above Sixth, and has made up a choice assortment of Furs of all kinds, to which he invites the attention of the Ladies. His style and make are well known. All goods bought directly from Europe, enables him to sell at such prices as will suit all. Store always closed on the Seventh Day. [Nov. 17, '60 46-11t

FEATHERS.

FEATHER BEDS, SPRING MATTRESSES, HAIR, MOSS, HUSK and STRAW **Mattresses, Cushions, &c.,** Ready-made, or made to order, at lowest cash prices.

QUILTS, COMFORTABLES, BLANKETS, &C.

Amos Hillborn, *No. 44 North Tenth Street, below Arch, Philad'a.*

N. B.—CHURCH CUSHIONS on hand or made to order. [August 18, '60 33-1y

FURS! FURS! FURS!

JOSEPH ROSENBAUM, *Fancy Fur Manufacturer and Importer,* Has now ready his very extensive stock of Furs; consisting of Capes, Half Capes, Victorines, Muffs, Cuffs, etc., in Mink, Sable, Stone Marten, Fitch, Chinchilla, Siberian Squirrel, and other lower priced Furs; all of which he is prepared to sell at the most reasonable prices. All FURS sold in this store, are warranted to be what they are represented.

STORE—No. 416 Arch street, between Fourth and Fifth, south side, (above Eyre & Landell's Dry Goods Store.) *Sign of the Golden Lion.* PHILADELPHIA.

P. S.—FURS altered to fashionable styles, at moderate charges. [October 6, '60 40-3m

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 DEPTH CROWN, CLOTH AND GLAZED CAPS.

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

No two prices for regular goods.

Jan. 14, '60. 2-1y

HAINES BROS.' Over-Strung Grand Action PIANO FORTES,

Celebrated for superior quality of TONE, and elegance and beauty of finish. These Pianos have always taken the *FIRST PREMIUM* when placed in competition with other makers. *Challenge all Competition!*

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GEO. L. WALKER'S *Piano and Melodeon Depot,* S. E. corner 7th & Arch streets, Philadelphia.

July 28, '60 30-6m

CARPETINGS, OIL CLOTHS, &C.

P. HOUGH, Jr., invites the attention of buyers to his extensive stock of CARPETS, of Foreign and Domestic Manufacture, and of the most celebrated makes. For beauty of designs and durability of colors, cannot be excelled—*If you see them you will be sure to buy.*

Beautiful Tapestry, English Brussels, 75 cents to $1, &c. Three-Plys, Ingrain Carpets, suitable for sitting, dining room and chambers: .5, 37½,—all wool, $1, 62, 75, &c. Also, large stock of Floor Oil Cloths, from ¾ to 8 yards wide. WINDOW SHADES, from the important branch in our business. I keep on hand styles of every description—Druggetings, Coco-Mattings, Stair Rods, Rugs, Mats, Rag Carpets, &c. PHINEAS HOUGH, Jr., No. 808 North Second Street, (first carpet store above Noble.)—BRANCH STORE, No. 802 Spring Garden street, above Eighth, **Philadelphia.**

N. B.—Discount made to Country Storekeepers.

August 18, '60 33-6m

REMOVAL.

WILLIAM BRIAN, late of 38 South Fifth Street, respectfully informs his friends and the public that he can now be found at

No. 337 Chestnut Street, Philad'a, [BELOW 4TH, NORTH SIDE.]

Where he is prepared to show an assortment of **READY-MADE CLOTHING,** Manufactured in the best manner, of the most desirable French, English and American fabrics, and the latest styles and fashion, that cannot fail to suit, in quality and price. Also, a splendid assortment of

UNCUT GOODS.

Constantly on hand, and *made to order,* together with a choice selection of

GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS.

He hopes to give entire satisfaction to all who may favor him with their custom. An early call is solicited.

He still continues to teach his art of CUTTING.—Price—$50 for instruction.

Philadelphia, March 24, '60 12-1y

THE AMERICAN SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION PUBLISHES **ONE THOUSAND** CHOICE ILLUSTRATED BOOKS FOR **CHILDREN AND YOUTH,**

BEING the largest collection in the country.—They are now publishing *A New Book Every Saturday Morning.* Elegantly Illustrated Catalogues may be had without charge, by addressing THE AMERICAN SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION, 1122 CHESTNUT ST., PHILADELPHIA.

All the publications of the Sunday School Union can be obtained at Union prices at the Bookstore of B. BANNAN, Pottsville.

Oct. 16, '58 42-tf

PHILADELPHIA.

SAVING FUND. National SAFETY TRUST Company.

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

April 16, '59 16-

PATENTS!

LETTERS PATENT procured at a moderate charge. E. BROWN, Engineer, Philadelphia, gives his personal attention to the preparing of Drawings and Specifications, and other business connected with the procuring of Letters Patent.

E. Brown, 311 Walnut street, Philadelphia.

Sept 1, '60 [March 10, '60 10-1y] 35-

TOYS, BASKETS AND FANCY GOODS!

JOHN DOLL, No. 120 North Second Street, above Arch, PHILADELPHIA.

Just received at his NEW STORE, a very large assortment of TOYS of every description. Also, Fancy Baskets, Work Boxes, Tobacco Boxes, Segar Cases, Pipes, Canes and Fancy articles of a large variety; all being imported direct from the Manufacturer enables me to sell at very low prices. Please call and examine my stock.

September 22, '60 38-6m

Dyottville Glass Works, PHILADELPHIA!

Manufacture CARBOYS, DEMIJOHNS, WINE, PORTER, MINERAL WATER, PICKLE AND PRESERVE **BOTTLES,** of every description.

H. B. & G. W. BENNERS, 27 South Front street, Philadelphia.

October 20, '60 42-1y

CHARLES F. RUMPP, 118 North Fourth St., Philad'a, AT THE "OLD STAND."

Wholesale and Retail Manufacturer of

Port Monnaies,	Cabas and Purses,	Dressing Cases,
Money Belts,	Reticules,	Cigar Cases,
Bankers' Cases,	Leather Bags,	Writing Desks,
Pocket Books,	Port Folios,	Bill Books, &c.

Philadelphia, September 29, '60 39-1y

CARDS! CARDS!! CARDS!!!

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 fine White Paste-Boards, Straw Boards, &c., on hand and for sale by A. M. COLLINS, Paper & Card Warehouse, 506 Minor st., Philadelphia.

January 14, '60 2-1y

WATCHES, JEWELRY AND SILVER WARE.

We would respectfully inform our friends, patrons and the public generally, that we have now in store and offer *Wholesale and 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 St. South side, Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Sept. 15, '60 37-F&S3me

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 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 50-1y

A. HAWLEY & CO., Practical Perfumers. 117 North 4th street, Philadelphia.

THE PROPRIETORS of this establishment feel confident that their preparations will compare favorably with any in the world, either foreign or domestic. EXTRACTS for the Handkerchief, of the most exquisite odors. POMADES and OILS for the Hair of the finest texture and the sweetest Perfumes. SHAVING CREAMS and TOILET SOAPS of the finest and most delicate formation. Also, HAWLEY'S LIQUID HAIR DYE is decidedly superior to any now in use.

A. HAWLEY'S OLEATE OF COCOA.—This preparation is *the* article above all others for dressing the Hair. It is exceedingly fine and delicate, and renders the Hair dark, soft and glossy. The odor is delightful. No one should be without it.

POWDERS, BANDOLINE, ROUGE, &c., and every variety of fine and choice Perfumery.

HAWLEY'S FRUIT EXTRACTS, for flavoring pies, puddings, jellies, confectionery, and *Mineral Water Syrups*. All of which rival the best and are surpassed by none. [Philadelphia, October 6, '60 40-3m

The Paris Mantilla Emporium!

NO. 708 Chestnut street, PHILADELPHIA. Established in 1855 for the exclusive display and sale of the latest novelties in Paris and London, and the finer productions of home manufacture of

CLOAKS and MANTILLAS,

To which has been added a **FUR DEPARTMENT!**

Which embraces the largest assortment of *FURS OF ALL NATIONS,*

Including

Real Russian Sable.
Fine Dark Hudson Bay Sable.
Russian and American Mink Sable,
Royal Ermine, Chin-chilla,
Fine Dark Siberian Squirrel, &c.

Made up in the most fashionable styles for **LADIES WINTER COSTUME.**

ALL GOODS WARRANTED.

One Fixed Price from which no deviation can be made. The PARIS MANTILLA, CLOAK & FUR EMPORIUM, No. 708 *Chestnut Street*, (above Seventh, South side.)

J. W. Proctor & Co.

Sept. 29, '60 39-3m

A. PURVES, dealer in Scrap Iron and Metals, Machine and Foundry Furnishing, &c. Northeast corner of South and Penn, and No. 17 South Street, Philadelphia.

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

Ingot Copper,	Babbitt Metal,	Foundry Facings,
Ingot Brass, Red.	Bismuth,	Anvils,
Yellow,	Solders,	Vices,
Pig Tin,	Bar Iron,	Files, &c.
Bar Tin,	Sheet Iron,	Old Metals,
Pig Lead,	Sheet Zinc,	Old Copper,
Bar Lead,	Steel,	Old Brass,
Spelter,	Borax,	Old Lead, &c., &c.
Antimony.	Crucibles.	

New and Second-hand Machinists' and Blacksmiths' Tools, and Steam Engines, bought and sold.

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

Cash paid for Scrap Iron, Old Rails, and all kinds of Metals.

Nov. 10, '60 [March 5, '59 10-] 45-

FALL AND WINTER OF 1860! A Splendid Stock! Store Much Enlarged!!

THORNLEY & CHISM, N. E. Corner Eighth and Spring Garden Streets, PHILADELPHIA, invite special attention to the most *superb stock* of

FANCY SILKS,
BLACK SILKS,
RICH DRESS GOODS,
CLOTH CLOAKS,
BROCHEA SHAWLS &
STELLA SHAWLS,

ever offered by them. Also, a very large stock of

LINEN GOODS & MARSELLES QUILTS, of our own Importation.

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, VESTINGS, &c. BLANKETS, FLANNELS, SATTINETTS & MUSLINS.

We buy for Cash and sell Cheap.

N. B. You can ride to our door; the Cars pass *every three minutes.*

Philadelphia, Sept. 15, '60 37-3m

HANDSOME WOMEN!—To the Ladies. HUNTS "BLOOM OF ROSES."

A rich and elegant color for the cheeks or lips.—IT WILL NOT WASH OR RUB OFF, and when once applied, remains durable for years. The tint is so rich and natural, that the closest scrutiny fails to detect its use. Can be removed by lemon juice and will not injure the skin. This is a new preparation, used by the celebrated Court Beauties of London and Paris. Mailed free, in bottles, with directions for use, for $1.00.

HUNT'S "COURT TOILET POWDER," imparts a dazzling whiteness to the complexion, and is unlike anything else used for this purpose. Mailed free for 50 cents.

HUNT'S "BRITISH BALM," removes tan, freckles, sunburn and all eruptions of the skin. Mailed free for 50 Cents.

HUNT'S "IMPERIAL POMADE" for the hair, strengthens and improves its growth, keeps it from falling off, and is warranted TO MAKE THE HAIR CURL. Mailed free for $1.00.

HUNT'S "PEARL BEAUTIFIER," for the teeth and gums, cleanses and whitens the teeth, hardens the gums, purifies the breath effectually, PRESERVES THE TEETH AND PREVENTS TOOTHACHE. Mailed free for $1.00.

HUNT'S "BRIDAL WREATH PERFUME," a double extract of orange blossoms and cologne. Mailed free for $1.00.—This exquisite perfume was first used by the Princess Royal of England, on her marriage. Messrs. Hunt & Co. presented the Princess with an elegant case of Perfumery, (in which all of the above articles were included) in handsome cut glass with gold stoppers, valued at $1500, particulars of which appeared in the public prints.

All the above articles sent Free, by express, for $5.00. Cash can either accompany the order, or be paid to the express agent on delivery of goods.

Hunt & Co., *Perfumers to the Queen,* Regent St., London, and 707 Sansom St., Philad'a., Pa.

For Sale by all Druggists and Perfumers.

The Trade Supplied. [Oct. 6, '60 40-1y

HOTELS.

FEGER'S HOTEL, (Formerly Pottsville House,) *Cor. of Centre and E. Mahantango Sts.* '60 15-1y] JOS. M. FEGER, Prop'r.

PENNSYLVANIA HALL, *CENTRE Street, POTTSVILLE, Pa.*

F. B. Kaercher, *Proprietor.*

The undersigned having removed from the Exchange Hotel to the Pennsylvania Hall—to which he will devote all of his attention and energies in the future—respectfully solicits a continuance of the patronage which he received at the Exchange.

There is good stabling in the rear of the Hall.

F. B. KAERCHER.

Pottsville, October 6, '60 40-tf

WHITE HORSE HOTEL.

The undersigned respectfully announce to their friends and the public that they have taken, enlarged and entirely refurnished the old established and popular tavern-stand at the corner of Centre and Mahantango streets, known as the "White Horse Hotel," formerly kept by ex-Sheriff Matz, and more recently by Joseph M. Feger. The stabling attached to the house is commodious.

Every attention will be paid to the comfort of guests, and they hope to secure a fair share of public patronage.

WILLIAM J. MATZ. JESSE DRUMHELLER.

Pottsville, April 7, '60 14-2y

HARDWARE.

CONSTANTLY on hand, T Rails for mining purposes, at reduced prices, for cash or good paper. HAYWOOD, LEE & CO.

Pottsville, Dec. 26, '59] 52-tf

Stichter & Thompson, DEALERS IN **HARDWARE, CUTLERY, IRON, TOOLS, &C.** Corner Centre and Market, "Sign of the Saw," **POTTSVILLE, PA.**

January 29, '59 5-tf

HARDWARE AND IRON DEPOT.

THE SUBSCRIBER, having now arranged his goods at his new place of business and with a new determination of furnishing all such goods as the business of the Coal Region may require, at their lowest market value, solicits the inspection of the Public. I shall be always on hand, and have on hand a full stock of

Bar Iron,	Chopping Axes,
Fine Iron,	Coal Shovels,
Cast Steel,	Trace Chains,
Slit Iron,	Nails and Spikes,
Rope,	Tackle Blocks,
Bellows,	Anvils and Vices, &c.

Hardware and Iron Depot, CENTRE STREET, three doors above Market, east side. FRANK POTT.

July 15, 1854. 28-tf

GEORGE BRIGHT'S NEW HARDWARE STORE, two doors below Feger's Hotel, and nearly opposite the Miners' Bank, Pottsville, where will be found an excellent assortment of HARDWARE.

Coach Trimming,	Files,
Springs,	Fine Trays,
Saddlery,	Britania Ware,
Shoemaker's Tools,	Assortment of fine Locks,
Carpenter's Tools,	Table Cutlery,
Glass and Paint,	Pocket Cutlery,
Bar Iron of all sizes,	Table Spoons,
Rolled	Anvils and Vices,
Nails and Spikes,	Assortment of fine Guns,
Railroad Iron and Nails,	Sheet Iron Crucibles,
Smith Tools,	Wire, Tin Plate,
Building Materials,	Brass Kettles,
Cast Steel,	Sad Irons,
Shear Steel,	Pans and Boilers,
Arm Blister,	Chains,
Mill Saws,	Railroad Traces,
Cross-cut Saws,	Powder and Shot,
	Fine Hand Saws.

G. B. returns his thanks to the public for the patronage they extended to the late firm, and hopes that in his individual capacity, by strict attention to business, and the superior quality of his goods, and accommodating prices, will deserve and command their continued support. GEORGE BRIGHT.

Dealer in Hardware and Iron, Centre Street.

Pottsville, Nov. 12, 1859.

TRAVELING.

PHILAD'A & READING RAILROAD. Excursion Tickets.

From Philadelphia to Pottsville and return, will be sold at Philadelphia on Saturdays and Sundays, at $3 75 each, good for any train on those days, and on the succeeding Monday.

G. A. NICOLLS, *General Supt.*

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PHILAD'A & READING RAILROAD. REDUCTION OF PASSENGER FARES. **On and after MONDAY, APRIL 2d, 1860,** COMMUTATION TICKETS

WITH 26 COUPONS WILL BE *issued between any points desired, good for the holder and any member of his family, in any Passenger train, and at any time*—AT 25 PER CENT. BELOW THE REGULAR FARES.

Parties having occasion to use the Road frequently on business or pleasure, will find the above arrangement convenient and economical; as Four Passenger trains run daily each way between Reading and Philadelphia, and Two Trains daily between Reading, Pottsville and Harrisburg. On Sundays, only one morning train Down, and one afternoon train Up, runs between Pottsville and Philadelphia; and no Passenger train on the Lebanon Valley Branch Rail Road.

For the above Tickets, or any information relating thereto, apply to S. Bradford, Esq., Treasurer, Philadelphia, to the respective Ticket Agents on the line, or to G. A. NICHOLS, Gen'l Supt.

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

THE magnificent A 1 Extreme Clipper-ship "GREY FEATHER," 1000 tons cap. city, MAYO, commander, is now in her berth receiving cargo, and will be dispatched immediately for MELBOURNE, *direct*. Her accommodations for First and Second cabin passengers are unsurpassed. The "GREY FEATHER" is an extreme Clipper—has always made good passages, and should not exceed 75 days out to Melbourne.

Rates of Passage.

First Cabin Saloon, $200; Second Cabin, $110. Children in arms, free; over two years and under twelve, half price.

For Freight or Passage, apply on board, or to R. W. CAMERON, 90 Beaver Street, New York. Sight Bills for sale, and cash advances made on consignments.

Consignees in Australia: Messrs. R. Towns & Co.

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TO TRAVELERS WEST & SOUTH. Schuylkill & Susquehanna Railroad, (Late Dauphin & Susquehanna Railroad.)

PERSONS desiring to go West and South will find the cheapest route *via* the Schuylkill and Susquehanna Railroad, running from Auburn to Harrisburg, where it connects with the trains running to Pittsburg, Baltimore and Washington, and also Chambersburg. *The connections are punctually made at all the points,* and it is cheaper than any other line running to these points from Schuylkill County. The cars leave the Depot of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad daily, at 8½ o'clock A. M. and arrive at Auburn in time to take the cars to Harrisburg, where they arrive at 12.20 P. M. Leave Harrisburg daily at 2 o'clock, P. M. and arrive at Auburn in time to connect with the 5 o'clock Pottsville train.

Fare from Pottsville to Harrisburg, 1st Class,		$2 10
"	" 2d Class,	1 75
Fare to Baltimore,		4 55
Fare to Pittsburg, 1st Class,		9 75
"	2d Class,	6 60

Through tickets to all points furnished.

Tickets can be procured of the Agent at Mortimer's Hotel, Pottsville, at any time during the day.

CHAMBERS DUBBS, *Agent.*

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LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD. Change of Hours.

THE PASSENGER TRAINS of the LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD COMPANY, on and after MONDAY, the 28th day of May, 186 , will run as follows:

Down Trains.

Leave	No. 1, A. M.	No. 2, A. M.	No. 3, P. M.
Mauch Chunk	4.10	10.45	3.20
Lehighton	4.19	10.56	3.31
Lehigh Gap	4.39	11.18	3.43
Slatington	4.45	11.26	4.00
Rock Dale	4.56	11.40	4.13
Laury's	5.07	11.54	4.25
White Hall	5.14	12.02	4.32
Coplay	5.18	12.09	4.37
Catasauqua	5.26	12.20	4.47
Allentown	5.38	12.35	5.10
Bethlehem	5.5	12.53	5.22
Freemansburg	6.01	1.3	5.30
Easton (arrive at)	6.20	1.30	5.50

Up Trains.

Leave	No. 1, A. M.	No. 2, P. M.	No. 3, P. M.
Easton	8.50	3.35	8.00
Freemansburg	9.05	3.57	8.25
Bethlehem	9.17	4.08	8.35
Allentown	9.30	4.20	8.50
Catasauqua	9.43½	4.37	9.03
Coplay	9.53	4.47	9.13
White Hall	9.58	4.54	9.18
Laury's	10.05	5.03	9.25
Rock Dale	10.17	5.15	9.38
Slatington	10.30	5.28	9.40
Lehigh Gap	10.36	5.36	9.58
Lehighton	10.56	6.00	10.21
Arr. Mauch Chunk	11.05	6.10	10.30

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PHILADELPHIA AND READING R. R. Summer Arrangement, May 28, 1860.

DOWN PASSENGER TRAINS.

Leave Pottsville daily, (except Sundays) at 9.00 A. M., and 2 P. M.—Passing Reading at 10.45 A. M., and at 3.43 P. M. Arriving in Philadelphia at 1.25 P. M., and at 6.15 P. M.

UP PASSENGER TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia daily, (except Sundays) at 8.00 A. M., and 3.30 P. M.—Passing Reading at 10.45 A. M., and 6.05 P. M. Arriving in Pottsville at 12.30 noon, and at 7.55 P. M.

Both Up and Down Passenger Trains connect at Port Clinton with Trains to and from Tamaqua, Catawissa, Williamsport and Elmira. Morning Passenger Trains *only* connect at Port Clinton for Wilkesbarre, Scranton and Pittston.

Passengers leaving Williamsport by the Catawissa Railroad Night Line at 10.10 P. M., connect with a Passenger Train leaving Port Clinton at 4.30 A. M., arrive at Reading at 5.30, breakfast, and proceed direct to Philadelphia by the 6 A. M. Reading Accommodation Train.

LEBANON VALLEY BRANCH.

Passenger Train leaves Reading at 10.46 A. M., after arrival of Up and Down Morning Passenger Trains from Philadelphia and Pottsville. Arriving at Harrisburg at 12.47 Noon, and connecting with Passenger Trains on the Northern Central, "Pennsylvania" and "Cumberland Valley" Railroads, for Sunbury, Williamsport, Elmira, Pittsburg, Lancaster, Baltimore and Chambersburg.

Returning, leaves Harrisburg at 1.15 P. M., after arrival of Trains from above points. Arriving at Reading at 3.40 P. M., and connecting with Up and Down Trains for Pottsville and Philadelphia the same evening. *No Trains run on Sundays.*

Fares.—Between Pottsville and Philadelphia, $2 75 and $2 25; Reading and Philadelphia, $1 75 and $1 45; Harrisburg and Philadelphia, $3 25 and $2 70; Lebanon and Philadelphia, $2 60 and $2 10, Reading and Harrisburg, $1 60 and $1 30; Reading and Pottsville, $1 05 and $0 85; Reading and Lebanon, 85 and 70 cents; Pottsville and Harrisburg, $2 65 and $2 15; Pottsville and Lebanon, $1 85 and $1 50.

Through No. 1 Tickets—Pottsville to Baltimore, $5 00; Pottsville to Gettysburg, $4 50; Reading to Baltimore, $4; Reading to Lancaster, $2 25.

80 pounds of Baggage allowed each Passenger.

The Second Class Cars run with all the above Regular Passenger Trains.

Morning Train Down and Afternoon Train Up, *only,* run on Sundays.

Through First Class Tickets at reduced rates, to Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Detroit, Chicago, and all the principal points in the West, North West, and the Canadas; and Emigrant Tickets, at lower fares, to all the above places, can be had on application to the Station Agent.

All Tickets will be purchased before the Trains start. Higher fares charged if paid in cars.

G. A. NICOLLS, Eng. & Gen. Supt.

May 22, '60 [April 30, '59 18-] 16-

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE AMALGAMATION OF LANGUAGES.—There is a growing tendency in this age to appropriate the most expressive words of other languages, and after a while to incorporate them into our own; thus the word Cephalic, which is from the Greek, signifying "for the head," is now becoming popularized in connection with Mr. Spalding's great Headache remedy, but it will soon be used in a more general way, and the word Cephalic will become as common as Electrotype and many others whose distinction as foreign words has been worn away by common usage, until they seem "native and to the manor born."

'Ardly Realized.

Hi 'ad 'n 'orrible 'eadache this hatternoon, hand I stepped into the hapothecaries hand says hi to the man, "Can you hease me of an 'eadache?" "Does it hache 'ard?" says 'e. "Hexceedingly," says hi, hand upon that 'e gave me a Cephalic Pill, hand 'pon me 'onor it cured me so quick that I 'ardly realized I 'ad 'ad an 'eadache.

HEADACHE is the favorite sign by which nature makes known any deviation whatever from the natural state of the brain, and viewed in this light it may be looked on as a safeguard intended to give notice of disease which might otherwise escape attention, till too late to be remedied; and its indications should never be neglected. Headaches may be classified under two names, viz: Symptomatic and Idiopathic. Symptomatic Headache is exceedingly common and is the precursor of a great variety of diseases, among which are Apoplexy, Gout, Rheumatism, and all febrile diseases. In its nervous form it is sympathetic of disease of the stomach constituting *sick headache*, of hepatic disease constituting *bilious headache*, of worms, constipation and other disorders of the bowels, as well as renal and uterine affections. Diseases of the heart are very frequently attended with Headaches; Anæmia and Plethora are also affections which frequently occasion headache. Idiopathic Headache is also very common, being usually distinguished by the name of *nervous headache*, sometimes coming on suddenly in a state of apparently sound health, and prostrating at once the mental and physical energies, and in other instances it comes on slowly, heralded by depression of spirits or acerbity of temper. In most instances the pain is in the front of the head, over one or both eyes, and sometimes provoking vomiting; under this class may also be named *Neuralgia.*

For the treatment of either class of Headache, the Cephalic Pills have been found a sure and safe remedy, relieving the most acute pains in a few minutes, and by its subtle power eradicating the diseases of which Headache is the unerring index.

BRIDGET.—Missus wants you to send her a box of Cephalic Glue, no, a bottle of Prepared Pills,—but I'm thinking that's not just it neither; but perhaps ye'll be after knowing what it is. Ye see she's nigh dead and gone with the Sick Headache, and wants some more of that same as relieved her before.

Druggist.—You must mean Spalding's Cephalic Pills.

Bridget.—Och! sure now and you've sed it. Here's the quarther and give me the Pills and don't be all day about it aither.

Constipation or Costiveness.

No one of the "many ills that flesh is heir to," is so prevalent, so little understood, and so much neglected as Costiveness. Often originating in carelessness, or sedentary habits; it is regarded as a slight disorder of too little consequence to excite anxiety, while in reality it is the precursor and companion of many of the most fatal and dangerous diseases, and unless early eradicated it will bring the sufferer to an untimely grave.—Among the lighter evils of which Costiveness is the usual attendant, are Headache, Colic, Rheumatism, Foul Breath, Piles and others of like nature, while a long train of frightful diseases such as Malignant Fevers, Abcesses, Dysentery, Diarrhœa, Dyspepsia, Apoplexy, Epilepsy, Paralysis, Hysteria, Hypochondriasis, Melancholy and Insanity, first indicate their presence in the system by this alarming symptom. Not unfrequently the diseases named originate in Constipation, but take on an independent existence unless the cause is eradicated in an early stage. From all these considerations it follows that the disorder should receive immediate attention whenever it occurs, and no person should neglect to get a box of Cephalic Pills on the first appearance of the complaint, as their timely use will expel the insidious approaches of disease and destroy this dangerous foe to human life.

A Real Blessing.

Physician.—Well, Mrs. Jones, how is that headache?

Mrs. Jones.—Gone! Doctor, all gone! the pill you sent cured me in just twenty minutes, and I wish you would send more so that I can have them handy.

Physician.—You can get them at any Druggists. Call for Cephalic Pills, I find they never fail, and I recommend them in all cases of Headache.

Mrs. Jones.—I shall send for a box directly, and shall tell all my suffering friends, for they are a *real blessing.*

TWENTY MILLIONS OF DOLLARS SAVED.—Mr. Spalding has sold two millions of bottles of his celebrated Prepared Glue and it is estimated that each bottle saves at least ten dollars worth of broken furniture, thus making an aggregate of twenty millions of dollars reclaimed from total loss by this valuable invention. Having made this Glue a household word, he now proposes to do the world still greater service by curing all the aching heads with his Cephalic Pills, and if they are as good as his Glue, Headaches will soon vanish away like snow in July.

OVER EXCITEMENT, and the mental care and anxiety incident to close attention to business or study, are among the numerous causes of Nervous Headache. The disordered state of the mind and body incident to this distressing complaint is a fatal blow to all energy and ambition. Sufferers by this disorder can always obtain speedy relief from these distressing attacks by using one of the Cephalic Pills whenever the symptoms appear. It quiets the overtasked brain, and soothes the strained and jarring nerves, and relaxes the tension of the stomach which always accompanies and aggravates the disordered condition of the brain.

FACT WORTH KNOWING.—Spalding's Cephalic Pills are a certain cure for Sick Headache, Billious Headache, Nervous Headache, Costiveness and General Debility.

GREAT DISCOVERY.—Among the most important of all the great medical discoveries of this age may be considered the system of vaccination for protection from Small Pox, the Cephalic Pill for relief of Headache, and the use of Quinine for the prevention of Fevers, either of which is a sure specific, whose benefits will be experienced by suffering humanity long after their discoverers are forgotten.

DID you ever have the Sick Headache? Do you remember the throbbing temples, the fevered brow, the loathing and disgust at the sight of food. How totally unfit you were for pleasure, conversation or study. One of the Cephalic Pills would have relieved you from all the suffering which you then experienced. For this and other purposes you should always have a box of them on hand to use as the occasion requires.

Cephalic Pills CURE Sick Headache! CURE Nervous Headache CURE All kinds of Headache.

By the use of these Pills the periodic attacks of *Nervous or Sick Headache* may be prevented; and if taken at the commencement of an attack, immediate relief from pain and sickness will be obtained.

They seldom fail in removing the *Nausea and Headache* to which females are so subject.

They act gently upon the bowels,—removing Costiveness.

For *Literary Men, Students,* Delicate Females, and all persons of *sedentary habits,* they are valuable as a *Laxative,* improving the *appetite,* giving *tone* and *vigor* to the digestive organs, and restoring the natural elasticity and strength of the whole system.

The CEPHALIC PILLS are the result of long investigation and carefully conducted experiments, having been in use many years, during which time they have prevented and relieved a vast amount of pain and suffering from Headache, whether originating in the *nervous* system, or from a deranged state of the *stomach.*

They are entirely vegetable in their composition, and may be taken at all times with perfect safety, without making any change of diet, *and the absence of any disagreeable taste renders it easy to administer them to children.*

BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS!

The genuine have five signatures of Henry C. Spalding on each box.

Sold by Druggists and all other Dealers in Medicines.

A Box will be sent by mail prepaid, on receipt of the

Price, 25 Cents.

All orders should be addressed to **Henry C. Spalding,** *48 Cedar Street, New York.*

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The Farmer.

GRASS AND GARDEN SEEDS, FRUIT TREES, Agricultural Implements, &c.

THE subscriber will keep on hand Clover, Timothy and other Grass seeds, White Clover and Lawn Grass seeds, together with garden and field seeds, which he will warrant to be fresh and good. He will also take orders for all kinds of fruit trees (warranted to be what they are represented,) agricultural implements, &c., of which will be furnished at manufacturer's prices. The seeds and trees sold by the subscriber are raised with great care, only from growers of reputation and standing. He does not deal in seeds procured promiscuously in the market, from those who sell cheap, without regard to the character of the seed sold. Nor does he purchase or sell seeds grown promiscuously in country gardens, where their too close proximity deteriorates their quality, particularly those of the same species. This is an important consideration to those who purchase either seeds or fruit trees. For trees, &c., send orders early to BENJAMIN BANNAN.

HOW TO SAVE AMMONIA.

The best part of all the manures in the barn yard is ammonia, and this evaporates if you do nothing to save it. It goes off in the shape of a volatile gas, very pungent to the smell. Hence the strong odor about stables, barn yards, sink drains, and privies. How to catch this fugitive and make him do justice to our gardens and fields, is the question. It can not be done if we keep our cattle in the stack-yard all Winter. There is a dead loss of five dollars on every animal so kept. But if the cattle are stabled or kept under open sheds, most of the manure may be easily saved. A bedding of dry muck, two or three feet thick will absorb an enormous quantity of liquid manure, and will not need to be removed more than once before Spring. The solid manure should be removed every day, and covered with muck or old litter.

In the stables, if they are cleaned every day, it is a good plan to sprinkle on plaster of Paris every day, about a pint to each animal. If this is not at hand, dry muck made very fine will answer a good purpose. The finest stable floor will lose its pungent odor in a few minutes, if it be covered with fine muck or pulverized peat. The finer and dryer the earth is made, the greater its absorbing power. If it has lain over one season it is readily prepared for this purpose by a shovel.

Dried clay is also an excellent article for this use. If it is partially burnt, it is all the better. For this purpose make a heap of dried sods, or brush, or any combustible material, and cover it with lumps of clay or clayey soil, leaving holes enough for ventilation. This mass when it is reduced by burning, makes a powerful absorbent, and is much less expensive than plaster. If it is not burnt, the lumps should be knocked fine with a hammer or mallet.

Every place about the house and barns where there is the smell of ammonia, should have these coarse or fine absorbents. Many farmers lose one, two, and three hundred dollars a year for want of them, according to the number of animals they keep. Their money goes streaming off into the air as palpably as if a whirlwind took up a roll of bank bills. The nose takes cognizance of it, but because farmers are not accustomed to reckon money by their olfactories, they do not perceive their loss. The loss nevertheless is as real as if their pockets had been picked. Wise farmers save their ammonia.—*Cor. American Agriculturist.*

DO YOU WANT EGGS IN WINTER?

Then give the manufacturers materials to make them with, and a comfortable place to work in. Let the egg-less say what they may, we speak what we know, when we assert that it is perfectly feasible to keep the hens laying all Winter. Give them animal food to supply the place of the insects they catch in Summer, and then let them have a warm place to run into, with plenty of unfrozen water, not snow, and a frequent taste of green food such as cabbage leaves, potatoes, &c., and remember to supply some gravel for their grinding mill, and lime to make shells of, and we will warrant the animals to repay the care and food, in nice plump eggs—no matter what the particular breed may be. Try it.

A hen without some kind of meat, gravel, and lime, compelled to eat snow for water or go without, can not make eggs. If she has to keep constantly changing from standing on one foot to the other to keep it from freezing, she can't stop to think about getting up eggs. If all she eats and can digest, must be expended in keeping up the heat of her body, she has nothing left to put into eggs. If her body is all shrunk up with cold, she hasn't room inside for an egg of respectable size, and though her instincts may sometimes induce her to produce this sheer "pullet's egg" at the expense of the lime in her bones, her pride revolts against such dwarfed production, and she seldom furnishes beyond two or three.

Give Madam hen the odd bits of fresh meat, and the other fixings named above, not forgetting the water, and make her quarters so free from cold air-holes that she is *comfortable*, and she can't help giving attention to her natural occupation of manufacturing eggs, much to her own satisfaction, and the profit of her owner.—*American Agriculturist.*

KEEPING CABBAGE IN WINTER.

It is well known that freezing cabbage does not injure them materially, provided the frost be drawn out gradually, and it is a common practice to bury them in pits or trenches out of doors, for keeping through winter. This answers a very good purpose, except that it is a rather troublesome operation to get at them when the ground is frozen hard or covered with snow. Keeping them in the cellar of the dwelling, is objectionable, as partial decay is induced by the warmth and dampness, and there is a most unsavory and unwholesome odor ascending to the rooms above; or if the cellar be very dry, the heads do not retain their freshness. L. Bartlett, in the Boston *Cultivator*, describes a method which he has used two winters past, by which these objections are obviated. [We have often practiced the same method satisfactorily, and described it long since, we believe.] He cuts off the stems, removes the loose outer leaves, and packs the heads in boxes or barrels with damp moss, such as is used by nurserymen in packing trees, roots, shrubbery, etc. These he has kept in the barn cellar until March and in an out door cellar until late in Spring. Last winter, boxes filled, were placed in the barn, and when frozen slightly were covered with straw, where they remained partially frozen, until April, without rotting or shriveling. When wanted for use, a head was placed in water an hour or two before boiling, and it then appeared as fresh as when taken from the field in November. He also suggests that clean cut fine and thoroughly wetted, might be successfully used instead of moss. It would be well worth while for market gardeners and others who wish to preserve cabbages to make the experiment with straw upon a small scale; if successful it would be quite a saving of disagreeable labor.—*American Agriculturist.*

Recipes.

WEST POINT CAKE.—One pound of sugar, one pound of flour, one-half pound of butter, five eggs, one cup of cream, and one teaspoonful of soda.

TO TAKE OUT THORNS AND SPLINTERS.—Make a plaster of turpentine and tar, spread on a piece of leather, and apply to the wound.