Wit and Humor.

I ATTEND A CLAM-BAKE.

My wife has gone to visit her mother. I am happy to be able to state that the children accompanied her. Peace, quietness and felicity reign in my dwelling. I come and go unquestioned. I stay out late nights without fear of rebuke. I lie abed of mornings, and no one insists on my getting up.—My friends pass the evening with me, and there be none who tell me the next day that the window-curtains are filled with tobacco-smoke, and the parlor has the fragrance of a bar-room. If two or three friends come home to dine with me, the cook never asks me why I brought them, nor complains of a headache. What is more she does not insist upon having a new silk dress every week, nor bursts into tears if I utter crude or naughty words. The fact is, if there be one thing I like more than another, it is to have my wife visit her mother.

I take advantage of my wife's absence to renew the acquaintance of the young ladies whom I met at the balls and hops I attended last winter, when my wife thought business kept me down town. Several of these interesting young ladies I have had the pleasure of escorting to various places of amusement the past week.

Having resolved to enjoy myself during my wife's absence, I have determined to leave no legitimate source of pleasure untried. In pursuance of this plan I visited the "Nestle-down"—the name of a friend's villa—on Long Island. I went there, supposing that my friend's wife and daughters were alone, and that he was visiting the camp around Washington. He returned from there the very day I went to Nestledown. After all, it was as well, perhaps, that he did, for this stepping into the bosom of a man's family in his absence may not be just the thing. I wonder if anybody will pay particular attention to my wife while she is with her mother! I was very cordially received at Nestledown, and dined on broiled spring chickens and fresh green peas. For dessert I partook of fresh green peas. Now if there be one thing I like more than another, it is a dinner of this kind.

In the evening we drove to Little Neck, on the North side of the Island, and had a clam-bake. I think a clam-bake is an excellent institution. In my opinion, it is better than a turtle-soup feast or a chowder party. In olden times when mustaches were not worn, turtle-soup and clam or cod-chowder were not bad to take; but in these days they have objectionable points.

While the clams were being baked, the Nestledownians and myself took a row on the bay. Although our party was not large, we yet occupied two skiffs. I forgot to say that we engaged a distinguished artist to accompany us for the purpose of making a sketch of the clam-bake. The picture he painted is a pleasing reminiscence of the evening; but fails to convey a correct idea of a clam-bake.

It is very delightful to float on still waters in pretty skiffs, when the full moon, just rising, sheds a silvery light around, and the red blaze of a fire flickers fantastically through the leafy trees, and the air is mild and the night enchanting. The young ladies, seated in the stern of the boat, enjoyed this thing amazingly; but neither the artist nor myself, who blistered our hands in rowing, appreciated it as they did. I confess I enjoyed eating the clams more than I did anything else. My knowledge of clams is quite limited, but my powers of observation are keen. I noticed that Mr. Nestledown selected only the small clams for his own plate, and kept pushing the large ones towards mine. I regarded this as extremely kind and polite in him, and lest he should rob himself of all the fine large ones, I placed two or three of them upon his plate. But he courteously put them aside, as if they were better than he deserved. I now think they were. Curiosity led me try one of the small ones, and thenceforward I devoted my attention exclusively to them. I think India-rudder overshoes are made of large clams; but if there be one thing I like more than another it is the small clam from the shores of Long Island.

I observed that the darkies of the neighborhood are a speciality. They are great on the double shuffle, the pigeon-wing, and that class of antics. While we were eating our clams a gang of them were displaying their dancing abilities near by, varied with an occasional negro melody. On the whole, I enjoyed the drive, the row on the bay, the clams, and the dancing very much, and went back to Nestledown exceedingly contented.

The next day, on my return to the city, I wrote a poetical epistle to my wife, which, for the benefit of husbands whose wives may be away from home, I herewith transcribe:

TO MY ABSENT WIFE.

I miss thee more than words can tell;
My heart is filled with pain and woe,
My voice sounds like a funeral knell,
And grief is mine where'er I go.

Tears, bitter tears, bedew my cheek,
And weary sighs my bosom fill;
For, ah! I've missed this long, long week,
The kisses which my soul would thrill.

In ceaseless toil I pass each day,
My dreams at night are all of thee;
I've lost the power of being gay,
And only gloomy pictures see.

I wonder if the sky is blue,
And if the trees are robed in green;
If tulips are not made with rue,
And happy people e'er are seen.

Indeed, I feel that I have grown
Quite old since thou wert at my side;
'Tis wrong to leave me thus alone,
For thou wast such a joy and pride.

Still, for thyself, my dear, I trust,
Thou art enjoying every good;
So don't return until thou must,
Thou paragon of womanhood.

I have faith that the above lines will prove acceptable to my wife, and not hasten her return home.

A LETTER WORTH READING.

We will back the following piece of composition against anything ever produced. It was written half a century ago by Sir Boyle Roche, a member of the Irish parliament, in the "troublous times of '98," when a handful of Wexford men struck terror into the hearts of many gallant sons of Mars, as the worthy writer himself. It was addressed to a friend in London.

MY DEAR SIR:—Having now a little peace and quietness, I sit down to inform you of the dreadful bustle and confusion we are all in from these blood-thirsty rebels, most of whom are, thank God! killed and dispersed. We are in a pretty muss, can get nothing to eat, nor wine to drink, except whiskey; and when we sit down to dinner we are obliged to keep both hands armed. Whilst I write this, I hold a sword in each hand and a pistol in the other.

I concluded from the beginning that this would be the end of it; and see I was right, for it is not half over yet. At present there are such things going on that every thing stands still. I should have answered your letter a fortnight ago, but I did not receive it till this morning. Indeed scarcely a mail arrives safe without being robbed. No longer ago than yesterday, the coach with the mails from Dublin was robbed near this town; the bags had been judiciously left behind for fear of accident, and by good luck there was nobody in it but two outside passengers, who had nothing for the thieves to take. Last Thursday notice was given that a gang of rebels were advancing here under the French standard, but they had no colors or any drums except bagpipes. Immediately,—every man in the place, including the women and children, ran out to meet them. We soon found our force much too little; we were too near to think of retreating. Death was in every face, but to it we went, and, by the time half of our little party were killed, we began to be all alive again. Fortunately the rebels had no guns, except pistols and pikes, and as we had plenty of muskets and ammunition, we put them all to the sword. Not a soul of them escaped, except those that were drowned in an adjacent bog; and in a very short time nothing was to be heard but silence. Their uniforms were all different colors, but mostly green. After the action we went to rummage a sort of camp, which they left behind them. All we found was a few pikes without heads, a parcel of empty bottles full of water, and a bundle of French commissions filled with Irish names. Troops are now stationed all around the country which exactly squares with my ideas. I have only time to add that I am in great haste.

P. S.—If you do not receive this, of course it must have been miscarried, therefore I beg you to write and let me know.

A FAVOR TO BE ASKED OF A ZOUAVE.—A Zouave, his hair cropped close to his skin, had just taken his seat and thrown off his hat, showing a skull suggesting a white-wood scrubbing-brush with most of the bristles worn off. "Suppose you wanted to bother that Zouave completely," said a lady to her companion, "would you know how to do it?" "Not especially," answered her escort.—"Well, I'll tell you," said the bright eyed vixen, "ask him for a lock of his hair!"

A SCHOOLMASTER, in a neighboring town, wishing to discover the talents of his scholars for geography, asked one of the youngest of them, what State he lived in? To which the boy replied:

"A state of sin and misery."

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"Yes, sare, it yos," was the equally bombastic reply.

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TRAVELING.

PHILAD'A & READING RAILROAD. Excursion Tickets, [illegible]

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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LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD.—1861. [illegible] Summer Arrangements.

COMMENCING JUNE 10, 1861.

THREE PASSENGER TRAINS DAILY, (Sundays Excepted.)

TIME TABLE:

Showing Arrivals and Departures to and from New York and Philadelphia.

DOWN OR EASTWARD TRAINS.

Stations: Leave	No. 1. P. M.	No. 3. A. M.	No. 2. A. M.
Mauch Chunk,	3.45	11.00	4.00
Lehighton,	3.55	11.10	4.10
Parryville,*	4.01	11.15	4.16
Lehigh Gap,*	4.16	11.29	4.30
Slatington,	4.22	11.34	4.36
Rock Dale,*	4.33	11.45	4.47
Laury's,*	4.43	11.55	4.57
White Hall,	4.50	12.01	5.03
Copley,*	4.54	12.05	5.08
Hokendauqua,	4.56	12.09	5.12
Catasauqua,	5.02	12.13	5.16
Allentown,	5.20	12.26	5.27
Bethlehem,	5.32	12.37	5.40
Freemansburg,	5.42	12.46	5.49
Lime Ridge,*	5.48		
S. Easton,	6.03		
Easton, (arrive)	5.50	1.40	6.05
Philadelphia, (arrive)	7.55	P.M.	8.23
New York,	9.45	4.00	9.50

UP OR WESTWARD TRAINS.

Stations: Leave	No. 5. A. M.	No. 4. M.	No. 1. P. M.	No. 2. P. M.
New York,	6.00	12.00	4.00	5.00
Philadelphia,	6.40		5.15	
Easton, (arrive)	8.50	3.20	7.40	10.45
S. Easton,*		3.22	7.42	
Lime Ridge,*		3.36	7.58	
Freemansburg,	9.08	3.41	8.06	
Bethlehem,	9.17	3.51	8.15	11.14
Allentown,	9.30	4.10	8.30	11.26
Catasauqua,	9.43	4.21	8.41	
Hokendauqua,	9.48	4.26	8.46	
Copley,*	9.53	4.31	8.51	
White Hall,	9.58	4.35	8.56	
Laury's,*	10.05	4.43	9.04	
Rock Dale,*	10.16	4.53	9.14	
Slatington,	10.28	5.03	9.25	
Lehigh Gap,*	10.34	5.12	9.31	
Parryville,*	10.48	5.27	9.45	
Lehighton,	10.54	5.34	9.50	
Mauch Chunk,	11.05	5.45	10.00	

A star (*) indicates Flag Stations.

☞Through Tickets are sold for Philadelphia, New York, and all of the principal stations on the Central R. R. of New Jersey, also for Reading, Pottsville, Harrisburg and the West, Wilkesbarre, and the principal stations on the Catawissa Railroad.

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Third Class, " " to Galway or Liverpool, or any town in Ireland, on a Railway, 30

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For passage or further information apply to WM. H. WICKHAM, At the office of the Company on the wharf foot of Canal street, New York.

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April 27, '61 17 6m

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

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

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Fare from Pottsville to Harrisburg, 1st Class, $2 10
" " " 2d Class, 1 75
Fare to Baltimore, 4 55
Fare to Pittsburg, 1st Class, 9 55
" " 2d Class, 6 00

☞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.

Nov 19, '59 47-tf

PHILADELPHIA AND READING R. R. [illegible] Summer Arrangement, May 13, 1861.

DOWN PASSENGER TRAINS.

Leave Pottsville, daily, (except Sundays) at 9.00 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.—Passing Reading at 10.45 A. M., and 4.20 P. M. Arriving in Philadelphia at 1.25 P.M., and at 6.50 P.M. Both down trains connect at Reading with East Pennsylvania Passenger trains for New York.

UP PASSENGER TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia daily, (except Sundays) at 8.00 A. M., and 3.15 P. M.—Passing Reading at 10.45 A. M., and 5.43 P. M. Arriving in Pottsville at 12.30 noon, and at 7.25 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, connect with Passenger Trains leaving Port Clinton at 4.30 A. M. and 3.15 P. M.

LEBANON VALLEY BRANCH.

Passenger Train leaves Reading at 10.45 A. M. after arrival of Up and Down Morning Passenger Trains from Philadelphia and Pottsville. Arriving at Harrisburg at 1.30 P. M. 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 1.30 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 $2.20; Reading and Harrisburg, $1.60 and $1.30; Reading and Pottsville, $1.00 and $0.85; Reading and Lebanon, $1.00 and 70 cents; Pottsville and Harrisburg, $2.00 and $1.65; Pottsville and Lebanon, $1.75 and $1.50.

Through No. 1 Tickets—Pottsville to Baltimore, $4.00; 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 Trains Down and Afternoon Trains Up only run on Sundays; leaving Pottsville at 7.30 A. M. and Philadelphia at 3.15 P. M.

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

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

May 19, '61 [April 20, '59 16-] 20-

MISCELLANEOUS.

UNION FLAG ENVELOPES and NOTE PAPER, for sale at B. BANNAN'S.

MILITARY MAP

OF the UNITED STATES and Territories, showing the location of the Military Posts, Arsenals, Navy Yards and Ports of Entry, &c., for sale by B. BANNAN.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

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Patrick Christopher, Cass Township, $2,150
Womelsdorf & Co. Distillery Pottsville, $1,912

With various other losses ranging from $100 to $1600.

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T. A. GODFREY, Agent.

Pottsville, April 20, '61 16-

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April 16, '58 16-tf

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 public sale or outcry,

Saturday, September 7th, 1861,

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:

No. 1—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Minersville, Schuylkill county, bounded on the north by North street, on the south by Lewis street, on the east by land of Joseph Jeanes, and on the west by Front street, containing in length from Front street to land of Joseph Jeanes 238 feet, and in breadth from North street to Lewis street 168 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a 2 story stone machine shop and foundry, a 30 horse power steam engine with boilers, shafting and pullies, a stone boiler house and blacksmith shop.

No. 2—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Minersville, Schuylkill county, bounded north by North street, south by the south half of the same lot, east by Front street and west by lot No. 55 and Front street, containing in length 75 feet, and in breadth 40 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a one story frame carpenter shop, a 2 story frame office, and a 1 story frame oil house—as the property of WILLIAM DeHAVEN, deceased, in the hands of Lewis C. Dougherty, his administrator, with notice to Lewis C. Dougherty and Lewis P. Garner, terre tenants.

Also, All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Palo Alto, Schuylkill county, bounded northwardly by Bacon street, eastwardly by lot of Edward Sweeney, southwardly by lot belonging to the estate of Wm. H. Bacon, deceased, and westwardly by lot of Andrew Rutherford, containing in width 40 feet, and in depth 100 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a 1½ story frame dwelling house with a one story frame kitchen attached, with stone basement, and a frame stable—as the property of DAVID KELLY.

Also, All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Schuylkill Haven, Schuylkill county, bounded on the north by lot of William Richardson, east by a 16 feet wide alley, south by lot of William Reber, and west by Dock street, containing in width 90 feet, more or less, and in depth 214 feet, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story brick church—as the property of JOHN RUDY, MOSES REED, CHARLES DENGLER, JOHN HERBNER, F. W. SNYDER, CONRAD MILLER, and JACOB KANTNER, THE ELDERS AND WARDENS ELECT OF THE UNION CHURCH OF THE BOROUGH OF SCHUYLKILL HAVEN, IN THE COUNTY OF SCHUYLKILL.

Also, All that certain farm or tract of land, situate in Wayne township, Schuylkill county, bounded by lands of Philip Hummel, John Schwalm, Jacob Lockenbill, Isaac Moyer and others, containing 70 acres, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a one story frame dwelling house and a frame barn with stone basement—as the property of JAPHET SCHAEFFER.

Also, All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill county, bounded northwardly by lot of Ann McGovern, eastwardly by Centre street, southwardly by lot of Ann Sullivan, and westwardly by lot of John Clayton, containing in width 40 feet, and in depth 100 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame dwelling house with stone basement—as the property of PATRICK FARLEY.

Also, All those certain three lots of ground, situate on the northwardly side of Nichols street, in the borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill county, being the lots marked numbers 305, 306, and 307, on the map of the Norwegian addition to the town of Pottsville, dated 1852, and recorded in Schuylkill county in town plot or draft Book No. 1, the 12th day of January, 1855, bounded eastwardly by a lot marked No. 304 on said map, northwardly by east Railroad street, the southern line of which is 46 feet northwardly from the middle of the east branch of the Mount Carbon Railroad, westwardly by a 30 feet wide street, and southwardly by Nichols street aforesaid, containing in front or width on Nichols street 180 feet, or 60 feet each lot, and on said Railroad street one hundred and eighty feet six inches, and extending in length on the eastern line of said lot number 305, two hundred feet eight inches, and along said thirty feet wide street one hundred and sixty-six feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a 2 story frame dwelling house, with stone basement, a 1 one story frame store house, a stone foundation for a distillery, with 2 steam boilers and wooden water tanks.

Also, All those certain 2 lots of ground, situate on the northwardly side of said Nichols street, being the lots marked number 308 and 309 on the aforesaid map, bounded eastwardly by said 30 feet wide street, northwardly by said East Railroad street, westwardly by lot marked number 310 on the aforesaid map and southwardly by Nichols street aforesaid, containing in front or width on said Nichols street, 120 feet, or 60 feet each lot, and on said Railroad street 120 feet 4 inches, and extending in length along said 30 feet wide street 183 feet 8 inches, and along the western line of lot number 309 one hundred and seventy-four feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a frame stable and frame pig pen—as the property of PHILIP WOMELSDORFF, deceased, in the hands of Mary Womelsdorf and George W. Huntzinger, his Executors, and of George N. Bowman, with notice to Jerome Womelsdorf, John R. Womelsdorf, George W. Huntzinger and Leah, his wife, James Reed and Lavina, his wife, Henry P. Strieker and Maria, his wife, and Moncure Ephon and Eliza his wife, heirs of the said Philip Womelsdorf, deceased, and also to Abraham W. Stetner, assignee of Womelsdorff & Co., terre tenants.

Also, All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the town of Tremont, Schuylkill county, bounded north by Hazel street, east by lot of Frederick Wertheimer, south by Main street, and west by lot of John B. Ziebach, containing in width 26 feet, more or less, and in depth 140 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a 2 story frame dwelling house, with a one story frame kitchen attached, and a frame stable—as the property of PHILIP UMHOLTZ.

Also, All those certain improvements, machinery and fixtures erected by the said Thomas H. Schollenberger under a Coal lease upon the lands of the Forest Improvement Company, in Foster township, Schuylkill county, at the colliery known as the Glendower Colliery, the said improvements, machinery and fixtures, consisting of a frame coal breaker, with breaking machinery, schutes, screens, &c., complete, a 22 horse power steam engine, with frame engine house, frame blacksmith shop, slope, gangways, railroads, inside and outside, tressel work, hoisting machinery, &c.—as the property of THOMAS H. SCHOLLENBERGER, owner or reputed owner and contractor.

Also, All that certain farm or tract of land, situate in Washington township, Schuylkill county, bounded by land of Peter Kramer, Michael Fritz, Mathias Setzing and others, containing 200 acres, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story log dwelling house, log barn, and an apple orchard—as the property of the UNION CANAL COMPANY of Pennsylvania.

Also, No. 1—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Auburn, Schuylkill county, bounded by land of Samuel K. Moyer, Dr. Kennedy Robinson, and lands of the Dauphin and Susquehanna Railroad Company containing about one acre and a half with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story brick tavern house, with stone basement, with a two story brick kitchen attached, a two story brick dwelling house and a brick stable.

No. 2—All that certain tract or parcel of land, situate in the borough of Auburn, Schuylkill county, bounded on the east by a 30 feet wide street, on the south and west by land of Samuel K. Moyer, and on the north by land of Dr. Kennedy Robinson, containing 2 acres.

No. 4—All those 2 certain lots or pieces of ground, situate in the borough of Auburn, Schuylkill county, bounded on the south by lot of Benjamin Kramer, on the east by a 30 feet wide street, on the west and north by land of Samuel K. Moyer, each lot containing in width 20 feet and in depth 150 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a 2 story frame dwelling house, with stone basement—as the property of SAMUEL KRAMER.

Also, All that certain frame dwelling house, stable and lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Pinegrove, Schuylkill county, bounded and described as follows, viz: beginning at a post the corner of William Zimmerman's lot, and in the middle of Tulpehocken road, thence along the middle of said road, north twelve degrees west, fifty-five feet to a post, thence by lot of Lewis Richards, deceased, north, seventy-eight degrees east, two hundred and ten feet to a post, thence by land of Frederick Kiehl and others, south twelve degrees east, fifty-five feet to a post, thence by lot of said William Zimmerman, south seventy-eight degrees, west two hundred and ten feet to the place of beginning, containing eleven thousand superficial, or square feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of a double 2 story frame dwelling house, with a store room on first floor, and a 1½ story frame back building attached, a small frame kitchen and a frame stable—as the property of MARY SMITH, Executrix, and CHARLES SELIN DAVIS, Executor of JACOB W. SMITH, deceased, JOHN GUNDY and CHARLES MOLLY, with notice to SAMUEL BEHM, terre tenant.

Also, No. 1—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill county, bounded northwardly by lot of Mary Ann Dougherty, eastwardly by a 12 feet wide alley, southwardly by lot of Wilson B. Trout, and westwardly by Coal street, containing in width 25 feet and in depth 150 feet, with appurtenances, consisting of a 2 story brick dwelling house, with a 2 story brick kitchen attached, and a frame stable.

No. 2—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in Norwegian addition to the borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill county, bounded northwardly by [illegible], eastwardly by 20 feet wide street, southwardly by [illegible] lot of John Reed, containing in width 20 feet, more or less, and in depth 300 feet, more or less.

No. 3—All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the Norwegian addition to the borough of Pottsville, Schuylkill county, bounded northwardly by a public road, eastwardly by lot of Francis Spencer, southwardly by Pottsville street, and westwardly by a 20 feet wide street, containing in width in front 60 feet, and in the rear 60 feet, and in depth 250 feet, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame dwelling house, with stone basement, and a frame stable—as the property of JAMES THOMAS.

Also, All that certain tract or piece of land, situate in North Manheim township, Schuylkill county, bounded on the north by land of Benjamin Pott, on the east by land of the Schuylkill Navigation Company, and on the south and west by land belonging to the estate of Benjamin F. DeLong, deceased, containing 43 acres, more or less—as the property of HENRY WEIDERHOLD and GEORGE WEIDERHOLD.

Also, All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of St. Clair, Schuylkill county, bounded [illegible] the borough of St. Clair, [illegible] containing in width 25 feet and in depth 150 feet, bounded northwardly by lot of William Parker, and [illegible] by Morris street, with the appurtenances, consisting of a 2 story cottage frame dwelling house, and [illegible]—as the property of HENRY ROEHRIG.

Also, All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in North Manheim Township, Schuylkill County, bounded by lands of Philip Boyer, George Kershner, William Stein and others, containing 31 perches, more or less, with the appurtenances, consisting of a two story frame dwelling house with a two story frame kitchen attached, a log summer kitchen and a frame stable, as the property of JOHN L. COHO.

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

Sheriff's Office, Pottsville, August 10, 1861. [33-]

SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Schuylkill County, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale or outcry, on

Saturday, September 7, 1861,

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:

No. 5—One full equal and undivided half part of all that certain tract of coal and timber land, situate in Mahanoy township, Schuylkill county, containing 240 acres, adjoining land of John Shoemaker, Bickel & Co., Aiter & Stephens, and others.

No. 6—One full equal undivided third part of all those 3 adjoining tracts of coal and timber land, situate in Mahanoy township, Schuylkill county, containing 135 acres, more or less, adjoining land surveyed in the name of Michael Dreeb, Sarah Lane, Timothy Lewis, Matthias Kaley, Christopher Dim, Francis Mantpes and others—as the property of MICHAEL J. SEIBERT.

Also, All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the town of Llewellyn, Schuylkill county, bounded north by lot of Adam Boyer, east by a 20 feet wide alley, south by a 50 feet wide street, and west by Railroad street, containing in width 50 feet, and in depth 150 feet, with the appurtenances, consisting of 2 one and a half story frame dwelling houses—as the property of WILLIAM BERKHEISER, deceased, in the hands of Henry Berkheiser, his administrator.

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

Pottsville, August 22d, 1861 34-

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

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

July 15, 1854. 28-tf

GEORGE BRIGHT'S NEW HARDWARE STORE, two doors below Ryer'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, Pad 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. 46-

MEDICINAL.

AYER'S Sarsaparilla

FOR PURIFYING THE BLOOD.

And for the speedy cure of the following complaints: **Scrofula and Scrofulous Affections, such as Tumors, Ulcers, Sores, Eruptions, Pimples, Pustules, Blotches, Boils, Blains, and all Skin Diseases.**

OAKLAND, Ind., 6th June, 1859.

J. C. AYER & Co. Gents: I feel it my duty to acknowledge what your Sarsaparilla has done for me. Having inherited a Scrofulous infection, I have suffered from it in various ways for years. Sometimes it burst out in Ulcers on my hands and arms; sometimes it turned inward and distressed me at the stomach. Two years ago it broke out on my head and covered my scalp and ears with one sore, which was painful and loathsome beyond description. I tried many medicines and several physicians, but without much relief from any thing. In fact, the disorder grew worse. At length I was rejoiced to read in the Gospel Messenger that you had prepared an alterative (Sarsaparilla), for I knew from your reputation that any thing you made must be good. I sent to Cincinnati and got it, and used it till it cured me. I took it, as you advise, in small doses of a teaspoonful over a month, and used almost three bottles. New and healthy skin soon began to form under the scab, which after a while fell off. My skin is now clear, and I know by my feelings that the disease has gone from my system. You can well believe that I feel what I am saying when I tell you, that I hold you to be one of the apostles of the age, and remain ever gratefully, Yours, ALFRED B. TALLEY.

St. Anthony's Fire, Rose or Erysipelas, Tetter and Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Ringworm, Sore Eyes, Dropsy.

Dr. Robert M. Preble writes from Salem, N. Y., 12th Sept., 1859, that he has cured an inveterate case of *Dropsy*, which threatened to terminate fatally, by the persevering use of our Sarsaparilla, and also a dangerous *Malignant Erysipelas* by large doses of the same; says he cures the common *Eruptions* by it constantly.

Bronchocele, Goitre or Swelled Neck.

Zebulon Sloan of Prospect, Texas, writes: "Three bottles of your Sarsaparilla cured me from a *Goitre*—a hideous swelling on the neck, which I had suffered from over two years."

Leucorrhoea or Whites, Ovarian Tumor, Uterine Ulceration, Female Diseases.

Dr. J. B. S. Channing, of New York City, writes; "I most cheerfully comply with the request of your agent in saying I have found your Sarsaparilla a most excellent alterative in the numerous complaints for which we employ such a remedy, but especially in *Female Diseases* of the Scrofulous diathesis. I have cured many inveterate cases of Leucorrhoea by it, and some where the complaint was caused by *ulceration of the uterus*. The ulceration itself was soon cured. Nothing within my knowledge equals it for these female derangements."

Edward S. Marrow, of Newbury, Ala., writes, "A dangerous ovarian *tumor* on one of the females in my family, which had defied all the remedies we could employ, has at length been completely cured by your Extract of Sarsaparilla. Our physician thought nothing but extirpation could afford relief, but he advised the trial of your Sarsaparilla as the last resort before cutting, and it proved effectual. After taking your remedy eight weeks no symptom of the disease remains."

Syphilis and Mercurial Disease.

NEW ORLEANS, 25th August, 1859.

DR. J. C. AYER: Sir, I cheerfully comply with the request of your agent, and report to you some of the effects I have realized with your Sarsaparilla.

I have cured with it, in my practice, most of the complaints for which it is recommended, and have found its effects truly wonderful in the cure of *Venereal and Mercurial Disease*. One of my patients had Syphilitic ulcers in his throat, which were consuming his palate and the top of his mouth. Your Sarsaparilla, steadily taken, cured him in five weeks. Another was attacked by secondary symptoms in his nose, and the ulceration had eaten away a considerable part of it, so that I believe the disorder would soon reach his brain and kill him. But it yielded to my administration of your Sarsaparilla; the ulcers healed, and he is well again, not of course without some disfiguration to his face. A woman who had been treated for the same disorder by mercury was suffering from this poison in her bones. They had become so sensitive to the weather that on a damp day she suffered excruciating pain in her joints and bones. She, too, was cured entirely by your Sarsaparilla in a few weeks. I know from its formula, which your agent gave me, that this Preparation from your laboratory must be a great remedy; consequently, these truly remarkable results with it have not surprised me.

Fraternally yours, G. V. LARIMER, M. D.

Rheumatism, Gout, Liver Complaint.

INDEPENDENCE, Preston Co., Va., 6th July, 1859.

DR. J. C. AYER: Sir, I have been afflicted with a painful chronic *Rheumatism* for a long time, which baffled the skill of physicians, and stuck to me in spite of all the remedies I could find, until I tried your Sarsaparilla. One bottle cured me in two weeks, and restored my general health so much that I am far better than before I was attacked. I think it a wonderful medicine. J. FREAM.

Jules Y. Getchell, of St. Louis, writes: "I have been afflicted for years with an *affection of the Liver*, which destroyed my health. I tried every thing, and every thing failed to relieve me; and I have been a broken-down man for some years from no other cause than *derangement of the Liver*. My beloved pastor, the Rev. Mr. Espy, advised me to try your Sarsaparilla, because he said he knew you, and any thing you made was worth trying. By the blessing of God it has cured me, and has so purified my blood as to make a new man of me. I feel young again. The best that can be said of you is not half good enough."

Schirrus, Cancer Tumors, Enlargement, Ulceration, Caries and Exfoliation of the Bones.

A great variety of cases have been reported to us where cures of these formidable complaints have resulted from the use of this remedy, but our space here will not admit them. Some of them may be found in our American Almanac, which the agents below named are pleased to furnish gratis to all who call for them.

Dyspepsia, Heart Disease, Fits, Epilepsy, Melancholy, Neuralgia.

Many remarkable cures of these affections have been made by the alterative power of this medicine. It stimulates the vital functions into vigorous action, and thus overcomes disorders which would be supposed beyond its reach. Such a remedy has long been required by the necessities of the people, and we are confident that this will do for them all that medicine can do.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral,

FOR THE RAPID CURE OF

Coughs, Colds, Influenza, Hoarseness, Croup, Bronchitis, Incipient Consumption, and for the Relief of Consumptive Patients in advanced Stages of the disease.

This is a remedy so universally known to surpass any other for the cure of throat and lung complaints, that it is useless here to publish the evidence of its virtues. Its unrivalled excellence for coughs and colds, and its truly wonderful cures of pulmonary disease, have made it known throughout the civilized nations of the earth. Few are the communities, or even families, among them who have not some personal experience of its effects—some living trophy in their midst of its victory over the subtle and dangerous disorders of the throat and lungs. As all know the dreadful fatality of these disorders, and as they know, too, the effects of this remedy, we need not do more than to assure them that it has now all the virtues that it did have when making the cures which have won so strongly upon the confidence of mankind.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. AYER & CO., Lowell, Mass.

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May 4, '61. 18-ly

MEDICINAL.

ELIXIR PROPYLAMINE, The New Remedy for RHEUMATISM.

During the past year we have introduced to the notice of the medical profession of this country the *Pure Crystalized Chloride of Propylamine*, as a

Remedy for Rheumatism;

and having received from many sources, both from physicians of the highest standing, and from patients, the

Most flattering Testimonials of its real value

in the treatment of this painful and obstinate disease, we are induced to present it to the public in a form READY FOR IMMEDIATE USE, which we hope will commend itself to those who are suffering with this afflicting complaint, and to the medical practitioner who may feel disposed to test the powers of this valuable remedy.

ELIXIR PROPYLAMINE, in the form above spoken of, has recently been extensively experimented with in the *Pennsylvania Hospital*, and with *marked success* (as will appear from the published accounts in the medical journals).

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BULLOCK & CRENSHAW, Druggists and Manufacturing Chemists, PHILADELPHIA.

June 29, '61 26-ly

HOWARD ASSOCIATION, Philad'a.

A Benevolent Institution established by special Endowment, for the Relief of the Sick and Distressed, afflicted with Virulent and Chronic Diseases, and especially for the Cure of Diseases of the Sexual Organs.

MEDICAL ADVICE given gratis, by the Acting Surgeon. Valuable Reports on Spermatorrhoea, and other Diseases of the Sexual Organs, and on the NEW REMEDIES employed in the Dispensary, sent in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Two or three stamps for postage acceptable. ☞Address—DR. J. SKILLIN HOUGHTON, Howard Association, Philadelphia.

May 11, '61 19 ly

A CARD TO THE LADIES.

Dr. DUPONCO'S GOLDEN PILLS for Females.

Infallible in correcting, regulating, and removing all obstructions, from whatever cause, and always successful as a preventive.

THESE PILLS have been used by the Doctors for many years, both in France and America, with unparalleled success in every case; and he is urged by many thousand ladies who used them to make the Pills public for the alleviation of those suffering from any irregularities whatever, as well as to prevent an increase of family, where health will not permit it. Females peculiarly situated, or those supposing themselves so, are cautioned against using these Pills while in that condition, as the proprietor assumes no responsibility after this admonition, although their mildness would prevent any mischief to health; otherwise, these Pills are recommended. Full and explicit directions accompany each box. Price, One Dollar. Sold wholesale and retail by **Jno. G. Brown & Son**, *Druggists, Sole Agent*. Centre street, POTTSVILLE, Pa.

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S. D. Howe, (Sole Proprietor,) New York.

February 9, '61 6-ly

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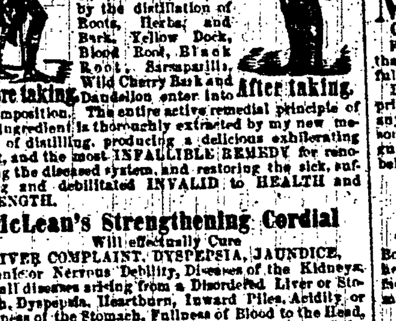
THE GREATEST REMEDY IN THE WORLD! AND THE Most Delicious AND Delightful Cordial Ever Taken!



Before taking. After taking.

It is strictly a scientific and Vegetable Compound, procured by the distillation of Roots, Herbs, and Bark, Yellow Dock, Blood Root, Black Root, Sarsaparilla, Wild Cherry Bark and Dandelion enter into its composition. The entire active remedial principle of each ingredient is thoroughly extracted by my new method of distilling, producing a delicious exhilarating spirit, and the most INFALLIBLE REMEDY for renovating the diseased system, and restoring the sick, suffering and debilitated INVALID to HEALTH and STRENGTH.

McLean's Strengthening Cordial

Will effectually Cure

LIVER COMPLAINT, DYSPEPSIA, JAUNDICE, Chronic or Nervous Debility, Diseases of the Kidneys, and all diseases arising from a Disordered Liver or Stomach, Dyspepsia, Heartburn, Inward Piles, Acidity or Sickness of the Stomach, Fullness of Blood to the Head, Dull Pain or Swimming in the Head, Palpitation of the Heart, Fullness or Weight in the Stomach, Sour Eructations, Choking or Suffocating Feeling when laying down, Dryness or Yellowness of the Skin and Eyes, Night Sweats, Inward Fevers, Pain in the Small of the Back, Chest or Side, Sudden Flushes of Heat, Depression of Spirits, Frightful Dreams, Languor, Despondency, or any Nervous Diseases, Sores or Blotches on the Skin, and Fever and Ague (or Chills and Fever.)

OVER A MILLION OF BOTTLES

Have been sold during the last six months, and in no instance has it failed in giving entire satisfaction. Who, then, will suffer from Weakness or Debility when McLEAN'S STRENGTHENING CORDIAL will cure you?

No language can convey an adequate idea of the immediate and almost miraculous change produced by taking this Cordial in the diseased, debilitated and shattered nervous system, whether broken down by excess, weak by nature, or impaired by sickness, the relaxed and unstrung organization is restored to its pristine health and vigor.

MARRIED PERSONS, or others conscious of inability, from whatever cause, will find McLean's Strengthening Cordial a thorough regenerator of the system; and all who may have injured themselves by improper indulgences, will find in this Cordial a certain and speedy remedy.

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McLEAN'S STRENGTHENING CORDIAL is a sovereign and speedy cure for Incipient Consumption, Whites, Obstructed or Difficult Menstruation, Incontinence of Urine or Involuntary Discharge thereof, Falling of the Womb, Giddiness, Fainting and all Diseases incident to Females.

THERE IS NO MISTAKE ABOUT IT. Suffer no longer. Take it according to Directions. It will stimulate, strengthen, and invigorate you, and cause the bloom of health to mount your cheek again.

Every bottle is warranted to give satisfaction.

FOR CHILDREN. If your children are sickly, puny, or afflicted, McLean's Cordial will make them healthy, fat and robust. Delay not a moment, try it, and you will be convinced. IT IS DELICIOUS TO TAKE.

CAUTION.—Beware of Druggists or dealers who may try to palm upon you some Bitter or Sarsaparilla trash which they can buy cheap, by saying it is just as good. Avoid such men. Ask for McLean's Strengthening Cordial, and take nothing else. It is the only remedy that will purify the blood thoroughly, and at the same time strengthen the system.

One tablespoonful taken every morning fasting, is a certain preventive for Cholera, Chills and Fever, Yellow Fever, or any prevalent disease. It is put up in large bottles.

Price only $1 per bottle, or 6 bottles for $5.

J. H. McLEAN, Sole Proprietor of this Cordial. Also McLean's Volcanic Oil Liniment.

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THE BEST LINIMENT IN THE WORLD.

The ONLY safe and certain cure for Cancers, Piles, Tumors, Swellings and Bronchele or Goitre, Paralysis, Neuralgia, Weakness of the Muscles, Chronic or Inflammatory Rheumatism, Stiffness of the Joints, Contracted Muscles or Ligaments, Earache or Toothache, Bruises, Sprains, Wounds, Fresh Cuts, Ulcers, Fever Sores, Caked Breasts, Sore Nipples, Burns, Scalds, Sore Throat, or any Inflammation or Pain, no difference how severe, or how long the disease may have existed. McLEAN'S CELEBRATED LINIMENT is a certain remedy.

Thousands of human beings have been saved a life of decrepitude and misery by the use of this invaluable medicine.

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Will relieve pain almost instantaneously, and it will cleanse, purify, and heal the foulest sores in an incredibly short time.

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McLean's celebrated Liniment is the only safe and reliable remedy for the cure of Spavin, Ring Bone, Windgalls, Splints, Unnatural Lumps, Nodes or Swellings. It will never fail to cure Big Head, Poll-evil, Fistula, Old Running Sores, or Sweeny, if properly applied. For Sprains, Bruises, Scratches, Cracked Heels, Chafes, Saddle or Collar Galls, Cuts Sores, or wounds, it is an infallible remedy. Apply it as directed, and a cure is certain in every instance.

Then trifle no longer with the many worthless Liniments offered to you. Obtain a supply of Dr. McLean's celebrated Liniment. It will cure you.

J. H. McLEAN, Sole Proprietor. Corner of Third and Pine Sts., St. Louis, Mo.

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Sept. 22, '60 38-ly

SANFORD'S Liver Invigorator, NEVER DEBILITATES.

IT is Compounded Entirely from GUMS, and has become an established fact, a Standard Medicine, known and approved by all that have used it, and is now resorted to with confidence in all the diseases for which it is recommended.

It has cured thousands within the last two years who had given up all hopes of relief, as the numerous unsolicited certificates in my possession show.

The dose must be adapted to the temperament of the individual taking it, and used in such quantities as to act gently on the Bowels.

Let the dictates of your judgment guide you in the use of the LIVER INVIGORATOR, and it will cure Liver Complaints, Bilious Attacks, Dyspepsia, Chronic Diarrhoea, Summer Complaints, Dysentery, Dropsy, Sour Stomach, Habitual Costiveness, Cholic, Cholera, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, Flatulence, Jaundice, Female Weaknesses, and may be used successfully as an ordinary Family Medicine. It will cure Sick Headache, (as thousands can testify,) in 20 minutes, if two or three teaspoonfuls are taken at commencement of attack.

☞All who use it are giving their testimony in its favor.

LIVER INVIGORATOR

*** *Mix Water in the mouth with the Invigorator and swallow both together.*

☞Price—One Dollar per Bottle.☜

—ALSO—

SANFORD'S FAMILY BLOOD PURIFYING PILLS.

COMPOUNDED from Pure Vegetable Extracts, and put up in Glass Cases, Air-Tight, and will keep in any climate.

The Family Cathartic PILL is a gentle but active Cathartic, which the proprietor has used in his practice more than twenty years.

The constantly increasing demand from those who have long used the PILLS, and the satisfaction which all express in regard to their use, has induced me to place them within the reach of all.

The Profession well know that different Cathartics act on different portions of the Bowels.

The Family Cathartic PILL has, with due reference to this well established fact, been compounded from a variety of the purest Vegetable Extracts, which act alike on every part of the alimentary canal, and are good and safe in all cases where a Cathartic is needed, such as derangements of the Stomach, Sleepiness, Pains in the Back and Loins, Costiveness, Pain and Soreness over the whole body, from sudden colds, which frequently, if neglected, end in a long course of Fever, Loss of Appetite, a Creeping Sensation of Cold over the body, Restlessness, Headache, or weight in the Head, all Inflammatory Diseases, Worms in Children or Adults, Rheumatism, a great Purifier of the Blood, and many diseases to which flesh is heir, too numerous to mention in this advertisement. DOSE—1 to 3.

CATHARTIC PILLS

☞Price—3 Dimes.☜

*** The LIVER INVIGORATOR and FAMILY CATHARTIC PILLS are retailed by Druggists generally, and sold wholesale by the Trade in all large towns.

S. T. W. Sanford, M. D., *Manufacturer and Proprietor*, 208 Broadway, N. Y.

☞Retailed in Pottsville by HENRY SAYLOR, JOHN G. BROWN & SON, and C. C. HUGHES; and in Tamaqua by E. J. FRY. [Oct. 13, '60 41-1y

PHILADELPHIA.

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 st., Philadelphia.

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IN ALL ITS BRANCHES, executed in the best style known to the art, at C. G. CRANE'S GALLERY, 532 Arch street, east of Sixth, PHILADELPHIA. Life size in Oil and Pastil, Stereoscopic, Portraits, Ambrotypes, Daguerreotypes, &c., for Cases, Medallions, Pins, Rings, &c. [Dec. 8, '60 39 1y

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

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

LEWIS M. HARNER, Venetian Blind Manufacturer,

NO. 139 NORTH SIXTH St., above Arch, PHILADELPHIA, has constantly on hand an assortment of latest styles of Ready-Made

Venetian Blinds!

Also, Shades of every description, to all of which the attention of the public is invited.

N. B.—Old Blinds repaired. [April 20, '61 16-1y]

WINE OF WILD CHERRY.

A CONCENTRATED preparation of Wild Cherry Bark, presenting its valuable tonic properties in a suitable, condensed and palatable form. It is particularly adapted to the treatment of the debility arising from pulmonary disease, old age, convalescence from sickness, &c., &c., and may be generally used when a safe and agreeable tonic is desired.

Manufactured and sold by GEORGE J. SCATTERGOOD, Druggist. N. W. corner Fifth & Callowhill Sts., Philadelphia.

April 24, '61 16-1y

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

CHEGARAY INSTITUTE.

NOS. 1527 and 1529 Spruce Street, PHILADELPHIA.

This Institute, conducted for two years past in this city, by MADAME CHEGARAY and her niece, MADAME D'HERVILLY, upon the same principles as the one in New York, established there in the year 1814, will re-open on Monday, September 16th, with its usual ample and complete provision for the education of Young Ladies, under the direction of Madame D'Hervilly. Circulars, and all requisite information, can be obtained on application to the Principal. [Aug. 10, '61 32-3m

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

BAUGH'S RAW-BONE SUPER-PHOSPHATE OF LIME.

Manufactured by BAUGH & SONS, No. 20 South Wharves, Philad'a.

Cash Price, $45 per 2000 lbs.

FARMERS and DEALERS can rely upon the assurance that the character of this well-known manure is still fully maintained.

Being prepared strictly in accordance with scientific principles from Bones in their natural state, without any process of burning or baking, and under the personal supervision of the proprietors, they can honestly guarantee it as represented in this respect, and also as being entirely free from adulteration.

"GROUND RAW BONES." GUARANTEED PURE.

Cash Price, $32 per 2000 lbs.

The superior value of this standard article of Ground Bones is now so well known, that it is only necessary here to remind Dealers that our facilities for its manufacture are now sufficient to meet the most active demand.

☞The above Manures can be had of regular Dealers in this county, or of BAUGH & SONS, *Manufacturers and Proprietors*, No. 20 South Wharves, Philad'a.

July 20, '61 27-3m

PLUMBING, GAS FITTING, &C.

ABRAM C. BROWN has removed his Plumbing and Gas Fitting establishment from the North East to the North West corner of Eighth and Buttonwood streets, PHILADELPHIA, where he will continue the business with renewed zeal and ingenuity.

He would call especial attention to the Deep Well Pump, which a child of ten years can readily operate in a well 60 feet deep. These pumps made of brass, and not liable to get out of order, may be seen in operation at the houses of Messrs. Wm. C. Kent, John Brock and Samuel Megargee, near Shoemakertown, and Col. Jacob S. Haldeman, Harrisburg. ☞Particulars on application.

He keeps constantly on hand the various kinds of Hydraulic Rams, and parts of rams, and Force and Lift Pumps and their several parts to accommodate customers, should any part break or wear out.

Persons having Hydraulic Rams which are not in working order, will promote their interest by calling on the subscriber, whose knowledge and experience will enable him to explain difficulties, and put them in working order—frequently at a small expense.

Philadelphia, June 1, '61 22-1y

ALLEN & NEEDLES' The Oldest Established and only Standard Improved SUPER-PHOSPHATE OF LIME,

PRICE $45 PER TON. (2 1-4 cents per lb.)

GUANO.

PERUVIAN.—We sell none but No. 1, received direct from the Government.

ICHABOE.—A very superior article, received direct from the Island.

PLASTER. Ground Plaster—a superior article, packed in good strong barrels.

BONES, Button Makers Bone Dust and Ground Bones. *Warranted Pure.*

ALLEN & NEEDLES' FERTILIZER.

PRICE $30 PER TON. (1 1-2 cents per lb.)

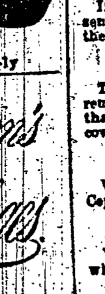
This manure, from its superior quality and very low price, has gained a reputation with farmers, that classes it amongst the standard manures. We have a number of certificates from persons who are using it, which we will be pleased to show to those wanting a good and lasting manure.

ALLEN & NEEDLES,

42 South Wharves and 41 South Water St. (*First Store above Chestnut*,) PHILADELPHIA.

August 3, '61. 31-3m

Porter's Patent Shoe Plates. GOOD NEWS!



NO MORE wearing out of the Soles of Boots and Shoes. No more tapping to be paid for. No more wet feet from worn soles. No more running over at the heel nor side. No more slipping upon the ice. Nothing more slipping in haying.—A few cents pays for a set, and more than doubles the durability of the Boot or Shoe. Anybody can put them on. Just the thing for Boots and Shoes that get hard usage.

☞For local or traveling agencies address "B. C. PORTER, Waterville, Maine."

Sole Agents for Philadelphia—JOSEPH GODFREY & CO., No. 38 North Fourth street, Philadelphia, *Importers and Dealers in Leather and SHOE FINDINGS.*

☞All orders promptly attended to.

April 20, '61 16-1y

Bryant & Stratton's Chain of National Mercantile Colleges.

PHILADELPHIA COLLEGE,

S. E. cor. of Seventh and Chestnut Sts.

THIS is one of Eight Colleges constituting the "NATIONAL CHAIN," located in *Philadelphia, New York City, Albany, Buffalo, Cleveland, Detroit, Chicago and St. Louis.* Scholarships can be purchased at either point, good at all the Colleges.

The Collegiate Course

embraces Double and Single Entry Book-Keeping, Commercial Computations, Commercial Law, Penmanship, Business Correspondence, Partnership Settlements, etc.

Practical Text-Books.

The Teaching in the Book-Keeping Department is mostly from written manuscript forms, with oral instructions, lectures, and black-board elucidations; in addition to which, in order to make the Collegiate Course as thorough and effectual as possible, the following Text-Books have been prepared.

Bryant & Stratton's Book-Keeping, in three editions—Common School, High School, and Counting House; Bryant & Stratton's Commercial Arithmetic; Bryant & Stratton's Commercial Law, by Amos Dean, L. L. D.

SPENCERIAN SYSTEM OF PENMANSHIP.

In a series of nine books, by P. R. SPENCER.

P. R. SPENCER, Jr., Teacher of Penmanship. Individual instruction. Students enter at any time. Diplomas awarded.

☞For Catalogues and Circulars, call at the College or address BRYANT, STATTON & FAIRBANKS, *Philadelphia.*

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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, Lead, 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.

February 9, '61 6

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.

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"They Go Right to the Spot."

INSTANT RELIEF! STOP YOUR COUGH!

PURIFY YOUR BREATH!

STRENGTHEN YOUR VOICE!

Spalding's THROAT CONFECTIONS,

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GOOD FOR CLERGYMEN,
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GENTLEMEN CARRY SPALDING'S THROAT CONFECTIONS.

LADIES ARE DELIGHTED WITH SPALDING'S THROAT CONFECTIONS.

CHILDREN CRY FOR SPALDING'S THROAT CONFECTIONS.

They relieve a Cough instantly.

They clear the Throat.

They give strength and volume to the voice.

They impart a delicious aroma to the breath.

They are delightful to the taste.

They are made of simple herbs and cannot harm any one.

I advise every one who has a Cough, or a Husky Voice, or a Bad Breath, or any Difficulty of the Throat, to get a package of my Throat Confections. They will relieve you instantly, and you will agree with me that "they go right to the spot." You will find them very useful and pleasant while traveling or attending public meetings, for stilling your Cough or allaying your thirst. If you try one package I am safe in saying that you will ever afterwards consider them indispensable. You will find them at the Druggists and Dealers in Medicines.

Price, - - - - - - 25 Cents.

☞My signature is on each package. All others are Counterfeit.

☞A Package will be sent by mail, prepaid, on receipt of Thirty Cents.

Address,— HENRY C. SPALDING, No. 48 CEDAR Street, NEW YORK.

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.

From the Examiner, Norfolk, Va. Cephalic Pills accomplish the object for which they were made, viz.: Cure of headache in all its forms.

From the Examiner, Norfolk, Va. They have been tested in more than a thousand cases, with entire success.

From the Democrat, St. Cloud, Minn. If you are, or have been troubled with the headache, send for a box, (Cephalic Pills,) so that you may have them in case of an attack.

From the Advertiser, Providence, R. I. The Cephalic Pills are said to be a remarkably effective remedy for the headache, and one of the very best for that very frequent complaint which has ever been discovered.

From the Western R. R. Gazette, Chicago, Ill. We heartily endorse Mr. Spalding, and his unrivalled Cephalic Pills.

From the Kanawha Valley Star, Kanawha, Va. We are sure that persons suffering with the headache, who try them, will stick to them.

From the Southern Path Finder, New Orleans. Try them! you that are afflicted, and we are sure that your testimony can be added to the already numerous list that has received benefits that no other medicine can produce.

From the St. Louis Democrat. The immense demand for the article (Cephalic Pills) is rapidly increasing.

From the Gazette, Davenport, Iowa. Mr. Spalding would not connect his name with an article he did not *know* to possess real merit.

From the Advertiser, Providence, R. I. The testimony in their favor is strong, from the most respectable quarters.

From the Daily News, Newport, R. I. Cephalic Pills are taking the place of all kinds.

From the Commercial Bulletin, Boston, Mass. Said to be very efficacious for the headache.

From the Commercial, Cincinnati, Ohio. Suffering humanity can now be relieved.

☞A single bottle of SPALDING'S PREPARED GLUE will save ten times its cost annually.☜

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SAVE THE PIECES!

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☞"A STITCH IN TIME SAVES NINE."☜

As accidents will happen, even in well regulated families, it is very desirable to have some cheap and convenient way for repairing Furniture, Toys, Crockery, &c.

SPALDING'S PREPARED GLUE

Meets all such emergencies, and no household can afford to be without it. It is always ready, and up to the sticking point.

"USEFUL IN EVERY HOUSE."

N. B.—A Brush accompanies each Bottle. Price, 25 cents. Address, HENRY C. SPALDING, No. 48 Cedar street, New York.

☞Caution.—As certain unprincipled persons are attempting to palm off on the unsuspecting public, imitations of my PREPARED GLUE, I would caution all persons to examine before purchasing, and see that the full name,

☞SPALDING'S PREPARED GLUE.☜

Is on the outside wrapper; all others are swindling counterfeits.

March 2, '61 [Nov. 17, '60 46-] 9

The Farmer.

PRESENT PROSPECTS OF FARMERS.

The transactions in the New York Breadstuff Market, since the last *Agriculturist* went to press, and the latest news from Europe, are of the highest interest to farmers. The sales of flour, wheat, and corn, mainly for export, have been immense. During a single day (Aug. 15) the sales of flour and wheat in this city, alone, were equal to *half a million bushels of wheat!* The prices of wheat and flour have gone up *five* to *fifteen per cent* within two weeks! In our issues for months past, we have insisted that not only was there a large deficit in the *last* wheat crop of Great Britain, involving a heavy demand upon this country, but that the incoming crop must be short. It could not be otherwise, with the poor seed used, and the continuous rains all through the sowing season last Autumn. At the date of our last report, news of favorable weather had just arrived from Europe, and speculators had managed to inculcate the belief that the harvest would be good, and as a consequence of this belief, our markets sunk to a low point, for, with a surplus of grain here, the prices must necessarily be governed in a large measure, by the immediate or prospective foreign demand.

The positive advices received here since the 10th of August, settle the question beyond a doubt, that the crops just gathered, or being gathered, *have been short, both in Great Britain and France* and in some other countries of the Continent, and that large exports from this country will continue for another year, unless there should be an entirely unlooked for interruption of friendly relations.

From a careful survey of the numerous reports from all parts of our own wheat growing States, we conclude that, taken as a whole, the crop now gathered will be above an average one. This will afford a supply for home use, and a moderate surplus for export—not enough to overstock the market, or keep prices very low.

The war caused a depreciation in the Southern State Stocks, so largely used as bank securities at the West, and this, of course depreciated the bank bills. The depreciation went so far as to nearly destroy the bank issues in all the States west of Indiana, except Iowa, and the result was, that for several months there was no money afloat, either to pay debts, or to buy grain. Latterly, large amounts of gold have been forwarded from the East, which is beginning to find its way into the Western country. The constant demand for breadstuffs for Eastern consumption, and for export, will tend to greatly increase the circulation of gold and specie paying bank bills among the masses at the West.—The immense sums now being expended at *home* by our General Government, are beginning to set money afloat. The Treasury Notes, of which a million dollars a day are now provided for, and are being issued, will, during the continuance of the war, add greatly to the sound circulating currency of the country, and money will soon be plentiful, at least among those who produce the necessities of life—breadstuffs and meat. People must eat, and there are *about* as many mouths to be fed in war as in peace. Those who have crops to sell will therefore, find a market for them; and as for breadstuffs, the foreign demand and the abundance of money, will keep the prices up to a paying figure, at least.

The expenses of the war are immense, but they are largely charged to the future, in the form of government loans, to be gradually liquidated over a long series of years; and, unlike all foreign wars, the money expended is not going out of the country. On the other hand, we are importing little foreign merchandize to be paid for, while we are constantly receiving large amounts of hard coin from abroad in return for the surplus products of our fertile soils. It would seem as if an over-ruling Providence had so ordered the seasons and the course of events, as to prepare us for the great contest in which we are now engaged for constitutional freedom and the final establishment of our government on a firm, permanent basis.

There is some anxiety in regard to the system of direct taxation established, but this is needless. The amount to be raised annually, averages less than two dollars for each inhabitant of the Free States. It will fall heaviest upon those best able to meet it, and very few persons would hesitate to voluntarily subscribe this amount, to support and maintain a free Government, to the influence of which we are so largely indebted for the prosperity we have enjoyed.

To the cultivators of the soil the present state of the country presents the strongest incentives to exertion. Their products will be in demand, however much all other commodities may be depreciated. He who fails, through fear, or sluggishness, to put in every acre of wheat possible, and to increase the products of his acres to the highest point, fails in his duty to himself, to his family, and to his country. There is every motive to increased exertion, and to a careful study of the best methods of cultivation. If all other incentives fail, the certain prospect of full returns for the products of the soil, will surely stimulate to active and *well-directed* labor.—*American Agriculturist for September.*

COL. FREMONT found bees on the highest peak of the Rocky Mountains, 12,000 feet above the level of the sea. They had probably been carried there by a strong upward current of air.

Recipes.

BLACKBERRY WINE.—Gather when ripe on a dry day. Put into a vessel with the head out, and a faucet fitted near the bottom; pour on them boiling water to cover them. Mash the berries with your hands, and let them stand covered till the pulp rises to the top and forms a crust in three or four days. Then draw off the fluid into another vessel, and to every gallon of liquor add four pounds of sugar; mix well, and put into a cask to ferment for eight or ten days, and throw off any remaining lees keeping the cask well filled, particularly at the commencement. When the fermentation has ceased, bung it tight; after six or twelve months it may be drawn off and bottled.

Variation.—To one bushel of blackberries put one gallon of water. Let the compound stand for twenty four hours, at the end of which mash and strain the blackberries. To every gallon of juice put three pounds of sugar; set this to ferment, which it will do in about fifteen days, more or less, according to the temperature of the weather. Bottle up and keep for use.—*Country Gentleman.*

TO CLARIFY SUGAR FOR PRESERVING.—Put into a preserving pan as many pounds of sugar as you wish; to each pound of sugar put half a pint of water, and the white of an egg to every four pounds; stir it together until the sugar is dissolved; then set it over a gentle fire; stir it occasionally, and take off the scum as it rises; after a few boilings up the sugar will rise so high as to run over the sides of the pan; to prevent which, take it from the fire for a few minutes, when it will subside, and leave time for skimming; repeat the skimming; until a slight scum or foam only will rise; then take off the pan, lay a slightly wetted napkin over the basin, and then strain the sugar through it; put the skimming into a basin; when the sugar is clarified, rinse the skimmer and basin with a glass of cold water, and put it to the scum, and set it by for common purposes.

GRAPE WINE.—Bruise the grapes, which should be quite ripe. To each gallon of grapes put a gallon of water and let the whole remain a week without stirring. Then draw off the liquor carefully, and to each gallon add three pounds of white sugar.—Let it ferment in a temperate situation; when fermented, stop it up tight. In the course of five months it will be fit to bottle.

PICKLED EGGS.—Boil eggs very hard; peel them, and put them in cold water till very cold; have ready a strong pickle of white wine vinegar, with a little mace and whole pepper in it; put them in while it is quite hot and stir that they may all look alike; do not cover the pot till they are brown. Put them into a jar, and they will be ready in nine or ten days.

RENOVATING OLD WALL PAPER.—The prudent housewife who, on account of "hard times," has decided not to re-paper the sitting room, as is desirous, will find the old paper very much improved in appearance by simply rubbing it well with a flannel cloth dipped in Indian meal.

TO CLEAN GREASE FROM FLOORS.—Spread over the stain a thick coat of soft soap, then pass a heated flat-iron a few times across it, after which wash immediately with clear warm water. I'll warrant you that after this treatment it will never show its vile face again.