Miners' Journal.

POTTSVILLE, PA.

SATURDAY, MAY 7, 1864.

HYPOCRITES.

The opponents of the Government and the Gold Gamblers—we make no distinction, for they are equally bad,—resort to the basest means to injure the national cause. A specimen of their handiwork was given on Wednesday last, when two of their New York organs, the *World* and *Journal of Commerce*, published a forged proclamation, purporting to have been issued by the President of the United States, grieving over the waning condition of the cause, and calling for four hundred thousand more men. The document is pronounced a forgery both by the Secretary of State, and Secretary of War. The scoundrels who concocted it, selected Wednesday morning for its promulgation, as the steamer for Europe would then sail and carry it out, thereby counteracting the effect of the favorable news which had been sent out a few days before. Another object was to enhance the price of gold. That was accomplished before the official denial was received.

The papers that originally published the mischievous document, are hostile to the Government, and the publishers of one of them if they are innocent men, certainly act even very singularly, when called upon to deny the infamous lie. A New York paper of Thursday says:

There was a good deal of excitement in the city relative to the imposition. About 11 o'clock in the morning a large crowd, composed almost entirely of merchants doing business down town, and particularly in the neighborhood of Wall street, assembled in front of the office of *The Journal of Commerce*, corner of Wall and Water streets, and demanded that the proprietor of the paper should forthwith contradict the reported proclamation published in its columns.

Mr. Wade of the firm of Grinnell, Minturn & Co., with other prominent merchants, on behalf of the association, waited upon the proprietors, and showed them a dispatch direct from Washington to the Board of Brokers denying the Proclamation. The proprietors insisted upon the genuineness of the Proclamation, and refused to contradict on their bulletin the report, stating that it was authentic from the Associated Press. They still persisted, notwithstanding one of their own employees brought a denial from Mr. Craig, agent of the Associated Press.

The excitement occasioned by this obstinacy on the part of *The Journal* continued to increase, and it was not until violent demonstrations were made, particularly against Mr. Stone (one of the proprietors,) that the paper consented to issue a bulletin denying the whole affair. This had the desired effect, and the crowd retired. During the excitement Gen. McClellan visited the editorial department of *The Journal*, and remained there some time.

This is assuredly, singular conduct for men who allege that they were imposed upon in the publication, and we think that the Government acted with commendable promptitude in suppressing the publication of both the *World* and *Journal of Commerce*. We trust that there will be a full investigation the matter, and if these publishers are found guilty of originating the lie or publishing it knowing it to be one, let them be suspended with their treasonable sheets. The great fault of this Government has been that during this war it has been too lenient with men who print treason, and talk treason on our highways in the broad light of day. A few examples with hemp would be profitable to this class. We treat these mischief-making scoundrels too leniently, by half. When we think of the thousands of brave, noble boys now lying wounded in hospitals from Philadelphia to Fredericksburg, the victims of Southern rebels and their Northern allies, the Copperheads, we have no patience that the reptiles her and elsewhere are allowed to brawl their treason unpunished. There has been too much of it. This kind of business should be stopped summarily.

RESPONSE OF THE COAL OPERATORS.

The Coal Operators are fully awake to the necessity of contributing at once to the Sanitary Commission, and we hear that Mr. Geo. W. Snyder, J. & E. Sillyman, the St. Clair Coal Company of Boston, and others are making arrangements to give the proceeds of a day's operations at their collieries to the fund for the relief of our wounded soldiers. The employees at the mines are manifesting a liberal spirit in this matter, notwithstanding the expressed doubt that they as a mass, would not give. The doubt does them great injustice. In addition to the fact stated to us that the men of the Girardville Colliery, C. Garretson Proprietor have subscribed with scarcely an exception, we have every assurance that very generally the workingmen, true to the innate spirit of liberality and sympathy that characterises them, will give a day's wages for the relief of their suffering brethren in the field. We can say that as far as our experience goes in this Borough, none have contributed more cheerfully than our workingmen. To facilitate the matter throughout the Region, we advise the workingmen and miners to prepare at their respective workshops and collieries, subscription papers; fill them up at once, and hand them in. Due credit will be given through the papers. The matter only needs to be started systematically, and we believe the response will be prompt and liberal. Apart from the large cities Schuylkill need be second to no section of the State in the good work, and will not be if she so resolves.

Coming Events.

COAL CUTTING MACHINES.—Thomas Harrison of Tudhoe, England, has taken out a patent at the office in Washington, for a machine to cut Coal and other minerals. He says:

I claim the combining a turbine with a truck truly or other carriage, substantially as described; and the combining therewith rotating cutters so arranged that the carriage can be caused to travel gradually forward as the work progresses and the cutters set to cut a greater or less distance into the coal mineral or stone, as required, substantially as above described.

R. H. Lamborn, of Altoona, Pa., has also received a patent for a Coal-mining apparatus. He says:

I claim, first, The arrangement and combination of the cylinder, D, with the truck, C, in such a manner as to give the piston rod, E, (to the end of which the chisel is attached), an angle with the face of the coal, the force of the blow given by said piston rod being regulated by the connection of said rod with cross-head, L, valve rod, I, and adjustable stops, c, f, as set forth.

Second, In combination with the foregoing I claim the sectional tracks, constructed, secured, and employed as and for the purpose herein specified.

Third, The combination of wheel b, pinion, e, and cog wheel, B, with the sectional tracks constructed as herein described, to give the necessary forward movement to the track by their connection with valve rod, d, and lever, E.

Fourth, The employment in an apparatus such as described of the exhaust air or steam to keep the channel clean of chips and dust, in the manner described.

Still another apparatus for mining Coal has been patented in this country by G. E. Donisthorpe, W. Firth and R. Ridley Leeds of England. They say:

We claim, first, That combined arrangement of mechanism herein explained, with reference to figures, 1 and 2, of the drawings, whereby picks with lever handles are actuated by compressed air engines mounted on and carried by the same carriages as the picks.

And secondly, We claim the combined arrangement of mechanism herein explained, with reference to figures 4 and 5 of the drawings, whereby cutters are connected with and moved to and fro by the piston-rods of air engines mounted on carriages as herein described.

PRAISEWORTHY EXAMPLES.—We take pleasure in publishing the following. The liberality is worthy of all commendation, and we earnestly hope that the example set to landowners will be followed generally:

POTTSVILLE, May 18th, 1864.

To Messrs. B. Bannan, E. O. Parry & G. W. Snyder, *Committee*.

Messrs. H. C. Carry and A. Hart, and Mrs. Elizabeth C. Baird, have authorized me to pay over one day's rent of the St. Clair tract to the Sanitary Fair. Respectfully,

A. Russel.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

DEMOREST'S ILLUSTRATED NEWS *for this week*, contains a number of engravings, war scenes, etc.; a piece of music; a full *size pattern of a new* waist and sleeve, and some capital literary matter. Published by Miss Demorest, 473 Broadway, New York.]

Local Affairs.

Weekly Almanac.

1864.—May.	Sun rises	Sun sets	Moon's changes	
1 Sunday	4 40	7 23		
2 Monday	4 39	7 24		
3 Tuesday	4 38	7 25	New M.	8 7 18 evg
4 Wednesday	4 36	7 26	First Q.	15 1 24 evg
5 Thursday	4 35	7 27	Full M.	21 6 28 mrg
6 Friday	4 34	7 28	Last Q.	28 4 26 mrg
7 Saturday	4 33	7 29		

The Anthracite Bank of Tamaqua has declared a dividend of six per cent.

Judge Ebrell of Columbia County, held Special Court here this week.

Gen. T. Kinsbach, Co. H, 48th Reg., P. V., is sick in hospital at Fredericksburg.

To-morrow.—Twenty-first Sunday of the year, and Trinity Sunday. Day's length, 14 hours and 32 minutes.

A company of infantry which has been doing provost duty here for some weeks, left on Monday for the front.

On Wednesday next Mr. Blum, Watchmaker, Centre street, will devote the proceeds of his business to the benefit of the Sanitary Fair.

The Borough Council organized for its new year on Tuesday evening last, by electing Mr. Jeremiah Reed President, and Mr. A. K. Whitner Clerk.

"*Believe Garden*."—This pleasant spot located at Mt. Carbon, is open for the summer season.—Mrs. Kleinert cannot be excelled in the preparations of that indispensable Summer luxury, Ice Cream.

Response to the Call for Surgeons.—Dr. H. K. Whitner of this Borough, with an alacrity highly creditable to him, accepted a call for surgeon at Washington Hospital, and left on Wednesday last for his post of duty. He will return and resume his practice here about the middle of June.

Hughes's cholera and diarrhoea mixture, sold by him at his drug store, this Borough, is an excellent remedy. It has been used in the Army by many of our soldiers, and is highly recommended by them for its efficacious relief for these peculiar complaints, when other medicines fail. See advertisement.

Mr. Rowe who had certainly, a superior dramatic company, brought his season to a close, on Monday evening last. His company attracted excellent audiences, and we believe that it is his intention to visit this Borough again no distant day. The pieces he produced were well put upon the stage, and carefully acted.

Col. Sigfried.—The report that this officer who commanded the 48th Regiment, had lost an arm, is erroneous. During the fights Col. Sigfried commanded a colored brigade of the 9th Corps, which was not directly in any engagement, but performed very useful duty in guarding Gen. Grant's communications.

Tableaux, Charades, etc.—The next entertainment for the benefit of the Sanitary Fair, will take place at the residence of Mrs. Christopher Lesser, Centre street, on Wednesday evening next, on which occasion "Hopping the Spectres" and "The Irish Lion" will be on the programme. We have no doubt that the young and talented performers will secure a crowded audience.

Rev. Mr. Tortat of Minersville who was severely injured lately, by the upsetting of the vehicle in which he was riding, is we are glad to learn, rapidly convalescing. Mr. Tortat before coming to Minersville was Rector of the Free Church of St. Barnabas in Reading. His friends in Reading as well as those in this County, sympathise deeply with him in his affliction.

Next Contribution.—H. D. Torry, Esq., the Artist, has contributed a gem to the Sanitary Fair, in the shape of a beautiful little picture, which he dashed off in twelve hours, making it in fact "on dit." The picture is entitled, "Cleared Off," The pictured is valued at $30. It is worthy of inspection. It can be seen at the store of H. Bannan.

A number of young ladies and gentlemen of this Borough, gave a musical and dramatic entertainment at the Town Hall on Tuesday evening last, in aid of the Great Central Fair. The house was crowded, and the amount realized must have been at least a hundred dollars. The performance was very good, and we must commend the participants for the spirit and ability with which they discharged their respective duties. The whole affair was a success.

Sick Soldiers' Relief Fund.—The following letter was received this week by Mr. A. Russel.

PHILADELPHIA, May 9, 1864.

A. RUSSEL, Esq., TREASURER, &c.—*Dear Sir*:—I have the pleasure to acknowledge the receipt of your note of the 6th inst., covering check for two thousand dollars ($2000) being the proceeds of a collection made of the citizens of Pottsville and Schuylkill County, on behalf of the Relief Association of East Tennessee.

The public acknowledgment of this liberal donation will be made in the Philadelphia newspapers on Monday next. Yours truly,

C. COX, Treasurer.

Contents of two boxes forwarded to the U. S. Christian Commission by the Ladies' Soldiers Aid Society of the M. E. Church of Pottsville, May 17th, 1864:

Box No. 1.—10 bottles currant wine, 6 bottles blackberry wine, 3 do. catsup, 2 do raspberry vinegar, 2 do. elderberry vinegar, 2 jars cucumber pickles, 1 do. tomatoes, 1 do. honey, 1 do. preserved strawberries, 2 bowls currant jelly, 40 lemons, 28 oranges.

Box No. 2.—1 muslin shirt, 2 pairs muslin drawers, 2 pairs slippers, 1 handkerchief, 40 lbs. white sugar, 14 do. dried peaches, 10½ do. dried apples, 15 do. dried prunes, 7 do. raisins, 3 do. dried fruit, 2 do. pears, 7 do. rice, 3 do. soda crackers, 1 do. water crackers, 5 lbs. black tea, ½ do. tapioca, 23 papers corn starch, 4 do. corn, 3 do. farina, 1 paper oat meal, 2 gallons blackberry syrup, 4 cans peaches, 2 do. applebutter, 1 do. plums, 1 do. cranberries, 3 do. blackberry jelly, 1 do. raspberry jelly, 1 quart do. raspberry jelly, 1 do. cherries, 2 do. elderberry jelly, 1 do. black currant jelly, 2 do. red currant jelly, 2 do. tomatoes, ½ lb. pepper, 26 rolls old muslin, 80 rolls bandages, 1 do. newspapers.

Our readers will remember the distribution of Paintings by Mr. Torry early last winter, which gave such universal satisfaction, and the notice we gave about that time of a large original Painting entitled "Westward Ho." At the request of many who were unable to secure shares in the first distribution, and more who have expressed themselves anxious to try it again, he will give one more (and the last) in which he proposes to offer to one hundred subscribers at five dollars each, the large Painting above mentioned, and forty-nine smaller ones, which will be one picture to every two subscribers. To those who have seen the large Painting and specimens of the smaller ones, we need not say a word. To those who have not we would add, go and see them, and you will require no urging to induce you to subscribe. Any person having a list will be authorized to secure subscriptions for the shares still remaining. We are authorized by the artist to say that the list being filled and the money paid in before the last of May, fifty dollars of it will be given to the Central Fair Committee of Philadelphia; if not until the middle of June or during that month, twenty-five dollars to any Borough Society that will best aid the crippled defenders of our Union.

"*Put in the Corn*."—It cannot be too strongly urged on farmers to raise all the corn they can the present season. This is the more important as the appearance of the wheat crop west of the Allegheny is very unfavorable. The severe frost has rendered it impossible to have in the wheat region of the West more than one-half to two-thirds of an average crop. Wm. Cobbett writing to the *Country Gentleman* under date of April 26, 1864, from Richmond, Jefferson County, Ohio, states:

"There are thousands of fields that looked beautifully last autumn, that have not now living plants enough on ten acres to make a rod square of good wheat. The roots are not thrown out as is usually the case with winter-killed wheat, but are killed standing in proper position in the ground. We attribute it to the very extraordinary severe wind and extreme degree of cold which we had for several days about the first of last month. Some fields in bottom land, well protected by the surrounding hills, and some on east hill-sides protected by woods, may have moderately good crops on them. But those and the ridges and west hillsides are destroyed."

Mr. Ladd advises farmers East and West, to raise all the corn they can. This is good advice, and we place it before our readers in the earnest hope that they will act accordingly. With the high prices that may fairly be anticipated, it will be exceedingly unwise to abandon the planting of the usual area in spring crops, as we fear many are doing, because the outlay for labor is much heavier in their eyes. Get all the labor you can; apply it well, and the results will not only promote the prosperity of the country, but also your individual profits.

The Forty-eighth in the Late Battles.—Yesterday we saw a letter written by Wm. Auman of Co. G, 48th Regt., dated "Camp on the Battle Field near Spottsylvania C. H., Va., May 15, 1864." From his letter we take the following extracts:

This is the tenth day of the fighting, and from present appearances it will last for some days yet. The 48th has been under fire seven days, and were hotly engaged twice. At the Battle of the Wilderness fought on the 6th inst, we were engaged and lost (3) three killed and (12) twelve wounded. On the 12th we had a heavy fight on the ground that we are now on. Our Reg. was in the thickest of the fight and lost heavily. Lieut. Henry Jackson was killed beside of me. He was struck in the neck with a rifle-ball. I helped to carry him out. He died while we were carrying him to the hospital. When he was struck he fell against me. I asked him where he was hit. He whispered, "I don't know," and then his head fell to one side, and I saw that he was dying. He never spoke after that. He was buried by Wm. Atkinson. If it is possible, we will send him home.—We had (3) two killed and (9) nine wounded in G. Company. The loss in the Regiment in that day's fight was (137) one hundred and thirty-seven killed, wounded and missing. We drove the enemy a mile when we met the 12th Georgia Regiment. We completely annihilated that Regiment taking forty-eight prisoners and killing and wounding nearly all the rest. We then charged on the Rebel works, but not being supported by the Regiment on our right, and being exposed to a terrible cross fire from two lines of rifle pits and a Battery we were compelled to retire to the left into a wood. Here the left of the Regt. was run close to the enemy's earthworks, and a number of men were shot. We fall back, formed line and took position on the same ground we were in before we charged. Here we put up a breastwork and have been fighting there ever since. While I am writing the bullets are whistling over my head, but as long as we do not expose ourselves we are quite safe.

Mathiadam Berger was hit in the left arm. It is only a flesh wound, but it will unfit him for service for several months.

While I am writing this letter the Rebels have opened a battery in front of us and shelled us briskly for half an hour. They did not hit any one, but made us keep close in our pits. A man of Co. H. was shot in the neck this afternoon.

Daniel Ohmsmacht of Co. H. was wounded in the left fore-arm; the wound is slight.

Union County Meeting.—A meeting of the Union men of Schuylkill County was held in the Court House on Saturday, of adjourn term, for the purpose of selecting a Congressional Conference District for the National Union Convention to nominate an Independent in Pennsylvania.

The meeting organized by appointing the following named citizens as officers: President—Lewis C. Mantzer, Esq. Vice Presidents—Jacob Lewis, Daniel Hoch, Jacob F. Ruth, John Salmon, Henry Russel and Wm. A. Hamburger. Secretaries—F. B. Wallace and James H. Pinter.

It was unanimously resolved that Hon. James H. Campbell be the delegate to the Convention.

On motion, Messrs. Christopher Little, David B. Green and William Fox were appointed conferees to meet the conferees of Lebanon County.

D. B. Green, Esq., offered the following resolutions which were unanimously and enthusiastically adopted:

Resolved, That now, as heretofore, we renounce our allegiance to the cause of our country, and that, laying aside all minor differences of opinion, we stand ready to support and sustain the Government and Administration of the country against the wicked attempt of traitors and rebels in the South, and their sympathisers in the North, to destroy our liberties and overturn our institutions.

Resolved, That the policy of the National Administration, in its efforts to put down this wicked conspiracy, meets our unqualified approval, and that we pledge, first, we are willing to give the last man and the last dollar for the accomplishment of that object; that we owe it as a duty to our country, and have pledged to the our soldiers in the field, who are now contending with victorious arms against the hosts of rebellion.

Resolved, That in Abraham Lincoln we have a Chief Magistrate of unspotted purity and integrity, who has passed through the trying ordeal unscathed, with his fidelity to the cause of our country from the people, their expression and exponent, the highest and best interests of the country demand his re-nomination and re-election to the Presidency for another term of four years; and we therefore instruct our delegate to the Baltimore National Convention to vote for him as nomination first, last, and all the time.

Resolved, That we hail with joy and gratitude the recent glorious victories of our brave soldiers under their noble leaders over the rebel armies; that the enthusiasm, the determination, the matchless valor, and the perseverance with which they fought, unsurpassed in the world's history, thrill our hearts with admiration and love, and show that, with such leaders, we must conquer.

Resolved, That the amendment to the State Constitution, to be voted upon next August, which will give the soldiers a right to vote at the coming elections, meets our unqualified approval. Those who fight for the country, and peril their lives to sustain it, should have a right to vote for it.

On motion, the meeting adjourned.

Battery A, 1st N. Y. Artillery.—On Wednesday we received the following, from Harrisburg, with a request to publish:

At a meeting of Battery A, 1st N. Y. Artillery, at Fort Washington, opposite Harrisburg, Pa., First Sergeant Hiram Crego, Jr., acting President, *ex-officio*, and Corporal Oscar M. Dayton Secretary, the following members of the Company were appointed a committee to draft and procure the publication of a series of resolutions expressing the gratitude of the Battery to the citizens of Pottsville, Pa., for their kind and generous hospitality during our sojorn amongst them: Lieut. Edward H. Underhill, Chairman; Sergt. Wm. H. Stringer, Sergt. James H. Crandall, Sergt. James R. Gerow, Sergt. Wm. A. Mathewson, Mortimer C. Palmer, Frederick A. Chappelle.

Members of Battery A, 1st N. Y. Artillery:—Your Committee have the honor to report the following as the result of the lr labors:

WHEREAS, We have, with reluctance, severed the associations and daily intercourse which we have enjoyed with the kind and generous citizens of Pottsville, Pa., for a period of nine months; and whereas, we desirous of testifying our appreciation of their kindness and hospitality, which, commencing with a generous supply of necessaries on our first arrival, continued with unabated munificence to the hour of our departure; and whereas, they received us into their homes and families as friends and associates, thereby enlivening many a weary hour, and contributing to our comfort, so far the love of home influences and society: Therefore, be it

Resolved, That, although obedience to orders is the first duty of a soldier, we leave behind us the many kind friends, whose friendship we are proud to acknowledge, with regret, hoping that the good name they have been pleased to give us, through the columns of the journals and by general report, may not be tarnished by any failure to do our duty in the field.

Resolved, That in the camel, traversing the arid desert, halls with delight the green oasis in the desert waste, and are reluctantly leaving it, and when refreshed at the wells it journeys for days sustained by such refreshment, amid the scorching heats of the tropical sun or the suffocating clouds of the simoom, we pause to remember the desert of life, cheered by our sojourn amid the mountains of Schuylkill, will be strengthened to generous thoughts and honorable actions, although the heats of battle, or the implacable foe, or the moral growth assail us; and that we will ever hold in lively remembrance the pleasant scenes in this oasis of our military life.

Resolved, That to Mrs. L. B. Shearer, the "Soldiers Friend," we tender our warmest thanks for many kindnesses and attentions, and that the "Bread" she has cast upon the waters," may "many days return" to her, is the cherished hope of her many friends.

Resolved, That the *Miners' Journal* and *Democratic Standard* be requested to give the resolutions an appropriate insertion.

HIRAM CREGO, JR., Pres't.
O. M. DAYTON, Secy.

THE GREAT SANITARY FAIR

to be held in Philadelphia, the first week in June, and to continue Two Weeks.

OFFICE OF THE COMMITTEE ON LABOR, INCOME, AND REVENUES, Philadelphia, May, 14, 1864.

MRS. BENJAMIN BANNAN:

Madam:—I have sent you a commission as Chairman for Pottsville, covering the work for the whole neighborhood, excepting only the County Miners, who are under another organization.—The Commission covers all the Trades, *Commercial and Manufacturing Interests, Lawyers, Clergymen, Physicians, Households, Day's Labor, &c.*

Very truly yours,
L. MONTGOMERY BOND.

Having accepted the above appointment, I would respectfully urge upon all those embraced in this commission, such as Clergymen, Lawyers, Physicians, Merchants, Manufacturers of every description, retired persons, Officers, Household-ers, Employees, Laborers, &c., including all branches of business except those engaged in the coal trade, to contribute at least the profits of one day, and one day's labor. The profits of the tens of thousands of the sick, wounded, and dying, but noble soldiers, who have risked life and everything they held dear to protect us in our property and homes, and preserve the Union and the best Government the sun ever shone upon.

The Committee in Philadelphia urge *immediate action*, and as it will be impossible to call upon all, I respectfully urge upon you to respond to this call as speedily as possible, by sending the respective amounts to the subscriber, which will be acknowledged here, and then transmitted to the Treasurer in Philadelphia.

I would suggest that proprietors of establishments having persons in their employ should head a list, and procure subscriptions from the employees and pay over the amount thus collected to be acknowledged.

Letters from the Army of the Potomac state that thousands of the wounded soldiers would have perished on the battle-field, if it had not been for the timely, and merciful aid of the Sanitary and Christian Commissions.

I respectfully solicit the aid and co-operation of all those who take an interest in this all-important subject. God will bless all those who give voluntarily and freely for the relief of the wounded and dying soldier.

Respectfully, your fellow-citizen,
MRS. BENJAMIN BANNAN.

Pottsville, May 11th, 1864.

DONATIONS

To the Great National Fair, from Schuylkill County.

I hereby acknowledge having received the following contributions up to Friday noon:

Robert E. Weaver, Howard Express	$50 00
Richard B. Morris, merchant	100 00
Peter W. Shaefer, mining engineer	50 00
Samuel Morris, merchant	50 00

RECEIVED FROM A. R. GASKILL, COLLECTED FROM HARNESS & SADDLE MANUFACTURERS.

S. R. Gaskill	$2 00		
L. S. Bolts	2 00		
Daniel Yeager	2 00		
W. E. Wonsleydorf (boy)	50		
I. Wonsleydorf (2d contribution)	10 00		
John Welsh	1 00		
F. Delano	2 00		
Jacob Reese	1 00		
Benjamin Weller	1 00		
Charles Neipold	1 00		
			22 50
Francis Alstadt, variety store			5 00
Solomon Foster, gentleman			10 00
Schloss & Kuhn, clothiers			10 00
Hermann Kuhn, tailor			5 00
Oliver Dobson, merchant			15 00
James S. Carpenter, M. D.			20 00
A. H. Halberstadt, M. D.			20 00
J. L. Derlochy, M. D.			5 00
Chas. A. Rahn, clerk Orphans' Court			5 00
Miss Walker			1 00
Mrs. Ohmacht, aged lady			1 00
A poor man			25
Geo. W. Wortimer, merchant			5 00
David N. Heisler, merchant			5 00

FROM HENRY GREMANO'S CARINET MAKER SHOP.

Henry Gressang	$5 00		
Wm. F. Gressang	2 50		
John Gressang	2 50		
Louis Weber	2 00		
J. Franklin Gressang	1 00		
			13 00
A Henderson, merchant			20 00
Jacob Lindenmuth, hotel-keeper			5 00
H Rosengarten, gresgrocer			5 00
Henry Weber, confectioner			5 00
Henry Savior, druggist			5 00
Peter S. Lutz, clerk			2 00
Miss Sarah Howey			1 00
A S Faust, j. inter			2 00
J Ulmer, butcher			2 00
A Auman, milliner			2 00
M R Worthmer, clerk			5 00
Mortimer & Gillmore, hatters			5 00
Hiram Parker, clothier			5 00
H H Huntzinger, Government Bank			5 00
V T Huntzinger, " "			5 00
J G Cochran, clothier			10 00
D L Esterly, hardware merchant			10 00
Cash, C L			10 00
Dust C Woodnutt, dentist			5 00

COLLECTIONS MADE AT LEWIS BURKHARD'S COACH-MAKER'S ESTABLISHMENT, MORRIS' ADDITION.

Lewis Burkhard	$5 00		
Geo Cruikshank	2 50		
F Strauch	2 50		
Geo E Williams	2 00		
N N	2 00		
John Ackerman	2 00		
A Becker	2 00		
Augustus Wise (boy)	50		
J Shelbine (boy)	50		
			19 00
J P Sherman, Sup't Public Schools			3 00
Joseph DeFrehn, carpenter			5 00
John Schmeltzer, shoemaker			1 00
Rankow Foster, blacksmith			1 00
John Donnelly, 16th U. S. I.			1 00
Serg. A. L. C. Dingwall			2 00
Henry Shelly, feed store			2 00
M. S. Spoon, butcher			5 00
Terracy Schomo			25
David Raisel			50
F. Sanderson, druggist			5 00
Dect. Chas. Herseler			5 00
Charles Sillyman			15 00
Buch & Evans			15 00
Total, so far			$300 50

Mrs. Bannan returns her thanks to those who have assisted her and who have been kind enough to collect subscriptions in the different establishments, and hopes that others will follow their example. It will greatly assist the good cause, and relieve her from much labor.

Mrs. Kate W. Thompson acknowledges the receipt of the following contributions from the citizens of Mahanoy City:

Dr L. M. Thompson $5, Dr G Brendle $5, Ed F Smith $5, J Redmond Coryngham $5, David Philipps $5, O O Bowman $5, Wm H Carter $5, Peter Bowman $5, James Bowman $5, Geo Leary $5, Corp Goodman $3, Wm M Swalm $3, Wm Winter $2, A E Philips $2, Morgan W. Price $2, Henry Lilburger $1, W H Thompson $1, Reuben H Davis $1, and one book, Michael Wolf $1, John Schaefer $1, Harrison Deutsch $1, Stephen Koons $1, Charles Weidle $1, Reid Clemens $1, Wm H Bowman $1, Robert Rogers $1, D Albert $1, John A Davis $1, Henry Albert $1, John Reichenger $1, Wm Albert $1, Wm Albert $1, Daniel Eisler $1, Henry Fisher $1, A Davis $1, Richard Coombs $1, D M Thomas $1, H Jackson $1, A M Smith $1, Jno Adams $1, Wm Adams $1, A Decker 50 cts, Hiram Adams $1, Wm Adams $1, Miss H M Dunstick $1, Mrs Chas Roberts $1, Geo Geiger $1. Total collected by Miss H M Dunstick, $88 50.

Townsend Hinest $3, Mr Williamson $2 25, Fred Knecht $2 25, John Henry $2 25, Ashton Hilton $3, Chas Seddon $3, William Monroe $1. Total collected by Mrs D Stewart, $15 75.

Donations received by Mrs. E. P. Thompson, for Central Fair, to be held in Philadelphia, June, 1864:

ASHLAND, May 18, 1864.

Mrs A Ray	$5 00	B F Zimmerman	1 00
Misses Katie and Tillie Ray	1 00	S & Mertz	1 00
Mrs Robt Gorrell	1 00	I C Leib	1 00
Miss De Young	2 00	J H Baldwin	2 00
Mrs J Kline	1 50	Cash	10 00
Mrs Isaac Burkett	10	Cash	5 00
Miss T Boyle	2 00	Mrs Daniels	1 00
Miss Ellen Casey	1 00	Mrs Furman	1 25
W Healy	1 00	Mrs Thirwell	1 00
E T Dancher	1 00	Mrs G Mertz	1 00
J Thirwell	1 00	J R Idor	1 00
Miss Ellen Thirwell	1 00	Mrs Burke	1 00
Mrs S H Davis	1 00	Mrs Adams	1 00
Mrs Hunter	2 00	Mr Yeager	1 00
Cash	5 00	Dr Morris	1 00
Mrs E K Lee	10 00	" J Bender	1 00
Mrs Heltrich	1 00	Mrs Morris	1 00
Mrs S Connor	1 00	Mrs Williams	1 00
Mrs Thomas Wright	1 00	" J Weiner	5 00
Mrs M Barnes	3 00	Mrs Barnett	1 00
Mrs I Bleisdell	1 00	Mrs Heaton	10 00
Mrs W Christian	1 00	" J Miller	1 00
Miss Bodens	1 00	Cash	50
Mrs W Mabey	10 00	A G Swift	10 00
Mrs Mikley	1 00	Miss Sloan	5 00
W A Lilang	10 00	Miss Sallie Sloan	1 00
P Mumberger	1 00	W Russell	1 00
B Lewis	1 00	Mrs Pritchard	3 00
H D Rothermell	2 00	Mrs Camp	3 00
R Rather	1 00	Cash	16 00
L Bliss	2 00	Cash	1 00
H C Bergstresser	1 00	Cash	10 00
Cash S T D	2 00	Cora Thompson	2 00
P E Buck	2 00	Tillie Thompson	2 00
A K Swartz	1 00	Cash	15 00
J J Hopkins	1 00		

Market St.—Misses Wolf and Haywood.

Amount collected in sums of 25 cts.			$27 25
Subscription list mislaid.			

Centre St.—Mrs. Bannan and Miss Silliman.

Miss T Strauch	$2 00	Mrs Hutchinson	$ 50
Mrs J Strauch	1 00	" Alstadt	20
Miss A Silliman	5 00	" B Bannan	5 00
" E Folmer	50	Harriet Saxon	50
Bessie Charlton	50	Mrs R Weaver	1 00
Mrs Whitfield	5 00	" Whitney	2 00
Miss Dornan	5 00	" H Weber	50
Mrs Boyer	5 00	Miss C Mason	1 00
Fanny Whitfield	1 00	" Richards	1 00
Ellen Whitfield	1 00	Mrs Esterly	50
Lucy Whitfield	1 00	Mrs Eliza Foster	1 00
Mary Miller	1 00	Hannah Owens	25
Lizzie Cornell	1 00	From Mrs Slater's establishment	3 75
E. Divine	1 00	" Mrs Mellar	1 00
M Welsh	1 00	Anne Grogan	1 00
F Potts	1 00	Mrs Parry	1 00
Amelia Adams	5 00	Anne McCabe	25
M Wittle	1 00	Anne Kutz	25
A Burwell	1 00	Miss Abe Kutz	25
Miss Foster	5 00	" Eva Myers	5 00
" M Foster	1 00	" Minder's establishment	2 50
Mrs J Lindenmuth	2 00	" Whitney	2 00
" J Torrey	1 00	" Dunroy	1 00
" C Brill	25	" G W Snyder	5 00
" Greenwood	50	Cash	2 00
" B Phillips	10	"	10
" Affic	10	"	10
" Snyder	10	"	10
" Shertle	1 00		
			$88 35

Female Teachers' Contribution.

Miss E Strauch	$1 00	Miss Streeper	$ 75
" A Strauch	2 00	Cash	50
" S M Strauch	2 00	Eva Hall	1 00
" Emily McCool	75	" Eder	75
" E McCool	75		
" Wilson	75		
Whole amount collected			$232 00

AMANDA SILLIMAN, Chairman.

Mrs. A. Russel, Agent for the Sanitary Fair, acknowledges the receipt of the following donations since last report:

Pupils of Mr Passmore's school			$3 45
Do. Miss Thomas' do. (additional)			10
Do. Mr. Jackson's do.			4 00
Do. Miss Angel's do.			2 50
Do. Mr. Lowry's do.			2 56
Do. Miss Dewald's do.			1 40
Do. School No. 5, female			3
Do. School No. 5, male			1 53
Mrs. S. Lewis			2 00
Jas. Staats			1 00
Miss Lizzie Lesser			1 00
Mrs. Isaac Severn			5 00
Charles Frailey			5 00
St. Clair Coal Co. of Boston, 1 car of coal.			
M. F. Maize	"	"	
Connor & Patterson	"	"	
Peacock Boxes—Geo. Bright & Co., 1; Mrs. Berryman, 1; A. Henderson, 1; O. Dobson, 1; Miss Fister, 2.			

From a "Friend of the Soldiers"—1 jar apple butter, 1 do. raspberry jam, 1 do. grape jelly, 1 do. peach jam, 1 do. currant jam, 1 glass do., 1 jar horseradish, 1 bottle black currant syrup, 1 do. blackberry syrup, 1 do. blackberry cordial, 5 do. raspberry vinegar.

Male Grammar School, J. A. M. Passmore, E. B. Branch and E. B. Higley, Teachers—6 lbs. dried fruit, 36 papers corn starch and farina, 3 tongues, 2 hams, 17 bottles wine, 7 tumblers jelly, 9 lbs. sugar, 16 lbs. crackers, 22 lbs. rice, 1 lb. maccaroni, 86 lemons, 1 lb. coffee, 3 bottles catsup, 3 cans tomatoes, 4 lbs. raisins, 1 box compressed milk, 4 papers pepper, 3 bottles brandied peaches, 8 lbs. beans, 11 lbs. rye, 3 lbs. blackberries, 2 doz. eggs, 1 can applebutter, 3 quarts vinegar, 7 bottles pickles, 3 pieces soap, 1 lb. tea.

Male High School, M. M. Jackson, Teacher—46 Nos. Harper's Magazine, 2 bundles Harper's Weekly, 11 Magazines, 1 bottle wine, 1 paper chocolate, 1 do. farina, 1 do. dried fruit.

Female School, No. 4, Miss Nimelton, Teacher—12 lbs. dried fruit, 4 papers corn starch, 1 can tomatoes, 1 bottle blackberry wine, 1 cup horseradish, ½ lb. tea.