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A few facts will give an idea of the success of this paper during the year now drawing to a close. Since the first of the year we have added nearly *one thousand* unsolicited subscribers to our list, making it unquestionably the largest of any paper published in the State, outside of the cities of Philadelphia and Pittsburg, with possibly, the exception of one journal, which is not a political paper in the strict sense of the term.

The MINERS' JOURNAL is the only newspaper in Schuylkill County that pays a tax to the Government. This tax this year on the establishment, independent of income tax, amounted to about three hundred dollars. Its circulation now is within about five hundred of the aggregate circulation of the five other papers published in the County.

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The following departments will continue to receive every attention in the new volume:

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In addition to the above, nearly all the letters of the soldiers from Schuylkill County in the GREAT UNION ARMY appear in its columns—a fact of peculiar interest to Schuylkill County readers.

The new volume, too, affords those who do not take the JOURNAL, or would like to have it sent to them, an excellent opportunity to subscribe. To keep well posted on all that is going on in and out of the County, take the MINERS' JOURNAL.

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☞ We would advise those of our Democratic brethren, who have been so shamefully deceived by their leaders, to subscribe to the JOURNAL and then they will find out why they were so terribly beaten. They will never find it out by taking the so-called Democratic papers. They are regular "know-nothings" now-a-days.

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Geo Wagner to July 1, '65	2 75
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Aquilla Perry to May 24, '65	2 75
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John T Everhart to July 1, '65	10 50
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Richard Bell to Sept 19, '65	2 75
John W Thompson to March 1, '65	2 75
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James Harris to Nov 26, '65	2 75
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M B Davidson to Nov 25, '65	2 75
Henry Allsop to June 12, '65	1 40
John Bowler to June 1, '65	1 40

We have guns now, that send shot *seven and one quarter miles*. This is unequalled.

OLD SUBSCRIPTIONS.—A few "reserved shares" can still be obtained conditionally, by applying at once. See advertisement.

MAJOR-GEN. D. N. COUCH has issued an order relinquishing the command of the Department of the Susquehanna.

THE result of the Presidential election in New York was declared by the State canvassers on Tuesday, and stands Union 358,726; Democratic 361,986. Union majority, 6740.

THE Copperhead papers are dying off very fast since the election. The State organs in Illinois, Indiana and Wisconsin have "gone dead," and the smaller fry are following suit.

THE Rebel Congressman, Foote, of Tennessee, was recently challenged by John Mitchell, the renegade Irishman, to fight a duel; but much to Foote's relief, the whole party was arrested, and held to bail to keep the peace.

ROGER A. PRYOR is now in Fort Lafayette. Roger isn't sorry. When he was in the Rebel army they reduced him from a general to a private. It wasn't handsome treatment, and Roger permitted himself last week to be captured by our pickets.

DELAWARE did well at the late election, and her gallant Union men deserve infinite credit for the progress they have made in the State since 1865. In 1860 the majority against Lincoln was 8,410. This year it was only 610.—Another year will bring the pro-slavery Democracy of Delaware to a minority.

THE Presidential electors of this State will meet at Harrisburg on Wednesday next, to cast their votes, which are sent to the President of the Senate, (the Hon. Hannibal Hamlin,) and counted before both Houses of Congress on the second Wednesday, (the 8th) of February, 1865.

ENOS PRIZER, Esq., senior-editor of the *Bucks County Intelligencer*, died in Doylestown on Friday of last week, of consumption. Mr. Prizer was for many years a prominent editor; a gentleman of fine talents, untiring industry and great energy. His loss will be severely felt by the profession of which he was an ornament.

THE END OF THE FLORIDA.—All speculations as to the fact whether the Government will return the Florida to Brazil or not, are put to an end by the sinking of that notorious craft in nine fathoms of water. She was struck by an army transportation boat, and not being in a very good condition, took in water enough to send her to the bottom. It is exceedingly doubtful whether she would ever have been able to make another voyage, certainly not without considerable repair, as she was in a very bad condition when she entered Bahia and needed overhauling.

Schuylkill County Soldiers' Vote—Official.

	LINCOLN.	McCLELLAN.
Atlanta, Ga. Co B. 82d Regt. Morris I. S. C.	4	3
" " E. " " "	3	1
Headquarters " " "	4	2
U S A Gen Hospital, Hilton Head, S C.	1	
Pleasant Valley, Md.		1
Headquarters 73d Regt, Atlanta, Ga.		1
Camp 145th Regt, P V	1	
Cavalry Corps Hospital	4	1
Fort Sedgwick, Va.		1
Hedges Co E. 145th Reg. P V	1	
Co E. 8th Regt. Camp Caldwalader		1
1, 52d Regt, Morris Island, S C		1
" " "	1	1
" " "	1	2
" " "		1
Camp 145th Regt, P V		1
Naval Picket detachm't, Trust's Reach, Va.	1	
1st Div 9d A C Hospital		1
E, 75th Reg. West Harpeth, Tenn.	1	
Recruits 3d Cav. Camp near Petersburg		1
M. 6th Cav. Pleasant Valley, Md.		1
Camp Barry, near City Point, Va.	4	
Pleasant Valley, Md.		1
A, 3d Cav. near Petersburg, Va.	1	
D, " " "	1	
M, 3d Cav. Camp south of Petersburg	3	
Rendezvous Distribution	4	
Camp Stoneman, D C	9	
Marine Corps, Washington Navy Yard, D C	3	
Ft Marcy, Va.		1
Great Falls, Md.		1
2nd 100 days' men, Benton, Columbia Co. Pa.	1	
Camp Caldwalder, Philada.	3	
D, 8th Reg, near Petersburg, Va.	1	
E, B, F, C, G & H, 48, 50 and 17 Regts U S	6	
Hospital No 1, Annapolis, Md.	1	
L, 3d Art, 15th Ft Monroe, Va.	1	
Mower Hospital	1	
E, Capitol Hill Barracks, Washington, D C.	1	
K, 6th Cav. Pleasant Valley, Md.	2	
Turner's Lane U S Gen Hos, Philad'a, Pa.	2	
Near Camp Cadwalader, Philada	1	
Fort McHenry	1	
White House U S Gen Hospital	1	
Prince St Military Prison, Alexandria, Va.	4	
Cavalry Bureau, Washington, D C	1	
Wiesvell Barracks, Washington, D C	1	
Campbell Hospital, Washington, D C	1	
Camp Cadwalader, Philada.	3	
McConnelsburg, Fulton county, Pa.	3	
Camp Fry, Washington, D C	2	
"Camp Curtin, 100 days' militia	38	
A, 48th, near Poplar Spring Church, Va.	10	
B, " " "	4	
C, " " "	7	
D, " near Pegram's Farm, Va.	16	
E, " near Poplar Grove Church, Va.	221	
F, " near Poplar Spring Church, Va.	24	
G, " near Pegram's Farm	29	
H, " near Poplar Spring Church, Va.	20	
I, " near Pegram's Farm, Va.	4	
K, " " "	2	
A, 12th Cav. Bolivar Heights, Va.	1	
A, 5th U S Art.	1	
A, 53d Reg.	1	
Camp in field before Petersburg, Va.	1	
G, 116th Reg.	1	
F, "	2	
K, 54th Reg. Cedar Creek, Va.	1	
B, 188th Reg.	3	
M, camp near Petersburg, Va.	3	
E, 3d Camp near Middletown, Va.	2	
H, 188th, near Petersburg, Va.	1	
C, 46th, in the field	1	
E & D, 8th Cav. in front of Petersburg, Va.	1	
Cumberland, Md.		1
Camp before Petersburg, Va.	1	
U S Gen Hospital, Ft Monroe	15	
H, 17th Cav. Winchester Va.	1	
Bat D, Pa Art, Poplar Grove Church, Va.	1	
I, 12th Cav. near McCallum's House, Va.	1	
Camp near Middletown, Va.	4	
Martinsburg, Va.	1	
K, 17th Cav, Winchester, Va.	1	
D, 12th Cav, Bolivar Heights, Va.	1	
H, " " "	42	
A, C, I & B, 50th, near Pegram's Farm, Va.	19	
B, 53d, near Warner's Station, Va.	1	
2nd Co, 2nd Regt, Ft Delaware	1	
Camp Distribution, Harper's Ferry, Va.	1	
E, 198th Reg.	1	
C & F, 60th Reg, near Petersburg, Va.	2	
184th Reg. camp near Petersburg	1	
A, 1st Pa Art, Camp Headquarters	1	
1st Bat 13th U. S. Inf, Edgefield, Tenn.	3	
Camp Cadwalader, Philad'a	1	
C, 57th, Cedar Church, Va.	2	
Nashville, Tenn.		1
E, 95th, camp near Strasburg, Va.		1
Sheridan Hospital, Winchester, Va.	1	
Detachm't 3d Cav. Headquarters	3	17
11, 11th Reg, near Weldon R R Va.	2	
A, 104th, near Camp Cadwalader, Pa.	1	
Detachm't 7th Cav, near Columbia, Tenn.	26	
" " Duck River Bridge, Tenn.	13	15
" " Block House No 10, Tenn.	8	
Total	685	296
Majority	389	

* Vote thrown out by resolution of Return Judges, on account of informality.

SANITARY COMMISSION.

We acknowledge the following contribution for the Sanitary Commission:

Wm. Millington, St. Clair, $5 00

All contributions for the Sanitary Commission will be promptly forwarded.

EDUCATIONAL.—On our First Page will be found a column devoted to education, conducted by an experienced teacher, Mr. Passmore of this Borough, formerly of Chester County. We commend the department to the attention of friends of education, and trust that their thoughts on the subject will be freely furnished to it, in order that good may come. If you have a fresh thought or a new experience in your profession, jot it down and send it to friend Passmore. Remember that he who causes a blade of grass to grow where none grew before is a public benefactor. So in the field of education, some suggestive blade may spring up the seed of which was sown by you, and add to the stock of knowledge to benefit the human race. We commend the matter to the attention of the teachers of the County.

OUR spirited cotemporary, the *Boston Saturday Evening Gazette*, dashes off the following paragraph about the coal fields of Pennsylvania. We had no idea we "Dutchmen" were under such obligations to the "hub of creation," until the *Gazette* enlightened us. Of course as a Region, we make our "salaam", and are dulygrateful:

Within the past five years the attention of capitalists in Boston has been directed to the coal fields of Pennsylvania. Some of the leading collieries are owned and managed by Eastern men, and Yankee ideas are rapidly finding converts even among the Dutchmen, who take things so easily that any innovation is apt to create almost a revolution. Driving of gangways and sinking slopes and shafts will before many months be superceded upon whole tunnelling would do this, but for the war, have been made easier by the introduction of a machine which promises to save a deal of labor. The development of the anthracite coal region by the creation of new collieries will only keep pace with the increasing demand for coal, though as labour, iron, and the necessaries of life decrease with the fall of gold, the price of coal must follow. The coal mines of England have a capital invested in them of £30,000,000. The "get of coals" amount to about 34,000,000 tons annually. The yield of coal in Pennsylvania during the present season reaches the very large figure of 9,119,824 tons, against 8,633,366 tons to corresponding time last year, showing an increase of nearly half a million of tons. There is, however, no overstock, and the demand increases daily. In the vicinity of the Franklin Colliery, in Pennsylvania, there are thousands of tons of coal dust, slate and small coal, the accumulation of years, which at a distance look like huge fortifications. These pit heaps having first spontaneously ignited, have burnt without interruption for years. In England there is a heap which has been on fire for upwards of a hundred years. This accumulated dust at the Franklin Colliery forms the road way for communication between the slopes and the breakers, and is otherwise serviceable, but the time must come when this waste will be made profitable. In England it is manufactured into coke and is very saleable. Some ingenious fellow will perhaps mix it with petroleum, when the crude article falls low enough, and we shall have a composition which will yield an intense heat.

Ladies' Furs.

Purchasers may rely upon getting the best Furs at CHARLES OAKFORD & SONS, Continental Hotel, Philadelphia.

CABINET OFFICER RESIGNED.—Hon. Edward Bates, Attorney General of the United States, under President Lincoln, has resigned his position to take effect from January 1st, 1865. His advanced age, and physical inability to discharge the arduous duties of the office are given as the reasons for the resignation.

Ladies' and Children's Hats.

Latest styles at CHARLES OAKFORD & SONS, Continental Hotel, Philadelphia. 46-3m

STROUSE COMING ROUND.—A banquet was given in Philadelphia on Thursday evening last, to Hon. Schuyler Colfax, Speaker of the national House of Representatives.—Myer was there, and was introduced, Heaven save the mark! "as a gentleman who always voted with the Union party for supplying men and money for the war." His Congressional record don't say so, by a great deal. Myer made a speech, at the dinner in the course of which he said:

Mr. Lincoln was the constitutionally-elected President of the United States, and, though the speaker differed with him in politics to some extent, he honored and revered him. [Loud cheers.] And the speaker was in favor of preserving the Union, if it cost every dollar we can raise and every man we can equip. This had been the course of the speaker during his entire service in Congress.

Knowing as we do that Myer Strouse voted consistently and perseveringly in Congress, for the measures advocated by Vallandigham, and that he in the late campaign made intensely vituperative speeches against Mr. Lincoln in this County, we can only wonder at his impudence. Faith, we begin to believe that Myer does not know what he is himself.

VERY TRUE.—Mr. McLeod who officiated at the installation of Mr. Reilly in this Borough on Wednesday evening last, said in the course of his charge to the people of the congregation, that those men that grumbled because their ministers preached politics as they term it, they did so because the preachers talked *politics* on the wrong side, in their (the grumblers') estimation. The remark is true. If ministers generally, forgetting their high duty to God, to the interests of true religion, and to the welfare of their flocks, would smooth the hideous features of slavery, and fawn upon the wretched slaveholders, it would be all right in the eyes of these sympathizers with rebellion, and grumblers. Thank God, our ministers as a mass, do *not* do that. They are Christians.

THE GREAT "SANITARY FAIR" IN PHILADELPHIA.—The *Press* says that the Sanitary Fair held in Philadelphia in June last, netted *One Million Ten Thousand Dollars* profit over and above the expenses, which will be slightly increased. The expenses fell cousiderably below the estimate, while the profits exceeded it.

—Gen. Sherman's capture of Macon and Milledgeville is confirmed by a statement made by Roger A. Pryor. Augusta, it is reported, it has probably been captured, and there is nothing serious to impede Sherman's march to the seaboard. Mr. Pryor further says that with the possession of Augusta, the South will be cut off from Richmond, and no troops can be sent to reinforce Savannah.

MASON & HAMLIN'S CABINET ORGAN.—Such an instrument is all that is needed in any church of ordinary size; and even in Trinity Church in this city the grandest specimen of the Gothic architecture on the continent, Dr. Cutler, the celebrated organist, has introduced one of them into the chancel, as better adapted to some parts of the service, and to some classes of music, than the great pipe organ, whose tones make the walls tremble. In the churches throughout the country they answer every requirements, and have already been widely sought for and introduced. Such eminent artists and musicians as Thalberg, Lowell Mason, Zundel, Root, and many others, bear testimony to their merits in the highest terms; and once hearing them, will satisfy the most skeptical that they are just what the church has been waiting for—something to aid without drowning the singing; something easily obtained, easily kept in order, and giving power, majesty, and melody in the worship of God. For this testimony is equal to the organ; and here we have an organ, sweet, solemn, sonorous, and grand, the instrument you will love the longer you hear it.—*N. Y. Observer.*

Gentlemen's Hats.

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PAUL the Apostle speaks of Luke, as the "beloved physician," and few endear themselves to us more than those who like "ministering angels," bring us the healing balm in sickness. So it is with medicines that cure; though we never see the maker, yet we get a feeling of regard for him through *them*. How many have reason to bless Dr. Ayer for his invaluable remedies, so cheap and yet so effectual! What public benefactors better deserve esteem than those who rescue the body from disease and premature decay?—*Portsmouth (N. H.) Gazette.*

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THE COAL TRADE.

Pottsville, December 3, 1864.

The quantity sent by Railroad this week is 65,204 09—by Canal 32,114 05—for the week 96,818 14 against 91,779 tons for the corresponding week last year.

The weather has proved more moderate than was anticipated last week, and the trade by Canal still continues. The great scarcity of vessels and the high prices of freight to the East, has caused a number of boats to make another trip, expecting to reach their destination before the season closes.

Freights have gone up enormously. We quote $5 25 from Philadelphia to Boston, Portsmouth, &c., and $5 35 to Newburyport. But few vessels are to be had to go East, and even the Government is suffering for the want of them. There were no less than 1000 cars loaded with Government Coal standing at Port Richmond on Tuesday last waiting for vessels. A large number of vessels have been destroyed within the last two years, and but few if any Colliers have been built within that period.

The supply of Coal received at Boston was about 30,000 tons short of last year's supply on the 1st inst., and the prospects are that Co. will rule very high in the New England States during the winter season. A Bostonian remarked the other day that they had invested a large amount of money in the Coal Regions within the last year, and they are now worse off for Coal than ever before.

The trade sums up this week as follows compared with last year:

1863.

	WEEK.	TOTAL.	WEEK.	TOTAL.	INC. & DEC.
P. & R. R.	34,730	2,833,221	57,050	2,762,460	070,761
Schuyl. Canal	26,281	854,221	32,114	953,353	101,132
L. Val. R. R.	29,385	1,196,152	25,268	1,280,391	85,236
Lehigh Canal	21,671	617,437	21,397	732,209	94,772
Scranton R. R.	19,145	525,158	12,519	579,602	54,444
" Nth	6,483	302,690	6,518	313,433	10,743
Penna. C. Co			2,004	237,855	237,855
By R. Road	8,354	698,108	9,481	491,156	146,952
Del. & Hnd Co	27,187	805,735	18,615	811,406	5,671
Wyoming Co.		493,880		498,009	04,781
Dr.		65,864		72,501	6,601
Broad Top	3,305	283,788	5,717	360,977	77,189
Shamokin	2,160	258,064	3,622	297,803	39,742
Trevorton	1,640	59,914	1,136	59,727	4138
Sh. Mt.	2,162	73,082	1,916	63,970	09,112
Lykens Val.	7,219	50,680	1,725	56,113	03,566
	184,855	6,426,027	206,343	5,805,537	
			184,855	6,426,027	
			21,488	379,534	

For the first time in three months the trade shows an increase over the corresponding week last year. This is owing to the mild weather which has continued longer this year than the last, and there is every indication that the Canals will remain open for some time longer.

The fiscal year of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad ended on the 30th of November.

The quantity of Coal transported over the main branch of the road from Schuylkill County was:

In 1864	2,762,460 06 tons.
In 1863	2,844,221 05 "
Decrease in 1864	70,760 19 "

The above does not embrace the quantity of Bituminous Coal transported over the Lebanon Valley Branch.

The increase by Canal so far this year is 101,732 tons. In addition to this about 140,000 tons of Schuylkill Coal was transported over the Quakake Road via the Lehigh Valley Railroad to New York, &c.

SALE OF SCRANTON COAL, PER AUCTION, NOVEMBER 30, 1864.

Steamboat—offered 3000 tons.

1000	Quintard & Ward	$9 12½
1000	" "	9 25
1000	Talmage, Hunt & Co	9 25
3000	tons.	

Lump—offered 6500 tons.

1000	Gideon W. Huapp	8 25
1000	Talmage, Hunt & Co	8 12½
1000	H. C. Clark	8 12½
1000	Talmage, Hunt & Co	8 12½
200	—— Cooper	8 12½
1000	H. C. Clark	8 12½
250	Campbell & Thayer	8 12½
300	—— Higgins	8 12½
300	—— Haggerty	8 12½
200	—— Snelling	8 12½
150	E. C. Benedict	8 12½
6500	tons.	

Broken—offered 5000 tons.

340	Babcock & Morse	9 37½
1600	Talmage, Hunt & Co	9 37½
200	—— Nickerson	9 37½
500	—— Gibson	9 37½
100	—— Williams	9 37½
1000	Talmage, Hunt & Co	9 37½
1000	" " "	9 12½
500	Shawver & Co	9 20
360	Tyler & Co	9 20
5000	tons.	

Egg—offered 3000 tons.

200	—— Gibson	9 00
500	Sawver & Co	9 00
100	J. & E. Chester	9 00
200	—— Abby	9 00
100	—— Griffin	9 00½
100	—— Williams	9 00
500	Sawyer & Co	9 00
500	—— Morrill	9 00
1000	Talmage, Hunt & Co	9 00
3200	tons.	

Stove—offered 5000 tons.

1000	Talmage, Hunt & Co	9 62½
100	—— Pratt	9 62½
100	—— Lyons	9 62½
100	—— Crosby	9 85
130	W. Hull	9 85
200	—— Elliott	9 85
200	—— Abby	9 85
150	—— Ford	9 85
100	—— Bradley	9 85
150	—— Carman	9 85
150	Waterbury Lumber Co	9 85
200	—— Gibson	9 75
150	E. A. Packer & Co	9 75
500	H. C. Clark	9 73
1000	Talmage, Hunt & Co	9 75
200	E. C. Benedict	9 75
100	—— Coit	9 75
470	Talmage, Hun & Co	9 75
5000	tons.	

Chestnut—offered 2000 tons.

1000	Talmage, Hunt & Co	8 62½
1000	" " "	8 62½
2000	tons.	

These prices average over the sales of last month 40 cents per ton for Lump, 40 cents for Steamboat, 70 cents for Broken, and 10 cents for Chestnut. Egg and Stove average last month's prices. Quantity sold 24,700 tons. This sale resulted in obtaining better prices than was anticipated, and shows that the markets have not a supply of Coal.

J. SERRILL'S COLLIERY on the Herbine Black Heath and Mine Hill land at Minersville, has we learn, been sold, and formed into the Black Heath Coal Company. They work above water level, with about 250 yards of breasts. They have just cut a mine in the tunnel north of the Skidmore. The run of the colliery above water level is about 1½ miles. With increased breaker facilities, which will be made, the Colliery it is confidently expected, will soon be able to ship 200 cars per day of this excellent Coal.

"T. H. W." has been received. We do not understand that Mr. Beadle claims the *invention* of the "Fan," but its application to ventilation in this country.

☞ DURING the month of October, 321 boats cleared at Cumberland, Md., for Georgetown, carrying 34,749 tons of coal to market, and making a revenue for the canal of $22,839 19. The total tunnage for the year 1864, to the 1st of November, is 1,841 boats, carrying 201,490 tons of coal.

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☞ All orders received for this favorite Coal will be promptly supplied. (Dec. 3, '64.—49-1y

RAINBOW COAL.—The St. Clair Coal Company having purchased the original Rainbow Collieries, will receive cargo orders for this well known Coal at their office, 20 State Street, Boston. Orders to be addressed to WM. ALFRED HACKER, Agent. Nov. 12, '64. 46-

THE COAL MARKETS.

PRICES OF COAL BY THE CARGO.

[CORRECTED WEEKLY FOR THE MINERS' JOURNAL.]

AT PHILADELPHIA.

DECEMBER 2, 1864.

Schuylkill Red Ash Prepared	$ 9 50@	9 75
" Chestnut	7 50@	7 75
" White Ash, Lump, Steam		
" Boat and Broken	8 75@	9 00
" Egg and Stove	8 75@	
" Chestnut	7 50@	7 75
Locust Mt. Lump, St. Boat	9 00@	
" " Broken	9 00@	9 25
" " Prepared	9 00@	
" " Chestnut	7 50@	7 75
Lorberry Coal	9 25@	
Franklin (Lykens Valley)	9 25@	9 50
Lehigh Lump, St. Boat & Broken	9 75@	
" Prepared	9 50@	9 75
" Chestnut	11 50@	
Broad Top	7 50@	

AT NEW YORK.

DECEMBER 1, 1864.

Schuylkill Coal by the Cargo by Canal.	
Schuylkill Red Ash by Boat Load	$10 25@11 25
" Chestnut	8 00@ 8 50
" WHITE Ash Lump and S.	
Boat	10 00@10 75
" Broken and Egg	10 00@10 75
" Stove	10 00@11 00
" Chestnut	8 00@ 8 50
LEHIGH White Ash, Lump & S. Boat	10 00@10 75
" Prepared	10 00@10 50
" Chestnut	8 50@ 9 00
Scranton Coal at Elizabethport.	
See Auction Sales.	
Lehigh Coal at Elizabethport.	
Lump and St. Boat by Cargo	10 50@
Broken and Egg "	10 25@10 50
Prepared "	10 25@10 50
Chestnut "	9 00@ 9 50
Dela. & Hudson Co.'s Coal at Rondout.	
No quotations.	
Pennsylvania Co.'s Coal at Pt. Ewen.	
No quotations.	
Market very quiet.	

AT HAVRE de GRACE, Md.

NOVEMBER 30, 1864.

White Ash—prepared	$10 00@
Lykens Val de Pinegrove—prepared	10 00@10 25

AT BALTIMORE

NOVEMBER 30, 1864.

White Ash prepared—wholesale	$10 75@11 00
" " —retail	12 00@
Lykens Valley—wholesale	11 25@
" " —retail	12 50@
CUMBERLAND—run of mine	10 50@
" Lump	11 50@
" Funo	10 25@

COAL FREIGHTS.

Freights from Pt Richmond (Philad'a.

Portland	$5 00	Boston	$ 5 25
Portsmouth	5 25	New London	3 38
New Bedford	3 50	New Haven	3 38
Newport	3 30	New York	3 38
Norwich	3 50	Washington	2 00
Troy	2 80	Rhode Island	3 50
Newburyport	5 35	Hartford	5 00
Bridgeport	3 50	Newport	3 50
Albany	2 75	Alexandria	3 00
Providence	2 50	Dighton	3 40
Taunton	4 50	Derby	3 40
Philadelphia	30	Charlestown	4 25

159 vessels and 135 boats arrived for the week.

Freights from Elizabethport.

New York	$ 75	Portland	3 50
Fall River	1 80	Newburyport	3 60
Newport	1 85	New London	1 65
Boston	3 00	Pawtuckett	1 75
Norwich	1 50	Taunton	1 80
Providence	1 75	New Haven	1 40
Norwalk	1 40	Portsmouth	3 60
Middletown	1 50	New Bedford	1 80
Hudson	1 25	Bridgeport	1 40
Lynn	3 60	Hartford	2 00
Salem	3 60	Albany	1 25

Freights from Baltimore.

To Philadelphia	$1 75@
New York	2 25@3 35
Boston	3 00@

Freights from Georgetown or Alexandria.

To Philadelphia	$1 75@
New York	2 10@
Boston	3 00@3 25

Schuylkill County Railroads for 1864.

The following is the quantity of Coal transported over the different Railroads in Schuylkill County, for week ending on Thursday evening last:

	WEEK.	TOTAL.
Mine Hill & S. Haven R. R.	44,460 14	1,413,074 16
Mt. Carbon	3,286 10	113,059 09
Mill Creek	9,596 01	454,753 03
Mahanoy & Broad Mt.	16,768 12	506,292 03
Little Schuylkill	13,338 —	504,346 18
Schuylkill Valley	5,991 19	223,441 15

**Schuylkill