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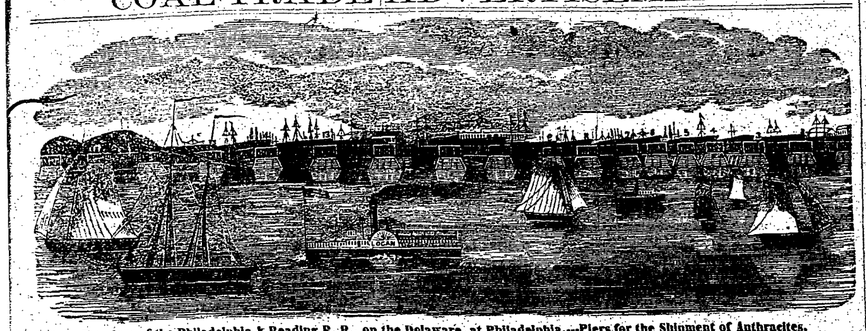

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Sept. 24, '64. 39.

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JOHN W. RYAN, Attorney and Counsellor at Law, Pottsville, Schuylkill County, Pa. Office in Silliman's new building, on Centre Street, nearly opposite the Miners' Bank.
May 23, '63. 21-

H. ROYER, Attorney at Law.
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February 7, '63. 6-1y

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Sept. 10, '64.—37-] TAMAQUA, PA.

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Repairing attended to promptly.
Sunbury, Northumberland Co., Nov. 12, '64.—46-tf

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Orders directed to ATKINS & BROTHER, at their Pioneer Furnace, Pottsville, or to the proprietors at the Mill, will receive prompt attention.
ATKINS, LANIGAN & Co.
Pottsville, March 12, '64. 11-

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P. PINEGROVE, SCHUYL. CO., PA.
J. M. ROHRER, Machinist & Engineer, PROPRIETOR.
January 30, '64. 5-1y*

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The subscriber is prepared to execute orders for the above articles, with dispatch, at the old place of business, Coal Street, below Norwegian. 20 feet boilers always on hand. Also, the manufacturer of
Coal and Other Shovels,
Of the best material and workmanship. Repairs promptly attended to. ☞ Fans for mining ventilation always on hand. JABEZ SPARKS.
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J. & M. GARNER.
Ashland, July 9, '64. 28-

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GEORGE W. SNYDER.
January 21, '57. 3-tf

THE PALO ALTO IRON CO. are prepared to furnish T RAILROAD IRON, at their Mills in Palo Alto, of various patterns, weighing from 22 to 70 pounds per yard. Also, different sizes of flat, square and round merchants' bar iron.
Orders for rails or bar iron are respectfully solicited, and will meet with prompt attention if left either at the Rolling Mills, GEORGE BRIGHT & Co.'s Hardware Store, Centre Street, or at their office, corner of Market and Second Streets, Pottsville.
BENJ'N HAYWOOD, Pres't.
Jan. 2, '64. 1-tf

TO COAL OPERATORS & MINERS.—Pioneer Boiler Works.
The subscriber respectfully invites the attention of the business community to his Boiler Works, on Railroad Street, below the Passenger Depot, Pottsville, where he is prepared to manufacture BOILERS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.
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Being a practical mechanic, and having for years devoted himself entirely to this branch of the business, he flatters himself that work done at his establishment will give satisfaction to all who may favor him with a call. Individuals and Companies will find it greatly to their advantage to examine his work before engaging elsewhere.
JOHN T. NOBLE.
November 21, '57. 47-tf

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THOMAS & JAMES WREN respectfully invite the attention of the business community to their New Machine Shop and Foundry erected between Coal and Railroad streets, and fronting on Norwegian street, where they are prepared to execute all orders for machinery of Brass and Iron, such as Steam Engines, all kinds of Gearing for Rolling Mills, Gristand Saw Mills, Single and Double Acting Pumps, Coal Breakers, Drift Cars, all kinds of Railroad Castings, such as Chairs for Flat and T Rail; Frogs, Switches, &c.; all kinds of Cast and Wrought Iron Shafting. Being practical mechanics, and having made the demands of the Coal Region their study for years, also all kinds of Machinery in their line of business, they flatter themselves that work done at their establishment will give satisfaction to all who may honor them with a call. All orders thankfully received and promptly executed, on the most reasonable terms.
THOMAS WREN. JAMES WREN.
Nov. 22, '63. 47-tf

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April 23, '64.

THE BELLS.

EDGAR A. POE.

Hear the sledges with the bells—
Silver bells!
What a world of merriment their melody foretells!
How they tinkle, tinkle, tinkle,
In the icy air of night!
While the stars that oversprinkle
All the heavens, seem to twinkle
With a crystalline delight;
Keeping time, time, time,
In a sort of Runic rhyme,
To the tintinnabulation that so musically wells
From the bells, bells, bells, bells,
Bells, bells, bells—
From the jingling and the tinkling of the bells.

Hear the mellow wedding bells—
Golden bells!
What a world of happiness their harmony foretells!
Through the balmy air of night
How they ring out their delight!
From the molten-golden note,
And all in tune,
What a liquid ditty floats
To the turtle-dove that listens, while she gloats
On the moon!
Oh, from out the sounding cells,
What a gush of euphony voluminously wells!
How it swells!
How it dwells,
On the Future!—how it tells
Of the rapture that impels
To the swinging and the ringing
Of the bells, bells, bells—
Of the bells, bells, bells, bells,
Bells, bells, bells—
To the rhyming and the chiming of the bells.

Hear the loud alarum bells—
Brazen bells!
What a tale of terror, now their turbulency tells!
In the startled ear of night
How they scream out their affright!
Too much horrified to speak,
They can only shriek, shriek,
Out of tune,
In a clamorous appealing to the mercy of the fire,
In a mad expostulation with the deaf and frantic fire,
Leaping higher, higher, higher,
With a desperate desire,
And a resolute endeavor
Now—now to sit, or never,
By the side of the pale-faced moon.
Oh, the bells, bells, bells,
What a tale their terror tells
Of Despair!
How they clang, and clash, and roar!
What a horror they outpour
On the bosom of the palpitating air!
Yet the ear, it fully knows,
By the twanging
And the wrangling
How the danger sinks and swells,
By the sinking and the swelling in the anger of the bells—
Of the bells—
Of the bells, bells bells, bells,
Bells, bells, bells,
In the clamor and the clangor of the bells!

Hear the tolling of the bells—
Iron bells!
What a world of solemn thought their monody compels!
In the silence of the night,
How we shiver with affright
At the melancholy menace of their tone!
For every sound that floats
From the rust within their throats
Is a groan.
And the people—ah, the people—
They that dwell up in the steeple,
All alone,
And who, tolling, tolling, tolling,
In that muffled monotone,
Feel a glory in so rolling
On the human heart a stone—
They are neither man nor woman—
They are neither brute nor human—
They are Ghouls:
And their king it is who tolls;
And he rolls, rolls, rolls,
Rolls
A pean from the bells!
And his merry bosom swells
With the pean of the bells!
And he dances, and he yells;
Keeping time, time, time,
In a sort of Runic rhyme,
To the pean of the bells—
Of the bells:
Keeping time, time, time,
In a sort of Runic rhyme,
To the throbbing of the bells—
Of the bells, bells, bells,—
To the sobbing of the bells:—
Keeping time, time, time,
As he knells, knells, knells,
In a happy Runic rhyme,
To the rolling of the bells—
Of the bells, bells, bells:—
To the tolling of the bells—
Of the bells, bells, bells,
Bells, bells, bells—
To the moaning and the groaning of the bells!

GROWLER'S INCOME TAX.

My neighbor Growler, an excitable man, by the way, is particularly excited over the Income Tax, or as he calls it, "War Tax." He had never liked the war—thought it unnecessary and wicked; the work of politicians. The fighting of brother against brother a terrible thing in his eyes. If you ask him who began the war? who struck at the nation's life? if self-defence were not a duty? he would reply with vague generalities, made up of partizan tricky sentences, which he had learned without comprehending their just significance.

Growler came in upon me the other day, flourishing a square piece of blue writing paper, quite moved from his equanimity.

"There it is! Just so much robbery! Stand and deliver is the word. Pistols and bayonets! Your money or your life!"

Philadelphia, Sept., 1864.

RICHARD GROWLER, ESQ.

To JOHN M. RILEY, Dr.
Collector of Internal Revenue for the 4th District of Pennsylvania. Office 427 Chestnut St.

For Tax on Income for the year 1863, as per return made to the Assessor of the District, $43 21.
Rec'd payment,
JOHN M. RILEY, Collector,

"You're all right," I said, smiling.

"I'd like to know what you mean by all right!" Growler was just a little offended at my way of treating this serious matter—serious in his eyes, I mean. "I've been robbed of forty-three dollars and twenty-one cents," he continued; "do you say that it is all right? A minion of the Government has put his hand into my pocket and taken just so much of my property. Is that all right?"

"The same thing may be set forth in very different language," I replied; "let me state the case."

"Very well—state it!" said Growler, dumping himself into a chair, and looking as ill-humored as possible.

"Instead of being robbed," said I, "you have been protected in your property and person, and guaranteed all the high privileges of citizenship, for the paltry sum of forty-three dollars and twenty one cents, as your share of the cost of protection."

"O, that's only your way of putting the case," returned Growler, dropping a little from his high tone of indignation.

"Let me be more particular in my way of putting the case. Your income is from the rent of property?"

"Yes."

"What would it have cost you to defend that property from the army of Gen. Lee, driven from your State by the nation's soldiers?"

"Cost me!" Growler looked at me in a kind of maze, as if he thought me half in jest.

"Exactly! What would it have cost you? Lee, if unopposed, would certainly have reached this city and held it; and if your property had been of use to him, or to any of his officers or soldiers, it would have been appropriated without so much as saying, by your leave, sir? Would forty-three dollars and twenty-one cents have covered the damage? Perhaps not. Possibly you might have lost one-half or two-thirds of all you are worth.

Growler was a trifle bewildered at this way of putting the case. He looked puzzled.

"You have a store on South wharves?" said I.

"Yes."

"What has kept the *Alabama* or the *Florida* from running up the Delaware and burning the whole city front? Do you have forts and ships of war for the protection of your property? If not, what is your share of the expense for the whole year? Just forty-three dollars and twenty-one cents! It sounds like a jest!"

Growler did not answer; so I kept on.

"But for our immense