Wit and Humor.

OIL ON THE BRAIN.

Corry O'Lanus at the Oil Regions.

I have reached the land of oil, having taken a safer route than the Erie.

Pennsylvania is a good-sized State and it takes some time to get there.

When you do get here you wish you hadn't come.

There is plenty of oil—and that is all, except lots of people.

I made for "Snaky Run," the most likely place for oil.

They call these places Runs, because every body who is after oil runs here.

Every man you meet is the President, Director or Engineer of a petroleum company.

The natives, who are white people, and resemble country folks, live by selling land and greenhorns.

They have a system in both transactions. They double the price of land every morning.

If you know anybody who has got a few vacant lots that he wants to sell, tell him to bring them out here.

The folks are so busy looking for oil they haven't time to build houses, and everybody is afraid to put up a house for fear that he might cover an oil well.

Consequently the hotels are a little crowded.

The Muggins Hotel, where I put up, is much so.

Muggins, the proprietor, is the most accommodating man you ever saw. A city railroad conductor isn't a circumstance with him.

He has only got six beds in the house, but he is always ready to take in everybody.

He took me in.

Also two hundred more petroleum pilgrims.

The sleeping accommodations are various. We go to bed in platoons.

When the first platoon get asleep they are carefully taken out of bed and hung over a clothes-line. The second platoon go through the same process until everybody is provided for.

Preferring to sleep alone, I slept on the mantel-piece, with the coal scuttle for a pillow.

As I observed, land is precious here.

I bought a lot ten inches by four for three hundred thousand dollars, and commenced operations.

The next thing is to commence boring.

You want a sharp bore. A public lecturer won't do.

I took a brace and bit, and went in.

Got down to about seven hundred thousand feet into the bowels of the land, when I came to an impediment.

Found that I had struck the pre-adamite rock of the ossified strata of the Silurian formation.

This is geology, and you perhaps won't understand it, but I will explain it all in the paper to the Historical Society I am about writing.

Got a candle and went down to see about it.

I found a big Megatherium, about six hundred feet long, in a capital state of preservation.

I got him out and shall send him along by express.

Went on boring through forty thousand feet of sand-stone. Here encountered a strange smell of sulphur, which alarmed the native who sold me the land, and to ease his conscience he gave me half the money back, and wanted me to stop boring.

Told him I was bound to keep on till I struck ile, or came out on the other side of creation.

Bored on. Went through about sixty thousand feet more, when suddenly, the brace and bit went in, and there was a grand report like that made by Butler's powder boat which didn't blow up Fort Fisher.

Things were slightly confused for a time. A section of Pennsylvania went up, and I went up with it. I guess I must have come down again, as the next idea I had was finding myself comfortably hung over the clothes line at the Muggins Hotel.

An investigation into the matter showed that I had struck through into a gas factory in China, which had exploded at both ends of the bore, killing half a million of Chinese.

The casualties on our side were confined to one native and a small dog.

I haven't given up yet. The folks here are very encouraging; they will stick to a man as long as he has a cent left, and I never knew Muggins to turn a man out of his hotel who had the means to pay his bill.

A kind-hearted chap offered me another piece of land the size of a stove-plate, within a mile and a half of a seven hundred barrel well, for the reasonable figure of half a million, and two thirds of the oil.

I had concluded that boring for oil is not so profitable as bleeding the public. I shall start an oil company on more liberal terms than any yet offered.

I shall be prepared to guarantee anything. The capital will be a million dollars, divided into two million shares at fifty cents each.

Dividends of two hundred per cent. will be paid weekly, in addition to which each subscriber will be entitled to a season ticket for Lannigan's Ball, a new hat, a farm in Minnesota, and a ton of coal at market prices.

The "Scaly Run" Petroleum Company will be the biggest thing in oil in the market.

I am coming on to arrange the business as soon as my friends remit me funds enough to pay my way back. Yours oleaginously,

CORRY O'LANUS.

YANKEE OUTBREAK.—A person of an observing turn of mind, if he has driven through a country town, has noticed how curious youngsters along the route will fill the windows with anxious faces, in order to get a glimpse at the passer by. Our friend Jonathan, a peddler, drove up in front of a house one day, and seeing all hands and the cook, staring from the windows, got off from his cart and the following dialogue took place with the man of the house:

Jonathan—Has there been a funeral here lately?

Man of the house—No; why?

Jonathan—I saw that there was one pane of glass that didn't have a head in it.

A WESTERN editor was recently requested to send his paper to a distant patron, provided he would take his pay in "trade." At the end of the year he found that his new subscriber was a coffin-maker.

A LADY asked a pupil at Sunday School, What was the sin of the Pharisees? "Eating camels, marm!" quickly replied the child She had read that the Pharisees "strained at a gnat and swallowed a camel."

"OH, MOTHER! do send for the doctor!" said a little boy of three years. "What for, my dear?" "Why, there's a gentleman in the parlor who says he'll die if Jane don't marry him—and Jane says she won't!"

"WHAT is the dog barking at?" asked a fop, whose boots were more polished than his ideas. "Why," replied a bystander, "because he sees another puppy in your boots."

A GREAT poet says that "the mountains stand fixed forever." We know, however that it is no uncommon thing for them to "slope."

THE Book of Nature is always beautiful. But that fine book gets short of leaves in the Fall.

SOME persons put a great deal of money in stocks, who should be put in the stocks themselves.

HE who fishes in the waters of matrimony, may fish with his naked hook if the hook is gold.

IF seven days make one week, how many will make one strong?

MEDICINAL.

Ayer's SARSAPARILLA,

THE WORLD'S GREAT REMEDY FOR

Scrofula and Scrofulous Diseases.

From Emery Edes, a well-known merchant of Oxford, Maine.

"I have sold large quantities of your SARSAPARILLA, but never yet one bottle which failed of the desired effect and full satisfaction to those who took it. As fast as our people try it, they agree there has been no medicine like it before in our community."

Eruptions, Pimples, Blotches, Pustules, Ulcers, Sores, and all Diseases of the Skin.

From Rev. Robt. Stratton, Bristol, England.

"I only do my duty to you and the public, when I add my testimony to that you publish of the medicinal virtues of your SARSAPARILLA. My daughter, aged ten, had an afflicting humor in her ears, eyes, and hair for years, which we were unable to cure until we tried your SARSAPARILLA. She has been well for some months."

From Mrs. Jane E. Rice, a well-known and much-esteemed lady of Dennisville, Cape May Co., N. J.

"My daughter has suffered for a year past with a scrofulous eruption, which was very troublesome. Nothing afforded any relief until we tried your SARSAPARILLA, which soon completely cured her."

From Charles P. Gage, Esq., of the widely-known Gage, Murray & Co., manufacturers of enamelled papers in Nashua, N. H.

"I had for several years a very troublesome humor in my face, which grew constantly worse until it disfigured my features and became an intolerable affliction. I tried almost every thing a man could of both advice and medicine, but without any relief whatever, until I took your SARSAPARILLA. It immediately made my face worse, as you told me it might for a time; but in a few weeks the new skin began to form under the blotches, and continued until my face is as smooth as any body's, and I am without any symptoms of the disease that I know of. I enjoy perfect health, and without a doubt owe it to your SARSAPARILLA."

Erysipelas—General Debility—Purify the Blood.

From Dr. Robt. Sawin, Houston St., New York.

"DR. AYER. I seldom fail to remove *Eruptions* and *Scrofulous Sores* by the persevering use of your SARSAPARILLA, and I have just now cured an attack of *Malignant Erysipelas* with it. No alterative we possess equals the SARSAPARILLA you have supplied to the profession as well as to the people."

From J. E. Johnston, Esq., Wakeman, Ohio.

"For twelve years, I had the yellow Erysipelas on my right arm, during which time I tried all the celebrated physicians I could reach, and took hundreds of dollars worth of medicines. The ulcers were so bad that the cords became visible, and the doctors decided that my arm must be amputated. I began taking your SARSAPARILLA. Took two bottles, and some of your PILLS. Together they have cured me. I am now as well and sound as any body. Being in a public place, my case is known to every body in this community, and excites the wonder of all."

From Hon. Henry Monro, M. P. P., of Newcastle, C. W., a leading member of the Canadian Parliament.

"I have used your SARSAPARILLA in my family, for general *debility*, and for *purifying the blood*, with very beneficial results, and feel confidence in commending it to the afflicted."

St. Anthony's Fire, Rose, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Sore Eyes.

From Harvey Sickler, Esq., the able editor of the Tunkhannock Democrat, Pennsylvania.

"Our only child, about three years of age, was attacked by pimples on his forehead. They rapidly spread until they formed a loathsome and virulent sore, which covered his face, and actually blinded his eyes for some days. A skilful physician applied nitrate of silver and other remedies, without any apparent effect. For fifteen days we guarded his hands, lest with them he should tear open the festering and corrupt wound which covered his whole face. Having tried every thing else we had any hope from, we began giving your SARSAPARILLA, and applying the iodide of potash lotion, as you direct. The sore began to heal when we had given the first bottle, and was well when we had finished the second. The child's eyelashes, which had come out, grew again, and he is now as healthy and fair as any other. The whole neighborhood predicted that the child must die."

Syphilis and Mercurial Disease.

From Dr. Hiram Sloat, of St. Louis, Missouri.

"I find your SARSAPARILLA a more effectual remedy for the secondary symptoms of *Syphilis* and for syphilitic disease than any other we possess. The profession are indebted to you for some of the best medicines we have."

From A. J. French, M. D., an eminent physician of Lawrence, Mass., who is a prominent member of the Legislature of Massachusetts.

"DR. AYER. My dear Sir: I have found your SARSAPARILLA an excellent remedy for *Syphilis*, both of the *primary* and *secondary* type, and effectual in some cases that were too obstinate to yield to other remedies. I do not know what we can employ with more certainty of success, where a powerful alterative is required."

Mr. Chas. S. Van Liew, of New Brunswick, N. J., had dreadful ulcers on his legs, caused by the abuse of mercury, or *mercurial disease*, which grew more and more aggravated for years, in spite of every remedy or treatment that could be applied, until the persevering use of AYER'S SARSAPARILLA relieved him. Few cases can be found more inveterate and distressing than this, and it took several dozen bottles to cure him.

Leucorrhœa, Whites, Female Weakness, are generally produced by internal *Scrofulous Ulceration*, and are very often cured by the alterative effect of this SARSAPARILLA. Some cases require, however, in aid of the SARSAPARILLA, the skilful application of local remedies.

From the well-known and widely-celebrated Dr. Jacob Morrill, of Cincinnati.

"I have found your SARSAPARILLA an excellent alterative in diseases of females. Many cases of Irregularity, Leucorrhœa, Internal Ulceration, and local debility, arising from the scrofulous diathesis, have yielded to it, and there are few that do not, when its effect is properly aided by local treatment."

A lady, unwilling to allow the publication of her name, writes:

"My daughter and myself have been cured of a very debilitating Leucorrhœa of long standing, by two bottles of your SARSAPARILLA."

Rheumatism, Gout, Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Heart Disease, Neuralgia, when caused by *Scrofula* in the system, are rapidly cured by this EXT. SARSAPARILLA.

AYER'S CATHARTIC PILLS

possess so many advantages over the other purgatives in the market, and their superior virtues are so universally known, that we need not do more than to assure the public their quality is maintained equal to the best it ever has been, and that they may be depended on to do all that they have ever done.

Prepared by J. C. AYER, M. D., & Co., Lowell, Mass., and sold by

J. G. BROWN & Son, and by all the druggists in Pottsville, also by all dealers in medicine everywhere.

July 16, '64. 29-1y-eow

Schenck's Mandrake Pills FOR SICK HEADACHE,

Its Symptoms, Cause and Cure.

THIS has received its name from a constant nausea or sickness at the stomach, which attends the pain in the head. This headache is apt to begin in the morning on waking from a deep sleep and when some irregularity of diet has been committed on the day before, or sometimes for several days previous. At first there is a distressingly oppressive feeling in the head, which gradually merges into a severe heavy pain in the temples, frequently attended by a sense of fullness and tenderness in one eye, and extending across the forehead. There is a clammy, unpleasant taste in the mouth, an offensive breath, and the tongue covered with a yellowish white fur. The sufferer desires to be alone in a dark room. As soon as the patient feels the fullness in the head and pain in the temples, take a large dose of Schenck's Mandrake Pills, and in an hour or two they will feel as well as ever. This has been tried by thousands, and is always sure to cure, and instead of the sick headache coming on every week or ten days, they will not be troubled with it once in three months.

Schenck's Mandrake Pills are composed of a number of roots besides Podophilin, or concentrated Mandrake, all of which tend to relax the secretions of the liver, and act more prompt than blue pills or mercury, without leaving any dangerous effects. In a bilious person they will show themselves by the stools. They will expel worms, mucus, bile and all morbid matter from the system. In sick headache, if they are taken as directed above, (a full dose as soon as they feel the first symptoms of it) Dr. Schenck will and has directed his agents to return the money if they do not give perfect satisfaction.

If a person has been compelled to stay out late at night, and drink too much wine, by taking a dose of pills on going to bed, next morning he will feel as though he had not drank a drop, unless he forgets to go to bed at all.

They only cost 25 cents a box.

Whoever takes them will never use any other. They are worth a dollar to a sick man for every cent they cost

Don't forget the name—SCHENCK'S MANDRAKE PILLS.

Sold wholesale and retail at Dr. Schenck's Principal Office, No. 15 North Sixth street, Philadelphia, and by Druggists and Storekeepers generally.

Price for Pulmonic Syrup, Seaweed Tonic, each $1 50 per bottle, $7 50 the half dozen, or two bottles of Syrup and one of Tonic, for $3 75.

Dr. Schenck will be at his office, No. 15 North Sixth Street, Philadelphia, every Saturday to see patients.—He makes no charge for advice, but for a thorough examination of the lungs with his Respirometer, he charges $3. March 18, '65—11-

TO CARPENTERS & BUILDERS.

The Schuylkill County Lumber & Manufacturing Co.

Have on hand at their extensive establishment, on Railroad Street, a great quantity of lumber of every kind and description, which they can supply to Operators, Carpenters and Builders, at lower rates than it can be bought elsewhere. They are also ready to supply, through the means of their extensive business and labor saving machines manufactured articles in their line at a saving of 25 per cent. on former cost.

Their large workshops have been in successful operation for the past year, turning out vast quantities of

Doors, Window Frames, Sash, Panel Work, Mouldings, Bed-posts, Blinds, Banisters, Shutters,

And all kinds of Framed, Paneled and Turned Work, which they have constantly on hand. They are ready to execute orders at the shortest notice, for any quantity or quality of sawed or manufactured stuff.

Dry and green Hemlock of all kinds for building purposes, Oak, Maple, Poplar, chair, plank and scantling boards; Cherry, Walnut, Mahogany, &c., for cabinet work; White and Yellow Pine boards for flooring, raw or made to order; White Pine plank, 3, 2½, 2, 1½, 1¼, ¾, and ½ inch panel, always ready; also, plank, beams, rails, scantling, posts, shingles, lath, ceiling lath, pailings, &c., &c.

Bills of sawed stuff and everything in their line on hand or to order, at the shortest notice.

Pottsville, March 29, '58 10

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, AND PROVISION STORE.

The undersigned will continue to carry on the business of the store (formerly Nichols & Beck) at the corner of Market and Second streets, Pottsville. He will keep on hand a full and choice stock of **Dry Goods, Groceries and Provisions,** which will be sold at reasonable prices. GEO. W. BECK.

Pottsville, March 11, 1864 11-tf

F. S. HAESELER,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN

TOBACCO, SNUFF, CIGARS, PIPES, &c.,

CENTRE STREET, POTTSVILLE,

Nearly Opposite the Mortimer House.

Dec. 17, '64. 51-1y

GRAFTING WAX for Grafting, just received; Also Tree Varnish in bottles to protect injured trees and also when they are pruned, at B. BANNAN'S Seed Store, Pottsville.

MISCELLANEOUS.

$1. Gold and Silver $1. WATCHES.

FINE SILVER WARE; ELEGANT VEST, CURB, NECK, FOB, and CHATELAINE CHAINS: PATENT HINGE and OVAL BAND BRACELETS, UNIQUE SETS OF LADIES' JEWELRY, LOCKETS, CHARMS, HEAVY SEAL RINGS, BRONZE STATUES, Magic Brooches, Diamonds, Rubies, Emeralds, Pearls, and Opals set in Pins, Rings, Charms, &c.; English Silver Cruet Stands, Butter Coolers, Dinner and Tea Services, Pianos, Sewing Machines, &c., &c., valued at

ONE MILLION DOLLARS,

will be sold by the

NEW YORK Jewelers' Manufacturing Association

AT

ONE DOLLAR EACH ARTICLE,

without selection, and no article to be paid for unless perfectly satisfactory.

CATALOGUE

of rich and valuable articles at one Dollar each.

100	Fine Gold Chronometer Watches each	$200
100	Fine Gold English Lever Watches	150
200	Ladies' Gold Enameled Bijou Watches, (Jeweled Levers)	150
500	Solid Silver Hunting English Patent Lever Watches	$40 to 80
3000	Rich Vest Chains, Drop Ends	12 to 15
3000	Heavy Guard and Neck Chains	12 to 60
3000	Patent Hinge Bracelets, each	10 to 30
3000	Unique Chatelaine Chains with Pins	10 to 25
6000	Emerald, Pearl, and Opal Brooches	10 to 30
7000	Cal Diamond Pins with Chains	8 to 20
6000	Full Sets of Ladies' Jewelry	100 to 150
50	Silver Dinner Sets	100 to 150
75	Silver Tea Sets	20 to 30
3000	English Silver Cruet Stands	15 to 30
3000	Silver Fruit Urns	20 to 30
2000	Silver Butter Coolers	50 to 75
1000	Silver Ice Pitchers	15 to 20
5000	Silver Goblets, Gold Lined	4 to 8
10000	Gold Pens, Silver Pencil Cases	15 to 20
5000	Dozen Silver Tea Spoons	20 to 30
5000	" Desert Spoons	40 to 80
20	First-Class Sewing Machines	

Gold Fob Keys, Thimbles, Tooth Picks, Sets of Solitaire Sleeve Buttons and Studs, Stone Set, Large Seal, Signet, Chased and Plain Rings, &c. &c.

All the above extensive stock of fine Watches, rich Jewelry, Silver-ware, &c., are offered by the New York Jewelers' Manufacturing Association, without exception, at

ONE DOLLAR EACH.

The above Association, (favorably noticed by all the principal Journals throughout the country since its organization in 1855,) consisting of a combination of the largest manufacturers, have appointed a Board of Directors to supervise the proper distribution and sale of their whole Stock of RICH AND COSTLY WARES, without reserve.

Eminently Appropriate for Family Use Or Presents,

which will be disposed of on the following liberal terms: 1,000,000 Certificates, bearing upon their face the names of the articles as above enumerated, are each enclosed in plain envelopes, and sealed, undistinguishable one from another, *mixed* and placed in a repository, without choice, from which they are drawn as ordered. The sealed envelopes containing certificates marked with the name of the article, descriptions, and marked price, it entitles the holder to, will be sent by mail to any address at 25 cents each: on receipt of the certificates the purchaser ascertains the *exact article* he is entitled to, which he can obtain upon the return of the Certificate and $1, to the office of the Association. When Certificates call for articles too large to be sent by mail, the full express charges must be forwarded, together with cost of boxing, &c.

Single Certificates, 25 Cents Each.

One Certificate may obtain you a Gold Watch, Service of Silver Plate, or any other valuable article.

THERE WILL BE NO BLANKS.

Packages of Certificates

will be sold to Clubs, Schools, Agents, &c., at the following rates:

One certificate sent to any address by mail, on receipt of	$0 25
5 Certificates	1 00
11 Certificates	2 00
30 Certificates (with premium)	5 00
65 Certificates (with premium)	10 00
100 Certificates (with premium)	15 00

Perfect satisfaction guaranteed in all cases. Goods not pleasing the tastes or fancy of our customers will be exchanged free of cost.

Agents and others will be allowed 10 cents on each certificate ordered by them, providing not less than five are ordered at a time. Agents will collect 25 cents for each certificate and remit 15 cents each to us.

Large orders for packages of Certificates or Articles from Schools, Clubs, the Army, &c., should be sent per Express. Drafts payable to our order, or "Post Office Money Orders," should be procured. Agents wanted everywhere.

All orders must be addressed to

NEW YORK JEWELERS' MANUFACT'ING ASSOCIATION,

JEWELERS' BUILDING,

Corner Nassau and Ann Sts., New York.

ALFRED KEIGHTLEY.

April 22, '65.—16-3m Pres't Board of Directors.

The Greatest Discovery of the Age. Consumption Curable.

READ THE CERTIFICATES.

Extene! Extene! Extene!

TRY IT AND BE CONVINCED, "IT NEVER FAILS."

It is a purely Vegetable Medicine—tonic and stimulant in its properties. Its action upon the Lungs and Stomach is wonderful. Buy a bottle and be convinced it is no humbug.

It is prepared under the supervision and direction of one of the leading Physicians of the city of Reading.

COUGHS, CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, ANY DISEASE OR TIGHTNESS OF THE CHEST. TRY IT.

By its action as a stimulating Expectorant and Tonic, it cures Dyspepsia, it produces appetite, stimulates the system, it builds up the failing strength, while it drives from the system and lungs the seeds of Consumption. It has never failed, so far as we have heard. We give our certificates from the city of Reading, where it is prepared. And now try it: if it is good for nothing, tell your friends so. The quicker a good for nothing medicine is out of the way, the better it is for everybody. But if you find it good, then tell your friend and neighbor so. We want your sick friend to try it. They are to be the judges, and we will be satisfied with their decision after a fair trial; for, after a fair trial of it in the city of Reading, we know what it will do. In weakness of any kind it never fails.

Prepared and for sale by WM. LEVAN & CO., No. 744 Penn Street, Reading, Pa.

Price $1 per Bottle.

Also for sale by JOHN G. BROWN & SON, Pottsville, by HENRY B. DAVIS, St. Clair, and by all Druggists.

Read the Certificates.

CONSUMPTION.

Testimony of Adam J. Mengle.

WM. LEVAN & Co.—In the Spring I was attacked with a bad cough, tightness of breathing, night sweats, and spitting of blood from the lungs. I kept getting worse and worse till I had to give up work. I was so weak I could hardly get along. My cough kept getting worse, and I became very hoarse. I tried every thing and finally commenced to use the Extene. I have used it about two months—the cough, spitting of blood, night sweats and tightness of the chest are gone. I am at my trade again, working as hard as ever. My appetite never was better in my life. I am entirely cured.

ADAM J. MENGLE.

At Whiteman's Shoe Store, Penn St., near Seventh, Reading, December 22, 1864.

ASTHMA.

WM LEVAN & Co.—About eight years ago I was attacked with Asthma. It is a family complaint, my mother having died with it. I used everything, but of no use. I was so bad with it in the army that I was discharged from the 47th Regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers, and also exempted at Reading, on account of it. I could not walk fifty yards, nor ascend a flight of steps without resting; my heart became diseased also from it. I had palpitation and pain. I used four bottles of Extene, and am entirely well, and working at my trade, blacksmithing. Its effects with me were wonderful. Yours, CHARLES A. HENRY,

March 3, 1865. Cor. Washington St. & Willow Alley.

CONSUMPTION.

MR. LEVAN & Co.—In the Spring I was attacked with cough and spitting of blood from the lungs, and night sweats, my father, mother, and six brothers and sisters have died with consumption; they all commenced the same as me. My husband had just died, and I was left alone with four small children; I consulted Mr. Davis, of this city, stating my case and that I was poor. He told me that Cod Liver Oil might cure me, if I wished to try it; and also mentioned the Extene, stating that the proprietors were claiming to cure consumption with it. I bought two bottles of you and am entirely cured of it. SARAH M'CARTY, Laurel St., Reading.

BRONCHITIS.

Certificate of Rev. George Printz of Reading.

LEVAN & Co.—I have been suffering with cough and soreness of the chest all winter. I am entirely relieved of the soreness; the cough is much better; the Bronchial tubes were completely clogged with matter; the Extene has cleaned them out entirely. I have used three bottles, and can cordially recommend it for any affection of the chest. GEORGE PRINTZ,

March 18, 1865. Franklin street, Reading.

April 29, '65. 17-3m

WILLIAM FRICK & CO., SHIP AND BOAT BUILDERS, CHESTER, PA.

Have constantly on hand FIRST-CLASS BOATS for sale, and are ready to build first-class Boats and Barges at the shortest notice.

A number of Caulkers and Boat Builders are wanted, to whom good wages and constant employment will be given.

They are also prepared to build, at the shortest notice, COAL CARS and DRIFT CARS, for all kinds of mining operations. [Sept. 10, '64.—37-1y.

CHEAP, GOOD ROOFING, ABOUT HALF THE PRICE OF TIN

WARREN'S GENUINE PEBBLE ROOFING is now used more than any other kind. It is both Fire and Water Proof, and will outlast two tin roofs, while it costs only about half the price of tin. This roofing is put on by the subscribers, at short notice.

BANNAN & DeFREHN, Pottsville.

It cannot be put on roofs pitching over 3 inches to the foot. It can be put on flat, if necessary.

March 26, '64.

Encourage Home Manufactures.

CHARLES KEHRER, MANUFACTURER OF SALAMANDER SAFES, Second St., Pottsville

Announces to the business community of this and the adjoining counties, that he manufactures SALAMANDER SAFES of all sizes and kinds, warranted Fire-proof, which, in point of workmanship and finish, will compare with those obtained from any other establishment in the country.—He always keeps safes on hand for sale, and will make them any size, for Banking and other Public Institutions, as cheap, if not cheaper than they can be obtained from abroad.

He refers to Benjamin Haywood, George Bright, Thos. Gooch and A. Henderson, of this Borough, who have his Safes in use. [June 13, '63.—24-tf

Dec. 17, '64. 51-1y

NEW HAT, CAP AND FUR STORE.

The undersigned respectfully inform the citizens of Pottsville and vicinity, that they have taken and refitted the Store in Centre street, above Mahantongo, west side, where they will keep constantly on hand a large and choice stock of HATS, CAPS and STRAW GOODS, and fine assortment of FURS, which they will sell on reasonable terms. The patronage of the public is solicited.

Hats and Caps made to order on the shortest notice. S. M. MORTIMER. J. A. GILMOUR.

Pottsville, June 4, 1864. 23-

MECCA LUBRICATING OIL.

JUST RECEIVED a lot of GENUINE Mecca Lubricating Oil—the best CHEAP OIL in the market for Lubricating purposes—for sale wholesale at manufacturers prices by B. BANNAN.

Also, Pure Winter Bleached Whale Oil, the quality of which we warrant, at the lowest wholesale, New Bedford prices.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Wistar's Balsam OF WILD CHERRY,

One of the Oldest and Most Reliable Remedies in the World for

Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, Difficulty of Breathing, Asthma, Hoarseness, Sore Throat, Croup, and every Affection of

THE THROAT, LUNGS AND CHEST,

INCLUDING EVEN

CONSUMPTION.

WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY

So general has the use of this remedy become, and so popular is it everywhere, that it is unnecessary to recount its virtues. Its works speak for it, and find utterance in the abundant and voluntary testimony of the many who, from long suffering and settled disease, have by its use been restored to pristine vigor and health.—We can present a mass of evidence in proof of our assertions, that

CANNOT BE DISCREDITED.

The Rev. Jacob Sechler.

Well known and much respected among the German population in this country, makes the following statement for the benefit of the afflicted:

HANOVER, Pa., Feb. 16, 1859.

Dear Sirs:—Having realized in my family important benefits from the use of your valuable preparation—WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY—it affords me pleasure to recommend it to the public. Some eight years ago one of my daughters seemed to be in a decline, and little hopes of her recovery were entertained. I then procured a bottle of your excellent Balsam, and before she had taken the whole of the contents of the bottle, there was a great improvement in her health. I have, in my individual case, made frequent use of your valuable medicine, and have also been benefitted by it.

JACOB SECHLER.

From Jesse Smith, Esq.,

President of the Morris County Bank, Morristown, New Jersey.

"Having used DR. WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY for about fifteen years, and having realized its beneficial results in my family, it affords me great pleasure in recommending it to the public as a valuable remedy in cases of weak lungs, colds, coughs, &c., and a remedy which I consider to be entirely innocent, and may be taken with perfect safety by the most delicate in health."

From Hon. John E. Smith,

A distinguished Lawyer in Westminster, Md.

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Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry.

None genuine unless signed "I. BUTTS," on the wrapper.

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July 23, '64. 30-1yeow

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REFERENCES.

Washington, D. C., April 18, 1864.

We take pleasure in saying that C. G. Bruce, Esq., has complied with the act of Congress *authorizing certain persons to* act as Army and Navy Agents for the collection of war claims against the Government, and to recommend him to all persons that have claims they wish collected promptly.

United States Senators—Benjamin F. Wade, John Sherman.

Members of Congress—E. R. Eckley, Wm. Johnson, Wm. B. Allison.

May 28, '64. 22-tf

Manhood: how Lost, how Restored.

Just published, a new edition of **Dr. Culverwell's Celebrated Essay** on the *radical cure* (without medicine) of SPERMATORRHŒA, or seminal Weakness, Involuntary Seminal Losses, IMPOTENCY, Mental and Physical Incapacity, Impediments to Marriage, etc.; also, CONSUMPTION, EPILEPSY, and FITS, induced by self-indulgence or sexual extravagance.

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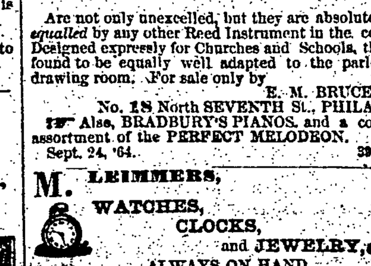
Jan. 28, '65. 4-1y

ESTEY'S COTTAGE ORGANS



Are not only unexcelled, but they are absolutely *unequalled* by any other Reed Instrument in the country. Designed expressly for Churches and Schools, they are found to be equally well adapted to the parlor and drawing room. For sale only by

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Also, BRADBURY'S PIANOS, and a complete assortment of the PERFECT MELODEON.

Sept. 24, '64. 39-1y

M. LEIMMERS, WATCHES, CLOCKS, and JEWELRY, ALWAYS ON HAND.

All kinds of Musical Instruments, Violin Strings, Bass Viol Strings, Guitar and Banjo Strings, constantly on hand. [Jan 30, '64.—5

NEW CASH STORE.—Just opened at the stand lately occupied by N. C. Morrison, Centre street, nearly opposite Market, a New Dry Goods, Grocery and Provision Store, in which will be kept constantly on hand a choice stock of Goods in that line. Also, Queensware, Flour and Feed, &c.

The undersigned hopes by strict attention to business, to receive a fair share of the public patronage. ROBERT A. GLOVER.

Pottsville, October 29, '64. 44-tf

CLOAK AND DRESS TRIMMINGS, Latest Style Patterns. AT THE CLOAK STORE OF **A. & M. BOLAND,** Centre Street, below American House.

Jan. 21, '65.—46-6m POTTSVILLE.

AMERICAN WATCHES, in gold and silver cases; American Clocks, and Jewelry of all descriptions, can be obtained at the store of M. LEIMMERS, Agent,

Sept. 10 '64—tf] Centre street, Pottsville.

A UNIQUE ARTICLE.

Very neat Silver Tobacco Boxes, a capital article for holiday presents—for sale cheap, by R. C. GREEN. Watchmaker and Jeweler, Centre Street, Pottsville.

December 12, '63

PRIVATE SALES.

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

In consequence of poor health the subscriber has concluded to offer his Farm for sale. Said farm is located in Kingston Township, Luzerne County, within four miles of the Wyoming Depot, with good roads and down grade to market. The Farm contains about 170 acres, one hundred and fifteen under good improvement. The soil is good and well adapted to either grass or grain, and being well watered, would make one of the finest grazing farms in the county. The buildings are Two Dwelling Houses, one large Hay and Grain Barn, one Cow Barn for Stabling Cattle, Carriage House and Stable, and large Corn House. ONE ORCHARD.—It is also well fenced, having several hundred rods of stone wall upon it; is centrally located—two roads crossing at right angles near the buildings. There is also a Church and School House on the premises, and until recently a Post Office was kept at the place for sixteen years. IT IS NEAR THE BEST MARKET IN THE STATE.

It is altogether a desirable property, and persons having money to invest in real estate would do well to call on the subscriber and view the premises. Any one desiring further information can call on or address the Editor of the Pittston Gazette, or

RUFUS CARVER, Wyoming, Luzerne Co., Pa.

Jan. 14, '65. 2-6m.

FOR SALE.—A valuable FARM and pleasant country residence, situate in East Hanover Township, Lebanon county, Pa., on the Jonestown and Harrisburg road, one-half a mile West of Mt. Nebo, containing about **85 Acres.** About 7 acres is Woodland, the remainder being under good cultivation, well fenced, and the soil well adapted to the different crops generally raised in this section. The buildings (nearly new) are a BRICK HOUSE, BANK BARN, large Hay Barn, and other outbuildings. There is an orchard of young bearing trees, with an addition of others lately set out on the premises. A Well, with Pump, is at the house; also running water in most of the fields.

For further particulars, apply by letter or in person to the subscriber, on the premises. P. O. address, Ono.

THOS. P. MILLER.

East Hanover Tp., Aug. 27, '64. 35-tf

BROWNING'S EXCELSIOR COFFEE.

Whilst trying Coffee of all the various brands,
Remember "BROWNING'S EXCELSIOR"—at the head it stands.
True, it's not like others that are "SOLD EVERYWHERE."
A little stretch, we all do know, good goods will easily bear,
(But a stretch like this—"sold everywhere"—is very apt to tear.)
Now, I can safely say, without any hesitation,
There's none like "BROWNING'S EXCELSIOR" in this enlightened nation.
Skilled chemists have not found a Coffee from any store
Possessing the same ingredients as "Browning's Excelsior."
Nor is there any one, in or out of the Coffee trade,
Who knows the articles from which "Browning's Excelsior's" made.
I'm told it's made from barley, rye, wheat, beans, and peas;
Name a thousand other things—but the RIGHT ONE if you please.
But with the Coffee-men I will not hold contention
For the many, many things they say—too numerous to mention.
Whilst they're engaged in running round from store to store
To learn the current wholesale price of "Browning's Excelsior,"
Some who know my Coffee gives perfect satisfaction,
Have formed a plan by which they hope to cause a quick reaction.
The case—'tis with a few; no doubt 'twill be more—
To name their Coffee after mine, (BROWNING'S) EXCELSIOR.
Some say their's the only brand that will stand a realy test,
Now, try a little of them all—see which you like the best.
Three years have passed away since I first sold a store:
Never have I in your paper advertised before;
Nor would I now, or ever consent to publish more,
If like some used by "everybody," "sold everywhere," in "every store."
A trade like this I do not wish; the orders I could not fill;
The factory all Jersey's land would take—leave not a foot to till.
My trade is not so very large; still I think I have my share;
But, reader, you may rest assured, 'tis NOT "SOLD EVERYWHERE."

Manufactured and for Sale by the writer,

GEORGE L. BROWNING,

No. 20 Market street, Camden, N. J.

This Coffee is not composed of poisonous drugs, it contains nothing deleterious; many persons use this Coffee that cannot use the pure coffee; it takes but one and a half ounces to make a quart of good strong coffee, that being just one-half the quantity that it takes of Java Coffee, and always less than one-half the price.

RETAIL DEALERS may purchase it in less quantities than 10 gross at my prices from the Wholesale Grocers.

Orders by mail from Wholesale Dealers promptly attended to.

Feb. 11, '65. 6-3m

LAW BOOKS.

PURDON'S DIGEST—latest edition.
DUNLOP'S LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES.
WHARTON'S AMERICAN CRIMINAL LAW.
" " LAW OF HOMICIDE.
" PRECEDENTS OF INDICTMENTS & PLEAS.
BOUVIER'S LAW DICTIONARY.
SHARWOOD'S AMERICAN BLACKSTONE.
SEDGWICK ON STATUTORY AND CONSTITUTIONAL LAW.
ROBERT'S DIGEST OF BRITISH STATUTES.
DUANE ON THE ROAD LAWS.
DUANE'S LANDLORD AND TENANT.
DUNLAP'S BOOK OF FORMS.
GRAYDON'S FORMS.
SMITH'S ELEMENTS OF THE LAW.
BINN'S JUSTICE.
WELL'S LAWYER AND U. S. FORM BOOK.
TOWNSHIP AND LOCAL LAWS OF PENNSYLVANIA.
HOLMES'S AMERICAN STATESMAN.
RULES OF SCHUYLKILL COUNTY COURTS.

For sale a B. BANNAN'S Book and Stationery Store.

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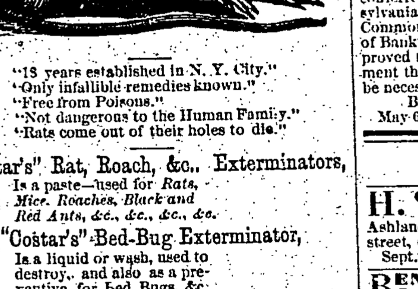

"18 years established in N. Y. City."
"Only infallible remedies known."
"Free from Poisons."
"Not dangerous to the Human Family."
"Rats come out of their holes to die."

"Costar's" Rat, Roach, &c., Exterminators,
Is a paste—used for Rats, Mice, Roaches, Black and Red Ants, &c., &c., &c., &c.

"Costar's" Bed-Bug Exterminator,
Is a liquid or wash, used to destroy, and also as a preventive for Bed Bugs, &c.

"Costar's" Electric Powder for Insects,
Is for Moths, Mosquitoes, Fleas, Bed Bugs, Insects on Plants, Fowls, Animals, &c.

Sold by all Druggists and Dealers everywhere.

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See that "COSTAR'S" name is on each Box, Bottle, and Flask, before you buy.

HENRY R. COSTAR.

PRINCIPAL DEPOT, 482 BROADWAY, N. Y.

Sold by all Druggists and Dealers at Pottsville, Pa.

1865.

INCREASE OF RATS.—The *Farmer's Gazette* (English) asserts and proves by figures that one pair of rats will have a progeny and descendants no less than 654,050 in three years. Now, unless this immense family can be kept down, they would consume more food than would sustain 65,000 human beings.

See "COSTAR'S" advertisement in this paper.

1865.

RATS *versus* BIRDS.—Whoever engages in shooting small birds is a cruel man; whoever aids in exterminating *rats* is a benefactor. We should like some of our correspondents to give us the benefit of their experience in driving out these pests. We need something besides dogs, cats, and traps for this business.—*Scientific American, N. Y.*

See "COSTAR'S" advertisement in this paper.

1865.

"COSTAR'S" RAT EXTERMINATOR is simple, safe, and sure,—the most perfect RAT-ification meeting we have ever attended. Every Rat that can get it, properly prepared according to directions, will eat it, and every one that eats it will die, generally at some place as distant as possible from where the medicine was taken.—*Lake Shore, Mich., Mirror.*

See "COSTAR'S" advertisement in this paper.

1865.

A VOICE FROM THE FAR WEST.—Speaking of "COSTAR'S" Rat, Roach, &c., Exterminator—"more grain and provisions are destroyed annually in Grant County by vermin than would pay for tons of this Rat and Insect Killer."—*Lancaster, Wis., Herald.*

See "COSTAR'S" advertisement in this paper.

1865.

FARMERS AND HOUSEKEEPERS—should recollect that hundreds of dollars' worth of Grain, Provisions, &c., are annually destroyed by Rats, Mice, Ants, and other insects and vermin—all of which can be prevented by a few dollars' worth of "COSTAR'S" Rat, Roach, &c., Exterminator, bought and used freely.

See "COSTAR'S" advertisement in this paper.

Sold in Pottsville, Pa., wholesale and retail at BANNAN'S, and by all Druggists and Dealers.

April 15, '65. 15-6m

DEDERICK'S COAL HOISTING MACHINE.

Patented April 13th, 1862.

This celebrated and unequalled Coal Hoisting Machine has been in successful operation for over three years, and the UNUSUALLY large number already sold are giving the most perfect satisfaction. It is simple and durable, having no gearing at all; is rapid in its operation, and very easy for the horse. Descriptive Circulars, containing letters of commendation, prices, &c., sent free, on application.

L. & P. K. DEDERICK, Sole Manufacturers, Albany Agricultural and Machine Works.

March 11, '65.—10 Albany, N. Y.

40,000 Genuine Yarra and Havana Cigars for sale at F. HAESELER'S, nearly opposite the Mortimer House, Pottsville, Pa.

April 15, '65.

PUBLIC SALES.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.—Pursuant to an order of the Orphan's Court of the County of Schuylkill, the subscriber, Trustee of the Estate of WILLIAM KIEHNER, late of the Borough of Schuylkill Haven, deceased, will expose to sale by Public Vendue, on

SATURDAY, the 27th day of MAY, 1865,

At 10 o'clock in the Forenoon, at the Public House of MARGARET KOONS, in the said Borough,

No. 3. A certain lot of ground situate in aforesaid Borough, bounded by No. 2, by an alley, by No. 4 and by Front street, being parts of lots Nos. 3 and 4 in Kiehner's addition to said Borough, containing in front on Front street 22 feet, and in depth 128 feet, more or less.

No. 4. A certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough aforesaid, bounded southwest by No. 3, northwest by an alley, northeast by lot of Samuel Deibert, and southeast by Front street, being part of lot No. 4 in the aforesaid addition, containing in front on Front street, 22 feet, and in depth 138 more or less.

No. 5. A certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough aforesaid, bounded southwest by lot of John Christian, northwest by an alley, northeast by No. 6, in said Kiehner's addition, containing in front, on Front street, 30 feet, and in depth 135 feet more or less.

No. 6. A certain two-story brick dwelling house, frame stable and lot of ground, situate in the aforesaid Borough, bounded southwest by No. 5, northwest by an alley, northeast by Peter street, and southeast by Front street, being part of lot No. 8, in the aforesaid addition, containing in front 30 feet, and in depth 150 feet, more or less.

No. 7. A certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough aforesaid, bounded southwest by Lydia Guss's lot, northwest by an alley, northeast by lot No. 11 in said east by Front street, being part of lot No. 11 in said Kiehner's addition, containing in front 24 feet, and in depth 220 feet more or less.

No. 8. A certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough aforesaid, bounded southwest by No. 7, northwest by an alley, northeast by No. 9, and southeast by Front street, being parts of lots Nos. 11 and 12 in said addition to Schuylkill Haven, containing in front 24 feet, and in depth 200 feet, more or less.

No. 9. A certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough aforesaid, bounded southwest by No. 8, northwest by an alley, northeast by No. 10, and southeast by Front street, being part of lot No. 12 in the aforesaid addition, containing in front 24 feet, and in depth 182 feet, more or less.

No. 10. A certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough aforesaid, bounded southwest by No. 9, northwest by an alley, northeast by No. 11, and southeast by Front street, being parts of lots Nos. 12 and 13 in said Kiehner's addition, containing in front 24 feet, and in depth 64 feet, more or less.

No. 11. A certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough aforesaid, bounded southwest by No. 10, northwest by an alley, northeast by No. 12, and southeast by Front street, being part of lot No. 13 in the aforesaid addition, containing in front 24 feet, and in depth 146 feet, more or less.

No. 12. A certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough aforesaid, bounded southwest by No. 11, northwest by an alley, northeast by a forty feet road called Dock street, and southeast by Front street, being part of lot No. 13 in said addition, containing in front, on Front street, 30 feet, and in depth 135 feet, more or less.

No. 13. A certain two-story frame dwelling house, with a 1½-story frame kitchen attached, a frame stable and lot of ground, situate in the Borough aforesaid, bounded southeast by land of Henry Voute, northwest by an alley, northeast by lot No. 14, and southeast by Front street, being lot No. 15 in said Kiehner's addition, containing in front 40 feet, and in depth 120 feet, more or less.

No. 14. A certain lot of ground, situate in the Borough aforesaid, bounded southwest by No. 23, northwest by an alley, northeast by part of No. 16, and southeast by Front street, being part of lot No. 16 in said addition, containing in front 30 feet, and in depth 100 feet, more or less.

Late the estate of said deceased. Terms and conditions made known at the time and place of sale by

JOHN P. HOBART, Trustee.

By order of the Orphan's Court,
A. DOHRMANN, Clerk.

Pottsville, May 6, '65. 18-4t

GENERAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.—The public are cautioned against negotiating an order drawn upon the Treasurer of Foster School District, for **Seventy Dollars, No. 143,** dated April 1st, 1865, in favor of William H. Connolly. At his request, payment of said order has been stopped by order of the School Board. GEORGE CARROLL, Secty.

April 29, '65. 17-4t

NOTICE.—This is to notify all persons that I have bought the Bottles, Boxes, and all implements connected with the Bottling Business, as well as Horses and Wagon, &c., of John F. Ketner, on the 2d day of August last, 1864, at which time I took possession of them. I hereby caution all persons from levying on or buying the same, as I merely loaned the above mentioned to him to carry on business for me. FREDERICK W. LAUER.

Pottsville, May 6th, '65. 18-3t

NOTICE TO SOLDIERS, WIDOWS, and others interested.—COL. FR. JORDAN, Military Agent for the State of Penna., **No. 487, 11th street, Washington, D. C.,** collects Bounty, Back Pay, Pensions, and all other Military Claims for Widows, and friends of deceased Soldiers, **FREE OF CHARGE.** All the necessary information given by addressing as above by letter or otherwise.

Jan. 14, '65. 2-3t*

BANK NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given, that application will be made to increase the Capital Stock of the National Bank of Pennsylvania, at Pottsville, from $300,000 to $600,000, under an Act to establish a system of Free Banking of Pennsylvania, and to secure the public against loss from insolvency, as per act of 31st March, 1860, and the several supplements thereto.

By order of the Board of Directors, C. H. DENGLER, Cashier.

Pottsville, January 14, '65. 2-6m

NOTICE.—GOVERNMENT BANK OF POTTSVILLE, Pottsville, April 10th, 1865.

Notice is hereby given agreeable to section 2 of the Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act enabling Banks of the Commonwealth to become Associations for the purpose of Banking under the laws of the United States," approved the 22d day of August, A. D., 1864, that the Stockholders of the Government Bank of Pottsville, have this day voted to become such an Association; and that its Directors have procured the authority of the owners of more than two-thirds of the Capital Stock to make the certificate required therefor, by the laws of the United States.

H. H. HUNTZINGER, Cashier.

April 15, '65. 15-

NOTICE.—A general meeting of the Stockholders of the Farmers' Bank of Schuylkill County will be held at their Banking House, in the Borough of Pottsville, on the first Monday of August, 1865, (7th,) at 10 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of taking into consideration and deciding the question,—whether or not the said Bank shall become an Association for carrying on the Business of Banking under the laws of the United States, and of exercising the powers conferred by the Act of the General Assembly of Pennsylvania, entitled an Act enabling the Banks of this Commonwealth to become Associations for the purpose of Banking under the laws of the United States, approved the 22d day of August, 1864, and the supplement thereto; and to take such action thereon as may be necessary and proper.

By order of the Board of Directors: J. G. LOWRY, Cashier.

May 6, '65.—18-tf

LEGAL CARDS.

H. CLAY BERGSTRESSER, Attorney at Law, Ashland, Schuylkill County, Pa. Office—On Centre street, opposite the Post Office.

Sept. 24, '64. 39-

BENJAMIN B. McCOOL, Attorney at Law, SILLIMAN'S BUILDING, opposite Miners' Bank, Pottsville, Pa. [March 19, '64.—12-tf

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. OFFICE—Market Street, two doors above Centre, Pottsville, Pa.

February 7, '63 6-1y

JAMES H. CAMPBELL. WILLIAM R. SMITH.

CAMPBELL & SMITH, Attorneys at Law. OFFICE—Centre Street, opposite White Horse Hotel, Pottsville, Pa.

June 28, '62 26-

CHRISTOPHER LITTLE, Attorney at Law, Pottsville, Schuylkill County, Pa. OFFICE—In Mahantango Street, corner of Second.

April 11, '57 1-1y

E. C. GOBINS Attorney and Counsellor at Law, THIRD STREET ABOVE MARKET, HARRISBURG, PENNA.

Particular attention given to the collection of BOUNTIES, PENSIONS AND BACK PAY.

All communications answered promptly.

Feb. 11, 6-

T. C. BOWEN, PHOTOGRAPHER,

Respectfully announces to the citizens of Pottsville and vicinity, that he has taken and fitted up the PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY, in the building at the Northeast corner of Centre and East Market street, where he is prepared to furnish in the highest style of Art, VIGNETTES, AMBROTYPES, CARTES DE VISITE, &c., &c.

He asks a share of public patronage, and hopes, by strict attention to business and courtesy, to receive it.

Call and examine specimens of my work.

Sept 3, '64. 36

TROXELL Is Closing off his Stock of Crockery, Glassware, &c.,

At Greatly Reduced Rates to suit the Times.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY CHEAP.

STORE ROOM, CENTRE STREET, OPPOSITE MORTIMER HOUSE, POTTSVILLE, PA.

April 8, '65. 14

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS—FINE ASSORTMENT OF SILVER WARE.

Such as oyster tureens, butter dishes, cake baskets, castors, fruit dishes, mugs, &c. Also, a well selected stock of silver knives, forks, spoons, cake knive, pie knives, ladles, napkin rings, and every article of table cutlery—for sale cheap, by R. C. GREEN, Watchmaker and Jeweler, Centre Street, Pottsville.

December 12, '63

New Greengrocer's Store, KEPT BY MRS. FROST,

Market st., left-hand side, next door below Kline's Flour and Feed Store.

Mrs. Frost purposes to keep on hand a variety of VEGETABLES, FLOWERS, FISH, &c. She feels grateful to her friends for their former patronage, and hopes that it may be continued, by giving her an early call. [April 9, '64.—15-

OYSTERS, FISH, &c., Fresh from Baltimore.—The undersigned now has cars running regularly under his supervision, from Baltimore to Pottsville, which will reach here on Thursday of each week with fresh fish, oysters, etc. They will be stationed on the siding opposite Ruch & Evans's mill. The patronage of the public is respectfully asked and I guarantee to afford satisfaction, as I make all the purchases myself, and make trips with my cars.

GEORGE HOFFERKAMP.

March 11, '65 10-tf.

Removal of Jones's Flour & Feed Store.—The undersigned has removed his Flour and Feed Store from Norwegian and Third Streets, to the corner of Market and William Streets, where he will keep on hand a choice stock of articles in his line, and a fine assortment of first class Groceries.

His old friends and customers are respectfully solicited to continue their patronage, while the general public will find his articles A, No. 1, and are invited to give him a call. JOSEPH D. JONES.

Pottsville, April 29, '65 17-tf

MINERS' SUPPLIES.—The subscriber is Agent for the sale of the Boston Gum Belting Factory, and furnishes superior Belts at Factory prices, all sizes, kinds and lengths. Belts of greater thickness than those kept on hand made to order, at the shortest notice, as his orders for Colliery purposes have the preference at the Mill. Also Steam Packing of every description, Blasting Paper by the single, or ten reams, or by the ton, at manufacturers' prices.

SAFETY LAMPS, of the most approved patterns, made of inspected Government Wire, by the single dozen, or hundred. Wire Gauzes, Wire by the roll or yard always for sale by B. BANNAN.

April 29, '64. 17-

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MANUFACTURER and Dealer in WATCHES, FINE JEWELRY, SOLID SILVER WARE, and SUPERIOR SILVER PLATED WARE. March 25, '65.—12-3m

I. K. STAUFFER, Watchmaker and Jeweler, No. 148 North SECOND Street, corner of Quarry, PHILADELPHIA. An assortment of WATCHES, JEWELRY, SILVER and PLATED WARE constantly on hand, suitable for HOLIDAY PRESENTS. Repairing of Watches and Jewelry promptly attended to. [Dec 17, '64.—51-10m

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Sept. 27, '62 39-tf

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Wagon, Harness and Ship Chains OF EVERY DESCRIPTION AND SIZE.

Also superior Flat Chain for Coal Mines, a sample of which can be seen at the Duncan Colliery, near Pottsville.

Orders promptly attended to, and made at the lowest cash prices. Address, **WILLIAM WHITEHOUSE,** CHAIN WORKS, GERMANTOWN AVENUE above **6th, Philadelphia.** April 15, '65.—16-3m*

CARPETS AND OIL CLOTHS.—P. HOUGH, Jr., & Co., would invite the attention of Housekeepers and Country Merchants to their New Spring Styles of

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March 11, '65. 10-10t

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The Time to BUY has COME!!!

A Splendid Stock of Goods just Opened!!!

We have held off buying until prices went right down and then stepped in and bought freely; and now we are prepared to SELL COMPARATIVELY CHEAP Black **Silks,** Plain **Silks,** in all colors. Wool **DeLaines,** in all colors, Figured **DeLaines,** and **Calicoes,** Beautiful **Plaid** Goods, **Linens** and **Muslins,** all grades, **Cassimeres** and **Cloths, Flannels, Tickings, Checks, Ginghams,** &c., &c., **Shawls, Skirts, Handkerchiefs, Veils,** &c., Marseilles, Swiss and other thin and bard MUSLINS, &c., at

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March 25, '65. 12-3m

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BROOKS & ROSENHEIM, WHOLESALE DEALERS, No. 431 MARKET St., North side, **Philadelphia.**

Have now open their handsome variety of RIBBONS, BONNET MATERIALS, STRAW & FANCY BONNETS, LADIES' & MISSES' HATS, FLOWERS, RUCHES, LACES, and all other articles required by the **Millinery Trade!**

By long experience and strict attention to their branch of business exclusively, we flatter ourselves that we can offer inducements, in variety, styles, quality and moderate prices—not everywhere to be found. The attention of MILLINERS and MERCHANTS is respectfully solicited.

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Various other styles equally low. Catalogues sent gratis. Address, BURLOCK & BRO., Booksellers & Stationers, No. 126 N. 9th St., Philada.

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March 18, '65. 11-3m

A SAFE STEAM BOILER.

The subscriber is prepared to receive orders for the "HARRISON STEAM BOILER," in sizes to suit purchasers. The attention of manufacturers and others is called to this new Steam Generator, as combining essential advantages in absolute safety from destructive explosion, first cost and durability, economy of fuel, facility of cleaning and transportation, &c., &c., not possessed by any boiler now in use.

These boilers may be seen in daily operation, driving the extensive works of Messrs. Wm. Sellers & Co., Sixteenth street and Hamilton street; at S. W. Cattell's Factory, Spruce street, Schuylkill, and at Garsed's Tremont Mill, Frankford.

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Sept. 24, '64.—39-tf] PHILADELPHIA.

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Agents for the "NEW FLEXIBLE" SKIRT, the most pliable Hoop Skirt made, equal to Bradley's "Duplex Eliptic" Skirt, and at much lower prices.

Also, constantly in receipt of a full assortment of good Eastern made Skirts which are being sold at very low prices. Kid padded and metalic fastened 15 springs 85 cents, 20 springs $1 00, 25 springs $1 15, 30 springs $1 25 and 40 springs $1 50. SKIRTS made to order, altered and repaired. TERMS CASH,—ONE PRICE ONLY. For Circular containing Catalogue of styles, lengths, sizes and Prices, call at or address by mail, inclosing Stamp for Postage.

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March 11, '65. 10-3m

COAL OIL LAMPS.

I beg leave to inform my friends and the public generally that I have commenced the manufacture of COAL OIL LAMPS of every description and style of finish, at **No. 38 S. Second Street, Philada.**

With my present facilities for manufacturing, and a practical experience of thirteen years in the management of the lamp business for some of the largest houses in this country, I flatter myself that my experience and knowledge will enable me to offer to the public goods not equalled by any in regard to style and workmanship, and at prices competing with the lowest. I shall always endeavor to lead in offering to the public new and useful inventions in our line. I have also taken the wholesale agency for the sale of GEO. W. BROWN & CO'S CELEBRATED METAL TOYS.

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April 29, '65 17-3m

WATCHES! WATCHES!

A large assortment of Watches—American, English and Swiss, in Gold and Silver, Single and Hunting Cases. An examination is respectfully solicited. R. C. GREEN, Watchmaker and Jeweler, Centre Street, Pottsville

December 12, '63

The Farmer.

RECLAIMING BOG LAND.

A correspondent of the *Agriculturist*, writes over the signature of "Hermon," communicating the following practical hints, and promising more on the subsequent treatment of the reclaiming bog land.

"Reclaiming swamp lands is of importance at all times, but especially so, when the price of hay is such, as to render the undertaking doubly remunerative, especially as the immigration of foreign laborers is greater now than usual and they can be employed by the month to perform the work, and also be at hand, when harvest or other business requires a full force of hands.

I proposed to give my experience during a few years past, that others may try what has been a benefit to me, and to caution them to them to avoid errors that I have fallen into. During the winter, is the time to make arrangements, engage help, survey the swamp to find the full descent, determine the number and location of the principal ditches and have tools and every thing in readiness so that no time need to be lost after the weather becomes fit to commence operations. The prime requisite is a main ditch of sufficient depth with a slight and uniform fall, to secure which, it is often necessary to begin the outlet ditch of many rods from the lower part of the land to be drained. Hence the propriety of having a competent man to determine the actual descent in the land to be dug across, in order to find at what distance it will be requisite to commence, to obtain the desirable depth and fall.

Cutting the main ditch is the first business to be done, that the swamp may become dry enough to admit of cutting and burned the bogs before the season is far advanced. Do not be afraid to dig the outlet deep enough and wide enough; better begin a little farther off than appears right, thereby securing an extra depth to compensate for the settling of the land, as it parts with its water and becomes more firm and solid. The ditch should not be less than four feet deep, and if swamp is large, five would be better; for the water should have greater fall in ditches, especially in blind ones, than the general surface of a swamp presents, so that when the drains are dug to their termini, they will be a little more than three feet deep, shallower than which no blind ditch ought to be, if a greater depth can be obtained. None of the earth thrown out of the blind ditch should be left to press upon the banks, making them more liable to fall in, but should as soon as practicable be moved back with a team and scraper, spreading evenly as possible, for the earth and mar from the bottom frequently form a valuable amendment to the surface soil. In scraping, try to improve the shape of the banks by rounding off the edges; this removes a part soon acted upon by the frost and thrown into the ditch, adapts the surface better to the scythe, and gives it a finishing appearance.

All ditches to remain open should be dug with very slanting banks; but those to be filled should be dug square down, which involves less labor. In some places tiles are used to form a passage for the water [and are generally to be recommended. ED.], but when small stones are abundant, it is customary to use them, thereby clearing them from the surface of neighboring fields. When stones are used, they should be put in so carefully, as not to break or jar down fragments of of the banks. Always begin to fill in stones at the highest point, that is the upper end of the ditch and never allow one larger than one's fist to be within a foot and a half of the bottom; some use a sledge to break any that are too large, throwing in the pieces. Two feet is a suitable depth to fill with stone, and the best possible covering for them is the small bogs and wild sods of the swamp. These, down, will keep the dirt in place and not be touched by the blow when breaking up ground.

If help enough has been employed the bogs should be all cut and burned, except those needed for ditches, and much of the ground plowed by the time the blind drains are completed, which should be in time to sow buckwheat, and before you need the hands in the hayfield."

Recipes.

DOMESTICS should be cautioned against filling teakettles with warm water from the boilers, which is often done to save time, as cases of serious illness have recently been attributed to the use of hot water, which standing in lead pipes becomes poisonous.

CHEESE OMELETS.—Take two or three ounces of old milk cheese, grated; one egg, well beaten, one ounce of butter, three spoonsful of cream; beat well together, and put into a small dish; bake in a slow oven; to be sent up quite hot, with toasted bread cut in vandykes round the edges.

A WHITE SWISS SOUP.—Take a sufficient quantity of good broth, say five pints, made from veal or chicken, and let it boil. Beat up three eggs, and add to them three tablespoonsfull of flour, and one breakfastcupfull of milk. Pour this in gradually to the boiling soup through a sieve, add nutmeg, salt and cayenne pepper to taste.

GINGER BISCUITS.—One pound of flour, half a pound of butter, turned to a cream, half a pound of white sugar, sifted. These to be well mixed; then add the yolks and whites of three eggs, beaten separately, with two ounces of powdered ginger. These last mix gradually with the rest. Roll out thin and cut it into biscuits; bake them on tins in a quick oven.

FLANNEL CAKES.—One pint of Indian meal, one pint of wheat flour, one teaspoonfull of salt, two gills of yeast. Mix the wheat and Indian meal together, with as much tepid water as will make it into a batter, not quite as thin as for buckwheat cakes; then add the salt and yeast, and set them in a moderately warm place to rise. When light, bake them on a griddle; butter and send to the table hot.

BACHELORS' BUTTONS.—These delicious little cakes are prepared by rubbing two ounces of butter into five ounces of flour; add five ounces of white sugar; beat an egg with half the sugar, then put it to the other ingredients. Add almond flavoring according to taste; roll them in the hand about the size of a large nut, sprinkle them with lump sugar, and place them on tins, with buttered paper. They should be lightly baked.

WAFFLES.—Four eggs, one pint of milk, two ounces of butter, one pound of flour, four tablespoonsfull of yeast, a saltspoonfull of salt. Beat the eggs to a froth. Put the butter in the milk and warm it until the butter dissolves. When the milk is cooled sufficiently, put in the eggs, and stir in the flour, after which add the yeast and salt. When light, pour the batter in the waffle iron, having first greased it well. Bake them on both sides, by turning the iron. To be well buttered and served hot.

INDIAN MUFFINS.—One pint of Indian meal, one pint of wheat flour, four eggs, one gill of yeast, a little salt, as much warm milk as will make the whole into a thick batter.—Mix the Indian and wheat flour together, stir in the milk, then the yeast, and lastly the eggs, after they have been well beaten.—When the batter is light, grease the griddle and muffin rings; place the rings on the griddle; pour in the batter, but do not fill them; bake them brown on both sides, and serve them hot. If for breakfast, set to rise the night previous. If for tea, about two o'clock.