Wit and Humor.

From the Norristown Herald.

LETTER FROM A. WARD, JR.

CHARLESTON, S. C., May, 1866.

I'm down here in Charleston, S. C., [S. C. fer Secesh Cusses,] supporten A. J.'s Polisy.

But between you an me, I'm only in the 'Polisy Supporten' Bizness on a purpis to see ef I can't git a offis thurst onto me. I'm not sinceriously in it.

But keep mum.

I find that those pussons wot is not willin to conseed to the konkered Rebs the bulkiest Pat in making Lors for us Nuthren Yankees, & air not in favor of payin the Rebel Det—incloodin a small Bonis ov a thousan dollers or so bestowed onto each Shivalry—I say, el a chap carn't find it in his onforgivin hart to do all these, then he will not stand in immynent danger ov bein Born down with the Birdens & Perplecksities ov a Collectorship's Offis or sich, wich wood indoos him to seek a watery tume, an hev his body foun 6 months subseckently in a very onhealthy state indeed.

Not much he won't.

Afore I'le see all the Pesky Rebs overwhelmed with U. S. offises, darn it all ef I won't become so degraded an lorst to all sense of Honor,—like Cowan, Doolittlefertheunion & Company—as to submit to a small hunk of Gov'ment Pap bein smeared onto me a thick as apple sass. [Tween you an I, this air put on fer the occasion. Keep mum.] I won't demur of the offis ov Collector ov the Port heap'd onto me. Hardly. Tho' I don't know wot a Collector of the Port is, but spose it's a chap with a hefty gold watch chain wot gits 20 thousan a year & uppards fer livin on Port wine, old Port, Porter, an Port other things alsoly. I know I have a Constitootion wot would bear up under 20 thousan a year Bully. As Col. of the P. I mite worry throo a year or 2.

Praps my prospecks for a Fat Birth at the han's ov A. J. air not so flatterinous as R. ee's Mrs. Broker Cobb's Semmis, etsettery; but I wager they is more encuraginlier than my ole frends Thad. Stevens, Charley Sumner, Jack Forney, or enny ov them ole Radikle fellers wot very unrightly thinks a Reconstructed Reb air not as good as a Union man.

At one time I thort all the offises wood be given to the patriots who Bled fer the Ole Flag. Ef I air not miatskenous, Andreo sed the solgers shood hev 'em. But insomuch as sum has been Histed out wot Fit fer the Union at the Front, an thare places ockepied by cusses who skirmisht fer the South at the Rear, it lookt muchlious as tho' Andy's promise waz anuther Mosesism.

In the eyes of A. J., the plea ov fitin fe the Union don't "cover a multitood ov sins" enny morely—as me larnd frend H G or sum other wise apostle onct remarkt. Et you warnt offis you must support My Polisy, like Borygard, J. Davis, Quantrell, ET ALL.,—as they Lyers say—or panefully witness em fill'd by Mosbys an Juble Erlys an sichlys.

Speakin ov J. Davis, I went down to see the ole man tother day. I tried to cum a sharp Dodge over him 2. I didn't succeed however. J. D. knows wich side ov his staff ov life is butterd, as William sez.

Ef I air not mistaken, the fallen hero looks older than he did 20 years ago. His habits is werry pecooliar. When he is not settin' down or walkin', he's gen'rilly standin' up or lyin' down. An' vicey versey. I'm informd that at night when he goes to bed he frekently lays awake until he gits asleep. I suppose it's on account of his gilty conshence. He has a habit of opening his eyes when he gits awake in the mornin'. He's been known to eat Things, too. Methinks I hear you say—"Pity he woodn't eat Cowan, fer he's a THING." But no goakin'.

Soonly after the 20 seccon' of Febroonry. it was thort Davises' mind waz becomin' Deranged an his intelleck serisly shattered—These simtoms waz cawsed by his Gard im proodently leavin' a noospaper in his sell containin' Johnsing's Twenty 2d speech. Jeff. read it from one end to tother. He said it reminded him ov his innercent boyhood days, when he greedily peroosed Beadle's Dime Novels, an' put chunks of Wacks onto the Skulemaster's cheer. In a harf a nour arfter readin' the speech, he had his hare stuck full of straws an' corncobs, an waz turnin' backhanded snappers around his sell. It was a pityful spectakil, no dowt. The Gard was very promptly discharged, and 28 months' back pay deducted from his wages.

Jeff's feelins tords the Yankees is well known. He is sed to be a duodissymo-mammothissimo edition of Probst in helpin' Yankees to the other Speare, yet he looked very dosile to me. He didn't attempt to skwirt tobacco jooce into me eyes onct.

Jeff. is very communicativ. He pleasantly ansers all questions arskst him by us reporters.

Sez I, "Is it troo you were captoord in fe male attire?"

"None ov your bizness," sez he, very promptly.

"Good," sez I. "How do you like bein a prisner as far as you've got?"

"Hope you may find out," sez he.

"Very troo," sez I. "Do you smoke?"

"When I want to," sez he.

"Right again," sez I. "Do you support the President's Polisy?"

"I do, by ——! but its none ov your bizness," checkin' hisself.

"Who's your fust choice fer the next Presidency?"

"ANDROO JO—— but it is none of your bizness!"

He waz very commoonicativ. Mostly.

"Wal, Jefferson," sez I, very watermelonkolly like,—"Jefferson, I pity you. When I think ov the dredful punishment reserved fer you, me hart feels splintered all over, an burnin teers falls copiously from me own 2 eyeses.—Here! Exchange close with me, an disgise yourself as a gentlemen, an foil the Guard! Quick!"

An I commenst to divest meself ov me Kote an weskit.

Sez he, in franic tones—"Keep on your Close! I see thro you. You know I will soon be releast, an that I will eventooally git a large Fedril offis. You want to exchange places with me so you kin git the offis. I understan' your little game. Leave me! Away!"

An I *awayd!*

But how the ole Felon did diskiver my Dodge, I cannot quitely congectoor.

I mite write you 3 or 4 collums about my visit to Jeff, but I don't think its wuth while to note down every trivial inserdent an every insignifikent confab in regards to the Confed President. Not just now. The common noospaper reporters dus that.

So no more at present from
Yours hastiously,
A. WARD, JR.

S. M. (fer Sum More.)—I think the Polisy Supportin Bizness is cussed dirty work. I don't find ennybody engaged in it but Rebs, Cops, Traitors an onprincipled Whigs. That's wot's the matter. Ef I don't git a offis putty soon I shall consign my posish. It's better to be a bootblack in the tents ov the Radikles than a dweller in the House ov Androo Johnsing an the seceshers, as the Salmist sez.

A. W., JR.

DIED.—On Monday last, of a jet black, Mr. Janics Grizzlewig's whiskers, in the twenty-seventh year of their age, sincerely regretted by all who knew them. Also, on the same day, Miss McFlimsey's merino shawl, aged thirteen years.

No need of urn or tablet here,
To whisper to us "Thou wert dear."

A LITTLE girl hearing her mother observe to another lady that she was going into half mourning, inquired whether any of her relations were half dead?

AN honest Dutchman, on being asked how oftened he shaved, replied, "Dree dimes a veek every tay but Soontay; den I shafe every tay."

WHAT is the difference between a pretty girl and a night-cap? One is born to wed, and the other is worn to bed.

MISCELLANEOUS.

$100 REWARD.

I will pay to any Doctor or member of the Medical Fraternity, the sum of $100 for any Compound that possesses more medical virtues and curative powers than Mishler's Herb Bitters. B. MISHLER, Proprietor, S. E. Corner of Centre Square, Lancaster, Pa.

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B. MISHLER, Proprietor,
S. E. Corner of Centre Square, Lancaster, Pa.

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I will pay $500 to the Proprietor of any Medicine that can show a greater number of genuine Certificates of cures effected by it near the place where it is made, than MISHLER'S HERB BITTERS—of Consumption, Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Bloody Flux, Diarrhœa, Typhoid Remittent, Intermittent and Billious Fevers, Fever and Ague, Cholera Morbus, Yellow Jaundice, Scrofula, Running or sore Legs, Cancer, Abcess, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Coughs, Colds, Cramp in the Stomach, Chronic Diarrhœa, Piles, Tetter, Scald Head, Oedema, or falling-away sickness peculiar to children, Leuchorrea, Falling of the Womb, all obstructions to the due course of nature in females, all venereal diseases, and all complaints arising from impure Blood or a weak and disordered state of the Stomach, Liver or Kidneys. Certificates of cures of the Yellow Fever in Mexico can also be furnished. Remember if it does not cure, the money will be refunded by the proprietor.
BENJAMIN MISHLER,
S. E. Corner of Centre Square, Lancaster, Pa

SEND FOR A CIRCULAR.

The ingredients used in compounding Mishler's Herb Bitters are not kept secret by the Proprietor. Send for a Circular and you will learn the medical properties of all the articles used in the preparation; also in the manner in which they operate on the system, and much other valuable information. If you are afflicted with disease send for Mishler's Herb Bitters Circular; read it carefully, profit by the hints it contains, and you will be placed on the sure road of recovery.

MISHLER'S BITTERS WILL CURE ALL DISEASES OF THE BLOOD.

Diseases of the skin are numerous and with but one or two exceptions, may be traced to impurity of the blood. In many persons this impurity is born in the system; while others acquire it through improper treatment of scores of diseases. Under this head may be classed—

1st. Scrofula.—This disease is hereditary and is transmittee from generation to generation. It is caused by a transgression of the laws of nature, both moral and physical; in other words, it is caused by vice. Acting as a latent poison it reduces the vitality of the blood, and weakens the depurating organs, so that they fail to discharge or cast out the impurities that are continually generated in the system. A person physically pure acquires gonorrhœa, or some other secret disease; he undergoes a course of mercury, the disease is dried up, and the patient pronounced well. Vain delusion. The complaint is not cured; its channel is only diverted. Instead of making its appearance outwardly, it acts on the internal organs, and scrofula, which is bequeathed from father to son, is the result. Many persons who are perfectly free from all immorality and vice are afflicted with scrofula. They are suffering for the sins of their fathers, and laboring under the curse inscribed in the Book of Books. "I will visit the iniquities of the fathers upon their children."

To cure this dreadful complaint it is necessary that the blood should be thoroughly purified, all the organs of the body brought into a healthy state of action, and the system braced up and strengthened by invigorating tonics. Look at the articles used in compounding Mishler's Bitters; see the array of purifying and invigorating medicaments, and say whether there is an article in the whole list of medicines that equals it. We here emphatically assert without the fear of contradiction, that Mishler's Bitters will cure all kinds of scrofulous diseases. It purifies the blood. It strengthens the internal organs and aids them to perform their natural functions. It is a stimulant and a tonic and it will cure Scrofula.

2d. Running Sores and Ulcers.—Running sores and ulcers invariably indicate a scrofulous taint. They are caused by the effort of nature to discharge the impurities of the blood. Many persons afflicted with running sores and ulcers succeed in drying them up and think they are cured when the skin grows over the sore. They are, however, but "making bad worse," for the impurities that were discharged from the system, through the medium of the sore now act internally and cause innumerable diseases and often death. The only true and sure cure for all running sores and ulcers is Mishler's Bitters, a continued and persevering use of which will most certainly effect a permanent cure.

3d. Salt Rheum.—Salt Rheum is a vague, indefinite, thorough, popular term given to almost all the non-febrile eruptions of the skin that afflict adults. It is generally an eruption of vesicles in small distinct ulcers accompanied with a smarting, stinging sensation, with a tendency to creep or spread over the adjoining surface. Mishler's Bitters are a sure cure for this disease.

4th. Pimples and Blotches.—Pimples and Blotches on the skin are always a sure sign of impure blood. Although never dangerous, except in cases of carbuncles, they are very disagreeable. Often we will see the most handsome features rendered hideous by great blotches and pimples, and instead of the pleasing look which should irradiate the human face we see nothing but disgusting corruption, for pimples and blotches are nothing but the corrupt accumulations of the system expelled through the medium of the skin. The use of Mishler's Bitters will force these corruptions to be discharged through the natural channels, and thus cure all kinds of pimples and blotches.—Ladies who desire a fair complexion, free from pimples, should bear this fact in mind.

MISHLER'S BITTERS IN READING.

WHAT IT HAS DONE!

Capt. S. S. Banks, says he was cured of a severe case of Jaundice and Chronic Diarrhœa, contracted in the Army, by the use of Mishler's Herb Bitters.

FEVER AND AGUE AND CHRONIC DIARRHŒA CURED.—The undersigned, a former resident of this city, now residing at Fort Wayne, Indiana, having been afflicted with the above complaints while on a visit to Reading, was induced to try Mishler's Herb Bitters, and has the satisfaction to state that they have performed a radical cure. In gratitude to the discoverer of these Bitters, I am induced to give this certificate and for the benefit of others similarly situated.
HARRY A. WHITMAN.

RHEUMATISM CURED BY MISHLER'S BITTERS.—The undersigned certifies that he was for a long time severely afflicted with Rheumatic pains, which incapacitated him from following his business. Not being able to obtain relief, he finally resorted to the use of Mishler's celebrated Herb Bitters, which effected a permanent cure in the course of ten days. No return of any of the symptoms have been experienced since and the cure is a radical one.
C. M. DEEM,
S. E. corner 8th and Bingmn Streets.
Reading, December 6th, 1865.

B. MISHLER, Esq.—Dear Sir:—The undersigned having received great benefit from the use of your Herb Bitters, takes this opportunity of acknowledging the same, in order that others similarly afflicted, may learn the fact. Having been afflicted with severe rheumatic pains in my left shoulder, contracted by exposure, I was for a long time unable to sleep. I tried your Herb Bitters, and after taking one dose I was able to sleep two hours. I took another dose and I slept two hours more, when I again awoke. I then took another dose, went to sleep and from that time I have not been troubled with rheumatism, but I continue to use the Bitters once in a while as a precaution against the return of the complaint. I think the Herb Bitters the best medicine in existence for rheumatism.
Reading, Nov 10, '65. JOHN FEHR.
For sale at the New Wholesale Wine and Liquor Store, Silver Terrace, Pottsville, Pa.
HENNESSY & DUFFY, Proprietors.
Dec 23, '65 51-tf

FOUTZ'S
CELEBRATED
Horse and Cattle Powders.

This preparation, long and favorably known, will thoroughly reinvigorate broken-down and low-spirited horses, by strengthening and cleansing the stomach and intestines.

It is a sure preventive of all diseases incident to this animal, such as LUNG FEVER, GLANDERS, YELLOW WATER, HEAVES, COUGHS, DISTEMPER, FEVERS, FOUNDER, LOSS OF APPETITE AND VITAL ENERGY, &c. Its use improves the wind, increases the appetite—gives a smooth and glossy skin—and transforms the miserable skeleton into a fine-looking and spirited horse.

To keepers of Cows this preparation is invaluable. It increases the quantity and improves the quality of the milk. It has been proven by actual experiment to increase the quantity of milk and cream twenty per cent. and make the butter firm and sweet. In fattening cattle, it gives them an appetite, loosens their hide, and makes them thrive much faster.

In all diseases of Swine, such as Coughs, Ulcers in the Lungs, Liver, &c., this article acts as a specific. By putting from one-half a paper to a paper in a barrel of swill the above diseases will be eradicated or entirely prevented. If given in time, a certain preventive and cure for the Hog Cholera.

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MISHLER'S BITTERS FOR SALE.
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AND VANDERVEER'S SCHIEDAM SCHNAPPS.
June 2, '66. 22-1y

Choice lot of Groceries, &c., just received and for sale cheap by BECK & COHO, April 21, '66—16. Morris' Addition.

FOR SALE & TO LET.

PORTABLE ENGINE, Two and a half horse power, for sale cheap. Apply to B. BANNAN.

FOR SALE.—A very desirable and commodious property in Palo Alto, a few doors above the Palo Alto Hotel, consisting of one good substantial frame dwelling. For particulars apply to HENNESSY & DUFFY, Pottsville, or ELIJAH BENNINGER, Ashland.
Feb 17, '66. 7-tf

FOR SALE.—1-4, 1-2 or one Acre Lots IN RONALDSON'S ADDITION to the Borough of Pottsville, on the Minersville Road or above the Rolling Mill in Fishbach. Apply to P. W. SHEAFER, Attorney for owners.
Feb. 17, '66 7-3m

THE subscribers have for sale at their Colliery on Mill Creek, a lot of Pump Pipes, Spade Handles, Splicing Plate Stub-ends, Pipe, Stub-ends, and other Bolts, Clack Pieces, Pole Hangers and Pullies, Balance Weights, connecting Rod and Bobs. Also a 60 Horse Engine. GEO'S REPPLIER & CO.
For further particulars apply to J. G. & G. S. REPPLIER, No. 329 Walnut St., Philadelphia, or to JNO. L. GEIGER at the Colliery. Jan 27, '66—4-tf.

FOR SALE.—A fine new Rosewood Piano, Seven Octave, Iron Frame, Round corners, over-strung Bass and Scollop Keys, with very fine tone and action. Any one desirous of purchasing, can see the instrument and learn the terms, by calling on the undersigned at the Union Hotel, Pottsville, Pa.
Jan 13, '66—2-tf J. A. HAZEN.

FOR SALE.—One new Fifteen Horse Engine, Shaft, Fly Wheel, Pump, &c. Apply at Office of Little Schuylkill Navigation, Railroad & Coal Company, Tamaqua, Pa. [Jan 6, '65. 1-tf

FOR SALE.—A tract of 209 acres in Locust Valley, adjoining land late of William Faust, land of Shoemaker and Bickel, Edmond Ellis and Jacob Gerber. Considerable prop timber on it, and only three miles from Mahanoy City. Can all be cultivated. A small portion cleared, with house and barn. Will be sold low. Apply to JOHN P. HOBART,
May 12, '66—19-4t Pottsville.

FOR SALE.—An undivided interest in a valuable tract of productive COAL LAND, in New Castle Township, Schuylkill County, now worked by two collieries. Apply to FRANKLIN B. GOWEN, Pottsville, Pa.
Aug. 30, '62. 35-tf

PRIVATE SALE OF A DESIRABLE PROPERTY.—The subscriber offers at private sale six acres of land one mile from Pottsville, on the public road leading to Cressona, on which are erected a good two-story frame dwelling house with kitchen, a well with pump near the door, and also a convenient frame stable, and other improvements. Said property would be a good location for a tavern stand. For further particulars apply to the subscriber on the premises.
May 12, '66 19-3m* A. H. BITTLE.

FOR SALE.—One new 20 Horse Power Engine, 10 inch diameter, 2 feet stroke. Box, bed plate, governor and force pump complete.
Also one second hand Engine, 6 horse power, 7 inch diameter, 16 inch stroke. Box, bed plate, governor and force pump complete. Will be sold cheap.
ALLISON & BANNAN,
Nov 18, '65, 46- Franklin Iron Works, Pt. Carbon.

TO LEASE.—The Schuylkill Coal Company are now prepared to make leases on their lands in Foster Township, Schuylkill County. These lands are located on the very best portion of the Heckscher Basin, having over four miles run on the Daniel Crosby, Lealor, and all the veins known in that basin, both above and below water level. Favorable leases with an abundance of timber for mining purposes, will now be made to good tenants, on application to E. A. PACKER, President of the Company, Trinity Building, New York, or to C. J. DOBBINS, American House, Pottsville. Sept. 16, '65.—37-tf

FOR SALE OR TO LEASE.—A tract of land situate half a mile west of Llewellyn, in Branch and Reilly townships, Schuylkill County, containing 430 acres, having a run of three-fourths of a mile on the following veins, viz: The Gate Veins, Selkirk, Black Mine, Tunnel, Faust and Salem. Parties wishing to purchase or to lease will make application to JOSHUA LIPPINCOTT, RICHARD SMETHURST, J. DUNDAS LIPPINCOTT, Executors of the Estate of James Dundas, deceased, at 121 Walnut St., Philada., Or to CHARLES M. HILL, Real Estate Agt., Pottsville.
August 19, '65. 33 tf

COAL MINES FOR SALE.—The undersigned wishes to inform the public that he has a small Colliery for sale on liberal terms with the privilege of opening on four or five other veins of Coal, all above water level. The above mine is in working order, and can at present ship from six to eight cars per day, which can be greatly increased by opening other veins, which can be done at a very small outlay. Address SILAS BALL, Pottsville.
March 17, '66— 11-tf

FOR SALE.—The dwelling recently occupied by John S. Graham in Morris' Addition. Possession given immediately. Address FRANK CARTER, Real Estate Agent, Mahanoy City, Penna.
April 21, '66 16 tf

COAL LAND FOR RENT.—450 acres of Coal and Timber Land on the Eastern Dun Tract, containing several veins of coal; The Mammoth 75 feet, the Lehigh, 18 feet, and the Skidmore, 10 feet thick, 1 mile of a run which forms a basin one mile south of Mahanoy City. It joins the New Boston Company, who are now operating on the adjoining property on all these veins. The Railroad Company are now locating the road, to be completed next August. The difference of freight on coal per ton by way of the Quakake to Elizabeth Point, New York, will be about 75 cents in favor of the New York route.
Jonathan Reber, a tenant on the property, keeps a hotel. For further information apply to MICHAEL MURPHY.
Pottsville, April 17, '66 16-tf

STEAM FITTINGS, BRASS AND IRON GLOBE VALVES, STEAM COCKS, WROUGHT IRON PIPE, ELBOWS, BRASS CASTINGS, BABBIT METAL, &c., &c., manufactured and for sale by DOUGLAS & CONNARD, April 28, '66 17-3m* Reading, Pa.

VALUABLE PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE.—One-twentieth interest in the tract of coal land in New Castle Township, Schuylkill County (known as the Pott & Bannan tract) containing about 420 acres.
A tract of 220 acres of COAL and TIMBER LAND in Riley Township.
A tract of about 600 acres in Blythe Township, (Eliza Davis and part of Cath. Berger tracts) near the Silver Creek Reservoir.
Valuable building lots on Coal, Washington and Mahantongo streets. Desirable sites for warehouses, manufactories, &c. A splendid lot on Schuylkill Avenue, 33 feet front on the Avenue and 57 feet front on Church Alley. Apply to HENRY C. RUSSEL, Real Estate and Insurance Agent, corner Second and Mahantongo Sts., Pottsville, Pa.
March 24, '66 12-tf

LUMBER! LUMBER!—The undersigned begs leave to inform the public that he has opened a Lumber Yard on Coal Street, near the Depot, where he intends keeping a stock of all kinds of Lumber at the lowest prices. He is also prepared to supply all kinds of Lumber to order at the shortest notice as he has his own timber land and steam saw mill.
March 17, '66—11-tf SILAS BALL, Pottsville.

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JUST RECEIVING AT
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GOODS DOWN! DOWN!! DOWN!!!
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Now is the time to secure great bargains in all kinds of Dry Goods at
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MUSLINS. MUSLINS. MUSLINS. An immense stock of very cheap bleached and unbleached MUSLINS. MUSLINS. MUSLINS.

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They offer standard makes bleached muslins at prices varying from 10 cents to 25 cents. 42 inch and 5-4 bleached and brown at 30c, 33c, 35c, and 37c, all very beautiful goods.

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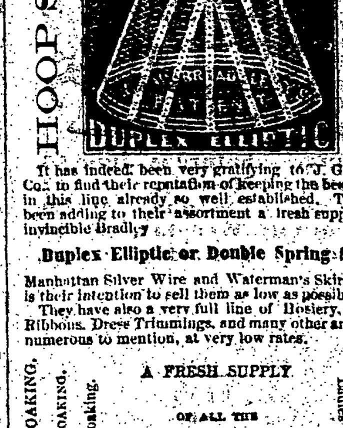
Having replenished and completed their heretofore very extensive assortment, they now feel confident that they are offering the best and most selected stock in town, at prices which undoubtedly, through cheapness, will surprise ladies in want of these articles.

HOOP SKIRTS



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It has indeed been very gratifying to J. Galland & Co. to find their reputation of keeping the best articles in this line already so well established. They have been adding to their assortment a fresh supply of the invincible Bradley

Duplex Elliptic or Double Spring Skirt,

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They have also a very full line of Hosiery, Notions, Ribbons, Dress Trimmings, and many other articles too numerous to mention, at very low rates.

LADIES' CLOAKING. LADIES' CLOAKING. Ladies' Cloaking. A FRESH SUPPLY OF ALL THE FASHIONABLE SHADES, VERY CHEAP. Ladies' Cloaking. LADIES' CLOAKING. LADIES' CLOAKING.

They have also made additions to their stock of CARPETS, and have greatly reduced them in price.
It is the intention of J. Galland & Co. to keep to their motto, "Quick Sales and Small Profits," it being their aim to gain by honorable, fair dealing and gentlemanly attention to their customers, the confidence of the public and a large share of patronage.
April 15, '66 15.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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FOR LIVER COMPLAINT,

A SUBSTITUTE FOR CALOMEL.

If your bowels are costive,
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If you have worms,
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If your breath is bad,
TRY THEM.
If you feel drowsy,
TRY THEM.
If you are low spirited,
TRY THEM.
If you have a sick headache,
TRY THEM.
If you have taken a drop too much,
TAKE A FULL DOSE.
They only cost 25 cents a box.
TRY THEM.

Blue Mass, and other preparations of Mercury, actually produce more suffering and death than the diseases which they profess to cure. And yet this corrosive mineral so denounced by the allopathic doctors, is prescribed by them almost universally in Liver Complaint, Consumption of Lungs, &c.

THE MANDRAKE PILLS

are composed entirely of roots and herbs, obtained from the great storehouse of Nature, and their salutary effects will appear as soon as the medicine is brought to the test of a fair experiment. SCHENCK'S MANDRAKE PILLS do not produce any nausea or sickness of the stomach; but when given for Dyspepsia it may be proper to use them in connection with SCHENCK'S SEAWEED TONIC. By this judicious treatment the digestive faculties are speedily restored to their full vigor, and the worst cases of indigestion may be cured.

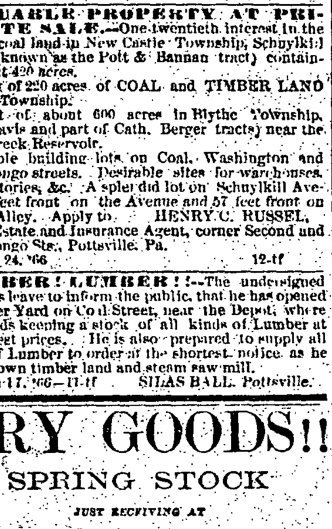
When we reflect that the liver is the largest internal organ of the body, that to it is assigned the important duty of filtering the blood and preparing the Bile, that it is subject to many disorders, and that when it is diseased or inactive the whole body suffers sympathetically, it is not surprising that a medicine which can restore the healthy operations of the Liver should produce wonderful changes in the general health, and effect cures which may appear to be almost miraculous. Headache of long continuance, severe pains in the side, breast and shoulders, aching of the limbs, a feeling of general weakness and wretchedness, and other alarming and distressing symptoms indicative of imperfect or disordered action of the liver, are speedily removed by the use of SCHENCK'S MANDRAKE PILLS.

Costiveness, piles, bitter or sour eructations, and that indescribable feeling of oppression, mental anxiety, languor, lethargy, and depression of spirits, which unfit a man for the management of business and the enjoyment of life, are all relieved by the use of SCHENCK'S MANDRAKE PILLS.

DR. SCHENCK—Dear Sir:—I take pleasure in sending you a certificate in addition to many you have already received from suffering humanity. I can scarcely find language sufficiently strong to express my heartfelt gratification of the wonderful cures your MANDRAKE PILLS and SEAWEED TONIC have effected in the entire cure of one of the most stubborn cases of the liver. For three years I suffered beyond description; all my friends, as well as myself, came to the conclusion that my time in this life was short. Such was the terrible condition to which I was reduced that life to me had become a burthen; my whole system was in a state of inflammation; I could not eat, I could not sleep; my whole body was filled with pain; swelling would arise in my wrists and ankles, rendering them totally useless. On several occasions I was attacked with a rush of blood to the head, which would fell me to the ground, and I would be carried away for dead. I applied to several eminent physicians of our city, who administered all the medicines that they thought would reach my case, but of no avail.

One of them said he could do no more for me, and advised me, as a last resort, to drink cod liver oil.—Not relishing the horrid trash I declined to take it.—Accident put your advertisement in my hands. I called on you; you examined me and told me the nature of my disease. You then ordered me the Pills and Tonic with an observance of diet, pledging your word that in one week I would find myself another man. I followed your advice, and as you predicted, an astonishing cure was effected. I continued your Pills and Tonic for some time, and now, thank God for His goodness, and your valuable medicine, I am once more restored to perfect health. I most earnestly recommend those who are suffering from affection of the liver to give your Pills and Tonic a fair trial, and a cure will be effected. I have sent many persons to you and they have all been cured. Any information my fellow-citizens may require will be freely given by the subscriber, at his residence, No. 812 Federal street, between 8th street and Passyunk road.
CHARLES JOHNSON,
Formerly Printers' Ink Manufacturer.

Price of the Pulmonic Syrup and Seaweed Tonic, each $1.50 per bottle, or $7.50 per half dozen. Mandrake Pills, 25 cents per box.
For sale by all Druggists and Dealers.
Dec. 2, '65. 48-1y



IMPORTANT NOTICE
FROM
MRS. M. G. BROWN,
Metaphysical Physician, 410 Arch Street, Philadelphia.

From a life of study, observation and experience, and years of practical application of my "Metaphysical Discovery" on thousands of diseased men, women and children, I have justly come to the conclusion that every family in the land, who wish to get rid of disease, and keep it at bay, must have my Metaphysical Discovery always on hand. It is a certain preventative against disease. It also treats and destroys the cause of disease, consequently the effects die; beginning with Deafness, Catarrh, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, with every disease man, woman or child is heir to.

It is the only safeguard against Cholera. It cleanses every sewer of the human body, hardens the flesh and purifies the blood. In consequence of the above facts, I have this day reduced the price, so as to leave no barrier in the way of the diseased.

The package consists of three bottles, one used for the Eyes, one for the Ears, and one for the Scalp. These three work in conjunction passing into the system by absorption, thus killing the very root of disease, which is in a specific locality in the head.

My Metaphysical Discovery is packed in a neat wooden case, and will be despatched to any part of the world on receipt of the price, which will be from this 25th day of November, sold at $4 per pkg., or three pkgs., $10.

Celebrated Poor Richard's Eye Water. Large size, $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5. Small size, 50 cts. Scalp Renovator $1, or six bottles for $5. The medicines can be obtained through your Druggists, or at the Depot, 410 Arch street Philadelphia.

The following letter is one of the many which I receive daily at my different Offices:

SNAPP'S STATION, Nov. 20th, 1865.
MRS. M. G. BROWN—Madam:—I noticed an advertisement in a newspaper of your Metaphysical Discovery. I sent for a package of the medicine. I write to tell you that it has proved a perfect success in a case of deafness of many years' standing. Now I send to you for three packages for my neighbors, who are afflicted in the same way. Yours respectfully,
C. S. COATES,
Snapp's Station, Crawford County, Pa.
Perfect cure for weak and diseased eyes.
The Metaphysical Discovery works by laws as logical as those which revoke the stars.
The Celebrated POOR RICHARD'S EYE WATER is the key which opens the door to the health of both mind and body. Let all use it morning and night.
Please send to the Depot for a circular.
For sale also by JOHN G. BROWN & SON, Druggists, Pottsville.
Dec. 2, '65 48-1y

Cheap Passage

To and from Great Britain, Ireland, Scotland, Wales, Germany, &c.
RICHARD EDWARDS,
MARKET ST., POTTSVILLE.
Agent for Inman Line of Steamers, every Wednesday and Saturday; National Steam Navigation Company, Weekly; Anchor Line of Steamers, Semi monthly, from Glasgow, Ireland, &c.; Black Star Line and Sailing Packets. April 14, '66—15-3m*

POTTSVILLE ROPE, TWINE, LINE, AND PACKING Manufactory, MINERSVILLE ROAD, POTTSVILLE, PENNSYLVANIA.

The subscriber, having commenced the above business in Pottsville, respectfully solicits a share of the patronage of the Business Men of Schuylkill County. Having had a long experience in the business he is confident of being able to render satisfaction.
May 19, '66 HENRY JACKSON, Agt. 20-3m

MISCELLANEOUS.

G. L. WOLTJEN. CHARLES WOLTJEN.

WOLTJEN BROTHERS,
IMPORTERS OF
SEGARS AND CLAY PIPES
AND DEALERS IN
Leaf and Manufactured Tobacco, &c.,
221 NORTH THIRD ST.,
BETWEEN RACE AND VINE,
PHILADELPHIA.
May 5 '66 18-

REMOVAL.—Now 447 Broadway, New York.
WINDOW SHADES.
GOLD, FRESCO, PAINTED.
WHITE HOLLANDS, BUFF do. GREEN do.
BRAY'S PATENT SELF-ACTING,
AND ALL OTHER STYLES OF SHADE FIXTURES.
CURTAINS,
SWISS LACE, NOTTINGHAM,
LENO Do LACE,
MUSLIN, CORNICES, TASSELS, GIMPS, FRINGES, &c. REP.
BROCATELLE, DAMASK.
SATIN DE LAINE TERRY CLOTH.
PIANO AND TABLE COVERS.
PALMER'S PATENT UMBRELLA MOSQUITO FRAMES, MOSQUITO NETS, LACES AND NETTING, &c., &c. G. L. & J. B. KELTY,
☞ 447 BROADWAY,
March 17, '66—11-3m NEW YORK.

HASTINGS & Co.,
Manufacturers of Oil and Candles, and Dealers in Curriers' Oils.

MINERS' OIL IN CASKS AND BARRELS
Always on hand and for sale at the very lowest market price.
New York—154 Front St., corner Maiden Lane.
WALTSTILL HASTINGS, New York.
JOHN HASTINGS, New Bedford.
Manufactory at New Bedford.
New York, March 17, '66 11-1y

E. W. CLARK & CO.,
BANKERS,
NO. 35 SOUTH 3D STREET, PHILADELPHIA.
WE OFFER FOR SALE
Morris & Essex Railroad 7 per cent. Bonds.
Central Pacific R. R. 7's interest payable in Gold in New York.
U. S. 30 years 6's Interest in currency issued to the Pacific Railroad Company.
These bonds are all for sale very low.
Stocks bought and sold on Commission. U. S. Securities of all kinds bought and sold.
March 17, '66 11-3m

HENRY HARPER,
520 ARCH ST.,
PHILADELPHIA.
WATCHES,
FINE GOLD JEWELRY,
SOLID SILVER WARE,
And superior SILVER PLATED WARE, at Reduced Prices! [March 17, '66 11-3m

☞ Read This! ☜

J. R. TROXELL'S
CHEAP CHINA, GLASS, AND CROCKERY STORE,
Centre Street, Opposite Mortimer House
POTTSVILLE.

The citizens of Pottsville and neighboring towns villages and hamlets one and all, are invited to call and examine my stock of wares before buying elsewhere, as I am not to be undersold, and can furnish Housekeepers with every article they want in my line of business. In the stock of

French China,

will be found Tea Setts, Dinner Setts, Card and Cake Baskets, Watch Cases, Segar Holders, Match Safes, Motto Mugs, Motto Cups and Saucers, Vases, Colognes, China Setts for Children, and a general variety of Toys, &c., &c.

Glass Ware.

Choicest, latest patterns, consisting of Table and Bar Tumblers, Champagne and Wine Glasses, Ale and Beer Glasses, Decanters, Bar and Bitter Bottles Goblets, Plates, Castor Bottles, Pitchers and Creams, Celeries, Sugar Bowls, Spoon Holders, Syrup Cans, Fruit Bowls, Fruit Jars, Cake Stands, Kerosene Lamps of every variety, Lamp Chimneys, Lanterns, Candlesticks, Candy Jars, &c., &c.

Crockery! Crockery!!

A full assortment of IRON STONE CHINA, of different patterns, in setts or single pieces, to suit the public. A large assortment of common C. C. Ware, which I will sell at low figures.

Yellow and Stone Ware.

Pudding Dishes, Pie Dishes, Cullenders, Milk Pans, Jelly Moulds, Pitchers, Tea Pots, Butter Pots, Milk Pots, Jars, Jugs, etc., etc.
MISCELLANEOUS:—Toilet Setts, Castors, Slop Jars, and Foot Baths; Quart and Pint Flasks; Coal Oil, &c., &c. Fruit Jars, of every description.
MERCHANTS! I can sell you Goods at City Prices, thus saving you freight. Call and see if it is not so.
J. R. TROXELL.
April 14, '64. 16.

S. PENNOCK & CO.,
(SUCCESSORS TO S. & M. PENNOCK & CO.)
Are prepared to furnish at very short notice, of the best material and workmanship, every variety of
Box, Stock, Gondola, Platform, Lime, Coal and Ore Cars.
☞ Orders respectfully solicited.
S. PENNOCK & CO. Kennett Square, Pa.
May 5, '66 18-

PIANOS AND MELODEONS, from the best manufacturers, and a general assortment of excellent Musical Instruments, are sold by the undersigned.—Strings, Bridges and Screws for Violins, can also be furnished. Instruments repaired at short notice, and on reasonable terms.
M. LEIMMERS, Agent,
Sept. 17, '64.—tf] Centre street, Pottsville.

BIOKRENE OR LIFE-REJUVENATOR.
STRENGTH TO THE WEAK!
YOUTH TO THE AGED!

This preparation is unequalled as a Rejuvenator Restorer of wasted or inert functions.
The aged should be certain to make the Biokrene a household god, inasmuch as it will render them youthful in feeling and in strength, and enable them to live over again the days of their pristine joy. It not only exhilerates but strengthens, and is really an invaluable blessing, especially to those who have been reduced to a condition of servility, self abuse, misfortune, or ordinary sickness. No matter what the cause of the impotency of any human organ, this superb preparation will remove the effect at once and forever.

BIOKRENE

Cures IMPOTENCY, GENERAL DEBILITY, NERVOUS INCAPACITY, DYSPEPSIA, DEPRESSION, LOSS OF APPETITE, LOW SPIRITS, WEAKNESS OF THE ORGANS OF GENERATION, IMBECILITY, MENTAL INDOLENCE, EMACIATION, ENNUI—It has a most delightful, desirable and novel effect upon the Nervous system; and all who are in any way prostrated by nervous disabilities are earnestly advised to seek a cure in this most excellent and unequalled preparation.
Persons who, by imprudence, have lost their NATURAL VIGOR, will find a speedy and permanent cure in the

BIOKRENE.

The FEEBLE, the LANGUID, the DISPAIRING, the OLD should give this valuable discovery a trial: it will be found totally different from all other articles for the same purposes.
To Females.—This preparation is invaluable in nervous weaknesses of all kinds, as it will restore the wasted strength with wonderful permanence.
It is also a grand tonic, and will give relief in Dyspepsia with the first dose. A brief persistence in its use will renovate the stomach to a degree of perfect health, and banish Dyspepsia forever.
One Dollar per Bottle, or six Bottles for $5. Sold by Druggists generally.
Sent by express anywhere, by addressing HUTCHINGS & HILLYER, Proprietors,
28 Dey Street, New York.
Sold by Druggists everywhere.
October 21, '65. 42-1y cow

NEEDLES' COMPOUND CAMPHOR TROCHES, Positive Preventive of CHOLERA, Diarrhœa, Dysentery, and Cholera Morbus. Sole Factor, C. H. Needles, Druggist, 12th & Race Sts., Phila. 60 Cts. per Box, mailed on receipt of price.
June 2, '66 22-3t

SEIDEL & HAMMERSLEY,
DEALERS IN
Western White and Red Wheat Flour, Hay, Grain, Potatoes, and Red and White Ash COALS,
CORNER CALLOWHILL AND RAILROAD STS.
June 2, '66 22-tf

J. J. O'NEAL & CO.,
Dealers in Iron, Nails, Spikes, Oils and Colliery Supplies in general.
Ware Rooms Railroad and Centre Street, Pottsville. Office Mahantongo St., next to Union Hall.
June 9, '66 23-6m

GENERAL NOTICES.

☞ THOSE desiring boarding in a private family can obtain the same by applying to Mrs. A. LOESER, opposite American House.
June 2, '66 22 3t*

FOR SALE.—A Hicks Engine, twenty-horse power, in complete running order, with boiler and all necessary gearing attached. Apply to WM. J. HARLAN, No. 76 and 11 Trinity Building, New York, or to NICHOLS & HILL, Masonic Building, Pottsville. June 2, '66—22-tf

☞ ON AND AFTER 4th June, 1866, Mr. ALBRIGHT will run an Express to Pottsville, for the accommodation of merchants and others. Orders either sent by mail or by the Messenger will be attended to promptly—charges, moderate. Persons sending orders by mail will please give instructions to ship by ALBRIGHT'S EXPRESS, 306 Race Street, Philadelphia. Office at Pottsville, MORRIS ROBINSON'S Store, Market Street above Third.
June 2, '66 22-3t*

☞ PARTNERSHIP.—I have this day admitted Mr. H. S. THOMPSON as a partner with me in the general Hardware Business, which will hereafter be conducted under the style of LEWIS C. THOMPSON & CO., at the old stand, corner of Centre and Market Sts. LEWIS C. THOMPSON.
June 2, '66 22-6t

☞ NOTICE.—A suitable reward will be given to any person who gives the necessary information to convict the person or persons who broke into and stole various articles from the Good Intent Engine House. Among the articles stolen is a Copper Branch Pipe, which can be readily identified.
June 2, '66—22-3t BY ORDER OF COMPANY.

☞ DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers under the firm name of BEDDALL & ROBERTSON is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All matters connected with the late firm will be settled by either of the undersigned.—Parties having claims against the late firm are requested to present them at once for settlement.
THOMAS BEDDALL,
ANDREW ROBERTSON.
Pottsville, May 28th, 1866 22-6t

☞ DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—Notice is hereby given that the Partnership lately existing between John A. Hennessy and James Duffy, under the firm name of HENNESSY & DUFFY, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.
All debts due to said firm are to be received by said John A. Hennessy, and all demands on said firm are to be presented to him for payment.
JOHN A. HENNESSY,
JAMES DUFFY.
May 29th, 1866.

THE undersigned hereby announces to his patrons, that he will carry on the business of the late firm at the old stand. JOHN A. HENNESSY.
June 2, '66 22 3t

☞ NOTICE.—All persons are hereby notified that trespassing upon any part of the premises in my possession, in the Township of Cass or in the Borough of Minersville, either with dogs, cattle or other animals, or tramping upon or travelling over the same for the purpose of hunting, gunning, or otherwise, is strictly prohibited, and any person found upon or in any of my enclosures after this date, will be prosecuted for such trespass. JOHN R. DAVIS.
Cass Township, May 23, '66 21 3t*

☞ NOTICE.—Having bought the patent right in Schuylkill and Northumberland counties for the sale of J. B. HAYDEN'S PATENT STEEL SOLE, all persons are notified not to infringe upon my right by offering these Soles for sale within said counties.
I manufacture shoes with these soles at the lowest rates. EDWARD MORRISON,
Railroad street, Pottsville, near the Schuylkill Lumber Company. April 7, '66 14-3m*

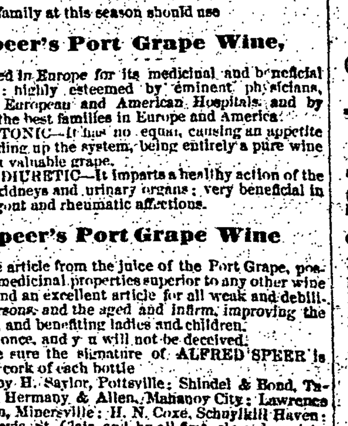
☞ DRY GOODS AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.—M. R. NICHOLS has just opened a large and well selected stock of New Seasonable Dry Goods, bought at the recent decline, and which he offers at very low prices for Cash. Give him a call. Town Hall Store, Centre Street. April 7, '66—14-tf

☞ PATENT IMPROVEMENT OF STEAM USE.—To all whom it may Concern:—For and in consideration of $—— in hand, paid by JAMES WREN of the Borough of Pottsville, County of Schuylkill, to Lewis Eikenberry of Philadelphia, the receipt whereof has been acknowledged, the said Eikenberry has sold to said JAMES WREN the right to apply it in the County of Schuylkill, State of Pennsylvania, on all Steam Engines now in use or that may hereafter be used, Lewis Eikenberry's Improved Cut-off for Economizing Steam by Expansion—(for which letters patent, dated November 19, 1861, have been granted to the said Lewis Eikenberry by the United States.) All persons desirous of information regarding the benefit of this Valve can receive the same at my office in Coal street. The benefit of this Valve to all persons using Steam Engines is from 20 to 40 per cent. on the best engines built. It can be applied to all old engines.
Machinists are requested to take part in this important improvement. They can secure from me the use for building new engines and also for putting the improvement on old engines. They can see the motion at my works in Coal street, where I have it on my engine working to the savings herein stated. It also can be seen at Ruch & Evans's Mill, at Atkins & Bros.'s and Palo Alto Rolling Mill. JAMES WREN,
Washington Iron Works,
Pottsville, Feb. 27, '66 9-tf

☞ Office of the Lehigh Valley Rail Road Company, NO 412 WALNUT ST., PHILADELPHIA.—NOTICE.—The Stockholders of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company are hereby notified that under and by virtue of an Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act relating to Railroad Companies," passed the 15th day of May, A. D. 1861, the Directors of the Lehigh and Mahanoy Railroad Company and the Directors of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, have entered into a joint agreement under the corporate seal of each of said Companies for the consolidation of said Companies and merger of the said The Lehigh and Mahanoy Railroad Company, prescribing the terms and conditions thereof, and the manner of converting the capital stock of the said Lehigh and Mahanoy Railroad Company into the stock of the said Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, and containing all such other provisions as have been deemed necessary to perfect the said consolidation and merger, and that the said agreement will be submitted to the Stockholders of the said Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, for the purpose of considering and voting by ballot in person or by proxy, for the adoption or rejection of the same, each share entitling the holder thereof to one vote, at a meeting of the Stockholders, to be held on the Twelfth day of June, A. D. 1866, at the office of the said Lehigh Valley Railroad Company at No. 412 Walnut street, in the City of Philadelphia, at 10 o'clock M. of said day, at which time and place and for the object aforesaid, all the Stockholders of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company are notified to attend.
This notice being given in compliance with the provisions of the Second Section of the Act of Assembly aforesaid. L. CHAMBERLAIN, Secretary.
Philadelphia, May 22d, A. D. 1866. 21 3t

☞ Office of the Lehigh and Mahanoy Railroad Company, NO. 308 WALNUT ST., PHILADELPHIA.—NOTICE.—The Stockholders of the Lehigh and Mahanoy Railroad Company are hereby notified that under and by virtue of an Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act relating to Railroad Companies," passed the 15th day of May, A. D. 1861, the Directors of the Lehigh and Mahanoy Railroad Company and the Directors of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company have entered into a joint agreement under the corporate seal of each of said Companies, for the consolidation of said Companies and merger of the said Lehigh and Mahanoy Railroad Company, prescribing the terms and conditions thereof, and the manner of converting the capital stock of the said Lehigh and Mahanoy Railroad Company into the stock of the said Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, and containing all such other provisions as have been deemed necessary to perfect the said consolidation and merger, and that the said agreement will be submitted to the stockholders of the said Lehigh and Mahanoy Railroad Company for the purpose of considering and voting by ballot, in person or by proxy, for the adoption or rejection of the same, each share entitling the holder thereof to one vote, at a meeting of the said Stockholders, to be held on the Twelfth day of June, 1866, at the Office of the said The Lehigh and Mahanoy Railroad Company at No. 308 Walnut street, in the City of Philadelphia, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at which time and place and for the object aforesaid, all the Stockholders of the Lehigh and Mahanoy Railroad Company are notified to attend.
This notice being given in compliance with the provisions of the second Section of the Act of Assembly aforesaid. CHAS. HARTSHORNE, President.
Philadelphia, May 22d, A. D. 1866 21-3t

SPEER'S PORT GRAPE WINE!
PURE AND FOUR YEARS OLD.
For the Communion Table and Family Use.
PRESCRIBED BY PHYSICIANS FOR
Females,
Weakly Persons,
And Invalids.
The Great Remedy for Kidney Affections,
RHEUMATISM,
AND ALL CHRONIC DISEASES.



EXCELLENT WINE FOR FEMALES!

Every family at this season should use

Speer's Port Grape Wine,

Celebrated in Europe for its medicinal and beneficial qualities; highly esteemed by eminent physicians, used in European and American Hospitals, and by some of the best families in Europe and America.
AS A TONIC—It has no equal, causing an appetite and building up the system, being entirely a pure wine of a most valuable grape.
AS A DIURETIC—It imparts a healthy action of the glands, kidneys and urinary organs; very beneficial in dropsy, gout and rheumatic affections.

Speer's Port Grape Wine

Is a pure article from the juice of the Port Grape, possessing medicinal properties superior to any other wine in use, and an excellent article for all weak and debilitated persons, and the aged and infirm, improving the appetite, and benefiting ladies and children.
Try it once, and you will not be deceived.
☞ Be sure the signature of ALFRED SPEER is over the cork of each bottle.
Sold by H. Saylor, Pottsville; Shindel & Bond, Tamaqua; Hermany & Allen, Mahanoy City; Lawrence & Brown, Minersville; H. N. Coxe, Schuylkill Haven; H. B. Davis, St. Clair, and by all first class druggists, who also sell the CASTELIA PORT BRANDY, a choice old article, imported only by Mr. Speer, direct from the Valley of Oporto.
Trade supplied by wholesale druggists in New York and Philadelphia, and by A. SPEER, at his Vineyard in New Jersey.
PRINCIPAL OFFICE—208 Broadway, N. Y.
May 12, '66 19-1y

WHALE OIL, LIQUID SOAP in cans, for sale at B. BANNAN'S Seed Store, Pottsville.

INSURANCE.

NEW YORK
ACCIDENTAL INSURANCE COMPANY,
141 Broadway, N. Y.
Cash Capital..................$250,000
Insures against Accidents of all kinds.

GENERAL ACCIDENTS include the Traveling Risk, and also all forms of Dislocations, Broken Bones, Sprains, Bruises, Cuts, Gunshot Wounds, Burns and Scalds, Bites of Dogs, Assaults by Burglars, Robbers or Murderers—the action of Lightning or Sun Stroke, the effects of explosion, Floods and Suffocation by Drowning or Choking.
EDWD. GREENE, Secy. WM. A. BAYLEY, Prest.
HENRY A. BILLS, General Agent.
ROBERT C. HILL, Agt., Pottsville.
Oct. 21, '65. 42-1y

ANTHRACITE
FIRE INSURANCE CO.
OF PHILADELPHIA.
JAS. M. BEATTY, Agt. for Pottsville.
April 28, '66 17-3t

METROPOLITAN
FIRE INSURANCE CO., N. Y.
Cash Capital..................$1,000,000
Assets over..................650,000
JAMES LORIMER GRAHAM, President.
J. C. GOODRIDGE, Secretary.
D. BEVERIDGE, Agent for Schuylkill County, will receive applications and issue Policies.
☞ Losses promptly adjusted.

Wyoming Fire Insurance Co.
OF WILKESBARRE.
Assets..................$150,000
President—G. W. HOLLENBACK.
Vice President—L. D. SHOEMAKER.
Secretary—R. C. SMITH.
DAVID BEVERIDGE, Agt.
For Schuylkill Co., Office, CENTRE STREET, Pottsville. [April 22, '65.—16-tf] July 29, '65—30–

INSURANCE.
F. B. KAERCHER,
General Insurance Agent.
Office Pennsylvania Hall, Pottsville, Pa.
LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.
Cash Capital and Assets..................$16,000,000
Invested in the United States over..........$1,500,000

HOME INSURANCE COMPANY,
New Haven, Connecticut.
Cash Capital..................$500,000
Surplus Jan. 1st, 1865..................$159,070 98
Insurance effected in the best Companies on favorable terms. Losses promptly adjusted and paid without delay. April 15, '65.—15-

NIAGARA
FIRE INSURANCE CO.
OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
OFFICE—No. 12 Wall Street.
CASH CAPITAL..................$1,000,000 00
SURPLUS..................246,831 30
P. NOTMAN, Secretary. J. D. STEELE, President.
HENRY KIP, Superintendent of Agencies.
ROBERT C. HILL,
Agent at Pottsville, Pa.,
Who is authorized to issue Policies in the above reliable Company.
Jan 20, '66 3-6m

PHŒNIX INSURANCE COMP'NY
OF HARTFORD, CONN.
Capital Stock,..................$600,000 00
Assets, Jan. 1st, 1866..........1,006,790 33
W. S. SHEAFER, Agt., Pottsville, Pa.
Feb 24, '66 8-1y

LORILLARD
FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
104 Broadway, New York.
Cash Capital..................$1,000,000
Assets..................1,375,850
W. S. SHEAFER, Agt., Pottsville, Pa.
Feb 24, '66 8-1y

SPRINGFIELD
FIRE AND MARINE
INSURANCE COMPANY,
SPRINGFIELD, MASS.
Cash Capital..................$300,000
WM. CONNER, Jr., Secty. EDMUND FREEMAN, Prest.
CHARLES E. LANE, General Agent.
WALTER S. SHEAFER, Agent.
Feb 24, '66 8-1y

AETNA INSURANCE CO.
Incorporated 1819. Charter Perpetual.
Paid up Capital..................$2,250,000 00
Amount of Assets..................4,067,456 00
Losses Paid in 45 Years....$17,485,894 71
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ORCHARD AND NURSERY.

He who has planted trees has done well, but he who has watched them and cared for their early growth, has done better. There would be very little to be said about pruning were the young trees properly looked after. The rubbing off of a superfluous bud here, pinching a rampant shoot there, and the judicious use of the pocket knife as occasion required, would soon put a young orchard in the way it should go. But as people will let trees have their own way until they need

PRUNING, we are obliged to accept pruning the cutting off of large limbs, as one of the operations that must be done. This and the next are the months in which to do it, as now in the growing season the wounds heal over "kindly." Never cut a limb from a tree unless something is to be gained by it. Indiscriminate hacking merely because it is the pruning season, is not to be commended. If the head is too crowded and there is not room for the light and air, thin it; if one branch grows so near another as to chafe it, take it out; if the tree is disposed to grow one-sided, balance it. Use a saw with a wide "set," never an axe, though sometimes a heavy chisel driven up from below, will prove efficient. Leave a smooth cut, by paring carefully with knife or chisel if need be. The wound will heal over all the better if covered from the air. The old solution of shellac in alchohol is an excellent application, but the price of materials is too high to allow of the general use, and

GRAFTING WAX, applied warm with a brush is a very useful substitute. One part tallow, two of wax, four of rosin, melted together and applied while warm, will answer the purpose. The composition may be made harder or softer by altering the proportion of tallow. In shaping

YOUNG TREES, to form low heads, if only for the protection the overhanging branches afford to the trunk.

GRAFTS, set this Spring will now show where they have "taken." In common cleft grafting there are usually two cions set in, but seldom more than one is needed. Cut off the superfluous one, and if the upper buds of the one allowed to grow are disposed to starve the lower ones, shorten them by pinching. In short, treat a graft as if it were a newly planted young tree. Keep the wax or clay closely applied, until the wound is well covered.

INSECTS will demand much of the attention of the fruit grower at this time. One of the most conspicuous of these is the Tent Caterpillar. If, as we advised in season, the eggs were looked for and removed, the number of tents will be sensibly less. We have probably a dozen letters giving the writers' method of treating this caterpillar; they all result in destroying the nest and killing the inhabitants. Kerosene on a swab, soft soap on a swab and a torch of kerosene to burn them out are among the remedies proposed. As good a way as we have ever seen, is to pull off the nest and trample on it, wearing gloves if you are squeamish about caterpillars. Or, if the nest is, as is often the case, on a small twig, cut it off, but don't omit the trampling. Fires in the orchard at night will attract and destroy many moths, and some place lamps or lanterns in large pans of water. The insects strike against the glass and fall into the water and are drowned.

BUDS set last year will now be pushing a growth so vigorous, that there is great danger that it will be broken down by winds, or by its own weight. It should be tied to the stump of the stock left for that purpose, or if necessary to a stake. All

SUCKERS, whether they appear on budded or grafted stocks or on established trees, should be rubbed off when they first appear. If the

BLACK KNOT appears on the plum or cherry tree, cut it off and burn it. This is a regular fungous growth and should not be left to insects who have enough other mischief to answer for. It has been ignorantly charged to the account of the

CURCULIO, which will perhaps deposit its eggs in it in default of finding fruit. Treat the curculio in the only practical way. Jar every tree early in the morning, catch the insects that fall upon a sheet, and burn them. As soon as the new growth of shrubs gets firm enough,

LAYERS may be made. Put the layer down in rich soil, and if at all disposed to dry out, cover the surface with a mulch of moss, or other material.

SEED BEDS of fruit and other trees will need weeding, and thinning, and often, especially in the case of forest and evergreens, need shading. If seedling evergreens are disposed to damp off, sift over the bed a inch or so of dry sand.

EVERGREENS may still be transplanted, if the roots are properly kept from drying.—They may also be pruned into shape. Always keep the upper branches from overhanging the lower. They bear the free cutting, and may be dwarfed and cut at will.—Clean culture is as necessary for shrubs as trees as for corn and potatoes, and pays as well; therefore destroy

WEEDS, by the use of the cultivator, hoe, rake, or hand, weeding as circumstances require.

Recipes.

CHEAP CAKE.—One pint of flour, one egg, one cup of sugar, butter as large as the bowl of a spoon, milk to make stiff as poundcake, one teaspoonful of cream of tartar, half spoonful of soda.

SPONGE CAKE.—One cup of sugar, one of flour, three eggs, beat fifteen minutes, then add essence of lemon, one teaspoonful of cream of tartar, half teaspoonful of soda dissolved in a half of cup of milk.

CAKE.—One cup of butter, four of flour, four eggs, three cups of sugar, one of sweet milk, one of currants, one teaspoonful of cream of tartar, half a teaspoonful of soda, nutmeg, lemon, or vanilla. This makes two loaves; two cups of sugar will do.

FRUIT CAKE.—Two cups of butter, three of sugar, one of molasses, two pounds of raisins, two pounds of currants, one pound of citron, ten eggs, one tumbler of cream, one half tumbler of brandy, one teaspoonful of saleratus, spice of all kinds.

LEMON TARTS.—Mix well together the juice and grated rinds of two large lemons, half a pound of powdered loaf sugar, two eggs, and the crum of two sponge cakes; beat it thoroughly smooth, and put it into twelve patty pans, lined with a light puff paste; bake them until the crust is done.

QUAKING PUDDING.—Well beat eight eggs, add to them the grated crumbs of a stale bread roll, two spoonfuls of ground rice, a little nut-meg and orange-flower water. Mix it smoothly together with a quart of new milk. Put it into a floured cloth, tie it rather loose, plunge it into boiling water, and boil it briskly for one hour. Serve with red or white wine sauce.

CUSTARD FRITTERS.—Beat yolks of four eggs with a desertspoonful of flour, a little nutmeg, salt, and brandy; add half a pint of cream; sweeten it to taste, and bake it in a small dish for a quarter of an hour. When cold, cut it into quarters, and dip them in a batter made with a quarter of a pint each of milk and cream, the whites of four eggs, a little flour, and a good bit of grated ginger; fry them of a nice brown; grate sugar over them, and serve them as hot as possible.