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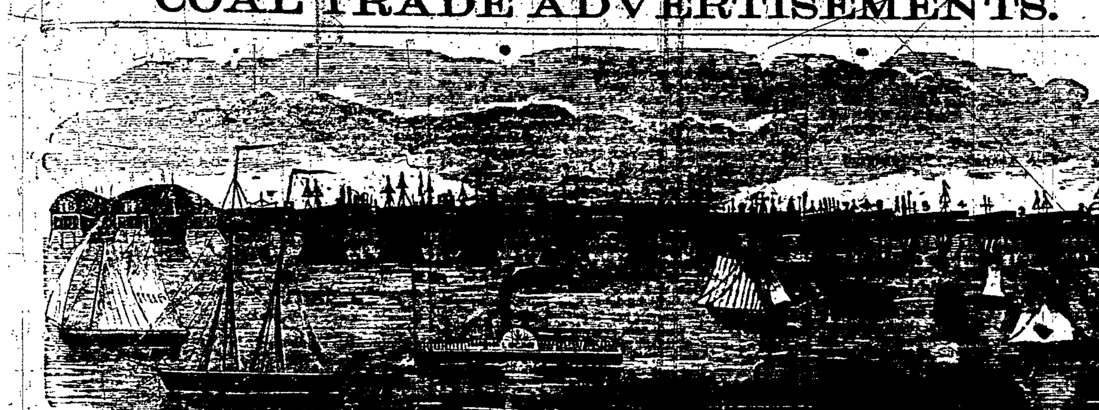

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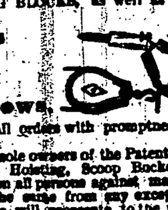

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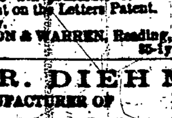

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Princeton, June 10, '67 24-

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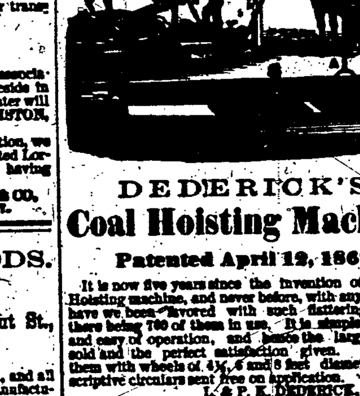
One 40-horse power Steam Engine with Pump Gearing and 7 foot Hoisting Drum. The Shafts are all wrought iron.
One 12-horse power Engine with Flue Boiler and all connections in good order.
One 10 horse Portable Engine in first rate order.
Steam Boilers of the following dimensions:
2 second-hand Boilers, 43 inch diameter, 22 feet long
4 " " 34 " " 30 " "
4 " " 24 " " 30 " "
2 " " 24 " " 12 " "
6 " " 30 " " 20 " "
2 new " 30 " " 20 " "
2 " " 34 " " 26 " "
One second-hand Flue Boiler, 30 inch diameter, 12 foot long with two 10 inch flues.
Two water Boilers on wheels, all complete.
Two Smoke Stacks.
Twenty-six large Drift Cars, 44 inch gauge.
Two Dump Cars.
Four sets of Breaker Rolls, different sizes.
Five Hoisting Drums from 5 to 10 feet diameter, several heavy Pump Wheels and Shafts.
A lot of 6 inch column Pipe.
A lot of 3 inch Hobby Pipe.
One 14 inch Pole Pump complete, with 90 yards of Column Pipe.
A one ton Platform Scale.
One Lever Punch for screen or boiler work. A lot of Schute Gates, Slides and Dust Screens; several large wrought Iron Shafts; also about 40 tons of new T Rail, 22 lbs. to the yard.
Machinery Depot, on Coal Street, JABEZ SPARKS.
Aug. 10, '67 32-

VERY DESIRABLE COAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—The Executors of James Dundas, Deceased, and the Executors of William Richardson, deceased, will sell all that valuable tract of coal land known as the "Catherine Groh" Tract, Situate in Cass and Foster Townships, Schuylkill County, Pennsylvania.
This tract contains 424 acres, almost all of which are underlaid with proven seams of coal. The tract has three distinct basins on it, viz:—The First or Southern Basin, between the Mine Hill and Peaked Mountain; the Middle or Great Basin, between the Peaked Mountain and Broad Mountain, and the Inverted or Jugular Basin on the Broad Mountain. The course of the veins average about 1100 yards.
The Middle Basin contains ALL the known veins from the "Big Orchard" down to the first in the series of the measure, including the MAMMOTH—being ten veins in all, of the aggregate thickness of over seventy feet.
There are now two first class collieries on the tract, viz: The "Glen Carbon"—under lease, which expires October, 1871—and "The Peaked Mountain,"—the lease of which expired 1st of January, 1867, and which is now untenanted. There is ample capacity for a third colliery in the First or Southern Basin, whose operations for years would be above water level. The improvements, which will be sold with the lease, consist of one new, large, powerful Cornish Pumping Engine, 500 horse power, built by Mr. Vastine of Pottsville, with all its appurtenances, in complete order, four fifty horse-power and one sixty-horse power Hoisting and Pumping Engines, 82 Miners' Houses, one large Stone Store and Dwelling House, Reservoir, Water Pipes, Stables, and various other valuable properties.
Besides this estate in fee, the undersigned will sell along with it the right possessed by this estate to mine coal above water level on the adjacent lands of the Forest Improvement Company between certain points.
For further information, parties contemplating a purchase, are invited to call at the office of the undersigned, where they may examine the inventory, maps, surveys and Engineer's report of this tract. The terms of sale will be made very liberal.
JOSHUA LIPPINCOTT, RICHARD SMETHURST, J. DUNDAS LIPPINCOTT, Executors of James Dundas, Deceased, 400 Prune St., Philadelphia.
GEORGE J. RICHARDSON, J. B. OKIE, THOMAS WEBSTER, THOMAS SPARKS, RICHARD SMETHURST, Executors and Trustees of Wm. Richardson, Deceased, No. 250 South 4th street, Philadelphia, or to CHARLES M. HILL, Real Estate Agent, Pottsville.
January 19, 1867. 3-



DEDERICK'S Coal Hoisting Machine
Patented April 12, 1862.
It is now five years since the invention of our Coal Hoisting machine, and never before, with any machine, have we been favored with such flattering success, there being 780 of them in use. It is simple, durable, and easy of operation, and hence the large number sold and the perfect satisfaction given. We make them with wheels of 4½, 6 and 8 feet diameter. Descriptive circulars sent free on application. L. & P. K. DEDERICK, Albany Agricultural and Machine Works, Albany, N.Y.
Aug 17 '67 33-1y

INSTRUCTION ON THE PIANO. Prof. H. A. BECKER Has taken rooms in the building on Market st., Pottsville, occupied by Mr. Linewever, dentist, where pupils will be instructed on the piano forte.
Feb 16, '67 7-

MINERS' SUPPLIES.—The subscribers are Agents 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, at the Miners' Supply and Hardware Store. [illegible] SAFETY LAMPS, of the most approved patterns, made of inspected Government Wire, by the single dozen, or hundred. Wire Gauze, Wire by the coil or yard always on hand by BANNAN & RAMSEY.

D. J. RIDGWAY & SON, COAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, Pottsville, Pa.,
Will purchase for any parties wishing any kind of Coal raised in Schuylkill County. A reasonable commission will be charged.
Aug. 3, '67—31- D. J. RIDGWAY & SON.

IRON WORKS.

SHENANDOAH IRON WORKS.—The subscriber is now prepared to build Steam Engines, Pumps, Coal Breakers and Drift Cars. All kinds of castings and forgings made to order. Especial attention paid to the manufacture of Car Wheels. JOHN CATHER.
Shenandoah City, April 1, '67 14-1y

THE PALO ALTO IRON CO. are prepared to furnish T RAILROAD IRON,—weighing from 20 to 70 pounds per yard—STREET RAILS—from 18 to 68 pounds per yard, to suit either for horse cars or locomotives.—All these rails are of the LATEST AND MOST APPROVED PATTERNS.—Also a general assortment of MERCHANT BAR IRON, Rounds, Flats, Squares, Oval, Half Round and Grooved, HOOP AND BAND IRON, CAR AXLES, RAILROAD CHAIRS, FISH PLATES AND HOOK SPIKES, for rails. ROLLS made of the best brands of cold Blast charcoal iron, ready for use, either for T rails, street rails or bar iron. Also all kinds of CASTINGS FOR ROLLING MILLS. We also invite attention to our DIFFERENT PATTERNS OF SHEARS, for cutting old rails, puddled iron, &c., &c. BENJ. HAYWOOD, President. Office corner 2d and Market Sts., Pottsville, Pa.
Jan 26, '67 4-

POTTSVILLE ROLLING MILL. ATKINS BROTHERS, Proprietors, Pottsville, Schuylkill County, Penna., Manufacturers of Railroad Iron (both T and Street Rails) are prepared to receive and execute orders at short notice, for any and all the ordinary sizes in use. Making our own pig metal, we are careful to select suitable ores; buyers can therefore rely upon receiving in all cases first class rails. The smaller sizes of T Rails, 22, 25, 28, 32, and 40 pounds to the yard, always on hand, and supplied in small lots as wanted.
Pottsville, October 15th. 42-

BALDWIN LOCOMOTIVE WORKS. M. BAIRD & COMPANY, Broad and Hamilton streets, Philadelphia, Penna., Would call the attention of Railroad Managers, and those interested in Railroad Property, to their system of Locomotive Engines, in which they are adapted to the particular business for which they may be required; by the use of one, two, three or four pair of driving wheels; and the use of the whole, or so much of the weight as may be desirable for adhesion; and in accommodating them to the grades, curves, strength of superstructure, and rail and work to be done. By these means the maximum useful effect of the power is secured with the least expense for attendance, cost of fuel, and repairs to Road and Engine. With these objects in view, and as the result of twenty-three years practical experience in the business by our senior partner, we manufacture five different kinds of Engines, and several classes of sizes of each kind.—Particular attention paid to the strength of the machine and workmanship of all the details. Our long experience and opportunities of obtaining information, enables us to offer these engines with the assurance that in efficiency, economy and durability, they will compare favorably with those of any other kind in use. We also furnish to order, wheels, axles, bowling or low moor tire (to fit centres without boring,) composition castings for bearings of every description of Copper, Sheet Iron and Boiler Works; and every article appertaining to the repair or renewal of Locomotive Engines. M. BAIRD, GEO. BURNHAM, CHAS. T. PARRY.
Jan 1, '66—1-tf

GRANT IRON WORKS, MAHANOY CITY.—The subscriber, having his works completed and in full operation, with heavy machinery and tools of the latest improvement, is now prepared to do all kinds of mining machinery, steam engines of any size for hoisting and pumping, single and double acting, of the latest improvement, pumping in slopes or shafts, with Cornish pump, all kinds of coal breakers, with chilled or plain teeth, all kinds of wrought iron forgings for drift cars, machinery, furnaces of cold or hot blast, with an improved blowing cylinder and blast pipes, and rolling mills with the two or three high rolls, with the latest improved furnaces for puddling or heating, all kind of saw mill castings for circular or upright saws, brass work of every description cast and finished, and railroad castings of all sizes for mines or railroads. The subscriber having had a long experience in the machine business in this region, and a practical mechanic, he is well known as one of the late firm of Wren and Brother, of the Washington Iron Works, Pottsville, trusts that prompt attention to business will procure for him the patronage of his old friends of the mining region, and elsewhere. THOMAS WREN Mahanoy City.
April 21, '66 16-tf

TO COAL OPERATORS & MINERS.—Pioneer Boiler Works. The subscribers respectfully invite the attention of the business community to their Boiler Works, on Railroad Street, below the Passenger Depot, Pottsville, where they are prepared to manufacture BOILERS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION. Smoke Stacks, Air Stacks, Blast Pipes, Gasometers, Drift Cars, &c., &c. Boilers on hand.
Being practical mechanics, and having for years devoted themselves entirely to this branch of the business, flatter themselves that work done at their establishment will give satisfaction to all who may favor them with a call. Individuals and Companies will find it greatly to their advantage to examine their work before engaging elsewhere. JOHN T. NOBLE, MATHEW RHODA.
Jan 1, '67—1-

WASHINGTON IRON WORKS. NOTICE.—The works of the late firm of Wren & Bro., known as the "WASHINGTON IRON WORKS," located on Coal street, in the Borough of Pottsville, will be continued by the subscriber in all its various branches, viz: Steam Engine building, and all kinds of Machinery for mining either coal or ore; blast furnaces of hot or cold blast; all kinds of railroad castings and railroad car fixtures of wrought and cast iron; all kinds of brass castings; all kinds of smithwork, and all sizes of improved pumps, single and double acting. Repairing promptly attended to and neatly executed. By careful attention to business the subscriber trusts he will receive a share of the public patronage so liberally bestowed on the late firm. JAMES WREN.
Pottsville, September 1, 1865. 36-

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

ASHLAND IRON WORKS. The subscribers are now fully prepared to furnish, at the Ashland Iron Works, Steam Engines and Pumps of any power and capacity, for mining and other purposes, Coal Breakers of every size and pattern now in use, together with castings and forgings of every description. Coal and Drift Cars of all sizes and patterns, large Truck and Horse Cars, all furnished at the shortest notice. The subscribers being a practical mechanic, they will be able to furnish machinery that will compare favorably with any in the Region. All orders directed to J. & M. Garner, Ashland, Schuylkill County, Pa., will receive prompt attention. J. & M. GARNER.
Ashland, July 9, '66. 28-

FOUNDRY AND MACHINE SHOP, Steam Car Factory, &c. NOTICE.—The business of the late firm of SNYDER & MILNES, will be continued by the subscriber in all its various branches of Steam Engine building, Iron Founder, and manufacturer of all kinds of Machinery, for Rolling Mills, Blast Furnaces, Railroad Cars, &c., &c. He will also continue the business of Mining and Selling the celebrated Pine Forest White Ash and Lewis and Spohn Veins Red Ash Coals, being sole proprietor of these Collieries. GEORGE W. SNYDER.
January 31, '66 5-tf

BOILERS AND STACKS. The subscriber is prepared to execute orders for the above articles, with dispatch, at the old place of business, Coal Street, below Norwegian; 20 feet boilers always on hand. Also, the manufacturer of Coal and Other Shovels. Of the best material and workmanship. Repairs promptly attended to. Fans for mining ventilation always on hand. JABEZ SPARKS.
Pottsville, August 27, '65 35-1y

THE MOUNT CARMEL IRON COMPANY, MOUNT CARMEL, NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY, PA. ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAW OF JULY 18TH, 1863. IRON AND BRASS FOUNDRY, Machine, Screen, and Car Shops.
This Company is composed of Practical Mechanics in all the branches, and will faithfully fill all orders for work entrusted to them. We are using Jonas Laubenstein's Patent for making Square-Iron Woven Screens. JONAS LAUBENSTEIN, Prest. HOWELL GREEN, Supt.
'67 18-tf

LEGAL CARDS.

CO-PARTNERSHIP.—The undersigned have formed a Co-partnership as Attorneys at Law, under the name of BANNAN & SON. JOHN BANNAN, THOS. R. BANNAN.
Pottsville, Feb 6, 1867—6-

A. W. SCHALCK, Attorney at Law. OFFICE:—Centre St., below Express Office. Can be consulted in German. April 7, '67—14-6m

JOHN W. BICKEL, Attorney at Law, Pottsville, Pa. (Office with Hon. F. W. Hughes, Centre street.) Can be consulted in English and German. Dec 15, '66 50-tf

BENJAMIN H. McCOOL, Attorney at Law. OFFICE—Mahantongo Street above Centre. March 19, '64.—12-tf

H. CLAY BERGSTRESSER, Attorney at Law, Ashland, Schuylkill County, Pa. Office—On Centre street, opposite the Post Office. Sept. 24, '64. 39-

MASON WEIDMAN, Attorney at Law, Office:—Centre Street, rooms formerly occupied by George DeB. Keim. March 30, '67—13-1y

WILLIAM R. SMITH.
CAMPBELL & SMITH, Attorneys at Law. OFFICE—Centre Street, opposite White Horse Hotel, Pottsville, Pa. June 26, '63 26-

CHRISTOPHER LITTLE, Attorney at Law, and Notary Public, (Authorized by Law to administer affidavits, &c. and to take depositions, and acknowledgments of deeds, mortgages, powers of Attorney, &c.) POTTSVILLE, SCHUYLKILL CO., PA. LAW AND COLLECTION OFFICE, Mahantongo St. opposite Post Office.) July 11, '63.

J. W. ROSEBERRY, Attorney-at-Law, has removed his Office to the second floor, front room, above B. Bannan's Bookstore, on Centre St. Pottsville, Feb 14, '67—7-

JAMES H. CAMPBELL, Attorney at Law, Rooms 16 and 15 Penn Building, No. 430 Walnut St., Philadelphia. In addition to practice in the Courts of Philadelphia, will attend to law business in Schuylkill Co., Pa. Nov. 16, '67 46-

PATRICK COMEFORD, COOPER, And Dealer in all sorts of CEDAR AND WOODEN WARE. 196 Centre Street, Pottsville. Inventor of a new and economical WINE PRESS; also of the new and important spiral motion CHURN. Orders respectfully solicited.
July 13, '67 28-6m

HORSE BLANKETS of every style and variety and at every price, at BRIGHT & CO'S Hardware Store, Pottsville.
Oct 12, '67—41-

RAILROADS.

LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD.—'67
Summer Arrangement.
TRAINS ON THE LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD ON AND AFTER MONDAY, APRIL 29th, 1867, will run in connection with the several roads running to Wilkesbarre, New York and Philadelphia, as follows:

DOWN TRAINS.

STATIONS. Leave	No. 2, P. M.	No. 4, A. M.	No. 5, A. M.	No. 7, P. M.	No. 9 †, A. M.
Wilkesbarre			8.00	1.30	
Mount Carmel			7.30		
Mahanoy City			8.40	2.15	
Mauch Chunk		4.38	10.18	4.25	
Allentown		6.00	11.43	5.55	
Bethlehem	12.38	6.15	11.55	6.10	1.02
Easton	1.05	6.44	12.25	6.40	1.42
Philadelphia		9.15	2.30	8.40	
New York		10.19	3.15	10.25	5.00
			P. M.		

†Cincinnati Express, daily.

UP TRAINS.

STATIONS. Leave	No. 8, A. M.	No. 6, P. M.	No. 10, P. M.	No. 2*, A. M.	No. 4†, P. M.
New York	6.30	12.00	5.00	9.00	9.00
Philadelp'a	7.45		5.20		
Easton	9.47	3.25	8.00	11.52	10.54
Bethlehem	10.20	4.00	8.30	12.24	11.30
Allentown	10.37	4.15	8.45		
M. Chunk	12.05	5.50	10.15		
Ma'noy City	2.00	7.45			
Mt. Carmel		9.00			
Wilkesbarre	3.02	8.48			
	P. M.	P. M.			

*Fast Line. †Night Express, daily.

CONNECTIONS:

CENTRAL R. R. OF NEW JERSEY.
All Up and Down trains connect at Easton with the trains of the Central Railroad of New Jersey to and from New York.

MORRIS AND ESSEX RAILROAD.
Down trains Nos. 1, 3 and 5, and up trains Nos. 2, 8 and 10, connect at Easton with trains of the Morris and Essex Railroad to and from New York.

NORTH PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.
Down trains Nos. 1, 5 and 7, and up trains Nos. 2 and 8, connect at Bethlehem with trains for Philadelphia. Trains from Philadelphia connect at Bethlehem with down train No. 7, and with up trains Nos. 8 & 10.

EAST PENNSYLVANIA R. R.
Down trains Nos. 1 and 5, and up trains Nos. 2, 4, 6, and 10, connect at Allentown with trains for Reading and Harrisburg. Trains from Harrisburg and Reading connect at Allentown with all down trains.

BELVIDERE DELAWARE RAILROAD.
Down trains Nos. 1, 3 and 5 connect at Phillipsburg with trains for Philadelphia. Trains from Philadelphia connect at Phillipsburg with up trains Nos. 2 and 10, and trains from Belvidere connect with up trains Nos. 6 and 8.

CATAWISSA RAILROAD.
Down train No. 7, and up train No. 8, connect at Quakake Junction with trains of the Catawissa R. R.

HAZLETON RAILROAD.
Down trains Nos. 5 and 7, and up train No. 8, connect with trains of the Hazleton Railroad.

LEHIGH AND SUSQUEHANNA RAILROAD.
Down trains Nos. 5 and 7, and up trains Nos. 6 and 8, connect at White Haven with trains of the Lehigh and Susquehanna Railroad to and from Wilkesbarre, without change of cars between Wilkesbarre and New York. No change of cars between Wilkesbarre and Philadelphia on up train No. 8 and down train No. 5.
ROBERT H. SAYRE, Superintendent and Engineer L. V. R. R.
H. STANLEY GOODWIN, Ass't Gen'l Supt.
May 31, '66. 22-

HOTELS.

North-western House (late Daniel Hill,) Centre Street, Pottsville. Large accommodation for Drovers. WILLIAM STERNER, Proprietor.
June 16, 1866 24-

UNION HOTEL, (late EXCHANGE HOTEL,) CENTRE ST., POTTSVILLE, JACOB LINDENMUTH, Propr.
April 4, '63 14-1y

MERCHANTS' HOTEL, (Formerly White Horse Hotel,) Corner Centre and Mahantongo Streets, POTTSVILLE, PA. JOS. M. FEGER & Co., Proprietors.
Sept. 14, '67 37-1y

PENNSYLVANIA HALL, Pottsville, Pa.
The undersigned having REFITTED AND REFURNISHED IT THROUGHOUT IN THE MOST ELEGANT MANNER, Invites the Attention of the Traveling Public.
The Proprietor will spare no pains to maintain the character it has always enjoyed as being one of the best of the FIRST-CLASS HOTELS of the country, and those who favor him with their patronage may be assured that nothing will be left undone to secure the comfort and satisfaction of guests. WILLIAM WHITNEY.
June 16, '66 24-tf

UNITED STATES HOTEL, Broad Street, Tamaqua, Pa. D. H. WILCOX, Proprietor.
The United States Hotel is well and widely known to the traveling public. It is pleasantly located in the centre and business part of the town and near the Railroad Depot; it is well Furnished, and possesses every modern improvement for the comfort and entertainment of its inmates; the rooms are spacious and well ventilated; provided with gas and water; the attendance is prompt and respectful; and the Table is well Provided with the best the market affords. The Bar is stocked with the choicest liquors.
With a long experience as a hotel-keeper, the proprietor trusts, by moderate charges and a liberal policy, to receive a share of the public patronage.
July 1, '66 26-

HARDWARE.

LEWIS C. THOMPSON & Co., DEALERS IN HARDWARE, CUTLERY, IRON, TOOLS &c., CORNER CENTRE AND MARKET, "SIGN OF THE SAW." Pottsville, Pa.
March 17, '66 11-tf

BRIGHT & CO HARDWARE POTTSVILLE, PA
October 12, '67 41-

IRON AND STEEL, FLAT & ROUND WIRE ROPE, for Inclined Planes, SHIP RIGGING Etc., Etc., AND ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF WIRE, MANUFACTURED BY F. HAZARD, Mauch Chunk, Carbon Co., PENNSYLVANIA.
Feb 23, '67 8-1y*

BRIGHT & CO., DEALERS IN Hardware, Iron, Cutlery, Tools, Paints, Glass, &c., &c., NEARLY OPPOSITE THE MINERS' BANK, Pottsville, Pa.
Sept. 1, '66 35-

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 and improved planing 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, Balusters, Shutters, And all kinds of Framed, Planed 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 [illegible] White and Yellow Pine Boards for flooring, [illegible] White Pine plank, [illegible] Bills of sawed stuff and everything in their line on hand or to order, at the shortest notice.
Pottsville, March 28, '68 26-

REMOVAL. G. W. BECK Having removed from the store corner Market and Second streets, to the store between G. Dobson's and S. G. Beck's on Centre street, offers a large and varied assortment of [illegible]
July 6, '67 27-tf

MRS. GRAMMAR'S BALL.

Mrs Grammar, she gave a fine ball,
To the nine different parts of our speech;
To the big and the small,
To the short and the tall,
There were pies, plums and pudding for each.

And first little articles came,
In a hurry to make themselves known—
Fat A, An and The;
But none of the three
Could stand for a minute alone.

The Adjectives came to announce
That their dear friends, the Nouns, were at hand,
Rough, Rougher, Roughest,
Tough, Tougher, Toughest,
Fat, Merry, Good-natured, and Grand.

The Nouns were indeed on their way—
Tens of thousands and more, I should think,
For each name that we utter—
Shop, Shoulder, or Shutter—
Is a noun; Lady, Lion, and Link.

The Pronouns were following fast
To push the Nouns out of their places—
I, Thou, You and Me,
We, They, He and She,
With their merry, good-humored old faces.

Some cried, "Make way for the Verbs!"
A great crowd is coming in view—
To *bite* and to *smite*,
And to *light* and to *fight*,
To *be* and to *have* and to *do*.

The Adverbs attend on the Verbs,
Behind them as footmen they run;
As thus, to fight *badly*,
They run away *gladly*,
Shows how fighting and running were done.

Prepositions came—In, By and Near,
With Conjunctions, a poor little band,
As *either* you *or* me,
But *neither* they *nor* he,—
They held their great friends by the hand.

Then in with a hip, hip, hurrah!
Rushed Interjections uproarious—
"Oh dear! Well a day!"
When they saw the display,
"Ha! ha!" they all shouted out, "Glorious!"

—From Our Young Folks.

THE WISH.

BY CHARLOTTE F. BATES.

A little child white-robed for sleep
Is lying with upturned eyes;
The mother is singing: the moon looks in,
The little one dreamily cries:

"Come nearer, nearer me, great moon,
And make me just as bright
As the angels mother sings about
Are, up with God to-night."

A little child white-robed for sleep,
Is lying with closed eyes;
The mother is weeping: the moon looks in
On her who will never arise.

Nearer the great moon seems to come,
Wrapping her in its light—
Ay, brighter than moon or star, in heaven
She shines with God to-night.

[From the Toledo Blade.]

NASBY.

THE NOVEMBER ELECTIONS—HOW THE RESULT AFFECTED THE FAITHFUL IN KENTUCKY.

POST OFFIS, CONFEDRIT X ROADS, (wich is in the Stait of Kentucky,) November 10, 1867.

The Corners wuz prostrated with joy last nite at the receet uv the news uv the November elecshuns. Ther wuz nuthin demonstrative about our joy ez ther hed bin on occasions uv less interest. No! the result wuz too great, too overwhelminly great! Our nachers wuz filled with joy and it bubbled up to the eyes, and slopt over in floods of teers. Deekin Pogram's dawter Mirandy borrered a tamborine, wich wood answer for a timbrel, and attempted to dance down the street, after the fashion uv Miriam, singin, "Shout the glad tidens," et settry, but we rebookt her. Sich exultashen seemed to us inadekate.—The Deekin met me and fallin onto my neck, wept profoosely down my back, wich I stood ez long ez I cood bear the moistyer. Gently disengagin him, I led him to Bascom's fearin that so great a waste uv floods wood cut short the old saint's life, unless that waste cood be repaired. We supplied the deficiency to wunst. Never saw I sich a picter. The blessid old man sittin onto a bench, a glass uv hot whisky in his hand; his white hair a fallin scantily about his temples, and tears a runnin in rapid succession adown his frost-bitten nose, and glitterin a moment on the tip, droppin like strings uv pearls into the space below. It wuz tetchin.

The citizens met that evenin, not to rejoice, but to adopt sich measures for turning the victry to account ez the occasion seemed to demand. The Deekin wuz there, and I bleeve every white male citizen uv the Corners wuz in his seet afore the glad peals uv the bell hed ceased pealin. I assoomed the chair and in a few joodishus remarks stated the objeck uv the meetin. Noo York, I remarkt, hed spoken, and Noo Gersey, the blessed State uv which I had the honor to be a native, hed returned to her fust love. I wuz not now ashamed to own that I wuz a native of Noo Gersey. I am proud uv it, and were it not for the fact that I owe nearly half uv her citizens, in sums rangin from a half dollar up to eighteen, I wood return there to wunst. But I won't. It wood awaken expectations in their buzzums with wood never be fulfilled, and I'm too tender-hearted, too considrit uv the feelins uv others to lasserate ther feelins. I can't properly express my emoshuns. Thank heaven, the nigger is ourn. The Northern States hev spoken, and in thunder tones.—The Ethiopian wunst wuz on the top wave, but wher is he now? Two years ago he wuz needed—but now wher is he? The Ablishions don't need him no more to fill up their quotas; they don't need him no more to take their places in the next draft, and thank the Lord he's the same d—d nigger he allus wuz! The stink uv the nigger hez overcome ther gratitood to him—ther good feelin hez bin swamped by ther prejoodis.—The Dimocrisy uv the two sections uv the Yoonion hez rusht into each other's arms, the nigger wuz between em, and consekently is under our feet. What happinis for Kentucky! The nigger can't go North with the elecshen returns starin him in the face, and ef he stays here he must stay on our terms. Thank the Lord.

Deekin Pogram sed that he hedn't felt so good since his first wife died. He felt too good to speek, and the brethren wood excuse him ef his remarks shood be breef. ["We will!" "we will!" with grate yoonimanity.]—Four weeks ago, when I heard from Ohio and Pennsylvany, he hed to wunst drawed up a skedule uv the loss that hed been inflicted onto him by the tyranical edict uv the Illinoy Gorriller, a copy uv wich he wood read:

YOONITED STATES UV AMERIKY,
IN ACC'T WITH GABREL POGRAM. Dr.

To 1 nigger, Sam, 26 years old	$1,500
" 1 " Pompey, 30 "	1,300
" 1 " Scip, 30 "	1,400
" 1 " Peter, 40 "	1,000
To 1 lot miscellaneous niggers, 22 in number mostly crippled and not uv much akkount, hevin been flogd and chawed by dorgs, and injurd by bein knockt about the head and back, a disiplinin uv em, at say $500 each	11,000
To 1 nigger gal, Jane, 18 years old, nearly white, with bloo eyes and early hair, for wich I hed bin offered $2,500 to go to New Orleans	2,500
To other wenches uv all shades and ages, 12 in number, averagin say $500	6,000
	$24,700

This bill he had determined to put in, becoz uv this property he hed bin robbed. Last nite he heerd uv the result uv the Noo York and Noo Jersey elecshens, and he felt that more git wuz du him from the unconstooshenel government under wich we are forst to live. He wanted pay, not only for his twenty-four thousand dollars' worth uv niggers, but legle interest on the amount, from Emancipashen to date, incloodin wat he paid to hev the calculation made, and the interest figgered onto it, and he wanted it in gold, ez he considerd greenbax jist ez unconstooshnel ez emancipashen.

Issaker Gavitt remarkt that on behalf uv his father's estate he hed a claim on the oppressor. He hed made out no bill, ez yit, ez the nigger wich alluz did the figgerin for his father hed got to be impudent, and wood en't do it no more. But he shood get somebody who cood write to copy the Deekin's bill, wich wood anser, ez the two farms workt about the same number uv hands, tho uv fancy stock his father hed alluz kept the most, wich accountid for his bein more bald headed than the Deekin.

Kernel McPelter wantid no pay. He wantid his niggers. To accept pay wood be to acknollege the rite uv a Illinoy goriller to release em, wich he wood never do. He hed one—he saw her to-day—wich he wood hev back agin. Her and her husband, wich hed bin married sence they wuz torn from him, hed purchist ten akers uv ground up toards Garrettstown, and wuz a livin onto it. Uv course, ez the emancipashun was illegal, the produx ov their labor sence that time wuz hizzen, just the same ez though they remained in their normal condishen. The ten akers woodent make him good, but they hed two children born to em sence, wich, ef niggers brot any price wood do suthin toards it.

Bascom preferred to hev his Government pay ther valyoo, and let em stay free. He hed arrived at this conclooshen after givin the subjeck matoor considerashen. They all hed some property now—leastways, they cood all do wat they pleased with their money. Troo, the heft uv the proceeds uv their labor went to Pollock for dry goods and groceries and sich, but he bleeved that they wuz a imitative race. Ef so, and they followed the eggsample sot em by their white sooperiors, they would in time leave the heft uv it at his bar. He hed a few uv em under traisin now, and he notist that they wuz better customers than the whites, ez they didn't swaller their rashens, and tell him to "jist chalk it down."

A sense uv the meetin wuz then taken, and a majority voted to fust try to reduce these to their normal condishen, and ef that wuz decided to be impracticable, then we cood, with still better grace, demand ther valoo uv the Government.

"Yes," exclaimed Kernel McPelter, "and for this great work there is no better time than now. 'The Yoonion ez it wuz!' Foller me!"

And forthwith the entire congregashen piled out, rushin toward the nigger settlement, on the Garretstown road.

Arrivin at the settlement, a consultashen wuz held. It was decided that I shood advance to the doors uv the houses and demand surrender, but I declined. Kernel McPelter volunteered, and we all awaited the result.—He knocked at the door uv the first house.

"Wha' d'ye want?" exclaimed a voice.

"I want you," sed the Kernel.

"Wa' foah?"

"My frend," sed the Kernel impressively, "ef I recognize your dulcet tone yoor my nigger. Four years ago yoo wuz set free, yoo sposed, by Linkin, but we've done away with that. Come forth and give yoorself up; yoo shel, ef yoo go peaceably, hev yoor old quarters agin and be treated ez uv old."

"Go way, white man, and stop yoor foolin. Dis nigga's in bed."

"Break down the doors!" yelled the Deekin, "and hev done with it," and a rush wuz made.

The doors wuz broke down, and in a minit the nigger and his wife, and two children, wuz out in the street, bound, and the Kernel hed the furnitoor packt, ready to take to his house. In the meantime, assaults hed bin made on two other houses, with rather different results. Deekin Pogram led one on the house uv a former slave uv hizzen, and wuz disabled by a charge of shot in his leg, and the infooriated nigger threw open the winder and swore that he'd empty tother barrel into the head ov the first man who came within range. The whole settlement wuz by this time alarmed, and lites sprang up, and we cood hear the click uv the cocks uv muskets, and the pilin up uv furnitoor afore the doors. It wuz desided that the attempt to re-enslave em be given over that nite; and carryin the Deekin, who wuz weak from loss uv blood, we made our way to the Corners agin.

The result demonstrated to me the impossibility uv the two races livin together in harmony. There is a natral antagonism between em wich must result inevitably in a war uv races, unless the status uv the two races is fixed by unalterable law. It can't be denied that, so long ez they are among us, so long shel we be tempted to subdoo em, and so long will sich sole-harrowing scenes ez that uv last nite result. Ez I heer the groans uv that prostrated saint, Deekin Pogram, [this is written at his bedside in the intervals uv feedin him likker with a spoon,] I feel ez tho I must vindicate my birth by going out and killin a nigger. Nothing but the uncertainty ez to who would be killed restrains me.—Thank heaven, next yeer, when Seymour or Pendleton is President, and the unconstitooshnel acts uv a Rump Congress is done away with, all this will be fixt. It is this that soothes the Deekin and enables him to endoor his sufferins.

PETROLEUM V. NASBY, P. M.,
[Wich is Postmaster.]

HAIR.

From the days when Alcibiades was the curled darling of Athenian halls to these, when lovers no longer beg for locks of their ladye's hair, through fear of wasting their emotions on a tress of Calmuck origin, or at the best, a ringlet from Brittany, hair has been a universal vanity. In good sooth, Olympian Jove himself was not above this human weakness, for Homer sings of his "ambrosial curls," and Phidias modelled that imperial coiffure, where the locks seem to rise like jets from a fountain from the august brow, and then fall in wavy curls like the mane of a lion. Mr. Layard long since discovered, in the royal palace buried by the sand storms of centuries, what prigs the old Assyrians were in the arrangement of their hair and beard, so exquisitely plaited and bossed and curled. The wig found in the temple of Isis at Thebes, and now in the British Museum, proves that the Egyptians were by no means behind the age in the wonders of the toilet, while the Roman dames, dissatisfied with the elegant simplicity of the Greek coiffures, built all manner of fine architectural contrivances with their hair, torturing it into imitations of castles, crowns, and other startling elaborateness. Later we find that the Danish officers who were quartered upon the English in the days of Ethelred the Unready, won the hearts of the ladies by the beauty and length of their hair, which they combed "at least once a day," which was evidently considered a token of extreme effeminacy by our Saxon ancestors.

The clergy were always obliged to wear their hair short, as a kind of mortification, we suppose; and St. Anselm, disgusted probably with the fashion that threatened to make "curled Antonys" of his flock, prohibited long hair to the laity also, and issued a special canon against it. When frizzed and curled artificially, he called it a token of the malice of the devil. "Si quelqu'un peche centre ce canon, qu'il soit excommunie!" "And whosoever violates this law, let him be anathema maranatha." So every obedient Samson was at once shorn. The English were doubtless very obstinate, for when Serlo, a Norman prelate, was preaching before Henry II. and his court, his eloquence in anathematizing the long locks in vogue brought the whole royal audience in tears to their knees, whereupon, seizing the forelock of the opportunity, the bishop whisked a pair of shears from his sleeve and clipped the king's locks in a twinkling, before the world, the flesh, and the devil could regain their sway over his unregenerate heart. But neither threat of excommunication nor promise of Paradise was sufficient to banish the obnoxious practice, for we shortly find that men as well as women bound their hair with a fillet above the brow; and so affairs went on till Francis I. being wounded in the head at a tournament, was obliged to have his hair cropped, when at once the civilized world hastened to emulate so elegant an example. It is to be remarked that the hard expression which characterizes the female heads of Holbein may be due, in a great measure, to the closely cropped hair which was the style for the women as well as the men of his day, the flowing lines which soften the features being entirely wanting. The cavaliers of Charles I. began to restore long hair, which again aroused the clergy, and Dr. Hall published, in 1643, a little volume "On the Loathsomeness of Long Hair," in which he accuses every man of being made a "foole" at the barber's pleasure, and speaks of plica polonica, a hair disease, as a mark of the divine displeasure, and a result of the long-haired profligacy of the times. As the hair grew longer, the beard diminished, became forked, changed into a peak, and finally vanished entirely. Meanwhile, the women of the Stuart period wore soft curls or clouds of fleecy frizzes about their faces, with a quaint row of little loops drooping upon the forehead.

But this natural state of things was not to continue. Again the French king changed the head and front of the offending against priestly dogmas. Heaven had blessed Louis XIII. with luxuriant hair, which from his childhood had never been cropped, and those of his subjects who were not thus favored were driven to the provoke to supply their natural deficiency. As a matter of course, the epidemic extended to England, and, for a season, all mankind went about in the similitude of a judge on a woolsack. Pepys relates with great simplicity his first introduction to a "perriwigg," and confesses it went a little to his heart to part with his own "haire." In the time of Louis XIV., the perukes increased and multiplied. Not only did the men wear them, but little children were forced to appear under huge seas of hair, until all masculine nature seemed to blossom into a garden of perriwiggs of every size and style. There were perruques grandes et petites, perukes large and small, folio, quarto, and octavo, round, square, and pointed, etc., etc.

Not to be eclipsed by their lords, the ladies now turned their attention to this branch of capillary attraction, and the result was truly wonderful. What with the addition of laces and ribbons, they built up such a pile that the male peruke suffered extinction. The frolicsome young queen, Marie Antoinette, herself invented a coiffure in the landscape gardening style. "Little hills, enameled prairies, silver brooks, foaming torrents, shapely gardens, and English parks," were some of the charms of this wonderful arrangement, which may truly be said to belong to high art, since it intercepted the view so seriously in public places that the managers of the opera were obliged to refuse admittance to the amphitheatre to its wearers.

Meanwhile, the peruke, started by the advance in the female adornments, dwindled away, and was at length extenuated into the pigtail, or, to speak more respectably, the queue. If the ladies had suffered tortures of fatigue under the hands of their coiffeurs, it was now the turn of the gentlemen to endure, for the queue was a miracle of art, and, like other miracles, required some pains in the preparation. A ludicrous story is told of a garrison which was preparing for a field day. As there were not enough barbers to dress all the pigtails in one day, some of the junior officers were forced to be powdered, pomatumed, and curled the day before, and as well as they could, the poor wretches, as their unsympathizing chronicler calls them, were obliged to sleep on their faces!

But these monstrosities vanished, and more natural styles have since prevailed. True, the tendency of the female world has lately indicated a return to the cloud capped towers of the olden time, but common sense or aesthetic culture has diminished the stately piles, and anything more bewitching and simple than the present rapidly-gaining style would be hard to imagine.

THE Cleveland Leader says that city has forty-three Protestant churches with an average attendance of fifteen thousand, seven Roman Catholic churches with twelve thousand attendance, and two synagogues, with three hundred and fifty attendance.

THE Protestant Episcopal Diocesan Convention, in session at New York, endorsed the resolutions adopted by the Pan Anglican Congress; and also agreed to divide the Diocese November 14, 1868.

MINING AND METALLURGY.

The metalliferous features of New Mexico, while combining apparently those of Colorado and Chihuahua, are prominently distinguished by the extent of the copper deposits. So far the Pinos Altos is the best known mineral region. The village of Pinos Altos, containing a mining population of about seven hundred persons, is located among a series of mountains and is about one hundred miles west of the town of Mesilla, on the Rio Grande. Fort Bayard, a new military post, is about ten miles from the village. A few miles east of this post lies the old Santa Rita and the new Hanover copper mine. Granite and sandstone are the prevailing rocks of the region. Within a few miles of Pinos Altos, on the bottom of the Gila and Mimbres, are tracts of very fertile land and lumber and spring water in considerable abundance. The dry season lasts, however, for three-fourths of the year, and it is only during the rainy season of three months that sluicing or rocking in the auriferous gulches can be pursued.

Much of the copper that has been taken from the more southern mines of New Mexico has found its way to the Gulf through Texas, a distance of one thousand miles, and the gold mixed with the copper has been found sufficient to defray the expenses of extraction and transportation. The Pinos Altos copper belt is about ten miles in width and about thirty miles long, northwest to southwest. On the Hanover mine, which was first discovered in 1860, work has not been resumed since Sibley and the Indians killed the workmen and broke the machinery in 1862. During the two years that work was carried on, the cost of producing two hundred pound copper pigs was four and a half cents per pound. Copper combined with gold is found in extensive pockets in the bed rock.—The Santa Rita mine is probably on the same vein as the Hanover; it is seven miles south of the Hanover. On the line of the 35th parallel of north latitude are the Tijera copper mines, where there is a large proportion of silver mixed with the copper; these mines have been but little worked.—The Nanciemento copper mine, situated about forty five miles south south west of Santa Fe, is located on a vein of more than thirty feet width, occasionally crossed by white sandstone. This deposit was first discovered by a band of Mexicans in 1866, and a ton was started near by which the Indians broke up. The ore assays as high as 71 per cent. of copper and 4 per cent. of silver.—The Ocate mines, being in a somewhat populated vicinity, are worked with considerable vigor. The proprietors are residents of Santa Fe, and have the requisite capital for the undertaking; width of the vein from twelve to twenty feet. North of Taos are the Arroyo Hondo mines, discovered in 1862, and neglected. In the vicinity of the head waters of the Cimeron is a copper mine on the summit of a mountain estimated to be as high as Pike's Peak. Into this mine a shaft has been sunk one hundred feet and a tunnel driven two hundred feet; it is owned and worked by Mr. Maxwell and six associates.

New Mexico has available resources of which there is yet an indefinite appreciation. Great hindrance to its progress exists in the old Spanish grants, which our Government has recognized, and which has thrown immense quantities of land into the hands of a few men. The mining territories are held by parties of little means and less enterprise. In the development of the mineral resources of the country the New Mexican Mining Company, under the management of Dr. M. D. Steck, is the most conspicuous.

"THE OLD WOMAN."—The following touching article is clipped from an exchange—Would there could not be so much truth in its plaintive pathos, and that there were less need for its publication:

Once she was a "Mother," and it was "Mother, I'm hungry." "Mother," mend my jacket, "Mother, put up my dinner," and "Mother," with her loving hands would spread the butter, and stow away the luncheon with affection, for the little curly pate that made her so many steps and nearly distracted her with his boisterous mirth.

Now she is the "Old woman;" but she did not think it would ever come to that. She looked on through the future years and saw her boy to manhood grown; and stood transfixed in the light of her own beautiful love. Never was there a more beautiful son than he—honored of the world, and the staff of her declining years.

Aye, he was her support even then, but she did not know it. She never realized that it was her little boy who gave her strength for her daily toil—that his slender form was all that upheld her over the brink of a dark despair. She only knew how she loved her child, and felt that in the evening of life his love would bear her gently through its infirmities to the dark hall leading to the life beyond.

Aye the son had forgotten the mother's tender ministrations now. Adrift from the moorings of home, he is cold, selfish, heartless, and "Mother" has no sacred meaning to the prodigal. She is the "old woman," wrinkled, gray, lame and blind.

Pity, O grave, and dry those tears that roll down her furrowed cheeks! Have compassion on her sensitiveness, and offer it thy quiet rest, that it may forget how much it longed to be "dear mother" to the boy it nourished through a careless childhood, but in return for all this wealth of tenderness has only given back reproach.

ANNA DICKINSON EXPLAINS.—A paragraph has been going the rounds setting forth how the fair Anna D. had blotted out the signature of the President of her country from the visitor's register of a national schoolship.—In a lecture at Boston last week she thusly explains her rude, rash conduct. She said:

"Just here I want to tell you a little story as a matter of self-vindication here in Boston, for I love its people even if the Advertiser is published here. [Tumultuous applause.] I love you better than ever. I find that there is a story going the rounds of the Boston and New England press to this effect—that a Sunday or so ago I went down to the Schoolship under cover of my good and long tried friend Judge Russell, and that then and there I took violent possession of a book which I new to be the property of The Commonwealth, or of Captain Mathews. [I will tell you for the benefit of those who may be so ignorant as not to know, that this gentleman is the Captain of the Schoolship]—and I took violent possession of this book and after magnificently penning my own name, intending to insult both the Captain and Commonwealth, marked out the name of Andrew Johnson, which I found on another page. The actual statement of the case is this: That going down to the Schoolship and having a pleasant morning there, a little while before I left it, the teacher of the ship handed me an autograph-book belonging to him. I wrote my name therein. Turning over the pages, I came to one soiled by the name of Andrew Johnson, and holding my dry pen in the air, made a little playful flourish over it, when he, (whom I supposed to be the owner of the book) said to me, "If you will mark your pen across that with ink it will add greatly to the value of the book;" and I doing what I supposed would gratify a man, supposed to be the owner of the book, did to Andrew Johnson's name what the whole loyal nation would gladly do with his infamous record and himself—blot it out. [Applause.] So much for that. I wish the man was as easily ended as his name was in that case; and I believe, nay, I know, that the great mass of the loyal people in the country say Amen! to any such desire."

PEN, PASTE AND SCISSORS.

Louis Napoleon is said to own property in San Francisco.

Prince Napoleon is said to be the best billiard player in Paris.

The smallest watch in the Paris Exposition was so diminutive that it was set in a gold pencil case.

It is stated of the three leading professions, that in England the number of persons belonging to each is nearly the same, viz: 35,995 medical, 35,483 clerical, and 34,970 legal.

A board of trade has been formed at Scranton, Pennsylvania, and its mercantile community consider that it will be a very useful adjunct to the trade of that town and its neighborhood.

"Why don't you trade with me?" said a close-fisted tradesman to a friend the other day. The reply was characteristic: "You have never asked me, sir. I have looked all through the papers for an invitation in the shape of an advertisement, and found none. I never go where I am not invited."

The men at Hanover, York county, who greeted the rebel armies while marching to defeat at Gettysburg, with respectful greeting, fired a salute on Monday night in honor of the Copperhead victories, and were jubilant at what they called "a prospect of the return of a rebel army to Pennsylvania."

Some savant who no doubt thought he was serving a useful purpose, has been investigating the vitality of a rat tail. Having amputated it, dried it under an exhausted receiver, and again in an oven for ten days, he united it to the freshly cut stump of an other rat, and at the end of three months, if he is to be believed, beholds it the healthy adopted tail of number two. A pretty hard tale.

The town of Coburg, N. Y., was made famous two months ago by the birth of an infant which weighed only one pound. The child is now in the third month of her existence, and has gained a pound and a half, kicking the beam at two and a half pounds, therefore an ordinary sized gentleman's finger-ring will easily pass over her arm to the elbow, and her shoes are just two inches long.

The Boston Transcript has a very poor opinion of some of the lecturers who perambulate the country to enlighten it. That journal evidently thinks that some of them are overpaid. It says that "while some persons receive as much as two hundred dollars for the opportunity of scolding an hour, many a poor woman does it a week, and then gets fined."

A capital caricature suddenly made its appearance on the wall of the Paris Bourse the other day. It was drawn in chalk, and represented Napoleon III. as Blondon on the tight rope, with Bismarck on one end of his balance pole and Garibaldi on the other, while the Empress stood underneath, wringing her hands and crying, "Mon Dieu, il va tomber!" (My God he is going to tumble!) The police found out the author.

France is in a critical condition. Work and bread are scarce in Paris, and secret political societies exist. Riots in a small way have taken place there; immense numbers of workmen are unemployed because the building improvements of Baron Hausman are finished. All these straws show the direction of the political wind, and just such a state of affairs has preceded the great revolutions in France, and been heralded a change of government if not of dynasty. Napoleon is growing old; his son is feeble; the popular feeling is again showing itself; France is on the eve of a change. Will Napoleon be willing to risk all on a war? That is the question which startles European journals, and which evidently troubles even the sphynx at the Tuileries.