Miners' Journal.

POTTSVILLE, PA.

SATURDAY, APRIL 17, 1869.

ANNOUNCEMENT.—To our Philadelphia subscribers and advertisers. We have entered into arrangements with J. Wilson McArthur, Esq., Attorney at Law, 7.5 Walnut street, Philadelphia, to attend to the collection of our bills for subscription and advertising in that city, and we hereby give notice that Mr. McArthur's receipt will be recognized and acknowledged by us for all monies paid him on our account.

GALENA Illinois, has held an election to decide who shall be postmaster.

BUT a single day of staging now divides the approaching lines of the Pacific Railways.

THERE are 148,000 shade trees in Paris—principally the elm, plane, horse chestnut, maple, linden, acacia and the ailanthus.

LOUISA MUHLBACH devotes her time to writing from 8 A. M. to 4 P. M.; dinner, 4 to 5; theatre or society, 6 to 10; sleep, 10 to 8.

AN Ohio schoolmaster was compelled to pay $10 for whipping a girl with a bundle of hickory withes twisted together and hardened in the fire.

GOVERNOR CURTIN.—It is gratifying to learn that this distinguished citizen of Pennsylvania was yesterday confirmed as Minister to Russia.

A NEW and rich vein of lead has been struck near Victoria, Jefferson county, Mo. Solid pieces of the mineral as large as a half peck measure have been taken out.

THE schoolmate of Alexander Dumas, who was pronounced, by his teacher a far more gifted young man than Dumas, is now a proofreader at Clary's printing office in Paris, at a salary of 25 00f.

KOONS & RUOFF, 2.2 North Delaware Avenue, Philadelphia, deal in fruit and produce, and are agents for Crampton Bros.' soaps, spices, &c. This firm commends itself to dealers for its fair manner of doing business.

THE Legislature of this State adjourned yesterday at noon. But few regret and none grieve over the fact. In the Senate on Thursday the General Militia bill fixing the tax at two dollars, was passed; also, the Appropriation bill.

GENERAL SHERIDAN has issued an order announcing the death of General W. A. Nichols, speaking of his brilliant military career, and designating the badge of mourning to be worn by the officers at division and department headquarters for thirty days.

THE Sunbury *American* appeared last week in a new suit of type. The *American* is a reliable, high toned paper, a firm advocate of the principles of the Republican party, and in every way worthy of the success which the improvement indicates that it meets with.

SERVED HIM RIGHT.—The N. Y. *Herald* states that Ross, of Kansas, one of the apostate Senators, called on President Grant, on Monday, to have appointments made in Kansas to suit him, and finding the President not inclined to gratify him became insulting, when Grant ordered him from the room.

TO BRICK MAKERS.—The proprietor of the "Franklin Brick Machine" advertised in this paper, offers to test its merits on the purchasers' yard, requiring no pay until his guarantees are performed. This is an unusual opportunity for our brick makers to get a superior machine without risk. Geo. P. Rowell & Co., 40 Park Row, New York.

WE learn that the Governor has vetoed the bill for the creation of a new Ward in this Borough. If our information is correct, this is right. It was originated unknown to the people at large, and another Ward is really not needed at this time. It would only add to the election and other expenses of the Borough, and enlarge the size of Council and the School Board, unnecessarily.

GOVERNOR GEARY has re-appointed Professor James P. Wickersham of Lancaster county to the position of State Superintendent of Common Schools, and he has been confirmed by the Senate. The Governor could not have done a better thing for the interests of the public schools. Mr. Wickersham has made the subject of popular education the study of his life, and in his official position has shown a remarkable degree of administrative capacity.

MR. JOHN WANAMAKER, the enterprising clothier of Philadelphia, whose establishment is at 818 and 820 Chestnut street, has one of the finest corps of cutters in the city, rendering his capacity to turn out the very best made clothing unsurpassed. We observe that Mr. Wanamaker has associated with him Mr. E. T. Taylor, formerly of this Borough and late of the firm of Charles Stokes & Co., 824 Chestnut street. Mr. Taylor has an extensive acquaintance in this section has great ability and experience in the clothing business, and will undoubtedly attract much business to the custom department of the firm.

THE hundreds of thousands of friends of Andrew G. Curtin, ex Governor of this State, were gratified when they heard of his appointment as Minister to Russia. His patriotic career will live while the history of the State's services in defence of the Union exists. The soldiers who experienced his fatherly care during the war, also rejoice that his many and great services have been thus rewarded. No one can doubt that Mr. Curtin will represent this country with distinguished ability at St. Petersburg, and by his course more closely bind the friendly relations of two of the most powerful nations on the globe.

OUR readers hardly need to be reminded of the immense preparations made for their comfort, this Spring, by Rockhill & Wilson. This old established house has taken the lead in the Clothing trade of Philadelphia and the surrounding country. By close attention to business, thorough courtesy to every customer, great and small, and a steadfast determination to give everybody the worth of his money, this house has attained the success which it now enjoys. Rockhill & Wilson spare no pains nor cost, to give every one who deals with them, a perfect fit, and a perfect adaptation of the whole make-up of the garment, to the person and style of the wearer. From happy experience with their clothes, we can only add that the best thing our readers can do, is to visit their spacious Brown Stone Hall, 603 and 605 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, and examine the attractions which are prepared for them this Spring.

A FINAL RESPONSE.

"Let the galled jade wince, our withers are unwrung."

It is amusing to us, interesting to policy-holders, and instructive to that large class—future insurants—to observe the frantic efforts of the "managers" of the infant Continental, to avoid the telling exposures we made of their business in our comparisons of last week.

However much we may sympathize with the managers in their evident distress, we cannot excuse them for their repeated attempt to mislead and deceive the public. We therefore present some additional facts which may be of interest to the readers, although not calculated to afford the managers much comfort in their present dilemma.

Volume of business is the grand fortification upon which the newly-fledged Continental intrenches itself. Precisely how much of this business is to be credited to the Company from which it borrowed its name, we leave to the public to judge.

The New York Continental in its eagerness to prove its excessive business, twice publishes in the same paper a statement of its "receipts in Massachusetts." It has demonstrated to its own satisfaction at least, that its agency located at Boston, did do over three times as much business in the six New England States, as did the Continental of Hartford in Massachusetts alone. With this expose we are content to allow the youngling "to hug the flattering unction to its soul" and extract from it whatever consolation it may. We only waited for a repetition of this trifling mistake before giving it a final quietus.

We are accused of not having entered New York, to which we plead guilty. We accuse the New York Company with not having entered Texas, guilty. But what matters either charge to policy-holders? It is well known by every one at all conversant with Life Insurance, that any Company doing business in Massachusetts, can enter New York State at pleasure unquestioned, while it is quite possible for a Company to do business in New York and maintain a good standing in the reports of that State, and still be debarred from entrance into Massachusetts where a higher standard of qualification is insisted upon.

The New York Continental claims a capital stock of $100,000 "all cash." Since by their own showing the Hartford Continental has a capital of **$120,000, ALL CASH**, and $180,000 additional security in endorsed promissory notes, approved by the Comptroller of Public Accounts in Connecticut. This brilliant conception of the astute managers needs no further comment at our hands.

There is a refreshing verdency in the way it argues itself into the belief of its "ability" to pay losses and declare large dividends. If it has this ability, why has it not shown it? Why declare forty per cent. dividends when the Hartford Continental pays fifty? Is it because the stockholders absorb one-eighth of the entire profits besides seven per cent. on the capital? Or does the $29,000 paid to stockholders in 1868 (see Wall street underwriter) account for it.

But enough. So long as the attacks of the doughty "managers" result in a large increase of our business, we shall be content to give them free rein, only giving an occasional check, when they are disposed to overstep the bounds of truth and prudence. Thanking the public for its practical appreciation of our efforts to afford them Life Insurance at its lowest cost, we dismiss these attacks upon the Continental of Hartford as unworthy of further attention at our hands.

(Signed) A. & J. S. CORBIN.

THE SEASONS.—"While the earth remaineth, seed time and harvest and cold and heat, and summer and winter, and day and night shall not cease."

One of the changes incident upon this change of seasons is that of our clothing from the thick heavy garments of winter to the light and airy clothes of summer, and there is no one thing that contributes more to our comfort, our health and to economy than our thus regulating our clothing by the changes of the season.

You can be "cool as a cucumber" this summer, if only you wear clothing from Wanamaker & Brown's.

PAIN PAINT WILL STOP PAIN WHEN DOCTORS FAIL.—Wolcott's PAIN PAINT will do it; and if you have Catarrh, recollect that Wolcott's ANNIHILATOR, pint bottles $1, will eradicate this disgusting disease, root and branch. Six pints sent free of express charges, for $5, or one pint of Wolcott's PAIN PAINT. Address Dr. WOLCOTT, 170 Chatham square, N. Y. Small bottles sold at all drug-stores. 15-3t

THE vast amount of PLANTATION BITTERS now being sold and shipped from New York is almost incredible. Go when and where you will—along the wharves and piers, and at the depots—you will see great piles of these Bitters awaiting shipment and conveyance to every nook and corner of the country, and to the hundreds of foreign ports. They are very popular among all classes of people, and are considered to be just the thing for this climate. No Bitters have yet been introduced which have become so deservedly popular and worthy of patronage, to all who require a tonic and stimulant. They are prepared with pure St. Croix Rum, Calisaya and Cascarilla Bark, and all the world knows full well what beneficial results accrue from these combinations.

MAGNOLIA WATER.—Superior to the best imported German Cologne, and sold at half the price.

MANY a man is worried fifty times a day with the constantly recurring question, "What would become of my family, if I should be taken away?" Your current expenses eat up all your income, and if you can save anything, it is so little that you hardly think it worth laying by, it would take it so long to amount to anything. All this natural and creditable anxiety would be dispensed with, if you would only insure your life in "The American Life Insurance Company of Philadelphia." It will cost you but little, and then, if you die to-morrow, your family will be taken care of. O. Little, Agent for this County.

LOCAL NOTICES.

See the advertisement of Bradbury Piano in another column.

FRENCH PADDED LINEN DRILLS, a beautiful article, at D. A. Smith's, Centre street.

GLOVES, Neck-ties and Hose, to suit every taste, and at reduced prices, at D. A. Smith's, Centre street.

"A GOOD MAN LEAVETH AN INHERITANCE." No man with a dependent family, is free from reproach if his life is not insured. See SHEAFER & LOWRY's advertisement, Fourth Page.

IF you would be properly suited with Spectacles, apply to JOS. DUERR, Jeweler and Watchmaker, 125 Centre Street, Pottsville. Oct. 24, '68—43-1t

A good 6¾ Octave Piano for sale cheap at Leinmer's, 129 Centre St., Pottsville, Pa. 41-tf

FRENCH, English and American cloths, all styles, and of the finest qualities, at D. A. Smith's, Centre street.

REDUCTION IN PRICES OF CABINET ORGANS.—The new style of the celebrated Mason & Hamlin Cabinet Organs, the best manufactured, are now offered at prices to suit the times. The one stop Organ is manufactured or $100, (a reduction of one fourth,) and the five stop Organ for $125. Every purchaser of an instrument will receive a guarantee for five years. The well known superiority of these instruments over all others is sufficient to commend them to every lover of good music. For sale by their sole agents for Schuylkill County, at FISHER BROS.' (Leinmers') Jewelry Store, 193 Centre Street, Pottsville. Feb 6, '69—6-

THE COAL TRADE.

Pottsville, April 17, 1869.

The quantity sent by Railroad this week is 92,946 10—by Canal 23,515 10—for the week 116,462 00 tons, against 87,467 for the corresponding week last year.

The demand continues good, and the shipments are heavy this week. This demand to some extent is based on the impression that a strike will soon take place among the miners. It is stated that a strike will take place, but no time has been fixed upon as yet, and we see no good reason why any should take place, so long as the demand for coal is good at the present rates.

Our Philadelphia correspondent writes as follows:

"The demand for coal the present week has been active, the deliveries being principally on orders taken at last month's prices. The advance of coal at the mines this month has caused shippers to refuse contracts, except for present deliveries, in view of the long agitated strike. Dealers abroad have sent in their orders at current rates so as to bridge over their supply, should a strike take place. As the price of coal to the operator is now remunerative, it is to be hoped that no strike will take place, as it will benefit no one in the trade."

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

	1868. Week.	1868. Total.	1869. Week.	1869. Total.	Inc. & Dec.
P & R R R	63 848	836 067	92,947	936,488	100 321
Sch Canal	13 949	56,643	23,515	59,744	4 606
L Val R R	37,191	685,117	27,659	760,779	84,663
L Canal	5,116	5 174	26 695	35 456	29,310
L N R R	4,444	10,173	15,551	246,603	164,330
Scrant'n	24 764	281,997	15,154	432,373	171,376
" N J	6,443	109,637	9,905	135,670	35,043
Penn C C					
By R R	14,491	161,264	20 920	192,715	37,745
By Canal					
Del & Hud	55 645	25,647	10,480	95,266	1 449
Wyom'g R					
Wyom'g C					
Shamokin	9,602	90,518	8,146	97,877	6,635
Trevorton	1,687	5,051	1,624	6,552	1 501
Short Mt	2,739	14,606	2,694	15,904	1,072
L V Co	1,237	21,857	1,101	10,906	10,953
Wms'ton	2,964	24,119	4 844	31,634	6,715
Brd Top	20,647	277,163	26,264	295,584	22,110
	231,799	2,467,960	314,036	3,076,813	
				2,467,960	
				610,853	

The total quantity sent by Lehigh & Susquehanna R. R. for the week was 28 694 tons, and for the year, 229,849 tons. The balance is embraced in the Lehigh Canal Report.

MINE VENTILATION, &c.—The Act for the better regulation and ventilation of mines, and for the protection of the lives of the miners in the County of Schuylkill, has passed the Legislature with some amendments, and has been approved by the Governor. The principal alteration is with regard to the speed of ventilating fans, which is stricken out. The Mining Inspector is to be appointed by the Governor for a term of three years, unless removed in the meantime for incompetency. The applicants must undergo an examination before a board composed of five practical miners, and one Mining Engineer, who are to be appointed by the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of the County, and pronounced competent by said board, before he can receive an appointment. We received a copy of the bill, but too late for its publication this week in our crowded columns. We will publish it next week. It is singular that this bill should be confined to Schuylkill County only.

WE are glad to learn from Harrisburg that the tax bill which, among other articles, proposed a tax of two cents a ton on Anthracite Coal, has been "knocked." How any sane person could introduce such a bill into the Legislature, taking taxes off corporations and putting them on the necessaries of life produced in the State, is a mystery to us. If such a bill had passed, it would have been disgraceful to the State.

SEVERAL communications in reply to "Operator" have been crowded out for want of room. We expect to be relieved from a heavy press of advertisements in the course of a week or so.

WE learn that Mr. CHAS. E. SMITH has not resigned the office of President of the Reading Railroad, but that he has obtained leave of absence for one year to recruit his health abroad, and that FRANKLIN B. GOWEN, Esq., has been elected to officiate in his absence.

CUMBERLAND COAL.—Messrs. Gleason & Glenn, of Washington, D. C., have inaugurated Monthly Auction Sales of Cumberland Coal, delivered on board vessels at Alexandria, &c. They sold 10,000 tons the last week in March at $4 30@$4 32½ per ton They propose continuing these sales monthly, of which due notice will be given.

DRAWBACKS.—A correspondent at Petersburg, Va., complains about the distinctions made by granting drawbacks on coal by the carrying companies, and desires to know whether we can do anything to stop such a practice. The object is to equalize the rates at points where there is competition for the trade, and in doing so, those who are so unfortunate as to reside at points where there is no competition, are generally charged extra high rates to make up the difference—Nothing but stringent laws compelling companies to make no difference in their charges will check this practice. Philadelphia suffers greatly from this practice, and is deprived of all the advantages of her location in obtaining cheaper fuel.

IRON COAL STEAMERS.

We stated a short time ago that the Reading Railroad were building steamers to carry coal to the East. It appears that they are being built by a Company styled the "Pennsylvania, New York and New England Steam Navigation Company," and in which the Reading Road is interested, Wm. D. Crane, Esq., of New York, was the first to introduce the present enterprise, although the subject has been discussed for several years past. One of these steamers, the "Rattlesnake," will be ready for a trial trip in a few days, which was built at the yard of Reany, Son & Archibald, at Chester, Pa. The AMERICAN JOURNAL OF MINING states that this Company has already contracted for five steamers, and that they have ample capital to build a large number if they prove as profitable as they suppose. The JOURNAL gives the following description of the "Rattlesnake," and the estimated cost of and time taken up in a voyage from Philadelphia to Boston:

"The 'Rattlesnake,' first launched, is a model of convenience for the carrying business, and may give a general idea of the others. She is 176 feet long, draws 10½ feet water, and is divided into three compartments, of 275 tons capacity all, 800 tons cold ship's, and 100 tons forward, enabling her to go to any wharf. For a cargo, it [illegible]. The hatch ways are constructed to fit the schutes at the Reading Railroad wharves, being 24 feet from centres. The plates used on the new wharves built at Boston, for the Company, by the Lowell Railroad are adapted to the same end; and thus these railroad are able to guarantee to load and discharge in ten and twelve hours respectively. The cost of maintaining one of these propellers, with a condensing engine of 146 horse power, and 40 sq. feet grate, is best exhibited by a few figures:

Coal used per 24 hours, 14,313 pounds, or 9 lbs. per hour to each horse-power.

Speed—under steam alone can be 7 knots per hour; under sail, one knot per hour average.

Voyage—Philadelphia to Boston, 480 miles, steaming at above speed .... 4 days, 15 hours.

Berth ready, but allow	6
Loading	1
Discharging	1
Passage	[illegible]
Total	7 days, 15 hours.

EXPENSES.

Hands and officers—11 men	[illegible] per month.
Coal for 30 days	400
Provisions	195
Repairs and port charges contracted for,	90 per month.
Interest on capital	600
Total	$1,780

It is believed by comparing of these figures, which are the result of actual estimates, with the exhibits of a sailing schooner of 500 tons capacity, that as eleven of four voyages per month, at seven and half days per voyage, can be made, and that a large profit per ton can be secured even at an enormous reduction of freight rates, all other advantages of steam shipment aside.

We conclude by again expressing our belief that the launch of the "Rattlesnake" is the opening of an epoch in the coal trade. The miner, shipper, manufacturer, freighter and consumer, are the best judges of the benefits of constant supply and capacity equal to demands, cheap rates of carriage and absolute certainty. And these prospects are the more gratifying feature, since we are assured that the Pennsylvania, New York and New England Steam Navigation Company is not like a mere hasty speculative enterprise, but the development of ideas entertained by solid merchants, whose powers as well as means will prove their faith and success."

We see no great obstacle in the success of the above enterprise, particularly for the Eastern districts, where quick dispatch can be obtained. Heretofore one of the obstacles was that but few dealers cared about buying so large a cargo at once, but by this arrangement one steamer can take cargoes for three different persons, and three different kinds of coal without mixing the same, when desired to do so. And besides the Company can also procure sufficient wharf room for landing, for discharging several cargoes, and then wholesale it out in lots to either dealers and manufacturers who buy by the quantity, but do not desire to take a whole cargo at a time.

The most extraordinary circumstance connected with this business is the assertion of the JOURNAL OF MINING, that the steamers will cost less to build than those built on the Clyde, in Scotland. If this is true, it shows that these builders must have much greater facilities in machinery, &c., for building iron steamers, than they have in Scotland, where wages and iron, which are the largest items that enter into their construction, are cheaper, or else their construction must be very fragile, compared with the Scotch steamers. What have our Maine friends, who gave such a doleful account of the state of ship building in that State during the last few years, to say to this?

At Poplar, England, where wooden vessels were formerly built to a very great extent, the business has almost entirely ceased, and great distress prevailed there than in any other part of England for the last three or four years, while on the Tyne, the Wear and the Clyde, the business was comparatively prosperous; but this arose entirely from the fact that iron vessels are rapidly taking the place of wooden vessels, and this change of course will also be introduced into this country, and will affect all those points where wooden vessels have been exclusively built heretofore. If the above mentioned experiment succeeds, of which we have but little doubt, and the statement with regard to the comparative cost is correct, the change will be very rapid and the days of wooden sea vessels may be considered as numbered in this country also.

THE communications in this department, from "J. S.," Mt. Carmel, and R. B. Platt, Hazleton, we are compelled to abridge in consequence of the crowded state of our columns. We desire to hear from the people on any and every subject of public interest, but we must impress upon them the necessity of "boiling it down." Write briefly and to the point. Our columns are capacious, but they are yet too small to contain all that come municants would say.

(COMMUNICATED.)

TAMAQUA, April 12, 1869.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—In your valuable paper of the 3d inst., under the article of "Coal Trade" relative to the bill before the Legislature for "the better ventilating and security of life in the mines," recommending it as necessary for the protection of life in the coal field; in England you stated that about one person was killed in every 100,000 tons of coal mined. In this region you said that the want of statistics prevented you from making an opinion but in recording the number of accidents in mines, your impression was that the number killed in the Anthracite Region exceeded the proportions of that in England.

To throw a little light on this subject I wish to call your attention to the following statistics which was made by copying from the MINERS' JOURNAL and Tamaqua *Gazette*, the weekly records of accidents in the mines and at the collieries, from October, 1867 to October, 1868. No doubt many more accidents and many deaths have occurred that have not been published, but to form a basis, the following results will show what dreadful sacrifice of life and limb is made for the purpose of supplying the public with that necessary article, coal, and should call forth our sympathies in endeavoring to relieve the sufferings to the time of their necessity, as well as to provide for the widow and orphan, and the only effectual way to do this is by establishing by legislative action or otherwise, a Miner's Hospital and Relief Association. For the last ten years I have been advocating this thing, and thirty years experience in the coal business, confirms my theory of the necessity of such an institution.

From the period mentioned above, viz.—from Oct., 1867 to Oct., 1868, the following result have been obtained relative to accidents at the collieries in the Schuylkill region, viz:

Killed at the mines	104
Injured at the mines	98
Total	202

These accidents occurred in the following manner:

	KILLED.	INJURED.
By black damp	17	1
By premature blast	9	10
By fall of coal	21	16
By falling down slope	18	3
By being crushed	7	5
By accident at screen	13	17
By accident, not how reported	19	42
Total	104	98

By the 98 reported injuries many of them were seriously so. It would be safe to estimate that one-third of that number died of their injuries. Add 100 others that who have not reported (if at all, of those that are killed or otherwise seriously hurt, at the mines, and it would be safe in stating the number of deaths in one year at 180, which for 4 millions of coal mined in this region, (the amount reported last year) would make more than 3 men killed for 100,000 tons of coal mined.

Now this is only from one region, and as like causes produce like effects, it will give from the four anthracite coal regions the following result, providing the statistics taken from the report of 1863 is correct:

	TONS.	KILLED.	INJURED.
In Schuylkill Region	4,000,000	180	98
In Wyoming	5,000,000	180	117
In Lehigh	2,000,000	75	43
In Shamokin	1,000,000	37	24
Total	11,000,000	442	282

would sum up a total for the whole anthracite coal regions, killed, 442, injured 282, making every year about 400 widows and 1200 orphans.

These numbers apply only to the mining operations, but when we take into account the great list of life and limb by the railroad in conveying the above amount of coal to market, the number of accidents is fearfully increased. Respectfully, yours,

TAMAQUA.

(COMMUNICATED.)

HAZLETON, April 5th, 1869.

MESSRS. EDITORS MINERS' JOURNAL:—As there are more than one who sign their letters "A Miner," I don't know whether it's me that "Justice" means or not, but if it is, I think a very few remarks from any one who has known mining I've been in this region and country, will say that I have not only practiced, but preached all that he has said. In fact, I have practiced more than he makes reference to, for the benefit of all the working classes. I have talked the cooperation system ever since I've been in this country, and everything that would be of service to the human family at large; and both there been a few thousand like myself, but there is a class of individuals in our midst who are anything but anxious to see their people laboring for the benefit of society, and don't want to do anything themselves.

For the information of "Justice" and others, I will state how long I have been a "total abstainer," and that I signed the temperance pledge in 1836, and from that to this, until now there has no intoxicating drinks entered my lips, and further, from then till now, I have never had a card, dice, dominoes, or any instrument of gaming in my hands to use; or never used a pipe of tobacco, cigar, or snuff, or anything of the kind, nor I don't intend to do so. When "Justice" has done as much and taken the stand which I have done—talked and labored for the cause to crush it and its evils out of existence, then I think it will be time for him to find fault with me, if it is me he means, and not until then.

He also makes reference to an American, and says: "Now tell me when one of those benevolent men have ever attempted anything to aid the widows and children of an American who had lost his life or limb at work." Well, Mr. "Justice," I have two or three times since I've been in this country, gone around with paper and pencil and collected for the same, and if it was not for the sake of names I would tell them; but I will give you one name anyhow, as I know he will bear the responsibility—"Mosey"—And then it may as well be made known that there are a few real Americans digging coal that we can't subscribe anything for them if we wished; but I think country-born would get as much care as anyone else. "Justice" may be the only American around these Anthracite regions, but I hope in the future he will be treated like the rest, if he has not been in the past.

Yours Respectfully,

R. B. PLATT.

(COMMUNICATED.)

MAHANOY CITY, April 14, 1869.

MESSRS. EDS:—Will you please publish the following for the information of your readers:

WHEREAS, It has been circulated about Mahanoy District that some evil disposed person or persons have sent a letter to Mr. Thomas Lewis, inside boss at Tunnel Ridge Colliery, threatening his life, &c.; be it therefore

Resolved, That we the delegates from the various collieries belonging to the W. B. A. of Mahanoy District, do not sanction such like proceedings, but on the contrary, denounce such acts, and would hand over to justice, if in our power, the perpetrators of such like outrages.

JOHN PARKER, D. Prest.
GEO. CORBETT, Sec'y.

POTTSVILLE, April 25, 1869.

The accounts of the Executive Committee of the W. B. A. of Schuylkill County, for the six months ending April 3d, 1869, has been audited and found correct.

Signed GEORGE ATHY,
WM. MCCARTY, } Auditors.
JOHN FOLEY,

AT a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Workingmen's Benevolent Association of Northumberland County, held at Mt. Carmel on Tuesday, April 6th, 1869, the following resolutions was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the Executive Committee appoint a Committee of Conference of three to meet a similar committee of the coal operators of Northumberland County, to form a basis of passage for laborers and miners, and that we give the coal operators the privilege of appointing a time and place of meeting, providing, however, that the time does not exceed twenty days from this date.

JOHN FOLEY,
JOHN N. EVANS, } Committee.
NATHAN KEARNEY,

If this resolution should meet the approbation of the coal operators of Northumberland County, they will please address John Foley, Mt. Carmel, Northumberland County, stating time and place of meeting.

MEETING OF MINERS—THE STRIKE.—The Scranton Republican contains the following important proceedings of Miners' meetings held in Luzerne county:

The attendance at Fellows' Hall, Saturday evening, was neither large nor enthusiastic. Mr. Fischer had not been able to tell a different story as to the other parts of the county and of the coal field, we should think the two movements, for a suspension of work, and the establishment of a new party, had very little vitality. But we are able to tell a different story.

Mr. Prichard was called to the chair, and Mr. Hennessy, Secretary of the Miners' Benevolent Union, was chosen Secretary.

Mr. Fischer spoke for over an hour, in an animated and forcible strain, with what apparent effect on his hearers we are unable to say.

The object of the miners' organization, which was now consolidating throughout the entire anthracite coal field, was to establish a uniform basis for the pay of miners—to fix some price which they shall receive when coal sells at a certain rate in New York—the rate of wages to be advanced or reduced in just proportion as coal rises or falls in price until it gets to the lowest figure for which miners will cut coal, when a general suspension of mining shall be had, until the reduction of the supply causes the price to rise again. Such proposition must be general to be effective. It would not do to have Schuylkill shoveling all the coal she can while Luzerne lies idle, nor Schuylkill lying idle while Luzerne is filling the market. But a universal suspension would bring the market up likely. One sweeping cessation of work would sweep more than a million tons of coal out of the market. The supply to the market is never great enough to admit of such a curtailment as this without sending the price up.—A stoppage of work about three or four, and very rarely five weeks, would be always enough. The pay for the wages was to be fixed by amicable arrangement with the operators. The speaker totally disclaimed any intention on the part of the miners to dictate to the proprietors. They only desired to control the price of their own labor.

An urgent appeal was made to Hyde Park to join the organization. Hyde Park and its vicinity is to be the only place of any locality in the movement and unanimous in its support. He thought Scranton would have been forward in the movement if it could be shown to be needed.

Mr. Fischer made some very sensible remarks about the relation of general newspapers to the miners. They could not be expected to surrender their columns to a speciality like the miners' organization. That must be done by a special newspaper which should make that its leading feature. Such a paper would promote unity—enable all the miners to know the same information on the same time, and feel and act together. No other agency could do it. Such a paper should rigidly exclude political, religious, and personal controversies.

He spoke with proper severity of the lack of precaution applied to the protection of human life in the mines, and referred to the public danger. Inspection—in his judgment in this part of the mines was very often [illegible].

There is evidently deep-seated feeling among the miners on this subject—as well there may be.

In conclusion, he said the suspension of mining was resolved on. Luzerne county had already spoken and only awaited the action of other counties. Hyde Park was urgently exhorted to come into the movement.—It was time to come out, and that early in the season.

Mr. Prichard made a few remarks about another meeting. Mr. Fischer having consented to speak again. It was voted to have the second meeting on Wednesday evening, April 21st, and Mr. Pritchard earnestly urged a better attendance.

Dr. Heath was called out and spoke a few words of practical wisdom. He urged the men to be sure they were ready before going into the suspension. Were they sure they had enough laid by to care for the wife and little ones until work should be resumed? Some he knew were prepared, but they should not crowd into the movement others who might not be. He renewed the suggestion made at a previous time, that the Miners' Union should prohibit any member from buying a glass of lager beer or whisky until he had one hundred dollars laid by.

After a vote of thanks to Mr. Fischer, the meeting adjourned.

If wages could be arranged on the basis of a percentage on the sales of coal, it would be very desirable—but there are difficulties attending such an arrangement, as prices vary at different collieries in the different regions. The only true policy to adopt on the part of the miners would seem to be, to organize for a general suspension when the market is overstocked and prices flag. If the price of coal can be maintained, the price of labor can be kept up also, and arranged to suit the situation of the different collieries. A suspension in all the regions for a couple of weeks when the trade flags, which it generally does in May and June, would bring it up again. If another suspension for a week or so, at a later period, should be required, it could also be effected by the organization in all the regions, by giving a week or two notice. But so long as there is a demand for all the coal mined at fair rates, all suspensions ought to be discountenanced. The coal trade is different from any other branch of business. When it does not pay the losses are generally greater by merely curtailing the business than; if a general suspension took place; therefore a general suspension would seem to be the only measure that would remedy the evil, and it would also affect all interests alike, while at the same time it would tend to keep the price of coal more regular in the markets, until there is a demand for all that can be produced.

(COMMUNICATED.)

EDITORS MINERS' JOURNAL:—Will you in justice to a few of your readers permit me to correct a statement made in your issue of April 3d, by a correspondent signing himself "Justice." He says that the president of the Mt. Carmel Workingmen's Benevolent Association keeps a grog shop in the direction of Patrick Hester's residence, and the Vice President a hole in the town. This is untrue. The President is a miner, and earns his living by the sweat of his brow. His name is Thomas Evans. The Vice President is also a miner. His name is Arthur John. Neither of them ever sold grog. Your correspondent has also made an attack upon a certain people for keeping holidays according to the rules of their church, especially St. Patrick's Day, keeping breakers, and people idle.—Through mistake some are led to believe that Ireland and the Irish people are the most incorrigible and troublesome people in the world with respect to crime and criminal tendencies. But I refer your correspondent to the criminal calendars of various dates to different counties and not a single case was presented. Let him look at the statistical reports and he will see the consumption of liquor in the country has decreased over 60 per cent. during the last few years. We can compare our morality with any other nationality and these are facts both and gratifying facts must exert some influence upon the minds of the people who are engaged in social science. J. S.

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GLEASON & GLENN.

April 10, 1869 15-tf

SHAMOKIN, APRIL 24, 1869.

To the Editors of the Miners' Journal—

GENTLEMEN:—In your last issue, Robertson, Guilerman & Co. have published a card, in which they continue to dispute my right to mine and ship Coal under the name of the "ORIGINAL HENRY CLAY COAL," and they inform you that the question will be referred to the Courts for adjudication. In reply, I feel constrained to say, that I very much doubt the sincerity of Messrs. R. G. & Co., in making this announcement. At the time they leased the "Henry Clay" Colliery, viz: September 1st, 1868, I was mining and shipping the same Coal I now ship, under the name of the "ORIGINAL HENRY CLAY COAL," and I have done so ever since March, 1864. From that time till the present, the Courts have been open to them, and they have not brought their complaint. I have been in possession of the same colliery [illegible]. I received written notice from their counsel to the effect that if I did not discontinue using the name "Original Henry Clay Coal," suit would be instituted against me; to which I replied in substance that I had the right to use that name, and that if they thought otherwise they "go ahead." They threatened but never have gone ahead.

It would be strange indeed, that my time of litigation with a corporation whose acts [illegible] in adopting this [illegible] name, should now [illegible] [illegible] The card of Messrs. R. G. & Co. to the public, to the best of the uncontested facts of the case. The truth is, they have literally attempted to usurp and adopt the name "ORIGINAL" to their Coal, when its use exclusively to me, as I was the first to use it, and apply it to the Coal I am now mining and shipping. Messrs. R. G. & Co. market, because of the "Henry Clay Colliery" September 1st, 1868. They then commenced shipping their Coal by the only name it was known by, viz: the "Henry Clay Coal." Before and at that time, and ever since, I have shipped my Coal under the name that under the name "ORIGINAL HENRY CLAY COAL." In the month of February, it occurred to R. G. & Co. that they would adopt my prefix "ORIGINAL," and notify the public that "THEY only are shipping the 'Original Henry Clay Coal.'" How false and dishonorable that course has been I leave to the public to judge. I consider that this matter may be come to a point, I feel no hesitation that I am shipping at this time, and will continue to ship and sell my coal as heretofore, under the name of the "ORIGINAL HENRY CLAY COAL." JOHN B. DOUTY.

April 10 '69 15-3t

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From Elizabethport to Easton	64 miles.
From Easton to Mauch Chunk	46 "
From Mauch Chunk to Greenville	35 "
	145

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SCHUYLKILL COAL TRADE.

Coal Trade by Railroad, & Canal 1869. The quantity sent by Railroad, for the week ending Thursday last:

	RAILROAD.		CANAL.	
St. Clair	30,772 19			
Port Carbon	9 697 19		6,218 00	
Pottsville	8,635 16		520 00	
Schuylkill Haven	19,491 07		13,660 10	
Auburn	6,547 18			
Port Clinton	12,889 05		1,117 00	
Total paying freight	89,133 09			
Coal for Company's use	3,703 01			
Total for Week	92,946 10		23,515 10	
Previously this year	843,732 09		64,229 00	
Total	936,682 19		89,743 15	
To same time last year	836,061 18		86,469 00	
Increase	100,621 05		3,[illegible]	
Decrease				

Schuylkill Co. Railroads for 1869. The following is the quantity shipped last week:

	Week.	Total.
Mine Hill & S. H. R. R.	47,341 11	551,181 04
Schuylkill Valley	9,830 06	80,943 12
Mill Creek	5,720 10	100,914 10
Mt. Carbon	6,534 09	36,303 13

PINEGROVE COAL TRADE—'69. Amount transported during the last month.

	MONTH.	TOTAL.
Lorberry Creek	3 210 05	4 280 15
Good Spring	6 976 11	17,951 10
Union Railroad	6,116 16	17,233 10

LEHIGH COAL TRADE—1869.

LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD.

Quantity sent by Lehigh Valley Railroad for the week ending on Saturday last and for the year:

	WEEK.	TOTAL.
From Mahanoy	11,125	74,319
" Beaver Meadow	10,130	115,621
" M. Chunk		77
" U. Lehigh	374	4,093
" Hazleton	14,885	297, 57
" Wyoming	4,883	169,132
Grand Total	67,680	749,779
Same time last year	37,787	685,117
Increase	24,882	84,653
Decrease		

THE COAL MARKETS.

PRICES OF COAL BY THE CARGO.

(CORRECTED WEEKLY FOR THE MINERS' JOURNAL.)

AT PHILADELPHIA.

FOR SHIPMENTS EAST OF NEW BRUNSWICK, AND SOUTH OF CAPE HENRY.

April 15, 1869.

Schuylkill Red Ash Prepared	$	@
" Chestnut		@
" White Ash Lump	4 00	@ 4 10
" St. Boat	4 00	@ 4 10
" Broken	4 25	@ 4 35
" Egg	4 25	@ 4 50
" Stove	4 25	@ 4 50
" Chestnut	3 25	@ 3 75
Locust Mt. Lump	4 00	@
" St. Boat	4 00	@
" Broken	4 50	@
" Egg	4 50	@
" Stove	4 50	@ 4 75
" Chestnut	4 00	@

SPECIAL COALS.

Franklin of Lykens Valley	$5 25	@
Hill & Harris Lump and St. Boat	5 25	@
do Broken	5 50	@
do Egg	5 50	@
do Stove	5 50	@
do Chestnut	4 00	@

We will quote all standard coals in demand but the prices must be furnished by the parties themselves.

AT NEW YORK.

April 13, 1869.

Schuylkill Red Ash by Boat Load	@
" Chestnut	@
" White Ash Lump	@
" Steam Boat and Broken	@
" Egg	5 75 @
" Stove	6 00 @
" Chestnut	5 00 @
Lehigh White Ash Lump	@
" Steam Boat and Broken	5 75 @
" Egg	5 75 @
" Stove	6 00 @
" Chestnut	5 00 @
" Pea	@

Lehigh Coal at Elizabethport & Port Johnson.

Lump	$5 00 @	Egg	@5 25
Steamer	5 25 @	Stove	@5 50
Broken	5 25 @	Chestnut	@5 00

Price of Scranton Coal at Elizabethport.

Lump	$4 50 @	Egg	4 50 @
Steamer	4 50 @	Stove	5 00 @
Broken	4 50 @	Chestnut	4 50 @

Scranton Coal at Newburgh.

Lump	$4 50 @	Egg	4 50 @
Steamer	4 50 @	Stove	4 50 @
Grate	4 50 @	Chestnut	4 00 @

AT BALTIMORE.

April 15, 1869.

To trade by cargo or car load.

Wilkes're & Pittston W. Ash	$5 65 @
Lykens Valley Red Ash	@
Shamokin, white or R. Ash	5 40 @
From yard at wharf, 50 @ 75 cents additional.	
Delivered to consumers	7 75 @ 8 50
George's creek and Cumberland Coal, f. o. b. at Locust Point for shipping. At	5 00 @

COAL FREIGHTS.

Freights from Pt. Richmond (Philad'a).

Bath	2 60	Salem	2 50
Portland	2 60	Somerset	2 00
Portsmouth	2 65	Newport	2 00
Boston	2 60	Providence	2 00
Chelsea	2 60	Paw't'k'et	2 15
Charlestown	2 60	Hartford	2 25
Danvers Port	2 60	New Haven	1 75
Dorchester	2 60	New York	1 30 @1 35
Gloucester	2 50	Baltimore	1 60
Hingham	2 50	Georgetown	1 15
Lynn	2 50	Washington	1 15
New Bedford	2 50		

108 vessels 70 boats arrived for week.

Freights from Elizabethport & Port Johnson.

Boston	@1 75	New London	1 15
Bridgeport	1 00	New Port	
Fall River	1 40	New York	60
Hudson	1 00	Norwalk	1 00
Middletown	1 75	Portsmouth	2 00
New Bedford	1 75	Portland	1 75
Newburyport	2 25	Providence	1 40
New Haven	1 00	Salem	

Rates of Transportation to Tide Water

(BY RAILROADS.)

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(Prices of Tolls, &c., for the present.)

	R. A.	L.	Egg.	S.	C.
Drawbacks	1 10	1 10	1 00	1 00	75 / 90
Rates to N. Y. and					
Tolls, &c., to Phila.	1 90	1 90	1 00	1 25	1 10
Broad Street	2 15	2 15	2 15	2 15	2 15

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To convert to the cost from Mauch Chunk via Railroad shipped from the following points:

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L. V. R. R. tolls	91
Belvidere & Del. R. R.	1 25
Shipping	25
Total	$2 25

Elizabeth Port, Perth Amboy, &c., 7 cents additional.

Port Johnson, N. J.

L. V. R. R.	81
Central R. R.	1 19
Shipping	25
Total	$2 25

(BY CANALS.)

Tolls and Freights by Canal.

	From Port Carbon	Mauch Chunk	Port Clinton
Tolls	$1 20	$1 27	1 25
Freights to			
New York	1 70	1 60	1 50
Freights to Philada.	$2 90		$2 95
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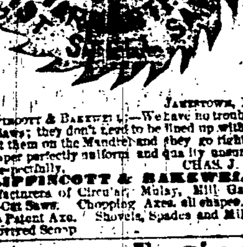

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April 17, '69 16-6m

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TO LET.—Second floor of building at corner of Second and Market streets, lately occupied by the Jefferson Democrat. Apply to PHILIP NOSER, March 27, '67—13-tf 266 Centre Street.

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April 4, '69 14 6m

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April 3, '69—14-3m

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April 3, '69 14-3m—cow.

STRAY MULE.—A large Black Mule in good order came to the premises of Thomas Bittle, near Pottsville, North Manheim Township, on Tuesday, 6th inst. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take it away.

April 10, '69—15-3t* THOMAS BITTLE.

COUNTY NORMAL SCHOOL.

Another session of this School will be held in Port Carbon, commencing MONDAY, May 17th, 1869, and continuing in session ten weeks. Special attention will be paid to the common school branches, and to the methods of teaching them.

Boarding and Tuition, reasonable. Those desiring boarding will please notify the undersigned *immediately*, so that places can be secured for them, or they will have to provide for themselves.

JESSE NEWLIN, Co. Supt.,
April 10, '69—15 3t Port Carbon, P. O.

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AGENT FOR THE

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The Company also have a partly sunk salt well, with all the necessary machinery in good order. This well is one Capital, and and a half miles from the river landing, and is so located that it will drain the entire basin, on the line of which are flowing salt springs; this is one where a[illegible] Any further information can be had at the Mines, or by addressing

GEO. ESCOL SELLERS, Vice Pres.
Bowlesville Mining Co., Shawneetown, Ill.
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FIVE SIZES—Very simple and great capacity weighing

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Mar 25 '69 12-3m

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Good Cognac Brandy at	$1 00 per qt. or bottle.
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Property bought, held, sold or shipped to Eastern markets on margins.

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Postscript.

THE LATEST NEWS.

Saturday, April 17, 1869.

Appointments—Cuban Affairs—Miscellany.

A large number of nominations were confirmed by the Senate on Thursday, including H. Van Aerham, of New York, for Commissioner of Pensions; A. R. Calhoun, Pension Agent, and H. B. Bingham, Postmaster, at Philadelphia. Among the nominations were Henry Baxter, of Michigan, for Minister to Honduras; C. E. DeLong, of Nevada, Minister to Japan; Adam Badeau, Assistant Secretary of Legation at London; and E. M. McCook, Governor of Colorado.

Washington despatches state that President Grant does not acquiesce in the views of Secretary Fish relative to Cuban affairs. This is shown by the instructions which have just been prepared for Mr. Plumb, Consul General to Cuba, who is about to leave for Havana. His instructions are of the most peremptory character, looking to restitution and full satisfaction to American citizens for all injuries and insults offered by Spaniards. The owners of the Mary Lowell are in Washington, to lay the matter of her capture before the British Minister, and in the event of prompt action not being taken, our Government will assume the responsibility of demanding redress.

Hon. Dawson Coleman, the retiring Senator from Lebanon county, gave an entertainment on Thursday evening to the members and officers of the Legislature at the Lochiel House, Harrisburg. It was intended solely as an evidence of good will, and was made the occasion on the part of the friends of the donor of expressing their appreciation of his courtesy, integrity, and ability.

The display of Auroral lights was witnessed in New York, Boston, Baltimore, Richmond, Louisville, and other cities.

Gold closed on Thursday at 132½. Government securities were strong, with an advance of ⅛@¼. The general stock market closed firm.

THE Alabama Treaty was rejected in the Senate by only one opposing vote, McCreary of Maryland. The speech of the Hon. Chas. Sumner in opposition to the adoption of the Treaty, was one of his most brilliant efforts and received the hearty approval of all the Copperheads in the Senate except one. This was a great triumph for this distinguished and model Senator. It is now evident from the tone of the country that England must not only pay all damages, but must make an acknowledgment that she was a little too hasty in according belligerent rights to the rebels, and permitting piratical vessels to be fitted out to prey upon our commerce.

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Linens, White Goods and Domestics, Hosiery, Gloves of all kinds, Mourning Dress Goods.

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Including Lama Lace Cloaks, Sacques & Points,

And various other goods adapted to the Popular Trade, which will be sold at

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NEW CARPETINGS.

We shall open on the 1st April, our entire Spring Importation of

NEW CARPETINGS.

French & English Axminster,

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ENGLISH BRUSSELS,

Of the latest styles and different makes.

A few bales of

English & Scotch Three-plies & Ingrain.

With a fine assortment of

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CANTON MATTINGS,

WHITE & RED CHECK AND FANCY

Mattings of New Varieties,

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April 10, 1869 15-3m

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A. J. IANDER, JR.,

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Offers for sale all the newest styles of MARSEILLES TRIMMINGS, GIMPS and BUTTONS.

SUITABLE FOR

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ALSO,

ZEPHYR WORSTED, (new colors,) and WORSTED PATTERNS, BEADS and EMBROIDERIES, Always on hand and good assortment.

ALL KINDS OF

WORSTED AND SILK EMBROIDERIES

Done at very short notice.

April 3, '69 14-3m

FURNITURE.

A. & H. LEJAMBRE

HAVE REMOVED THEIR

Furniture & Upholstering Warerooms

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May 23, '68—21-1y GIRARD ROW.

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R. L. KNIGHT & SON,

1222 CHESTNUT STREET,

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Spring Importations now Open.

French Axminsters, English Wiltons, Velvets, Tapestries,

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Of all the celebrated English makes, new designs, special styles, with borders to match.

Hall & Stairs Carpets, Three Plies, Ingrains Venetians, Canton & Cocoa Mattings,

ENGLISH FLOOR OIL CLOTHS.

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Above Twelfth, PHILADA.

March 6, '69 10-3m

PARK HOTEL,

POTTSVILLE, PA.,

J. M. LAWRENCE, Proprietor

This new and beautiful Hotel has all the necessary conveniences of a first class house, is situate on an eminence near the Borough line, and has a well improved Park of upwards of forty acres surrounding it, with fine groves, dancing platform for pic-nics in the groves; and when it rains the large hall of the hotel, 20x21 feet, and two porches 10 feet wide extending entirely around the house, afford ample accommodations for large parties.

Churches, Fire Companies, Schools and Societies desiring the use of the grounds for pic-nics, &c., can have them as heretofore, on liberal terms, with privilege of keeping their own bars if desirable. To avoid disappointment, they should secure the grounds several days ahead of the time desired.

Special meals will be prepared for parties, society anniversaries, &c., on short notice.

The present location of the Hotel, with its large, airy rooms, fine scenery, the splendid walks and drives of the Park, pure air and pure water, render it a most desirable place for summer boarders. The location is central, being but one-half mile from Pottsville, one-half-mile from Port Carbon, one half mile from Palo Alto, one and one-half miles from St. Clair, four miles from Minersville, and four miles from Schuylkill Haven.

Fine Stabling will shortly be erected.

The proprietor hereby warns all persons against climbing over or pulling down the fences, destroying trees, or committing any depredations on the Park grounds, as they will be dealt with according to law. Neither will the proprietor be accountable for any damage done to cows, pigs, horses or mules which may be allowed to run at large and get into the Park—the dogs will be let loose to clear the grounds.

J. M. LAWRENCE, Proprietor.

April 3, 1869 14-tf

REMOVAL.

JAMES MOORE has removed his Truck Stand from No. 96, to No. 306 Centre Street. Also, Albright's Express to the same place. Thankful for liberal patronage in the past, he hopes for a continuance of the same.

Pottsville, April 3, 1869. 14-3m

FINE CHERRY TREES.

Several hundred three year old CHERRY TREES—a very fine lot—will be sold cheap by the 100, as they must be removed, at GREENWOOD NURSERY, Pottsville, Pa.

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