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GREAT ARRIVAL OF NEW GOODS! JOHN W. PRILING respectfully informs his friends and customers that he has just received a large and handsome assortment of Dry Goods...

MORE NEW GOODS At the New Store of JOHN BUYERS & CO., Market Street, Sunbury. WHO has just received and opened a large assortment of new and fashionable goods...

NEW STAGE LINE FROM POTTSVILLE TO SHAMOKIN. A new line of stages is now running daily between the above places. A comfortable two horse stage will leave Mt. Carmel for Shamokin...

SELECT POETRY.

From Fisher's Drawing Room Scrap Book. The Foolish Quarrel. 'Hush, Joanna: 'tis quite certain That the coffee was not strong; Own your error—I'll forgive you— Why so stubborn in the wrong?'

A Select Tale.

From Sartain's Union Magazine. THE KENNEBEC CAPTIVE. BY REV. JOHN TODD, D. D. (Concluded.) Capreno was a Canadian Indian, of the Lorette tribe, and though his people were in the service of the British...

WHITTLING SHINGLES.

Scene.—Mr. Ploshandle's dooryard; John and Editor, seated on logs on the sunny side of his great woodpile. John whittling a beach chip; the Editor a base wood splitter. The Editor.—Whittle from you, John; why don't you whittle from you? John.—What's the difference? Whittling is whittling, any way, whether you whittle towards you or from you.

THE DEAD CHILD AND THE ANGEL.

By Hans Christian Anderson.—As soon as a good child dies, one of God's angels descends upon the earth, takes the child in his arms, spreads out his large white wings, and flies over all the places that were dear to the child...

THE CRYSTAL PALACE.

The Crystal Palace.—A very beautiful lithograph of the Crystal Palace, now being erected in Hyde Park, London, has been received from England, by W. B. Zieber. The palace, according to the brief description which the print gives, covers 21 acres...

THE GRASS WORM.

The Grass Worm, or weevil, began its course of destruction in Vermont, about the year 1825, and it progresses in the course it takes from ten to fifteen miles a year. It has not reached Western New York to any extent; but the destroyer is on its march, and desolation will follow its tracks in this great wheat growing region.

PANARAMA BURNED.

PANARAMA BURNED.—At Berlin, Prussia, on the 1st inst., a fire broke out in a large place of amusement called "Kroll's" totally destroying it. A great Panarama of the Mississippi exhibited in the centre saloon, fell a prey to the flames. It was the property of a M. Cassida, a competitor of Tisley.