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DAMANTINE SLATES
OF VARIOUS SIZES AND PRICES,
Which, for beauty and use, cannot be excelled.
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SCHEFFER'S BOOKSTORE,
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Will supply his old friends and customers with the following Books at Auction prices:
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A LARGE AND SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF
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Of various Designs and Colors, for 8 cents,
TISSUE PAPER AND CUT FLY PAPER,
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ANOTHER AND SPLENDID LOT OF
SPLICED FISHING RODS!
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A GREAT VARIETY OF
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Which we will sell as cheap as the cheapest!
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NO. 91 MARKET STREET,
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WORKER IN TIN,
SHEET IRON, AND
METALLIC ROOFING,
Second Street, below Chestnut,
HARRISBURG, PA.
Is prepared to fill orders for any article in his branch of business; and if not on hand, he will make to order on short notice.
METALLIC ROOFING, of Tin or Galvanized Iron, constantly on hand.
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He hopes, by strict attention to the wants of his customers, to merit and receive a generous share of public patronage.
☞ Every promise strictly fulfilled.
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SALMON, (very superior.)
SHAD, (Mess and very fine.)
HERRING, (extra large.)
COD FISH.
SMOKED HERRING, (extra Digby.)
SCOTCH HERRING.
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The entire lot new—DIRECT FROM THE FISHERIES, and will sell them at the lowest market rates.
sep14 WM. DOCK, JR., & CO.

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IN THE REAR OF HERR'S HOTEL.
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Which he will hire at moderate rates.
oct13-dly F. K. SWARTZ.

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Successor to Wm. Parkhill,
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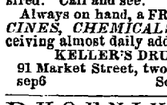

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au16-dtf FRANK A. MURRAY.

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HARI KARI,
EL MONO,
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FOR THE HANDKERCHIEF:
TURKISH ESSENCE.
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MYRTLE AND VIOLET POMATUM.
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BAZIN'S FINEST
MOSS ROSE,
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Having the largest stock and best assortment of Toilet Articles, we fancy that we are better able than our competitors to get up a complete Toilet Set at any price desired. Call and see.
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MACHINE WORK AND REPAIRING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.
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We have a large and complete assortment of Patterns to select from. au22

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A New Lot of
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Of Beautiful Styles, substantially made
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Of the best Manufacture.
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☞ Call and look at our work before going elsewhere. sep11-d3m

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LUCKNOW CHUTNY,
CONTINENTAL,
SOYER'S SULTANA,
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LONDON CLUB,
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READING SAUCE,
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CARBOYS, DEMIJOHNS,
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OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.
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F. W. WEBER, nephew and taught by the well remembered late F. W. Weber, of Harrisburg, is prepared to give lessons in music upon the PIANO, VIOLINCELLO, VIOLIN and FLUTE. He will give lessons at his residence, corner of Locust street and River alley or at the homes of pupils. au25-d6m

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TO THE PUBLIC!
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COAL YARD,
SOUTH SECOND STREET,
BELOW PRATT'S ROLLING MILL,
HARRISBURG, PA.,
Where he has constantly on hand
LYKENS VALLEY BROKEN, EGG, STOVE AND NUT COAL.
ALSO,
WILKESBARRE STEAMBOAT, BROKEN, STOVE AND NUT COAL,
ALL OF THE BEST QUALITY.
It will be delivered to consumers clean, and full weight warranted.
☞ CONSUMERS GIVE ME A CALL FOR YOUR WINTER SUPPLY.
☞ Orders left at my house, in Walnut street, near *Fifth*; or at Brubaker's, *North street*; J. L. Speeli's, Market Square; Wm. Bostick's, corner of Second and South streets, and John Lingle's, Second and Mulberry streets, will receive prompt attention.
jy13-d6m JOHN TILL.

COAL! COAL!!
ONLY YARD IN TOWN THAT DELIVERS
COAL BY THE
PATENT WEIGH CARTS!
NOW IS THE TIME
For every family to get in their supply of Coal for the winter—weighed at their door by the *Patent Weigh Carts. The accuracy of these Carts no one disputes*, and they never get out of order, as is frequently the case of the Platform Scales; besides, the consumer has the satisfaction of proving the weight of his Coal at his own house.
I have a large supply of Coal on hand, consisting of
S. M. CO.'S LYKENS VALLEY COAL all sizes,
LYKENS VALLEY do " "
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BITUMINOUS BROAD TOP do.
All Coal of the best quality mined, and delivered free from all impurities, at the lowest rates, by the boat or car load, single, half or third of tons, and by the bushel.
JAMES M. WHEELER.
Harrisburg, September 24, 1860.—sep25

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TO GET CLEAN COAL!
FULL WEIGHT AND NOTHING SHORT OF IT!
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FREE FROM SLATE, AND CAREFULLY SCREENED,
AT AS LOW A
FIGURE AS FAIR DEALING WILL AFFORD!
Although my Coal is not weighed in SELF-WEIGHING CARTS, BUT IS WEIGHED ON SCALES ACCURATELY TESTED BY THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES, and consumers may rest assured that they will be fairly and honestly dealt with. I sell nothing but the very best article, and no mixing.
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PATENT WEIGH CARTS.
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PATENT WEIGH CARTS.
WITHOUT EXTRA CHARGE FOR HAULING,
And in any quantity they may desire, as low as can be purchased *anywhere.*
FIVE THOUSAND TONS COAL ON HAND,
Of LYKENS VALLEY and WILKESBARRE, all sizes.
☞ *Willing to maintain fair prices, but unwilling to be undersold by any parties.*
☞ All Coal forked up and delivered clean and free from all impurities, and the *best* article mined.
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Coal sold by Boat, Car load, single, half or third of tons, and by the bushel.
JAMES M. WHEELER.
Harrisburg, October 13, 1860.—oct15

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ARISING FROM
Excesses, Exposures, and Imprudencies in Life.
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From whatever cause originating, and whether existing in
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FAMILY SEWING MACHINE
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SOUTH EAST CORNER OF 11TH AND MARKET STREETS.
ADJOINING THE PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD DEPOT,
PHILADELPHIA.
The undersigned would respectfully inform the Public that he has taken the above Hotel, formerly known as "THE MANSION HOUSE," which he has refitted and newly furnished throughout.
The Rooms are spacious and commodious, and furnished with every convenience to be found in the best Hotels in the city.
The "UNITED STATES" is admirably located for the convenience of travelers, being under the same roof with the Pennsylvania Railroad Depot, and thus saving both hack hire and porterage of baggage. No pains will be spared to render the "UNITED STATES" a pleasant and patronage. Charges moderate.
oc22-d3mwly H. W. KANAGA, Proprietor.

BUEHLER HOUSE,
MARKET SQUARE,
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GEO. J. BOLTON, PROPRIETOR.
CARD.
The above well known and long established Hotel is now undergoing a thorough renovation, and being in a great degree newly furnished, under the proprietorship of Mr. GEORGE J. BOLTON, who has been an inmate of the house for the last three years, and is well known to its guests.
Thankful for the liberal patronage which it has enjoyed, I cheerfully commend Mr. Bolton to the public favor. je7-d&wy WILLIAM BUEHLER.

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,
BROADWAY,
NEW YORK
When completed, six years ago, the St. Nicholas was universally pronounced the most magnificent, convenient, and thoroughly organized establishment of the kind on this continent.
What it was then, it remains to-day—*without a rival in size, in sumptuousness*, and in the general elements of comfort and enjoyment.
The Hotel has accommodations for ONE THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED GUESTS, including *ONE HUNDRED COMPLETE SUITES OF APARTMENTS* for families.
SIX HUNDRED PERSONS can be comfortably seated at the tables of its three public dining rooms, and nothing that modern art has devised for the convenience and social gratification of the traveling public has been omitted in its plan, or is neglected in its practical details.
The early reputation of the house at home and abroad, derived from its magnitude, its superb appointments, and its *home-like comforts and luxuries*, has been enhanced every year by the unwearied exertions of the Proprietors.
au24-d3m TREADWELL, WHITCOMB & CO.

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ALL WORK PROMISED IN
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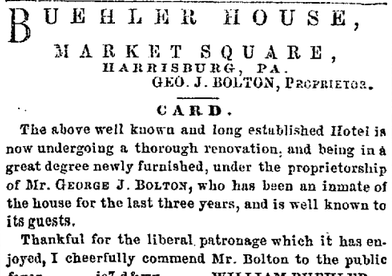

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THE MYSTERIES OF PARIS.

We translate from one of the foreign newspapers, received in our last files, the ensuing sketch of one of the phases of that motley, many-sided thing, called life in Paris. Our readers may add it as a new chapter to the late Eugene Sue's "Mysteries of Paris:"

As I came out of the Theatre de la Porte St. Martin, after the curtain had fallen for the night, some two months or more ago, I was accosted by a man who kept a pace or two behind me: "Monsieur," said he in a broken, tremulous voice, "give me something for God's sake. Believe me, I must be at a terrible extremity indeed to be forced to beg. I assure you it is the first time in my life I ever did such a thing, but my mother and my three sisters may die of hunger to-night; it's three days since a crumb of bread has passed their lips. So I must either beg or see them starve." Astonished and touched, I felt curious to see who addressed me. I turned around and discovered a young man of aristocratic appearance. He was excessively pale, and his whole person attested great poverty. He evidently was not an artisan, his appearance and manner of expressing himself showed he was above that rank of life. My heart sank within me, for I knew that I was appealed to by one of the most dreadful forms of human suffering wretchedness assumes, perhaps, the worst of the whole hideous genera, because it is moral as well as physical—I mean extreme poverty in a man obliged to wear the livery of respectability.

I put my hand in my pocket; I had, alas! only twenty francs left. I gave them to the young man, but, feeling how insufficient my alms were, I said to him: "This is all I have with me.—Supply your most pressing wants to-night; give me your address, and to-morrow I will try and do something more for you." "Thank you. My name is Simon. We live near St. Martin Canal, Rue St. Sebastian 104." As I wended my way home I thought of the best way of aiding this wretched family. I thought how horrible it is to see a poor young man, scarcely five-and-twenty years old, whose cheeks have already been furrowed by tears. Of a truth, how could he restrain his tears, at the sight of his famishing mother and he unable to alleviate her anguish? She gave him life, she oft sang him to slumber in her arms and on her knee, for months her milk was his only food, he is a man now, but he cannot procure a piece of bread for her. He is well educated, probably a bachelor of arts, may be a professional man; but of what profit is it to him, if he cannot turn his talent to account? Were he alone in the world, he might enlist in the army, and there at least his daily bread would be secure. But he has not the right to risk his life, he must support his mother; the State itself admits the force of this obligation and exempts him from military service. He is the widow's only son; he must take the place of the head of the family. Hence it is that this evening, finding all his efforts to procure them money vain, and recollecting his mother and sisters have eaten nothing for three days, he determines to sacrifice to them everything, his personal dignity, his feelings—everything except his honor; and he begs to save them from the pangs of hunger. Who would not have emptied his pockets in this generous mood?

Early the next morning, *bis dat qui cito dat*, I went to the indicated address. I found a scene of the most horrible distress. Straw covered with rags were the only beds they had, their kitchen utensils consisted of some broken earthenware pots, an old table and two or three rickety chairs were their whole furniture. As I entered the room four women instantly rose, and the young man who had appealed to me the previous evening advanced to meet me. His mother and three sisters were clad in sordid rags; they were painful to look upon; it was impossible to say whether their countenances bore the indelible marks of vice or of wretchedness. I felt that I had come too late, and that the physical part of themselves could alone be saved, the moral part seemed to me gangrened past all hope. I could not help thinking that robbery and prostitution had willing recruits there. The young man alone completely interested me. He accepted without false shame, but with something like dignity, the money I brought him. He told me he hoped to obtain a place before long, and asked for my address that he might return what I gave him some day or another.

Some time after this adventure befell me, I was walking with one of my friends near the Breda barrier, when the idea struck me that I would find pleasure in visiting one of the barrier balls. We bent our steps towards La Reine Blanche, which is said to be the most famous among them. I had no sooner entered the ball room than my attention was completely absorbed by a young man attired, so far as taste is concerned, with doubtful elegance. He wore a cravat of some glaring color, a striped velvet waistcoat, and an enormous gold chain; but he was expensively dressed, and in a manner well calculated to produce an irrisistible effect in such a company. Notwithstanding the complete change which had taken place in the man's costume and bearing, I thought I recognized him—and that he was none other than Monsieur Simon, of Rue St. Sebastian, No. 104.—He was boisterously laughing, talking loud and pouring out champagne generously to five or six women, who stood around him. One of the women turned around, and I caught sight of her face; she was the pseudo eldest sister who gave me a seat when I visited the garret where they lived.

While I was telling my friend my adventure and my discovery, I saw a lad who used to wait on me in a furnished lodging house where I once lived. "What are you doing here, you little rogue?" said I to him. "*It is my day* to go out, and I always come here." "Then you must know the people here; tell me who is that young man." "Him, who is surrounded by women?" "Yes—the man that is drinking now." "He is *le roi des thuneurs.*" "Where is his kingdom?—what is a *thuneur?*" You know what a *thune* is, sir, don't you?" "No, I don't." "Well, sir, *thune* is the slang word for a five franc piece. They call *thuneur* a way of begging which always brings a five franc piece, sometimes a louis d'or, and sometimes more; but five francs is the usual sum obtained—hence its name. But, lor bless your soul! it is not an easy trade, I tell ye! It takes a fellow of talents to do it; for he's got to steer clear of the police in the first place, and then be keen enough to judge from people's faces whether they'll swallow the bait. *Le roi des thuneurs* never makes a mistake; he speaks five or six languages, and I tell ye, he makes money out of foreigners in the winter time at the doors of balls and large theatres. That's the reason they call him *le roi des thuneurs.*"

My friend and I looked at each other in amazement. Then I turned to the lad and said: "Suppose some person should, instead of giving him money, ask his address in order to carry the money to his house, and see with his own eyes whether the misery be real or no?" "Why, he's glad of it, for he is certain in that case of making a great deal of money. He has a garret hired by the year, which he fills with straw, rickety furniture and pawnbrokers' certificates, then he hires a mother and two or three sisters for three francs apiece, they all play their parts well, and the benevolent visitor acts beneficently, and leaves them a large sum of money."

"What an odious trade!" said I to my friend. We left the ball patronized by *le roi des thuneurs.*

HORRORS OF THE PAPAL PRISONS.

REVOLTING CRUELTIES IN THE DUNGEONS OF PALIANO.

The Florence (Italy) *Nazione* presents a summary of a little work entitled *The Prisons of Paliano.* It is the record of the experience of several political prisoners, written in the Pontifical dungeons of Paliano. These tombs for the living are now, thanks to recent events, empty. One prisoner writes:

In the fort of Paliano there are about two hundred political prisoners, dressed like the criminals condemned to the gallleys, and, like them, shaved. They are divided into five sections. Those condemned for life are shut up in cells, about nine spans wide and about sixteen long, including the little table of brick-work. Other cells, about three spans wider, contain three prisoners; and others, not much larger, have seventeen all huddled together. In the first of these there is a small grating over and opposite the door, through which the food is introduced. The other cells have one window, and sometimes two, with an opening of about four spans in breadth and one in hight, and through this the prisoners were fired upon if it was necessary to keep them quiet.—The food and hospital arrangements were villainous. The patients are neglected and ill-treated. The medical attendants will hardly ever send a patient to the hospital, and when they do send him they almost always keep him on strict diet. Perhaps they have a secret understanding with those who contract for the food. One day, when some complaints were made on account of the bad soup in the hospital, the person who made the complaint was taken by two keepers, and by dint of blows and kicks, was forcibly thrust along into the darkest dungeons, and there detained many days by order of the governor. When some prisoner at the point of death refuses to receive a confessor, he is removed into a solitary cell, and there, after having heaped on him a thousand outrages, orders are given to one of the lowest turnkeys to kill him by suffocation.—The fact is known from the confession of the turnkey himself, who, on one occasion, refused to be a party to this barbarity. The corpse is interred in the interior of the fort, and the governor is present at the funeral. Sometimes he gives a kick to the head of the corpse, and commits similar outrages.

The following is the testimony of another victim:

While I was an inmate of this den of horrors, a wife, with her little boy, obtained permission to see her husband. It was ten years since the Papal Government had torn her husband from her embrace; the boy had never known his father, for he was born after the arrest. Neither the prayers of the afflicted wife, nor the tears of the tender child, nor the sobbings and despair of the unhappy father could induce the governor to allow them but one embrace—to let them mingle their tears together. It would be impossible to describe the rigors and the tortures, always new and increasing, which have been invented to augment the sufferings of the prisoners after the last fatal attempt at flight. In order to prevent the political prisoners from holding the slightest communication with the outer world, absurdity was even had to the very strange and absurd expedient of forbidding the physician (although an individual completely subservient to the government) from personally visiting the sick in the prison. He was to treat them on the report of a creature who but a short time before had been in the galleys, and was transferred thence to perform the office of an hospital attendant. This liberated galley-slave felt the pulse, made his diagnosis, drew his conclusions, and the physician meanwhile waited in the room of the governor for the report of the attendant, and, according to the character of that report, prescribed remedies for the patients whom he had never seen. Representation on representation was necessary before the Papal Government could be induced to abandon this singular mode of proceeding; and it was only after some time that the physician obtained permission to approach the bed of his patients; but even then