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☞ The number of insertions must be designated on the advertisement.

☞ Marriages and Deaths will be inserted at the same rates as regular advertisements.

Books, Stationery, &c.

SCHOOL BOOKS.—School Directors, Teachers, Parents, Scholars, and others, in want of School Books, School Stationery, &c., will find a complete assortment at E. M. POLLOCK & SON'S BOOK STORE, Market Square, Harrisburg, comprising in part the following—

READERS.—McGuffey's, Parker's, Cobb's, Angell's
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ENGLISH GRAMMARS.—Bullion's, Smith's, Wood bridge's, Monteith's, Tuthill's, Hart's, Wells'.
HISTORIES.—Grimshaw's, Davenport's, Frost's, Wilson's, Willard's, Goodrich's, Pinnock's, Goldsmith's and Clark's.
ARITHMETIC'S.—Greenleaf's, Stoddard's, Emerson's, Pike's, Rose's, Colburn's, Smith and Duke's, Davie's.
ALGEBRAS.—Greenleaf's, Davie's, Day's, Bay's, Bridge's.
DICTIONARYS.—Walker's School, Cobb's, Walker, Worcester's Comprehensive, Worcester's Primary, Webster's Primary, Webster's High School, Webster's Quarto, Academic.
NATURAL PHILOSOPHIES.—Comstock's, Parker's, Swift's. The above with a great variety of others can at any time be found at my store. Also, a complete assortment of School Stationery, embracing in the whole a complete outfit for school purposes. Any book not in the store procured at one days notice.

☞ Country Merchants supplied at wholesale rates.
ALMANACS.—John Baer and Son's Almanac for sale at E. M. POLLOCK & SON'S BOOK STORE, Harrisburg.
☞ Wholesale and Retail. my1

JUST RECEIVED
AT
SCHEFFER'S BOOKSTORE,
ADAMANTINE SLATES
OF VARIOUS SIZES AND PRICES,
Which, for beauty and use, cannot be excelled.
REMEMBER THE PLACE,
SCHEFFER'S BOOKSTORE,
NO. 18 MARKET STREET. mar2

BOOK AUCTION.
BEN F. FRENCH
Will supply his old friends and customers with the following Books at Auction prices:
Pacific Railroad, 10 vols., complete, 4 illustrations $24.
Japan Expedition, 3 vols., complete, illustrated and illuminated, $12.
Emery's Expedition, 2 vols., complete, illustrated illuminated, $10.
Congressional Globe, $1 50 per volume.
Waverly Novels, complete, 12 vols., cloth, $10.
" " " 27 vols., half calf, $34; &c., &c., &c.
All of the above Books I will deliver in Harrisburg free of charge. BEN F. FRENCH,
278 Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, D. C.
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NEW BOOKS!
JUST RECEIVED
"SEAL AND SAY," by the author of "Wide, Wide World," "Dollars and Cents," &c.
"HISTORY OF METHODISM," by A. Stevens, LL.D.
For sale at SCHEFFERS' BOOKSTORE,
ap9 No. 18 Marke et.

JUST RECEIVED,
A LARGE AND SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF
RICHLY GILT AND ORNAMENTAL
WINDOW CURTAINS,
PAPER BLINDS,
Of various Designs and Colors, for 8 cents,
TISSUE PAPER AND CUT FLY PAPER,
At [my24] SCHEFFER'S BOOKSTORE.

WALL PAPER! WALL PAPER!!
Just received, our Spring Stock of WALL PAPER, BORDERS FIRE SCREENS, &c., &c. It is the largest and best selected assortment in the city, ranging in price from six (6) cents up to one dollar and a quarter ($1.25.)
As we purchase very low for cash, we are prepared to sell at as low rates, if not lower, than can be had elsewhere. If purchasers will call and examine, we feel confident that we can please them in respect to price and quality. E. M POLLOCK & SON,
ap3 Below Jones' House, Market Square.

LETTER, CAP, NOTE PAPERS, Pens, Holders, Pencils, Envelopes, Sealing Wax, of the best quality, at low prices, direct from the manufactories, at
mar30 SCHEFFER'S CHEAP BOOKSTORE

LAW BOOKS! LAW BOOKS!!—A general assortment of LAW BOOKS, all the State Reports and Standard Elementary Works, with many of the old English Reports, *scarce and rare*, together with a large assortment of second-hand Law Books, at very low prices, *at the one price Bookstore of*
E. M. POLLOCK & SON,
my8 Market Square, Harrisburg.

Miscellaneous.

AN ARRIVAL OF
NEW GOODS
APPROPRIATE TO THE SEASON!
SILK FANS! LINEN FANS!! PAPER FANS!!!
ANOTHER AND SPLENDID LOT OF
SPLICED FISHING RODS!
Trout Flies, Gut and Hair Snoods, Grass Lines, Silk and Hair Plaited Lines, and a general assortment of
FISHING TACKLE!
A GREAT VARIETY OF
WALKING CANES!
Which we will sell as cheap as the cheapest!
Silver Head Canes! Loaded Canes! Sword Canes! Hickory Canes! Fancy Canes!
KELLER'S DRUG AND FANCY STORE,
NO. 91 MARKET STREET,
South side, one door east of Fourth street je9.

B. J. HARRIS,
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.
Also, Tin and Sheet-Iron Ware, Spouting, &c.
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.
B. J. HARRIS,
jan7-dly] Second Street, below Chestnut.

FISH!! FISH!!!
MACKEREL, (Nos. 1, 2 and 3.)
SALMON, (very superior.)
SHAD, (Mess and very fine)
HERRING, (extra large.)
COD FISH.
SMOKED HERRING, (extra Digby.)
SCOTCH HERRING
SARDINES AND ANCHOVIES.
Of the above we have Mackerel in whole, half, quarter and eighth bbls Herring in whole and half bbls.
The entire lot new—DIRECT FROM THE FISHERIES, and will sell them at the lowest market rates.
sep14 WM. DOCK, JR., & CO.

FAMILY BIBLES, from $6 to $10, strong and handsomely bound, printed on good paper, with elegant clear new type, sold at
mch31 SCHEFFER'S Cheap Book Store.

CRANBERRIES!!!—A SPLENDID LOT just received by
oct10 WM. DOCK, JR., & CO.

FOR a superior and cheap TABLE or SALAD OIL go to
KELLER'S DRUG STORE.

THE Fruit Growers' Handbook—by WARING—wholesale and retail at
mch31 SCHEFFER'S Bookstore.

SPERM CANDLES.—A large supply just received by
sep18 WM. DOCK, JR., & CO.

IF you are in want of a Dentifrice go to
KELLER'S, 91, Market st.

Livery Stables.

CITY LIVERY STABLES,
BLACKBERRY ALLEY,
IN THE REAR OF HERR'S HOTEL.
The undersigned has re-commenced the *LIVERY BUSINESS* in his NEW AND SPACIOUS STABLES, located as above, with a large and varied stock of
HORSES, CARRIAGES AND OMNIBUSES,
Which he will hire at moderate rates.
oct13-dly F. K. SWARTZ.

FRANK A. MURRAY
Successor to Wm. Parkhill,
LIVERY & EXCHANGE STABLE
THIRD STREET BELOW MARKET.

HAVING purchased the interest of J. Q. Adams in the establishment, and made large additions to the stock, the undersigned is prepared to accommodate the public with SUPERIOR HORSES for Saddle or Carriage purposes, and with every variety of VEHICLES of the latest and most approved styles, on reasonable terms.
PLEASURE PARTIES will be accommodated with Omnibusses at short notice.
Carriages and Omnibusses, for funeral occasions, will be furnished, accompanied by careful and obliging drivers.
He invites an inspection of his stock, satisfied that it is fully equal to that of any other establishment of the kind in town. FRANK A. MURRAY

BRANCH STABLE
The undersigned has opened a branch of his "Livery and Exchange Stable" in the buildings lately occupied by A. W. Barr, in Fourth street, opposite the Bethel, where he is prepared to accommodate the public with Horses and Vehicles, at all times, on reasonable terms. His stock is large and varied, and will recommend itself.
au16-dtf FRANK A. MURRAY.

Miscellaneous.

TAKE NOTICE!
That we have recently added to our already full stock
OF SEGARS
LA NORMATIS,
HARI KARI,
EL MONO,
LA BANANA.
OF PERFUMERY
FOR THE HANDKERCHIEF:
TURKISH ESSENCE,
ODOR OF MUSK,
LUBIN'S ESSENCE BOUQUET.
FOR THE HAIR:
EAU LUSTRALE,
CRYSTALIZED POMATUM,
MYRTLE AND VIOLET POMATUM.
FOR THE COMPLEXION:
TALC OF VENICE,
ROSE LEAF POWDER,
NEW MOWN HAY POWDER,
BLANC DE PERLES.
OF SOAPS
BAZIN'S FINEST
MOSS ROSE,
BENZOIN,
UPPER TEN,
VIOLET,
NEW MOWN HAY,
JOCKEY CLUB.
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.
Always on hand, a FRESH Stock of *DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS*, &c, consequent of our receiving almost daily additions thereto.
KELLER'S DRUG AND FANCY STORE,
91 Market Street, two doors East of Fourth Street,
sep6 South side.

PHOENIX FOUNDRY.
J. J. OSLER. W. F. OSLER.
JOHN J. OSLER & BROTHER,
(SUCCESSORS TO JAMES M. BAY.)
FOUNDERS AND MACHINISTS,
Corner Pennsylvania Railroad and State Street,
HARRISBURG, PA.
MILL GEARING, IRON FENCES, RAILROAD AND CANAL WORK,
AND ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF
IRON CASTINGS
ON HAND OR MADE TO ORDER.
MACHINE WORK AND REPAIRING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.
PATTERNS MADE TO ORDER.
We have a large and complete assortment of Patterns to select from. au22

JUST RECEIVED!
A FULL ASSORTMENT OF
HUMPHREY'S HOMEOPATHIC SPECIFICS!
TO WHICH WE INVITE THE
ATTENTION OF THE AFFLICTED!
For sale at
SCHEFFER'S BOOKSTORE,
ap9 No. 18 Market st.

WE OFFER TO
CUSTOMERS
A New Lot of
LADIES' PURSES,
Of Beautiful Styles, substantially made
A Splendid Assortment of
GENTLEMEN'S WALLETS.
A New and Elegant Perfume,
KNIGHTS TEMPLARS' BOQUET,
Put up in Cut Glass Engraved Bottles.
A Complete Assortment of
HANDKERCHIEF PERFUMES,
Of the most exquisite nature.
A very superior cigar, which we put up in packages of a variety of sizes, and which we can warrant to keep in any climate.
POWDER, SHOT, CAPS AND WADS, by the quantity or single box.
We also keep constantly on hand a full assortment of DRUGS, which we will sell at as low a price as any other DRUG STORE, in the city, or elsewhere, allowing the difference in favor of the purchaser.
KELLER'S DRUG AND FANCY STORE, 91 Market street.
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ESTABLISHED IN 1810.
FANCY DYEING ESTABLISHMENT.
J. & W. JONES, No. 432 North Second Street, above Callowhill, Philadelphia, dye *SILKS, WOOLEN AND FANCY GOODS* of every description. Their superior style of Dyeing Ladies' and Gentlemen's Garments is widely known. Crape and Merino Shawls dyed the most brilliant or plain colors. Crape and Merino Shawls cleaned to look like new—also, Gentlemen's apparel. Curtains, &c., cleaned or re-dyed.
☞ Call and look at our work before going elsewhere. sep11-d3m

CHOICE SAUCES!
WORCESTERSHIRE,
LUCKNOW CHUTNY,
CONTINENTAL,
SOYER'S SULTANA,
ATHENÆUM,
LONDON CLUB,
SIR ROBERT PEEL,
INDIA SOY,
READING SAUCE,
ENGLISH PEPPER SAUCE.
For sale by WM. DOCK, JR., & CO.
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DYOTTVILLE GLASS WORKS,
PHILADELPHIA,
MANUFACTURE
CARBOYS, DEMIJOHNS,
WINE, PORTER, MINERAL WATER, PICKLE AND
PRESERVE BOTTLES
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.
H. B. & G. W. BENNERS,
oct9-dly 27 South Front street, Philadelphia.

INSTRUCTION IN MUSIC.
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, VIOLIN, CELLO, 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

SCHEFFER'S Bookstore is the place to buy Gold Pens—warranted

Coal.

TO THE PUBLIC!
JOHN TILL'S
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. Speel'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 " "
WILKESBARRE do. " "
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

COAL! COAL!! COAL!!!
NOW IS YOUR TIME
TO GET CLEAN COAL!
FULL WEIGHT AND NOTHING SHORT OF IT!
Thankful to my friends and customers for their liberal patronage, I would inform them and the public generally, that I am fully prepared, on short notice, to supply them with all kinds of
SUPERIOR COAL OF ALL SIZES.
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.
Also, HICKORY, OAK and PINE WOOD always on hand. sep4-d3m GEO. P. WIESTLING.

UP TOWN!
PATENT WEIGH CARTS.
For the convenience of my numerous up town customers, I have established, in connection with my old yard, a Branch Coal Yard opposite North street, in a line with the Pennsylvania canal, having the office formerly occupied by Mr R. Harris, where consumers of Coal in that vicinity and Verbeketown can receive their Coal by the
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.
Orders received at either Yard will be promptly filled, and all Coal delivered by the *Patent Weigh Carts.*
Coal sold by Boat, Car load, single, half or third of tons, and by the bushel.
JAMES M. WHEELER.
Harrisburg, October 13, 1860.—oct15

Medical.

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A Positive and Specific Remedy.
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FOR DISEASES OF THE
BLADDER, GRAVEL, KIDNEYS, DROPSY,
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ARISING FROM
Excesses, Exposures, and Imprudencies in Life.
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Excesses, Exposures, and Imprudencies in Life.
From whatever cause originating, and whether existing in
MALE OR FEMALE.
Females, take no more Pills! They are of no avail for Complaints incident to the sex. Use
EXTRACT BUCHU.
Helmbold's Extract Buchu is a Medicine which is perfectly pleasant in its
TASTE AND ODOR,
But immediate in its action, giving Health and Vigor to the Frame, Bloom to the Pallid Cheek, and restoring the patient to a perfect state of
HEALTH AND PURITY.
Helmbold's Extract Buchu is prepared according to Pharmacy and Chemistry, and is prescribed and used by
THE MOST EMINENT PHYSICIANS.
Delay no longer. Procure the remedy at once.
Price $1 per bottle, or six for $5.
Depot 104 South Tenth street Philadelphia.
BEWARE OF UNPRINCIPLED DEALERS
Trying to palm off their own or other articles of BUCHU on the reputation attained by
HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU,
The Original and only Genuine.
We desire to run on the
MERIT OF OUR ARTICLE!
Their's is worthless—is sold at much less rates and commissions, consequently paying a much better profit.
WE DEFY COMPETITION!
Ask for
HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU.
Take no other.
Sold by JOHN WYETH, Druggist, corner of Market and Second streets, Harrisburg,
AND ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.
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Bank Applications.

BANK NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned have formed an Association, and prepared and executed a Certificate, for the purpose of establishing a Bank of Issue, Discount and Deposite, under the provisions of the act entitled "An act to establish a system of Free Banking in Pennsylvania, and to secure the public against loss from Insolvent Banks," approved the 31st day of March, A. D. 1860, said Bank to be called THE DOWNINGTOWN BANK, to be located in Downingtown, to consist of a Capital Stock of Fifty Thousand Dollars, in shares of Fifty Dollars each, with the privilege of increasing the same to any amount not exceeding in all Three Hundred Thousand Dollars.

Charles Downing,	David Shelmire,
John Webster,	William Rogers,
William Edge,	J. K. Eshelman,
Richard D. Wells,	Samuel Ringwalt,
J. P. Baugh,	Stephen Blatchford.

September 3, 1860—sep17-d6m

BANK NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that an Association has been formed and a certificate prepared for the purpose of establishing a Bank of Issue, Discount and Deposite under the provisions of the act entitled "An act to establish a system of Free Banking in Pennsylvania, and to secure the public against loss from Insolvent Banks," approved the 31st day of March, 1860. The said Bank to be called "The Bethlehem Bank," and to be located in the borough of Bethlehem, in the county of Northampton, with a Capital Stock of Fifty Thousand Dollars, in shares of Fifty Dollars each, with the privilege of increasing the said Stock to Two Hundred Thousand Dollars. au25-d6m

BANK NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given, that an association has been formed and a certificate prepared, for the purpose of establishing a Bank of issue, discount and deposit, under the provisions of the act, entitled "An Act to establish a system of free banking in Pennsylvania, and to secure the public against loss by insolvent banks," approved the thirty-first day of March, 1860. The said Bank to be called the "FREE BANK," and to be located in the city of Philadelphia, and to consist of a capital stock of ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS, in shares of fifty dollars each, with the privilege of increasing the same to any amount not exceeding in all one million of dollars. jy2-d6m

EXTENSION OF BANK CHARTER
Notice is hereby given, that "The Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank of Easton," a Bank of Discount and Deposite, located in the borough of Easton, Northampton county, Pennsylvania, having a capital of Four Hundred Thousand Dollars, will apply to the next Legislature of Pennsylvania for a renewal of its charter for fifteen years, from the expiration of its present charter, with its present capital stock, powers and privileges, and without any alteration in or increase of the same.
P. S. MICHLER, President.
M'E. FORMAN, Cashier. je30-d6m

BANK NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that an Association has been formed and a Certificate prepared for the purpose of establishing a Bank of Issue, Discount and Deposite, under the provisions of the act entitled "An act to establish a system of free banking in Pennsylvania, and to secure the public against loss from insolvent banks," approved the 31st day of March, 1860. The said Bank to be called the "State Bank," and to be located in the city of Philadelphia, and to consist of a Capital Stock of Fifty Thousand Dollars, in shares of Fifty Dollars each, with the privilege of increasing the same to any amount not exceeding in all One Million of Dollars. je29-d6m*

Sewing Machines.

GROVER & BAKER'S
CELEBRATED NOISELESS
FAMILY AND MANUFACTURING
SEWING MACHINES!
$40 AND UPWARDS.
PRICES ESTABLISHED FOR SEVEN YEAS.

THE GROVER & BAKER
SEWING MACHINE
Makes the only seam formed by a Sewing Machine, in which each stitch is independently locked and without dependence upon the other stitches for strength, and the only seam that will admit of the thread being cut at every fourth stitch without injury to the seam in wear.

THE GROVER & BAKER
SEWING MACHINE
Is adapted to all varieties of fabrics, sewing equally well the finest Swiss muslin or the heaviest cloth or leather, and requiring no adjustment for any kind of sewing other than the adaptation of needles and thread.

THE GROVER & BAKER
SEWING MACHINE
Sews from ordinary spools without rewinding, and fastens its own seams, thereby saving time and thread. It will sew common spool cotton, silk and linen thread, with equal facility.

THE GROVER & BAKER
SEWING MACHINE
Is so simple that an intelligent child of ten years can readily learn to operate it. It is more easily kept in order than any other machine, and need not be taken apart to be oiled.

THE GROVER & BAKER
SEWING MACHINE
Makes the only stitch that cannot be injured by washing and ironing, and the only stitch that forms an elastic and durable seam. Fabrics put together by this stitch, may wear out and drop to pieces from original weakness or hard usage, but come apart or give away at the seams they cannot; they will hold together when the cloth or calico around them hangs in rags or tatters.

CHATONEY & WALTER, General Agents, 18 Fifth street, Pittsburg.
Mr. JAMES R. KEMBLE, Fourth and Market streets, Agent for Harrisburg, where the Machines may at all times be seen in operation.
☞ *SEND FOR A CIRCULAR*
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Hotels.

UNITED STATES HOTEL,
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 Hotel 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 agreeable residence to all who may favor it with their patronage Charges moderate.
oc22-d3mwly H. W. KANAGA, Proprietor.

BUEHLER HOUSE,
MARKET SQUARE,
HARRISBURG, PA.
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.

EMPTY BOTTLES!!!—Of all sizes and descriptions, for sale *low* by
dec6 WM. DOCK, JR., & CO.

BURLINGTON HERRING!
Just received by WM. DOCK, JR., & CO
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CRANBERRIES—A very Superior lot at [oct26.] WM. DOCK, JR. & CO'S.

The Patriot & Union.

SATURDAY MORNING, DEC. 15, 1860.

SPEECH OF JUDGE WOODWARD.

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We have assembled, fellow-citizens, in pursuance of the proclamation of the Mayor, that we may "counsel together to avert the danger which threatens our country." That danger is not recent or new. It has a history. And we must glance at that—we must obtain a clear view of the actual state of the crisis, before we can give or receive intelligent counsel.

It was announced a few years ago that the conflict which had sprung up in this country between free and slave labor was irrepressible—that a house divided against itself could not stand—that all the States of this Union must become free or slave States.

The meaning of this was, and is, that all were to become free States, for the soil and climate of a majority of the States are such that it never can become the interest of the superior race to maintain slavery in them.—Everybody knows this, and therefore the alternative form of the proposition was only to give it an appearance of fairness and a little more material effect.

The full scope and meaning of the announcement are, then, that citizens of the United States are to be totally divested of the property they now hold in four or five millions of slaves, of the aggregate value of many hundred millions of dollars, and that the habits and domestic condition of the people—their commercial relations, and their political rights, in so far as those interests are connected with the institution of slavery, are to undergo a revolution.

Nor was this prediction the voice of an obscure and unhonored prophet, but of a citizen whom the people of the free States have just distinguished in a signal manner, by conferring on him the highest office they had to give.—In so far as their votes are to be considered as responsive to his announcement, they are a loud amen—a solemn answer, *so let it be.*

Whilst it is not to be doubted that multitudes voted for the President elect with other views, and did not intend a distinct endorsement of his favorite proposition, yet, as the record is made up, the prophecy and the prophet stand approved by a majority of the free States.—The inexorable exclusion of slave property from the common territories, which the Government holds in trust for the people of all the States, is a natural and direct step towards the grand result of extinguishing slave property, and was one of the record issues of the late election. This policy must be considered as approved also. Not that every man who voted for the successful nominees meant to affirm that a trustee for several coequal parties has a right, in law or reason, to exclude the property of some and admit that of others of the parties for whom he holds; but so is the record. And whilst it is not to be taken as expressing the *universal sense* of the voters, it does undoubtedly imply that vast masses of Northern people do heartily approve both of the proposition to make all the States free and of beginning by excluding slavery from the Territories.

The South seems inclined so to accept the judgment. She holds the property that is to be shut out of the territories—that is to be restricted, cribbed and confined more and more until it is finally extinguished. Everywhere in the South the people are beginning to look out for the means of self-defence. Could it be expected that she would be indifferent to such events as have occurred? That she would stand idle and see measures concerted and carried forward for the annihilation of her property in slaves?

Several States propose to retire from the confederacy, and that justly alarms us.

We come together to consider what may be done to prevent it, and we are bound, in fidelity to ourselves and others, to take the measure of the whole magnitude of the danger.

This irrepressible conflict has grown out of the Anglo-Saxon love of freedom. What this passion is, and how it was offended by the introduction of negro slaves may be read in the chronicles of the American Provinces, and, especially, in the earnest, the eloquent and repeated remonstrances addressed by the Colony of Virginia to the Crown and Parliament of Great Britain against their introduction.

But if the Anglo-Saxon loves liberty above all other men, he is not indifferent to gain and thrift, and is remarkable for his capacity of adaptation, whereby he takes advantage of any circumstances in which he finds himself placed. And accordingly by the time the Colonies were prepared to throw off the British yoke and to assume among the powers of the earth, the separate and equal station to which the laws of Nature and of Nature's God entitled them, it had been discovered that the unwelcome workers, against whose introduction such earnest protests had been made, could be turned to profitable account in the Southern States—that the African constitution was well adapted to labor in latitudes which alone could produce some of the great staples of life—and that the North, which could not employ them profitably would be benefitted by such employment as the South could afford. Considerations of humanity, also, as well as the rights of private property, entered into the discussions of that day. What was best for an inferior race thrust unwillingly upon a superior? That both should be free, or that the inferior should serve the superior, and the superior be bound by the law of the relation, to protect the inferior? That was a great question, and like all the questions of that day it was wisely settled.

The Northern States abolished their slavery and so gratified their innate love of freedom—but they did it gradually, and so did not wound their love of gain. They sold out Slavery to the South and they received a full equivalent, not only in the price paid down, but in the manufacturing and commercial prosperity which grew up from the productions of slave labor.

When the Constitution came to be formed, some of the Northern States still held slaves, but several had abolished the institution, and it must have been apparent that natural causes would force it ultimately altogether upon the South. The love of liberty was as intense as ever, and as strong at the South as at the North, and the love of gain was common also to both sections. Here were two master passions to be adjusted under circumstances of the greatest delicacy. They were adjusted in the only manner possible. Concession and compromise—consideration for each other's feelings and interests, sacrifices of prejudices, forbearance and moderation—these were the means by which the "more pefect union was formed."—And what a work it was!

If the Union had never brought as a single blessing the Constitution of the United States would still have been a magnificent monument to the unselfish patriotism of its founders.—Nat an alliance merely, but a close and perfect *union* between people equally ambitious, equally devoted to freedom, equally bent on bettering their condition, but separated by State lines, and jealous of State rights—one section seeks its prosperity under institutions which were to make every man a freemen—the other under institutions which tolerated negro slavery.—Had the Constitution failed to work out the beneficent results intended, here was an instance of human efforts to do good, which would forever have challenged the admiration of mankind. But it did not fail, thank God; it has made us a great and prosperous nation, and the admiration of the world, for the *motives* of the founders is swallowed up in wonder at the success of their work.

But all this the irrepressible conflict ignores. The passion for liberty has burned out all memories of the compromise and the compact in these Northern communities, which, under the false name of Liberty Bills, obstruct the execution of the bargain. What part of the purposes of the founders are the underground railroads intended to promote? Whence came these excessive sensibilities that cannot bear a few slaves in a remote Territory until the white people establish a Constitution? What does that editor or preacher know of the Union, and of the men who made it, who habitually reviles and misrepresents the Southern people, and excites the ignorant and the thoughtless in our midst to hate and persecute them?

Be not deceived. Let me not prophecy smooth things, and cry peace, when there is no peace. Let the truth be spoken, be heard, be pondered, if we mean to save the Union. The conflict boasts that it is irrepressible. It allies itself with equal readiness to religion and infidelity. It enlists all our passions, good or bad. It makes common cause with the champions of freedom, the world over, and with the promoters of insurrection, discord and riot at home.

How is it to be repressed? Governmental administration cannot subdue it. That has been tried for several successive periods, and the conflict has waxed hotter and hotter. Will the next Administration be more successful? Hoping for the best it can do, what right have you or I to anticipate that the honest man who has been elected will prove recreant to the maxims that have made him President? Can trade and commerce subdue it? Look at the votes of Boston, Philadelphia and Pittsburg. The manufacturers and merchants are the governing classes in these cities. They are intelligent and quick to discover their interests.—They have weighed and measured the Southern trade, and then have voted against the Southern people? But what if they had not—what if, like the city of New York, they had voted against the conflict only to be overruled by the country counties? Commercial cities cannot repress the conflict, if the people of the interior lend it their sympathies. No, no, there is reason in the boast that the States shall all be free. There is good ground to apprehend the extinction of property in slaves. All New England has decreed it.

The great States of New York and Ohio have repeated again and again the decree. Pennsylvania seems to have sanctioned it. The North western States stand for the present committed to it.

What hope is left for the Union? Is there a man in this assembly who dreams that this conflict can go on and the Union last? If there be, that man is beside himself; he has lost his wits. I will reason with no such man.

Fellow citizens, I profess no ability in this regard, but my mouth is open, and I will utter some of the thoughts that press up from the heart to the lips.

When, under the articles of confederation which carried us through our revolutionary war, States had grown jealous, unfraternal, disobedient, and the general government had proved itself too weak to suppress conflicts that were arising, the people took the remedy into their own hends, called a Convention, and formed a stronger government. The call of the Convention, the election of deputies, the State Conventions which followed, all served to engage the public mind and to direct it to the common danger, and the possible remedy.—Thus the popular mind prepared itself to receive, with approbation the Constitution that was formed, and impending dangers were averted.

History is said to be philosophy teaching by example. Let us be instructed by this example. As we were the first State to abolish slavery, let us be the first to move for the salvation of the Union. Under the amendatory clause of the Constitution, Congress is bound to call a general convention on the application of the Legislatures of two-thirds of the States. Our Legislature will assemble next month.—Let us petition them to demand the Convention. Good examples, like bad ones, are contagious. Perhaps one and another of the Northern and Southern States may do the like, until the requisite number have concurred, and then we will have a National Convention, to consider the evils and dangers of the day, and to devise remedies which, it may be hoped, shall prove as salutary as those of 1787. And now, as then, the progress of these measures will awaken inquiry and thoughtfulness in the masses—will call off their minds from the petty politics of the day, and from the mischievous agitation of slavery questions, to the grand problem of how we can render this glorious Union perpetual.

In what form and to what extent the power of the General Government should be increased is not for me to indicate, but with the confessions of President Buchanan and Attorney-General Black before us, that the Government, as now constituted, is unable to prevent or punish secession, or to suppress the proud conflict that disturbs our peace and boasts itself irrepressible,