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JUST RECEIVED AT SCHEFFER'S BOOKSTORE, ADAMANTINE SLATES OF VARIOUS SIZES AND PRICES.

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WALKING GAMES! Which we will sell as cheap as the cheapest! Silver Head Laced Sword Hickory Fencing.

GARDEN SEEDS!!! A FRESH AND COMPLETE assortment, just received and for sale by WM. DOCK, JR., & CO.

CHAMPAGNE WINES! DUC DE MONTBELLLO, HEIDTCK & CO., OHLSSNER & CO., GIBSLER & CO.

HICKORY WOOD!!! A SUPERIOR LOT just received, and for sale in quantities to suit purchasers.

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Lines of Travel.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

WINTER TIME TABLE.

FIVE TRAINS DAILY TO & FROM PHILADELPHIA ON AND AFTER MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26th, 1860. The Passenger Trains of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will depart from and arrive at Harrisburg as follows:

THROUGH EXPRESS TRAIN leaves Harrisburg at 2.40 a. m., and arrives at West Philadelphia at 6.50 a. m.

MAIL TRAIN leaves Harrisburg at 5.15 p. m., and arrives at West Philadelphia at 10.20 p. m.

ACCOMMODATION TRAIN, No. 1, leaves Harrisburg at 7.30 a. m., runs via Mount Joy, and arrives at West Philadelphia at 12.30 p. m.

HARRISBURG ACCOMMODATION leaves Harrisburg at 1.10 p. m., and arrives at West Philadelphia at 6.40 p. m.

ACCOMMODATION TRAIN, No. 2, leaves Harrisburg at 5.25 p. m., runs via Mount Joy, connecting at Dillenville with MAIL TRAIN East for Philadelphia.

THROUGH EXPRESS TRAIN leaves Philadelphia at 10.50 p. m., and arrives at Harrisburg at 3.10 a. m.

MAIL TRAIN leaves Philadelphia at 8.00 a. m., and arrives at Harrisburg at 1.20 p. m.

LOCAL MAIL TRAIN leaves Harrisburg for Pottsville at 7.00 a. m., and arrives at Pottsville at 12.00 noon, and returns at Harrisburg at 4.10 p. m.

HARRISBURG ACCOMMODATION TRAIN leaves Philadelphia at 2.00 p. m., and arrives at Harrisburg at 7.35 p. m.

ACCOMMODATION TRAIN leaves Philadelphia at 4.00 p. m., and arrives at Harrisburg at 9.45 p. m.

Attention is called to the fact, that passengers leaving Philadelphia at 4 p. m., connect at Lancaster with MOUNT JOY ACCOMMODATION TRAIN, and arrive Harrisburg at 9.45 p. m.

NEW AIR LINE ROUTE TO NEW YORK. Shortest in Distance and Quickest in Time BETWEEN THE TWO CITIES OF NEW YORK AND HARRISBURG, VIA PHILADELPHIA.

READING, ALLENTOWN AND EASTON MORNING EXPRESS, West, leaves New York at 8 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg at 1 p. m., only 6 1/2 hours between the two cities.

MAIL LINE leaves New York at 12.00 noon, and arrives at Harrisburg at 5.15 p. m.

MORNING MAIL LINE, East, leaves Harrisburg at 8.00 a. m., arriving at New York at 5.20 p. m.

Miscellaneous.

TAKE NOTICE!

That we have recently added to our already full stock of SEARS LA NORMAIS, HARI KARI, EL MONO, OF PERFUMERY.

JACKSON & CO'S SHOE STORE, NO. 90 1/2 MARKET STREET, HARRISBURG, PA.

BOOTS AND SHOES Of all kinds and varieties, in the neatest and most fashionable styles, and at satisfactory prices.

Customer work will be particularly attended to, and in all cases will satisfaction be warranted.

JUST RECEIVED! A FULL ASSORTMENT OF HUMPHREY'S HOMEOPATHIC SPECIFICS.

WE OFFER TO CUSTOMERS A New Lot of LADIES' PURSES, Of beautiful styles, substantially made.

A Splendid Assortment of GENTLEMEN'S WAISTERS. A New and Elegant Pattern, KNIGHTS TEMPLARS' BLOUSE.

A Complete Assortment of HANDEKERCHIEF PERFUMERS, Of the best Manufacture.

REMOVAL. JOHN W. GLOVER, MERCHANT TAILOR, Has removed to 60 MARKET STREET.

CANDLES!!! PARAFFIN CANDLES, SEPRIM CANDLES, STEARINE CANDLES, ADAMANTINE CANDLES, CHEMICAL SPERM CANDLES, STAB (CONVENTION) CANDLES, TALLOW CANDLES.

GUN AND BLASTING POWDER. JAMES M. WHEELER, HARRISBURG, PA., AGENT FOR ALL POWDER AND FUSE.

SCOTCH WHISKY.—One Pure Scotch Whisky just received and for sale by JOHN H. ZIEGLER, 73 Market street.

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

HATCH & CO., SHIP AGENTS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, 138 WALNUT STREET, PHILADELPHIA.

DIYOTVILLE GLASS WORKS, PHILADELPHIA, MANUFACTURERS OF CARBOYS, DEMIJOHNS, WINE, PORTER, MINERAL WATER, PICKLE AND PRESERVE BOTTLES.

BOTTLED WINES, BRANDIES, LIQUORS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION. Together with a complete assortment, (wholesale and retail) embracing everything in the line, will be sold at cost, without reserve.

HAVANA CIGARS.—A Fine Assortment, comprising Figaro, Zigarona, La Salsa, Bich, Five Star, Havana, La Estrella, Capitulo, of all sizes and quantities, in quarter, one-half and one-tenth boxes, just received, and for sale by JOHN H. ZIEGLER, 73 Market Street.

DRIED BEEF.—An extra lot of DRIED BEEF just received by WM. DOCK, JR., & CO.

BURLINGTON HERRING!!! Just received by WM. DOCK, JR., & CO.

The Patriot & Union.

THURSDAY MORNING, MARCH 7, 1861.

THE NATIONAL CRISIS.

DISTRESS IN GREAT BRITAIN.—HOW THE AMERICAN CRISIS IS AFFECTING TRADE AND MANUFACTURES.—PAUPERISM AND STARVATION.

England is in a deplorable condition. Her working population are nearly all in a state of starvation—scarcely earning enough to sustain life.

Hostility to the South! Why it is by no means confined to that quarter alone, but is wracked upon those at the North, too.

Manchester.—Times as usual; cotton is advancing, and the fabric must rise; market dull; domestic exceedingly slow of sale.

Sheffield.—Trade is depressed. Advances from America this week are gloomy, and bring more countermanded orders.

Nottingham.—Business is more dull than it has been for many years past. Machinery is at a stand, and the lacemakers are suffering to a fearful extent.

Wolverhampton.—Advices from America are unfavorable, and some houses have stopped which were confined to that trade.

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Coventry.—Upward of 60,000 are supported by public subscription here and in the adjoining districts.

Belfast.—Upwards of 100,000 spindles have stopped, and many of the mills are on half time.

Let missionaries, Abolitionists, "supply associations," anti-slavery societies, Exeter and Faneuil Hall fanatics, read this chapter.

The number of deaths last week in London amounted to 1,926, exceeding the estimate by 585.

The number of deaths last week in London exceeded the largest mortality of any week in 1849.

England is pauperized, having, on an average, 1,500,000, equal to 20 per cent. of the population.

Down-trodden Ireland is not so bad as either England or Scotland. A considerable excitement exists in Dublin, owing to the large export of potatoes to England.

England requires 8,000,000 quintals of wheat, or an equivalent, to feed her until the new crop.

HOW IT CAME ABOUT. In the following passage from a lecture delivered a few days ago by Hon. Geo. Lunt, of Boston, the process is shown by which the judgment of many Northern men has been corrupted.

GENERAL NEWS.

PUBLISHED EVERY MORNING, SUNDAYS EXCEPTED, BY O. BARRETT & CO.

FLAX COTTON.—Much interest is expressed in the modes recently discovered of making flax into a substance closely resembling cotton.

NOTICE OF AN "OLD CALIFORNIAN."—It seems says the British Colonist, of Victoria, V. I., that John Butts is in the habit of collecting as many Indians as he can in a little cottage where he lives, near the congregational church.

PIEDMONT IN AMERICA.—Dr. Curtis, in his last State Registration report, speaks of a marked neglect of the American people as follows: "More attention is given in this country to the pedigree of animals than of human beings."

TRADE AND COMMERCE OF CHARLESTON.—We rejoice to see our streets again becoming alive with trade and commerce.

Baltimore strikers are now largely manufactured in the United States. It is said that so large an order as for 10,000 has lately been given by a New York dealer to Lawrence manufacturers.

OVERCROWDED DWELLINGS IN NEW YORK.—From the report of Mr. Halliday to the Sanitary Association we glean these illustrative figures: New York in 1856 contained 686,027 inhabitants in nineteen of its wards, divided into 112,838 families.

ARKANSAS ELECTION.—The Des Arcs Constitutional Union (anti-secession) of the 22d ult., concedes that the assembling of a convention has received the sanction of the people, and that the election of secession members to the convention has been accomplished.

FOREIGN OIL PRODUCTION.—The importation of foreign oil, under the new tariff, will be almost impossible. This fact is of interest to numbers of Pennsylvania men who have recently invested in the oil business.

NEW WAY TO PUT OUT FIRES.—They have a novel way of saving a house on fire in Richmond, Missouri, when there is snow on the ground.

A number of professional gentlemen, in and outside the service, have petitioned the Navy Department to publish the report of the Board of Engineers, that convened at Buffalo to test the intrinsic value of steam expansion.

RESCUE OF A FUGITIVE SLAVE.—John Polhemus, a fugitive slave belonging to Mr. Jameson, of Louisville, Va., was rescued from the Deputy U. S. Marshal, in New York, on Saturday, by a mob of negroes and whites, just as he was about to be placed on board the steamer Yorktown for Richmond.

Under the more liberal policy of Louis Napoleon in relation to the press and the freedom of debate in the Corps Legislatif, there is a sudden demand for short-hand writers to report the debates, and strange to say, the supply falls far short of the demand.

The Paris Court of Cassation has declared that the *felix* of the Immaculate Conception is not a legal one, not being conformable to law and the existing concordat.

Forty-three army officers have resigned since the passage of the South Carolina ordinance of secession, several of them without reference to that subject.

Extensive preparations are to be made in England for a grand tri-centennial celebration in honor of Shakespeare, to take place in 1864.

Hon. James M. Hughes, a member of Congress from Missouri, died last week.

No taxes are now levied in Hungary, in consequence of the political troubles.