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Farmers and Mechanics
HOTEL,
A NEW PUBLIC HOUSE IN THE BOROUGH OF ALLENTOWN, Pa.
Henry Leh,
Informs his friends and the public in general, that Mr. Henry Miller has erected a large and commodious Hotel, in Allen street, nearly opposite his "old stand" and that he will occupy the same from the first of April next. He further informs his old customers, that he has a great many rooms ready to accommodate such who may think proper to favor him with their calls.
He has furnished his house with new bedding and all other necessary materials, and will always keep his bar, kitchen and cellar filled with the best the market affords, both for the Table as well as for the Bar.
His Stabling and Shedding are all new, large and conveniently arranged, the Hydrant water is near at hand, and an accommodating Ostrer always in waiting.
A word to his old customers. Such who have favored him with their calls at his old stand, will bear in mind, that the inconveniences so often contended with, have all been cleared away and the delightful and convenient rooms, we trust will make up former disadvantages. He further returns his sincere thanks for the many favors he thus far enjoyed and hopes by strict attention to business, to deserve a continuation of them from his Old as well as from his New friends.
HENRY LEH.
The "Eagle Line" of stages running from Allentown to Philadelphia, leaves his house every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 2 o'clock in the morning, and returns every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 6 o'clock in the afternoon. Fare \$1.50.
March 28. \$-1m

Auditors Notice,
In the Court of Common Pleas of Lehigh county.
In the matter of the account of Jacob D. Bous and J. Krause, Assignees of the Northampton Bank, under a Deed of special assignment.
May 25, 1848, account filed.
September 6, 1848, the Court appoint James S. Reese, Charles M. Runk and Lewis Smith, to audit and if necessary settle and restate the account.
From the Records,
Teste:—NATHAN MILLER, Proth.
The Auditors above named will meet all the parties interested, for the purposes of their appointment, on Friday the twelfth day of April, A. D. 1850, at the public house of Eli Steckel, in Allentown, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day.
JAMES S. REESE,
C. M. RUNK,
L. SMITH, } Auditors.
March 21. \$-4w

Auditors Notice.
In the Orphans Court of Lehigh county. In the matter of the Account of Aaron Eisenhard and Reuben Gackebach, Administrators of Elias Steger, deceased, late of North Whitehall township.
And now, February 8, 1850, the Court appoint Willoughby Eggle, Edward Kohler and John Culbertson, auditors, to audit and restate said account, make distribution and report the same to the next stated Orphans court of Lehigh county.
From the Records,
TESTE—J. D. LAWALL, Clerk.
The Auditors above named, will meet for the purpose of their appointment, on Monday the 7th of April next, at 10 o'clock, in the forenoon, at the house of Mr. Nathan Weiler, in Stegerville, where those persons who are interested, will please attend.
WILLOUGHBY EGGLE,
EDWARD KOHLER,
JOHN CULBERTSON, } Auditors.
March 21. \$-4w

Citizens Daily Line of Stages
FROM PHILADELPHIA TO ALLENTOWN & BETHLEHEM.
Leaves W. H. Bush's Merchants' house, No. 237 North 3d street, between Willow and Callowhill, Philadelphia, every morning at 6 o'clock; passes through Germantown, Flowertown, Montgomeryville, Sellersville, Quakertown, Coopersburg, to Allentown and Bethlehem.
Leaves Eli Steckel's Eagle Hotel, Allentown, every morning at 6 o'clock, and Caleb Yohe's Eagle Hotel, Bethlehem, every morning at 6 o'clock; passing through the above named places to Philadelphia.
Fare from Philadelphia to Allentown or Bethlehem, Two Dollars.
All Parcels or Baggage left in charge of the Agents, at either point of the line, will be promptly attended to.
DESH. BANES, STECKEL & CO.
March 21. \$-4w

Shrubs, Plants, SEEDS, &c.
EVERGREENS, TREES, GARDEN SEEDS, &c.
For sale at MAUPAY'S GARDEN, Rising Sun Village, near Philadelphia, and in the Market below Sixth street, every day, comprising the following varieties:
Honeysuckles, assorted; Herb Roots, Osage-Orange-Plants for live fences, &c. Evergreens, viz: (Lawn of Gilead, Silver Firs, Norway Firs, Red Spruce, Ornamental Shrubbery, White Spruce, Silver Pines, Green House Plants, "Ainer. Arbor-vitae, Box Edging, Chinese Asparagus Roots, "Tree Box, dif. sizes.
Also—Ornamental Trees, viz: Maples, assorted; Horse Chestnuts, Weeping Larch, Silver Abole, Mountain Ash, Magnolias, Fringe Trees, Lindens, &c.
All orders promptly attended to, and everything warranted to be as represented.
Plants, trees, &c., packed to carry with safety.
Address "S. MAUPAY, Rising Sun Village, Philadelphia county."
S. MAUPAY,
Nursery Seedsman and Florist.
March 28. \$-4w

SPRING MILLINERY GOODS.
JOHN STONE & SONS,
Importers and Dealers in Silks, Ribbons, and Millinery Goods, No. 45 SOUTH SECOND STREET, Philadelphia.
WOULD call the attention of Merchants and Milliners visiting the city, to their large and rich assortment of **SPRING MILLINERY GOODS,** received by late arrivals from France. (Glaze Silks for casing Bonnets, Fancy Bonnet and Cap Ribbons, Plain Mantua and Satin Ribbons, from No. 1 to No. 12, French and American Artificial Flowers, White and colored Crapes, French Chip Hats, Fancy Nets and Laers, Fancy Trimmings, Quillings, Crowns, Tips, Covered Whalebones, Buckrams, Cane, &c. Together with every article appertaining to the Millinery trade, Phila. March 21. \$-1t

FOR SALE.
Constantly on hand and for sale by **J. P. LIMER & Co.** Market St. Wharf, Philadelphia. \$-3m

Notice to Assessors.
The Assessors of the north and south wards of the Borough of Allentown, and the several townships of the county of Lehigh, are hereby notified, to meet in the Commissioners Office, in Allentown, on Monday the 1st of April next, to subscribe their oath of office, (which is to be filed among the records of said office) obtain the assessments and the appeal notices, and receive such matters and instructions as relate to the performance of their respective duties.
By Order of the Board,
J. M. LINE, Clerk.
March 21. \$-3w

EAGLE HOTEL.
A new House and a new Landlord.
The subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public generally, that he has taken the newly erected three story brick tavern of Jesse Grim, at the northwest corner of Market Square, in the borough of Allentown, called **THE EAGLE HOTEL.**
The House is known as one of the most spacious and convenient in the State—none more so out of Philadelphia—and contains 44 rooms. He therefore feels assured that he can accommodate satisfactorily all who may favor him with a call.
His TABLE shall at all times be supplied with the best the season and the markets afford, and the Bar with the choicest Wines and Liquors.
The Beds and Bedding, together with all his furniture being entirely new, the patrons of this house may rely upon finding those two great essentials—cleanliness and comfort.
The Stabling is large and commodious, and as he will have none but kind and attentive Ostrers, a due regard will be had to the proper entertainment of the House as well as his master.
In short, the subscriber intends to spare neither pains nor expense to keep his house in the best manner, and he therefore respectfully invites the public to give him a call.
BOARDERS will be taken on reasonable terms, and as the rooms are spacious and well adapted to their wants, they can be accommodated in a satisfactory manner. Families from town or country accommodated with Boarding.
ELI STECKEL.
Allentown, May 3, 1849. \$-1t

Odd Fellow's Hall Saloon.
STETTNER & GEORGE.
Take this method of informing the public, that they are now in the occupancy of the Saloon of the Odd Fellows Hall, Allentown, and having fitted it up in a superior manner, are prepared to serve up all kinds of Refreshments, in a style fully equal to the best City Restaurants. The reputation they have hitherto acquired in the **"Oyster Line"** is regarded as a sufficient guarantee to the public, that everything prepared by them will meet with the approbation of their customers.
Connected with this Establishment is a private **LADIES SALOON,** splendidly fitted up, where parties of ladies and gentlemen alone, can be accommodated with all the delicacies of the season.
Give us a call. By studiously catering to the wants of our customers, by assiduous attention to business, and with a determination to render general satisfaction, we hope to merit a continuance of the liberal patronage with which we have heretofore been favored.
FRANKLIN STETTNER.
JONAS GEORGE.
January 21th \$-3m

Stuttering and Stammering CURED!
In from Five to Twenty Minutes.
THE Undersigned would respectfully announce to the citizens of Lehigh and the adjoining counties, that he has located himself in New York for the purpose of **EFFECTUALLY CURING** persons who are troubled with **STUTTERING OR STAMMERING.** So confident is he of success, that no pay will be required until the utmost satisfaction is given. This method is so easy, that any child five years old may understand it, and yet so efficient, that he will forfeit **One Thousand Dollars** to any person who will stammer and apply to.
Dr. J. V. Wyckoff,
No. 37 Chambers St., New York.
P. S. For further testimonies as to the efficacy of his method; he refers to the Medical Faculty of New York, who witnessed the application upon a gentleman, who was an inveterate stammerer, and had been operated upon by other Physicians, without the least benefit, and astonishing as it may seem, Dr. Wyckoff cured him in 20 minutes, that he was able to speak and read with ease, without hesitancy or semblance of Stammering.
The Doctor also has over One Hundred Certificates of cures performed, among which are several medical gentlemen.
N. B. All letters of inquiry, (post-paid) will be promptly answered by naming the Post Office and State where they reside.
March 7. \$-4f

CAPS! CAPS!
Lochman & Bro. are manufacturing every style cloth and glazed Caps, which they will sell extremely low, wholesale and retail.
LOCHMAN & BRO.
November 22. \$-3w

Selling off at First Cost!
Great Bargains?
Great bargains are now offered to the public at the store of **Wm. S. Weil,** consisting of all kinds of **Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods,** as he is desirous of selling out his stock of goods and confine himself to wholesaling exclusively. He offers all his cut goods at cost which are all new and seasonable, and consists of Cloths, Cassimeres, Satinets, and Vettings. Also all kinds of Cashmeres, Alpaccas, Coburg Cloths, Mouslin de laines, Mohair Cloths, Merinos, Calicoes, &c., &c. he also has on hand a splendid assortment of shawls and a large lot of Jewels, Violins, Accordians, &c., &c. Persons in want of goods are requested to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere, as these goods must be sold out before the 1st of April.
He intends making large additions to his wholesaling goods and will supply the country Merchants as heretofore with all kinds of **Yankee Notions.** He has just received a large lot of Red Ends Violin strings and should be happy to fill any orders that may be sent to him.
WM. S. WEIL.
January 10. \$-1t

Northampton Water Company.
All persons who make use of the Water of the said Company, for family purposes, or otherwise, will please take notice, that the time to renew their Permits, is on the 1st of April next, and it is expected that it will be strictly attended to. Those persons who have not settled for the same, between the 1st and the 10th of April, must not complain if the water is stopped after that time.
The Board also deem it necessary to notify those who use the water jointly, from one and the same pipe or hydrant, that the Permits for the coming year, must be paid by all, before the same can be granted to either.
By Order of the Board
CHARLES ECKERT, Treasurer.
March 11. \$-4w

THE FRANKLIN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Philadelphia.
OFFICE, No. 163 CHESTNUT STREET near Fifth street.
Directors: Charles N. Bancker, Geo. W. Richards, Thomas Hart, Mond. L. Lewis, Tobias Wagner, Adolp. E. Borne, Samuel Grant, David S. Brown, Jacob R. Smith, Morris Patterson.
CONTINUE to make Insurance, permanent and limited, on every description of property, in town and country, at rates as low as are consistent with security.
The Company have reserved a large Contingent Fund, which with their Capital and Premiums, safely invested, afford ample protection to the assured.
The assets of the company, on January 1st, 1848, as published agreeably to an Act of Assembly, were as follows, viz:
Mortgages, \$800,558 65
Real Estate, 728,358 90
Temporary Loans, 205,459 00
Stocks, 15,563 15
Cash, &c., 46,581 87
\$1,220,907 67
Since their incorporation, a period of eighteen years, they have paid upwards of one million, two hundred thousand dollars, losses by fire, thereby affording evidence of the advantages of insurance, as well as the ability and disposition to meet with promptness, all liabilities.
CHARLES G. BANCKER, President.
The Subscribers are the appointed Agents of the above mentioned Institution, and are now prepared to make insurances on every description of property, at the lowest rates.
AGENTS: L. RUEHE, Allentown. C. F. BLECK, Bethlehem.
Allentown, June 13, 1848. \$-1y

ROGER BROWN'S WINE & LIQUOR STORE,
No. 323 MARKET STREET, Philadelphia.
All kinds of Foreign Wines and Liquors such as—
Old Cognac Brandy, Dark Sherry, Tuerieff, Sweet Malaga, Muscat, Claret and Champagne, very choice and old.
Also, Manufacturer of Domestic Distilled Brandy and Gin, Pure Spirits, Deodorized Alcohol, Peach Brandy, Lavender Brandy, Wild-Cherry Brandy, and Fine Cordials, Raspberry Brandy, New England Rum, &c., &c. also a large supply of fine Old Monongahela Whiskey on hand.
The above Liquors will be sold at the very lowest prices. Country Merchants and Tavern-keepers, will do well to give the undersigned a call before purchasing elsewhere, and examine the Liquors, which he vouches, will bear the closest scrutiny, to collect No. 323 Market Street.
ROGER BROWN.
Philadelphia, Dec 6 \$-1y

Poetical Department.
Honest Hearts and Willing Hands.
Honest hearts and willing hands,
Both should live in clover;
They're the best of blessings sent,
All the wide world over.
On the land, or on the sea,
They think toil no trouble;
Using rare philosophy,
To make each pleasure double.
For though the winter wind be keen,
Or though the sun shine brightly,
Honest hearts and willing hands
Make the work go lightly.
Coarsest grab of theirs may vie
With those that queens parade in;
It covereth a regal soul,
And hetheth gems unfading.
So let us join them, one and all,
In every honest calling,
And give a help to friend or foe
To save a cause from falling.
For though the winter wind be keen,
Or though the sun shine brightly,
Honest hearts and willing hands
Make the world go lightly.

Miscellaneous Selections.
(From the Literary Gazette.)
THE RICH AND POOR.
"Oh, mother, I wish I could be as happy as Ellen is. She is always cheerful, always has a smile on her face, while I am miserable as a wicked spirit. And yet I have everything I want, while Ellen earns all she has by sewing. I wish I had been a poor man's daughter. I know that the poor are happier than the wealthy."
"Yes, my child, I do believe they are. Their wants are so few, and their houses so small, and need so little attention—and worried by servants and company with children to grease the carpets and soil the embroidered chairs and ottomans. And they are not obliged to keep up their position by always having the most costly and fashionable furniture, dresses, &c. They merely want clothes to keep them warm, and something to satisfy hunger, which all who will work and keep sober can easily obtain. But Geraldine, I hardly think you really wish to be poor, to give up all refined and intellectual pleasures, and think merely of how you will get victuals and clothes."
"The poor sewing girl's cheek grew red and pale alternately, while this conversation was progressing in her presence; and during the latter clause burned redder and redder, until her very brow seemed burning with indignation and distress. She said nothing, however, until Mrs. Munn left the apartment, and then in a low calm voice she inquired—
"Do you really imagine, Miss Geraldine, that poor people think of nothing but how they may get victuals and clothes?"
"They seem to be always laboring for that end," replied the thoughtless girl, "and it is only reasonable to suppose, that their thoughts are with their employment."
"You will find very few such amongst the very poorest, Miss Geraldine, and permit me to ask, are not some amongst the wealthy; not merely intellectual, but who deprived of their wealth would be utterly incapable of making a living. Trust me, there are many imbeciles born amongst the rich as the poor. The children of the rich are blest with every advantage of education; and if they are incapable of solid acquirements, they are furnished with an outside show of genteel accomplishments; and so pass through the world admired, and if gentle, they are respected and beloved; when, had their parents been poor, they would have been half-witted, improvident, despised creatures.— But Geraldine, if the poor were really the inferior race your mother represents them to be, how is it that so many of them rise from their ranks to the highest grades of science, honor, station and riches? Why is it that some whose giant genius engraved their names, in eternal adamant, above the reach of the billows of time, to shed lustre mankind through all time, was born, lived, and died poor?"
"All this may be, Ellen, but then you know the poor are so apt to be dishonest so addicted to vice."
"That is altogether an unjust aspersions Mrs. Munn," Ellen said, and the color on her cheeks deepened again. "Permit me to assure you, that the poor are by far the most honest portion of society. Every year there are defaults, as they are termed, amongst the rich and honorably, to a thousand times the amount of all the poor steal. If a rich man's wife or daughter be convicted of shop-lifting, Phenology declares that she has the organ of acquisitiveness unduly developed, and the unfortunate lady is put under medical treatment; and the very crime incessantly ought to render her crime unnecessary—namely, that she was under no necessity—is pleaded in her favor. But if a poor woman steal a half-worn garment, or a loaf of bread, she is a vile thief, and must be proceeded against according to law. And

then the poor are so terribly tempted. For instance, you have everything that you can desire, why should you covet other people's goods. I have only what I can earn, and a sum of money exposed, which of us would that I must divide with others, & if there were be most tempted to appropriate it? All things considered, the poor are honest to a miracle. And as to vice, some of the poor get drunk; but oh, how many of the rich indulge in the same vice. How many rich men go from the dinner table to the couch or bed, really intoxicated. How many of them keep themselves in a constant state of excitement with costly wine and brandy, and yet pretend to despise the poor fellow who drinks whiskey in a tavern and staggers home. Ah, Geraldine, if the golden veil was lifted from before the temple of wealth poverty would stand amazed and abhorrent at the licentiousness, falsehood, intemperance, intrigue, and abomination which would be disclosed to its view."
"Well, Ellen, poverty has one able advocate; but you were not born of poor parents I know," said Geraldine.
"Indeed I was, replied Ellen earnestly, 'my father was the son of a poor and honest bricklayer, and my mother was the daughter of a soldier's widow, who brought up three children, by selling in market the produce of a garden which she cultivated with her own hands. My father was a carpenter, and we never wanted in his life time, but now my mother is a sickly widow, and has four boys younger than I am, and I am only 16, and we find it hard to get along, and keep the boys at school. But mother says if we can support them until they are educated, they will then be able to support us. And when I feel weary and dispirited I think of my young brothers with their eyes and loving hearts, and how they repay all my toil, by their strict application, good behaviour and grateful affection; and these thoughts bring again the smile to my lips and the vigor to my hands. And then our evenings at home are so happy. If our house is low and small, and our supper has been coarse and simple, we pass our evenings in reading, singing, playing, and instructive conversation. Oh Miss Geraldine, it is very sweet to work for those we love, who repay us with love, and a right use of our endeavors. And upon my soul, Miss Geraldine, I would not exchange myself and my lot for you and yours."

"I believe you Ellen," said Geraldine.— "You are beautiful, and I am not; you are of use to the world, and I am not; you are an object of worship to your young brothers, mine despise and loathe me; you have been educated aright, while I have been taught nonsense and false theories. Oh, I was right when I wished to be as happy as you are."
Now let us examine into the heraldry of Miss Munn. Her father's father was the son of a butcher and apprenticed to a saddler; he became a violent party, politician and was consequently not very nice in his principles of right and wrong. His party succeeded, in consequence of a bold slander originated, and supported by him, and he was rewarded with a fat office. He lived close, saved his salary, speculated successfully, and left his son \$30,000. Mrs. Munn's father commenced life as a peddler of small wares, and by parsimony and sharp bargaining, got to be a merchant of some note, and sent his daughter to a boarding school, where she was accomplished, and finally succeeded in taking in the wealthy Mr. Munn. Yet she could say "refined and intellectual pleasures," as if she had been descended from a long race of kings, in which case she would have been no better than she then was, and certainly not so good as the mother of Ellen Marsh.

Now we will, if you please, brush aside 20 years, and return, and inspect the conditions of the Munn and Marshes.
Old Mr. Munn was palsied, besotted helpless old man. One of his sons is in an insane asylum; another is running the career of a successful gambler; the third is a merchant, steady, honest, but unsuccessful. Mrs. Munn died of grief and vexation, on account of the conduct and misfortunes of her husband and sons. Geraldine, was ensnared by a fictitious Count who, when he found she did not bring him a ready fortune, ill-treated and neglected her, until he forced her to leave him; and she is at home with her poor father, broken hearted, homely woman but a sincere Christian and a benefactor of the poor.
Ellen Marsh married a son of a farmer, a handsome, intelligent, and honorable young man, who is now a Senator in Congress.— One of her brothers is in the House, one is an independent farmer, and the other a pious and much beloved clergyman, and a professor, in a college. Mrs. Marsh resides with her daughter, happy in a quiet grateful and worshipped love to all her children. And so it is. The despised of yesterday are the honored of to-day; and, the nabobs of to-day may be servants to-morrow. Of all follies, the assumption of caste and aristocratic distinction, in this country, are the most ludicrous and despicable. There can be no real aristocracy in a land of equal rights, and may the day never come when titles, and hereditary precedence, shall establish a privileged class, who may claim to be aristocrats.