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A liberal deduction will be made to those who advertise by the year.

Office in Hamilton St., one door East of the German Reformed Church, nearly opposite the "Friedensbothe Office."

BUILDERS! LOOK HERE!!

A NEW LOT OF
HARDWARE!!!

The undersigned announces to the public, that they have just returned from Philadelphia and New York, with a very large lot of Hardware, consisting of
House Furnishing Articles,
Cutlery, Coach Trimmings,
Saddlery and Shoe Findings, all of which will be sold at extremely low prices. They ask the public to give SAEGER'S HARDWARE STORE, sign of the
ANVIL,
a call, in order to convince themselves of the fact, that a penny saved is a penny made.
O & J SAEGER.

To House-Keepers.

A great assortment of House furnishing articles, such as
SILVER PLATE and China, and of all kinds of cooking vessels, sauce and stew pans, preserve kettles, fish and ham kettles, frying pans, grid-irons, waffle irons, &c.

TEA TRAYS and Waiters, from common to fine, in sets and dozens. Also, gilded form, in sets, and in variety of patterns.

KNIVES and FORKS—in sets and dozens; also knives only; carvers, steels, cook and butcher knives, with a variety of other manufactures.

POCKET and PEN KNIVES—Razors, scissors, shears, from the best makers; one, two, three, and 4 blade knives.

SHOVELS, spades, hoes, chains, rakes, pick, axes, &c.

SHOVELS and TONGS, Iron and brass polished steel fire sets and standards, coal hods, tailors' irons smoothing irons &c., and for sale by
O & J SAEGER.

IRON.—A lot of Hammered and Rolled Iron, Sheet Iron, American and English Band Iron, Hoop Iron, Cast and Sheet Steel, square, flat, and round, just received with Anvils and Vices, and for sale cheap at the store of
O & J SAEGER.

GLASS.—150 Boxes Glass, 8 by 10, 10 by 12, 10 by 14, 10 by 15, 12 by 16, and various other sizes, for sale by
O & J SAEGER.

TO MECHANICS.—Tools of every description, such as Bench and Moulding Planes, Hand, Panel, and Back Saws, Braces and Bits, Auger Bits, Hatchets, Squares, &c., for sale by
O & J SAEGER.

TO SHOEMAKERS.—Just received a new assortment of Morocco and Binding Leather, Laces, Shoe-thread, Wooden Pegs, French Rubbers, and numerous other articles belonging to the shoemaking business.
O & J SAEGER.

WHITE LEAD.—2 tons of White Lead just received, Pure and Extra, and for sale by
O & J SAEGER.

LOOKING GLASSES.—A splendid lot of Looking Glasses, Plates, and Frames of all sizes for sale by
O & J SAEGER.

NAILS.—300 Kegs of the best Nails, Brads and Spikes, just received and for sale by
O & J SAEGER.

SCYTHES.—30 doz. genuine Griffith's Grain Scythes, also a large assortment of genuine Steiermark Grass Scythes, cheap and for sale by
O & J SAEGER.

OILS & VARNISH.—Oils of all kinds, boiled and raw, Turpentine, Newark Varnish of all kinds, Gilt &c.,—will be sold cheap by
O & J SAEGER.

PLANES.—A full assortment of Planes of John Bell's best make, also a large assortment of Carpenter's Tools, for sale cheap by
O & J SAEGER.

HOLLOWWARE.—500 Iron Pots and Kettles, just received and for sale at very reduced prices at the store of
O & J SAEGER.

LADIES! Listen To The Call!

Fashionable Millinery Store!

MRS. M. BROWN.
In announcing to the public the recent change of location in her
MILLINERY ESTABLISHMENT,
from East to West Hamilton street, between the New York and Metz & Landis' Store, has also the satisfaction of stating that she has just returned from Philadelphia with a large variety of

Ladies and Misses BONNETS,
which she is satisfied she can sell cheaper, than any other establishment of the kind in Allentown, at wholesale or retail.

Her assortment among other articles consists of
Spanish Edge, Red-Alboni, Satin Turban, Tulip Alboni, White Chip,
and a large variety of other fashionable styles not mentioned.

She has prepared herself with a large and elegant assortment of
Fancy Ribbons, Tabs, French and American Artificial, &c.

She has also an assortment of Silks and Lawns, which she will make up in
CASING AND OTHER BONNETS,
at the shortest notice, and on the most reasonable terms.

Old Bonnets, dyed to any color desirable, and shaped and made up in the latest and most fashionable styles.

Milliners from the Country will do well to give her a call before they purchase elsewhere, as she has prepared herself with an assortment of Fancy Millinery Goods never before equalled in Allentown, and will dispose of them at the lowest Philadelphia prices.

Thankful for past favors, she trusts that the reasonable prices she dispenses of her articles, will induce a large number of her customers to her establishment.
April 18. —14

ALLENTOWN ACADEMY.
SUMMER SESSION 1850.
The Summer Session commences Monday, April 15th, to continue 15 weeks.

TERMS:
For boarding, tuition, &c., for the whole session, \$13 00

All necessary information can be obtained on application at the Academy.
R. C. CHANDLER, Principal.
April 1. —14

ALLENTOWN SEMINARY
FOR YOUNG LADIES.
The sixth term of this Institution, will commence on the 1st day of May next. All parents who intend to place their children in this school, should be in possession of their names to the management of the Institution.

TERMS:
For board, washing, &c., per session, \$15 00

For those between eight and ten, 10 00
For those between ten and twelve, 12 00
For those over twelve, 15 00

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Kewis Christ,
Fashionable Tailor in Allentown.
Mr. Christ, respectfully informs the citizens of Allentown, and its vicinity, that he has rented and will from the first of April next occupy the building, formerly had by Charles Keck, No. 2, in "Wilson's Row," opposite the Allentown Hotel, where he will follow the fashionable

Tailoring Business.
in all its various branches. He will be ready to receive orders from his friends, and such who may favor him with their custom, for which he will ever feel thankful. He has made arrangements to receive the latest fashion plates from Philadelphia and New York, which will enable him to dress a man of the latest style.

His prices will be moderate, and he trusts that by punctual attendance to business to merit a share of public patronage.
Allentown, March 28. —14

Centre Valley Hotel.
The undersigned begs leave to inform his friends and the public in general, that he has rented and now occupies the new
Centre Valley Hotel,
in Upper Saucon township, Lehigh county, lately held by Geo. Wetherhold. The House is beautifully situated, large and roomy, with first rate stabling and water close at hand. Being somewhat experienced in keeping public house, he flatters himself to be able to give full satisfaction to those who may think proper to favor him with their custom.

He will furnish his bar with the best of liquors, and his table with the choicest of the market afford. His bedding are all new, and cleanliness will be observed throughout his establishment.

He invites such of his friends who pass and repass his house, to give him a call.
JAMES HILT.
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Paper Hangings?
THE
Cheapest Manufacturing Warehouse
in Philadelphia,
Is in SIXTH STREET, one door below Race, where purchasers and dealers can select from *New Style Gold and Satin Paper* for parlors, with
Velvet and Gold Scalloped Borders,
as well as Hall or Entry, Chamber and Dining-room wall papers, which will compete in style and quality, with any in Philadelphia, or any other city in the United States, and at a saving of 25 per cent.

WM. H. PATTON,
Manufacturer of Wall & Curtain Papers,
No. 93 North 6th 1 door below Race.
December, 6th. —14

ALLENTOWN SEMINARY, FOR YOUNG MEN AND BOYS.

The Summer session of this Institute, will commence on the 1st of May next, and continue for 5 months.

TERMS:
Tuition, Board and Washing, for 5 months, (comprising 2 Quarters of 11 weeks each.) \$65 00

Tuition for pupils over 10 years of age, 15 00

Tuition for pupils under 10 years of age, 10 00

For further particulars apply to the Principal, who returns thanks to the Public for the favor which they have so far shown his school, inviting at the same time, all those who may desire it, to visit the Institution and examine for themselves. No pains will be spared to instruct the Pupils entrusted to his care, thoroughly in all the branches desired, and to watch over their morals and manners with paternal care.
C. R. KESSLER, Principal.
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Mrs. E. Kemmerer,
Respectfully informs the Ladies of Allentown and the adjacent country, that she continues her fashionable

MILLINERY ESTABLISHMENT,
on Hamilton Street, third door below Pretz, Guth & Co's. Store, where she will be happy to have them call and examine her stock. Mrs. Kemmerer has just returned from the city, and has now on hand, the largest and most varied assortment of

Ladies and Misses Bonnets,
to be found in Allentown. Her stock comprises the latest styles, such as
Hungarian, Selician, Fluted Lace,
Inserted Van Dykes, Alboni, Sylrian, Satin, Straw, &c., &c.,
which she can offer to sell as cheap as any other dealer, here or elsewhere.

She has also a well selected and superb assortment of
RIBBONS, TABS AND FLOWERS,
of the latest patterns, and she would especially invite the ladies to
Call and Examine her Stock,
before purchasing elsewhere.

She is also prepared to make *Crape, Silk and Lawn-Casing and Fancy Bonnets,* at the shortest notice, and on the most reasonable terms.

BLEACHING done in a superior manner, and at much reduced prices. Good Lands always employed.
Country made supplied.
E. KEMMERER.
April 11. —14

REMOVAL.
The subscriber announces to his friends and the public in general, that he has lately removed his
GROCERY STORE,
from Gungwiler's to Wilson's corner, on Market square, directly opposite Capt. Wilson's Hotel, where he has recently added a large addition to his already extensive stock of *Family Groceries, Teas, and Confectionery,* which consists of
Molasses, Honey, Coffee, Sugar, Local Sugar, Spices, Chocolate, Raisins, Rice, Fish, Oil, Candles, Soap, Soda, Dried Peaches, Apples, Currants, Strawberry, Queens-ware, Earthenware, &c., &c.,
ESQ.—Oranges, Lemons, by the Box, Dozen, or single; Prunes, Figs, Raisins, by the box or pound.

CONSTANTLY ON HAND—A large and extensive assortment of Candles which will be sold *Wholesale and Retail, to suit Purchasers.*
Corn, Oats, Chop and other Foodstuffs will always be kept on hand for sale at the lowest price the market affords. *Country* by the barrel, bushel or less quantity, will always be kept for sale.

He informs those for whom he has done business in Philadelphia and elsewhere that he has established a

Semi-weekly Team Line,
To Philadelphia,
which arrives regularly in Allentown, every Thursday and Saturday in each week.

Persons who trust their business to him can depend upon it being punctual transactions, as he always makes it a point, to employ none but sober and careful teamsters.

He trusts that the quality of his goods, and the cheapness of their prices, will convince the public, that it is to their advantage to deal with him.
JESSE SHAFER.
April 18. —14

ROGER BROWN'S
WINE & LIQUOR STORE,
No. 323 MARKET STREET,
Between Eighth and Ninth Sts., North side, Philadelphia.

All kinds of Foreign Wines and Liquors such as—
Old Cognac Brandy, Dark Brandy and Fine Holland Gin, Jamaica Spirits, Fish and Scotch Whisky of the very fine quality.

WINE.—Such as Madeira, Port, Sherry, Fenelle, Sweet Malaga, Muscat, Claret and Champagne, very choice and all.

Also, Manufacturer of Domestic Distilled Brandy and Gin, Pure Spirits, Deodorized Alcohol, Peach Brandy, Lavender Brandy, Wild-Cherry Brandy, and Fine Cordials, &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, recollect No. 323 Market Street.
ROGER BROWN.
Philadelphia, Dec 6. —14

Co-Partnership Notice.
The subscribers will enter into Co-Partnership in the Mercantile business, in the Borough of Allentown, on the 15th instant, and will conduct the business under the Firm of *Kern and Kline,* at the old stand of the New York Store. They hope that by strict attention to business, and low prices they will continue to receive the support so liberally bestowed heretofore.
WILLIAM KERN,
JAMES F. KLINE.
Allentown, March 14. —14

Poetical Department.

(From the New York Tribune.)
The Beautiful.

Thou canst not clasp the beautiful
And call it all thine own,
The beautiful is given for all
And not for one alone;
Is God's love made visible
In Earth, and sea, and sky,
A blessing wide as time and space
For every human eye.

The foam that crests the Ocean-wave
And sparkles to the light,
The star that gems the brow of morn
And glorifies the night,
The brook, the flower, the leaf, the bird,
Whoever glads the sight—
Is God's own loving gift to all,
The beautiful and bright.

And blessed 'tis, and beautiful
That this one gift at least,
Drops the cruel tyrant's power
And ban of wicked priest,
For, spite of chains, the slave can see
God's love is with him here,
In beauty's light, in beauty's joy,
And beauty's blessed cheer.

And God be praised! forevermore,
For this His blessed boon,
The beautiful—which all may share,
And none can share too soon;
The beautiful, which purities
And leads us up to Him,
Who is its source, its life and light,
From flower to seraphim.

Miscellaneous Selections.

The Music Teacher.

At twenty-one, after having graduated at Yale College, and been admitted to the bar, I found myself very comfortable established in a small, but handsome, suit of rooms in one of our leading southern cities. I soon began to feel quite at home among the warm-hearted Carolinians, and became well known as a lawyer and a private individual.

I observed that about nine o'clock, every morning, a young lady passed my office. She was sometimes attended by a young man, whose face was stamped with the unmistakable sign of consumption. She was, as I supposed, his wife; he generally held her arm, or relieved her of a roll of music, that she always carried. She was not at all striking, but, on examination, proved extremely pretty—very lovely—of that style usually denominated blonde. For more than a year she passed regularly. Once I was standing at my door, when a whirl of blowing away her music, she stooped to pick it up, but I saved her the trouble, and was rewarded by a sweet smile. After this, whenever I was in view, as she passed, she bowed. At last her walks ceased for a week, and I saw nothing of her till one morning, as I was anxiously watching for her, she again appeared. Her cheek was paler, her step slower than usual, and she was dressed in deep mourning. I never saw the young man accompany her again.

How many stories I invented for her history! First, she was a girl going to school, and her companion and admirer—what school-girl had ever so serene a brow? Next a young widow—but why did she so regularly pass, as if to some employment? Then, a *madiste*—but! what dressmaker was ever so refined, and how account for her roll of music and her former attendant? No! I only perplexed and provoked myself by endeavoring to ascertain what and what she was. An unexpected incident decided all this to me. One morning, about a year after her assuming black, she was passing along rather faster than usual, and tripping over a stone, fell to the ground with a scream of pain. I rushed out, raised her, and asked what I could do for her.

"I fear my foot is sprained," she replied, gently, "and as you are so kind as to ask me, I will be much obliged if you will call a chaise."

"Certainly, madam," I replied. "In the meantime, pray, come into my office."
As she was unable to walk, I lifted her in, and laid her on a sofa as gently as possible; but she could not repress a movement of pain.

"Pray, remain here," said I; "I will summon my house-keeper, and call a carriage."
When the surgeon arrived, he pronounced the ankle not to be sprained, but broken. She sighed, and said, "I am sorry for that, as it will prevent my teaching for some time. Is the chaise at the door?"

She could not rise without assistance, and was evidently in great pain. The surgeon and I accompanied her to her boarding-house, and I was made glad to have an invitation to call the next day. I did call, and repeated my visits again and again, when more familiarly acquainted, I learned from her own lips her history.

Alice Hastings, even when I first knew her, was but twenty, yet she had been married nearly three years. Her father, a rich merchant, had suddenly failed, and she had been compelled to seek her livelihood as

she best might—her parent having died of a broken heart soon after his failure. She had finally married a poor author, to whom she had been very much attached. She helped him to support themselves by teaching music, and that was what carried her past my office so regularly. Her husband, naturally delicate, was continually writing, and it was with difficulty she could prevail upon him to quit his pen at midnight. Her first and only child died, and her husband, by overtasking his strength, became a victim to consumption. His book was at last finished. She said that she knew that it was imperfect, but that there was so much beauty and originality in the plot, so much delicacy and vivacity in the style, that its defects were more than compensated by its beauties. He sent to the publishers; after a week of painful suspense, it was returned, accompanied by a note, pointing out its worst defects, and entirely passing over the merits.

When he had finished this cruel letter, he fell with a deep groan to the ground, the dark blood flowing from his parted lips. He had broken a blood-vessel. In a few hours he was no more.

"As you know, Mr. Marvels," she said, when she had concluded her story, "I continued giving music lessons till this accident put it out of my power."

After some time, the fair patient began to recover, and at the end of six weeks the splints were removed from the delicate foot. Alice was now able to walk. She expressed a desire to resume her lessons at once. I felt that the moment had come.

"I cannot see any necessity for this," I said, "and it grieves me to think that you are thus resolved to toil for your daily bread."

"But I have no other resources—I act from imperative duty," she replied, slightly blushing.

"But will you trust this to me, and allow me to make an arrangement more satisfactory to myself at least?"
She turned away her face, which was suffused with blushes. I gained courage. "I think I can. May I try?" I continued. "Yes," she resumed, hiding her face. I caught her hand, and proceeded. "You give me full permission?" "I do," she faintly speaking. "And you will not retract?" "No—never."

All was over—I caught her in my arms, and kissed her more than once, assuring her that I knew but one way, and that was by accepting me in marriage.
In a few months we were united.

Courting.
An old paper says:—"Courting is a subject which, always important, is becoming peculiarly so, and we design to call the attention of young people to it occasionally, in hope of arresting an alarming and destructive evil. Young ladies are bound to fall in love as soon as possible, and bound to get a partner for life as soon as the necessary preliminaries are made—such as getting a lover, fascinating him thoroughly, being courted, having the question popped, getting the wedding garments in array, and inviting friends to see him prettily married. The young man is bound to be gallant and polite, and to admire, without any stint, all the pretty young girls known and unknown, to doff the beaver, offer his arm, invite to ride, pleasant summer in short, to all sundries, indeed to show his devotion and gallantry towards the sex until some enchantress throws her spell around him, and he sinks, subdued into a common place, in different careless Benedict. Now out of these things grow difficulties. A young man admires a pretty girl, and must manifest it; he cannot help doing so for the life of him. The young lady has a tender heart; reaching out like vine tendrils for something to cling to; she sees the admiration, is flattered, begins to love, expects some avowal, and perhaps gets so far as to decide that she will choose a white satin under a thin gauze, at the very moment the gallant that she loves is popping the question (good! ha! ha!) to another damsel ten miles off—Now the difficulty is, not precisely understanding the difference between polite attentions and the tender manifestations of sighing love. Admiring a beautiful girl, and wishing to make a wife of her, are not always the same; and, therefore, it is necessary that a girl should be on the alert to discover to which class the attentions paid her by a handsome and gay young gentleman belong. First, then—if a young fellow greets you in a loud, free, hearty voice—if he knows precisely where to put his hat, or his hands—if he stares you straight in the eye with his own wide open—if he tells you who made his coat—if he squeezes your hand—if he eats heartily in your presence—if he fails to talk very kindly to your mother—if he sneezes when you are singing, or criticises your curls, or fails to be very foolish in fifty ways in every hour, then don't fall in love with him for the world; he only admires you, let him do or say what he will."

"The Alantous, or Treco of Heaven," he said, during its flowering season, to be deleterious to health.

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