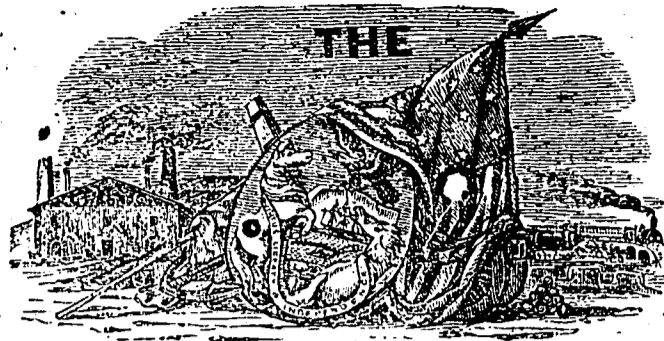


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NOTICE.
In the Orphan's Court of Lehigh County.

In the matter of the Citation to Philip Roth and Charles Keck, Executors of Adam Klein, dec'd. late of Salisbury township.

And now, Sept. 5, 1850. Answer filed. LEHIGH COUNTY, ss.

And September 6, 1850, the Account was referred to J. S. Reese, Esq., with instructions to examine and if necessary re-settle the same.

From the Records,
JOHN D. LAWALL, Clerk.

For the purpose of his appointment, the undersigned will be present at the house of Henry Eck, in Allentown, on Thursday the 11th day of November next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

JAMES S. REESE, Assignee.
October 31.

NOW IS THE TIME!
Good Store Stand
—AT—
PRIVATE SALE.

The undersigned offers to sell his valuable Store Stand, at private sale. It is situated in the village of Butztown, Northampton county, on the public road, leading from Bethlehem to Easton. The

BUILDINGS,
are large and convenient, besides it is admitted to be one of the most beautiful and best situated, in this section of country, for an enterprising business man, and in point of convenience cannot be excelled. There are five acres of good land belonging thereto, upon which is an excellent never failing spring and a well.

Possession can be given immediately if required, and the conditions can be made easy.

A. S. DECH.
The "Bucks County Intelligencer," will please insert the above eight times, July 18.

The Working Peoples Store!
No Humbug Here!
Benj. Landes,

Late of the firm of Metz & Landes, has taken one of the large and spacious rooms in the buildings of Mr. Peter Newhard, next door to Aaron Wint's Eating house in Allentown, where he has opened an entire

New Stock of STORE GOODS,
consisting in a general assortment of Dry Goods, Groceries, Queensware, Hardware, Earthenware, School Books and Stationery, &c.

Among his stock of Dry Goods, will be found an excellent assortment of Cloths, Cassimers, Satinets, Vestings and all other goods that come into the line of gentlemen's wear, and will be sold cheaper than ever offered before in Allentown.

ALSO.—An entire new assortment of Ladies Dress Goods, such as Silks, Muslin de Lains, Alpaccas, Lustrines, Ginghams, Calicoes, besides Flannels, Muslins, and thousands of articles not mentioned here.

Benjamin Landes, buys goods for cash, selects the best qualities, and can therefore afford to sell a little under the common mark. He would therefore most respectfully invite his numerous friends, and every one else who wishes to purchase to his best advantage to call and convince themselves of these facts.

He also keeps a very superior article of Soap Soda, which he sells very cheap at Wholesale & Retail.

His Stock of Groceries is fresh, and well selected.

All kinds of country produce taken in exchange for goods, for which the highest market price will be allowed.

Oct. 17.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.
In the Orphan's Court of Lehigh County.

In the matter of the Account of John Runk, and Charles M. Runk, Administrators of Samuel Runk, late of Allentown, Lehigh county, deceased.

And now Sept. 6, 1850, the court appoint James S. Reese, Esq., Auditor, to audit and re-settle said account, and make distribution according to law, and report to the next Orphan's court.

Notice of the time and place of the sitting of the Auditor to be given by three publications in the Albany Evening Journal.

From the Records,
TESTE—J. D. LAWALL, Clerk.

Notice is hereby given to all the heirs of said deceased, and to all others having an interest in the settlement of said estate, that the undersigned will attend to the duties of his appointment on Friday, the eighth day of November, A. D. 1850, at the Eagle Hotel in the Borough of Allentown, Lehigh county, Pa., at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at which time and place all persons interested may attend if they think proper.

JAMES S. REESE, Auditor.
Allentown Sept. 17

Assignee Notice.
Notice is hereby given, that Daniel O. Stine, of Lynn township, Lehigh county, has on Wednesday the 25th day of September, 1850, made a voluntary assignment, of all his property, personal and mixed, to the undersigned, for the benefit of his creditors. Such, therefore, who are in anywise indebted to the said Daniel O. Stine, are called upon to make settlement within six weeks from the date hereof. And those who have any legal claims against the Assignor, will present them well authenticated to the undersigned, within the above specified time.

DAVID FOLLWEILER, Assignee.
JONAS HAAS,
September 26.

JOB PRINTING,
Neatly executed at the "Register" Office.

LARGE ARRIVAL
Fall and Winter
GOODS!
David Gehman,
Merchant in Hoesnack, Upper Millford, Lehigh county, informs his large circle of friends and the public in general, that he has just arrived from Philadelphia, and is now unpacking and offers for sale, a large assortment of seasonable Goods, as follows:

Plain lustrines, changeable and figured Alpaccas, plain and printed muslin de lains, ginghams, calicoes, checks, flannels, &c., &c. English, French and American Cloths, of all colors and prices, cassimeres, vestings, satinets, thibet and woolen shawls, cotton yarns, &c., &c.

New Stock of Groceries.
Molasses, Sugar, Coffee, Tea, Spices, Mackerels of all numbers and at cheap prices, Salt, Oils, &c.

Fashionable hats and caps, shoes for ladies and gentlemen, sole and upper leather, calf skins and morocco.

A large assortment of Queensware, Earthenware, Hardware, Looking Glasses, Drugs, Glass, and Dye Stuffs.

A LARGE STOCK OF IRON.
Just received, such as warranted bar and hammered iron, American and Swedish steel, warranted at 6 cents a pound, cast and sheet steel, band, round, half round and cornered E. refined iron, sheet and hoop iron, cast iron, stoves, kettles, pots, boilers, grates, plough shears, wagon boxes. Also a large stock of English wadding, of every width and thickness, at 24 cents per pound.

His assortment in general is made up of such a stock of Goods as is but seldom found in a country retail store. He therefore invites each and every one to give him a friendly call and convince themselves of what is said above. No charges will be made to show goods.

He returns his sincere thanks to his neighbors and friends, for the very liberal custom bestowed upon him, and trusts that he will make it their interest further to continue their calls.

Oct. 10.

NEW GOODS
—AT—
PRETZ, GUTH & Co's.
STORE,
South East corner of Hamilton and William Streets,
Allentown, Pa.

The subscribers hereby inform their customers and the public generally, that they have just returned from the City of New York, and are now busily engaged in unpacking a very large and desirable lot of Dress Goods, which they feel confident cannot be surpassed by any house in the vicinity. They respectfully invite the ladies and gentlemen to give them a call, as they know all can be suited both in price and quality.

PRETZ, GUTH & Co.
Oct. 21.

SHAWLS.
The subscribers have lately added to their former stock of Shawls, a large and handsome lot of different kinds of shawls, such as Bay State Long Shawls, Cashmere Shawls, Black Thibet Shawls, Black and Fancy Silk Shawls, Jenny Lind Shawls, &c., all of which will be sold very cheap.

PRETZ, GUTH & Co.
Oct. 21.

GROCERIES.
A large assortment of Coffee, Sugar, Rice, Molasses, Tea, Spices, &c., just received and for sale wholesale and retail by

PRETZ, GUTH & Co.
Oct. 21.

Barber & Young's
Iron & Hardware Store,
IN ALLENTOWN.

Take this method to inform the citizens of Allentown and the public in general, that they still continue the

IRON and HARDWARE Business,
in all its various branches, at their old stand in Hamilton street, above Market square, where they are always ready to sell to their customers and others at the lowest prices. They also give timely notice, that they will

STOP THE CREDIT SYSTEM
after the first of October next, and sell for Cash only. They believe to be doing a particular favor to their customers, as they will exact for cash but a very small profit, believing it to be the interest of all.

BARBER & YOUNG.
September 12.

Philadelphia
MOURNING STORE,
No. 52 South Second Street.
Fifth Door above Chestnut st., West side.

BESSON & SON,
Would respectfully invite the attention of wholesale and retail cash purchasers to their Fall importations.

Consisting in part of

Bl. Cashmeres. " Bl. Mode or Love Veils
" Silk Cashmeres. " Modes.
" Paramattias. " Piercy Silk Hoses.
" Bombazines. " Kid Gloves.
" Mantilla Velvets. " Scarfs, Ribbons,
" Mercuries. " Binding Bonaches, &c.
" Poplins. " Mour. Long Shawls.
" Bombazine Alpaccas. " Square
" Glossy Alpaccas. " Sack Flannels.
" Wide Glossy Silks. " Azor's & Poplins
" Clank Silks. " Hungarians.
" Mousseline de Laine. " Plain Silks.
" Thibet Long Shawls. " Mous. de Laine.
" Thibet Square. " English Chintz's
" Blanket Long. " Collars & Cuffs.
" Blanket Square. " Ribbons.
" English Crapes. " Kid Gloves.
" Italian. " Barch'd. Hdifs.
" Veil. " French Clank'gs
" Grape Veils. " Oct. 3.

Builders!
Look Here!!!
A NEW LOT OF
HARDWARE!!!

The undersigned announce 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

ENAMELED and tinned inside, cooking vessels, sauce and stew pans, preserve kettles, fish and ham kettles, frying pans, griddles, waftle irons, &c.

TEA TRAYS and Waiters, from common to fine, in sets and dozens. Also, gothic 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 Shear 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.

Poetical Department.
Gentleness.

If thou hast crushed a flower,
The root may not be blighted—
If thou hast quenched a lamp,
Once more it may be lighted:
But on the harp or on the lute,
The string which thou hast broken,
Shall never in sweet sound again,
Give to thy touch a token!

If thou hast loosed a bird,
Whose voice of song could cheer thee,
Still, still, he may be won
From the skies to warble near thee;
But if upon the troubled sea,
Thou hast thrown a gem unheeded,
Hope not that wind or wave shall bring
The treasure back when needed.

If thou hast bruised a vine,
The summer's breath is healing,
And its clusters yet may grow
Thro' the leaves their bloom revealing;
But if thou hast a cup o'erthrown,
With a bright drop filled—O, never
Shall the earth give back that lavish wealth
To cool thy parched lips' fever.

The heart is like that cup,
If thou vante the love it bore thee,
And like that jewel-gone,
Which the deep will not restore thee—
And like that stying of harp and lute
Whence the sweet sound is scattered—
Gently, O gently touch the chords
So soon forever scattered!

Miscellaneous Selections.
Rise of Senator Rusk.

The tragedy of Nacogdoches, and the romantic incidents which led to the Texan war of Independence, find their parallel only in the Roman History of Lucretia and the elder Brutus. Juan Costa was a person of influence and bravery in the wild forests, but he fell under the displeasure of Santa Anna, and his minion Pedras, the commandant of Nacogdoches, was sent to arrest him. He arrested the father at his supper table, attended by his only daughter—a young girl of surprising beauty and intelligence. He loaded him with chains and cast him into prison, notwithstanding her tears and entreaties. Finally he proposed to free the father, if the daughter would consent to sacrifice her innocence and honor. She rejected the infamous proposition with a blow in the face, when the armed ruffian swore a horrible oath to execute his will on them both, and then,

With dark eyes, tearless, glassy, fixed as these of a corpse, yet flashing a double portion of luminous fire, she mounted a horse and hurried away wildly around the country. She halted at every house, no matter whether Mexican or American, and rehearsed, in tones of thrilling horror, her father's wrongs and her own. All timid modesty, all weakness, had vanished from her tongue, utterly consumed by the scorching thirst for vengeance. She painted, in passion's fiery language, and with awful minuteness, the facts of the damning deed; she bared her virgin bosom, and showed the livid marks of the ravisher's fingers among the mazes of those azure veins, along the surface of that azure snow, now so polluted and soiled, but before pure as the gleam of an angel's wings.

And still, wherever the beautiful maid wandered, a deafening yell of wrath and vengeance rose up against the tyrants.—The people of both faces and all classes flew to arms, appointing a general rendezvous for the 24th of June, at the residence of the absent and now imprisoned Juan Costa.

It was there debated by the people; as to the mode of attack, and who should be their leader; but nothing being agreed on the whole assemblage fell fair to break up in confusion, when a tall and powerfully built stranger, who had just entered Texas from the States, came forward and addressed the multitude as follows:

"I am a stranger, but I am also a man; and I owe my life, soul, body, health, happiness—all—all to a woman—my mother! And if I turn a deaf ear to the prayers of an innocent woman, asking my aid against a villain, may both my mother and God curse me! I go for one, and—should you all stay behind—alone to fight Col. Pedras and his armed ravishers of your wives and daughters!"

The speech was received with three tremendous cheers, and then a general shout, that seemed to shake the solid earth, uttered the first appeal of the revolution.—"We will go! Death to the tyrants!—Freedom for Texas, and the giant shall be our leader!"

And then for the first time, was heard the end of the wild oak a name destined to become an echo to the pulsation of all hearts—the name of Thomas J. Rusk.

The next day he led his raw troops to the attack of Nacogdoches, and stormed every position against immense odds, after an assault of four hours, the carnage being dreadful on both sides; and fortunately,

among the slain, was the dead body of the atrocious Ferdinand Pedras.

Such was the debut of Rusk in Texas; and from that day his popularity has gone on steadily increasing, without ebb of a transitory eclipse, or so much as a cloud to dim its splendor. In vain, for three years, Gen. Cos demanded his arrest.—Mexico had not soldiers enough to take him, and in 1846 he assisted to chase the last of these out of the country. Afterwards he amassed a fortune at the Texan bar, and was chosen one of the first Senators of the new State annexed—a place which he may hold for life, if he wills it.

Rusk is the only public man in Texas that has never engaged in a duel; and for this single reason, so honorable to himself—he never had a personal enemy in the world. To conclude, he is a Titan in physical force with the loving soul of a happy child. He is not distinguished by eloquence of speech, but his laugh is sometimes divine—the clear ring of a heart, sound to the very centre.

Parisian Mothers.
A few days after the birth of children they are sent into the country, and placed under the care of some peasant woman, who for a monthly stipend, agrees to return them in good order at the end of one or two years. The parents make resolutions about going out frequently—and surprising the nurse. But the road is long and the time precious; after a little time their vigilance is relaxed, and long months glide away between the visits. The nurse has her own affairs to attend to; and languishes the child up from head to foot in the approved style, draws the curtains around the cradle, which she pushes up in a dark corner, and sallies forth to visit the neighbors, or to labor in the fields. He may strengthen his lungs by crying or sleep, as he may choose, until he returns. The same nurse has not unfrequently four or five children under her care at the same time, managing to eke out miserably the deficiency in their nourishment with soup, pap, and mashed potatoes. When the mother comes, a few months afterwards, to see her cherub-checked boy, with the dimples on his plump little hands, she does not recognise him in the wretched creature, with livid marks under his eyes, and long thin bluish fingers, which is presented to her. Then comes a flood of bitter tears, forced out by the stings of remorse; this is followed by a severe rating of the negligent nurse, who does not fail to retort on the indignant mother. The scene closes by the father's taking the child to some other nurse, and visiting it more frequently. The child often falls to the ruggedness of his treatment; the mortality among children at nurse runs up to a fearful ratio. But imagine the child to have reached the age when custom requires his return to the house of his parents, that is to say, of one or two years.

For a month or two previous he has been well fed and petted by his nurse, whose conscience as well as interest leads her to take this unusual pains. He reaches his father's house a stranger, and is afraid as he passes up the grand staircase and sees so many eyes fixed on him. He clings to his nurse's side, and begs her to take him home with her. When she leaves him he is inconsolable, and, for many a long day cries to get back to his mother in the country. He will not believe that the fine lady who now takes care of him is his mother, for he has never seen her before. It seems to us that the love between a mother and her child thus brought back to her can never become so beautiful as it is in countries not so far led away from nature by a false civilization; and that to this cause may be traced the almost entire absence among the Parisians of what we call "happy family circles." The child as to what, as he grows up, to repay, with interest the indifference of his parents towards him in his infancy. And if we seek for the cause of the great difference in physical development among the people, those of certain classes being, almost without exception, handsome and vigorous, and those of others stunted and meagre as ague patients, may we not find a sufficient one in the custom just described?

A Hit—Palpable.—Lord Byron, referring to the attacks made by the newspapers upon one of his poems, truly said: "There is no man, however thick headed or heartless who would not smart under the knowledge that he was held up in even fifty copies of a newspaper; there is, however, no one but a very thin skinned fool who would as the phrase goes, stop a paper because it does not chime in with his notions, or because it attacked him." Whatever foible I may have, I am not guilty of this miserable foibley."

A rogue asked charity on pretence of being dumb. A lady having asked with equal simplicity and humanity, "how long have you been dumb?"—He lost his guard and answered "from birth madam." "Poor fellow!" said the lady and gave him a dollar.

A clergyman said to the boys in the gallery, "Don't make such a noise, for you will wake up your parents below."

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