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

**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 **KEY**, 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, grid-irons, waffle irons, &c.  
TEA TRAYS and Waiters, from common to fine, in sets and dozens. Also, gaiter 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  
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**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 11, 10 by 13, 12 by 16, and various other sizes, for sale by  
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**TO MECHANICS.**—Tools of every description, such as Bench and Moulding Planes, Hand, Panel, and Buck Saws, Brace and Bits, Auger Bits, Hatchets, Squares, &c., for sale by  
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**TO SHOEMAKERS.**—Just received a new assortment of Morocco and Binding Leather, Lasts, Shoe-thread, Wooden Pegs, French Rubber, and numerous other articles belonging to the shoemaking business.  
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**SCYTHES.**—20 doz. genuine Grain Scythes, also a large assortment of genuine Steiermark Grass Scythes, cheap and for sale by  
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**OILS & VARNISH.**—Oils of all kinds, boiled and raw, Turpentine, Newark Varnish of all kinds, Glue &c., will be sold cheap by  
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**PLANES.**—A full assortment of Planes of John Bell's best make, also a large assortment of Carpenter's Tools, for sale cheap by  
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**WHITE LEAD.**—2 tons of White Lead just received, Pure and Extra, and for sale by  
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**HOLLOWWARE.**—500 Iron Pots and Kettles, just received and for sale at very reduced prices at the store of  
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**To Builders.**  
A splendid assortment of Front and Parlor Locks with mineral knobs, German Locks, Hinges, Screws, Paint Brushes, Hatchets, Bows, Building Hardware, and a variety of other articles, all of which are just unpacked, and for sale cheaper than ever by  
O. & J. SAEGER.  
April 19.

**Facts for the People!**  
**A Jenny Lind Song.**  
By Samson, Wagner & Co.  
TUNE—"SHE HAS COME."  
1. An appeal to the judgement,  
A candid appeal;  
With facts on our side,  
An assurance we feel,  
Fact, Fact, is our maxim,  
On facts we rely,  
And to facts we appeal,  
In the Goods we supply.  
2. In this town our Store,  
Is seen to attract,  
A triumph in trade,  
And in truth a great Fact!  
And still it shall stand  
As it ever has done,  
A glorious fact  
For the name it has won.

Readers! We are not about to carry you away with any false or unfounded assertions. We intend, in appealing to your judgment to state facts and facts only without the slightest fear of contradiction. One prominent fact is, that the articles of Samson, Wagner & Co. are distinguished by unequalled style, in proof of which we would call your attention to our second purchase of Fall and Winter Goods, which we have just received and unpacked. And the prominent fact is, that at our store you will find an extensive assortment of every thing which is usually kept in a country store. But the fact of all facts is, that Samson, Wagner & Co. sell goods cheaper than any other Store in Lehigh county, but don't take our word for it, but come and see.  
Come men of all stations,  
Each rank and degree,  
Come old maids and young maids,  
Who yet are so free,  
Come Jews and come Christians,  
Come Gentiles and all,  
Come each and come every one  
And give us a CALL.  
SAMSON, WAGNER & Co.  
November 11.

**DANCE ACADEMY,**  
—AT THE—  
**Odd Fellows' Hall.**  
L. KNICKERBOCKER respectfully announces to the Ladies and Gentlemen of Allentown, that the evening classes have commenced at the Odd Fellows' Hall, on Monday and Friday of each week, from 5 to 10, in the evening, where all the most fashionable dances will be taught, which are as follows: Polka's, Mazourka's, Lancer's, Cotillon's, Rowlowa, Schottisch, plain and other Waltzes. Persons desirous of making themselves familiar with the innocent exercises of the most fashionable dances, could not have a better opportunity, as I shall endeavor to the best of my abilities to give entire satisfaction. Also private classes for children on Monday and Friday of each week from 2 to 4 P. M. Terms moderate.  
Apply to Mr. James Micky, at Samson and Wagner's Store, at Wm. Craig's Hotel, or at the Odd Fellows' Hall, on the evenings of practice.  
November 7.

**NOTICE.**  
Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned are appointed Executors, in the last Will and Testament of Henry Ebnert, dec'd., late of the Borough of Allentown, county of Lehigh, therefore all persons who are yet indebted to said estate, be it in Notes, Bonds or otherwise will make settlement within 6 weeks from the date hereof. Also those who have legal claims against said estate, will present them well authenticated within the above specified time.  
MICHAEL D. ENERHARD, Executor.  
JOHANN L. ENERHARD, Executrix.  
November 7.

**ADDITIONS NOTICE.**  
In the Orphan's Court of Lehigh county.  
In the matter of the Account of Jacob Mushlitz, Executor, &c., of Jacob Dotterer, deceased, late of Upper Saucon township, Lehigh county.  
And now Sept. 6, 1850, on motion of Robert E. Wright, Esq., Auditor, to audit and re-settle said account, and make distribution according to law, and report to the next stated Orphan's court.  
From the Records.  
TESTE—J. D. LAWALL, Clerk.  
The undersigned will attend to the duties of his appointment on Friday, the 29th 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.  
ROBERT E. WRIGHT, Auditor.  
November 7.

**NOTICE.**  
The undersigned begs leave to announce to his large circle of friends and the public in general, that he still continues the Surveying and Scrivener business, in its various branches, at his office, near Coopersburg, in Upper Saucon township, Lehigh county.  
He has lately purchased at a very great expense, a number of the newest and most improved *Mathematical Instruments*, which will enable him, with a practice of 20 years standing, to give general satisfaction.  
His experience as a Scrivener is undoubted, as he has also followed the business for many years. Terms moderate.  
He will always be ready to serve his friends, at any reasonable distance from home, when called upon.  
ANDREW K. WITTMAN.  
Oct. 31.

**PROCLAMATION.**  
WHEREAS, the Hon. J. Pringle Jones President of the several Courts of Common Pleas of the Third Judicial District, comprising the counties of Northampton and Lehigh, State of Pennsylvania, and Justice of the several Courts of Oyer and Terminer and John F. Ruhe, Esq., Judges of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer, and general Jail Delivery, for the trial of all capital offenders in the said county of Lehigh. By their precepts to me directed, have ordered the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, to be held at Allentown, county of Lehigh, on the  
First Monday in December 1850,  
which is the 2nd day of said month, and will continue one week.  
Notice is therefore hereby given to the Justices of the Peace and Constables of the county of Lehigh, that they are by the said precepts commanded to be there at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, of said day, with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations, and all other remembrances, to do those things which to their offices appertain to be done, and all those who are bound by recognizances to prosecute against the prisoners that are or then shall be in the jail of said county of Lehigh, are to be then and there to prosecute them as shall be just.  
Given under my hand in Allentown, the 7th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty.  
God save the Commonwealth.  
JOSEPH P. NEWHARD, Sheriff.  
Sheriff's Office Allentown, }  
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N. B. Magistrates are desired to forward their returns in criminal cases to the Deputy Attorney General at once, and to request prosecutors to call at his office before court, and thus afford sufficient time to prepare the indictments, and other matters necessary for trial. The amount of unsettled business renders this at present absolutely necessary.  
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**NOTICE.**  
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SOLOMON WEAVER,  
Acting Administrator.  
Nov. 14.

**Take Notice!**  
**Surveyor and Scrivener.**  
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**Trial List,**  
**For December Term, 1850.**  
1 George Kemmerer vs Charles and William Eickman.  
2 Benjamin S. Levan vs Christopher Henrize and others.  
3 The Commonwealth vs Felix Kahn.  
4 Nathan Rex vs George Lanchner and George Snyder.  
5 Daniel Weiss vs Galfrey Roth.  
6 James White vs Eli Stieckel and Edward Sheikler.  
7 Nathan Drescher vs The Lehigh Crane Iron Company and Sal. Bortz.  
8 David Stuen and others vs John Wagner and others.  
9 William Walp vs Stephen Balliet.  
10 Anna Zimmerman vs Peter Hoffman.  
11 Anna Bright vs A. P. McBride and others.  
12 H. J. Hiberacker and A. J. Ritz vs John G. Gouddie and others.  
13 Franklin Hildebrandt vs Samuel Hartman and others.  
14 William Dech vs Enoch Schaffer.  
15 Isaac Zillner vs Jacob Ochs.  
16 John L. Tweeds vs William Fry.  
17 David and Daniel Moritz vs Charles Moritz.  
18 Thomas B. Wilson and others vs Stephen Balliet and others.  
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**Poetical Department.**  
From Holden's Dollar Magazine.  
**Girls were made to Mour.**  
When chill November's surly blast  
Made every body shiver,  
One evening as I wandered forth,  
Along the Lehigh river,  
I spy'd a woman, past her prime,  
Yet with a youthful air,  
Her face was covered o'er with curls,  
Of well selected hair!  
Young woman, whither wanderest thou?  
Began the prim old maid;  
Are visions of a home to be,  
In all thy dreams displayed?  
Or haply wanting but a mate,  
Too soon thou hast begun,  
To wander forth with me to mourn,  
The difference of man!  
The sun that overhangs yon fields,  
Outspreading far and wide,  
Where thousands by their own hearth sit,  
Or in their carriage ride;  
I've seen you weary winter sun,  
Just forty times return;  
And every time had added proofs,  
That girls were made to mourn!  
O girls! when in your early years,  
How prodigal of time!  
Mispending all your precious hours,  
Your glorious youthful prime!  
Thinking to wed just when you please,  
From bean to bean you turn,  
Which unfold force give nature's law,  
That girls were made to mourn!  
Look not on them in youthful prime!  
Ere life's best years are spent,  
Man will be gallant to them then,  
And give encouragement!  
But see them when they cease to speak  
Of each birth days return;  
Then wail and single blessedness,  
Show girls were made to mourn!  
A few seem favorites of Fate,  
By husband's hands caressed,  
But think not all the married folks  
Are likewise truly blest.  
For, oh! what crowds, whose lords are not,  
That stray to watch and darn,  
Through weary life this lesson learn,  
That girls were made to mourn!  
Many and sharp and numerous ills,  
Inwoven with our frame!  
More pointed still we make ourselves,  
Regret, Remorse and shame!  
And man, whose heaven erected face,  
The smiles of love adorn,  
Man's cold indifference to us  
Makes countless thousands mourn!  
If I design'd to live alone—  
By nature's law designed,  
Why was this constant wish to wed  
E'er planted in my mind?  
If not, why am I subject to  
Man's cruelty or scorn?  
Or, why has he the will and power  
To make me for him mourn?  
See younger young accomplished girls,  
Whose words are smooth as oil,  
Who'd marry almost any one  
To keep her hands from toil;  
But see the lovely gentleman  
Her favors don't return,  
Unmindful though a weeping man,  
And bankrupt father mourn!  
Yet let not this, my hopeful girl,  
Disturb thy youthful breast;  
This awful view of woman's fate,  
Is surely not the best!  
The poor, despis'd, plain old maid,  
Hath never sure been born,  
Had there not been some recompense  
To comfort those who mourn!  
O death! the poor girl's dearest friend,  
The kindest and the best!  
Welcome the hour my weary limbs  
Are laid with thee to rest!  
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**Miscellaneous Selections.**  
**The Dead Sea and the Jordan.**  
We descended by a steep path into the plain, and, passing a pool of stagnant water, surrounded by a mass of long dank weeds, rode through a few low thorny bushes, and reached the margin of the lake. There was a hard pebbly strand, strewn here and there with drift wood; bare trunks of trees, withered and dry, covered with a coating of salt; small lumps of some bituminous substance were scattered over the beach; we afterwards found several other pieces floating on the water. The water itself was clear and limpid, and the sun was reflected from its surface with a dazzling glare; viewed from this point the Bahr Lutho, as the Arabs call it, is lost nothing of its gloomy aspect. Girt, on our left hand, by the dark range of Moab, a continuation of the

Propriety, I think I said, compelled our party to retire to a little distance from the place where the scene I have been endeavoring to describe was enacted; but propriety played one at least of her rotaries an unworthy trick. I was following a companion across the river; he had gained the opposite side, when the current caught me suddenly, and giving up the glory of the enterprise, might and main I was obliged to strike out for the bank I had just left. However, the river god being unpropitious, I was hurried incontinently down the stream, and finally deposited on a shingly bank, (I blush to record it) nearly at the feet of the fair pilgrim who represented the gentler sex among our body. Here the water was too shallow to swim, and the current too rapid to permit my coming to an anchor by any other expedient than that of holding on by the bottom with both hands. My feet were pointed at the lady, and my nether man bumping unceasingly against the stony shelf on which I was so deplorably stranded, added bodily torment to mental anguish. What was to be done? Decency, of course, forbade my getting on my legs and retiring like a Christian biped, while necessity forced me to hold hard, as a meander downwards to the sea of Sodom might be attended with very serious consequences, even if I escaped shipwreck in my involuntary voyage.  
So there I lay covered, as well as adverse circumstances would admit of, in the muddy water, my face scorched by a blazing sun, and my antipodes threatening momentarily to come ashore, from the incessant jerking of the inexorable stream. The fact is, I was in the "centre of a hobble." And how did the fair lady take it? This was the unkindest cut of all. Oh! for the propriety, the decency, nay, the sympathy of woman! She positively looked on as if nothing extraordinary was the matter; I might as well I have been a log of wood; she neither regarded my helpless condition nor expressed commiseration for my perplexity; perhaps she thought, poor simple woman, it was a way we Europeans had, and that, after the custom of my country, I was paying my respects to the venerated object of our mutual pilgrimage. Be that as it may, there lay unhappy I, martyr to my modesty, while she, for whose sake I suffered, calmly contemplated my burning countenance, and, as fast as they were handed her, immersed garment after garment in the water, consecrating, I verily believe, the wardrobe of every female friend, kinswoman, or acquaintance she possessed in the wide world—and these, as I had reason to remember, were anything but few. At last her task was finished, and taking an extra duck for her own especial benefit, the ruthless woman betook her to the bushes, whilst I scorch'd, scalded, and parboiled, rose dripping from the river, for swearing pilgrims and pilgrimages from that day forth.

**Capture of the Eagle.**  
In the month of July, a fishing smack was sent by Commodore Lewis, of New York, for the purpose of capturing by stratagem the sloop Eagle, a tender of the Peacemakers, a British vessel of 74 tons. The smack was borrowed of some fishermen. A calf, a sheep, and goose, were put on board. Between thirty and forty men well armed with muskets were secreted in the cabin, and fore part of the smack. Thus prepared she stood out to sea as if going on a fishing voyage to the banks. Only three men appeared on deck, dressed as fishermen. The Eagle on perceiving the smack gave chase. After coming along side, and discovering live stock on board, she ordered the smack down to the Commodore, then about five miles off. The helmsman of the smack answered, "Aye, aye, sir;" and apparently put up the helm for that purpose, which brought the smack along side of the Eagle, not more than three yards distant. The watch word Lawrence, was then given, and the armed men rushed on deck from below; and poured a volley of musketry into the tender; which drove her crew below with so much precipitation, that they had not time to strike her colors. As soon as sailing master Percival, who commanded the smack, perceived the deck of the British vessel cleared, he ordered his men to cease firing. Upon which one of the Eagle's crew appeared on deck, and struck her colors. The Eagle was safely taken into New York.

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Correct.—Those men are worthy to be remembered who have left this world better than they found it.  
Good breeding is a guard upon the tongue. The misfortune is, that we put it on and off with our fine clothes and visiting faces, and do not wear it where it is most wanted—at home!  
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