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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 "Friedensbote Office."

The People's Store Revived!
A General Removal.
J. W. GRUBB, would respectfully inform the citizens of Allentown and vicinity, that he has removed his store into the house lately occupied by C. H. Samson, as a Store, opposite Hagenbuch's Hotel, and so extensively known as

The People's Store,
where he will be pleased as ever to accommodate all who will please favor him with a call. His stock consists as ever, of a great variety of the most desirable goods.

Ladies Dress Goods,
Of every quality and price, such as De laines, Cashmeres, Coburgs, Thibet Cloths, French Morinos, Alpaccas both plain, black and fancy colored, Dress Silks of every variety, together with a general assortment of that line of goods. Also mourning goods of every description.

Men and boy's wears such as Cloths, Cassimeres, Satinets, Jeans and Youth Plaids. Also a general assortment of Flannels, both wool and cotton, apron and bed checks, Manchester Gingham, Muslins, Drillings, Cambrics, Calicoes, &c., &c., all of which will be sold at reduced prices. So please give him a call and see for yourselves at the well known corner of

The Peoples Store.
He also returns his most sincere thanks to the public for the liberal share of patronage bestowed upon him heretofore, and hopes by strict attention to business, and studying to please each and every one, both old and young, grave and gay, to merit a continuance of the same.
Allentown, Dec. 16. $\text{---}3\text{m}$

LOOK HERE!
Clocks, Watches & Jewelry.
Come All and Judge for Yourself!

During the past summer the undersigned directly opposite the German Reformed Church in Allentown, has materially enlarged and beautifully finished, his Store room, and in order to make his assortment of

Clocks, Watches AND JEWELRY,
compare with his other improvements, he adopts this method to inform his old customers and a host of new he expects to get, that he has just returned from New York, with a most magnificent display of

House, Office and Parlor Clocks, Gold and Silver Watches, of every variety, Gold Bar and Finger Rings, Breast Pins, of every imaginable pattern, gold, silver, steel and brass Watch Chains, Seals and Keys, silver Tea and Table Spoons, gold, silver and steel Spectacles, for all ages, Spy-glasses of all sizes, gold Lockets & Chains, Music Boxes of various qualities, gold and fancy Medals, of all sizes, gold and silver Pencils, Melodians of the best manufacture in the United States.

In short every article kept in a well stocked Jewelry store can be got of him, and is determined to sell as cheap as can be bought either in New York or Philadelphia. He flatters himself to believe that in beauty and assortment his establishment cannot be surpassed in any country town in the state. The public is invited to call and then to judge for themselves.
He continues to repair Watches and Clocks, and since he keeps none but the very best of workmen, he can afford to warrant them for one year. Gold and Silver ware will also be repaired at the shortest notice and upon the most reasonable terms.
As usual for past favors he trusts that by punctual attendance and low prices he will be further able to meet with favors.
CHARLES S. MASSEY,
December 16. $\text{---}3\text{m}$

Highly Important News!



New Store Opened
BY
Edeman, Hanse & Co.

On the south-west corner of Market Square and Hamilton Street, directly opposite the "Eagle Hotel" in Allentown, which they style the cheap

Farmers' and Mechanics' Store.
They have just returned from Philadelphia, with an entire new and well selected stock of the cheapest and most beautiful

Spring and Summer Goods that were ever exhibited in this place, embracing all the

Latest and most Fashionable Styles, to which they invite the attendance of their friends and acquaintances generally. These goods have been selected with great care and attention. We name in part,

Fancy Style Spring Silks, all widths and qualities, Foulard Silks, Black and Fancy Colored Silks, Berege de Laines, Persian Cloths, Wool French de Laines, Gingham, French Chintzes, fancy Lawns, Calicoes, from 3 to twelve cents a yard.

WHITE GOODS,
Of all descriptions, Jaconet, and Swiss Edgings, Insertings, Linen and Cotton Lace, 300 New style Ladies' Needle Work Collars from 64 cents to \$1.50, Hristbands, Cuffs, &c. A good assortment of Hosiery, Gloves, Mitts, &c. always on hand.

A large assortment of silk and cotton Umbrellas. Parasols of all styles, colors and prices.

GENTLEMEN'S WEAR,
French, English and American Cloths, of various colors, Plain and Fancy Cassimers, Satin and Fancy Vestings, Satinets. A large assortment of Woolen, Worsted, Linen and Cotton Goods for Spring wear.—Cravats, Pocket Handkerchiefs, Collars, &c. Also, a beautiful and handsome assortment of Goods for Boys' wear.

They are satisfied that they have selected a stock of goods as cheap if not cheaper than ever before offered in Allentown, and are determined to sell them at a very small advance. They hope therefore that through strict attention to their business, they will be able to draw a large share of public patronage for which they will ever be thankful.
EDELMAN, HANSE & CO.
Allentown, April 29, $\text{---}3\text{m}$

Groceries & Queensware.
The subscribers have also a large stock of fresh family

Groceries, Prime, Java and Rio Coffee, from 16 cents a pound and as low as 64 cents; Sugars, Teas, Molasses, Cheeses, Spices, Crackers, Raisins &c., &c., Butter, Eggs, Lard, Hams, Sides, Shoulders, Potatoes, Onions, and Soap, for which the highest Market prices will be given in exchange for Goods.

All Goods sold at this Establishment are warranted what they are represented to be. Call and examine for yourself. Goods freely shown with strong inducements to buy.
EDELMAN, HANSE & CO.
Allentown, April 29, $\text{---}3\text{m}$

Grain Wanted.
50,000 Bushels of Wheat, Rye, Corn and Oats wanted, for which the highest market prices will be paid by the subscribers, at their store on the South west corner of Market Square and Hamilton street, in Allentown.
EDELMAN, HANSE & CO.
Allentown, April 29, $\text{---}3\text{m}$

Stone Coal.
The undersigned have just received a large lot of Stone Coal of all the different qualities, and will always keep them on hand, to be sold or exchanged for all kinds of Grain at the lowest cash prices.
EDELMAN, HANSE & CO.
Allentown, May 13. $\text{---}3\text{m}$

NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned have been appointed Executors of the last Will and Testament of Solomon Knauss, deceased, late of the Borough of Allentown, in the county of Lehigh. All those who know themselves indebted to said estate, be it in bonds, notes, book debts, or otherwise, will please make settlement between now the first day of April next. And such who have any legal claims against said estate will also present their claims for settlement within the above time.
JESSE KNAUSS,
CHARLES K. KNAUSS,
WILLIAM K. KNAUSS,
JONATHAN K. KNAUSS,
Executors.
January 19. $\text{---}3\text{m}$

New Dry Goods Store
In Philadelphia,
No. 253 North 2d, Street.

Thomas Y. Landes, takes great pleasure to inform his circle of friends and former customers, that he has taken the well known Store, No. 253, North Second Street, formerly occupied by Simon R. Snyder, opposite the Black Horse Tavern, Philadelphia. He is prepared with a well selected and entire new and fashionable Stock of Dry Goods, consisting in part of

French and American Cloths, French Cassimers, and a large Stock of other Goods for Gentlemen's wear.

He also invites his Lady customers when they visit the city to give him a call and examine his beautiful stock of Silks, Delaines, Berage Delaines, &c., in short he keeps a full assortment of every kind of goods belonging to the retail Dry Good business.

He trusts that by strict attention to business he will be able to gain a liberal share of public patronage.

Don't forget the place, call at No. 253, North Street, directly opposite the Black Horse Tavern, and you will find you obedient friend.
THOMAS Y. LANDES,
Phila. January 19, 1853. $\text{---}3\text{m}$

Good Horses and Safe Vehicles!
Allentown
Livery Establishment.

THE subscribers take this method to inform their friends and the public in general, that they have entered into partnership in the Livery Business, in the stable formerly owned by George Beisel. They have an entire new stock of

HORSES, CARRIAGES, &c.
Their Horses are gentle and all good travellers; their vehicles mostly new and of the latest style, and such as have been selected and repaired in the best manner. They continue the business at the old stand in William street, in the Borough of Allentown.

They will always be prepared to furnish their customers at the shortest possible notice with safe and gentle horses, good carriages and careful drivers if requested. Families can be suited at all times with vehicles to their particular taste.

Their charges are reasonable, and in order to continue their high credit they heretofore gained of being the "best livery establishment in Allentown," they will leave nothing undone to keep on hand the best and safest horses, the neatest and most splendid carriages, and sober and careful drivers. Their charges are very reasonable and hope by strict attention to business to satisfy all those who may favor them with their custom.
T. P. HOFFMAN,
JESSE SIEGFRIED,
September 18, 1851. $\text{---}3\text{m}$

Hope's Express.
Among the various Expresses that have recently extended their operations, and entered upon a new field of enterprise, we know none which is more hopeful than Hope's New Jersey and Pennsylvania Express, via Central Rail Road of New Jersey. This road extends from New York to Easton, Pa., and runs through a splendid country—affording an avenue to the interior of Pennsylvania hitherto closed up. The superiority of this market for buying and selling goods is bringing a large amount of trade here, which formerly went to Philadelphia. The advantage of Hope's Express, by which merchandise of all descriptions can be forwarded promptly, when fully realized on the above route, will insure a complete success and prosperity. A. D. Hope has made arrangements with the Central R. R. Co. and various Stage proprietors to sell Tickets through to Wilkesbarre, Mauch Chunk, Reading, &c., at reduced fares.

Office of Hope's Express, in Allentown, at the Variety Store of AARON WINT, who will attend to the forwarding of all packages.
February 2, 1853. $\text{---}4\text{v}$

WANTED.
A good Cooper, with a family, to work himself and employ others to work for him in making Flour Barrels. None but good workman need apply, but to a good workman constant work and good pay will be guaranteed.
PRETZ, GUTH & CO.
January 2, 1853. $\text{---}4\text{v}$

Remedy for Consumption.
At Bethlehem, Pa., there can be had a certain and effectual remedy for Consumption, and all complaints of a Pulmonary nature. Also medicines which will cure Rheumatism, acute, chronic or inflammatory. Persons afflicted with any of the above complaints, by addressing a line to the undersigned stating their case, or asking information respecting the medicine which promises so much, will be cheerfully answered and the desired information given.
HENRY GANGWEB, Druggist.

Grand Exhibition
—OF—
New Fashionable Fall and Winter GOODS!
AT THE
New Cheap Store
OF
Getz & Gilbert,

These gentlemen, take this method to inform their friends and the public in general that they have received a very large and well selected stock of Fall and Winter Goods, which they are now ready to dispose off to their customers at the lowest prices.

Their Fall and Winter stock has been selected with the utmost care and consists of

Clothes, Cassimers, Satinets, Flannels, Gloves and Hosiery, besides Delaines, Alpaccas, Lusters, Gingham, Plain and Figured Poplins, Muslins and Prints, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Queensware, Hardware, Looking Glasses, Stationary, Books, &c.,

To which they invite the attention of their friends and the public generally, confident that the fullest satisfaction, both in price and quality, will be given to all who may favor them with a call.

The highest prices will be paid in exchange for County produce.

They have reason to be thankful for the favors received thus far and hope by attention to business, disposing of their goods at small profits, good treatment towards their customers to merit still a greater share of custom.
GETZ & GILBERT,
Catauaqua, Sept. 16. $\text{---}6\text{m}$

Groceries Fish & Salt.
The undersigned have just received an entire new Stock of Groceries, Fish and Salt which they intend to sell at the low high count.

Their Store in Catauaqua, Lehigh County, Pa., Sept. 16, 1852. $\text{---}6\text{m}$

COAL! COAL!
The undersigned have opened a Coal Yard in Catauaqua, and will constantly keep on hand all kinds of Coal which they will sell at greatly reduced prices.
GETZ & GILBERT,
September 16, 1852. $\text{---}6\text{m}$

INDEMNITY.
THE FRANKLIN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Philadelphia.
OFFICE, No. 163 CHESNUT STREET near Fifth street.

Directors:
Charles N. Bancker, Geo. W. Richards, Mord. D. Lewis, Tobias Wagner, Adolp. E. Borie, Samuel Grant, David S. Brown, Jacob R. Smith, Morris Patterson,

CONTINUE to make Insurance, permanent and temporary, 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, \$957,513 64
Real Estate, 84,377 84
Temporary Loans, 125,606 73
Stocks, 62,325 50
Cash, &c., 54,569 29
\$1,284,393 94

Since their incorporation, a period of eighteen years, they have paid upwards of one million two hundred thousand dollars, losses by fire, there being evidence of the advantages of insurance, as well as the ability and disposition to meet with promptness, all liabilities.
CHARLES N. BANCKER, President
CHARLES G. BANCKER, Sec'y.
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.
AUGUSTUS L. RUHE, Allentown.
C. F. BLECK, Bethlehem.
Allentown, Oct. 7, 1852. $\text{---}1\text{y}$

GROCERIES!
Who does not know that J. W. Grubb, sells the cheapest and best groceries in town and also that he has just received a fresh supply, which he is selling cheaper than ever, at the Peoples' Store, opposite Hagenbuch's Hotel.
J. W. GRUBB,
December 22. $\text{---}6\text{w}$

WHOLESALE GROCERS.
WATERMAN & OSBOURN,
North West Corner of Second & Mulberry (Arch) Streets,
PHILADELPHIA.

OFFER FOR SALE A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF
TEAS,
COFFEE,
SUGAR,
MOLASSES,
SPICES, &c., &c.
At the Lowest Market rates.

Those commencing New Stores are particularly invited to call.
Attention given to Produce

Eagle Hotel,
No. 139, North Third Street,
BETWEEN RACE AND VINE,
PHILADELPHIA.

DAVID STEM, Proprietor.

This gentleman takes great pleasure to inform his friends and the public in general, that he has taken the above named well-known and deservedly popular

EAGLE HOTEL, situated in the most business part of the city, which he has refitted with entirely new Furniture and Bedding of a superior quality.

The house has also been renovated and improved in a manner, which will compare favorably with the first class Hotels in the city, and cannot fail to give satisfaction to those who may patronize the establishment.

His TABLE will always be supplied with the choicest and most wholesome provisions the market affords, and his BAR, with the purest and best liquors. The stabling belonging to his house, is good and extensive, and will be supplied with the best provender, and attended by careful hostlers.

Nothing in short, shall be left undone to make his Guests comfortable, and he flatters himself that by strict attention to business, he will merit and receive a liberal share of public encouragement.

Philadelphia, December 1, $\text{---}6\text{m}$

Dr. J. P. Barnes,
DENTIST.

Adopts this method to inform his friends and the public in general, that he has made Allentown his permanent residence. He has opened an office at his dwelling, opposite Kohler's American Hotel, Store, where he will be happy to offer his professional services in the science of Dentistry. He will call at private residences, if requested.

His terms are reasonable, and having had much experience in the profession, feels satisfied that he can give general satisfaction.
Allentown, April 24, 1851. $\text{---}1\text{y}$

Register's Account.

JOSHUA STAHLER, Register of the county of Lehigh, in account with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, from December 1, 1851, to January 1, 1853, inclusive.
The accountant stands charged with the following sums:

DR.
Amount of collateral inheritance tax received, 1,423 19
do do do do 4 73
\$1,427 92

CR.
Deduct for prompt payment, 37 52
Commission on \$1,390 40, at 5 per cent, 69 52

Sept. 9, 1852, paid to State Treasurer, 496 37
June 3, 1852, do do 154 94
February 27, 1852, do do 500 57

\$1,267 92
Balance due Commonwealth, 160 00
\$1,427 92

We, the undersigned, auditors of the county of Lehigh and State of Pennsylvania, have examined the account of Joshua Stahler, Esq., Register, as above stated and do certify that the above account is correct. Witness our hands this 5th day of January, 1853.

JONAS HAAS,
HIRAN J. SCHANTZ, } Auditors.
J. FRANKLIN BITTNER,
February 9. $\text{---}4\text{w}$

Phil. Easton and Water Gap RAILROAD COMPANY.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Stockholders of this Company, was held in the city of Philadelphia, on the 10th inst., at their Office, No. 61 South Fourth street, below Walnut.

Isaac S. Waterman, Esq., was called to the chair, and John Ely, Esq., appointed Secretary.

The supplement to the charter of the Company authorizing Municipal subscriptions to its Capital Stock, was accepted by the unanimous vote of the Stockholders present.

As required by law, an election, was then held for a President and twelve Directors to serve during the ensuing year, the following board was unanimously elected:

President—THOMAS S. FERRON.
Directors—Isaac S. Waterman, John Brook, John Welsh, Jr., Chan. W. Churchman, Gillingham Fell, John Jordan, Jr., Isaac R. Davis, Jacob M. Thomas, Chas. Henry Fisher, James Traquair, John G. Jones, John...

The Thriftless Farmer.
We copy the following from the Fort Wayne Times, and regard it as one of the best portraits of a "thriftless farmer" we have ever seen:

The thriftless farmer, then, provides no shelter for his cattle during the inclemency of winter; but permits them to stand, shivering by the side of the fence, or lie in the snow, as best suits them.

He throws their fodder on the ground, or in the mud, and not unfrequently in the highway; by which a large portion of it and all the manure, are wasted.

He grazes his meadows in fall and spring, by which they are gradually exhausted, and finally ruined.

His fences are old and poor—just such as to let his neighbor's cattle break into his fields, and teach his own to be unruly.

He neglects to keep the manure from around the silos of his barn—if he has one—by which they are prematurely rotted, and his barn destroyed.

He tills, or skims over the surface of his land, until it is exhausted; but never thinks it worth while to manure or clover it. For the first, he has no time; and for the last, he "is not able."

He has more stock than he has the means to keep well.

He has a place for nothing, and nothing in its place. He consequently, wants a hoe or a rake a hammer or an auger, but knows not where to find it. He and his household are in search of it, and much time is lost.

He loiters away stormy days and evenings when he should be repairing his utensils, or improving his mind by reading the newspapers.

He spends much time in town, at the corners of the street, or in the "snake holes," complaining of "hard times," and goes home in the evening, "pretty well tore."

He plants a few fruit-trees, and his cattle forthwith destroy them. He "has no luck."

One half of the little he raises, is destroyed by his own, or his neighbors' cattle. He has no shed for his fire wood—consequently his wife is out of humor, and his meals out of season.

His plow, drag, and other implements, lie all winter in the field where last used; and just as he is getting in a great hurry, the next season, his plow breaks, because it was not housed and properly cared for. Somebody's hogs break in, and destroy his garden, because he has not stopped a hole in the fence, that he had been intending to stop, for a week.

He is often in a great hurry, but will stop and talk as long as he can find any one to talk with.

He has, of course, little money; and when he must raise some to pay his taxes, &c., he raises it at a great sacrifice, in some way or other by paying an enormous share, or by selling his scanty crop when prices are low.

He is a year behind, instead of being a year ahead of his business—and always will be.

When he pays a debt, it is at the end of an execution; consequently, his credit is at a low ebb.

He buys entirely on credit; and merchants and all others with whom he deals, charge him twice or thrice the profits they charge prompt paymasters, and are unwilling to sell him goods at that. He has to beg and promise, and promise and beg, to get them on any terms. The merchants dread to see his wife come into their stores, and the poor woman feels depressed and degraded.

The smoke begins to come out of his chimney late of a winter's morning, while his cattle are suffering for their morning's feed.

Manure lies in heaps in his stable; his horse are rough and uncouried; and his harness trod under their feet.

His bars and gates are broken, his buildings unpainted, and the boards and shingles falling off—he has no time to replace them—the glass is out of the windows; and the hole stopped with rags and old hats.

He is a great borrower of his thrifty neighbors' implements, but never returns the borrowed article; and when it is sent for, it can't be found.

His children are late at school—that is, if they go to school—their clothes ragged, their faces unwashed—their heads uncombed, and their books torn and dirty.

He is, in person, a great sloven; and never attends public worship—or, if he does occasionally does so, he comes sneaking in when the service is half over.

If the printer wants a quarter of beef, or a few bushel of oats, corn, or potatoes on his bill, our farmer "has none to spare."

Take him, all in all, he is a poor farmer, poor husband, a poor father, a poor neighbor, a poor citizen, a poor christian, and a poor devil any way you can take him.

FOOTBALES.—Take a paper of tobacco, pour upon it a wine glass of warm water, squeeze out part of the moisture, and after placing the pulp upon a slice of bread, apply it as a plaster to the face. There is