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FOR FARMER AND MECHANIC.

Miscellaneous Selections.

with what purported to be a sermon preach

ed upon the eve of the battle of Brandywine.

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

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

Great Hat, Cap and Fur Store IN ALLENTOWN.

Wm. Keck,

Truly thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to him by his friends and a generous public, requests a continuance of that patronage from them and that they should now call, and examine the most extensive stock of

HATS, CAPS AND FURS, hat has ever been brought to the public, at his established and lately refitted Hat Emporium, No. 14, Wilson's Row, East Hamilton street.

He has just returned from the City of Philadelphia with the new spring style of Hats and Caps of all kinds and varieties.

The people of this neighborhood, have found it expensive to go to the great neigh-boring cities. Hereafter, to think themselves in either of them, will be very cheap. They will merely have to call into the above mentioned Hat store, observe the late improvements, and hear of the uncommonly low price, when at once, their imagination will impress them with the belief that they stand in one of the best and cheapest Hat stores of New York or Philadelphia.

Call, see, examine, judge, inspect, choose price, and buy for yourselves. TO HUNTERS.—Highest cash prices

paid for all kind of furs. Dec. 1, 1852. ¶---3m

Grand - Exhibition New Fashionable Fall and Winter GODS 8 New Cheap Store

Builders, Carpenters, Cabinet Makers and Others.

The subscribers take this method-to-inform the public, that their Planing Mill, Slitting Mill, Sash Machine, Stave Machine, Turning Laths, Circular and Whip Saws, and other machinery are now complete, and in successful operation, and are prepared to

Plane, Plow and Groove,

floor boards, and plane weather and sidecents. Larger advertisements, charged in the boards on either one or both sides, to resaw sameproportion. Those not exceeding tenlines sawed lumber to any size required, from will be charged seventy-five cents, and those six inches to one-fourth of an inch in thickmaking six lines or less, three insertions for 50 ness, to furnish the lumber, and make all kinds and sizes of

Window Sash, Shutters, Blinds,

doors and mouldings; they also have constantly on hand and for sale, all kinds of Bed Posts, Tablelegs, Wagon Hubs, Bent Fillies, Shafts and Spanish Cedar Segar Boxes, and are also prepared to do all kinds of turning, and to saw pine, cherry, walnut, or any other kind of wood to any shape required. and also to cut staves and heading for flour barrels, or any other light casks.

They hope that by strict attention to their support from a generous public.

Apply at their works adjoining Pretz & Weinshimer, formerly Romig's Mill, in Weinsning, East Allentown. BALLIET, SAEGER & Co. ¶-3

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Portable Gas.

GAS has been acknowledged, from the

time of its first introduction, to be the best material for light, its use being attended with no dangeror trouble. But to bring it to the con-sumers by miles of conducting pipes and meters, makes it an article of luxury only attainable by a part of the community in large cities, who reside within the range of the main pipes. And even then, its high price exceeds all other burning material; and the greater purt of the citizens cannot enjoy the benefit of gas light even by paying any price, not to mention the many acci-dents which happen by the use of turpentine and alcohol light. If the great expense of miles of main pipes could be avoided, gas would not cost half the price it now does. Every man would burn it : and it would be promotive of family happiness, as the spirit of education and science has reached almos every house. The wife would enjoy the company of her husband, and he entertained

by a fine story from a book or newspaper : every corner might be occupied by children learning their lessons ; ladies at the piano would not dispense with a gas light, if once used, and all this can be done with one gaslight, at the cost of half a cent an evening. To effect this, gas must be made portable. Experiments have been made to compress

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



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. with the choicest and most wholesome pro-

visions the market affords, and his BAR, with the purest and best liquors. The stabusiness, and low prices, to receive a liberal bling 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

Adopts this method to inform his Adopts this method to inform his friends and the public in general, by that he has made Allentown his permanent residence. He has opened an office at his dwelling, opposite Kolb's American Hotel, a few doors east of Pretz, Guth & Co's. Store, where he will be happy to offer his professional services in the science of Denistry. He will call at private residences. if requested.

B His terms are reasonable, and having had much experience in the professions feels satisfied that he can give general satisfaction.

Allentown, April 24, 1851. ¶—1y New Drv Goods Store

In Philadelphia, No. 253 NORTH 2d, STREET.

Thomas V. 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

A Revolutionary Sermon. New Arrival of Fashionable Goods. Frequently during the last ten or twelve years we have met in the papers of the day.

Pretz, Guth & Co.

Great Bargains!

Have just returned from Philadelphia and New York, with an immense stock, of Winter goods, which they are now unpacking, at their store in Allentown. They have been selected with much care. and in point of cheapness cannot be excelled in this or any other country town, in the State. Their customers and other are invited to call at the Store, and make their choice of Goods, for

attributed to several divines, but as copied the winter campaign. into the Advocate, it appears to have been **Splendid Ladics Dress Goods**, delivered by Rev. Jac. Trout, to a large por-Such as Silks, of all colors and prices, Detion of the American soldiers, in the presence lains, Merinos, Calicoes and Ginghams. The of Gen. Washington, Gen. Wayne and oth-Ladies of Allentown, will find it to their aders, officers of the army. Now this sermon which purports to date vantage, first to call at their Store, before

hey purchase elsewhere. from "the times that tried men's souls," has not the dust of one-fourth of that time Cloths Cassimers and Vestings, they have in abundance, of all colors and qualities, also ordinary Cloths and Satinets, upon it, and is the creation of the very pro-

for every day wear. PRETZ, GUTH & CO. Allentown, Dec. 15, ¶---6w

GROCERIES. Several tons of Groceries such as Molasses, Sugar

Coffee, Spices, Teas, Cheese, &c .- all for sale cheap at the Store of PRETZ, GUTH & CO.

Queensware.

A splendid assortment of Queensware

Carpets Carpets. Just received and for sale a splendid assortment of Stair and Parlor Carpets, at the store of PRETZ, GUTH & COstore of

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STONE COAL.

SALT. SALT.

A large quantity of Ground and fine Salt, for sale by

LOOK HERE!

Washington." Just received, a large supply of Lump, Egg, Stone, Nut and Coal dust, at their Here is the sermon, which, by the way, is an eloquent affair. The wonder is that Wharves, at the Lehigh Basin, and will be its modern origin has not sooner been disdelivered to any part of the town by PRETZ, GUTH & CO. Allentown, Dec. 15, 1852. ¶-6 covered.

note appended."

Preached on the eve of the Battle of Brandywine, (September 10, 1777.) in presence of Washington and his army, at Chadd's Ford.

Text—"They that take the sword, shall perish by the sword."

Soldiers and Countrymen;--We have met this evening perhaps for the last time. We have shared the toil of the March, the Clocks, Watches & Iewelry. peril of the fight, the dismay of the retreat --alike we have endured toil and hunger, paint this all again, in the terrible colors of the contumely of the internal foe, the outrage of the foreign oppressor. We have sat night after night beside the same camp fire shared the same rough soldier's fare; we have together heard the roll of the reveille morrow with light hearts and determined which called us to duty, or the beat of the spirits, though the solemn duty, the duty of tattoo which gave the signal for the hardy avenging the dead, may rest heavy on your sleep of the soldier, with the earth for his bed, the knapsack for his pillow. And now, soldiers and brethern, we have met in the peaceful valley, on the eve of battle, while the sunlight is dying away beyond mprovements, he adopts younder heights, the sunlight that to-morrow morn will glimmer on scenes of blood. We have met, amid the whitening tents of our for you-he rides on the battle-cloud, he encampment -- in times of terror and of sweeps onward with the march of the hurloom have we gathered together-God grant | ricane charge.-The Awful and the Infinite t may not be for the last time. It is a solemn time. Brethren, does not the awful voice of nature, seem to echo the sympathies of this hour? The flag of our country droops heavily from younder staffthe breeze has died away along the plain of Chadd's Ford-the plain that spreads before us glistening in sunlight-the heights of the Brandywine arise gloomy and grand beyond the waters of younder stream, and all nature holds a pause of solemn silence, on the eve of the bloodshed and the strife of the morrow. "They that take the sword, shall perish by the sword." And have they not taken the sword? Let the desolated plain, the blood-sodden ed valley, the burned farm house, the sacked village, and the ravaged town, answerlet the whitening bones of the butchered farmer, strewn along the fields of his homestead, answer-let the starving mother, with the babe clinging to her withered breast, that can afford no sustenance; let her answer, with the death-rattle mingling with the murmuring tones that mark the last struggle for life-let the dying mother and her habe answer! It was but a day past, and our land slept in the light of peace. War was not here -wrong was not here. Fraud, and woe, and misery, and want, dwelt not among us From the cternal solitude of the green woods, arose the blue smoke of the settler's cabin, and golden fields of corn peered forth from amid the waste of the wilderness and the glad music of human voices awoke the silence of the forest.

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sanctity of the name of God, invoking the Redeemer to their aid, do these foreign hirsings slay our people ! They throng our owns, they darken our plains, and now they encompass our posts on the lonely plain of Chadd's Ford.

"They that take the sword, shall perish by the sword."

The last place we have met with this "in-teresting document," which "was recently found among the papers of Major John Shef-meyer," of Pennsylvania, "a deseased pat-riot of the revolution was in the Nashville Brethren, think me not unworthy of beef when I tell you that the doom of the British is near ! - Think me not vain, when tell you that beyond that cloud that now enshrouds us, I see gathering, thick and fast, the darker cloud, and the blacker storm, of a Divine Retribution 1 They may con-quer us to-morrow 1 Might and wrong may prevail, and we may be driven from his field —but the hour of God's own yeng cance will as appears by the credit, from the Delaware come !

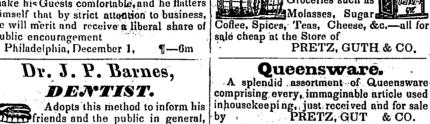
Aye, if in the vast solitudes of eternal space-if in the heart of the boundless universe, there throbs the being of an awful God, quick to revenge and sure to punish guilt, then will the man George of Brunswick, called King, feel in his brain and in his heart, the vengeance of the Eternal Je-hovah ! A blight will be upon his life-a lific brain of George Lippard, who obtained some notoriety by his "Legends of the Rev-olution, "as published in the Saturday Conrwithered brain, an accursed intellect-a people. Great God ! how dread the pun-ishment ! ier some years since. These legends, which appear to have been previously delivered in

the form of lectures, have been published in A crowded populace, peopleing the dense book form, and in the legend of the battle towns where the man of money thrives,. of Brandywine, we find incorporated this self-same "revolutionary sermon," with this while the laborer starves; want striding among the people in all its forms of terror an ignorant and God-defying priesthood "This sermon was published (before it chuckling over the miseries of millions; a was incorporated with the lectures.) with ficproud and merciless nobility, adding wrong, to wrong, and heaping insult upon robbery and fraud ; royalty corrupt to the very heart titous names attached, etc. There is no doubt that a sermon was delivered on the eve of the Battle of Brandywine, and I have subaristocracy rotten to the core: crime and want linked hand in hand, and tempting men stantial evidence to prove that the preacher was none other than Hugh Henry Breckto deeds of woe and death ; these are a part enbridge, a distinguished Divine, who after-wards wrote "Modern Chivalry," an emiof the doom and retribution that shall come

upon the English throne and people. Soldiers—I look around among your fam-iliar faces with a strange interest! To-mornently popular production, and filled various official positions with honor to himself and row morning we will all go forth to battle -for need I tell you, that your unworthy his country. The sermon is, I trust, not altogether unworthy of that chivalric band who forsaking their homes and churches, minister will go with you invoking God's found a home and church in the camp of aid in the fight? We will march forth to battle. Need I exhort you to fight the good fight—to fight for your homesteads, and for your wives and children?

Walton-I might tell your father, butchered in the silence of midnight, on the plains of Trenton; I might picture his gray hairs, dabbled in blood; I might ring his death shriek in your ears.

Shelmire, I might tell you of a mother outchered, and a sister outraged—the lonely farm house, the night, assault, the roof in flames. the shouts of the troopers as they dispatched their victims, the cries for mercy paint this all again, in the terrible colors of vived reality, if I thought your courage need ed such wild excitement. But I know you are strong in might of souls And in the hour of battle, when all around is darkness, lit by the lurid cannon-glare and the piercing musquet-flash, when the wounded strew the ground, and the dead litter your path, then remember, soldiers, that God is with you. The Eternal God fights fights for you and you will triumph. "They that take the sword, shall perish by the sword." You have taken the sword, but not in the spirit of wrong and ravage. You have ta-ken the sword for your homes, for your wives, for your little ones,-You have taken the sword for truth, for justice and right ; and to you the promise is, be of good cheer, for your foes have taken the sword, in defiance of all that man holds dear-in blasphemy of God-they that shall perish by the sword. And now, brethren and soldiers, I bid you all farewell. Many of us may fall in the fight of to-morrow-God rest the souls of the fallen-many of us may live to tell the story of the fight of to-morrow, and in the memory of all, will ever rest and linger the quiet scence of this autumnal night. Solemn twilight advances over the valley the woods on the opposite heights fling their long shadow over the green of the meadows; around us are the tents of the Continental host, the half-suppressed bustle of the camp, the hurried tramp of the soldiers to and fro: now the confusion, and now the atillness which mark the eve of battle. When we meet again, may the long shadows of twilight be flung over a peaceful land. God in heaven grant it. Let us pray.



OF Getz & Gilbert,

These gentlemen, take this method to in form their friends and the public in general that they have received a very large and well selected stock of Full 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, Satincts, Flannels, Gloves and Hoseiry, besides Delaines, Alapaccas, Lusters, Ginghams, 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 material can be furnished. All who take friends and the public generally, confident an interest in the subject, or would like to 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 customers. <u>GETZ & GILBERT.</u> Catasauqua, Sept. 16. ¶—6m

Groceries Fish & Salt.

The undersigned have just received an entire new Stock of Groceries, Fish and Salt which they intend to sell at the lowest prices at their Store in Catasnuqua, Lehigh county. GETZ & GILBERT. Sept. 16, 1952. ¶—6m

COAL! COAL!

The undersigned have opened a Coal Yard in Catasauqua, and will constantly keep on hand all kinds of Coal which they will sell at greatly reduced prices. GETZ & GILBERT.

September 16, 1852. ¶-6m

Ready-made Clothing. The undersigned keep all kinds of Ready made Clothing, on hand, and will make to order, at the lowest possible prices. GETZ & GILBERT.

September 16, 1858, ¶-6m | March 16.

found impossible to regulate the pressure, and was very dangerous on account of the liability to explosion But by a far sater and more simple apparatus in every consumer's celler-a tub with water, a tin or sheet iron kettle, 10 or 15 fect of pipe, and a burner in the lower story put up in a proper man-ner—every man can light up two rooms

and in the same manner the whole house may be lighted from the celler. The gaswagon stops at the front door, the manufacturer runs an India-rubber pipe through the cellar-hole or door, attaches it, and fills the apparatus without any trouble or notice to the consumer

In this manner, a small capital invested will enable almost any community, village, or town to erect a concern to supply gas at a price lower than any other burning

have gas works erected in this manner, will please address

W. F. DANOWSKY M. D. March 9, 1853. ¶---3m

Water Company.

All persons using the water of the Com-pany for family or other purposes, will please take notice, that the time to renew their permits is the first of April next, and it is expected that they will call upon the undersigned Treasurer and renew them, as a number of permits have been chang-Those persons who have not settled ed. for their perinits from the 1st to the 10th of April, must not complain if the water is stopped from them after that time. The board reserves the right where the

Water is 'used by joint Hydrants ; if not paid by all joined, to stop it if they see proper as they consider such arrangements sole ly advantageous to those who connect in using water, consequently cannot interfere with arrangements of this kind.

Notice is also given to persons who with to use Hydrant Water, for building purp ses that they must take out their perm before they commence building and if th rule is not strictly observed, the change w be double for the Water.

To put up Hydrants it requires first a permit from the Treasurer. CHARLES ECKERT, Treasarer.

Street, formerly occupied by Simon R. Snyt from 13 to 1 part in volume, but it was der, opposite the Black Horse Tavern, Phil adelphia. 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 Cassemers, and a large Stock of other

Goods for Gentlemen's wear.

He also invites his Lady customers when hey visit the city to give him a call and examine his beautiful stock of Silks, Delains, Berage Delains, &c., in short he keeps a full assortment of every kind of goods belonging to the retail Dry Good business. He trusts that by strick 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. ¶-3m

Straw Goods-Spring 1853. THE Subscriber is now prepared to exhibit to Merchants and Milliners his usual heavy stock of Ladies' and Misses' STRAW AND SILK BONNETS.

STRAW TRIMMINGS and ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS; Palm-leaf, Panama and every Variety of

SUMMER HATS. for Gentlemen ; which for extent, variety

and beauty of manufacture, as well as uniformly close prices will be found unrivaled. THOMAS WHITE,

No. 41, SOUTH SECOND STREET, Philadelphia? ¶-3m-\$3

February 9, 1853.

WIIDLESALE GEDEERS. WATERMAN & OSBOURN,

North West Corner of Second & Mulberry (Arch) Streets, PHILADELPHIA

ish	OFFER FOR SALE A LARGE	ASSORTMENT OF
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ticularly invited to call.

Attention given to Produce.

1-4w | Philad. Jan. 26, 1853. ¶----8m--2i Come All and Judge for Yourselves!

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

PRETZ, GUTH & CO.

JEWELRY, ompare with his other

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 Ear and Finger Rings, Breast Pins, of every immaginable pat-tern, gold, silver, steel and brass Watch Chains, Seals and Keys, silver Tea and Teble Spoons, gold, silver and steel Spectacles, for all ages, Spyglasses 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 . manufactory 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.

Be 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." Thankful 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 15. ¶---3m

JOB PRINTING. eatly executed at the "Register" Office.

Now ! God of mercy, behold the change!

There is nothing purer than honesty; nothing sweeter than charity ; nothing brighter than virtue ; nothing warmer than love ; and nothing more steadfast than faith. These united in one mind, from the pureat,

the sweetest, the richest, and brightest, the Under the shadow of a pretext-under the holiest; and the most steadfast happiness.

