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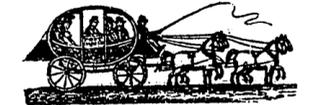
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Notice to Travelers!



DAILY LINE Between ALLENTOWN AND POTTSWOWN.

The traveling public are hereby respect-
fully informed, that from to day, June 1st,
1853, a daily line of stages will commence
running between Allentown and Pottstown,
and in connection with the Reading Railroad
convey passengers to Philadelphia. The
Stages will leave J. Y. Bechtel's, American
Hotel, Allentown, every morning (Sundays
excepted) at 2 o'clock A. M. and the pas-
sengers will arrive in Philadelphia at half
past 11 o'clock A. M., and in time to take
the Western Railroad train for Pittsburgh.
They will arrive in Pottstown in time to take
the morning up-train to Reading and Pot-
sville, and arrive at the former place at 10,
and at the latter, at 12 o'clock P. M.

The undersigned will spare neither time,
expense or trouble to make this line one of
the best to travel to either of the above
named places. He has engaged sober and
careful drivers, fast horses and good coach-
es, and being that the route passes through
a delightful country, many will choose to
travel in it on this account.

CHARLES SEAGREAVES.

Allentown, June 1. ¶—3m

Catasauqua Marble Yard, Opposite Laubach's Hotel.

Joseph Laubach,
Adopts this method to inform his friends
and the public in general, that he has lately
purchased the stock, fixtures, tools &c., of
Mr. Leopold Pick, and hereafter continues
the business in his own name, at the "Old
Stand" directly opposite the Tavern House,
in the Borough of Catasauqua, Hanover
township, Lehigh county, where he will be
prepared to furnish

**Monuments, Italian Tombs, Head
Stones of all description, Plat-
forms, Sills, Table Tops,
&c., &c., &c.**

together with every other article in his line,
of superior quality, and on as reasonable
terms as any other establishment in the
country.

He keeps the best and most experienced
workmen, and his prices will be such as
will satisfy those who may favor him with
their custom.

JOSEPH LAUBACH.

Catasauqua, June 29. ¶—3m

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In the Orphans Court of Le-
high County.

In the matter of the Account
of Robert Wenz and Henry
Bachman, Administrators of the Account of
Reuben Grafty, dec'd.

And now May 9, 1853, on motion of Mr.
Bridges the court appoint John F. Ruhe,
Auditor, to audit and settle the same ac-
count and make distribution according to
law, and make report to the next stated Or-
phans Court including all the evidence which
may be submitted before him.

From the Records.

TESTE—N. METZGER, Clerk.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance
of the above order of Court, the undersigned
auditor above named will attend to the duties
of his appointment on Tuesday the 9th day
of August next, at his office in the Borough
of Allentown, at 10 o'clock, in the forenoon,
when and where all parties interested may
attend if they think proper.

J. F. RUHE, Auditor. ¶—4w

New Supply of Coal!

Farmers & Limeburners LOOK HERE.

The undersigned have just received, and
constantly keep on hand, a large supply of
all kinds of Coal, suitable for Farmers and
Limeburners, and the coal consuming pub-
lic in general, which they will dispose of at
the following reduced prices:

| | | |
|------------------------|----|--------|
| Chestnut Coal | at | \$2 25 |
| Extra Nut Coal, | | \$2 37 |
| Egg, Stone and Lump at | | \$3 37 |

EDLMEIN, HANSE & Co.
April 20, 1853. ¶—6w

Indemnity against Loss by FIRE.

THE FRANKLIN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Philadelphia.

OFFICE, No. 163 CHESNUT STREET
Near Fifth Street.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS, \$1,315,534,
January 1st, 1853.

Published agreeably to an Act OF ASSEMBLY, BEING

First Mortgages, amply secured, \$1,021,366 63
Real Estate (present value \$110,000) cost, 82,447 63
Temporary Loans, on ample Colla-
teral Securities, 96,487 68
Stocks (present value \$76,191) cost, 82,945 51
Cash, &c., &c., 51,315,534 00

PERPETUAL OR LIMITED INSURANCES made
on every description of property, in
TOWN AND COUNTRY,
at rates as low as are consistent with security.

Since their incorporation, a period of
twenty-four years, they have paid over three
millions dollars Loss by Fire, thereby af-
forded evidence of the advantage of Insur-
ance, as the ability and disposition to meet
with promptness all liabilities.

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Geo. W. Richards, Isaac Lea,

CHARLES N. BANCKER, President.
CHARLES G. BANCKER, Secretary.

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 low-
est rates.

A. L. RUHE, Allentown.

C. F. BLECH, Bethlehem. ¶—1y

Allentown, Oct. 1852. ¶—1y

Sanders' School Books.

The subscribers who are largely engaged
in the publication of School and other Books,
have lately made arrangements for the Pub-
lication of one of the best Series of School
Books,—being seven in number,—ever pub-
lished in this state. They are calculated
for the gradual progression of the pupil in
the ordinary branches of popular education.
The illustrations are admirably adapted and
cannot fail to fix the mind upon sound moral
principles which is ever the foundation of a
good education.

On the whole they believe Sanders' series
of School Books by far the most complete,
that has ever been published and would
respectfully recommend them for adoption
in all the free schools in the State.

SOWER & BARNES,

No. 84, North 3rd Street, Philadelphia.

June 20. ¶—3m

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In the Orphans Court of Lehigh
County.

In the matter of the second and
final Account of Jacob Correll,
acting Administrator of the Account of Peter
Kortz, dec'd.

And now May 9, 1853, the court on mo-
tion of Mr. Bridges appoint John D. Lawall,
Lewis Schmidt and Augustus L. Ruhe, Au-
ditors, to audit and settle the same account
and make distribution according to law, and
make report to the next stated Orphans Court
including all the evidence which may be
submitted before them.

From the Records.

TESTE—N. METZGER, Clerk.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance
of the above order of Court, the undersigned
Auditors above named, will meet for
the purpose of their appointment, at the
house of John Y. Bechtel, in the Borough of
Allentown, on Thursday the 4th day of Au-
gust next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon,
when and where all parties interested may
attend if they think proper.

JOHN D. LAWALL,
LEWIS SCHMIDT,
A. L. RUHE. ¶—4w

July 13, 1853.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In the Orphans Court of Lehigh
County.

In the matter of the Account of
Jonas Haas, Administrator de
bono non, of Conrad Dower, dec'd.

May 3, 1853, the court appoint Peter
Snyder, Esq., an Auditor to audit and re-
settle the account and make report thereof to
the next stated orphans Court, including all
the evidence which may be submitted before
him.

From the Records.

TESTE—N. METZGER, Clerk.

The above named, auditor will meet for
the purpose of his appointment, at the house
of Samuel Camp, in Lynn township, on the
26th day of August next, at 1 o'clock in the
afternoon, where all persons interested can
attend if they think proper.

July 27. ¶—5w

Valuable Town Property At Public Sale.

Will be sold at public sale, on Saturday
the 13th day of August next, at 1 o'clock
in the afternoon, on the premises,

A Valuable Lot of Ground,

situate on the west side of Allen (now 7th)
Street, near the market square, adjoining
lot of Charles Seeger, on the south, and lot
of Widow Schafer, on the north, and front-
ing on Allen Street, containing in front
60 feet, and in depth 230 feet.

Frame House,

with Kitchen attached, Piazza,
Cistern, Hydrant, and other ne-
cessary outbuildings. It is one of the pret-
tiest lots for a private residence in the Bor-
ough, being near the Public square and in
the business range of the town.

The lot besides having an excellent gar-
den, is planted with all kinds of fruit and
all in a bearing condition. Persons wishing
to purchase good property in town, will do
well to examine this, as it is not often that
property of this description is offered.

The conditions will be made known on
the day of sale and due attendance given by
PAUL KNAUSS,
Trustee of the Reformed Church.

July 20. ¶—3w

Four Teachers Wanted.

Two male and two female teachers are
wanted in the Allentown school district to
fill vacancies. Applications will be received
until August 15th, 1853, on which day an
examination will take place. Schools to
commence on the 1st of September and con-
tinue for 7 months.

JONATHAN REICHERD, President.

Allentown, July 27. ¶—3w

Navigation Opened.

The Lehigh Transportation Comp.

GIVE NOTICE that they are now prepared
to receive merchandise and forward it with
promptness and dispatch from Philadelphia
to Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch
Chunk, Penn Haven, White Haven, and
Wilkesbarre, and also to all intermediate
places on the Delaware and Lehigh Canals
and Lehigh and Susquehanna Railroad.

The proprietors would inform their friends
and customers that they have added several
new Boats to their line, which will greatly
facilitate their business. They still continue
to do business at the old stand, first wharf
above Vine street, directly opposite the Salt
Store of H. & J. Wright. They also for-
ward goods to and from New York to
Wilkesbarre, also to all intermediate places
via Delaware and Raritan Canal and Dela-
ware and Lehigh Canal.

Goods shipped by this line will go by A. S.
Neilson's line of vessels to New Brun-
swick which will be found at the Albany
Basin, foot of Cedar Street, North River.

Any information required can be had of
Reynolds & Clark, No. 100 West Street, or
at Neilson's Agent office, 88 West Street.
The Company have large Store Houses at
Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch
Chunk, White Haven and Wilkesbarre.

DRAKE, WILSON & Co., Proprietors.

AGENTS.

Aug. J. Ritz, Allentown.

H. S. Moorehead, Philadelphia.

John Opdycke, Easton.

Borbeck & Knoss, Bethlehem.

A. W. Leisenring, Mauch Chunk.

Horton & Bolles, Wilkesbarre. ¶—3m

Allentown, May 5, 1853.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In the Orphans Court of Lehigh
County.

In the matter of the Account
of Jonas Mertz, Administrator of
the Account of Jonathan Weyand, dec'd.

And now May 3, 1853, the court appoint
Nathan Miller, an Auditor to examine and
resettle the same account and make distri-
bution according to law, and make report
to the next stated Orphans Court, including
all the evidence which may be submitted
before him.

From the Records.

TESTE—N. METZGER, Clerk.

The above named Auditor will meet for
the purpose of his appointment, on Saturday
the 6th of August next, at 10 o'clock in the
forenoon, at the house of Peter Roth, in
South Whitehall, where all those interested
can attend if they see proper.

July 13, 1853. ¶—4w

Milch Cow Lost.

Strayed away from the sub-
scriber, residing in the Borough
of Catasauqua, Lehigh county,
a Black Milch Cow, interspersed with white
hair; on one of her horns she has a brass
knob. Should any person know of her
whereabouts, and inform the owner of it, he
shall be fully satisfied for his trouble.

WILLIAM CRAMPSEY.

Catasauqua, July 27. ¶—3w

Poetical Department.

Be Off With You Now.

Be off with you now—don't I know
That it's only enjoying you are;
With "checks like the rose's soft glow,
And glances more bright than the star!"
'Tis true that my waist is but small,
And my ringlets may curl like the vine:
But I'm not like an angel at all!
Nor am I the least bit divine!

So he off with you now—don't I see

Your deluding from eve until dawn?
My step may be bounding and free,
But I am not in the least like a fawn!
But 'twas ever the method, we know,
Since Adam in Eden began—
The bosoms were sure to be snow,
And necks of course like the swan!

Come be off with you now, until you learn

To woo like a plain hearted youth;
Let your mind, if you love me discern,
To win, you must woo me with truth!
I would rather—instead of these flowers,
In which you are ever so rife—
That you promised to love me all hours,
As long as each other had life!

I Wait For Thee.

The heart is swept—the fire is bright,
The kettle sings for tea;
The cloth is spread—the lamps are light,
The hot cakes smoke in napkins white,
And now I wait for thee.

Come come, love, home, thy task is done;

The clock ticks listlessly,
The blinds are shut—the curtain down,
The warm chair to the fireside drawn.
The boy is on my knee.

Come home, love, home, his deeply fond eye

Looks round him wistfully,
And when the whispering winds go by,
As if thy welcome step was nigh,
He grows exultingly.

In vain—he finds the welcome vain,

And turns his glance on mine,
So earnestly, that yet again
His form unto my heart I strain,
That glance is so like thine.

Thy task is done, we miss thee here.

Where'er thy footsteps roam,
No heart will spread such kindly cheer,
No beating heart, no listening ear,
Like those who wait thee home.

Ah, long the crisp walk fast

The well known step doth come;
The bolt is drawn, the gate is past,
The babe is wild with joy at last,
A thousand welcomes home.

Game of Brag.

"Talk about your darned fast lines," said
a Yankee to a cockney, who was so im-
pudent, in the natural way of his countrymen
to commence bragging on English railroads,
while the couple were progressing at the
rate of forty miles an hour, on the Bir-
mingham railway. "Why, mister, this road is
purity considerable for England, but it won't
do for 'Meriky. We ride astraddle of tele-
graphs there, when we are in a hurry, but
when we ain't we take the railroad. I was
coming from Philadelphia to New York,
when I sez to a feller settin by me, 'who on
earth owns that big garden with white pal-
ins around it?'"

'I don't see no white palins,' sez he.

'I don't see nothing else,' sez I, 'and a
mighty tall fence it is too.'

'The feller burst out a laffin—'why, you
darned fool,' sez he, 'them's the telegraph
poles.' And sure enough, when the engine
feller stopped, I saw them posts one
hundred feet apart, and we had been goin so
all-fired fast, they looked like white palins.'

At this moment the bell rang at a signal
station, before the cockney had fully recov-
ered from Jonathan's last dose.

'What's that bell ringing for?' inquired
the Yankee of his English friend.

'We are approaching D—'

'Well, them kind of bell fixings does for
these ere slow cars, but we can't use them
ere contrivances in 'Meriky.'

'Ah! why not?'"

'Travel too fast—'atch, bent round all to
smash. We would be smack through a vil-
lage before the sound of a first clapper was
in the neighborhood.'

'My heyes! is it possible?' exclaimed the
astonished cockney.

'Patch again, by thunder! Why, I was
in the York cars when the steam whistles
were first tried. May be you have heern
of the terrible accident?'"

'No.'

'Well, sir, we were going it strong.
Hurricanes were no whar—all natur seem-
ed shakin to pieces, when several miles of
something was seen on the track. The
whistle was let loose, and she did scream
awfully, but it was no manner of use, for
after tumbling over a span of smart horses,
and a market wagon, I was just rising from

Man Retired from Business.

Almost every man sets out in life with
the determination, when a certain sum has
been accumulated, to retire from the cares
of business, and enjoy the balance of his
days comfortably. Visions of sunny farms
and rural retreats are ever before him; but,
unfortunately, few men have the courage,
when the required sum has been obtained,
to be contented and retire. In the course
of years, new tastes have been acquired, and
new wants added to the humble catalogue
with which he commenced life. The rural
retreat has become a suburban residence,
with coach houses, stables, &c., and a few
thousands more have become necessary.—
So, he goes toiling on, his ambition widen-
ing and extending as he pushes and urges
his way on to competence and fortune.—
During all this time he forgets that he is
growing older—that his capacity for enjoy-
ment is getting more contracted every day—
that his tastes and habits are becoming con-
firmed in business life, so that when he does
muster up the firmness to yield his place in
the business world to younger men, he is
about as unhappy a mortal as one could
meet on a summer's day.

How to Choose a "BETTY."

Keeping is not so full of sunshine and rose-
colored bliss as many imagine. It is hardly
possible to get along without pot-wallopers
and chamber-maids, and what with their
waste, wages, wittels, and sass—says Aunt
Sally—there are plaguy drawbacks on do-
mestic peace and comfort. Old Pepper-
grass was the "customer" for discriminating
between the useful and the careless. Pep-
pergrass sent word to the intelligence office
that he wanted a good girl for general house-
work. About the time he expected an ap-
plicant he laid a broom down in the yard
near the gate. Presently a girl comes to
the gate, opens it, and strolls up to the
house; the broom being immediately in the
path, Miss Betsey strides over it, the old
man was on the watch, and the first salute
the girl got was:

"I don't want you!"

"The girl sloped, and suddenly another
bullet-headed Nancy appears: seeing the
old broom in the way, she gives it a kick,
and vaddles up to the house.

"You won't suit me, that's certain, Miss
Mopsy!" bawls Peppergrass.

She disappeared in a hurry, and finally
a third appears, opened the gate, and com-
ing into the yard, she carefully closes the
gate behind her, and walks up—the broom
is still in the path, she picks it up and car-
ries it along to the house, where she depos-
its it alongside the wood-shed. Before the
girl could explain her business there, Pep-
pergrass bawls out—

"Yes, yes, come in, you'll suit me!"

And she did, for that girl lived with Pep-
pergrass seven years, and only quit living
with him to go to housekeeping on her own
hook and a capital wife she made. Pep-
pergrass was right.—Yankee Blade.

Miscellaneous Selections.

Experiments with Rattlesnakes.

A paper was lately read before the Bos-
ton Society of Natural History, from Dr. W.
J. Burnett, on the character of the rattles-
nake. The doctor had been experimenting
on two or three specimens of this animal,
and announces the discovery of numerous
embryo poison fangs in the jaws of the snake
immediately behind the outward fangs.

The use of these hidden weapons of de-
struction appears to be to supply the place
of the biting fangs of the serpent when they
get broke off or worn out in service. It also
appears that the long fangs (two in number)
which are used in inflicting the bite of the
rattlesnake, are naturally shed every few
years, when they are not injured by acci-
dent or wear, and the reserve fangs are suf-
ficiently numerous to meet the worst emer-
gencies. From minute microscopic exami-
nation of the structure of these teeth, Dr. B.
concludes that there are two canals in each