Special Message on Kansas Affairs.

On the 24th ult., President Pierce sent to Congress a special Message in reference to the affairs in Kansas. After some debate the Message was read in the House as well as the Senate. The substance of the document, as summed up by a Washington letter-writer, is as follows:

I. It eulogises the Kansas-Nebraska law.

II. Assails Gov. Reeder as guilty of malconduct.

III. Abuses the people of the Free States who favored Anti-slavery emigration to Kansas.

IV. Admits the "irregularities" committed by the border ruffians in the election of Kansas, but tries to cloak them by asserting that they were approved by Gov. Reeder.

V. Insists that the transfer of the seat of Government by the Legislature in defiance of Gov. Reeder's veto, does not invalidate the acts of said Legislature.

VI. Recognizes the election of Whitefield as Delegate, and ignores that of Reeder.

VII. Denounces the Free State movement in Kansas as rebellion, and goes for dealing with the actors therein as traitors.

VIII. Promises to put down the Free State organization by arms if necessary.

IX. Assails those who circulate through the States accounts of the Border Ruffian outrages in Kansas.

X. Proposes an act looking to an early organization of a State Government in Kansas.

In conclusion the President says, that if the inhabitants of Kanzas shall desire a State formation, and be of sufficient numbers, the proper course would be a convention of delegates to prepare a constitution, and recommends the enactment of a law to that effect in order for its admission into the Union in a lawful and proper manner, and that a special appropriation be made to defray any expenses which may become requisite in the execution of the laws or in maintaining public order in that Territory.

Governor Reeder in Reply to the President.

Ex-Governor Reeder, of Kansas, has published the following letter in relation to the recent message of the President on the Kansas troubles:

SIR: The Special Message of the President of the United States, communicated yesterday to Congress, assails not only myself personally, but also my constituents, whom inclination as well as duty imperiously demands of me to justify and protect. Entirely satisfied as I am with the course adopted, up to this time, by the people of Kansas—convinced that it has been dictated by a desire to preserve the peace, the reputation, and the glory of our country—knowing that it has, at every stage, been characterized by the most conservative moderation and laudable regard for the right of others—having seen at every step the plainest manifestation of the anxious desire to avoid even the semblance of encroachment, or aggression, I should be false to every manly impulse and every sense of duty, if I allowed the aspertions of the Message to pass unnoticed.

Unless the Message shall incite and stimulate new invasions of our territory and fresh outrages on our citizens, it will produce to us no regret, as it has caused no surprise. After having seen our people trampled on, oppressed and robbed, on the one hand by the invaders of their soil, and on the other by the influence, the authority, and the officers of the present Administration; after having witnessed the cold-blooded murder of an unarmed and unoffending citizen by an officer of the Administration, who is not only unmolested by the laws and unrebuked by the President who appointed him, but who has, perhaps, strengthened his official tenant and enhanced his chances of promotion by the act; it is not at all surprising that we should, by the head of that Administration, be misrepresented and perverted. After having seen the Chief Magistrate, during five organized invasions of our territory, unmoved by a single sympathy in favor of an unoffending people, innocent of all wrong, and laboring only to carry out faithfully for themselves the doctrine of self-government, and to build up and extend the greatness of our country—after having seen our invaders coming upon us armed (without reproof if not with official permission) from the contents of the Arsenals of the United States, establishing a system of martial law over life and property, regulated only by the uncontrolled will of vindictive and irresponsible men—a system under which life was taken and property destroyed; the highways obstructed; travellers seized, searched and detained; all the pursuits of life paralyzed, and the destruction and extermination of whole settlements threatened and evidently intended—backed up by the sanction and authority of the Federal officers, who pledge publicly the co-operation of the President, and all based upon the fact that a man encouraged, perhaps aided, by his friends, had made his escape from an arrest on a constable's peace warrant. After having thus seen our natural and legal protectors joining in the most atrocious measures of oppression and wrong, it is no matter of surprise to see misrepresentation of our position and our objects emanating from the same source.

This is not the mode nor the time in which to discuss the themes of this Message. Expecting, as I have a right to expect from the clearness of the exclusive title I am prepared to show, that I shall enjoy a seat and a voice on the floor of the House, I am willing patiently "to bide my time." At the proper time and place, however, I pledge myself to meet and expose the misstatements of facts and the errors of law and logic which it contains. I will show that there is nothing but cold cruelty and insult in the request of an appropriation to pay an army or a posse to prevent the people of Kansas from the commission of outrage and treason. I will show that the movement for a State Government is misstated as to the facts of its origin and progress, and that all we have done in this direction has been under the sanction of the precepts and examples of all the great men of the country for the last fifty years—of the legislation of Congress and the action of the Executive in repeated and well-considered cases, and of a deliberate opinion of a high and distinguished Attorney-General of the United States, and which, as it is a part of the archives of the Executive Department, it is to be regretted the President did not consult before the delivery of the Message. If it is illegality and incipient treason for a new State to be formed without an enabling Act of Congress, I will show that fourteen Senators of the United States hold their seats, and seven States stand in this Union by virtue of illegal and treasonable proceedings—that Congress has sanctioned revolution, illegality and treason, again and again; and that the rank and noxious weed has even flourished in the White House and the Executive Department; and, having vindicated my people, I will also, with the utmost confidence of success, proceed to the minor and secondary task of vindicating myself in such a manner, I trust, as to show the attack to have been ill-advised and unfortunate.

As to the discussion in the Message of the points involved in the contested seat, I shall meet them when the case is heard; and as the House is the sole constitutional judge of the qualifications of its own members, I trust that the minds of members may be kept open and unprejudiced until they shall hear the law and the facts of the case, and that whether the discussion by the Executive of some of the points involved has been made because they were incidental to another subject, or aimed and intended to prejudge my claim, I hope in either case that both sides may be heard before a decision.

This hasty note has swelled to an unpremeditated length. Its object is only to solicit from the House and the public a suspension of judgment as to the position and action of our people—as to my right to a seat, and as to the charges against me in the Message, until I can be heard. Very respectfully, yours,

Washington, Jan. 25, 1855. A. H. REEDER.

AN IOWA HUNTER.—Ex-Sheriff Yates, of Kane county, Iowa, recently took a five days' hunt on horseback, with a single rifle, and returned with fifteen elk and nine deer, weighing over 6,000 pounds.

Legislative Proceedings.

SENATE.

On the 29th inst., Mr. Laubach presented several petitions signed by two hundred and twenty-four citizens of Lehigh county, for the repeal of the Liquor Law.

On the 30th, Mr. Laubach read a bill in place to incorporate the Catasauqua Gas Company.

On the 31st, Mr. Ely presented a petition from citizens of Bucks county, for the repeal of the liquor law, and a remonstrance against the repeal of said law.

Mr. Ingram, (of Judiciary com.) as committed, House bill No. 121, relative to the appointment of an Auctioneer in Allentown, Lehigh county.

Mr. Browne, (of com. on Corporation) with amendments, the bill to incorporate the Catasauqua Gas Company.

Mr. Laubach called up Senate bill No. 80, relative to the Catasauqua and Fogelsville Railroad company.

Mr. Laubach and Mr. Walton explained the provisions of the bill; when it passed finally.

HOUSE.

On the 29th the following bills, on the Private Calender, passed first, second and final reading:

"An Act to incorporate the Hanover and South Whitehall bridge Company."

"An Act relative to the appointment of an Auctioneer in the borough of Allentown, in the county of Lehigh."

On the 31st Mr. Innis, (of com. on Railroads,) a bill relative to the Catasauqua and Fogelsville Railroad Company.

Mr. Hipple, (of com. on Railroads,) a further supplement to the charter of the Allentown Railroad Company.

A CASE OF FASTING.—*Two Pet Lambs in an Ice House One Month Without Food!*—Some two months since, William Harris, Sen., of the White Bear tavern, Addisville, Northampton Tp., missed two pet lambs that his family were raising, and which were allowed the privilege of the premises. Search was made over the whole farm, and much inquiry was made of the neighbors and others in the vicinity respecting them, but no traces of their whereabouts could be obtained. It was at length believed that they had been stolen and the prospect of ever finding them was entirely abandoned. Some time within a week or two Mr. Harris thought it was about time to get ready to fill his ice house, and sent a man or two down into it to clean it out and put it in order for the receival of the winter crop. On entering it they found the pet lambs therein, in a weak and emaciated condition, having been there over one month, with nothing but a pumpkin, which had fallen in accidentally from a wagon house above, and was partly consumed. They were then restored to light and liberty, and have pretty much recovered from the effects of their confinement. It is supposed that they had fallen through a trap door in the floor of the wagon house, which is about the ice house.—*Doylestown Democrat.*

A WINDFALL.—A young man, named HARRY GREY, who is now engaged as watchman at the Kentucky Locomotive works, has recently had left him, conditionally, by a deceased uncle in England, $200,000. Mr. Grey is only 25 years of age—already having inherited $45,000 from his father, which he spent for the benefit of himself and "mankind in general." His prudent old uncle, knowing his fast habits, in his youth, and not knowing his industrious habits, now inserted as a condition of the inheritance, that if the said Harry was in debt at the age of 30, five hundred dollars, he should forfeit the inheritance. Here is a stronger incentive to keep ahead of one's debts than we have ever seen before.

MELANCHOLY.—We learn that a young lady of Cumberland county, while sleighing one night last week, was frozen to death. She complained to her companion early in the evening of being very cold, but there being no public house near they did not stop. Soon after, on coming to a tavern, she refused to get out, saying she felt very comfortable, and they drove on. Arriving at home, she had to be assisted out of the sleigh, in a stupor-like manner, and shortly afterwards expired.—*Harrisburg Telegraph.*

CHARCOAL FOR SWINE.—It is not, perhaps, generally known, that one of the best articles that can be given to swine while in preparation for the tub is common charcoal. The nutritive properties are so great that they have subsisted on it without other food for weeks together. Geese confined so as to deprive them of motion, and fed on three grains of corn per day, and as much coal as they can devour, have become fattened in eight days. The hog eats voraciously, after a little time, and is never sick while he has a good supply. It should always be kept in the sty, and fed to the inmates regularly, like all other food.

TERRIBLE SACRIFICE OF LIFE.—On the American ship Waverly, which was transporting a cargo of Chinese coolies to Havana, a terrible affair happened. The captain died, and the mate having some difficulty with the coolies ordered them below and fastened down the hatches. In twelve hours after he opened the hatches and found that of 442 all but 146 had perished from suffocation. The mate and crew have been imprisoned for this inhuman conduct.

STRANGE.—A lady of this place gave birth a few days since to a very strange and pitiable creature. The child, from some unknown cause, of course, had not attained its full proportions and all the faculties pertaining to common mortals, being born without eyes or mouth, and with the brain, instead of being covered, exposed. We have not heard whether it is still living or not.—*Easton Argus.*

A PROFITABLE VOYAGE.—It is stated that some months since a ship sailed from New York for Australia, with a cargo mostly of flour. It cost in New York about $10 per barrel, and was sold immediately on arrival for $25. Deduct $5 per barrel for all charges, and the clear profit on the shipment of 8,000 barrels was $80,000. The same shipment from thence to Calcutta took in a cargo of saltpetre, &c., for New York. The net profits of the voyage were about $110,000.

TRAGEDY IN A COURT ROOM.—In Washington, Mo., on Saturday week a gunsmith named Harrison was on trial for several burglaries, which, it was charged, he had committed. During the trial it was disclosed that he had violated the person of his step daughter, a girl of 17, and by threats against her life had induced her to keep the secret. The girl's brother, who was present, left the Court room, procured a pistol, loaded it, returned to the Court room, placed the pistol to Harrison's head, discharged the pistol, and left him a lifeless corpse in the presence of the magistrates. The young man was tried immediately, and discharged from custody.

PROFITABLE EELING.—The Yarmouth (Mass.) Register of January 18th says:

"The excessive cold weather last week came so suddenly that the eels on our coast had not sufficient warning to get into their winter quarters of mud, and consequently were overtaken by the frost, and frozen stiff as pokers. Hundreds of bushels of them were driven ashore, and barrels shipped for the city markets. We learn that some fifty of sixty barrels were last week sent from Orleans, *via* railroad, for New York, where they are esteemed a luxury, and meet a ready sale at from ten to twelve cents per pound."

ASSAULT UPON MR. GREELY.—As Mr. Greely, of the New York Tribune, was coming from the Capitol at Washington, on Tuesday afternoon, he was attacked by Mr. Rust of Arkansas, who with his fists inflicted several blows on Mr. Greely's head; and afterwards as he was approaching the National Hotel, Mr. Rust struck his arm severely with a stick. The assault, it is presumed, was in consequence of certain strictures in a Washington letter, in the Tribune of Monday, on Mr. Rust's proposition in the House, requesting the candidates for the Speakership to withdraw from the contest.

WHAT WISCONSIN NEWSPAPERS ARE WORTH AT A FORCED SALE.—The first copy struck off of the Newport Mirror, a new paper recently started at Newport, Wisconsin, was sold at auction for $65, the second for $10, and the third for $5. These papers were purchased and paid for by men who intend to preserve them as mementoes of the beginning of a city which they expect to see spring up about the spot—now a wilderness—where the papers were struck of.

DOG TRADE.—Who would believe it? By inquiry among dealers, says the Life Illustrated, and a careful examination of "accounts of sales" we find the amount of money invested in the dog trade in N. York city to be not far from an hundred thousand dollars! There are upwards of ten thousand dogs sold here annually.

☞P. T. BARNUM, the celebrated Showman, is seriously involved in the recent failure of the Jerome Clock manufacturing Company of Bridgeport, Connecticut. The paper out with his name on it is over $450,000, to pay which would require the sacrifice of nearly one million worth of such property as he owns. The whole affair is in the hands of the lawyers, who will no doubt make a good thing out of the lucky, but in this instance unfortunate, Showman.

TO KEEP WARM.—An exchange says:—"By-the-by, those who are scant of bed clothes at this season should recollect that a bottle of hot water placed in their beds at their feet, will warm the whole bed until daybreak. Don't fill the bottle full; and be sure to let it stand, with the hot water in it, some ten or fifteen minutes before corking it up and placing it in the bed—otherwise it may burst. Recollect and fill it with water, not rum."

BRIDAL PRESENTS.—A correspondent of the Charleston Chronicle, writing from New York, says:—"An aggregate of $26,000 is said to have been trinketed in to the daughter of ex-Mayor Mickle, on her marriage to a son of ex-Mayor Lawrence. I saw, only this morning, at Ball, Black, & Co.'s, an $8,500 diamond necklace, just mounted as a bride's present; also, a brooch, at Tiffany & Co.'s, costing $4,000, intended as a present to another bride.—This is about up to the Babylonian mark."

SKATING MATCH.—The Philadelphia papers state that a skating match took place on the Delaware on Tuesday, between Samuel S. and Oliver Lippincott. The parties started from a point up the river, a distance of fourteen miles, and reached Popular street in one hour and ten minutes from the time of starting. The affair created no little interest among the friends of the parties. Oliver Lippincott distanced his competitor about twenty yards.

HOOPS.—*A Warning.*—The Detroit Herald furnishes the following:—"*A fashionably* dressed lady entered one of our churches a few Sabbaths since, and after three ineffectual attempts to effect an entrance into one of the pews, abandoned the effort, and left the house in disgust."

Holloway's Pills.—Wonderful Cure of a diseased Liver. Emily Burton, aged 34, of Fulton Street, Brooklyn, Long Island, New York, was for a long time in a very precarious state of health, owing to her liver being diseased; the medical faculty prescribed for her in vain, and every remedy she thought likely to benefit her she made use of with the like ill success. About two months ago, she commenced using Holloway's pills, and complied with the printed directions, which quickly produced a very pleasing change, in five weeks, the bloom of health was again upon her cheeks, being perfectly cured, to the agreeable surprise of her friends. These Pills are also infallible in all diseases of the stomach and bowels.

MARRIED.

On the 3d inst., by the Rev. Mr. J. Dubs, Mr. COLEMAN A. KECK, to Miss CATHARINE STETTLER, both of Allentown.

Good for you COLE! May happiness attend you and every b——lessing weigh fifteen pounds.

On the 29th ult., by the Rev. Mr. Vogelbach, Mr. PHILIP HERMAN, to Miss MARIA EISENHAUER, both of Allentown.

On the 3rd inst., by the same, Mr. TILGHMAN KEPPLER, of Milford, to Miss MARY A. BADER, of Saucon.

On the 22d ult., by the Rev. Mr. J. Dubs, Mr. JOHN LACKEY, of Catasauqua, to Miss SUSAN MILLER, of Allentown.

On the 28th, by the same, Mr. FRIEDERICH ZEPPENFELD, of Allentown, to Miss MARY MILLER, of Maxatawny, Berks Co.

On the 3rd inst., by the same, Mr. EMANUEL WEHR, to Miss SARAH A. BLOHS, both of Washington.

On the 29th ult., by the Rev. Mr. Yeager, Mr. BENEVILLE FEGELY, of Longswamp, Berks county, to Miss ELIZABETH HAMAN, of Allentown.

DIED.

On the 8th ult., in Heidelberg, of dropsy, HENRY MEIER, aged 81 years.

On the 21st., in Hanover, of fever, BENJAMIN F., son of Samuel and Sarah Saylor, aged 2 years.

On the 27th ult., in Heidelberg, MARY A., wife of David Fink, aged 22 years.

On the 30th ult., in South Whitehall, of fever ELIZA J., wife of Stephen Knauss, aged 33 years.

On the 31st ult., in Upper Saucon, ISRAEL HARRIS, aged 29 years.

On the 31st ult., in Upper Saucon, HANNAH HOFFERT, aged 36 years.

On the 1st inst., at the Allentown Furnace, MARY J., daughter of John and Catharine Kerner, aged 2 years.

THE MARKETS.

ALLENTOWN MARKET.

Flour, per bbl.	$10 00
Wheat,	1 75
Corn,	60
Rye,	1 15
Oats,	40
Hay,	20 00
Salt,	60
Potatoes,	40
Ham. per lb.,	14
Sides,	12
Shoulders,	12
Lard,	14
Butter,	20
Eggs per doz.	18

FRANKLIN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA.

STATEMENT OF THE ASSETS OF THE COMPANY, on January 1, 1856, published in conformity with the provisions of the Sixth Section of the Act of Assembly, of April 5th, 1842.

MORTGAGES.

Being first Mortgages on Real Estate in the City and County of Philadelphia, except $20,950 in Montgomery, Bucks, Schuylkill and Allegheny counties, Penn'a. $1,456,073 36

REAL ESTATE.

Purchased at Sheriff's sales, under mortgage claims, viz:—

Eight houses and a lot 70 by 150 feet, on the Southwest corner of Chestnut and Seventeenth streets.
A house and lot, 27 by 71 feet, on the North side of Spruce st., and West of Eleventh street.
A house and lot, 27-7 by 100 feet, on West side of Penn Square, South of High street.
Two houses and lot, each 18 by 80 feet, on the south side of Spruce street, near Sixteenth street.
Five houses and lots each 17-9 by 93 feet, Nos. 159, 161, 163, 165 and 167 Dilwyn street.
Three houses and lot, 49 by 54 feet, on East side of Seventeenth street, South of Pine street.
Hotel and lot, 50 by 81 feet, on the Southeast corner of Chestnut and Beach streets.
Five houses and lot, 42 by 165 feet, on the North side of Green street, west of Ashton street.
Seven houses and lot, 20 by 117 feet, on the east side of Beach street, South of Chestnut street.
A house and lot, 18 by 50 feet, No. 96 Fitzwater street, east of Ninth st.
A ground rent of $20, issuing out of a lot 13-1 by 40 feet, on the North side of Otter street, 40 feet west of Leopard street.

Surveyed and Valued at $169,030. At Cost $82,451 45.

LOANS.

TEMPORARY LOANS on Stock as Collateral Security $107,902 95

STOCKS.

		Market Value.	Cost
$10,000 Almshouse Loan, 5 per cent. (interest on.)			
200 shares Bank of Kentucky,			
17 " North'n. Bank of Kentucky			
100 " Union Bank of Tennessee.			
13 " Insurance Company of the State of Pennsylvania.			
200 " Southwark Railroad Co.,			
37 " Commercial and Railroad Bank, Vicks.			
300 " Pennsylvania Railroad Co.			
91 " Franklin Fire Insurance Company,			
2 " Mercantile Library Co.,			
24 " Union Canal Company,			
10 " Schuylkill Railroad Co.,			
180 " City Warrants,			
		$73,629 60	$63,565 50

NOTES and BILLS receivable		$5,404 00
UNSETTLED POLICIES		713 50
MERCHANDISE		163 84
CASH on hand	$35,646 49	
" in hands of agents	8,644 62	
		44,291 11
		$1,761,468 71

LOSSES BY FIRE.

LOSSES PAID DURING THE YEAR 1855.

$237,574 40.

By Order of the Board.
CHARLES N. BANCKER, PRESIDENT.
Attest:
CHARLES G. BANCKER, Secretary.
Philadelphia, Feb. 6. —3t

ORPHAN'S COURT SALE.

BY virtue and in pursuance of an order issued out of the Orphan's Court of Lehigh county, there will be exposed to public sale on Saturday the 15th day of March, 1856, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on the premises, the following valuable real estate, viz:

A certain tract of land, situate in Hanover township, in the county of Lehigh aforesaid, adjoining lands of John Krauss and Levin Krauss, containing 61 acres, more or less. The entire tract is in a high state of cultivation, under good fences, and well worthy the attention of capitalists. The tract is situated on the west side of the borough of Bethlehem, on the road leading to Allentown, and is well adapted to be laid out in town lots. It will be sold in either large or small tracts, or entire, to suit purchasers.

Being the real estate of Joseph Burke, deceased, late of the borough of Bethlehem.

Terms on the day at the place of sale, and due attendance given by

E. S. WARNE,
CHARLES A. LUCKENBACH, } Admr's.
By the Court:—J. W. MICKLEY, Clerk.
February 6. —6t

FOR SALE.

12 BRICK and 3 Frame Dwelling Houses and lots of ground in the Borough of Allentown, located in different parts of the Town, at reasonable prices.—Enquire at the Office of LAWALL & STAHLER, Real Estate Agents, No. 59 East Hamilton Street, Allentown.
February 6, 1856. —2m

DR. H. A. GRIM, A. M.

OFFICE AT THE
EAGLE HOTEL,
NO. 3 WEST HAMILTON STREET,
ALLENTOWN, PA.
Allentown, Feb. 6. —1y

A NEW FIRM.

A NEW BLACKSMITHING ESTABLISHMENT IN ALLENTOWN.

THE undersigned inform the citizens of Allentown and vicinity that they have entered into co-partnership under the firm of

STEINBERGER & REINERT,

and intend carrying on the blacksmithing business in all its various branches. They are satisfied that they are able to turn out as good and cheap work as any establishment in town, as they themselves are workmen, and all work is done under their own supervision.

HORSE-SHOEING.

They pay particular attention to Horse-Shoeing, and feel satisfied that in this branch they are excelled by none. Their prices are moderate.

Their Workshop is in Turner street, between Seventh and Eighth, known formerly as Fatzinger's butcher shop. They hope that by punctuality and cheap prices, and turning out good work, to be favored with a liberal share of public patronage, for which they will ever be thankful.

HENRY W. STEINBERGER,
LEVI REINERT.
Allentown, Jan. 30. —6w

WINTER CLOTHING

CLOSING out at reduced prices, Black, Blue, Brown, Beaver, Pilot and Melton Cloth Frock and Sack Over Coats, some as low as $3.50.

Superior Black, Blue, Brown and French Cloth, Dress and Frock coats.

New style plain and fancy Cassimers and Cloth Business Coats.

Fine Black, French, Doeskin, plain and fancy Cassimer Pants.

A large assortment of fancy and plain Velvet, Plush, Silk, Satin, Cassimere and Cashmere Vests.

All selling at very reduced prices in order to make room for spring goods.

L. STROUSE & CO.,
No 9 West Hamilton street.
Allentown, Jan. 30. —tf

SHAWLS.

A large lot of shawls at reduced prices, such as Long Brocha at $13 worth $16, Long Brocha at $15 worth $18, Bay State, Watervliet, Cashmere, &c., very cheap. L. STROUSE & CO.
No. 9 West Hamilton street.
Allentown, Jan. 20. —tf

BECKER'S DAILY EXPRESS,

BETWEEN Allentown, Bethlehem and Philadelphia. Office in Allentown, at George L. Ruhe's, No. 30 West Hamilton street.

Office in Philadelphia, No. 101 Race St.

The proprietor, G. S. Becker respectfully announces to the citizens and business men generally, that he has just started a daily Express, as above, via. the North Pennsylvania Rail Road, for carrying Merchandize, packages &c., of every kind, at rates fully as low if not lower, than any other Express, and all packages will be carried with the greatest care, and delivered with promptness.

Having had four years' experience in the Express business, Mr. B. feels confident that he will be able to supply the wants of the public in a satisfactorily manner.

All business for Allentown and vicinity will be promptly transacted by George L. Ruhe, Agent. Office No. 30 West Hamilton street.

N. B.—Goods purchased, and all orders punctually attended to.
Allentown, Jan. 2. —tf

Venitian Blinds.

The subscriber having purchased the entire establishment of Mr. Muir, is prepared to manufacture all kinds of Window Blinds, of the best quality, at prices as low as any in the city—at 36 West Hamilton street.
S. H. PRICE.
Allentown, January 9. —1y

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the undersigned are appointed Executors of the last will and testament of *Elizabeth Miller*, deceased, late of Heidelberg, township, Lehigh county, therefore all those who know themselves to be indebted to said estate, be it in Notes, Bonds, Book-debts or otherwise, will make payment within six weeks from the date hereof. Also all such who have any legal claims against said estate, will bring in their accounts well authenticated within said time.

OWEN MILLER,
GODFRIED PETER, } Executors.
January 9. —6t

ORPHAN'S COURT SALE.

BY virtue and in pursuance of an order issued out of the Orphans' Court of the County of Lehigh, there will be exposed to public sale, on Thursday the seventh day of February next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, upon the premises, the following valuable real estate, to wit: Two certain tracts of

WOOD LAND,

situated in Upper Saucon township, in the county of Lehigh aforesaid, about one mile from Leithsville, bounded and described as follows: No 1.—Bounded by lands of John Munn, Andrew Weiss and others, containing two acres and eighty-four perches. One other tract bounded by lands of Andrew Weiss, Peter Leith and others, containing one acre and one hundred and thirty-three perches.

Being the Real Estate of Martin Weiss, deceased, late of the township of Lower Saucon in the County of Northampton. Terms on the day at the place of sale, and due attendance given by

CHARLES WAGNER, Administrator.
By the Court: J. W. MICKLEY, Clerk.
January 16. —4t

E. W. ECKERT'S

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
TOBACCO, SNUFF & SEGAR STORE,
NO. 30 EAST HAMILTON STREET,
ALLENTOWN, PA.

Constantly on hand a large stock of Leaf Tobacco. Also a superior stock of Segars, comprising the latest styles and brands, at the lowest City prices. All Goods warranted.
July 20. —1y

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Co-partnership heretofore existing under the name of *Gerhard & Urffer*, Store Keepers, at Fogelsville, Lehigh county, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 11th day of December, 1855. All persons indebted to said firm are requested to make payment to Edwin Kramlich, at the store, within sixty days from date hereof, and all persons having any demands against said firm are requested to present their accounts within thirty days hereof.

DAVID F. GERHARD.
DAVID K. URFFER.
Fogelsville, February 6, 1856. —3t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Owen Rice, late of the Borough of Catasauqua, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber. Persons indebted are requested to make payment and those having claims to present them. MATTHEW KRAUSE, Administrator.
Bethlehem, January 23. —6t

Looking Glasses.

JUST received, the largest, best and cheapest assortment of Looking Glasses that has ever been offered in the Borough of Allentown, at the Cabinet Ware Rooms, No. 36 West Hamilton street, Allentown, Pa.
S.H. PRICE.
November 7. ¶—3m

A MARVELLOUS REMEDY!

FOR A MARVELLOUS AGE!!

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT.

The Grand External Remedy.

By the aid of a microscope, we see millions of little openings on the surface of our bodies. Through these, this Ointment, when rubbed on the skin, is carried to any organ or inward part. Diseases of the Kidneys, disorders of the Liver, affections of the Heart, inflamation of the Lungs, Asthma, Coughs and Colds, are by its means, effectually cured. Every housewife knows that salt passes freely through bone or meat of any thickness. This healing Ointment far more readily penetrates thro' any bone or fleshy part of the living body, curing the most dangerous inward complaints, that cannot be reached by other means.

Erysipelas, Salt-Rheum and Scorbutic Humors.

No Remedy has ever done so much for the cure of diseases of the Skin, whatever form they may assume, as this Ointment. No case of Rheum, Scurvy, Sore Heads, Scrofula, or Erysipelas, can long withstand its influence. The inventor has travelled over many parts of the globe, visiting the principal hospitals, dispensing this Ointment, giving advice as to its application, and has thus been the means of restoring countless numbers to health.

Sore Legs, Sore Breasts, Wounds and Ulcers.

Some of the most scientific surgeons now rely solely on the use of this wonderful Ointment, when having to cope with the worst cases of sores, wounds, ulcerglandular swellings, and tumors. Professor Holloway has, by command of the Allied Governments, dispatched to the hospitals of the East, large shipments of this Ointment, to be used under the direction of the Medical Staff, in the worst cases of wounds. It will cure any ulcer, glandular swelling, stiffness or contraction of the joints, even of 20 years' standing.

Piles and Fistulas.

These and other similar distressing complaints can be effectually cured if the Ointment be well rubbed in over the parts affected, and by otherwise following the printed directions around each pot.

Both the Ointment and Pills should be used in the following cases:

Bunions	Piles	Sores of all kinds
Burns	Rheumatism	Sprains
Chapped Hands	Salt Rheum	Scalds
Chilblains	Skin Diseases	Swelled Glands
Fistulas	Sore Legs	Stiff Joints
Gout	Sore Breasts	Ulcers
Lumbago	Sore Heads	Venereal Sores
Mercurial Eruptions	Sore Throats	Wounds of all kinds

*** Sold at the Manufactories of Professor HOLLOWAY, 80 Maiden Lane, New York, and 244 Strand, London, and by all respectable Druggists and Dealers of Medicines throughout the United States, and the civilized world, in Pots, at 25 cents, 62½ cents and $1 each.

☞There is a considerable saving by taking the larger sizes.

N. B. Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each Pot.

New York, Jan. 16, 1856. —1y

BREINIG, WEILIGH & BREINIG,

OF PENNSYLVANIA CLOTHING HALL, South East Corner of Hamilton and Seventh Street, respectfully inform their friends and the public that they have just returned from New York and Philadelphia with a large stock of new and fashionable

Fall and Winter Goods,

which they purchased for CASH, and which enables them to sell lower than any other establishment of the kind in Allentown. They have selected their Goods with an eye to durability and fancy, and have none but the latest styles in the market. Their stock of Goods, among other articles, consists of Cloths of all colors and prices, Cassimers, of French, English and American manufactures: Vestings, Silk Velvets, Satins, Silks, Worsted and other descriptions, figured and plain, Shirts and Shirt collars, Stocks, Cravats, Handkerchiefs, Hose, Suspenders, &c., besides a great many other articles coming in their line of business, and all will be sold at the lowest prices. Their stock of

READYMADE CLOTHING

comprises every thing in the clothing line, from an over coat down to an under-shirt, made up after the latest and most fashionable styles. There stock being so extensive that none will leave it, unless fitted from the "bottom to the top."

CUSTOMER WORK

will be done up as usual, and for their work they are willing to be held responsible, two of the firm being practical tailors, and all the work is made up under their own supervision.

Thankful for past favors, they trust that attention to business, "small profits and quick sales" will be the means of bringing new customers to their establishment.

Oct. 1 —tf

THE PEOPLE'S CABINET WARE ROOMS!

F. Xander's

Cheap and Fashionable Cabinet Ware Rooms,
South East Corner of Ninth and Hamilton Streets, a few doors below Dresher's Lumber Yard,
ALLENTOWN, PA.

THE undersigned respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that he carries on the Cabinet business in all its various branches at the above named stand, where he is prepared to sell good and handsome furniture as cheap as can be sold anywhere. Their Store is on the south-east corner of Ninth and Hamilton streets, near Dresher's Lumber yard, where they offer a fine assortment of

CABINET WARE,

consisting in part of Sofas, of various styles and patterns, Side Boards, Wardrobes, Secretaries, Bureaus, of various patterns; Cup-boards of different kinds; Card, Centre, Side, Breakfast and Dining Tables; Bedsteads of different styles and patterns, Wash-stands, Twist, Small and Large Etagers, What Nots, Music-Stands, Sofa Tables, Tea Tables, Oval and Serpentine Tables, Chinese What Nots, Fancy Work Tables, Refreshment Tables, Etashas, Tete-a-Tetes, French Divans. A general assortment of Kitchen Furniture on hand and made to order.

He employs at all times none but the best workmen, attends personally to their business, and will warrant all Furniture of their manufacture to be made of the best materials. Orders for Ware will be faithfully and immediately attended to, and when sent out of the Borough will be carefully packed.

FRANCIS XANDER.
December 5. —tf

A NEW FIRM!

Geo. Lucas & Sons,

WHOLESALE and Retail dealers in Boots, Shoes and Trunks. After carrying on a successful business for twenty years, the former proprietor on the 1st of January entered into co-partnership under the firm of GEO. LUCAS & SONS, and intend to carry on the business on an increased scale. They will always keep on hand a very large and cheap stock of BOOTS AND SHOES, *all of their own manufacture.* They are all perfectly acquainted with the business, and employ none but the best workmen, which enables them to warrant all work as represented.—They are confident that their stock is not excelled by any other establishment in Allentown. They call particular attention to their stock of Ladies, Gentlemen's, Misses and Children's Morocco, Calfskin, and India Rubber Overshoes. The senior partner is thankful for the patronage bestowed on him during the 20 years he has been in business, and hopes that by continued strict attention to customers, and selling at low prices, they will receive a full share of patronage in future.

☞Country Merchants will be supplied at short notice and at the lowest City prices.

GEO. LUCAS & SONS.
Allentown, January 9. —tf

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