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Two Squares	3.00	3.50	6.50	9.00	15.00
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SMITH & OSMUN'S
COAL AND WOOD YARD!
The above Coal and Wood Yard has been removed to the east end of the Jordan Bridge, SOUTH SIDE, where will be constantly kept a fine and full supply of
Egg, Stove Nut and Chestnut Coal,
selected from the best mines in the country.
OUR COAL
is under cover—and it is to the interest of every one to purchase
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A large stock of all kinds of good Wood constantly on hand, and delivered to all parts of the city at the lowest market prices.
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Our Coal is selected from the best mines in the Lehigh region, and knowing this to be the fact and that it will give perfect satisfaction, there is no use in offering to return the money. All we ask is a trial. Orders taken at Deshler's hotel.
FRANKLIN SMITH, WILLIAM OSMUN
july 9-1y

COAL CONSUMERS,
LOOK TO YOUR INTEREST!
STELTZ & HEEBNER,
Hereby informs the citizens of Allentown, and the public in general, that he is prepared to furnish all kinds of
COAL
from his well stocked Yard, formerly H. Guth & Co.'s, at the Lehigh Basin, in the City of Allentown, where he will constantly keep on hand a full supply of all kinds of Coal, at the very lowest market prices. His coal is nice and clean, from the very best mines, and in quality superior to any offered in Allentown.
He will sell Coal by the CAR LOAD, at very small profits, as he intends to do business upon the principle of "Quick Sales and Small Profits." Give him a call, and upon comparing prices you can judge for yourselves.
He will deliver Coal upon call to any part of the City upon orders being left at the Yard, or Weinsheimer's store
mar 31-1f STELTZ & HEEBNER.

REMOVAL.
TREXLER & BROTHERS,
DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF
LUMBER,
Hereby announce to their friends and patrons that they have just removed from their old stand to their
NEW YARD
near the corner of Tenth and Hamilton streets, formerly occupied by Brause & Miller, as a Lumber Yard, where they will constantly keep on hand a large and seasoned stock of
LUMBER,
such as all kinds of
PINE, HEMLOCK, CHESTNUT, POPLAR, SHINGLES, PICKETS, LATHS, &c.
In fact everything usually kept by the trade.
All kinds of lumber cut to order at short notice.
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CELEBRATED CUCUMBER PUMP.
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IN
a superior assortment of
COAL
Consisting of Stove, Egg, Chestnut and Nut from the BUCK MOUNTAIN MINES.
Orders left with A. A. Huber, Sieger & Hottenstein, at the Eagle Hotel, Hope Rolling Mill, or the Yard, will be attended to in a
BUSINESS
like manner.
Orders for Coal by the car filled at short notice and at the lowest prices.
Always on hand a large stock of
BALED HAY,
which will be sold at the lowest market prices.
L. W. KOONS & CO.,
at the "Old Hope Coal Yard,"
Hamilton Street, corner of Lehigh Valley Railroad,
ALLENTOWN, PA.
L. W. KOONS. R. E. DONAGHEY.
oct 27 —1y

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Having a Steam Hammer and set of tools of all kinds, and skilled workmen, I flatter myself that I can turn out work with promptness and dispatch, all of which will be warranted to be first-class.
Patching Boilers, and repairing generally, strictly attended to. apr 27

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used in this county, at the lowest cash prices.
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In Silk, Mohair, Worsted, Linen and Cotton, embracing many novelties.
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Business entrusted to our care shall have prompt personal attention.
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Will buy on margin for responsible persons, Rail Road Bonds, Stocks, Gold, Government Securities, &c.
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MONEY RECEIVED ON DEPOSIT, and 8 per cent. interest will be allowed. For shorter periods special rates will be paid.
Also, money loaned out on FAVORABLE TERMS. Said Bank is located in the Keystone House, in the borough of Kutztown. JOHN H. FOGEL, President.
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Money deposited with this Institution
IS SAFE AND WELL SECURED,
by a Capital stock and surplus money security of over SIXTY THOUSAND DOLLARS, and in addition, the Board of Trustees have, as required by the charter, given bonds under the supervision of the Court, in the sum of FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS, which bonds are registered in and held by the Court of Common Pleas of this county for the security of depositors.
Our Iron Vaults are of the most secure and extensive kind known in this country, as a personal inspection will show, and to which we invite our friends and customers. We refer to this, believing that safe Burglar Proof Vaults complete the safety and reliability of a good Saving Bank.
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CANDY,
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BUCK LEAD Excels all other LEAD!
1st. For its Unrivaled Whiteness,
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IT COSTS LESS to paint with BUCK LEAD than any other White Lead extant. The same weight covers MORE SURFACE, is more DURABLE, and makes WHITER WORK.
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Dealers' Orders will be promptly executed by the manufacturers.
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WATER PROOF FOR SUITS.
WHITE AND COLORED BLANKETS,
&C., &C., &C.,
Embracing the most complete stock of Dry Goods at
POPULAR LOW PRICES.
It will be to your interest to examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere.
Respectfully,
M. J. KRAMER,
"OLD CORNER."
oct 20
SEAMAN & TRAEGER,
17 SOUTH MAIN STREET,
BETHLEHEM.
BLACK Gros Grain SILKS, BLACK DRAB D'FRANCE SILKS, BLACK TAFFETA SILKS. The *largest* and *cheapest* assortment of SILKS we have ever had the pleasure of offering the Public.
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CHOICE NEW STYLES FANCY SILKS.
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FRENCH SILK POPLIN, MARBLE POPLINS, PLAIN POPLINS.
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BLACK ALPACAS, in all grades, from the lowest numbers to the finest Mohairs.
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COLORED ALPACAS, all prices, very cheap.
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DRESS GOODS in every variety of Plain and Fancy Styles.
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BLEACHED and UNBLEACHED SHEETINGS and SHIRTINGS in very large assortment CHECKS, TICKINGS and DENIMS.
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SPECIAL ATTENTION is requested to our elegant and complete line of LADIES' DRESS TRIMMINGS, consisting in part of *BULLION and TASSELS, FRINGE, REAL GUIPURE, Real BRUSSEL LACE, GIMPS, BRAIDS, NEW STYLE FLUTED TRIMMING, &c.* BUTTONS in several hundred different styles.
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HOSIERY, GLOVES, UNDER CLOTHING for LADIES', CHILDREN and GENTLEMEN. WOOLEN YARNS, &c.
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FLANNELS, all widths, *Red, White, Blue, Mixed,* and *Plain. Real Genuine Home-made Flannel.*
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ZEPHYR WORSTED, GERMANTOWN WOOL, CASHMERE YARNS, EMBROIDERED WORSTED WORK, and a full assortment in that line.
SEAMAN & TRAEGER.
BY MAIL we send samples of any goods capable of being sent by sample through the mail with prices attached to each piece. We find this to be a great convenience to parties unable to personally visit us.
SEAMAN & TRAEGER.
FAMILY GROCERIES, Staple and Fancy, nicely kept, temptingly gotten up and of the Best Qualities.
SEAMAN & TRAEGER.
CROCKERY, everything required in that line for housekeeping purposes.
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Tubs, Pails, Buckets, and all sorts of Wooden Ware used in Housekeeping.
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All kinds of Country Produce taken in exchange for goods at the highest prices.
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We are endeavoring to keep a full line of every article in the way of *Dry Goods, Small Wares, Notions, Groceries, Crockery, Wooden Ware,* and in fact everything (except Carpets) to be found in a retail store.
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PLAIN AND ORNAMENTAL
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MONUMENTS, HEADSTONES, MANTELS, &c
HOUSE WORK DONE TO ORDER.
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TERRA-COTTA DRAIN PIPE,
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All Orders promptly filled and Work Guaranteed.
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WANTED.—A LOAN OF $10,000—by the Allentown School District. For particulars apply to the undersigned.
T. M. RUNK, Pres't. Board Cos.
sep8-tf J. S. DILLINGER, Secretary.

COOKING AND COURTING.

TOM TO NED.

Dear Ned,—no doubt you'll be surprised
When you receive and read this letter:
I've ried against the married state,
But then, you see, I knew no better.
I've met a lovely girl out here,
Her manner is—well—very winning;
We're soon to be—well, Ned, my dear,
I'll tell you all from the beginning.

I went to ask her out to ride,
Last Wednesday—it was perfect weather:
She said she couldn't possibly,
The servants had gone off together,
(Hibernians always rush away,
At cousins' funerals to be looking.)
Pies must be made, and she must stay,
She said, to do that branch of cooking.

"Oh, let me help you," then I cried;
"I'll be a cooker, too—how jolly!"
She laughed, and answered with a smile,
"All right! but you'll repeat your folly;
For I shall be a tyrant, sir,
And good hard work you'll have to grapple,
So sit down there, and don't you stir,
But take that knife, and pare that apple."

She rolled her sleeve above her arm—
That lovely arm, so plump and rounded;
Outside, the morning sun shone bright;
Inside, the dough was deftly pounded.
Her little fingers sprinkled flour,
And rolled the pie-crust up in masses;
I passed the most delightful hour
'Mid butter, sugar, and molasses.

With deep reflection, her sweet eyes
Gazed on each pot and pan and kettle;
She sliced the apples, filled her pies,
And then the upper crust did settle.
Her rippling waves of golden hair
In one great coil were tightly twisted;
But locks would break out here and there,
And curl about where'er they listed.

And then her sleeve came down, and I
Fastened it up—her hands were doughy;
Oh, it did take the longest time,
Her arm, ned, was fair and snowy!
She blushed, and trembled, and looked shy,
Somehow, that made me all the bolder;
Her arch lips looked so red that I—
Well—found her head upon my shoulder.

We're to be married, Ned, next month;
Come and attend the wedding revels,
I really think that bachelors
Are the most miserable devils!
You'd better go for some girl's hand:
And if you are uncertain whether
You dare to make a due demand,
Why, just try cooking pies together.

THE AMERICAN BONAPARTES.

The Imperial Family of France and its Connections in Baltimore.

The Louisville *Courier Journal* has the following: The revolutionary movements which are now going forward in France invest the Napoleonic dynasty with additional interest. Prince Pierre Bonaparte, who has caused the pot to boil so fiercely, is a son of the Great Emperor's brother Lucien, who was considered the ablest of the family next after Napoleon. The present Emperor is regarded by many as not a Bonaparte at all, but the son of a Dutch Admiral, by Hortense Beauharnais, the daughter of Josephine. Louis Bonaparte was forced by his brother to marry Hortense. He was in love with another woman, and withal a dreamy sort of person. Those who believe in the operation of a principle of poetic justice running through the progress of history, make mention of the fact that the grandson of Josephine, and not of Napoleon, now rules in France as proof that the "whirligig of time brings in his revenge." Josephine once said: "My progeny shall be supreme." But Josephine was not the only woman who was illused by the Imperial Corsican. Nor was she the only one who cherished hopes of a divine revenge through her descendents. And hereby hangs a tale.

In 1803, Jerome Bonaparte, then in command of a French frigate, landed in New York. As brother of Napoleon Bonaparte, he was received with distinction, and was most hospitably entertained. While in Baltimore he met Miss Elizabeth Patterson, the daughter of a wealthy merchant of that city, and married her on the 24th of December of the same year. The ceremony was performed by Bishop Carroll, of the Catholic Diocese of Baltimore, a brother of the distinguished Chas. Carroll, of Carrollton. The marriage contract was drawn up by Alexander Dallas, afterward Secretary of the Treasury, and was witnessed by the Mayor of Baltimore and several other official personages. After remaining in the United States about a year, Jerome Bonaparte and his wife embarked for France in an American ship.

In the meantime Napoleon, to whom the marriage of his brother gave great offence, had ordered that the newly married pair should be permitted to land at no port over which France exercised authority. They, therefore, landed at Lisbon, where Jerome left his wife, directing her to proceed to Amsterdam, and went to Paris with the hope of prevailing upon Napoleon to recognize his marriage, but this Napoleon refused to do, at the same time upbraiding his brother for daring to marry without his consent. Arriving at Amsterdam, whither she went in the American ship, Madame Bonaparte was confronted with Napoleon's order forbidding her to land. She then sailed for England, where she took up her residence at Camberwell, near London. And here, on the 7th of July, 1805, was born to her an only child, Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte, now living in Baltimore.

Napoleon had determined that his brothers should marry among the princesses of Europe and all efforts to induce him to recognize the wife of Jerome were vain, and Jerome was at last forced to yield to the wishes of the Emperor and marry the Princess Frederica Catharine, of Wurtemburg. Madame Bonaparte met her husband but once afterward, and then no word passed between them. It was in the gallery of the Pitti Palace, at Florence, in Italy. The Princess was leaning on the arm of her husband when the meeting took place. Jerome started aside on recognizing Madame Bonaparte, and a moment afterward whispered to the Princess, "That lady is my former wife." He immediately left the gallery, and the next morning quitted Florence.

Although Napoleon declared the marriage of Jerome and Miss Patterson null and void, he could never induce the Pope so to declare it, and a few years ago, when the question as to the rank to which the Bonapartes of Baltimore were entitled to as princes of the Imperial household was up for decision, the protest of the Pope against the decree of Napoleon was brought forward.

Soon after the birth of her son Madame Bonaparte returned to Baltimore, where she has principally resided ever since, in the enjoyment of a large fortune. She was about eighteen years of age when she first met Jerome Bonaparte, and is now about eighty-five. She was always a great admirer of Napoleon, in spite of the cruel manner in which he treated her. It is said that she believes her grandson will yet be Emperor of France.

Madame Bonaparte's son, Jerome Napoleon, now in his sixty-fifth year, has lived in Baltimore since his boyhood. He was educated at Harvard College, where he graduated in 1826. He afterwards studied law, but never practiced at the bar. When quite a young man he married a very wealthy lady, Miss Susan Mary Williams, originally of Roxbury, Mass., and has since devoted his time to the management of his large estate and to agricultural pursuits. His own fortune, added to that of his wife, made him one of the wealthiest men in Baltimore. He visited his father several times in Europe, and for many years received from him a large allowance.—He is on good terms with Louis Napoleon, and has once visited the French Court, accompanied by one of his sons, upon an invitation from the Emperor. During the reign of Louis Philippe he was permitted to remain in Paris a short time, but was compelled to assume his mother's name of Patterson.

Mr. Bonaparte has two children, Jerome Napoleon, who was born in Baltimore in 1832, and Charles Joseph, born in 1852. The first named graduated at West Point, at the age of twenty, and, after remaining a short time in the United States Army resigned his commission and entered that of France as a sub-lieutenant. He was with the French and English allies in the Crimea, and received a decoration from the Sultan of Turkey for his gallant conduct at the siege of Sebastopol.

Mr. Bonaparte is said to bear a strong personal resemblance to his uncle, the first Napoleon. If the validity of his father's marriage with Miss Patterson was recognized by the Court of France, it would give him and his children precedence over his half-brothers and their sister, the Princess Mathilde, the children of Jerome by his second wife. Efforts to secure such recognition have been made on perhaps more than one occasion, but they failed, though how far they fell short of success has never been known to the public. Jerome himself, who died at a venerable old age a year or two ago, bitterly opposed all such efforts to obtain precedence for the Baltimore Bonapartes, and would acknowledge them only by the name of Patterson.

MURDERER HANGED.

Theodore Nicolas was hanged in Little Valley, N. Y., on Thursday last, for the murder of Dr. Andrew Mead on the 18th of December. He showed great indifference to his fate up to the time of execution. His mother expressed a desire to be present at his execution, but was declined. The scaffold was erected in the jail yard, and consisted of a platform ten feet high, with a frame seven feet above that, to which the rope was attached. He left the jail at half-past one o'clock, in charge of Sheriff Cooper, and, leaning upon the arms of two deputies, preceded by Fathers Sorg and Bloomer, and followed by four of the county officers. He ascended the gallows with a firm step, holding in his hand a cross. When all were seated upon the platform, the death warrant was read by the Sheriff, who then told Nicolas he was at liberty to address the assemblage. He replied that he was overwhelmed with grief, and was unable to do so. The rites of the Roman Catholic Church were then performed, after which Father Sorg addressed the spectators substantially as follows:

"Nicolas wishes to tell you that he is sorry for all the sins he ever committed, and he is reconciled to his fate and hopes for salvation. He trusts that his fate will be a warning to all young people."

Nicolas then stood up, his arms were pinioned, the black cap was drawn over his face, the fatal noose pressed upon his neck, the signal given, the drop fell, and he was launched into eternity. He fell about eight feet, and died without a struggle. His body was given to his friends. This was the first execution in Cattaraugus county. There were about one hundred spectators present, including the county officers. The following are the particulars of the heinous crime.

The murder of Dr. Andrew Mead, in the village of Alleghany, N. Y., on the 18th of December last, is one of the most shocking crimes on record. An old man, over 70 years of age, was literally pounded to pieces by a beardless youth of 19 years. The doctor was a highly respected citizen of Alleghany, and had resided there about 50 years. He was unmarried, and lived entirely alone, using the front part of his building as a grocery and provision store, and the back part as a dwelling. A customer called at his store about 7½ o'clock on the evening of the murder and found the door locked, and seeing a light in the back part of the building, he called to the doctor, but received no reply, and was about to leave, when he heard groans from within. He called for help, opened a window and entered the building from the rear. On proceeding to the store-room they found the old man near the stove in an unconscious condition, in which he remained until he died, which was a few hours afterward. He was bruised and mangled in the most frightful manner. There were the the marks of 20 heavy blows upon his person, evidently inflicted with a fire-shovel and an iron poker about three feet in length, the fragments of of which lay on the floor near by. His skull was broken in many places, so that a part of the frontal bone dropped over one eye, and one ear was cut off. His hands and arms were bruised and broken apparently while attempting to ward off the blows of the assassin. His watch and purse were gone, while a satchel containing several hundred dollars, in an joining room, was not taken. The light in adjoining store-room was extinguished, and a row of barrels placed between the body and front of the store. For some time no clue was found to the murderer, but large rewards were offered for his apprehension, and at last, by the identification of the watch, he was arrested in Buffalo, N. Y. After his arrest the prisoner made a full confession of his crime to the officers, hoping thereby to escape the extreme penalty of the law, and on being arraigned at the January Term of the Cattaraugus Oyer and Terminer, he pleaded "Guilty" of the charge of a murder, but the Court compelled a trial, and he was convicted of murder in the first degree, and sentenced to be hanged on the 18th of March.

Theodore Nicolas, the murderer of Dr. Andrew Mead, was of German extraction, and was born in Buffalo, N. Y., March 10, 1821. He has always resided in this city until last April, when he removed with his parents to Alleghany, where the murder was committed. He was a person of ordinary intelligence, had a fair common school education, but of very dissolute habits. Although young in years he was old in crime, having been convicted several times of petty offences, and once for stabbing a boy. That he was an adept in eluding justice was manifested in his skill in blinding the officers as to his guilt after his arrest. For some time prior to his leaving Buffalo he served as a barber's apprentice, which was the only stated business he ever followed.

Nicolas made the following confession: My sister and I had a quarrel, and my father had turned me out of doors on a cold winter day, and I had no friends to go to. I went to Olean and bought a pint of whisky, and came back to Alleghany, drinking the whisky on my way. I thought how nice it would be if I had $2 to get to Dunkirk, where I could get work. I saw a light in the Doctor's store, and thought I would borrow the money of him. I went in and told him my story, and asked him to lend me $2 and I would pay him in a few days. He refused me, and I told him I thought he was a d—d mean man. He then told me to get out of his store, and I made up my mind I would knock him down and take the money from him. I then struck him a blow in the face with my fist, and he jumped and pushed me over a barrel, and went and locked the door and said: "You rascal, I will fix you now." He started for the other door, and I thought he was going for a gun to stand guard over me; so I picked up the shovel and hit him on the side of the head. He had the poker in his hand and struck me over the shoulder with it; then I struck him over the head with the shovel two or three times, and he fell. He then got up again and I knocked him over again, and struck him a number of times after he was down. I was so excited I didn't know what I was doing. I was so drunk I don't remember of placing the barrels. I took his watch and money from his pockets, and picked up the key and went out of the front door, and locked it again and threw the key in the privy, walked to Olean on the railroad track, then got into a freight car and went to Hornellsville, then bought a ticket and went to Buffalo, and assumed the name of William Youn. I sold the watch there to a Jew. If I had thrown away that d——d watch I wouldn't be where I am now.—*Ex.*

BLACKBEARD THE PIRATE.

From the N. Y. Tribune.

In person as well as disposition, this desperado, who was a native of England, seems to have been qualified to be the chief of a gang of robbers. The effect of his beard, which increased the ferocity of his countenance, he was always solicitous to highten by suffering it to grow to an immoderate length and twist it about in small tails like a Ramilies wig, whence he derived the name of Blackbeard. His portrait in time of action is described as that of a complete fury, with three brace of distols in holsters, flung over his shoulders like bandoliers, and lighted matches under his hat, sticking out over each of his ears. That Blackbeard's pretentions to authority over his companions were grounded on his being "in darkness proudly eminent," may be conceived from the character of his jokes. Having often exhibited himself before them as a demon, he determined to show them a hell of his own creation. For this purpose, he collected a quantity of sulphur and combustible materials between the decks of his vessel, when, kindling a flame and shutting down the hatches upon his crew, he involved himself and them literally in fire and brimstone. With oaths and frantic gestures, he then acted the part of the devil, as little affected by the