

**AGRICULTURAL.**

A COMPOST FOR ORCHARDS AND FRUIT TREES.

Take in the proportion of 20 double-horse cart loads of marsh mud, mould from the woods, scarpings from the roads, or earth from the fence corners, 10 bushels of ashes, 10 bushels of soot, 10 bushels of powdered charcoal, 2 bushels of salt, and 100 gallons of urine, either animal or human, mix the whole well together, form it into pie, and let it remain for four weeks. At the expiration of this time, turn it well over, and as you do so mix in with the mass 1 bushel of plaster. This done, spread evenly over every acre of your orchard 10 double-horse cart loads of the mixture, and plough it in about three inches deep, taking care not to lacerate the roots of the trees in so doing—then harrow the whole over, and compress the earth by running a roller over it.

To make an orchard bear well and produce good fruit, it is just as necessary to manure and cultivate it, as it is to manure and cultivate any other crop which is grown, as every crop of apples, peaches or pears, that is grown, extracts from the soil certain portions of the mineral and nutritive manures, which must be returned to it by artificial means to keep the soil in a proper state of fertility to yield a good crop of fruit. As the roots of fruit trees penetrate the earth much deeper than those of grain and grass crops, the presumption is that as the field of feeding of the former is deeper than the latter, they may not require such frequent manuring; but it must not be presumed that they, therefore, do not require any. An application of 10 loads of compost, such as we have named, would answer every fourth or fifth year. The body of the trees, however, should be washed every year with a weak solution of potash, say 1 lb. of potash dissolved in 2 gallons of water—or be painted with a mixture composed in the proportion of 1 gallon soft soap, 1 lb. flour of sulphur, and 1 pint of salt.

Neither Wheat, Rye, Barley, Oats, or any of the grass crops, should be grown in an orchard. Potatoes, Turnips, or any other root crop requiring low culture and manuring, may, with decided advantage, be cultivated therein, provided care be observed in the preparation of the soil and subsequent culture of the crop, not to injure the roots of the trees. With such precaution the cultivation of the soil will prove of infinite benefit, as each stirring of the earth will increase its capacity for attracting and condensing the enriching gases of the dewy and atmosphere, increase the feeding resources of the trees, and, as a consequence, improve the size and quality of the fruit.—*American Farmer.*

New Roots to Old Trees.—The New England Farmer mentions the fact that the editor of that journal, having some pear trees on quince stocks which were dying, took a dozen pear stocks, two years old, and partially removed the earth from about the roots of six of the most sickly looking trees, so as to make room for the roots of the young pear stocks, placing one on each of the opposite sides of the old trees. The tops of the young stocks were cut off by a drawing stroke, making the taper about two inches in length, as for splice grafting. A horizontal cut was then made through the bark of the tree just above its junction with the quince, and then an upward incision in the bark of the desired length. Enough of the bark below the horizontal cut was removed to prevent its offering any obstruction. The bark was then raised by carefully passing a three-cornered wedge up the incision. The tapered point of the stock, prepared as above, was gently crowded up till it felt firm in its place, and was bound up firmly with matting. The earth was then carefully covered over the roots, and heaped up four or five inches above the place of operation to exclude the air. The result was highly satisfactory. The trees are entirely renovated. Those on which he did not operate, died. Where trees are girdled about the roots by mice in winter, they may be saved in this way.

Brunswick.—Inoculations may be made any time from June to October, provided the cuticle, or bark, will peal. If the operation be performed towards the end of June, or commencement of July, and can be used in trimming the branch into which the bud is put, the latter will commence growing in ten or twelve days, and a foot or more of growth be gained the first year; the process of increment and induration, or hardening, is consummated before the advent of cold; but in most, if not all cases, when the bud is put in in September, provided it sprouts, it will be so tender it will be easily winter-killed.—*Maine Cultivator.*

The Tomato.—The time is near when this delicious and healthy vegetable will be in our market. The first that come into market usually command a good price, and hence the temptation to be earliest in the market induces some to take tomatoes from the vine while green, and expose them to the sun until they turn red. When thus treated, however prepared in cooking, they are pernicious, and will hurt the taste of the stomach.

Opium in Malaria.—A piece of Opium of the size of a chestnut, dissolved in a pint of brandy and poured down at once, is a cure for "fever in horses."

PEACE! PEACE! PEACE!

Economy is Wealth!

COBEAN AND KING

HAVE just received from the cities of Philadelphia and Baltimore, a new and handsome assortment of

Ready Made Clothing,

of various qualities and the most fashionable style of make, the stock consisting of Coats, Pants and Vests, for gentlemen and boys' wear. Also, now opening a large assortment of

BOOTS & SHOES,of every variety of size and description. In offering our stock of goods to the public, we deem it unnecessary to make a call for "more men," or raise the cry of "war," for the purpose of drawing attention, but would respectfully beg leave to say to the public generally, that by giving us a call at the North-west corner of the Square, (*Smith's corner*), we will sell goods as cheap as the cheapest, having purchased them entirely for cash. Deem it useless to encumber the articles, we close the store short, by saying our supply is full, and all we ask is a call to fit and please.

Also, constantly on hand, a large stock of

Blacksmiths

hammered and rolled, STEEL of all kinds, Strap and Round Iron, all sizes, Nails and Horseshoes,

Hardware, Cedarware, &c.,

TOGETHER WITH A LARGE & FULL STOCK OF

GROCERIES,

Also, at all times, will be found a full supply of the best

Family Flour, Feed, &c. &c.

Gettysburg, July 2, 1847.—3m

J. G. BAKER.**LATEST NEW YORK FASHIONS**

Just received at

J. G. BAKER'S

TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT,

Chambersburg street,

GETTYSBURG, PA.**PROCLAMATION.**

WHEREAS the Hon. Wm. N. Irvin, Esq. President of the several Courts of Common Pleas, in the counties composing the 19th District, and Justice of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer, and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of all capital and other offenders in the said district—and GEORGE SWARTZ and JAMES M'DIVITT, Esq.s, Judges of the Courts of Common Pleas, and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of all capital and other offenders in the county of Adams—have issued their precept, bearing date the 21st day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand and eight hundred and forty-six, and me directed, for holding a Court of Common Pleas and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace and General Jail Delivery, and Court of Oyer and Terminer, at Gettysburg, on Monday the 16th day of August next—

The subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public generally that he continues the Tailoring business at his old stand, in Chambersburg street, where he may at all times be found, ready to accommodate all those who may want garments made. He has just received the last New York.

SHROPSHIRE,

and he promises all who may favor him with their patronage, that he will give them entire satisfaction both as regards the fit and workmanship of all garments entrusted to him; and at as moderate prices as they can be obtained anywhere else. He hopes by strict attention to business and a desire to please, to merit a continuance of public patronage and support.—Country products taken in exchange for work.

J. G. BAKER.

April 16, 1847.—3m

J. G. BAKER.

Sheriff's Office, Gettysburg.

July 9, 1847.

J. G. BAKER.

Analytic Chemist.

For Sale, Wholesale & Retail, at the Manufactury, No. 87 North Third Street, opposite Cherry Street, Philadelphia, by

JOSEPH E. HOVER,

Manufacturer.

For sale in Gettysburg at the store of S. H. BUEHLER.

May 14, 1847.

M. P. SIMON'S,

DAUERREOTYPIST.

SILVER MEDAL awarded for the best pictures ever exhibited. Strangers visiting the city should call upon the Orphans' Court of Adams county, for confirmation and allowance, on Monday the 16th day of August next, viz:

The account of Joshua Motter, Administrator with the will annexed, of Lavinia M'Nair, deceased.

The account of William Weagly, Isaac Wengly and George Weagly, Executors of the last will and testament of John Weagly, deceased.

The account of Jacob Sanders, Administrator of the estate of Alexander Ewing, deceased.

The account of Jesse Little, Administrator of the estate of Andrew Little, who was Administrator of Ann Little, deceased.

The account of George H. Binder, Administrator of the estate of Charles A. Franks, deceased.

The account of John Wolford, Administrator of the estate of Abel Walker, deceased.

The account of George Robbinette, Executor of the last will and testament of Jacob Sholl, deceased.

The account of Andrew Lohr, Administrator of the estate of Jacob Lohr, deceased.

The account of Henry Myers and John H. Hoffman, Executors of the last will and testament of Barnhart Hoffman, deceased.

The account of Moses Lockhart, one of the Executors of the last will and testament of James Lockhart, deceased.

The account of John Dickson, Jr., one of the Executors of the last will and testament of James Lockhart, deceased.

The account of M. E. SIMONS, No. 119 Chestnut Street, Opposite the State House, Phila. April 20, 1847.—3m

TO THE AFFLICTED!

Compound Medicated Candy.

FOR the Cure of Colds, Coughs, Spitting of Blood, Bronchitis, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Pains and Oppressions of the breast, and all other Pulmonary complaints, and other diseases which have a tendency to produce Consumption. It serves also as an effectual clearer of the voice.

This Candy is entirely a vegetable preparation, the principal ingredients being, Horseradish, Wild Cherry, Sarsaparilla, Bonets, Elecampane, Liquorice, Flaxseed, Ireland Moss, Prickly Ash, &c. and will, if taken in time, relieve the system from those distressing affections that tend to Consumption.

One great advantage in this valuable medicine is its cheapness, the public not being imposed upon by the enormously high prices which are generally exacted for Patent and other medical Preparations. Each package contains directions. Call and try it!

Prepared and sold at the Confection and Variety store of the Subscribers in West York street, one square from the Court-house, and next door to Thompson's Hotel. It can also be had at the Drug Stores of S. H. BUEHLER, and S. FORNEY.

The subscriber as usual continues his Bakery, and is prepared to supply parties at the shortest notice, with choice cakes, &c.

C. WEAVER.

DIAMOND TONSON R.

S. R. TIPTON.

FASHIONABLE Barber and Hair Dresser, has removed his "Temple" to the Diamond, adjoining the County Building, where he can at all times be found prepared to attend to the calls of the public.

I have some Gold and Silver Levers, at still cheaper prices than the above. A liberal discount made to dealers. Call and see for yourselves.

For sale, Eight-day and Thirty-hour Brass Clocks, at

LEWIS LADOMUS'S Watch, Clock, and Jewelry Store, No. 413 Market St., above 11th, north side, Phila. Philadelphia, Sept. 4, 1846.

CHEAP

WATCHES & JEWELRY

At the Philadelphia Watch and Jewelry Store.

No. 96, North Second street, corner of Quarry.

Gold Lever Watches, full jeweled, \$45.00

Silver Levers, full jeweled, 23.00

Gold Lepines, jeweled, 30.00

Silver Lepines, jeweled, 15.00

Gold Quartiers, fine quality, 10.00

Gold watches, plain, 15.00

Silver Spectacles, 1.75

Gold Pencils, 2.00

Gold Bracelets, 4.00

—ALSO ON HAND—

A large assortment of Gold and Silver Hair-Bracelets, Finger-Rings, Breastpins, Hoop Ear-Ring, Gold Pens, Silver Spoons, Sugar Tongs, Thimbles, Gold Neck, and Fob Chains, Guard Keys, and Jewelry at equally low prices.

All I want is a call, to convince customers.

All kinds of Watches and Clocks repaired and warranted to keep good time for one year. Old Gold and Silver bought for Cash, or taken in exchange.

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Silver Lever do, 7 jewels, 18.00

Silver Lepine do, jewel'd, 1st qual. 14.00

Superior Quarter Watches, 10.00

Instantaneous do, not warranted, 5.00

Gold Spectacles, 8.00

Fine Silver Spectacles, 1.75

Gold Bracelets, with topaz stones, 3.00

Ladies' Gold Pencils, 16 carats, 2.00

Gold Finger Rings, 27 ct to #8; Watch Glasses—plain 12 ct; patent 18; lunet 25.

Other articles in proportion. All goods warranted to be what they are sold for.

O. CONRAD.

On hand, some Gold and Silver Levers, Lepines and Quartiers, lower than the above prices.

Dec. 4, 1846.—1y

ISABELLA NURSERY.

GOTTSTOWN, PA.

FRUIT TREES, of all kinds, (grafted in the root) can be had of the subscriber on reasonable terms. Please call and judge for yourselves.

C. W. HOFFMAN.

I have also for sale a lot of BOOTS & SHOES, made in this country, a lot of IRON, and a lot of Calfskin, Sole and Upper Leather, which will be sold uncom-

monly cheap, as I wish to clear off the stock.

Also, on hand a new Rockware, two

second-hand Buggies, a second-hand Carriage, and new old Harness, which I will dispose of at extremely low prices.

Those wishing BARGAINS will remember to call at the old-established VARIETY STORE, next-door to Kurtz' Hotel, and immediately opposite the Bank.

C. W. HOFFMAN.

Gettysburg, May 29, 1846.

NOTICE.

BAN away from the service of the sub-

scriber, Saturday evening last, an

indentured Apprentice to the Tailoring Busi-

ness, named NATHAN SLENTZ. Six