AGRICULTURAL.

IMPORTANT PROCESS.

Mr. S. Bentz, of Boonsborough, Maryland, has sent us two papers containing samples of wheat. No. 1. is wheat in a natural state, as grown with the bran on. No. 2 has the bran taken off, and is as nicely denuded of its outer coating as is pearl barley. He has also sent us a third paper containing the bran taken off of No. 2. Mr. Bentz is the inventor of the process by which this operation is performed; and without pretending to an extraordinary knowledge in the art of milling, we are to admit that this improvement appears to us, what his circular designates it, an "important" one. He affirms that all varieties of wheat, white, red, and yellow, are at once improved from 5 to 15 per cent. by the process—and that the red and yellow wheats will make as good and fair meal as the white varieties now do. We, of course, cannot be presumed to form any definite opinion upon the validity of his conclusions, but judging by the sample of unhulled, and hulled wheat, we should be disposed to yield our acquiescence in the justness of his declaration, and we are the more ready to yield this point, as by the separation of the outer-coating from the farinacious parts of the berry, nearly all the coloring matter being removed, there can be but little left calculated to discolor the flour made from it.

Among the advantages claimed for this process, the circular of Mr. Bentz sets forth that a saving in time in grinding is effected of from 25 to 50 per cent., while from 40 to 52 lbs. of wheat is saved in each barrel of flour: and that this system imparts to flour made by it the capacity of *keeping in hot climates.* This opinion he predicates upon the hypothesis, that it is the bran, which remains in all meal ground after the old method, which causes it to sour. This opinion derives support from the fact, that what is termed *dyspeptic flour*—flour containing the bran—will not keep longer than a few weeks without becoming sour. Why this is so, we are not chemists enough to determine, and only note the fact as one which has come under our observation.—*American Farmer.*

FORMATION OF A POULTRY YARD.

As soon as it is determined to have a poultry-yard, and the breed or breeds have been determined on, for some of them should be sitters, and others should supply the nests and tables with eggs, great care should be taken in the selection of the fowls; for on their healthiness, or freedom from disease, success will chiefly depend. The signs of health are as evident and as certain in the feathered tribes as in the quadrupeds. The glossiness and smoothness of the feathers, the brightness of the eye, the cleanness of the nostrils, the florid redness of the comb, the soundness of the legs, and the shortness of the claws, will be sufficient pledges of health. The male should be large of his kind, and bold and active; the hens should be gentle and tame; and, as sitters, by no means above the middle size; a small comb on the hen may be pardoned but should not be chosen. A large comb is a frequent pledge of her unquietness, and rarely belongs to a good sitter or careful nurse. They should be of a middle age, from eighteen months to two years. Before that period, the eggs will not have attained their full size, and the young broods will be proportionally small. The first inhabitants of the fowl-yard, and which will give to it its future character, should not be bought from a stranger; but there should be a certainty that the hens are good and early layers, and that they begin to lay again as soon as their brood is disposed of.

When a considerable number of fowls are kept, a poultry-house, however small and simple it may be, should be devoted exclusively to their use. In a farm-establishment it is particularly necessary, otherwise the owner will materially suffer.—They will wander away, and be liable to be killed by foxes, hawks, &c., and the eggs will be laid in all kinds of places.—This building, although well ventilated, should be warm and comfortable. Few animals suffer more from cold than our domestic fowls. The roosting places should be easy of access to the poultry, but sufficiently high to be out of the reach of vermin, and they should consist of one or more level ranges. The boxes for laying and sitting should be convenient and warm, apart from each other, and sufficiently numerous. If there be sufficient space, a yard-house should be fenced in, communicating with the poultry-house, and in which the whole stock may be occasionally confined. If it contain a stream or a pond of water, that would be a considerable advantage. At all events if the poultry wander about the yard, or other parts of the premises, their roosting, laying, and sitting-place should be comfortable, closed at night, and there they should always be fed. The poultry-yard should be dry. It should be sheltered from the northerly winds; oyster-shell lime, gravel, and brick-layers' rubbish, should be strewn in different parts of it, in which they may roll themselves at their pleasure. This is more conducive to the health of the fowls than is generally imagined, not only cleaning the feathers, but getting rid of eruption and vermin, and favoring that most important of all functions—cutaneous perspiration.

Philadelphia Advertisements

CHEAP

WATCHES & JEWELRY

At the Philadelphia Watch and Jewelry Store,

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

Gold Lever Watches, full jewelled, 18 car. cases,	$45 00
Silver Lever do. full jewelled,	23 00
Silver Lever do. 7 jewels,	18 00
Silver Lepine do. jewel'd, 1st qual.	14 00
Superior Quartier Watches,	10 00
Imitation do. not warranted,	5 00
Gold Spectacles,	8 00
Fine Silver Spectacles,	1 75
Gold Bracelets, with topaz stones,	3 50
Ladies' Gold Pencils, 16 carats,	2 00

Gold Finger Rings, 37 cts to $8; Watch Glasses—plain 12 cts; 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

The largest and cheapest Stock

OF GOLD AND SILVER **WATCHES,** Plain and Fancy Jewelry, IN PHILADELPHIA, Wholesale and Retail—No. 413½ Market street.

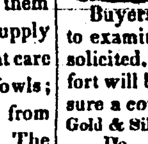
Gold Levers, full jewelled, 18 carret case, gold dial,	$40 00
Gold Lepines, do. do.	$25 to 30 00
Silver Levers, full jewelled,	20 00
Silver Lepines, jewelled,	12 00
Silver Quartier Watches, splendid quality,	8 00
Silver imitation Quartiers,	5 00
Second hand Gold and Silver Watches, at all prices, from	$2 to 25 00
Gold Pencils,	1 75 to 2 00
Gold Bracelets, with topaz and other sets,	3 00
Pure Silver Teaspoons,	4 50
Diamond point Gold Pens, with pencil and solid silver holders, only	1 25

Gold chains, breast-pins, finger-rings, ear-rings and Jewelry of every description, at the lowest Philadelphia or N. York prices; gold and silver Levers, Lepines, and Quartier watches, still much cheaper than the above prices. A call will be sufficient to convince purchasers that this is the place to get good and cheap articles. All goods warranted to be what they are sold for. Orders from the country punctually attended to. Old Gold and Silver bought for cash, or taken in exchange. All kinds of watches repaired and warranted to keep correct time.

N. B. I have a splendid gold independent seconds watch for timing horses. Also, Gilt and Galvanized Watches, for traders' use, and goods of all kinds in my line, at LEWIS LADOMUS'S Watch, Clock, and Jewelry Store, No. 413½ Market St., above 11th, north side, Phila.

Philadelphia, Aug. 6, 1847.—7m

Clocks, Watches, Jewelry, &c.



THE Subscriber offers to the trade, or by retail, a large assortment of the following articles, being all of his own importation or manufacture.

Buyers of goods in this line are invited to examine the assortment, and orders are solicited, with the assurance that every effort will be made to give satisfaction and insure a continuance of custom.

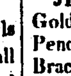
Gold & Silver Lever Watches of ordinary quality
Do do do of superior finish.
Do do do Anchors & Lepines.
Silver double cased English and Swiss verge Watches, with light medium and heavy cases.
Gold Jewelry in all varieties, fine and common.
Silver Plated, and Silver Wares.
Musical Boxes, playing 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10 tunes.
Gold and Silver Spectacles.
Diamond Pointed Gold Pens.
Mantel & Office Clocks, in gilt and other frames.
Watchmakers' Tools and Materials of all sorts.
Fancy Articles, Fancy Fans, Steel Beeds, &c.

Having every facility for obtaining goods on the most advantageous terms, corresponding inducements will be offered to purchasers. JOHN C. FARR, 112 *Chesnut st. Philadelphia.*

July 16, 1847.—6m

Watches, Jewelry, &c.

WATCHES, Jewelry & Silver Ware may be had wholesale and retail, guarantied better for the price than at any other store in Philadelphia, at (late Nicholas Le Huray's) No. 72 North 2nd street, above Arch, Philadelphia.



WATCHES, all kinds, fine, medium and low qualities, among which are

Gold Levers, full Jewelled,	$40 to $100
Lepines "	25 to 40
Quartiers Imitation,	5
Silver Levers, full Jewelled,	20 to 30
" Lepines "	12 to 18
Quartiers fine	9 to 10

JEWELRY, Diamonds, Gold Chains, Gold Pens with Gold & Silver Holders, Pencils, Breastpins, Ear and Finger Rings, Bracelets, Cameos of Shell, Coral and Lava, with every other article of Jewelry of the richest and most fashionable patterns.

SILVER WARE, Plate, Forks, Spoons, Cups, &c., of standard Siver.

PLATED WARE, Castors, Cake Baskets, Fans, Vases, Card Cases and other Rich Fancy Goods in great variety.

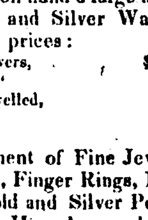
Wholesale Buyers will save money by calling here before purchasing.

☞Keep this advertisement and call at No. 72. You will be satisfied the goods are really cheaper and better than are offered in the city. For sale low, a handsome pair of SHOW CASES, suitable for Jewelry or Fancy Store, apply as above.

Sept. 3, 1847.—1y

Cheap Watches and Jewelry.

Full Jewelled Gold Levers for $40, warranted by



Jacob Ladomus

No. 246 Market street, Philadelphia, who

HAS constantly on hand a large assortment of Gold and Silver Watches, at the following low prices:

Full Jewelled Gold Levers,	$40 00
" Silver "	20 00
Gold Lepines, Full Jewelled,	30 00
Silver Lepines,	12 00
Silver Quartiers,	8 00

with a large assortment of Fine Jewelry, such as Ear Rings, Finger Rings, Breast Pins, Bracelets, Gold and Silver Pencils, Gold Chains, &c. Has also on hand a complete assortment of patent and plain Watch Glasses, Main Springs, Verges, Dials and Hands, of every description—in fact, a complete assortment of Watchmaker's tools and Watch materials, to which he would call the attention of the Country Trade. Those wishing anything in the above line, will find it to their advantage to call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere.

Philadelphia, Aug. 6, 1847.—6m

Feathers! Feathers!

From 12½ to 45 Cents per Pound,

CHEAP FOR CASH.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

FREDERICK G. FRASER, Upholsterer and General Furnisher, No. 415 Market St. above 11th, North side, opposite Girard Row, Philadelphia, where may be had at all times a large assortment of Beds and Mattrasses, Curled Hair and Feathers, Chairs, Tables, Bedsteads and Looking Glasses, together with all other articles in the above line of business at the very lowest Cash prices.

N. B.—Goods warranted to give satisfaction.

Sept. 2, 1847.—3m

Allegheny House,

280 MARKET ST. PHILADELPHIA.

THE subscriber (late of the Washington Hotel, Harrisburg, Pa.) takes this method of informing his old friends and the public generally that he has taken the above named HOTEL. The House is airy and comfortable, and has been extensively altered and improved, and the proprietor hopes by strict attention to business, and a proper care for the comfort of his guests, to merit and receive a share of public patronage. The House is situated very convenient for the Travelling Public, being only two doors above the Harrisburg and Pittsburg Depot, and within two minutes walk of the Baltimore and Reading Depots. Stabling attached to the premises. Terms $1 per day.

E. P. HUGHES, Proprietor.

Sept. 3, 1847.—tf

To Country Merchants and Others.

STEPHEN F. WHITMAN,

CONFECTIONER & FRUITERER,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

No. 426 Market street, above 12th South side

PHILADELPHIA,

HAS now on hand and is constantly receiving a large and well selected stock of every article in his line, consisting in part of Oranges, Lemons, Prunes, Figs, Dates, Raisons, Grapes, and every other fruit in season. A full assortment of Bordeaux and Soft-shelled Almonds, Filberts, Ground Nuts, Cream Nuts, English Walnuts, Cocoa Nuts, &c. His assortment of CANDIES are at lower prices than can be bought in the City. He requests an examination of his stock before purchasing elsewhere, as he offers goods at a *small advance*, being anxious to do business for CASH.

☞Cut out this advertisement and bring it with you.

Sept. 24, 1847.—3m

C. HARKNESS'
Clothing Establishment.

The most extensive Clothing Warehouse in the *United States.*

RE-OPENED FOR WINTER.

100,000 Garments on hand, and ready for disposal, WHOLESALE & RETAIL.

TO patrons we would say, that having but one price, those who are not dealers, or do not understand the real valuation price of goods, will have an opportunity of purchasing garments as low as professed judges. Jobbers and dealers in ready-made Clothing, can replenish their stocks for the winter, and we guarantee the largest establishment in Philadelphia to select from. We attend personally to the packing of goods and see that a good assortment of sizes and well-made articles are put up. Single suits forwarded as per orders

☞Our goods are for sale only at the large building, 128 Market st. Southeast corner of Market and Fourth streets, Philadelphia. C. HARKNESS.

Sept. 24, 1847.—3m

HOVER'S
First Premium Writing Ink.

THIS Ink has for a long while become established as a *National article*, and the following testimonials from Washington City, prove its merits in that direction:

House of Representatives, Washington City, Feb. 24, 1843.

I state that I have used the Ink, during the present session of Congress, manufactured by Joseph E. Hover, Esq., of Philadelphia, and I have found it to be an article of most *excellent quality.*

JOHN WHITE,
Speaker House of Representatives.

Patent Office, Washington, D. C., February 24. 1843.

SIR—Your Black Writing Ink has been used in this Office since October last, and is *entirely approved.*

I am respectfully,
J. W. HAND, *Chief Clerk.*
Mr. JOSEPH E. HOVER, *Philadelphia.*

Hover's Adamantine Cement.

The following from Bicknell's Reporter will best illustrate its value:

"Mr. Hover manufactures "*Adamantine Cement*" for joining broken china, glass, &c.; we have have tried the article and found it to be excellent."

For Sale, Wholesale and Retail, at the Manufactory, 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.

August 13, 1847. 6m

NOTICE.

THE accounts and notes assigned by ROBERT W. M'SHERRY, have been left by the subscriber in the hands of ROBERT G. M'CREARY, Esq. for collection.—Persons indebted either by note or book account will be good enough to call and settle the same between this and the *first day of December next.* Indulgence beyond that date cannot be given.

The accounts, notes, &c., due to the subscriber, will be likewise left in the hands of R. G. M'Creary, Esq., who will have charge of all his business during his absence. JAMES COOPER.

Oct. 22, 1847.—3t

Plain, French, and English
MERINOES,

Thibet, Lyonese and Parometta CLOTH, beautiful articles for Ladies' Cloaks and Dresses; plaid and striped, Silk and Worsted

CASHMERES,

Silk, Woolen and Cotton, Tarlton, Buena Vista, Oregon and California

PLAIDS,

very handsome and cheap. Woolen Piano and Table Covers,—a beautiful article.—Also, CARPETING, A great variety on hand and for sale by GEO. ARNOLD.

Oct. 8, 1847.—4t

BLACKSMITHING.

THE undersigned has connected with his Coachmaking Establishment a large Smith Shop, and is prepared to do ALL KINDS OF

BLACKSMITHING,

INCLUDING

IRONING CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, WAGONS, &C.

He would say to those who have Horses to shoe, that he has in his employ first-rate hands, which, with his personal attention, will enable him to give entire satisfaction to all those who may favor him with a call.

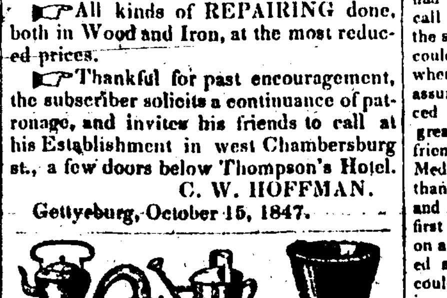
CARRIAGE & BUGGY SPRINGS, (warranted) will be promptly made to order at all times.

☞All kinds of REPAIRING done, both in Wood and Iron, at the most reduced prices.

☞Thankful for past encouragement, the subscriber solicits a continuance of patronage, and invites his friends to call at his Establishment in west Chambersburg st., a few doors below Thompson's Hotel.

C. W. HOFFMAN.

Gettysburg, October 15, 1847.



G. E. BUEHLER

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public generally that he has now on hand a large assortment of *TIN WARE* of every description, which he will sell at moderate prices—all warranted. Persons wishing to purchase *at low rates* will do well to call before purchasing elsewhere.

HOUSE SPOUTING will be made and put up at 12½ cents a foot.

Gettysburg, March 12, 1847.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN, That application will be made by the undersigned and others, to the next Legislature of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, for the incorporation of a Company under the name and style, or intended name and style, of THE BERLIN SAVINGS INSTITUTION, capital Fifty Thousand Dollars, designed as an office of discount and deposit; and to be located in East-Berlin, Adams county, Pa.

David Mellinger,	John Dellone,
William Wolf,	George Schwartz,
J. J. Kuhn,	J. H. Aulabaugh,
Charles Spangler,	Barnet Hildebrand,
George King,	Isaac Trimmer,
George H. Binder,	Abraham Trimmer,
John Diehl.	David Hollinger.

June 25, 1847.—6m

DIAMOND TONSOR.

S. R. TIPTON,

FASHIONABLE Barber and Hair Dresser, has removed his "Temple" to the Diamond, adjoining the County Buildings, where he can at all times be found prepared to attend to the calls of the public. From long experience he flatters himself that he can go through all the ramifications of the Tonsorical departments, with such an infinite degree of skill as will meet the entire satisfaction of all who may submit their chins to the keen ordeal of his razor. He hopes, therefore, that by attention to business and a desire to please, he will merit as well as receive a liberal share of public patronage. The sick will be attended to at their private dwellings.

Stanton's External Remedy,

CALLED

HUNT'S LINIMENT,

IS now universally acknowledged to be the INFALLIBLE REMEDY for Rheumatism, spinal affections, contractions of the muscles, sore throat and quinsy, issues, old ulcers, pains in the back and chest, ague in the breast and face, tooth ache, sprains, bruises, salt rheum, burns, croup, frosted feet, and all nervous diseases. The *triumphant success* which has attended the application of this most *wonderful medicine* in curing the most severe cases of the different diseases above named, and the *high enconiums* that have been bestowed upon it, wherever it has been introduced, gives me the right to call on the *afflicted* to resort at once to the *only remedy that can be relied on.*

The faculty unite in recommending the celebrated External Remedy, Hunt's Liniment:

The following letters from the highly eminent Physicians who have been attached to the Mount Pleasant State Prison for many years, is the best evidence of the value of this celebrated Liniment:

SING SING, DECEMBER 26, 1845.

MY DEAR SIR:—I received your note of yesterday, asking my opinion of Hunt's Liniment, as prepared by Mr. George E. Stanton. Knowing its composition, and having frequently used it, I can recommend it to you as a safe External Remedy, and, in my opinion, the best Liniment now in use. Very truly and respectfully yours,

A. K. HOFFMAN.

Col. Pierre Van Cortlandt, Groton Manor.

I fully concur in the above opinion.

W. N. BELCHER.

YORKTOWN, JANUARY 14, 1845.

SIR:—In reply to your letter I would say that I have used your External Remedy, called Hunt's Liniment, in my practice since you made me acquainted with its composition, and unhesitatingly say that I believe it to be the best External Remedy now in use for the complaints for which you recommend it. Yours respectfully,

BENJ. D. MILLER, M. D.

GEORGE E. STANTON, ESQ.

From the New York Sun.

Among the mass of worthless articles and humbugs that are poured forth at the present day upon the country, it really refreshing to find something of real practical utility, something simple, speedy, and effectual in its operation, and at the same time free from those injurious effects which generally attend powerful remedies. Hunt's Liniment prepared by George E. Stanton, of Sing Sing though it has been but a short time before the public, has already obtained the confidence, not only of our most wealthy and influential citizens, but our most eminent physicians. All acknowledge it to be a sovereign balm for many of the ills that flesh is heir to, soothing the aching limb, and by its genuine stimulating influence, banishing disease from the system.

This Liniment is sold at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by all the principal Druggists and Merchants.

Orders addressed to me at Sing Sing, N Y, will be attended to, G E STANTON, Proprietor.

Wholesale Agents—Hoadly, Phelps & Co 142 Water street, Rushton & Co 110 Broadway, A B & D Sands, corner Fulton and William, Aspinwall 86 William street, *New York*; Cuthbert & Wetherill 76 South Second, *Philadelphia.*

AGENTS.—Samuel H. Buehler & S. S. Forney, *Gettysburg*; Abraham King, *Hunterstown*; E. Zuck, *Pinetown*; Jacob Hollinger, *Heidlersburg*; Hollinger & Ferree, *Petersburg, (Y. S.)*; Jacob Aulabaugh, *Hampton*; Geo. S. Bentzel, and J. S. Hildebrand & Co., *East Berlin.*

June 11, 1847. [Dec. 2-1y]

ROSS' EXPECTORANT

A REMEDY

For Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough, Spitting of Blood, Sore Throat, Pains and Oppressions of the Breast, Difficulty of Breathing, and all other diseases of the

PULMONARY ORGANS!

Read the following Certificate of Cure performed by the use of *Ross's Expectorant* and say if you will longer neglect your cough, or doubt its efficacy.

Baltimore, March 12, 1847.

Mr. JAS. F. ROSS.

Dear Sir—About three weeks ago my wife caught a severe cold, which troubled her a good deal and gave her great uneasiness; she prepared a great many articles which were recommended to her by her friends, but without receiving the benefit from any of them; her cough was getting worse every day; her appetite was fast fai ling and to sleep was impossible: the pains in her breast and side became so severe that that she had to go to bed, and my friends advised me to call in a Physician. I thought I would call in the store where you were engaged and see if I could not get something that would relieve her, when you gave me a bottle of your Expectorant, assuring me that it would cure her, she commenced taking it that night, not, however, without great opposition on the part of some of he friends, who said it was only some "Quack Medicine," and would do her more harm than good. But I determined to take your advice, and now *let all know the Result!* From taking the first dose she felt easier, though unable to sleep on account of the quantity of phlegm that loosened and would almost choke her, but which she could spit up with but little difficulty; the following day she continued it according to the directions, and that time, for the first time for nearly two weeks, she enjoyed a good night's rest and by the time she had finished the first bottle, she was entirely cured. Make what use of this you think proper, for such an invaluable medicine should be made known to the afflicted every where. With best wishes for your success,

I remain yours &c.,
CHARLES PASSWAY.

CAUTION!!! Beware of Counterfeits and Spurious Imitations. See that the initials "J. F. R" are on the seal: also my *Written Signature* on the wrapper of each bottle, without which none is genuine. Prepared only by James F Ross, Druggist, Baltimore Md. ☞For sale in *Gettysburg* by, SAMUEL H. BUEHLER, and in *Millerstown* by G. W. HEAGY.

May 28, 1847.—1y

Will be published in Washington, D. C., on the Seventh of December next,

The United States Reporter,

A Daily Journal of Government, Legislative and General News.

THE subscriber is now enabled to announce the completion of his arrangements for the establishment of a well organized and Independent Journal of News at the Seat of the General Government. The leading features of "The United States Reporter" will be the following:

I. Early intelligence of the movements of the various Departments of the Government, in reference to Domestic affairs and to the Foreign relations of the country, will be given with scrupulous fidelity. Possessing peculiar facilities for obtaining information, the "Reporter" will be enabled frequently to communicate, exclusively, intelligence of the most important character.

II. The verbatim Reports of the Proceedings and Debates of the U. States Senate, which the proprietor is bound to furnish daily to that body, in accordance with the terms of the contract made at the close of the last session of Congress. The arrangements now made will at once fully secure to the Senate of the United States an authentic and complete record of its debates; and to the people—in a greatly enlarged degree—the benefit of the experience, sagacity, and statesmanship of that body to which they have ever looked with solicitous and respectful regard.

III. The Proceedings and Debates in the House of Representatives will also be given, with fullness, impartiality, and the utmost promptitude. Each day's record will be completely made up, and appear in the "Reporter" next morning.

IV. A Synoptical View of the Proceedings and Debates of all the State Legislatures will be regularly given. Members of Congress, and all classes of readers, will thus be kept fully and systematically informed of domestic legislation in all sections of the U. States.

V. Early intelligence of all important movements in the Legislatures of Great Britain and France will be communicated by every steamer from Europe, through Reporters in London and Paris, who possess peculiar facilities for obtaining information.

VI. The General News of the Day will be given in a condensed form, with industry and attention.

Such is a brief view of what the "United States Reporter" is designed to be. All the plans and arrangements have been well matured, and the hope is confidently cherished that the "Reporter" will prove itself an energetic, industrious, dignified, and perfectly independent journal. It will have no party views—no political bias. The proprietor, by the terms of his contract with the Senate of the U. States, is bound to the condition that "the paper shall contain no political discussions except the debates." It will be a vehicle of *news*, not the organ of any set of opinions. The grand aim of the subscriber is to establish at the seat of Government a faithful and prompt reporter of all sorts of intelligence—*a responsible agent*, to which the politician, the business man, the manufacturer, the mechanic, and every one interested in the affairs of Congress and the Government, may rely at all times with implicit confidence.

It is believed that the establishment of such a reliable Journal of Intelligence, on terms which place it within reach of the great masses of the people, at the commencement of what promises to be a most interesting and eventful period in the history of Congressional proceedings, will be regarded with favor by all classes of the community; and, having thus stated his objects, the subscriber respectfully solicits a liberal and general support from the enlightened public of the United States. JAMES A. HOUSTON,

Stenographer to the Senate of the U. States.

The "United States Reporter" will be printed on a large and handsome sheet, and issued every morning, except Sundays, at the rate of $6 per annum; single copies 2 cts.

In connection with the daily paper, there will be issued from the same establishment,

THE MIRROR OF CONGRESS.

This publication will contain exclusively the reports of the proceedings and debates of the Congress of the U. States. It will be issued semi-weekly, in an elegant quarto form, throughout the sessions of Congress, and will be furnished to subscribers at the rate of two dollars for the long session, and one dollar for the short session. It is believed that this great national work will be deemed indispensable in the library of every public institution, politician, and professional man, throughout the country; and that it will be regarded by the great mass of the people as the very best political text book for their own instruction and that of their children.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.—Throughout the session of Congress, *Extras* will be issued from the office of the "United States Reporter," containing the reports of all such debates as may possess particularly exciting interest.

All subscriptions and communications to be postpaid and addressed to "J. A. HOUSTON, U. S. Reporter, Washington, D. C."

Dr. C. W. Appleton's Celebrated Remedy

FOR DEAFNESS,

PAINS in, and discharge of matter from, the ear, together with all other unpleasant symptoms, which either accompany or announce approaching Deafness. This invaluable medicine is the result of a long and faithfully pursued course of experiments instituted with the sole view to discover (if possible) a certain, and, at the same time, a safe remedy for this dreadfully afflicting disorder, and after being extensively used in the private practice of the subscriber during the last eight years, in very numerous cases with the most remarkable success, is now offered to the public, for the benefit of those who, from distance or other causes, cannot have the personal attention of the proprietor, in the fullest confidence of its efficacy, and in the firm belief that it will not disappoint the expectations of those who may have occasion for its use; in short, that it is the most VALUABLE article ever offered to the public for this disease.

☞For sale in Gettysburg by S. H. BUEHLER, in Abbottstown by WM. BITTINGER, in Oxford by LILLY & RILEY, and in Franklin township by THOMAS. J. COOPER. [Aug. 6, 1847—1y

SCEPTICISM CONFOUNDED.

More facts in relation to the wonderful efficacy of

THOMPSON'S

Compound Syrup of Tar & Wood Naptha, the BEST REMDY of the day for CONSUMPTION, *Asthma, Coughs, Colds, Liver Complaint, &c., &c., &c.*

READ the following from Mr. Sharp, a well known and highly respectable citizen of the Northern Liberties, Philadelphia County. This is one of the most astonishing cures on record, and, it will be seen, is attested by the Rev. Mr. STREET, and by other citizens of that district:

PHILADELPHIA, AUGUST 11, 1847.

Near the close of the year 1845, I had an attack of the Pleurisy and while recovering from it, I took a severe cold. My condition soon became alarming and I grew gradually worse and worse.

The symptoms manifested by my disease were those ordinarily found in pulmonary affections—but mine were of an exceedingly aggravated character. For a long period I expectorated a great quantity of matter, which appeared a mixture of pus and blood—at times it seemed as if I was discharging the very substance of the Lungs. My voice was gone so as to be unable to utter a few words without great difficulty, and I experienced a thousand other painful sensations that cannot be told. One of the most unpleasant attendants of my disease were chilling sweats. The cold perspiration ran from me continually, not only at night, but also during the day so as to keep my cloths at all times continually wet.

I employed every means of cure I could hear, and was attended by several eminent and skillful Physicians. But the obstinacy of my disease baffled all their efforts. They indeed raised me from my bed, but they also pronounced me incurable. The last Physician attending me, told me at one time, that I had but a few days to live—at another time I might linger on a few weeks or months, but that it was utterly impossible that I could get well, or ever be able to attend to my business. Thus, with no prospect of recovery I lingered on during the greater part of the year 1846—for three months of which period my friends sat up with me, expecting every night to see my sufferings end in death.

But last fall, a lady residing in Southwark, who had been cured of somewhat similar sufferings by "Thompson's Compound Syrup of Tar and Naphtha," came and urged upon me a trial of it. Almost despairing of any relief, and with no hope of recovery, I commenced its use. Imagine then my satisfaction in being able to state that I am NOW WELL! and I attribute my restoration entirely to the wonderful efficacy of the above medicine. From the time I commenced its use, the disease began to yield its hold upon me, and by steady perseverance in its employment I may say it has raised me from the grave. All unpleasant symptoms have vanished and I have for several months attended to my business as formerly, and (except some less degree of strength than I once possessed,) as well as ever.

People come from various places to see me, inquiring for the man cured of Consumption! Those who have known me and are well acquainted with my long continued afflictions, stop with astonishment when they meet me, at seeing the wonderful change wrought by the use of the above medicine.

WM. W. SHARP,
No. 8 Charlotte st., Philadelphia.

The undersigned, friends of Mr. W. W. Sharp, are familiar with his case and sufferings, and testify that the statements are true.

John Street, Missionary, No. 113 York Road.
Thomas Street, No. 108 North Second street.
Addison Hines, Grocer, No. 121 Brown street.
Jacob Knows, No. 369 North Fourth street.
Garret Vanzant, No. 221 North Second street.

☞This invaluable remedy is prepared only by Angney & Dickson, N. E. Corner of Fifth and Spruce streets, Philadelphia, and can be had of the following Agents:

S. S. Forney, Gettysburg.
R. Angney, Carlisle.
D. P. Lange, Hanover.

and by respectable Druggists generally.

Price 50 cents, or $1.00 per bottle. Beware of imitations.

October 15, 1847. [April 30, 1847.—1y]

TO THE AFFLICTED!

Compound Medicated Candy.

FOR the Cure of Colds, Coughs, Spitting of Blood, Bronchetis, 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, Hore-hound, Wild Cherry, Sarsaparilla, Boneset, Elecampane, Liquorice, Flaxseed, Iceland Moss, Prickly Ash, &c. and will, if taken in time, relieve the system from those distressing afflictions 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 Subscriber 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.

DYSPEPSIA,

And and all Diseases of the Stomach and Bowels.

DYSPEPSIA, or Indigestion and its consequences.—An eminent Professor says: "It chiefly arises in persons who lead either a very sedentary or irregular life. Although not regarded as a fatal disease, yet, if neglected, it may bring on incurable Melancholy, Jaundice, Madness, or Vertigo, Palsy, and Apoplexy. A great singularity attendant on it is, that it may and often does continue a great length of time without any remission of the symptoms.

CAUSES.—Grief and uneasiness of mind, intense study, profuse evacuations, excess in venery, excessive use of spiritous liquors, tea, tobacco, opium and other narcotics, immoderate repletion, over distention of the stomach, a deficiency in the secretion of the bile or gastric juice, exposure to cold and damp air, are the chief causes of this disease.

SYMPTOMS.—Loss of appetite, nausea, heart-burn, acidity and fœtid eructations, gnawing of the stomach when empty, uneasiness in the throat, pain in the side, costiveness, chilliness, languor, lowness of spirits, palpitations, and disturbed sleep.

TREATMENT.—*DR. ALLEN'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND* has never failed in affording immediate relief and a radical cure for this disease.

Principal Office, No. 77 N. Eighth st., east side, Philadelphia. For sale in Gettysburg by S. S. FORNEY.

July 30, 1847.—1y

HOUSE SPOUTING

WILL be made and put up by the subscriber, who will attend promptly to all orders, and upon as reasonable terms as can be procured at any establishment in the county.

GEO. E. BUEHLER.

Gettysburg, October 15, 1847.

Dr CULLEN'S

Indian Vegetable Panacea

AN EXTRAORDINARY CURE.

MESSRS. ROWAND & WALTON—Having experienced the extraordinary efficacy of your Dr. Cullen's Indian Vegetable Panacea upon my own person, a feeling of gratitude for your wonderful discovery, and a desire that your Medicines should be known and appreciated by the public, has induced me thus voluntarily to give you an account of my case, hoping that others who may be so unfortunate as I have been, may be induced to throw prejudice aside and give your Panacea a fair trial.

In February, 1846, a lump or tumor first appeared upon the spine of my right leg, and another on the lower part of my breast near the junction of the ribs; they increased gradually until the early part of June, about which time they became very painful. In July the tumor on the left leg ULCERATED and became a running sore, extending itself until it was half the size of a man's hand; and had eaten into the bone, and one or two smaller ulcers appeared below the ancle. My physician and others pronounced it Scrofula. Up to this time every remedy used gave no relief; the leg continued to get worse; during the early part of August my sufferings were intense. I neither went to bed or slept regularly for nearly two weeks, being compelled to set up, with my leg supported on a chair. About this time my son brought home with him from Cincinnati market one of your circulars, which had been thrown into the wagon. I read it, and knowing some of the signers to the Certificate of the case of Mr. Brooks, and believing from my knowledge of their characters that they would not lend their names for the purpose of palming an imposition upon the public, I concluded to try what effect it would have upon me. On the 20th of August I procured the first bottle, commenced taking it according to directions, and in four hours the pain was so much relieved that I fell asleep and enjoyed that greatest of blessings, a few hours repose. I continued using it until the 28th of August, when I found myself so much better that I went to Cincinnati to your Agent, Mr. Danenhour, with whom I made arrangements to take 20 bottles, provided he would guarantee to cure me. He agreed to do so, and gave me the privilege of stopping short of the 20 bottles, whenever I considered myself well. I now felt encouraged, and continued to use it under Mr. D's instructions, until I had taken 12 bottles, (using no other medicine whatever.) when I found myself entirely well; the tumor on my breast having softened, it opened, came out, and was healed up when I had taken 6 or 7 bottles. I will here observe, that for many years I had been troubled with a kind of dry Tetter, which greatly annoyed me, particularly when heated or warm in bed; I have felt nothing of this since taking your medicine, and have no doubt that my system is now entirely free from disease, my general health never having been better.

On the 3d of December I again called on Mr. Danenhower. I then pronounced myself well and offered to give him a Certificate to that effect, which I promised to send him in a few days. A few days thereafter, however, while killing hogs, I hurt the same leg badly, in consequence of which I postponed giving the promised Certificate, wishing thoroughly to test the permanency of the cure. I now used nothing but the usual simple remedies for fresh wounds, and found my flesh perfectly healthy, and in the usual time for such cases my leg healed. Sufficient time has elapsed to convince me that I am now a sound man and that I have been cured by your Panacea alone. In short, I have every confidence in its virtues.—Persons desirous of obtaining further particulars, can be gratified by calling at my residence, at Muddy Creek, Hamilton county, Ohio.

DAVID KIRGAN.

CITY OF CINCINNATI, SS.

Personally appeared before me, the subscriber, mayor of said city, DAVID KIRGAN, who, being sworn, deposes and says that the facts set forth in the foregoing statement are true. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my name, and caused the Corporate Seal of the said City to be affixed, this fourth day of March, 1847

H. E. SPENCER, Mayor.

Sold, wholesale and retail, by ROWAND & WALTON, Proprietors, 376 Market street, Philadelphia, and by the following Agents:

S. H. Buehler, Gettysburg.
Wm. Bittinger, Abbottstown.
Lilly & Riley, Oxford.
T. J. Cooper, Franklin tp.

August 6, 1847.—2m

Protection against Loss by Fire.

THE "Cumberland Valley Mutual Protection Company," being incorporated by an Act of the Legislature, and fully organized and in operation under the direction of the following Board of Managers, viz: T C Miller, James Weakly, D W M'Cullough, A G Miller, T A M Kinley, Philip Spangler, Samuel Galbraith, Samuel Tritt, Ab'm King, (Adams,) John Zug, Samuel Huston, J T Green, J Bear:—call the attention of the inhabitants of Cumberland and Adams counties to the cheapness of the rates, and the many advantages which this kind of insurance has over any other.

1st. Every person insured becomes a member of the company and takes part in the selection of officers and the direction of its concerns.

2d. For insurance no more is demanded than is necessary to meet the expenses of the Company, and indemnity against losses which may happen.

3d. The inconvenience of frequent renewals is avoided by insuring for a term of five years.

4th. Any person applying for insurance must give his premium note for the cheapest class at the rate of five per cent., which will be $50 on the 1000, for which he will have to pay $2 50 for five years and $1 50 for survey and policy, and on more unless loss be sustained to a greater amount than the funds on hand will cover, and then no more than a pro rata share. These rates are much cheaper than those of other companies, except such as are incorporated on the same principles. T. C. MILLER, President.

A. G. MILLER, Secretary.

☞The following named persons have been appointed *Agents* for Adams County:—Wm W Paxton, Esq. General Agent for Adams county; J A Thompson and D Ziegler, Gettysburg; Dr. Wm R Stewart, Petersburg; Henry Myers, New Chester; Henry Mayer, Abbottstown; Daniel Comfort, Straban township; Abraham King, Hunterstown; David Blythe, Fairfield; T T Wierman, Arendtsville; Wm Morrison and Abel T Wright Bendersville; Dr. D Mellinger, East Berlin; Ab'm Scott, Cashtown.

Sept. 13, 1846.—tf

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Gettysburg, Aug. 6, 1847.

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