

THE RAFTSMAN'S JOURNAL.

WRITTEN AT MY MOTHER'S GRAVE.

By GEORGE D. PRENTICE. The trembling dew-drops fall Upon the shining flowers; like souls at rest The stars shine brightly, and all Save me, are blest. Mother, I love thy grave! The violet with its blossoms blue and mild. Waves o'er thy head; when shall it wave Above thy child? 'Tis a sweet flower, yet must Its bright leaves to the coming tempest bow; Dear mother, 'tis thine emblem; dust Is on thy brow. And I could love to die; To leave unstuffed life's dark, bitter streams— By thee, as erst in childhood, I And share thy dream. And I must linger here, To stain the plumage of my sinless years. And mourn the hopes to childhood dear With bitter tears. Ay, I must linger here, A lonely branch upon a wither'd tree. Whose last frail leaf, untimely ere, Went down with thee! Off from life's wither'd bower, In still communion with the past, I turn, And muse on thee, the only flower In memory's urn. And when the evening pale Bows like a mourner, on the dim, blue wave, I stray to hear the night-winds wail Around thy grave. Where is thy spirit flown? I gaze above—thy look is inaged there; I listen—and thy gentle tone Is on the air. O, come, while here I press My brow upon thy grave; and in those mild and thrilling tones of tenderness, Bless, bless thy child! Yes, bless thy weeping child; And o'er thine urn—religion's holiest shrine— O, give his spirit, undefiled, To blend with thine.

The Happy Tyro.

A cheerful temper is a natural gift, the desirability of which cannot be questioned; but seldom do we meet with a spirit so thoroughly saturated with good nature that no disappointment, no poverty, no deprivation, or combination of adverse circumstances can break it down or overcome its geniality. But yesterday morning a man made his appearance before Justice Brennan who seemed to have a perfect fountain of undiluted contentment somewhere in his composition which no depressing influences of care or accident has been able to exhaust or adulterate—a tyro, a modern edition of Mark Tapscott—a human barrel of jolliness without hoops on it. He was arrested for being intoxicated. He gave his name as Gettysburg Take, and said he was a printer, and hailed from "The Gem of Science" office. He is a short man, of a beer cask figure, and a face as rubicund as if he slept in a room with red curtains. His answers to the questions of the authorities showed his contentment under all shades of fortune. The Justice being also in a genial humor, was inclined to banter the disciple of Ben Franklin, and accordingly addressed him as follows: Judge—Well, Mr. Take, it seems you have thrown aside the "composing stick," and gone to getting drunk for a living. I am afraid you are a "bad case," and stand in need of "correcting." I think I shall send you to "quod."

These technicalities, which were uttered in a sort of you-see-I-know-your-trade-as-well-as-you-do-sir, seemed to give Mr. Take that assurance which printers seldom lack, but of which the solemnities of a Police Court might temporarily have deprived him, and he answered: Prisoner—Well, at any rate, I'm glad we've no "galleys" in this country, or I suppose you'd put me there, and well "leaded," at that. But bless you, sir, going to jail's nothing; the last time I was there I tamed a rat and taught him to chew tobacco, besides inventing three new steps for a fancy horriope—it's a good deal better than setting "solid minion," more than three quarters figure work, and getting only "price and a half" for it. Lord bless you, Squire, I'd a great deal rather go to jail ten days than not. I've got sick of work just now, and I'll have a chance to get the bile off my stomach. Judge—you seem to take it easy; how do you propose to employ your time this trip? Prisoner—Well, Corporal, I'm undecided whether I'll learn to whistle the opera of the "Bohemian Girl," practise standing on my head, or undertake to acquire the elegant accomplishment of balancing straws on my nose; if I could catch a cat I'd teach her to play on the fiddle, if I thought the strings wouldn't remind her unpleasantly of intestinal disorders, after her feline body had been nine times slain. Judge—Mr. Take you seem particularly happy under the circumstances; have you got a wife? Prisoner—No, now, Lieutenant. I had one, but she run off with a bow-legged cobbler; I was so glad about it that I sent her her dresses and quit claim deed of her person, which I signed in capital letters; she left me one boy, but he was a "foul copy," not a bit like me; I found him 'prentice to the typetting trade, but the first day he quarreled with the regular "devil," knocked over the "bank," pulled a "form" off the imposing stone, and "spiced five columns;" he dropped the "shooting stick" into the "alligator press," and in the evening he and another hopeful boy were caught rehearsing a broadsword combat with a couple of "column rulers;" the foreman "battered" him with the "mallet," and when he got home to me he had a "fancy head," if there ever was one. Clerk—Where is he now? Prisoner—He ran away with a circus, and the last time I saw him he was in the middle of a saw-dust ring trying to tie his legs in a bow knot round his neck. I've been jollier since than ever before. Judge—you seem to be always so. Prisoner—So I am; I laughed when my father turned me out of doors at eleven years old, laughed when I broke my arm, made funny faces at the doctor while he was setting it; the happiest day I ever spent was one time when I hadn't but one shirt and a pair of pants to put on, had spent all my money, and gone hungry forty hours. I never was really un-

happy but once in my life, and that was when I fell down stairs, fractured my collar bone, and skinned my leg so badly, I couldn't get down on my knees to thank God I hadn't broken my neck.

The Judge relented and let Mr. Take go, and that rotund individual left the room trying to whistle and sing at the same time, and also dance an independent jig with each leg to a different tune.

It takes a down east man to ask questions; but once in a while one of them finds his match. Jonathan overtook a gentleman who was traveling on horseback notwithstanding the disadvantage of having lost a leg. His curiosity was awakened, as he rode alongside of him, to know how he chanced to meet with such a misfortune.

"Been in the army, I guess?" said the anxious inquirer. "Never was in the army in my life," the traveler remarked. "Fit a duel, 'praps?" "Never fought a duel, sir." "Horse thrown you off, I guess, or something of that sort?" "No, Sir; nothing of that kind." Jonathan tried various dodges, but all to no effect; and at last, almost out of patience with himself as well as with the gentleman, whose patience was very commendable, he determined on a direct inquiry as to the nature of the accident by which the gentleman had come to lose his leg.

"I will tell you," replied the traveler, "on condition that you will promise not to ask me another question." "Agreed, agreed!" exclaimed the eager listener; "agreed!" "Well, sir," remarked the gentleman, "it was bit off!" "Bit off?" cried Jonathan. "Wa'll, I declare; I sho'd just like to know what an orish bill it off?" Jonathan was no more inquisitive, and no more taken aback, than the inquiring Englishman, who had been betrayed into the presumption of asking a gentleman with whom he was traveling, if he was a single man? "No, I am not, Sir." "Oh, I beg your pardon—a married man?" "No, Sir, I am not." "Pray, excuse me; I perceive you are a widower." "No, I am not a widower." The inquirer was nonplused. Not a single man, nor a married man, nor a widower; Pray, what may you be, if I may be so bold as to ask? "It is none of your business; but if you are very anxious to know, I am a divorced man, Sir?"

"Bell Smith Abroad" tells a great many very good stories, some that she heard other people tell, as well as those she evidently made for the occasion. Here is one of the former. A traveled gent is spreading himself: "I had a cook once, a capital fellow—indeed a man of infinite genius; had he stooped to books, I have little question but that he would have at once been recognized. I got him at a bargain. He cooked once as an experiment, impelled by his wonderful genius, Empress Maria's favorite monkey, and had to fly for his life; and this proves how nearly our affections are allied to our digestive organs. The Empress was so delighted with the dish that she never rested until she discovered of what it was composed. The Bible, you know, speaks of men with 'bowels.' Well, as I was saying, I was surprised at my house one day by a party of distinguished diners, who came purposely to try my cuisine. There was not an article fit to speak of in the house. Barbetti looked puzzled for a second, but only a second. Hang me if I knew half the time what I was eating. We had a dinner—superb, wonderful dinner—and in the midst of our raptures at its conclusion, we begged Barbetti to give us the real bill of fare. My dear Sir, a little wine, if you please. It consisted of a Cincinnati ham, my favorite pointer, a pol-parrot, six kittens, and four rats, the last done up in sugared pastry as a dessert."

"Died. True to his character, died trying the effect on himself of an ordinary New York dinner—died in horrible agony."

"One of our legislators has won a distinction during the last winter sessions for an average of intellectual weakness which will render it memorable for many years to come. 'I rise for information,' said one of the dullest of the members. 'I am very glad to hear it,' said one who was leaning over the bar; for no man wants it more than yourself."

Another member rose to speak on the bill to abolish capital punishments, and commenced by saying: "Mr. Speaker, the generality of mankind in general are disposed to exercise oppression on the generality of mankind in general."

"You had better stop," said one, who was sitting near enough to pull him by the coat-tail; you had better stop; you are coming out at the same hole you went in at."

Washington Irving relates a beautiful instance of the quick and generous impulses to which the French are prone, in the case of a cavalier, in the hottest of the actions at Waterloo, charging furiously upon a British officer, but perceiving in the moment of assault that his adversary had lost his sword arm, dropped the point of his sabre, and courteously rode on. Peace be with that generous warrior, whatever were his fate! If he went down in the storm of battle, with the fondering fortunes of his chieftain, may the turf of Waterloo grow green above his grave—and happier far would be the fate of such a spirit, to sit amidst the tempest, unconscious of defeat, than to survive, and mourn over the blighted laurels of his country."

The oriental correspondent of a contemporary, writing from the scene of war of the allied army in Europe, speaks of the "miserable system of the British Government, by which a large majority of the officers are selected because they happen to be members of the British aristocracy—uneducated for soldiers and totally without any experience as such, and whose only qualifications are their accidental birth and unearned wealth; and adds: "One cannot but exclaim, 'West Point forever! long life and prosperity to this American institution which knows no birth and no wealth, and where merit alone advances the man!"

GULICH & BENNER, would respectfully inform the citizens of Clearfield, and public generally that they have entered into co-partnership in the DRINKET MAKING BUSINESS, and keep constantly on hand, and manufacture to order, at the lowest prices, every variety of furniture, consisting of Dining, Breakfast, and Centre Tables, Sewing, Writing, and Wash-Stands, Mahogany, and Common Bedsteads; Mahogany and Cane-bottomed Chairs, Bureaus, Sofas, Lounges, &c., &c. Coffins made and funerals attended on the shortest notice, with a neat hearse, and appropriate accommodations. House Painting done on the shortest notice. Shop and Ware-rooms, same as formerly occupied by John Gulich, nearly opposite the "New Store," Clearfield, Pa. May 22, '55-ly. DANIEL BENNER.

BOOT AND SHOE STORE: GRAHAM ROW, CLEARFIELD, PA. The subscriber would inform the public that he has just opened an entire new stock of Boots and Shoes, in Graham's Row, one door east of the Journal Office. Every variety of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Gaiters, Laceed Boots, Congress Boots, Children's Shoes, &c., &c. Boots and Shoes made to order. C. S. BLACK. Aug. 1, 1855.

NEW BOOKS! NEW BOOKS! The undersigned begs leave to inform his friends and the public generally that he has just received a large and well selected stock of NEW BOOKS, consisting of all the latest publications: SCHOOL BOOKS, BLANK BOOKS, STATIONERY, AND FANCY ARTICLES. He also has on hand a large and beautiful stock of CONFECTIONARIES, which he invites the public to call and examine. Store newly opposite the Journal Office. May 16, 1855-ly. THOMAS ROBBINS.

HURRAH FOR KANSAS!—The Blood Red Banner floats in triumph on the "Old Corner Store," where A. M. HILLS has just opened the cheapest and most splendid assortment of Goods, ever displayed before this community, and exactly adapted to the wants and various necessities. HATS, CAPS, BOOTS, SHOES, BONNETS, CASIMERES, CLOTHS, DRESS GOODS, TOWEL ARTICLES, DE LAINES, PRINTS, GLOVES, HARDWARE, STONE and QUEENSWARE, GROCERIES, with fancy articles of all kinds. Clearfield, June 29, 1855. A. M. HILLS.

SAMUEL BERLIN, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in TYRONE CITY, PA. DRUGS, CHEMICALS, MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, DYE STUFFS, WINDOW GLASS, VIOLINS, PERFORMERS, &c., &c. Having just opened an extensive assortment of these articles, the subscriber will find it to their advantage to give him a call, and examine his stock before ordering from the Eastern Cities; and Country Merchants can also be accommodated with all the Esotropes, Tinctures, Patent Medicines, &c. THE "LITTLE" RETAIL, at lowest prices. He hopes by strict attention to business, and a desire to please, to merit a share of public patronage. April 25, 1855.

THE GOOD INTENT HOTEL, CURWENVILLE, PA. The Subscriber would inform his friends and the public that he has just refitted and re-furnished his house and is prepared to render every attention to the traveling community. His bar contains liquors of the first quality, and his table will always be supplied with the best in market. He respectfully solicits his friends and others to give him a call. WM. R. FLEMING. August 1, 1855.

MUSIC LESSONS:—Miss CUTLER proposes to resume her instructions in music. TERMS:—\$10 per quarter of six lessons. For further particulars enquire at the residence of J. L. CUTLER Esq. Clearfield July 11, 1855-56.

A. K. WRIGHT, MERCHANT, AND EXTENT. STAVE DEALER IN LUMBER, Second Street, Clearfield, March 13, 1855.

JOHN RUSSELL & CO., TANNERS AND CURRIERS, Clearfield, Pa. Keep constantly on hand an excellent assortment of leather, which they offer for sale at the lowest cash prices. Cash paid for hides. July 5, 1854.

NOTICE:—All persons knowing themselves indebted to the firm of Mossop & Pottareff, will call and settle their accounts immediately, as the books must be closed at once. J. H. MOSSOP & POTTAEFF. Clearfield, June 13, 1855.

JOHN TROUTMAN, House, Sign and Ornamental Painter, Glazier, Chair-maker and Paper Hanger, offers his services to the citizens of Clearfield and vicinity. Shop on Market St., just below the Foundry. CHAIRS, LOUNGES, SOFAS, ROCKING-CHAIRS, OTTOMANS, &c. Kept constantly on hand and made to order, equal in price and quality to any elsewhere. Located on the East, and more durable in material. Aug. 1, 1855.

TYRONE CITY HOTEL:—HUGHES & IRVIN, would respectfully inform the public that they have very greatly improved their House, and are now able to afford the travelling public, the most comfortable accommodations. Their bar is furnished with the very best liquors, and the luxuries of the Philadelphia market are to be found on their table. They respectfully invite their numerous friends in Clearfield to give them a call. August 1, 1855.

CAUTION:—All persons are hereby notified NOT to meddle or interfere in any manner, with the following property, on the premises of the subscribers in Girard township, viz:—Two yoke of oxen, and three sets truck wagons, which have been in the use of Charles A. J. Cummings, as the said property belongs exclusively to the undersigned. WM. HILLS & KING. Girard Township July 11, 1855-56.

LADIES' DRESS GOODS:—A large and beautiful assortment for sale cheap by A. M. HILLS. June 27, '55. A. M. HILLS. CLOCKS:—Every variety and price, from 50 Cents to 14 days, for sale by A. M. HILLS. June 27, '55. A. M. HILLS. LADIES' Handkerchiefs, all Linen, for sale by RICHARD MOSSOP. June 13, '55. RICHARD MOSSOP. BLACKBERRY BRANDY, for the cure of Cholera, Stomach Disorders, and all other diseases of the stomach and bowels, for sale by RICHARD MOSSOP. June 13, '55. RICHARD MOSSOP. BOOTS & SHOES:—A large and splendid assortment of Ladies', Gentlemen's, and Children's Boots and Shoes for sale at Mossop's. [Jun. 13.] RICHARD MOSSOP. CONFECTIONARIES:—A "bottle the sickest" assortment of this Borough ever could boast of, at June 27, '55. A. M. HILLS. MUSLIN, at 5 cents per yard, at Mossop's cheap cash store. [June 13, '55.] RICHARD MOSSOP. MANTILLAS:—A large lot of Ladies' and Children's Mantillas for sale at Mossop's Cheap Cash Store. [June 13, '55.] RICHARD MOSSOP. LADIES' GLOVES:—A very large lot of black net worked Gloves, at 10 cents a pair—worth 25cts at Mossop's cheap cash store. [Jun. 13, '55.] RICHARD MOSSOP. CLOCKS:—Eight day, thirty hour and alarm Clocks for sale at Mossop's Store. [Jun. 13.] RICHARD MOSSOP. MACKEREL, HERRING and CODFISH, at the store of W. F. IRWIN. [Jun. 13.] W. F. IRWIN.

A. P. OWENS, TYRONE CITY, Has just opened a large and splendid assortment of NEW GOODS, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, Of every description and quality, which he is selling off at the lowest prices ever known in the region of Country. DRY-GOODS, HARD & QUEENSWARE, HATS & CAPS, BOOTS & SHOES, GROCERIES & CONFECTIONARIES, AT CITY PRICES. He invites his Clearfield friends to give him a call, and exchange their rags, lumber, shingles, and every variety of produce, for the freshest and best goods, to be had west of Philadelphia. Feb. 21, 1855-ly.

STARBOSTOL TAKEN AT LAST! STARTLING ANNOUNCEMENT. LATEST ARRIVAL FROM THE EAST. R. R. WELCH, has just returned from the City of New York with a new and splendid assortment of Watches, Jewelry, and Silver-ware—the largest and cheapest ever brought into Clearfield—consisting of hunting and open-faced gold and silver watches, gold links, gold chains, gold pens, rings, brooches, silver bracelets, silver buttons, gold pins, ear-rings, &c., &c. Watches and jewelry repaired on the shortest notice. [June 6, '55.]

NEW ARRIVAL!—A large and cheap assortment of Spring and Summer Goods, just received and for sale on the lowest terms at the store of RICHARD MOSSOP, GROCERIES, QUEENSWARE, BOOTS & SHOES, HATS & CAPS, BONNETS, SHAWLS, CONFECTIONARIES, FISH, VEGETABLES, SAUCES, and a little of everything. All of which will be sold at lower prices than ever before offered in Clearfield. R. MOSSOP. Clearfield June 13, 1855.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Clearfield county, the subscriber offers at private sale the following real estate, to-wit: the property of Martha Jane Welch, a minor daughter of James Welch, late of Pike township, in said county, viz: all that certain tract or piece of land situate in Pike township, Clearfield county, containing 132 acres more or less, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the South, West and North by lands of Daniel Bailey, and on the East by lands of Benjamin Carr. The said land being cleared and under good cultivation, and about 500 cords of good timber land. JOSIAH R. READ, Guardian. May 30, '55-56. Lawrence tp.

REMOVAL:—The undersigned begs leave to inform his friends that he has removed his BOOT AND SHOE STORE, from "Shaw's Row" to his new building, opposite the Office of James Wright, and two doors south of the Office of R. Barrett, Esq. He still keeps constantly on hand every variety of ladies' gaiters, pumps, &c. Men's fancy shoes and gaiters, with an excellent assortment of heavy work, all adapted to the various wants of the people of Clearfield. He hopes his friends will call at his NEW STORE, and examine his stock. Boots and shoes made to order, and mending done as heretofore. ISAAC JOHNSTON. Clearfield, June 27, 1855.

NEW RESTAURANT AND ICE CREAM SALOON.—The subscriber begs leave to inform the ladies and gentlemen of Clearfield, that he has taken the most commodious house south of Hemphill's Hotel, where he designs keeping Ice-cream, Lemonade, Cakes, Confectionaries, &c. He will also keep on hand a supply of oysters and all other kinds of refreshments in the saloon he has formerly occupied, in the basement of Hemphill's Hotel. CHARLES GLEAF. Clearfield, May 2, 1855.

DAVIDS, PLOTNER.—Respectfully informs his old friends and the public, that he has obtained the services of a good Cutter and workman as a foreman in the tailoring business, and he is now prepared to attend to any orders in his line of work on the most accommodating terms, and on short notice, and will have clothing on hand at all times, such as dress coats, frock coats, vests, and pantaloons of their own manufacture, and good material at the lowest prices. With a wish to accommodate his friends, he has a share of patronage. New Washington, May 9, 1855.

NEW FIRM.—A. J. PATCHIN having taken to himself the Store formerly owned by J. O. Patchin & Sons, take pleasure in informing their friends, and the public generally, that they have just received from the city a splendid assortment of Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Queensware, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, and everything else usually kept in a country store. Persons wishing to buy cheap and good Goods, should not forget that they are determined not to be undersold by any store in the county. We invite our friends to come and examine our stock for themselves, as we charge no fee for so doing. AARON PATCHIN. Nov. 1, '54-55. JACKSON PATCHIN.

BLACKSMITHING.—The subscriber would inform the public that he has taken the Blacksmith Shop formerly occupied by George Orr, on the corner of Third and Main streets, in the borough of Clearfield, where he carries on the business in all its various branches. JACOB SHUNKWEILER. June 6, 1855-ly.

PHILIPSBURG HOTEL.—The subscriber would inform his friends in Clearfield, and the public generally that he has enlarged and refitted his house, and is now enabled to compete successfully with any Hotel in the country. No pains will be spared to render his guests comfortable. His table shall always be supplied with the best the market affords, and his charges moderate. He respectfully invites his friends and others to give him a call. DAVID JOHNSTON. Philipsburg Jan. 31, 1855. ly.

TYRONE LIVELY STABLE.—The subscriber, having removed his Livery Stable from Curwensville to Tyrone City, begs leave to his friends and the public, that he is at all times prepared to supply them with Horses, carriages, buggies, and other vehicles on hire, at the most reasonable terms. Inquire at the "City Hotel." JAMES CROWTHER. Tyrone, January 31, 1855-56.

HAVE YOU SEEN SAM?—The subscriber would inform his old friends and the public generally, that he still continues to keep a house of entertainment in New Washington, where those who call with him will receive every attention, and be made comfortable. Good standing, and every other convenience for horses in the county. JAMES D. S. PLOTNER. New Washington, Jan. 31, 1855.

BERGE DELAINES.—A superior article of Berge Delaines in dress patterns, at 25 cents per yard, never sold in this county before for less than 30 cents at RICHARD MOSSOP'S. June 13, '55. RICHARD MOSSOP. CHEAP CLOTHING.—A large lot of Cheap Clothing, Men's and Boys, for sale cheap, by RICHARD MOSSOP. June 13, '55. RICHARD MOSSOP. BLACKBERRY BRANDY.—A certain cure for the Dysentery, for sale by RICHARD MOSSOP. June 13, '55. RICHARD MOSSOP. A Large assortment of Stone ware at the store of W. F. IRWIN. [June 13.] W. F. IRWIN. GENTLEMEN'S FANCY BOOTS & SHOES.—An unapproachable stock for sale by A. M. HILLS. June 27, '55. A. M. HILLS. LADIES' GAITERS—assorted colors—that can't be beat in quality or price—for sale by A. M. HILLS. June 27, '55. A. M. HILLS. HATS—of the latest styles, and most approved quality, received, and for sale by A. M. HILLS. June 27, '55. A. M. HILLS. MISSES' FLATS,—trimmed and untrimmed—a beautiful article for sale at the store of W. F. IRWIN. [June 27, '55.] W. F. IRWIN. BACON—A good lot of Hams and Shoulders at W. F. IRWIN'S. [June 20.] W. F. IRWIN'S.

BOKER, BROTHERS & JONES, PHILADELPHIA; Nos. 153 & 160, Market Street, Importers and manufacturers of City and EASTERN MADE BOOTS AND SHOES. Also, every variety of French and English Shoe Lastings, Patent Leather, Kid and calf-skins, Shoe Laces, Gallons, Bindings, &c., suitable for manufacturers. Also, Foreign and Domestic Straw and Silk Bonnets, Leghorn, Panama, and Palm-leaf Hats, English, French, and American artificial Flowers, Oil Silk, Straw Trimmings, &c., &c.

Having removed to our new Store, No. 158 & 160 Market Street, below 5th, South Side, up stairs, we invite your attention to our large and varied stock of Straw Goods, Boots and Shoes, which we are preparing for the approaching Fall Sales. All our Goods being exclusively of our own direct Importation and Manufacture, we feel confident that our facilities are such that we can offer you inducements as regards variety and prices of Goods, unsurpassed by any house in the country. BOKER, BROTHERS & JONES. Nov. 8, 1854-ly. Philadelphia.

BROOK TYSON & REHN—Wholesale Dry Goods Store, No. 146, Market Street, Philadelphia. [Aug. 1, 185-ly.]

GOOD NEWS!—Wholesale Store opened in Tyrone City, where anybody who wants cheap goods can purchase. The subscriber has just opened a large and well selected stock of Goods in TYRONE CITY. Corner of Logan and Junia's Sts. He has on hand and will constantly keep a large stock of Dry Goods, Groceries, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Clothing, Hardware, Queensware, Drugs, PROVISIONS of all kinds, consisting of Potatoes, Bacon, Fruit, Beans, Flour, Wheat, Corn meal, &c., &c. ALSO, OATS, CORN, RYE, &c. And he hereby gives notice that he will sell his goods as low as they can be purchased in any town or county this side of Philadelphia, and will take Boards, Shingles, or even money in exchange. July 4, '55. F. M. BELL.

GOING IT ALONE.—The undersigned having taken to himself the Store formerly owned by Patchin & Swan, takes pleasure in informing his friends and the public generally, that he has just received from the city a splendid assortment of Dry Goods, Hardware, Queensware, Groceries, Confectionaries, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, and every thing else usually kept in a country store. Persons wishing to buy cheap and good goods should not forget that he is determined not to be undersold by any store in the county. His motto is "a nimble penny rather than a slow sixpence." GLEN HOWE, July 5, 1854.

J. P. NELSON & CO., Morris Township, Clearfield Co., Pa. Would respectfully inform his friends that he has taken to himself the Store formerly owned by Patchin & Swan, takes pleasure in informing his friends and the public generally, that he has just received from the city a splendid assortment of Dry Goods, Hardware, Queensware, Groceries, Confectionaries, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, and every thing else usually kept in a country store, which they are determined to sell low for cash, country produce, or lumber. August 1, 1855.

EXCHANGE HOTEL, PHILIPSBURG. The subscriber, thankful for past favors, would respectfully solicit a continuation of the liberal patronage bestowed upon his House by the Public. He is prepared to accommodate watermen, editors, drovers, and all others who may call with him, in the very best manner. He also purposed to run a line of Hacks from Tyrone to Clearfield, for the accommodation of the travelling public. Philipsburg, March 14, 1855-56. J. G. RUNK.

NEW MILL.—At the Old Pioneer Mills on the Moshannon, in Morris township, The subscriber has just completed a large new Grist Mill, which is in successful operation. Grain of all kinds bought, stored, and sold on commission. Dec. 27, '54. HENRY GROE.

APPLICANTS FOR BOUNTY LANDS. Under the late act of Congress, will find the subscriber fully prepared, with blanks, forms, &c., to assist them in procuring their warrants. Office two doors east of Journal Office, up stairs. Mar. 28, '55. H. BUCHER SWOOP.

JAMES E. GRAHAM—Merchant and extensive dealer in lumber, Grahampton, P. O. Clearfield county, Pa. [May 25, '54-ly.]

PROFESSIONAL. BARRETT & LARRIMER, ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Having entered into partnership in the practice of their profession, will faithfully attend to all business entrusted to their care in Clearfield county. G. R. BARRETT, J. H. LARRIMER. Clearfield, July 18, 1855-ly.

H. BUCHER SWOOP, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Two doors East of Journal office. Up stairs. Dec. 1, 1854.

J. JACKSON CRANS, ATTORNEY AT LAW, CLEARFIELD, PA. Office adjoining his residence, on Second St. August 1, 1855.

JAMES BIDDLE GORDON, ATTORNEY AT LAW, CLEARFIELD, PA. Office in the room adjoining, on the East, the Drug Store, of Dr. J. H. HARRIS. He may be consulted in French and German. August 1, 1855-ly.

W. A. WALLACE, ATTORNEY AT LAW, CLEARFIELD, PA. Office nearly opposite the Court House. August 1, 1855.

J. B. MENALLY, ATTORNEY AT LAW, CLEARFIELD, PA. Practices in Clearfield and adjoining counties. Office nearly opposite Judge Wright's store. August 1, 1855.

E. S. DUNDY, ATTORNEY AT LAW, CLEARFIELD, PA. Office in the room adjoining on the West, the Store of Wm. F. Irwin. August 1, 1855.

BAILY & BROTHER, No. 292 Chestnut Street, PHILADELPHIA. Have now open a large assortment of the Newest Styles and colors of Rich English Velvet, Tapestry, Ingrain, New Styles CARPETINGS, OF THEIR OWN IMPORTATION, JUST LAYED.

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RUSSELL & SCHOTT, Nos. 138 Market St., 5 Merchant St., PHILADELPHIA. Importers and Wholesale Dealers in DRUGS, CHEMICALS, &c. They respectfully invite their Clearfield friends to give them a call. Jan. 17, '55-ly.

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BEIDELMAN & HAYWARD—Wholesale Grocers, Tea Dealers, and Commission Merchants. No. 273, Market Street, Philadelphia. D. BEIDELMAN, A. HAYWARD. Aug. 1, 1855-ly.

A. T. LANE & CO.—Wholesale Clothing Store, No. 171, Market Street. Every variety of ready made Clothing, in the most fashionable styles constantly on hand. [Aug. 1, '55-ly.]

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ISAAC M. ASHTON—Hat Store, No. 172 Market St., Philadelphia. Hats, Caps, Fur, &c., of every variety, and the best quality always on hand. [Aug. 1, 1855-ly.]

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PAUL & TAYLOR, No. 255 Market Street, PHILADELPHIA. Have always on hand, at their Wholesale Warehouse, a large assortment of the Newest Style of BOOT, SHOE, AND STRAW GOODS, BOTH FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC. All their goods being of their own direct importation and manufacture, they are enabled to offer superior inducements to Merchants laying in their stock. Dec. 1, 1854. ly. WM. W. PAUL, N. G. TAYLOR.

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J. Y. RUSHTON & CO., 245 Market Street, PHILADELPHIA. Importers and Dealers in Earthen-Ware, China, Glass, and Queens Ware. Opposite the Red Lion Hotel, Philadelphia. J. Y. RUSHTON, J. C. HOPKINS, ROBT. STILLSON. Nov. 8, '54-ly.

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COWELL & CO., 176 Market Street, PHILADELPHIA; Wholesale Dealers in Hats, Caps, Furs, &c., between 5th and 6th St., Philadelphia. Jan. 17, 1855.

MARTIN, MORRELL & CO., (Late OLIVER MARTIN & CO.) Importers and Dealers in HOSIERY, TRIMMINGS, COMBS, BRUSHES, FANCY GOODS, &c. No. 24 North Fourth Street, Philadelphia. M. T. MARTIN, CHAS. H. HAMRICK, DAML J. MORRELL, G. R. PEDDLE. Dec. 5, '54. SANDERSON R. MARTIN.