

By Request.

From the Advent Herald.  
**'All the Decency'**

It is a favorite argument with religious people, that Christianity subdues in its votaries everything like a censorious and ugly spirit, or coarseness and vulgarity of language, and in their stead substitutes charity and gentleness of disposition, and mildness and courtesy of speech. In a word, it transforms the low and vulgar clown into the refined and respectful gentleman. And perhaps there are instances in which it produces this beneficial effect, though we are not aware of any from personal observation. We may be thought singular, but we believe that 'sinners,' so called, taken together, are a more polite & gentlemanly class of people than 'saints.' They are less given to censoriousness and bigotry, and of course possess more civility and kindness of feeling. A 'sinner' is almost always obliging and benevolent. If you, for instance, are an old gentleman or an old lady, and are about getting into a stage in which there are four 'sinners' and five 'saints,' you will see all of the former willing to give up their seats to you, while about only one, or perhaps two of the latter, will exhibit the same amount of politeness. So in a steamboat, from which a child falls into the water—ten 'sinners' will at once dash overboard to his relief, before one 'saint' has made up his mind to run the risk of drowning, or wetting his clothes. Everybody, except 'saints,' have noticed these facts, & given 'sinners' the credit of superior benevolence. As in private life, so in public, they bear away the palm in regard to courteous and dignified language. Let a 'sinner' be an editor, and as a general rule he will be more gentlemanly towards an opponent than a 'saint,' in the same capacity. 'Saints' almost invariably sink the gentleman, when they attack a brother of an opposite faith. The following is a case in point. It is copied from the 'Olive Branch,' and was written by the Reverend editor of that Christian paper. He is speaking of the Rev. Mr. Himes, a preacher of the Second Advent, and he pitches into him in a style of remark which we had thought was known only to the fish people of Billingsgate. Here it is, & we copy it for the purpose of telling our saintly neighbor, that if he is desirous of converting 'sinners,' he must set them better examples of the influence of that 'charity which never faileth':—

"J. V. HIMES, that scum of humbugs, has, with what followers he has left, gone to the Chardon street Chapel.  
"He, our readers will remember, was the leader of the long-since exploded Miller delusion, that the world would end in 1843. The miserable deceiver obtained of the simple and credulous many, many thousands of dollars, and ruined many hundreds of families. After his first imposture had exploded, to obtain money, and to keep up his momentary notoriety, he set another day in which to wind up the world. Himes is probably an infidel, & disbelieves God, and all revelation—but he is too lazy to work, and therefore gathers a company around him. Out of these poor, simple sheep, he hopes to sponge a living.  
"We told Himes that he was an impostor, and that he taught the people lies for gain. We told him, either we were a great liar, or he one of the devil's false prophets. If the world ended as he said, then were we a base liar; if it did not, he should acknowledge himself a deceiver, and an impostor. He said in his paper he would accept that issue. We now claim the liberty of saying to all the world, that, according to his own confession, he is a base deceiver, and an impostor. We leave him with this brand on his forehead, only observing, we pity the poor people who look to J. V. Himes to teach them the road to heaven. If the devil does not get that man, we are sure he will be greatly cheated out of his just due."  
"Really, this is an amiable talk for one Christian brother to use towards another! We shall let it stand just as it is—no comment being necessary. But there is one assertion in it that we are curious to know the truth of—and that is, whether Mr. Himes accepted the 'issue' of which the Olive Branch speaks! We doubt it! Will Mr. H. please to answer? The assertion that he accepted the 'issue' in question, seems to us to be of a piece with another assertion, that he is an 'infidel'! which we must be allowed to doubt also.  
Boston Investigator.

"To reply to the enquiry of the Investigator, the acceptance of any such 'issue' at its editor has copied from his professed 'Christian' neighbor, is news to us.  
"Mr. Norris, the publisher of the Olive Branch, has never treated us in the most courteous manner. We have never had to reflect that any act of ours has met with his approbation. His remarks, from beginning to end, are in the highest degree false and libelous. Coming from most any other source they would be worthy of notice. But when one like Mr. N. draws a likeness of himself, and shows what he would do under the circumstances we have been placed in, the malignity manifested supercedes the necessity of an exposure to the discerning. The proverb, 'Those who live in glass houses,' &c., has a peculiar force when applied to Mr. Norris, which he should not need be reminded of, when he with stones assails his neighbor's dwelling.  
"We are aware that a large portion of the public, by falsehoods like those of the Olive Branch, have supposed that we are enriched by the ruin of others. When Mr. Norris will bring simply a dozen ca-

ses out of his 'hundreds of families,' where we have impoverished any, we will show, as we have thus far in every case when the attempt has been made, the groundlessness of such charges. Till he does this, he will be held up before heaven and by men as a willful violator of the ninth commandment. Every cent that has been entrusted to us, for the purpose of circulating publications, has been faithfully applied, in accordance with the wishes of the donors, as those who have examined our books have repeatedly publicly testified. Our books also show, that our own lawful earnings, by the publication of the Herald, which as much belong to us as the Olive Branch does to Mr. Norris, have also been expended for the cause, except what is necessarily held for the weekly issue of the Herald, and the sustenance of the cause. All we have made subservient to the cause we advocate. If it can be shown that we have wronged any, we are willing to restore four-fold. Will Mr. Norris do this?  
"We must chide the Investigator a little, for its remarks respecting saints and sinners. That professed saints often are less charitable, &c., than sinners, we admit; but not that saints are. The very possession of the religion of Jesus obliges its subjects to every good act. An indifference to such acts is an acknowledgment of hypocrisy. Because there are hypocrites, it does not follow that there are no saints, or that saints should be judged by them. Nor can we think the editor of the Investigator hardly serious in his 'case in point'—that he actually thinks that a fair specimen of Christian courtesy. If indeed it was, we could no longer exclaim, 'O, the folly of sinners!' The Saviour, who, when he was reviled, reviled not again, is the pattern of Christianity; and not the spleen of unsanctified humanity.

### Bellefonte Foundry.

**STOVES, AND OTHER CASTINGS.**  
WELCH & LEYDEN, would announce to their friends and the public, that they will continue the business of **IRON FOUNDERS**, at the old stand, where they intend to keep always on hand a large and varied assortment of **CASTINGS.**

We have lately erected and are now fitting up an extensive

**MACHINE SHOP,** with three Lathes, for turning and fitting up all kinds of Machinery, such as *Grist and Saw-mill Castings, Machinery for Forges, Furnaces & Rolling Mills, including Hot Blast Pipes for Furnaces and Bloomeries*; and will be prepared to furnish on the shortest notice and in a satisfactory manner all kinds of Machinery. Now on hand a large assortment of **PATTERNS**, of the latest and most improved styles, including the different sizes, of the *Durkee & Brice Reaction Water Wheels.* Patterns not on hand, made on short notice.

**STOVES.**  
We have now and intend keeping always a stock of the unrivalled **VETO and FULTON Hot Air Cooking Stoves**, different sizes; also *Air Tight, Fancy, Parlor & Nine Plate Wood Stoves*, of different sizes together with four sizes of a superior *Balloon Coal Stove*, as well as *Cylinder and FANCY Coal Stoves.* We will add during the coming season, several New patterns of *Cooking, Air Tight, and Parlor Stoves.*

**PLOUGHS.**  
Always on hand a good assortment of **PLOUGHS**, to which we are adding several new patterns this spring. *Hollow-ware of all kinds, Sleigh & Sled Soles, Wagon Bores, Smoothing Irons, &c. &c.*  
All the above articles, and every thing in our line will be sold on the most reasonable terms for *Cash, or Country Produce, Ironmasters' Orders, Old Metal, &c.* Orders from a distance promptly attended to.

**GEORGE WELCH, DANIEL LEYDEN.**  
Bellefonte, Feb. 18, 1848.

### AFFLICTED, READ!

**PHILADELPHIA MEDICAL HOUSE**—Established 15 years ago, by DR. KINKELIN. The oldest, surest and best hand to cure all forms of secret diseases, diseases of the skin and solitary habits of youth, is DR. KINKELIN, N. W. corner of Third and Union Sts. between Spruce and Pine, one and a half squares from the Exchange, Philadelphia.

### TAKE PARTICULAR NOTICE.

Youth who have injured themselves by a certain practice indulged in—a habit frequently learned from evil companions, or at school—the effects of which are nightly felt even when asleep, and destroy both mind and body, should apply immediately. Weakness and constitutional debility immediately cured, and full vigor restored. All letters post paid.

### YOUNG MEN!

If you value your life or your health, remember the delay of a month, nay, even a week, may prove your ruin, both of body and mind. Hence let no false modesty deter you from making your case known to one who, from education and respectability, can aid you. He who places himself under DR. KINKELIN'S treatment, may religiously confide in his honor as a gentleman, and in whose bosom will be forever locked the secret of the patient.

Too many think they will bug the secret to their own hearts, and cure themselves. Alas! how often is this a fatal delusion, and how many a promising young man, who might have been an ornament to society, has faded from the earth.

### COUNTRY INVALIDS,

finding it inconvenient to make personal application, can, by stating their case explicitly, together with all their symptoms, (per letter, post-paid,) have forwarded to them a chest containing Dr. K.'s medicines approved accordingly.

Packages of Medicines forwarded to any part of the United States at a moment's notice.  
Post PAID LETTERS, addressed to DR. KINKELIN, Philadelphia, will be promptly attended to.  
See advertisement in the Philadelphia Spirit of the Times, Jan. 28, 1848. 1y

### Just Returned

**DR. A. M. HILLS, from Phila.**  
WITH a large lot of new and most improved Dental instruments.  
ALSO, a large stock of carefully selected premium teeth from Stockton's Manufactory.

**DR. S. W. STOCKTON** has drawn the premium for manufacturing the best Metallic Artificial Teeth, not only in the United States, but in London and Paris, and Dr. Hills has taken particular pains to select a choice lot of them, so that his patrons may be assured of getting a good and substantial article.

Dr. H. has also procured a very large variety of Extracting instruments, made according to Harris' latest patterns, and he can confidently assure all those who are troubled with those abominable pests, *decayed teeth*, that the Forceps are not only a much more safe and easy instrument with which to remove a tooth, but they cause much less pain at the time, and comparatively no soreness following.

Dr. Hills has also a variety of other Dental requirements, such as *Gold Plate, Gold Foil, Tooth Powders, Washes and Brushes*, and he is fully prepared to perform all operations in the line of **DENTISTRY**, such as inserting on Gold Plate, or on Pivots, Plugging, Extracting and Cleansing. And from past experience and success, he feels confident of giving entire satisfaction, and warrants all his work well done, and to please his patrons. A reasonable length of time given for trial to all jobs over \$5, and if not found to answer all the purposes promised, no pay will be required.

Office at the New Drug Store, the sign of the **GOLD MORTAR**, ap. 18, '48.

### ATTENTION.

**GOOD Sole Leather** at 17 cts. Good Brown Sugar 5 a 64, best Rio Coffee 2 cents, Y. H. Tea, good 50 to 75—pure White Lead \$2 per keg, Copal Varnish \$2 per gallon, Jersey Glass, 8 by 10, \$4.25 per box—Nails \$5 per keg—Blister Steel, 64 per lb—3 Leaf Springs \$5.50 per pair—Candles 14 per lb—Shoe Pegs, 64 cts per quart—good Fur Hats, at \$1—Fine Brush, 1.75, & Fine Beaver, \$2.75, for sale by **F. J. HOFFMAN.** Lewistown, July 10, '48.

### DR. E. GREEN'S RED & BROWN PILLS.

**THE demand for the above medicine in the last 2 or 3 years, is deemed a sufficient apology for placing it now fully before the people; and the diseases for which it is applicable have become so prevalent in this country that a remedy entitled to confidence, is a great desideratum.**  
The diseases I allude to are *Hepatitis, (Liver affection,) Dyspepsia, and female complaints in general.*  
The above pills will be kept constantly for sale by **Richard Shaw, Clearfield, Bigler & Co., Bell township, Graham & Wright, Bradford James McGirk, Philipburg, J. W. Miller, Clearfield B'dge, Irvin & McBride, Burnside, Seligsberger & Bloom, Curwensville, do do Luthersburg, David Kinport, Cherry Tree.** Oct. 20, 1846.

### Gold & Silver Plating.

**R. R. WELSH** embraces the present occasion to inform his customers and friends, that he has a new mode of *Plating Gold and Silver ware*, which he will warrant to be superior to any other mode ever used—no kind of acids having the least effect upon it. His prices are reasonable.  
Curwensville, March 24, '48.

### ROBERT R. WELSH,

**RESPECTFULLY** informs the citizens of Clearfield county that he is located in Curwensville, where he will carry on the business of **CLOCK & WATCH** making and repairing.  
**ENGRAVING,**  
**TUNING** of various musical instruments, such as **BAGPIPES, ACCORDEONS, MUSICAL CLOCKS, ORGANS AND DULCIMERS.**  
Also, repairing of **MATHEMATICAL INSTRUMENTS**, making **GOLD AND SILVER WARE, &c.**  
He will also teach and give lessons on the Accordeon.  
All his work shall be done in the very best style, and upon the lowest terms.  
Curwensville, Jan. 25, '48.—1y

### Marble Manufactory,

At Lewistown, Pa.

**THE** subscriber respectfully informs the inhabitants of Clearfield county that he still continues to supply all orders for **TOMBS, HEAD and FOOT STONES, MARBLE MANTELS**, and all other work in his line at moderate prices and out of the best material.  
Information will be given as to prices, &c., on application to **J. L. Cattle, Esq.**, at Clearfield, who will receive orders and give all information required.  
**CHARLES STRATFORD.** Lewistown, May 20, 1848.

### SUGAR

can be purchased at very low prices by calling at the store of **JOHN PATTON.** Curwensville, June 16, 1848.

### FOR SALE! FOR SALE!!

**THE** subscriber is just receiving a large and handsome lot of goods to suit the fall and winter demands—and having purchased them at low rates, he is determined to sell accordingly. The stock consists in part of the following

- DRY GOODS.**
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| Cloths, Cassimeres, Sattinets, Linsey, Alpaca, Red and White Flannels, Scotch and dom. Ginghams, | Calicos, Linea Gingham, Bleached Muslin, Canton Flannels, Cloaking and c/pk Lining, Satin, Silk & other vestings, Silk Serge, | Bishop Lawn, Cambric Muslin, Jaconett do, Barred do, Cambric Handkerchiefs, Shirt-collars and Bosoms, Black and other shawls. |
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Also, many other articles of **STAPLE and FANCY GOODS.**

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| <b>Hardware,</b> [A general assortment.] | <b>Buckets and Tubs, Brooms.</b>   | <b>Drugs, Patent Medicines.</b>                |
| <b>Queensware, Stationary, Combs.</b>    | <b>HATS,</b> Beaver and Russia, <b>CAPS,</b> Fashionable cloth for Men and Boys. | <b>Nova Scotia Grind-Stones, Brass Clocks.</b> |

### BOOTS & SHOES, A very large supply, such as

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| Mens' extra fine Call, do first quality do do Coarse. | Youths' Coarse Boots, Boys' do do Monroes. | Children's Boots, pegged, do do sewed, do Red Morocco, do Black do |
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### WOMENS' BOOTS AND SHOES.

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| Womens' Morocco Boots, do do Kip, do Peg Shoes, | Womens' Gaiter Shoes, do do do do Kid do | Womens' Pumps, do Robber Shoes, Mens' do do |
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The above goods will be sold very low for cash down. **WHEAT, RYE, OATS,** and other grain, as well as **BUTTER, EGGS, RAGS, &c.,** taken in exchange for goods.

Clearfield, August 30, 1848. **F. P. HURXTHAL.**

### IRON FOUNDRY,

at Curwensville, Clearfield county, Pa. **THOMPSONS, DALE & Co.,** having purchased the Iron Foundry, at Curwensville, respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they are now prepared to make all kinds of castings at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms. Their Ploughs, Stoves, Hollowware, Mill-Irons, &c., &c., cannot be surpassed either for beauty or service.  
They would call the particular attention of farmers to the *Mill Hall Plough Pattern*, which they have procured, and which is believed to be superior to any other now in use.  
They will supply all orders for castings at the shortest notice, and as cheap, if not cheaper, than they can be procured elsewhere.  
All kinds of Country produce—even cash—will be taken in exchange for work. Aug. 4, '48.

### Dissolution of Partnership.

**THE** Partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, trading under the firm of **PATTON, SMITH and STEVENS**, is hereby dissolved by the withdrawal of Wm. Patton, Mr. Stevens having purchased his (Patton's) interest in Sauburn Mill's, &c.  
**H. B. SMITH, JOS. W. STEVENS, WM. PATTON.**

The business will be continued by the subscribers in the name of Stevens and Smith, who will settle all claims against the former partnership. Witness our hands this 13th day of July, 1848.  
**H. B. S. J. W. S.** Sauburn Mills, Berks }  
Co., July 14, 1848. —pd

### GREAT NATIONAL WORK.

*A History of the Revolution & Lives of the Heroes of the War of Independence.*  
BY **CHARLES J. PETERSON.**  
An elegant volume with 18 fine Steel Plates, and nearly 200 beautiful Wood Engravings.  
"This is a splendid book. A valuable addition to the Historic Literature of our country. We are much mistaken if it does not take rank with the works of Irving & Prescott."—*Frankford Herald.*  
"It surpasses any similar work yet offered to the American public."—*Neal's Gazette.*  
"It may be properly considered a popularized Military History of the Revolution, extremely well and judiciously written."—*North American.*  
"The present work on the Revolution, and to Heroes, is superior, both in extent and design to any that has heretofore come under our notice."—*Inquirer.*  
A well connected history of that eventful period.—*Ledger.*  
"Decidedly the best popular history of the War of the Revolution and its Heroes, that has yet been given to the country."—*Saturday Evening Post.*  
**AGENTS WANTED** to canvass for the above elegant Work, in every County and Town in the United States, to whom the most liberal inducements will be offered. Price only \$3. Address (post paid) **WM. A. LEARY, No. 158 North SECOND ST. PHILADELPHIA** May 26, 1848.—3m.

### W. A. WALLACE,

**Attorney at Law.** W. A. WALLACE, CLEARFIELD, PA.

### Glen Hope and Little Bald Eagle Turnpike Road Company.

**THE** undersigned Commissioners, named in the act of the Legislature passed at the recent session incorporating the Glen Hope and Little Bald Eagle Turnpike Road Company; **GIVE NOTICE**—That the Books, for subscription to the stock of said company, will be open from 9 o'clock, A. M., to 3 P. M., on Tuesday the 12th of September next ensuing, at Tyrone, and same day at Newburg Mill, and at Cooper's store. **ISRAEL COOPER, WILLIAM SMILEY, JOHN T. MATHIAS, LEWIS PALMER, HENRY B. WRIGHT, JOHN SWAN, Jr., Commissioners.** Aug. 10, 1848.—pd.

### WM. F. BOONE,

**Attorney at Law, Philadelphia.** WILL attend to the settlement of claims by the heirs of JOHN NICHOLSON against Lands in Clearfield or adjoining counties. Being well acquainted with the Nicholson Title persons desirous of extinguishing the Nichols claim to their Farms, may have their business attended to by letter (post-paid) addressed to **Wm. F. Boone, Philadelphia.** August 16, 1848.

### COOKING STOVES.

**A GREAT VARIETY OF COOKING STOVES, Warranted, from \$18.50 to \$32.00, for sale by** **F. J. HOFFMAN,** sep. 16, '47.