Table of Elections.

The following table will be found handy and use ful as a matter of reference. It has been compiled with great care, and is believed to be accurate :

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			Presid n Election	tiul m.	No. of 1
New Hampshire,	-	141	November 2		7
Connecticut				2	8
Rhode Island,	3.		**	13	4
Virginia,			**	2	23
1 ouisiana,				3	5
Alabama,		-	**	9	7
Kentucky,				2	15
Indiana,	*		**	- 2	
Idinois,			**	2	5
Missouri,				2	4
Tennessee,				19	15
North Carol na,		- 10	- 44	19	15
Vermont,	4	-	**	10	7
Maine,			**	2	10
Georgia,			- 14	2	- 11
Maryland,			- 6	2	10
South Carelina,	-		Legi-lature.		11
Pennsylvania,			October		30
New Jersey,	*		November 6		8
Ohio,			**	6	21
New York,			- 11	2	42
Mississippi,			64	2	4
Michigan,	*			2	3
Arkansas,			**	2	3
Massichusetts,			**	9	14
Delaware,			- 44	10	3

The electors meet at the capitols of the respective States in which they are chosen, on the second day of December, and give in their bello s for President and Vice President.

Popular Vote at the Presidental Election fn 1836.

	Van Buren.	White & Harrison.
Maine,	22,900	15,239
New Hampshire,	18 722	6,228
Massachuset s,	38,501	43 093
Rhode Island,	2,964	2,710
Connecticut,	19,234	18,466
Vermont,	14 037	20,911
New York,	166,815	138,543
New Jersey,	26.345	26,892
Pennsylvania,	91.475	87,111
Delaware,	4 155	4,738
Maryland,	22,167	25 852
Virginia,	30,261	23,368
North Carolina,	25,839	22,072
Georgia,	22,126	24,930
Kentucky,	33.435	37,097
Tennessee,	26,120	35 962
Ohio,	64 948	105 405
Louisiana,	3.653	3,383
Mississippi.	9.979	9,688
Indiana,	32 480	41,281
Illinois,	18.097	14.983
Alabama,	20 531	15,637
Mi-souri,	11,995	8,237
Arkansas,	2,400	1,238
Michigan,	7,360	4,080
South Carolina, (elects by Legi Electoral Co	
Martin Van B		
Wm. H. Harri	73	
Daniel Webste	f,	14
H. L. White,		26
Van Buren's maj	ority over Ha	rrison, 96
	W	ebster, 157
		hite, 144
"	all	

Coal Trade.

The amount of coal carried on the Danville and Pottsville Rail Road to Sunbury for shipping, du ring the week ending on Nov. 6, is 552 Tons. Per last report, 11,890

> Total. 12,442 JOHN BUDD, w. M.

THE CAUSE OF DISEASE.

Nearly all classes of disease, are caused by some obstruction is the system, which prevent the regu-lar and wholes me operation of the animal functions. This state of the system, is disease, which is manifested in a variety of forms, more or less mal grant in their character. To restore the system to a state of health, then, is is only necessary to remove the cause of disease, and the end is accomplished. The cause is obs ruction somewhere. This can be removed by purgation, which is the only means that should be resuled to, occause, suggested by reason, and by nature. Dr. Hurlich's Strengthening and German Apericat Pills, are allowed by the thousands who have used them, to be the best purgative medicine in existence. Because, they not only remove all obstructions, and purge the system of its impurities, but, because, and which is extremely important, strengthen and give proper tone to the stomach, and produce a healthy action of all the parts. Besides, they are so mild and gentle in their operation, as to rend, r them at all times a perfectly safe and desirable remedy. The affl cted would do well, then, to purchase a box or two of this invaluable medicine, and give it a fair trial, instead of destroying their systems with off-repeated descs of calomel, and other drugs, so injurious to human life and happiness.

The above medecine for sale at the Drug store of HENRY YOXTHEIMER,

Agent.

Jacob Frismuth & Son-

ESPECTFUELY informs their friends and acquaintances generally that they stell contimue to keep at the old stand, No. 246 North 3d street, Philadelphia, all kinds of

TOBACCO SNUFF AND SEGARS. Which they will soil on the most occummodating and reasonable terms.

N. B. All goods sold will be guaranteed, and all

orders prompt'y attended to, Phtladelphia, November 7, 1840 .-- 1y.

Michael Weaver & Son, ROPE MAKERS & SHIP CHANDLERS

No. 13 North Water Street, Philadelphia, AVE constantly on hand, a general assortment of Cordage, Seine Twines, &c., viz: la Ropes, Tow Lines for Canal Boats. Also, a complete assertment of S. inc Twines, &c, such as Hemp Shad and Herring Twine, Best Patent Gill Net Twine, Cotton Shad and Herring Twine, Shoe Threads, &c. &c. Also, Bed Cords, Pl. ugh Lines, Halters, Traces, Cotton and Linen Carpet Chains, &c. all of which they will dispose of on rea onable

Philadelphia, November 7, 1840.

NEW ENGLAND OIL COMPANY. No. 29 North Water Street, Phila. SPRING, Fall and Winter Sperm and other, Oil Double Refined and Bleached. Also warranted Pure Straits and Bank Oil, for Tanner's use Neats Foot Oil, &c.

This Company has a number of Vessels engaged in the Cod Fishery, and Tanners may rely upon getting at all times Oil as pure as imported.

Phil delphia, Nov. 7, 1840.—19.

CITY AUCTION AND COMMISSION STORE

Number 29 North Third Street, Philadelphia, UBLIC SALES of Dry Goods, Hardware and Cutlery, Books, Stationary, Ciothing, Boots, Shoes and Hats, and in short almost every description of goods, are held at this establishment every evening.—Goods are also sold at private sale during the day at the average auction prices. Storekeepers and teachers will find it to their advantage by attending the sales. C. C. MACKEY, Auctioneer. Philadelphia, Novemb r 7, 1840.

ESHERICK, HANSELL & CO'S. WHOLESALE DRY GOODS STORE. No. 1661-2 Market Street, Phila.

(Below Fifth South side) LWAYS keep on band a full and general as A sertment of Ho iery, Lace, and Pancy Goods, Country Merchants are respectfully requested to give them a call and examine for them elves. Philadelphia, November 7, 1840 .-- 1y.

SPERING, GOOD & CO. No. 138 Market Street, Philadelphia. **ENVITE** the attention of Country Merchants to the'r extensive assortment of B itish French and American Dey Goods, which they offer for sale on the most reasonable terms. Philadelphia, November 7, 1840.-1y.

PETER DEWEES,

LAST MAKER. No. 74 Callowhill Street, Philadelphia,

(Three doors above Second) SHOE Findings always kept on hand, which he offers for sale on the lowest terms. Country Merch onts are particularly to call and judge for Philadel, hia, November 7, 1810 .- 1 .

OLIVER N. THACHER, Agt. MANUFACTURER OF HATS, CAPS, &C. No. 40 North Third Street, Phila.

(Opposite the City Hotel) ATS, Caps and Ladies' Furs, of every de-scription, manufactured at very low prices, and Country Merchants supplied at short notice.
Philadelphia, November 7, 1840.—1y.

LOWER & BARRON,

Importers and Dealers in Foreign and Domestic Hardware,

No. 174 NORTH THIRD STREET, PHILADELPHIA WHERE their friends and customers will always find a large and general assortment of Foreign and Domestic Hardware, which they will sell at the lowest prices.
Philedelphia, November 7, 1810.—1y.

J. W. SWAIN,

Umbrella and Parasol Manufacturer. No. 37 Nooth Third street, two doors below the City Hotel, Philadelphia.

COUNTRY Merchants and others are solicited to examine his as ortment before prachasing Phila elphia, November 7, 1840 .- 1y

PETER CONOVER,

Wholesale and Retail Shoe, Bonnet, and Palm Leaf Hat Warehouse. No. 66 North 2d street, a few doors above Arch.

Philadelphia. LSO Trunks, Carpe: Bags and Valides, of ev-A ery description, all of which he offers for sale on the most reas nable terms. Philadel, his, November 7, 1840 .- 1y

P. & A. ROVOUDT'S

China, Glass and Liverpool Warehouse. No 164 North Third street, third door below. Vine street, Philadelphia.

WHERE they constantly keep on hand a large assentment of China, Glass and Liverpool Ware, which they will dispose of on the most rea-Philadelphia, November 7, 1840.

THEOPILUS CULP.

Manufacturer and Importer of Saddlery, Hardware, &c. No. 5 South Third street, four doors be on Market Philadelphiw

assortment to each Lamps, Carriage Bands, Axie Arms, Eliptic Springs, Patent Leather, &c. EEP constantly on hand a large and general Axie Arms, Eliptic Springs, and Country Merchants and staddlers will be supplied at Country Merchants and staddlers will be supplied at all times on the most reasonable terms. They will find it to their advantage to call and examine his assortment before purchasing elsewhere.

KAY & BROTHERS,

Philadelphia, November 7, 1840.-1y.

No. 122 Chesnut Street, Philadelphia. WillO constantly keep on hand a lorge assort-ment of Law, Medical, Theological, School

and Miscellaneous Books, Brank Books, and all kinds of stationary.

Country customers and others supplied on the

most reasonable terms. Philadelph å, November 7, 1840. – ly.

J. S. MEDARA,

Wholesale Variety and Trimming Store North Fourth near Arch street, Philadelphia. WHERE Country Merchants and others can be supplied, at all times, with a large assertment of Hosicry, Gloves, Merino. Cotton, and Woolen for the above purpose.

Shorts and Drawers, Spool Cotton, Patent Thread. November 1, 1810. Cot on Cords, Buttons, Tapes, Bindings, Hook-and Eyes, Pins, &c. And a general vari ty of use-ful articles, which he off is for sale at the lowest

Philadelphia, November 7, 1840 .- 1y.

REYNOLDS, McFARLAND & CO. Wholesale Dealers in Foreign British and American Dry Goods.

No 105 Market street, Philadelphia.

COUNTRY Merchants, and others can be sup-plied at all times with an extensive a sort-ment of the best and most fashionable Goods upon the most reasonable term. Pailsdelphia, November 7, 1840, -1y.

ATTENTION SUNBURY GREYS. --- ALBERT LEHM



Off are r quested to meet for parade in Market-square, Sunbury, at eight o'clock A. M. of Saturday, the

14th day of November.

in Winter uniform, each Member to be provided with 12 rounds of blank cartridge, By order of Captain D. wart,

J. H. ZIMMERMAN. Orderly Serg't.

Nov. 2, 1840.

Military Notice.

PHE Independent Battalian of Volunteers will meet for parade and drift at the house of Joseph Mitman, in Dry Valley, Union county, at 10 o'clock, A. M. of Saturday the 14th day of November next, each member to be fully equipped and provided with 12 rounds of blank cartridge. By order of the Maj r.

JOHN EMMIT, Adjutant. October 25, 1840.

G. W. & L. B. TAYLOR. OFFER FOR SALE, at the South East Co-

Mens' Calfiskin Boots, stiched-warranted. do do do peaged do do do water proof, d'uble soles and doub'e uppers, do Calf-skin do and uppers. do Heavy Water Leather Boots. do do Neats do do. do High quarter Shoes, Caif-skin.

do do do Crockers do do Fine M-procs-warranted. do K p do do C If do do do Coarse do du do do Shoes do Fine do do do Kip

do Caif and Seal Skin Pumps. do L st S.cks with and without soles. do Carpet do do do do Patent Warranted Water-proof Moccasins. Ludies' do do do Ludies' tanced India Rubber shoes. Gentlemens' do Over shoes. With every other desc iption of boots and shoes.

Fur Caps of every description. Travelling Trunks of every description. Venetian Travelling Bags. Patent Gum Elastic Shoe Blacking. Bennets of all kinds, Palm Leaf Hats, Philadelphia, November 7, 1840.-1y.

ATTENTION.

TITLE special attention of buyers from the south and west, and for the state trade, is respectfully invited to the following assortment of GOODS. which the subscriber will dispose of at such prices as will amply repay his friends for calling and examining his stock. To CASH purchasers, at the present time, extraordinary inducements will be of-

200 pieces heavy variegated Spanish matting. 500 pieces Canton matting, assuted 4-4, 5-4 and 6-4 white, checked and flowered. 1000 hearth rugs, a leautiful assortment f Wil-

ton, Brussels, Tufted, Turkey, and Hemp rugs. 200 pieces wooden, worsted, cotton, hemp, ingrain, Venetian and block Carpettigs. An original would be a Farm adjoining, by inquiring of THE PRINTER. grain, Venetian and block Carpetings. An elegant Venetian, Damask, &c. &c.

1000 dozen men and boys caps, comprising a great variety of Pur, Seal. Nuria, Muskrat, and Coney, Hair Sea'erte and Cloth Caps. 100 doz n Afficant Mats, assorted sizes. 100 do Manilla do do Sheep-skin do do

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30 bales French B.she s, comprising every description. 500 pair Vene ian Blinds, a-s'd figures and colors. 3000 just at do do do 1000 nests Cabas or Satchels, ass'd, embo-sed

leather, straw and oil clatta 5000 d.z.n Combs, a sorted tottoise shill. Bra z I ian do horn, ivory, brass and word, emprising a large assorim at fevery variety.

3000 doz " Whips-a-sorted wagon, gig, carriage, sulky, planters, dravers or riding, of gut, leather and thread, with German silver, gilt, ivory and bone mountings.

1000 dozen painted pails, Wilson's brand. 1000 ne ts ced r Tubs a d Buckets; also, Churns, Piggins, Water Cans, &c. The above together with an extensive assortment

of fancy goods, Brittatin and German silver ware, f ather and tristle Brushes, Looking Giasses, Mahegany and Gilt Frames, of every size and description, are unanafactured, imported, and a licted expressly for the southern, western and sta e trade. J. SIDNEY JONES, No 18 North 2d street, Philadelphia,

Philadelphia, November 7, 1840,--- ly.

JEREMIAH VASTINE'S Estate.

NOTICE is becely given that the Registe of the County of Northumberland, has this day granted letters testamentary to the subscribers upon the estate of Jeremiah Vie ine, of Rush t waship. in the said county. All persons having demands or claims again t the and decedent are requested to make known to e same to their without delay.

ELIZABETH VASTINE. Rush. WILLIAM LEGHOU, Point, Navem' er 2, 1810 .- 6 x.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNER-SHIP.

OTICE is hereby given that the pariner-hip hererofore existing under the firm of H. B. Musser & Co., is this day dissolved by muton co. s at. The books, notes, &c., will be left f r : short time in the hands of H. B. Masser, for collection and settlement; after which, if unattended to they will be placed in the hands of a proper efficer

H. B. MASSER,

Will continue in business at the old stand, and espectfully invites his friends and customers to a large assortment of New Goods, just received. November 7, 1840.

MEW GOODS.

WUST Received Merino, Broche, and Chenille Sea Otter, Seal and Scalette Caps. A large assertment of Park Chintzes.

French and English Merinces, &c. For sale at

H. B. MASSER,

the store of

November 7, 1840.



OPTICIAN (FROM PHILADELPHIA)

RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Sunbury and its vicinity, that he has opened room in the frame building joining the residence of Edward Gobin, E-q. (nearly opposite the Court House) where he will offer for sald for a few days SPECTACLES.

With Good, Silver, and Tortoine-shell Frames With a new and improved assortment of Glasses of his own manafacture. These Ga-ses are of the be-t kind for preserving and improving the sight in continued reading or writing, wherein they do not tire the eye, but strengthen and improve the vision Trey are recomm uded by the most celebrated Doctors and Profesors.

Also, Spy Glasses, of every size and quality; Maga fating Glasses, of every description, Microscopes with different magnifying powers, together with a variety of a tills in the Optical line, not menti med

Ostical, and other Instruments, and Glass, promptly and carefully repaired at the shortest no-

He can always sel of Glasses to sait the sight of ersons, as so n as they see them, up in the first

H will remain in Sunt u y but for a short time. October 21, 1840, -21,

S. M. MASON.

SURGEON DENTIST. ESPECIFULLY offers his services to the Ladie and Gendemen of Sunbury and its vicinity, in all the various operations of Dentistry : such as Filing, Plugging Cheaning and Extracting teeth and stamps, and Setting incorruptible Teeth on stumps or plate, from a single one to a whole et, in a neat and elegant manner, at the Hotel of Mr. Hiram Price.

Thalies waited on at their residence if they prefer it. All operations warranted. Cetober 31, 1840.

NEW GOODS.

UST RECEIVED a new and splendid assortment of Calicocs, Muslius, &c. For sale at e store of HENRY YOX PHIMER,
October 31, 1840,—tf, the store of

WOOLEN GOODS.

F the latest manufacture, consisting in part of a great variety of CI the, Cassimeres, Sattinetts, Merinoes, Fiannels Mouselin de Laines, &c. Just received and for sale at the store of HENRY YOX THEIMER. October 31, 1850 .- if.

Groceries.

UST RECEIVED a large and general assort-UST RECEIVED a Large and general assort-ment of Groce ies liquors &c. For sile at the HENRY YOX ! HEIMER. Oc ober 31, 1840,---th

DRUGS.

PAINTS, and Dye Stuffs, a fresh supply just receiv d and for sale at the store of HENRY YON PHEIMER. October 31, 1840:-- tf.

AMILLER & FARMER AY hear of a good situation, firty miles from Sunbury, in a new settlement, where he would obtain a long lease of a shall Grist Mill, and

LOST. WHEEL-BARROW was taken from the door of the subscriber. Any person who has

October 10th, 1840,-6t

in pease at n, will please to return it, or inform the solscriber where he can get it. Fifty cents reward will be given for any inf rmation in relation to the same. JOHN DÉRING

October 3, 1840 .- tf. PAMPHLET LAWS.

THE Pamphle: Laws, for the session 1839-40, have been received at this office; and are now ready for distribution to those entitled to receive SAMUEL D. JORDAN. em. SA Prothonotary's office.

Sunbury, Sept. 22, 1840, 5 Notice.

ALL ACCOUNTS remaining in my looks previous to the first of April 1840, will be left in the hands of a Justice of the Peace for collection. HENRY YOXTHIMER-N. B. Grain of all kinds will be taken on old

Sept. 12, 1840,-16. Transportation Line TO BALTIMORE.

(VIA TIME WATER CANAL.) Warehouse foot of Chesnut Street on the Pennsylvania Canal.

A BOAT haves the what of the cubs riber every morai g at 8 o'clock, running through to Ba'tmore in three days. Consignments of produce, iron, &c., will be cive a despatch by shosting, which has not hitherto been equalled by any other. Rate of fleight as low as by any other regular Luc.

References: JOHN W. BROWN, BUCK & HERR, KERNAN & STILLNIGER, Baltimore.

J. & A. H. HERR. Goods intended for Pittsburg, or any point on the Pennsylvania Canals, will be shipped we hout del y on their arrival at Harrisburg, as this connects with the North American line of Portable Boats to Pittsburg daily, and with the Susquehanon Packet Line to Northumberland, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre, and all intermediate phoces, GEORGE W. LAYNG,

Harrisbu g, Sept. 9, 1840.

Removal. BOOK-BINDERY.

THE undersigned have the gratification of informing the public, that notwithstanding they were so unfortunate as to have their bindery burnt down. in March last, they have opened a very extensive one, in Locust street, in the new building directly opposite Gleim's Hotel, and are prepared to execute all work in their time with despute,, and in a superior style. Their RULING APPARATUS and other Machinery are new, and of the first order and latest improvements; and they feel a confidence in their facilities for giving perfect satisfaction to all who may favor them with their orders. Banks, Conaty offices, Merchants, Mechanics and others, can be supplied with BLANK BOOKS of every description, which for neatness and dura bility, will be equal to any made by the United States. HICKOK & CANTINE.

HARRISBURG, Sept. 9.

SHAMOKIN COAL.

P a very superior quality, can be had at any time, by application to the subscribers, in late to suit purchasers. They keep large, egg, broken,

and fine coal, fit for burning lime.

J. H. PURDY & Co. Sunbary, Sept. 26 .- tf.

GROCERIES .- A fresh supply of Groceries just received and for sale by HENRY YOX PHIMER. Sept. 12, 1840.-tf.

LIQUORS.—A fresh supply of Brandy, Gin, Port, Lisbon, Tereriff, Madeira and Sherry Wines, just received and for sale by HENRY YOXTHIMER.

Sept. 12, 1840.-- if,

MUSLIN'S .- A new assortment of 7-4, 7-8 CALICOES. - A new assurtment of Calicoes

ust received and for sale by HENRY YOXTHIMER. 8 pt. 12, 1840--if. IRON -- A good assortment of Bar Iron, just

received and for sale by HENRY YOXTHIMER. Sept. 12, 1840,--- if. SALT .- 250 barrels and sacks of Salt, just

received and for sale by HENRY YOXTHIMER, Sept. 12, 1840,-tf. CLOIHS,-A general assortment of Cloths nd Cassimeres, constant y on hand of the store of HENRY YOXTHIMER.

Sept. 12, 1840,---- if. W'HEAT, RYE, CORN and all other inds of Grain and Seeds will be taken at the highest pries in exchange for goods at the store of HENRY YOX PHIMER.

Sept. 12, 1840 \$-4. MACKEREL -- A few barrels of M ckerel for sate at a low price by H. B, MASSER, Sept. 12, 1840.

IRISH SALMON .- Of the best quality, constantly on hand and for sale by H. B. MASSER, Sept. 12, 1840.

MADEIRA WINE,-Pirst quality Madiera Wine, for sale low by H. B. MASSER,

Sept. 12, 1840. FOURTH PROOF BRANDY .- A genune article always on hand and for sale by H. B. MASSER

Sept. 12, 1810-HOLLAND GIN,-Of the best quality always on hand and for sale by H. B. MASSER,

Sept. 12, 1840.

LOAF AND LUMP SUGAR .-- Always on and and for sale by H. B. MASSER. Sept. 12, 1840.

BOSTON SYRUP MOLASSES .- Of a supeior quality, for sale by H. B. MASSER, Sept. 12, 1840.

ASSES,-Or the best quality always on hand d for sale by H. B. MASSERR, Sept. 12, 1840.

BROWN SUGAR, --Of a good quality, for sale by H. B. MAS-ER, low by LIQUORS .-- Of all kinds and of the lest qualities, niways on hand and for sale by

H. B. MASSER, Sept. 12, 1840. quality always on hand and for sale by H. B. MASSER.

COFFI E .- Java, Rio and Laguira Coffee, con-Stantly on hand and for sale by H. B. MASSER,

SPERM Oll .- Winter and Summer strained Sperm Oil, of the test quality, always on hand and for sale by H. B. MASSER.

Sept 12, 1840. STEEL .- Cast and Blister Steel, for sale by H. B. MASSER.

Sept. 12, 1840.

SPRING STEEL .- Of various sizes for Eliptic Springs, for sale by H. B. MASSER. Sect. 12, 1810.

eery raduced prices by H. B. MASSER. Sept. 12, 1840. BLANK BOOKS,-Of all kinds, for sale by

Sept. 12, 1840. BLANK DEEDS,-Bonds, Mortgages, &c. for H. B. MASSER, Sept. 12, 1840.

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JUSTICES' BLANKS .- for sale by H. B. MASSER. Sept. 12, 1840. CLOTHS,-Blue, Black. Invisible Green, &c.,

H. B. MASSER, Sept. 12, 1840, CASSIMERES AND SATTINETTS .- For H. B. MASSER.

ale very low by Sept. 12, 1840. CARPETING.—Est sale cheap by H. B. MASSER. Sept. 12, 1840.

BLANKETS -For sale chrup by H. P. MASSER, Sept. 12, 1840. UNBLEACHED MUSLINS .- For sale by

September 12, 1840. COTTON YARN AND COTTON LAPS ... H. B. MASSER.

September 12, 1840.

HEMP AND COTTON TWINE,—For sale H. B. MASSER. Sep'ember 12, 1840

TOWING LINES, CORDS AND ROPES .--H. B. MASSER. For sale by September 12, 1840.

TO THE PUBLIC.

In submitting to the pu lie the first ntim'ers of the "American," it may be deemed incumbe t on us as necessary and proper to make a few observations in relation to the establishment of this pr se, and the course which its conductors intend to pursue in its publication. The age in which we live has been truly styled the age of improvement, which no power on earth can arrest in its progress. The application of steam to the various purposes of ar, and the more recent discovery of smelts ing iron with anthracite coal, promises to I enusylvania results that cannot be too highly esti-

The great valley of the Susquehanna is soon dectined to become the theatre of a new scene of enterprize and industry, which may well excite the astonishment of these who are unacquainted with her inexhaustible deposites of cod and iron.

Her rugged hals and solitary wastes, heretofore deemed worthless, are now eagerly sought after for the coal and from which they contain, the most valuable minerals in nature. It has been said that England owes her present power and wealth more to her coal and iron than to all other causes combised.-If so, then Pennsylvania has within her own borders internal resources and powers of wealth unsurpassed by the whole Union.

The Shamakin coal region, connected with this place by a rait oad 20 miles in length, which a few years since was a solitery wild, untrodden by the foot of man save the solitary hunter in pursuit of game, is now teeming with a busy and industrious population. The town of Shamokin located in the coal region, a new vilage contiming about one hundred houses, has sprung up as if by magic, since that period.

These improvements which are but a commencement of a series of works upon a large scale now in progress, recent as they are, have already given a new life and impetus to this section of our cours-

With these views and under these consider tions, we, in common with many of our most esteemed fellow citizens, conceived that a well conducted journal, if properly encouraged, could be rendered highly serviceable to the community. The progress of improvement and the rapid increase of population, indeed require that the press should not only keep pace with the spirit of enterprize and itsdustry, but as a pioneer lead the way and stimulate to exertion the enterprizing and wealthy capitalist,

The catablishment of a new press in this place has frequently been spoken of, and was long since in contemplation whenever a favorable opportunity should occur. We believe that period has now ar-rived. Our design is to make the American a permanent and useful journal, conveying useful as d interesting information to all classes of readers-Conducted with the utmost decorum, its tone and sentiments shall at all times be such, that the most scrupulous parent may place it in the hands of any member of his family with perfect impunity. Low scurrifity and violent personal abuse shall be canfully excluded from its columns. And while we shall always be ready and prompt in the expression of our opinions upon matters of public policy, we shall always endeavor to preserve that decorum and extend that courtesy towards our cotemporaries and others, that one gentlemen has a right to expert from another.

To the interests of the farmers and cultivators the soil, the bone and sinew of our country, who, in an agricultural point of view, form the basis of all trade, commerce and manufactures, we shall devote a portion of our columns, and spread before hem such matter as shall be both useful and en-

tartaining. To the mechanic and all others, we trust we shall be able to make the American an interesting NEW ORLEANS SUGAR HOUSE MOand lastructive journal.

In politics we shall, as we have already announced, support the general and state administrations. In advocating the re-election of Magrana VAN BUREN and RICHARD M. JOHNSON to the high stations which they now occupy, and which they have filled with each distinguished dataset, we shall confine ourselves to measures and the rinciples upon which they are grounded. Recrimation and low person d abuse which the rancor of policial warfare never fuls to produce, and which we tigret to say is indulated in to an alm at unlimited extent, by the partizan presses of citter side, we shall carefully avoid, deeming it not only GREEN AND BLACK TEAS .- Of the best demoralizing to the community and derog pery to the high character of the press, but unwise, impolitic and unjust.

To our fearless and patriotic Governor David R. Porter, who has thus far identified himself with the true interests of the state, and whose wise and -alu asy measures have received the appropriation of every honest and liberal mind, we shall extend our most cordial support. We have therefore placed his name at the head of our columns, fully confident that the honest ye many of Pennsylvania will always be found sustaining honesty of purpose and integrity of conduct in a justly valued public

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TO THE COMMUNITY.

THE success which has attended the use of Dr. Harlich's German Aperical and Compound strengthening Tonic P. its, is truly as orishing. It LARGE QUARTO BIBLES .- For sale at is no vain boast to say this medicine has proved by its happy effects in the cure of a variety of diseases to which the human frame is finide, to be vestly superior to the many preparations before the public. Many of these preparations are compounded by individuals who ar positive'y ignorant of the mysteries of the Lucian system, and mere pretenders to medical knowledge. Dr. Harlich, however, is cele-bated among the German faculty as a man of the highest scientific attainments, and equally distingguished throughout Europe, as a successful modical practitioner, spirit most of the years of a useful life in the aquint in of such knowledge as might provo beneficial to his fellow creatures. In the pills which he invented, and which bear his name, the public are assured of an article that possesses more than ordinary virtues. From the acknowledged talents of this inventor, a thing less than a good article could be expected; and the experience of many years has afforded demonstration of the virtues of his medicine. In Germany and other parts of Eugope, its r putation is established. In this country into which it has but been recently introduced, it is rapidly estining the most substantial reputation. The num rous nert finates of currs of the most obstitute diec was fi cied by the use of Harlich's Pills, which the proprietor is constantly receiving, is proof of the fact. Dry after day he receives new testimocrale of the refli cy, and week after week increases the demand for them. This is not mere assertion; innumerable errichestes are open for the importion of the public, and the doubts of any who are eleptical, can be rem ved by examining them at the office of the proprietor.

We take the liberty, then, of augusting to every family, that they make use of Dr. Hatlich's Pills, Let them keep a supply constantly on hand, to be used when occasion demands and they will receive the most useq ivocal proofs of utility .- Medical Definer.

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