

vions years, will be considerably less than is exhibited in the above statement.

From the manner in which the books of the officers of the Columbia railroad have been heretofore kept, the actual cost of operations for any one year cannot be ascertained.

We extract from the report the following statement in relation to that portion of the Improvements, together with the concluding remarks of the Board:

Table with columns for Department, Amount of tolls received, Amount of expenses paid and liabilities incurred, and Profit for the two months.

From the arrangement made and the system adopted for the management of the road, the expenses paid and the liabilities incurred, as above stated, may be safely assumed as an average for the whole year.

Repairs—Excess of receipts over expenditures \$164,099 16

Motive Power—Excess of receipts over expenditures 105,519 56

Total profits of the road for 12 mo. \$269,618 72

In addition to the above, the Board have among others, made the following retrenchment:

Table listing various items such as Six Supervisors dispensed with, Pay of Superintendent on Reservoirs, and various canal and engineer corps expenses.

The Board would observe in conclusion, that still further reductions are contemplated, and it is their determination to reduce the expenditure to the lowest possible point consistent with a due regard for the safety of public works, and an efficient and economical despatch of the trade and travel thereon.

EXTRAORDINARY SUICIDE.—A case of suicide of an extraordinary character, occurred at New Orleans on the 13th ult. A Frenchman named Decelles, during the last yellow fever season, lost the wife of his bosom.

COSTIVENESS.—Mr. John Earl, 25 Tenth street, Philadelphia, was for many years badly afflicted with the above disease (costiveness), which had continued to grow worse daily until it became truly alarming.

MARRIED.—On the 5th inst., by the Rev. J. P. Shindel, Mr. William Malig to Miss Hannah Heilman, both of Augusta.

DIED.—On the 27th ult., in Irish Valley, of Consumption, SELATHIEL SOBER, aged about 20 years.

SHADOKIN ISLAND. THAT beautiful and valuable property, of about 230 acres, situated on the coast of the Chesapeake Bay.

VALUABLE FARMS, NEAR NORTHUMBERLAND. HOUSES, TOWN LOTS & OUT LOTS, the property of John H. Cowden, will be sold by the Sheriff on the 18th July instant, in Sunbury.

PAYMENTS AS FOLLOWS: Purchases not exceeding \$200, 20 per cent down. Purchases above 200, 10 per cent down.

PRICE CURRENT. Corrected weekly by Henry Yoxthimer. Table listing prices for Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Pork, Flaxseed, Butter, Beans, Peas, Dried Apples, Dried Peaches, Flax, Hacked Flax, Eggs.

Dr. Duncan's Expectorant Remedy for Consumption. COLDs, Coughs, Spitting of Blood, Bronchitis, Difficulty of Breathing, Asthma, Pain in the Side, Breast, and Chest, Whooping Cough, Croup, and all diseases of the Liver and Lungs.

We are all alike liable to disease—and death is the certain lot of all that live and have a being; and although the latter cannot be averted, still the former may, by the power of medicine, be removed, or rendered less painful to the afflicted.

REPAIR DEPARTMENT. Amount of tolls received for the months of April and May, 1842 \$36,675 32

REMEMBER ONLY PHILADELPHIA OFFICE is at No. 19 NORTH EIGHTH STREET. HENRY YOXTHIMER, Agent.

NOTICE. CREDITORS TAKE NOTICE, That we have applied to the Court of Common Pleas of Northumberland County, for the benefit of the laws made for the relief of the insolvent debtors; and that the Judges of the said Court have appointed the first Monday of August next to hear us and our creditors at the Court House in Sunbury, when and where you may attend if you think proper.

Treasurer's Notice. THE Merchants and Tavernkeepers of Northumberland County are hereby notified that their licenses are ready for distribution, and that they can be obtained at any time at the Treasurer's office, Sunbury.

DR. J. N. SUMNER, SURGEON DENTIST, RESPECTFULLY informs the public that he has made Northumberland his permanent place of residence, and is ready to attend to any calls in the line of his profession.

CAUTION TO THE PUBLIC. WHEREAS Letters Patent were granted to Mr. H. W. CAMP, in October, 1834, for a new and useful improvement in the descending FLEX COOKING STOVES: I have understood one BATH-AWAY is using my said improvement under the name of "HOT AIR STOVES," which stove involves the principles secured to me.

Dissolution of Partnership. THE partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, has been dissolved by mutual consent.

TO THE ELECTORS OF NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY. THE subscriber respectfully informs the electors of Northumberland County, that he will be a candidate at the ensuing election, for the offices of Register, Recorder and Clerk of the Orphans' Court.

SHAMOKIN HOTEL. Shamokin, Northumberland Co., PENNSYLVANIA. THE subscriber respectfully informs the public that he has taken that large and commodious HOTEL, in Shamokin, in the centre of the great Coal Region, lately kept by Jacob Kram, where they are now prepared to accommodate all who may favor them with their custom.

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Samuel D. Jordan, OFFERS himself to the Electors of Northumberland County, as a candidate for the offices of PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK OF THE SEVERAL COURTS

Major David N. Lake, INFORMS the public that he will be a candidate for the office of SHERIFF

of Northumberland County, at the ensuing election. He respectfully solicits the suffrages of his fellow citizens, and should he be elected, he will endeavor to discharge the duties of said office with fidelity, and satisfaction to the people.

TAILORING, ON HIS OWN HOOD. PETER GETTER, RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public generally, that he has commenced the

Tailoring Business, in all its branches, in the house formerly occupied by Wm. Durst as a Tailor Shop, in Blackberry street, nearly opposite the Presbyterian Church.

DENTISTRY. A. Vallerchamp, RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Sunbury and vicinity, that he will remain a short time in this place, for the purpose of performing operations on the teeth.

Notice. IS hereby given, that an application has been made at the last Court of Common Pleas of Northumberland County, by the members of the "Good Will Fire Company,"

FLOUR, BRAN, & C. THE subscriber respectfully informs the public that she keeps constantly on hand for sale, at the lowest cash prices, at the lower end of Fawn street, Sunbury, FLOUR by the hundred, quarter, &c., BRAN by the bushel, HERRING by the dozen, Confectionery, &c.

NEW GOODS. JUST received, a fresh supply of cheap Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, &c.

CLYDE & WILLIAMS' Blank Book Manufactory, Opposite Prince's Hotel, HARRISBURG.

TO THE ELECTORS OF NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY. THE subscribers have been induced to offer themselves as candidates for the offices of REGISTER, RECORDER, and CLERK OF THE ORPHANS' COURT.

John Eiseley, RESPECTFULLY informs the Electors of Northumberland County, that he will be a candidate for the office of CORONER.

Felix Mowrer, RESPECTFULLY informs the Electors of Northumberland County, that he will be a candidate for the office of SHERIFF.

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PHILADELPHIA, READING AND POTTSVILLE RAIL ROAD. AN EXTRA ACCOMMODATION LINE Will commence running between Philadelphia and Pottsville on the following days and hours:

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, MAY 9, 1842. Leaving Pottsville, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 8 A. M.

Leaving Philadelphia, on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 1 P. M.

Hours of passing Reading. For Philadelphia, at 10 A. M. For Pottsville, at 5 P. M.

FARES. Between Pottsville & Philada. \$3.50 & \$2.50 Between Reading & do. 2.25 & 1.75 Between do & Pottsville, 1.40 & 1.00

Excursion Tickets—GOOD FOR RETURNING NEXT DAY. Between Pottsville & Philadelphia, \$5.00 Between Reading & do. 3.00 Between do. & Pottsville, 2.00

The other passenger trains will as before, at the following hours: Philadelphia and Pottsville. From Philadelphia, at 5 A. M. Daily From Pottsville, at 2 P. M. Daily

Hours of passing Reading. For Pottsville, at 9 A. M. Daily. For Philadelphia, at 3 P. M. Daily.

All the trains will stop for way passengers at the usual points.

All passengers are requested to procure their tickets before the trains start. May 21, 1842.—H. B. MASSER.

U.S. Mail Coach FOR POTTSVILLE. STAGE TO THE MAIL COACH! EAST & SOUTH!

THE Mail Coach for Pottsville leaves Northumberland every morning at 4 o'clock, and arrives in Pottsville in time for the cars to Philadelphia.

FARE as low as any other line. For seats, apply at Mrs. Withington's Hotel, Northumberland, or at George Weitzel's, Sunbury, A. E. KAPP & CO., Proprietors.

Passengers coming from Philadelphia will please secure their seats at the White Swan Hotel, Race St., before they leave the city.

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GOLDEN SWAN. HEDDLECH. No. 60 North Third, above Arch Street, PHILADELPHIA.

ACCOMMODATIONS FOR SEVENTY PERSONS. CHARLES WEISS, late of the "White Swan," and "Mount Vernon House," respectfully informs his friends and customers, that he has become the proprietor of the above well known Hotel.

Country Merchants will find the above Hotel a central location, and the best of fare. Persons traveling with private conveyance will find a large yard and good stabling for horses, and the best of outsets. Boarding \$1 per day.

May 14th, 1842.—H. B. MASSER.

EAGLE. Corner of Third and Vine Streets, WILMINGTON, PA.

THE subscriber respectfully announces to the public, that he has opened a Hotel in the commodious brick building situated on the corner of Third and Pine streets, where he will be happy to wait upon those who may favor him with their company.

The Eagle Hotel is large and convenient, and furnished in the best modern style. It is provided with a large number of well aired and comfortable sleeping apartments, rooms, private parlors, &c.

Persons visiting Wilmington on business or pleasure, may rest assured that every exertion will be used to render their sojourn at the "Eagle Hotel" pleasant and agreeable.

His Table will be supplied with the very best of the market, and his bar with the choicest wines and other liquors—charges, reasonable.

The Eagle Hotel possesses greater advantages in point of location than any other similar establishment in the borough, being situated in the business part of the town, and within a convenient distance of the Court House and Wilmington and Elmira Rail Road Depot.

Sufficient stabling provided, and good and trusty outsets always in attendance.

Attentive, accommodating and honest Servants have been employed, and nothing but the best will be added to the comfort and accommodation of his guests.

There will be a carriage always in attendance at the Boat Landing to convey passengers to and from the House, free of charge.

CHARLES BORROWS. May 14th, 1842.

WM. HEILMAN & CO., Commission & Forwarding Merchants, Foot of Willow Street Rail Road, as the DELAWARE.

HAVING associated with them Joseph Barnett, late of Easton, Pa., respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they have taken that large and well known store and wharf at foot of Willow Street Railroad, lately occupied by Jacob Martin, where they purpose doing a General Commission and Forwarding Business, and from the local advantages of the place being connected with all the public improvements that have their outlet in the city, they flatter themselves they will be able to do business to as great, if not greater advantage, and upon as reasonable terms as any other house, and they assure their friends that any consignments made to them shall have their strict attention, and no exertions spared to give entire satisfaction.

They are also prepared to receive and forward goods to any point on the Delaware and Lehigh rivers, between Manch Chunk, Easton and Philadelphia, via Delaware Division and Lehigh Canals; also, to any point on the Juniata river, or North and West Branches of the Susquehanna via Schuylkill and Union, or the Chesapeake and Tide Water Canals.

For the accommodation of Boats coming or going via Schuylkill and Union Canals, a Steamboat will be kept expressly for towing boats from the Schuylkill around to the Delaware and back, which will enable merchants to have their produce delivered on the Delaware, and their goods shipped at a saving of 50 to 75 per cent, on the prices for hauling across,—with these advantages they respectfully solicit a share of public patronage.

Scrap Books, Albums and Portfolios made to order. Law Books, Music and Periodicals bound to any pattern. Old Books rebound, &c. Also files of papers bound.

Work left at the office of the Sunbury American, will be promptly attended to. May 21st, 1842.—H. B. MASSER.

NOTICE. THE subscriber hereby gives notice, that he has this day sold out, delivered and transferred to Mr. John W. Fryling, all the right, title and interest of his store, from this date, with the books from the 1st day of April last, and that the business will hereafter be conducted by the said John W. Fryling, at the old stand.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to the subscriber, are requested and required, forthwith, to come forward and settle their accounts without further delay. May 18, 1842. HENRY YOXTHIMER.

NOTICE. THE subscriber hereby gives notice that he has this day purchased from Henry Yoxthimer his store and entire stock of goods, and that the business of said store will hereafter be conducted by him at the old stand.

He therefore respectfully solicits from his friends, and the customers of said store, a continuance of their favors, and hopes by strict and punctual attention to business, to merit a continuance of their patronage. JOHN W. FRYLING. May 18, 1842.

WARRANTED SUPERIOR TO ANY OTHER NEAR SUNBURY. JOHN & HENRY LANDAU, having rented the Lane Kilns of Henry Masser, in Sunbury, have now for sale the best Lime in this part of the county, and will continue to keep constantly on hand fresh Lime for Plastering, Building and for Lining Land, on as reasonable terms as can be had anywhere in the neighborhood. May 21, 1842. J. & H. LANDAU.

J. MAYLAND, JR. & CO. Snuff and Tobacco Manufacturers, No. 99 North West corner of Race and Third Streets, PHILADELPHIA.

THE undersigned have formed a Co-partnership under the firm of J. MAYLAND, JR. & CO., as successors to the late firm of Jacob Mayland & Co., and will continue the business at the old establishment, on their own account. In addition to their own close attention and experience for many years, in the manufacture of their celebrated snuff, &c., the long experience of the senior partner of the late firm, will also be devoted to the interest of the new concern—and as no exertion and care will be spared to insure their goods, at all times of the very best quality, they solicit a continuance of the confidence of the friends and customers of the late firm. THOMAS ADAMS, J. MAYLAND, JR. Philadelphia, May 14th, 1842.—ly

TO THE ELECTORS OF NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY. THE Subscriber respectfully informs the Electors of Northumberland County, that he will be a candidate for the office of REGISTER, RECORDER and CLERK OF THE ORPHANS' COURT, at the ensuing general election. Should he be elected, he will exert himself to render general satisfaction, which his long experience in the duties of said offices, will enable him to do.

May 7. EDWARD OYSTER. TO THE ELECTORS OF NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY. THE subscriber being prevailed on by his friends, respectfully informs the public that he will be a candidate for the office of COMMISSIONER, at the ensuing general election. He promises, if elected, to fulfill the duties of said office, with care and fidelity. JOHN YOUNG, May 7th, 1842.

H. B. MASSER, ATTORNEY AT LAW, SUNBURY, PA. Business attended to in the Counties of Northumberland, Union, Lycoming and Columbia.

THOMAS HART & CO., LOWEY & BARBO, HAY, CRESSWELL & HART, RETWOLDS, McFARLAND & CO., SERRINO, GOOD & CO., Philad.

A FARM FOR SALE. FOR Sale, a Farm containing about 80 acres, more or less, situate in Shamokin township, Northumberland county, about seven miles from Sunbury, on the main road leading from that place to Petersburg and Sham-kin town, adjoining lands of Wm. Farrow, Abraham Kiser, Samuel Gonser and Wm. Martz, on which there is a good large Brick House, with a well of never failing water at the door, a large Barn in good repair, a good Orchard, and a good seat for a mill or any kind of water power. Nearly all the land is cleared and in good cultivation, twenty-five acres of which is good meadow. The Danville and Pottsville Rail Road runs through said farm. It will be sold as the property of Wm. Waters, dec'd. Any person wishing to purchase can do so, as the terms are reasonable. Possession and a good title can be given next Spring. For further particulars, persons are requested to apply to the widow, who lives on the premises, or to Godfrey Waters or E. Greenough, Esq., in Sunbury. GODFREY WATERS, C. R. WATERS, Esq. of Wm. Waters, dec'd. May 7—H.

Shad! Shad!! FIRST Rate Shad and Herring, fat, and of fine flavor, inspected No. 1 in April, just received, and for sale at the new store of JOHN CHAMBERLAIN. May 7th, 1842.

Dissolution of Partnership. THE partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, was dissolved by mutual consent, on the 31st of March last. The partnership books, and other evidences of debt due the partners, are placed in the hands of Christian Bower, Esq., of Sunbury, for collection, who alone is authorized to receive payment. The partnership commenced on the first day of April, 1840.

HENRY YOXTHIMER, HENRY DAWSON. April 16th, 1842.

NOTICE. THE subscriber informs the public and his former customers, that although M. H. Dawson has withdrawn himself from his store, he still continues his business as heretofore, and will endeavor to give satisfaction to those who will give him their custom. He is thankful to the public for the large share of patronage extended to him for the last twenty years. Sunbury, April 16th, 1842. HENRY YOXTHIMER.

MERCHANTS' HOUSE, No. 237, North Third, above Callowhill St., PHILADELPHIA.

THE subscribers take pleasure in acquainting their friends and the public in general, that they have taken the large and commodious Hotel, recently built by the Messrs. Hart, on the same site occupied by the old established Hotel known as the Bull's Head, in Third street above Callowhill St.

This Hotel is finished in the very best possible manner, and of the best materials. Its location is very desirable, particularly for country merchants; the arrangements for heating and ventilating each room is such as to secure any temperature. The bedrooms are all light and airy, all furnished in a neat style, so as to insure comfort.

The receiving parlors are also furnished in a superb style, the windows are on the French style, forming an entrance to a balcony in front, which makes a pleasant recess. Particular attention has been given to the beds and bedding, which, with the furniture, are entirely new.

From years' experience in hotel business, we trust, by strict attention to business, to make this house a desirable stopping place. Our table will always be supplied with the very best our market can afford, and our bar with the best liquors and wines of the most approved brands.

P. S. There are first rate stabling and carriage houses attached to the hotel, attended by careful and sober-boilers, and our charges will be low, in accordance with the present high times. SHULTZ & BERR. Philadelphia, April 16, 1842.

SUSQUEHANNA HOTEL, CATAWISSA, COLUMBIA CO., PENNSYLVANIA.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the public that he has purchased, and now occupies the

Large and Commodious Brick Tavern Stand, Well known as the property, late of Theodore Wells, and formerly kept by Samuel A. Boudy.

He is now prepared to accommodate all travellers and visitors who may favor him with a call, and will use every effort in his power to render every convenience and comfort to his customers, while under his charge. His accommodations are ample, and his rooms well furnished. His stables extensive and in good condition.

His Table and Bar will be supplied with the best that the market can afford. By punctuality and attention, he feels confident that he will merit the patronage of the public. CHARLES HARTMAN. Catawissa, April 9th, 1842.

ROBERT CARTER & SON, PAPER MANUFACTURERS, Lombard Street, Baltimore.

I HAVE constantly for sale, Printing Paper of all sizes and qualities, Cap, Writing Paper, ruled and plain, Letter Paper, white and blue, colored and plain, Hanging Paper, fine and common, Envelopes Paper, do, do, medium, double crown, crown and extra sized Wrapping Papers, Colored Medium and Royal Papers, Boanet, Binders' and Shaw Box Boards, Tissue Paper, and all articles in their line, which they will sell on accommodating terms. Highest price given for old rags. ROBERT CARTER & SON, March 19, 1842. ELTON, M.D.

WHARTON'S HEDDLECH. Sunbury, Northumberland County, PENNSYLVANIA.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the public, that he has removed to that large and commodious Brick House, on Market square, opposite the Court House, (formerly kept by Hiram Price,) where he is now prepared to accommodate all who may favor him with a call. Being thankful for past favors, he hopes by strict attention to business, to receive a liberal share of public patronage, &c.

CHARLES D. WHARTON. Sunbury, March 25th, 1842.