



From the Keepsake of 1843. Who Giveth Songs in the Night.

When courting slumber, The hours I number, And sad cares number My wretched mind; This thought shall cheer me, That thou art near me, Whose ear to hear me Is still inclined. My soul thou keepest, Who never sleepest; Mid gloom the deepest, There's light above. Thine eyes behold me; Thine arms enfold me; Thy word has told me That God is love.

The following lines were found enclosed in a newspaper, intended to defraud Uncle Sam:

Miss Julia Reed, With all possible speed, I trust that this paper may reach you, And that what you peruse May not merely amuse, But some lesson of import may teach you. I at first thought 'twould be better To have written a letter To give you the news more precisely, But by saving the expense In sending it hence, I have thus, I think, acted more wisely. 'Twill be a caution, no doubt, The way you enjoy yourself out In the country this very warm weather, For I trust that pure joy, Unmixed with alloy, Will bear your spirits up light as a feather. That may always such be your lot, Whether city or cot To dwell in you deem most expedient, Is the sincere wish, indeed, Miss Julia Reed, Of your very-very-very Obedient.

CALCULATIONS VERIFIED.—Wm. Darby the celebrated Geographer, many years ago published a statistical table of what the number of people would be, in the years 1820, 1830, 1840, 1850, &c., up to 1900. So far, he has been fully sustained by the most accurate enumerations. We, therefore, place much reliance upon any thing from his pen on this subject. According to Darby's calculations, at the end of this century the present United States will contain upwards of one hundred millions of inhabitants! At that rate in less than 150 years from this time, the U. S. will contain eight hundred millions, or in other words, as many inhabitants as the whole earth at present contains.

Statesmen, patriots, and philanthropists, will be forced to look at this matter seriously—it is our duty to make provision in time, so far as we can, for this vast increase of our race. Legislators should look forward to that state of things. What ought to be done, or can be done, we do not pretend to say—but something ere long will have to be done. Instead of giving away the public lands as a bounty to foreigners, it may be wise to check emigration by increasing the price of the unsold public domain. Put up the price of the public lands to \$5 per acre, and we can thereby make foreigners furnish us with enough money to pay off all our debts.—Cor. of the Phila. Ledger.

AN AMUSING BLUNDER.—We find in an exchange paper the following amusing instance of legislative blundering:

"Some year ago, a bill was reported in the New York House of Assembly, entitled 'An act for the preservation of the Health Hen and other Game.' The Speaker of the House, who was probably not much of a sportsman, gravely read it, 'An act for the preservation of the Health and other game,' a blunder of which he was not conscious, until an honest member from the north, who had suffered considerably by the deprivations of the frontier Indians, moved an amendment by adding the words, 'except Indians.'"

FALLING OFF.—An Officer, on a field day, happened to be thrown from his horse, and as he lay sprawling on the ground, said to a friend (who ran to his assistance,) "I thought I had improved in my riding, but I find I have fallen off."

PAY OF A WITNESS.—"Small thanks to you," said a plaintiff to one of his witnesses, "for what you have said in this case." "Ah, sir," said the conscious witness, "but think of what I didn't say."

ONE TONGUE POLICY.—A matronly lady being asked why she did not learn the French language, replied that one tongue was sufficient for a woman.

DEFERRED SENSIBILITY.—A client one day burst into a flood of tears after he had heard the statement of his counsel, exclaiming, "I did not think I had suffered half so much until I had heard it this day."

A NEGRO DIALOGUE.—"I say, Baz, where dat comet ris at!" "It rise in de 46 merceden ob de tregin sodac, as laid down in de count almanack." "Well, where do him set, Baz?" "Set you black fool—him don't set no where—when 'em gets tired ob shinin, him goes in his hole."

BANK NOTE LIST. PENNSYLVANIA.

The following list shows the current value of all Pennsylvania Bank Notes. The most implicit reliance may be placed upon it, as it is every week carefully compared with and corrected from Bicknell's Reporter.

Table with columns: NAME, LOCATION, PHILAD., DISC. IN PHILAD., NOTES AT PAR. Lists various banks like Bank of North America, Bank of the Northern Liberties, etc.

BROKEN BANKS.

Table listing failed banks such as Philadelphia Sav. Ins., Schuylkill Sav. Ins., Manual Labor Bank, etc.

NEW JERSEY.

Table listing banks in New Jersey like Bank of New Brunswick, Belvidere Bank, Burlington Co. Bank, etc.

DELAWARE.

Table listing banks in Delaware like Bank of Wilmington, Bank of Delaware, Bank of Smyrna, etc.

OAKLEY'S DEPURATIVE SYRUP.

The valuable properties of Oakley's Depurative Syrup of Sarsaparilla, as a purifier of the blood, is well known to the public generally, that it is unnecessary to occupy much space in setting forth the advantages to be derived from its use; wherever the medicine has once been introduced, it takes precedence over all others; every one that has taken it, have derived so signal beneficial results from it, that it is recommended by them with the utmost confidence.

Mr. OAKLEY—I believe it the duty of every one to do whatever in his power, for the benefit of his fellow man, and having had positive proof in my own family, of the wonderful properties of your Depurative Syrup of Sarsaparilla, I must conscientiously recommend it to the afflicted. We had the misfortune to lose two of our children, by the breaking out of ulcerous sores that covered the face, head and neck, although we had some of the most scientific physicians to attend them and had tried all the known remedies, including Swain's Panacea, without avail.

JOHN MOYER, Tailor, Walnut street, near Fourth, Reading.

AMELIA D. LEAF, Sept. 16, 1843.—ly

COUNTERFEITERS' DEATH BLOW.

The public will please observe that no Brandreth Pills are genuine, unless the box has three labels upon it, (the top, the side and the bottom) each containing a fac-simile signature of my handwriting, thus—B. BRANDRETH, M. D.—These labels are engraved on steel, beautifully designed, and done at an expense of over \$2,000.—Therefore it will be seen that the only thing necessary to procure the medicine in its purity, is to observe these labels.

CERTIFICATES OF AGENCY.

For the sale of Brandreth's Vegetable Universal Pills. Northumberland county: Milton—Mackey & Chamberlin, Sunbury—H. B. Masser, McEvensville—Inland & Merrill, Northumberland—Wm. Forsyth, Georgetown—J. & J. Wells.

CITY FURNITURE AUCTION.

AND PRIVATE SALES ROOMS, Nos. 29 and 31 North Third Street, Near the City Hotel, PHILADELPHIA.

C. C. MACKAY, Auctioneer, respectfully invites the attention of persons desirous of purchasing Furniture, to his extensive Sales Rooms, (both public and private) for every description of Household Furniture, which can be obtained at all times, a large assortment of fashionable and well manufactured Cabinet Furniture, Beds, Mattresses, &c., at very reduced prices, for cash.

WILLIAM J. MARTIN, ATTORNEY AT LAW, SUNBURY, PA.

OFFICE, in the second story of the building occupied by Dr. J. B. Masser, on Market street, Oct. 21st, 1843.

A Threshing Machine for Sale. THE subscriber offers for sale a THRESHING MACHINE, new and in good order. The Machine has been tried, and proves to be an excellent one. It will be sold at a reduced price, and warranted. Apply to H. B. MASSER, July 16, 1843.

ROSE OINTMENT, FOR TETTER.

RINGWORMS, PIMPLES ON THE FACE, AND OTHER CUTANEOUS ERUPTIONS.

The following certificate describes one of the most extraordinary cures ever effected by any application.

PHILADELPHIA, February 10, 1838. FOR twenty years I was severely afflicted with Tetter on the Face and Head; the disease commenced when I was seventeen years old, and continued until the Fall of 1836, varying in violence, but without ever disappearing. During most of the time, great part of my face was covered with the eruption, frequently attended with violent itching; my head swelled at times until it felt as if it would burst—the swelling was so great, that I could scarcely get my hat on. During the long period that I was afflicted with the disease, I used a great many applications, (among them several celebrated preparations) as well as taking inward remedies, including a number of bottles of Swain's Panacea, Extract of Sarsaparilla, &c. In fact, it would be impossible to enumerate all the medicines I used.

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JOHN MOYER, Tailor, Walnut street, near Fourth, Reading.

AMELIA D. LEAF, Sept. 16, 1843.—ly

ROSE OINTMENT, FOR TETTER. A PROOF OF ITS EFFICACY.

PHILADELPHIA, May 27th, 1839. THIS is to certify that I was severely afflicted with Tetter in the hands and feet for upwards of forty years; the disease was attended generally with violent itching and swelling. I applied to a number of physicians, and used a great many applications without effecting a cure. About a year since, I applied the Rose Ointment, which entirely stopped the itching, and a few applications immediately cured the disease, which there has been no return of, although I had never been rid of it at any time for forty years.

RICHARD SAVAGE, Eleventh, below Spruce Street.

THE ROSE OINTMENT is prepared by E. B. VAUGHAN, South East corner of Third and Race Streets, Philadelphia, and sold on agency in Sunbury, by H. B. MASSER, May 14th, 1843. Agent.

MEDICAL APPROBATION.

ALTHOUGH the superiority of the preparation over all others is fully established, the proprietors take pleasure in laying before the public the following certificate from a respectable physician, a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, Dr. Brough, having found in this remedy that relief for a tedious and disagreeable affection which the means within the range of his profession failed to afford, has not hesitated to give it his approbation, although the prejudices and interests of that profession are opposed to secret Remedies.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 19, 1836. I was recently troubled with a tedious herpetic eruption, which covered nearly one side of my face, and extended over the ear. Mr. Vaughan, proprietor of the Rose Ointment, observing my case, insisted on my trying his preparation, of which he handed me a jar. Although in common with the members of my profession, I discomfited and disapproved of the numerous nostrums palmed upon the public by ignorant pretenders, I feel in justice bound to except the Rose Ointment from that class of medicines, and to give it my approbation, as it entirely cured the eruption, although it had resisted the usual applications.

DANIEL BAUGH, M. D. The Rose Ointment is prepared by E. B. VAUGHAN, South East corner of Third and Race Streets, Philadelphia, and sold on agency in Sunbury, by H. B. MASSER, May 14th, 1843. Agent.

Hover's Ink.

JOSEPH E. HOVER, Manufacturer of Writing and Indelible Ink, No. 106 North Third Street, six doors below Race, (east side), PHILADELPHIA.

RESPECTFULLY informs country merchants and others, that he constantly keeps on hand a large stock of his superior Black, Blue and Red Ink, and also a superior quality of Indelible Ink. His ink is put up in bottles varying in size, from 1 to 32 ounces, and will be sold on reasonable terms. The excellent qualities of this ink has so thoroughly established its character, that it is now extensively used throughout the country.

For sale at the store of H. B. Masser, Sunbury, Pa. May 27th, 1843.—ly

CHARLES W. HEGINS, ATTORNEY AT LAW, SUNBURY, PA.

HAS taken the office formerly occupied by the Hon. Charles G. Downe, opposite the Court House. He will attend to business in the Courts of Northumberland, Union and Columbia counties. May 20th, 1843.

UNION HOTEL.

(General Stage Office.) MUNCY, LYCOMING COUNTY, Pennsylvania.

THE Subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public in general, that he has taken the above

LARGE AND COMMODIOUS HOTEL.

IN THE BOROUGH OF MUNCY, and that he is now well prepared to accommodate all who may favor him with their custom. His SLEEPING APARTMENTS are well aired, and comfortable. His TABLE and BAR will always be supplied with the best and most market can afford.

His STABLES, which is good, will be under the charge of good and careful hostlers. He feels confident, by strict attention to business, and an earnest desire to render comfortable those who may patronize him, that he will not fail to give general satisfaction. H. B. WEAVER, Muncy, Oct. 1st, 1842.—ly

WM. HEILMAN & CO.,

Commission & Forwarding Merchants, Foot of Willow Street Rail Road, ON THE DELAWARE.

HAVING associated with them Joseph Barnett, late of Easton, Pa., respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they have taken the 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 price for hauling across,—with these advantages they respectfully solicit a share of patronage.

W. HEILMAN & CO., William Heilman, } Philad., May 14, 1843.—ly William W. Keyser, } Joseph Barnett.

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, 1843.—ly

To Country MERCHANTS.

THE Subscriber, Agent of Lyon & Harris, Hat Manufacturers, for New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and other large cities, whose Hats are highly commended for good color and durability, has on hand a first rate assortment of HATS and CAPS, suitable for Spring sales, which will be sold very low, for cash or approved credit, at the netted cheap store, No. 40, North Third street, opposite the City Hotel, Philadelphia.

ROBERT D. WILKINSON, Agent. N. B. Orders for Hats in the rough, promptly attended to. The highest price in cash or trade given for Fur skins. Philadelphia, June 11, 1843.—ly

BOLTON & CO. General Commission Merchants,

For the Sale of Flour, Grain, Seed, &c., &c. RESPECTFULLY inform their friends and the Merchants generally, that they have taken those large and commodious Wharves, with two Docks, north of Chestnut street, on the Delaware, together with the store No. 19 South Wharves, where they would be pleased to receive consignments of Grain, Flour, Seed, Whiskey, Iron, &c. &c. Being also well prepared to forward all kinds of Merchandise by the Schuylkill and Union, or by the Chesapeake and Tide Water Canals, as to forwarding they are kept expressly for the purpose of towing boats by either route.

Merchants will please be particular to send their goods destined by either canal, to No. 19 South Wharves, between Market and Chestnut streets, on the Delaware, with directions accompanying them which route they wish them to be shipped. Plaster and Salt for sale, at the lowest market price. BOLTON & CO., March 19, 1843. No. 19 South Wharves.

ROBERT CARTER & SON, PAPER MANUFACTURERS,

Lombard Street, Baltimore. HAVE constantly for sale, Printing Paper of all sizes and qualities, Cap Writing Paper, ruled and plain, Letter Paper, white and blue, ruled and plain, Hanging Paper, fine and common, Envelope Paper, do. do. medium, double crown, crown and extra sized Wrapping Papers, Colored Medium and Royal Papers, Mount Boards, and Straw 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, 1843. Elkton, Md.

MERCHANTS' HOUSE,

No. 237, North Third, above Callowhill St., PHILADELPHIA.

JOHN DUNCAN, late from the Pennsylvania Inn Farmer, and Samuel Pike, jr., late of American Hotel, Columbus, Ohio, take pleasure in acquainting their friends and the public generally that they have taken the large and commodious Hotel, recently built by the Messrs. Hart, on the same site once 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 hostlers, and our charges will be low, in accordance with the present hard times. Philadelphia, Oct. 7th, 1842.

H. B. MASSER, ATTORNEY AT LAW,

SUNBURY, PA. Business attended to in the Counties of Northumberland, Union, Lycoming and Columbia.

Refer to: THOMAS HART & CO., LOWER & BARRON, HART, CUMMINGS & HART, REYNOLDS, McFARLAND & CO. SPENGLER, GIBB & CO., Philad.

GOLDEN SWAN HOTEL.

No. 69 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 travelling with private conveyance will find a large yard and good stabling for horses, and the best of ostlers. Boarding \$1 per day. May 14th, 1842.—ly

EAGLE HOTEL,

Corner of Third and Vine Streets, WILLIAMSPORT, 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 Williamsport 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 affords, 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 Williamsport and Elmira Rail Road Depot.

Sufficient stabling provided, and good and trustworthy ostlers always in attendance. Attentive, accommodating and honest Servants have been employed, and nothing left undone that will add 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.—ly

CHRYSOLEITE POLISH.

AN article unequalled for cleaning and giving a highly durable and most brilliant polish to silver, German Silver, Brass, Copper, Britannia ware, Tin, Steel, Cutlery, and for restoring the lustre of varnished carriages, &c. TRY IT.

Prepared and sold at wholesale and retail, by the Susquehanna Chrysolite Polish Company, Owego Tusoga county, N. Y.

WM. FORSYTH, Agent for Northumb., H. B. MASSER, Agent for Sunbury. November 20th, 1842.

Michael Weaver & Son, ROPE MAKERS & SHIP CHANDLERS

No. 13 North Water Street, Philadelphia. HAVE constantly on hand, a general assortment of Cordage, Seine Twines, &c., viz. Tard Ropes, Fishing Ropes, White Ropes, Manila Ropes, Trawl Lines for Canal Boats, Also, complete assortment of Seine Twines, &c., such as Hemp, Siald and Herring Twine, Best Patent Gilt Twine, Cotton Siald and Herring Twine, Sho Throats, &c. &c. Also, Bed Cords, Plough Line Halters, Traces, Cotton and Linen Carpet Chain &c. all of which they will dispose of on reasonable terms.

Philadelphia, November 13, 1842.—ly

SPERING, GOOD & CO.

No. 138 Market Street, Philadelphia. INVITE the attention of Country Merchants to their extensive assortment of British French and American Dry Goods, which they offer for sale on the most reasonable terms.

Philadelphia, November 13, 1842.—ly

J. W. SWAIN,

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

COUNTRY Merchants and others are solicited to examine his assortment before purchasing elsewhere. Philadelphia, November 13, 1842.—ly

FOR SALE.

FOR sale a small Farm, containing about 400 hundred and ten acres, more or less, situated in Point township, Northumberland county, about two miles above Northumberland, on the main road leading from that place to Danville, adjacent lands of John Lehigh, Jesse C. Horton and others now in the occupancy of Samuel Payne. Also forty acres of said tract are cleared, and in good state of cultivation, on which there is a small brick erect'd. The property will be sold on reasonable terms. For further particulars, persons are required to apply to the subscriber.

H. B. MASSER, Agent. Nov. 27th, 1842.—ly Sunbury, Pa.

LIST OF BOOKS,

FOR SALE BY H. B. MASSER.

ANTHONS' Classical Dictionary; Lempie A. do; Amesworth's do; Cobb's do; English as German do; Anthon's Caesar; Anthon's Grammar Anthon's Cicero; Mair's Latin Reader; Ogilby's do; Andrew's Latin Lessons; Donnegan's Lexicon; Fish's Greek Exercises; Davie's Legend; Grace Majora; Adams's Roman Antiquities; Pinnock Goldsmith's England; do; Greece; Lyell's Elements of Geology; Mrs. Lincoln's Botany; Elements Botany; Bridge's Algebra; Fort's Rhetorical Exercises; Emerson's Geography and History; Olney do; Parley's do; Smith's Grammar; Kirkham's do; Kay's Readers; Cobb's do; Cobb's Arithmetic; Pike's do; Emerson's do; Cobb's Spelling Book; Town's do; Cobb's Table Books; Evangelical Family Library; Cottage Bibles; Family do; Collier's do; Small Bibles and Testaments; Parker's Exercises on Composition; Fruit of the Spirit; Baxter's Saint's Rest; American Revolution; Maryatt's Novels; Mrs. Phelps on Chemistry; Isaac; Catechism of American Laws; Letters on Natural Magic; Chemistry for Beginners; English Exercises adapted to Murray's Grammar; Sequel to Conley's Spelling Book; American Glass Book; Daboll's Schoolmaster's Assistant; A great variety of Blank Books, &c. August 28, 1842.

BLANKS

FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.