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Interesting Facts.
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There are 72 kinds of vegetables on which swine will feed; 171 kinds they will not touch. A horse will feed on 262 kinds of grass and reject 212. A cow will feed on 570 kinds and reject 120.

Haller, who collected a great number of examples of longevity, found more than 1000 who had lived from 100 to 110; 60 from 110 to 120; 20 from 120 to 130; 15 from 130 to 140; 6 from 140 to 100—and one lived to the remarkable age of 169 years.

In 1785 Troy, N. Y., contained but 2 dwellings and 16 inhabitants. Now it contains about one quarter as many people as Boston.

The population of England, Scotland and Wales in 1700, was 6,523,000. In 1750, 7,870,000. In 1800, 11,314,138. In 1750, 7,870,000. In 1800, 11,314,138. In England in 1802, there were 1,553,392 houses. In Scotland, 391,090 houses. In Wales, 111,564 houses.

There are 100,000 Roman Catholics, and 20,000 Jews in London.

At Berlin, the longest day has 16 1/2 hours; at Hamburg, 17; at Stockholm, 18 1/2; at St. Petersburg, 19; at Tornea, 21 1/2; at Norway the day continues from May 21 to July 22, and in Spitzbergen, the longest day lasts three and a half months.

Paper is now made of the beet, after the saccharine matter has been extracted for making sugar.

There are nearly 30,000 persons in the State of Illinois, upwards of 20 years of age who cannot read.

In Boston there is a church to every 2000 inhabitants. In New Orleans there are about 20,000 inhabitants to one church.

One quarter of the children born die before they are a year old. One half die before they are twenty-one and not one quarter reach the age of forty-five.

A canary bird eats its own bulk in a day. The sea has been sounded to the depth of two and a half or three miles, and no bottom found.

ONLY TRY.— We translate the following from a French paper:—*Phila. U. S. Gazette.*

"They used to say that every soldier carried in his cartridge box a marshal's baton.—Might not one say in these days, that every chorister carries in his windpipe a fortune? Here is one example at least:

"About thirty years ago, in a little city of Italy, at Bergamo, by a singular contrast, the company at the Opera House was quite indifferent, while the choristers were excellent. It could scarcely have been otherwise since the greater part of the choristers have since become distinguished composers. Donizetti, Crivelli, Leodora, Bianche, Mari, and Dolci, commenced by singing in the choruses at Bergamo. There were among others, at that epoch, a young man, very poor, very modest, and greatly beloved by his comrades. In Italy the orchestra and the choristers are worse paid than in France, if possible. You enter a boot-maker's shop, the master is the first violin. The apprentices relax themselves after a day's work, by playing the clarinet the hautboy, or the timbrels, in the evening at the theatre. One young man, in order to assist his old mother, united the functions of chorister to the more lucrative employment of journeyman tailor.

"One day, when he had taken to Nozari's house a pair of pantaloons, that illustrious singer, after looking at him earnestly, said to him very kindly:

"It appears to me my good fellow, that I have seen you somewhere."

"Quite likely, sir; you may have seen me at the theatre, where I take part in the choruses."

"Have you a good voice?"

"Not remarkably, sir; I can, with great difficulty, reach sol."

"Let me see," said Nozari, going to the piano; begin the gamut."

Our chorister obeyed, but when he reached sol, he stopped short, out of breath.

"Sound la—come, try."

"Sir I cannot."

"Sound la, you fool."

"La, la, la."

"Sound si."

"My dear sir, I cannot."

"Sound si, I tell you, or by my soul I'll—"

"Don't get angry, sir; I'll try—la, si, la, so, do."

"I told you so," said Nozari, with a voice of triumph; "and now, my good fellow, I will only say one word to you. If you will only study and practice, you will become the first tenor in Italy."

Nozari was right. The poor chorister who, to gain his bread, had to mend breeches, possesses now a fortune of two millions, and is called **Rubini**.

Gen. B.—n.—I don't go to Mexico so much to fight as negotiate.

Col. W.—b.—I don't know as I care about going at all.

Mr. R.—tch—I positively refuse to run for Vice President.

Mr. C. J. I.—ng—ll.—And I wouldn't go to France on any account.—*Ex. paper.*

HEAVEN.—A negro woman at the South was relating her experience to a gaping congregation of her own color; among other things she said she had been to heaven.—One of the brethren says—

"Sister, you see any black folks in heaven?" She replied, "Oh, go way Sam, don't put a body out; spose I go in de kitchen when I was dar!"

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.

Banks in Philadelphia.

NAME.	LOCATION.	DISC. IN PHILAD.
Bank of North America		par
Bank of the Northern Liberties		par
Commercial Bank of Penn'a.		par
Corners' and Mechanics' Bank		par
Farmers' Bank		par
Philadelphia Bank		par
Schuylkill Bank		par
Southwest Bank		par
Western Bank		par
Mechanics' Bank		par
Manufacturers' & Mechanics' Bank		par
Bank of Penn Township		par
Girard Bank		par
Bank of Commerce, late Moyamensing		par
Bank of Pennsylvania		par

Country Banks.

NAME.	LOCATION.	DISC. IN PHILAD.
Bank of Chester County	West Chester	par
Bank of Delaware County	Chester	par
Bank of Germantown	Germantown	par
Bank of Montgomery Co.	Norristown	par
Doylstown Bank	Doylstown	par
Easton Bank	Easton	par
Farmers' Bank of Bucks Co.	Bristol	par
Bank of Northumberland	Northumberland	par
Columbia Bank & Bridge Co.	Lancaster	par
Farmers' Bank of Lancaster	Lancaster	par
Lancaster County Bank	Lancaster	par
Lancaster Bank	Lancaster	par
Farmers' Bank of Reading	Reading	par
Office of Bank of Penn'a.	Harrisburg	These offices do not issue n.
Office do do	Lancaster	
Office do do	Reading	
Office do do	Easton	

NOTES AT DISCOUNT.

Bank of the United States	Philadelphia	23
Miners' Bank of Pottsville	Pottsville	11
Bank of Lewistown	Lewistown	11
Bank of Middletown	Middletown	11
Carlisle Bank	Carlisle	11
Exchange Bank	Pittsburg	11
Exchange Bank branch of	Harrisburg	11
Harrisburg Bank	Harrisburg	11
Lebanon Bank	Lebanon	11
Merchants' & Manuf. Bank	Pittsburg	11
Bank of Pittsburg	Pittsburg	11
West Branch Bank	Williamsport	11
Wyoming Bank	Wilkesbarre	11
Northampton Bank	Allentown	11
Berks County Bank	Reading	11
Office of Bank of U. S.	Pittsburg	failed
Do do do	Erie	do
Do do do	New Brighton	do
Bank of Chambersburg	Chambersburg	do
Bank of Gettysburg	Gettysburg	do
Bank of Susquehanna Co.	Middletown	do
Erie Bank	Erie	11
Farmers' & Drovers' Bank	Warrenburg	11
Franklin Bank	Washington	11
Honesdale Bank	Honesdale	11
Monongahela Bank of B.	Brownsville	11
York Bank	York	11

N. B. The notes of those banks on which we omit quotations, and substitute a dash (—) are not purchased by the Philadelphia brokers, with the exception of those which have a letter of reference.

BROKEN BANKS.

Philadelphia Sav. Ins.	Philadelphia	failed
Phidelsphia Loan Co.	do	failed
Schuylkill Sav. Ins.	do	failed
Kensington Sav. Ins. A.	do	do
Penn Township Sav. Ins.	do	do
Manual Labor Bank (T. W. Towanda)	Dryden, Pa.	failed
Towanda Bank	Towanda	failed
Alleghany Bank of Pa.	Bedford	no sale
Bank of Beaver	Beaver	closed
Bank of Swatara	Harrisburg	closed
Bank of Washington	Washington	failed
Centre Bank	Bellefonte	closed
City Bank	Pittsburg	no sale
Farmers' & Mech'ca Bank	Pittsburg	failed
Farmers' & Mech'ca Bank	Payette co.	failed
Farmers' & Mech'ca Bank	Greencastle	failed
Harmony Institute	Harmony	no sale
Huntingdon Bank	Huntingdon	no sale
Junata Bank	Huntingdon	no sale
Lumbermen's Bank	Warren	failed
Northern Bank of Pa.	New Hope	no sale
New Hope Del. Bridge Co.	New Hope	closed
Northumb'nd Union Col. Bk.	Milton	no sale
North Western Bank of Pa.	Meadville	closed
Office of Schuylkill Bank	Port Carbon	—
Pa. Agr. & Manuf. Bank	Carlisle	failed
Silver Lake Bank	Montrose	closed
Union Bank of Penn'a.	Uniontown	failed
Westmoreland Bank	Greensburg	closed
Wilkesbarre Bridge Co.	Wilkesbarre	no sale

All notes purporting to be on any Pennsylvania Bank not given in the above list, may be set down as frauds.

NEW JERSEY.

Bank of New Brunswick	Brunswick	failed
Belvidere Bank	Belvidere	failed
Burlington Co. Bank	Melford	par
Commercial Bank	Perth Amboy	par
Cumberland Bank	Bridgeton	par
Farmers' Bank	Mount Holly	par
Farmers' & Mechanics' Bk	Rahway	par
Farmers' & Mechanics' Bk	N. Brunswick	failed
Farmers' & Merchants' Bk	Middletown Pt.	par
Franklin Bank of N. J.	Jersey City	failed
Hoboken Bkg & Gnzng Co	Hoboken	failed
Jersey City Bank	Jersey City	failed
Mechanics' Bank	Patterson	failed
Manufacturers' Bank	Belleville	failed
Morris County Bank	Morristown	failed
Monmouth Bk of N. J.	Freehold	failed
Mechanics' Bank	Newark	failed
Mechanics' and Manuf. Bk	Trenton	par
Morris Canal and Bkg Co	Jersey City	no sale
Post Notes		
Newark Bkg & Ins Co	Newark	par
New Hope Del Bridge Co	Lambertville	par
N. J. Manufac. and Bkg Co	Hoboken	failed
N. J. Protection & Lumber Bk	Jersey City	failed
Orange Bank	Orange	par
Paterson Bank	Paterson	failed
Peoples' Bank	Princeton	par
Princeton Bank	Princeton	par
Salem Banking Co	Salem	par
State Bank	Newark	par
State Bank	Elizabethtown	par
State Bank	Camden	par
State Bank of Morris	Morristown	par
State Bank	Trenton	failed
Salem and Philad Manuf Co	Salem	failed
Sussex Bank	Newtown	par
Trenton Banking Co	Trenton	par
Union Bank	Dover	par
Washington Banking Co.	Hackensack	failed

Bank of Wilm & Brandywine
 Wilmington | par |

Bank of Delaware
 Wilmington | par |

Bank of Smyrna
 Smyrna | par |

Do branch
 Milford | par |

Farmers' Bk of State of Del'
 Dover | par |

Do branch
 Wilmington | par |

Do branch
 Georgetown | par |

Do branch
 Newcastle | par |

Union Bank
 Wilmington | par |

Under 5's
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On all banks marked thus (*) there are either counterfeit or altered notes of the various denominations, in circulation.

MOUNT VERNON

HOUSE

95 North 2d st., bet. Arch & Race sts., Philadelphia.

BRADY & PARKER respectfully inform their friends and the public that they have taken the above named house, recently kept by J. S. Adams, and are prepared to accommodate customers in the most satisfactory manner and at reasonable prices.

Their table will be supplied with the best variety of the market affords—their parlors and sleeping apartments will be in the best order. The house has been thoroughly repaired and furnished with a view to the comfort of travellers and strangers.

Having had several years experience in the business, they hope to give general satisfaction, and respectfully invite travellers and strangers to give them a call. BRADY & PARKER, Philadelphia, January 16, 1847.—if

Mill and Farm

FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale fifty or sixty acres of land with a mill erected thereon, formerly known as Jun's Mill, situated in Augusta township Northumberland county, on the Little Shamokin creek, near the Tolkopeken road, leading from Sunbury to Pottsville—eight miles from Sunbury. Thirty or forty acres of said land are cleared, and in a good state of cultivation. The improvements are a Grist Mill, a Log House and Stable, and an Orchard. There is also a good Spring and several acres of Meadow on the premises. The location of the mill is an excellent one for custom. For further information inquire of the subscriber. DAVID MILLER, Shamokin township, Jan. 9, 1847.—3m

CHEAP WATCHES.

The Cheapest Gold and Silver Watches IN PHILADELPHIA.

GOLD LEVERS, full Jewelled, \$45 00
SILVER do. do. do. 23 00
Gold Levers, Jewelled, 30 00
Silver do. do. 15 00
Silver Quartzes, fine quality, 10 00
Gold Watches, plain, 15 00
Silver Spectacles, 1 75
Gold Pencils, 2 00
Gold Bracelets, 4 00
Also, on hand, a large assortment of Gold and Hair Bracelets, finger rings, breast pins, hoop earrings, gold pens, silver spoons, sugar tongs, trinkets, gold neck, curb and fish chains, guard keys and jewellery of every description, at equally low prices. All I want is a call to convince customers.
All kinds of Watches and Clocks repaired and warranted to keep good time for one year; old gold or silver bought or taken in exchange.
For sale, right day and thirty hour brass clocks, at
LEWIS LADOMIS',
Watch, Clock and Jewellery Store, No. 413 1/2 Market street, above Eleventh, north side, Philadelphia.
I have some Gold and Silver Levers, still much cheaper than the above prices.
Philadelphia, Dec. 26, 1846.—1y

NEW AUCTION STORE,

No. 6 North 3d st., third door above Market Street, PHILADELPHIA.

SALE EVERY EVENING, of a general assortment of Foreign and Domestic Hardware, Table and Pocket Cutlery, Trunks, Locks, Latches, Bolts, Screws, Saddlery, Whips, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Cans, Guns, Pistols, Trimmings, Clothing and Fancy Goods.
The attention of city and country dealers is invited. The Goods are fresh, and will be warranted equal to the representations that may be made of them. BAYLIS & BROOKER, Auctioneers, No. 6 North Third at Market Street.

Dr. Roussel's Universal

SHAVING CREAM.

Small quantities given without Charge. No. 114 Chestnut St., PHILADELPHIA.
This new and splendid article, a true shaving cream, is prepared to be superior to any shaving cream in the United States or Europe. It is unsurpassed for beauty, purity and fragrance, the compound analogous to Gu-lain's Ambrosial Cream and other similar compounds. It surpasses them all by the eminent paste consistency of its lather, which softens the beard as to render shaving pleasant and easy. It further possesses the advantage over the imported article, in being freshly prepared, no skill being wanting in its manufacture. Dr. Roussel having many years' experience in the celebrated Laboratory of Laugur, Paris et Fil., now Renaud & Co., of Paris.
Besides being the best, it is the cheapest article for shaving; it is elegantly put up in boxes, with splendid steel engraved labels.
Price 3¢ per dozen, or 37¢ cents for a single box to shave one year. It is also sold at \$1.50 per lb. or 12¢ cents per oz., so that gentlemen can have their boxes filled at EUGENE ROUSSEL'S, Wholesale and Retail Perfumery and Mineral Water Establishment, 114 Chestnut Street, Dec. 19, 1846.—PHILADELPHIA.

J. & M. SAUNDERS,

No. 21 North Fourth Street, PHILADELPHIA.

Invite Merchants and Milliners to examine their stock of Bonnets, Palm-Leaf and Leghorn Hats, Fur and Cloth Caps, and India Rubber Shoes. It will be found to contain all the most desirable kinds, and will be sold at the lowest market prices.
No. 21 North Fourth Street, between Market and Arch Streets.
Philadelphia, Dec. 19th, 1846.—6m

CHEAP

WATCHES & JEWELRY,

"Philadelphia Watch and Jewelry Store," No. 96 North SECOND street, corner of Quarry.

GOLD LEVER WATCHES, full jewelled, 18 carat cases, \$45 00
SILVER LEVER WATCHES, full jewelled, 23 00
SILVER LEVER WATCHES, seven jewels, 18 00
SILVER LEVER WATCHES, jewelled, finest quality, 14 00
Superior Quartz Watches, 10 00
Imitation Quartz Watches, not warranted, 5 00
Gold Spectacles, 5 00
Fine Silver Spectacles, 1 75
Gold Bracelets with topaz stones, 2 50
Ladies' Gold Pencils, 16 carats, 2 00
Gold Finger Rings 37¢ cts to \$8; 25¢ cts to \$3; 12¢ cts; patent, 18¢; Lunet. 25¢ cts.
Other articles in proportion. All goods warranted to be what they are sold for. O. CONRAD, No. hand, some Gold and Silver Levers, Lepines and Quartzes, lower than the above prices.
Philadelphia, Dec. 5, 1846.—1y

To The I. O. of O. F.

J. W. & E. D. STOKES,

Manufacturers of Premium Odd Fellows' Regalia, No. 194 Market Street, PHILADELPHIA, First Clothing Store below 6th Street.

THE subscribers having taken the premium at Franklin Institute, at the late exhibition, for the best Regalia, they invite the attention of the order to their establishment, where they will find a splendid assortment of P. G. and Encampment Regalia. They also make to order for Lodges and Encampments, and furnish every thing requisite for the convenience of new Lodges or Encampments.
J. W. STOKES, E. D. STOKES, Philadelphia, Dec. 19, 1846.—1y

New Firm.

THE undersigned hereby gives notice, that he has associated with himself, as a partner in the mercantile business, in his store adjoining Weaver's Tavern, in Sunbury, John Haas, and that the said store will hereafter be conducted under the firm of Clement & Haas. The store at the South West corner of Market Square will be conducted as heretofore, by the subscriber himself, to which he respectfully invites his customers and friends.
He also notifies all those indebted to him, to call between this and the 1st of January next, and settle their accounts.
All kinds of produce will be taken on account, at cash prices.
Hereafter no longer than four months credit will be given. IRA T. CLEMENT, Sunbury, Nov. 14, 1846.—if

CLEMENT & HAAS,

RESPECTFULLY inform the public, that on the 9th inst. they entered into partnership, in the mercantile business, at the store recently occupied by Ira T. Clement, adjoining Weaver's Tavern, in Sunbury. They have lately received a new stock of goods, which they will dispose of at the lowest prices.
All kinds of produce will be taken in exchange for goods.
No longer than four months credit will be given. IRA T. CLEMENT, JOHN HAAS, Sunbury, Nov. 14, 1846.—if

New Goods, New Goods.

Cheaper Than Ever!

JOHN H. PURDY, has just received, at his New Store, in Market Square, a fresh supply of Seasonable Goods, such as:
Cloths, Cassimers, Suitings, Kentucky Jeans, Corbs, Drillings, Alpacaes, Ginghams, Prints, Muslins, Hosiery, Gloves, &c.
Also: Queensware and Groceries, which will be sold very low. Purchasers are invited to call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere. The highest price paid for Produce. Sunbury, October 17th, 1846.—if

EXTRAORDINARY DISCOVERY!



DEAFNESS CAN BE CURED!
COOPER'S ETERNAL OIL.—A prompt and lasting remedy for Deafness, also for pains and discharge of matter from the Ears.
Hundreds of cures in cases deemed utterly hopeless have firmly established its superiority over every former Medical discovery.
This valuable Aromatic Medicine is a compound of four different Oils, one of which, the active and principal ingredient, is obtained from the bark of a certain species of WALSUT, a new and effectual agent in the cure of Deafness.
Persons who had been deaf for 10, 15 and