

How JOHN JACOB ASTOR BECAME RICH.—A writer in Harper's Magazine, speaking of the late John Jacob Astor, thus speaks of the manner in which he acquired his great wealth:

"It was neither furs nor teas that gave him \$20,000,000. When he arrived in New York, it contained only 25,000 inhabitants. In 1800, when he began to have money to invest, the city had begun to double in population, and had advanced nearly a mile up the island. Astor foresaw its future growth, and bought all the lands and lots just beyond the verge of the city that he could get. One little anecdote will show the wisdom of this proceeding. He sold a lot in the vicinity of Wall street, in 1810, for \$8,000, which was supposed to be somewhat under its value. The purchaser, after the papers were signed, seemed disposed to chuckle over his bargain. 'Why, Mr. Astor,' said he, 'this lot will be worth \$12,000.' 'Very true,' replied Astor, 'but now you shall see what I will do with this money. With \$8,000 I will buy eighty lots above Canal street. By the time your lot will be worth \$12,000, my eighty lots will be worth \$80,000,' which proved to be the fact. In the course of time, the island was dotted all over with Astor lands to such an extent that the whole income from his estate for fifty years could be invested in new houses, without buying any more land."

DIDN'T WANT A SUBSTITUTE.—Mr. Pilkington, a small farmer in Pennsylvania, was some time ago drafted for the service of his country. His wife, though she possesses but a small stock of general information, is one of the best of conjugal partners, and was much troubled at the thought of parting with her husband. As she was engaged in scrubbing off her doorsteps, a rough looking stranger came up and thus addressed her:

"I hear, madam, that your husband has been drafted."

"Yes, sir, he has," answered Mrs. Pilkington, "though, dear knows, there's few couldn't be better spared from their families."

"Well, madam, I have come to offer myself as a substitute for him."

"A what?" asked Mrs. Pilkington, with some excitement.

"I am willing to take his place," said the stranger.

"You take the place of my husband, you wretch. I'll teach you to insult a distressed woman that way, you vagabond!" cried Mrs. Pilkington, as she discharged the dirty soapuds in the face of the discomfited and astonished substitute, who took to his heels just in time to escape having his head broken by the bucket.

A NEW FIRE EXTINGUISHER.—Galignani's Messenger says that an apothecary at Nantes has just discovered, by the merest accident, that ammonia will put out fires. He happened to have about seventy litres of benzine in his cellar, and his boy, in going down carelessly with a light, had set fire to it. Assistance was speedily at hand, and after a long and fruitless search, the fire was quenched as if by magic, and upon examination he found that the pail, which belonged to his laboratory, had contained a quantity of liquid ammonia. The result is easy to explain on scientific principles, for ammonia, which consists of 82 parts of nitrogen and 18 of hydrogen, is easily decomposed by heat; and the nitrogen thus set free in the midst of a conflagration must infallibly put out the flames.

DO YOU WANT TO INVEST?—Here is a good hit at the flaming advertisements of oil stock companies now filling the newspapers in every direction:

"Capital Stock, \$1,000,000,000! Antipodal Petroleum Company! Shares, par value, \$10,000 each—price 25 cents. The well is bored entirely through the earth, extending from Oil Creek, Pennsylvania, to the Hoang Ho in the Celestial Empire, and has consequently a double outlet. An immense blowpipe will be inserted in the Chinese outlet, to promote an unbroken flow of oil from the western well, which it is supposed will be equal to a hundred barrels of refined Petroleum per minute."

"Gointown Strong, Prest."

"PARTICULAR PHITS, Seey."

What is the difference between Jenkins and Jenkins' dog's tail? Why, Jenkins keeps a carriage, and his dog's tail keeps a waggin'!

JOB WORK

OF ALL KINDS
NEATLY AND EXPEDITIOUSLY
EXECUTED
AT THE
"ALLEGHANIAN" OFFICE,
HIGH ST., EDENSBURG, PA.

PUBLICATION OFFICE:
ROBERT DAVIS' BUILDING—UP STAIRS.
THIRD DOOR BACK.

PANIC ARRANGEMENTS!

SUGAR KETTLES,
10 to 40 gallons.
COPPER KETTLES,
3 quarts to 40 gallons.
TINWARE,
all sorts and kinds.

SHEET-IRON WARE—every variety.

ENAMELED & TINNED IRON WARE

ZINC WASHBOARDS,
for 25 cents, worth 37 cents.

SAD IRONS, or SMOOTHING IRONS,
all sizes and best quality, 5 to 6 1/2 cts per lb.

COOKING STOVES,
Trimmed complete, with baking arrangements,
\$8 to \$23.

EGG STOVES, \$4.50 to \$13.00.

HEATING COOK STOVES, \$3.00 to \$8.00.

BRADLEY COOKING STOVES, PATENT,
Graft & Co., Mitchell, Herron & Co.,
Abbott & Noble, A. J. Gallagher's,
and every other Pittsburgh or Philadelphia
manufacturer's.
Stoves always on hand or procured on 5
days' notice.

ODD PLATES AND GRATES for Stoves,
always on hand.

CARBON OIL LAMPS, 62 cts. to \$1.25.

Chimneys and Wicks for Lamps: always on
hand.

SPOUTING,
BEST QUALITY, put up and PAINTED at
10 cents per foot.

No extra charges for Elbows.

MINERS LAMPS,
OIL CANS,
POWDER CANS,
all sizes constantly on hand.

COFFEE MILLS, 37 cts. to \$1.25.

TOASTING FORKS, OYSTER BROILERS
Jelly Cake Moulds, Table and Tea Spoons
COAL BUCKETS, 35 1/2 cts. to \$5.00.

The above goods will be furnished

WHOLESALE OR RETAIL,

at the

JOHNSTOWN STOVE & HOUSE-FURNISH-

ING STORE,
CANAL STREET

Opposite the Weigh Lock

ASK FOR

FRANK W. HAY'S WAREHOUSE,

and save twenty per cent. on your purchases

EITHER FOR CASH OR SCRIP.

April 24, 1862-tf

GEORGE M. REED, Attorney at Law,

Ebensburg, Pa. Office in Colanode Row.

Ebensburg Sept. 26, 1861-tf

ABRAHAM KOPELIN, ATTORNEY

at Law, Johnstown Pa. Office on Main

street. [Aug 25, 1859-tf

R. L. JOHNSTON. GEO. W. OATMAN.

JOHNSTON & OATMAN, Attorneys at Law,

Ebensburg, Cambria county, Penna.

Office removed to Lloyd st., one door

West of R. L. Johnston's residence.

January 10, 1861-tf

CYRUS ELDER, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

Johnstown, Pa.—Will practice in the

several courts of Cambria, Somerset, and

adjoining counties.

Office same as lately occupied by Linton

and Noon, on Post Office corner—up stairs.

April 23, 1862-tf

R. S. BUNN, M. D., tenders his pro-

fessional services to the citizens of Eb-

ensburg. Office in Drug Store, on High st.,

opposite Thompson's Hotel.

Ebensburg, August 25, 1859-tf.

DR. T. C. S. GARDNER, PHYSICIAN

AND SURGEON. Tendens his professional

services to the citizens of Ebensburg and

surrounding vicinity. Office in Colanode

Row.

July 21, 1864-tf.

DR. J. M. MCCLURE, SURGEON AND

MECHANICAL DENTIST, respectfully offers

his professional services to the ladies and

gentlemen of Johnstown and vicinity of this place.

Particular attention paid to diseases of the

Mouth. Teeth extracted with electrical

forceps.

Office in the old "Exchange," on Clinton

street. Johnstown Aug. 25, 1859.

DENTISTRY.

The undersigned, Graduate of the Bal-

timore College of Dental Surgery, respectfully

offers his professional services to the citizens

of Ebensburg. He has spared no means to

thoroughly acquaint himself with every im-

provement in his art. To many years of

personal experience, he has sought to add

the imparted experience of the highest authorities

in Dental Science. He simply asks that an

opportunity may be given for his work to

speak its own praise.

SAMUEL BELFORD, D. D. S.

References: Prof. C. A. Harris; T. E. Bond

Jr.; W. R. Handy; A. A. Blandy; P. H. Aus-

ten; of the Baltimore College.

Will be at Ebensburg on the fourth

Monday of each month, to stay one week.

April 3, 1862-tf

F. M. PIKE,

(SUCCESSOR TO GREEN & BRO.)

LUMBER MERCHANT, PLANING MILL,

SASH AND DOOR FACTORY,

CHEST SPRINGS, CAMBRIA CO., PA.

Flooring Boards, Sash, Doors, Venetian

and Panel Shutters, made to order and

constantly on hand. June 9 1864-ly

THE UNION FOREVER!!

R. H. TUDOR & HUGH JONES,
Having formed a partnership in the GRO-

CERY business, would respectfully call the
attention of the people of Ebensburg and vi-

cinity to their large stock, which has been
selected in the Eastern market with great

care. Come and examine for yourselves!—
They cannot fail to please. Our stock consists

in part of the following articles, viz:
White and Brown Su- Chewing and Smok'g
gars, Cigars, Snuff,

N. O. Molasses, Rio Coffee, Candles, Soap,
Syrups, Fancy Baskets, Cloth, Market and

Young Hyson, Imperial Washboards, Brooms,
and Black Teas, Buckets, Measures,
Spoons of all kinds, Kealers, Churns,

Butter, Sugar and Wa- Kealers, Churns,
ter Cracker, Hair and Wire Seives,
Dried Apples, Peaches, Scrub, Shoe and Dus-

Oranges and Lemons, Fruit Brushes,
Figs, Raisins, Rope, Bed cords,
Prunes, Citrons, Lines, Rope Haulers

Nuts of all kinds, Twine, Tye Yarn,
Ext. Ley and Coffee, Fawcett,
Bowls, Window Glass,

Butter Prints and Ja- Arnold's Ink from 6 to
dices, 75 cents per bottle,
Shoe-findings, Pegs, Noils, Thread,

Sole Leather, Scythes and Snathes,
Harvest Tools, Buck Saws and Nails,
Hay Forks, Provision,

And all kinds of Liquors, Brandy, Gin, Wines,
Old Rye and Common Whiskey, &c., &c.

The above articles will be sold cheap
for Cash or Country Produce, at Cash prices

Ebensburg, May 9, 1861-tf

NEW CHEAP CASH STORE!!!

"THAT'S WHAT'S THE MATTER!"

E. J. MILLS & CO. beg leave to announce
to the citizens of Ebensburg and vicinity that

they have just received, at their new store
room, on High street, a most complete assort-

ment of
Spring and Summer Goods,
consisting in part of the following articles:

Dress Goods, Millinery Goods, Plain and
Fancy Silks, Embroideries, Housekeeping

Goods, Gloves, Hosiery, Shawls, Laces, and
so on, ad infinitum.

ALSO:—
Boots and Shoes, Hats, Caps, Bonnets,
Groceries, Hardware, Queensware,

Notions, Perfumery, Stationery,
Flour, Bacon, Cheese, Mackerel, Herring
and Cod Fish, Syrups and Molasses

Iron and Nails, Glass, Salt, Oils,
WOOD AND WILLOW WARE, &c., &c. &c.

In short—not to dip further into tedious
details—they intend keeping

A NUMBER ONE STORE,
Where the comfort and convenience of a

country community can be successfully catered to.

By buying a large stock at a time, they are
enabled to sell their goods at a

TRIFLING ADVANCE ON CITY PRICES.
Roll in and see for yourselves. No charge

for showing articles.

Country Produce taken in exchange

for goods. Ebensburg April 24, 1862.

THIS WAY FOR LORETTO, CHEST

SPRINGS & ST. AUGUSTINE!

The subscriber, having purchased the entire

stock of Horses, Hacks, Carriages, &c., of the

late firm of Ryan & Durbin, begs leave to

inform his friends and the Public in general

that he is now prepared to furnish them with

every accommodation in his line of business.

His line of Hacks connects with all the trains

on the Pa. R. R., allowing passengers no

delay whatever. Calls always promptly at-

tended to. JOE F. DURBIN.

Loretto, June 9, 1864-ly

W. S. HEAVEN,

PLAIN AND FANCY JOB PRINTER,

STATIONER,

Blank Book Manufacturer, Book Binder,

and dealer in every description of

American and Foreign Papers, &c., &c.

Corner of Wood and Third streets, PITTS-

BURG, Pa.

Agent for L. Johnson & Co., Type

Founders & Electrotypers, Philadelphia

August 25, 1859-tf

HUGH A. MCCOY,

Saddle and Harness Manufacturer

EBENSBURG, PA.

Office one door east of Davis, Jones & Co's

Store.

A large stock of ready-made Harness, Sad-

dles, Bridles, &c., constantly on hand and for

sale cheap. [Dec. 25, 1861-tf.

RAILROAD HOUSE, Wilmore, Cam-

bria county, Pa. (Near Penna. Railroad

Station.) JAS. D. HAMILTON, Proprietor.

An extensive Bowling saloon is connected

with the House. The TABLE will be fur-

nished with the best of the market affords,

and the BAR supplied with the best of liquors,

including Ales and Lager from approved

breweries. Extensive and convenient STALLING

is attached to the premises.

Wilmore, August 25, 1859-tf.

CONTINENTAL HOTEL,

Adjoining Penna. R. R. Depot,

PITTSBURGH, PA.

The most convenient place to stop in the

City. Meals served at all hours. Terms

moderate. J. H. CLARK & CO., Proprietors.

April 24, 1862-tf.

UNION HOUSE, Ebensburg, Pa.—

JOHN A. BLAIR, Proprietor.

Also, in connection, BLAIR & Co's HACKS

will leave the "Union House" for Wilmore

station in time to take the Eastern and Western

trains. Every accommodation will be af-

forded to make passengers comfortable.

August 25, 1859-tf.

MOUNTAIN HOUSE, Ebensburg, Pa.

Jas. A. Moore, Proprietor.

The TABLE is always supplied with the

choicest delicacies. The BAR is supplied with

choice liquors: and the STABLE attended by

careful hostlers. Boarders taken by the week,

month or year. [Aug 25, 1859-tf.

ALTOONA HOUSE, ALTOONA, PA.

RICHARD MCCLAIN, Proprietor.

Meals ready on the arrival of all

trains. Cheapest house in town.

Aug. 11, 1864-tf.

BERGER, AUDENRIED & FRY,

Nos. 11 and 13 South Water St.,

(Below Market,) PHILADELPHIA.

Wholesale dealers in

FISH, CHEESE & PROVISIONS generally.

Are now receiving and will keep constantly
on hand a full and complete assortment of

goods, in their line, consisting in part of
MACKEREL, HAMS, CHEESE,
SHAD, SHOULDERS, LARD,
HERRING, SIDES, BUTTER,
SALMON, BEEF, DRIED FRUIT,
CODFISH, TONGUES, SALT, &c.

Having every facility for purchasing out
goods to the best advantage, and every con-

venience for conducting a large business, and
being determined to sell goods upon terms

equal to any house in the trade, we respect-
fully solicit the patronage of our friends and

the public generally.
Particular attention paid to filling orders.

Philadelphia, July 14, 1864-tf.

EYRE & LANDELL,

FOURTH

AND ARCH STS.,

PHILADELPHIA,

ARE OPENING FOR FALL TRADE,

French Merinoes,
Good Black Silks,
Dark Figured Silks,
New Plaid Silks,
Balmoral Petticoats,
Red, White and Blue Flannels,
Shawls, Wholesale and Retail.

October 15, 1863.

E. C. EBY & CO.,

WHOLESALE GROCERS

And Commission Merchants,

No. 522 Market st., between Fifth and Sixth.

Philadelphia.

We have constantly on hand a general as-

sortment of all kinds of fish, in large and
small packages, which we will sell low for

Cash or short credit. Also, Duncannon Nails
and Spikes of all sizes, constantly on hand

and for sale at Manufacturer's prices.
October 15, 1863.

A. H. FRANCISCUS,

No. 513 MARKET ST.,

AND 510 COMMERCE ST., PHILA.