The Farmers Department.

Fattening Animals in a Hurry.

We have pointed out in former years the futility of attempts to lay heavy masses of flesh on poor cattle by stuffing them with rich food. Such attempts not only prove to be failures, but are always wasteful. The material consumed is nearly lost, the animals remain comparitively poor, and the owners are convinced that fattening animals for market "don't pay."

It is perhaps well for the cause of good management that all neglected treatment of animals should result in loss to the owner. If he has starved his cattle, sheep and pigs for a year or more, he cannot atone for it by sudden attempts to push them to fatness. On the contrary, the only true way is to see that growth continues without cessation, summer and winter, from the earliest period of existence till they are finally sold in market. A single check given to this continued progress may arrest or retard it for months. Our own observations lead us to the opinion that the whole profits resulting from raising and fattening, when this continued progress is kept up by careful, regular but not extravagent feeding, are at least triple the amount realized from early neglect and heavy feeding afterwards—and often the difference is many times greater than here stated.

There is nothing that should be more strongly impressed on the mind of the young farmer who makes the feeding of animals a prominent part of his business, than the importance of keeping up an unremitting growth throughout the whole course of their existence. The most successful pork-raiser with whom we are acquainted, adheres strictly to this course; not only feeding his store pigs well and regularly through fall and winter, but commencing the fattening not merely in autumn, as is too commonly the case, but *early in the spring*.

It is objected that this management is too expensive. This objection is urged by those who find two or three months only to consume more than they can afford. They feed heavily for a short time, but do not receive a corresponding return of increased flesh. "If two months feeding," they inquire, "costs us so much money, how can we ever afford to continue it for two or three years?" It is very true they can not, because the whole system which they adopt is a profitless one. Fortunately it does not require heavy feeding to keep up the continued growing condition of an mals. Here is a great error into which many have fallen, which we have endeavored to correct. John Johnston made the remark some years ago that the copious feeding of grain or meal to cattle is no better than a moderate amount. We gave the statement some years ago of experiments performed by G. H. Chase, of Cayuga county, who carefully weighed every week all his fattening animals. A daily supply of four quarts of barley meal to a fine steer, gave a weekly increase in weight averaging eighteen pounds. A neighbor advised him to *push* him, and eight quarts were accordingly fed daily. The weekly increase of flesh was less than when he received four quarts. The amount being increased to twelve quarts per day, he gained nothing at all. Several similar instances have come to our knowledge, and among others a fine animal was recently fed by a neighbor a peck or more of rich meal per day. After arging on the fattening process as he supposed, for several weeks, he was finally sold and proved to be only a few pounds heavier than when purchased. The many bushels of feed which he had consumed, and the labor of attendance given him, literally went for nothing.

Successful feeders, who prove all their experiments by weighing, have long since ascertained that animals in fine condition will lay on more flesh for the amount of food eaten than those of inferior charac er. Hence shrewd men will not purchase lean and raw-boned animals for fattening. This fact serves to establish the truth that all animals at all stages of growth should be kept fleshy. It need be scarcely necessary to remind any intelligent manager that the difference between attending to all the comforts of an animal by cleanliness, good wholesome food given regularly and in moderate quantity, and neglecting all these particulars, is simply the difference between those in fine healthy condition and such as are feeble and raw-boned. It may be laid down as true, with scarcely an exception, that the farmer who carries on the business of fattening at a loss, is one who neglects at one time and over-feeds at another.

MANURE-PITS.—Professor Voelcker recommends that "the sides and bottoms of manure-pits should be rendered impermeable to water, either by clay-pudding or hydraulic cement; that the bottom of the manure-pit should be in a slightly inclined position, so as to carry the liquid manure and drainings into a manure tank, which should be close by. The tank should be provided with a pump, so as to return the liquid to the heap in dry weather. The heap should likewise be well trodden."

Never Lie.

Mason and Clark occupied the same office, and neither ever let slip an opportunity for getting a practical joke upon the other. Mason was a most worthy citizen, all but a fearful habit of procrastination. He was elected school-committeeman of the district, and employed one of those smart, valuble schoolmams, who can talk a man blind, and have energy enough to command an army if need be, to teach the summer school. She taught to the satisfaction of every body and at the close of the term came to Mason for payment. He "was very sorry, he intended to have the money ready for her, but it had slipped his mind; he would see the treasurer at once, and if she would call the next Thursday she would have it." Thursday came, and with it the schoolmam. Mason started: "I declare—you'll have to pardon me, but I haven't thought of that money since you were here before. Can you call next Monday?" She could and would Monday came, and it was the same scene, with an invitation to come again on Wednesday, and there should be no further need of coming. The lady assented but took occasion to say, in very decided tones, that she had already called three times, and should come but once more.—It was just enough to show that there was fire in her, and to give Mason a warning. Mason—who loved a quiet life—saw this and no doubt really meant to have the money ready, for her decided manner startled him a little, and he was fidgety all the afternoon. But alas! Wednesday came, and the money was yet unprocured. Mason was sitting at his desk, whep, looking up, he saw Miss Jones coming towards the office. "Good gracious!" he exclaimed, jumping up, there's that shoolmam again! Here Clark, tell her I've gone out, you don't know where!" and Mason sprang into a shallow closet that was used as a wood box and closed the door. Miss Jones came in and inquired for Mason. "You'll find him in the next room," said Clark, pointing to the closet door. To it she went, and opened wide—when there, raised some three feet by the wood upon which he stood, and bracing with hishands upon the wall above the door, he stood staring her full in the face, looking as if ploriged for sheep stealing. The scene that followed may be imagined. Mason listened in silence, and when the lady had finished her remarks, meekly said that he would bring her the money. After she went out he sat for a long time, his head bowed upon his hands, as if in the deepest tho'. Finally, he rose, drew a long breath, and slowly shaking his head, solemnly said, "Clark, I think I'll have to kill you; it will never do to have this get out and I see no way but to kill you." Clark made him an offer: Mason was every day to bring him a large, nice apple and he would say nothing about it. Mason assented, and for many weeks a large apple was every morning laid upon Clark's desk; but one morning it was forgotten, and the story came out.

The Working Man.

He is the noblest man of whom our free country can boast; whether at the workshop or at the plow, you find him the same noble-hearted, free, and independent being. And if there is a man in society upon whom we look with esteem and admiration, it is the independent, sober working-man. We care not whether he be a farmer, mechanic, or common laborer—whether his toils are endorsed in the workshop, the field or the coal mine—whether his home is in the backwoods or the neat cottage—our admiration is the same. What a happy picture he presents; what a reward for his labor, who by his own unaided exertions, establishes for himself a respectable position in society; who commencing in poverty, by his skill and assiduity, surmounts every obstacle, overcomes every prejudice, and finally succeeds in forming a character whose value is enhanced by those who come after him. Such a man we prize as the noblest work of which nature is capable—the highest production she can boast. And let it be borne in mind by the youg working man just entering upon the stage of life—let it ever lie at the foundation and be the moving spring of all his efforts—that for this situation he must strain every nerve to attain. It can be attained by all. Untiring industry and virtuous ambition never fail to find their reward. They never yet were exerted in vain, and never will be while honesty and justice find a home in the human breast.

—The original will of General George Washington has been delivered to the Clerk of the County Court at Fairfax, by Colonel C. H. Lewis, Secretary of the Commonwealth of Virginia. The writing is in the own hand of the illustrious "Father of his Country," plain and legible, and signed at the bottom of each page, showing the preciseness and promptitude of business which always distinguished him. This was preserved from the destruction attendant upon the evacuation of the city by the former Secretary of the State, Colonel Mudford, who secured it in the iron safe of the capitol.

—Remember the poor and ready.

Duff's College.

Fifth Street, Pittsburgh' Pa,,

FOUNDED IN 1840

AND

Incorporated by Legislative Charter.

THE ONLY INSTITUTION

of the kind IN THE UNION, conducted by a practical BUSINESS MAN. Our highest commercial authorities, East and West, pronounce his system of Book-keeping unequaled—comprehending every departmeat of business, and yet so skilfully condensed that the attentive student masters the whole in six or eight weeks. It consists of

STOCK BOOKS,

closed once with a loss and twice with a gain—exhibiting by three different methods, the transfer of old to new books.

PARTNERSHIP BOOKS,

conducted by three different methods, exhibiting the transfer of old to new books, with the introduction of a new partner. And practically illustrating the

PRIVATE LEDGER,

by means of which the results of the business are kept out of the general books, for the use of the partners only. The book is not even named elsewhere. The settlement of Partnership Books by

SINGLE ENTRY,

with six practical illustrtitions, exhibiting the books reopened by Double-Entry. A concise rule for rectifying

DERANGED DOUBLE-ENTRY BOOKS,

with six specifications. The gain or loss found, and the books correctly re-opened. The learner is also exercised in

OPENING BOOKS,

from eight specifications, including special conditions not oftenmet with in business. Also, a serious of exercises in

CLOSING BOOKS,

from new and peculiar specifications The learner also writes about eighty

BUSINESS FORMS

of Promissary Notes, Judgment Notes, Drafts, Orders, Bills of Exchange, Accounts, Invoices, &c., &c. Also, a series of

BUSINESS LETTERS,

which, with the business forms, are all connected with his course of Book-Keeping, making it a regular course of business practice, with a course of twenty-five

LECTURES UPON BOOK-KEEPING,

by the Senior Principal, explaining all the business matters recorded in the text. Also, twelve

LECTURES ON BUSINESS SUBJECTS.

How every one may get rich. How to get rich by trading. The causes of commercial failures. On speculations. The moral influence of integrity in youth, &c.—Also, lectures upon

COMMERCIAL LAW,

on Partnerships, Contracts, Insurance, Common Carriers, the Statute of Limitations, &c. Practical instructions in detecting

COUNTERFEIT BANK NOTES,

by a full set of genuine vignettes and counters, and a large collection of count ufeit notes.

OUR RAILROAD BOOK-KEEPING,

(In manuscript,) exhibits the construction and equipment, the operating receipts and expenditures, the books closed and a dividend recorded. These books are advertised by others, but not taught elsewhere in the city.—Our new system of

PRIVATE BANK BOOKS,

(in manuscript,) embracing all the best forms in use among private Bankers Our new enlarged edition of DUFF'S

STEAMBOAT BOOK-KEEPING,

In this department students have the assistance of our Superintendent, Mr. THOS. E. SMITH, an experienced Practical Mercantile Accountant, and formerly Clerk of a Mississippi steamer.

Our full course of business practice includes about

FIFTY BUSINESS BOOKS,

ruled to about THIRTY DIFFERENT FORMS, viz: 11 Ledgers, 7 Day-books, 5 Journals, 6 Bill-books, 4 Cash-Books 4 Sales-books, 2 Invoice-books, 1 Discount-book 1 Check-register, 1 Deposit-register, 2 Collection-registers, 1 Tickler, 1 Hand's-register, 1 Freight-book, 2 Passage-books, 1 Fuel-book. These books practically record about SIX HUNDRED BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS, comprehending DUFF'S original plan of business education introduced twenty-five years ago. How far others have succeeded in imitating him will be best seen by comparing the business papers and books of their pupils with those of the graduates of this institution.

HARPER'S ENLARGED EDITION OF

DUFF'S BOOK KEEPING

Price $1,75. Postage 20 cents. Sold by Booksellers generally.

The following testimonials indicate the character o this work:

"No other work upon Book-Keeping explains the subjects with so much clearness and simplicity."
F. W. EDMUNDS,
Cashier Mechanics' Bank, Wall st., N. Y.

"It gives a clear insight into all departments of this science."
A. S. FRASER,
Cashier of Seventh Ward Bank, N. Y.

"As an extensive ship owner, American and European merchant, bank director, etc., he has born the reputation of the higest order of business talents."
JOHN W. BURNHAM, Merchant,
No. 8 South st., New York.

"Mr. Duff is a man of rare qualifications for business."
JOHN M. D. TAYLOR, Merchant,
Union st., New Orleans.

"Mr. Duff is a merchant of the first respectability."
J. LANDIS, Merchant, New Orleans.

"I graduated in Duff's College in half the time I expected. His admirable system includes nothing surperfluous, nor leaves out anything essential."
J. R. COMPTON,
Cashier Niagra Bank, Lockport, N. Y.

"It contains much matter important to the merchant."
C. O. HALSTEAD,
President Manhattan Bank, N. Y.

"The most complete work of the kind I have ever seen."
JAMES P. MURRAY,
President Exchange Bank, Pittsburgh.

"The most clear and comprehensive that I have met with."
JOHN SNYDER,
Cashier Bank of Pittsburgh.

"You have your own long experience as a merchant to good use in this work." RICHARD IRVIN, Merchant,
No. 98 Front street N. Y.

"The favorable opinions already expressed by gentlemen of competent authority are well deserved and very properly bestowed."
CHARLES M. LEUPP,
LEOPOLD BIERWORTH,
ROBERT KELLY,
Special Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, N. Y.
[Extract from the Minutes.]
PROSPER M. WETMORE, Secretary.

"Your Committee unanimously concur in the opinion of the utility of the improved method of Mr. Duff."
GURDON J. LEEDS,
Recording Secretary of the American Institute, N. Y.

THE NEW ENGLAND EDITION OF DUFF'S STEAM BOAT BOOK KEEPING,

Just Published by the author. Price $2.00. Sold by Booksellers Generally.

"A perfect system for keeding such books and accounts"
J. CAROTHERS,
Formerly Cashier of the Merchants' Bank Pittsburg.

"The Time Table alone is worth the price of the book."
D. B. HERRON,
Late Clerk of steamer Mount Vernon.

"I consider the legal form of the Steamer's Protest so valuable that I never leave ports without a copy of the book on board."
A. C. McCALLAM,
Captain steamer Arcola

"The only work published of any value to the Steamer's Accountant."
J. F. J. ALLISON,
Formerly Clerk of the Steamer Fortune.

"The most perfect system of Steamer's Accounts in use."
C. S. FRISBEE,
Formerly Captain of steamer Nashville.

On Wm. H. Duff's Penmanship.
Twelve First Premiums

for the best Business and Ornamental Penmanship, awarded our Present Penman, by the United States Fair at Cincinnati in 1860
Pennsylvania State Fair at Wyoming 1860
Western Pennsylvania Fair at Pittsburgh.....1860
Western Virginia Fair at Wheeling.....1860
And the Ohio State Fair at Cleveland.....1862

All of which are exhibited at our office.

"Perfect gems of the Penman's art."—*Pittsburgh Post.*

"These performances can only be excelled by the author."—*Pittsburgh Gazette.*

"All his ornamental designs are new and remarkable performances."—*Evening Gazette.*

"The late Western Pennsylvania Fair awarded him six First Premiums in all branches of the art."—*Ohio State Journal.*

OUR TERMS.

For the Graduating Course, time unlimited $40,00
Blanks and Stationery furnishing $7 elsewhere.....2,50
The enlarged edition of Duff's Book-keeping.....1,75

Our blanks are made of fine extra size paper, ruled complete, with full sets of auxiliaries.

The Institution therefore offers the Commercial Student, the following

IMPORTANT ADVANTAGES:

1st. The best System of accounts in use, taught by the Author.
2d. The daily lectures of an experienced Accountant.
3d. A saving of half the time required by other Colleges, and $20 or $30 in board.
4th. A saving of $6 or $7 in Stationery.
5th. Having the best business penman in the West.

☞ or full particulars, send for our elegant new and cular pa 8, with samples of our Penman's Business circ Ornamental Writing, inclosing 25 cents for postage

P. DUFF & SON, Principa
June 1, 1865:6mos. Principal

AMERICAN CITIZEN Job Printing Office!

Ornamental, Plain, Fancy, Card, Book AND GENERAL JOB PRINTING,
Corner of Main and Jefferson Streets,
Opposite Jack's Hotel,
Butler Pa.

WE ARE PREPARED TO PRINT, ON SHORT NOTICE, Bill Heads, Books, Druggist Labels, Programmes, Constitutions, Checks, Notes, Drafts, Blanks, Business Cards, Visiting Cards, Show Cards, Pamphlets, Posters, Bills of Fare, Order Books, Paper Books, Billets, Sale Bills, &c.

BEING FURNISHED WITH

The Most Approved Hand Presses AND THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT OF Type, Borders, Ornaments, Rules, Cuts, &c., IN THE COUNTY,

We will execute everything in the line of PLAIN AND DECORATIVE PRINTING NEATLY, PROMPTLY, AND AT REASONABLE RATES, In a style to excel any establishment at home, and compete with any abroad.

Skilled Workmen Are employed in every branch of the business, and we endeavor to meet the wants of the community, and to retain the honorable distinction which has been already conceded to this establishment, for

TASTE IN COMPOSITION AND Elegance in Press Work.

In all the essentials of Cheap Printing, Good Paper, Tasteful Composition, Beautiful Press Work, and DISPATCH, we invite comparison, from getting out a Card of a single line to an illuminated Poster, or a work of any number of pages.

BUSINESS ADVERTISEM'TS.

SAM'L. M. LANE.....J. LYNN M'ABOY.....ELI YETTER.

LANE, M'ABOY & CO.
DEALERS IN FOREIGN AND
DOMESTIC DRY GOODS,
No. 140, Federal Street,
(SECOND DOOR BELOW NEW MARKET HOUSE.)
Allegheny City, Pa.
Dec. 9, 1863:tf.

MARTIN REIBER.....GEO. WECKBECKER.

STOVES AND PLOUGHS.

WECKBECKER & REIBER.—Founders—Foundry North of the borough of Butler, where Stoves, Ploughs and other castings are made on short notice. Their warehouse is on Main Street first door North of Jack's Hotel, where you will find Stoves of all sizes and patrons. They also keep on hand a large stock of Ploughs, which they sell as cheap as they can be bought at any other establishment in the county.
Dec. 9, 1863:tf

1865 NEW GOODS. 1865

AS CHEAP AS THE CHEAPEST

AND AS GOOD AS THE BEST.

R. C. & J. L. M'ABOY.

Have just received at their establishment ON MAIN STREET, BUTLER, PA., A large and well selected stock of SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

READ THE FOLLOWING CATALOGUE AND PROFIT THEREBY.

FOR THE LADIES.

Always on hand a large stock of Ladies goods, such as COBERG CLOTH, ALPACAS, DE LANES, GINGHAMS, PRINTS, KERCHIEFS, NUBIES, GLOVES, &c.

FOR GENTLEMEN.

Always on hand Black Cloths, Fancy and Black Cassimeres, Satinetts, Cassinets, Tweeds, Plain and fancy Vestings, Shirting, etc., etc., etc.,

READY MADE CLOTHING.

Such as COATS, PANTS, VESTS and other garments.

Boots and Shoes,

HATS, CAPS & NECKTIES, and a variety of other articles

HOUSEHOLD GOODS,

Such as Unbleached and Bleached Muslins, Linen and Cotton, Table Cloths, Oil Cloths, Linen and Hemp Towels, Carpets, Curtains, Fringe, etc.

HARDWARE, &C.

If you want Nails or Spikes, Manure or other forks' Saw-Mill or other saws, Smoothing Irons, Locks, Hinges, etc., go to M'Aboy's, where you can buy them cheap.

IF YOU WANT Good Extra Family Flour, White or Brown Sugar, Rio Coffee, Imperial, Young Hyson or Black Tea, go to M'Aboy's.

IF You WANT GROCERIES of a superior quality, at as low rates as they can be had elsewhere in the county, go to the store of
R. C. & J. L M'ABOY.
May 11, 1864.

CHARLES McCANDLESS.....HUGH C. GRAHAM

McCANDLESS & GRAHAM,
Attorneys' at Law.
Office on the South-west corner of the Diamond, Butler, Pa
Also, CLAIM AGENTS for securing *Pensions, Arrears of Pay* and *Bounty Money*, for Soldiers, or if they are dead, for their legal representatives. In prosecuting Soldier's Claims, or those of their Representatives, no charge until collected.
Dec. 9, 1863:tf

FAMILY BIBLES.

A FRESH SUPPLY OF Photograph Bibles, AT HEINEMAN'S
March 22, 1865.

William E. Moore.
PENSION, BOUNTY CLAIM AGENT
E. M'Junkin's Office, Main Street, opposite Zimmerman's Hotel, Butler,
Butler Co. Pa.
☞ No charge until claims received.☜

NOTICE.

APPLICATION will be made to the next Legislature of the State of Pennsylvania, for the incorporation of the Harmony Savings Bank, with a capitel of Thirty Thousand Dollars. Said Bank to be located in the boro. of Harmony, Butler County, said State. June 2

MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES.

THE WORLD
Brought right in the Very
Midst of BUTLER,
SITUATE ON MAIN STREET,

Where the "Wanderer," in search of fine Tobacco, Snuff and Cigars, may "readily" perceive a quiet Indian, snugly standing on a box, with outstretched arm, to welcome customers.

Geo. Vogeley,
Manufacturer and Dealer in all kinds o
Tobacco, Snuff, and Segars.

Having been duly appointed a "Committee of Six," to proceed to parts beyond these diggins, to procure for the citizens of Butler, and all others who may favor him with a call, the choicest articles in his line, would respectfully represent: that in pursuance of his appointment, he has been successful in collecting "tall specimens" of the best articles ever found in Butler! He would also further represent: that he feels grateful to the public for the favors conferred upon him, in "days gone by," and hopes he will merit a continuation of their patronage in "days that are to come."

In conclusion, he begs leave to make the following remark: that he has a little the best articles in his line, that are to be found from the "centre to the circumference" of Pennsylvania, and indeed, he might safely add, the United States of North America, the British Possessions, or the Californias, including the mouth of the Colum bia river, all along the coast of Oregon, up as high as the parallel of "Pfiffy Phour Phorty." He HUMBLY solicits the custom of all the "*Dear People*" of Butler, or any way faring man who may chance to make his transit across the disc of Butler, or sojourn within her borders for "a season," feeling confident he will give satisfaction, both as regards price and quality. Come and examine for yourselves! Don't put it off!! Procrastination is the thief of time!!!
GEORGE VOGELEY, Jr.
Butler, Pa., May 11, 1864.

REDICK'S DRUG STORE,
Opposite Stein's Store,

	DRUGS, DRUGS, DRUGS,	
MEDICINES, MEDICINES, MEDICINES,		MEDICINES MEDICINES, MEDICINES,
	DYES, DYES, DYES,	
PAINTS,	PAINTS	PAINTS,

Pure Liquors for Medical use only.

Soda, Cream Tarter etc. etc.

French and American Perfumery, and Toilet articles.—Brushes, Combs and all articles in the Drug line, of the best quality and at fairest rates.
Dec. 9, 1863.

RURAL HILL NURSERY,
NEAR BUTLER, PA.

THE undersigned would respectfully inform the public generally, that he is now fully prepared to furnish them with the choicest variety and very best quality of all kinds of fruit trees. During the last summer he has made large additions to his stock of Fruit and Ornamental trees, and has on hand a larger and better quality and variety than has ever been offered in this county Consisting of

SUMMER, WINTER & FALL APPLES,

PEACHES PEARS AND CHERRIES, also, STRAWBERRIES of the very finest quality—different kinds of Rheubarb. A Splendid lot of Evergreens and a great variety of Promiscuous trees for ornament and shades—All of which, we propose to sell on as reasonable terms as the same quality and varieties can be had for, from any agency or establishment in the country.
SILAS PEARCE & SONS.
Jan. 6, 1864.

Theodore Freckenstein, M. D.,
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON.
OFFICE on the corner of Jefferson and McKean streets, (Opposite corner from U. P. Church)
BUTLER, A.
Dec. 21, 1864:3mo

H. S. Fisher's Improved
FRUIT CAN,

Patened Nov. 12, 1861, Aug. 19, 1862, and March 22, 1864. To be had only of the subscriber, on Main St, BUTDER, Pa., 4 doors North of M'Aboy's Store, where every article of TINWARE is kept in *GREAT VARIETY*. This can has been extensively used and found to be perfectly safe. Its great convenience will be discovered at first sight. The extensive facilities for manufacturing all its parts make it very cheap.

It is closed by clamping a tin cap over and round the opening, which is pressed upon a cement-coated gasket, causing the cement to melt by the heat of the fruit; becoming cold, it is perfectly sealed. It is closed or opened in an instant, by hooking or unhooking a strait wire spring.

LADIES, and others, are requested to call and examine this unsurpassed *Fruit Can*.
WM. S. ZIEGLER.
Butler, July 13, 1864:tf.

NEW HARNESS SHOP.

SADDLES & HARNESS

JNO. A. SEDWICK,

HAVING opened a new Harness Shop, opposite Boyd's Buildings, Butler, Pa., will keep constantly on hand, a large assortment of Saddles, Harness, and every thing in his line of business, which he offers at prices to suit the times. Work of all kinds manufactured to order, and repairing done on short notice.
Dec. 9, 1863:tf
JOHN A. SEDWICK.

Ash & Graham,
ATTORNEYS' AND
Counsellors at Law,
OIL CITY, PA.
☞ Particular attention given to Conveyancing and the examination of Titles.
☞ Oil claims bought and sold.☜
Office on Main Street, first building east of Post Office.

R. M. M'LURE,
Attorney at Law,
AND
PENSION AND CLAIM AGENT.
OFFICE, N. E. corner of Diamond, Butler, Pa.
Feb. 3, 1864:tf.

ARCHIBALD BLAKELEY,
Attorney at Law,
FRANKLIN, VENANGO COUNTY, A
one door North of KINNEAR HOU

Executor's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the estate of Frederick Pisor, late of Worth Tp., Butler county, dec'd have been duly granted to the undersigned, therefore, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate settlement, and those having claims against the same, will present them properly authenticated for settlement.
June 21, 1865. JAS. SHIELDS, Ex'r.

Valuable Farm for Sale.

I offer for sale a farm on Muddycreek, adjoining lands of Jacob & John Brown, in Clay township, containing one hundred and thirty-four acres—about one hundred cleared—thirty of which is prime meadow—good orchard, frame house and log barn. For terms inquire of the subscriber.
CHARLES McCANDLESS.
Butler, April 8, 1865. Butler Pa

JUST OPENED.
NEW BOOT & SHOE SHOP.
ON MAIN STREET.
Opposite Boyd's Building.

WHERE we are prepared to manufacture boots and Shoes of all kinds, to order, of the best material, in the latest styles, and of the finest workmanship,—on the shortest possible notice; and at as reasonable rates as the same quality can be had at any other establishment.
J. A. SHANOR & J. BICKEL.
Butler, May 31, 1865

ESTRAY.

WAS found in the enclosure of the subscriber living in Marion township, Butler Co. Pa., on the 27th day of August, 1865. A white mare, medium size, supposed to be 8 or 10 years old, shod all round, a piece of a rope halter on, tainted with oil; the owner is requested to come forward, prove property pay charges and take her away, otherwise she will be disposed of according to law.
JAMES VINCENT.
S. 1865:3t.

GERMANTOWN TELEGRAPH.
A Family and Agricultural Journal
devoted to

CHOICE LITERATURE, including Poetry, Novelettes, Tales, and Moral and Entertaining Reading generally.—In the Literary Department we shall present the choicest within the reach of our extended means. The Novelettes, Tales, Poetry, &c., shall be supplied from the best and highest sources, and be equal to anything to be found in any journal or magazine.

AGRICULTURE and HORTICULTURE, embracing Farming, Gardening, Fruit-Raising, &c. Our labors in this department for over thirty years, have met the cordial approbation of the public. Our purpose has been to furnish useful and reliable information upon these very important branches of industry, and to protect them so far as within our power against the false doctrines and selfish purposes of the many empires and sensation-adventurers by which the Farmer is incessantly assailed.—This portion of the *Germantown Telegraph* is alone worth the whole price of subscription.

NEWS DEPARTMENT.—The same industry, care and discrimination, in gathering and preparing the Stirring Events of the Day, expressly for this paper, which hitherto has been one of its marked features and given so universal satisfaction, will be continued with redoubled efforts to meet the increasing demands of the public.

TERMS:—Two dollars per annum; one dollar for six months. No orders received without the cash, and all subscriptions stopped at the end of the time paid for.
Address, PHILIP R. FREAS,
Editor and Proprietor, Germantown, Philadn, Pa.

Arthur's Home Magazine.
Edited by T. S. Arthur an Virginia F. Townsend

THE HOME MAGAZINE for 1866 will be enlarged and improved, and made still more worthy of the eminent favor with which it has been received. Its character as a HIGH-TONED PERIODICAL, claiming public favor on the ground of real merit, will be carefully maintained; while for variety, interest, usefulness, and all the attractions of literature and art essential to a true HOME MAGAZINE, the publishers will aim to make it SUPERIOR TO ALL OTHERS.

A FINE STEEL ENGRAVING, AND TWO PAGES OF Music, will appear in every number, besides choice pictures, groups and characters, prevailing fashions, and a large variety of patterns for garments, embroidery, etc., etc.—In all respects we shall give A FIRST-CLASS MAGAZINE, at a price within the reach of every intelligent family in the land.

A new story by T. S. ARTHUR will be commenced in the January number.

YEARLY TERMS, IN ADVANCE.—One copy, $2,50; three copies, $6,00; five copies, and one to getter-up of club, $10,00; nine copies, and one to getter-up of club, $15,00.

☞ A beautiful PREMIUM PLATE, entitled "THE INFANCY OF SHAKSPEARE," will be mailed to each person who sends us a club of subscribers. It will also be mailed to each single subscriber from whom we receive $2,50.

☞ For $4,50 we will send one copy each of HOME MAGAZINE and GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK for a year.
Address, T. S. ARTHUR & CO.,
323 Walnut, Street, Phila.
Nov. 30, 1864.

SURGEON DENTIST'S.

DRS. S. R. & C. L. DIEFFENBACHER.

ARE prepared to insert artificial dentures on the latest improvement from one to an entire set on Vulcanite, Gold, Silver Platina. Those desirous to avail themselves of the latest improvements in dentistry, should not fail to examine their new styles of Vulcanite and Coralite work. Filling, cleaning, extracting and adjusting the teeth done with the best materials and in the best manner. Particular attention paid to children's teeth. As mechanics, they defy competition; as operators they rank among the best. Charges moderate. Advice free of charge. Office—In Boyds Building Jefferson Street, Butler Pa.
Dec. 9, 1863, :tf.

PARTNERSHIP.

THE undersigned would respectfully inform the public that they have entered into Partnership, in the

Undertaking Business,

and hereby solicit the patronage of the public.

They are provided with a neat Hearse; and have on hand a large quantity of the very best material, and are fully prepared to furnish Coffins of all kinds on short notice. They will have on hands constantly a variety of Coffins finished to suit purchasers, and on the most reasonable terms.

They will also furnish Carriages and conveyances for Funeral occasions when requested. Ware Rooms, on Jefferson street, 2 doors West of American Citizen Office
G. C. ROESSING,
GEORGE W. EEA.
Butler, July 20, 1864:tf.

HAVE YOU SEEN THIS?

This subscriber, grateful for his old friends and customers for past favors, would announce to the public that he has a large stock of
SADDLES
HARNESS
WHIPS &c.
At his old stand, where he will be ready at all times to serve those who may favor him with a call. He is constantly manufacturing, and keeps on hand the very best assortment of
TRUNKS.
All work warranted. Repairing done on the shortest notice and most favorable terms
Dec. 9, 1863. J. J. SEDWICK.

Photograph Albums, &c.,
At prices ranging from 50 Cents, to $8,00.
A NEW FEATURE IN THE BOOK BUSINESS.
FAMILY BIBLES FOR PHOTOGRAPH PICTURES.
ALSO—A general supply of Pocket and Family Bibles.
H. C. HEINEMAN

W. M. D IFF .....J. B. CLARK

RIDDLE & CLARK,
Attorneys' at Law.
Office, in the County Surveyor's office,
Butler, Pa.
Will attend to all business entrusted to them, promptly
ALSO LICENSED CLAIM AGENTS, for receiving PENSIONS BOUNTIES, BACK PAY for soldiers or their representatives.
☞ No charge until claims are collected.☜

George Vogley, Jr.,
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER
IN ALL KINDS OF
Tobacco, Snuff, and Segars,
Main Street, Butler.
Things Done Up Right!!

I wish to inform Butler county, and the region round about, that I have just received the best articles ever imported into this county. The only way to prove the fact is to call and examine my Tobacco, Snuff and Segars; believing in the truth of the old adage that "the proof of the Pudding is in chewing the Bag." Any man that has an inkling for Tobacco, in any of its orms, can be gratified.
GEORGE VOGELEY, Jr.
Butler, Nov. 30, 1864.

JACK'S HOTEL
BENJ. JACK, Proprietor.
Corner of Main and Jefferson treets, Butler, Pa.
March 16, 1864.

WALL PAPER,
AT
March, 22, 1865. HEINEMAN'

Public Sale of Real Estate.

ESTATE OF SAMUEL MCCANDLESS dec'd.

I will expose to public sale on the premises, on Friday the 14th day of July, an undivided interest in two hundred acres of land, situated in Centre tp., Butler Co. Bounded North by W. D. McCandless, East by Wm. Allison, South by Thomas Richards, and others and West by John Weitzel. The interest to be sold at public sale is about one hundred acres of the above described real estate—but the balance of the tract will be offered for sale at the same time and place. There is about one hundred and twenty acres cleared and in a good state of cultivation. Log house and large frame bank barn, one hundred bearing apple trees, a good vein of coal under the whole tract.

TERMS.—One third in hand, balance in two equal annual payments with interest from date of sale
JEMIMA McCANDLESS,
Butler, June 21, 1865:3t. Administrator.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters of Administration have been granted to the undersigned on the estate of James W. Cornelius, late of Worth township, dec'd. All persons therefore knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same are requested to present them properly probated for settlement.
ROBERT F. GLENN,
Butler, June 28, 1865:6t. Administrator.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS my wife, Isabella Say, has left my bed and board, without just cause, I hereby warn and notify the public, not to harbor her or give her credit on my account, as I will pay no debts of any kind of her contracting
SAMUEL R. SAY.
Butler, July 24 1865:2t.

DR. FITCHE'S FEMALE SUPPORTERS,
DR. CHRESMAN'S FEMALE PILLS.
Trusses of all kinds for sale at
HAMILTON'S Drug Store.

The New York Tribune.

NOTWITHSTANDING the enormously increased expenses attending the publication of THE TRIBUNE occasioned by the employment of numerous army correspondents and other different expenditures, as well as by the advance in the price of paper and other materials, we have resolved, for the present at least, not to increase the subscription prices of either Weekly or Semi-Weekly papers, but to continue to furnish them at $2 and $3, respectively, per annum—being the same prices which were established more than twenty years ago, when the cost was only about one-third of what it is at the present time. Our Terms will be found below, and we wish it to be distinctly understood that ☞ these Terms will be strictly and literally adhered to, and no other abatements or discounts than those mentioned will be allowed to any case whatever.

Terms.

DAILY TRIBUNE.

Single copy.....4 cents
Mail subscribers, one copy, one year.....$10 00
do do one copy, six months.....5 00
do do one copy, three months.....3 00

SEMI-WEEKLY TRIBUNE.

Mail subscribers, one copy, one year.....3 00
do do one copy, six months.....1 75
do do one copy, three months.....1 00

WEEKLY TRIBUNE.

Mail subscribers, one copy, one year.....2 00
do do one copy, six months.....1 00

☞ Persons at the trouble of procuring subscribers and remitting us $20 for ten copies of the Weekly, will be entitled to one copy gratis. For $40 for twenty copies, one copy of the Semi-Weekly gratis.

Drafts on New York payable to the order of "THE TRIBUNE," being safer, are preferable to any other mode of remittance. But where drafts cannot be conveniently procured, United States, or National bank bills are the next best, and may be sent by mail at our risk; but in case of loss THE TRIBUNE will not be responsible until furnished with a full description of the bills, including the name of the bank, denomination and number, and the time and place of the mailing of the letter, with the enclosures. Address THE TRIBUNE, New York.
Dec. 7, 1864.

The American Citizen,

18 published every Wednesday in the borough of Butle, by THOMAS ROBINSON & C. E. ANDERSON on Main street opposite to Jack's Hotel—office up stairs in the brick formerly occupied by Eli Yetter, as a store

TERMS:—$1 50 a year, if paid in advance, or within the first six months; or $2 if not paid until after the expiration of the first six months

TERMS OF ADVERTISING, &c.,

As agreed upon by the Publishers and proprietors of the Butler Papers.

One square, one insertion	$1 00
Each subsequent insertion	50
¼ column for six months	12 50
½ column for six months	20 00
1 column for six months	35 00
½ column for one year	25 00
¾ column for one year	40 00
1 column for one year	70 00
Professional and Business Cards, not exceeding 8 lines, one year	8 00
Executors, Administrators and Auditor's notices, each	3 00
Applications for licenses, each	50
Cautions, Estrays, Notices of Dissolution, &c., not exceeding 1 square, 3 insertions, each	2 00
10 lines of Nonpareil, or its equivalent, will make a square.	

JOB WORK.

¼ sheet hand-bill, 50 copies or less	$1 50
½ " " "	2 50
¾ " " "	4 00
Full " " "	6 00

BLANKS.

For any quantity under 5 quires, $1 50 per quire; on all amounts over that, a reasonable reduction will be made

BUSINESS CARDS.

Single packs, $1,50; each additional pack, 50 cts.

LOCAL NOTICES.

10 cents per line for each insertion.

DEATHS AND MARRIAGES,

will be published gratis, where the same does not exceed 5 lines; for each additional line, 5 cts. will be