

EMPIRE NO. 3,

OLEAN, N. Y.

WILCOX & EATON

BEG LEAVE TO ANNOUNCE that they have received their first stock of

SPRING & SUMMER GOODS

And are now prepared to welcome their friends and customers and offer them a new and desirable stock of

Country Merchandize

IN ALL ITS VARIETY,

SUCH AS

FANCY AND STAPLE

DRY GOODS,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

HATS & CAPS,

CROCKERY,

GLASS WARE

And a choice stock of

Family Groceries,

We will not weary your patience by enumerating, but our stock is very full and complete and we doubt not you will find something to please you both as to quality and price.

Windy Advertisements will do for some, but the Truth will Wear Better, and we only ask an examination and are confident we can do you good.

COME AND SEE.

-WILCOX & EATON.

Olean, April 18, 1859.

PIKE'S PEAK FLOODED!

THE SMETHPORT

"SIDE HILL"

OPENED!

IMPORTANT DEVELOPMENTS TO THE

CITIZENS OF M'KEAN COUNTY!

IMMENSE ATTRACTION

At the New Opening,

IN THE SIDE HILL!

HIGH PRICES RUINED!

OLD FOOTING DEMOLISHED.

And High Prices kicked out of doors.

A brighter day has dawned upon the inhabitants of Northern Pennsylvania. The dark clouds of the Credit System are rolling rapidly away, for the

CASH SYSTEM

IS BOUND TO TAKE THE LEAD!

There is no use in talking. Ready-Pay is the

ONLY TRUE

System, and with that for our motto we ring our banner to the breeze, and boldly proclaim that

WE CAN & WILL SELL

GOODS

CHEAPER

THAN ANY CONCERN THAT

Takes TRUST for PAY.

And we would here venture the assertion that we have got a little the

NICEST LOT OF

Family Groceries,

Ever brought into this market.

Bring on your BUTTER, your EGGS and CHICKENS, your PRODUCE, and in fact almost ANYTHING BUT TRUST, and we are in 'or a Trade.

GIVE US A CALL.

EXAMINE AND PRICE our STOCK, and if we can't please you, then the "SIDE HILL" will "grease up" and "slide out" of town the first dark night.

UNDER E. S. MASON'S STORE,

West side of the Public Square

OF WRIGHT

Smethport, Feb. 1st, 1859.

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A SPLENDID LOT OF TEAS, at

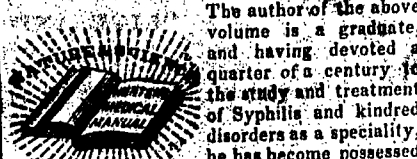
WILCOX & EATON'S,

Olean, N. Y.

DR. HUNTER'S MEDICAL MANUAL,

Being an original and popular Treatise on **MAN AND WOMAN;** Their Physiology, Functions and Sexual Disorders of every kind, with never-failing remedies for the speedy cure of disease of a private and delicate character, incident to the violation of the Laws of Nature and of Nature's God.

PRICE TWENTY-FIVE CENTS.



The author of the above volume is a graduate, and having devoted a quarter of a century to the study and treatment of Syphilis and kindred disorders as a specialty, he has become possessed of most invaluable information in regard to the same, and is able to compress into a few pages the very quintessence of medical science on this important subject, and afford relief to the experience of the most eminent physicians in Europe and America is thoroughly practiced in his own highly successful practice in the treatment of secret diseases in many thousands of cases in the city of Philadelphia alone.

Testimony of the Prof. of Obstetrics in Penna. College, Phila. "Dr. HUNTER'S MEDICAL MANUAL." The author of this work, unlike the majority of those who advertise to cure the diseases of which it treats, is a graduate of one of the best colleges in the United States. It affords pleasure to recommend him to the physicians, or to the victims of malpractice, as a successful and experienced practitioner, in whose honor and integrity they may place the greatest confidence. J. S. LONGSHORE, M. D., From A. Woodward, M. D., of Penn. University, Phila.

It gives me pleasure to add my testimony to the professional ability of the Author of the "Medical Manual." Numerous cases of disease of the Genital Organs, some of them of long standing, have come under my notice, in which his skill has been manifest in restoring to perfect health, in some instances where the patient has been considered beyond medical aid. In the treatment of the functions produced by Self-abuse, or Excess of Vanery, I do not know his superior, in the profession. I have been acquainted with the Author some thirty years, and deem it no more than justice to him as well as a kindness to the unfortunate victims of early indiscretion, to recommend him as one in whose professional skill and integrity they may safely confide themselves.

ALFRED WOODWARD, M. D. One copy securely enveloped, will be forwarded free of postage to any part of the United States for 25 cents, or by express for \$1. Address, post paid, COHEN & Co., Publishers, box 197, Philadelphia.

Dr. Bookellers, Canvasers and Book Agents supplied on the most liberal terms.

JEFFREY'S DOUBLE-ACTING SUCTION & FORCE PUMP WITH India Rubber Ball Valves.

THE SUBSCRIBER having purchased the right to make and sell this New Pump, trusts a confidence that his efforts to bring it into general use, in this county, will be seconded by all who see its construction and operation.

Among the many advantages secured by the use of this Pump, the following may be enumerated:

1. A double action, by which twice the water can be raised at the same time.
2. Great ease in working, thus adapting the Force Principle to common wells.
3. The Transformation, in a moment, of the Pump into an efficient FIRE EXTINGUISHER, thus rendering the loss of dwellings by fire, totally unnecessary.
4. Capability of watering gardens, Lawns, or sprinkling walks, washing windows, &c., with the utmost ease and thoroughness.
5. Power to raise water with slight labor to any reasonable height, as in supplying chambers, &c.
6. The convenience of having the Pump in a kitchen, or other rooms of your dwelling, without regard to the location of the Well or Cistern.
7. The easy protection of the instrument against Frost.
8. The ease with which it may be mounted on wheels, or in other ways be made portable.
9. A simplicity which ensures great durability, protects it from being thrown out of order, and makes any repairs easy and of little cost.
10. Great Cheapness: for the first time bringing the cost of the Force Pump into the neighborhood of the common Suction and Chain Pumps, while it is immeasurably superior to both.

Manufactured and for sale by the subscriber, only, at his shop in Mechanicsburg.

A. WOLTERS.

Mechanicsburg, March 28, 1858.

INSURANCE AGENCY.

Farmer's Union Insurance Co., Athens, Pa. Capital \$100,000.
Great Western Insurance Co., Philadelphia, Pa. Capital \$1,000,000.
West Branch (Mutual) Lock Haven Pa. Insurances can be effected in the above responsible Stock Companies by the subscriber. Any communication addressed to him, at Smethport, Pa., will meet with prompt attention. B. F. DAVIS, Agent. [4041.]
Smethport, Dec. 9, 1858.

DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the firm of N. Mason & Wainwright is this day dissolved by mutual consent of parties; the business to be hereafter conducted by B. F. WAINWRIGHT. E. S. MASON. B. F. WRIGHT.
Smethport, March 20th 1859.

TO THOSE INDEBTED.

Persons indebted to E. S. Mason by note or otherwise, are requested to walk up like a chicken to the debt, and settle the same within thirty days, for after the first of January collections must be promptly made.
Smethport, Dec. 1st, 1858.

All wanted to emigrate to a mild climate, good soil, and fine market, see advertisement of Hammonoton Lands.

MILK PANS, all new and shiny—you can see an honest man's face in them as soon as you pay over the dose, at MASON'S.

TIN CHURNS and Japaned Ware, Stove Pipe and Tin Cat Holes at MASON'S.

KNOWING that some things can be done as well as others, the Side Hill will keep a good supply of Groceries and Provisions.

HAMMONTON LANDS

NEW ENGLAND SETTLEMENT.

RARE OPPORTUNITY TO ALL WANTING FARMS.—In a healthy place twenty-five miles from Philadelphia, on the Camden and Atlantic railroad, New Jersey. An old estate has recently been opened for sale. An old division of 10,000 acres divided up into farms of twenty acres and upwards. The soil of the best quality for the production of fruits, grains, &c. The price is \$12 to \$20 per acre, payable in easy quarterly yearly instalments, within a term of four years, with interest. The terms are made easy, in order to insure the rapid improvement of the land, by enabling every industrious man to buy a farm. It is now being extensively improved by good roads, and some of the best citizens from New England and the Middle States are erecting large improvements. It is a section of the greatest improvement ever built in four months. Practical farmers and business men settling there. It is an important business place, on account of its being in the midst of a great market. Every article raised upon this land finds an immediate sale. The water is excellent, and no such thing as fever is known. The soil is a sandy or clay loam, with a clay bottom and retentive of manures. It is free of stones and easily worked. It abounds largely in the phosphates, and such is its fertility that from the crops produced both upon this land and the large area adjoining under cultivation, it will be found not to be exceeded anywhere in the production of crops most adapted to its nature.

The reader may be well aware that the earliest and the best fruits and vegetables come from New Jersey, which are annually exported to the amount of millions of dollars. The land beside being accessible in every way for fertilizers, has an abundant supply of the best quality of muck manure. Lumber and building materials can be had on the spot at a cheap price, from the mills. Other mills are now being opened, and brickyards being started on for present convenience for some tenement for present convenience to nurse in order to get a place to live in first. Carpenters and builders are on hand to put up houses on the best terms.

In settling here the emigrant has many advantages. He is within a few hours' ride of the great cities in the Middle States and New England; he is in a settled country, where every improvement and comfort of civilized life is at hand; he is in a healthy place, and is not subject to the certainty of losing, the greater part of his family and his own health by those malignant fevers which make the graves of so many millions of the young and hardy in far off regions away from home and friends. Besides, he has a mild climate and an open winter. There are three trains daily to Philadelphia, and to all those who improve the railroad company gives a free ticket.

The reader will at once be struck with the advantages here presented, and ask himself why the property has not been taken up before. The reason is, it was never advertised in the market; and unless the statements were correct, no one would be inclined to examine the land before purchasing. This all are expected to do. They will see the land under cultivation; they will meet persons, no doubt, from their own neighborhood; they will witness the improvements, and can judge of the character of the population. Persons should come prepared to purchase, as many are locating, and locations are not held on refusal.

The Hammonoton Farmer, a monthly Literary and Agricultural sheet, containing full information of Hammonoton, will be sent at each inquirer, and can be obtained at 25 cents per annum. Title indisputable: Warrantee deeds given, clear of all incumbrances, when purchase money is paid. Route to the land—Leas Vine street wharf, Philadelphia, for Hammonoton by railroad at half past seven, A. M., and half past five P. M.; when, there inquires for Mr. Byrnes. Boarding conveniences will be found. Letters and applications can be addressed to S. B. Coughlin, 202 South FIFTH Street below Walnut, Philadelphia. Maps and information cheerfully furnished.

FARM LANDS FOR SALE 25 MILES from Philadelphia by Railroad in the State of New Jersey. Soil among the best for agricultural purposes, being a good loam soil, with a clay bottom. The land is a large tract, divided into small farms, and hundreds from all parts of the country are now settling and building. The crops can be seen growing. Terms, from \$15 to \$20 per acre, payable within four years by instalments. To visit the place—Leave Vine St. Wharf at Phila., at half past 7, A. M., by Railroad for Hammonoton, or address R. J. Byrnes, by letter. See full advertisement in another column.

LEFT FOR COLLECTION. THE NOTES AND ACCOUNTS of Irons & Armstrong, and also other notes and accounts of G. Irons, and all left with Warren Cowles for collection. All those indebted as above, are requested to call on him and settle the same without delay. G. IRONS. Smethport, Sept. 9, 1858.

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VALUABLE COAL LAND FOR SALE 200 ACRES of Coal and Mineral Land for sale. Said land is situated near the terminus of the Buffalo & Bradford Railroad. For further particulars enquire at the Democrat office.

TAILORESS.

MRS. FLORILLA RUMSEY is prepared to do Sewing of all kinds at her residence on Main street, one door below Williams' law office. She will Cut and Make men's and boys Coats and Pants, Shirts, &c., in good style and warranted to give satisfaction. Grain and produce taken in exchange for work. Nov. 18, 1858.

JUST DROPE IN at the New Opening in the Side Hill, under Ed. Mason's Store, and examine a lot of SUGARS at prices that can't be beat.

THE HAMMONTON FARMER, A newspaper devoted to Literature and Agriculture, also setting forth full accounts of the new settlement of Hammonoton, in New Jersey, can be subscribed for at only 25 cents per annum. Enclose postage stamps for the amount. Address to Editor of the Farmer, Hammonoton, Atlantic county, New Jersey. Those wishing the cheap land of the best quality, in one of the healthiest and most delightful climates in the Union, see advertisement of Hammonoton Lands.

HEADQUARTERS,

JULY, 12, 1858.

LATE AND IMPORTANT FROM THE

BLOODY FIELDS OF KANSAS!

Once more on the lightning track of the far-reaching wires, comes the glad tidings of peace and contentment, instead of the shrill scream of the death dealing marauder, or the chilling tale of the midnight assassin, who has been imbruing his hands in the blood of the young, the beautiful, and the innocent. Now, instead of the wild cries of despair which but lately schooled from every hill and valley of our wide-spread land, our ears are filled with the glad shouts of old men and maidens, young men and matrons that are continually

FLOCKING TO THE HEADQUARTERS OF

TRADE

JUST OPENED BY

G. IRONS,

Under the supervision and care of the infatigable "MILES."

NOT ONLY TO SEE BUT TO BUY

a portion of the

RICH, RARE, BEAUTIFUL

and unprecedentedly

CHEAP GOODS

Which he has just received from New York and Philadelphia.

"MILES" WISHES IT

Distinctly Understood

That he does not intend to ape after some of

his neighbors by boasting of the

FINESS,

FIRMNESS, DURABILITY,

AND

CHEAPNESS

OF HIS

Goods,

All he asks is for Purchasers to

CALL AND LOOK AT THEM,

Well knowing that no one will leave the

Store empty handed after once

looking at and

Learning the Price

AT WHICH HE SELLS GOODS.

REMEMBER!

THE PLACE TO BUY

Ready-Made Clothing

Of every description, from common Overalls

to the finest cloth Coat,

WARRANTED AS REPRESENTED.

COME AND EXAMINE

For yourselves, as we can fit anything from a

boy of four years to a man of 400 pounds.

DRY GOODS,

AND

GROCERIES,

CROCKERY,

And in fact everything kept or sold in this section, is

AT IRONS' STORE,

Corner of Main and State Streets,

Two doors west of the Baptist Church,

SMETHPORT PA.

FIFTY DOLLARS FORFEIT.

DR. HUNTER WILL FORFEIT \$50. IF failing to cure any case of secret disease that may come under his care, no matter how long standing or afflicting. Either sex are invited to his Private Rooms, 44 North BENTON ST., Philad'a., without fear of interruption from other patients. Strangers and others who have been unfortunate in the selection of a Physician are invited to call.

IMPOTENCY.—Through unrestrained indulgence of the passions, by excess of self-abuse, the evils are numerous. Premature impotency, involuntary seminal discharges, wastefulness of the organs, loss of memory, a distaste for female society, general debility, or constitutional derangement, are sure to follow. If necessary, consult the Doctor with confidence; he reads a perfect cure.

READ AND REFLECT.—The afflicted would do well to reflect before trusting their health and happiness, and in many cases their lives, in the hands of physicians ignorant of this class of maladies. It is certainly impossible for one man to understand all the ill-effects of the human body are subject to. Every respectable physician has his peculiar branch, in which he is more successful than his brother professors, and to that he devotes most of his time and study.

YEARS OF PRACTICE, exclusively devoted to the study and treatment of diseases of the sexual organs, together with ulcers upon the head, throat, nose, or legs, pains in the body, or bones, mercurial rheumatism, strictures, gravel, irregularities, diseases arising from youthful excesses, or impurities of the blood, whereby the constitution has become enfeebled, enables the Doctor to offer speedy relief to all who may place themselves under his care.

Medicine forwarded to any part of the United States.—Price Ten Dollars per Package. For sale, DR. DICKINSON'S CELEBRATED MAGNETO-ELECTRIC MACHINE.—No acid or other ingredient required; its power being obtained from a permanent magnet. No family should be without one. Price only \$10.

WASHING MACHINE.

Patented Sept. 9, 1858.

BY RILEY SMITH

THE WASHBOARD AND BEATER are the two first and most natural implements ever used in Washing Clothes. Notwithstanding it has been the study of inventors to do them away, and for that purpose several hundred patents have been issued, yet it has been of no effect. They have failed in their attempts. Their machines have been condemned and thrown away; and the Wash Board and Beater again used in their stead.

This machine combines them together, attached to a progressive lever in such a manner as gives great power to the Beater, while either may be used as the operator may desire. The motion of the Beater is quick and easy; the pressure gentle and powerful, which gives it the advantage over all other machines, and is so decided by competent judges.

Manufactured and sold at Mechanicsburg, by

A. WOLTERS.

Mechanicsburg, March 18, 1858.

HOWARD ASSOCIATION

PHILADELPHIA.

A Benevolent Institution, established by special appointment for the relief of the sick and distressed, afflicted with Venereal and Eruptive Diseases, such as SYPHILIS, GONORRHOEA, SEMINAL WEAKNESS, IMPOTENCE, GONORRHOEA, GLEET, &c., &c. The Howard Association, in view of the awful destructions occasioned by these diseases, especially the consulting surgeon, as a CHARITABLE ACT worthy of his name, to open a dispensary for the treatment of this class of diseases, in all their forms, and to give MEDICAL ADVICE GRATIS to all who apply by letter, with a description of their condition, age, occupation, habits of life, &c., and in cases of extreme poverty, to furnish medicines FREE OF CHARGE. It is open to all of the age, and will furnish the most approved modern treatment.

The Directors, on a review of the past, feel assured that the labor in this sphere of benevolent effort, have been of great benefit to the afflicted, especially the young, and they have resolved to devote themselves with renewed zeal to this very important but neglected cause. Just published by the Association, a Report on Syphilis, or Seminal Weakness, the Vice of Onanism, Gonorrhoea, or Salt Abuse, and other Diseases of the Sexual Organs, by the Consulting Surgeon, which will be sent by mail (in a sealed letter envelope) free of charge, on receipt of two stamps for postage. Dr. GEO. B. CALDWELL, for Report or treatment, Dr. GEO. B. CALDWELL, Consulting Surgeon, Howard Association, No. 2 South Ninth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. By order of the Directors. EZRA D. HEARTWELL, Secy.

GEO. FAIRCHILD, Secy.

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Cabinet Shop in Mechanicsburg. A. WOLTERS respectfully announces to the public that, notwithstanding these hard times, he is manufacturing and keeps constantly on hand all kinds of furniture, such as

SOFAS

DIVANS,

OTTOMANS,

CARD CENTER,

DINING AND

BREAKFAST TABLES,

CHAIRS of all kinds and styles, Case and Common, Ready-Made Coffins, &c., of the very best material and manufacture.

Smethport, Feb. 25, 1859

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Stone Coal.

THE SUBSCRIBER keeps on hand for sale Stone Coal, of the best quality, at the Grist Mill, in Mechanicsburg. Grain of all kinds take up in exchange.

GHORDIS CORWIN.

TOBACCO of all kinds, Indigo, Nutmegs and Washboards, at the SIDE HILL.

To all wanting farms, see advertisement of Hammonoton Lands.