

[From the New York Evening Post.]

**POOR RICHARD'S ALMANAC.**

The only complete collection of this celebrated almanac, of which we have any knowledge, and beyond a doubt the only one now in existence in the possession of Mr. John Dogget, Jr., of this city; a gentleman generally known to our community as the editor of the City Directory, and to a more limited class of friends, as a most diligent and cultivated antiquarian.

It was about four years since Mr. Dogget commenced his researches for these memorable records of Franklin's learning, wisdom and wit; and in prosecuting them, he has visited most of the public literary institutions of the country, and conducted a very extensive correspondence besides. He has now one complete set, commencing with the year 1733, and continuing until Franklin's connection with it terminated in 1758, about twenty-five years.

About eight years ago, Mr. Sparks, in his life of Franklin, referring to this almanac says: "It is believed that a complete edition of Poor Richard's Almanac is not now in existence. After much research I have not been able to find more than one third of the numbers that were published."

The maxims and sentiments of Poor Richard, which, of course, constitute the supreme attraction of his almanacs, are printed in italics down the columns of the calendar, in the vacant spaces not occupied by calendar matter, sometimes one word and sometimes more on a line, and not unfrequently a single sentiment of six words running down a whole column.

The following is the first of these golden sentences, which we sought with some curiosity in the first almanac of 1733:

"Never spare the parson's wine nor the baker's pudding."

We have already alluded to the wonderful popularity of these thoughts of Poor Richard, a popularity which will be readily comprehended by those who are familiar with the wonderful wisdom, sagacity and wit, which the author has compressed in his brief and simple sentences. So many years have elapsed since any collection of them has been laid before the American people, that we feel we shall oblige many of our readers by selecting from among them some which have been least hackneyed by quotation. The selections we offer have been made from the entire series, embracing a period of twenty-five years, and one or more from the almanac of each year:

Take this remark from Richard, poor and lame, Whate'er's begun in anger ends in shame. Some men grow mad by studying much to know; But who grows mad by studying good to do? An egg to-day is better than a hen to-morrow.

Law, like cobwebs, catch small flies, Great ones break through before your eyes.

If pride leads the van, beggary brings up the rear.

Keep thy shop and thy shop will keep thee.

God heals, and the doctor takes the fees.

Mary's mouth cost her nothing, for she never opens it but at others' expense.

He that would live in peace and at ease, [sees] Must not speak all he knows, nor judge all he

He that can travel well afoot, keeps a good horse.

The worst wheel of the cart makes the most noise.

He that falls in love with himself will have no rivals.

Against diseases here, the strongest fence is the defensive virtue, Abstinence.

Tart words make no friends; a spoonful of honey will catch more flies than a gallon of vinegar.

Drive thy business or it will drive thee.

Beware of little expenses; a small leak will sink a great ship.

An ounce of wit that is bought, Is worth a pound that is taught.

A ploughman on his legs is higher than a gentleman on his knees.

Mad Kings and mad bulls are not to be held by treaties and pack thread.

What maintains one vice would bring up two children.

A mob's a monster; head enough but no brains.

Nothing humbler than ambition when it is about to climb.

The discontented man finds no easy chair.

When prosperity was well mounted, she let go the bridle, and soon came tumbling out of the saddle.

The master's eye will do more work than both his hands.

A change of fortune hurts a wise man no more than a change in the moon.

He that has a trade has an office of profit and honor.

A false friend and a shadow attend only while the sun shines.

Plough deep while sluggards sleep, And you shall have corn to sell and to keep.

If you would not be forgotten as soon as you are dead and rotten, either write things worth reading or do something worth writing.

Nothing dries sooner than a tear.

Scarlet, silk and velvet have put out the kitchen fire.

The first mistake in public business is the going into it.

The idle man is the devil's hireling; whose livery is rags, whose diet and wages are famine and disease.

Kings and bears often worry their keepers.

He's a fool that makes his doctor his heir.

Never take a wife till thou hast a house (and fire) to put her in.

Love well, whip well.

Hunger never saw bad bread.

Great talkers, little doers.

A rich rogue is like a fat hog, Who never does good till as dead as a log.

Fools make feasts and wise men eat them.

The poor have little—beggars none—the rich too much—enough no one.

Mankind are very odd creatures. One half censure what they practice, the other half practice what they censure.

The rest always say and do as they ought.

Old boys have their playthings as well as young ones, the difference is only in the price.

If man could have half his wishes, he would double his troubles.

Christianity commands us to pass by injuries; policy to let them pass by us.

If you would keep your secret from an enemy, tell it not to a friend.

**WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, NEW HAT MANUFACTORY.**

The undersigned announces to the citizens of Huntingdon County, that he has just opened in the borough of LEWISTOWN, a new HAT MANUFACTORY, where he is prepared to make every variety of Hats in use, out of the best materials, such as BEAVER, SILK, NUTRIA, FUR, WOOL, &c. The business of manufacturing is conducted by and under his own personal supervision, and his long experience in the business in the best establishments of the country warrants him in guaranteeing to all who may purchase from him good substantial and highly finished work.

Our Omish friends shall not be forgotten in the efforts we shall put forth to meet the wants of the community, in our line of business, and he will be ready to answer their calls at prices that must please.

TO COUNTRY MERCHANTS, and all others who may desire to purchase Hats, his establishment affords superior inducements, both as regards quality and price, which shall be of such a character as to leave no room for grumbling. We the afore invite everybody, of every distinction of party or sect, to call and examine our stock; which is the largest and best assorted one that has ever been introduced here.

N. B. Hats of my manufacture can be had at retail at the store of WM. STEWART, in Huntingdon Borough.

WM. G. ZOLLINGER, Lewistown, Sept. 6, 1848.

**FARM FOR RENT.**

The undersigned offers for rent that valuable farm (being part of a tract of land purchased from the heirs of Henry Swoope), and adjoining lands of the heirs of Eliza Swoope Wharton, adjoining McConnellstown, lands of Frederick Lissinger, Daniel Buchwalter, and others, containing

**265 Acres,** between 115 and 150 acres of which are cleared, and between 45 and 50 acres meadow land—the balance woodland. On said tract of land is situated a

**Grist Mill,** Saw Mill, Dwelling House and Bank Barn, and is about 5 miles from the borough of Huntingdon and the Penna. Railroad and Canal. Persons wishing to rent, can obtain any information by applying to the undersigned, residing in Walker township, about 3 miles from the property.

GEORGE HAWN, DAVID HAWN, Dec. 19, 1848.

**1001 ILLUMINATED!**

Invite the attention of the citizens of Huntingdon and persons visiting this place during the present Court to their immense stock of

**CLOCKS, WATCHES, Jewelry, and Fancy Articles**

just received at their store in MARKET SQUARE, one door east of the Exchange Hotel. They will sell

Full jewelled Gold Levers, 18 Carot, hunting case, for \$60 00

gold levers, 18 carot, single case, 30 00

Gold Levers, finest quality, 25 00

Silver Levers, from \$12 to 40 00

Lepines, 8 to 15 00

Verge Watches, 1 to 10 00

Eight day brass Clocks, 5 to 6 00

30 hour " " 3 to 4 00

Accordeons, 1 to 15 00

Gold Pencils, 1 50 to 6 00

Pens, 1 00 to 2 50

Gold Miniature Frames, 4 00 to 10 00

All kinds of Jewelry 20 per cent lower than heretofore.

We are thankful for patronage heretofore received, and would solicit all persons desirous of purchasing any thing in our line to give us a call.

N. B. Clocks, Watches and Jewelry repaired and warranted.

Huntingdon, Nov. 14, 1848.

**H. & J. U. ROWE,**

BROOM & WOODEN WARE STORE, No. 63 North Third Street,

One door above Arch, eastside, P. H. DELPHIA.

Manufacturers & Wholesale Dealers in all kinds of Brooms, Brushes, Buckets, Cedar Ware—Willow and French Baskets, Shoe and Wall Brushes, Scubs, Dusters, Mats. Blacking, Eastern-made Wooden ware of every description, &c. &c., at the lowest market prices.

MANLY ROWE, JOHN M. ROWE, March 7, '48.

**Dissolution of Partnership.**

The partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers in the butchering business, was dissolved by mutual consent on Thursday 23d of January, 1849. All persons having unsettled accounts are requested to call immediately and settle the same.

PETER SHULTZ, HENRY BUTTS, Greysport, Jan. 30, 1849—pd.

**RECEIPTS & EXPENDITURES**

Of Huntingdon County, from the 8th day of January, A. D. 1848, up to and including the 5th day of January, A. D. 1849.

**RECEIPTS.**

Table with columns for date, name, and amount. Includes entries for Michael Barndollar, Clay, 111 00; John Zentmyer, Franklin, 205 00; Samuel R. Boggs, Henderson, 161 65; Robert Massey, Barree, 363 66; Joseph L. King, Brady, 55 10; Daniel J. Logan, Cromwell, 178 64; Lemuel Green, Cass, 52 90; Moses Greenland, Clay, 80 34; Thomas W. Neely, Dublin, 138 13; John H. Stonebraker, Franklin, 167 37; Jacob Russel, Hopewell, 155 63; William B. Smith, Jackson, 312 92; John M. Tussey, Morris, 150 56; Andrew M. Clark, Porter, 193 30; John Anderson, Penn, 87 00; John Shaver, Shirley, 208 69; William Ramsey, Springfield, 77 51; George May, Tell, 61 82; Adam Houck, Tod, 41 06; John Burgardner, Union, 41 17; Samuel Ewing, West, 697 05; John Heffner, Walker, 255 40; 1848.

Table with columns for name, amount, and date. Includes entries for John S. Miller, Barree, 300 00; Joseph L. King, Brady, 310 00; Daniel J. Logan, Cromwell, 100 00; Conrad Curman, Cass, 144 00; Archibald McNeal, Clay, 60 38; William Harper, Dublin, 80 00; John Conrad, Franklin, 607 00; John Fleener, Henderson, 1072 70; Abraham Brumbaugh, Hopewell, 258 43; David S. Bell, Jackson, 190 00; Joseph Law, Morris, 320 00; John Brumbaugh, Penn, 404 51; George Whitaker, Porter, 971 26; William McGarvey, Shirley, 317 76; Robert Madden of H. C. House lots, 126 00; Samuel Burdge, Tell, 226 00; Mordecai Chilcote, Tod, 70 43; Levi Smith, Union, 62 00; Vincent Stevens, Warriorsmark, 600 00; Samuel Ewing, West, 478 00; Peter Thompson, Walker, 403 00; Redemption money of unseated lands paid since last settlement, 219 05; John Harper, Esq., sale of an estray, 5 14; Henry Harker, on account of judgment, 1 84; Henry Myers, for lay on C. House lots, 20 00; Abraham L. Wilt, for coal, 6 00; County Tax on unseated lands, 348 62; School Tax, do. do. 61 92; Road Tax, do. do. 97 08; Balance in the Treasury at last settlement, 420 40; Balance due Treasurer, 574 60; \$12,463 17

**EXPENDITURES.**

Table with columns for name, amount, and date. Includes entries for Attorney General, and others, on criminal prosecutions, \$ 233 23; Grand and traverse jurors, cryer, &c., 2,977 25; Constables making returns, advertising spring election, serving notices, &c., 342 04; Assessors, 281 00; Judges, inspectors, & clerks of election, 610 32; Road and bridge viewers, 152 00; Auctioneers on dead bodies, 4 00; Sundry persons, premiums on wild cats, foxes, and wolves, 232 63; Commrs—J. F. Miller, in full of 1817, 10 00; Daniel Tenney, do., 40 00; Same, on acct of 1818, 70 00; R. Cummins, in full of 1817, 38 00; Same, on acct of 1818, 20 00; J. Greenland, in full of 1817, 25 50; Same, on acct of 1818, 75 00; Auditors—George Wilson, 9 00; L. G. Kessler, 6 00; James G. Ham, 9 00; A. K. Coryn, commo to Comm's, W. S. Africa, in full as clerk to Commrs for 1817, 100 00; S. Smyth Read, on acct as clerk to Commrs for 1818, 125 00; Jane K. in, washing for co. prisoners, Mary Gibson, sweeping and scrubbing the Court House, 20 00; County Printing—James Clark, 31 50; Wm. Morris, ag't for R. Penn Smith, ground rent and interest on Court House lots, 105 83; John Ker, on acct of delivering fire wood to C. House and Jail for 1847, 50 00; S. R. Stevens, for 20 tons of coal, 100 00; James Steel, prothy and clk'g quartermasters, fees and furnishing stationary for the Court, &c., 117 78; Bridges.

A. Carmon, in full of bridge across Crooked creek, in Walker township, J. Entekin, on acct of bridge across Junata river, at Vandevander's, J. & O. Coplin, on acct of bridge across Raystown branch, near J. Entriken's, Same, on acct of bridge across Little Juniata river, at Gaysport, A. Stains, on acct of bridge across Aughwick creek, in Cromwell twp, John Robertson, on acct of bridge across Juniata river, at Drake's Ferry, and interest, 1,155 84; Wm. Taylor, in full of bridge across Raystown branch, near C. Snare's, Wm. Walker and J. Huyett, on acct of bridge at Alexandria, A. Carmon and B. Harris, on acct of bridge near Barree Forge, Porter Tp, D. Keech, on acct of bridge across Little Juniata river, near Daniel Brua's, in Frankstown twp, now Blair county, and interest, 193 62; T. E. Orison, repairing bridge across Black Log creek, Cromwell twp, Wm. Taylor, and John Robison, repairing bridge across Raystown branch, near Conrad Snare's, Sundry persons, refunded taxes and costs of lands sold at Treasurer's sale, 441 00; Sundry supervisors, road tax on unseated lands, 85 76; Sundry school treasurers, school tax on same, 50 44; Sundry persons for blank books for duplicates and assessments, land ledger, &c., &c., 17 25; John Cresswell, auditing the accounts of the proth'y, register & recorder, &c., for 1847, 78 08; H. K. Neff, for a sign for Treasurer's office, 16 50; Sundry persons, redemption money of lands sold at Treasurer's sale, 1 50; R. Kinkead, Esq., going to Bedford as Senatorial Return Judge, 128 78; Lewis Schneider, for making cases for Register's and Commrs' offices, 10 00; A. L. Smith, painting cases, 8 00; F. B. Wallace, postage, 9 94; Henry Myers, cutting fire wood, &c., Jacob Miller, Esq., recording Treasurer's bond, &c., 27 80; John Whitaker and John Marks, boarding Jurors, 2 38; Sundry persons, for repairs to Court House and Jail, candles, &c., 49 80

David Snare, Esq., costs of suits brought by the county before him, Isaac Neff, Treasurer, advertising lands, not sold by direction of Comms., 6 62; By Treasurer's commission, on \$23,991 87, at 1 1/2 per cent., 359 87; \$12,463 17

In testimony of the correctness of the above account, we have hereunto set our hands the 5th day of January, A. D. 1849. ROBERT CUMMINS, JOSHUA GREENLAND, WM. HUTCHINSON, Commissioners. Attest—J. SMYTH READ, Clerk.

We, the undersigned Auditors of Huntingdon County, do hereby certify, that we have examined the orders of the Commissioners of said county and the receipts of the same for the past year, and find a balance due the Treasurer of five hundred and seventy-four dollars and sixty cents.

Given under our hands this 5th day of January, A. D. 1849. JAMES GILLAM, WM. RAMSEY, L. G. KESSLER, Auditors.

**COUNTY TAX.**

Table with columns for name, amount, and date. Includes entries for List of outstanding balances due by the following collectors, viz: 1840. S. Robinson, Allegheny, \$406 33; 1846. Charles Cowden, Barree, 316 07; John Zentmyer, Franklin, 281 71; Samuel R. Boggs, Henderson, 12 59; Jacob Kough, Porter, 352 08; James Hampson, Union, 14 47; 1847. Lemuel Green, Cass, 17 46; Thomas W. Neely, Dublin, 20 00; J. H. Stonebraker, Franklin, 254 39; Wm. B. Smith, Jackson, 24 58; John Anderson, Penn, 90 79; Wm. Ramsey, Springfield, 4 48; George May, Tell, 100 94; 1848. John S. Miller, Barree, 477 08; Joseph L. King, Brady, 60 30; David J. Logan, Cromwell, 275 76; Conrad Curman, Cass, 41 39; Archibald McNeal, Clay, 99 59; William Harper, Dublin, 217 35; John Conrad, Franklin, 396 03; John Fleener, Henderson, 2 50; David S. Bell, Jackson, 478 66; Joseph Law, Morris, 560 50; William M. Garvey, Shirley, 626 38; Robert Madden, (of H.) Springfield, 110 14; Samuel Burdge, Tell, 85 82; Mordecai Chilcote, Tod, 217 14; Levi Smith, Union, 65 11; Vincent Stevens, Warriorsmark, 228 50; Samuel Ewing, West, 690 77; Peter Thompson, Walker, 150 14; \$6399 01

\*Since paid in full. †Since paid in part. ROBERT CUMMINS, JOSHUA GREENLAND, WM. HUTCHISON, Commissioners. Feb. 6, 1849.

**CHEAPER THAN EVER.**

If you want to get the worth of your money then buy from

**GEORGE GWIN,**

where you will find the largest, best, and cheapest assortment of Goods, that the town can produce; and that, too, at such low prices that all who purchase are fully satisfied at our motto is true. "A quick six-pence is better than a slow shilling." Huntingdon, Oct. 17, 1848.

**CITIZENS OF HUNTINGDON COUNTY, NOW'S YOUR TIME TO GET THE WORTH OF YOUR MONEY!**

**J. & W. SEXTON,**

Inform the public that they have received splendid and extensive assortment of all kinds of

**FALL & WINTER GOODS.**

which they are determined to sell at prices to suit all. They invite the public to call and examine their Goods. Huntingdon, Nov. 21, 1848.

**FALL AND WINTER GOODS, Great Reduction in Prices.**

**DORSEY & MAGUIRE,**

Have just received direct from the Eastern Cities, and are now opening a splendid assortment of

**NEW AND CHEAP GOODS,**

consisting of every variety of DRY-GOODS,

Suited to Ladies and Gentlemen's wear, including Cloths, Cassimers, Satinets, Vestings, Silks, Satins, Alpachas, Cashmires, De Laines, Plaids, Bombazines, Ginghams, alpines, Checks, Shawls, &c.

**READY-MADE CLOTHING.**

They would also invite attention to their stock of

**GROCERIES,**

Sugars—5, 6 and 8 cents per pound—Molasses, from 37 1/2 to 40 cents per gallon; and every other article usually kept in a Grocery Store, at equally low prices.

**Boots, Shoes, Hats and Caps,**

Hardware and Cutlery, Hya, Glass and Queensware, Drugs, Medicines, Dye Stuffs, &c. All of which will be sold at very reduced prices. The Ladies and Gentlemen are requested to call and examine these Goods, as they cannot fail to please all both as regards style and price.

**DORSEY & MAGUIRE,**

In the store room formerly occupied by Jacob Miller, opposite the residence of Judge Gwin, Huntingdon.

[All kinds of Country Produce taken in exchange for goods. [Sept. 26.

**Magnetic Telegraph Outdone!**

Likenesses taken in a "little less than no time." THE undersigned begs leave most respectfully to announce to the Ladies and Gentlemen of Huntingdon and vicinity, that he has procured an improved Daguerreotype Apparatus, which he has located at the Court House in this place, where he can be found at all times prepared to wait upon any of his friends who may favor him with a call. W. T. WILSON, Jan. 9, 1849.

**GREEN'S OXYGENATED BITTERS FOR THE CURE OF DYSPEPSIA, GENERAL DEBILITY, &c., &c., &c.**

MY DEAR MR. READ: If you have got DYSPEPSIA or ASTHMA or suffer from general debility, or any complaint resulting from derangement of the stomach. You would give a good deal to get well, would you not? Then just give a LITTLE and try Green's Oxygenated Bitters. It's just the thing for you. The Doctor discovered this medicine only after long and careful study—to cure a friend too—not to make money out of it. Look at the evidence of its efficacy and you will be satisfied.

Hon. MYRON LAWRENCE cured of ASTHMA. BELLEVILLE, March 16, 1848.

DR. GREENE—I take great pleasure in informing you of the effects of the medicine called "Oxygenated Bitters" you had the kindness to send me. For some twenty years I had suffered severely from humored Asthma. I was compelled to sit up one third of the night, without going to bed at all, and the rest of the time my sleep was interrupted by violent fits of coughing and great difficulty of breathing. In all my attendance upon our courts I never went to bed in Nottingham in twenty years but twice, and then was compelled to get up. Now I lie in bed without difficulty, and sleep sound. I took your medicine according to directions. The violent symptoms immediately abated, and perseverance in the use of the remedy has removed all its troublesome consequences. The value of such a remedy is incalculable and I hope its virtues may be widely diffused and its beneficent agency extensively employed.

**DYSPEPSIA CURED.**

CARLISLE, Pa. June 10, 1848. Messrs. Collier & Bro. Gentleman—in reply to your note as to the effect of the Oxygenated Bitters in my case I would say, that I have been afflicted with Dyspepsia about six years, and have tried many known remedies, but obtained no relief until a friend recommended the Oxygenated Bitters. I was finally induced to procure two bottles of you, and I had not taken half a bottle before I felt its effects upon my system, and after the use of the second bottle, I found myself in a state of health as unexpected as it was gratifying. To the afflicted I have no hesitation in recommending the Bitters, as superior to any medicine I have ever heard of for the cure of Dyspepsia. Very Respectfully yours, MADSON M. LEWIS.

**The following Certificates have recently been received:**

W. LANSFORD, D. C., June 10, 1848. Having made use of the "Oxygenated Bitters" prepared by Dr. Geo. B. Green, of Windsor, Vt., and from knowledge obtained of their efficacy in other cases, we cheerfully recommend them to the public, believing that they will fully sustain the recommendation of the Proprietor. We hope that this valuable remedy may be so generally diffused throughout the country that it may be accessible to all the afflicted. SAMUEL PHELPS, } U. S. Senators from Wm. UPHAM, } Vermont. JAMES F. SIMMONS, U. S. Senator from Rhode Island. J. T. MOREHEAD, U. S. Senator and formerly Governor of Kentucky. L. H. ARNOLD, Member of Congress and formerly Governor of R. I. Wm. WOODBRIDGE, U. S. Senator and formerly Governor of Michigan. M. L. MARTIN, Delegate in Congress from Wisconsin Territory. From the Hon. SOLOMON FOOT, Member of Congress from Vermont. GREEN & FLAGLER, General Agents, No. 26, South 10th St. Philadelphia. Sold wholesale and retail by THOMAS READ & SON, Huntingdon, Pa. Price—\$1.00 per bottle; six bottles for \$5.00. August 15, 1848.

**WASHINGTON HOUSE,**

HARRISBURG, PENNSYLVANIA. This popular house has recently undergone a thorough repair, and been furnished with entire new furniture, of the best quality. Members of the Legislature and others, visiting the Seat of Government, will find it a very desirable stopping place. Charges moderate. W. M. T. SANDERS, Agent. H. Julyarisburg, 14, 1848—6m.

**FALL AND WINTER FASHIONS!!**

Clothing for Men and Boys.

**A. WILLOUGHBY,**

Has received at his old Stand in Main Street, Huntingdon, a new, and large assortment of Clothing, READY-MADE,

of all sizes to suit men and boys, consisting of the most fashionable Dress Coats, Pantaloons and Ties, made of the best and finest Cloths, Cassimers, and Casintines. And an equal assortment of plain and substantial materials, suited for the every day business of all classes. He has a FULL ASSORTMENT of every size and kind, and he will sell

as Cheap as the Cheapest. He only wants a small living profit; and he invites all who wish to purchase to see his Goods, before purchasing elsewhere.

Tailoring is his trade, and he knows what he says when he says he can accommodate all who call, on terms to suit. He also continues

THE TAYLORING BUSINESS, and has an extensive assortment of Cloths, Casintines, Casintines and Vestings, which he will sell and make up to suit any and every body, cheap and well. He is determined to leave

No Room for Grumbling! sept 19, 1848.

**JUST ARRIVED.**

A SPLENDID assortment of American Cottage, Cast Iron, Air Tight, Parlor, Coal and wood Stoves, Russia Iron Stoves, Fancy 6 Plate, Parlor Radiators, &c., &c., for sale by

**J. & W. SEXTON.**