

L. Martin and the Lawyer.

We heard an anecdote of this distinguished lawyer a few days ago, which we remember to have met with in print, but which is so good that it will do to tell again.

Martin was on one occasion riding to Annapolis, in a stage coach, in which was a solitary companion, a young lawyer just commencing the practice of law. After some familiar conversation the young lawyer said:

"Sir, you have been remarkably successful in your profession—few men have gained so many cases—will you be good enough to communicate to me, a beginner, the secret of your wonderful success?"

"I'll do it, young man on one condition, and that is that you defray my expenses during my stay of a few days at Annapolis."

"Willingly," replied the young man, hoping thereby to profit greatly by the communication.

"The secret of my success," said Martin, "may be discovered in this advice which I now give you: *Deny everything and insist upon proof.*"

On reaching Annapolis, Luther Martin was not very self-denying in the enjoyment presented by a fine hotel; and the substantial and general refreshments were despatched in a manner quite gratifying to the host. The time for return at length came. The young man and Martin stood together at the bar, and demanded their respective bills.

Martin's was enormous, but on glancing at it, he quietly handed it to the young lawyer, who running his eye over lazily, returned it with the utmost gravity.

"Don't you intend to pay it?"

"Pay what?" said the young lawyer.

"Why, pay this bill. Did you not promise on the route downward, that you would defray my expenses at the hotel?"

"My dear sir," said the young gentleman, "I deny everything, and insist upon proof."

Martin at once saw that he was caught and eyeing his young friend a moment or two, he said, pleasantly, "You don't need any counsel from me, young man; you don't need any counsel from me."

Counsel to the Young.

Resolve to form your life upon some certain principles, and regulate your principles by fixed rules. Man was made to be governed by reason, and not by mere accident or caprice. It is important therefore that you begin early to consider and inquire what is the proper course, and form some plan for your future lives. The want of such consideration is manifest in the conduct of multitudes. They are governed by the impulse of the moment, reckless of the consequences. They have fixed no steady aim, and have no certain principles of action. Living thus at random, it would be a miracle if they went uniformly right. In order to your pursuing the right path, you must know what it is and to acquire this knowledge you must divest yourselves of thoughtless giddiness; you must take time for serious reflection. It will not always do to adopt the recommendation of those who may be about you; for they may have a sinister regard to you; or may themselves be misled by error or prejudice. Persons already involved in dissipation or entangled in error, naturally desire to keep themselves in countenance by the number of followers whom they can seduce into their path in vice. As reasonable creatures, therefore, judge for yourselves what course is right and fitting that you should pursue. Exercise your own reason independently and impartially, and give not yourself up to be governed by mere caprice and fashion, or by the opinions of others.

A DREADFUL CRIME.—The Westchester Village Record says that a man living in North Coventry township, near the Schuylkill river, was brought to the jail at West Chester, last week, charged with beating his wife so unmercifully that she died. It appears that the man and wife were both addicted to intoxication, and were furnished by some persons in the neighborhood, with means of gratifying their propensity for drink. On Sunday, the 6th inst., they were both in a state of inebriety, and the husband in a fit of passion, beat his wife until she was insensible. In this condition she was discovered by a neighbor. The man displayed no signs of humanity or contrition; but even after his arrest treated his wife with brutal indignity. He acknowledged that he had inflicted the injury, said he was willing to be punished, and desired the neighbors to lynch him on the spot. He has been committed to await his trial at the July term. The woman died on Monday.

THE BOY AND NETTLE.—A boy playing in a field chanced to be stung by a nettle, and came crying to his father.—He told him that he had been hurt by that nasty plant several times before; that he was always afraid of it; and that now, though he did but just touch it, yet he was most severely stung. "Child," said he, "your touching it so gently and timidly is the very reason of its hurting you. A nettle may be handled safely, if you do it with courage and resolution; if you seize it boldly and hold it fast, be assured it will never sting you; and so it is with many things in the world;—if we grapple boldly with them we shall come off unhurt."

A Beautiful Allegory.

Mr. Crittenden was engaged in defending a man who had been indicted for a capital offence. After an elaborate and powerful defence, he closed his effort by the following striking and beautiful allegory:

"When God, in His eternal counsel, conceived the thought of man's creation He called to him the three Ministers who wait constantly upon His Throne—Justice, Truth and Mercy; and thus addressed them; 'Shall We make man?' Then said Justice, 'Oh, God, make him not; for he will trample upon thy laws.'—Truth made answer also, 'Oh, God! make him not, for he will pollute thy sanctuaries.' But Mercy, dropping upon her knees, and looking up through her tears exclaimed, 'Oh, God! make him; I will watch over him with my care, through all the dark paths which he may have to tread.' Then God made man, and said to him, 'Oh, man! thou art the child of Mercy; go and deal with thy brother.'"

The jury when he finished, was drowned in tears, and against evidence and what must have been their own convictions, brought in a speedy verdict of not guilty.

THOMAS READ, JR.
DEALER IN
**Gold and Silver Watches,
Jewelry, &c.**
No. 55 North Third Street, below Arch,
PHILADELPHIA.
Watches and Jewelry of every description neatly repaired and warranted.

His friends and the public generally, visiting Philadelphia, are invited to give him a call, as he feels confident that he can furnish articles in his line of such quality and price as will give universal satisfaction.—The trade will be supplied with Watches, Jewelry, &c., as cheap as they can be procured elsewhere.

Philadelphia, April 23, 1850.

**Greatest Variety in Town at the
GENERAL DEPOT,**

LOUIS SCHNEIDER

HAS just laid in a very heavy stock of all kinds of GROCERIES and CONFECTIONARIES, &c., which he invites his old customers and the public generally to examine. His stock of Goods is very large, consisting of every variety to suit the wants of the people.

Huntingdon, April 23d, 1850.

All Kinds of Groceries.

COFFEE, Teas, Sugars, Molasses, Chocolate, &c. fresh supply just received at SCHNEIDER'S General Depot.

Confectionary.

A GREAT variety of choice Confectionary for sale at SCHNEIDER'S.

Fresh Bread and Cakes

OF all kinds always on hand at the Bakery of LOUIS SCHNEIDER.

Sperm and Tallow Candles, and Soap

ON hand and for sale at SCHNEIDER'S General Depot.

Superior Brand Segars

OF various kinds just received and for sale at LOUIS SCHNEIDER'S.

Spices of all Kinds

FOR sale at SCHNEIDER'S Grocery and Confectionary.

Cheese and Crackers

FOR sale at SCHNEIDER'S Confectionary and Grocery Depot.

Raisins at 12 1/2 cts. per pound.

A GOOD article of Raisins at 12 1/2 cts. per lb. for sale at SCHNEIDER'S.

VINEGAR.

A SUPERIOR article of Vinegar for sale at SCHNEIDER'S.

Fluid, and Fluid Lamps.

SUPERIOR Fluid, and Fluid Lamps received and for sale by LOUIS SCHNEIDER.

BRANDY.—Superior Brandy, in bottles, for sale by LOUIS SCHNEIDER.

WINE.—Port and Madeira Wine, of superior quality, in bottles, for sale by LOUIS SCHNEIDER.

Fruit and Nuts

Of all kinds, for sale at SCHNEIDER'S.

SOMETHING NEW!

John Marks in the Field.

The subscriber has opened a very neat GROCERY and CONFECTIONARY in the East end of the Exchange Hotel, Market Square, Huntingdon, in the room formerly occupied by Neff and Miller as a Jewelry Store, where articles in his line can be had cheap for cash or country produce. His stock consists of

Coffee of different qualities,
Tea, Young Hyson, Imperial and Black,
Sugar, from 64 to 11 cts per lb.
Chocolate, Sweet Spiced,
Tobacco, Snuff and Segars.

Corn brooms and Whitewash Brushes,
Best Table and Baking Molasses,
Soap, Fancy and Rosin,
Candles, Mould and Sperm.

Rice and Starch,
Twine and Candle Wick,
Congress Lemon and Oranges,
Fancy and side Combs,
Bath Brick,

Table Salt, and a general assortment of CAKES,
RAISINS, NUTS and CANDIES, all of which I am prepared to sell at a very small profit.

JOHN MARKS.

April 23d, 1850.—3m.

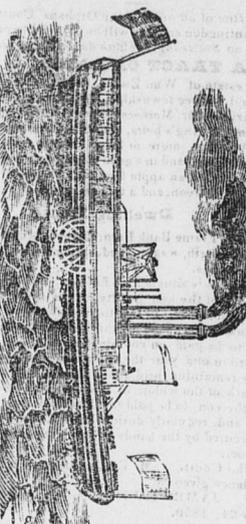
MACKERAL, SHAD, CODFISH, SALMON, HERRINGS, PORK, HAMS and SIDES, SHOULDERS, LARD & CHEESE,

Constantly on hand and for sale by
J. PALMER & Co.,
Market Street Wharf,
PHILADELPHIA.

March 26, 1850.—3m.

MINERAL WATER, of a superior quality, at Marks' Confectionary. [May 21.]

**Snare's
LAST FAST CLOTHING LINE.**



B. & W. SNARE,

Have just received and are now opening a well selected and mammoth assortment of

Spring and Summer Clothing, for men and boys, consisting of every thing usually kept in clothing stores, and a variety of fancy articles unusually kept in them. Our stock is superior to any other ever brought to Huntingdon, and is not inferior to any other ever brought from Philadelphia and Pittsburg.

Presuming it unnecessary to enumerate a long list of low prices, as the establishment has been long and favorably known as the house for selling cheap and fashionable clothing.

H. & W. SNARE.

March 25, 1850.—3m.

Encourage Your Own Mechanics.

Saddle and Harness manufactory.

WILLIAM GLASGOW

WOULD respectfully inform his friends and the public at large, that he continues the above business in Main street, Huntingdon, nearly opposite the store of Read & Son.

All kinds of HARNESS, and SADDLES of a superior kind, BRIDLES, in short, every thing in his line of business, will be manufactured on the shortest notice, of the best materials, and as cheap, if not cheaper, than can be had at any other establishment in the county.

He is thankful for the liberal patronage already extended to him, and hopes by strict attention to business to receive a continuance of public favor.

OF a large assortment of SADDLES READY MADE, always on hand, and made in superior style.

OF Hides, and country produce generally, taken in exchange for work.

March 5, 1850.

**Huntingdon
Book and Stationary Depot.**

THE subscriber respectfully informs the citizens of Huntingdon and its vicinity, that he has commenced business in the store formerly occupied by I. Dorland, opposite Court's Hotel, and having made arrangements with the Philadelphia Merchants to have constantly on hand, upon commission, the following general assortment of

BLANK BOOK, consisting of Ledgers, Day Books, receipt, pass books and Justice Dockets. Also—every description of writing and deed paper, white and colored pasteboard, plain and perforated Bristol board, tissue paper, &c.

BLANK DEEDS &c., Black, blue and red-inks, ink powder, quills, wafers, inkstands, steel pens, sand and sand boxes, lead pencils, indian rubber, water colors, slates and slate pencils.

SCHOOL BOOKS, of every description, of late editions kept constantly on hand.

LARGE FAMILY BIBLES, Pocket Bibles and Testaments, Hymn and Psalm Books, Prayer Books, &c.

Fancy Note Paper and Envelops, of every variety, Albums, portfolios, pocketbooks, annuals, fancy boxes, wafers and sealing wax, visiting cards, bead purses, penknives and every variety of fancy goods.

PERFUMERY, consisting of extracts for the Handkerchief, Soap, Shaving Cream, Cologne, &c. Also—Cigars of the choicest brands, Chewing tobacco, &c.

HORACE W. SMITH.

March 26, 1850.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration have been granted to the undersigned, upon the estate of LEONARD STEFFEY, late of Barree township, Huntingdon county, deceased. All persons knowing themselves indebted, are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims, will present them properly authenticated to

SAMUEL STEFFEY, Jackson township.
ADAM STEFFEY, Barree township.
May 7, 1850.—6.

Musical Instruments.

VIOLINS, flutes, guitars, flageols, accordions, banjos, and musical boxes, for sale by NEFF & MILLER.

April 2, 1850.

A FINE assortment of Rousset's and Huel's perfumery, for sale by NEFF & MILLER.

April 2, 1850.

A N assortment of Pittsburg Glassware just received by J. & W. SAXTON.

May 7, 1850.

COFFEE at 12 cents.—An excellent article just received and for sale at J. & W. SAXTON'S store. [May 7, 1850.]

**THE GREAT CHINA STORE
OF PHILADELPHIA.**

THANKFUL to the citizens of Huntingdon and its vicinity for their increased custom, we again request their company to view our large and splendid assortment of

CHINA, GLASS AND QUEENSWARE
Dinner Sets, Tea Sets, Toilet Sets, and single pieces, either of Glass, China, or Stone Ware, sold in quantities to suit purchasers, for less than they can be had elsewhere—

IN FACT AT LESS THAN WHOLESALE PRICES.

**AMERICAN AND ENGLISH
BRITANNIA METAL GOODS**

In greater variety than ever before offered in the city.

FANCY CHINA in great variety very cheap. We would invite any person visiting the city to call and see us—they will at least be pleased to walk around our beautiful store, and to view the finest china and the cheapest the world produces.

Very respectfully,
TYNDALE & MITCHELL,
No. 219 Chestnut Street.
Phila. Sep. 25, 1849.—1y.

CITY HOTEL
41 & 43
NORTH THIRD STREET,
PHILADELPHIA.

A. H. HIRST

Would respectfully inform his friends and the travelling public generally, that he has leased the above large and well known Hotel. The location is one of the very best for business men in Philadelphia, and he flatters himself that by giving his entire attention, that he will be able to render perfect satisfaction to all who may favor him with their custom.

He returns thanks for the very liberal support already extended to him by his friends of Huntingdon and the neighboring counties, and begs leave to assure them that he will spare no pains or expense to render the CITY HOTEL worthy of their continued support.

Philadelphia, Oct. 30, 1849.—1y.

REMOVAL.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

T. K. SIMONTON

WOULD respectfully announce to his old customers, and every body else, that he has removed his store from his old stand, to the room a few doors below, on the same side of the street, and but two doors from William Dorris' Store. In addition to his old stock, he has just received an elegant assortment of

NEW GOODS, which he is prepared to sell as cheap, if not a little cheaper, than can be procured elsewhere. His stock consists of

**Dry-Goods, Groceries, Hardware,
Drugs, &c., &c.**

Thankful for past favors he would respectfully solicit a continuance of public favor. It will always give him pleasure to use his utmost exertions to render satisfaction to those who may deal with him.

Feb. 19, 1850.

E. C. SUMMERS. J. N. BALL.

New Arrangement.

CARRIAGE & WAGON MANUFACTORY.

Summers & Ball,

WOULD respectfully inform the public that they have purchased from Henry Smith, his tools, stock, &c., belonging to the above department of his business, and that they will carry on for the present, in all its various branches, in the shop heretofore occupied by Mr. Smith. They are prepared to execute all orders in their line on the shortest notice and most reasonable terms.

**Carriages, Buggies, Wagons, Sleighs,
Carts, Wheelbarrows, &c.,** made to order, of the best materials, and at reasonable prices.

Repairing of all kinds of vehicles, done on the shortest notice.

Those wanting neat, cheap and durable articles in their line of business, are respectfully requested to give them a call.

Feb. 26, 1850.

M. & J. M. ROWE.

63 North Third Street, above Arch,
PHILADELPHIA.

I500
Doz. Corn Brooms,
500 doz. Painted Buckets;
500 nests Willow Market Baskets;
600 " Cedar Tubs;
800 Staff and Barrel Churns;

together with the largest stock of Willow, Cedar and Eastern Woodware ever offered in the city. N. B. Cash paid at all times for broom corn at our factory.

Feb. 26, 1850.

CROMELIEN & BROTHER,
Commission Merchants,

IMPORTERS OF
**FOREIGN WINES,
COGNAC BRANDIES, HOLLAND
GIN,**

AND DEALERS IN
Teas, Segars, &c.
No. 11 Walnut Street,
PHILADELPHIA.

Consignments of Western and Southern Produce solicited.

June 12, 1849.

CARRIAGES AND BUGGIES.

THE undersigned, having lately dissolved the partnership existing between them, have still on hand a number of CARRIAGES and BUGGIES of superior finish, which they wish to dispose of, to which they respectfully invite the attention of purchasers. Any person needing a Carriage or Buggy should give them a call as they will sell on the most reasonable terms.

ADAMS & BOAT.
March 19, 1850.

PRIVATE SCHOOL,
FOR the Intellectual and Moral training of young persons and children of both sexes, kept by J. A. HALL, in the new Academy building, Huntingdon, Pa.

The Spring session will commence on MONDAY, the 22d Day of APRIL next. For particulars apply to the Teacher.

J. A. HALL.

REFERENCES.
Rev. J. Moore, A. P. Wilson, J. S. Stewart, R. M. Aisher, Esq; Messrs. D. McMurrie, W. B. Zeigler and J. N. Prowell; Judge Gwin, Hon. George Taylor, Col. James Clark and Dr. M. A. Henderson.

April 2d, 1850.

SARSAPARILLA, a fine article, for sale at Marks' Confectionary. [May 21.]

**Chair and Furniture
Ware-Rooms!**

Up Stairs above Peter Swoope's Store and Sheriff Crowmover's office, and three doors east of McKinney's Hotel.

THE undersigned has again commenced the above business in all its various branches, and is now prepared to accommodate all who may favor him with their custom on the most reasonable terms.

He intends keeping on hand all kinds of CHAIRS and FURNITURE, from common to the most fashionable style, and made in the most durable manner, which he will sell low for cash or Country produce.

All kinds of Lumber taken in exchange for Chairs or furniture.

COFFINS will at all times be kept on hand, and funerals attended in town, and shortly in town and country, as he is getting a splendid hearse made for the accommodation of the public.

HOUSES AND SIX PAINTING attended to as heretofore.

THOS. ADAMS.
Huntingdon, October 30, 1849.

OFFICE

**For the Purchase and Sale of
REAL ESTATE.**

THE undersigned, believing that an Agency of this character would be an accommodation and an advantage to both the purchaser and seller of Real Estate, has concluded to open one at his office in Huntingdon.

All business of this kind entrusted to him, and all communications sent to him, will receive his prompt and diligent attention. He will advertise when requested, either in his own name or in the name of the owner, as may be desirable, in one or both of the newspapers of the county, and by any other means that may be designated, and endeavor to procure purchasers and sellers, and communicate between them.

A full and minute description of the property—its improvements, supply of water, convenience to markets, schools, churches, and the terms of sale, must accompany the request of any person who wishes his real estate advertised or offered for sale; and some description, as definite as possible, of the quality, kind and value, of the premises desired to be bought, must be given by those who wish to purchase.

All communications relating to the business of this Agency will be confidential if desired.

The subscriber is in communication with a similar agency in Lancaster, Pa., and will be able through it to bring property offered for sale to the immediate notice of Lancaster county purchasers.

Postage must be paid on all letters sent. Several desirable properties are now offered for sale. For further particulars inquire of the subscriber. DAVID BLAIR,
Attorney at Law.

Huntingdon, Pa., Nov. 20, 1849.

**Wholesale and Retail
CLOCK STORE.**

No. 238 Market St., above Seventh, South side,
PHILADELPHIA.

ALTHOUGH we can scarcely estimate the value of this stock commercially, yet by calling at the above establishment, JAMES BARNER will furnish his friends, among whom he includes all who duly appreciate its fitness, with a beautiful and perfect INDEX for marking its progress, of whose value they can judge.

His extensive stock on hand, constantly changing in conformity to the improvements in taste and style of pattern and workmanship, consists of Eight-day and Thirty-hour brass COUNTING-HOUSE, PARLOR, HALL, CHURCH and ALARM CLOCKS, French, Gothic and other fancy styles, as well as plain, which from his extensive connection and correspondence with the manufacturers he finds he can put at the LOWEST CASH PRICE in any quantity from one to a thousand, of which he will warrant the accuracy.

Clocks repaired and warranted—clock trimmings hand. Call and see me among them. JAMES BARNER, 238 Market St. Phila., August 28, 1849.

**CENTRAL
CLOTHING DEPOT.**

JACOB SNYDER

Respectfully informs the public that he has removed his establishment to the room recently occupied by T. K. Simonton, opposite the store of T. Read & Son, where, in addition to his former stock, he has just received the most elegant assortment of

Clothing for Men and Boys ever brought to the borough of Huntingdon! His stock consists in part of Dress and Frock COATS, a variety of PANTS and VESTS, of every quality and price; Shirts, flannel shirts and drawers, cravats, &c. &c.

Having considerable knowledge of the wants of the People, and being experienced in the quality and make of Clothing, he can confidently assure the public that the material is not only good but that his stock of clothing is well made up, in the most fashionable style. Having purchased low, he is determined to sell at such prices as will cause the people generally to hail his store as the

Cheap Clothing Depot!

Every body, in town and country, are invited to call and examine his truly

SUPERIOR GOODS.

N. B.—Clothing will be made up for customers as heretofore, in the best style and shortest notice.

Huntingdon, April 9, 1850.

GARD.

WE take this method of informing our friends and the public generally, that owing to an increase of business we have removed our

Watch, Jewelry, and Variety Store, to the large room on the corner of Hill and

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