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THE EAST END.
Gentlemen and Ladies' Boot & Shoe Store.
BENJAMIN THOMPSON,

WOULD inform the citizens of Bridgeton and the surrounding country that he is still at the trade that he commenced learning in this place the day after Bridgeton was illuminated for peace, (1815), and has taken of Mr. Samuel Reeves his old established Boot & Shoe Stand, next door to Daniel Fithian's store. Being farthest east on Commerce street of any in the trade, I name it the

East End Boot and Shoe Store,

and as the sun rises in the east to enlighten and advance the day, so will I endeavor to enlighten my fellow-citizens where they can buy the cheapest and best Boots & Shoes, such as I made for many of you 27 years ago, while some of you were children, who are now heads of families & strangers to me and feeling an interest in your welfare, I respectfully invite you to call and see me, that we may renew our acquaintance, and if you are in want of either Boots or Shoes, I would like to sell you, if I have the article on hand that will suit you, if not, I can measure and make to suit your fancy, at the shortest notice. My stock on hand consists of men's fine calf skin Boots, good quality, and 20 per cent. cheaper than I could make for the money now; fine kip of the same stamp, and others at a less price, but not so cheap; men's French calf, patent leather, and drab cloth top Gaiters, and a general assortment of men and boy's patent leather and calf skin gaiters. Prince Albert half Gaiters for men, and Queen Victoria for the ladies, and a fine assortment of children's Boots and Gaiters of different sizes and colors. Some of my work was made rather farther east than I am, and the brethren of the craft down there understand how to make both good work and poor work, and I understand how to discriminate & inform my customers which to buy. Having had forty-two years' experience, I know what good stock is & when & how it should be made in good Boots or shoes; to prove this try me, & if I should be mistaken, I will make all right.

N. B.—Being a little hard of hearing, you will have to speak louder if you ask for credit, but if cash is talked of, my hearing is better, which makes it more pleasant for both parties, therefore I have invariably made my terms Cash on delivery of the goods, & I will put the price so as to make the inducement to pay the day taken.

P. S.—Mending and repairing of all kinds done at short notice and as cheap as the price of stock will admit of. May 9, 1857–3m.

BRIDGETON PACKET.

THE packet sloop NILE, Capt. David P. Mulford, will continue to make regular trips between Bridgeton and Philadelphia, leaving the former place on Tuesday, and first wharf below Arch st., Philadelphia, on Friday at 4 o'clock, p. m., of each week. For information respecting freight, &c., apply to the Captain on board, or R. G. Brewster, Bridgeton. mar.21.

THE PACKET SLOOP MAIL,
Capt. David Blew,

WILL run as heretofore, a regular packet between Bridgeton & Philadelphia, for the accommodation of farmers and others; leaving Bridgeton on Saturdays, and upper side of Arch street wharf, on Wednesdays at 12 o'clock, (noon), giving farmers every opportunity for getting their produce to market in good order and in short time. Freights landed at Buena Vista and Greenwich, if required.

All kinds of business executed with despatch and prompt returns given. For returns and other information, call upon the Captain on board, or N. K. Young. DAVID BLEW.
Bridgeton, March 14, 1857–tf.

D. F. WOODRUFF,
House and Sign Painter and Grainer.
COMMERCE STREET,
Over Thomson & Fithian's Clothing Store,
BRIDGETON.
Bridgeton, July 12.

Henry Neff.
SURGEON DENTIST.

COMMERCE St., a few doors east of the Presbyterian Session Room and directly opposite the new Baptist Church, still continues to practice Dentistry in all its various departments.
Bridgeton, June 27, '57.

SILKS.

PLAIN Black, Moire Antiques & Watered silks, also India, and other fancy silks, suitable for the season, and Moire ribbon for guards, one piece superior quality. A new style of Card and Tassels for ladies' Wrappers, with a variety of other articles too numerous to mention. Please call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere. TAYLOR & NEWKIRK.
Bridgeton, Mar. 14, '57.tf opposite P. O.

SPRING GOODS.

JUST received at Taylor & Newkirk's, opposite the Post Office, a fresh supply of Spring goods consisting of Delaine, Challi and Duncals, the latter a new and beautiful article for dresses

Trimmings.

A new style of Fringes & Moire Antiques, also an entirely new variety of trimming for dresses.
at TAYLOR & NEWKIRK'S.
Bridgeton, March 14, 1857.

WALL PAPER.

YOU will find a new and handsome assortment of Wall Paper, of various styles, patterns, and prices at the new store in
PROSPERITY ROW,
A few doors west of the bridge. Also, Paints, paint oils, varnishes, paint brushes, carriage trimmings, and brushes of various kinds.
☞ A great variety of Fancy articles constantly on hand at prices to suit the times.
BENJAMIN T. WARE.
Bridgeton, March 13, 1857.

D. H. SMOCK. J. R. HOAGLAND.
SMOCK & HOAGLAND,
Attorneys at Law and Solicitors in Chancery,
BRIDGETON, N. J.
Office in the brick building S. W. corner of Commerce and Pearl sts. Mar. 7, 57–tf.

Geo. W. H. Whitaker,
SURGEON DENTIST!

OFFICE—Commerce Street, four doors East of Pearl, opposite Presbyterian Session House. March 28, 1857.

BLACK MOHAIR MITS.

BLK. mohair mits, a large and complete assortment of all sizes and prices. Ladies' worked collars, edgings and insertings &c., for sale cheap by
May 30, '57. STRATTON & HARRIS.

Farmers and Citizens.

The subscriber having located himself at old No. 22, new No. 47 north wharves, Philadelphia, where he intends to sell country produce on commission, all consignments will be attended to by the subscriber. As the subscriber has facilities for disposing of produce surpassed by none, consigners can depend upon always receiving the highest market price.

N. B. The subscriber is a wholesale and retail dealer in

Apples,	Dried Apples,	Onions,	Oranges,
Potatoes,	Dried Peaches,	Jers'y Lard,	Lemons,
Turnips,	Ground Nuts,	Butter,	Almonds,
Figs,	Cranberries,	Beans,	Eggs,
Raisins,	Pine Apples,	Segars,	Chestnuts,
Cocoanuts,	Shellbarks	Walnuts,	Prunes, &c

JOHN D. GARDINER.
Aug. 1, '57.-3mo

Harbert's Sup. Tooth Powder.

THIS article, which is meeting with unusual favor, is for sale by storekeepers generally, and by J. D. HARBERT,
Jy 18 [14 East Commerce st., Bridgeton, N. J.

MOLASSES.

NEW crop New Orleans Molasses just received at DANIEL FITHIAN'S.

Choice Poetry.

For the West Jersey Pioneer.

REPLY TO MICHAEL DUTCHSHAVEM.

BY "A POOR MAN."

Said Michael attempted to get up some rhyme,
And bring mysteries forth from the dark;
But part of his lay is of "Old Mother Hubbard,"
And part about "Mungo Park."

Now, 'spose to unfold a mystery I try,
And produce "something rare for the Press;"
Before I get through, Dutchshavem will wish
He hadn't wrote poetry—I guess.

For tis said a rose will smell as sweet
By any other name;
So I conclude that Michael D.,
And "El Dad" are the same.

"Hear-say" and "Gossip" I'll pass by,
For what they each will bring;
And Michael, while his wife "prepares
The corn," of them can sing.

"About a neighbor's cow" I've said
All that I have to say;
The tale "about said Alfred's sow,"
Has also had its day.

Well, 'spose that cow to be your "marm,"
'Tis surely "all the same,"
Now that the "calf" at last is born,
And "El-Dad" is its name!

I never named the "eggs" before,
But since "they've come in "use,"
It may be well to say they've hatched,
And "Israel" is the "goose"!

Then "crack your jokes," "Dutchshavem," do
Give us more "Mungo Park;"
But let me tell you, all your squibs
Are fired in the DARK!

Friend Davy's not my dad-in-law;
My name is not "J. R.";
But when you stir "A Poor Man" up,
You'll always find me "thar."

Red School House, Sept. 13, 1857.

ORIGINAL.

Selected for the West Jersey Pioneer.

THE SILVER TANKARD.

The following remarkable narrative may appear at first sight, too much like a tale for our columns. The writer has, undoubtedly, cast it in as pleasing a shape as he could devise; nevertheless his own declaration as to its authenticity appears conclusive; and the facility with which the "coloring" of fancy may be separated from the historical facts, (indubitable by their internal evidence) has determined us to share with our readers the pleasure of perusing it. These are the words of the narration:—

"I have told the story more at length, and interwoven some unimportant circumstances, but it is before you substantially as it was related to me.

The main incidents are true, though doubtless, as the story has been handed down from generation to generation, it has been colored by the imagination. The Silver Tankard, as an heir born, has descended in the family, the property of the daughter Mehetabel, and is now in the possession of the lady of a clergyman in Massachusetts.

On the slope of land opening itself to the south in a thickly settled town in the state of Maine, some hundred and more years ago, stood a farm-house, to which the epithet of "comfortable" might be applied. The old forest came down to the back of it, in front were cultivated fields beyond which was ground partially cleared, full of pine stumps, and here and there, standing erect, the giant trunks of trees which the fire had scorched and blackened, though it had failed to overthrow them. The house stood at the very verge of the settlement, so that from it no cottage could be seen; the nearest neighbor was distant six miles.

Daniel Gordon, the owner and occupant of the premises we have described, had chosen this valley in the wilderness, a wide rich tract of land, not only as his home, but prospectively, as the home of his children and his children's children. He was willing to be far off from men, that his children might have room to settle around him. He was looked upon as the rich man of the district, well known over all that part of the country. His house was completely furnished and large for the times, having two stories in front and one behind, with a long sloping roof; it seemed as if it leaned to the south to offer its back to the cold winds from the northern mountains. It was full of the comforts of life, the furniture even a little showy for a puritan; when the table was set, to use the Yankee phrase, "considerable" silver plate, among which a large tankard stood pre-eminent. The silver had been the property of his father, and was brought over from the mother country.

Now, we go back to this pleasant valley as it was in a bright and beautiful morning in the month of June. It was Sunday, and though early, the two sons of Daniel G., and the hired man, had gone to meeting on foot, down to the "Landing," a little village on the banks of the river, ten miles distant.—Daniel himself was standing at the door with his he[illegible], and wanting for his goo[illegible] who [illegible] been somewhat detained; for ev[illegible] then, in these primitive ages, the women would be a little backward, for the last word or the last housekeeping duty. He was standing on the door step enjoying the freshness of the morning, with a little pride in his heart perhaps, as he cast his eye over the extent of his possessions spread out before him. At that instant a neighbor of six miles distant, rode up on horseback, and beckoned to him from the gate of the inclosure around the house.

"Good morning, neighbor Gordon," said he "I have come out of my way in going to meeting, to tell you that Tom Smith, that daring thief, and two others, have been prowling about in these parts, and that you had better look out, lest you have a visit. I have got nothing in my house to bring them there, but they may be after the silver tankard and silver spoons. I have often told you these things were not fit for these new parts. Tom is a bold fellow, but I suppose the fewer he meets when he goes to steal, the better. I don't think it safe for you all to go to meeting to-day; but I am in a hurry, neighbor, so good bye.

This communication placed our friend Daniel in an unpleasant dilemma.

It had been settled that no one was to be left at home but his daughter Mehetabel, a beautiful girl, about nine years old. Shall I go or stay was the question. Daniel was a puritan; he had strict notions of the duty of worshipping God in His temple, and he had faith that God would bless him only as he did his duty; but then he was a father, and his little Hetty was the light and joy of his eyes.

But these puritans were stern and unflinching. He soon settled the point. "I won't even take Hetty with me, for it will make her cowardly. The thieves may not come; neighbor Perkins may be mistaken; and if they do come to my house, they will not hurt that child. At any rate, she is in God's hands, and we will go to worship Him, who never forsakes those who put their trust in Him"

As he settled this, the girls and the mother came out; the mother stepped into the chaise; the father after her, saying to the child, "If any strangers come, Hetty, treat them well. We can spare of our abundance to feed the poor. What is silver or gold when we think of God's word!" With these words he drove off a troubled man in spite of his religious trust, because he left his daughter in the wilderness. Hetty, as the daughter of a Puritan, was strictly brought up.—She knew she ought to return to the house, but nature this once at least got the better of her training. "No harm" thought she "for me to see the brood of chickens." Nor did she, when she had given them water, go into the house, but loitered and lingered, hearing the robin sing, and following with her eye the bobolincoln as he flitted from shrub to shrub. She passed almost an hour out of the house, because she did not want to be alone, and she did not feel alone when she was out among the birds, and was gathering here and there a wild flower. But at last she went in, took her bible, and seated herself at the window, sometimes reading, and sometimes looking out. As she was seated there, she saw three men coming towards the house, and she was right glad to see them; for she felt lonely and there was a dreary long day before her. "Father" thought she "meant something when he told me to be kind to strangers! I suppose he expected them. I wonder what keeps them all from meeting. Never mind; they shall see that I can do something for them, if I am little Hetty." So putting down the bible, she ran to meet them, confiding and even glad that they had come; and without waiting for them to speak, she called them to come in with her, and said "I am all alone; if mother was here she would do more for you, but I will do all I can;" and all this with a frank, loving heart, glad to do good to others, and glad to please her father whose last words were, to spare of their abundance to the weary traveller.—Smith and his two companions entered. Now it was neither breakfast time nor dinner time, but half way between both; yet little Hetty's head was full of the direction, "spare of your abundance" and almost before they were fairly in the house, she asked if she could get them something to eat Smith replied "Yes I will thank you my child, for we are all hungry." This was indeed a civil speech for a thief, who, half starved, had been lurking in the woods to watch his chances to steal "the silver tankard" as soon as the "men folks" had gone to meeting.

"Shall I give you cold victuals, or will you wait till I can cook some meat? asked Hetty. "We can't wait" was the reply, "give us what you have ready as soon as you can."

"I am glad you don't want me to cook for you; but I could if you did; because father would rather not have much cooking done on Sundays." Then away she stepped, about making her preparations for their repast.—Smith, himself helped her out with the table. She spread upon it a clean white cloth and placed upon it the silver tankard full of the "old orchard" with a large quantity of wheaten bread and a dish of cold meat. I don't know why the silver spoons were put on; perhaps little Hetty thought they made the table look prettier. After all this was done, she turned to Smith, and with a courtesy, told him dinner was ready.

The child had been so busy in arranging her table, and so thoughtful of her housewifery, that she took little or no notice of the appearance of her guests. She did the work as cheerily and freely, and was unembarrassed as if she had been surrounded by her father and mother and brothers. One of the thieves sat down doggedly, his hands on his knees, and his face down almost to his hands, looking at the same time on the floor. Another, a younger, and better looking man, stood confused and irresolute, as if he had not been well broken to his trade, and often would go to the window, and look out, keeping his back on the child.

Smith, on the other hand, looked unconcerned, as if he had quite forgotten his purpose. He never took his attention off the child, following her with his eye as she bustled about in arranging the table; there was even a half smile on his countenance.—They all moved to the table. Smith's chair at the head, one of his companions on each side, the child at the foot, standing there to help her guests, and to be ready to go for further supplies as there was need. The men ate as hungry men, almost in silence, drinking occasionally from the silver tankard.

When they had done, Smith started up suddenly, and said, "come, let's go." "What" exclaimed the old robber "go with empty hands when this silver is here."

He seized the tankard. "Put that down" shouted Smith; "I'll shoot the man who takes a single thing from this house!" Poor Hetty at once awakened to a sense of the character of her guests, with terror in her face, and yet with child-like frankness, she ran to Smith, took hold of his hand, and looked into his face, as if she felt sure that he would take care of her. The old thief looking to his young companion and finding that he was ready to give up the job, and seeing that Smith was resolute, put down the tankard, growling like a dog which had a bone taken from him. "Fool! catch me in your company again" and with such expressions left the house, followed by the other.

Smith put his hand on the head of the child, and said, "Don't be afraid, stay quiet in the house, nobody shall hurt you." Thus ended the visit of the thieves; thus God preserved the property of those who had put their trust in Him. What a story had the child to tell when the family came home! How hearty was the thanksgivig that went up that evening from the family altar.

A year or two after this, Tom Smith was arrested for the commission of some crime, was tried and condemned to be executed.—Daniel Gordon heard of this, and that he was confined in jail in the seaport town to wait for the dreadful day when he was to be hung.

Gordon could not keep away from him; he felt drawn to the protector of his daughter, and went down to see him. When he entered the dungeon, Smith was seated, his face was pale, his hair tangled and matted together—for why should he care for his looks; there was no expression in his countenance, except irritation from being intruded upon, when he wanted to hear nothing or see nothing more of his brother man! He did not use, nor even look up, nor return the salutation of Gordon, who continued to stand before him. At last, as if wearied beyond endurance, he asked, "What do you want of me? "Can't you let me alone even here."

"I am come" said Gordon" to see you, because my daughter told me all you did for her which you—" As if touched to the heart, Smith's whole appearance changed, expression of deep interest came over his features, he was altogether a different man. The sullen indifference passed away in an instant.

"Are you the father of that little girl?

Oh what a dear child she is! Is she well and happy? How I love to think of her! That's one pleasant thing I have to think of. For once I was treated like other men.

Could I kiss her once I think I should feel happier"

In this hurried manner he poured out an intensity of feeling little supposed to be in the bosom of a felon.

Gordon remained with Smith, whispering of peace beyond the grave for the penitent, smoothing, in some degree, his passage thro' the dark valley, and did not return to his family until christian love could do no more for an erring brother, on whom scarcely before had the eye of love rested.

What a crowd of thoughts do these incidents cause to rush on the mind! How sure is the "overcoming evil with good." How truly did Jesus Christ know what was in the heart of man. How true to the best feeling of human nature are even the instincts of society. How much of our virtue do we owe to our position among men. How inconsistent to christian love is it to put to death our brother, whose character, made up from the vices and wrong structure of society. How incessant should be our efforts to disseminate the truth, that she may be reformed, and the law of love be substituted for the law of vengeance. The reader will not, however, need our help.

For the West Jersey Pioneer.

CURIOUS FACTS

CONCERNING THE BREAD WE EAT.

In order to exhibit the happy adaptation of food to the feeder, let us glance for a while at the "bread we eat." It is the staff of life. It is also a key to the composition of all our vegetable fare. Now, if any ignorant miller was told that his flour would one day be converted into human blood, he would laugh at the notion just as much as if told that any part of his body could be made available—as it can—in the manufacture of lucifer matches. There is no external resemblance between the fine white powder which fills his sacks, and the crimson fluid which streams from his heart. There is still less similarity between that powder and the brawny muscles that render him a terror to the whole village. Yet, if the man were to sentence himself to live exclusively on the produce of his mill—and he might do so without forfeiting his prowess, provided he retain the bran, wherein the most nutritive principle largely exists—it is plain that his flower must resolve itself into blood, and this blood must again become consolidated into flesh.

At the first glance, indeed, an analysis of bread would only seem to render the mystery more perplexing still. The chief ingredient, in point of quantity, is found to be *water*. Nearly one half of every wheaten loaf is composed of this mild and unpretending fluid. But it so happens that water is also the preponderating element in the constitution of solid men and women. A man who weighs one hundred and fifty four lbs. will be surprised to learn that he has only thirty-eight pounds of dry matter in his whole body. Upwards of one hundred weight of his humanity is literally identical in nature with the liquid which drops from the clouds, or is pumped from the soil (after filtering itself perhaps through the nearest churchyard.) If the water in our frames were not associated with more consistent materials, we should have to live in buckets or barrels, and people would subside into liquid masses charged with a few soluble salts, and depositing a small quantity of materials by way of sediment. Strange, therefore, as it may appear, that our frames should be so succulent in their composition, it is necessary that our diet should correspond. Hence the natural fitness of a commodity which like flour, possesses and is capable of taking up, so large a portion of water. A dry crust is in truth a tank of moisture. We drink bread as well as eat it. As an instance of the striking information conveyed by Prof. Johnson's work on subjects of a very homely description, we may mention a fact which to many will be as new as it is surprising. After the elapse of a few days, bread loses its softness and becomes apparently dry. Most persons, if asked the cause of this change, would ascribe it to the loss of moisture. But the fact is that stale bread contains exactly the same amount of water as new. The alteration is supposed to be owing to some internal action among the atoms, for if a stale loaf is exposed in a closely covered tin to a heat not exceeding boiling water, for a period of half an hour or an hour, and then allowed to cool, it will be restored in appearance and properties to the condition of new bread.

As another illustration, we may refer to the development of alcohol in flour during the process of conversion into bread. The total abstainer will be greatly alarmed to learn that at one stage of that process, the farina which he regards as the mildest of all eatable things, is really pervaded with his deadly enemy. During the fermentation excited by the yeast, part of the starch in the flour is converted into sugar, and this again is resolved into carbonic acid and *alcohol*—literally *alcohol*, we repeat! Fortunately the adversary is compelled to evacuate the bread when exposed to the heat of the oven, and thus it becomes impossible to get drunk on quartern loaves. Mischievous bakers, however, with a glimmering of science in their heads, have sometimes attempted to imprison the ardent element, and have audaciously announced that they sell "bread with gin in it." In like manner, out of 100 parts of lean beef, 78 are nothing more than water mixed with blood. Apples, gooseberries, mushrooms, and many other articles of food, yield eighty per cent. of this fluid, and three quarters of every potato are simple moisture. Carrots are extravagantly humid, 85 parts being composed of the same liquid. Turnips should be sipped; they contain only 10 parts of solid food in 7 of water. It is amongst the gourd tribe, however, that we find the most striking examples of succulence. In the water-melon, 95 parts of every mouthful consist of mere moisture; and in the cucumber you get only three morsels of substantial matter to 97 of condensed vapor. Well might Mehemet Ali consume a 40 pound melon at a single sitting, and even treat it as an easy appendix to an excellent repast!

The second noticable ingredient in bread will surprise the non-chemical reader almost as much as the first. He will find it difficult to believe that animal fibre may be extracted from muffins or biscuits; and though he admits figuratively that all flesh is grass, he may doubt to regard it literally as flour.—Wheaten bread, however, contains 6 per cent of a substance called gluten, which, when analyzed, is found to contain the same ultimate elements as the febrine of muscle.—Both are represented by the same chemical formula, and both belong to a striking series of substances known as the protein compounds, which correspond to a remarkable extent, in their constitution and dietary uses. In the gluten of bread, therefore, the fibrin of the flesh already exists, and hence Dean Swift was nearer the truth than he imagined when he penned the witty scene in the "Tale of a Tub," when my Lord Peter attempts to persuade his Lutheran and Calvinist brothers that a dry crust was as good a piece of mutton as ever come out of Leadenhall market. But besides the materials demanded for the repair or enlargement of the tissues, and which may, therefore, be called the body building principles; others are needed for the purpose of providing a constant supply of animal heat. Our food must contain fuel, and not a little either; for as the temperature of the body is considerable higher than that of the atmosphere, averaging in fact about 98 degrees Farenheet, we are plundered of our caloric continually. Now, every grain of wheat includes, if we may so speak, its own little stock of oil and coke; that is to say, it is equipped with a quantity of fat, starch, gum and other substances, which, by combining with the oxygen inspired, are burnt within the body on the same principle, but not with the same fiery manifestations as tallow or coal are burned without it. The proportion of fat contained in wheaten bread is, indeed, very small, not much more than one per cent.; but the starch, sugar and gum exists in comparative abundance. It would be impossible in our limited space to refer particularly to the mineral matters which bread, like all other perfect food, must include.—Still less would it be practicable to follow, while analyzing one substance, after another, and indicate the properties wherein they excel. We conclude that our food should contain a due admixture of vegetable and animal substances, in which the proportions of the three most important constituents, fat, starch, or sugar, fibrim or gluten, are properly adjusted. It is here the wonderful instinct already mentioned, which leads mankind to mingle various articles of diet so as to obtain all the necessary elements, comes into conspicuous play. Without possessing any chemical knowledge whatever, the stomach appears from time to time to have given strong hints to its owner, which have led to combinations as efficient as if they had been prescribed by the profoundest science. Why, for instance, should bread or potatoes form an indispensable accompaniment to beef?—On analyzing the latter substance, it is found to consist of 78 parts of water, 19 of fibrin, and 3 of fat. These principles appear, as we have seen, in bread—gluten there, being equal to fibrin here. But there is no starch in your steak, whilst there is much in your loaf. The fat, it is true, may, to some extent, represent this combustible material, but it will not supply as much as is needed to keep your corporal furnace in adequate action. Hence, by a natural impulse, we resort to bread when partaking of beef, or take the flank with a dish of potatoes, these tubers (substracting the water) containing almost 92 per cent of starch. So, again, when the quantity of fat in any animal substance is insignificant, it is astonishing what tricks we employ to obtain a sufficient supplement from other sources. Thus we eat bacon with veal, with liver and with fowl, or we capon the latter, and thus increase its natural fat.—We use melted butter with our white fish, or we fry them in fat, while the herring, the salmon, and eel, are usually both dressed and eaten in their oil. If the reader will take the trouble of consulting any popular cookbook, he will find that sausage and other rich mixed meats, are made, in general, of one part of fat, and two of lean; the proportion in which they exist in a good peice of beef, and thus again, unconsciously imitating nature.

WM. A. ASHMEAD.

For the West Jersey Pioneer.

"CATTLE ON HIGHWAYS."

Some years ago, there flourished in a neighboring State, a literary institution, where the students were required to spend a portion of their time in manual labor; partly for the purpose of needful exercise, and partly to assist in defraying the expenses of tuition, &c. But the cost of the materials with which they wrought, and the expenses of disposing of the products of their labor was found to be so great as to allow no profit, but rather bring the institution in debt. Upon this discovery the boys were allowed one day to spend the allotted time in playing ball instead of working in the shop. Having wearied themselves before the time was up, they agreed to sit down and calculate which would be the most profitable under existing circumstances, work or play, and the result of their calculations was, that *play* had the advantage by two cents per day. Just so, if the people of this county would set themselves to calculating seriously the difference in the cost of keeping cattle on the highways, and that of keeping them off, they would find the result to preponderate strongly in favor of abolishing the practice at once and forever, and that no class of persons would be benefitted more by the change than the poor for whom the practice is claimed as a necessary privilege.

To prove that the practice of allowing cattle, sheep and hogs to run at large on the highways is an oppressive burden on the poor, which they are not able to bear, and ought not longer to endure, facts could be produced in sufficient numbers to file a volume; but a few of recent occurrence will suffice for our present purpose.

1. There lives not a score of miles from "old red schoolhouse," a poor man who gains a livelihood for himself and family, by day labor among the farmers of the surrounding country. By industry and good management, he has secured for himself a lot of land with a little cottage in which his family resides. Being unable to enclose his lot with a substantial fence, he ventured to trust to the protection of law for the safety of whatever he might cultivate thereon, and so employed himself during the rainy weather of the forepart of the present season, when his services were not wanted elsewhere in planting his ground with corn, potatoes, cabbage, &c., such produce as would be useful for his family during his absence at work, and needful through the approaching winter. And now, when his work is about finished, he looks around with satisfaction upon his growing crop, promising himself an abundant reward for all his toil and care, and resolves with a grateful heart to go with his family to the sanctuary of God and spend a day in devout worship and praise to the giver of all good. But scarcely had he lost sight of his premises, when that curse of the poor man, (cattle on highways) came along and seeing it unguarded by man and unprotected by fence, and having "no fear of the *law* before their eyes" they walked in and took possession as according to custom they had a right to do. So, helping themselves to whatever was before them, in a few hours they cleared the premises of every green thing that was suited to the appetite of a poor man's cow," and then walked away, well satisfied with the workings of the poor man's privilege." We may imagine, but cannot describe what must have been the poor man's feelings when he returned from his devotions and found his labors all lost, and his trust in the law for protection betrayed. O shame on the laws of New Jersey if they are thus weak and inefficient to protect, or rather shame on the people of the State who will allow their laws to be trampled under foot, and nullified by an old barberous practice. When shall we scorn as we ought, the well merited reproach.

2. In another neighborhood, as my informant says, there lives another man not so poor as the first named, because he owns a small farm, and had three head of cattle in the spring of 1856, that were classed as follows, viz: an old cow that was a new milker, and was expected to give milk until the following winter. A young cow that was expected to come in when the old one failed, and a yearling heifer. This man wishing to use his land for other purposes than pasturage, resolved to avail himself of "the poor man's privilege," and so turned his cattle out to pasture on the highways and outlands in the neighborhood. The pasture being thin and poor, his cattle were obliged to take a wide range of the country to procure subsistence, and consequently often laid down at night at a distance from home, which made it necessary for their owner to go in search of them after the toils of the day were over, and when he should have been taking needed rest to fit him for the duties of the next day, these searches made in the darkness of the evening were frequently fruitless, and the old cow would sometimes go two or three days unmilked, in consequence of which, she soon "dried up," and for the present was useless. Of course the owner neglected to concern himself about them till late in the season, when he observed that none but the young cow was in the habit of returning home at all. He began to be uneasy about the safety of the other two, and after much inquiry and long searching, the heifer was found, but the old cow never appeared, and was supposed to have been mired in some one of the neighboring swamps, and perished there.

Now supposing the old cow to have been worth only twenty-five dollars; her milk that was lost to the family, ten dollars; and the time and trouble of the poor man in searching for his cattle, five dollars more. Then we have the sum of forty dollars that it cost this man to pasture his cattle on the highway during about eight months of the past year. And such losses as he met with are no uncommon appendages of that miserable practice. If that man had been compelled by law to keep his cattle on his own premises, as he should have done, the cost of so doing would not have been one half of what he lost, and his anxiety and trouble might have been saved besides. When will the poor awake to their true interests?

3. Having occasion, a few weeks ago, to

Philadelphia and Greenwich MAIL STAGE.

The subscribers would hereby inform the public that they still continue to run the regular mail line of Stages between Greenwich and Philadelphia, leaving Greenwich every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 4 o'clock A. M. passing through Shiloh about 8 o'clock, leave the Bridgeton House every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 7 1-2 o'clock, and Miant at 9 o'clock, connect with the cars at Woodbury.

Fare through One Dollar.

ELIAS REED, Proprietor and Driver.

All business put in the care of the driver will be attended to. June, 25, '57.

To the Ladies.
NOW OPENING

At the Dry Goods Store of C. S. Miller & Co.

CORNER of Commerce and Laurel Sts., Cheapest, Largest, and most splendid assortment of SPRING DRESS GOODS

Of every description, that we have ever before offered. We have opened during the past week, some entirely New Styles

Fancy Plaid and Striped Silks, New styles fancy plaid and striped Duculs, a new article for Ladies Dresses. New style French Striped Ginghams. One case, new style French Lawns, cheaper than ever before offered, the same kind and quality that have heretofore been selling at 25 cts. now offered for 12 1-2 cents. Tan, Blue, Pink, Lead, Green, Black

Plain, and in fact every color you may desire of Barege: A most beautiful assortment of Tissues and Grenadines Brilliantees of all colors. Prints, great variety, from 6 1-4 to 12 1-2 cents.

French and English Chintzes, for Ladies Wrappers. Misses Plaid Shawls, from 1 to 2 dollars. Long and Square Black Thibet Shawls, all prices. Also, Gents Traveling Shawls, at the lowest prices.

A large lot of Ladies' linen handkerchiefs, from 6 1-4 cts. to 3 dollars. Gents' pocket and neck handkerchiefs.

Black Mohair Mitts, from 37 1-2 to 1.50 per pair; Kid Gloves, Silk Gloves, Lisle Thread Gloves.

The best assortment of Domestic Goods ever opened in Bridgeton.

Call in an examine our New Stock of Spring Goods as we make no charge for showing them.

May 23, '57. C. S. MILLER & Co.

NEW GOODS
FOR THE SPRING OF 1857.

THE subscribers are now receiving a large and varied stock of Spring Goods, to which they would call the attention of buyers. Their stock will compare favorably with any in town—consisting of Berage de Laines, challies, good wide black silks, Anderson's best ginghams, good merrimack and Cocheco prints, Lancaster and domestic ginghams, bleached and unbleached muslins of all widths and prices, tickings, checks and shirting stripes, goods for boys' wear, very pretty spring Shawls, from $2 to $5, ladies' worked Collars, edgings, insertings, &c., for sale cheap.

All kinds of country produce taken in exchange for goods, by STRATTON & HARRIS.

Bridgeton, April 11, 1857.

"THE WEST END."
LADIES BOOT & SHOE STORE.
Thomas P. Williams,

WOULD inform the Ladies of Bridgeton, and surrounding country, that he is still at his old stand in Commerce st, a few doors West of the bridge, where they will be suited in a style unsurpassed by any in Cumberland County.

Misses and childrens Boots and shoes always on hand. Customers may rely on getting the worth of their money in a good a serviceable article, as all work made at this establishment undergoes the inspection of the proprietor.

THOMAS. P. WILLIAMS.

Bridgeton, Dec. 20 '56.

KEEP YOUR FENCES GOOD

JUST received at the Lumber Depot of Whitekar Robeson & Co., 3 3-4 and 4 foot pailing and Pickets at a low figure, Also hemlock railing, white oak and Chesnut posts, a good article.

April 4, '57.

M. W. APPLEGATE,

HOUSE & SIGN PAINTER & GLAZER, Pearl street, Bridgeton, directly under the Pioneer Office.

WANTED.

A boy from 16 to 18 years of age to learn the above business. April 4, '57.-tf.

WORKED COLLARS.

THE largest assortment of Ladies French worked collars, swiss and cambric from 6¼ to three dollars, can be found at the Cheap Fancy Dry goods store of C. S. MILLER & Co.

March 28, 1857.

Richard's Himself Again,

AND has just returned from the city with a good assortment of

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,

consisting of Black Silks, Challis, beautiful styles Duculs, Ginghams, Lawns, Prints, Brilliants, Bleached and Unbleached muslins; Also Stella and Cashmere Shawls new styles. Also a good assortment of boots and shoes,

GROCERIES,

Such as Sugar, Molasses, Coffee, Teas, Fish, Pork, Hams, Shoulders, Lard Cheese, Pepper, Spice, &c.

A superior lot of Cedar Siding, Cedar Shingles, white pine boards, Scantling, Flooring and Shingling lath, plastering hair, Brick. Also a good assortment of Hardware and Queensware. No. 1 Peruvian Guano, and Allen & Needles superior phosphate of Lime, which, will be sold at Philadelphia prices.

All of the above goods will be sold very cheap for Cash on a reasonable credit, or in exchange for country produce, or cow-skins—give us a call.

Cedarville, May 23, '57. R. D. BATEMAN.

I'll Just Tell You
WHERE I BUY MY HATS AND CLOTHING!

I go to BURT'S to buy my Hats; he keeps the best and greatest variety.

I go to Burt's to buy my Caps. I have been going for nine years, and shall go as long as he sells so cheap.

Burt has just got some new styles of Hats.

CLOTHING!

I go to Burt's to buy my clothing, for they are well made and very cheap.

I go to Burt's to buy my Clothes made, for he has that error who makes such good fits, and never fails.

I go to Burt's because he keeps a new Hat and suit of Clothes, a little better and finer than anybody I know of. "That's so"—at the

Bridgeton, May 23, '57. EAGLE STORE.

NEW STORE, NEW GOODS.
JOHN COMPTON,

WOULD inform the public that he has taken the store formerly occupied by Joseph Lore, where he is ready to wait on all who may favor him with a call. Spring Goods, such as shallies, braizes, braize de lains, lawns, muslin de lains, satinetts, cashmere, calicoes, muslins, gloves, hosiery, ribbons, trimmings, &c.

GROCERIES Sugars, Molasses, Coffee, Teas, Fluid, Fish, Pork, fine and coarse Salt, Hams, Lard, Cheese; Spices &c.

HARDWARE.

Hinges, screws, knives and forks, hoes, rakes, forks, shovels, spades, lock bolts; Queensware, tea sets of China plates, cups and saucers, tumblers, and in fact every article usually kept in a country store.

READY MADE CLOTHING.—Coats, pants, Vests, at all prices, and good goods.

N. B.—the highest price paid for sumac, eggs, rags, muskrats, minks, potatoes, oats, corn, and grain of all kinds.

Newport, April 18, 1857-tf.

NEW AND BETTER GOODS.

SUCH as Clothing, men and boys wear, Chambray Scotch, and American Ginghams, Gingham Lawns ducals, madder lawns, persian Delanes, brazes, black silk, dotted swiss prints, mustings, hosiery and trimings.

Newport, June 6, '57. JOHN COMPTON.

Silks.

HANDSOME plain Black Watered and Morie antique silk for dresses and Mantillas. Plain black silk lace from 62 1-2 to one dollar, per yard, with Morie antique and narrow silk trimmings, for making lace Mantillas.

Also Mantillas ready made and made to order.

Lawns.

We have now open a beautiful assortment of Lawns neat styles and fast colors at 12 1-2 cts. per yard. Fine Jaconet and Organdie Lawns from 20 to 31 cts per yard.

MOHAIR & SILK MITS.

Of the most choice patterns, Long and Short, with and without fingers from 12 1-2 to one dollar fifty per pair.

Parasols

Of newest styles, Morie Antique and plain silks of different shades of Tan, Green and Drab colors. And cotton covered do, as low as 37 cts. TAYLOR & NEWKIRK.

June 6, '57. Opposite Post Office.

NEW DRUG STORE.

THE subscriber has fitted up one of the new brick stores (of Cerils now,) No. 14 East Commerce street near the bridge, where he intends keeping a large and varied assortment, of all the different articles pertaining to the business, carefully selected, in regard to quality and at the lowest prices consisting of

Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Alcohol, Camphine, Burning Fluid, Spices, Confectionery, Stationery, Fancy Goods, Perfumery &c.

Having devoted several years (prior to entering upon the study and practice of Dentistry) in the compounding and sale of Drugs and Medicines, in different establishments of that kind in Philadelphia, Cincinnati and other places, he engages in the new enterprise with a thorough knowledge of its duties and responsibilities and appeals to a generous public, to accord him a share of their patronage, under a promise on his part of a fair return in the quality and power of his goods, pledging himself to unremitted attention and care in all orders with which he may be favored. J. D. HARBERT,

June 6, '57. Druggist and Chemist.

SHEEP FOR SALE.

Half blood Cotswold Bucks for sale enquire of BENJ. SHEPPARD.

Greenwich, 6m. 27, '57.

IF you want a sweet breath, use Harbert's superior Tooth Powder. Dec. 6-tf.

STATHEM'S CELEBRATED WASHING EXTRACT.

Great saving of time and labour, this article has been manufactured and sold in Davenport, Iowa, also in Leclaire, Moline, Rock Island and Moline and the surrounding country, and has been thoroughly tested by a large number of families, and has given general satisfaction to those that have used it. The public have been deceived by some and there is a number of poisonous articles going around injuring the clothes and injuring the health of many families. This article is warranted not to contain any poisonous ingredients, will not injure the color or texture of the finest clothing, and will do the washing in half the time and with half the labor of any other article. It is the cheapest article and the most economical, as one pint will go as far as a quart of any other article, and warranted to perform as much as any other article. Give it a trial. The science will be kept and sold, wholesale and retail, by Samuel Harris on Commerce street, above Pearl, and at the store of Enoch Sayre, on Commerce above Laurel, and at R. J. Fithen's, corner of Franklin and Broad, Bridgeton; David Gale, Cedarville; E. A. & W. B. Davis, Shiloh; Samuel F. Spence, Newport; A. Stathem, Greenwich; Swing & Tomlinson, Fairton; D. G. Compton; Roadstown; at 20 cents per bottle or 50 cents per gallon.

J. P. STATHEM.

Bridgeton, September 5, 1857-tf.

GUANO! GUANO!!

The subscriber, Sole Agent in Philadelphia for the sale of cruvian Guano, has now on hand a large stock of

PURE PERUVIAN GUANO,

Which he will sell at the lowest Cash price, in lots to suit either dealers or farmers. S. J. CHRISTIAN,

Sole Agent for Philadelphia.

No. 162 North Wharves and 141 North Water St. below Race Street.

Sept. 5, '57.-3m-c.

FALL AND WINTER DRY GOODS FOR 1857!

THORNLY & CHISM,

N. E. Corner Eight & Spring Garden sts. Philadelphia. Would call special attention to their Stock of Goods, which are carefully selected and bought very Cheap for Cash & which we pledge ourselves to Sell for the Smallest "Living Profit."

Black silks for 75, 87, 94, 1, 1.12 1.25, up to 2 dol. per. Yd.

Fancy silks, 50, 60, 75, 87, 1, 1.12, 1.25, up to 2 dol. per. Ed

Very Rich Striped Moir Antiques. Something New!

Black Watered Silks,Ture Satins, Moir Antiques, &c.

SHAWLS AND CLOAKS!!

Long and Square Crochea Shawls, in every colored Centre.

Long and Square Blanket Shawls, in every quality.

Stella Shawls, Brochen Bordered and Chennille Trimmed.

Plain and Embroidered Canton Crape Shawls.

Plain Shawls for Friends' Black Shawls, &c.

A LARGE STOCK OF DOMESTIC GOODS, ALWAYS ON HAND VERY CHEAP.

Irish Linens of our Own Importation.

Linen Table Cloths, Diapers, Napkins, Crashes &c.

CLOTHS CASSIMERES SATTINETTS!

Blankets, Flannels, Quilts, &c. Carpets, Oil Cloths, Drugget.

Remember it is the N.E. Cor. Eight and Spring Garden Sts., "The large four story White Building"

THORNLY & CHISM'S "One Price Cash Dry Good Store" Philad'a.

Sept. 5, '57.-3m-w.

Farmers' Depot and Plaster Mills,

At the Junction of York Avenue, Crown and Callowhill Streets Philadelphia. We offer a large stock of Chemical Manures and Fertilizers at low prices and warranted to be Genuine among wits will be found:

1,000 tons no 1 Government Peruvian Guano.
1,000 tons Do Burg's No. 1 Super-Phosphate of Lime.

The above standard articles are, each of their kind, the best in the world. Our Land Plaster, manufactured from selected stone, is celebrated throughout the Union, for its purity and strength. We invite orders for—De Burg's No. 1 Super Phosphate of Lime. No. 1 Government Peruvian Guano. French's Improved Super-Phosphate of Lime. French's Philadelphia Poudrette. No. 1 Phosphatic Guano. (Philadelphia Co.) Mexican Guano. (A) Extra Land Plaster. Ordinary Land Plaster. Chemical Bone. Pure Bone Dust. Fish Guano. Ground Charcoal.

10,000	Barrels Land Plaster.	
5,000	" Casting Plaster.	
10,000	" Hydraulic Cement.	
3000	" True Roman Cement.	
1,000	" Portland (English) Cement.	

A L S O,

Pentists' Plaster.	Powdered Anthracite Coal, (in bbls.)
Stereotype Plaster.	Powdered Bituminus Coal (in bbls.)
Glass Makers Plaster.	Ground brown Stone in (bbls)
Ground soap Stone.	White Sand, (in bbls.)
Ground White Marble.	Ground Bricks, for Painters.
Ground Blue Marble.	Chemical Bone Dust.

FRENCH, RICHARDS & Co.

Factory, Junction York Avenue, Crown and Callowhill Sts. Philadelphia. Sept 5, '57.-3m.c.

Pennington Female Institute.

AT Pennington, N. J., eight miles north of Trenton. The 27th Session will begin August 27th, 1857.

A NEW FEATURE.

Save 120 dollars in Five years. The pre-payment of Fifty dollars will secure a Scholarship, guaranteeing the entire advantage of the Institute for five years, by the payment thereafter of One Hundred and Thirty Dollars per year. Drawing, Painting and Music are included. Only one hundred and fifty will be sold. For full particulars, address A. P. LASHER, Proprietor.

Pennington, N. J., Aug. 29, '57.-tf

NOTICE.

THE subscribers will sell Private Sale, the Blacksmith's Shop in Newport, together with the stock of Iron and hand Tools and Fixtures. Persons wishing to purchase, can do so by applying to the subscribers at their shop, in Newport; where the Conditions of Sale will be made known. GEORGE W. SLOAN.

Newport, Aug. 29, '57. JOHN H. NEWCOMB.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE, AT PUBLIC SALE.

WILL be sold at Public Sale, on TUESDAY the 29th of September next, at the hotel of E. Davis & Son, Bridgeton. The following described Valuable Property.

Viz: No. 1. A Farm, situate in the township of Stow Creek, Cumberland county, one mile from Roadstown, and near Henry Dudney's, containing 50 acres, adjoining lands of C. C. Clark, Horace Compton, and others: 45 of which is arable land in a good state of cultivation, the remainder timber land, suitable for building.

No. 2. Is a lot of Land situate in the same township, near Stow Creek landing, adjoining Philip Demaris, and others; containing 11 acres of Bush land, of ten years growth.

No. 3. Is a two-story Frame House, Kitchen and Shoemakers Shop, on a lot at Roadstown, adjoining the Tavern property, &c. A good stand for any kind of public business.

The above property was set off to Presilla Minch, dec'd, late Presilla Mulford: is worthy the attention of buyers. Title indisputable. Sale at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Terms Cash.

MARGARET DUTFIELD, JOSEPH A. MINCH
LEWIS B. MINCH, ANN M. HALL
DAVID MINCH, Jr. ELLEN E. M. MINCH.
Heirs of Presilla Minch, dec'd.

Hopewell, August 26, 1857.-5t.

SAVING FUND
National Safety Trust Co.

Walnut street, south west cor. of Third st. PHILADELPHIA.

Incorporated by the State of Pennsylvania,

MONEY is received in any sum, large or small, and interest paid from the day of deposit to the day of withdrawal.

The Office is open every day from 9 o'clock in the morning to 7 o'clock in the evening, and on Monday and Thursday evenings, till 9 o'clock.

INTEREST FIVE PER CENT.

All sums, large or small, are paid back in gold on demand without notice, to any amount.

President, HENRY L. BENNER.
Vice President, ROBERT SELFRIDGE,
Secretary, WM. J. REED.

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Henry L Benner,	C. Landreth Munns,
Edward L. Carter,	F. Carrol Brewster,
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Samuel K. Ashton,	Henry L. Churchman,
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This company confines its business entirely to the receiving of money on interest. The investments amounting to over ONE MILLION AND A HALF OF DOLLARS, are made in conformity with the provisions of the Charter, in real estate, mortgages, ground rents, and such first class securities as will insure perfect security to depositors, and place beyond all risk the permanency and stability of this institution.

THE GREAT REMEDY OF THE NINETEENTH CENTURY.

For Scrofulous and Cancerous Diseases, Glandular and White Swelling Goitre, Malignant Ulcers and old Sores Tetter, Salt Rheum, Opthalmia, Hip Disease, Pimples, Blotches on the Face, and all diseases originating in an impure state of the blood.

KEEP THE BLOOD PURE—Strengthen and invigorate the system, and you remove nine-tenths of all causes of disease, and escape much suffering.

This is now the great standard remedy for diseases of the Blood, Stomach and Liver.

If you have a Cancerous or Scrofulous affection, at once use the Imperial Depurative.

TETTER—Are you troubled with this obstinate and unpleasant disease? Use the Imperial Depurative. Try but one bottle.

Have you White Swelling, Hip Disease, or Glandular Swellings? The Imperial Depurative will effect a cure. Try it.

For Pimples, Blotches and Eruptions of the Skin generally, you have a prompt and certain remedy in the Imperial Depurative. One bottle will satisfy you of its efficacy.

Use the Imperial Depurative, if you would have a clear healthful, and beautiful complexion.

Use the Imperial Depurative for a diseased state of the Liver or Stomach.

For females of a weak and debilitated habit and shattered nerves, the Imperial Depurative is just what is required to invigorate the frame and restore the nervous system to a healthy state.

We know the full value of this great remedy, as we are using it every day, in an extensive practice, and see its great curative powers manifested in numerous cases. We know it has no equal in this country.

The careful preparation, great purity and strength of the Imperial Depurative renders large doses or long continued use of it unnecessary. It acts directly upon the diseased part, and it is not necessary to wait months to discover the benefit to be gained.

If you wish to purify and enrich the Blood, and prevent disease, as well as cure it, take the Imperial Depurative, and we will guarantee its beneficial effects.

Agents for the Imperial Depurative, and Lounsbury & Co.'s, Anti-Phlogistic All Healing Salve, the great remedy for Inflammation in every form.

BREWSTER & Co., Bridgeton, N. J.

August, 26, 1857.-3m

100,000 Feet of Georgia, Florida, & North Carolina Flooring, one and a quarter inch thick, worked in a Superior manner, heart, heart and sap, and clear sap which will be sold at lowest prices.

Aug. 29, '57. H. J. MULFORD & BROS.

LAMPS, LAMPS, LAMPS.

JUST received, a large assortment of fluid and osmphine Lamps, for sale cheap by

July 18-tf. J. D. HARBERT, Druggist.

BUY your Stove of WESTCOTT & KENNEDY and save Ten Dollars. They sell

Cookstove, No. 7 for	18,00
" 8 "	21,00
" 9 "	24,00

They have but one place. 3 doors above Market.

WOOD, WOOD.

Wanted Oak and Pine Wood

June 13, '57. H. J. MULFORD & BRO.

S. B. WOODRUFF,

THANKS the public for past favors, & hopes that they will continue their liberal patronage. Just received, a splendid lot of silver and gold watches from 10 to $100, all warranted to perform well. Also, a splendid assortment of breast-pins, ear bobs, finger rings and jewelry of every description. An assortment of pocket-books, pocket books, pocket knives, which I will sell cheap; also, a splendid assortment of Clocks, which I will order and warranted to perform well. Spectacles to suit all ages. Clocks, watches and jewelry repaired in the neatest manner, and warranted to give satisfaction. Call and see for yourselves, at No. 26 East Commerce st.

Bridgeton, May 9, 1857.

Valuable Brick House and Stores AT PRIVATE SALE.

The subscriber offers at Private Sale his valuable three story Brick House and Stores on Commerce Street, Bridgeton, adjoining David P. Elmer and others. The House is thirty-one feet front with a depth of forty feet back, excluding the Kitchen, and contains eight rooms, with a large entry, besides two large Stores and a brick Kitchen adjoining, containing four rooms, bath room, pump &c. Also having a veranda in front and around the building.

The lot on which the building stands is thirty-one feet front, and one hundred and sixty feet deep.

The property is considered one of the best stands for a large boarding house and stores in the town. Also a good

Two Story Frame Dwelling House and Kitchen

On Laurel Street, Bridgeton, adjoining Joseph Chew and others. The house and kitchen contains eight rooms and an entry. The lot is sixty feet front, by two hundred and sixty-four feet deep, having a barn, wagon house, and wood house thereon. Also a well of good water at the door. All the above property is in good order, and will be sold at a fair price and on liberal terms. For further particulars, enquire of RENEER DARE, residing in the brick house on Commerce St.

Aug. 1, '57.-tf.

The 10 O'clock Line!

Through in Five Hours!

THE 10 o'clock line of Stages, will leave Bridgeton, every morning, (Sundays excepted) at 9 1-2 o'clock and connect with 2 o'clock train of cars at Woodbury, arriving in Philadelphia at 2 1-2 o'clock.

Leave Philadelphia, at Mackey Williams' Hotel, (Ridgway House,) at 10 1-2 o'clock, and Walnut St. Wharf at 11 o'clock, taking the cars to Woodbury.

N. B. All errands carefully attended to.

JEREMIAH HANN.
HENRY PIERSON.

June 6, '57.

BOWEN & PHILLIPS.
GAS FITTERS

SHEPPARD'S BUILDING

Next to I. A. Sheppards' store.

WE are now ready to execute all orders we are favored with, for Gas Fitting Fixtures, &c., guaranteeing all orders to be done in a workmanlike manner and on the most reasonable terms.

☞ Disinterested References in Bridgeton and elsewhere.

Bridgeton, July 25 '57.-tf.

JUST RECEIVED.

THIS day, at the Eagle Store Emporium, some new styles of ventilator hats, also large brim straw hats, just the thing for bathing hats.

Just received some new styles of Linen Coating, Panting, &c., call and see at the sign of the Eagle. JOS. BURT.

N. B. I will close out the balance of the summer stock at reduced prices.

Bridgeton, July 25, '57.

C. CARSON,
PRACTICAL GAS FITTER

Commerce St 3d door West of the Bridge, in Sheppard's Building

BEGS leave to inform the citizens of Bridgeton, that he is prepared to execute all kinds of Gas Fitting, at the lowest rates and at the shortest notice.

Fixtures of every variety constantly on hand.

CHANDELIERS, BRACKETS,
PENDANTS, GLOBES,
SHADES, FITTINGS,
PIPES, AT CITY PRICES.

☞ All Work Warranted.

REFERENCES.

URIAH D. WOODRUFF, President Bridgeton Gas Light Company.
R. C. NICHOLS.
BENJAMIN LANING.
H. J. MULFORD.
ABRAHAM BROWNING, President Camden Gas Light Company.
CORNELIUS & BAKER, Philadelphia.
ARCHER & WARNER, do.
J. W. & J. F. STARR, Builders of the Works.

Bridgeton, July 25, '57.-tf.

Lawns.

A large lot of Pacific lawns, of very choice styles and permanent colors, for sale by

May 30, '57. STRATTON & HARRIS

Buy Good Goods.

ON hand and for sale, a good assortment of Fine Black and fancy colored French Cloth Dress and Frock Coats of my own manufacture, warranted to be equally as well made as any Customer work. All in want of a good well made Coat at the lowest possable price, should not fail to give me a call as I am determined to sell a little cheaper than the cheapest. GROSSCUP.

May 2, '57. opposite Davis' Hotel.

DRY LUMBER.

FOR Building, we have never had a better selected stock than at present, call and see us

H. J. MULFORD & BRO.

HEMLOCL BOARDS & FENCING.

For sale by
July 25. H. J. MULFORD & BRO.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY.

SEVERAL Agents with good reference, to sell Dr. Prices' Family Medicines.

Address Dr. J. T. PRICE, or A. A. WOODWARD, Cape May Court House, N. J.

BRICK, BRICK!

Having purchased of James English his interest in the brick yard, we are now ready to furnish Brick of different kinds, such as Salmon, Hard, Red and Paving, in quantities to suit purchasers. Having experienced workmen, we expect to furnish a good article at reasonable prices. All in want of brick will please give us a call at H. J. Mulford & Bro.'s Hardware store, or at the yard.

We want Oak and Pine Wood in exchange for either Brick, Lumber, Hardware or Cash.

I. W. MULFORD & Co.

Bridgeton, July 18, 1857-tf.

Imported Cigars.

JUST received, an invoice of fine imported Cigars of various brands. For sale, wholesale and retail, by J. D. HARBERT,

Bridgeton, July 18. [14 East Commerce st.

Pocket Books, Porte-Monais, &c.

JUST received, a very large assortment of new styles pocket books, porte-monais, bill wallets, &c., for sale cheap by J. D. HARBERT.

Druggist, 14 East Commerce st., Bridgeton, N. J. where you can buy everything cheap. Jy 18.

HARBERT'S SUP'R TOOTH POWDER INSURES a sweet breath to all who us it.

Bridgeton, July 18.

PLOUGH CASTINGS.

POBOUTY Mould Board, Landside, share point and cap of various sizes.

Owen Landside and Mould Board,
Peacock do do
Share Bolts do

Feb. 24. '57: at H. J. MULFORD & BRO.

PLOWS.

THE subscriber has now on hand and intends keeping an assortment of Moore's Delaware Plows. Also, Beach-e's Kahn's & Owens Plows, Plow castings, &c., at the Bridgeton Iron Store. I. PEDRICK.

Bridgeton, Aug. 8, '57.-2m.

WHO WOULD HAVE

A diseased mouth and bad breath, when by using Harbert's superior Tooth Powder they can have a healthy mouth and sweet breath. For sale by all principal stores in the county, and at 14 East Commerce st., Bridgeton, N. J.

July 18, 1857.

CEDAR RAILS

FOR SALE BY

Aug. 1. J. B. POTTER & Co.

READY MADE CLOTHING.

IN great variety for men and boys, made in the latest style and most substantial manner, all who want good and cheap goods should call and see for themselves before they purchase.

June 27, '57. C. C. GROSSCUPS'

OLD SPANISH

QUARTERS, Scurvy and Tar, taken at par. by J. D. HARBERT

As his Wholesale and Retail Drug, Chemical and Variety store, No. 14 East Commerce St.

Bridgeton, July, 25, '57.

[illegible]TON!

[illegible] safe, substantial [illegible] comfortable steamer

EXPRESS!

[illegible] B. WILLS, [illegible] have first pier below [illegible] and Saturday,

For Bridgeton.

Returning, will leave Bridgeton every

Every Monday, Wednesday and Friday,

At 7 o'clock A. M, touching at Tyndall's, Mulfords, Greenwich, and other landings on the creek if necessary, Port Penn, Delaware City, & New Castle going & returning. Freight of every description taken at reasonable terms.

Fare to Bridgeton, and all Landings on the Cohansey, 75 cts., New Castle, Delaware City and Port Penn, 50 cts.

☞ Meals provided on board.

☞ Stages for Fairton Cedarville, Newport, Fortiscue, Dividing Creek, Millville, Port Elizabeth and Mauricetown, meet this boat.

Fare to Cedarville or Fairton,	75 cts.
Newport,	88
Dividing Creek,	$1 00
Fortiscue,	1 38

Bargains, Bargains!

Thompson & Fithian have just opened a large and beautiful assortment of

Cloths,	Coatings,
Black Cassimeres,	Fancy Cassimers,
Fancy Linens,	Brown Linens,
Farmers' Drill,	Cotton Goods,

Vestings, hosiery, shirts, collars, bosoms, suspenders, cravats, handkerchiefs, &c., all of which we are prepared to sell as cheap as the cheapest—and we are not sure but cheaper than the cheapest—except ourselves.

Persons buying goods, and wishing them cut or made to order—are informed that we believe we have as good a cutter and as good workmen as can be found in the country: and our object is, as heretofore, to give satisfaction to all. May 30.

Bowen, Rocap, and Co.
LUMBER & HARDWARE.

BOWEN & ROCAP, having associated with them in the Lumber & Hardware business, William Dare, are now enabled still more extensively, to increase their former stock, and offer to the public every variety of Lumber that can be found in any of the yards in this State, together with an assortment of every Kind of Hardware used in building purposes.

Among their stock of Lumber can be found

115,000	feet Hemlock Scantling,
150,000	" White Pine Boards,
40,000	" & Black Oak Scantling,
50,000	" Cedar Pickets,
10,000	Fence Railing,
50,000	Brick,
75,000	Cypress Shingles,
20,000	Cedar "
100,000	Plastering Lath,
50,000	White Pine Flooring,
50,000	Virginia "
20,000	Cedar Siding,
200,000	Sawed Chestnut fence posts,
100,	White Oak, do
10,000	Sap Pine Boards,

to which the attention of those proposing to build is invited. Farmers and others wanting Lumber of any description, would probably save much valuable time, together with considerable money by calling upon us and learning our prices before purchasing elsewhere.

HARDWARE & CUTLERY

of every description can be obtained of us at unprecedented low prices of the best quality.

Our facilities for purchasing Lumber and Hardware cannot be surpassed in this section of the State, as our stock is bought under our own inspection, we flatter ourselves that our customers will find our prices satisfactory, and our prices satisfactory, and our articles giving them the utmost satisfaction. MARTIN BOWEN

EFMERG. ROCAP,
WILLIAM DARE.

July 11, '57.

Ducals, Ducals.

ISAAC A. SHEPPARD, has the largest and most varied stock of Ducals in Bridgeton.

LAWNS.

100 yards French Lawn, worth twenty five cents, per yard selling at a levy. Also a large lot of organdies, and a few pieces of extra french lawn only 62.

Glazed, Plain &c. Also very rich fire board paper, for sale by I. A. SHEPPARD.

May 30, '57.

MOHAIR.

Mohair Mitts, long and short, a great variety of sizes and styles.

COLLARS.

From six and a quarter cents, to five dollars.

CURTAIN MUSLIN.

White figured curtain muslin, of the finest quality.

MOREEN.

A few more pieces of those choice colored Moreens.

CASSIMERE.

Black, Plaid and Green.

HATS.

Mens and boys Leghorn, Panama and Straw hats. Also a few colored Straw Hats.

BOOTS.

Mens patent leather shoes, boys oxford ties &c. Also a general variety of mens and boys boots.

SHAWLS.

Stella shawls, in sets of all colors and shades.

SILKS.

Black and fancy.

QUEENSWARE.

By the set or piece.

GLASS.

A large stock of Glass Celery dishes, spoonholders, goblets, Plates and egg cups.

WALL PAPER.

Lawns.

FINE french lawns, all colors. Also, Pink, Blue, Purple Green, Brown and Black Lawns, in new styles, for sale by J. B. POTTER & Co.

Bareges.

BLACK, brown, Green, blue, pink, tan, and mode colored Bareges, and crape D'Espagne at reduced prices for sale by J. B. POTTER & Co.

May 30, '57.

SALT.

Hay Salt by the sack or bushel. Also Turks Island and Dairy Salt, for sale by R. J. FITHIAN,

June 20, '57. Broad and Franklin Sts.

AT PRIVATE SALE.

The valuable MILL PROPERTY, in Bridgeton, belonging to the Estate of Daniel P. Stratton, deceased. Possession given 25th, March next. Apply to DANIEL P. STRATTON,

July 11, '57.-tf. Salem, N. J.

FOR TWENTY-FIVE CENTS

YOU can procure a box of Harbert's superior Tooth Powder, which will impart a healthy action to your teeth and gums, and purify your breath. July 18.

SPRING CLOTHING.
A LARGE VARIETY AT M. HASS'.

THE largest lot of Coats, Pants, and Vests in Bridgeton, the best stock of cassimer and Kentucky Jean frock and business Coats, Clothing, the prices of which defy competition; a whole suit can be purchased at the astonishing low price of $2. Business coats from $1 50 to $6 Pants from 75c to $5. Vests 50c to 4 50.

The latest spring styles of hats and caps. A large assortment of trunks, valices, carpet bags, Umbrellas, &c., at M. HASS' Clothing Emporium,

April 11. Commerce st, opposite P O.

THE CHEAPEST
PRESERVING CAN
IN THE MARKET.

THE advantages of this can over all others, are the simplicity in the manner in which it is sealed up, and the impossibility of corrosion, the can being glass. The top is so constructed that any one can seal it up without any difficulty.—The groove in the top is to be filled with cement, which stops it perfectly tight, and if tight it will keep for years. WILLIAM POGUE,

[Commerce st., near the Bridge, Bridgeton, N. J.

April 25th, 1857.

VALUABLE PINE WOODLEAVE
FOR SALE.

119 Acres of Woodleave at private sale. Situated near Centreville, Salem County New Jersey, adjoining lands of Mr. Lemuel Parvin, and others, formerly known as the "Gagger's tract," suitable for lumber, cordwood and coal. The above is offered for sale altogether or in two separate parts. For further particulars, inquire of or address

JOSEPH MILLER,
West 7th Street, Wilmington, or,
DOCT. S. MILLER,
Brandywine Village, Delaware.

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Valuable Mill Property
AT PRIVATE SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale his Grist Mill, Saw Mill and Woolen Factory, situate at the East end of Commerce street, in Bridgeton. They will be sold either separately or together, and any person wishing to purchase property of this description can do so advantageously.

For further particulars, enquire of

aug 22-1mo JONATHAN ELMER.

Farm at private Sale,

The subscriber offers at Private Sale the Farm on which he now lives, handsomely situated in Deerfield township, within five miles of Bridgeton and a quarter of a mile from the Bridgeton Turnpike. This property joins lands of David Cake and others, and contains 46½ acres, which is all tillable land and in good state of cultivation. The house is a new two-story one, 18 by 26, with shed kitchen back. There is also a good barn, nearly new, 25 by 65; with crib and wagon shed attached, a good well of water, and an apple and peach orchard just in their prime.

For terms and particulars inquire of

CHARLES LEAKE,
On the premises.

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WHITEKAR, ROBESON & Co.
LUMBER & HARDWARE DEPOT.

Just received and for sale at their unprecedented low prices—

250,000	Plastering Laths a No. 1.
160,000	White pine Boards,
60,000	Hemlock Boards and fencing,
25,000	White pine siding,
100,000	White pine Virginia & Hemlock fencing,
50,000	White pine shingles superior quality,
20,000	Cedar Shingles,
60,000	Cypress do

We have an assortment of sizes of white pine lumber which we are selling at a very low figure. Also, a superior lot of salmon, hard, red, paving and pressed bricks. 5,000 bushels slacked lime, which we will sell cheap for cash or approved credit.

Buyers are earnestly requested to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

August 15, '57.

MONEY! MONEY!! MONEY!!!

ALL persons indebted to the subscriber for boots and shoes, will confer a favor on him by settling their bills as soon as convenient, to enable him to prepare for the fall season.

Bridgeton, Aug. 15. A. D. MAUL.

P. S.—Have on hand, and making to order, all kinds of shoes, at short notice, and in consequence of leather having become a cash article on delivery, we hope our friends will indulge us in making our terms as near cash as possible.

Aug. 15, '57. A. D. M.

Leather! Leather!!

HAVING purchased the Cohansey Tannery, lately owned and conducted by Messrs. Keen & Clunn, do therefore most respectfully announce to the citizens of South Jersey, that I intend to continue the manufacture of Leather in all its branches, at the old stand directly south of the Court House, Fayette street, where I have now on hand and for sale a good assortment of finished Leather, consisting of

Spanish sole Leather	Wax & Grain upper leather,
Hem-lock " do	Cordavan a buff do
Slaughter " do	Wax & grain Calfskins,
Belt & Thong do	Morocco es. Linings,
Harness, & Nett leather	Bindings & apron skins,
Skirting Leather.	Shoe-thread, pegs, nails, &c.

Also, a constant supply of plastering hair, all of which I will sell at the lowest rates for cash.

The highest cash price paid for beef hides and calf skins.

August 8, 1857. JACOB KIENZLE.

Having full confidence in Mr. J. Kienzle's ability to execute all orders for Leather intrusted to him, do therefore solicit for him a continuance of the patronage heretofore so liberally bestowed upon us.

Bridgeton, Aug. 8, '57.-6m. KEEN & CLUNN.

E. Hanthorns'
Saddle Harness, Trunk, Carpet Bag and Variety Store.

COMMERCE St. opposite J. B. Potter & Co's. store, and next door to Brewsters Drug store, where may be found a larger assortment of

Silver Mounted	Double	or Single.
Brass "	"	"
Japanned "	"	"
Stage "	"	"

Than at any other place this side of Trenton, and it is

Harness that will show,
Harness that will go,
Harness that I know is low.

Also—A large stock of Leather Nets, the fancy leather nets, cotton and Woosted and in fact all the kinds of nets in use.

WHIPS, WHIPS.

Cart Coach and switch WHIPS from 15 cts. to $2.50, that are cheaper

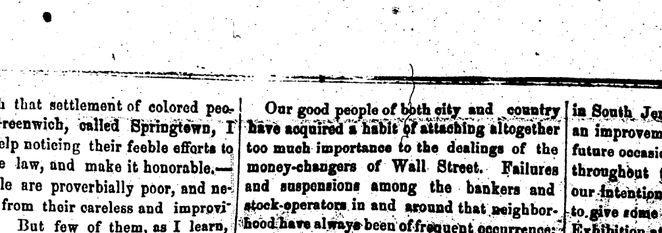
pass through that settlement of colored people near Greenwich, called Springtown, I could not help noticing their feeble efforts to eke out the law, and make it honorable.—These people are proverbially poor, and necessarily so from their careless and improvident habits. But few of them, as I learn, keep even "the poor man's brindle," altho' most of them own a lot of cleared land.—Some of these are tolerably well fortified against depradators; others have only a poor apology for a fence; and others again have a bank of earth, a pile of brush, or a few poles put up on stakes to serve for the present season; while others have a fence on one or two sides, and the others entirely open. Here I saw an explanation of a very singular remark that was made in my hearing some years ago, "that every negro who had a family kept from one to four dogs, according to his ability—that is, the poorer the man, the more dogs he must keep." The explanation is thus: If the man is able to fence his lot, he needs but one dog to guard his gate, which is usually left open, if indeed there is any gate at all; but if he is too poor to fence all around, he wants as many dogs as there are exposed sides to his land. These dogs must have subsistence, and for want of it at home, they prey upon their neighboring farmer's sheep.

Now, by abolishing the practice of turning cattle out to pasture, all the poor, whether black or white, would be relieved from the trouble and expense of keeping any fence at all. And when thus relieved they would be encouraged to cultivate their lands with far more energy, and with better results. And then again, those who have been deterred from buying up and clearing cheap lands, by the enormous cost of fencing materials, would immediately avail themselves of the abundant opportunities now afforded of enriching themselves, if such expenses were rendered unnecessary. And such a reformation must be made before our County or State can become a beautiful or fruitful garden.

Presuming that the readers of the *Pioneer* have had enough of one thing, this number will conclude what I have to say at present about "cattle on highways." EL DAD.

Hopewell, Sept. 5, 1857.

The West-Jersey Pioneer.



BRIDGETON

Saturday Morning, September 19.

The Pioneer has a LARGER Circulation than any weekly Paper in this State!

Only $1 00 per Year!

JAMES B. FERGUSON,—Editor.

ANNUAL EXHIBITION.

The fourth annual Exhibition of Cumberland County Agricultural Society, will be held at Bridgeton, on Wednesday Sept. 30. Spanish Quarters, Levies, and Pipe will not be taken for Admission Tickets, for more than 20 cts. 10 cts. and 5 cts.

JOSEPH H. ELMER, Secretary.

Bridgeton, Sept. 5, '57.

"CATTLE ON HIGHWAYS."

THERE will be a discussion, on the above subject before the Bowentown Farmer's Club, on Monday Evening September 21st at 7 1-2 o'clock precisely all persons interested are cordially invited to attend and take part.

By order of the Club. P. LUDLAM, President.

Sept. 12, '57.

☞ The next term of the Cumberland Co. Courts commences on the 2d Tuesday in October.

SPECULATION—ITS RESULTS.

We are firm in the opinion that the present crash in business, throughout the country, is mainly owing to the high prices at which produce and other necessaries of life have been held for the last few years. It is always the case that when these articles get to such an exorbitant price, "hard times" follow; and we believe that some means should be devised by Government to break up the "gambling hells" of speculators, before the crash comes. The modus operandi of speculators is aptly illustrated in a story which is told of two boys who were taken up for some offence, and having nothing else to do in prison, commenced trading; and as the story goes, both got rich by swapping jackets, taking each other's promises to pay for the difference. Now we never could understand exactly how the result was brought about, but suppose that when they were released from prison, the bubble burst. But every day's observation, now, convinces us that the boys were not alone in their imaginary road to wealth.

Much of the prosperity of both eastern and western men, has very little, if any, more solid foundation than that of the two boys in prison, since it is apparent that a large portion of the operations of many, so called, business men, is no better in practice or in principle than the operations of the gaming table, and one result is the same in both.—Successful speculation, like successful gambling, engenders a spirit of extravagance; and when the reverse comes on, the expensive habits acquired during the temporary success, remain after the means for maintaining them have passed away.

Our attention has been called to this subject by the recent failure of the Ohio Life and Trust Company, a large portion of the capital of which has been loaned and re-loaned to aid those who have been engaged in swapping jackets," or that which amounts to the same thing, in buying and selling fancy stocks; and those fancy, or, as the phrase goes, "one horse banks," whose means have been turned in the same channel, will, of course, bend or break under the force of the current.

The remarks of our cotemporary of *Life Illustrated*, on this subject, correspond so well with our own views, that we transfer them to our columns.

Our good people of both city and country have acquired a habit of attaching altogether too much importance to the dealings of the money-changers of Wall Street. Failures and suspensions among the bankers and stock-operators in and around that neighborhood have always been of frequent occurrence; and such accidents must of necessity be the subjects for occasional excitements in financial circles so long as our "first business men" recognize the business of gambling in uncertain securities as a legitimate way to make money. Aside from its demoralizing tendency, the loss of a single bushel of potatoes by the "rot," or of a single bushel of wheat by fermentation, is more disastrous to the community than a temporary disaster in the exchanges of a few speculating but non-producing individuals, although the sum involved amount to one or two million of dollars.

What is it to the people of these United States, or even to the people of the city of New York, that one or two or half a dozen "Bulls" or "Bears" or adventurers in the "fancies" make or lose so as to retain or vacate their seats at the "Board?" What though the amount represented (on paper) be a million or a hundred millions? It is paper and not gold. It merely changes hands. Nothing is really made or lost. Like other gamblers in other "hells," one may be "broke" to-day, and "fetch up" to-morrow; next day "suspend;" the day after "compromise;" and the succeeding day "resume."

The utter insignificance of the Wall Street commotions, as affecting the real prosperity of the country, may be seen at a glance, by reference to the real as compared with the fictitious property. New York city alone possesses real and personal property of an assessed valuation of more than five hundred millions of dollars, and of a real valuation of nearly twice that sum. How then can the failure of two or three brokers to square their "balances," or the default of a bank or two in collecting and paying at particular days and places particular sums of money, be the amount great or small, seriously affect any interest save that of a few dealers and depositors?

These Wall Street panics are all moonshine. And the idea that "confidence" among honest business men should be destroyed, or in any way affected by the reverses of these enterprising Wall Street gentlemen, is quite as ridiculous as would be a financial crisis in a country village because some one of its citizens had lost a hundred dollars at a game of thimble-rig.

Bridgeton Library.

Where is the proposed library, and what means shall be taken to place it within the reach of those for whom it was designed? Most of our citizens are aware that an effort was made some time since, to establish a library in this town. The sum of five hundred dollars being the amount required on subscription before the Association could proceed to appoint a committee to purchase the books, the enterprise remains in an uncompleted condition for want of the small sum of fifty dollars, four hundred and fifty having been raised on subscription, most of which is collectable whenever called for by the proper authority. Shall it longer be said that the flourishing and populous town of Bridgeton is without a Public Library, for the want of sufficient liberality to subscribe fifty dollars, in addition to what has already been given? We trust not. Let those who are able and who have not as yet given anything, subscribe liberally and the enterprise will go. There is a gentleman in this town who has already subscribed as much as the amount required to proceed with the laudable enterprise, and if called upon would undoubtedly give more, yet we would advise the Committee who have the matter in charge not to give him an opportunity, as he has already displayed more liberality than any one should do, purely for the benefit of others, as he has a library of his own, which five hundred dollars would not purchase. In our opinion it would be much better to raise the fifty dollars needed, by subscriptions of five or even one dollar each, than to ask the whole amount of one individual. If subscribed to by the masses they will feel more of an interest in it, and the books will be more generally circulated and read than if they were the property of a few and that few a class of persons who have good libraries of their own. We feel an interest in this matter, believing that it will be a vast benefit to the town, we are willing to double our *mite* for the accomplishment of this end, and we believe a sufficient number of those who have subscribed are willing to do likewise. Let the effort then be made at once, and a library may be established so that many young men who spend their evenings in idleness about the corners of the streets and stores, will have an opportunity this fall and winter to improve their minds by making use of the Bridgeton Library.

Camden and Gloucester Co. Exhibition.

The fourth annual exhibition of this Society took place at Woodbury, on Tuesday last, the 14th inst. It having rained the day and night previous, and cleared away on the morning of the exhibition, the roads were in a fine condition for travelling, there being but little water on them, and no dust flying about to fill the eyes, and otherwise discommode those who visited the exhibition. We left Bridgeton after seven o'clock in the morning, and were on the fair ground before eleven, a distance of thirty-one miles; this we consider getting over the ground in good time, taking into consideration the time consumed in stopping to water, change the mail, &c.; but it is not to be wondered at when known that the driver is one who has been on the same road more than thirty years, and has some of the best stage horses in this part of the country, and knows how to manage them as well as the "next man."

We took the pains to time them between two of the mile stones, and found that they were going at the rate of twelve miles an hour. This, in contrast with stage traveling in South Jersey a few years since, is quite an improvement. But we will leave for some future occasion to speak of travel in general throughout this part of the State. It was our intention when commencing this article, to give some description of the Agricultural Exhibition at Woodbury.

Upon entering the enclosure we found a much larger concourse of people than we had anticipated; the horses were being exercised in the ring for that purpose, which was about the size of the one in Cumberland, although altogether unfitted for the purpose, it being quite uneven and hilly. The horses with few exceptions were ordinary, the stock, such as oxen, cows, calves, sheep, &c., was considered passable, though not very numerous; it was stated that the milk from one cow on exhibition, in one week, made fourteen pounds of butter. The manufactured articles and agricultural impliments outside of the tent, were few in number, though considered very good. The fruit, vegetables, grain, and farm produce in general, looked well, but the quantity on exhibition was not very extensive. The ladies department was not so well filled as it might have been had more of them taken an interest in it; it was generally conceded however, that the articles exhibited by them were of superior quality and not easily surpassed. Nearly every department of the exhibition displayed articles of superior quality, yet the quantity on exhibition was not what it might have been.

We trust our Cumberland County farmers and others interested in making a creditable display, will not hesitate to bring out all they possibly can at our exhibition, on the 30th inst., notwithstanding they may not expect to be rewarded with a valuable premium from the Society.

If all in this section who can, will do their utmost, the Cumberland County exhibition of the present year, will equal, if not surpass the creditable ones which have already been given by this Society.

The exhibition at Woodbury, notwithstanding the display was not so extensive as was anticipated by many, was considered very creditable to the counties of Camden and Gloucester, which it represented.

For the West Jersey Pioneer.
Dividing Creek Public School.

MR. EDITOR:—In your paper of to-day I notice an article signed by Samuel Cobb, on the "vexed question" of the above named school. Although it bears the name of Mr. C., I am satisfied in my own mind that it came from "head quarters." Believing that the subject has gone far enough, and that Mr. Sleeper is heartily sick of his bargain, and that he has learned a lesson which will be of great benefit to him in future, I do not feel disposed to open afresh the sores which have partly healed; therefore I shall not attempt an answer to Mr. C.'s heterogeneous mass of conglomerated nonsense, which would require sixteen men and a boy, headed by a Philadelphia lawyer, to discover the most remote particle of the most *common* of sense in it.

If I am called out again I shall "a tale unfold," as I have "the documents" to do so with.

I am sorry that Mr. Cobb has lent his name to that "mingled mess of confusion," for on a "sober second thought," I feel sure he will regret it.

Be it understood that I do not drop this matter thus briefly out of fear to "face the music;" but as I am not used to having *green cobs* presented to me without any corn on, I did not know what to *pick* at, consequently the shortness of this squib.

If Mr. Sleeper has anything more to say to me, let him say it in his own name, as heretofore, and I am prepared to meet him; but so long as he makes tools of other men, I cannot be induced to enter the field again, until forbearance ceased to be a virtue.

A PARENT.

Dividing Creek, Sept. 12, '57.

P. S.—I deny the assertion of some that I am the author of the article signed "Observer," which appeared in the last *Pioneer*.

AGRICULTARAL NOTICE.

The Fourth Annual Exhibition of the Cumberland County Agricultural Society will be held in Bridgeton, on Wednesday, the 30th of September, 1857.

All persons who last year became members will bear in mind that they are required by the Constitution to pay $1 annually, nor can their membership cease while in arrears, nor except by handing a written resignation to the Executive Committee.

Also bear in mind article 10th of the Constitution, which says: No premium shall be awarded at any Exhibition to any competitor who, at the time, is not a member of the Society, and his arrears paid up previous to the day of Exhibition, except in the Horticultural, Housewifery, and Fancy Departments, in which premiums may be awarded to females.

The following are the Committees on the different departments:

Essay.—N. R. Newkirk, M. D., John T. Nixon, Lewis Howell.

Farms.—R. M. Shute, Archibald Minch, John S. Holmes.

Crops.—Lewis M. Hire, Israel Miller, D. L. Burt.

Manures.—Robert Moore, P. Ludlam, David Padget.

Draining.—David M. Bowen, Aaron Padget, Robert Sheppard.

Horses, 1st. Division.—Richard Mulford, Ephraim E. Sheppard, Parvin Lloyd, Alpheus Brooks, Joab Sheppard.

Horses, 2d Division.—Smith Sheppard, Simon S. Swing, James H. Flanigan, Henry Dowdney, Job Bacon.

Colts and Fillies, 3d. Division.—Lewis M. Hires, Edgar C. Woodruff, Franklin Lawrence, John Keen, Edwin F. Miller.

Mules and Jacks.—Richard H. Mulford, Joshua C. Davis, Richard O. Lanning.

Cattle, Full Blood, 1st Division.—Isaac B. Mulford, Wm. Wheaton, Wm. Mulford, Isaac M. Smalley, Nathan Horner.

Cattle, Grade Stock, 2d Division.—Pershel H. Ranner, Charles Wheaton, Joseph L. Horner, Daniel Lovick, Isaac S. Ogden.

Cattle, Common Stock, 3d Division.—Samuel Brooks, Charles Lawrence, A. Holmes, William Blew, Seth Sheppard.

Fat Cattle.—[illegible]

Swing, Benjamin T. Mulford, Christian Cook, David Lanning, Isaiah Richmond.

Sheep.—David Kelsey, Nathaniel Diament Jr., William Hancock, Joseph H. Ogden, Reece Hurff.

Swine.—Ephraim L. Parvin, Joseph L. Harris, Joseph [illegible]

Live Poultry.—William A. Smith, Horace B. Davis, Richard B. Kain, Samuel R. Fithian, Henry S. Ogden.

Produce of Dairy.—Mrs. Isaac H. Hampton, Mrs. Harris Ogden, Mrs. Jonathan Fithian, Mrs. Nathaniel Diament, Mrs. Job Bacon.

Fruit.—William G. Nixon, Percival Nichols, Solomon Dubois, Harvey B. Newcomb, David Mc. Bride.

Plants and Flowers.—Dr. J. Barron Potter, Dr. Samuel Dowdney, Miss Cornelia Bateman, Miss Phœbe Swinney, Miss Matilda Dunham.

Grain and Grass Seeds.—Theophilus P. Davis, Albert Foster, James Flanigan.

Field Crops of 1856–7.—Jonathan Elmer, Furman H. Blew, Joseph L. Fogg, William Elwell, Lewis H. Bacon.

Vegetables.—Norton Paulin, Henry Meyer, Sherrord Sockwell, Amos S. Davis, Stratton Gilman.

Farming Utensils.—Elmer Moore, Horace E. Ogden, Jeremiah Westcott, Elmer G. Rocap, Ercurius B. Fithian.

Manufactured Articles, 1st. Division.—Benjamin Ayars, William Stuart, Charles E. Elmer, Charles H. Brewster, Samuel C. Fithian.

Manufactured Articles, 2d Division.—H. J. Mulford, George M. Swing, A D. Wilson, Dayton B. Whitekar, Joseph A. Bowen.

Ladies Work, 1st Division.—Mrs. Theophilus P. Davis, Mrs. Providence Ludlam, Miss Cornelia Gilette, Miss Abigal Burt, Miss Emma Challis.

Ladies Work, 2d Division.—Mrs. Rachel Lawrence, Miss Sarah A. Taylor, Miss Lucy Mulford, Miss Mary Kollock, Miss Sarah J. Ogden.

Ladies Work, 3d Division.—Mrs. Dr. Elmer, Mrs. Percival Nichols, Miss Priscilla Davis, Miss Mary H. Fithian, Miss Harriet Swing.

Home Department 1st. Division.—Mrs. David M. Bowen, Mrs. Ann Errickson, Mrs David S. Ogden, Mrs John Stutes, Mrs. Jonathan Elmer.

Home Department, 2d Division.—Mrs. George Swing, Mrs Charles Fithian, Mrs. Ellis A. Davis, Mrs. Lewis Howell, Mrs. David Mulford.

Home department, 3d Division.—Smith Woodruff, Richard Probasco, Isaac West, Samuel M. Coombs, Henry Glassby.

Plowing Match.—Robert Sheppard, Providence Ludlam, William Mulford, Thomas Ewing, James Flanigan, Sr., Daniel Danzenbaker.

Reaping and Mowing Match.—James H. Flanigan, Joshua Coombs, Mordecai T. Davis, Thomas Bowen, Jonathan Elmer, Dickerson Sheppard, Samuel C. Fithian.

The following named persons were appointed to take charge of the different articles on the day of Exhibition:

Horses, Colts and Mules—J. Fithian, assisted by John Holmes and Smith Sheppard.

Cattle—Mark Harmer, assisted by Sol. Dubois and Joseph L Harris.

Sheep, Swine and Poultry—Harris Ogden, Jr.; assisted by D. McBride and Franklin Lawrence.

Vegetables, Grain and Grass Seeds—J. Stutes; assisted by Alfred Holmes, Isaac Woodruff and Richard Lott.

Fruit and Flowers—Isaac H. Cox; assisted by Richard Probasco and Thomas H. Miller.

Farming Utensils and Manufactured Articles—James Campbell, Jr., Evan Dalrymple and Percival Nichols.

Home Department and Produce of Dairy—Providence Ludlam, Mrs. Doctor Hampton, Mrs Doctor Elmer.

Ladies' Work—James J. Reeves, Mrs. Mary Porter and Miss Rebecca McBride

Reception—Jonathan Fithian, Harris Ogden, Jr.

REGULATIONS

No horses and carriages will be permitted to remain on the Exhibition ground, except those that compete for premiums.

All articles for competition must be on the ground by 9 o'clock A. M., and remain until 4 o'clock P. M.

The gates will be open at 9 o'clock A. M.

The Judges and Committees on awards, are requested to meet at the stand at precisely 10 o'clock, to receive their blanks and directions for making proper returns; at which time they will go upon duty, and make their awards as rapidly as possible to the Secretary.

The Horses of the 3d division, and Mules and Jacks, will be examined in the morning, commencing at 10 o'clock, and the Horses of the 1st and 2d divisions in the afternoon, at 1½ o'clock, and continue until 3 o'clock, when the awards will be made, after which the ring will be broken up, and no further trotting allowed.

There will be two entrance and four exit gates.

I. H. COX, *Sec'y Ex. Com.*

Deferred Articles.

Owing to the length of the Cumb. Co. Agricultural notice, which was handed in at a late hour, and other articles previously in type, we are compelled to omit a large quantity of advertisements, editorial matter, and communications. Among the latter, a lengthy one from Dividing Creek, on the school question, which will be published next week, if not withdrawn by those interested.

Schooner Launch.

A Schooner registering about 200 tons, 94 feet keel, 27 feet beam, 8 feet hold, to be launched from the ship-yard of Bateman & Husted, Fairton, on the 29th inst., at 9 o'clock A. M.

Bridgeton Woolen Factory.

THE Subscribers having made arrangements for doing an extensive business the present season, at their old established

WOOLEN MANUFACTORY,

In Bridgeton N. J., invite Farmers and others to their facilities for manufacturing, which are probably superior to any other in the State.

Having introduced the latest improvements into their establishments, for the manufacturing of Blankets, Flannels, Satinetts, Stocking Yarn, Carpet yarn, &c., inducements are here offered to those that wish to have their wool manufactured unsurpassed by any other establishment.

WOOL CARDED INTO ROLLS

And coloring neatly and expeditiously executed and warranted to give satisfaction.

N. B.—Farmers before parting with their Wool are requested to call at the Factory and learn our prices, as we intend to pay the highest cash prices for Wool.

May 16, '57. E. & J. DuBOIS.

THE TEACHER'S

Of this county are requested to meet at the school room of the West Jersey Academy, on Wednesday, the 30th inst. at 10 o'clock A. M. for the purpose of organizing a Teachers Association.—Lectures by the Cumberland County Teachers Association, and other persons are expected to be present. All the friends of the cause of education in the county is earnestly solicited to be present.

Bridgeton, Sept. 12, 1857.

LIVER COMPLAINT & DYSPEPSIA.

Philadelphia, Jan. 18, 1853.

Dr. C. M. Jackson—Dear Sir—I have used your Hooflands German Bitters in my family for the past four years, for Liver Diseases and Dyspepsia, and am pleased to acknowledge that we have received the greatest benefit from its use. I have recommended it to a great many afflicted with similar diseases, with the same good results.

I have no hesitation in saying that it is an invaluable medicine, and hope you will be able to introduce it into every family in the Union.

Yours truly, WM. HUGHES, No. 111 Wood street.

For Sale by S. L. FITHIAN, and Druggists and Storekeepers generally.

EQUALITY TO ALL!—UNIFORMITY OF PRICES! A New Feature in business: Every one his own Salesman—Jones & Co., of the "Crescent One Price Clothing Store," No. 200 Market street, above Sixth, Philadelphia, in addition to having the largest, most varied and fashionable stock of Clothing in Philadelphia, made expressly for retail sales constituted every one his own salesman, by having marked in figures, on each article the very lowest price it can be sold for so they cannot possibly vary—all must but alike.

The goods are all well sponged and pressed and great pains taken with the making, so that all can buy with the price.

Remember the Crescent, in Market, above Sixth, No. 200.

June 20, '57.-1y. JONES & Co.

MARRIED.

At Roadstown, on the 15th inst., by Rev. J. M. Challis, Mr. HENRY C. BALLINGER, to Miss ELIZABETH CLARK, both of Bridgeton.

In Bridgeton, on the 15th inst., By Rev. J. S. Kennard, Mr. ROBERT DARE of this place, to Mrs. EMILY WHITE of WOODSTOWN, N. J.

On the 10th inst, by the Rev. J. Talbot Gracey, Mr. ABIJAH S. HAND of Deerfield N. J., to Miss MARTHA A. SIMPSON, of Philadelphia.

DIED.

In Bridgeton, on the 15th inst., GEORGE HARRIS, Esq., in the 73d year of his age.

In Bridgeton, on the 13th inst., Mrs. TEMPERANCE T., wife of Charles Jones, in the 32d year of her age.

In Bridgeton, on the 12th inst., HARRIS, son of Harris B. (dec'd) and Elizabeth Mattison, aged 2 years and 1 month.

In Bridgeton, on the 13th inst., of Typhoid Fever, MARY, daughter of John and Jane Clymer, aged 19 years, 11 months and 5 days. "In the midst of life we are in death."

In Bridgeton, on the 5th inst., WILLIAM M., son of Francis A. and Esther Ann Davis, aged 11 months and 5 days.

At Greenwich, on the 5th inst., SALLIE KELSEY, daughter of Job and Elizabeth Watson, aged five years, ten months, and five days.

On the 13th ult., in Sayre's Neck, after a short illness, Mrs. DEBORAH C., wife of George E. Elmer, in the 43d year of her age.

On the 28th ult., in Fairton, Mr. JOSIAH OGDEN, in the 82d year of his age.

At Cedarville, on the 27th ult, Miss LYDIA, daughter of Ephraim and Abigial Harris, in the 18th year of her age.

Bridgeton Prices Current.

Corrected weekly for the Pioneer.

W. Wheat	$1 60 rts.	Potatoes	50 cts.
R. Wheat	1 50 "	Butter,	22 cts. per lb.
Old Corn,	80 "	Eggs,	12 " " doz.
New Corn,	00 "	Hams,	16 " " lb
Rye,	90 "	Lard,	15 " " lb.
Oats,	35 "	Pork,	12 cts. per lbs.

Philadelphia Grain Market.

There is a fair amount of Wheat offering, and it is in better request. Sales of 3500 bushels good and prime Southern Red at $1,20a1,25 per bushel; 2500 bushels good White in store at $1,30. There is but little Rye offering, and it is worth 75. Corn continues in fair request, and 5000 bushels Yellow sold at 76a78 cents afloat. Oats are dull at 36 a 38.

AMERICAN CO. CONVENTION.

THE several Townships are requested to meet at an early date to select FIVE DELEGATES to attend the AMERICAN CO. CONVENTION, to be held at the Court House, in Bridgeton, on TUESDAY, Sept. 22nd, at 2 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of selecting one candidate for County Clerk, one for Surrogate, one for Sheriff, two for Assembly, and three for Coroners, to be supported by the American Party at the coming election. A full delegation requested.

Sept. 19, '56.-1t. JOEL MOORE, President of last County Convention.

NOTICE.

I offer myself as a candidate for Surrogate of Cumberland County, at the ensuing election.

Bridgeton, Sept. 19, 1857. H. R. MERSEILLES.

Ploughing Match.

The Ploughing Match of the Cumberland County Agricultural Society will take place on the farm of Jonathan Fithian, near Bowentown, on Tuesday, September 22th, at 2 o'clock P. M. The boys will have the choice of lands.—Other regulations will be stated at the match.

We hope there will be a good turn-out of both men and boys. Let us have a spirited competition from all the townships.

PROVIDENCE LUDLAM, ROBERT SHEPPARD, THOMAS EWING, WM. MULFORD, JAMES FLANIGAN, Sr., DAN'L DANZENBAKER.

Sept. 19-1t.

Sealed Proposals

WILL be received by Jos. H. Elmer, Secretary of the Cumberland County Agricultural Society, until Wednesday the 23d instant, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the privilege to sell Refreshments on the enclosure of the Exhibition ground. The privilege includes having water in at least four places within the enclosure, for the accommodation of visitors—free of charge. Sept. 19, 1857-1t.

NOTICE.

By Divine permission, the New Baptist Meeting House in Bridgeton, N. J., will be dedicated to the worship of Almighty God, on Wednesday, September 23, at 10 o'clock A. M.—sermon by Rev. Dr. Rennard, of Philadelphia. The former Pastors of the church that are living, are expected to be present. A collection will be taken up to aid in liquidating the debt upon the church. The public are invited to attend. I. A. SHEPPARD.

Bridgeton, September 19, 1857-1t.

NEW FALL GOODS.

J. B. Potter & Co.,

Are now opening their stock of Fall Goods of every description, comprising the new styles of DRESS GOODS in silks, ducals, delanes, poplins, prints, ginghams, &c. Also stella, brocha and thibet long and square SHAWS; gloves, hosiery, embroideries, silk fringes, dress trimmings and velvet ribbons, together with a large stock of flannels, muslins, tickings, blankets, sheetings, linens, cloths, cassimeres, vestings, &c. All of which will be sold on the most favorable terms, for cash, grain, wood, &c. Bridgeton, Sept. 19.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

The subscribers offer for sale, at a very reduced price a first rate second-hand BUGGY, in good order.

Sept. 19-tf. DALRYMPLE & ROCAP.

Boarding House for Rent,

In the central part of Bridgeton. The large, commodious Boarding House in my new Brick Building, containing 23 rooms. Possession given immediately.

September 19, 1857-tf. R. D. CARLL.

TO FARMERS.

ECONOMY IS WEALTH!

The best manure for the least money is the

Super-Nitrogenized Phosphoric Acid

manufactured by the Farmers' Chemical Agricultural company, in Camden, N. J. It has been tried and found to be as equal, if not superior to the best Peruvian Guano, or any other manure in use, and at a less price. For sale by

Bridgeton, Sept. 19. R. J. FITHIAN, Agent.

Special Notice.

All persons owing us money that is due on note, book account, bonds and mortgages, or any other way, are particularly and specially requested to call and pay up at once. Debts both large and small are meant by this notice.

Sept. 19-4t. H. J. MULFORD & BRO.

REAL ESTATE.

Will be sold at public sale on TUESDAY, the 29th day of September, 1857, at the Hotel of E. Davis & Son, in Bridgeton, the following described

HOUSE, AND LOT OF LAND

containing one acre, and 72-100. The improvements are a 2 story frame house, with cellar under the same, lean-to kitchen and shed, with a well of good water in the same; enclosed with a good fence; hog-pen, chicken roosts, &c. The above is situate near the Deerfield Presbyterian Meeting House, and on the main road from Nell's Mills to Deerfield Hotel; convenient to school houses, and adjoins George Leak and others.—Any person wishing to see the property, can do so by calling on J. F. Henderson, who now resides on the same.

Five per cent. of the purchase money to be paid on the day of sale, one half on delivery of the deed, and the balance in one year from the 25th of March, 1858, with interest.

Sale to commence at 3 o'clock P. M. Conditions made known at sale by DANIEL M. WOODRUFF.

Sept. 19, '56.-4t. Auctioneer.

TIMBER SALE.

Will be sold at Public sale on MONDAY, the 21st day of September, 1857, near the road from Stoe Creek to Bacon's Neck, and joining Joseph S. Williams, the TIMBER standing on 23 acres, to be sold in lots to suit purchasers. The Timber is principally oak, and of about 27 years growth.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock P. M. Conditions at sale by ISAAC S. WARD.

Sept. 19, '57.-1t*.

TIMBER SALE.

Will be sold at public sale on fourth day, the 23d day of September, 1857, twelve acres of timber, of twenty-eight years growth, situate in Salem County adjoining lands formerly belonging to Ellis Ayars, dec., Clements Ayars, dec., on the North, and others. The timber is principally oak and chestnut, nearly one half chestnut, well calculated for good cordwood and rails, in lots to suit purchasers.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock P. M. Conditions at sale by EDMUND D. AYARS.

Sept. 19, '56.-1t. B. C. West, Auctioneer.

Republican Co. Convention.

The Republicans of the County of Cumberland, will meet in Convention, at the Court House, Bridgeton, on Monday afternoon the 21st inst. at 2 o'clock.

Every Township in the County is requested to send five delegates. "Punctuality will secure success."

LEWIS HOWELL, Chairman of last Repub. Con.

Sept. 12, '57.-2t.

MUSLINS.

A GOOD assortment of Bleached & unbleached muslin, Cambric, Swiss and Muslin do, Cambric and Swiss flouncing, Inserting and Edging, Dimity Bands and some fine French Dimity, also a fresh lot of Collars, Undersleeves and Handkerchiefs, of the latter, some of excellent quality for gentlemen TAYLOR & NEWKIRK.

Bridgeton, Mar. 14, 57.-tf

FOWLERS, WELLS & CO.,—

Phrenologists and Publishers, 231 Arch St., below Seventh, Philadelphia. All works on Phenology, Water Cure, Magnetism and Phonography for sale. Phrenological examinations day and evening. Cabinet free to visitors.

IMPORTANT DISCOVERY
CONSUMPTION

And all Diseases of the Lungs and Throat are positively Curable by Inhalation,

Which conveys the remedies to the cavities in the lungs through the air passages, and coming in direct contact with the disease, neutralizes the tubercular matter, allays the cough, causes a free and easy expectoration, heals the lungs, purifies the blood, imparts renewed vitality to the nervous system, giving that tone and energy so indispensable for the restoration of health. To be able to state confidently that Consumption is curable by inhalation, is to me a source of unalloyed pleasure. It is as much under the control of medical treatment as any other formidable disease; ninety out of every hundred cases can be cured in the first stages, and fifty per cent in the second; but in the third stage it is impossible to save more than five per cent, for the Lungs are so eat up by the disease as to bid defiance to medical skill. Even, however, in the last stages, Inhalation affords extraordinary relief to the suffering attending this fearful scourge, which annually destroys ninety-five thousand persons in the United States alone; and a correct calculation shows that of the present population of the earth, eighty millions are destined to fill the Consumptive's graves.

Truly the quiver of death has no arrow so fatal as Consumption. In all ages it has been the great enemy of life, for it spares neither age nor sex, but sweeps off alike the brave, the beautiful, the graceful, and the gifted. By the help of the Supreme Being, from whom cometh every good and perfect gift, I am enabled to offer to the afflicted a permanent and speedy cure in Consumption. The first cause of diseases is from impure blood, and the immediate effect, produced by their deposition in the lungs, is to prevent the free admission of air into the air cells, which causes a weakened vitality through the entire system. Then surely it is more rational to expect greater good from medicines entering the cavities of the lungs than from those administered through the stomach; the patient will always find the lungs free and the breathing easy after inhaling remedies. True, inhalation is a local remedy, nevertheless it acts constitutionally, and with more power and certainty than remedies administered by the stomach. To prove the powerful and direct influence of this mode of administration, chloroform inhaled will entirely destroy sensibility in a few minutes, paralyzing the entire nervous system, so that a limb may be amputated without the slightest pain inhaling the ordinary burning gas will destroy life in a few hours.

The inhalation of a ammonia will rouse the system when fainting or apparently dead. The color of many of the medicines is perceptible in the skin a few minutes after being inhaled, and may be immediately detected in the blood. A convincing proof of the constitutional effects of inhalation, is the fact that sickness is always produced by boating foul air. Is not this positive evidence that proper remedies, carefully prepared and judiciously administered through the lungs, should produce the most happy results? During eighteen years practice, many thousands, suffering from diseases of the lungs and throat, have been under my care, and I have effected many remarkable cures, even after the sufferers had been pronounced in the last stages, which fully satisfies me that consumption is no longer a fatal disease. My treatment of consumption is original, and founded on long experience and thorough investigation. My perfect acquaintance with the nature of tubercles &c., enables me to distinguish, readily, the various forms of disease that simulate consumption, and apply the proper remedies rarely being mistaken even in a single case. This familiarity in connection with certain pathological and microscopic discoveries, enables me to relieve the lungs from the effects of contracted chests; to enlarge the chest, purify the blood, impart to it renewed vitality, giving energy and tone to the entire system.

Medicines with full directions sent to any part of the United States and Canadas by patients communicating their symptoms by letter. But the cure would be more certain if the patient should pay me a visit, which would give me an opportunity to examine the lungs, and enable me to prescribe with much greater certainty, and then the cure could be effected without my seeing the patient again.

G. W. GRAHAM, M. D.

Office 1131 Filbert St. (old No. 109,) below Twelfth, Philadelphia Pa.

March, 21, '57.

NEW FASHIONABLE MILLENERY.

The Misses Elmer.

RESPECTFULLY inform the ladies of Bridgeton, and vicinity that they have opened a Full stock of Millinery goods, at their establishment next door to C. S. Miller & Co's Dry Good store, (Grosscup's Building) where they are prepared to furnish all kinds of

MILLINERY

Consisting of Colored Straws, Fancy Silks, Velvet Pelonettts Flowers, Artificials, Head Dresses, Ladies Dress Caps, Infants Caps, &c., with the utmost care, and in conformity to the latest styles and fashion, suited to all tastes.

Sept. 12.2m. H. & E. ELMER.

Look Out for Bargains,

WILLIAM POGUE,

Has a new Cooking Stove, Three Dollars cheaper than ever before offered in Bridgeton, and warranted to perform well, if not return it and get your money. Sept. 12, '57.

Fall Fashions for 1857.

Just received all of the newest styles of hats for fall and winter, at the long store sign of the Eagle. Also the new invented flexible hat. Small of you that like an easy fitting hat call this way.

Also a new variety of Cloths, Cassimeres, vestings, &c. all to be sold very low for cash at the sign of the Eagle.

N. B. Cutting done at the shortest notice.

Sept. 12, '57. JOS. BURT.

Oil Cloths! Oil Cloths!!

The subscriber having purchased and received his fall stock, would invite his old customers and all others who are in need of OIL CLOTHS, and carpets, to call and examine at once. Large

OIL CLOTHS,

For kitchens, Entries, and stoves. Also step OIL CLOTHS together with a fine assortment of table OIL CLOTHS.

My carpets comprise the following varieties, viz: Brussels, Ingrain, Cotton Ingrain, Linen Tapestry, German Venitian, Rag and step carpets, and step rods. Also

WOOLEN DRUGGETS AND TABLE COVERS!

I have in addition to the above a supply of Door Mats, which I can recommend as being of a good quality and finish.

Boston Carpet Chain for sale at Philadelphia prices.

Bridgeton, Sept. 12, '57.-3m. J. R. GRAHAM.

COHEN'S

IMPRESSION & TRACING PAPER.

For taking impressions of Embroideries, Laces, Flowers, Leaves &c. For sale wholesale and retail by

J. D. HARBERT.

Druggist 14 East Commerce St. Bridgeton N. J.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY Virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Circuit Court of Cumberland, county of Cumberland, to me directed, will be exposed to Sale at Public Vendue, on Tuesday the 6th day of October next, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the Hotel of E. Davis & Son, in Bridgeton, in the county of Cumberland, and State of New Jersey, the following described Mortgaged premises, to wit: All that certain House and Lot, situate in the town ship of Bridgeton, on the East side of Cohansey Creek; Beginning at a post set for a corner, standing in the line of the west side of Pearl street and is also a corner of land late of Joel Bishop's; thence along the west side of said street, north 28 deg. east 33, 4-12 feet to a post for a corner; thence along the south side of Marion street, leading from Pearl to Laurel street, north 61 1-2 deg. west 142 feet to a stake for a corner, and is also a corner of late Potter & Elmer's; thence bounding thereon, south 28 deg. west 83 4-12 feet to a post for a corner, and is also a corner of land formerly said Joel Bishop's; thence bounding thereon, south 61 1-2 deg. east 142 feet to the place of beginning; containing eleven thousand eight hundred and thirty-two square feet, more or less, excepting out of the same a lot of land sold by one Wm. Brookfield to Lewis Tilsworth, containing a thousand and fifty-four feet more or less, together with all and singular, the rights, liberties, privileges, hereditaments and apurt

Farmers, Housekeepers, & the whole World—Attention!!

WILLIAM PO[illegible] still continues at his new store, next door to the Post-office, in Commerce st., in the Tinware and Stove Business and intends to keep on hand and for sale at the very lowest prices STOVES! of all the various kinds and styles manufactured in the United States, both for Churches, Offices, Parlors, Bed-rooms, kitchen, Dining Room and Chambers, and will warrant them to be exactly what they are sold for. All sizes of 10-plate stoves, with or without boilers.

TIN WARE

In all its variety; on hand, or manufactured to order and warranted.

HOUSEKEEPERS

Are requested to call and examine his articles, having almost every article that is desirable in the Kitcuen Department. Knives and forks of the best quality always for sale. Fluid lamps of all sizes and kinds and at all prices. Brittainir Tea Sotts, Table and Tea poons, Ladles, &c.

Roofing and Spouting

Done at short notice, in the best manner, of the best material and finished at the time agreed upon.

Lightning Rods of copper. and plated with silver, recommended as the best in use. The platina points also furnished if required.

Employing none but competent workmen, customers can rely upon having their work done in a proper manner; having no botches about his establishment, no fears need be entertained as regards the work not being done scientifically. Having had many years experience in the business, he flatters himself that all who deal with him will be satisfied as to the quality of the work, cheapness, eligance and durability.

Feb. 28, '57.

Cedar Rails for Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale Seven Thousand Cedar Rails. Five thousand of first and two thousand second quality, in lots to suit purchasers. Enquire of

June 13, '57-tf. JOS. W. WOODRUFF.

DARLING SCYTHES.

Genuine Darlings Grass and Grain Scythes; Scythe sneath, both straight and crooked; Scythe rifles; Scythe snaths; hay forks; hay Rakes; hay ropes; farming implements. Tools &c.

H. J. MULFORD & BRO.

PLOUGHS AND CASTINGS.

BOUTY & MEARS, centre Draught Ploughs, Corn do. castings of the different sizes; Beaches do; Owens do; Peacocks do; Share Bolts, and Wrenches.

June 13, '57. H. J. MULFORD & BRO.

A new style silk HAT, just in its bloom, at the fashionable hat and cap store of

April 25. W. B. STATTON.

WHITE GOODS.

SWISS, Book, Cambric, Jaconets and Plaid Muslins, Brilliants, Worked collars Edgings and Insertings, Linen Handkfs &c for sale by

April 25, '57. STRATTON & HARRIS.

Hats, Hats, ts,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, at the cheap Hat and Cap store of Wm. B. Statton. Just arrived this day, by sloops Nile, Moil and Ellen, one of the largest, cheapest and best assortments of HATS AND CAPS I ever had some time. Wholesale store. Please give me a call, all you lovers bargains, and I will sell to you cheap, as I have the cash to pay, and they must be sold.

A new style of Hat called the French Style, is now for sale at Statton's cheap hat and cap emporium.

The largest assortment of Hats and Caps in Bridgeton may now be found at the only regular hat and cap store of Statton's, corner of the bridge.

We have, at our store, a good assortment of silk hats the latest spring styles. Please walk in and take a peep.

WANTED,

All who have never bought a hat at Statton's cheap hat and cap store, to call and do so without delay as delays are dangerous, and there are bargains to be had at my store.

May 23, '57 WILLIAM B. STATTON, hatter.

BLACKSMITHING.

THE subscriber having purchased the entire interest of Joseph B. Wood in the Blacksmith shop in Laurel street, Bridgeton; and being a practical workman of long experience, and having the best workmen in my employ, not only for horse shoeing, but for everything else in this line of business, I am prepared to execute all kinds of work at short notice, and in a workman-like manner. Having everything in order for doing the best of work, I feel confident of my ability to give general satisfaction. I therefore solicit from farmers and the public in general the same liberal share of custom.

Carriages ironed in the neatest and most improved styles, surpassed by nothing in West Jersey, either in neatness or durability.

Heavy wagons, either wood or iron arm, ironed in the best manner; also, ploughs, harrows, and everything belonging to the blacksmith business.

Particular attention paid to the important branch of horseshoeing.

Those wishing work done, are respectfully requested to call.

Country produce, and Cumberland Bank Notes taken in exchange for work. C. B. HOOD,

July 18, 1857-6m. Laurel st., west side.

DRUGS, Medicine, Paints, Oils, Spices, Perfumery, &c., at wholesale prices, by

J. D. HARBERT,

Wholesale and Retail Druggist, 14 East Commerce st., Bridgeton, N. J. July 18.

Something New in Bridgeton,

A RARE CHANCE.

JOHN G. KEYSER, PORTRAIT PAINTER, FORMERLY graduate of Munich, the most celebrated, academy of painting in Europe

Painted Portraits in Oil on canvass as large as life, full length, half length, busts or whole family groups, now so generally to be seen in parlors in larger cities, warranted a correct likeness, to last for many generations at moderate charges.

ALSO,

Portraits of deceased persons can be taken from good Daguereotypes painted on Canvass in life size to iatire satisfaction.

Finished portraits are exhibited at the store of Messrs Maul and Clark, and continually replaced by newly painted ones. Call and examine, for particulars please inquire at

JOHN G. KEYSER,

Portrait Painter late of Philadelphia.

Feb. 7. '57. tf

GUANO! GUANO!! GUANO!!!

ALL kinds, LEINAU'S super Phosphate of Lime. 7,000 tons.

Farmers! for your wheat crops, use Leinau's Super Phosphate of Lime, at 2¼ Cts. a lb. or $40 a Ton; or Use Leinau's American Fertilizer, at $3,50 a Bbl. or $25 a ton.

One barrel of either is sufficient for an Acre of Wheat. These are Permanent Manures, made of reliable Chemical Elements, and have been in successfull use for the past Six Years, improving the soil and increasing the value of the land.

Four Diplomas from the State Agricultural Society of Pennsylvania; New Jersey; Delaware and the Crystal Palace Association of the City of New York, have been received for these Valuable Fertilizers.

Pamphlets in the English and German Language can be had by application at the Office.

A liberal discount to wholesale dealers.

The above Fertilizers, delivered free of cartage to any wharf in the old City Proper.

Orders sent by Mail accompanied with Cash or Drafts will be promptly Shipped to any part of the World. GEORGE A. LEINAU,

No. 19 South Front Street, Philadelphia City,

July. 25 '57.-4mw. Pennsylvania.

Still in the Field.

At Reeves & Davis' is the place
Where shoes are got with ease;
They're made to button or to lace,
And warranted to please.

We have the largest stock in town;
We're not afraid to tell it;
Come friends and neighbors, all around,
For we are bound to sell it.

Now, gentlemen in want of shoes,
Of gaiters or of boots;
We send to you the cheering news,
We have them just to suit!

The ladies, too, have heard the news,
They look so very sweet,
Then rush to Reeves & Davis' where
They make their fits so neat.

Old people, too, with tender feet,
They rush to Mr. Reeves,
Because they know he can't be beat
In making shoes for ease.

For forty years he's kept the course,
"Tending to people's feet;
By some he's called the great war horse
That never can be beat!

Come, rich and poor, come young and old;
Come every one that can;
We're bound not to be under-sold
By ANY LIVING MAN!

To be continued as circumstances require.

REEVES & DAVIS.

[Cheap Boot and Shoe Store, Commerce st.

Bridgeton, April 25, 1857.

NEW ARRIVAL!

PER sloop Two Brothers a cargo of 24 and 30 inch Cypres Shingles, Machine and hand shaved at the Lumber and Hardware Depot of

WHITEKAR, ROBESON & Co.

April, 4, '57.

Cumberland Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

BRIDGETON, N. J.

CONTINUES to effect insurances as heretofore.

Has now 8,841 policies,

Insuring amount of	$3,786,709.
Premium notes deposited,	$501,664.
Cash funds,	7,466

N. B. All policies become void upon sale or alteration of the property, and in six months after the death of the insured, subject to confirmation or renewal, agreeably to By Laws.

DIRECTORS.

Benjamin Sheppard, Greenwich; Dr. George Tomlinson, Roadstown; Isaac West, Esq., Shiloh; Dr. Leonard Lawrence, Cedarville; Daniel L. Burt, Esq., Fairton; James Coombs, Esq., Pittsgrove; Dr. Wm. S. Bowen, Bridgeton; David P. Elmer, do.; Isaac A. Sheppard, do.; Nathan L. Stratton, do.; Uriah D. Woodruff, do.; D. A. F. Randolph, do.; Jonathan Elmer, do.; Lewis Mc Bride Esq., do.; James Stiles, Esq., do.

BENJAMIN SHEPPARD, PRESIDENT.

HENRY B. LUPTON, *Secretary.*

Executive Committee.—David P. Elmer, Isaac A. Sheppard, Lewis McBride, Jonathan Elmer.

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Peter G. Ludlam, Millville.
Doct. James Loper, Millville.
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" Joseph Butcher, Mauricetown.
" Maurice Beesley, Dennisville.
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Reuben Townsend, Court House.
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James Coombs Esq. Pittsgrove.

Bridgeton, Sept. 8, 1856.

GROCERIES!

MOLASSES, white and brown sugars, Rio, Laguira and Cape coffee.

SALT.—Fine salt, dairy and Turks Island salt, for sale by WILSON SILVERS.

Bridgeton, Nov. 8, 1856.

FINE SEGARS.

A Choice selection of imported Segars of the best brands, at F. DARE'S

Drug & Variety Store, Bridgeton, N. J.

July 5.

BREWSTER & CO.

Successors of the business of the late Francis G. Brewster,

AT the old stand in Commerce street, Bridgeton, respectfully solicit a continuance of patronage from the friends and customers of the old house, and the public generally.

Having recently renewed the stock of the various goods in their line, are now ready to supply their friends and the trade with pure and genuine Drugs chemicals, Patent Medicines, Paints, oils, varnishes, glass, dye-stuffs, spices, perfumery, confectionaries, Books & Stationary

All orders confided to them will be executed promptly and satisfactorily.

Bridgeton, Nov. 22, 1856.

F. Dare's Drug & Medicine Store.

N. W. Cor. of Commerce & Cohansey Sts.

FOR SALE—Louden's Carminitive Expectorant, pile remedy, &c., Collin's camphorated ginger, Townsend's sassaparillas, Swaynes syrup wild cherry and other medicines.

Hoofland's German bitters, Tobias' Hunt's Mustang and other liniments.

Wrights, Smiths, Townsends and other pills, and all the valuable popular medicines, also, a large and choice lot of perfumery, hair oils, cologues, fancy soaps, fine extracts, balm of a thousand flowers, bandoline, &c.

Bridgeton, July 5. FRANKLIN DARE.

SUGAR.

NEW Orleans Sugar just received and for sale cheap at DANIEL FITHIAN'S.

LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS,

A Large lot of Gents and Ladies Linen Handkerchiefs, Plain and Embroidered, Gents silk Pocket handkerchiefs, also, Gents black Silk cravats for sale cheap for cash at

March 28, '57. C. S. MILLER & Co.

MOLASSES.

JUST received and for sale, New Crop New Orleans, and Pensylvania Steam syrup, Molass of the very best Quality by

SWING & TOMLINSON.

Feb, 7, '57.-tf

OTHERS MAY BOAST,

BUT WE WILL PERFORM.

THE subscribers have just opened a complete assortment of Cloths cassimers and vestings suitable for spring and summer use—the cheapest—best and prettiest variety in town—call and see them. THOMPSON & FITHIAN.

April 18, '57.

Harbert's Superior Tooth Powder.

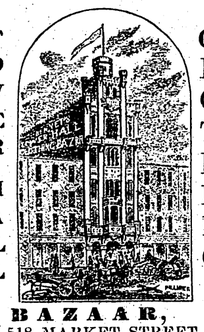
THIS superior Dentrific, prepared at the Dental Labrotory of J. D. Harbert, and celebrated for promoting the health of the Teeth and Gums, and purifying the breath, is for sale at all the principle stores and at the office of J. D. Harbert, Dentist 3d door in Elmers Brick Row, Commerce St. near the bridge.

JUST OPENED,

BENNETT'S

NEW

TOWER HALL CLOTHING



BAZAAR,

NO. 518 MARKET STREET,

south side, between 5th and 6th, sts., Philadela., (formerly No. 154,) with a fresh and fashionable stock of MEN and BOYS'

CLOTHING,

unequalled for immensity, variety, elegance, durability and cheapness.

Also, a large stock of Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings, to make up to order; together with a complete assortment of Furnishing Goods.

JOSEPH M. BENNETT, Proprietor.

November 15, 1856-1y.

PHILADELPHIA HOUSE.

THIS popular House, situated in Cape Island N. J., the central part of the Island, formerly kept by Mr. H. D. Steward, was opened by the subscribers, on the 24th day of June, for the reception of visitors, and will be kept open during the year.

The House is in prime order, and no pains will be spared to give satisfaction to those who may favor them with their patronage.

An Omnibus is provided to convey the guests of the House to the bathing ground free of charge.

Carriages can be had at any time to convey guests to any place they may desire.

☞ Terms reasonable.

STEWARD & SPRINGER, Pro.

H. D. STEWARD, S. R. SPRINGER.

June 27, '57.-tf.

Old Franklin Hall

CLOTHING EMPORIUM,

No. 111 Chestnut st., corner of Franklin Place, Phila., (lately occupied by Rockhill & Wilson.)

OLIVER & WELLS

RESPECTFULLY inform the citizens of Bridgeton and vicinity that they have opened this well known Clothing Establishment, with a fresh stock of desirable

Ready Made Clothing

of various styles and qualities, and gentlemen's furnishing goods. Also, a good selection of the newest description of piece goods for those who prefer their garments made to order.

Those visiting the city to replenish their wardrobes, are earnestly solicited to give us a call, as sufficient inducements will be offered to make purchases at our establishment in preference to any others—our principle of doing business being the lowest possible prices for cash—our motto "small expenses and light profits."

GEORGE H. OLIVER. JOSHUA T. WELLS.

March 7, 1857-tf.

HARBERT'S superior Tooth Powder is the best article ever used for the teeth and gums. July 18.

PORK,

HAMS, Lard, Fish, Cheese, &c. For sale by

May 10, D. FITHIAN & SON.

S. E. corner Commerce & Laurel Sts.

Jersey Hams.

NEW Sugar Cured Jersey Hams, at Donaghay's Grocery and Provision Store, two doors from S. W. cor. Commerce and Pearl sts., Bridgeton, N. J. Jan. 31.

Dividing Creek

MAIL STAGE!

THIS LINE will leave DIVIDING CREEK every morning at 6½ o'clock, arriving in Bridgeton in time to take the 10 o'clock line for Philad'a.

RETURNING—Leaves E. Davis & Son's Hotel, BRIDGETON, every afternoon, on the arrival of the Philadelphia Mail Stage. Persons travelling from Fairton, Cedarville, Newport and Dividing Creek, will find this to be a true and never failing line, which has accommodated the people of the above places for more than 30 years.

☞ Persons will be called for at their residences by leaving their names at Wm. D. Barret's or Swing & Tomlinson's Stores, Fairton, or D. Gale's Store or Benjamin H. Lore's Hotel, Cedarville.

☞ All errands punctually attended to by

DAVID MOORE,

Proprietor and Driver.

Dividing Creek, Feb. 10, 1855.

BLACKSMITHING

THE subscribes having taken the stand on Pearl street, opposite the Glasshouse, intends to devote his time and attention to every thing relating to his business. Every thing is here manufactured that can be manufactured by a Blacksmith, and in the best manner. Having had years of experience in his business, he flatters himself that he can give satisfaction in every department. Particular attention given to the ironing of Wagons and Carriages, laying axes, ploughs, &c., &c. Having engaged an experienced Horse Shoer, farmers and others need have no fears in entrusting him with their horses, as his mode of shoeing is superior to any other. The public are invited to give him a call.

Jan. 17. 1857. JACOB H. BROWN.

EAGLE PLOWS.

SAVERY & CO., corner of South Front and Reed Sts., Philadelphia, Manufacturer Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Right Hand, and Nos. 40, 41, Left Hand Eagle, Self-Sharpening Plows. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Eagle Improved. Nos. 0, 1, 1½, 2, 3, Hill Side. Nos. 1, 1½, 2, Riding. No. 5, Right Hand, and No. 6, Left Hand Double Michigan, and No. 0, 1, 2, Subsoil Plows.

Also, Ox Scrapers, Field and Garden Rollers, Farmers' Boilers for coal or wood. All of which are for sale at their Works, at Curtis and Hand's, corner of Market and Decatur streets, or at the different Agricultural and Hardware Stores. On application, we will send description of articles by mail.

We also manufacture Hollow Ware, Enamelled Ware, Sad Irons, Wagon Boxes, &c. &c.

P. B. SAVERY. ARAD BARROWS. JOHN SAVERY.

Philadelphia, March 14, '57.-1yp

NOTICE.

THE largest stock of Cameo goods in West Jersey, is at W. H. Thompson's. Cameo breast pins very low; Cameo ear rings, good assortment; gold stone breast pins; gold stone ear rings; gold stone studs; painting breast pins and ear rings; Mosaic breast pins and ear rings; jewelry; silver ware; clocks, accordeons, &c., very cheap at

Mar 14. W. H. THOMPSON'S.

Museum Saloon.

SHAVING AND HAIR DRESSING.

O. G. BELLOWS

RESPECTFULLY informs the Inhabitants of Bridgeton and adjoining Country that owing to his immense increase of business he has been compelled to remove his shaving and hair dressing establishment into more spacious apartments, he will now be found in Carll's new building on Commerce St., north side, third door from the Bridge where he expects to be permanently located, and assures them nothing shall be found wanting to maintain the reputation which a close application to business and a determination to please have gained for him.

MUSEUM SALOON.

The cabinets of Wild Game, Quadrupeds, &c, connected with the above, are placed in the front part of the shop, for inspection free of charge.—Should any one wish anything stuffed and set up as if alive, they can be accommodated here far below city prices. April 18, '57-tf.

New Wholesale Drug Store!

N. SPENCER THOMAS,

No. 26 South Second St., Philadelphia,

IMPORTER, MAFUACTURER & DEALER, in Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Acids Dye Stuffs, Paints, Oils, Colors, White Lead, French and American White Zinc, Window Glass, Glassware, Varnishes, Brushes, Instruments, Ground Spices, Whole Spices; and all other articles usually kept by Druggists, including Borax, Indigo, Glue, Shellac, Potash, &c. &c.

All orders by mail or otherwise promptly attended to.

Country Merchants are invited to call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere.

Goods sent to any of the Wharves or Railroad Stations. Prices low and goods warranted.

SPRING COATINGS.—Don't waste your time and money elsewhere, but call upon us and we will show you just what you want, at prices to suit, for we have a great variety of goods suitable for Spring Coats, and we will make them up all right for you. THOMPSON & FITHIAN.

Bridgeton, April 25, 1857.

All Persons

Wanting good and cheap Clocks, Watches, Jewelry and Silver ware, will do well to call and examine my stock at No. 20 East Commerce st. All articles warranted to give satisfaction. S. B. WOODRUFF. May 30.

DUCALS, LAWNS, CHALLIES.

A nice assortment of these seasonable goods for sale, opposite E. Davis & Sons hotel.

May 23, '57. ALEX STRATTON.

GENT'S black silk Cravats and silk pocket Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Hosiery, knitting cotton, shirt Bosoms, and notions of all kinds for sale by STRATTON & HARRIS. (ap25.)

LOOKING GLASSES!

G. W. DEWEES, *CARVER AND GILDER,* No. 154 North Sec. Street, below Race, west side, Philadelphia, Wholesale and Retail Manufacturer of

Ornamental and Plain Gilt Frames

For Looking Glasses, Portraits, Needle Work, Drawings, Certificates, &c. Fancy Gilding in general, unsurpassed in workmanship, at considerable less than City Prices. Old work re-gilt to equal new. Frames, &c., varnished. Engravings &c.—Philadelphia, Oct. 4, '56.-1y.

Little Said is Easily Mended.

BY a fair representation of my goods, the Public may rest assured that they are in every respect as recommended.

The subscriber begs leave to say that he has on hand and for sale the largest stock of Groceries and Provisions, he ever offered to the inhabitants of Bridgeton, and at prices that cannot fail to please, either wholesale or retail the following is a few of what is for sale at cash prices.

The following is a few of what is for sale:

Black and green teas,	from	44 to $1 00	per lb.	
Rio, Java & Cape Coffee,	"	12½	16	"
Raw & refined sugar,	"	10	13	"
White & brown soap,	"	5	10	"
Trinidad & N. O. molasses		56	68	per gal.
White & Cod fish,	"	6	7	per lb.
Hams & shoulders,	"	10	15	"
Fresh & Tub Butter,	"	20	30	"
Pork, lard & dried beef,	"	12½	18¾	"
Mackrel. No. 1 2 3,	"	5	10	"

Mackrel always on hand by the barrel half barrel qurter barrel.

GEORGE DONAGHY.

S. W. Cor. Commerce & Pearl Sts.

N. B. Cash paid for all kinds of Truck.

WANTED—50,000 lbs. Rags, 50,000 doz. Eggs, for which the highest cash price will be paid.

January 31, 1847-1t.

Bridgeton, N. J., Feb. 7, 1857. G. D.

KEYSTONE STATE SAPONIFIER,

Or Concentrated Ley,

WARRANTED to make soap without lime, and with very little trouble, at a trifling cost. Now is the time to save money. For sale wholesale and retail, at the lowest price, by

J. D. HARBERT, Druggist,

Jy 16. 14 E. Commerce st. Bridgeton, N. J.

BITUMINOUS COAL.

FOR SALE at the Bridgeton Iron Store.

J'y 12. I. PEDRICK.

NOTICE

THE copartnership heretofore existing between Jas. D. & Edward B. Reeves, was dissolved on the 30th day of March, 1857. The business of the firm will be settled by the undersigned, who alone is authorized to settle the same.

Bridgeton, Aug. 15-2m. EDWARD B. REEVES.

Watches & Jewelry.

NOW opening the most extensive and finest assortment of Watches & Jewellery ever offered in West Jersey. [illegible] Lockets and Chains of surpassing beauty [illegible] low prices.—Gold [illegible] and upwards; Silver [illegible] quarters; $6; Lepines, [illegible] $13; one very fine Duplex watch, [illegible] article. Vest, fob and curb chains of [illegible] gold. Gold and silver pencils with gold [illegible], hooks, finger rings of almost every pattern, sleeve buttons, studs, armlets, &c., all selling very low at

April 5. W. H. THOMPSON'S.

TIMOTHY SEED,

PRIME new crop Timothy Seed for sale by.

Apr 18. J. B. POTTER & CO.

TRAVELLING LINES.

Philadelphia and New York Lines—Summer Arrangement.

THE Camden and Amboy Railroad and Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad Co.'s Lines from Philadelphia to New York and Way Places, will leave as follows, viz:

	Fare.
At ½ A. M. from Kensington Depot, via Jersey City, [Mail,]	$2 25
At 6 A. M. via Camden and Jersey City, N. Jersey Accommodation,	2 25
At 6 A. M. via Camden and Amboy, Accommodation,	2 25
At 7 A. M. via Camden and Jersey City, Morning Mail,	3 00
At 10 A.M. by steamboat Trenton, via Tacony and Jersey City, Morning Express,	3 00
At 2 P. M. via Camden and Amboy, C. and A. Express,	3 00
At 5 P. M. via Camden and Jersey City, Evening Mail,	3 00
At 3 P. M. via Camden and Amboy, Accommodation, 1st Class,	2 00
At 3 P. M. via Camden and Amboy, Accommodation, 2d Class,	1 50
At 6 P. M. via Camden and Amboy, Accommodation, 1st Class,	2 00
At 6 P. M. via Camden and Amboy, Accommodation, 2d Class,	1 75

☞ The 5 o'clock P. M. Line runs daily; all others Sundays excepted.

Place of departure of all lines, except 1½ A. M. Walnut Street wharf.

Express Lines stop at principal stations only.

For Belvidere, Easton, Flemington, at 6 A. M. and 4 P. M.

☞ For Bethlehem, Allentown and Mauch Chunk, via. the Lehigh Valley Railroad, at 6 A.M.

For Water Gap, Stroudsburg, Scranton, Wilksbarre, Montrose, Great Bend, &c., at 6 A. M., via Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad.

For Freehold at 6 A. M. and 2 P. M.

For Mount Holly at 7 A. M. and 2½ and 5 P. M.

WAY LINE—For Bristol, Trenton, &c., at 2½ and 4 P. M.

WAY LINE—For Palmyra, Riverton, Beverly, Burlington, Bordentown, &c. at 3 P. M

Steamboat Richard Stockton for Bordentown and intermediate places, at 2½ P. M.

Steamboat Trenton, for Tacony, carrying New York and Way Lines, 10 A. M., 11¾ A. M., and 4 P. M.

☞ Fifty pounds of baggage only allowed each passenger. Passengers are prohibited from taking anything as baggage but their wearing apparel. All baggage over 50 pounds to be paid for extra. The company limit their responsibility for baggage to one dollar per pound, and will not be liable for any amount beyond $100, except by special contract.

WM. H. GATZMER, Ag't C. & A. R. R. Co.

R. B. MORRELL, Ag't Philada. Tr. R. R. Co.

TOWN HALL.

TO RENT by the day, evening or week, a large, well lighted, well ventilated HALL, seated with settees capable of accommodating 500 persons. This Hall is the largest in the place. For terms apply to ISAAC A. SHEPPARD,

May 10. West of the Bridge, Bridgeton.

READ THIS.

Port Elizabeth, Millville & Bridgeton Stage.

THE Subscriber having purchased the old Line of Stages of Mr. Pancoast, will leave Port Elizabeth every morning (Sundays excepted) at 6½ o'clock, and Millville at 8 o'clock, and arrive in Bridgton in time to take the 10 o'clock stage for Philadelphia. Those who wish to visit Bridgeton can have four or five hours there and return the same day. RETURNING, will leave E. Davis & son's Hotel, Bridgeton, at 2 o'clock, and Millville at 4 o'clock.

☞ Fare to or from Millville, 37½ cents. Port Elizabeth. 62½ cts.

Passengers from Dorchester, Leesburg, or its vicinity by being at Port Elizabeth by 6 o'clock, can all be accomodated by this Line, and all passengers from Millville can be accomodated. All errands thankfully received and punctually attended to. ORLANDO GIBBON,

Jan. 17, 1857. Proprietor & Driver.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

A good stock of all kinds of men and women's Boots and Shoes; Wall paper; a full assortment of Queensware, tea sets, for sale cheap by

April 25, 1857. STRATTON & HARRIS.

VESTINGS.—Black Satin, black figured silk, grenadines and the best assortment of Marsalles vestings in Bridgeton, at

April 25. THOMPSON & FITHIAN'S.

HAMS.

SUGRR Cured Hams, prime quality, for sale by

June 14. J. B. POTTER & CO.

WINDOW GLASS assorted sizes, Fresh Spices, Potash, Soda and concentrated Lye—Just received at F. DARE'S

Drug Store, next door to Potter's Store.

Bridgeton, Sept. 27, '56.

ATTENTION HOUSEKEEPERS;

Westcott & Kennedy.

THE subscribers have purchased the entire stock, right and title of Robert Newton, in the

Tin Ware and Stove Business,

Inform their friends and the public that they have taken sole charge of the concern, and hope to receive a good share of patronage. They intend to carry on the business in a different manner, thereby giving satisfaction to purchasers. Their stock consists of

STOVES

Of all the various kinds, styles, patterns, both for Churches, Offices, Parlors, Barrooms, Kitchens and Dining-rooms, and warranted to perform as expected or the money refunded. All sizes of 10-Plate Stoves, with or without boilers.

TIN WARE

In all its variety on hand, or manufactured to order and warranted.

HOUSEKEEPERS,

Are requested to call and examine their articles having almost every article that is desirable in the Kitchen Department. Knives and Forks of the best quality always for sale.

Fluid Lamps of all sizes and kinds and at all prices, Brittania Tea Setts, Table and Tea Spoons, Ladles, &c.

ROOFING AND SPOUTING,

Done at short notice, in the best manner, of the best material, and finished at the time agreed upon LIGHTNING RODS!

Of copper and plated with silver, recommended as the best in use. The Brittania points also furnished if required.

The subscribers have determined to give their whole attention to the business, and by the experience of thirteen years of one of them in the practical part of the business, their facilities are unsurpassed in this County. None but the best workmen are employed and satisfaction guaranteed.

ENOS WESTCOTT,
EBENEZER KENNEDY.

Bridgeton, Feb. 14. '57.-y

FOR SALE.

A good Double House nearly new, part of the purchase money may Remain secured on the property if desired Will be sold a bargain if applied for soon, apply to C. C. GROSSCUP.

Bridgeton, April 18, '57.

CEDAR SIDING.

THAT will give satisfaction to all that will buy at our Lumber Depot.

March, 28, '57. WHITEKAR, ROBESON, & Co.

GROCERIES.

Prime New Orleans Molasses.	
Fine Syrup	do
West India	do
Refined and Brown Sugars,	
Coffee, Tea, Spices &c., cheap at	

R. J. FITHIANS.

June 20, '57. Broad and Franklin Sts.

WANTED.

THIS day at Reeves & Davis'.

1,00 Ladies to buy Gaiters at		2,00 per pair.
2,00	to buy at	1,50
3,00	to buy at	1,25
5,00	to buy at	1,00

Varieties to numerous to mention, call and see at Reeves & Davi's Cheap Boot & Shoe Store Commerce St. nearly opposite the Post Office.

April 18, '57.-tf.

TO COACH PAINTERS.

PURE white Lead,
Germantown Lamp Black,
English Drop Black,
Chrome Green,
Chrome Yellow,
Coach Body,
Copal, Demar and
other Varnishes,
Vermillion,
Prussian Blue,

Together with all articles used by painters, for sale at the lowest prices by J. D. HARBERT,

June 6. '57. Bridgeton N. J.

C. S. Miller & Co.

KEEP on hand a large and handsome assortment of Fancy Dry Goods and Trimmings, our goods are bought at the lowest Cash prices, and we feel confident we can sell as cheap if not cheaper than any in the trade. March 28, '27.

H. J. Mulford & *Bro,* invite the attention of purchasers to their large and well selected stock of Hardware.

Having the advantage of purchasing goods from first hands we can offer inducements to buyers we have

BUILDING HARDWARE,

Such as Locks, Latches, Hinges, bolts, screws, shutter stays, Pulleys, window springs, nails, window wire and all kinds of building hardware usually wanted here,

TOOLS,

Of all the various kinds and qualities, of those we keep the best goods finding that they give the best satisfaction. Housekeeping hardware, Farming implements a great variety.

Purchasers are invited to give us a call

Feb. 24, '57. H. J. MULFORD & BRO.

Just Received and for Sale,

ENGLISH ISLAND Molasses of superior quality, at 75c per gallon; also, new crop N. O. Molasses, brown and white sugars; also some new styles imported Calices, Delanes, Brilliants, &c.

SWING & TOMLINSON.

Fairton, March 21-tf.

HAIR DYE.

LADIES and gentlemen wishing to have their hair or whiskers of a beautiful dark brown or jet black, can do so by calling at Samuel L. Fithian's drug and chemical store, and purchasing his superior Hair Dye, at a cost of 25 cts. per bottle. The dye is warranted not to injure the hair, but rather to improve its growth, and to make an unchangeable and natural color with but very little trouble or expense. Try it, and if it does not give satisfaction, if used according to directions, you can have the money refunded.

SAMUEL L. FITHIAN.

Bridgeton, March 14, 1857.

SHAWLS, SHAWLS.

VERY pretty Cashmere and Stella Shawls, for sale cheap by STRATTON & HARRIS.

April 11, 1857. [next door to Davis' hotel.

R. DECOU & CO.

Clothiers,

No. 141 CHESTNUT ST., ABOVE FOURTH, PHILADELPHIA,

Keep constantly on hand a splendid affortment of

Ready-made Clothing.

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Leaving Bridgeton on Saturday, and the upper side of the first wharf below Arch Street, Philadelphia, on Wednesday at 12 o'clock (noon) until further notice.

Errands of all descriptions correctly and punctually attended to, and returns of produce promptly made.

For freight or information, apply on board or to Alexander Stratton, Bridgeton.

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Bridgeton March, 28, '57.

LOTTERIES.

THE Lotteries of Samuel Swan & Co., are chartered by the State of Georgia, and have sworn commissioners appointed to superintend their drawings, and certify that everything connected with the same is done in a strictly honorable manner. They offer to the public a fair opportunity for investment, the interests of the parties at a distance being as well protected as though they were present. The Managers would respectfully call attention to the fact that all persons have a legal right to send orders for tickets to Georgia, as the lotteries of Samuel Swan & Co., are authorized by the Legislature of that State. A lottery will be drawn every Saturday throughout the year, all orders received being filled in the drawing next to take place after the same comes to hand. According to the scheme one ticket in every ten must draw a prize. Tickets are 10 dollars; halves, 5; quarters, 2,50. No ticket sent unless the money accompanies the order. The drawings are upon the principle of one number on each ticket, and are so simple that none can fail to understand them. There is no combination of numbers to mystify the buyer. Prizes vary from 40 to 50, thousand dollars; every prize being drawn, and result of drawing forwarded to all purchasers.

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April 4, 1857.

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Roast Beef, with Trimmings,	6 1-4 cts.
Mutton	6 1-4 "
Veal Pie,	6 1-4 "
Roast Chicken,	12 1-2 "
Stewed Chicken,	12 1-2 "
Coffee, Tea or Cho'e, with cakes,	6 1-4 "
Pie and Milk,	6 1-4 "

Oysters, Pudding, Custards, &c.

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