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A CARD.
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Sept. 25th '58.

CHOICE POETRY.

The Spring—The Morning of Life.

Sweet is the time of Spring,
When Nature's charms appear;
The birds with ceaseless pleasure sing
And hail the opening year.

But sweeter far the spring
Of wisdom and of grace,
When children bless and praise their King,
Who loves the youthful race.

Sweet is the dawn of day,
When light just streaks the sky;
When shades and darkness pass away,
And morning's beams are nigh:

But sweeter far the dawn
Of piety and youth;
When doubt and darkness are withdrawn,
Before the light of Truth.

Sweet is the early dew
Which gilds the mountain's tops,
And decks each plant and flower we view,
With pearly glittering drops;

But sweeter far the scene
On Zion's holy hill;
When *there* the dew of youth is seen,
Its freshness to distil.

Sweet is the opening flower
Which just begins to bloom,
Which every day and every hour
Fresh beauties will assume:

But sweeter that young heart,
When faith and love, and peace,
Blossom and bloom in every part
With sweet and varried grace.

Oh, may life's early spring
And morning, ere they flee,
Youth's dew, and its fair blossoming,
Be given, my God, to thee.

CRANBERRY MEADOW

A SIMPLE STORY.

It was a clear morning in April; the ground, bushes, and fences, sparkled with their frosty covering. The bare hills and leafless trees, looked as if they could not long remain bare and leafless, beneath a sky so bright.—A robin here and there ventured a short, sweet note, and earth and sky seemed to rejoice in the scene. The path that led to the village school was trod by happy children, whose glowing checks and merry voices, testified, that they partook of the general gladness.

In the same path, at a distance from a group of neatly dressed and smiling children, was a little girl, whose pale, soiled face, tattered dress, and bare feet, bespoke her the child of poverty and vice. She looked upon the laughing band before her, with a wistful countenance, and hiding behind her shawl the small tin pail she carried, lingered by the fence till the children were out of sight, and then, turning into another road, proceeded to perform her usual errand at the yellow shop. The bright calm morning had no charm for her. Her little heart felt none of the lightness and gaiety that the hearts of children feel when nature is beautiful around them. She could not laugh as they laughed; and as the sound of their merry voices seemed still to linger on her ear, she wondered that she could not be as happy as they. And then she thought of the dreariness and poverty of her home, of the cruelty of her father, of the neglect and unkindness of her mother, the misery of the long cold winter, through which she had just passed, of the hunger her little brothers and herself often felt; she thought of the neat appearance of the children she had just seen, and then looked upon her own dress, torn and dirty as it was, till the tears filled her eyes, and her heart became sadder than ever. Mary, who possessed a degree of intelligence above what her years would seem to warrant, knew what made those children so different from herself; she well knew that they would spend that day in school, learning something useful, while she would spend it in idleness at home, or in trying to quiet the hungry baby and please the other children, while her mother was picking cranberries in the meadow. Mary knew she was, that very morning, to carry home something that would make her mother cross, and wholly unmindful of her destitute children.

When she had reached the spirit shop, its keeper was not there; but his son, a brigat intelligent boy of thirteen, stood behind the counter, playing with his little sister. Mary asked for the rum with a faltering voice, and as she offered the jug, our young tradesman, looking upon her with mingled contempt and pity, said, "What does your mother drink rum for?" Mary felt ashamed, and looked so sad, that the boy was sorry for what he had said. He gave her the liquor, and tied up the scanty allowance of meal; and Mary, with a heavy heart, and hasty step, proceeded on her way. When she reached her dwelling—and who needs a description of a drunkard's dwelling?—her mother met her at the door, and hastily snatching the jug from her hand, drank off its burning contents. She then took the meal to prepare breakfast, and Mary was sent to gather some sticks to kindle the fire. The dough was then placed before the smoky, scanty fire, and the impatient children hovered around to watch its progress. Long, however, before it was sufficiently baked, they snatched it, piece by piece, away, till nothing but the empty tin remained. The little boys, with their hunger scarcely satisfied, then left the house to loiter, as usual, in the streets, while Mary, as she saw her mother becoming every moment more incapable of attending to the wants of her infant, took the poor little creature into her arms, and in trying to soothe its sufferings, half forgot her own.—She had just succeeded in lulling the baby, when her father entered. He had been in the meadow picking the cranberries, which had been preserved during the winter under the snow, and which could now be sold for a few cents a quart. Though once a strong and active man, so degraded had he become, that few persons were willing to employ him; and he resorted to picking cranberries as the only means left him, of obtaining what his appetite so imperiously demanded.

On entering the room, and seeing the state his wife was in, he uttered a loud curse, and at the same time bade Mary leave the crying child, that his entrance had awakened, put on her bonnet, and hasten to the village to sell the cranberries, and on her return call at the yellow shop.

Mary left the child, put on her bonnet, and with a trembling heart commenced her walk. On her way she met her brothers, and stopped to tell them, that as their father was then at home, they had better keep away from the house till her return. She then called from door to door; but at every place her timid inquiry, "Do you want any cranberries here?" met the same chilling answer, "No."

At length wearied out, and fearful that she could not dispose of them all, she sat down by the road side and wept bitterly. But the sun had long passed its meridian, and was gradually lowering in the western sky. She *must* go home; and what would her father say if she returned with the cranberries unsold? This she could not do; and she determined to try to exchange them at the shop, for the spirit her father wanted.

After waiting some time at the counter, till the wants of this and that wretched victim were supplied, she told her errand, and after much hesitation, on the part of the shopkeeper, and much entreaty on her own, the cranberries were exchanged for rum.—Mary then rapidly retraced her steps homeward, and with a beating heart, entered the cottage. Her father was not present, but her mother was there, and, on inquiring where she had been, insisted on Mary giving her the spirit. Mary refused as long as she dared, for she knew how terrible would be the anger of her father, should he find the quantity diminished on his return. But the mother, regardless of every thing except the gratification of her own appetite, seized the vessel from her child and drank a large portion of its contents.

It was scarcely swallowed, before her husband entered; and, enraged at seeing the spirit so much lessened, he reproached first Mary, and then his wife, in the most bitter terms. The provoking replies of the latter, excited his rage almost beyond control; and Mary, fearing for the safety of herself and brothers, crept with them into an empty closet, where, with their arms around each other, they remained all breathless with alarm, trembling at their father's loud threats and the fearful screams of their mother.

At length the discord was hushed, and all was silent, except the low groans of the suffering wife, and the cries of the helpless babe. The children then crept from their hiding place, to seek for some food before they laid themselves down upon their wretched bed, to forget their fears for a while in sleep. But in vain did they look for a crust of bread, or a cold potatoe. Mary could find nothing but the remainder of the meal she had procured in the morning, but it was too late to attempt baking another cake. The fire was all out upon the hearth, and it was too dark to go in search of wood. So the hungry children, with their wants unsupplied, were obliged to lay themselves down to sleep.

In the village in which Mary's parents lived, the wretched condition of the family had often attracted attention; but the case of the parents seemed so hopeless, little exertion was made to persuade them to abandon their ruinous habits, till Mr. Hall, an energetic agent of the cause of abstinence from intoxicating fluids, visited the place. The husband and wife were then induced to attend the temperance meeting, and listen to his address. Whispers and significant looks passed between the acquaintances, when Thomas and his wife entered the church, and scarcely one among the number thought they could be at all benefitted by what they might hear. But they did not see Thomas' heart, or know what a wretched being he felt himself to be. Through necessity, neither he nor his wife had tasted spirit for several days, as their means of obtaining it had failed. The cranberries were all gathered from the meadow, and persons of their character could not obtain employment. Thus situated, Thomas knew he must take a different course, or himself and family would be sent to the workhouse. It was on account of these circumstances, that he this evening consented with his wife to attend the meeting.

When the speaker commenced, Thomas, feeling himself uneasy, wished himself away. But by degrees he became more and more interested, until his eye fixed upon the speaker, and the tear that rolled down this bloated face proved the depth of his feeling. He heard his own case so well described, the remedy so plainly pointed out, so affectionately urged, that new light seemed to break upon his mind, and he inwardly exclaimed, "I *can* do it, I *will* do it, if I die in the attempt;" and at the close of the service, going boldly up to a group of temperance men, who were surrounding the speaker, he requested that his name, and the name of his wife might be added to the temperance list. A murmur of approbation followed his request, and hand after hand was presented, for a shake of congratulation. Nancy pulled her husband's coat as she heard her name mentioned, and said faintly, "Not mine, not mine, Thomas." But the words were unheard or disregarded, and he bent steadily over the shoulder of the Secretary till he actually saw the names of Thomas and Nancy Milman among the names of those who pledged themselves to abstain from all use of ardent spirits.

As he turned to leave the church, William Stephens, a sober, industrious man, a friend of Thomas in his better days, but who had long abandoned the society of a drunkard, took him by the hand, and after expressing his satisfaction at the course he had pursued, invited him to call at his house on his way home. After some hesitation, Thomas and Nancy consented; the latter being exceedingly pleased at being again invited to call on Hannah Stephens.

As William opened the door, Hannah rose from her seat by the cradle, and glanced first at her husband, and then at his companions, with a look of astonishment and inquiry, which yielded, however, to one of kind welcome and glad surprise, when her husband said, "I have brought you some friends Hannah." "Yes," said Thomas; "and may we henceforth merit the title."—Nancy hung down her head as if ashamed of the thoughts that were passing through her mind. Hannah, noticing her appearance, feared she did not sympathise much with her husband's feelings. I must encourage the poor woman, thought she, or her husband will be undone. If Nancy does not encourage him by her example all will be lost.

The company then seated themselves round the cheerful fire, and while Thomas and William were engaged in conversation, Hannah threw aside the quilt to let Nancy see the baby. It was just the age of her own, but oh! how different! The rosy, healthy little creature before her, in its clean nightgown, sleeping so soundly, recalled to her mind her own pale, sickly, neglected child at home, in its rugged, dirty dress, so seldom changed; and the tears started in her eyes at the recollection. Hannah saw the effect produced upon her feelings, and wishing to increase it still more, asked her to walk into her bedroom to see her other children. Hannah was a kind, careful mother, and, knowing the strength of a mother's love, she wished to make use of this strong principle to recall the wretched wanderer before her, to a sense of her duty. Nor was she dissapointed in the result of her experiment. Nancy was evidently affected at a view of the neat, comfortable appearance of her neighbor's house, and Hannah seized this opportunity to point out to her, her dreadful neglect of duty. It was a kind, but a plain, faithful reproof, calculated to awaken in her bosom every feeling of a mother that yet remained. Nancy did not leave the room, until she had promised by her own example to encourage her husband to return to the uniform practice of sobriety. Thomas and his wife then took leave of their kind neighbors.

We will leave this happy fireside, and just accompany Thomas and Nancy to their desolate abode. As they approached the house, the faint cries of the neglected baby first met the parents' ears. Poor Mary, was endeavoring, as usual, to quiet the little sufferer. There was no fire upon the hearth, no light upon the table, but the moonbeams through the changing clouds, were sufficient to reveal the gloom and wretchedness of the drunkard's home. Thomas and Nancy could not but perceive the contrast between the home they had just left, and their own.—It was a contrast most sad and humiliating.

Early the next morning, the first person the family saw coming down the lane was little William Stevens. He had in his hand a basket of potatoes, which his father had sent Thomas Milman, with a request that he would call at his workshop after he had eaten his breakfast. This unexpected present gave much joy to this destitute family; and Mary, with her little brothers, will not soon forget how acceptable were their boiled potatoes that morning, though eaten without butter or salt. Thomas called, as he was requested, at William Stephens' work shop, and found there a job which would employ him for a day or two. It was joyfully and speedily undertaken; and after an industrious day's work, he received at the close a part of his wages to lay out in food for his family. Thomas had little to struggle with this day, and on the whole it passed by easily and pleasantly. Not so with poor Nancy. Having less to employ her mind than her husband, she was sorely tempted, more than once, to send Mary to the yellow shop to exchange what remained of her kind neighbor's gift for rum. But the thought of Hannah's kindness, and her own promise, so solemnly made, restrained her.

At last the day wore by, and it was time for Thomas to return. As soon as the children saw him enter the lane, they ran, as was their custom, to their hiding-place, for knowing nothing of what had recently transpired, they expected to find him intoxicated as usual.

"Can that be father?" whispered they to each other, as they heard a steady step and a calm voice. The youngest boy peeped out his head to see.

"Come here, my poor boy," said Thomas, kindly; "you needn't be afraid; I am not drunk."

"Oh, he isn't drunk; he isn't drunk! said Jemmy, clapping his hands in great joy; "he isn't drunk; come out; father wont hurt us. Half faithless, half believing, the other children left their hiding place, and came around their father.

"Mother hasn't sent for any rum to-day, has she, Mary?" "No, father; I hope I shall never go to that shop again." You never shall to buy rum, Mary, I promise you. Do you believe me?" Mary looked as tho' she did not quite believe, but she said nothing.

A year has passed by since the period when our history commenced. It is as fine a morning in April as it then was. The children of the village are pursuing there way to school as pleasantly as they then were. But where is the little girl with soiled face, tattered dress, and bare feet, that then attracted our attention? Look for one of the happiest girls among that gay, laughing group, and you will find her. Her dirty tattered garments are exchanged for neat and comely ones; her bare feet are covered with tidy shoes and stockings, and in her hand she carries not a tin pail, but a basket containing her school-books and work. The scenes through which this day will carry her will be very different from those thro' which she passed a year ago. A great and blessed change has indeed come over this once wretched family. They have left the miserable habitation which was once theirs, and are now living upon a small but excellent farm, the owner of which is not afraid to rent it to a sober and industrious people as Thomas and his wife have now become.—Within the year, Thomas has been able to purchase comfortable clothing for his family, decent furniture for his house, and has besides partly paid for two yokes of oxen, and four cows.

Look at Thomas at work in his fields, and managing his little farm—striving at home, and respected abroad—and say, what would tempt him to come again under the influence of his former ruinous habits? Look at Nancy, too, superintending her dairy, and supplying the wants of her now happy family; does she wish for the return of those days, when she was the intemperate mother of hungry, neglected children? But live there not hundreds of mothers who *are* at this time, what she formerly *was*? And can they not, will they not, be induced to become what she *now is*?

"Finish your work as early as you can this afternoon, Thomas," said Nancy to her husband, as he rose from the dinner table; "Hannah and William Stevens have promised to take tea with us." "Yes, that I will," he replied; "for had it not been for the encouragement they kindly gave us, we might have been as miserable as we once were, spending this day either wretchedly intoxicated, or, in order to make ourselves so, at our old task in the Cranberry Meadow."

For the West Jersey Pioneer.

Extract of the Opening Address at the Newport Public School Exhibition, by S. L. Bacon.

Ladies and Gentlemen:—We have met here on the auspicious conclusion of Mr. Ogden's present labors among us, as teacher in the Public School, to witness some of the labors in the form of a Public School Exhibition. The presence of this large concourse of friends imparts grace and importance to its ceremonies, which proves that such occasions do serve to attract the attention of the public, who are ever ready to join their hearts and hands, to whatever may concern the increase and diffusion of useful knowledge in Society. As teacher and scholars, we do return encomiums for this living testimonial of respect paid to our Exhibition. "How cheering to us, how flattering to our hopes is the presence of this goodly company!" The cheerful and mutual interest manifested, shows that you all heartily acknowledge the favoring presence of the useful, of the beautiful and of the good! Ladies, your generous hearts ever beat responsive to those virtuous feelings of humanity, that urge onward to promote the cultivation and progress of knowledge, when you behold any increase in the love of learning, in the augmentation of virtue and its honoring, you feel that by every progressive step here, in education the name and the fame of your fair village, of your fair county, aye of your fair state are spread father with increasing respect. You love to see scholarship, and morals in the ascendant, "and by your presence you do magnify and make them honorable."

Gentleman, being animated by the same feelings, by the same hope and by the same humanity, you have entered within the limits of these walls with a proper view in reference to the object of memorizing pieces for public acclamation. You are aware of the living importance it is to the young, not only in strengthening the memory, enabling the mind to surmount difficulties and obstacles, but in driving away that man-fearing spirit so common to childhood. Such is the nature of the human mind that in the pursuit of an object, it must have some reward connected with the object in order to stimulate it to exertion; there must be verdant and fertile oases scattered here and there to invigorate it from time to time in its march through the arid desert of education. An exhibition of this kind is a stimulus to rouse its dormant energies, and to impart fresh impulse to its actions, in its journey up the toilsome and rugged hill of science. To this end do we meet on such occasions as this; and to this end do we come before you now with our speaking, with our single pieces, and with our dialogues; these are a memorial of past diligence, of toilsome study through weary days and waning nights; from the early dawn to the close of day we have been on the field of duty with glorious hopes of reaping a fruitful harvest. It has been truly said, there is no royal road to knowledge. The path of the true scholar and student is not through bowers of roses, but through thickets of briers and thorns. Mountains, apparently impassible, meet him in every direction. The siren voice of pleasure ever invites him from his studies He is constantly misguided by ignorance, and often deserted by faith itself. But labor and perseverence will enable him to go forward with moral firmness to brave with unblanched cheek the difficulties, oppositions and adversities incident to human life. How great and glorious is the scholar's commission. How full of opportunities for self-denial, and "to show the beauty and goodness of learning to all classes." How tending to the exercise and devotion of religion and the spread of christianity. Under these considerations we invite your kind attention, hoping that you may one and all be happily benefitted for having favored us with your presence.

AGRICULTURE.

For the West Jersey Pioneer.

April 2, 1859.

MR. EDITOR:—Having received many enquiries as to the best time, method and soil, for the planting and raising the Chinese Sugar Cane, and whether it will pay to manufacture it into molasses and sugar, I thought I would write you a few lines about it. As to the profit of farmers' raising their own sweetening, with so small amount of labor and expense as is required, there can be no dispute whatever. I do believe that the Chinese Sugar Cane can be raised and manufactured into molasses, for fifteen or twenty cts. per gallon, and the refuse stalks make excellent fodder or manure. In this section of country, I think it ought to be planted by the first of May, on as light a soil as possible.—Poudrette in the hill before planting, is very good for starting it. Care should be taken in getting pure seed, and not plant near Broomcorn. It has a rapid growth, and where the soil is good, and will sucker very much, the suckers must be pulled off, and thinned out to three or four stalks in the hill. The larger the stalks, and the earlier it ripens, the more sweetening it contains. If every farmer would raise a half acre, or such a matter of good Cane, it would supply him with sweetening for a year or more.—Try it, farmers! Having taken considerable pains to inform myself in regard to the most improved plans for the construction of sugar Mills, and having tried and seen several different kinds, I have come to the conclusion that Henry Meyer's patent, with the improvement he has lately attached to it, will far surpass any thing of the kind; it works like a charm; it answers for so many different purposes, and comes so cheap, that any farmer can purchase one of them, and can manufacture his own sweetening, with a great deal more profit, and less trouble, than he can raise his pork. The boiling of the juice to Molasses is very simple and cheap, and I am certain that there can be as good Molasses made from the Chinese Sugar Cane, as any (or the best) New Orleans Molasses.

THOMAS H. MILLER.

INTERESTING INCIDENT.

The following is an incident in the life of Col. Houghton, of Hunterdon county, N. J, the grandfather of the late eminent Baptist minister, Rev. Spencer H. Cone, D. D.,

It was in Hopewell Baptist Meeting house where Conant Cone and Alice Houghton alike worshipped, and where they were immersed, that Joab Houghton received the first news of the battle of Lexington, and the defeat of the Earl of Northumberland, the haughty descendant of the hero of Chevy-Chase, by the half-armed yeomanry of New England. Stilling the breathless messenger, he sat quietly through the service, and when they were ended, passed out, and mounting the great stone block in front of the meeting house, beckoned to the people to stop. Men and women paused to hear, curious to know what so unusual a sequel to the service of the day could mean.—At the first words, a silence stern as death fell over all. The Sabbath quiet of the hour and place was deepened into a solemnity. He told them all, the story of the cowardly murder at Lexington by the Royal troops; the retreat of Percy; the gathering of the children of the Pilgrims round the beleaguered hills of Boston. Then pausing, and looking over the silent crowd, he said slowly: "Men of New Jersey, the red coats are murdering our brethren of New England! Who follows me to Boston?" And every man in that audience stepped out into a line and answered "I." There was not a coward nor a traitor in Hopewell meeting house that day.

A Touching Scene.

After his usual Wednesday evening lecture, last night, the Rev. Mr. Beecher presented to his congregation the case of a slave mother in Virginia, who had been freed with her five children by the will of her deceased mistress,—but whom the heirs, availing themselves of legal technicalities, had again reduced to slavery. A human slave-dealer had bought them all for $1,000, and had offered the mother their freedom for the same amount,—at the same time allowing her to come North, with one of her children, to raise the money—taking her word of honor that she would return. She had collected $500 in Philadelphia, and now solicited $500 more. Mr. B. called on her to stand up.—She rose—as white, as free apparently from all taint of negro blood, in hue or hair or speech or manner, as any member of that congregation! And her little brown-haired boy was as sweet a child as any mother fondles in New York. Over $300 were collected on the spot; the remaining $200, we cannot doubt, will be sent to Mr. Beecher early this morning. It is in all its aspects one of the most meritorious appeals ever made to the charity of a rich and benevolent community.—*New York Times.*

Beautiful little Allegory.

A humming bird met a butterfly, and being pleased with the beauty of its person, and the glory of its wing, made an offer of perpetual friendship.

"I cannot think of it," was the reply, "as you once spurned me, and called me a drawling dolt."

"Impossible!" exclaimed the humming bird, "I always entertained the highest respect for such beautiful creatures as you."

"Perhaps you do now," said the other, "but when you insulted me, I was a caterpillar. So let me give you a piece of advice: never insult the humble, as they may some day become your superior.

Selections for Scrap Books.
No. 23.

Duty of Christian Women in Regard to Dress.

It has been often said that *dress* is an index of the mind, and that by it, we can in some degree, determine the character.—Whether this remark be true or not, or whether it may be applied in all cases, it is not necessary now to determine. That dress has a great influence on the mind, that it goes far in the formation of character, is a fact too evident to be doubted. How often have the seeds of pride and vanity been sown in the artless minds of children, by the conduct of their injudicious mothers and friends, in dressing up their children like dolls, admiring their beautiful clothes, and at the same time telling them *not to be too proud.* Such mothers little think of the injury they are doing their children; that they are laying up food for repentance at a future day; that they are doing more to encourage the feelings of pride, the love of dress, than all their efforts can eradicate for years. We grow up with a desire for admiration, and we are trained to think that much depends upon our personal appearance. Hence the constant effort to outvie each other in the costliness of our dress.—Hence our love for the never-ending changes of fashion. This desire for admiration grows with our growth, and strengthen with our strength; and even when the mind has become subjected to the influence of piety, such is the strength of early impressions, it still hangs upon us, like a dead weight, drawing us continually into the vortex of folly and fashion. Strange inconsistency, that *Christian* females, professedly following the example of our self denying, suffering Savior, should ever allow themselves to put on the livery and trappings of the ungodly! I would direct the attention of *Christian* women to the preposterous fashions of the present day, and ask them if they think it consistent with their profession, to adopt them as their own? Have we not proof that these fashions are the offspring of polluted, degraded minds? It is a fact well known, that we are indebted to the poor abandoned milliners, and mantua-makers of Paris, for most of these absurd and unnatural fashions. I would venture to assert that the present indelicate mode of dress, will go far to swell the tide of licentiousness now rolling over our land. I say this with more confidence, because I see Christian women, professedly friends of moral reform, adopting it, and showing by their example, that they approve of it. I call upon them to examine this subject, and see if by such a course, they are not leading still farther from the paths of peace, the guilty and abandoned, whom they would wish to reclaim. I call upon mothers to watch over their daughters in this respect, and never suffer them to adopt any style of dress, which an enlightened christian conscience cannot approve. Let us remember that we are living for other scenes; that soon the trifles and follies of life which now seem so important, will appear lighter than the dust in the sunbeam. Our responsibilities are tremendous; even a word or a look may tell on eternity, on the destruction of some immortal soul. How important then, that our practice does not give the lie to our profession! Let us take the direction of an inspired apostle for our guide. "Whose adorning, let it not be that outward adorning of plaiting the hair, of wearing of gold, or of putting on of apparel, but let it be that inward adorning of the heart, the ornament of a meek, and quiet spirit, which in the sight of God, is of great price."—*Anon.*

Courage to Do Right.

Have courage to do what is right. No matter if you are laughed at and ridiculed, go straight forward in the path of duty.—You may be called a saint, or a puritan, and be made the jest of your circle for a season, but the time will come when your virtue will be revered, and ridicule give place to profound respect. Be not ashamed to follow the excellent precepts of a pious father, or a dvoted mother. There can no greater blessing fall upon a young man, than to be the son of Christian parents. Their influence will be felt in every stage of life, and referred to with retrospective joy. Be then courageous in the discharge of every religious duty and obligation, even though you should, for a season, be made the butt of ridicule. A life of virtue brings with it a glorious reward, to say nothing of those blissful hopes; and perfect happiness, beyond the grave.

Surface Work.

The grevious inroads which conformity to the world has made in our members, not merely a conforming of our lives to the fashions and frivolities of the world, but a steeping of our souls in the spirit of the world; its spirit of selfishness, its spirit of covetousness, its spirit of recklessness, its spirit of enmity towards the truth, its spirit of living for the present, irrespective of the gaest hereafter, has induced a barrenness and languishing throughout our borders.—There may be a lengthining out of our cords, but there is not enough of strengthening our stakes; there may be much surface work, but very little of that sub soil upturning of the heart, with the ploughshare of the Holy Ghost. Hence, while the seed sown springs quickly up, it quickly wilts away, because it has no "deepness of earth."—*William Bacon Stevens.*

Gastric Juice.

The gastric juice of the dog dissolves ivory itself, and the enamel of the teeth, that of the hen has dissolved an onyx, and diminished a louis-d'or; even among insects, we find some tribes that fatten upon the fibrous parts of the roots of trees, and others upon metallic oxides. And it is not long since that, upon examining the stomach and intestinal tube of a man who died in one of the public hospitals of London, and who had some years before swallowed a number of clasp-knives out of hardihood, their handles were found dijested, and their blades blunted, though he had not been able to discharge them from his body.—*Good's Book of Nature.*

West-Jersey Pioneer.

BRIDGETON

Saturday Morning, April 16.

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

Only $1 00 per Year!

JAMES B. FERGUSON,—Editor.

TRAVEL TO PHILADELPHIA.

In making use of the above caption, we do not wish to be understood as advising all the inhabitants of Bridgeton, approximating 5000 to travel to Philadelphia, much less to advise all the readers of the *Pioneer* (who number far more than all the inhabitants of this place) to travel to the city of Brotherly Love; but as there are scores and hundreds in this section of the State, who frequently visit the city, to make purchases, we would recommend them to such establishments as they will find to their advantage to patronize.

The question need no longer be asked, *how* shall we get to the city? as there are no less than five stages leaving here daily, and five returning every day, capable of carrying more than 50 passengers each way.

The first thing after arriving in the city, is to find a convenient and desirable hotel.—We would recommend the Ridgeway House, foot of Market St., kept by Mr. M. Williams, or the Arch St. House, foot of Arch St., by Mr. Chas. Locke. Both of these Hotels will be found desirable quarters for Jerseymen, the proprietors being gentlemen highly worthy the liberal patronage they receive.

If our friends who visit the city be merchants, and desire to lay in a good supply of Groceries, there is no better place in Philadelphia than the wholesale Grocery and Tea Store of Vanderveer & Archer, No. 3 Market St., adjoining the Ridgeway Hotel.—Having an acquaintance with the proprietors, we can recommend them to the country merchants, assuring all who patronize them, that they will be treated in a gentlemanly manner, and find their goods unsurpassed in the city, for quality and price.

If Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, Tailor's trimmings, &c., be the objects of pursuit, we know of no better place to procure them, than at the wholesale and retail store of Messrs. Somers & Snodgrass, No. 34 South Second street. This is one of the largest Stores of the kind in the city, and country dealers would do well to give these gentlemen a call.

Thomas W. Evans & Co., No. 818 and 820, Chestnut St., have the largest and most varied assortment of ladies Dress Goods, Silks of all kinds, Shawls, Mourning Goods, Embroidery, Hosiery, &c., ever before offered by them, which they are selling at prices that cannot fail to secure immense sales.—Their establishment is extensively advertised. The proprietors being men of liberality and superior business tact, having a thorough knowledge of the trade, have built up a business equalled by but few firms in the city. Read their advertisement, and be sure to give them a call, and purchase extensively.

The attention of the ladies in particular, is directed to the advertisement of Stewarts, Eighth and Chestnut St., where they will find a large and magnificent assortment of fancy and staple trimmings, together with the largest and best assortment of indestructible, or rather indispensible articles, ever offered to the fair sex. We would say Crinoline, or Hoops, but our extreme modesty forbids. The ladies are invited to call at Stewart's, and procure a supply of the indispensibles.

Those of our fair readers who purchase their millinery in the city, are reminded that the Misses Farrow, No. 12 South Second st., are prepared to accommodate all who may favor them with a call. Their stock of millinery is extensive, varied, and of the best and most desirable quality. We advise all the fair ones to call and purchase "a love of a bonnet" done up in the most beautiful and approved style.

Those who purchase Jewelry in the city, will find a number of establishments advertised in the Pioneer, all of which are well established and reliable. Messrs. James E. Caldwell & Co., No. 822 Chestnut St., have the largest and handsomest establishment in the Union. Their stock of Gold and Silver Ware, embracing everything in their line, is immense. Space forbids an extended notice of this magnificent building, and the stock contained therein. The public are invited to call and examine for themselves, where they will have the most polite attention shown them, whether purchases are desired to be made or otherwise. A visit to this splendid establishment will amply repay all who may call.

Messrs. Stellwagen & Bro., No. 632 Market St., are the agents for "The best Watches made in England." They also keep on hand a large variety of "American Watches," together with a full assortment of fashionable Jewelry, Silver Ware, and fine table Cutlery. Their establishment is known to be one of the best in the city.

The establishment of Mr. Jacob Ladomus, 618 Market St., is well known as one of the oldest and most reliable in the city, Mr. Ladomus having been a practical Watchmaker in Philadelphia, for the past twenty years. By reference to his advertisement, it will be seen that he has on hand a full supply of everything in his line, which he is offering for sale at such prices as cannot fail to give satisfaction.

Messrs. Voute & Groff, No. 214 Market St., have become well established, the senior partner having been in the Watch and Jewelry business, on Market St, more than twenty years. All articles purchased of them may be depended upon as what they are sold for, this firm being one of the most reliable in the city.

Messrs. Cassidy & Ball, No. 12 South Second St., have on hand a large assortment of fine Watches, and Jewelry; Silver Ware of various styles, warranted equal to coin. These gentlemen deserve an extensive patronage. Their stock is extensive, and of good quality, and more gentlemanly and clever men than they, are seldom met with.

Our readers have long been familiar with the name of L. R. Broomall, proprietor of the Gift enterprise, advertised in the Pioneer for the past eighteen months. We were not aware, until a short time since, that Mr. Broomall had given up the enterprise, and was refunding the money to all who preferred it to Jewelry, from his store. The question had frequently been asked us, by our readers, if we believed the enterprise was a fair one, and the originator an honest man, they not being acquainted with him. We would now inform those who invested money by purchasing shares in the enterprise, that they can obtain it every cent, by a simple request; we hope, however, all who may have invested in the enterprise, will purchase the amount in Gold or Silver ware, at his store, which is one of the best in Philadelphia.—All who deal with Mr. B., may depend on getting the worth of their money. If the above facts are not sufficient evidence of the reliability and honesty of Mr. B., we can furnish such proof as will convince the most sceptical.

Looking Glasses, and Picture Frames.—The attention of our readers is directed to the advertisements of Messrs. Fisher & Co., No. 141 South Second St., Joseph Hilliger's 65 North Second St., and G. W. Dewees, No. 154 North Second Street. We shall refer to these establishments in a short time, each of them being worthy of special notice, to those who purchase Looking Glasses, Frames, &c., in Philadelphia.

Messrs. Howell and Bourke, manufacturers and importers of Paper Hangings, No. 17 South Fourth Street, have on hand a large and beautiful assortment of everything in their line, which they are selling at very low prices. The gentlemen composing the above firm, although quite young, have had much experience in the business, and are prepared to sell on as good, or better terms, than any establishment in Philtpelphia. They are polite and agreeable salesmen, and deserve an extensive patronage, which we trust they will receive from customers down this way.

The attention of our readers is directed to Joseph Fussell's, No. 2 North Fourth street, manufacturer of Umbrellas and Parasols.—This is one of the best places in the city to purchase Umbrellas or Parasols, either wholesale or retail.

Baily and Brother, No. 920 Chestnut St., keep the largest and best assortment of imported and American Carpets, anywhere to be found in the city. Their well displayed advertisement, which appears this week, speaks for itself, and an examination of their stock will satisfy all, that there is the place to procure Carpets.

While purchasing goods in the city, it will be necessary to have something to eat occasionally. If in the vicinity of Tenth and Chestnut St., call at the Dining Saloon of Jos. Garland & Brother, where all the delicacies of the season may be procured at short notice; or if more convenient to call at Mitchell's place in Chestnut Street, opposite the State House, Mr. Mitchell is prepared to supply at all hours of the day, anything in the eating line, "done up brown."

The Dining Saloon, and Bakery, of Messrs. Brooks, in Second St., below Chestnut, is also an excellent place to procure good meals, at all hours of the day. Having been favored some time since with a delicious pound cake from the bakery of Messrs. Brooks, and proved it to be one of the very best, we can recommend this establishment as a desirable place to procure such delicacies. As a reward of merit to Mr. Brooks, for his kindness toward us, we hope many of our readers who visit the city, may patronize his Dining Saloon, where they will be sure to be accommodated in the best manner.

The attention of those who purchase Drugs, Medicines, Paints, &c., in Philadelphia, is directed to the advertisement of Wilson & Merritt, and Wetherill & Bro. There are no better firms in the city than the above, both of which are extensively known and patronized throughout the country. We trust their liberal advertising in this section, will prove a profitable investment to them. The firm of Wilson and Merritt will please accept our thanks for a valuable present from their establishment.

Messrs. Dixon & Sharpless, No. 40 South Wharves, are prepared to accommodate the farmers of South Jersey with fertilizers of various kinds, on reasonable terms. Having an acquaintance with this firm, we do not hesitate to recommend it as one of the best and most reliable in the city. Our farmer friends would do well to give them a call.

Messrs. Blakiston & Woodward, No. 47 North Water Street, Commission Merchants, may be relied upon by those who wish anything in their line sold on commission. They also keep on hand a large variety of articles enumerated in their advertisement.

Dissolution and Co-Partnership.

By reference to our advertising columns, it will be seen that the firm of Moore & Burroughs has been dissolved, and that Charles R. Elmer, and Charles Burroughs, have entered into partnership for the purpose of carrying on the milling business, at Elmer's mill. By Mr. Moore's advertisement, it will be seen that he has opened a Livery Stable in Bridgeton. The mill formerly owned by Mr. D. P. Stratton, has been purchased by Richard Lott, late of Elmer's Mill. The advertisement of Mr. Lott appears in another column. These business changes, it is hoped, will prove advantageous to all parties.

☞ By reference to our advertising columns, it will be seen that Mr. Jacob Tuck has taken the clothing store lately occupied by M. Haas. Mr. Tuck has come to make Bridgeton his permanent residence, and judging from the favorable recommendation given him by the publishers where he has been doing business for the past 12 years, we do not hesitate to recommend him as worthy of public patronage.

POPULAR LECTURES!

The citizens of Bridgeton and others who desire to hear a splendid lecture by one of the most able and popular speakers in the country, will have an opportunity this (Friday) evening, at the Town Hall. It is unnecessary to add a word of commendation. All who have had the pleasure hearing Col. Wall of Burlington, will desire to hear him again. His subject on this occasion, will be "The City of Sudden Death," not the "Ruins of the City of the Dead," as was incorrectly stated last week.

It was not our intention to rain the [illegible] by miss-quoting [illegible]

The [illegible] course, under the direction of the "Young Men's Christian Association" of this place, will be delivered on Thursday evening, the 21st inst., by Rev. S. Y. Monroe. Subject—"Elements of Strength in Young Men." The proceeds of the lecture to be appropriated to defray the expenses incurred in furnishing the room of the Association.

Vessel found Capsized.

On Sunday morning last, the 10th inst, a Schooner, suppesed to be the John R. Price of Delaware City, was found on her beam ends, about five miles north of Little Egg Harbor, some nine miles from the beach, with sails set. No person could be found on board, or within sight of the vessel. A dog was taken from her mainmast head. Three barrels of flour, and three of corn meal, stamped Brandywine Mills, were afloat, having come from her after hatch.

The yawl at her stern, which with the barrels found afloat, were brought to Bridgeton, by Capt. Henry Facemire, Schooner Elate of this port, who discovered the vessel. The above vessel had a boot-top, and upper works white, with a small dark streak around her hull.

New Stage Enterprise.

On Monday last a new daily line of stages between this place and Philadelphia was put on the route by Messrs. Dowdney & Pancoast. This is a new enterprise, the like of which never before was successfully established in this part of the country, and it is hoped will succeed without materially affecting the regular mail line, or others on the route, the proprietors of which all deserve liberal patronage. Those who wish to go to Philadelphia, be there about five hours, and return the same day, can now have an opportunity.

☞ Our readers will be gratified to learn that our Canadian Correspondent has resumed his contributions for the Pioneer. "Itinerant," will please accept our thanks for a "Copy" of his good-natured phiz, which we have placed in our portrait gallery for the inspection of all who visit our sanctum, and enquire, (as is frequently the case) "Who is the Canadian Correspondent of the Pioneer."

Prof. Wm. F. Phelps, Principal of the Normal School, is expected to be present at the Teachers' Institute, during a portion of the week.—A good time is expected. It cannot be otherwise than profitable, under the direction of such men as Phelps, Thompson & Souder. We pity the Teacher who will voluntarily absent himself. Take our advice, and don't fail to be present.

Sunday School Convention.

The Union Convention which met in this town on Wednesday last, was the first of the kind ever assembled in Cumberland County.

The meetings in the morning at the 2d Presbyterian Church, and in the afternoon in the Trinity M. E. Church were well attended, the proceedings of which we give below, having been furnished us by the Secretary, Mr. Mills.

The large audience room of the new Baptist Church was filled at an early hour in the evening. At the appointed hour the meeting was called to order by the President, Rev. S. B. Jones, D. D., who presided in his usual dignified and able manner. Speeches were made by Revs. S. K. Kollock, D. D., of the Presbyterian Church, Greenwich; Wm. Maul of the Baptist Church, Greenwich; I. D. King, of the Trinity M. E. Church, Bridgeton, and Rev W. B. Gillette of the Seventh Day Baptist Church, Shiloh.

The opening address by Dr. Kollock, on "The Origin and Progress of Sunday Schools," was an interesting production, manifesting much research and ability on the part of the Speaker. Rev. Wm. Maul, followed with a brief and appropriate addres, after which Rev. I. D. King addressed the meeting in an able and impressive manner, highly creditable to himself as an orator and man of sympathetic heart.

The closing address was delivered by Rev. W. B. Gilette of Shiloh, and although brief, on account of the lateness of the hour, to which the exercises had been protracted, every word was appropriate to the occasion, evincing readiness and scope of ability on the part of the speaker, equalled by but few in this part of the State.

Space forbids our giving a more extended report of the exercises, which were characterized throughout with the deepest solemnity, and Christian harmony. The music, by the choir, was highly creditable to the performers.

The following is the result of a meeting of Delegates from the several Sunday Schools in this Co., held at Bridgeton, on Wednesday the 13th inst., in the 2d Presbyterian Church, at 10 A. M.

Rev. S. B. Jones, D. D., called to the chair. Opened with prayer, by Rev. Wm. Maul of Baptist Church, Greenwich.

Morton Mills appointed Secretary.

Chair appointed committees on Credentials, Business, and to nominate officers for Convention. Committees composed of Delegates representing the several evangelical denominations.

Committee on Credentials reported. Delegates from every township in the county, and from a large majority of the schools.

Committee on Business reported favorably to the organization of a county S. S. Association.

Committee on Officers, reported

President—Rev. S. B. Jones, O. S. Presbyterian.

Vice Presidents—Rev. W. B. Gillette, Seventh Day Baptist, I. A. Sheppard, 1st day Baptist, Theophilus Trenchard, N. S. Presbyterian, Rev. Thos. H. Colhouer, Methodist Protestant, Francis Tyler, Methodist Episcopal.

Recording Secretary—Morton Mills.

Corresponding Sec'y—Isaac W. Mulford.

Report adopted, Pastors of all evangelical denominations to be ex-officio members of Convention. Adjourned to meet in Trinity M. E. Church at 2 P. M.

Afternoon Session—Prayer by Mr. Cornwell.

Minutes of morning session read and approved. On motion of Rev. J. W. Challis, the Convention proceeded to organize a County Association.—Chair appointed one Pastor and one lay member, from each denomination represented in the Convention, to draft a constitution.

Committee having retired, the Convention employed the interval in an interesting discussion of several matters connected with Sabbath Schools.

Committee on Constitution reported. Report adopted. (Space will not allow of publishing the Constitution; it will soon appear in suitable form, and be distributed to members of the Association.)

The officers of the Convention, with the addition of Jesse D. Claypoole, O. S. Presbyterian, as one of the Vice Presidents, to be officers of the Association for the ensuing year. The following named persons were appointed assistant Corresponding Secretaries. Deerfield, Ephraim Davis; Bridgeton, D. B. Thompson; Millville, Edward Maylin; Maurice River, Lorenzo Sharp; Downs, Reuben Nixon; Fairfield, Ethan Garrison; Cohansey, R. J. Fithian; Hopewell, Richard Pacbasco; Stow Creek, Lewis Howell; Greenwich, J. H. [illegible]on.

Next meeting of the Association to be held at Shiloh on the fourth Wednesday of September next, at 10 o'clock A. M.

SAVING FUND—The National Safety Trust Company, of Philadelphia, occupies a conspicuous place amongst the provident institutions of our land, and multitudes can testify to the safety they have found for their treasures in its coffers. We say multitudes, for the number of its depositors swell up to the grand total of 28,839. From these have been received no less a sum than $10,213,403 09! Millions that have worked out blissful results. Up to March 1st, 1859, the sum of $186,403 48 was paid out for interest.

The above is from the last number of Tuckett's *Insurance Journal*, of Philadelphia.—Our readers are also referred to the notice of this old and well established Institution, which appears amongst our advertisements.

For the West Jersey Pioneer.

Canadian Correspondence.

Mr. Editor:—Seeing you had letters from Kansas, from the cities, from Europe, and from various others, as well as from writers at home, to fill your excellent paper with news and sentiments, I have endeavored to forbear for a time. Perhaps this, coming so soon, may take you by surprise, since none may be anxious for its continuance. I need not then make the apology that friends usually do for procrastination.

Having left Toronto, I am literally "going down East," towards Kingston. The province of Canada, so spacious and lengthy, is here so narrow that the inhabited part seems scarce sufficient, as it were, to hold the eastern and western portions of it together.—The land here is full of "short hills" and barren ridges; the people in many places destitute of the spirit and elements of improvement. The crop of Wheat, which is their main dependence in Canada, was scanty last year all over the province. There is scarce any thing else except Wheat, to bring money into the country. Three or four years ago wheat was plenty and of high price; then money was plenty in every rustic's pocket; now, only the opulent have it at all. In the North west counties, there is destitution, and many are in a suffering state, for want of supplies. In one township here, where I have been, the hail stripped the farms of all, just before harvest. The grass-hoppers were numerous over this section in Summer, and did great injury to the growing crop. In fact, they were so abundant along the Grand Trunk Railway, that they stopped the train of cars!!! Wonderful indeed what such feeble things can do!! We have seen a train imbeded in snow flakes; but these creatures, it is said, took hold of the wheels! Too-be-sure many were crushed on the rails, but thereby lubricating the rim, so that the swifter the wheels turn, the more would the train be stayed. Whatever of news or sympathy is kept from us here in our absence from friends, still news and letters come in friendship and kindness. But how often do they bear the sad particulars of some friend's or relation's last hours and decease, and their decent and respectful burial. Since ten years have gone, death has made sad waste in those bounds where once were all that we knew of the world. Acquaintances and friends have fallen like the trees of the wood. In the fancy of our early youth, there was one loved spot, the only one on earth we at all knew, where we belonged by birth, where we thought we should live, and marry, and die, and there be buried, and with kindred, friend, and fellow, rest peacefully side by side, in order of families and relationship.—But how vain are these early dreams. We cannot live as we like, (scarce wed as we like) nor die as we like. In the bustle and confusion of life, friends are scattered to some remote region, and a grave found for them which their fancy never dreamed of, while death fills up their own burial place with strangers. When parents, loved ones, school mates, and friends, are all scattered from the home of their childhood, that place once bright and glorious, then looses those dearer attractions. The sun, it seems, shines there with more obscure light. The moon gilds less the paradise where we were born, than once it did. The sordid earth yields blossoms and fruits more unreservedly, but with seeming loss of obligation to those who shed upon it a thousand precious memories, and a thousand tender sympathies.

ITINERANT.

FARREL, HERRING & CO.'S PATENT CHAMPION SAFE.

Late Fire at Dubuque, Iowa.

Dubuque, Jan. 7, 1859.

Gents: I am requested by Mr. T. A. C. Cochrane, of this place, to say to that on the morning of the 4th instant, about 3 o'clock, his store took fire, and the entire stock of goods was destroyed. The heat became so suddenly intense that none of the goods could possibly be saved; but fortunately his books and papers, which were in one of your Champion Safes, were all preserved perfectly. And well they may be called Champion, for during the whole conflagration there was one incessant pouring of flame directly upon the safe which contained them. And still, upon opening it, the inside was found to be scarcely warm, while the outside was most severely scourched.

Yours truly, N. A. McCLURE.

Herring's Patent Champion Fire and Burglar-Proof Safes, with HALL'S PATENT POWDER PROOF LOCKS afford the greatest security of any safe in the world. Also Sideboard and Parlor safes, of elegant workmanship and finish, for plate &c.—FARREL, HERRING & CO. have removed from 54 Walnut Street, to their new store, No. 629 Chestnut St., (Jayne's Hall,) where the largest assortment of Safes in the world can be found.

FARREL, HERRING & CO.
629 Chestnut Street, (Jayne's Hall,)
Philadelphia.

March 19, 1859-2mo.

ANOTHER CASE OF DYSPEPSIA.

Baldwinsville, N. Y., March 5, 1856.

Dr. C. M. Jackson. Dear Sir—Having received great benefit from the use of Hoofland's German Bitters, I think it my duty as a friend of mankind, to let them know it. I had for years been afflicted with Dyspepsia, arising from an affection of the Liver and derangement of the stomach. I was under the care of the Physicians of this vicinity, but obtained no relief. I was induced through the advice of a friend, to commence the use of your Bitters, and took faithfully according to directions, three bottles, which entirely cured me, and I now find myself in as good health as I have ever enjoyed. Respectfully yours, JOHN C. QUEENS

Ask for Hoofland's German Bitters, prepared by Dr. C. M. Jackson, 418 Arch street, Philad'a.

For Sale by S. L. Fithian, Bridgeton, and B. F. Lee, Port Elizabeth.

A Mystery Solved.—We have seen statements to the effect that certain mysterious letters have been chalked in the Central High School building, and also in other school houses throughout the city. The letters were B. V. G. S. S. C. H. R. W. It is said that similar marks were made in the school houses in Boston just before the recent troubles there. The mystery has, however, been solved, and the letters prove to simply mean as follows: "Buy your garments at the Brown Stone Clothing Hall of Rockhill and Wilson, Nos. 603 and 605 Chestnut street, above Sixth. (april 2, '59-3t)

"Be Slight Difficulties so Not Dismayed," not magnify them by weakness and despondency, but boldly meet them and put them to flight. There are cobble stones in every road, and pebbles in every path. Allow no obstacle to prevent you saving from your earnings something over your expenses, which, deposited in large or small amounts in the Franklin Saving Fund, 136 south Fourth street, below Chestnut, Philadelphia, will bear Five per cent. interest, which, added to the principal and the compounding thereon, will soon realise a competency to serve in case of sickness or a shelter against a rainy day. This old and reliable company always paid on demand, and never suspended. See advertisement in another column.

THE SICKLES TRIAL.—The Speech of Mr. Graham. Mr. Graham finished his firest speech on behalf of Mo. Sickles, yesterday. Mr. G. spoke at great length, defining the law of the land, and giving his views of Scriptural law. After speaking several hours, he made a brilliant peroration, which he finished with the following remarkable word: "And now, gentlemen of the jury, I have but one word more to say, and that is, that I trust that every man will leave his seat at the adjournment of the court, to-day, with a firm determination to obtain his garments at the Brown Stone Clothing Hall of Rockhill and Wilson, Nos. 603 and 605 Chestnut St., above Sixth."

HAVE not thy Cloak to make when it begins to rain," nor thy living to procure when old age, with its many infirmities, is upon thee, but begin whilst health and buoyancy of spirits are with thee, and lay aside something from each week's earnings, and deposit in THE FRANKLIN SAVING FUND, No. 136 South Fourth St., Philadelphia, below Chestnut, to serve in time of need.—This Company receives large and small sums on deposit and invests them only in the most reliable securities, which proved of great advantage to all classes during the recent depression in business, when many for a long time earned nothing, their only dependence being their previous earnings, saved up and deposited in this Company, which Never Suspended, and always paid on demand.

FEMALES, married or single, and minors, can deposit in their own right, and such deposits can be withdrawn only by their consent

See advertisement in another column.

April 16, 1859.

Bridgeton Prices Current.

Corrected weekly for the Pioneer.

W. Wheat	$1 80 sts.	Potatoes	60 cts.
R. Wheat	1 70 "	Butter,	25 cts. per lb
Old Corn,	85 "	Eggs,	12 " " doz
New Corn,	85 "	Hams,	12 " " lb
Rye,	90 "	Lard,	12 " " lb
Oats,	55 "	Pork,	10 cts. per lb

MARRIED.

On the 7th inst., by the Rev. Charles F. Diver, Mr. ROBERT M. BATEMAN to NELLIE HONOR, only daughter of Dr. E. E. BATEMAN, all of Cedarville, N. J.

At the Parsonage in Pittsgrove, on the 12th inst., by Rev. D. Kelsey, Mr. JOSEPH STRETCH of Gloucester Co., to Miss AMANDA HARRIS, of Salem Co., N. J.

COL. JAMES W. WALL, OF BURLINGTON

WILL DELIVER ONE OF HIS

POPULAR LECTURES

IN SHEPPARD'S TOWN HALL, BRIDGETON,

This (FRIDAY) Ev'ng, 15th inst.

Subject:

"THE CITY OF SUDDEN DEATH."

The announcement that this eminent speaker will lecture in Bridgeton, is sufficient to secure a large audience.

Admission 15 Cents. Children 10 "

Lecture to Commence at 8 o'clock.

LECTURES

THE SECOND of a Course of EIGHT LECTURES, for the benefit of, and under the auspices of the "YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION," Will be delivered on THURSDAY EVENING, the 21st inst., in Sheppard's Town Hall, by

Rev. S. Y. Monroe.

Elements of Strength in Young Men.

Lecture to commence at 8 o'clock. Tickets at 10 cents, or 50 cents for the course. Can be had at the Store of C. S. Miller & Co., or at S. L. Fithian's Drug Store.

The PRAYER MEETING under the direction of the "Young Men's Christian Association" will be held each Saturday evening, commencing at 8 o'clock, until further notice, in their room in Carll's Building.

A general invitation is extended to the public.

Bridgeton, April 9, 2t

MANNEY'S COMBINED MACHINES.

THE Subscriber, Agent for the Sale of Manney's Combined

Mowing and Reaping Machines,

Would request all FARMERS, in want of a good and reliable Machine, to call on me at once and engage one of Manney's. I sold, the last year, 29 of these celebrated Machines, every one of which gave entire satisfaction. I sell them under a warrantee, the same as last year. Price $133—CASH; Credit 1st of October by approved note $135.

April 16, '59-3mo. PROVIDENCE LUDLAM.

Mowing and Reaping Machine Agency.

633 Market Street, Philadelphia.

Where FARMERS may see and judge for themselves, between

SIX OF THE BEST COMBINED MACHINES NOW IN USE

And purchase the Machine of their choice.

EMLEN & PASSMORE.

April 16, 1859.3m-p 633 Market St., Philadelphia.

Interesting News to the Citizens OF BRIDGETON, AND SURROUNDING VICINITY.

Jacob Tuck having taken the Store lately occupied by Morris Haas, he makes his bow to the community, as the proprietor of "The Union Clothing Store," and assures the public that he intends to sell goods at the very lowest city cash prices. As I am no friend of humbug, I will not state that I will sell goods at or below cost, as a great many are doing to gull the unsuspecting, but all that I do assert, is, I SHALL, at all times,

STUDY TO PLEASE

The ECONOMIZING buyer in QUALITY, STYLE and PRICE, representing goods as they ARE. As it is my intention to make Bridgeton my future home, it will be my steady aim to gain the confidence and good will of the citizens, by

FAIR DEALING and UPRIGHT BUSINESS TACT.

At all times you will find as large and extensive a stock of Clothing for men and boys as any in the city, including Hats, Caps, Traveling Trunks, Carpet Bags, Valises, Umbrellas, Undershirts and Drawers, cotton and woolen knit Jackets at Prices to suit Everybody. Hoping to merit a share of Public Patronage, I sign myself,

Respectfully, JACOB TUCK,
Proprietor of Store lately occupied by Morris Haas.

Bridgeton, April 16, 1859.

NEW CARPETINGS.

BAILY & BROTHER,

NO. 920 CHESTNUT ST.,

WILL OPEN, TO-DAY,

A Large Stock of IMPORTED CARPETS,

Consisting of the latest and most desirable styles of

JOHN CROSSLEY & SONS' VELVET AND TAPESTRIES,

Together with an unrivalled assortment of

American Three Plys AND INGRAINS.

ALSO,

English and American Oil Cloths,

All of which will be sold

At the Lowest Cash Prices.

April 16, 1859.-4t

NEWS! NEWS!! NEWS!!!

Persons wishing to learn the news of the day, and to keep up with the times, can be accommodated with all kinds of daily, weekly, and monthly News Papers and Periodicals. Also Letter and Note paper, Envelopes, &c., at the News Depot.

Millville, April 16.

TEAS, TEAS, TEAS, TEAS.

Bank Tea Warehouse has just received a fresh supply of superior Green and Black Teas, for family use, at low prices. Call and examine.—Remember, and don't be persuaded into the wrong store to buy Teas. The Bank Tea Store has a large flag hung out of the upper window at Second and Chestnut. Branch Store, 205 Ridge Avenue.

April 16, tf.

REVOLUTION IN THE MILLING BUSINESS.

The Grist Mill lately owned by the heirs of D. P. Stratton, dec., and recently occupied by Moore & Burroughs, has been purchased by the subscriber, where he is prepared to furnish, or deliver to any part of the town, at all times,

EXTRA FAMILY FLOUR,

Fine White and Yellow Indian Meal, Feed, &c. Grists ground to order at the shortest notice. Having had many years experience in the business, and competent and accommodating millers in my employ, I hope to receive a continuance of public patronage. Cash paid for all kinds of Grain. RICHARD LOTT.

April 16.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Mary Ann Blew, and Samuel Reeves, administrators of William Blew, dec., by direction of the Surrogate of the County of Cumberland, hereby give notice to the creditors of said dec., to bring in their debts and claims against said estate, under oath or affirmation, within nine months from the date hereof, or be forever barred of any action therefore, against said administrators.

H. R. MERSEILLES,
Bridgeton, April 16, 1859.-2m. Surrogate.

Filing Accounts.

All accounts intended to be settled at the Orphans' Court of Cumberland County at May Term 1859, must be filed by the 20th of April, or they will not be allowed. H. R. MERSEILLES,

April 16, 1859. Surrogate.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the Cumberland County Medical Society, will be held in Bridgeton, at the Hotel of E. Davis & Son, on Tuesday the 19th of April, at 11 o'clock.

J. BARRON POTTER, Secretary.

April 16, 1t.*

Cohansey Livery Stable!

BY

EPHRAIM MOORE,

FRANKLIN STREET, WEST BRIDGETON, ADJOIN-ADAMS'S HOTEL.

THE Subscriber would inform his friends and the public in general, that he has opened a LIVERY STABLE, well stocked with good horses, carriages and harness. The horses are well broke to double or single harness, gentle, and good travelers. The carriages and harness are nearly all new. Teams can be had at Short Notice, on the most reasonable terms.

Having the facilities for keeping a first-class Livery Stable, the Subscriber hopes to receive a liberal share of public patronage.

Persons wishing to hire a good team, for Cash, are invited to call at the Cohansey Livery Stable.

Bridgeton, April 16, 1859. EPHRAIM MOORE.

400 BARRELS OF SUPERIOR POUDRETTE!!

FOR SALE

By JOHN GOULD, at his MANUFACTORY, at the OLD SAW-MILL DAM, below the Glass House.

WARRANTED

To give satisfaction. Price—$1 00 per barrel, or $1.12 barrel included.

CALL and examine for yourselves.

Bridgeton, April 16, 1859.-5t

THE Best quality of FLUID can be had at MOORE'S Cheap Grocery, because he buys of the oldest Manufactury in the city that is warranted to be good.

Bridgeton, april 9 J. M. MOORE, Franklin St.

NOTICE

A stated meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association, will be held in Sheppards Hall, on Monday evening next, at the close of the Union Prayer Meeting. C. C. GROSSCUP, Secretary.

SAVING FUND.

National Safety Trust Co.

CHARTERED by the STATE of PENNSYLVANIA

RULES.

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2. FIVE PER CENT. interest is paid for money from the day it is put in.
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6. Office Hours—Every day from 9 till 5 o'clock, and on Mondays and Thursdays till 8 o'clock in the evening.

Hon. HENRY L. BENNER, President.
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WM. J. REED, Secretary.

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OFFICE,

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

Music! Music!!

THE Subscriber, having located himself in Bridgeton, Cumberland County, N. J., offers his professional services to all those who are disposed to patronize him. Having studied the art of tuning and repairing Pianos, Melodeons, Harmonies, &c. He also will give lessons on the Piano or Melodian, in his room, North west corner of Commerce and Pearl Streets, or call on persons, if preferred, at their houses. He also has on hand a good supply of Music composed for the same, all of which he will dispose of right. He also offers his services in procuring Instruments, free of charge, having a thorough knowledge of good toned Instruments, and having a friend employed as tuner in one of the largest Music Stores in the city, whose aid is pledged, and who has made many instruments in his native County, he flatters himself that all those who give him their custom will be well satisfied.

Bridgeton, April 9, 1859. WILLIAM ROSELL.

Something New

IN COMMERCE STREET, next door to the Post Office!

THE subscriber having taken the store formerly occupied by C. Albertson, where he intends to keep on hand a full supply of groceries and provisions of all kinds, having just arrived from the city, and selected my groceries with much care and attention, I am prepared to accommodate all who may favor me with a call. I shall also keep constantly on hand a large assortment of boots, shoes, and Gaiters, which I will sell low for cash. Please give me a call before purchasing elsewhere, and get the worth of your money. Times are hard, money is scarce—one levey saved is better than two earned.

N. B.—The highest cash price will be paid for all kinds of country produce.

Bridgeton, april 9, 1859. WILLIAM ROSELL.

Something New.

CHINA, GLASS AND QUEENSWARE.

THE Subscriber, importer of China and Queensware, and dealer in Glassware of every variety, has opened in No. 6 Carll's Building, three doors from the Bridge, a large and well-selected stock of China, Glass and Queensware consisting, in part, of China

TEA AND DINNER SETS,

White granite Tea, Dinner and Chamber Sets. Printed goods of the latest paterns, Glass Lamps, Spoon Holders, Cake and Fruit Stands, Tumblers, Molasses Cans, Celery Glasses, Decanters, etc.

TOYS

Of Every description; a well-selected stock of China Vases, Motto Cups, China Jugs, Card Receivers, Baskets, Fruit Baskets, etc. Marble bottom Lamps, Silver-plated Castors, Britannia do. STONE, EARTHENWARE, etc., in short, EVERYTHING kept in a well-filled China Store. All goods sold at the lowest city prices. The citizens of Bridgeton and surrounding Country are invited to call. Don't forget the number.

Bridgeton, April 9, 1859.-1y JOHN W. MULFORD.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the West Jersey Railroad Company, will be held at Elwell's Hotel, in the city of Camden, N. J., on Tuesday the third day of May next, (1859) at 12 o'clock M., for the purpose of electing thirteen Directors, to serve for the ensuing year.

T. JONES YORKE, Secretary.

Salem, April 9, 4t.

THE PACKET SLOOP MAIL, Capt. S. S. Paulin,

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.

The subscriber will also purchase Grain of all kinds, potatoes and seed, at the highest cash price, and having purchased the hay press formerly owned by N. K. Young, intends keeping constantly on hand hay, which he will furnish by the Bale to any who will give him a call.

All kinds of business executed with despatch and prompt returns given. For returns and other information, call upon the Captain on board, or

April 9, tf DAVID BLEW.

WANTED.

One or two respectable boarders may obtain information where to procure board in a small family by calling at this office. (April 9.)

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE.

Asbury Chester, executor named in the Testament and last Will of Maria Moore, late of New Castle Hundred, State of Delaware, having presented and filed in my office, a copy of said will, exemplified, under the hand and seal of Peter B. Vandever, Register of Wills of said New Castle Hundred, whereby it appears that said Will has been admitted to probate by said Register, and the said Asbury Chester having applied to me to have said will proved and recorded in the State of New Jersey, pursuant to the statute in case made and provided, I do [illegible] that cause be shown before me, at [illegible] the town of Bridgeton, Cumberland [illegible] Tuesday the 10th day of May next, at 2 o'clock why a duly certified copy of such will should not be filed and recorded in my office, and letters testementary thereon, be issued to the said Asbury Chester, and that this order be published in the West Jersey Pioneer, a newspaper printed and published in said county aforesaid, for the space of four weeks next, preceding said day.

Given under my hand, this ninth day of April, 1859. H. R. MERSEILLES,

April 9, 4t. Surrogate.

BOARDING.

Two respectable young men (Mechanic's or Clerk's) can obtain board, on reasonable terms, by applying at Benj. H. Sheppard's residence, Church street. (April 9. 2t.*)

Blakiston & Woodward,

47 North Water street, (between Market and Arch) Philadelphia.

Commission merchants, and dealers in Baled Hay, Straw, Corn Husk, Brooms, and Wooden Ware.

Fifth Year of the Enterprise!

New List of Gifts, for 1859.

CATALOGUES FREE TO ALL.

G. G. EVANS, at his original Gift Book Store, No. 439 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, commences the New Year, with an enlarged Catalogue, a greater variety of Gifts, increased facilities for buying Goods and doing business, and is now prepared to offer greater inducements to Book buyers than ever before. Evans is determined to prove that his Establishment is conducted under that system in a more liberal and impartial manner than any other. Having lived down almost all opposition, and having the legitimacy of his plan of operation acknowledged from Maine to California, he can afford to be generous. Try him and judge for yourself.

SCHEDULE OF GIFTS.

Patent English Lever Gold Watches,	$100 00
Patent Anchor Lever Gold Watches,	50 00
Ladies' 18k. Case Gold Lever Watches, open dial,	35 00
Ladies' 18k. Case Gold Lever Watches,	50 00
Gents' Silver Lever Watches,	25 00
Gents' Silver Lever Watches,	15 00
Gents' Silver Lepine Watches,	12 00
Parlor Time Pieces, new pattern,	10 00
Ladies Elegant Black Silk Dress Patterns,	15 00
Ladies' " Plaid do do	12 00
Ladies' Cameo Sets, (Pin and Drops,) extra fine,	15 00
Ladies do do do	10 00
Ladies' Gold Bracelets, stone settings,	10 00
Ladies Gold Bracelets, plain or engraved Band,	5 00
Gents' solid gold vest chains, new pattern,	15 00
Gents' best English plated Vest Chains,	5 00
Ladies Guards, or Chateline Chains, choice.	15 00
Large gold spring lockets, double cases,	10 00
Large gold snap lockets, do do.	5 00
Heavy gold pencil cases, with gold pens,	7 50
Superior gold pens, with holders and box,	3 00
Ladies' gold pencils,	2 00
Gents' heavy gold pencils,	3 50
Gents' gold pens, with silver extension pen-cils,	[illegible]
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[illegible]	[illegible]
Ladies' Jet Sets,	[illegible]
Ladies' Lava, do.	[illegible]
Ladies' cameo pins, large size,	[illegible]
Ladies' " " medium,	3 00
Ladies' " " small,	2 50
Ladies' Gold Stone pins, small,	2 50
Ladies' box and glass miniature or hair pins,	2 00
Ladies' plain gold pins, new pattern,	2 50
Ladies' " ear drops,	2 00
Misses' " gold pins,	1 50
Gents' cluster pins, opal centre.	2 50
Gents single stone pins,	1 00
Gents' cameo or Mosaic bosom studs,	4 50
Gents' engraved gold " "	2 50
Gents' plain " " "	2 00
Gents' sleeve buttons,	2 50
Ladies' " "	2 00
Ladies' pearl card cases,	5 00
Ladies' cameo, Mosaic, or Gold stone ribbon pins,	1 50
Gents' silver pencils,	75
Gents' pearl pocket knives, 3 blades, best quality,	1 00
Gents' buff or Ivory knives, 3 blader, best quality,	75
Misses' lava pins,	2 50
Gents' gold watch keys and pencils combined	2 00
Gents gold toothpicks, with slides,	2 00
Gents' gold rings, with stone setting,	2 50
Ladies' " "	1 50
Sets silver plated tea spoons,	2 00
Silver-plated butter knives,	1 00
Ladies' or Gents' porte-monnaies,	1 50
Gents gold watch keys or vest hooks,	1 00
Ladies Florentine breast pins,	3 50
Ladies' Jet " "	3 50
Ladies' Mosaic " "	5 00
Ladies' cameo ear drops,	4 50
Misses' " "	2 50
Misses' ear drops with stone setting,	2 00
Misses' gold bracelet, half round band,	4 00
Ladies' " " "	6 00
Gents' scarf pin,	2 00
Gents' Jet studs,	3 00
Gents' jet sleeve buttons,	3 50
Misses' gold crosses,	50
Miscellaneous gifts, not enumerated in the above list, varying in value from 25 cts. to $25	00

☞ $500 worth of the above gifts will be impartially distributed among purchasers with every $1000 worth of books sold. All books sold at publishers' lowest prices.

All books that Evans does not Publish himself are bought direct from the Publishers, and in large quantities. Books to suit every taste are to be found on his Catalogue, at prices which would be an independent even without the Gift System, which offers so many additional advantages.—Works by the most popular authors, living and dead, in all styles from the most costly to the plain and substantial, at astonishing low prices.

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Allison,	Bancroft,	Hume,	Goldsmith,
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And a host of others, too numerous to mention.

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Butler.	Milton,	[illegible]
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Cowper,	Mrs. Sigourney,	[illegible]
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Albums of all size and all styles of [illegible] tastes, profusely illustrated with magnificent engravings.

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Methodist hymn books,	Episcopal prayer books,
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Of all sizes, and bound in all styles, Arabesque, Turkey morocco, Antique, Velvet, etc., with and without clasps.

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A large assortment of Family Bible, of all descriptions and all prices, from $1 to $50, illustrated with fine engravings, writed with large type, on good paper and in various styles of binding, from the simplest to the most ornamental. Also, Pulpit Bibles, in various styles, at low prices.

A complete Classified Catalogue of Books, in every department of literature, containing a complete list of gifts with full instructions to Agents and persons forming clubs, will be sent free to any part of the Union. Persons wishing to form Libraries, should have it as a book of reference before making out their lists. Send for it and you will be convinced of the cheapness and variety of the books, besides being pleased with the liberality of the system.

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March 19 1859.

DEERFIELD

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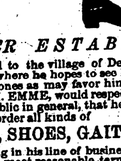

GAITER ESTABLISHMENT.

Removed to the village of Deerfield, nearly opposite the hotel, where he hopes to see his old customers and as many new ones as may favor him with their patronage.

MR. WM. EMME, would respectfully inform his friends and the public in general, that he is prepared to manufacture to order all kinds of

BOOTS, SHOES, GAITERS, SLIPPERS

Or anything in his line of business, at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

Having a thorough knowledge of the business himself, and several of the best workmen in the country in his employ, he is prepared to accommodate all who may favor him with their patronage.

The public in general and his Deerfield neighbors particular are respectfully invited to give him a call.

☞ The quality of all articles made at his establishment warranted to give satisfaction, and at prices much lower an can be had elsewhere.

For sale Cheap for Cash.

A tract of land situated on the Millville Turnpike, one mile from Bridgeton, N. J., containing fifteen acres or more, the quality of which is in timber, and about three acres under cultivation, together with a tenantable house, and a well of good water. Apply to:

JOSIAH PIERCE,
P D PIERCE.
On the premises, or address
N E Corner Second and Callowhill sts, Philadelphia.

COUGHS AND COLDS.

Difficulty of Breathing, &c.

THIS being the season of the year when persons are afflicted with the above complaints, they should in no wise neglect or allow them to run into Bronchitis or Pulmonary Consumption; and that there have been thousands of such cases no one can deny. The very best thing they can do in such cases, is to obtain a bottle of ROBERTSON'S PULMONIC ELIXIR, which is not recommended for Consumption, Liver Complaint, and the thousand other ills that flesh is heir to, but simply as a remedy for the diseases above mentioned; and that it is a sure, perfect and harmless remedy, certificates from our most respectable citizens abundantly prove.

Salem, March 5th, 1847.

This is to certify that I was seized with a cold in October, which developed itself in severe cough, hoarseness, pain in the breast, and all the concomitants of a Pulmonic affection. I purchased, while I was very ill, a bottle of Robertson's Pulmonic Elixir, which entirely cured me in the short space of 4 days, and I now feel bound to make it known, for the benefit of fellow-sufferers, and in justice to the Proprietors.

GEO. C. MULFORD.

Messrs. *Robertson & Lippincott*—Gents: During the sitting of the Session, [illegible] place, (from overwork,) I [illegible] and breast got very sore. [illegible] one bottle of your [illegible] which [illegible] it [illegible]

[illegible]

Salem, [illegible]

This certifies that after having been [illegible] with a cough and hoarseness, for a period of [illegible] or three months, and finding but little benefit after taking a number of preparations, I took your Pulmonic Elixir, which gave me prompt relief. After this, I procured a dozen bottles, and sold them to my neighbors, to whom the medicine gave entire satisfaction. And I think I may say it is as good a medicine for this class of diseases as can be found.

WM. S. CARLL.

Salem, June 27, 1858.

During last Spring and Summer, my child was attacked with Whooping Cough. On one occasion, Mr. Charles Gibbon, my neighbor, hearing one of the children whooping very badly, took it in and gave it a dose of ROBERTSON'S Pulmonic Elixir, which acted like a charm, relieving it immediately, and doing so much good that I purchased and kept the article on hand, and found it to give relief quicker and surer than any other remedy I tried, and I would cheerfully recommend it to any wanting a medicine for this class of diseases.

JAMES E. LUDWICK.

Salem, Jan. 18, 1859.

Salem, Jan. 26, 1859.

Mr. Wm. B. Robertson:—My daughter, E. L., has been very much troubled with a cold and cough, &c. On your recommendation, she used several bottles of your celebrated "Pulmonic Elixir," and I hereby certify it has done her more good than any other medicine she took, and is now free from cough, &c., and in good health. Very truly, yours, C. F. BROWN.

Salem, February 19, 1859.

Messrs. Robertson & Lippincott:—About four weeks since, having a very severe cold, cough, hoarseness and pain in the breast and back, I purchased a bottle of your "Pulmonic Elixir," and took it, and it immediately gave me relief, my daughter also had a severe cough, and it helped her very much, but after the medicine was gone, we both took cold again, and then being at Bridgeton, I purchased a bottle of Brewster's Pectoral Mixture; that doing no good, I purchased a bottle of Steelings, at Allowaystown and that proving a failure, I now want six bottles of your medicine, feeling assured that it will effect a cure.

JACOB F. MINCH.

Friesburg, Salem County, New Jersey.

Salem, 34 mo., 18th, 1859.

Wm. B. Robertson, Respected Friend:—During the past winter my wife was attacked with a very severe Influenza, accompanied with a dry, distressing cough. After trying several popular remedies without receiving any benefit, she was recommended to try the "Pulmonic Elixir." By the use of half a bottle she was completely relieved. Respectfully, thy friend,

JOSEPH A. MILLER

Price, 25 cents per bottle.

Prepared by [illegible] At the Drug and Chemical Store, Salem, New Jersey, and by [illegible] Druggists and Storekeepers [illegible]

Agent: [illegible] & Glass, Greenwich.

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NEW YORK LINES.

[illegible] Camden and Amboy [illegible] Philadelphia and Trenton [illegible]

[illegible] from Philadelphia to New [illegible] Points, will leave as follows, viz: [illegible] and Amboy, accom-[illegible] 2 25

[illegible] Jersey City, N. J. [illegible]

[illegible] 2 25

[illegible] Jersey City, Morning [illegible] 3 00

[illegible] Trenton, via Tacony [illegible]

[illegible] and A[illegible] Evening [illegible] 3 00

[illegible] Accommoda-[illegible] 2 25

[illegible] Accommoda-[illegible] 1 50

[illegible] Accommoda-[illegible] 1 75

[illegible] from Kensington Depot, via Jersey City [Mail,] $2 25

☞ The 6 o'clock P. M. Line runs daily.—The others Sundays excepted.

Express Lines stop at principal stations only.

For Belvidere, Easton, Flemington, at 6 A. M. and 2½ P. M. from Walnut Street wharf.

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 6 A. M. and 2½ and 6 P. M.

WAY LINE—For Bristol, Trenton, &c., at 2½ P. M., from walnut street wharf, and 4½ P. M., from Kensing on Depot.

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

Steamboat Richard Stockton for Bordentown and intermediate places, at 2½ 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, Agent.
WILLIAM J TAYLOR, & Co.

this crowd, I [illegible] that leaves for D B. Thompson's

HAT AND CLOTHING STORE.

For he has just been to the city, and purchased a good assortment of spring goods, consisting of Hats and Caps of different styles and latest fashions. Also Clothing in abundance, such as fancy Cassimers, Cloths, Vestings, Shirts, Suspenders, Shirt Bosoms, Collars, neck and pocket Handkerchiefs, Socks, &c. In fact, we can fit out any man with as nice a suit of clothes, and at as low a figure, as any one in the trade. Try us, friends and foes; young and old; rich and poor, high or low, and see if we do not tell the truth. Our motto is, very small profits, and quick sales; and we *want* to be undersold; that's so. Remember the place is at D. B. Thompson's Hat and Clothing Store, next to the bridge.

D. B. Thompson has received the spring style of silk hats, They are beautiful, call and get one.

Summer is coming, and you want a Summer Hat. Thompson has them at the right prices.

April 2, 1859. D. B. THOMPSON.

REMOVAL.

Rumsey & Brothers, Salem, N. J., have removed to their new store on Broadway St., adjoining Hicksite Friends Meeting House, where they would be pleased to see all the inhabitants of Cumberland, and adjoining counties. Having one buyer for the New York, Philadelphia, and Boston markets, we are enabled to offer unequalled inducements to the purchasers of dry goods; ready-made Clothing, and Carpets. Immense stock of ready made Clothing. Immense stock of Dry Goods. Immense stock of Carpets. RUMSEY & BROTHERS,

Salem, N. J., in the Mammoth Building adjoining Hicksite Friends Meeting House, Broadway St. (April 2)

LIVE AND LET LIVE.

M. S. & H. N. BAMFORD,
MILLINER & TAILORESS,
Corner of Marion and Walnut Streets, Bridgeton.

Return their sincere thanks for the liberal patronage they received during the past year, and would again solicit their custom with an additional number of customers, and they assure them that no pains shall be spared to please, both in workmanship, material or price. (April 2.)

WONDERFUL! WONDERFUL!!

Rumsey's, Rumsey's, Salem, N. J.

GENTS CLOTHING MANUFACTURED TO ORDER.

We would ask our gentlemen friends to call and examine our immense stock of Broad Cloths, Cassimers, and vestings, which we are prepared to have cut and made, in the best workmanship manner. Having two first class cutters from Philadelphia, and superior workmen, from the leading cities, in the manufacture of clothing, and practical operators on our sewing machines, we are enabled to compete with any city in the Union.

WONDERFUL! WONDERFUL!!

One suit of cloths, (coat pants, and vest,) made in the best manner, in one short day. By leaving your measure for coat, pants, and vest, in the morning you can have them to wear in the evening. Go and see them.

Immense stock of dry goods. Immense stock of ready made clothing. Immense stock of carpets. Encourage Enterprise. RUMSEY & BROTHERS,

Salem, N. J., in the Mammoth Buildings, on Broadway St., adjoining Hicksite Friends Meeting House.

April 2, 1859.

Thos. W. Evans & Co.,

WOULD respectfully inform the residents of this vicinity, that they have now open at their New Store, the largest and most varied assortment of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS

they have ever offered. The stock is mostly of their own importation, having been selected personally by one of the firm, in the principal markets in Europe, at such prices as will enable them to sell on the most reasonable terms.

SILK DEPARTMENT.

Brocades, Robes a Lee, Robes double Jupe, Robes two Flounces, Plain, Figured, Plaid, Striped, &c., with a full assortment of Black Silks of all kinds

Particular attention has been paid to the selection of this Stock, and it will be found complete in its assortment.

SHAWL DEPARTMENT.

India, Stolia, Bordered, French Cashmeres, Printed Broche, Long and Square Woolen Mantilla Shawls, &c., with a full stock of all the newest styles of shawls imported this season.

CLOAK DEPARTMENT.

Cloaks made and trimmed in the latest Paris styles, in Velvet, Cloth, Plush, Plaid Velvet, &c. The stock this season is expensive, elegant and fashionable.

GENERAL DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT:

Mermoes, Cashmeres, Mousline, Valencias, Poplins, Satin de Chine, Velour Poplins, Chintzes, &c., with all the newest fabrics imported in this line.

MOURNING GOODS DEPARTMENT.

Bombazines, Famise Cloths, Alpacas, Velour Poplins, Mousline et Thibets, Valencias, Crapes, Collars and Sleeves &c., with an entire stock of all goods suitable for mourning.

EMBROIDERY DEPARTMENT.

Lace Sets, Collars, Sleeves, Insertings, Edgings, Flounc[illegible], Berthas, Capes, Gloves, Mitts, Skirts, &c., with [illegible] of Embroideries of all kinds, including [illegible] Paris Novelties.

FAN DEPARTMENT.

[illegible] of English Hosiery, for Ladies, Misses, [illegible] found of the best and most [illegible]

[illegible] invite inspection of their [illegible] Feel confident they compare with [illegible] Chestnut St. Philadelphia.

[illegible]LAND & BRO.,
[illegible]CTIONERS,
[illegible] DINING SALOONS
[illegible] Chestnut Street,
BELOW TENTH,
Philadelphia.

WOULD respectfully invite the attention of the public in general, to their New Confectionary and Dining Saloons, No. 920 Chestnut Street, below tenth, where can be obtained all the delicacies of the season, all kinds of Foreign and Domestic Confectionary, Ice Creams, Jellies, Water Ices, Fruits, plain and fancy assorted Cakes, Fine Pastries, &c., &c.

We would call special attention to our accommodations for large or small Supper Parties, &c., having two of the largest and handsomest saloons in the City; particular care given to this branch of the business; we will serve them in a reasonable and satisfactory manner. Orders for Private Parties, Weddings, &c., promptly attended to, and sent to any part of the City free of charge.

N. B. Meals at all hours.

Oct. 30,-3m

JOSEPH FUSSELL, No. 2, North 4th Street, Philadelphia, Manufacturer of best quality UMBRELLAS and PARASOLS, invites the attention of buyers to his well assorted stock, embracing many novelties not heretofore introduced. (March 12, 1859,-3mo.)

Fancy Hair Jewelry.

REWARDED WITH THE FIRST PREMIUM BY THE FRANKLIN INSTITUTE.

NECKLACES, Watch Guards, Bracelets, Breast Pins, Ear Drops, Rings; Charm &c., executed in the highest style of perfection and in the latest fashion. The

GOLD MOUNTING

being manufactured by ourselves, we are enabled to warrant it as genuine.

HAIR PAINTING AND HAIR DEVICES.

Bouquets, Landscapes, Mourning Devices, etc. etc., executed in Hair, and put in Breast Pins, Rings, Bracelet-Locks, &c.

☞ These articles, of exquisite finish and workmanship, are manufactured in the U. S., only by the undersigned.

There are no better means of preserving the memory of deceased or absent friends, or dear acquaintances, than these little articles of dress and ornament, manufactured from their hair, in a superior manner, and tastefully mounted in gold.

A large assortment of Specimens always on hand for inspection. The subscribers respectfully invite you to call at their Store, being fully convinced that their work will give general satisfaction. At the same time they have the honor to recommend their rich assortment of

DOMESTIC AND IMPORTED JEWELRY.!!

[illegible] in the country will be promptly attended to in the best manner.

☞ Engraving and Repairing of Jewelry done on the shortest notice. Soliciting the favor of a share of patronage, we subscribe ourselves

Yours Respectfully,
SCHMITT & STUBENRAUCH,
[illegible] St., Philadelphia, near tenth.
[illegible] No. 9, South 5th St., Phila.
30 6m

DISSOLUTION.

The Copartnership heretofore existing under the name and firm of Moore & Burroughs, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to said firm, will please call and settle their accounts immediately, with either of the subscribers. EPHRAIM MOORE.

Mar. 25, 1m. CHARLES D. BURROUGHS.

AMERICAN
LIFE INSURANCE & TRUST CO.

Company's Buildings, S. E. corner of Walnut and Fourth Streets, receives Deposits at five per cent interest, payable on demand, by check or otherwise. Investament made in mortgages, ground rents, State and City bonds, and other first rate securities, as per charter, which expressly prohibits the company from investing the money in the purchase or discount of promissory notes, bills of exchange, or other negotiable paper. Open for receipt and payment of money from 9 o'clock until 5, and mondays until 8 in the evening.

ALEXANDER WHILLDIN, President.

JNO. C. SIMS, Secretary.
JOHN S. WILSON, Treasurer.

This Saving Fund never ceased through the panic, pay in full on demand. may 22 6mo

PHILADELPHIA
N. E. Cor. Eighth & Spring Garden Sts.
THORNLEY & CHISM,

ARE daily receiving New Goods, Bought Cheap for Cash, and in order to maintain their far famed reputation for Selling very Cheap, they are determined to sell for Small Profits

Rich Fancy Silks—new styles; best boiled black silks—imported; plain POIL DE SOIS—in every shade and color; handsome Bayadere silks—beautiful goods; Foulard Silks, Merceline and Florence silks, &c., &c.

Shawls! Mantillas!! Dusters!!!

Satin Shallies, Glossy Valencias, Chenne Roistorias &c. Barages, Grenadines, India Silks, Chintzes, &c., &c.

Best fronting and family LINENS, CLOTHS and CASSIMERES. Muslins, Flannels, Tickings, &c., Piano Covers, Table Covers, Marseilles Quilts, Allendale Quilts, etc.

THORNLEY & CHISM.

N. B.—In this day of City Railroads, our Country Friends can travel from any part of the city to our store, for Five cents.

Feb. 25, '59.-3m.w

James Mitton,

TEA DEALER, 103 South Second st. below Chestnut, and 824 Race st. above Eighth, Philadlphia, keeps a choice selection of the very finest Teas and Coffees imported. Having been engaged for many years in the Tea Business, his facilties for purchasing in the best markets principally New York, enables him to give the fullest satisfaction.

Oct. 30 1y

Drugs, Drugs.

WILSON & MERRITT Wholesale Druggist and Chemist, also, Manufacturers of Ground White Lead, Ground Snow White Zinc, Colors, etc., 208 Market Street, above Second, south side, offer to the trade an inducement scarcely ever extended in their line, from their long experience in this business, and having so liberal a patronage heretofore extended to them from this county induces them to again solicit the attention of Druggists and Country Dealers generally to call and examine their stock and receive quotations before making their purchases. Being so convenient to the landing, we deliver all goods, either in small or large lots, Free of Expense.

READ THE FOLLOWING:

Having entirely relinquished the Jobbing Drug Business, we with pleasure call your attention to the above House, as our successors, and feel confident any business transaction you may have with them will be mutually to your interest. BROWNING & BROS.

Files and Rasps.

Of the best quality, at the Manufactory,

NEW Street, above Second, between Race and Vine streets, Philadelphia; where may be found the largest assortment in the city. Old Files Recut and made equal to new, at a saving of 50 per cent.

The subscriber begs to inform his numerous friends and the public generally that he does not employ an Agent to solicit orders. Communications by Mail will meet with prompt attention. J. B. SMITH.

March 12, 1859.-3m New street, File Works, Philadelphia.

DR. BARNES' COUGH SYRUP,

For the cure of Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, and a preventive of Consumption. One or two doses is sufficient to cure any recent cough. Those who have used it, pronounce it superior to any other now in use.

DR. BARNES' PILE LOTION.

This remedy for the cure of outward and inward Piles, is a certain cure; it has cured a case where the patient had suffered 37 years, and during the time, had the best medical attendance the city of Philadelphia could furnish.

RHEUMATISM CONQUERED

By Dr. Barnes' Liniment, called Hyder Ali's Mixture This celebrated remedy is a speedy cure for sore throat Mumps, Rheumatism, Sprains, Swellings and Pains. As a liniment for horses, it is superior to any other in use.—It will cure any extreme affliction incident to the horse, Bone spavin only excepted.

"BREAKING OUT."

A disease called "Breaking Out," is now afflicting thousands. It first appears upon the arms or legs, and if not arrested spreads over the whole body. It is none other than the SEVEN YEARS' ITCH. The experience of the past four years proves that the only sure cure for it is Dr. BARNES' ITCH OINTMENT. Many persons have an erroneous idea that filth produces the Itch. A person may bathe every morning for a year, and during the time daily change their clothing, after the expiration of the year come in contact with the disease and contract it.—The best proof, however, is that the really filthy are rarely afflicted with it.

DYSPEPSIA.

Palpitation of the Heart, Nervousness, Sick Headache, as well as Cholera Morbus, Colic, and all pains in the Bowels and Stomach, are cured by Dr. Barnes' Camphorated Extract of Ginger.

The above medicines are prepared at 333 Chestnut St. four doors below 4th, Philadelphia. Sold by BREWSTER & Co. and by FITHIAN, Bridgeton, and at stores generally throughout the State.

Philadelphia, Jaw. 8, 1859.

AMERICAN WATCHES.

MANUFACTURED in Massachusetts, for sale cheap by S. B. WOODRUFF.
y 29 No. 26 Commerce Street.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

Grocery and Provision Store,

Brick Building, S. W. cor. Com. & Pearl sts.

The subscriber begs most respectfully to announce that he has in store a large and well selected stock of groceries and provisions. Having lately purchased them at the lowest cash prices, I intend to sell at the same, and solicit a continuance of that liberal patronage heretofore bestowed. The following are a few of the articles for sale:

White and brown sugar	by the lb. or barrel.		
Raw and roasted coffee	"	"	bag,
Green and black tea	"	"	chest,
White and brown soap	"	"	box,
Mould and dipped candles	"	"	"
Fresh and tub butter	"	"	tub,
Fresh and salt pork	"	"	cwt.
Hams and shoulders	"	"	whole,
Dried Beef	"	"	piece,
White and codfish	"	"	barrel,
W. India & N. O. Molasses	"	gal.	barrel,
Mackerel, Nos. 1, 2, and 3, by the 1-4, 1-2 or "			

Bridgeton, Jan. 9. GEORGE DONAGHAY;

CO-PARTNERSHIP.

THE undersigned have this day formed a co-part nership under the firm of PEDRICK & CHEESMAN, and will continue the Iron business at the Old Stand on Laurel St., nearly opposite E. Davis & Son's Hotel, where may always be found a general assortment of the various kinds and sizes of Iron Cast, English blister, German, Sweden, American and Hoo Steel, Case hardened and common axles, axle moulds, springs, English and American boxes; horsescrews, bastard, mill, hand saws and various other kinds of files, silver and brass bands, silvered, brass and Japanned knobs, car handles and locks, screw bolts and rivets, plow and malleable castings, anvils, bellows, vices, bituminous coal, etc., etc., always on hand and for sale cheap for cash or approved credit.

ISAAC PEDRICK,
JOHN CHEESMAN, Jr.
Bridgeton, Feb. 22d, 1859.3m.

BATES'
HALL OF FASHION.
Fall and Winter Clothing!!

J. BATES, feels it due to his numerous patrons, to render them his thanks for their liberal patronage for the past year. Notwithstanding the extraordinary revulsion in the monetary affairs of the country, our business has steadily progressed, showing that the style, price and kind of Clothing we manufacture, is just what is needed, and that the course we have pursued for years of warranting all we sell to prove as represented, and freely ex, changing garments that do not suit, has secured to us, we think, the large patronage we have received. We shall endeavor to confine our business as near to Cash as possible, at the same time we are willing to grant to those of our customers who have heretofore paid us promptly, the usual credit at Cash prices.

CUSTOMER DEPARTMENT.

We have now on hand a very large and complete assortment of Cloths, suitable for Overcoats, also fine goods for Under Coats, Business Coats, &c. Also, a complete stock of Black and Fancy Cassimeres with our usual large assortment of fancy and plain vestings, the very choicest goods the market affords. Garments will at all times be made at the shortest notice, and warranted to please.

Ready Made Clothing.

Our Stock this Fall will be found to contain an unusually large and superior assortment of these goods. We have been enabled to take advantage of the depressed state of the market and secure a full and complete assortment at greatly reduced prices, we now think no house in the trade can offer greater inducements than we can to those who desire to purchase good and well made goods, for there is no economy in purchasing an inferior quality of Ready Made Clothing.

Boys' Clothing.

We keep a full assortment of Boys' Clothing, and we think our styles of Boys' Garments cannot fail to please. We can at all times fit Boys from six to sixteen years old.

FURNISHING DEPARTMENT.

Our assortment of all the various styles of shirts, collars undershirts, drawers suspenders, gloves, handkerchiefs, stocks, ties, sashes, &c., is most complete. We shall be happy at all times to show our goods, considering it no trouble, all ought to look before purchasing, and we are willing to help post them.

HAT AND CAP DEPARTMENT.

We have a full and complete assortment of all the different styles and shades of soft hats and caps for man's and boys' wear. J. BATES,

Nov. 6th No. 12, Carll's Building, Near the Bridge.

Fresh and genuine Garden, and Field Seeds, by S. L. FITHIAN.

LOOK HIGHER!!
The Wonders of the World are said TO BE SEVEN.

1st. Is, Thomas P. Williams makes and sells the best shoes in Cumberland county, by odds.

2nd. Is, one pair of his shoes will out wear two pair of Store shoes, easy.

3rd. Is, you will gain by buying his shoes, in the long run, about 25 per cent on the dollar, and no mistake.

4th. Leather was never known to be so high as it is at the present time, therefore our profits are very small.

5th. We have to sell for cash, or we can't replace our stock.

6th. We study to please.

7th. The last, but not the least, I can cure all diseases that is curable, with my magnetic process, and that is saying a great deal, but nevertheless, it is true to the very letter.

THOMAS P. WILLIAMS,
Electrician.

Commerce st., West of the Bridge.
March 26,-tf.

COAL! COAL!! COAL!!!

JUST received, a now cargo of Coal, all under cover.—Now come on with your orders to.
Nov 27. D. B. THOMPSON.

JACOB KIENZLE,
Tanner, Currier and Leather Dealer,
Fayette Street, Bridgeton. N. J.

CONSTANTLY on hand a good assortment of Finished Leather, at the lowest rates for Cash.

Sp. Oak Sole Leather,		Wax and Grain Calf Skins	
Hemlock	"	Moroccos, Linings,	
Slaughter	"	Bindings, Apron Skins,	
Skirting	"	Shoe Thread, Heel Nails,	
Harness and Bridle Leather,		Pegs, Rubbers, Knives,	
Belting and Thong	"	Wax, Awl Blades and	
Fly Net	"	Hafts, &c.	
Wax and Grain Upper	"		
Buff and Cordovan	"		

Also, a constant supply of Plastering Hair.

N. B.—The highest cash price paid for Beef Hides and Calf Skins. Jan8-3m

☞ THOMAS P. WILLIAMS, ☜
LADIES' FASHIONABLE
BOOT AND SHOE MAKER,
Commerce Street, West of the Bridge.

AS I have disposed of all my eastern make, I intend in future, to devote my particular attention to the Ladies' Department in the Shoe Business (Misses and Children included.) Grateful for past favors I would respectfully solicit a share of the public patronage in future.

☞ Ladies may depend on getting a good article, as intend to have nothing but the best material and of the Latest Styles.

☞ THOMAS P. WILLIAMS. ☜
Dec. 4 tf

Spring of 1859.
CARPETS,
OIL CLOTHS & WINDOW SHADES!!

J. R Graham would respectfully invite the attention of his friends and the public to his large spring stock just received, which consists of the very best and latest patterns from the manufacturer.

Fine Brussels carpet, three ply, patent tapestry, ingrain, venitian, German, linen, step carpet, drugget, list carpet, and a good assortment of home made rag carpet, cocoa and grass matting, parlor rug, step rods, step oil cloth, kitchen and entry oil cloth, window shades, plain, green and fancy shades very cheap.

Having a thorough knowledge of the woolen business I think my stock will give general satisfaction.

Please give me a call, next to the Post Office, Bridgeton, N. J.

P.S.—Boston carpet chain for sale, and carpet weaving done at the shortest notice.

March, 12, 1859.-3m J. R. GRAHAM.

TRUTHS TO BE REMEMBERED!

WE have a complete stock of BOOTS and SHOES,
We have men's and boys' sewed and pegged Boots,
We have men's and boys' boots of our own a eastern make
We have men's and boys' calf gaitors.
We have men's and boys' walking shoes,
We have men's and boys' coarse Brogans,
We have ladies' kid and moroco boots,
We have ladies' undress moroco boots,
We have ladies' calf boots,
We have ladies' black and fancy gaitors,
We have ladies kid and fancy Slippers,
We have the largest stock of boots and shoes in Bridgeton.—We will sell at a small advance for cash,
We have removed to our New Store in Carll's Building near the Bridge.
We study to Please.

Bridgeton, Mar. 5, '59. REEVES, DAVIS & CO.

10,000 Osage ORANGE PLANTS, at $8 per 1,000, for sale at the Nursery of JAMES McLEAN,
March 5, '59. Roadstown, N. J.

ORANGE QUINCE, a few hundred for sale by
march 5, 1859. JAMES McLEAN.

500 APPLE TREES, 7 to 9 feet heigh, thrifty growth. Of the most approved kind, at the Nursery of
March 5, 1859. JAMES McLEAN.

STANDARD and Draft Pear Trees,—Isabella, Catawba and Elsinboro Grape Vines, for sale by JAMES McLEAN.
March 1, 1859. Roadstown, N. J.

SILVER MAPLE Trees good size, for sale by
march 5, 1859. JAMES McLEAN.

CHANGE OF HOURS.

BRIDGETON AND PHILADELPHIA MAIL LINE Stages will leave Davis & Son's Hotel, Bridgeton, on and after Monday, Sept. 13th, every morning at 8 o'clock A. M., Ridgeway House, Phila., at 7½ o'clock, and Walnut St. wharf at 8. (Daily, Sundays excepted.) Through in 5½ hours. Good accommodations and quick time will be the motto of this line.

L. H. DOWDNEY,
E. PANCOAST,
Sept. 11th, '58. Proprietors & Drivers.

A Secret worth Knowing
TO WIVES AND MOTHERS.

If you would save many a heart-pang, occasioned by the sad looks an i possibly an unkind word, from an adored husband or a loved son, who is rendered thus unkind by the miserable coffee that is occasionally set before him.—Buy an Old Dominion Coffee

DR. HOOFLAND'S BALSAMIC CORDIAL,

FOR THE SPEEDY CURE OF

Coughs, Colds, Influenza, Croup, Hoarseness, Bronchitis, Pneumonia, Disease of the Bowels arising from Cold, Incipient Consumption, and for the relief and (if at all possible) cure of Patients in advanced stages of the latter disease.

This celebrated preparation, like the Bitters, may be confidently relied on. It is designed for a class of diseases more common and more fatal than any other to which the people of this country are subject—those springing from a slight cold. That eminent authority, Dr. Bell, says:

"I will not say that Colds are to our inhabitants what the Plague and Yellow Fever are to those of other countries; but I do say confidently that they usher in disease of a more complex and mortality than those latter. A fatal cold in a common child may be seen by a glance at the following statistics, taken from the records of the Board of Health of Philadelphia, confessedly one of the most healthy cities in the Union—

Total deaths,		10,261
Deaths of Consumption,	1,912	
" " all other diseases (200 in number),	8,349	
		10,261
1853. Total deaths,		9,749
Deaths of Consumption,	1,895	
" " all other diseases	7,854	
		9,749
1854. Total deaths,		11,814
Deaths of Consumption,	2,178	
" " all other diseases,	9,636	
		11,814

From these figures it will be seen that nearly one fourth of annual deaths in this city are caused by consumption, and nine tenths of the remaining diseases springing from a slight cold."

If you would cherish your health, but if suffering from a cough, or cold on the lungs, buy a bottle of

HOOFLAND'S BALSAMIC CORDIAL,

And you may count on a cure. Thousands have done so, and testify that it is to them a powerful effecter.

Consumptives, suffering from a disordered or dyspeptic stomach, in which case the German Bitters should be used. In cases of weakness, or consumption, resulting from a protracted cough, these two Bitters will be found of great benefit when used together.

Prepared by Dr. C. M. Jackson, 418 Arch Street, Philadelphia. Sold by Druggists and Storekeepers throughout the United States and Canada. Price 75 cents per bottle.

Nov. 26, '58.

BONNETS AND TRIMMING,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL.

Trimmings in all an assortment equal to any in the city, to which we invite the attention of buyers. Also, a good assortment of Misses and Children's Bonnets, Hats, and Riding Hats.

A large stock of flowers in every choice variety.

H. WARD,

No. 197, North Second Street, Philadelphia.

March 10, 2m-w.

PARIS MANTILLA EMPORIUM,

No. 704 Arch Street, (Above 7th.,) Philad'a.

The subscriber would respectfully invite the attention of the ladies to her extensive assortment of

FASHIONABLE MANTILLAS,

Comprising every variety and choice description, viz: Black and Fancy Silk Mantillas, Black and Fancy Lace Mantillas, Paris Lace Mantillas, Paris Lace Mantillas, Talma Sacques, &c. Also, a special variety of Ladies' Cloaks, suitable for Dry Goods Jobbers.

J. W. TAYLOR & CO.,

704 Arch st., Philadelphia.

The Best Watches Made in ENGLAND.

We have now in our store a Watch superior in time, durability and elegance to the celebrated Lever Watches formerly imported by us, which we sell at a price less than one half the price of the latter. We feel confident that we can now present to our friends and the public a watch which we can recommend as possessing all the qualities of a good time keeper.

SHELDON & BRO.,

Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.

Agents for Celebrated Tubular Watches.

We also have on hand a large assortment of other makes, which we will warrant to be good time keepers, and sell at low prices.

SHELDON & BRO.,

Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.

Where to Buy Cheap Carpets.

The subscriber would respectfully inform the public that he still continues to sell Carpets, Oil Cloths, &c., at the old stand, No. 17 South Second street, a few doors below Market, where he will be pleased to see his friends and the public generally, and will sell them goods as low as they can be purchased at any other store in the city, for cash.

JOHN W. MARPLE,

No. 17 South Second st., below Market, Philadelphia.

March 10, 2m-w.

T. M. RICHARDS & CO.'S

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