THE RAHWAY ADVOCATE.

SUCCESSOR TO THE WEEKLY ADVOCATE AND TIMES.

PUBLISHED SEMI-WEEKLY BY W. L. MERSHON & CO., OFFICE—COR. CAMPBELL AND CHERRY STREET

NEW VOL., XLIII.—No 81. RAHWAY, N. J., WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1885. ESTABLISHED 1822.

BUSINESS CARDS.

EDW'D WOODRUFF, Attorney and Counsellor at Law, Equitable Building, No. 120 Broadway, New York.

AUGUST SCHNEIDER, LARGE BREAD, FANCY CAKE AND PIE BAKER, 128 Main Street, Rahway, N. J. Weddings, Parties, Picnics and Entertainments furnished on the shortest notice, and at the most reasonable rates. Hot Rolls every morning at six. Orders solicited and promptly attended to.

A FINE ASSORTMENT OF RUBBER GOODS, BOOTS, SHOES and ARCTICS, At AVERY'S, No. 9 Cherry Street.

BROWN & HETFIELD, (Successors to John B. Brown,) LIVERY, SALE AND EXCHANGE STABLE, at the rear of Chamberlin's Hotel, CAMPBELL ST., RAHWAY, N. J. Coaches furnished for Funerals, Weddings, &c.

CHAMBERLIN'S HOTEL, OPPOSITE RAILROAD DEPOT, RAHWAY, N. J.

This House is conveniently located for the accommodation of the traveling public. Added to this Hotel for the accommodation of the public is a

—LUNCH ROOM,—

where meals are served at all hours. Transcient board and lodging

50c. PER MEAL AND 50c. LODGING

Permanent board for families and single gentlemen at reasonable rates

☞ Billiard Room and Stable connected with the Hotel.

WM. S. CHAMBERLIN, Prop.

CHRISTIAN EHRLICH, No. 88 IRVING STREET, MANUFACTURER OF SEGARS. Wholesale and Retail Dealer in the best brands of home manufacture and imported Segars, Tobacco, Snuff, etc. And smokers' articles of all descriptions.

I will receive orders for cleaning, repairing and oiling Meerschaum goods, at reasonable prices, and short notice.

AGENT FOR GERMANIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK CITY.

CLOKE, THE PLUMBER, 11 CHERRY STREET, Pumps, Stoves and Heaters put up and repaired.

PAINTING. Wall Paper and Painters' Supplies at E. M. SLATER'S, 151 Main St.

GEO. MILLER, 143 MAIN STREET, AGENT FOR THE UNITED STATES DYEING AND SCOURING ESTABLISHMENT. All kinds of Garments Dyed and Scoured with Neatness and Despatch, without being ripped, at lowest cash prices.

H. LYMAN CLARK, DENTIST, GAS ADMINISTERED. No. 110 Irving St., near Milton Avenue, RAHWAY, N. J. ☞ Dentistry in all its Branches.

I. LOHMILLER, MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN FURNITURE, MATTRESSES & FEATHERS, Undertaking in all its branches. RE-UPHOLSTERING AND REPAIRING DONE. [illegible] MAIN STREET, RAHWAY, N. J.

LESLIE LUPTON, COUNSELLOR AT LAW, Exchange Building. Rahway, N. J.

DR. LEWIS S. AYERS, DENTIST. OFFICES: Rahway, N. J.—Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, 8:30 A. M., to 5:30 P. M. Tuesdays and Saturdays, 1:30 to 5:30 P. M. Metuchen, N. J.—Tuesdays and Saturdays from 8 to 12 A. M.

MARSH & RYNO, No. 111 MAIN St., Rahway, N. J. Manufacturers and dealers in Furniture and Mattresses, which we offer as low as they can be purchased elsewhere. Please give us a call and examine our stock and prices. Undertaking in all its branches.

SURVEYING AND LEVELING IN ALL ITS BRANCHES. W. E. CLARK, CITY SURVEYOR. Office—City Hall Building, corner Main and Monroe Streets, Rahway, N. J. Special attention paid to re-locating old property lines. Drawing and Specifications for Patents at Reasonable Rates.

VAIL & WARD, COUNSELLORS AT LAW. Rooms 4 & 5 Exchange Building, Rahway, N. J.

RAHWAY REFORM CLUB—meets every Thursday Evening, at 8 o'clock, in their rooms in the Hatt Building, corner of Cherry and Irving sts. Gospel Temperance Meetings in the Opera House every SUNDAY at 4 P. M. All are cordially invited.

REFORM CLUB DUES. Dues of the members 25 cents a month, are payable the first THURSDAY of every month. Prompt payment is requested.

PENNSYLVANIA R. R.

On and after Monday, Jan. 12, 1885, trains will leave Rahway as follows:

For Baltimore, Washington, and points South: 1:01, 7:06, 9:24 a. m. 1:51, p.m.

For Philadelphia, 1:01, 7:06, 8:07, 9:24 a.m., 12:07, 1:51, 5:53, 8:01 p. m. Sunday, 1:01, 7:06, 10:50 a. m., 4:51, 7:58 p. m.

For Cape May, 12:07 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 12:07, 1:51 p. m.

For Trenton, 1:01, 7:06 7:35, 8:07, 9:24 a.m., 12:07, 1:51, 2:55, 5:53, 8:01 p. m. Sunday, 1:01, 7:06, 10:50 a. m., 4:51, 7:58 p. m.

For New Brunswick, 12:27, 1:01, 7:06, 7:35, 8:07, 9:24, 10:28, a. m., 12:07, 1:51, 2:55, 3:46, 4:48, 5:53, 6:39, 8:01, p.m. Sunday, 1:01, 10:28 a. m., 2:08, 4:51 7:58 p.m.

For Metuchen, 12:27, 1:01, 7:35, 8:07, 9:24, 10:28 a.m., 12:07, 1:53, 2:55, 3:46, 4:48, 5:32, 6:36, 6:39, 8:01 p. m. Sunday, 1:01, 10:28 a.m., 2:08, 6:36, 7:58 p. m.

For Menlo Park, 12:27, 7:35, 10:28 a. m., 12:07, 1:53, 2:55, 3:46, 5:32, 6:36, 8:01, p. m. Sunday, 10:28 a. m., 2:08, 6:36, 7:58 p. m.

For Iselin, 12:27, 7:35, 10:28 a. m., 12:07, 1:53, 2:55, 3:46, 5:32, 6:36, 8:01, p. m. Sunday, 10:28 a. m., 2:08, 6:36, 7:58 p. m.

For Avenel, Edgars and Spa Springs, 7:01, 11:10 a. m., 3:36, 6:23, 7:34, 10:58, p. m.

For Woodbridge, 7:01, 9:48, 11:10 a. m., 12:45, 3:36, 5:45, 6:23, 7:34, 10:58 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 7:01, 9:48, 11:10 a. m. 12:45, 3:36, 5.45, 6:23, 7:34, 10:58 p. m.

P. R. R., Crossing, 9:48 a. m. 5:45, p. m.

For South Amboy, 12:45, 5:45, p. m.

For Matawan, 9:48, a.m., 12:45, 5:45 p. m.

For Red Bank, 9:48 a.m., 12:45, 4:15, 5:45, p.m.

For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, Asbury Park, Ocean Beach, Spring Lake, Sea Girt, Manasquan and Point Pleasant, 9:48 a. m., 12:45, 4:15, 5:45, p. m.

For Bay Head, Toms River, and intermediate stations, 9:48 daily except Sunday; 12:45 p. m. Mondays and Saturdays only.

Sunday Trains leave Rahway for Points on New York and Long Branch R. R., 9:48 a. m.

For Elizabeth, 2:49, 5:35, 6:05, 6:34, 6:55, 7:08, 7:34, 7:47, 8:03, 8:21, 8:37, 9:33, 10:07, 10:25, 10:40, 11:35, a. m. 12:45, 1:13, 2:00, 2:35, 3:35, 4:33, 5:19, 6:05, 6:23, 7.00, 7:40, 8:03, 8:32, 8:55, 10:25, 11:18 p.m. Sundays, 2:49, 8:08, 9:50, 10:25, 10:40, a. m. 12:20, 2:30, 4:32, 5:22, 7:00, 8:13, 8:32, 9:03, 11:10 p. m.

For Newark, 2:49, 5:35, 6:05, 6:34, 6:55, 7:08, 7:34, 7:47, 8:03, 8:21, 8:37, 9:33, 10:07, 10:25, 10:40, 11:35 a. m.; 12:45, 1:13, 2:00, 2:35, 3:35, 4:33, 5:19, 6:05, 6:23, 7:00, 7:40, 8:03, 8:32, 8:55, 10:25, 11:18 p.m. Sundays, 2:49, 7:35, 9:50, 10:25, 10:40, a. m., 12:20, 2:30, 4:32, 5:22, 7:00, 8:13, 9:03, 11:10 p.m.

For New York, 2:49, 5:35, 6:05, 6:34, 6:55, 7:08, 7:34, 7:47, 8:03, 8:21, 8:37, 9:33, 10:07, 10:25, 10:40, 11:35, a. m.; 12:45, 1:13, 2:00, 2:35, 3:35, 4:33, 5:19, 6:05, 6:23, 7:00, 7:40, 8:03, 8:32, 8:55, 10:25, 11:18, p. m. Sundays, 2:49, 7:35, 9:50, 10:25, 10:40 a.m.; 12:20, 2:30, 4:32, 5:22, 7:00, 8:13, 9:03, 11:10 p. m.

For Brooklyn, N. Y., all through trains connect at Jersey City with boats of "Brooklyn Annex" affording direct transfer to and from Fulton street, avoiding double ferriage and journey across New York City.

Trains Leave New York for Rahway, 6:00, 6:30, 7:20, 7:30, 8:10, 8:30, 9:00, 9:30, 10:10, 11:10 a. m., 12:00 noon; 1:00, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 3:40, 4:00, 4:10, 4:40, 5:00, 5:10, 5:20, 5:30, 5:40, 5:50, 6:10, 6:30, 7:00, 7:40, 7:50, 9:00, 10:00, 11:30 p.m., 12:00 night. Sundays, 8:15, 9:00, 9:30, 12:00 a.m.; 1:00, 3:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:45, 6:30, 7:00, 7:45, 9:45 p. m., 12:00 night.

Passengers wishing to take Southern or Western express trains, not stopping at Rahway, will be obliged to take a preceding train to some point where the express train makes regular stop.

CHAS. E. PUGH, Gen'l Manager.
J. R. WOOD, Gen'l Pass. Agent.
F. W. JACKSON, Gen'l Sup't P.R.R. N.J. Div.
ROBERT E. PETTIT Sup't N. Y. Div.

RAHWAY POST-OFFICE.

New York Time.

MAILS ARRIVE.

New York, North, East, and West, 5:15 a. m.
Through Southern and Philadelphia, 5:42 a. m.
Woodbridge and Perth Amboy, 8:08 a. m.
Philadelphia and Way, 8:37 a. m.
New York, North, East and Way, 9:24 a. m.
Through West, 10:29 a. m.
Woodbridge, 12:45 p. m.
New York, North and East, 12:07, 1:51 p. m.
Through Southern, Philadelphia and Way, 4:43 p. m.
New York, North, East, 5:24 p. m.
Woodbridge and Perth Amboy, 5:24 p. m.
Philadelphia and Way, 5:38 p. m.

Mails are received from New Brunswick, Princeton, Metuchen, Trenton, South and West Jersey, Belvidere and Delaware Railroads, at 8:37 a. m., and 5:38 p. m.

Mails are received from Elizabeth, Newark, Jersey City, Delaware & Lackawanna and New Jersey Central Railroads, at 5:15, 9:24 a. m., 5:24 p. m.

MAILS CLOSE.

Woodbridge and Perth Amboy, 6:50 a. m.
New York, North and East, 7:30 a. m.
New York, North, East and Way, 8:10 a. m.
Philadelphia and Way, 9:00 a. m.
Through Southern and West, 9:00 a. m.
Woodbridge, 10:45 a. m.
New York, North and East, 12:30 p. m.
New York, East and Way, 4:00 p.m.
Woodbridge and Perth Amboy 5 p. m.
Philadelphia and Way, 5:00 p. m.
Through Southern and West, 5:00 p. m.
New York, North, East and Way, 5:00 p. m.

Mails close for all points at 7:00 p. m.

Mails are dispatched for Elizabeth, Newark, Jersey City, Northern New Jersey, Delaware & Lackawanna, New Jersey Central Railroads at 8:00 a. m. 4:00, 5:00 and 7:00 p. m.

Mails are dispatched for Philadelphia, Trenton, Princeton, New Brunswick, Metuchen, South and West Jersey, Belvidere Delaware Railroads at 9:00 a. m., 5:00 and 7:15 p. m.

Office opens at 7:00 a. m.; closes at 7:30 p. m.

Sunday Mails arrive 5:17 a. m., and close to all points 5:00 p. m.

Office open on Sunday from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.

MONEY ORDERS.

Can be obtained at this office payable at any money order office in the United States or Foreign country.

S. M. OLIVER, Postmaster.

G. O. ZELLER, DRUGGIST AND CHEMIST, Has purchased the store of D. F. Coles, 158 Main Street, and fitted up with an entire NEW, FRESH, and COMPLETE STOCK OF DRUGS, MEDICINES & CHEMICALS. PRESCRIPTIONS A SPECIALTY. ☞ The store will be open all Sunday for the accommodation of the public.

Special Bargain Sale.

DRY GOODS AT HALF PRICE!

ISAAC N. DOTY & CO.,
159 & 161 Market Street, Newark, N. J.

Our Great January Bargain Sales

Are continued in all departments and the most desirable goods, those in daily demand, are being sold at

FIFTY CENTS ON THE DOLLAR,
AND EVEN LESS.

Dress Goods, Silks, Carpets, Satines, Ginghams, Foulards, Cloaks, and Blankets, for much less than cost of production.

NOT SINCE THE FIRST YARD OF GOODS WAS SOLD IN NEWARK HAVE PRICES BEEN AS LOW AS WE MAKE THEM DURING THIS

SPECIAL SALE!

ISAAC N. DOTY & CO.,
159 & 161 MARKET ST., Newark, N. J.

A $3 DICTIONARY FOR 25 CENTS.

This Dictionary is based on the principles of the latest and best American and English authorities. It contains 320 pages, 125 Illustrations, and about 30,000 words, accurately defined, with each word respelled phonetically, with careful and correct accentuation and syllabication rendering the pronunciation very simple and easy of acquirement.

PRICE, - - - - 25 cents.

W. L. MERSHON & CO., Cor. Campbell and Cherry Sts., Rahway, N. J.

WITHIN HIS DANGER.

A TALE FROM THE CHINESE.

(Continued.)

One thing he had determined to do, and that was, as soon as he had settled with Lai, who was to call after dusk, he would go himself to the graveyard to make quite sure that the work was well done. Much though he hated and feared the ferryman, he now had a morbid longing for his arrival; and when that worthy appeared, he received him with open arms.

Lai was as undemonstrative and self-possessed as Ts'eng was effusive and flurried; and a glance at that unfortunate young gentleman was enough to convince his visitor that he had the game in his hands.

"Well, Mr. Ts'eng," he began, as he seated himself uninvited, "I have come according to arrangement to settle about last night's job."

"Yes, yes; don't say anything more about *that*," said Ts'eng, shuddering. "I have here two hundred taels of silver, which I hope you will accept from me."

"That is not enough," answered Lai: "do you think I would have buried a murdered man——"

"Oh, don't, don't. Well, come, I will give you another fifty taels; surely that will satisfy you," said Ts'eng, who, though anxious to quiet Lai, had an intense dislike to parting with his money.

"Now, look here, Mr. Ts'eng," said Lai deliberately, and with a threatening countenance, "if you don't give me down three hundred taels, good weight, I shall go on at once to the magistrate's to——"

"Say no more you shall have the three hundred. And now, I have something to ask of you—I want you to row me up to the graveyard and show me where *it* is."

"Very well," replied Lai; "there will not be any one wanting to cross the lake to-night, so we can start now if you like."

"Is it dark enough!" asked Ts'eng.

"It is so dark that you might run into your best friend's arms without his knowing you; and unless you have the eyes of a cat or an owl, you won't see much when you get there."

With much caution the expedition was made, and Ts'eng satisfied himself, as far as the darkness would allow, that every care had been taken to make the newly made grave as much like the surrounding soil as possible. He returned, therefore, with his mind now at rest, and as days went by and nothing serious occurred to arouse his fears, he gradually recovered much of his ordinary placidity. Not that he altogether escaped annoyance; for Lai, luxuriating in his suddenly acquired wealth, showed a tendency to break out into riot, and in his cup, he allowed himself to talk of his friendship with "young Ts'eng" in a way which, coupled with his sudden wealth, made his neighbours wonder and gossip. From some of these Ts'eng learnt what was going on. The bare idea of his alliance with Lai becoming a subject of tittle-tattle was torture to him, and he took an opportunity of begging the ferryman to be more cautious. Being not unwilling to worry poor Ts'eng, Lai affected to be indifferent to anything people might say, and adopted altogether so defiant a tone, that he brought Ts'eng once again to his knees.

To add to Ts'eng's anxieties, little Primrose was seized one evening with a violent headache and every symptom of high fever. For three days the child lay tossing to and fro with burning skin, parched mouth, and throbbing head; and when, at the end of that time, these symptoms abated, their origin was made plain by an eruption which was unmistakably that of smallpox. The doctor who was summoned felt the pulse of the sufferer and prescribed *ginseng*, and broth made of Cassia shoots, in accordance with the dictum of the highest authorities. But to this orthodox treatment the disease declined to submit. The virulence of the distemper was unchecked; and though Golden-lilies paid numerous visits to the shrine of the Goddess of Smallpox, and spent large sums of money in the purchase of offerings to that deity, the child daily and hourly grew worse, until the doctor had unwillingly to acknowledge that he could do nothing more. It is difficult to say which of the parents during these dark days suffered the greatest mental agony. Golden-lilies' distress was that of an agonised mother, tortured by the fear of losing her only child; while Ts'eng's grief at the possible loss of his fondling, was aggravated by a superstitious belief that his own crime had brought this misery upon him. Even the doctor, accustomed as he was to displays of affection, was touched by the grief of the young couple, and, forgetful of all professional etiquette, he recommended Ts'eng, as a last hope, to send for a quack practitioner, residing at a town some twenty miles away, who had, he said, acquired a reputation for the successful treatment of similar desperate cases.

Eagerly catching at this straw, Ts'eng wrote a note begging the doctor "to deign to visit his straw hut, and to bend his omniscient mind to the case of his insignificant child," and bade Tan carry it at once to its destination. But since the night when Ts'eng had been obliged to place his secret in the hands of his two servants, their manner had been less respectful than formerly, and sometimes even defiant. To Tan the present mission was evidently distasteful; and it was only by the promise of a handsome reward that Ts'eng at last succeeded in getting him off. During the whole afternoon of that day, time seemed to the watchers to stand still; and towards night, when they hoped that the expected doctor might appear, every approaching horse's hoof brought hope, which as often was destined to be disappointed as the tramp died away again in the distance. Meanwhile Primrose grew worse and worse, as night came on unconsciousness set in; and just before dawn the little thing gave a deep sigh and passed into the land of shades.

Both Ts'eng and Golden-lilies were completely crushed by the ruin of all their hopes; and when Tan made his appearance towards noon, they scarcely heeded his explanation that he had waited all night at the doctor's house, expecting his return from a distant professional visit, and that, when morning came, he had thought it best to come back, even without the doctor, to report his want of success.

Much sympathy was felt with the sorrow-stricken parents at the loss of their only child, and many were the visits of condolence which Ts'eng received during the ensuing days. Among others, a relation called, who, after having expressed his sympathy, added with evident reluctance,—"There is a matter, my brother, about which I feel bound to speak to you, although I am most unwilling to trouble you about ordinary affairs at such a time as this."

"Please don't let my affliction interfere with any matter of business," said Ts'eng.

"Well, the fact is," said his guest, "that the other morning—it was, I remember, the morning after your little one departed for the 'Yellow Springs'—one of my servants came home very much the worse for wine and opium; and on my asking him for an explanation of his conduct, he said that a man of yours named Tan had kept him up all night drinking and smoking at an opium-tavern in the town. Can this be true?"

"It is quite impossible," replied Ts'eng; "for the whole of that night Tan was twenty miles away, at the house of a doctor to whom I had sent him."

"Well, I have brought my man," said the other, "that he may repeat his story in your presence, and that, if necessary, we should confront him with Tan."

"Let him come in, by all means," said Ts'eng.

In obedience to a summons Tan's accuser entered the room. He was a dissipated-looking fellow. His face was thin and drawn, and of that peculiar mahogany hue which is begotten by long-continued indulgence in the opium-pipe. From the same habit his teeth were blackened, and the whites of his eyes looked as though they had been smoke-dried. On entering he bowed his knee, and then proceeded to give a circumstantial account of the night in question. At first Ts'eng had treated his accusations with contempt; but the remarkably coherent manner in which the man retailed his story, suggested doubts to his mind, which tortured him with misgivings. Without waiting for the conclusion of the man's statement, therefore, he summoned Tan to face his accuser. With a glance Tan took in the position of affairs, and having with a considerable effort mastered the uneasiness which the crisis provoked, he stood ready to brazen it out.

"This man tells me," said Ts'eng, "that instead of carrying my letter to the doctor the other evening, you passed the night drinking and smoking with him at a tavern in the town. Is this true or false?"

"It is false, your honour; and I can only suppose that this man, to whom I have only spoken once or twice in my life, must have invented this story out of spite, or in order to shield, in some way which I do not understand, his own conduct from blame."

"Are not you ashamed to tell such a lie in the sight of heaven?" said the man, quite taken aback by the coolness of the denial; "but fortunately I have some evidence of the truth of my story, which you will find it hard to meet. Did you deliver your master's letter to the doctor?"

"Certainly I did."

"That is curious; for I happen to have here a letter which I found on the floor of the room we occupied at the tavern, and which I strongly suspect is the letter you were intrusted with. Will you see for yourself, sir, whether this is your letter or not?" said the man, handing to Ts'eng an unopened envelope, which he produced from his sleeve.

With a trembling hand Ts'eng took the letter, and at a glance recognised it as the one he had written with such eager haste, and with such a longing hope. The thought that but for the treachery of the wretch before him his little Primrose might have been still with him was more than he could bear. For a moment he fell back in his chair with quivering lips and cheeks as pale as death, and then as suddenly the blood rushed headlong through his veins, and with wild eyes and uttering savage curses he sprang from his chair and rushed upon Tan, who, accepting the turn things had taken, had fallen on his knees, and was performing the *kotow* with every token of humble submission.

With wild fury Ts'eng kicked at the bowing head of his follower, and might probably have been charged a second time with manslaughter, had not his guest dragged him by main force back to his chair and dismissed Tan from the room.

It was a long time before Ts'eng could recover his composure. His nerves were completely unstrung, and he trembled like a leaf. His friend, who was a determined fatalist, used every argument at his command to soothe his remorse and regrets. He pointed out that Heaven having doomed the death of little Primrose, nothing could have prevented it; that even if the doctor had come, he could not have lengthened out her life one moment beyond the time allowed her by the Fates; and that, therefore, though Tan's conduct had been infamous, it had not in any way influenced the result. "I quite admit that the man deserves punishment for his disobedience, and I would suggest that you should now order him to be bambooed on the spot. It will satisfy justice, and will, at the same time, be a relief to your feelings."

"It will certainly be a relief to me to see the fiendish brute suffer," said Ts'eng, "and it shall be done at once." So saying, he directed three of his servants to seize Tan and to flog him in the courtyard. The men, who were evidently not unused to the kind of business, dragged the offender in and stretched him face downwards on the stones of the yard. One then sat on his shoulders, another on his ankles, while a third, being provided with half a split bamboo, prepared to inflict chastisement. At a signal from Ts'eng the concave side of the bamboo, descended on the back of the thighs of the culprit with tremendous force and effect. The wretched man's frame quivered throughout, and as blow after blow fell he uttered cries for mercy, and bitter groans which would have appealed to the heart of any one whose feelings were not deadened by mental tortures. But Ts'eng, in his present unhinged frame of mind, had no mercy, and if a restraining hand had not been outstretched he would have allowed the wretched man to die under the lash. As it was, his friend interfered, and warned Ts'eng that the punishment was becoming excessive. To this remonstrance Ts'eng yielded, and the blows were stayed. But Tan, whose cries had gradually died away into silence, remained motionless, and unconscious of the mercy which had been extended to him. Seeing his condition, the servants carried him off to his bed, where, under the influence of restoratives, he was by degrees brought back to life. But it was many days before he was able to move; and even then his weakness was so great, and his nerves so shattered, that he had the air of a man recovering from a long illness. If, however, Ts'eng had hoped that the punishment would have produced penitence, he was much mistaken. At the best of times Tan's temper was not good. He was by nature morose and revengeful, and a certain want of courage in his composition disposed him towards deceit. With regaining strength he brooded more and more over the treatment he had received, and he vowed a fierce vow that for every blow that had been inflicted on him he would exact a tenfold vengeance.

Meanwhile the anxiety, grief, and excitement of the last few days had reduced Ts'eng to the verge of illness, and his general debility added a new cause of anxiety to poor Golden-lilies, already overburdened bosom. So serious was his condition, that she persuaded him to pay a visit to his brother at Soo-chow, for the sake of the change of scene and air. The remedy was exactly what he required; and after a forthnight's absence, he wrote to say that he was so much better that he should follow his letter at the interval of a day.

By this time Tan was able to walk, and so soon as he was assured of the date of his master's return, he absented himself from the house for the rest of the day. Towards evening he returned, and though his mood was exultant, he was strictly reticent as to his doings while abroad. His fellow-servants were too busy to be inquisitive; and as his enfeebled condition still prevented him from serving, he was left to himself.

The next day, towards evening, as Ts'eng's chair turned into the road in which his house stood, two police-runners, who had been sitting on a door-step opposite, rose and crossed over to Ts'eng's gateway. At the familiar shout of the chair-coolies, *Tung-chia lai-lo* ("The master has come"), the big folding-doors were thrown open, and the bearers were on the point of crossing the threshold, when one of the policemen advanced, and producing a warrant, ordered the coolies to stop and Ts'eng to dismount. Instinctively Ts'eng obeyed, and was for the first moment or two so dazed that he hardly seemed to be aware what was going on. By degrees the dress of the policeman, with his red-tasselled official cap and long robe, helped him to realise the situation, and he gasped out, "What is the warrant for?" "Murder," answered the man, as he laid his hand on Ts'eng's arm. It was fortunate for Ts'eng that he did so, for without some support he would have fallen prone to the ground. As it was, it was as much as the two men could do to support his tottering steps for a few yards, and then his legs refused to move, and his head fell forward on his chest as he dropped off into a dead faint. Seeing the condition of their master, the coolies brought forward his sedan, and the policemen accepting their aid, put the inanimate form of their prisoner into the chair, and directed the coolies to carry it to the prison at the district magistrate's *yamun*. The distance was not great, and the coolies, anxious to save their master from additional shame, hurried fast through the streets. On arriving at the *yamun*, they entered the front gates, and were then directed by the policemen to turn off to the left through a door, the insignia of which, a painted tiger's head, with huge staring eyes and widely opened jaws, marked it as the entrance to the prison. Passing through this they entered a narrow passage, at the end of which was a courtyard, where the coolies were ordered to put down their load. It had never been the fate of either of these two men to find themselves within a prison before; and the sights which met their eyes made them shudder to think what their master's feelings would be when he awoke to consciousness and found himself in such a place.

In the courtyard itself, groups of prisoners, bound with heavy chains, were huddled together, whose appearance was enough to carry horror and compassion to the minds of all but those case-hardened by habit. Their faces were thin and worn, and bore the cadaverous hue which is commonly begotten by want and foul air; while the listless expression of their eyes and the languid movements of their limbs furnished additional testimony to the state of weakness to which they had been reduced. The condition of their persons was filthy in the extreme. Skin-disease in every form was rife among them; and it was plain that a rich harvest was ripening for death within the walls of the jail. As the poor wretches crowded round the sedan-chair to see who could be the new arrival who came in such state, the coolies instinctively drew back; and if the head jailor had not made his appearance at the moment, and with a sweeping blow and a curse driven his charges backwards, the still insensible Ts'eng would have been left in his chair. Scarcely less repulsive than the prisoners was the jailer, but for different reasons. There were no signs of want or ill health about him, nor was he dirtier than Chinamen of his class generally are, but a harder and more malig-

(Continued on [illegible] page.)

RAHWAY ADVOCATE

Published Semi-Weekly by

W. L. MERSHON & CO.

Cor. Campbell and Cherry Streets.

Subscription, . . . $2.00 Per Year.

Single Copies, ... 5 Cents

RAHWAY, N. J., FEBRUARY 4, 1885.

The Stockton boom seems to have butted the McClellan boom off the field.

The driven well patent expired in January 15th and every one is now free to bore for water.

Descriptive America for December is a handsome specimen of the printer's art. Florida and its resources are fully described and illustrated.

Jeff Davis has been allowed to make a speech over the Liberty Bell. This is certainly carrying forgiveness and reconciliation to extremes.

Plainfield has begun to see the value of good roads in building up a town, and is to open a mountain road which will give some fine building sites fully equal to those on the Orange mountains.

The New York *Tribune* has cabled a letter from Gladstone to its London Correspondent. The jealous rage of its city contemporaries will be something frightful to contemplate.

Ed. Stokes, the murderer of Jim Fisk, Jr., is to be the caterer at the Cleveland inauguration ball. This means nothing. Nothing means anything nowadays. All bygones are indeed now allowed to be bygones.

Josh Billings, the orthographic murderer, has said a great many good things, and none truer or better than "Yung man, don't get down on yure knees before the world. If you do, it wont be long before the world will insist on yure gitting down a peg lower."

In accordance with the suggestion contained in the Governor's message, a bill has been introduced, which empowers the Riparian commissioners to lease the oyster grounds of the State upon the payment of $25 for any ground not exceeding 50 acres in area, and $2 per ton annually for each vessel engaged in planting and gathering. A penalty of $100 or three months imprisonment is fixed for trespassing on the grounds after they have been leased.

Elizabeth is trying to collect its taxes from the Singer Company. The company threatens that should the levy be made it will throw its bonds on the market and shut down the factory. An order of court has stayed proceedings temporarily. This will give the parties time to cool down and make some compromise for the good of both. It looks as though the Elizabeth debt troubles, like the "kind words" in the Sunday school song, "will never die, never die."

The roller skating people over in Elizabeth feel highly elated over the fact that their Temple Rink has been selected by the *Carpenter and Builder* for an illustration and description as being "the best planned and best constructed" of any examined by the agents sent out. The plans have been secured and engraved and will appear in the February number. Providence is merciful and once in a while gives Elizabeth something to console her in her deplorable desolation.

The New York *Times* suggests a novel method of restricting the liquor traffic in that city. It proposes that there should be one licensed place where there are now ten, and that these privileges be sold at auction to the highest bidder of those who can bring certificates of character and responsibility. If this plan were followed throughout the country, every community could determine for itself how many liquor saloons its public weal could allow to exist, and, by reason of the restriction in number, the receipts from the auction would no doubt bring a largely increased revenue. If liquor saloons are "necessary evils" they should be made to yield liberal compensatory returns to the cities granting them licenses to exist as evils.

The Summit *Record* devoted the whol of the editorial space in its last issue to appeals for good roads. The Summit citizens wish Morris avenue, at present undoubtedly the worst highway in the coun ty, converted into a macadam. With reference to this the *Record* says:

"What better could the County Freeholders do, for the steady relief of Elizabeth, than to divert the trade of the smaller villages and many of the townships, in Union County, from Newark to Elizabeth. Such diversion would give a new impetus to Elizabeth! It would carry to her an increased trade, thus assisting her to rise from out the depth into which she is plunged, and vigorously push forward to a destiny which her geographical position and relation to Union County would warrant. A macadam road from Summit following the present highway, would be likely to divert the trade of the townships of New Providence, Summit, Springfield and Union, from Newark, and be the beginning of an advantageous change to Elizabeth."

The large tracts of lands in this country owned by foreigners and being constantly purchased by them has set many people to thinking that perhaps in this way the seeds of future troubles are being sown. Already 21,000,000 of acres of land in the United States are owned by foreign noblemen. At the present rate of growth of this class of property owners, there will be before long a large and powerful body of landlords controlling immense tracts, acknowledging and owing no allegiance to this country and having no interest in it beyond what they can get out of it. The existence of such a class can not fail to be an injury to us and must some time result in the creation of complications and the raising of questions that can not be settled without great trouble. Seeing this danger Representative Oats, of Alabama, has prepared a bill to prohibit aliens and foreigners from acquiring or owning lands in large sections. The introduction of this bill will, in any event, be productive of good in creating discussion and calling the attention of the people to the matter.

Dynamite O'Da Rossa is being fed with a little of his own assassination medicine. A woman, indignant at his vain boasting that he is the fountain source of all anti-English crime, and so confiding in his lying claims, took upon herself to rid humanity of one who gloried in being humanity's greatest enemy. The well-meant bullet failed to penetrate to its mark and the life of the would-be murderer and real braggart was saved. The assassination, even of a murderer or a convict or a braggart, is not to be countenanced; but if a bad deed ever could be a good deed, or a bad action bring about a good result, we might express the regret that this woman's attempt was not successful. He has abused the liberty of his adopted country, has outraged its freedom of speech, and has disgraced its press to which he has attached himself as an unworthy member. He is endured and allowed to act, and speak and write as he does, simply because he is a braggart and a coward, and therefore a nuisance capable in itself of no actual bodily harm. His existence is an example of the indulgence of a generous people.

Gladstone, the greatest living statesman of England, in a letter to Smalley, the New York *Tribune* London correspondent, pays the following tribute to the character and eminence of Washington:

"When I first read in detail the Life of Washington, I was profoundly impressed with the moral elevation and greatness of his character, and I found myself at a loss to name among the statesmen of any age or country many, or possibly any, who could be his rival. In saying this I mean no disparagement to the class of politicians, the men of my own craft and cloth; whom, in my own land, and my own experience, I have found no less worthy than other men of love and of admiration. I could name among them those who seem to me to come near even to him. But I will shut out the last half century from the comparison. I will then say that if, among all the pedestals supplied by history for public characters of extraordinary nobility and purity, I saw one higher than all the rest, and if I were required at a moment's notice to name the fittest occupant for it, I think my choice, at any time during the last forty-five years, would have lighted, and it would now light, upon Washington."

Coming from such a source and from the Prime Minister of the very country whose enmity made Washington's fame, the eulogy is of all the greater value, and the gratitude of the American people will be added to the admiration they feel for Gladstone. His tribute bears the stamp of his great heart, and his utterance of it is an honor to his courage in daring to do justice to one whom his countrymen considered an enemy, and called a traitor and a rebel.

Whatever else may be said against the skating rinks, they are undoubtedly doing good in one way. Though they may be injuring business to some extent in diverting the flow of money from the pockets of the storekeepers to the pockets of the rink proprietors, they are especially and most of all damaging the saloons. The latter depend largely for support on the floating surplus money, that is the money not required for necessities and generally devoted to indulgences and amusements. Though the storekeepers may think that they are sufferers, they should remember that money paid to the rinks will be more likely to find its way back into their pockets than money paid to the saloons. In Nyack the liquor men have declared war on the rink. Their plan of attack is very cunning. They have bribed a colored man to ask admission to the rink. This they expect, will be refused. In that event a suit is to be brought against the rink by the colored man, who will be backed by the saloon-keepers. The rinks have always exercised the right of saying who shall not be their customers. It may be decided to exclude the colored man. If he is low enough to be bribed by the bar-keepers, he should be kept out. What, ever form the war assumes, the temperance people will rally to the support of the rink, and the rink will be the gainer and the saloon men the losers.

THE STATE PRESS.

Ex-Senator Benjamin A. Vail of Union County is to be commended for bringing to justice the parties who concocted and circulated a document falsely charging him with certain offences just previous to the last election, by means of which he was defeated for re-election. This "last card" business—the circulation of lying handbills and circulars upon the eve of an election when it is too late for an effective contradiction—is a favorite electioneering dodge with many unscrupulous politicians, and it is time that a stop was put to it by the punishment of the offenders in conspicuous instances. Generally we think, no great harm results from it, as people are not at that time easily disposed to give credence to charges affecting candidates; but oftentimes, as in the case of the Morey letter which lost California and New Jersey to Garfield, they are calculated to work very wide mischief. Ex Senator Vail is doing a good work, for which he deserves the hearty thanks of every lover of fair play and honest electioneering methods.—*Morristown Jerseyman.*

The defense of the gentlemen who are charged by ex-Senator Vail with libel will be that they merely published an official court record, and if there was libel in so doing, they are not responsible therefor.—*Elizabeth Herald.*

Senator Youngblood denies over his own signature that he is a "crank." In this opinion he differs from nearly all the editors of the State and most of those people who know him.—Strange, isn't it?—*N. B. Fredonian.*

Keep your eyes on the men who are moving heaven and earth to secure the appointment of a Secretary of the Navy. Study them well. They think there is "millions in it."—*Trenton State Gazette.*

Nebraska farmers are burning corn because it is more abundant and cheaper than coal. Pennsylvania and Hocking Valley miners are almost starving beside the idle coal mines, because the monopolists have conspired to maintain the price of coal above its real value by reducing the production. There is probably a moral concealed somewhere beneath these two statements.—*Metuchen Inquirer.*

THE REWARD OF MERIT.—Merchant—"Hasn't Fogg made his appearance yet this morning?"

Head Bookkeeper—"No, sir."

"Strange! Have you examined his books!"

"Yes, sir; they are correct to a cent."

"What about the cash drawer?"

"Not a dollar gone."

"This is very strange. Can you explain it?"

"I have just heard that he had eloped."

"With my daughter?"

"No, sir; with your wife."

"Poor wretch! How I pity him. Stay! You say he had no money?"

"None that I know of."

"Make out a check for a hundred thousand and mail it to him in care of John C. Eno, That'll reach him. It shan't be said that I failed to appreciate the honest endeavors of a poor young man."

Forbidding's the look on the editor's face,
As he glances the poetry o'er;
He throws it aside with a sudden grimace,
And rises and paces the floor;
There's a frown on his brow and firm set are his jaws,
As he gloomily walks to and fro;
Is the editor mad as a hatter because
'Tis a poem on "Beautiful Snow!"
Oh! no; 'tis not that robs his face of its light,
That maketh the editor sad,
His liver is torpid from working at night,
And he's got the dyspepsia bad.

"So old Scrapetill is dead at last," observed David from the interior of his evening paper. "Oceans of money, too." "What did he do with it?" queried Dora. "O, left it here and there," said David. "That scapegrace son gets a quarter of a *million*. If he doesn't paint the town red now, then I'm a Canadian." "I should think," mused Dora, softly, as she helped herself to another needleful of silk, "I should think that a quart of vermillion might paint a town very red indeed."

"Doctor, what do you think is the matter with my husband this morning? His head seems to be so stopped up that he can hardly breathe."

"Oh, I guess it's nothing more than a little dry coryza."

"Dry coryza? Gracious! he's struck a new brand now. It is not a bit uncommon for him to come home loaded up with dry Clicquot or dry Mumm, but this dry coryza is an innovation. I hope to goodness it isn't any more fuddling than the others."

Young Mr. Wiyohevatawicasta, an Indian, is getting an education at Dartmouth College. If Mr. W. does not learn to spell better than most graduates, he will come out of school with a very indistinct idea as to how his own name should be got together.

A German on a steamer returning to the land of his birth informed another passenger: "America is der best country in der vorld. I haf lived der more as den years, und failed vive dimes, und seven dimes burnt out. Now I goes home to lif mit a fortune und my family."

At the resturant—"Waiter, this fish isn't fresh!"

"As if I didn't know that! Why, bless you, the boss tried to make us eat it day before yesterday, but we wouldn't have anything of that sort, you know!"

Penitentiary official—"If you have any trade, prisoner, state it, and we'll put you to work at it." Prisoner (just entered)—"Well, boss, I was brung up a bartender, and I'd like to work at that." He was put to the bars of the casting pot of the foundry, as the nearest mode of accommodating him.

"If the heart of a man is depressed with cares, the mist is dispelled when the bottle appears." Not a bottle of spirits, oh no! but a small vial of that invaluable compound known as Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

Tidies have been replaced by a bow of broad ribbon which looks very well in the place usually occupied by the tidy.

Carpets may be brightened by dusting with a damp flannel mop.

CATARRH

Is a very prevalent and exceedingly disagreeable disease, liable, if neglected, to develop into serious consumption. Being a constitutional disease, it requires a constitutional remedy, like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which, acting through the blood, reaches every part of the system, effecting a radical and permanent cure of catarrh in even its most severe forms. Made only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

For rheumatism, lumbago, neuralgia, cramp and colic there is no remedy superior to the genuine Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil.

THOUSANDS SAY SO.

Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kan., writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and Liver complaints. Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year.

Sold at fifty cents a bottle by Geo. F. Brown.

The secret art of beauty lies not in cosmetics, but is only in pure blood, and a healthy performance of the vital functions, to be obtained by using Burdock Blood Bitters.

A WALKING SKELETON.

Mr. E. Springer, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., writes: "I was afflicted with lung fever and abscess on lungs, and reduced to a *walking Skeleton*. Got a free trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which did me so much good that I bought a dollar bottle. After using three bottles, found myself once more a man, completely restored to health, with a hearty appetite, and a gain in flesh of 48 lbs."

Call at Geo. F. Brown's Drug Store and get a free trial bottle of this certain cure for all lung diseases. Large bottles $1.00.

HIS LOSS WAS HER GAIN.

"Well, madam," said a fashionable physician to a wealthy lady patient, "if you don't like my prescriptions, perhaps you had better try Parker's Tonic, or some other quack stuff." "You don't mean it, Doctor," she answered, "but your advice may be good for all that. Sometimes what you call 'quack stuff' is the best and most scientific medicine, after all." She got a bottle of Parker's Tonic and it cured her of neuralgia arising from disordered stomach and nerves. She told her friends, and now they all keep a doctor at home in the form of Parker's Tonic.

BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever, Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Geo. F. Brown.

How IS YOUR BACK? -If it aches- APPLY A

HOP PLASTER

What is the use of suffering with Backache, Pain in the Side or Hip, Sciatica, Rheumatism, Kidney Diseases, Crick, Stitches, Swollen and tried Muscles, Chest and Lung troubles, or any sort of pain or soreness, either local or deep-seated when a Hop Plaster will give instant relief? Prepared from Burgundy Pitch, Canada Balsam, and the pain-killing virtues of Hops. The best strengthening plaster ever known. Thousands say so. Sold by all dealers. Mailed on receipt of price, 25c., 5 for $1.00. HOP PLASTER COMPANY, Boston, Mass.

HOP PLASTERS FOR SALE AT BROWN'S DRUG STORE.

A MOTHER'S ADVICE TO MOTHERS.

Mrs. S. Wood, Lewis St., Paterson, says: "It will save parents much expense and trouble and their children much suffering by using Dr. Bradsworth's Old Country Cough Syrup. It cured mine like magic. All Druggists.

DR. BRADSWORTH'S OLD COUNTRY COUGH SYRUP. FOR SALE AT BROWN'S DRUG STORE

I COULD NOT LIE DOWN NIGHTS

for a fearful smothering and terrible hacking, tickling cough. Dr. Bradsworth's Old Country Cough Syrup cured me. MICHAEL MARTIN, 140 Spruce St., Paterson, N. J. 50c. and $1. All Druggists.

DR. BRADSWORTH'S OLD COUNTRY COUGH SYRUP. FOR SALE AT BROWN'S DRUG STORE.

MISSING.

Information wanted of the whereabouts of Annie Meise, who left the residence of B. M. Casterline, at Mt. Pleasant, N. J., on Tuesday Jan. 27th. The girl is of German descent, but speaks only English, is 17 years old, about 4 ft. 2 in. in height, of slight figure, and has light complexion and hair. Persons are warned not to harbor her, as she is bound to the undersigned. Please send any information to

B. M. CASTERLINE,
RAHWAY P. O., N. J.

$65 A MONTH and BOARD for 3 live young Men or Ladies, in each county. Address P. W. ZIEGLER, & CO., Philadelphia, Pa.

FAY'S MANILLA ROOFING ESTABLISHED 1866.

Is Cheap, STRONG, WATER-PROOF, Easy to apply, Does not rust or rattle. Is also A SUBSTITUTE for PLASTER at Half the Cost. Outlasts the building. CARPETS and RUGS of same, double the wear of oil cloths. Catalogue and samples free. W. H. FAY & CO. CAMDEN, N. J.

YOUNG GIRL'S WOOING.

By E. P. ROE.

This is E. P. ROE'S latest work. It is equal to any of his former ones and adds another fine novel to his list.

For sale at our office.

PRICE, Cloth Binding $1.40

W. L. MERSHON & CO.,
Cor. Campbell and Cherry Sts.,
Rahway, N. J.

HOUSE FURNISHING EMPORIUM.

AT NO. 125 MAIN ST.,

A large stock of KITCHEN and TABLE WARE may be found at low prices.

STOVES RANGES AND STOVES REPAIRED

SEAMED, SEAMLESS, JAPANNED AND PLANISHED TIN WARE.

STONE CHINA, PORCELAIN AND FRENCH CHINA,

Either Plain, Decorated or Gilt.

A nice assortment of MAJOLICA WARE and a full line of GLASS WARE, YELLOW AND ROCKINGHAM.

LAMPS AND LAMP FIXINGS. WOODEN AND WILLOW WARE. REFRIGERATORS WINDOW WIRE CLOTH.

KEROSENE STOVES with ovens which will accomplish all a coal stove can without heating the House.

A FULL LINE OF GRANITE WARE. POTS, KETTLES AND SAUCE PANS.

SHADE FIXTURES, TOYS, &C.

A arge lot of useful articles on the Five Cent Counter.

A. H. FISHER.

SHERIFF'S SALE—In Chancery of New Jersey.—Between Jose Govin Y. Dominguez, complainant, and Susan E. Clarke, et al., defendants. Fi. fa. for sale of mortgaged premises.

By virtue of the above stated writ of fieri facias to me directed, I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Court House, in the city of Elizabeth, N. J., on

WEDNESDAY, THE FOURTH DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1885,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, of said day, all that certain plot of land with the buildings thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the city of Rahway, in the county of Union and State of New Jersey, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stake planted on the north-easterly side of Seminary street and in a corner of a lot of land now or late of Job Squire, from thence with said Squire's line north thirty-three degrees east one hundred and thirty-two feet to a stake; thence south fifty-seven degrees east one hundred and thirty-two feet to a stake; thence south thirty-three degrees west one hundred and thirty-two feet to a stake by the side of the aforesaid Seminary street; thence north fifty-seven degrees west one hundred and thirty-two feet to the point or place of beginning.

GEORGE M. STILES, Sheriff,
Babbitt & Lawrence, Sol'rs.
Fees—$5.40.

FITS A Leading London Physician Establishes an Office in New York.

From Am. Journal of Med.

"Dr. Ab. Meserole, who makes a specialty of Epilepsy has without doubt treated and cured more cases than any other living physician. His success has simply been astonishing; we have heard of cases of over 20 years standing cured by him. He guarantees a cure." Large Bottle and Treatise sent free. Give P. O. and Express address to Dr. AB. MESEROLE, No. 96 John St., New York.

NICHOLAS MOONEY,

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE AGENT,

Cor. of Irving and Cherry Sts., Rahway, N. J.

The following choice properties belonging to Institutions, purchased under foreclosures, are offered for sale at great bargains. 20 to 80 per cent. cash, and the balance on mortgage for a term of years, if desired:

1—A House and Lot on Commerce Street.

2—House and Lot corner of Grand and Church Streets. House contains ten rooms and is in first class order.

3—House and Lot, No. 27 Main St. Has all modern improvements.

4—House and Lot, corner Main and Coach Streets.

5—Store and dwelling, opposite National Bank.

6—Two Stores and Dwellings, 162 and 164 Main Street.

7—House, Barn, and five acres of land on Stone Street. Plenty of fruit.

8—House, Barn, and several Lots, corner of Grand and Barnett Sts.

For particulars, call at N. MOONEY'S OFFICE.

I am the authorized agent for the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York the largest company in the world. Assets, $101,000,148,25. Also

The Lancashire Fire Insurance Company, of Manchester, England.

The Northern Fire Insurance Company, of Aberdeen. Assets, $25,000,000.

The Commercial Union Fire Assurance Company, of London.

The Royal Fire Insurance Company, of Liverpool. Assets, $26,000,000.

Jersey City Fire Insurance Company, of Jersey City, N. J.

Manufacturers' Fire and Marine Insurance Company, of Boston, Mass.

I have also for sale the following 7 per cent. Mortgages: One of $3,000, two of $2,000 each, and two of $2,500 each.

Money to loan on desirable Rahway Property.

FOR SALE AT A GREAT BARGAIN.

Must be sold. House and Lot No. 64 Main street Rahway, N. J.; 39 feet front by 180 feet deep, 2½ Stories and Basement, in first-class order, just been painted two coats outside and in, and papered some 12 rooms; adapted for business or private dwelling.

NICHOLAS MOONEY,
Corner of Irving and Cherry Streets, Rahway, N. J.

HECKERS'

SELF-RAISING

BUCKWHEAT,

READY FOR

INSTANT USE.

SOLD BY ALL GROCERS.

W. HOWARD,

113 IRVING STREET,

DEALER IN

Choice Staple and Fancy Groceries.

A LARGE STOCK OF FANCY GROCERIES CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

Fine Creamery Butter, Choice Teas and Coffees a Specialty. Also Agent for the CELEBRATED VIENNA NEW PROCESS FLOUR. This Flour has no Superior in the Market. A Full Line of Fancy Groceries for the Holidays, just received, all at Greatly Reduced Prices. Will have a Large Stock of Extra Fine Turkeys direct from Monmouth County for the Holidays.

LADIES —CAN FIND THE— BEST BUTTON SHOE in Rahway for the money at AVERY'S, No. 9 Cherry Street.

DANCING SCHOOL.

Parties wishing to take lessons in dancing can obtain full information and terms by applying to W. H. CLOKE, P. O. Box 436, Rahway.

ALSO PRIVATE LESSONS GIVEN.

Class on Saturdays from 2 to 4 P. M.

M. SCHWARTZ,

PRACTICAL WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER

OF SIXTEEN YEARS' EXPERIENCE.

AGENT FOR

WATCHES, CLOCKS AND JEWELRY; EYE GLASSES, ETC.

33 CHERRY STREET, RAHWAY, N. J.

DR. THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL

CURES Rheumatism, Lumbago, Lame Back, Sprains and Bruises, Asthma, Catarrh, Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Diphtheria, Burns, Frost Bites, Tooth, Ear, and Headache, and all pains and Aches.

FOSTER, MILBURN & COMPANY, Proprietors, Buffalo, New York, U. S. A.

FOR SALE AT BROWN'S DRUG STORE.

—AT THE—

CORNER STORE.

Special Sale, until March 1st.

REDUCTIONS in all DEPARTMENTS.

Muslins, Bleached and Brown, at reduced prices.

Lonsdale Muslin by piece 8c.; Fruit of the Loom, piece, 8 1-4c.

A good yd.-wide Bleached Muslin, equal to Fruit of the Loom, 8c. by yard or piece.

Pillow Case Muslin, 12 1-2 to 16c. per yd.

8-4, 9-4, and 10-4 Bleached Sheetings at *manufacturers' prices.*

CALICOS AND GINGHAMS MARKED DOWN.

3,000 yards Standard Calicos, fast colors, 5c. per yd.

3,500 yards Standard Calicos, 6c. marked down from 8c.

2,000 yards Apron Ginghams, 6c. and 8c. per yd.

5,000 yards Dress Ginghams, 8c. yd., formerly 10 to 12 1-2c. yd.

DRESS GOODS.

Figured Dress Goods, 6, 8, 10c. and up.

Plain Dress Goods, 12 1-2 to 25c.

All Wool Flannel Dress Goods, 25c.

Double Width All Wool Dress Goods, Plain and Plaid, 47c.

5 4 in. Ladies' Cloth marked down to 69c.

One lot of Fine French Plaid Goods 75c., cost $1.00.

Black Cashmere marked down.

50c. Cashmere, 45c., 60c. for 55c., 75c. for 68c., 90c. for 82c.

Send for Samples of Jet Black Cashmere at 69c. and 89c.

JUST OPENED

A New and Elegant Line of Hamburg Edgings and Insertions,

At prices from 2c. to 50c. per yard.

BLANKETS, COMFORTABLES AND FLANNELS AT REDUCED PRICES.

Blankets from $1.00 per pair to $6.00, worth from $1.25 to $8.00.

Comfortables from 50c. to $3.00, worth from 60c. to $4.00.

Canton Flannels, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12 to 20c. per yard.

Heavy Twilled Scarlet Flannel, 25 to 45c. per yard.

REDUCTIONS IN HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR.

Gloves, Mittens, Nubias, Hoods, Shoulder Shawls, Ladies' and Gent's Cardigan Jackets, etc., etc.

TABLE LINEN, TOWELS AND TOWELING MARKED DOWN.

Brown Table Linen, 20c. to $1.00 per yard.

Linen Towels from $1.20 to $3.00 per doz.

Toweling, 4c. to 18c. per yard.

CARPETS REDUCED.

500 yards Cotton Chain Ingrain Carpet, 35c., reduced from 45c.

300 yards 2-ply All Wool Carpet, 65c., reduced from 80c.

300 yards 3-ply All Wool Carpet, 90c., would be cheap for $1.15.

Heavy Hemp Carpet, 21c. per yard.

Birkett & Paterson.

RAHWAY ADVOCATE

WEATHER REPORT,

as indicated by the Thermometer at George F. Brown's Drug store for corresponding dates of 1884 and 1885:

Feb.	9 A.M.	12 M.	3 P.M.	10 P.M.	Weather.
1884.					
1st	35	32	30	19	Snow.
2nd	24	30	32	28	Rain.
3d	29	33	38	34	Rain.
1885.					
1st	28	31	35	20	Snow.
2nd	10	12	17	18	Clear.
3d	14	20	24	28	Cloudy.

The ADVOCATE is for sale at the following places: Union News Co., P. R. R. Depot; T. White's News Stand, next door to the Post Office; Edward Craven's News Stand, 113 Main street; A. S. Baker's Grocery store, Milton; S. F. Garthwaite's Grocery store, 251 Grand street, and Jesse Cooper's, corner of Grand and Church sts.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. Lowden's house at Linden was burned last night.

Mr. William Willetts, the milk dealer, has purchased the Ross farm in Linden township.

The old Simpson residence on Grand street, Upper Rahway, is being thoroughly overhauled and painted.

The formation of the new military company increases the national guard force in this State to fifty companies.

Next Friday the second of the series of Seminole Archery Club sociables will be held at the residence of Mr. J. D. Shotwell on Milton avenue.

Mr. Leonor F. Loree, formerly a resident of this city for many years, was married last Thursday at Logansport, Ind., to Miss Jessie C. Tabor.

The haulers and cutters employed at Jackson's pond in harvesting ice for Geyer's brewery struck last Monday for higher wages. Their demands were granted and they resumed work yesterday.

The first meeting of the Grammar School Lyceum was held at the Franklin School on Friday afternoon. There was a large attendance of scholars and others. Mr. Patrick Clark delivered an interesting lecture, which was well received.

DRUM CORPS AT TEMPLE PARLOR.—To-night the Rahway Drum Corps will be at the Temple Skating Parlor and will give a concert. A new feature in the form of cornet accompaniment will be introduced, and several new pieces will be rendered for the first time.

ICE HARVESTING.—The men are still at work filling the two ice-houses of Mr. Alneth White at Milton Lake. Each is now about three quarters full and it is expected that the whole supply will be harvested and housed this week. The ice is about eight inches thick and of fine quality.

A CIRCULATING LIBRARY FOR RAHWAY. The Franklin Square Library company is about to establish a library in this city and will offer two years' reading for one dollar. The agency will be in charge of Mr. Thomas White at his store next to the post office. All those who wish to see a good thing prosper are cordially invited to subscribe. Be ready when the agent calls on you to give your names. No money will be asked for until everything is ready.

A PASTOR CALLED.—The congregation of the German Evangelical Lutheran church of this city, has called Mr. R. Leuhrs, cand. theol., of Brooklyn, to its vacant pastorate. Mr. Leuhrs, who is a graduate of the Philadelphia Theological Seminary has also pursued his studies at the universities of Leipzig and Erlangen, Germany. He is a young man of very promising qualities, under whose ministry the church without doubt will enter upon a new era of prosperity.

A LIGHT SENTENCE.—Addison Wiley, who was indicted for the tank house assault and who entered a plea of *non vult*, was sentenced on Saturday by Judge McCormick to pay a fine of $25 and costs. In passing the sentence the judge said that while the charge was one of considerable importance, and, under ordinary circumstances, should be severely punished, there were mitigating circumstances which induced the court to be so extremely lenient; and further that the character of the defendant, as represented by residents of Rahway, was most excellent, and the court had taken that fact into consideration.

WISDOM FOR BUSINESS MEN.—Concerning what are known as "standing advertisements" in newspapers, which some merchants say are useless, it has been remarked, and truly, that they command confidence. The man who for years in a community lives a respectable life, even though he be of moderate ability, will grow in the confidence and esteem of his fellows. On the same principle a newspaper advertisement becomes familiar to the eyes of the reader. It may not be read every issue, still it makes the name and business of the man familiar and its continued presence in the column of a paper inspires confidence in the stability of the advertiser.—*Metuchen Inquirer.*

THE REFORM CLUB SOCIABLE.—The monthly sociables now being held by the Reform Club are proving a success in every particular. The rooms of the club were quite well filled on the occasion of the one held last Friday evening. The first part of the entertainment consisted of a number of songs and choruses by the Glee Club, which were rendered, and an appropriate recitation by Mr. Martin. After this a bountiful supper was partaken of. Judging from the very small amount left over, this part of the entertainment must have been highly appreciated. Mr. Mooney allowed the club the use of the top floor for dancing the balance of the evening. Seventy-five couples availed themselves of this privilege and danced until one o'clock. This concluded the evening's entertainment. R.

NO SCARLET FEVER EPIDEMIC.—For the past week or two rumors have been afloat that there was quite a serious scarlet fever epidemic prevalent in this city. These rumors have found their way into the press of neighboring towns. Our reporter has made inquiry into the truth of these reports and into the extent of the prevalence of the disease in Rahway, that their injurious stories might be denied if untrue. He has learned that the origin of the stories was the death of the three children of Mr. Durie, and that in these cases there was a complication with other diseases. Beyond these with the exception of two or three very mild cases of scarlet rash, the disease has no existence here. A prominent physician, who ought to know, stated that if there are other cases he neither knew of them nor had heard of them though he had made inquiries of several other resident doctors.

RUNAWAY GIRL.—Some four years ago Annie Meise, then thirteen years of age, was bound by a New York orphan asylum to B. M. Casterline of Mt. Pleasant, near this city, until she reached eighteen years of age. She was a surly, slovenly girl, and could be made to work only by strict dis- [illegible] ... in the direction of this city. She has not been heard of since and Mr. Casterline advertises in another column for information of her. He has written to the authorities of the asylum informing them of the girl's disappearance. The girl never had any beaux, and her employer is sure there is no further reason for her running away than dissatisfaction with the work and place to which she was bound and temporary anger at the reproval administered to her on the day of her departure. He says she was rather weak-minded, and he fears she may get into trouble. She is of German descent but speaks English only. Her hair and complexion are light, her figure is slight, and her height is about 4 ft. 2in. She wore shabby working clothes when she left. Any information of her may be sent to B. M. Casterline, care of the Rahway post-office.

THE LIBEL TRIAL OFF FOR THE TERM.—On Saturday last Mr. William B. Guild, Counsel for William Gibby, Robert D. Gibby, and Henry Ritter, three of the defendants indicted for an alleged libel against Ex-Senator Vail appeared before the court, and, at his request after consultation with the court and prosecutor, the case as to all the defendants was laid over for the term. At the opening of court on Monday Mr. Garrett Berry of this city, counsel for B. W. Hughes, the other defendant, appeared and asked that the court reconsider the postponement of the trial, as his client had been informed that by an agreement between the the prosecutor and the counsel for the others the case has been laid off for the term. Mr. Berry further stated that his client was an official of the city of Rahway, was not guilty, and was desirous of having his innocence established without delay, and so, as a citizen, asked that he be accorded a speedy trial. The postponement was evidently an error. He understood that the other defendants were also desirous of an early trial. Mr. Berry thought an arrangement could be made for a reconsideration and an appointment of a later day in the present term for trial.

William Gibby, one of the defendants, then addressed the court. He said he had just come from his counsel Mr. Guild, who told him he had been unable to get a copy of the proceedings before the Court of Chancery in the case of Ritter vs. Vail, and the getting of a certified copy would necessitate more delay. He was very anxious to have a speedy trial and very willing to come before the present panel of jurors, though he had been informed that only six of the forty-eight were Democrats. He further said that he was perfectly willing to have his case tried before a jury entirely of Republicans, as he was confident of proving the truth of the allegations for which he was indicted.

Mr. Wilson, the prosecutor, said that the matter had gone off on the application of the counsel for the defendants and that the witnesses for the State had been notified of the postponement. He did not see how there could be a change now. He understood that Mr. Guild would not be able to try the case the present term.

The court stated that if the State was not willing to reconsider the postponement the case must stand off for the term.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The regular meeting of the Board of Education was held at the board room on Monday night. All the members but Mr. Silvers were present. Mr. Cook, of the committee appointed at the last meeting to inquire into the necessary repairs to the ceiling of the Third Ward school, reported that an examination of the ceiling had been made, and that a new plank ceiling, as suggested at the last meeting, could be put in at a cost of eight cents per square foot.

On motion he was appointed a committee with power to have the needed repairs made.

The report of the Committee on studies on the system of promotion was fully discussed, but no definite or final action was taken.

The following bills were on motion ordered paid: Houghton, Mifflin & Co., books, $51.00; Thos Kelly, repairs Third Ward school, $49.40; J. D. Stacy, photographs for New Orleans, $4.00; E. Ryno, repairs Franklin school, $3.70. On motion adjourned.

COMMON COUNCIL.

The regular meeting of the Common Council was held at the council chamber last night at which were present all the members but Councilman Ward.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

A petition signed by Dr. DeWitt C. Hough, B. A. Vail, and about 100 others asking that the defective sewerage near Haydock St. be remedied before the next summer, was received and placed on file.

Washington Engine Co., No. 1, reported the condition of its engine, that suction was burst, the deck was in bad condition, etc., and that these facts had been reported to the chief. On motion referred to Fire Committee.

A communication was received from the Board of Fire Representatives asking to be given a room for holding its monthly meetings. Referred to Fire Committee.

Franklin Hose Co. presented the application of A. N. Ritter for an exempt certificate.

Moved that the application be granted if the time be found to be correct. Carried.

The report of H. S. Langstaff, City Treasurer, for the month of January showed that $11,749.21 had been received and $3,282.34 disbursed, leaving a balance Feb. 1st of $8,466.87. The amount of taxes received by the Receiver of Taxes during January was $4,959.89. The report was on motion received and placed on file.

The keeper of the alms house reported the number of inmates at 4 men, 7 women, and 1 child. The receipts for the month were $5.18, and disbursements $60.24. On motion received and placed on file.

The Fire Committee reported that they recommended that the following elections be confirmed: Randolph Sauer, Herman Schmidt, Thos. Whitehead, Geo. McLeish; and that the following be dropped from the roll; M. Fallon, left town, Geo. Ball, resigned, Jas. Haley, neglect of duty, John T. Stewart, neglect of duty, and Thos. Gallagher, deceased. On motion the report was received and the recommendation adopted.

Moved by Mr. Leonard that the room now occupied by the City Engineer be given to the Water Board for its use.

Mr. Tufts thought that the room ought not to be given up without some further consideration of the matter and therefore moved that the matter be laid on the table.

Mr. Gay wanted to know whether there had been a request for the use of the room.

Mr. Leonard said that no formal action had ever been taken but that the matter had been talked over with Mr. Bunn.

Mr. Denike thought that as the city paid the Water Board rent for the use of water in the engine houses the Water Board should pay the city some rent for the room and suggested $100 as the annual rent to be paid.

Mr. Rollinson agreed with Tufts that the matter should be laid on the table for further consideration.

The motion to lay on the table was then carried.

On motion the following bills were ordered paid: Alex G. Fyffe, $35.00; H. S. Langstaff, 84.44; John T. Moore, 10.00; Rahway Gas Co., 163.80; J. W. Slack, $3.33; W. R. Watson, $3.68; John Foster, 153.49; [illegible] J. O. Tucker, 12.50; E. M. Brown, 34.27; Geo. W. Lawrence, $1.65; J. A. Van Orwick, 27.00; W. H. Acken, $5.15; Wm. Tooker, $9.00.

The bill of James Galbraith for repairing chairs at Independent Hook & Ladder Co. house was referred to the Fire Committee.

Moved to refer the matter of fixing the ditch, referred at last meeting to the City Surveyor to report to the Committee on Drainage in connection with the City Surveyor. Carried. On motion adjourned.

There were all the evidences of a coming storm; the very air vibrated with the odor of danger! but when the kind father took from his pocket a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough syrup, then came a calm, for the baby had the croup and would now get well.

He was not carried to the skies
On flowery beds of ease,
While others sought to win the prize
And sailed through bloody seas.
Nor did he take the gospel train—
Too hight he thought the rates—
He took a route much shorter, though,
'Twas via roller skates.

They were coming out of a dime museum.

"I don't believe that wild man of Borneo is a wild man at all," she whispered.

"Why not?" he asked.

"He's civilized just like other men."

"What makes you think so?"

"Did you see the manager pay him a lot of money?"

"Yes, a twenty dollar bill and a lot of small bills."

"Well, didn't you notice how careful the wild man was to fold the twenty outside?"

The respectable gentleman of the following anecdote was the victim of a slight misunderstanding, and probably he did not forget it. He went to the train one day to see his favorite daughter off. Securing her a seat he went to the bookstall and then returned to her window to say a parting word, as is frequently done on such occasions. While he was away the daughter left the seat to speak to a friend, and at the same time a prim old maid came in and took her place. Unaware of the important change inside, he hurriedly put his face up to the window and said, "One more kiss, sweet pet!" In another instance the point of a cotton umbrella was thrust from the window, followed by the passionate interjection, "Scat, you gray-headed wretch!" He scatted.

Matting, a small piece, is preferable to oil cloth as a protection for the carpet near an outside door. It should be neatly tacked down.

A table may be brightened by running scarlet ribbons through the linen doilies and table mats.

Crazy quilts have a square exactly in the centre bearing the monogram of the maker.

GOLDEN HONORS IN FAR OFF INDIA.

The *Englishman*, an influential journal published in Calcutta, in an article relating to the award of premiums at the International Exhibition, to exhibitors, makes the following reference to the gold medal awarded to St. Jacobs Oil: "St. Jacobs Oil, which is known as the Great German Remedy for pain, after crucial tests, has been raised to the degree of gold medal."

Henry Schoenhals, foreman Henry Krug Packing Co., St. Joseph, Mo., uses Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil with his men for sprains, cuts, bruises, chapped hands, etc. It is the best.

Erysipelas and salt rheum was driven entirely away from Mrs. J. C. Anderson, Peshtigo, Wis. by Burdock Blood Bitters.

BETTER THAN SHE EXPECTED.

"Your letter received. In reply I am happy to say that Parker's Hair Balsam did much more for me than you said it would, or than I expected. My hair has not only stopped falling out, but the bald spots are all covered, and all my hair has grown thicker, softer and more lively than it was before my sickness a year ago. Thank you again and again." Extract from letters of Mr. R. W. T., West Fifty-third street, New York.

After using all the humbug liniments and salves with sure failure, go and get of your druggist a *Hop Plaster*. The strongest and best porous plaster ever made. Vastly superior to all other external remedies. The complete pain-allaying virtues of fresh Hops combined with strengthening Gums and Burgundy Pitch. 25c.

"ROUGH ON COUGHS."

Ask for "Rough on Coughs," for Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Hoarseness. Troches, 15c., Liquid, 25c.

"ROUGH ON RATS."

Clears out rats, mice, roaches, flies, ants, bed-bugs, skunks, chipmunks, gophers. 15c. Druggists.

HEART PAINS.

Palpitation, Dropsical Swellings, Dizziness, Indigestion, Headache, Sleeplessness cured by "Wells' Health Renewer."

"ROUGH ON CORNS."

Ask for Wells' "Rough on Corns." 15c. Quick complete cure. Hard or soft corns, warts, bunions.

"ROUGH ON PAIN" POROUSED PLASTER;

Strengthening, improved, the best for backache, pains in chest or side, rheumatism, neuralgia.

THIN PEOPLE.

"Wells' Health Renewer" restores health and vigor, cures Dyspepsia, Headache, Nervousness, Debility. $1.

WHOOPING COUGH.

and the many Throat Affections of children, promptly, pleasantly and safely relieved by "Rough on Coughs." Troches, 15.; Balsam, 25c.

MOTHERS.

If you are failing, broken, worn out and nervous, use "Wells' Health Renewer." $1. Druggists.

LIFE PRESERVER.

If you are losing your grip on life, try "Wells' Health Renewer." Goes direct to weak spots.

"ROUGH ON TOOTHACHE."

Instant relief for Neuralgia, Toothache, Faceache. Ask for "Rough on Toothache." 15 and 25 cents.

PRETTY WOMEN.

Ladies who would retain freshness and vivacity. Don't fail to try "Wells' Health Renewer."

CATARRHAL THROAT AFFECTIONS,

Hacking, irritating Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, cured by "Rough on Coughs." Troches, 15c. Liquid, 25c.

"ROUGH ON ITCH."

"Rough on Itch" cures humors, eruptions, ring-worm, tetter, salt rheum, frosted feet, chilblains.

THE HOPE OF THE NATION.

Children, slow in development, puny, scrawny, and delicate, use "Wells' Health Renewer."

WIDE AWAKE.

three or four hours every night coughing. Get immediate relief and sound rest by using Wells' "Rough on coughs." Troches, 15c.; Balsam, 25c.

"ROUGH ON PAIN" POROUSED PLASTER;

Strengthening, improved, the best for backache, pains in chest or side, rheumatism, neuralgia.

MARRIAGES.

LA FORGE—LAVERE.—At the residence of the bride's parents by the Rev. T. E. Gordon, DeWitt Edson La Forge to Laura Lavere, all of Rahway.

Beware of Scrofula

Scrofula is probably more general than any other disease. It is insidious in character, and manifests itself in running sores, pustular eruptions, boils, swellings, enlarged joints, abscesses, sore eyes, etc. Hood's Sarsaparilla expels all trace of scrofula from the blood, leaving it pure, enriched, and healthy.

"I was severely afflicted with scrofula, and for over a year had two running sores on my neck. Took five bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and consider myself cured." C. E. LOVEJOY, Lowell, Mass.

C. A. Arnold, Arnold, Me., had scrofulous sores for seven years, spring and fall. Hood's Sarsaparilla cured him.

Salt Rheum

William Spies, Elyria, O., suffered greatly from erysipelas and salt rheum, caused by handling tobacco. At times his hands would crack open and bleed. He tried various preparations without aid; finally took Hood's Sarsaparilla, and now says: "I am entirely well."

"My son had salt rheum on his hands and on the calves of his legs. He took Hood's Sarsaparilla and is entirely cured." J. B. STANTON, Mt. Vernon, Ohio.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Sold by all druggists. $1; six for $5. Made only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Lowell, Mass.

100 Doses One Dollar.

FOR SALE AT BROWN'S DRUG STORE.

SPECIAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

ALL the medicines advertised in this paper, can be obtained at G. O. ZELLER'S Pharmacy; established in 1846.

GOOD prices paid for Gents' cast off Clothing at Daniel Gates', 111½ Main Street. Letters promptly attended to.

WANTED.—By single young man, furnished room in private family. Address, stating terms and location, "Inquirer," Box 196, Rahway, N. J.

AVERY No. 9 CHERRY ST.

—HAS—

GOOD CALF BUTTON SHOES

For $3.00.

Call and see them.

Lamberti's Hat Store

123½ MAIN STREET.

All the Leading Styles of Hats always on hand. Silk Hats $2.90 and $4.50 warranted all Silk Plush. Genuine Fur, Scotch, Plush, Cloth, and Silk Caps from 10c. up. Neckties, Bows and Scarfs from 5c. A nice line at 25, 35 and 45 cts. Kid, Dog Skin, Buck, Oil Tanned, Goat Skin, Cloth, Wool, and Lisle Thread Gloves and Mitts. Silk Handkerchiefs for Wedding and Birthday Presents. Dress Shirts 50c. to $1.50. Suspenders of 20 different styles. Gingham, Alpaca, and Silk Umbrellas from 50c. to $6.00. Canes 5c. up. Linen and Celluloid Collars, Cuffs and Bosoms. Scarf Pins, Rings and Cuff Buttons, Underwear and Fancy Hosiery, Cardigan Jackets, Wristlets, etc. as cheap as the cheapest.

AT THE BEE-HIVE.

Special Sale of Shoes and Rubbers!

MONDAY MORNING, JANUARY 26,

We will inaugurate our FIFTH ANNUAL SPECIAL SALE of SHOES and RUBBERS and in order to make this sale the largest and most successful, we shall offer EXTRA INDUCEMENTS for all to buy now, whether for present or future use. It will be for the INTEREST OF EVERYONE who is inclined to economize in their shoe bills, to visit this Special Sale, for we can positively say that you will never buy footwear at such astonishingly low prices.

RUBBERS, ONLY 25 CENTS A PAIR, WARRANTED PERFECT.

SHOES!

Lot No. 1. Ladies American Kid and Pebble Goat buttoned. $1.19 a pair. Value $1.75.

Lot No. 2. Misses' Pebble Goat, buttoned, sewed, sizes 11 to 2. 85c. a pair. Value $1.25.

Lot No. 3. Ladies' fine Cura Kid, buttoned box toe, or common sense style. $2.58 a pair. Value $3.50.

Lot No. 4. Children's American Kid and Pebble Goat, spring heel, button shoes, sizes 5 to 8. 67c. a pair. Value $1.00.

SHOES!

Lot No. 5. Infants' Brush Kid, buttoned shoe, hand sewed, sizes 1 to 6. 40c. a pair. Value 60c.

Lot No. 6. Will consist of the celebrated "Bee Hive" $1.98 shoe, made of American Kid or Pebble Goat, in box toe or common sense style, choice of either. $1.65 a pair. Sold in shoe stores at $2.50.

Lot No. 7. Will consist of the celebrated "L. S. P." $2.47 shoe in Cura or cloth top, in box toe or common sense style, choice of either. $2.15 a pair. Sold in shoe stores at $3.00.

Misses' and Children's Rubbers, at only eighteen cents a pair. Men's Rubbers, only thirty-five cents a pair. This season's goods. Warranted perfect.

The goods and prices described above are only a few of what can be found in each lot. We can not quote or describe all the goods on sale, but we shall sell every pair of shoes in our stock at SPECIAL SALE PRICES.

L. S. PLAUT,

715, 719 BROAD STREET. 715, 719 BROAD STREET.

LARGEST FANCY GOODS HOUSE IN THE STATE.

CLOSE 6 P. M., EXCEPT SATURDAYS.

CALL AT

162 MAIN STREET,

RAHWAY, N. J.

W. L. MERSHON & Co.,

Printers, Electrotypers & Binders

87 to 95 CAMPBELL and 58 to 62 CHERRY STS.

RAHWAY, N. J.

IT IS DANGEROUS

this time of the year to allow a cough, cold, or any trouble with the chest or lungs however slight it may be, to continue for any length of time.

STOP IT AT ONCE

for if you don't, it is almost certain to develop into some serious trouble, such as bronchitis or inflammation of the lungs, which lead to and end in consumption.

DON'T LET IT GO

on until it has got beyond being cured by all ordinary remedies, but at once go to your druggist and ask for a bottle of "SHORT STOP," for coughs, &c. known as PRESCRIPTION NO. 1299. Take it

HOME

and by following directions on label you will get immediate relief and one TWENTY-FIVE CENT BOTTLE will cure you.

TRY IT.

For sale in Rahway by the following Druggists: Geo. F. Brown, Watson, J. A. Mallon, E. B. Silvers, and Oliver.

Your attention is called to the fact that "SHORT STOP" for coughs, &c., is not a patent medicine, but the PRESCRIPTION (*No. 1299,*) of a well-known New York City physician who has used it in his practice for the past 15 years with the most gratifying results.

HOME TRADE.

Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods.

Overcoats at $4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 8.00, 10.00, 12.00, 14.00, 16.00 and upwards. Children's Overcoats from $2.50 upward. Pants from $1.25 upward. Men's Suits from $8.00 upward. Youths' Suits from $6.00 upward. Children's Suits from $2.50 upward. Latest style plaids to order. Suit $18.00.

Custom work a specialty in which we guarantee satisfaction. We call attention to our new, large and elegant stock of Gents' Furnishing Goods. Winter Underwear and Dress Shirts a specialty.

H. ROSENBAUM

19 CHERRY STREET, RAHWAY N. J.

Opposite the Post Office.

CARPETS CARPETS

ON CONSIGNMENT ON CONSIGNMENT

1,000 ROLLS. 1,000 ROLLS.

Just received 1,000 Rolls of MOQUETTE, VELVETS, BODY BRUSSELS, TAPESTRIES, THREE-PLY EXTRA SUPER and LOW PRICE INGRAINS from a house in need of money, and our orders are to close them out at any price. No reasonable offer refused, as they must all be sold before APRIL 1st.

Save 30 Per Cent. Save 30 Per Cent.

And order your Goods Now, to be delivered April or May 1st, without extra charge for storage.

We will take orders for Goods now, for any amount, with a small deposit, delivered any time you want them. Do not miss the opportunity, as this is the only one. There never will be another at these prices.

OUR PRICE LIST.

Comparison Defied. For Instance:

Walnut Marble Top Suits that cost $50 to manufacture I will sell for	$40 00
Walnut Suits that cost $65 I will sell for	50 00
Walnut Suits that cost $75 I will sell for	65 00
Walnut Suits that cost $100 I will sell for	75 00
Ash or Maple Suits that cost $25 I will sell for	20 00
Ash or Maple Suits that cost $30 I will sell for	25 00
Ash or Maple Suits that cost $35 I will sell for	30 00
Ash or Maple Suits that cost $50 I will sell for	40 00
Enameled Bedroom Suits that cost $15 I will sell for	12 00
Enameled Bedroom Suits that cost $20 I will sell for	15 00
Enameled Bedroom Suits that cost $25 I will sell for	20 00
Enameled Bedroom Suits that cost $40 I will sell for	30 00
Oil Cloth, per yard	25

Parlor Suits, Walnut Frame, in Hair Cloth	25 00
Bed Lounge, in Carpet	8 00
Good Bed Lounge	4 50
Walnut Bedstead	4 50
Walnut Extension Table	5 95
Walnut Wardrobe	10 00
Marble Top Centre Table	3 50
Good Cane Seat Rocker	1 50
Good Cane Seat Chair	50
Wood Chair	35
Hair Mattress	10 00
Mixed Mattress	3 00
Bed Spring	1 40
Carpet Sweepers (the Best)	2 50
Velvet Carpet, per yard	1 35
Body Brussels, per yard	1 10
Tapestry Carpet, per yard	65
Three-Ply Carpet, per yard	1 00
Extra Super Ingrain (all Wool) per yard	65
Cheap Ingrain, per yard	25
Parlor Suits, Walnut Frame, in Raw Silk, 7 pieces, Stuffed Back	35 00

These goods can be bought on Weekly and Monthly Payments, at these Prices.

150 Parlor Suits. 150 Parlor Suits.

In Ebony, Walnut and Cherry, with Choicest Patterns of Silk and Mohair Plushes, both Plain and Embossed. Also, Spun and Raw Silks, Ramies, Reps and Hair Cloth, at a reduction of 30 per cent.

Stoves, Ranges and Parlor Stoves.

The Largest Assortment in the State, at prices to Suit All.

AMOS H. VAN HORN,

73 Market Street, Newark, N. J.

NEWARK BUSINESS CARDS.

Business College.

OPEN ALL THE YEAR.

Pupils Enter at Any Time.

The New Jersey Business College

734 & 766 BROAD ST., NEWARK,

offers superior inducements for educating in Business Studies. The Principal will gladly refer parents desiring information, to former pupils from Rahway. Business Studies, Penmanship Dept., German, Shorthand, Typewriting, etc. Business Educator and Specimens of Penmanship Free. Resolutions engrossed.

C. T. MILLER, Principal.

ZACHARIAS & SMITH,

ORATON HALL,

NEWARK, N. J.

Bicycles, Tricycles,

AND VELOCIPEDES.

All kinds repaired.

Bicycle riding taught Free.

COLEMAN Business

COLLEGE, Newark, N. J.

703, 707, 709, 711 & 713 BROAD STREET.

Prepares young men for business in from three to six months. Terms only $40. Occupies three buildings. Write for particulars.

Address COLEMAN & PALMS.

Seal Plush Sacques

OUR SPECIAL PRICES.

Our Price, $23.00. { SEAL PLUSH SACQUE. Quilted Satin Lined. } Regular Price, $35.00.

DAVID STRAUS.

Our Price, $25.00. { SEAL PLUSH SACQUES. Satin Quilted Lined, Chamois Pockets. } Regular Price, $35.00.

DAVID STRAUS.

Our Price, $35.00. { Finest Garment Ever Shown. Satin Quilted Lining, Chamois Pockets and finished equal to a $300.00 Seal Sacque. } Regular Price, $55.00.

DAVID STRAUS.

Our Price, $15.00 to $25.00. { RUSSIAN SILK CIRCULARS. Satin Quilted Lined. } Regular Price, $35.00 to $50.00.

DAVID STRAUS.

Children's Haverlocks.

Job Lot Importer's Samples. All Sizes.

Our Price, { Half what they cost to manufacturers. } Regular Price, $7 to $12.

DAVID STRAUS,

685 and 687 BROAD ST.,

Cor. New, NEWARK, N. J.

ONE PRICE STORE.

ESTABLISHED 1845.

IRA F. MORGAN,

MANUFACTURER OF

Sashes, Blinds, Doors,

MOULDINGS & BRACKETS,

Sawing & Planing Mill.

All kinds Fancy Scroll, Carriage Sawing & Planing.

Glass all sizes constantly on hand.

61, 63, 65 Campbell St., Rahway, N. J

W. L. MERSHON & Co.,

PRINTERS, ELECTROTYPERS AND BINDERS,

87 TO 95 CAMPBELL AND 58 TO 62 CHERRY STREETS,

RAHWAY, N. J.

MILTON AVENUE GROCERY.

BEST GOODS OUR AIM.

An assortment of Canned Goods of Best Quality, now on hand.

Choice Butter.

A few tubs of Prime Dairy Butter to sell by the Tub.

POULTRY, WHITE GRAPES AND NUTS

in their season.

M. K. STOKES,

Nov. 18, '84. RAHWAY, N. J.

Goods Delivered Free. Fresh Roll Butter.

A MAN

WHO IS UNACQUAINTED WITH THE GEOGRAPHY OF THIS COUNTRY WILL SEE BY EXAMINING THIS MAP THAT THE

CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND & PACIFIC R'Y

Calls the attention of travelers to the central position of its line, connecting the East and the West by the shortest route, and carrying passengers, without change of cars, between Chicago and Kansas City, Council Bluffs, Leavenworth, Atchison, Minneapolis and St. Paul. It connects in Union Depots with all the principal lines of road between the Atlantic and the Pacific Oceans. Its equipment is unrivaled and magnificent, being composed of Most Comfortable and Beautiful Day Coaches, Magnificent Horton Reclining Chair Cars, Pullman's Prettiest Palace Sleeping Cars, and the Best Line of Dining Cars in the World. Three Trains between Chicago and Missouri River Points. Two Trains between Chicago and Minneapolis and St. Paul, via the Famous

"ALBERT LEA ROUTE."

A New and Direct Line, via Seneca and Kankakee, has recently been opened between Richmond, Norfolk, Newport News, Chattanooga, Atlanta, Augusta, Nashville, Louisville, Lexington, Cincinnati, Indianapolis and Lafayette, and Omaha, Minneapolis and St. Paul and intermediate points.

All Through Passengers Travel on Fast Express Trains.

Tickets for sale at all principal Ticket Offices in the United States and Canada.

Baggage checked through and rates of fare always as low as competitors that offer less advantages.

For detailed information, get the Maps and Folders of the

GREAT ROCK ISLAND ROUTE.

At your nearest Ticket Office, or address

R. R. CABLE, Vice-Pres. & Gen'l M'g'r, E. ST. JOHN, Gen'l Tkt. & Pass. Agt.

CHICAGO.

1845. THE 1882.

MUTUAL BENEFIT

Life Insurance Co.,

NEWARK, N. J.

AMZI DODD, President.

JAMES B. PEARSON, Vice-President.

EDWARD L. DOBBINS, Secretary.

Paid Policy-Holders since Organization in 1845:

Policy Claims	$33,922,895 81
Dividends	28,054,510 07
Surrendered Policies	9,206,146 04
Total	$71,183,051 92

The Receipts for Interest have been $14,655,915 21 more than enough to pay all expenses and taxes.

Assets, Market Value	$35,804,406 23
Liabilities, New York Standard	30,646,209 46
Surplus	$5,158,196 77

Why run the risk of forfeiture? or why trust to the uncertainties of the assessment plan? when you can get ABSOLUTELY NON-FORFEITABLE INSURANCE at the LOWEST NET COST in THE MUTUAL BENEFIT LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, of Newark, New Jersey.

A party insuring at age 35 on the annual life plan, can have:

OVER 4 YEARS' insurance for 2 YEARS' premiums.
OVER 10 YEARS' insurance for 5 YEARS' premiums
OVER 20 YEARS' insurance for 10 YEARS' premiums.

Are you insured? If not, look upon the picture of a family brought up in comfort, whose husband and father has died, and left them face to face with poverty and want; and then look upon that other picture, where the husband and father has put aside a small portion of his income, and left a policy for $5,000 or $10,000. Which is the brighter picture, and which was the nobler man? *Are you insured?* Who can say no, and not feel that one of the great est duties of life has been left undone?

JOHN D. HOFF, District Agent, Rahway, N. J.

AGENTS for Lucrative, Healthy, Honorable & Permanent business apply to Wilmot Castle & Co., Rochester, N. Y.

PEYSER'S

123 Fulton Street, New York.

COLLARS, 10c.

CUFFS, 12½c.

These are the very best quality made.

BEST WAMSUTTA WHITE SHIRTS

that money can produce, with every known improvement and 2100 linen bosoms. Regular price $1.25 each, at

Six for Four Dollars.

Best Heavy British Socks, 18c. reduced from 25c.
Best Scarlet all wool Socks 25c " " 50c.
Ex. Heavy Merino Shirts & D 39 & 45c. " 50 & 75c.
Talbot Wool Shirts & D 93c. " " 1.25
Camels' Hair Heavy " 98c. " " 2.00

Everything for gentlemen's winter wear 25 to 50 per cent. under any other retail house in America.

VIRGINIA FARMS

of Every Size, Price and Description FOR SALE! Some Special Bargains always on hand. 350 ACRE RIVER FARM, good brick house, near city, $2,500. 200 ACRE FARM, with buildings, near railroad and river, $1,200. Other bargains at higher and lower prices. Catalogue free. New map of Va. 15c. Stamps taken. H. L. STAPLES, Richmond, Va.

WILLIAM WESTERVELT,

Carpenter and Builder

Shop on Bridge St.,

NEAR ESSEX - RAHWAY, N. J

Jobbing Promptly Attended To.

Residence, Hamilton St., near St. George's A

ST. JACOBS OIL

THE GREAT GERMAN REMEDY FOR PAIN.

CURES

Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, Backache, Headache, Toothache, Sore Throat, Swellings, Sprains, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Frost Bites, AND ALL OTHER BODILY PAINS AND ACHES.

Sold by Druggists and Dealers everywhere. Fifty Cents a bottle. Directions in 11 Languages.

THE CHARLES A. VOGELER CO. (Successors to A. VOGELER & CO.) Baltimore, Md., U.S.A.

ST. JACOBS OIL.

FOR SALE AT

BROWN'S DRUG STORE.

Pipe smoking is the real test of a tobacco. It is the regal way of smoking. You get more directly at the flavor and fragrance. You take the smoke cooler, and the tonic cleanlier and safer. Pipe smoking is smoking reduced to a fine art.

The more the question of adulterated tobacco forces itself on the attention of smokers, the more desirable it becomes to know precisely what you are smoking. In Blackwell's Bull Durham Smoking Tobacco you have a guarantee, always, that it is Nature's own unadulterated product. Its fragrance, flavor, and unsurpassed quality, are derived from the soil and air. Try it, and you will be satisfied. None genuine without trade-mark of the Bull.

All successful Fishermen and Sportsmen smoke Blackwell's Bull Durham Smoking Tobacco, and they enjoy it.

TUTT'S PILLS

"THE OLD RELIABLE."

25 YEARS IN USE.

The Greatest Medical Triumph of the Age!

Indorsed all over the World.

SYMPTOMS OF A

TORPID LIVER.

Loss of appetite, Nausea, bowels costive, Pain in the Head, with a dull sensation in the back part, Pain under the shoulder-blade, fullness after eating, with a disinclination to exertion of body or mind, Irritability of temper, Low spirits, Loss of memory, with a feeling of having neglected some duty, weariness, Dizziness, Fluttering of the Heart, Dots before the eyes, Yellow Skin, Headache, Restlessness at night, highly colored Urine.

IF THESE WARNINGS ARE UNHEEDED, SERIOUS DISEASES WILL SOON BE DEVELOPED.

TUTT'S PILLS are especially adapted to such cases, one dose effects such a change of feeling as to astonish the sufferer.

They Increase the Appetite, and cause the body to Take on Flesh, thus the system is nourished, and by their Tonic Action on the Digestive Organs, Regular Stools are produced. Price 25 cents.

TUTT'S HAIR DYE.

GRAY HAIR OR WHISKERS changed to a GLOSSY BLACK by a single application of this DYE. It imparts a natural color, acts instantaneously. Sold by Druggists, or sent by express on receipt of $1.

Office, 44 Murray St., New York.

FOR SALE AT

BROWN'S DRUG STORE.

All ye that
Labor under
Bunyons and
Enlarged joints
Remember
That Geo. L. Albert, the (Deutches Shuh Geschaeft)

Up-town
Professor of
The art
Of perfect fitting foot
Wear, is always ready and
Never wanting, to

Secure for you, or to
Have at hand for
One and all, the
Exact article you want.

Ever ready to
Make my
Place the favorite
Office for
Rahway and vicinity for perfect fitting Boots and Shoes,
I will not be
Undersold by any
Merchant in the business.

GEORGE L. ALBERT, Agent,

42 Irving Street, Rahway, N. J.

A CALL SOLICITED.

A. WHITE,

Milton Lake Ice.

OFFICE: 28 Cherry Street.

RESIDENCE

Cor. Milton and St. George's Avenues.

P. O. ADDRESS BOX, 151.

ALSO PROPRIETOR OF

EMPIRE FURNITURE EXPRESS

Furniture moved to any part of the City or vicinity

$30-$50-$75-$100

AND EXPENSES.

The above represents what we are paying Salesmen per month to sell our Fruit and Flowers. We need a few more Reliable Men. Outfit furnished free. Address, with stamp,

D. F. ATTWOOD & CO.,

NURSERYMEN, Geneva, N. Y.

(Continued from 1st page.)

nant face than his it is impossible to imagine. And that these outward signs were but the reflection of the savage cruelty of his character, was proved by the look of abject terror with which the prisoners regarded him. In a voice thick and grating, he ordered two of his myrmydons to manacle Ts'eng, and then to carry him into one of the cells which formed the eastern and western sides of the courtyard. Even from the outside these places looked more like wild-beast dens than the dwellings of human beings. The roofs were low, and a double row of strong wooden palisades, reaching from the ground to the eaves, guarded them in front. Into one of these dungeons, over whose portal was inscribed, as if in bitter mockery, the motto, "The misery of to-day may be the happiness of to-morrow," Ts'eng was carried. The coolies, determined to see the last of their master, followed him in. As they reached the door they recoiled as though a blast of a charnel-house had rushed out against them. Never were human senses assailed by an atmosphere more laden with pestilence and death. After a moment's hesitation, however, they mustered up courage to enter, and waited just long enough to see their master laid on the raised wooden platform which extended along the side of the den. As they were not allowed to do anything for him, and as the turnkeys promised that he should be looked after, they escaped into the open air.

True to their word, and possibly in the hope of a reward, the turnkeys applied water to Ts'eng's face and head, and succeeded in reawakening life. At first he began to move restlessly, and to moan piteously, and then opened his lack-lustre eyes. For a moment or two he saw nothing, but by degrees his power of conscious sight returned, and he looked wildly round the cell. His first impression was that he had passed into a land of eternal punishment, such as he had heard Buddhists speak of, and he shrieked aloud for mercy. The sight, however, of the policeman who had served the warrant on him, recalled to his recollection the circumstances of his arrest; and as his real condition dawned upon him, he sank back on the stage, overcome with horror and despair. How long he lay in this condition he knew not, but he was aroused from it by the entrance of the prisoners from the courtyard, who were being driven in for the night. Already the platform was full enough, but with these new arrivals the overcrowding became excessive; and as the weary wretches struggled with their little remaining strength for the places nearest to the grating, they jostled Ts'eng, and fought across him like wild beasts, adding a new horror to his misery. The atmosphere of the den became also even fouler than before; and what with the heat and stench, Ts'eng began to feel feverish and ill. His head ached fiercely, his skin burnt, and his mouth was dry and parched. In his agony he called aloud for water; and though at first his cries were disregarded, his importunity prevailed with a prisoner less callous than the rest, who filled a tin mug from a tub which stood in the middle of the cell. The act of moving the water caused a fetid stench to rise from the slimy surface of the reservoir; and so foul were the contents of the mug, that, though burning with fever, Ts'eng could scarcely make up his mind to taste them. But thirsty men will swallow anything; and at last he drained the cup to its dregs, and even returned it to his benefactor with grateful thanks.

All night long he tossed about, burning with fever and tortured by delirium. His restlessness earned for him the anathemas of his fellow-prisoners, who, having been long inured to the foul atmosphere of the den, slept in comparative quiet. As daylight dawned the figures about him mixed themselves up with his delirious dreams, which, however, could add nothing to the horrors actually presented to his eye. Shocking as had been the aspect of his fellow-prisoners in the courtyard the day before, it was nothing to be compared to the condition of many of those whose weakness had prevented them from groping their way into the outer air. One group of these were huddled together at the end of the platform, whose emaciated bodies and look of fierce agony told only too plainly that they were starving. One of their number had already been released from his tortures by death; and the rats, more conscious of the fact than the jailers, were gnawing at the only fleshy parts of his skeleton-like form. A like fate was the only portal of escape left to those about him, and eagerly they desired to meet it. Ever and anon sleep relieved Ts'eng's eyes from the contemplation of these horrors, and then in his dreams, as though by a law of contraries, he wandered in the asphodel meadows of Elysium, surrounded by every object calculated to gratify the imagination and delight the senses. The transition from these visions to a perception of his actual surroundings was sharp and bitter. In moments of reason he sought for the means of escape from the terrors of his present cell.

(*To be continued.*)

For 30 years Henry F. Balcom, of Shirley, Mass., suffered with rheumatism. He found no relief till he took Hood's Sarsaparilla.

DR BULL'S COUGH SYRUP

Cures Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Croup, Asthma, Bronchitis, Whooping Cough, Incipient Consumption, and relieves consumptive persons in advanced stages of the disease. Price 25 cts. Caution. The Genuine Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is sold only in white wrappers, and bears our registered Trade-Marks to wit: A Bull's Head in a Circle, a Red-Strip Caution-Label, and the fac-simile signatures of John W. Bull & A. C. Meyer & Co. Sole Prop's, Baltimore, Md., U. S. A.

Chew Lange's Plugs—The great Tobacco Antidote!—Price 10 Cts.—Sold by all Druggists.

FOR SALE AT

BROWN'S DRUG STORE.

PATENTS

MUNN & CO., of the SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN, continue to act as Solicitors for Patents, Caveats, Trade Marks, Copyrights, for the United States, Canada, England, France, Germany, etc. Hand Book about Patents sent free. Thirty-seven years' experience. Patents obtained through MUNN & CO. are noticed in the SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN, the largest, best, and most widely circulated scientific paper. $3.20 a year. Weekly. Splendid engravings and interesting information. Specimen copy of the Scientific American sent free. Address MUNN & CO., SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN Office, 261 Broadway, New York.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM

A beneficial dressing preferred to similar articles because of its purity and rich perfume. It Restores to Gray Hair the Youthful Color & prevents dandruff and falling of the hair. 50c. & $1. Hiscox & Co., N.Y

FLORESTON COLOGNE

Excels the finest flower extracts in richness. Delicate, very lasting. No odor like it. Be sure you get FLORESTON Cologne, signature of Hiscox & Co., N. Y. on every label. 25 and 75 cts., at druggists and dealers in perfumes.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM,

FOR SALE AT BROWN'S DRUG STORE.

LIVER, KIDNEY OR STOMACH TROUBLE. Symptoms: Impure blood, costive bowels, irregular appetite, sour belching, pains in side, back and heart, yellow urine, burning when urinating, clay-colored stools, bad breath, no desire for work, chills, fever, irritability, whitish tongue, dry cough, dizzy head, with dull pain in back part, loss of memory, foggy sight. For these troubles "SWAYNE'S PILLS" are a sure cure. Box, (30 Pills), by mail, 25 Cts., 5 for $1.00. Address, DR. SWAYNE & SON, Phila. Pa. Sold by Druggists.

COUGHS, COLDS, CATARRH, CONSUMPTION. All Throat, Breast and Lung affections cured by the old-established "SWAYNE'S WILD CHERRY." The first dose gives relief, and a cure speedily follows. 25 Cts. or $1.00. At Druggists.

FOR SALE AT

BROWN'S DRUG STORE.

ITCHING PILES—SYMPTOMS AND CURE. The symptoms are moisture, like perspiration, intense itching, increased by scratching; very distressing, particularly at night; seems as if pinworms were crawling in and about the rectum; the private parts are sometimes affected. If allowed to continue very serious results may follow. "SWAYNE'S OINTMENT" is a pleasant, sure cure. Also, for Tetter, Itch, Salt-Rheum, Scald-Head, Erysipelas, Barbers' Itch, Blotches, all scaly, crusty Skin Diseases. Box, by mail, 50 Cts.; 3 for $1.25. Address DR. SWAYNE & SON, Phila., Pa. Sold by Druggists.

LONDON HAIR RESTORER—GREAT ENGLISH Toilet Article. Restores growth, color, gloss, and softness. Removes Dandruff. Aristocratic families of Great Britain endorse it. Elegant dressing. Fragrantly perfumed. The favorite of fashion. At Druggists for 3s 1½d, or 75 Cts. in U.S. money.

FOR SALE AT

BROWN'S DRUG STORE.

The Examiner

OF NEW YORK CITY,

IS THE LEADING THE MOST WIDELY CIRCULATED, AND THE

CHEAPEST BAPTIST NEWSPAPER

IN THE WORLD.

IT WILL BE SENT TO ALL SUBSCRIBERS, OLD AND NEW, FOR

Two Dollars a Year,

PAYABLE IN ADVANCE.

A TRIAL TRIP.

Those desiring to see the paper as it is before becoming regular subscribers can make a "trial trip" from October 1, 1884, to January 1, 1885,

FOR FIFTY CENTS.

The Publishers have determined to make the price the same to all—single and club subscribers—believing it the wisest policy to have the largest circulation at the lowest possible price, and to have everybody receive THE EXAMINER at one low rate.

Send for a sample copy, or take a "trial trip," and you will find THE EXAMINER is one of the largest-sized eight-page papers, and is distinctively a Family Newspaper, with interesting and instructive reading for every member of the household, from the oldest to the youngest. In making it the Editor has the co-operation of the best newspaper, magazine and review writers of the day. In short that it is an OUTSPEAKING, WIDE-AWAKE AND COMPREHENSIVE NEWSPAPER FOR THE PEOPLE.

For sample copies, terms to agents, &c., address

THE EXAMINER,

Box 3661, New York.

DR. LINDSEY'S BLOOD SEARCHER

FOR SALE AT

BROWN'S DRUG STORE.

EDEN LAING'S

Livery, Sale and Exchange Stables,

Corner of Milton Avenue and Broad street, opposite the depot.

HORSES BOUGHT, SOLD OR EXCHANGED.

Coaches furnished at short notice for Funerals, Weddings, Parties, etc.

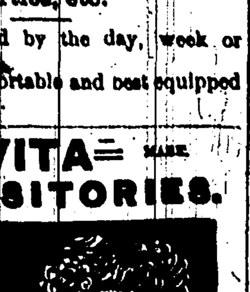
Horses boarded by the day, week or month.

The most comfortable and best equipped stables in the city.

TRADE VITA MARK

SUPPOSITORIES.

A POSITIVE CURE FOR Cold in the Head, AND CATARRH in its worst form.



Not a Liquid, Snuff or Salve. The only Local Treatment.

At all druggists or by mail on receipt of price.

VITA COMPANY, 12 and 14 Cliff St., N. Y.

FOR SALE AT

BROWN'S DRUG STORE.

JOHN FETTER THE BUTCHER,

Always buys the best stock in the market and kills it fresh every day at his own Slaughter House.

Beef, Mutton, Lamb and Veal,

Corned Beef, Tongues and Pork.

Also, Smoked Ham, Bacon and Tongue

Call and examine my quality of meat and compare prices with others and you will see that it pays to buy the Best.

Yours truly,

JOHN FETTER the Butcher

No. 15 CHERRY ST., AND 261 GRAND STREET, RAHWAY, N. J.

BEST ORGANS AND PIANOS

FOR EASIEST PAYMENTS.

The MASON & HAMLIN CO. now offer to rent any one of their famous (which are certainly the best in the world) for six months, giving the person hiring full opportunity to test it thoroughly in his own house, and return if he does not longer want it. If he continues to hire it until the aggregate of rent paid amounts to the price of the organ, it becomes his property without further payment.

They will also furnish their NEW UPRIGHT PIANOS on similar conditions. ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUES, with net prices, free.

Warerooms: 46 East 14th St., (Union Square) New York.

The great events of history in a single volume

FAMOUS and DECISIVE BATTLES OF THE WORLD.

By CAPT. KING, U. S. A. HISTORY FROM THE BATTLE-FIELD. Shows how Nations have been made or destroyed in a day.—How Fame or Disaster has turned on a single Contest. A Grand Book for Old and Young.—Maps and Fine Illustrations. Agents Wanted Everywhere. Write at once for full description and terms. Address J. C. McCURDY & CO., Philadelphia.

SEA FOOD

In all its great varieties,

FRESH DAILY.

Poultry Cheaper than Meats!

Dressed to order, at short notice.

ALL SEASONABLE

Fruits and Vegetables

The Best the Market Affords,

AT SURPRISINGLY

REASONABLE PRICES,

—AT—

GILBY'S MARKET,

Opposite the POST OFFICE.

1885.

Harper's Magazine.

ILLUSTRATED.

HARPER'S WEEKLY has now, for twenty years, maintained its position as the leading illustrated weekly newspaper in America. With a constant increase of literary and artistic resources, it is able to offer for the ensuing year attractions unequaled by any previous volume, embracing a capital illustrated serial story by W. E. NORRIS; illustrated articles with special reference to the West and South, including the World's Exposition at New Orleans; entertaining short stories, mostly illustrated, and important papers by high authorities on the chief topics of the day.

Every one who desires a trustworthy political guide, an entertaining and instructive family journal, entirely free from objectionable features in either letter press or illustrations, should subscribe to HARPER'S WEEKLY.

HARPER'S PERIODICALS.

Per Year:

HARPER'S WEEKLY	4 00
HARPER'S MAGAZINE	$4 00
HARPER'S BAZAR	4 00
HARPER'S YOUNG PEOPLE	2 00
HARPER'S FRANKLIN SQUARE LIBRARY. One Year (52 Numbers)	10 00

Postage Free to all subscribers in the United States or Canada.

The Volumes of the WEEKLY begin with the first Number for January of each year. When no time is mentioned, it will be understood that the subscriber wishes to commence with the Number next after the receipt of order.

The last Five Annual Volumes of HARPER'S WEEKLY, in neat cloth binding, will be sent by mail, postage paid, or by express, free of expense (provided the freight does no exceed one dollar per volume), for $7.00 per volume.

Cloth Cases for each volume, suitable for binding, will be sent by mail, post paid, on receipt of $1.00 each.

Remittances should be made by Post-Office Money Order or Draft, to avoid chance of loss.

Newspapers are not to copy this advertisement without the express order of HARPER & BROTHERS.

Address HARPER AND BROTHERS, New York.

$65 A MONTH and BOARD for three live Young Men or Ladies in each county. Address P. W. ZIEGLER & CO., Philadelphia

FASHIONABLE CLOTHING

MADE TO ORDER

IN THE LATEST STYLES, AT

C. W. BABEL, Agt.,

30 MAIN ST., RAHWAY, N. J.

CONSUMPTION.

I have a positive remedy for the above disease; by its use thousands of cases of the worst kind and of long standing have been cured. Indeed, so strong is my faith in its efficacy, that I will send TWO BOTTLES FREE, together with a VALUABLE TREATISE on this disease to any sufferer. Give express and P. O. address. DR. T. A. SLOCUM, 181 Pearl St., New York.

HUCKLEBERRY FINN (TOM SAWYER'S COMRADE) MARK TWAIN AGENTS WANTED

EVERYBODY SHOULD GO TO

CHARLES AVERY,

No. 9 Cherry Street

—FOR—

BOOTS AND SHOES

THOMAS JARDINE'S

MONUMENT

AND

Steam Mantel Works,

ST. GEORGE'S AV., RAHWAY, N. J.

NEAR GRAND STREET.

GRANITE MONUMENTS.

LOTS ENCLOSED ETC., ETC.

A Lecture to Young Men

ON THE LOSS OF

MANHOOD

A Lecture on the Nature, Treatment and Radical cure of Seminal Weakness, or Spermatorrhoea, induced by Self Abuse, Involuntary Emissions, Impotency, Nervous Debility, and Impediments to Marriage generally; Consumption, Epilepsy and Fits; Mental and Physical Incapacity, &c. By ROBERT J. CULVERWELL, M.D., author of the "Green Book," &c.

The world-renowned author, in this admirable Lecture, clearly proves from his own experience that the awful consequences of Self-Abuse may be effectually removed without dangerous surgical operations, bougies, instruments, rings or cordials; pointing out a mode of cure at once certain and effectual, by which every sufferer, no matter what his condition may be, may cure himself cheaply, privately and radically.

This lecture will prove a boon to thousands and thousands.

Sent under seal in a plain envelope, to any address, *post paid*, on receipt of four cents or two postage stamps. Address

THE CULVERWELL MEDICAL CO.,

41 Ann Street, New York, N. Y

Post Office Box, 450.

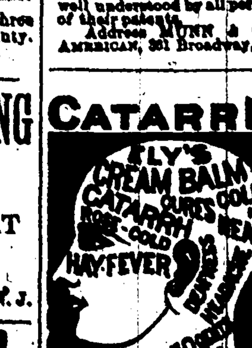
SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN ESTABLISHED 1845.

The most popular Weekly newspaper devoted to science, mechanics, engineering, discoveries, inventions and patents ever published. Every number illustrated with splendid engravings. This publication, furnishes a most valuable encyclopedia of information which no person should be without. The popularity of the SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN is such that its circulation nearly equals that of all other papers of its class combined. Price, $3.20 a year. Discount to Clubs. Sold by all newsdealers. MUNN & CO., Publishers, No. 361 Broadway, N. Y.

PATENTS. Munn & Co. have also had Thirty-Seven Years' practice before the Patent Office, and have prepared more than One Hundred Thousand applications for patents in the United States and foreign countries. Caveats, Trade-Marks, Copyrights, Assignments, and all other papers for securing to inventors their rights in the United States, Canada, England, France, Germany and other foreign countries, prepared at short notice and on reasonable terms. Information as to obtaining patents cheerfully given without charge. Hand-books of information sent free. Patents obtained through Munn & Co. are noticed in the Scientific American free. The advantage of such notice is well understood by all persons who wish to dispose of their patents.

Address MUNN & CO., Office SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN, 361 Broadway, New York.

CATARRH



Chronic Catarrh

The bridge or division of my nose was about half gone, the result of 25 years' catarrh. I obtained a bottle of Ely's Cream Balm; have used four bottles, which has about cured up the nostrils. I had previously tried all other remedies, on the market without permanent relief.—J. A. Wood, 96 North High street, Columbus, Ohio.

I am cured of catarrh and deafness by Ely's Cream Balm. My aunt was deaf. It restored her hearing.—F. D. Morse, Insurance, Elizabeth, N. J.

HAY-FEVER

Give it a Trial.

Ely's Cream Balm Causes no pain. Gives Relief at once. A Thorough Treatment will Cure. Not a Liquid. Not a Snuff. Apply into nostrils. Price 50 cents at druggists; 60 cents by mail, registered. Sample bottle by mail 10 cents.

ELY BROTHERS, Druggists, Owego, N. Y.

FOR SALE AT

BROWN'S DRUG STORE.