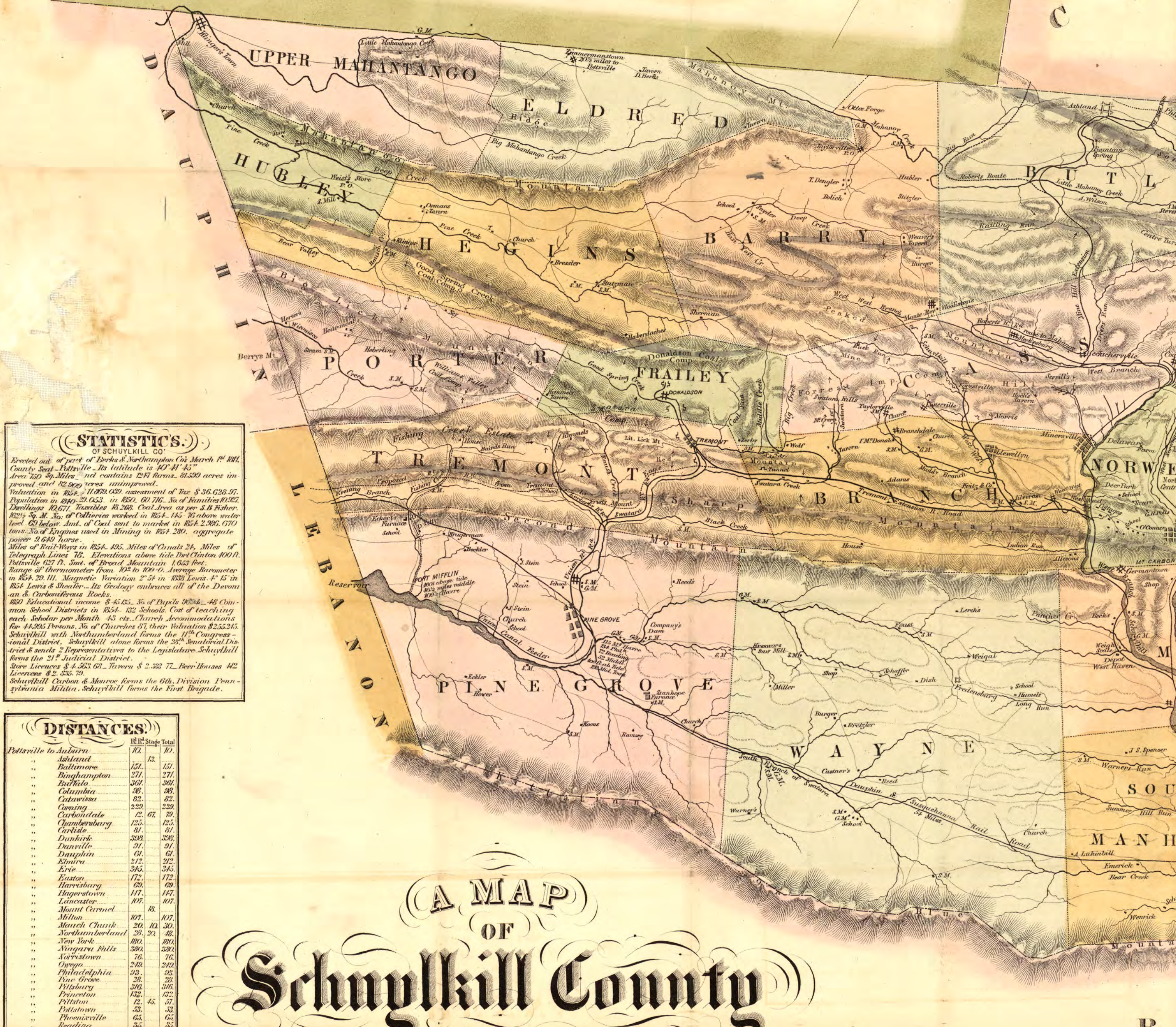


N O R T H U M B E R L A N D C O



(STATISTICS.)
OF SCHUYLKILL CO.

Extracted out of report of Berks & Northampton Cos March 1st 1851. County Seat - Pottsville. Its latitude is 40° 41' 45" Area 250 Sq. Miles - not contains 1247 farms, 81,530 acres in proved and 12,000 acres unproved.

Valuation in 1854, 11,882,032 assessment of Tax \$ 36,628.97. Population in 1850, 29,053. in 1852, 30,706. No. of Families 6127. Dwelling 12,671. Taxables 48,262. Coal Area as per S. B. Fisher, 1852, 50. M. No. of Collieries worked in 1854, 145. 76 above water level 69 below. Amt. of Coal sent to market in 1854, 2,986,670 tons. No. of Engines used in Mining in 1854, 280. aggregate power 2,649 horse.

Miles of Rail-Ways in 1854, 105. Miles of Canals 24. Miles of Telegraph Lines 76. Elevations above tide level Clinton 4000 ft. Pottsville 127 ft. Summit of Broad Mountain 1,623 feet. Range of thermometer from 42° to 100°. Average barometer in 1854, 29.11. Magnetic Variation 2° 54' in 1852. Lewis & Shaler. Its Geology embraces all of the Devonian & Carboniferous Rocks.

1850 Educational income \$ 45,052. No. of Pupils 26,524. 48 Common School Districts in 1854. 132 Schools. Cost of teaching each Scholar per Month 45 cts. Church accommodations for 44,965 Persons. No. of Churches 67, their valuation \$ 2,552,115. Schuylkill with Northumberland forms the 11th Congressional District. Schuylkill alone forms the 2nd Senatorial District & sends 2 Representatives to the Legislature. Schuylkill forms the 21st Judicial District.

Store Licenses \$ 4,563.63. Tavern \$ 2,382.77. Beer-Licenses 42 Licenses \$ 2,535.79.

Schuylkill Carbon & Monroe forms the 6th Division Pennsylvania Militia. Schuylkill forms the First Brigade.

(DISTANCES.)

| | By Stage | Total |
|----------------------|----------|--------|
| Pottsville to Auburn | 102 | 102 |
| .. Ashland | 73 | 73 |
| .. Baltimore | 151 | 151 |
| .. Binghamton | 271 | 271 |
| .. Buffalo | 367 | 367 |
| .. Calamba | 36 | 36 |
| .. Catawissa | 82 | 82 |
| .. Canning | 229 | 229 |
| .. Carbondale | 12 | 67 |
| .. Chambersburg | 125 | 125 |
| .. Carlisle | 47 | 61 |
| .. Danbury | 308 | 308 |
| .. Danville | 31 | 31 |
| .. Dauphin | 61 | 61 |
| .. Elmira | 212 | 212 |
| .. Erie | 345 | 345 |
| .. Easton | 172 | 172 |
| .. Harrisburg | 69 | 69 |
| .. Hagerstown | 117 | 117 |
| .. Lancaster | 107 | 107 |
| .. Mount Carmel | 48 | 48 |
| .. Milton | 107 | 107 |
| .. Mauch Chunk | 20 | 10, 30 |
| .. Northumberland | 29 | 29, 48 |
| .. New York | 180 | 180 |
| .. Niagara Falls | 380 | 380 |
| .. Norristown | 76 | 76 |
| .. Oregon | 242 | 242 |
| .. Philadelphia | 53 | 53 |
| .. Pine Grove | 29 | 29 |
| .. Pittsburg | 516 | 516 |
| .. Princeton | 132 | 132 |
| .. Pittston | 12 | 45, 57 |
| .. Pottstown | 53 | 53 |
| .. Phoenixville | 65 | 65 |
| .. Reading | 35 | 35 |
| .. Ralston | 123 | 123 |
| .. Rochester | 300 | 300 |
| .. Scranton | 12 | 53, 65 |
| .. Schuylkill Haven | 4 | 4 |
| .. Sunbury | 29 | 46, 46 |
| .. Tuscarora | 12 | 4, 46 |
| .. Trenton | 165 | 165 |
| .. Union | 122 | 122 |
| .. Tuscarora | 12 | 12 |
| .. Washington | 180 | 180 |
| .. Williamsport | 134 | 134 |
| .. Wilkesbarre | 12 | 37, 49 |

(A MAP) OF Schuylkill County (PENNA.)

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| TELEGRAPH LINES | STATIONS IN SCHUYLKILL CO: | Miles |
|------------------------------------|---|-------|
| Philada. Reading & Pottsville Line | Port Clinton, Auburn, Schuylkill Haven, Mt. Carbon, Pottsville. | 17. |
| branch | Auburn to Orwigsburg | 2. |
| branch | Pottsville, Palo Alto, Port Carbon, New Phosad | 16. |
| Philadelphia & Sunbury Line | Middleport, Tuscarora, Tamaqua. | 16. |
| branch | Schuylkill Haven, West Haven, Pottsville. | 24. |
| branch | Minersville, Thomaston, Ashland. | 17. |
| branch | Schuyl Haven, Swatara, Tremont, Donaldson. | 2. |
| branch | Thomaston to Forrestville. | 76. |
| Total length. | | 76. |

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