

CITY ITEMS.

We have the evidence each day of numbers who purchase of us, after having examined other stocks, which, under different names, are being 'hoaxed'...

Not so cheap as represented, and the public who have not many of the former to their credit, are generally becoming aware of this fact...

Our stock in FULL AND COMPLETE, our assortment unbroken, we bring in receipt each day of large lots of raw goods, replacing those sold, which are being made up...

Not to be sacrificed, but to succeed in the competition with other goods in the market in all respects, style, fit, make, or price...

It is the great thing to be marked in all this is the fact, adly by all, of low prices. And the real explanation is simple enough...

It is wonderful how cheap goods are sold at Gay's China Palace, No. 162 Chesnut street. The stock was well selected by Mr. Gay in person...

A MERRY, MERRY CHRISTMAS—A large assortment of new goods for the holidays at Sheppard, Van Hartungen & Arison's store, No. 108 Chesnut street...

The sale of the D'Urvillet Collection, at the second sale of the D'Urvillet paintings, last evening...

TO AUCTIONEERS AND 'LOTTERS.—We have a large stock of ready-made clothing...

The Willcox & Gibbs Standard Sewing Machine—It is a remarkable fact that all the 'grand improvements' so frequently advertised...

COAL COAL COAL for the million. Now is the time to lay in your winter's store of fuel. Oil King Frost is drawing pictures on the windows...

RELIGIOUS NOTICES. For additional Religious Notices see Second Page.

Particular Proclamation! NOW is the time! We would you, SPECIAL NOTICE! TOLD you so, and tell you again!

HOLIDAY GOODS. CHROMOS, FROM 50 CENTS TO \$30. FANCY ARTICLES, PORTFOLIOS, PHOTOGRAPHS, DEKES, PEN-WIPERS, ETC.

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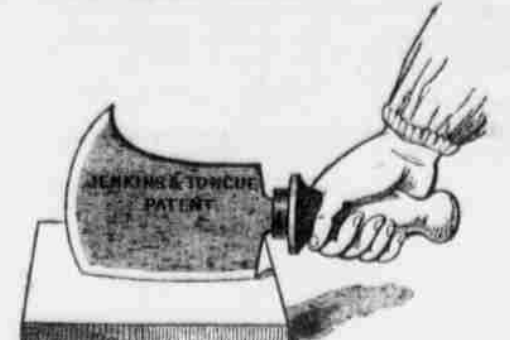
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This Cleaver, best of the usual cutting edge on the lower side, is furnished with a Circular Edge on the front end, adapted for chopping or mincing in a bowl...



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JACKSON'S RESTAURANT. THE BEST OF FARE is at large and varied as any in the city, and MEALS ARE FURNISHED AT VERY MODERATE PRICES.

JACKSON'S RESTAURANT. MINCED MEAT. THE BEST IN THE MARKET.

JACKSON'S RESTAURANT. THIS FACT IS BEYOND QUESTION. The undersigned, a few days since, issued a challenge that his article was the best...

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