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No More Vote Buying.

When Mr. Holman's bill, introduced in the House of Representatives Dec. 19th, becomes a law, every honest man who has the right to vote will feel that his vote cannot easily be offset by some boodler buying the votes of corrupt men in his district. The bill is entitled "A bill to preserve the purity of the elective franchise," and reads as follows:

NO ASSESSMENTS OR GIFTS.

"Be it enacted, &c., section 1—that it shall be unlawful for any person to solicit or receive, directly or indirectly, or to be in any manner connected with or concerned in soliciting or receiving any assessment, subscription or contribution of money, or of any thing of value to be expended, used or employed in any manner whatever in any election for electors for President or Vice-President of the United States, Representatives or Delegates in the Congress of the United States, or in the political canvass immediately preceding the same, or to control in any manner or to otherwise influence any such election or the result thereof.

"SEC. 2. That it shall be unlawful for any person to give or to offer to any other person, directly or indirectly, any money or thing of value for the purpose or with the intent that the same shall be used, expended or in any manner whatsoever employed in any election for electors for President and Vice-President of the United States, or for Representatives or Delegates in the Congress of the United States, or in the political campaign immediately preceding the same, or to influence in any way such election or the result thereof, or to aid, promote or assist in the election of any person at any such election, or to avoid or assist in the defeat of any person therein.

WHERE MONEY CAN BE USED.

"SEC. 3. The foregoing sections shall not be construed as applying to any money received or expended in good faith under the laws of any State or Territory for the necessary expenses of any election, or to money so subscribed and expended for the printing of tickets or in the publication of any newspaper or other publication or the distribution thereof.

"SEC. 4. That any person who shall be guilty of violating any of the provisions of the first or second sections of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall, on conviction thereof, be punished by fine not exceeding $5,000 or by imprisonment for a term not exceeding three years, or by such fine and imprisonment both, in the discretion of the the Court.

BUYER AND SELLER BEWARE.

"SEC. 5. That it shall be unlawful at any election for electors for President and Vice-President of the United States, for any person to receive any money or other valuable thing as a consideration for his vote at such election, or to receive any money or other valuable thing as a consideration for his vote after the same has been cast.

"SEC. 6. That it shall be unlawful at any election for electors for President or Vice-President of the United States, or any Delegate in Congress, for any person to pay or offer to pay any money or other valuable thing to another for a consideration for his vote at such election, either before or after such vote shall be cast.

WHAT THE GUILTY WILL SUFFER.

"SEC. 7. That any person violating any of the previous two preceding sections of this act, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be disfranchised and rendered incapable of holding any office of trust or profit for five years, and shall be fined in any sum not exceeding $5,000, and be imprisoned for a period not exceeding three years, or fined and imprisoned both within the limits aforesaid, in the discretion of the Court, provided, however, that in the discretion of the Attorney of the district, the persons bribed, or charged to have been bribed, may be required to testify in the trial of the person charged with bribing him or the attempt to bribe him; and in such case that such witness shall be exempt from prosecution for the offence in relation to which he shall testify.

"SEC. 8. That in any indictment under the first and second sections of this act it shall be deemed a sufficient statement of the misdemeanor in the indictment to set forth that the party charged with the offense solicited or received from any other persons money or other thing of value, or gave or handed over to any other person money or other thing of value, for the purpose and with the intent that the same should be used in the election of the electors for President and Vice-President of the United States or Representative or Delegate in Congress to influence the vote thereof, and that the same shall have been received and expended, or intended to be so expended, for the persons expressed in the third section of this act."

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our Regular Correspondent.]

Washington, Dec. 31st, 1888.

Mr. Cleveland has once more shown that he has the rare faculty of saying the right thing at the right time. In a letter of regret from him at a banquet given by the Boston Tariff Reform League last Friday night, he blazes the way for the weak-kneed members of the party to uphold the principals voted for by a plurality of more than 100,000 in the total number of voters in the country last November. After expressing his regret at not being able to attend the banquet Mr. Cleveland wrote: "Our institutions were constructed in purity of purpose and love for humanity. Their operation is adjusted to the touch of national virtue and patriotism, and their results under such guidence must be the prosperity and happiness of our people; and so long as the advocates of tariff reform appreciate the sentiment in which our institutions have their origin, so long as they apprehend the forces which alone can guide their operations, so long as they, in a spirit of patriotism are consecrated to the service of their country, temporary defeat brings no discouragement. It but proves the stubbornness of the forces of combined selfishness and discloses how far the people have been led astray and how great is the necessity of redoubled efforts in their behalf. To lose faith in the intelligence of the people is a surrender and an abandonment of the struggle. To arouse their intelligence and free it from darkness and delusion give assurance of speedy and complete victory. In the track of reform are often found the dead hopes of pioneers and the despair of those who fall in the march. But there will be neither despair nor dead hopes in the path of tariff reform; nor shall its pioneers fail to reach the heights. Holding fast their faith and rejecting every alluring overture and every conceptive compromise which would betray their sacred trust, they themselves shall regain and restore the patrimony of their countrymen, freed from the trespass of grasping encroachment, and safely secured by the genius of American justice and equality.

Brave words, these, for a defeated candidate, and very badly needed too, for many Democrats in Congress have recently shown a very decided weakness of the spine on this subject and have talked about compromising with the enemy to the extent of passing a bill making large reductions in the internal revenue, leaving the unjust import duties to remain as they now are, etc. The indications now are that Mr. Cleveland's letter will furnish the necessary stiffening for the wobbling back-bones and that we shall hear no more talk of compromise.

The Democrats of the House will handle the Senate tariff bill without gloves when it goes to them after its passage by the Senate. They propose to show the country what a one sided and unfair measure it really is. They are now busy gathering facts and statistics for the purpose.

The President has ordered the dismissal of Edward Cushing, Collector of Customs at Bath, Maine.

Repeesentative Crisp, Chairman of the House committee on contested elections, expects to call up this week the cases of Small vs. Elliot and Sullivan vs. Felton.

Michigan has a handsome statue of Gen. Lewis Cass to be placed in Statuary Hall at the Capitol.

A new and very fine crayon portrait of Speaker Carlisle has been hung in the lobby of the House.

The Blaine war goes apace. Everywhere two or three Republicans are gathered together you are certain to hear the name of the great gentleman from Maine mentioned. His enemies are bitter and his friends stanch, and the battle is sure to rage continually from now until four years from next March, with what result only time can tell. Mr. Harrison probably wishes most heartily that Mr. Blaine had never been born, but if he had not, the people of this country would have missed lots of fun.

As if there were not already a surfeit of candidates for Speaker of the next House three more were brought out last week. They were Representatives Lodge, Bayne, and Farquhar. I do not suppose that either of these three men have the most remote idea of ever being elected Speaker, but they probably hope that their being mentioned for the position will cause them to get better committee assignments from the man who is elected. And judging from past experience they are right.

It is proposed to have the takers of next census make a schedule of the surviving ex-Confederate soldiers. The idea has been very well received, and will be considered at the next meeting of the Senate committee on the census. The bill already passed by the House provides for a similar schedule of Union soldiers.

Tomorrow President Cleveland will hold his last New Year's reception in the White House for some years at least.

Amendment to the Constitution.

Bloomsburg, Col. Co. Pa. Jan. 1 1889.

To day the friends of constitutional prohibition resolved that the legislature of the state should be petitioned to submit the question of amendment to the people at a special election.

It was thought that the issue ought to be put squarely, without accompanying issues, and that work in behalf of the amendment ought to be non-partizan; though it was also suggested that the mere carrying of the amendment would not be a victory for temperance. Prohibitionists, they who believe in the doctrine of prohibition as opposed to the doctrine of license, may possibly be brought to work together for the success of the amendment, whether or not they belong to the party of that name; and, in this special work, party Prohibitionists can and without at all conceding that the amendment is the only thing necessary.

In order to carry this year, the amendment must be submitted in precisely the same form in which it passed the legislature in 1887. The constitution provides that the election shall be at least three months after the act of submission by the legislature; but more time is desirable.

The meeting elected a committee to effect permanent organization, and instructed the secretary to telegraph its resolutions to the Philadelphia Press, and to send a brief account of its action to the county-papers and to *The People* and *The Voice*.

NEWTON WALKER, Secretary.

News Items.

Every dollar sent abroad for what you can buy just as well at home is so much money lost to the community which will never return.

The biggest man in the world lives in Iowa and he weighs 792 pounds, measuring 6 feet 4½ inches in height. This car load of flesh and bones was born thirty-two years ago, and when he goes to Church he puts $1 into the collection basket and takes a whole seat to himself.

The latest sensational story gotten out, says the Ashland *Advocate*, is the report that Jack Kehoe, who was supposed to have been hung at Pottsville, is still alive, and is living in the west. As the story goes, Jack's neck was not broken in the hanging, and after his body was given to friends he came to and fled the country. It is all bosh, however.

As the cold and biting days come on the practice of allowing horses to stand in the street becomes more dangerous as the animals are growing more restive with the approach of winter weather. The custom is contrary to ordinary prudence, because it is always attended with danger, yet it is quite prevalent. Hitch your horses and you may save damage to your own property and perhaps to that of many others as well.

A perfect town is that in which you see the farmers patronizing the home merchants, the laborers spending the money they earn with their own tradesman, and all animated by a spirit that will not purchase articles abroad if they can be bought at home. The spirit of reciprocity between man and the mechanic, tradesman and laborer, farmer and manufacturer, results every time in making the town a perfect one to do business in.

Schuylkill County Rascals.

SHENANDOAH UNDER A "REIGN OF TERROR" OF A ROBBER BAND.

SHENANDOAH Dec. 29—This town is again terrorized by a gang of burglars. Last night they effected an entrance to the basement of the residence of Michael Monaghan, a prosperous liquor dealer and blew the door from a small safe in one of the rooms. A small hole was drilled through the top of a safe and a charge of powder strong enough to blow the door across the room was put in. The burglars secured but $20 in cash and a silver watch.

Monaghan has been robbed five times this year and the famous Flynn and Kline gang of burglars are charged with all the crimes, but they have never been convicted. The gang is composed of a number of the most degraded and desperate young men of this town. They range from 16 to 30 years of age and have left evidence of their work in every part of the county.

Flynn, one of the leaders, was caught on a coal train bound for distant parts on one occasion. He protested his innocence, but a pair of pantaloons found on his person proved to be part of the stolen property. He was placed in the lockup to await a hearing, but at 5o'clock the next morning was rescued by four of his pals, who smashed the three six-lever locks on the cell door with a crowbar.

The gang then visited and robbed several distant places and kept away from this place until about two weeks ago, when they took up quarters on the mountains South of the town. Last Sunday eight officers started out to capture them. One of the gang was on guard and saw the approach of the officers with the aid of a field glass. yesterday the gang was quartered on the mountain North of the town. Two expeditions of police and constables went out in different directions to capture them, but failed. Last night, much to the chagrin of the police, the gang increased the list of their crimes. The police seem utterly powerless to cope with these outlaws and the populace is practically terror stricken. It is believed the authorities will soon offer a large reward for their capture and invoke the aid of some of Pinkerton's men.

Steam Heating of Railroad Cars.

ALBANY, N. Y. Dec. 27.—The railroad commissioners of this state will send their annual report to the legislature early in the coming session. It is understood that it will recommend legislation requiring the railroads of this state to adopt a unform coupler for steam heating pipes. This recomendation may be accompanied by a bill empowering the commission to select such a coupler. Many inventors stand ready with devices for which they seek recognition. Conversation with prominent legislators leads to the belief that such a bill as the above will not be adopted. It is more likely that the steam heating law will be repealed. The impression seems to grow that steam pipes in cars are a failure. Nine-tenths of the recent delays in fast trains have been attributed to loss of steam from the locomotives. The opponents of the car stove will demand that the law be given a longer trial. Governor Hill would probably veto a bill effecting the matter in any way.

There has recently been adopted on all Russian railroads a device which might well be introduced in this country, on ordinary railroads. It consists merely of a tablet conspicuously displayed in each compartment of the train, bearing the name of the next stopping-place. A simple bit of mechanism enables one of the train-hands to make the necessary change for each station. Such an arrangement is comparatively inexpensive, and it is of very great service to passengers. The United States ought not to be behind Russia in railroading.

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ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Columbia County Agricultural, Horticultural and Mechanical Association, for the election of officers and the transaction of any other proper business, will be held in the Court House, Bloomsburg, Saturday January 19th, 1889 at 2 o'clock p. m. H. V. WHITE, Secy.

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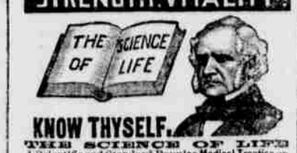

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Dec 21-d-4t

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ORPHAN'S COURT SALE OF VALUABLE Real Estate!

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, the undersigned executor of John Conner deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises in Benton township, on

Saturday, January 26, 1889,

at 1 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate, to-wit: All that certain real estate situate in Benton township, Columbia county, Pa., described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stone in line of land late of Joshua Brink, thence by land of Russel Karns north 58¾ degrees west 107 and 6-10 perches to a post, thence by land of Emily Roberts north 19¾ degrees east 138 and 8-10 perches to a post, thence by land of Catharine Conner south 58¾ degrees east 134 perches to a post in line of land now or late of Thomas Davis, thence by the same and land of Joshua Brink aforesaid south 31¼ degrees west 136 and 5-10 perches to the place of beginning, containing

102 ACRES

and 135 and 4-10 perches, strict measure, located about one-half a mile from the town of Benton, along the public road leading from Benton to Jameson City. About forty acres cleared and the balance well timbered with pine, oak, &c., all level land, on which are erected two

DWELLING HOUSES,

barn and out-buildings. There is also on the premises a saw mill with good water power.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent. of one-fourth of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property, the one-fourth less the ten per cent. at the confirmation of sale, and the remaining three-fourths in one year thereafter with interest from confirmation nisi.

EMANUEL LAUBACH, Executor.

A. L. Fritz, Atty.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE OF VALUABLE Real Estate!

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county the undersigned executor of Isaac Bower late of Briarcreek township, deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises in Briarcreek township, Columbia county, on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 5, 1889.

at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described two tracts of land situate in Briarcreek township aforesaid, the one being bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stone in line of land formerly James Adams', thence north 10 degrees, west 8¼ and two-tenths perches to stone, north 52 degrees, east 13 and seven tenths perches to stone, thence north 10 degrees, west 64 and one-tenth perches to stone, north 48¾ degrees, east 79 and four-tenths perches to stone, south 10 degrees, east 151 and three-tenths perches to stone, south 58¾ degrees, west 108 and three-tenths perches to stone, the place of beginning, containing

SIXTY-NINE ACRES

and twenty-two perches of land, about all improved, with

FRAME DWELLING, BARN

and outbuildings.

The other piece of land in same township, adjoins the above and is used with same as one farm, bounded and described as follows to-wit: Beginning at a stone in line of N. Stout, thence north 56 degrees, east 92 perches to pine thence by land now or formerly Jacob Piller north 10¾ degrees, west 37 perches to a —— thence south 56 degrees, west 92 perches to a pine knot, thence by the first described, south 10¾ degrees, east 37 perches to place of beginning, containing

TWENTY ACRES of LAND,

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent. of one-fourth at the striking down of the property, the one-fourth less the ten per cent at the confirmation of sale, and the remaining three-fourths in one year thereafter, with interest from confirmation nisi.

ISAIAH BOWER. Executor, Berwick Pa.

JACKSON, Atty. Dec 14

ORPHANS' COURT SALE OF VALUABLE Real Estate!

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, the undersigned administrator of Joseph R. Patton, late of Greenwood township, said county, deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises near Rohrsburg, on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 10, 1889,

at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described real estate:

No. 1. A certain lot or piece of land situate in the township of Greenwood, Columbia county, bounded by lands of the heirs of Samuel Gillaspy, Jacob Gerrard, Joseph P Dewitt and the public road, leading from Rohrsburg to Millville, and containing

ONE ACRE, MORE or LESS.

No. 2. A certain lot or piece of land situate in the said township of Greenwood, adjoining the above mentioned lot and lands of Cyrus Faus, Jacob Gerrard, Jacob Lemon, Joseph P. Dewitt and the aforesaid public road, containing

4 ACRES and 21 PERCHES,

more or less. The said two pieces of land, though purchased separately are used as one tract and so enclosed, whereon are erected a good two

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new frame barn, wagon shed, and other outbuildings. There is a good well of water, fruit trees and vines.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent. of one-fourth at the striking down of the property, the one-fourth less the ten per cent. at the confirmation of sale, and the remaining three-fourths in one year thereafter, with interest from confirmation nisi.

O. P. PATTON, Administrator, Rushtown Pa.

BARKLEY, Atty. Dec 14

EXECUTORS' SALE OF VALUABLE Real Estate!

There will be exposed to public sale on the premises in Fishingcreek township on

WEDNESDAY, January 9th, 1889,

at 10 o'clock a. m. the following described property owned by the estate of John Laubach, deceased: Beginning at a post along the public road to a corner, to lands surveyed for Richard Bright, thence along said Bright's survey and adjoining lands of Lemons & Pealer north 26 degrees, west 170 perches to a post, thence by lands of Whitenight Bros. south 23 degrees, west forty-two and three-tenths perches to a hemlock corner, thence by lands of J M Laubach south 29 degrees, east forty-one and seven-tenths perches to a chestnut oak, thence by the same south 27¼ degrees, east one hundred and two perches to stone corner, thence by the same north 61 degrees, east 27 perches to place of beginning, containing 28 acres more or less.

TERMS OF SALE:—Ten per cent. of one-fourth of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property; the one-fourth less the ten per cent. at the confirmation of sale; and the remaining three-fourth in one year thereafter, with interest from confirmation nisi.

J. M. BUCKALEW, Executor.

Dec 7

NOTICE IN PARTITION.

In the matter of the partition of the real estate of John Johnson, late of Madison township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Notice is hereby given the heirs of said decedent, that in pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, a writ of partition has issued from said Court to the Sheriff of said county returnable on the First Monday of February, A. D. 1889, and that the inquest will meet for the purpose of making partition of the real estate of said decedent on Friday the First day of February, A. D 1889, at ten o'clock a. m of said day upon the premises, at which time and place you can be present if you see proper. Said premises being situate in Madison township Columbia county, aforesaid, and containing ninety-four acres and ninety perches of land more or less.

SAMUEL SMITH, Sheriff.

C. W. MILLER, Atty. Jan 2 1889.

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Second hand pianos, organs and sewing machines on hand, and received in exchange for new ones.

Agent for Butterick and Domestic paper patterns and fashion books. Sewing machine needles, oils and attachments for all machines always in stock.

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Bloomsburg Pa.

MARKET REPORTS.

BLOOMSBURG MARKET.

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	Wholesale.	Retail.
Wheat per bushel		1.00
Rye " "	56	
Corn " "	60	70
Oats " "	32	45
Flour " bbl		6 80
Butter	26	28
Eggs	22	24
Potatoes	40	60
Hams	12	16
Dried Apples	03	05
Side	07	10
Shoulder	09	12
Chickens	7	10
Geese		
Lard per lb	10	14
Vinegar per gal	20	30
Onions per bushel	75	1 00
Veal skins	07	
Wool per lb	35	
Hides	5 to 7	

COAL ON WHARF.

No 6 $2.00; Nos 2 3, & Lump $3.25

No 5 $3.00 Bituminus $3.25

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Alice M. Karns, late of Benton township, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Alice M. Karns, late of the township of Benton, county of Columbia, and state of Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to A. C. Karns of Benton township Columbia county Pa., to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.

A. C. KARNS, administrator, c. t. a.

Dec 14 6w*

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Effeemaria Hess, late of Sugarloaf township.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Effeemaria Hess, late of the township of Sugarloaf, county of Columbia, and state of Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to Jesse Hess, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.

FRITZ Atty. JESSE HESS, Administrator. c. t. a.

Dec 14 6w.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of J. Brumstetter of Orange twp.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of J. Brumstetter, late of the township of Orange, county of Columbia, and state of Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to H W Brumstetter of Orangeville, county of Columbia Pa., to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.

H. W. BRUMSTETTER, Admr. Orangeville.

Dec 7

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Samuel Nungesser,

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Samuel Nungesser, late of the township of Beaver county of Columbia, and state of Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to H W Nungesser of Beaver Valley, county of Columbia Pa., and Wm. Yeager of Hazleton, Luzerne county, Pa., to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.

H. W. NUNGESSER, WM. E. YEAGER, Administrators

Nov 30

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

There will be an election of a Board of Directors of the Bloomsburg Banking Company, at their banking house, on Tuesday, January 8th, 1889, at 2 o'clock p. m., to serve for the ensuing year.

H. H. GROTZ, Cashier.

Dec 14 tf

OFFICE OF THE BLOOMSBURG WATER COMPANY.

BLOOMSBURG PA., NOVEMBER 22, 1888.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

The Board of Directors of this company have called a special meeting of its stockholders, to be held at my office, the general office of the company, in Bloomsburg, on Saturday, January 26, A. D. 1889, at and between the hours of two (2) and four (4) o'clock P. M., for the purpose of voting for or against an increase of the Capital Stock.

FRANK P. BILLMEYER, Secy.

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Cleanses the Nasal Passages, Allays Pain and Inflammation, Heals the Sores, Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell.

TRY THE CURE HAY-FEVER

A particle is applied into each nostril, and is agreeable. Price 50 cents at Druggists; by mail registered, 60 cts. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren Street, New York. Dec 21-d-4t

ACHING SIDES AND BACK, HIP, KIDNEY and Uterine Pains, Rheumatic, Sciatic, Sharp and Weakening Pains, relieved in one minute by the Cuticura Anti-Pain Plaster. The first and only instaneous pain-killing, strengthening plaster. 25 cents; five for $1.00. At druggists, or of POTTER DRUG AND CHEMICAL CO., Boston.

PIMPLES Pimples, blackheads, chapped and oily skin cured by Cuticura soap. Dec 21-d-4t

CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH PENNYROYAL PILLS

RED CROSS DIAMOND BRAND.

Original, best, only genuine and reliable pill for sale. Beware of worthless imitations. Ask for Chichester's English Diamond Brand, in red and gold metallic boxes, sealed with blue ribbon. At Druggists. Accept no other. $2 pills in postage stamps, for particulars, testimonials and "Relief for Ladies," in letter, by return mail. 10,000 testimonials from LADIES who have used them. Name Paper. Chichester Chemical Co., Madison Sq., Phila., Pa. Dec 2 1 4t.

HINDERCORNS. The only sure Cure for Corns. Stops all pain. Ensures comfort to the feet. 15c. at Druggists. Hinco & Co., N. Y.

ARE YOU CONSUMPTIVE Have you Cough, Consumption, or any lung complaint? Use PARKER'S GINGER TONIC. It has cured thousands and is the best remedy for all like ailments from defective nutrition. Take in time. 50c. and $1.00. Jan 4-d-4t