Pittsburgh Gazette.

MONDAY, MAY 2, 1864.

It is said that Congress will not adjourn before the last of June.

The draft in New Jersey is to commence to-morrow. The deficiency to be supplied amounts to 8,650 men. Ominous!

The policy of paying negro troops the same wages, bounty, &c., as white soldiers is about to be adopted by Congress.

The President has approved the joint resolution temporarily increasing the duties on importations fifty per cent, and it is therefore now a law.

The receipts at the San Francisco Custom House on Wednesday last were $276,000—more than those of any single day before. The receipts for April will reach a million.

A dispatch to the N. Y. *Tribune*, dated Washington, Friday, says: The impression has got firmly established that the Senate will certainly reject the House tax on whiskey on hand.

The House of Representatives has appointed a committee of nine members to investigate the charges of Frank Blair and others against the Secretary of the Treasury.

"To the Merciful."—Our columns, we hope, will not carelessly read or hastily forget the benevolent appeal on our first page in behalf of fifty orphan children from East Tennessee.

Cleveland Convention.—The *New Nation* says that the People's Convention will be held at Cleveland on the 31st of May, and announces that a call for the same is "expected to be publicly made" on Monday (to-day).

It is understood that the National Committee have commenced arrangements for the Baltimore Convention and that none of the members have in any way advocated its postponement. The railroad companies decline bringing the delegates at a reduced fare.

The State Central Committee.—We note with great satisfaction the appointment of Hon. Simon Cameron as Chairman of the State Central Committee. It was an appointment eminently fit to be made, and the President of the Convention, Hon. G. V. Lawrence, deserves the thanks of the friends of freedom for having made it. Gen. Cameron is well known throughout the State as a warm personal friend of President Lincoln, and his energy, zeal and influence will come well into play in the position to which he has been assigned. He is the right man in the right place; and in his appointment we have the guaranty that the campaign will be an active, vigorous and successful one.

PENNSYLVANIA AND THE PRESIDENCY.

Address and Platform of the Union State Convention.

The address and resolutions adopted by the late Convention at Harrisburg are as follows:

ADDRESS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Geo. Berger, from the Committee on Resolutions and Address, submitted the following:

To the People of Pennsylvania:

In presenting the name of Abraham Lincoln, for re-election to the Presidency, to our fellow-citizens of Pennsylvania and of the other loyal States, we are constrained by a high sense of what is due to the principle involved, briefly to set forth the reasons which impel us to this preference. In doing so, we desire emphatically to state that our ardent purpose to secure the re-election of the present Chief Magistrate of the Union is controlled by no hasty intention to neutralize the high claims to patriotism of other Statesmen mentioned in connection with their respective great offices by the Union men of this country; nor to have it manifest, either, that we are controlled by any selfish adherence to a mere man, in this the hour of a free people's struggle for their existence. The reasons which urge us to advocate the re-election of Abraham Lincoln, are such as must influence all patriotic men in adopting measures that will best subserve the safety and purity of the Government, the honor and glory of its people, with their speedy triumph over the murderous combinations of a wicked rebellion. The Administration, in all its attitudes, presents the power of the Government in all its might and majesty. Whatever affects the one, must more or less, influence and mould the other. If the government should be defeated, the overthrow of the Administration must of course follow. The conspirators, who do the bidding of Jefferson Davis, triumph, necessarily the brave men who obey the summons and enter in the fight for the Union, under the general direction of the President of the United States, must also be defeated, and as they go down, the President ceases to be the representative of national power, and as all these perish, so, too, will all men who are now free and independent, either be sacrificed to the horrors of war, or be doomed to the still greater horrors of slavery. From these alternatives there is no escape. Our political enemies have so actuated their battle cry as to render most odious those who now represent the National authority; while our armed foes, (the natural allies of those opposed to us politically) have schooled their followers in the same prejudices. So closely are these identified, even now it is boasted in the revolted States, as being only necessary for the success of rebellion, that the peace Democracy should succeed in the loyal States; while the peace Democracy insist, as the basis of their success, that the rebellion must first become a military triumph. This is not an assumption of our own to make an argument against ourselves. The history of the whole course of the slaveholders' rebellion corroborates it on the one side, while the career of those who sympathise with treason, affirms it on the other. Hence the necessity of so identifying the Administration with the Government in the coming political contest, as to make them inseparable—the one as potential as the other—invincible against their combined enemies, North and South. *This can only be done by the re-nomination and re-election of Abraham Lincoln.* Until the rebellion is put down, or at least until its armed force and vigor are broken, there should be no change in the Administration representing the Government. Obvious reasons impress us with the importance of this position. A change of men would involve a change of measures; so that while the loyal States were undergoing such a revulsion, the States that are in rebellion would be afforded time to gather new strength wherewith possibly to overwhelm and destroy the Government. Campaigns then just projected would be immediately countermanded to appease the rage of partisan rivalry. Leaders fairly tried would be reduced in command to make room for the ambitious, incompetent and useless imbecile. The depreciation of the currency, now so eagerly aimed at, would then be speedily accomplished. The ruin of the national credit, now treated as a jest, would then be resolved at a reality, and mocked as a destroying result. Our diplomacy would become the channel of expressing to the nations of the world the evidence of our internal broils and the facts of our national weakness. And thus while schism where the Union is now strong, and antagonisms where cordiality now prevails, the general work of the Government would mark the imprudent change in the present administration, and the enlightenment of a people who are now free and independent, conclude the black record of the nation's decline and fall.

If a nation's safety is worth a party's noblest efforts, then indeed have we, claiming to be the loyal men of the land, and ready to sacrifice all that is dear or valuable, the noblest incentives to labor for our political success. Believing as we do, that there is but one principle of politics now animating the public heart—and that principle involving the purity of the government and the freedom of the governed—our duty becomes at once plain, forcible and binding. In the performance of this duty, we are naked to make no sacrifices. On the contrary we are invoked to contend against the sacrifices of what is essentially necessary for the permanency of the Government. We are asked to harmonize our political organization, and to unite on a tried and faithful servant, in order that the contest at the ballot box may be a victory worthy of the emulation of our fellow-citizens on the battle field, a victory which will forever seal the doom of treason in all the States. In the contest for the Presidency we have it in our power materially to aid those who are carrying on a struggle where blood marks their progress and death hovers over the combatants. If we succeed in re-electing Abraham Lincoln, our brothers in the field will triumph over the armed foes of the Government. If we reaffirm the power of the National Administration by endorsing the national authorities in the re-election of Abraham Lincoln, rebellion must cease. Nothing is surer—nothing could be more desirable.

It is not necessary for us to go into a history of the National Administration, in order to make up a claim for the re-election of Abraham Lincoln. With that claim resting on the necessities of the Government, and endorsed by the preferences of the people, any merit which the man may have of personal virtue and unsullied reputation, sinks into insignificance. And yet the American people owe it to themselves as well as to Abraham Lincoln, to acknowledge the influence which his personal virtues have exercised on the conflict in which we are now engaged. That influence has more than once dispelled the growlings suspicion of demagogues, and hushed the angry jar of faction. The firmness of his rule has disarmed the machinations of the Northern sympathizers with Southern rebellion. The impartiality of his official acts and constructions have preserved the Constitution he swore to support, pure; and the law he was pledged to enforce, inviolate; so far as his authority extended and his official power could be wielded. In the first struggle for independence, our fathers could not have been prouder of Washington, than are we, in this our struggle for a more perfect independence, proud of Abraham Lincoln. The future will enhance the greatness and glory which cluster around him in the present hour. And if we, nobly striving for equitable principle and a free Government, can secure the services of Abraham Lincoln in the Presidential chair for another term we will be conferring the greatest possible boon upon posterity, by securing the eternal perpetuation of a free Government. To this end we invoke the co-operation of our fellow citizens of this and the loyal States. We ask all true men to join with us in securing, not the mere triumph of a party, or the continuation of the rule of a man—but the success of a principle—the vindication of a heaven-born, God inspired right, that the life of the Republic may be prolonged, the hope of the world once more animated, and the down-trodden of all countries and climes filled with joy and gladness!

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolved, That the vindication of the national honor, and the enforcement of the national authority, against the aggressions of a desperate and wicked conspiracy, are the only objects which should now claim the attention of parties and engage the efforts of those who represent the government. Until that authority, which is the supreme law of the land, is recognized in all its borders, there cannot and dare not be any terms of peace offered to traitors. Until peace effects unqualified and entire submission to the national authority, war must be waged while there is an arm left to strike a blow, and a dollar in the national treasury to submit a soldier.

Resolved, That we heartily endorse the policy of the National Administration, and the means employed for the suppression of rebellion, the punishment of traitors at home and abroad; a policy which, if carried out, will end in the speedy triumph of our arms, and the security and permanency of the Government.

Resolved, That we regard the re-nomination and election of Abraham Lincoln to the Presidency as essential not only to the complete overthrow of the slaveholders' rebellion, but as necessary to the full organization and operation of that policy which alone can secure the future peace and prosperity of a restored Union. The purity of his character, the liberality of his views, the independence of his action, and the regard which he ever manifests for justice and right, combine eminently for the direction of the affairs of the nation, until its authority is recognized, received and respected in all the States of the American Union.

Resolved, That, in response to the sentiment of the loyal men of Pennsylvania, and in justice to a tried and faithful public officer, the thanks of this convention are hereby tendered to Andrew G. Curtin, Governor of the Commonwealth. His manly defense of the honor and dignity of the State, his unwavering adherence to its credit, and his vigilant care of its interests, have had their influence alike upon the political character of its citizens, and the prosperity which now marks their trade and enterprise, and demands a people's highest admiration and applause.

Resolved, That the alacrity with which the Governor of Pennsylvania has contributed, through the aid of our fellow citizens, to the National defense, is in keeping with the character of loyalty ever borne by the Keystone State. Through the active energy of Governor Curtin, Pennsylvania has had the satisfaction of knowing that her State flag has floated in almost every battle fought for the Union, while no Commonwealth has given more of its material means in aid of the Government than that which the wise and frugal measures of Andrew G. Curtin have enabled this State to extend to the National Government.

Resolved, That the highest rewards of the nation are due to the brave men who are now in the field periling their lives in a struggle with a base and wicked conspiracy; that we will ever hold in grateful recollection the memory of those who have already perished for the fight for the Union, and extend to those who survive to return once more to their homes, the honor which their valor has fairly won, and the peaceful rest which their labors so eminently deserve.

Resolved, That we thank the loyal members of the Legislature for the steady and persistent course with which they have maintained the honor and credit of the Commonwealth, and the stern patriotism with which they have also resisted the revolutionary schemes of the minorities in the Senate and House. The attitude of the majority of both branches of the Legislature on the interest question and on the enfranchisement of the soldier, was controlled alike by a regard for economy and a determination to recognize in the defenders of the Union, citizens, deserving the highest rank and franchises; while the course of general legislation has been such at least as to deserve for the Legislature during the session about to close, our frank approval.

Resolved, That the thanks of the whole people are due to the gallant men who are now in the field of our armies, and that we hold ourselves in readiness, at a moment's warning, to second the efforts of these to render the summer campaign against treason, the final end of the struggle for the peace of the country and the full recognition of the authority of the Government in all the States.

The reading of the foregoing address and resolutions was frequently interrupted by the heartiest applause, and they were adopted without a dissenting voice, amid the warmest demonstrations of enthusiasm.

Eloquent speeches were then made by Hon. M. B. Lowry, of Erie, Hon. A. K. McClure, of Franklin, Wm. B. Mann, Esq., of Philadelphia, Hon. Wayne McVeagh, of Chester county, Hon. W. W. Ketchum, of Luzerne county, Hon. Linn Bartholomew and James H. Campbell, of Schuylkill county.

On motion of Mr. Bergner, the thanks of the Convention were tendered to the House of Representatives for the use of their hall.

On motion of Mr. Turrell, the thanks of the Convention were tendered to its officers for the able manner in which they had discharged their duties.

The Convention then adjourned.

A McTIGHE, BANKER, 112 FIFTH street, will pay the highest price for GOLD, SILVER, U. S. Bonds, Allegheny County Railroad Bonds, Soldier's Bounty Bonds. Also, Allegheny Valley and Steubenville Railroad Site bs. U S COUPONS TAKEN AS GOLD. ap25 tf

300 BARRELS CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR in store, and for sale by LITTLE & TRIMBLE, No. 112 and 114 Second street. ap25

FISH TACKLE.—A large stock for sale by JAMES BOWN, 136 Wood st. ap25

PUBLIC NOTICES.

U. L. A.—The County Council will meet at WILKINS HALL, on TUESDAY, the 3d day of May, at 10 o'clock, a. m., precisely. Local councils will send in their reports. Important business will be transacted. my2:2t By order of the President.

OFFICE OF THE ALLEGHENY GAS COMPANY, April 29, 1864.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF the Stockholders of the Allegheny Gas Company will be held at their office No. 25 Diamond, on Monday, May 9th, from 10 o'clock, A. M., until 3 P. M., for the purpose of electing a President and eight Directors, to serve for the ensuing year. ap. 30-td JAMES MARSHALL, President.

PROVOST MARSHAL'S OFFICE, 23d District of Pennsylvania, Allegheny City April 28, 1864.

AS ABOUT THREE HUNDRED volunteers, and recruits for the regular army, enlisted in this since July 18 3 and a large number of Veterans re-enlisted in the field have been credited to the 23d Division, at large, to All-gheny county. Allegheny, Butler county, Armstrong county, and to various Townships, &c., not enrollment sub-district, I am instructed by the A. A. P. M. General to take evidence as to the actual residence of such persons at the time of their original enlistment, for the purpose of establishing the credits to the localities entitled thereto. To that end I send one of the various sub-districts in this district, and all others feeling an interest in the just establishment of credits, are respectfully requested to furnish me at an early date as possible—the following information:

1. A list of all such persons who have enlisted in the field to the credit of such sub-district, or who are credited at large but reside in such sub-districts, with the same information as required in the case of volunteers, and in addition thereto as far as possible, copies or extracts from the muster-in rolls of such veterans (in day A. A. General, Adjutant General of Pennsylvania, and in all cases where the credit is at large evidence of the actual residence of such veteran, or the payment of local bounties thereto.

Credits for veterans re-enlisted in the field up to the 15th of April, 1864, has been received at the office, but in case the 23d Division thinks that it is impossible to apply these justly until corrected as above indicated.

The above information is required to be furnished before the 5th day of May next, as I am ordered to make a report on that day. J. W. SIBERS, Captain and Provost Marshal, 23d District, Pa. ap29:3tdaltw

U. S. 10-40 BONDS.

These bonds are issued under the Act of Congress of March 8th, 1864, which provides that in lieu of so much of the loan authorized by the act of March 3d, 1863, to which it shall supplementary, the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to borrow from time to time, on the credit of the United States, not exceeding TWO HUNDRED MILLION DOLLARS during the current fiscal year, and to prepare and issue their Coupon and Registered Bonds of the United States; and all Bonds issued under this Act shall be EXEMPT FROM TAXATION by or under any State or municipal authority. Subscriptions to the Bonds are received in United States notes or notes of National Banks. They are TO BE REDEEMED IN COIN at the pleasure of the Government, at any period not less than ten nor more than forty years from their date, and until their redemption FIVE PER CENT. INTEREST WILL BE PAID IN COIN, on Bonds of not over one hundred dollars annually, and on all other Bonds semi-annually.

The interest is payable on the first days of March and September in each year. The semi annual Coupons are payable at those dates and the annual Coupons on the 50 and 100 dollar bonds are payable on the first of March.

Subscribers will receive either Registered or Coupon Bonds as they may prefer. Registered Bonds are recorded on the books of the U. S. Treasurer, and can be transferred only on the owner's order. Coupon Bonds are payable to bearer, and are more convenient for commercial uses.

Registered Bonds will be issued of the denomination of Fifty Dollars ($ 0), One Hundred Dollars ($100), Five Hundred Dollars ($500), One Thousand Dollars ($ 0 0), Five Thousand Dollars ($5 000) and Ten Thousand Dollars ($10 0 0; Coupon Bonds of the denominations of Fifty Dollars ($50), One Hundred Dollars ($100), Five Hundred Dollars ($500), and One Thousand Dollars ($1,000).

Subscribers to this loan will have the option of having their Bonds draw interest from March 1st, by paying the accrued interest in coin—(or in U. S. notes, or the notes of National Banks, adding fifty per cent. or premium) or receive them drawing interest from the date of subscription and deposit.

As these Bonds are exempt from municipal or State taxation, their value is increased from one to three per cent. per annum, according to the rate of tax levies in various parts of the country.

At the present rate of premium on gold they pay over eight per cent. interest in currency, and are of equal convenience as a permanent or temporary investment.

It is believed that no securities offer so great inducements to lenders as the various descriptions of U. S. Bonds. In all other forms of indebtedness, the faith or ability of private parties or stock companies or separate communities only is pledged for payment, while for the debts of the United States the whole property of the country is holden to secure the payment of both principal and interest in coin.

These Bonds may be subscribed for in sums from $50 up to any magnitude, on the same terms, and are thus made equally available to the smallest lender and the largest capitalist. They can be converted into money at any moment, and the holder will have the benefit of the interest.

The fact that all duties on imports are payable in specie furnishes a fund for like payment of interest on all Government Bonds largely in excess of the wants of the treasury for this purpose.

Upon the receipt of subscriptions a certificate of deposit therefor, in duplicate, will be issued, the original of which will be forwarded by the subscriber to the Secretary of the Treasury, at Washington, with a letter stating the kind (registered or coupon) and the denomination of bonds required.

Upon the receipt of the original certificates at the Treasury Department, the bonds subscribed for will be transmitted to the subscribers respectively.

Subscriptions will be received by the *Treasurer of the United States* at Washington, and the *Assistant Treasurer* at New York, Boston and Philadelphia, and by the FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH, PA., THIRD NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH, and by all National Banks which are depositaries of public money. All respectable banks and bankers throughout the country will furnish further information on application, and afford every facility to subscribers. ap30:2wdaw

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILWAY CO., Pittsburgh, Pa., April 8th, 1864.

DIVIDEND.—The Board of Directors have this day declared a Dividend of TWO AND ONE-HALF (2½) PER CENT. on the Capital Stock of the Company, out of the net earnings, for the quarter ending March 31st, ultimo, payable (free of Government Tax) on and after the 10th day of May, prox., at the General Office of the Company, in Pittsburgh, to the Stockholders whose stock is registered there, and at the Agency of the Company, (Messrs. Winslow, Lanier & Co.,) No. 52 Wall street, New York, to the Stockholders whose stock is registered there.

The Transfer Books of the Company will close at 3 o'clock p. m., on the 30 of May, prox., and will remain closed till 10 o'clock a. m. on the 11th of May thereafter.

By order of the Board of Directors.

W. H. BARNES, Secretary.

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A SPECIAL MEETING of the Stockholders of the Cleveland & Pittsburgh Railroad Company will be held at the office of said Company, in Cleveland, on the 4TH DAY OF MAY, 1864, at 10 o'clock a. m., to vote upon the increase of the Capital Stock of said Company, for the purpose of allowing the bonds of said Company to be converted into stock. The Transfer Books will be closed entire 23d day of April and open on the 6th day of May. By order of the Board of Directors.

J. H. McCULLOUGH, President.

Cleveland, March 28, 1864. mh30:m98

OFFICE OF NORTH CLIFF MINING CO., 55 Fifth street, Pittsburgh, April 4, 1864.

THE DIRECTORS of the "North Cliff Mining Company, of Michigan," have levied an assessment of ONE DOLLAR PER SHARE on the Capital Stock, as the same may stand at the close of business on SATURDAY, the 30th instant, payable to the Treasurer on TUESDAY, the 10th of May next, with interest to that date.

ap6:tmy11 THOS. M. HOWE, Treasurer.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—The owners of Oil at the Allegheny landing are requested to remove their Oil at once, otherwise it will have to be removed at their expense, as there is not room there to do the current business. Attention to this matter will save trouble and expense.

JAMES ALLEN, Wharf Master.

EXCHANGE BANK OF PITTSBURGH, Pittsburgh, April 16th, 1864.

A GENERAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders of this Bank will be held at the Banking House on THURSDAY, May 5th, at eleven o'clock, a. m., to take into consideration the extension of the charter, approved January 8th, 1864.

R. M. BURRAY, Cashier.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

NOTICE—The regular monthly meeting of the army committee of Western Pennsylvania will be held at the store room of the Christian Commission, No. 76 Smithfield street, this afternoon at 3 o'clock. my2:1t B. C. TOTTEN, Secy.

PITTSBURGH SANITARY FAIR—RAILROAD COMMITTEE.—This Committee be a leave to suggest the propriety of Officers and Employees of Railroads receiving their subscriptions to the Sanitary Fair for the Committee, that the total amount derived from the Railroad interest may be duly ascertained and credited.

C. CORNEGIE, Chairman.

W. O. HUGHERT Secretary and Treasurer. ap25:1w

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS—All persons who have neglected to pay their City, Poor, Business, Water, School or Building tax for 1863, in the First Ward, Pittsburgh, are notified that on May 1st, suits will be instituted in all cases. Those who would save costs will pay before that day. ALLEN COBURN, Collector.

No. 41 Fourth street.

At home from 5 to 7 o'clock, p. m. ap29

OAKLAND PASSENGER RAILWAY—A special meeting of the Stockholders of the Oakland Passenger Railway Company will be held at the office of Messrs. D. W. & A. A. SELLERS, on MONDAY, May 2d, at 2 o'clock, p. m. Punctual attendance is requested, as business of importance will come before the meeting. ap29:4td UHAR. MEYBAN, Pres't.

REV. DR CHAPIN'S LECTURE—Rev. Dr. CHAPIN, the "Prince of Pulpit Orators," will lecture in

CONCERT HALL, ON WEDNESDAY EVEN'G, MAY 4TH.

SUBJECT—EUROPE AND AMERICA. Doors open at 7 o'clock. Lecture to commence at 8 o'clock. Tickets 25 cents. Reserved seats 50 cents. For sale at C. H. Mellor's music rooms, 81 Wood street—with plan of Hall. my2 2td

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T. R. NEVIN, President.

JOHN P. KRAMER, Cashier. Allegheny, Jan 30, 1864. ja1:3m

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At present located on Fifth street having, of necessity, to move to more undesirable for our business, begs to announce that we will remove our STORE, on the 1ST OF APRIL next, to

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Admission 25 cents. Reserved seats 50 cents. Doors open at 7; commences at 8 o'clock. Matinee: admission to all parts of the house 25 cents. Children 15 cents. my2 mwfsm

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.—Will be exposed to public sale, at the late residence of R. E. McGOWIN near Penn Station, in Penn township, Westmore and co., on Thursday, May 5th, at 10 o'clock, a. m., the following property to wit: One Buggy, Set of Harness, Side Saddle, one cow, a lot of pigs, about sixty-five gallons of oil, one refrigerator, one churn, a lot of salt and brine-tubs, farming utensils, consisting of threshers, wardrobes, wash stands, chairs, large parlor mirror, two other large mirrors, straw and hair mattresses, bureaus, clocks, marble top centre tables, extension table, sofa, sewing machine, one barrel of sugar, and other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms of sale to be cash, or money or legal tender notes, on delivery of articles sold.

JOSEPH O'BRIEN, C. W. ROBB, my2:3td Executors of R. E. McGowin, dec'd.

SCHOOL AT EVERGREEN.—The Summer Term of this Institution will commence on MONDAY, May 2, 1864. A limited number of young Ladies will be received as boarders in the family of the Principal. Information in detail furnished on the premises, at Evergreen Hamlet, or on written application to B. HUME, Principal, care of Wm. M. Shinn, Esq., Pittsburgh. ap27:m

NOTICE TO BUILDERS—Proposals will be received at BISSELL & CO'S., 255 liberty street, where plans and specifications may be seen for the erection of the PITTSBURGH GRAIN ELEVATOR. Building about 120 feet square. Separate bids will be entertained for the stone, carpenter work and machinery required. All to be put up under one general superintendance. Until Tuesday, 10th of May next. W. S. BISSELL, Pres't. ap23:2w

THE MANAGEMENT OF STEEL.—D. APPLETON & CO., Nos. 443 and 445 Broadway, publish this day THE MANAGEMENT OF STEEL. Including Forging, Hardening, Tempering, Annealing, Sandblasting, and Expansion. Also, the Case Hardening of Iron. By Geo Edw. Ellis, 10th of May next. ap23:2w

AMERICAN LIFE INSURANCE CO. OF PHILADELPHIA, Assets.....$1,571,127 57. Policy insured on lives on favorable terms. S. S. BRYAN, Pittsburgh Agent, my2 59 Fourth street.

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500 BBLS. RUSSETT APPLES, 200 bbls. Lake Shore Potatoes; 25 boxes fresh Roll Butter; 10 bbls Eggs; 10 bush. Turnips; 10 bbls. Onions; 200 bush. Beans; Now in store and for sale by L. H. VOIGT & CO. ap21

TO LOAN, FOR A TERM OF YEARS, on Bond, secured by Mortgage, for account of minor children, EIGHT or NINE THOUSAND DOLLARS: Apply at EAGLE COTTON WORKS, Allegheny or at 25 WOOD STREET, Pittsburgh. ap21tw JOSIAH KING, Guardian.

WE HAVE THIS DAY ASSOCIATED with us GEORGE D. COOK, in the Produce, Bacon and General Commission business. April 1st, 1864. COOK, PETTIT & CO. ap1:3md

DECORATIVE WALL PAPERS—Panels, Pillars, Frescoes, Statuary, Views, Borders, Fire Screens, Borders &c., for sale by W. P. MARSHALL, 77 Wood street. ap22

FRENCH CHOCOLATE—Of the finest quality, just received and for sale at the family grocery store of J. & H. PHILLIPS, corner Liberty and Hand streets. ap25

NAILS, NAILS—We offer for sale 300 kegs of Nails, smoothest nail purchasers, at less than manufacturers prices. LITTLE & TRIMBLE, ap27 No. 112 and 114 Second street.

POTATOES—2764 bushels to arrive, For sale by LITTLE & TRIMBLE, ap. 20. 112 & 114 Second Street.

TALLOW OIL—12 barrels, to arrive on steamer Jamie Rabb, for sale by ap23 ISAIAH DICKEY & CO.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO LET.—Two large and handsomely furnished ROOMS, without board, can be had by applying at No. 105 THIRD STREET, near Grant and Smithfield streets. ap30:1w

FOR RENT—A brick cottage, containing nine rooms, adjoins Evergreen Hamlet, Ross township. Enquire of WM. M. SHINN. my2:1w No. 137 Fourth street.

$500 REWARD.—Lost or stolen between Davis' Auction Rooms and Wilson & McElroy's by way of Fifth, Sixth and Wood streets, a package of MONEY, containing $2,000 in one hundred dollar bills, to Greenback. The above reward will be paid by GEORGE D. BIDDLE, Esq., of the Ninth Ward, on the delivery of the money to him, or leaving it at the DISPATCH OFFICE. my2:2t

NOTICE—Letters testamentary with the will annexed of R. E. McGOWIN, dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted will please call at the office of C. W. ROBB No. 91 Diamond street, Pittsburgh, and settle, and all persons having against said estate will please send the same properly authenticated.

JOSEPH O'BRIEN, C. W. ROBB, my2:3td Exrs of R. E. McGowin dec'd.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—The undersigned offers for sale a valuable tract of land containing thirty acres situated on the Ohio river, in Robinson township nearly opposite Hayesville adjoining lands of Pittsburgh Bridge Co. of the form of W. F. Forsee, dec'd. Said land is all river bottom of the richest and best quality. Frame dwelling house on premises. Enquire of the undersigned at residence near the premises, or Kunn & Cassidy, attorneys No. 82 Diamond street, Pittsburgh. my2:6td&tw N. F. FORSEE.

FOR SALE—VALUABLE MANCHESTER property, being parts of the Manchester "Redoubt," fronting on the Ohio river, between Washington and Chestnut streets, running back to Preble street. This property can be divided into 37 lots, nearly 24 feet front, and from 120 to 168 feet deep. The property will be sold as an entirety and possesses particular advantages for manufacturing sites. Terms can be made satisfactory. Apply to PENNSYLVANIA SALT MANUFACTURING CO., corner Pittsburgh and Duquesne Way, Pittsburgh. my2:1m

FOR SALE—A two story brick house and lot on the north side of the North Common, between Federal and Sandusky streets, Allegheny City. Also, Three two story brick tenements on the east side of Cherry Alley, between Second and Third streets; Pittsburgh. Also, Lot and buildings, on the southeast corner of Fourth and Ferry streets, Pittsburgh. Arrangements have been made with Mr. John W. Barker, on Fifth street, to show the premises. He will give a proper receipt, and mark them, so that they can be recognized after the Fair. Address or call upon the undersigned, at the office of the Sanitary Commission, the receipt will indicate the Flag and the name of the donor. It is desirable that the Flag be sent in as soon as possible, as time is needing it may be heard. JAMES MILLER, Chairman of Committee on Flags. ap29:2w

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