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THE PEACE MOVEMENT.

There is a great deal of indignation, it will be seen, among the devoted friends of the Union in Congress, aroused by the course of the President relative to the Rebel Peace Commissioners. From the fact that the Cabinet has not been consulted, with the exception of Mr. SEWARD, and that the President has gone to Fortress Monroe to join with Mr. SEWARD in a personal interview with the Commissioners, the inference has been drawn that the President is willing to make degrading terms of Peace, and that he is going to sell us out to the Rebels.

While we think the President shows an over-eagerness in going to Fortress Monroe to consult with the representatives of all that is fiendish and inhuman, and has by so doing, left his course open to suspicion and distrust, we cannot believe it possible that the President has been actuated by any but the best of motives, and the result will show that he has had none of the purposes attributed to him. At least it is but fair to wait until the history of the whole case is disclosed. There is nothing to be gained by showing a fretful, peevish temper, at such a time as this, at the acts of the President, even though they be, for the present, hard to understand and difficult to reconcile with the ultra Union feeling of the country. For our part, we are willing to wait until this negotiation is all over before assaying to condemn.

But let us be over quick. There can be no question that this talk of "Peace" is doing us immense harm in the matter of raising recruits. It has put a stop to volunteering, and paralyzed the whole business of filling up the army. In that way it is effectually helping the rebels and hurting us. Let it therefore be over as soon as possible. If Grant's army is to be filled up this Spring there is no time to be lost in holding idle talk with the representatives of men who have no idea of submitting.

WEST VIRGINIA.

The Convention which framed a constitution for the new State of West Virginia did not make it a free State, absolutely. The anti-slavery feeling had not then become general, and there was enough of the old devotion to Slavery remaining to leave its taint in the provisions of that instrument. The constitution prescribes a limit beyond which certain persons of certain ages shall not be held slaves, but makes no enactment at all in regard to those supposed to be left in slavery for life. To remedy this defect and bring West Virginia up to the public sentiment of the times, the legislature has just passed an act declaring as follows:

1. All persons held to service or labor as slaves in this State are hereby declared free.

2. There shall hereafter be neither slavery nor involuntary servitude in this State, except in punishment of crime, whereof the party shall have been duly convicted.

This bill wipes out the remnant of slavery in West Virginia at a blow. It was adopted simultaneously with a resolution giving the assent of the State to the amendment of the National Constitution abolishing Slavery, and the one was every bit as emphatic an endorsement of the other.

PENNSYLVANIA.

The Legislature of this State promptly gave her assent, yesterday, to the amendment abolishing Slavery. As Pennsylvania was the first State to abolish slavery within her own borders, after the Revolution, and did it, too, upon high moral grounds, it was fit that she should use alacrity in endorsing the great anti-slavery measure of the age.

True, it was adopted in both Houses of the Legislature by a strict party vote. There does not seem to have been one democrat in either House with manliness enough to throw off party shackles and decide the question on its merits. But then the democrats of Pennsylvania have long been the willing slaves of slavery, and long enslavement has rendered them incapable of voting for their own deliverance. Many of them will live to be ashamed of their votes; but whether they do or not the State has reason to rejoice that they are powerless for evil, and that she is able in spite of them to range herself with her sister States in favor of the grandest act of justice ever performed by any nation.

THE QUOTA.

We publish this morning the quota of the Twenty-third District. The calculation is made upon a formula furnished by the Provost Marshal General, which reduces all back credits to the basis of three years' service. For example, a sub-district which had eighteen surplus one year volunteers and four three year substitutes would have an aggregate of eighteen and twelve, making thirty years' service. Practically, under this rule, only ten of these thirty years' service are credited on this call. It is only a partial equalization; and as the number of fresh men required is fixed at 1770 in any case, the burden falls heavier upon those districts which have large credits, and in the same proportion lighter upon those which have small credits.

A COLORED LAWYER.—There was a striking scene in the Supreme Court room this morning at eleven o'clock. Just after the judges made their appearance Mr. Sumner rose and moved that a colored lawyer from Boston be admitted to practice in the court. To the apparent astonishment of some of the officials the Chief Justice at once ordered that he be admitted. The attorneys within the bar were aghast at the innovation, but the subordinate officials were the most indignant at Mr. Sumner's exhibition of his anti-slavery principles. Chief Justice Chase, who had just returned from Baltimore, where he listened to a lecture by Henry Ward Beecher, sat unmoved during the occurrence, as if it were an every-day affair.—*Washington Correspondent of the New York Post.*

SHARP TRANSACTION.—The Hollidaysburg *Register* gives the following illustration of some of the beauties of the monthly brokerage system: "A man enrolled in Woodberry township, Blair county, authorized a substitute broker here to put in a substitute for him, limiting the price to the sum of $1,200. The broker employed another in Allegheny township to put in the substitute, limiting him to $1,000. The last put in a poor, ignorant fellow, and gave him $300. So that, out of the $1,200 paid by the principal, the substitute got $200, the first broker $200, and the second $700!"

THE MOVEMENT ON WILMINGTON.—The Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia *Ledger*, says:

I heard a rumor, from a very good source, that the land movement under General Terry, against Wilmington, is, for the present, postponed. It is not unlikely but what we shall have to wait the co-operation of Sherman before we can move with anything like certainty of success upon the city. The gunboats, however, may open the way for its bombardment, in which event the city may fall sooner than is now expected.

ADVICES from the tobacco-growing districts of Missouri state that the crop of that article raised this year will be small—smaller perhaps than any yielded for twenty years. The apprehension of a tax on the leaf, and a feeling of uncertainty caused by the vacillations of another season of guerrilla operations the coming summer, are said to be the causes that will curtail the crop.

Kentucky Loyalty.

The Rev. A. McFarland, chaplain of the 25th Illinois, gives to the Presbyter an account of his entertaining a most of secession gentry. He was invited to make the opening speech at the First Presbyterian church of Louisville, and, as usual, prayed for the army, its success, for the President, and for mourning friends. He says:

All this I thought to be right and proper, and felt that it is demanded of all the true followers of Christ. But the members of this church thought otherwise. Many of them were highly offended; they wriggled and twisted, smirked, winked, laughed, sat down, and many actually left the house during the prayer. What shall we say of this, in the time-honored, aristocratic, chivalric First Presbyterian church of Louisville, Kentucky? I have been with our army through Tennessee, Alabama, and Georgia; in the cities of Nashville, Murfreesboro, Huntsville, Chattanooga, Marietta, Atlanta, even far down beyond Jonesboro; in the very hot-bed of secession and rebellion; have been with rebels of the deepest dye, but have never seen such Godinsulting conduct before. What shall we say of loyal Kentucky, and especially of the First Presbyterian church of Louisville, which for so long a time enjoyed the pastoral labors of the Rev. Dr. Wm. L. Breckinridge?

I have since learned that the President has never been prayed for by any officiating minister in this church since the war begun, except by Dr. Breckinridge, when he took refuge here, having escaped from the grasp of the rebels in Mississippi, and that prayer made so much disturbance that no one has dared to repeat the experiment.

Movements Among the Roman Catholics.

There are very significant articles in the *Freeman's Journal*, the Roman Catholic paper in New York, which show symptoms of an exodus by the Irish Roman Catholics to Mexico. Whether this emigration is to escape the necessity of fighting for the maintenance of the Union, or whether to found a strong Roman Catholic Government in Mexico, that shall, at the proper time aid in the overthrow of our Republican Government, is best known to the leaders. Perhaps the movement is dictated by both of these motives.

The *Freeman's Journal* is evidently engaged in the cause of discouraging Roman Catholic enlistment in this country. In one of the articles, in the issue of that paper of the 21st, we find an article, shamefully and slanderously abusive of this Government, and advising the Irish to "steer for France," as that country "is more hospitable by far, than the great Puritan commonwealth, shorter sailing—and less *hemp* to be used."

The *Journal* announces also the sailing of Col. McMurphey, accompanied by one or two gentlemen, for Mexico. It says they go to become citizens of Mexico and to help the development of the vast resources of that Empire. The *Journal* speaks of Col. McMurphey's military and naval accomplishments, of his service and resignation as Colonel in our army and his refusal to accept a Brigadier Generalship, and hints that his real mission is to organize a Mexican navy.

Letter from General Wool.

We have seen a letter from Major General Wool, to a friend in this city, in which he declares himself to be in excellent health, and adds:

"The rebellion appears to be tottering. To give the finishing blow, the national and State governments should put forth all their energies to procure recruits, to fill the ranks of the only trustworthy peacemakers, viz: Generals Grant, Sherman, Sheridan, Thomas, Admiral Farragut and others equally brave and gallant."

THE Commissioner of Internal Revenue has decided that dead men cannot be taxed. The case in point is that of one Mr. George Thompson, who died July 20th, 1864. Before his death a return was made by him of his income for the year 1863. A tax of five per cent. was afterwards levied and paid upon it. Mr. Blake, the Collector of the Seventh New York District, now claims the right to impose and collect another tax of five per cent. upon the same income, now in the hands of the executors of the deceased for distribution. The Commissioner decided that this cannot lawfully be done.

A MAN came to the Duke of Wellington—"What have you to offer?" "A bullet-proof jacket, your grace." "Put it on." He invested. The Duke rang a bell. An aid-de-camp presented himself. "Tell the captain of the guard to order one of the men locked with bell cartridge." The inventor disappeared, and was never seen again near the Horse Guards. No money wasted in trying that invention.

HON. JAMES GUTHRIE, U. S. Senator elect from Kentucky, says a Washington dispatch, lately wrote a letter to Hon. Samuel S. Cox, of Ohio, counseling him to vote for the Constitutional Amendment, (which Mr. Cox disappointed many friends by failing to do.) If this be the fact, we may reasonably hope that Kentucky will vote to ratify that Amendment.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

MR. FRANK LAWLIE's letters from Richmond to the *London Times* are so often interrupted, that each one published is said to cost the proprietors of the *Times* a hundred and fifty pounds.

The Imperial Library at Paris contains 2,000,000 printed works, 200,000 manuscripts, 3,000,000 engravings, and above 500,000 maps, plans, views, &c.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, ALLEGHENY CITY.—EXCELSIOR HALL, corner of Federal and Lacock streets. Pastor, JOSEPH KING. Services at 10½ a. m. and 7 p. m. Prayer Meeting on WEDNESDAY EVENING. The public are cordially invited to attend.

FEDERAL OIL COMPANY.—There will be a meeting of the Stockholders of the FEDERAL OIL COMPANY, at the office of the Company, No. 27 Wood street, on TUESDAY, the 7th day of February, 1865, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the transaction of important business. Stockholders are requested to attend. By order of the Board of Directors. A. E. MILLS, Secretary.

LINCOLN OIL AND MINING CO. The Stockholders of the above Company will meet at the Office of ROBERT WRAY, Jr., No. 4 Hand street, on THURSDAY, the 9th day of February next, at 2 o'clock, for the purpose of organizing.

Subscribers are requested to call on ROBERT WRAY, Jr., and pay up the amount of their subscriptions on or before that day.

ROBT WRAY, Jr., Sec. and Treas. pro tem.

FIFTH WARD AND THE DRAFT

THE ENROLLED MEN OF THE FIFTH WARD and all others interested in having the quota of the Ward filled by volunteering, are requested to meet at the PUBLIC SCHOOL HOUSE, on Penn street, THIS EVENING AT 7 O'CLOCK.

The Committee have succeeded in having over 200 names stricken from the enrollment, so our quota will be materially reduced. The Committee believe that with a strong and united effort upon the part of the enrolled men and the co-operation of citizens generally, we can relieve the ward of the impending draft. If there is not a general turn out of all persons liable to the meeting this evening, the matter will be abandoned, and a club formed to relieve those who are willing to relieve themselves. Come one, come all.

BY THE COMMITTEE.

SECOND WARD, ALLEGHENY.

Bounty Meetings!

At a meeting held on Tuesday evening, January 31, the enrolled men of the ward, subscribed the sum of $6,200 70 on the spot.

It will take ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS from each man to fill the quota. Unless the men come and subscribe liberally, that the entire amount may be raised immediately,

The Project will be Abandoned.

Meetings will be held on THURSDAY, FRIDAY, and SATURDAY EVENINGS, at 7½ o'clock. Unless the amount is subscribed by Saturday evening, all effort to free the ward will cease AND EVERY MAN WILL HAVE TO TAKE CARE OF HIMSELF.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS of the NATIONAL REFINING & STORING CO.—Notice is hereby given that the first meeting of the above Company will be held at the "PEOPLES EXCHANGE," Wilkins's Hall, Pittsburgh, on MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20th, 1865, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of Organization, adoption of By-Laws, Election of Officers, and for the purposes authorized and more particularly specified in an act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An act relating to corporations for Mechanical, Manufacturing, Mining and Quarrying purposes," approved the 18th of July, 1862, which requires this three week's notice to be given. JOHN A. CAUGHEY, W. HAMILTON, Sec. [Jan31wd] President.

ALLEGHENY NATIONAL BANK, PITTSBURGH, Jan. 18, 1865.

AN ELECTION FOR NINE DIRECTORS to serve until the next annual Election, will be held at the Banking House, on the TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF FEBRUARY next, between the hours of 12 and 2 o'clock p. m.

J. W. COOK, Cashier.

THE DIVIDEND OF THE TACK PETROLEUM CO. will be paid to Pittsburgh holders of stock at the office of RICHARDSON, HARLEY & CO., 19 Irwin street.

POTATOES! POTATOES!—1 car load prime for sale at No. 21 Liberty street.

BALSLEY & VAN GORDER.

LUBRICATING OIL.—100 Bbls. pure Duck Creek Oil, in store and for sale by

JAMES DALZELL & SON, 69 and 70 Water street.

DAVID M. EDGERTON, Wholesale Grocer and Commission Merchant, 109 Second street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

REMOVAL.—FRANK VAN GORDER, Commission and Produce Merchant, has removed from No. 19 Smithfield to No. 61 Liberty street.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—CHAS. C. BALSLEY and FRANK VAN GORDER have this day associated themselves together for the transaction of a general PRODUCE AND COMMISSION BUSINESS. Warehouse No. 210 Liberty street.

NOTICE.—NIGHT POLICE.—All applicants for appointment as NIGHT POLICEMEN, are hereby notified to appear at the Mayor's Office, on SATURDAY EVENING, February 4th, at 7 o'clock, to meet the Mayor and Police Committee. JAMES LOWRY, Jr., Mayor.

TO LET,

A Good Store Room and Dwelling,

No. 45 Ohio street, two doors west of Diamond and near Post Office. Possession given 1st day of April. Inquire at Carson's Leather Store, No. 46 Ohio st., Allegheny city.

BREAST-PIN LOST.

A Valuable Diamond Breast-Pin

Was lost yesterday, either in Pittsburgh or Allegheny. The finder will receive $50 reward by leaving it at JOHN B. McFADDEN'S, Market street.

FOR SALE—A HOUSE AND LOT—Situate on the Plank Road in Reserve township, fronting on the Plank Road 100 feet, and running back 300 feet to a road 40 feet wide, on which is erected one FRAME HOUSE, containing six rooms, Wash House, Carriage House, Smoke House, Peach, Pear, and Apple Trees, 200 bearing Grape Vines; in good order; will be sold low. Enquire of STRICKLER & BAXTER, No. 1 St. Clair st., Pittsburgh.

A LARGE LOT OF

Ready-Made Clothing,

To be sold out at COST, at the corner of OHIO street and the DIAMOND, opposite the Post Office, Allegheny city, on account of the death of the late proprietor, JOHN McGRATTY, well known as "Cheap John" of Allegheny City.

CUSTOM HOUSE, U. S. DEPOSITARY OFFICE, PITTSBURGH, February 2, 1865.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the First Coupons of 7-3-10 per cent. Treasury Notes will be redeemed at this office on and after the 15th inst.

Also, the One Year 5 per cent. Treasury Notes, will be redeemed and interest paid on and after maturity. C. W. HATCHELOR, U. S. Depositary.

FOR SALE.—A very desirable three story Brick Dwelling House, with a two story back building; the whole containing 12 rooms; situate in the borough of Birmingham, near the Birmingham Bridge.

Also, a large story Brick Dwelling House containing eight rooms; situate the above.

For further particulars enquire of G. H. TOWER, Real Estate Agent, No. 166 Fourth st., Pittsburgh, or AUGUST AMANN, Esq., Birmingham.

BALSLEY & VAN GORDER,

No. 201 LIBERTY STREET,

Offer for sale:

1000 bush Prime Dry Apples;
300 boxes W. R. Cheese;
500 " Hamburg do;
40 " Factory-made do;
600 lbs fresh ground Buckwheat Flour;
46 bbls Champagne Cider;
5 " Crab do, very fine;
10 half bbls Cranberries;
10 kegs Apple Butter;
3 kegs Apple Jelly;
1 bbl Refined Cider, for mince pies;
2 boxes Choice Roll Butter;
20 bbls Cider suitable for making vinegar.

PITTSBURGH FOUNDRY.

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Manufacturers of Chilled Rollers of all sizes, for Iron, Steel, Brass, Zinc, Copper, Silver, Gold, Straw Boards, Paper and India Rubber Works; also, Rolling Mill Castings of all descriptions, Rack Mills, Patent Double Grinder, with a variety of other patterns. Office and Warehouse, 119 Smithfield street, Pittsburgh.

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Those having

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And can get nothing to give them relief. Should procure a bottle of HONEY PECTORAL, as it is a very pleasant, and will give immediate relief.

Prepared and sold at the Central Drug Store, corner of Ohio and Federal st., Allegheny, in the Market House.

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NEW AND SECOND-HAND ENGINES.

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Lowe and nearly finished, 15 inch bore by 24 stroke; built by Pittsburgh city.
2 second-hand, 10 inch bore by 24 stroke; built by Pittsburgh city.
Several new; made expressly for boring or pumping Oil Wells, from 8 to 15 horse power.

Also, one set of improved Maley Saw Mill Rig, complete. All of the above warranted, and will be a bargain, if called for soon. For particulars enquire of H. WHITNEY & CO., Penn Machine Works.

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Shirting Muslin,

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For sale at reduced prices by

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23 FIFTH STREET.

NOTICE TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE

NATIONAL REFINING AND STORING CO.

The Second Instalment on the Stock of this Company which is $3 per Share, is now due, and will be received by Jas. McCURDY, Treasurer, at the Union National Bank, or Wm. HAMILTON, at Allegheny Trust Co.

At a meeting of the Directors of this Company, held Feb. 1st, 1865, A. M. MARSHALL, Esq., was elected President, vice JOHN A. CAUGHEY, deceased; J. P. BANNA, Esq., Director and Vice President, in place of A. M. MARSHALL.

WM. HAMILTON, Secretary.

DISSOLUTION.—The firm of MACBROWN & LINHART is dissolved by the death of ANDREW BRACKOWN. The business of the late firm will be settled by WILKINS LINHART, who will continue the business.

WILKINS LINHART,

(SUCCESSOR TO MACKEOWN & LINHART,)

DEALER IN

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Produce and Commission Merchant,

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MERCH'TS & MANUFACTURERS NAT'L BANK, (Late Merchants & Manufacturers Bank.) PITTSBURGH, Jan. 26, 1865.

THE REGULAR DIVIDENDS of this Bank will hereafter be made in JANUARY and JULY, instead of May and November, and for this arrangement the Board of Directors have this day declared a Dividend of ONE PER CENT., out of the profits to December 30th, ult., payable to Stockholders forthwith, free of United States Taxes. JOHN SCOTT, Jr., Cashier.

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In Preston County, West Virginia. A good opportunity for forming a Company.

Address "P. D. L." GAZETTE Office.

PITTSBURGH SCHOOL OF DESIGN FOR WOMEN, No. 51 Fifth street.

This Institution will be open for the reception of students on MONDAY, the 6th of February. Terms, $10 per session of five months. Exceptional cases, $25 per Session. Free students are received if their inability to pay is vouched for by two respectable citizens.

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MARY J. GREIG, Head Teacher.

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With such articles as necessary to conduct operations, viz:

ANVILS,	HATCHETS,
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I am now selling off my entire stock of BOOTS, SHOES, GAITERS, BALMORALS, SLIPPERS, AT COST, to go into other business.

Retail dealers and the public generally will find it to their advantage to call and examine my stock, as I am determined to close out in the least time possible. GOODS AT COST.

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LADIES'
Flanel-Lined KID BALMORALS.....$4
LADIES'
Morocco SNOW BOOTS.....
LADIES'
Kid Congress GAITERS, tipped, (Batt'n) $4 25
LADIES'
Kid Congress GAITERS, (plain,) " 4 00

At No. 54 Market Street.

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6000 lbs. choice Buckwheat Flour in 12½ and 50 lb sacks;
100 bbls. fine sifted Corn Meal;
140 bbls. small Navy Beans;
100 bbls. prime Apples;
20 bbls. Evaporated Dry Apples;
400 boxes Prime Goshen Cheese;
600 boxes Soft Cutting Water do.;
500 lbs. fresh Roll Butter;
300 doz. Fresh Eggs;
2000 lbs. Cod Fish;
100 packages Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Large Mackerel;
20 bbls. Lobster Hominy;
100 doz. Patent Brooms;
75 bus. Flax Seed;
50 bbls. Extra Family Flour; in store and for sale by

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PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the Office of the Directors of the Poor, for the City of Allegheny, third floor City Hall, UNTIL THURSDAY EVENING, Feb. 2d, 1865, for furnishing BEEF to the Alms House for the ensuing year. Bids to be made for good, sound meat, free from bone. By order of the Directors.

M. MCGONNIGLE, Secy.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH BURIAL GROUND.—According to an act of the Legislature, the First Baptist Church, of Pittsburgh will disinter and remove the dead bodies and tablets from their burying ground on Grant street and cause the same to be properly and carefully buried in such grounds as the Church may select for burial purposes. W. H. EVERSON, President Board of Trustees.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN.—A valuable STORE HOUSE AND LOT, with seven rooms for tenant use, and frame building on rear end of the lot, containing four rooms; situated in a good locality in the city, with the business established. Inquire of

MACKRELL & JOHNSON, Attorneys at Law, No. 60 Grant st., Pittsburgh.

PARED PEACHES.—1 barrel choice Pared Peaches, just received and for sale by the pound at the Family Grocery Store of

JNO. A. RENSHAW, Corner of Liberty and Hand sts.

CHOICE N. O. SUGAR.—Just received a few hogsheads very choice New Orleans Sugar, equal to refined, for sale at the Family Grocery Store of JNO. A. RENSHAW, Corner of Liberty and Hand sts.

MARACAIBO COFFEE.—A prime article of White Maracaibo Coffee just received; also a lot of choice Rio Coffee for sale by the bag or pound at the Family Grocery Store of JNO. A. RENSHAW, Corner of Liberty and Hand sts.

CHEESE.—
500 boxes W. R. Cheese;
500 " Hamburg;
100 " Goshen;
For sale (jan) J. B. CANFIELD.

CINCINNATI S. C. HAMS.—A choice lot; large size; just out of smoke; for sale by CHAS. L. OALDWELL.

LARD OIL.

8 bbls. No. 1 Winter;
8 do. No. 2 do. to arrive; for sale by ISAIAH DICKEY & CO.

1000 BUS. PRIME RED WHEAT for sale by McBANE & ANDER.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ITALIAN

OPERA SINGERS' LETTER.

NEW-YORK, December, 1864.

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