

BUSINESS NOTICES.

DANGERS OF DIFFERENT TRADES. The blacksmith's gull we must forgive. Who, without forging cannot live; A printer may of famine die by craft; But it is proved an easy task To furnish just the thing they ask, And at the lowest rates, to those Who seek the Tower for first-class clothes!

SOMETHING TO WEAR. If Miss Flora McMillan of Madison Square Was sadly off with "nothing to wear," Notwithstanding her Brussels and Mechlin lace, To set off her form and adorn her face, We'll accept her complaint, and let it "ride," As this world is rather extensive and wide; And if people complain at Madison Square, 'Tis not for nothing that they have something to wear.

OUR STOCK OF CLOTHING IS THE LARGEST AND MOST COMPLETE IN THIS CITY, SURPASSED BY NONE IN MATERIAL, STYLE AND FIT, AND SOLD AT PRICES GUARANTEED LOWER THAN ANYWHERE ELSE.

REDUCTION OF 25 PER CENT. ON ALL GOODS. We have just received a large stock of goods, and to accommodate our customers we have reduced the price of all our goods 25 per cent.

MEYER'S NEWLY IMPROVED GRES OVERSTRUNG PIANOS. Acknowledged to be the best London Firm Medal. Highest Award received. MELDORF'S AND SECOND-HAND PIANOS. Best and most reliable.

EVENING BULLETIN.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11, 1866.

THE NEW YORK COLLECTORSHIP.

The most lucrative office of the United States Government is that of Collector of the Port of New York. The lawful salary is not very large; but, in one way or another, the collector can and does make a vast amount of money. One collector, who happened to be honest to fastidiousness, committed suicide, and the presumption is that the abuses and the frauds of the office, which he was unable to prevent, weighed upon his conscience oppressively that he sought relief in death.

other members of the Government, including many Congressmen, to have some new system devised for the collection of customs duties in New York, which shall be honest and fair. But there is a vast and overpowering body in the New York mercantile community, which profits by the present system and uses its enormous influence to maintain and perpetuate it.

It is said that various schemes have been considered by the Government and the committees in Congress for collecting duties at New York. But it is also said that nothing practicable can be determined upon. This is puerile and false. A strong hand and an honest heart can effect such a reform.

THE CLAIM OF PENNSYLVANIA. Governor Curtin, always faithful to the interests of his State, has at last succeeded in having the bill passed through both houses of Congress to indemnify Pennsylvania for her expenses in raising men to resist the rebel invasion.

THE AMERICANS IN ROME.—We have received a detailed report of the grand celebration of Washington's Birthday at Rome, by the American residents and visitors, which we shall lay before our readers tomorrow, including the speeches of U. S. Minister King, General Bartlett and Hon. Charles King, a fine poem by Rev. C. T. Brooks, and other interesting details.

THE PENNSYLVANIA VOTE.—In our enumeration, yesterday, of the votes of the Pennsylvania members on the Civil Rights Bill, we inadvertently omitted the name of Hon. A. H. Coffroth, who, of course, voted nay.

Important Sale of Valuable Real Estate. Business Stand, No. 235 South Second Street. Messrs. Thomas & Sons' sale on Tuesday next will include a valuable business stand, South Second Street, between Walnut and Spruce, two stories high, and 24 North Delaware Avenue. Sale absolute.

Auction Notice.—Messrs. Thomas & Sons, Auctioneers, Nos. 232 and 234 Market Street, will hold on to-morrow (Thursday), April 12, by catalogue, on four months' credit, a large and important lot of foreign and domestic Dry Goods, including 50 pieces Cloths, Fancy Cassimeres, Tricots, Vestings, Coats, Italian Alpaca, etc.

This is a personal invitation to the reader to examine our new style of FINE CLOTHING. Cassimeres Suits for \$10, and Buck Suits for \$12.50. All prices up to \$15. WALKER & BROWN, OAK HALL, CORNER SIXTH AND MARKET STS.

EDWIN HALL & CO.

28 South Second street, WILL OPEN THIS MORNING, MAGNIFICENT QUALITY FOULARD SILKS. WHITE GROUND, Colored Figures. COLORED GROUNDS, With Figures. WHITE GROUNDS, With Dots. COLORED GROUNDS, With Dots. WHITE and COLORED GROUND STRIPES.

CAPE MAY COTTAGES TO RENT. Apply to JESSE M. SMITH, At Ridgeway House. On THURSDAY, April 12, at 10 o'clock P. M.

PARIS MADE MANTILLAS, Rich Silk Basquines, Rich Silk Jackets, Rich Silk Circles, Demi Season Jackets, Demi Season Basquines, Demi Season Rotondes, Fine Lama Lace Goods, Dentelle des Indes, Black Lace Shawls, White Lace Shawls.

J. W. PROCTOR & CO., 920 Chestnut Street.

FRENCH LIQUEURS AND CORDIALS.

A LA GRAND CHARTREUSE, In Quarts and Pints. LIQUEUR BENEDECTINE, In Quarts and Pints. MARIE, BRIZARD and ROBERT'S CELEBRATED ANISETTE. MARASCHINO, ABSINTHE and CURACOA.

SIMON COLTON & CLARKE, 611 MARKET STREET.

REFRIGERATORS.

SMITH & RICHARDSON, Agents for the sale of the best Celebrated CHARGOL LINED REFRIGERATORS. From Six to Twenty.

DUPLICATE PATENT.—Doors and Gate Locks of several patterns, and Door Bell and Bells for sale at the Hardware Store of THOMAS & BROWN, No. 33 (Right Thirty-five) Market Street, below Ninth.

WIRE HANGING BASKETS, of a variety of patterns and hooks, brackets, chains and strings for hanging them by, for sale by THOMAS & BROWN, No. 33 (Right Thirty-five) Market Street, below Ninth.

W & F. CARPENTER, TAILORS. BARD HOUSE. The pleasure in calling the attention of their friends and the public generally to their stock of imported fabrics for men's wear which they are prepared to make up in their usual approved style.

TO HOUSEKEEPERS, for cleaning silver and all plated ware, a NEW POLISHING POWDER has been discovered. It is sold by THOMAS & BROWN, No. 33 (Right Thirty-five) Market Street, below Ninth.

FRANK NATHAN, Auctioneer and Money Broker, 100 North Second Street, Philadelphia. Money loaned on all kinds of real estate, and on diamonds, silver, plate, watches, jewelry, clothing, and all kinds of goods.

MILKING MACHINE INDESTRUCTIBLE INK, Embroider and Sewing Machine. M. A. TORREY, 100 North Second Street.

FINE FRENCH MANTEL CLOVES.—A fresh importation of beautiful styles, warranted correct. FARE & BROTHER, Importers, 100 North Second Street.

FOR SALE.—To Shippers, Grocers, Hotel-keepers and others.—A very superior lot of Champagne Cider, by the barrel or dozen. F. J. JORDAN, nos-171 222 Pine Street, below Third and Walnut.

REORDERED MUSLIN SHAWLS.—GEO. W. VOGEL, No. 100 Chestnut Street, has just received from Paris a very attractive case of the latest novelties in muslin shawls for this season, comprising Reordered Muslin Shawls (flat shawls), Muslin Paleotes, Basquines, Muslin Bodice, various new shapes, Valenciennes and Chery Lace, Tricots, Collars and Sleeves, of all the newest shapes, novelties in Embroidered Handkerchiefs, &c., &c.

THE HARRISON BOILER, A SAFETY STEAM BOILER.—The attention of Manufacturers and others using Steam is cordially called to this new Steam Generator, as combining essential advantages in its construction, and offering the most economical and cost of cost and repairs in economy of fuel, facility of cleaning and transportation, &c. It is possessed by any other boiler now in use, and is for sale at a combination of cast-iron hollow spheres, each sphere 36 inches in diameter, and 2 1/2 of an inch thick. These are held together by wrought-iron bolts, with nuts and washers, and are secured by a screw.

FOR SALE.—A family desire to RENT, for the Summer Season, a FURNISHED RESIDENCE, with stable and carriage house, convenient to either of the principal railroads, on the river Delaware, and within an hour's ride of the city. Address with statement of locality and terms, "A," at this Office. apr-11-1866

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OLD-ESTABLISHED LAMIN OFFICE, CORNER THIRD AND GARRALL STREETS, PHILADELPHIA.

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REMARKABLY LOW PRICES. 222-2nd St.

IMPORTANT TO GAS CONSUMERS.

The equal distribution of gas from one source of supply, to many points of outlet, extending over a large area, involves a greater expense than is consistent with commercial interests, and the consequence is, that consumers are compelled to submit to the inconveniences of over and under supply, or individually to apply the remedy.

The head which forces through the supply mains the necessary amount of gas for consumers, is called "pressure," and is measured by the number of inches of water which it will support in a siphon tube. Every service pipe that conveys gas from the line of a great main, deprives the remaining portion of a certain amount of pressure; the consequence is, that when large amounts of gas are to be passed, the pressure at the source of supply, and at the terminals, are very far from equal, so that it is utterly impossible for gas companies to furnish a supply without a sensible difference between the source and extremity of use.

There are two means of remedying this difficulty. One is to place in the house of each consumer, a Gas holder of sufficient capacity to contain the supply for a night, and allow it to be filled during the day, and then shut off from the street pressure, and burn from the holder.

Another is to place in each house, along with the meter, an instrument called a Regulator, which only shall furnish the needed amount of gas required for each burner, and with a uniform pressure.

The first would prove expensive, and the second, the second is the plan generally adopted, and of the number of devices contrived for this purpose nearly all have proved failures, owing to their use of Mercury, or the Flexible Diaphragm.

The two essential qualities to be attained in an efficient Regulator, are: First, delicacy of adjustment with reference to some fixed standard; and Second, the ability within the instrument itself, to increase the pressure when the greater quantity of gas is required.

These qualities, with other peculiar advantages, are combined in the Regulator invented by Dr. C. M. Cresson. It has been used with great success in Philadelphia during the past two years, always producing a steady light with a saving of from twenty to thirty per cent. in the amount of gas consumed.

OFFICE AND SALESROOM, MASONIC HALL, 715 Chestnut St. FAIRBANKS, EWING & CO., IMPORTANT TO SILVER MINING COMP'S.

General Mining Law of Nevada, As adopted by the Legislature to govern the location and working of all Mines in that State.

ALSO—Latest Intelligence in regard to GOLD, SILVER, COPPER, OIL, &c., &c. SHIPPING NEWS, &c., &c.

CRESSON'S GAS REGULATOR.

INVENTED BY DR. CHARLES M. CRESSON, (Late Managing Engineer Philadelphia Gas Works.) Patented in the United States and England, Dec. 13, 1864, and April 11, 1865.

Manufactured in all Sizes Suitable for PUBLIC BUILDINGS, FACTORIES, STORES, DWELLINGS, AND GAS WORKS.

BY THE AMERICAN METER COMPANY, Of New York, Philadelphia and Boston.

The Advantages of this, over Other Regulators, are:

- 1. The peculiar form in which it is constructed, giving greater delicacy than is possible with other forms. 2. The form of the Regulating Valve, governing a wider range of consumption. 3. It has the ability within the instrument itself, to increase the pressure, when the greater quantity of gas is required. 4. It does not use MERCURY or FLEXIBLE DIAPHRAGMS. 5. It will produce a steady light. 6. It will save from TWENTY TO THIRTY per cent. in the amount of gas consumed. 7. It is not liable to get out of order.

At our SCALE WAREHOUSE in this city can be seen the finely constructed test apparatus, which was set up in the FRANKLIN INSTITUTE to show the effect of pressure, with and without the Regulator, and also to demonstrate the amount of saving effected by the Regulator.

FAIRBANKS, EWING & CO., Philadelphia, Pa.

A. S. ROBINSON'S SECOND LARGE SALE OF Splendid Oil Paintings, in Elegant Ornamental Gold Gilt Frames, will take place at his Store, No. 910 Chestnut street, on Wednesday and Thursday Evenings, April 18th and 19th, at 7 1/2 o'clock. The public are respectfully invited to Visit his Galleries where the Paintings are upon Exhibition, FREE, Day and Evening, until 10 o'clock.

B. SCOTT, JR., AUCTIONEER.

SUPERIOR PICKLING VINEGAR, PICKLES, KETCHUPS, PRESERVES, SAUCES, JELLIES, SYRUPS, MUSTARDS, &c., &c.

SELLERS BROTHERS,

No. 18 North Sixth Street, Having added to their former business that of MILL AND FACTORY FINDINGS, Pure Oak Tanned Leather Belting, Gum Belting and Steam Packing, Lace and Ficker Leathers, Band and Harness Leathers, Roller Cloth and Skins, Card Clothing, Bull Hoses, Rivets, &c. Also continue to manufacture as heretofore.

WIRE CLOTH, SIEVES, SCREENS, &c.

OF WHICH A FULL ASSORTMENT IS KEPT CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

FOR SALE, FIVE BILLIARD TABLES.

INQUIRE N. E. CORNER EIGHTH AND CHESTNUT, Billiard Saloon. apr-11-1866

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EXPERIMENTAL TRIAL OF THE CRESSON REGULATOR.

AT THE Franklin Institute, October 18, 1865. COPY OF REPORT.

"An experimental trial was then made as to the quantity of gas consumed by the burners when under regulation to their maximum economy, and also the amount consumed by the same burners when subjected to the ordinary variations of street pressure."

We Select the Following from among those who have this Regulator in use in this City, and to Whom we Refer.

- UNITED STATES POST OFFICE, Chestnut below Fifth. CONTINENTAL HOTEL, Ninth and Chestnut. MERCHANTS' HOTEL, Fourth above Market. CORNELIUS & BAKER, 710 Chestnut. MERRY, COLLINS & CO., Tenth and Filbert. THOMPSON, BLACK & SOY, Broad & Chestnut. JOSEPH HARRISON, Jr., Works, Gray's Ferry Road. SMITH & LOUDERBACK, 218 N. Third. WILLIAM WELSH, Esq., 1122 Spruce. W. C. JOHNSON, Esq., 202 Chestnut. C. A. WALKER, Esq., 190 Spruce. E. W. CLARK, Esq., School House Lane. E. N. WRIGHT, Esq., School House Lane. ALAN WOOD, Esq., 185 Arch. L. LA DOMUS, Esq., 82 Arch. ANTHONY MISKEY, Esq., Germantown. H. G. REIN, Esq., 117 N. Broad. W. J. TAYLOR, Esq., West Philadelphia. UNION LEAGUE SOCIETY, Broad below Chestnut. PHILADELPHIA OLD, Thirteenth and Walnut. UNION CLUB, 211 South Twelfth. ADAMS EXPRESS CO., 250 Chestnut. MISKEY, MERRILL & THACKER, No. 710 Chestnut. FENCKEN & WILLIAMS, 416 Crown. AMERICAN PULP CO., Main and Chestnut. NORMAN KERR & CO., 29 North Fourth. SCHRACK & CO., 61 Chestnut. WILLIAM M. GIBBS, Esq., 1711 Green. H. HARTSHORNE, M. D., 171 Filbert. JOHN A. MISKEY, Esq., Philadelphia Gas Works. GEO. W. FULBRY, Esq., Fourth above Race. WILLIAM H. HOWELL, Esq., West Philadelphia. WILLIAM GELLESPIE, Esq., 1500 Arch. H. B. TATHAM, Esq., 1102 Spruce. C. W. WILLIAMS, Esq., 401 South Eighth. F. A. KOONS, Esq., 609 Vine. CHARLES SHARPE, Esq., 1711 Locust. N. BULAN, Esq., 103 Chestnut. E. A. HERRBY, Esq., 302 Arch.

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MARKET & NINTH. COOPER & CONARD.

HAVE JUST OPENED A MAGNIFICENT STOCK OF THE FOLLOWING GOODS:

- 150 doz. Napkins, \$2 75 to \$9 00. 100 doz. Assorted Towels. 250 Pes. Heaviest Diapers. Barnsley Table Linens, \$2 25 up. Finest Damask Cloths. White Goods, stock complete. Gingham and Prints. Black Alpaca, 50 cts. to \$1 25. Wool De Laines, 38 cts. to \$1 25.

AT RETAIL. JAS. B. CAMPBELL & CO., 727 Chestnut St.,

Have made extensive additions to their popular Stock of SILKS AND DRESS GOODS, WHICH THEY CONTINUE TO SELL AT MODERATE PRICES. Wholesale Rooms up Stairs.

M. SHOEMAKER & CO., Nos. 4 and 6 North Eighth St.

Are now opening a splendid assortment of CHILDREN'S CLOTHING in the Latest Paris Styles, unsurpassed for elegance of workmanship and moderate price. The public is invited to call and examine.

PATENT WIRE WORK

FOR RAILINGS, STORE FRONTS, GUARDS, PARTITIONS, &c. IRON-REPAIRS AND WIRE WORK. In variety, manufactured by M. WALKER & SONS, 17 MARKET STREET, PHILADELPHIA.