

CITY NOTICES.

AN ARRIVAL EXTRAORDINARY.—Great excitement! The Stranger's Baggage Opened! Superb...

FURS AS CHRISTMAS GIFTS.—Now that everybody is buying Christmas Presents, we will simply state what the good taste of our readers has doubtless anticipated...

THE PRIMUM "Floralin" once used recommends itself.—Christian Freeman, Boston.

GRANT'S BLACKING CASES.—\$2.00, \$3.00, \$5.00, \$1.00 and \$5.00, and a full assortment of Housekeeping Articles.

AS A HOLIDAY GIFT, nothing could be more appropriate than a Singer Family Sewing Machine.

Go to OAKFORDS for Christmas presents of Furs, Buffers and the most exquisite styles of Hats and Caps at their stores, 31 and 33 Chestnut street.

SINGER'S FAMILY SEWING MACHINES.—TEN DOLLARS CASH. BALANCE IN MONTHLY INSTALLMENTS.

PHILADELPHIA SEWING MACHINE MARY.

SOMETHING NEW.—SWEET SARATOGA ROLLS at Morse & Corlies, 38 S. Eleventh street.

WEDDINGS, PRIVATE AND SOCIAL PARTIES catered for and supplied by G. Byron Morse, 502 Arch street, Confectioner. Quality and style not to be excelled.

HOLT'S PATENT MARKING WHEEL.—Wm. F. Schreiber, Sole Agent, No. 49 South Third Street, PHILADELPHIA.

EXQUISITE NEW FALL CONNECTIONS, Manufactured by WHITMAN & Co., 315 Chestnut street. Retailers supplied at the lowest wholesale prices.

WHITE IRON STONE TEA SETS.—TEA SETS, 60 pieces, cups with handles, \$5. Chamber Sets, 11 pieces, large sizes, \$3.25.

CORNS, Bunions, Inverted Nails, skillfully treated by Dr. J. Davidson, No. 915 Chestnut street. Charges moderate.

JURISCONSULTS AND NURSES use for children a safe and pleasant medicine in Bower's Infant Cordial.

CHRISTMAS AND HOLIDAY GIFTS, of Fine Sables, Mink and all other styles of Furs, at lowest prices, at OAKFORDS, under the Continental.

SUBSIDIARY INSTRUMENTS and druggists' sundries.—Snowden & Brother, 23 South Eighth street.

DEAFNESS, BLINDNESS AND CATARRH.—J. Isaac, M. D., Professor of the Eye and Ear, treats all diseases pertaining to the above members with the most success.

FIRE-PROOF SAFES.

HERRING'S CHAMPION SAFES.—The Burning of the Chamber of Commerce Building.

PHILADELPHIA, December 11, 1869. MESSRS. FARRELL, HERRING & Co., No. 429 Chestnut street.

GENTLEMEN: The two Herring's Patent Chamber Safes purchased by you by the Commercial Exchange and Chamber of Commerce about eight months ago were in the configuration of the Chamber of Commerce Building on the 7th inst.

J. H. MICHELE, President Commercial Exchange. SAMUEL L. WARD, Treasurer Chamber of Commerce.

PHILADELPHIA, 12 month, 1869. FARRELL, HERRING & Co.

You are respectfully informed that the safe purchased of you several years back was in Room No. 12, Commercial Exchange, at the time of the fire on the 7th inst.

ELIHU ROBERTS, Secretary of the Atlantic Petroleum Storage Co.

MESSRS. FARRELL, HERRING & Co. GENTLEMEN: The safe which we purchased from you last Spring was in the late fire in the Chamber of Commerce Building, and although it was submitted to the severest test of any in the building, we take pleasure in informing you that it was opened the next day with ease, and papers, books, &c., that it contained, were found to be in perfect condition.

Respectfully, WARDEN, FREW & CO., Office, 111 Walnut Street.

HERRING'S PATENT CHAMPION SAFES, the most reliable protection from fire now known. HERRING'S NEW PATENT BANKERS' SAFES, combining hardened steel and iron, with the Patent Franklinite, or SPIEGEL EISEN, furnish a resistant against boring and cutting tools to an extent heretofore unknown.

Farrel, Herring & Co., Philadelphia. Herring, Farrel & Sherman, No. 251 Broadway, corner Murray St., N. Y.

Herring & Co., Chicago. Herring, Farrel & Sherman, New Orleans.

MILLINERY GOODS.

LADIES WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE.

That they can buy the finest TRIMMED HATS and BONNETS at KENNEDY'S for less than they can buy elsewhere and make them themselves. All kinds of Goods have been marked down in order to sell off their immense stock. They are offering

GREAT BARGAINS IN Trimmed Hats and Bonnets, Steel Ornaments, Ostrich Plumes, Rich Satin Ribbons, Velvet and Velveteen Hats, Bonnet Materials, Cut Bows, Velvets, Satins and Laces.

This stock is so large and so fine as to be found, and would be closed out at a sacrifice.

THOS. KENNEDY & BROS., 729 CHESTNUT STREET.

DRY GOODS.

INDIA CAMEL'S HAIR SHAWLS AND SOARFS, MUCH UNDER REGULAR PRICES.

CHARLES L. SHARPLESS CHESTNUT AND EIGHTH.

BARGAINS IN DRESS GOODS FOR HOLIDAY GIFTS.

CURVEN STODDART & BROTHERS' OLD AND CHEAP LOCATION.

450, 452 and 454 N. Second Street. DRESS GOODS at 10 cents. DRESS GOODS at 12 cents. DRESS GOODS at 15 cents. DRESS GOODS at 20 cents.

Large purchases at very low prices enable us to offer a very attractive stock AT LESS THAN GOLD COAST.

In fine goods our stock is extensive, and embraces all the popular styles purchased at the late AUCTION SALES.

Where goods have been so fearfully sacrificed. In addition to the above we have purchased at auction a portion of a Dry Goods Jobbers' Stock, sold by order of assignees.

BLACK SILKS. BLACK POPLINS. COLORED POPLINS. Several lots Summer Dress Goods, which will be run off cheap.

BLANKETS FOR HOLIDAY GIFTS. A full line of Superior Blankets at low prices.

CURVEN STODDART & BROTHER, OLD AND CHEAP LOCATION.

450, 452 and 454 N. Second Street. Special Announcement.

SHEPPARD, VAN HARLINGEN & ARRISON, No. 1008 Chestnut Street, Phila.

Respectfully announce to their friends and the public generally, that for thirty days they will offer their ENTIRE STOCK OF CHOICE AND FINE GOODS

at such a reduction as will insure a quick sale. Special attention is invited to the following lines of goods, among which are our new importations, many novelties, and some of the finest quality made, being expressly imported for the holidays:

DOUBLE DAMASK TABLE CLOTHS, in all sizes. DOUBLE DAMASK TABLE NAPKINS, in all sizes. DOUBLE DAMASK TABLE LINENS, in all sizes. DOUBLE DAMASK TOWELS and TOWELINGS. PARIS TAPESTRY PIANO and TABLE COVERS. RICH EMBROIDERED PIANO and TABLE COVERS.

RICH and ELEGANT LACE CURTAINS. RICH SATIN CURTAIN MATERIAL. BRIDAL MARSEILLE QUILTS. EXPOSITION MARSEILLE QUILTS. FINE HEMSTITCHED HANDKERCHIEFS.

Together with a Large and General Stock of WHITE GOODS, LINEN GOODS, HOUSEKEEPING DRY GOODS, BLANKETS, FLANNELS, DOMESTIC MUSLINS, &c., &c., &c.

GREAT CRASH IN DRY GOODS. EVERYTHING DOWN.

High Prices Over for the Season. Grand Closing Sale OF RICKEY, SHARP & CO'S IMMENSE STOCK OF DRY GOODS AT RETAIL.

UNPRECEDENTED BARGAINS IN SILKS, VELVETS, DRESS GOODS AND MISCELLANEOUS DRY GOODS.

This stock is the most extensive and varied ever offered at retail in this city, and contains more novelties and staples of recent importation than can be found elsewhere.

ONE PRICE AND NO DEVIATION. RICKEY, SHARP & CO., 727 Chestnut Street.

McVAUGH & DUNGAN, 114 South Eleventh Street. Have this week opened a fine assortment of Seasonable Goods for Presents for the approaching Holidays.

LINEN HDK'S. A full line for Ladies, Gents and Children, from the lowest to the finest grades.

EMBROIDERIES. In French work and Hamburg, choice styles.

LINEN SETS. From the plainest style to the finest imported.

TIDIES. In great variety and entirely new designs.

LACES. Points, Points de Applique, Valenciennes, Thread and Gimpure, in new patterns.

COLLARS AND CUFFS, FRENCH BREAKFAST CAPS, And a great variety of FANCY ARTICLES.

FRENCH KID GLOVES. WHITE KID Gloves 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 buttons. Light Kid Gloves 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 buttons. GENTS' KID GLOVES. Imported direct and for sale at retail only for cash. By order of the Manufacturer, SHARP & THOMSON, 1222 Chestnut street.

DRY GOODS.

EDWARD FERRIS. Has just received and will open On Monday, the 6th inst.,

500 Embroidered Linen Sets. 500 Lace Hdks., Collars, &c.

100 doz. Roman Scarfs, all widths. And other articles suitable for Christmas Sales.

EDWARD FERRIS, 807 CHESTNUT STREET.

USEFUL PRESENTS FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

Pointe, Real Valenciennes Thread and Gulpure LACES. In Sets, COLLARS, HDK'S, and by the yard. TRIMMED and EMB'D SETTS. ROMA SCARFS and SHAWLS. GLOVES, of every description. INDIA and CASHEMERE SCARFS. Together with our elegant stock of SILKS, POPLINS, and every variety of Dress Goods, Shawls, Cloths, Cassimeres, etc

JOHN W. THOMAS, Nos. 405 and 407 N. Second Street, sell 4m

HOLIDAY GOODS. 1107. CONRAD BROS. CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

CORVOISIER'S LADIES' KID GLOVES. MEN'S ALEXANDER'S LADIES' MEN'S

SHIRTS TO ORDER. SCARFS, STUPS, CUFF BUTTONS, DRESSING GOWNS, HANDKERCHIEFS, MUFFLERS, SUSPENSORS, PULSE WARMERS, CANES, PERUMERY.

OPERA GLASSES, DRESSING CASES, ODOR BOXES, PORTEMONAIES, GIGAR CASES, SILK UMBRELLAS, CANES, PERUMERY.

Everything beautiful in our line is represented and for sale cheap at CONRAD BROTHERS, 1107 CHESTNUT STREET, (Girard Row.)

1869. HOLIDAYS. 1869. CARPETINGS, OIL CLOTHS, DRUGGISTS' RUBBER MATS, MASSOCS, OTTOMAN SLEEPSKINS, USEFUL PRESENTS.

Great Variety—Prices Down With Gold. R. L. KNIGHT & SON, No. 1222 CHESTNUT STREET.

SOLID SILVER WARE Useful and Valuable PRESENTS To Wife, Family or Friends, WM. WILSON & SON'S OWN MAKE, Old Stand, Cor. Fifth and Cherry Sts., PHILADELPHIA.

Also, A No. 1 PLATED WARE. Christmas Presents. The Best and most Suitable Present to a Friend or the Needy is a barrel of our "J. S. Welch's" First Premium Flour.

And a bag or half barrel "Sterling's Mountain" Buckwheat Meal, which we warrant SUPERIOR to any other in the U. S. All goods warranted as represented, and delivered free

GEO. F. ZEHNDER, FOURTH and VINE STREETS. BUY THE BEST. QUINTON TOMATOES. FULL NATURAL FLAVOR RETAINED.

Sold by all first class Grocers. By our improved process in canning the QUINTON TOMATOES excel all others both in the quality and quantity of the contents of each can. Our labels and cases have been imitated. Beware of substitution. Ask for QUINTON TOMATOES.

REEVES & PARVIN, Wholesale Agency, 45 North Water St. YARMOUTH SUGAR CORN The most delicious, in cans. Sold by all first-class Grocers.

The award of the great PARIS EXPOSITION OF 1867 was given for the Yarmouth Sugar Corn. Wholesale Agency, 45 North Water Street. REEVES & PARVIN.

BOARDING. BOARDING. BOARDING. WEST PHILADELPHIA. Private boarding second and third-story front rooms, 333 Thirty-second street, between Bridge and Baring streets. H. P. & C. R. TAYLOR, PERFUMERY AND TOILET SOAPS, 41 and 43 North Ninth street.

THOMSON'S LONDON KITCHEN or European Ranges, for families, hotels or public institutions, in twenty different sizes. Also, Philadelphia Range, Hot Air Furnaces, Portable Heaters, Low down Grates, Fireboard Stoves, Bed Boilers, Slow-burn Fire Bricks, Cooking Stoves, etc., wholesale and retail by the manufacturers, SHARP & THOMSON, No. 229 North Second street.

THIRD WEEK OF THE MAMMOTH SALE.

AN IMMENSE SUCCESS! HOUSE THROGGED EVERY DAY! THE PEOPLE APPRECIATE IT! THOUSANDS OF GARMENTS SOLD! ABOUT \$300,000 WORTH STILL TO BE DISPOSED OF! Low Prices Are Doing It!

The people are now convinced that we actually are UNDERSELLING EVERYBODY, and that, too, by so large a margin as to defy COMPARISON, to say nothing about competition! THIS GRAND CLOTHING SALE is in every respect a duplicate of the GREAT EXECUTORS' SALE held one year ago, at which the people well remember they secured the best BARGAINS in Clothing that they have ever made in their lives.

THIS IS THE STATEMENT OF OUR CASE: Anticipating, as did all Merchants, an unusually brisk trade, we invested EIGHT HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$800,000) in the purchase and manufacture of Clothing. Our Sales have exceeded last year's, but have fallen short of our calculations, amounting to the present time for Fall Trade to about \$500,000, leaving us THREE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS' WORTH OF GARMENTS of every description, suitable to all classes, made up with the utmost care, of the very finest materials, not one dollar's worth of which are we willing to carry over into next year; hence we are determined, AT ALL HAZARDS, to make

A CLEAN SWEEP. We, then, offer Our Entire Stock at prices as low as those prevailing at the Great Sale of last Fall, bringing some of our prices far below the cost of manufacturing.

HEAVY DISCOUNTS IN THE "CUSTOM" AND FURNISHING GOODS DEPARTMENTS, AND WHOLE STACKS OF BOYS' CLOTHING,

AT LESS THAN THE COST OF MANUFACTURING. Call and see for yourself. We surely have something you want, and you shall have it if any reasonable ACCOMMODATION OF PRICES WILL INDUCE YOU TO BUY.

Remember, Every Garment is to be Sold! THE GREAT OAK HALL BUILDINGS, S. E. CORNER OF SIXTH AND MARKET STREETS. WANAMAKER & BROWN.

Read this Note if you have not time to Read any more: This Sale is positively to clear out \$300,000 worth of Clothing, and every garment must be sold, in order to do which we have marked on the goods such figures that no house can approach the low prices at which we are selling off. The great mass of people who have filled the store all the week can testify to this. A visit will satisfy any one, that in the matter of Low Prices we are down so low that no other house can ever reach us.

WANAMAKER & BROWN, SIXTH AND MARKET STREETS, OAK HALL, OAK HALL.

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REAL ESTATE SALES. PUBLIC SALE.—JAMES A. FREE, Auctioneer.—Not Modern Dwelling, No. 23 North Twentieth street. On Wednesday, Dec. 23, 1869, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, the following described real estate.—All that certain three-story brick structure and lot or piece of ground, situate on the west side of Twentieth street, at the distance of 24 feet southward from the south side of Parrish street, and the Fifteenth Ward of the city, being 14 feet front on Twentieth street, and extending of that width in depth westward lines at right angles with Twentieth street, 7 feet to a 4 1/2 feet wide alley, communicating at a northernmost and southernmost side thereof with another 4 1/2 feet wide alley leading westward into Fifth street, with the privilege of said alleys.

The above most desirable, with double story second-story, superior, finished, and in good order, containing, besides, with extra fixtures, gas, water, case, hot and cold water, bath, water-closet, wash-pipe, and all the modern conveniences, and is well adapted for large families, or immediate possession. For particulars, apply to the Auctioneer, JAMES A. FREE, No. 23 North Twentieth street. \$500 to be paid at time of sale.

MARKING WITH INDELIBLE INK. W. G. PERRY, 728 ARCH STREET, HAS Embroidering, Binding, Stamping, &c. a large variety of Children's Books and Photograph Albums selling at low prices. M. A. TORREY, 150 FIFTH street.

THREE DAYS. GREAT ART SALE, On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, December 15th, 16th and 17th, Commencing at 11 o'clock A. M. each day, will be sold, at Public Sale, at ROBINSON'S GALLERY, No. 910 CHESTNUT STREET.

A magnificent collection of OIL PAINTINGS, FINE FOREIGN ENGRAVINGS, ELEGANT DRESDEN ENAMELS, SPLENDIDLY FRAMED. The Pictures will be sold in elegant Gold, Gilt and Walnut Frames, SUITABLE FOR PRIVATE SALES.

This Sale will afford the finest opportunity for the selection of elegant HOLIDAY PRESENTS. Among the artists represented are the well-known names of BROCHART, Paris; BODDINGTON, London; WILSON, Glasgow; HOFFER, Dusseldorf; SCHULTZE, Dusseldorf; DANTZE, Munich; BONFIELD, America; MORAN, America; RICHARDS and Others, America

The Dresden Enamels, Plain and Colored Engravings and Painted Photographs, BY WILSON, OF LONDON, Are real Gems of Art, and not to be excelled in the world. The Galleries are now on Free Exhibition. Open to the public day and evening until the days of Sale.

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