The Daily Morning Post.

SOMETHING FOR WHIG DOUGHFACES!

☞ Gen. Taylor has RECENTLY invested ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN NEGROES, and therefore cannot be in favor of the Wilmot Proviso.—*Speech of Balie Payton, (whig) in La.*

Presidential Election.

TUESDAY, the 7th day of NOVEMBER.

The Largest Journal in the West.

NEW AND CHEAP WEEKLY FAMILY PAPER.

THE PITTSBURGH
SATURDAY MORNING POST

POLITICS, NEWS, LITERATURE, &c., &c.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL ISSUE, about the first of October, 1848, the first number of a LARGE FAMILY PAPER, containing *more reading matter* than any weekly published West of the Mountains. Every department will be faithfully attended to, and no pains or expense will be spared to render the *Saturday Morning Post* one of the most instructive and acceptable newspapers ever issued in the Mississippi Valley.

In its POLITICAL DEPARTMENT the paper will aim to be the faithful and honest exponent of the Principles of the GREAT DEMOCRATIC PARTY—the People's Party—the Party of Progress, Honesty and Truth. We shall fearlessly expose the unrighteous doings of Federalism, in whatever guise it may present itself, or under whatever costumes it may sail.

The NEWS DEPARTMENT will be the object of special care and attention. Every thing that is new, interesting and exciting, will be faithfully chronicled. The various lines of MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH being now completed from Pittsburgh to nearly every leading city in the Union, we shall be enabled to present our readers up to the latest moment, a full digest of all the STIRRING EVENTS OF THE DAY.

In the LITERARY DEPARTMENT, we shall introduce an entire new feature into the columns of the Saturday Morning Post. At least *eight columns* of the paper each week will be devoted exclusively to *Tales, Poetry, Biography, History, Moral Essays, &c., &c.* In short, we shall aim to make the paper, in this respect, fully equal to the NEW ENGLAND PAPERS of the East. We have now engaged several distinguished writers, who will regularly contribute ORIGINAL TALES AND POETRY, to the columns of the Saturday Morning Post.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. We shall furnish our readers each week with an extensive and accurate *REVIEW OF THE PITTSBURGH MARKET*, carefully made up from the latest sales, together with the markets of *Philadelphia, Baltimore, New York, Boston, Cincinnati, New Orleans, St. Louis, &c.*, received by Telegraph and other sources, up to the latest moment before going to press. The fluctuations in the Money Markets, Prices of Stock, Exchange, &c. will also be carefully noted in each number.

PREMIUMS.

To ot courage Western Talent, we shall pay a liberal compensation to any person who will furnish us with either Tales, Poetry or Essays, which shall be deemed worthy of publication or. a Committee selected for that express purpose.

TERMS OF THE SATURDAY MORNING POST.

☞ In order to secure a large circulation, we shall offer our Mammoth Weekly to the public on terms heretofore unsurpassed by any paper in the West. To do this the CASH SYSTEM will be strictly adhered to:

For 1 copy, in advance,		$2.00
6 copies,	"	8.00
10	"	15.00
20	"	25.00
50	"	50.00
100	"	90.00

CLUBBING!

To any person who will obtain the largest number of subscribers to the Saturday Morning Post, (not less than fifty,) we shall present a copy of Shakspeare's Plays, splendidly bound, worth at least $5.00, besides a copy of the paper for one year. To the person who will procure the next largest number of subscribers, we shall present a beautiful edition of Lord Byron's Poems, worth at least $3.00, and a copy of the paper.

POST-MASTERS AND OTHERS.

To whom this Prospectus may be sent, are respectfully requested to act as Agents in procuring subscribers to the Saturday Morning Post. To the person who will procure 10 subscribers, we will forward one copy of the paper, and their exertions will otherwise be handsomely rewarded.

☞ Letters must be addressed (post paid) to

Editor and Proprietor of the Saturday Morning Post, Pittsburgh, Pa. J. HARPER.

September 18, 1848.

POSTSCRIPT.

In answer to the many inquiries of our friends, we have to state, that owing to the arduous duties of the election campaign, it will be impossible for us to issue the first number of the *Saturday Morning Post* at so early a day as we anticipated. We shall defer the issue of the first number until after the Presidential election, when we hope to present to the public the handsomest and best paper ever sent out from this city.

Pittsburgh, Oct. 5, 1848.

Office of Surveyor of Customs,
PITTSBURGH, October 20, 1848.

SEPARATE PROPOSALS will be received at this Office, until 10 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, the 16th day of November next, for furnishing and delivering the materials, and for executing the work at the U. S. Marine Hospital, near this city, as follows:

For furnishing 250,000 good hard burnt Brick; to be delivered on the Hospital site, as early next Spring as the season will admit of the work being commenced.

STONE WORK.

For furnishing and delivering, at such time as may be required, during the progress of the building, on the Marine Hospital site—

2	pair	9	2x11
2	"	10	2x11
180	"	22	2x12
14	Ties	14	7x12
19	"	25	7x12
452	Lintels	12	5x 8
66	Finials	14	7x10
275	Rafters	23	7x 8
14	"	30	10x12
12	"	34	10x12
14	Braces	20	7x 8
2	"	14	7x 8
150	Pieces	11	3x 5
260	"	14	3x 5
260	"	16	3x 5
172	Joice	14	9x12

40,000 feet clear dry Boards, 2in., 11 and 1 in.

27,000 " do. flooring boards, clear of sap.

30,000 " good dry common boards.

BRICK MASONRY.

For furnishing good clean Sand and Lime Mortar, and for executing the Brick Masonry at the Marine Hospital.

CARPENTER WORK.

For executing the Carpenter Work.

PLASTERING.

For furnishing the materials and executing the Plastering.

All the materials are required to be delivered on the Marine Hospital site, clear of expense to the government.

The materials and work must be subject to the inspection and approval of the Superintendent, and none will be received which shall not pass such inspection.

Persons bidding will state the price per 1000 for Brick; the price per 1000 feet board measure for Lumber; the price per superficial foot for Stone Columns, including the laying; Brick and Stone Sills; the price per 100 for laying Brick and furnishing materials for Mortar; the price per yard for good three coat Plastering, including the materials. For Carpenter Work, state the rate per cent. on Strickland's Book of Prices.

Contracts and Bonds, with two approved sureties, in one-third the amount of contract, will be required to be entered into within ten days after notification of acceptance of the bid. The names of sureties to accompany bids.

Plans of the work can be seen, and such other information as may be required, can be obtained by application at this office.

J. B. GUTHRIE,
Surveyor of Customs.

(Commercial, Post, Work Bee, American, and Chronicle copy.)

SUNDRIES.

35	bags	green Rio Coffee;
15	"	Laguayra "
30	half chests	old gov. Java "
		Checian and Oolong Tea
50	entry boxes	assorted Teas;
50	"	Palm Soap;
50	"	Philadelphia Soap,
5	"	Castile. "
10	"	6/8s Palm and Almond Soap
10	"	M. R. Raisins;
20	"	(new crop)
30	"	Stearine Candles;
25	"	Extra Saleratus;
1200	"	Zante Currants;
10	bbls.	Small Loaf Sugar;
12	"	Crushed and Pulverized Sugar
10	"	N. O. Clarified Sugar;
2	boxes	Wooster's D. R. "
10	bbls.	New Orleans "
5	doz.	fine Olive Oil;
10	"	extra Superior Mustard;
6	"	Extract Lemon:
2	"	" Rose;
2	"	" Vanilla;
1		assorted Jellies;
1	case	Jujuba Paste;
1		Lozenge "
1	keg	English Split Peas;
5	bbls.	No. 1 Salmon;
2	"	" Mackerel;
10	½ and ¼ bbls.	"
20	bbls.	Nos. 2 and 3 "
50	doz.	Patent Zinc Wash Bowls;
150	"	Corn Brooms;
40	bbls.	N. O. and S. H. Molasses,
10	"	and kegs Golden Syrup;
50	boxes	Cream Cheese;

Wholesale and retail by J. D. WILLIAMS,
oct20 Corner of Wood and Fifth streets.

Lamartine House,
CORNER OF FOURTH AND GRANT STREETS, PITTSBURGH.

THE subscriber respectfully announces that he has now opened this new and excellent Hotel for the accommodation of travelers, boarders, and the public generally. The house and furniture are entirely new; and no pains or expense have been spared to render it one of the most comfortable and pleasant Hotels in the city. The subscriber is determined to deserve, and therefore solicits a share of public patronage.

oct11-ly JACOB ROUGH, Proprietor.

JUST RECEIVED, at FASHIONABLE HEAD QUARTERS 251 Liberty street, a large and splendid assortment of French, English and American CLOTHS, CASSIMERES and VESTINGS, which we offer to sell cheaper than can be purchased elsewhere in the city. The public are respectfully invited to call.

oct 22 C. WERNEBERG.

Commercial and Financial.

PITTSBURGH BOARD OF TRADE.
JOSHUA HANNA,
WM. BARKER,
J. CAROTHERS, } COMMITTEE FOR SEPTEMBER.

PASSENGER ARRANGEMENTS FOR 1848.

Steamboat Packet Line leaves daily for Cincinnati 10 A. M.

Passenger Packet, via Brownsville, to Baltimore and Philadelphia, 8 A. M., and 6 P. M.

Mail Coach Line, direct to Philadelphia, 9 A. M., and 12 P. M.

Western and Southern Mail Coach Line, 6 A. M.

North-Western via Cleveland, daily, 10 A. M.

Star mail in extern New York, daily, 9 A. M.

North-Eastern, to Philadelphia, daily, except Sundays, 4 A. M.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

Eastern Mail via Philadelphia, due 3 A. M.; closes 12 M.
Western Mail, Ohio and Lower, due 8 P. M., closes 5 A. M.
South via Ball. and Washington, due 8 P. M., closes 5 A. M.
North-Western via Cleveland, due 10 A. M., closes 9 A. M.
Erie and Western New York, due 8 P. M., closes 9 A. M.

STOCKS.

	For sales.	Asked.	Offered.
Bank of Pittsburgh		$50.00	$50.00
Exchange Bank		50.00	44.00
Merchants' and M. Bank		50.00	45.00
Farmers' Deposit Bank		45.00	45.00
Hand Street Bridge		None in market.	
Northern Liberties Bridge	60,00	50.00	49.00
Old Allegheny Bridge		60.00	35.00
Connellsville R. R. Stock, paid on shares, $2.50	25,00	30,00	35,00
City Bonds (6 p. cent.)		5,00	1,43
Monongahela Bridge		80,00	
Gas Stock	25,00	50,00	16,50

Daily Review of the Markets.

OFFICE OF THE POST.
SATURDAY MORNING, *October 28*, 1848.

FRUITS—There was a little more animation yesterday, and sales were made at different rates from former quotations. Zante Currants are sold at 10c. Of Lemons and Oranges, there are none in market, but some lots are daily expected: we quote nominally at $5,50@6,00. Raisins are worth—old, $1,87@2,00; new crop, $2,25. Turkey Figs are sold regularly at 16c. Pea Nuts are dull at $1,25. Chestnuts are brisk at $2,00: the market is well supplied and demand is good; the article is of sufficient importance to require a place in our report. In Dried Fruit, there is no change.

HERRINGS—Sale of sealed in boxes at $1,00.

FLOUR—Sales from wagons at $4,40@4,44. At wharf, the rate was $4,50, at which we heard of sales of about 500 bbls. A holder of 700 bbls. refused this price, and said he would ship east.—Buckwheat Flour is coming in freely; sales at $1,50 ₰ 100 lb.

GRAIN—We heard of no transactions, except in Oats, at 28c. on wharf.

PROVISIONS—Some sales of Bacon at former quotations. Lard is held at 8@8½c. Butter has declined—dull at 8½c.

CHEESE—No change in prices; market full and excellent demand.

GROCERIES—Sale of 33 bbls. Prime N. O. Sugar at 9½c. Coffee, sales at 7½c. Molasses held firmly at 31c.

In other articles usually quoted, there is no change.

THE STOAR CROP.—The Franklin (La.) Planter's Banner, of the 5th, says, it is now reduced to certainty, that the crop of sugar, in the parish of St. Mary, will be short fully one-third—the cane being small and dry plant.

The St. Martinsville Creole, of the 30th ult., says:—Several of our planters intended commencing sugar making in a few days—the cane is reported as very ripe and juicy."

JUST RECEIVED AT M. A. MINERS—The Two Diamonds, or the Son of a Count and Daughter of a Hewer, edition of the Illustrated Catholic New Testament; to be concluded in 12 parts, at 25 cents each, under the editorial supervision of the Right Reverend John Hughes.

Three Sisters and Three Fortunes, or Rose, Blanche and Violet, complete, by G. P. R. James.

All the Ladies' Magazines, for November.

The Mariner of the Mines, or the Maid of the Monastery, a Tale of the Alleghanies, by Arthur Armstrong.

Pocket Enchanter, or every man his own Physician, by William Young, M. D.

Littell's Living Age, No. 222.

As You Like It, a Comedy, by Wm. Shakspeare.

Also, all the numbers of the Revised Drama, on hand and for sale.

BERFORD & ALEXANDER,
77 Smithfield street, 2d door above Second. oct 22

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—A prime article in 50 lb sacks; constantly on hand and for sale by
oct26 KING & MOORHEAD.

Allegheny Scires.

THE SECOND ANNUAL SCIRE OF THE ALLEGHENY FIRE COMPANY, to be given in the Lafayette Assembly Rooms, on Tuesday evening, October 31st, 1848.

MANAGERS.

T. WARD,	Hope,	Eb. GREGG, Esq., Alley's
J. BANNO,	Washington,	S. M. MCCANDLESS,
G. BLACKSTOCK,	Uncle Sam,	M. MCCLURE,
M. KNOX,	Wm. Penn,	S. M'SURELY,
W. BLAKELY,	President,	WM. TROVILLO,
W. MITCHELTREE,	Eagle,	JAMES PETTON,
F. OLIVER,	Duquesne,	R. H. KERR,
J. FOSTER,	Allegheny,	J. FITZPATRICK,
D. CAMPBELL,	Virginia,	J. HYATT,
Jos. KATE,	Niagara,	WM. YORKE,
SAMUEL C. HILL,	Good Intent,	D. MILLER,

FLOOR MANAGERS.

H. CUNNINGHAM, W. M. MURRAY.

Pittsburgh, October 25, 1848-6t

Fashionable Clothing Store.

C. WERNEBURG begs leave to inform his friends and the public in general, that he has opened a NEW READY-MADE FASHIONABLE CLOTHING STORE, on Market street, second door from Second street, where he has, and always will have on hand a full assortment of Ready-made Fashionable Clothing, which he will sell on the most reasonable terms, for CASH.

He also wishes to call the attention of his friends and the public in general to his very extensive selection of French, English and Belgian Cloths and Cassimeres, in endless variety, and Vestings of every one's choice, which he has selected himself in the East, and which are made to order in a superior manner, at his Fashionable Head Quarters, 251 Liberty street, (late Noire & Co.) and at prices that will not be questioned by the best of bankrupt-makers. C. WERNEBURG,

No. 251 Liberty street.

oct 22-y Market street, 2d door from Second.

NEW BOOKS—Concordance to Shakspeare, by Mrs. Clarke—$4.00.

Menzel's German Literature, 3 vols.—$3.00.

A Sketch Book, by Fanny Forrester, 2 vols.—$1.75.

Washington Irving's Life of Washington, 5 vols.—$1.25.

Gil Blas, English edition, illustrated, 2 vols.—

Don Quixotte, " " " 1 vol.—$2.50.

Barns' Works, 25 steel engravings, Eng. ed.—$5.50.

Gulliver's Travels, illustrated—$4.50.

Hazlett's Napoleon, 2 vols.—$4.50.

Hazlett's Works, 4 vols.—$4.50.

Carlyle's Heroes and Savior Resarius, 1 vol.—$1.25.

Carlyle's Sartus, and Miscellaneous Charisms, 1 vol.—$1.

Goethe's Auto-Biography, 2 vols.—$2.50.

Goethe's Essay on Art.—75c.

Coleridge's Biographia Literaria, 2 vols.—$1.75.

Cromwell's Letters and Speeches, by Carlyle, 2 v.—2.00.

For sale by H. S. BOSWORTH,
oct21 84 Wood st., Pittsburgh.

A HOUSE AND LOT AT A BARGAIN—Any person in want of a comfortable dwelling house, in a good neighborhood, on very reasonable terms, in front the Court House can provide themselves with the small sum of $800 cash—Apply to
oct 19 JOHN COYLE.

PRINTING INK—Just received, a fresh supply of Prout's Printing Ink, at the
oct12 PEKIN TEA STORE,
No. 70 Fourth st.

LOST—On Sunday the 15th inst. a pair of Gold Specs, in a red case, somewhere between the door of Herron's Church and the corner of Brewery Alley and Penn street. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving them at this Office or with the Sexton of Dr. Herron's Church. 2t.

SOAP AND CANDLES, of different Pittsburgh brands for sale at manufacturer's prices, by
sep25 W. & M. MITCHELTREE.

CASSIA—300 lbs. Cassia on hand and for sale by
oct13 KING & MOORHEAD.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between Hale, Reineman & Co. was this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business of the late firm will be settled by Reineman & Co.

JAS. HALE.
SANDS & REINEMAN,
JOHN VOEGTLY.

Sept. 27th, 1848.

The business will be continued by SANDS & REINEMAN and JOHN VOEGTLY, under the style of REINEMAN & Co.
sep28-y

STARCH—20 boxes Strub's Allegheny Starch, in store and for sale by [oct13] KING & MOORHEAD.

LINSEED OIL—12 bbls. in store and for sale by
oct5 KING & MOORHEAD.

STRAW Side and French Worked Willow Baskets, fine article, just received and opening at 86 Market street. [oct15] HOGAN & CANTWELL.

ODONTINE, or Rose Tooth Paste, a pleasant dentifice for the gums and teeth, (prepared by Rapsell) in store and for sale by [oct3] JOEL MOREAD.

300 BUSHELS OATS—Received and for sale by
oct14 W. & J. C. ACHESON.

STOVE PIPE—3000 pounds Stove Pipe for sale by
sep26 KING & MOORHEAD.

CUBA TOBACCO—85 bales Cuba Tobacco just received and for sale by J. A. MAZURIE,
oct17 No. 33 Hand st.

SAMUEL W. BLACK, *Attorney at Law*—office on 4th street, near Grant, Pittsburgh. oct25

LINSEED OIL—42 bbls. (New Castle) in store and for sale by (oct25) KING & MOORHEAD.

DRIED PEACHES—50 bushels, new crop, just received and for sale by (oct25) W. & J. C. ACHESON.

CORN BROOMS—50 doz. in store and for sale by
oct25 W. & J. C. ACHESON.

TO BE SOLD—Three burying lots in the Mt. Union Cemetery, elegantly situated. Apply to
oct7 WM. DAVIDSON,
4th Ward, Allegheny.

News by Telegraph!

Reported for the Morning Post.

Important from the South.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 24, 1848.

The British West India Mail steamer Forth, has arrived off ship Island from Vera Cruz. She brings advices from Mexico to the 14th instant.

The revolutionary outbreak, of which there were threatening indications for some time previous, took place on the 9th inst. The Government was fully prepared, and acted with decisive energy; troops were called out; cannon were planted to bear on available points, and before bloodshed ensued the insurrectionary attempt was frustrated. Iturbide, and many other officers connected with it, have been arrested and imprisoned. The object of the movement is said to have been to bring back and place in power General Santa Anna.

Gen. Bustamente was raising a force of 4,000 men to quell the revolt at Tampico.

A destructive fire occurred at Alexandria, on the Red River, on the 18th instant. Six squares, all stores, containing an immense amount of property, valued at over half a million of dollars, were destroyed. The Republican office was among the buildings consumed.

PHILADELPHIA MARKET.

PHILADELPHIA, October 27—9 P. M.

Flour—The market to-day was quiet, with sales of Genesee at $5,50 ₰ bbl.

Corn Meal—Sales to a moderate extent at $3,06.

Grain—Sales of Prime White Wheat at $1,17@1,18; sales of Prime Red at $1,14@1,15 ₰ bushel.

Corn: Sales of Prime Yellow Corn at 71c., to the extent of 5000 bushels.

Cotton—Sales of Louisiana at 7c.; sales of Fair at 6¼, to the extent of 200 bales.

Provisions—Sales of 200 tierces Prime Mess Beef at $18,75 ₰ tierce. Sales of Mess do. at $13. Pork and Lard dull.

BALTIMORE MARKET.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 27—6 P. M.

Flour and Grain dull. Prices rather below yesterday's rates. The tendency is downward.

Provisions—There is no activity in any article. Quotations are steady.

NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—6 P. M.

Flour—Sales of 9000 bbls. of Genesee, one half for export, at $5,25@5,44 ₰ bbl.

Grain—There is more doing in Corn. The market has an upward tendency, with sales of 13,000 bushels of Prime Yellow at 68@68c. Wheat: there is a good enquiry for good samples of Wheat, but poor lots are neglected.

Provisions—There is less movement in Pork, the market being heavy.

Whiskey—Sales 300 bbls. at 24c.

Cotton—The market remains unchanged.

River Intelligence.

PORT OF PITTSBURGH.

4 FEET 6 INCHES WATER IN THE CHANNEL.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Atlantic, Brownsville;
" Louis M'Lane, Bennet, Brownsville;
" Brownlee, Gordan, Brownsville;
" Caroline, Day, Beaver.
" Camden, Hrsphill, Beaver.
" Michigan, No. 2, Gilson, Beaver.
" Lake Erie, Murray, Beaver.
" Lancaster, Redgrove, Cincinnati.
" Paris, Marsden, Cincinnati.
" Hudson, Poe, Wheeling.
" Ludlow, —, Zanesville.

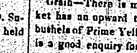
☞ There was a good business show on the wharf yesterday. The Cincinnati packets are afloat again, so are the Beaver boats. All the regular Packets will resume their regular trips in a few days. The Messenger leaves for Cincinnati, at 10 o'clock, this morning. The Isaac Newton goes on Sunday.

The Dolphin, Capt. Hazlett, leaves for Cincinnati to-day.

ACCIDENT TO DR. FRANKLIN, No. 2.—On her downward trip from Cincinnati, on Friday night, at Warsaw bar, this boat was run into by the Wisconsin, carrying away her starboard wheelhouse, cooks' room, and crushing the wheel so badly that it will require a delay of two or three days to repair the damage. No one was injured by this accident.

Louisville Democrat.

For New Orleans, Pensacola, Fla. APALACHICOLA, FLA., COLUMBUS, GEORGIA And all intermediate Landings on the Miss. River.



THE new and substantial steamer FASHION, Capt. WILLIAMS, Master, will leave for the above ports on Monday, the 6th of November, at 10 o'clock, A. M. For freight or passage, apply on board, or to
oct23&6t NEWTON JONES.

For Wheeling.

THE new, light draught, fast running steamer, DOLPHIN, Capt. HAZLETT, will leave for the above and intermediate ports regularly.

For freight or passage, apply on board.
oct28

For Cincinnati.

The new, light draught passenger steamer, DOLPHIN, Capt. HAZLETT, will leave for the above and intermediate ports, this day.

For freight or passage apply on board
oct27

ANTHON'S NATIONAL ENGRAVING of the United States Senate Chamber.

THE SUBSCRIBER would respectfully inform the people of Pittsburgh, that he has for sale, at the Lamartine House, corner of Grant and Fourth streets (where he will remain but two days longer,) the celebrated engraving of the United States' Senate Chamber, published by E. Anthony, 205, Broadway, N. Y., the life-like resemblances of the different States and Military men of the nation, nearly all executed glass frames, at the very low price of $1 each. Among which is the likeness of the superior likeness of Henry Clay, in his 71st year; the likeness of Daniel Webster, Millard Fillmore, George Washington, J. Q. Adams, M. Van Buren, J. C. Calhoun, Thomas H. Benton, R. C. Winthrop, Generals Taylor, Cass, Scott, Butler, &c. &c. Also, the splendid engraving of the Declaration of Independence, Laugier's engraving of the Death scene of Gen. George Washington, with several others. The subscriber has also other articles in the painting's wholesale and retail, at No. 44 Fifth st., Pittsburgh.

oct28 ROBERT BUSTEED.

☞ For sale at this office.

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE—2000 lbs. Country Bacon, Shoulders and Sides. It will be sold low; call and see [oct27] CUMMINS & SMITH.

DISSOLUTION.—The co-partnership heretofore existing between Wm. Irwin, Jr. & D. & R. Patterson, has this day been dissolved, by mutual consent. The business will be carried on at the old stand, in Diamond alley, by A. D. & R. Patterson.

Oct. 25, '48. (oct27-3tmd) A. D. & R. PATTERSON.

Howe's & Co.'s Great United States' Circus

WILL PERFORM AT PITTSBURGH on *Wednesdays, Thursday, Friday and Saturday*, 1, 2, 3 and 4 days of November, in front of the *American Hotel*, on Penn street.

The above Circus embraces the largest Troupe ever organized, consisting of the most distinguished and talented Equestrians and Artists, both male and female. In addition to this highly celebrated Company, is a troupe of SEVEN REAL BEDOUIN ARABS,

Whose performances have been the wonder and delight of all those who have witnessed their unapproachable "counterfeit presentiments," but the real uncivilized sons of the desert.

The great team of Camels, driven by two native Arabs. The great Syrian Bryon Chariot, drawn by ten real SYRIAN CAMELS, two of which are white—the only Albino Camels—the first and only ones ever imported.

A splendid representation of Queen Mab's Fairy Chariot, drawn by a stud of ten diminutive SHETLAND PONIES, driven in hand by Major STEVENS, the dwarf, in costume of

TEN JUVENILE EQUESTRIANS.

ADMITTANCE 25 cents; Children, under ten years, half price. Afternoon Performance at 1½ and 61 o'clock in the evening.

N B.—Mr. Howe would hereby give notice that he will sell on Monday, November 6th, in front of the American Hotel, a number of *Horses, Harness and Wagons*, all in good condition for business. A good chance for a bargain.

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Fresh Arrival at No. 115 Wood street.

MR. HODKINSON has just opened, within the past week, the largest assortment of French CHINA, ever opened in this city; consisting in part of—Fancy, Plain, White, Gold Line and Gold Band Tea Sets; an extensive assortment of White, Flowing Blue and Liverpool from Stone Ware, in Tea Sets, or in separate pieces. Gold and Silver Band Glass Sets; a beautiful assortment of Candelabras and lamps, of the newest shapes and patterns, direct from the manufacturers.

Ladies would do well to give him a call, at

oct27 *No. 115 Wood st., 3 doors below Fifth.*

SWIVEL JOINT SUSPENDERS—2 cases assorted sizes, to close consignment, by
oct4 EDWARD TODD & CO.

Proposals for Indian Goods.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Office Indian Affairs, Sept. 29, 1848.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the Office of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Washington, D. C., until 10 o'clock on Wednesday, the 1st day of November next, for furnishing the following goods, in the quantities annexed or thereunto, for the use of the Indians, and deliverable at the following places, viz:—

AT NEW YORK.

Blankets.

1108 pairs 3-point white Mackinaw blankets, to measure 60 by 72 inches, and weigh 6 pounds

900 pairs 2½-point white Mackinaw blankets, to measure 56 by 66 inches, and weigh 5 pounds

672 pairs 2-point white Mackinaw blankets, to measure 50 by 60 inches and weigh 4½ pounds

600 pairs 2-point white Mackinaw blankets, to measure 46 by 56 inches and weigh 4 pounds

500 pairs 1¾-point white Mackinaw blankets, to measure 36 by 60 inches and weigh 4½ pounds

450 pairs 1-point white Mackinaw blankets, to measure 72 by 96 inches and weigh 8 pounds

100 pairs 2½-point scarlet Mackinaw blankets, to measure 60 by 72 inches and weigh 8 pounds

100 pairs 2½-point scarlet Mackinaw blankets, to measure 56 by 64 inches and weigh 7 pounds

60 pairs 2½-point Gentinella blue Mackinaw blankets, to measure 54 by 66 inches and weigh 6 pounds

Dry Goods.

400 yards scarlet strouding, 6-quarter

300 do blue do

300 do fancy list-cloth, blue

250 do do do scarlet

200 do do do green

250 do gray do blue

2200 do dyed do scarlet

700 do do do green

400 pounds worsted yarn, 3-fold

20 dozen cotton flag handkerchiefs

100 do do Andrea do

100 do black silk do

200 do 4-4 cotton shirts

50 do 6-4 do do

50 do 4-4 do do

18000 yards domestic calico

1200 do English and French calico

6000 do Merrimac do blue and fancy

6000 do bleached cotton shirting

6000 do do sheeting

4000 do do do domestic checks, stripes, and plaids

5000 do blue cotton drilling

700 do do do

200 dozen pantaloon checks

500 yards plaid linsey

2000 do flannels, assorted

1200 flannel shirts

200 calico do

200 pounds linen thread

300 do cotton do

40 do sewing silk

50 gross worsted garnering

250 pieces ribbon, assorted

150 gross fancy and clay pipes

14 pounds chinese vermilion

1200 pounds brass kettles

2000 pounds sheet copper kettles (8 in a nest)

40 tin kettles

85 gross square awls

7000 fish-hooks

25 doz. fish lines

25,000 needles (assorted)

160 doz. combs do

10 scissors do

14000 gun-flints

10 gross pen-worms

200 doz. butcher knives.

Hardware.

12 doz. axes, to weigh from 4½ to 5½ pounds

7 " half axes, to weigh 3½ pounds

24 " hatchets, to weigh 1 pound

To be delivered at the place where manufactured, or in the city of New York or Philadelphia, as may be required, without additional expense.

Agricultural Implements, &c.

There will also be required, to be delivered in New York, at the same time, the following agricultural implements.

250 axes, to weigh from 4½ to 5½ pounds

250 half axes, to weigh 3½ pounds

200 hatchets, to weigh 1½ pound

300 drawing-knives, 12 inches in length

200 augers; in equal proportions of 1¼ and 1 inch

150 pairs hames

150 do do cheains

500 pounds brass kettles

Axes.

480 axes, to weigh from 4½ to 5½ pounds

150 half-axes, to weigh 3½ pounds

25 broad do

Hardware.

1700 weeding-hoes

600 pairs trace-chains

12 do hand-saws

40 cross-cut saws, 7 feet in length

40 do do 6 do

100 hand-saws files

100 cross-cut saw-files

100 quarters, screw-augers, ½, ¾, and 1 inch

40 dozen chisels, assorted, 1 to 2 pounds each

600 Whitemore carpe. No. 10

100 quarters socket chisels

90 planes, fore and jack

Sporting guns.

630 northwest guns, two-third of which must measure 36 inches in length of barrel, and one-third 42 inches to be delivered at the place where manufactured, or in the city of New York or Philadelphia, as may be required; samples of them are deposited in the office of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

The above proposals may be divided into five parts for each place of delivery, viz:

1. Blankets.
2. Dry Goods,
3. Hardware, to include the agricultural implements.
4. Axes and hatchets.
5. Northwest guns.

The lowest competent responsible bidder will receive the whole or any part of the contract, according to the above scale, the department reserving to itself the right to determine whether the bidder is competent and responsible or not.

A schedule of the articles, with samples, may be seen at the office of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, in Washington, exhibiting the number of money to be expended for each article, but the department reserves the right to increase or diminish the quantity of any of the articles named, or substitute others in lieu thereof, or to require, at similar prices, such goods as may be wanted for presents, or other purposes, in the administration of the affairs of the department.

The whole amount in money to be applied to the purchase of goods will be about $90,000 of which some $40,000 will be wanted on the seaboard, and the residue in the west. Goods of American manufacture, all other things being equal, will be preferred, but as all the samples of blankets and cloths on hand are of foreign manufacture, it will be necessary, when a domestic article is to be furnished, that the sample of it should accompany the bid, to enable the department to decide whether it is of equal quality with the samples to be exhibited.

The party proposing to supply the articles will make an invoice of all the items embraced in the above list, and affix the prices, in dollars and cents, at which he or they will furnish these deliverable in new York and St. Louis respectively, on or before the fifteenth day of May next, assuming in the quantity of each article as specified in this advertisement, and according the same to making an aggregate of the whole invoice before sending it on. The goods will be inspected at New York or St. Louis by an agent of the United States, who will be appointed by the department for the purpose, and to ascertain the conformity of the articles purchased with the sample exhibited, when the contract shall be made, and with the terms of the contract itself, which shall contain a clause, that if the articles are not furnished within the time prescribed, or if they are of insufficient quality, in the opinion of the agent aforesaid, and if within five days after notice of such insufficiency the party shall not furnish others in lieu thereof, of the required quality, the United States shall be authorized to purchase them of others and to charge any increase of price they may be compelled to pay therefor to the contractor, who shall pay the said difference to the United States.

Bonds will be required, in the amount of the bids, with two good sureties, for the sufficiency of whom to be certified by a United States judge or district attorney for the district where the contract is completed; and the delivery of the goods at New York and St. Louis respectively, to an agent of the department, upon a duplicate invoice certified by him.

Communications to be marked: "Proposals for Indian goods."

The bids will be submitted with the following heading, and none will be received that are not made in the form and terms here described.

I (or we) propose to furnish for the service of the Indian department, the following goods, at the price affixed to them respectively, viz:

(Here insert the list of goods.)

"Deliverable in the city of New York, or St. Louis, on or before the ——— day of ——— next; and in case of the acceptance of his proposal, the quantity being proportioned by the department, I (or we) will execute a contract according to this agreement, and give satisfactory security to the department, within ten days after the acceptance of (etc.) bid; and in case of failure to enter into such contract, and give such security, (or we) will pay to the United States the difference between the sums bidden by me (or us) and the sum which the United States may be obliged to pay for the articles."

Face roll every bid must also be accompanied with a proposition in the following form, to be signee one or more responsible persons, whose sufficiency must be certified personally or by his official position.

I (or we) hereby guaranty that ——— the above bidder, will comply with the terms of the advertisement for proposals for Indian goods, dated September 30, 1848; and if the contract should be awarded to him, and enter into bond for the execution of the same within the time prescribed.

(L. S.)
(L. S.)

W. MEDILL,
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

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Sales by Auction.

AUCTION SALES.

BY JAMES M'KENNA, AUCTIONEER,
No. 114 WOOD STREET, THIRD DOOR FROM FIFTH.

JOBBERS visiting this city with a stock of Goods for sale, can be accommodated, while they remain, with the use of a Room, on moderate terms, in the 2d story of doors from Fifth.

Also—On Sunday, by the week, month, or year, for the storage of merchandise only, an excellent dry Cellar, with board floor.

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DOMESTIC BLANKETS at private sale at M'Kenna's Auction Rooms, No. 114 Wood street, 3 doors from 5th st. a large invoice of Domestic Blankets of the largest size and finest quality of Merino Wool, received direct from the Manufacturer, and will be sold at very low prices, both wholesale and retail. It is the best opportunity offered to housekeepers for many years.

JAMES M'KENNA, Auct.

POSITIVE SALE, *by Auction, at McKenna's Auction Rooms, of Rare Second-hand Wearing Apparel*, to pay cleaning, repairing and other charges.—On Saturday evening, November 11th, at a quarter past 7, precisely, will be sold, without reserve, to the highest bidder, at M'Kenna's Auction Rooms, No. 114 Wood street, three dozen coats from Fifth, on account of whom it may concern, the following Wardrobe, to pay cleaning, repairing and other charges, as also advertising, unless redeemed before that time, either by the owners or their agents, viz: 1 Gold Lever Watch, white face, left in September, 1846, by a person calling himself Delneson; 1 Silver D. R. Alarm Watch, left in April, 1844, by Elisha Preston; 1 Silver D. C. Watch, No. 10,918, made by Joseph Jones, London; silver face—left by Thomas Brown, about October, 1842.

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JAMES M'KENNA, Auct.

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For Sale.

FOR SALE—A valuable House and Lot, 25 feet front on Cherry alley, by 123 deep on 20 feet alley front by 123 deep on Fifth street. Also, a House and two Lots, each 20 feet front by 62 deep; price $900. Also, a House and Lot 18 feet front on Ann street, Allegheny, by 55 deep; price $500. Also, several Building Lots, from $175.00 to $150. Terms accommodating.

S. CUTHBERT, Gen. Agent,
Smithfield street.

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