The Daily Morning Post.

SOMETHING FOR WHIG DOUGHFACE.

☞ Gen. Taylor has RECENTLY invested $8 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
DEVOTED TO
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 labor or expense will be spared, to render the *Saturday Morning Post* one of the most instructive and acceptable newspaper 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 cognomen 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 BEST LITERARY PAPERS of the East. We have now engaged several distinguished writers, who will regularly contribute ORIGINAL TALES AND POETRY, to be 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 ACTUAL 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 Market, Prices of Stocks, Exchange, &c. will also be carefully noted in each number.

PREMIUMS.

To encourage Western Talent, we shall pay a liberal compensation to any person who will furnish us with 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 Journal with every other publication in the Union for less unsurpassed by any paper in the West. To do this the CASH SYSTEM will be strictly adhered to:

For 1 copy, in advance,	"	$2 0
" 6 copies,	"	8 0
" 10 "	"	15 0
" 20 "	"	25 0
" 50 "	"	50 0
" 100 "	"	80 0

CLUBBING!

To any person who will obtain the largest numbers 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 $4.00, 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 aper, and their exertions will otherwise be handsomly rewarded.

☞ Letters must be addressed (post paid) to

J. R. HARPER.
Editor and Proprietor of the Saturday Morning Pst, Pittsburgh, Pa. September 16 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* on a 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 2d 1848.

SEPARATE PROPOSALS will be received at this Office, until 3 o'clock P. M. on Thursday the 10th 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:

BRICK.

For furnishing 554,000 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 buildings on the Marine Hospital site—

8 polished stone columns, 11 feet long, 2 feet square.
4 " " half " " " 1 foot by 2 feet.
62 sets polished stone Lintels and Sills, 8 inches thick.
9 " " " " " 7½ ft. long and 8 inches thick.
2 polished stone Lintels, 7½ feet long.
8 " " Door Sills, 8 inches thick.

LUMBER.

For furnishing and delivering on the Marine Hospital site, Dry Pine Lumber, viz:

912	Joice	22 feet long	2 1x13 inches.
400	"	21 "	2 1x12 "
110	"	18 "	2 1x12 "
120	"	22 "	2 9x12 "
14	Trusses	40 "	7 2x9 "
12	"	35 "	7 2x12 "
62	Lintels	12 "	5 x 8 "
68	Purlins	12 "	7 2x10 "
275	Rafters	25 "	3 x 6 "
14	"	42 "	10 x10 " 7 inches thick.
14	"	40 "	10 x12 "
14	Braces	20 "	7 x 8 "
28	"	14 "	7 x 8 "
150	Pieces	11 "	3 x 5 "
260	"	14 "	3 x 5 "
260	"	18 "	3 x 5 "
170	Joice	14 "	2 1x12 "

40,000 feet clear dry Boards 1in., 1¼ and 1 in.
27,000 " " flooring boards, clear of sap.
20,000 " good dry common boards.

BRICK MASONRY.

For furnishing good sharp 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, and the price per pair for Lintels and Sills; the price per 1000 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 Pittsburgh 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,
oct20:2td Surveyor of Customs.

SUNDRIES—150 bags green Rio Coffee;
" 35 " family "
" 15 " Laguayra "
" 10 " old gov Java "
30 half chests Green Teas;
" 20 " Cheshun and Oolong Tea
60 entty boxes assorted Teas;
50 boxes Polmeco, assorted;
50 " Palm Soap;
30 " Chillicothe Soap;
5 " Castile "
10 " fine Palm and Almond Soap
40 " M. R. Raisins;
20 " " " (new crop)
30 " Stearine Candles;
2000 lbs. Extra Saleratus;
1200 " Extra Carraway
30 bbls. Small Loaf Sugar;
15 " Crushed and Pulverized Sugar
10 " N. O. Clarified Sugar;
3 cases Woolsey's D. R. "
10 bbls. New Orleans "
5 doz fine Olive Oil;
10 " cans superior Mustard;
2 " " Extract Lemon;
2 " " Rose;
2 " " Vanilla;
1 " assorted Jellies;
1 case Jujube Paste;
1 " Licorice, "
1 kg English Split Peas;
5 bbls. No. 1 Salmon;
5 " " Mackerel;
10 kgs and 5 bbls. "
20 bbls. Nos. 2 and 3 "
50 qr. Patent Zinc Wash Bowls;
150 " Corn Brooms;
50 bbls. N. O. and S. H. Molasses,
10 " " and kegs Golden Syrup;
20 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 the 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.

JACOB HOUGH, Proprietor.
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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.

WERNEBURG.
oct 20

Commercial and Financial.

PITTSBURGH BOARD OF TRADE.

JOSHUA ANNA, WM. BAKER, J. CARCHERS, } COMMITTEE FOR NOVEMBER.

PASSENGER ARRANGEMENTS FOR 1848.

Steamboat Packet Line, leaves daily for Cincinnati, 10 A M.
Passenger Packet, via. Brownsville, to Baltimore and Philadelphia, 9 A. M., and 6 P. M.
Mail Coach Line, direct to Philadelphia, 9 A. M., and 12½ P. M.
Western & Southern Mail Coach Line, 6 A. M.
North-Western via Cleveland, daily, 10 A. M.
Erie and Western New York, daily, 9 A. M.
North-Erie, 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, Cin. and Louisv., due 8 P. M., closes 5 A. M.
South-West Mail, 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.

	Par value.	Asked.	Offered.
Bank Pittsburgh	$50.00	$50,00	$50,00
Exchn Bank	50,00	44,00	43,50
Merchts' and M. Bank	50,00	47,00	45,00
Farmers' and Drovers' Bank		None in market.	
Hand fort Bridge	50,00	50,00	49,00
North Liberties Bridge		50,00	35,00
Old Allegh Bridge	25,00	38,00	35,00
Connellie R. R. Stock, paid on shares 50		5,00	1,43
City Bd (6 p cent)		80,00	
Monohela Bridge	25,00		10,50
Gas Co	50,00		

Daily Review of the Markets.

OFFICE OF THE POST,
WEDNESDAY MORNING, *November* 1, 1848.

The weather was rather cold yesterday. Business was pretty brisk, but we found the market unsettled.

FLOUR—The receipts were not heavy, by either river or wagons. We heard of three or four sales on hand at a slight decline from Monday's figures. The tendency is downward. We quote for yesterday at $4,37½@4,40 on wharf. From wagons, sales we made at same rates. There were some shipments east at 87c. ₰ bbl.

FEATHERS—No change; brisk sales from store at 35c.

BRAN—Sale of 100 sacks of best, from store, at 75c. ₰ bushel.

WHISKEY—Market is almost bare, with brisk demand. Prices firm at 21@22c. But a decline is anticipated, now that the rivers are up.

ASHES—No change in any article; some sales in a small way.

POTATOES—There have been some receipts from below, but no sales of large lots.

GROCERIES Sale of 15 hhds. Molasses at 31c., the common rate. Coffee will sells at 7½@7¾c. Sugar, sales at 5½@6¼c.

BACON—We got no sales yesterday. The market is very dull. Some lots are in market but no enquiry.

BUTTER—Sale of 12 kegs at 8½c., a decline.

APPLES—Sale of 100 bbls. from store at 1,00.

SOAP—Sale of 40 bxs. Cincinnati at 4½c., cash.

OILS—No sales of Lard; sale of Linseed at 62c.

CLOVER SEED—Dealers offer 3,00; it is in demand for shipment.

GLASS—Regular sizes 8x10 country brands at 3,25; no change.

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

WILL PERFORM AT PITTSBURGH *on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday*, 1, 2, 3 and 4 days of November, in their *Amerrican Pavilion*, 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 their celebrated Company, it is a troupe of

SEVEN REAL BEDOUIN ARABS,

Whose performances have been the wonder and delight of all those who have witnessed their unsurpassed feats. The public may be assured that these men are no "counterfeit presentiments," but the real uncivilized sons of the desert.

The great team of Camels, driven by two native Arabs.

The great Egyptian Dragon Chariot, drawn by an real SYRIAN CAMELS; two of which are the white sacred 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 Master Howe, the *dwarf*, in conveyance of

TEN JUVENILE EQUESTRIANS.

ADMITTANCE 25 cents; Children, under nine years, half price. Afternoon Performance at 1½, and 6½ o'clock in the evening.

☞ Mr. Howe would hereby give notice that he will sell on Monday, November 6th, in front of the American Hotel, to the highest bidder, his entire stock in trade—including Camels, Dromedaries, Horses, Ponies, &c. &c. Also, Silk Velvet Curtains, Flags, Banners, Tents, Harness, Saddles, Bridles, Chariots, Wagons, Cages, Trunks, Stage Fixtures, Lamps, Chandeliers, Gas Fixtures, Iron Railing, Seats, Scenery, Paintings, Wardrobe, Jewelry, Arms, Armor, Canteens, Swords, Pistols, Rifles, Shot Guns, Fowling Pieces, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Gun Caps, Percussion Caps, Powder, Shot, Lead, Bullet Moulds, Gun Wads, Gun Cases, Gun Implements, Gun Locks, Gun Barrels, Gun Stocks, Gun Mountings, Gun Screws, Gun Springs, Gun Tools, Gun Materials, Gun Trimmings, Gun Repairing Tools, Gun Repairing Materials, Gun Repairing Implements, Gun Repairing Trimmings, Gun Repairing Screws, Gun Repairing Springs, Gun Repairing Locks, Gun Repairing Barrels, Gun Repairing Stocks, Gun Repairing Mountings, Gun Repairing Screws, Gun Repairing Springs