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FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER,

JOHN A. GAMBLE,

OF LYCOMING COUNTY.

Allegheny County Democratic Ticket

SENATOR:
WILLIAM VINCENT, Butler County.
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ANDREW McCLEESTER, Findley.
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Tickets.

The Democratic ticket, for Allegheny County, is now printed at this office, and ready for delivery.—Our friends in the country are requested to call, and get a supply for the different voting districts.

The Wounded Pigeons Fluttering !

The *array of facts* we presented to the tax-payers of Allegheny county, on Friday last, showing the manner in which the people's money has been thrown away by the present reckless and incompetent *Whig* Commissioners, has drawn out, through the columns of the Gazette, a lame, silly, and ridiculous reply, in which the truth of our charges is fully admitted. It is evident, however, that these advocates of profligacy and extravagance fully realize the unenviable position in which they have been placed by their own inconsiderate folly, and would like to escape from the withering censure of an outraged and plundered community ! *They shall not escape !* While we have the control of a free press, the tax-ridden citizens of Allegheny county shall know the facts ; and all the low abuse and malicious assaults of a hireling Editor will not prevent us from performing our duty to the public.

We have shown from their own books that the *Whig* Commissioners of Allegheny county paid the enormous sum of *one thousand and six sixty-nine dols and fifty cents*, contrary to law, to certain viewers appointed to assess the amount of damages done to the property holders in the new wards, by reason of the opening of streets. Is this denied ? No.—*It is all admitted !* But the Deacon undertakes to get his friends, the Commissioners, out of the difficulty, by saying that the viewers were appointed by " Locofoco Judges !" It is difficult to say which is most to be admired, the sagacity or the impudence of this Editor. The man's morals have not improved, nor has his conscience been softened, since he was purchased by the fifteen whigs, a few years ago. It is scarcely necessary for us to say that after the viewers were appointed, the responsibility of the Judges ceased. It was the sworn duty of the Commissioners then to inquire into the number of days the viewers were employed, and allow them each $1 per day for their services. The law is clear and explicit on this subject. But the reckless indifference of the Commissioners in this matter, is on a par with all their other official acts.

Extravagance such as we have described, has involved the county of Allegheny deeply in debt.—What is the consequence ? A batch of vile shinplasters has been thrust upon the people, by the *Whig* Commissioners, in violation of all law, human and divine. The farmer who took this illegal trash for his produce has been swindled—the mechanic who received it for his labor, has been defrauded ; and the poor factory operative, who was the least of all able to bear the loss, was robbed of a portion of her hard earnings. Whose heart does not bleed at the very thought of such gross and wicked wrong ? And this is not all. THE PEOPLES TAXES HAVE BEEN DOUBLED ! Can this be denied ? Look at your receipts for the present year, and compare them with the receipts of last year. Tax-payers ! *we appeal to you*, to vouch for the truth of all we have said.

Now, let the guilty tremble—let the wounded pigeons flutter ! We have performed our duty—we have told the truth. The minions of power may abuse us, but we regard them not. An outraged tax-paying community will thank us for exposing to public gaze the misdeeds and malfeasance of the whig office holders. The great question now is,—shall there be an end to extravagance and profligacy ? The People say *yes !* in a voice of thunder. Well, then, friends, come up to the polls on Tuesday, and VOTE FOR DEMOCRATS, who are *pledged* to oppose an extravagant expenditure of the public moneys,—who are opposed to the issue of fraudulent Shinplasters,—who are opposed to high taxes and an increase of our County Debt ! Come up to the polls, and VOTE THE WHOLE DEMOCRATIC TICKET !

The $500 Fee.

The apologists for the outrageous fee of $500 to Mr. Forward, say that it was earned because he saved large sums of money to the county. This is too ridiculous for a serious refutation. We are informed by an eminent gentleman who was interested in the case, that there is no truth in this assertion. The question of damages for opening streets was decided by an act of the Legislature, with which Mr. Forward had nothing to do ; and not by the action of the Court. We endeavored to see the attorneys named by one of the Commissioners in the Gazette, but succeeded in seeing only two. One of them said his name was introduced without any reason, for he had nothing to do with the matter ; the other stated that our article was correct. We made no attack upon Mr. Forward. He might consider his speech of twenty minutes worth $500, and Mr. Loomis on the other side might consider himself well paid by $50. That is a matter of private judgment ; but there are always two parties to a bargain, and we do repeat that it was the duty of the Commissioners to have suppressed family sympathies, and to have acted for the oppressed tax-ridden people of the county, as they would have done for themselves individually. Would any of these officials have given a lawyer $500 for a twenty minutes speech—not before a jury, but before the Supreme Court, where eloquence has little to do in the matter !—we think not. Mr. Marks says he did not vote on allowing the Forward fee ; he left the matter to his colleagues. We thought he had more firmness in him—more of the spirit of Brutus. That Mr. Forward performed the labor in the case we deny. That was done by Mr. Todd. The only reason for bringing this case into public notice, that actuates us, is because we deem it our duty as a public journalist to scan closely the actions of the sworn servants of the public.

Soda and Paving Flags.

For another instance of the manner in which the *Whig* County Commissioners waste the people's money, we have only to refer to the tinkering that has been going on for years around the court house, at the instance of those wise functionaries. In the spring the ground is sodded—in the fall the sods are taken up and paving flags are put down. The next year, the stones taken up, the grade altered, and sods again introduced, and so on, *ad infinitum*. THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS have been abstracted from the pockets of the farmers of Allegheny county to pay for this miserable mismanagement of the Commissioners. Think of it, Tax Payers—think of it !

Georgia.

Towns, the Democratic Candidate for Governor, is undoubtedly elected in Georgia ; and it is certain that the Democracy will have a large majority in the Legislature. The Taylor proscriptionists have been signally rebuked !

Railroads in Indiana.

The inhabitants of Indiana seem to be fully aware of the importance of railroad communication ; and their efforts to connect the principal points in the State by the " iron track" have been very great, and are likely to be crowned with a like success. To show the extent of this enterprise in that flourishing State, we copy below from the Cincinnati Prices Current, a brief notice of the roads completed and those in course of construction, and also the contemplated routes :

1. The Madison and Indianapolis Railroad is completed, and in full tide of successful business from Madison, on the Ohio river, 100 miles below Cincinnati, and passing through Vernon, Columbus, Edinburg, and Franklin, to Indianapolis, a distance of 86 miles. The stock of this road is very valuable, and yields a large dividend on its capital.

2. The Terre Haute and Indianapolis Railroad, commenced at Terre Haute, on the Wabash river and Erie Canal, which is in a direct line between Indianapolis and St. Louis, and running through Green Castle, and an agricultural country, for a distance of 74 miles, to Indianapolis.

3. The La Fayette and Indianapolis Railroad, commencing at La Fayette, also on the Wabash river and Erie Canal, and extending, in a south-eastern direction, to Indianapolis ; a distance of 70 miles.

4. The Indianapolis and Peru Railroad, commencing at Indianapolis, and running through Noblesville to Peru, on the Wabash river and Erie Canal ; a distance of 70 miles, in a north-east direction from Indianapolis.

5. The Indianapolis and Bellefontaine Railroad commencing at Indianapolis, and extending in a north-eastern direction, through Pendleton, Andersontown, Muncietown, and Winchester, to the east line, dividing the States of Indiana and Ohio; a distance of 80 miles. At this point, it connects with the railroad to Bellefontaine, in Ohio, where it intersects the Cincinnati and Sandusky Railroad and also connects with the contemplated road from Pittsburgh. This road from Indianapolis, to connect with the Bellefontaine road, will bring the heart of Indiana in almost direct communication with the eastern cities.

6. The Edinburgh and Shelbyville road, from Edinburgh, on the Madison and Indianapolis road to Shelbyville ; a distance of 16 miles.

7. The Jeffersonville and Columbus Railroad, from Jefferson, on the Ohio river, to Columbus, situated 40 miles south of Indianapolis, on the Madison road. This road is located, and 40 miles graded.

8. A road is located, and partly under contract from Lawrenceburgh to Greensburgh, from which latter point it is to be extended to Edinburgh, to intersect the Madison and Indianapolis road, and thence on to Martinsville, to penetrate the inexhaustible coal region of White River, or to Shelbyville, thence to intersect the Edinburgh, the Knightstown, and the Rushville Railroads ; all of which centre at Indianapolis.

9. Shelbyville and Knightstown Railroad ; 26 miles in length. This road meets, at Shelbyville, the Rushville Railroad, which runs, in the direction of Cincinnati, to Rushville, 18 miles in length; of which the grading is done, and on part of which the cars will run the present year. Thus it will be seen that there are constructed, and in progress, 514 miles of railroad, as follows:

Madison to Indianapolis	80
Terre Haute do	74
La Fayette do	70
Indianapolis and Bellefontaine	80
Edinburgh to Shelbyville	16
Jeffersonville to Columbus,	70
Lawrenceburgh to Greensburgh,	35
Greensburgh to Edinburgh,	20
Edinburgh to Martinville,	25
Shelbyville and Knightstown,	26
Rushville,	18
Total	514

All these roads that are not completed, are in a state of rapid construction, by solvent companies, and they will, probably, be finished in from one to three years, when most of the business towns, and the rich best agricultural portions of Indiana, will be connected by railroads, centering at Indinanapolis, the capital of the State : and all these places will be in communication with the eastern cities, by means of the Bellefontaine Railroad.

The Letter Tax—The Ladies.

The best thing of the season, we heard on Saturday. The ladies are so much offended with the outrageous imposition of the Post Master General, and his obsequious representative in this city, in charging Four cents on their advertised letters, instead of the legal price, Two cents, in order to keep up the *Journal* and *Gazette*, that several of them have directed their correspondents to address their letters to Allegheny instead of Pittsburgh. The bridges let the ladies go free now-a-days ; but one old lady declared she would sooner pay a bridge toll of two cents, and walk over to Allegheny Post Office for her letters, than submit to such vile tyranny and outrage as that practised in the Pittsburgh Post Office. But the rich have no Letter Tax to pay, as boxes are provided for them, with their numbers marked on the glass ; it is the poor, the females, and the apprentice boys that have to bear the burthen of the *Gazette* and *Journal*. The Whigs ought to be ashamed of themselves.

The Injustice of the World !

For years past the colored population of this city have been paying School Taxes—but their children have had no school. The money of the black man has been expended in educating the children of the white. It is thought that $500 or 600 per annum will be ample for the support of a colored school. And yet to the appropriation of this small sum for so noble an object there are men who object. They object because it will increase taxation !

But the poorer class of citizens are to be taxed about $600 per annum by the Post Master, for no other purpose under heaven than to contribute to the support of a Whig paper.

Six hundred dollars are to be sent very freely into the pockets of a mercenary newspaper man ; while the same sum cannot be obtained for the purpose of educating the children of the unfortunate African.

☞As soon as the election excitement passes over, we will prepare for the public some remonstrances against the confirmation of the nomination of the very amiable Post Master in this city. We flatter ourselves that, with the aid of the outraged Whig citizens of Pittsburgh, whose feelings have been insulted by the infamous and villainous "letter tax," we will make a vacancy which we trust may be filled by some person who carries an article within him sometimes called a conscience.

Roseburgh is bound to walk if there be virtue in the Democratic United States Senators.

☞Had John D. Davis, Esq., been chosen Post Master instead of *sporting* gentlemen who succeeded in getting the appointment, the degrading exhibition of partizan corruption manifested in the imposition of the letter tax, would not have been witnessed in this city. Mr. Davis is an honest man, an honorable man, a decent man. Therefore his application was rejected, and Gov. Johnston's *confidential friend* was put in.

Who can trust the administration now in Washington ?

Something for Bragging Whigs.

EDITOR "DAILY POST"—Dear Sir:—I have seen so much boasting in the whig papers of the strength of their candidate for Canal Commissioner, that I have come to the conclusion to ask the favor of a corner in your paper for the following estimate of the coming election, made from close observation, together with information from sources that rarely deceive me. Gen. Taylor had about 35,000 majority in the following counties and city of Philadelphia, viz:—Allegheny, Adams, Beaver, Bedford, Blair, Butler, Bradford, Chester, Cumberland, Dauphin, Delaware, Erie, Franklin, Huntingdon, Indiana, Lebanon, Lancaster, Philadelphia City and County, Schuylkill, Somerset, Tioga, Union, and Washington, which made him between thirteen and fourteen thousands majority in the State over Gen. Cass; and if not against law, I would bet one quarter chest good green tea, that GAMBLE, the Democratic candidate for Canal Commissioner, will *reduce* the majority in the above city and counties, more than the whole majority that Gen. Taylor had in the State. Also notwithstanding the boasting of the Whig Press relative to the personal popularity of Mr. Fuller at home," I will bet a bag of good Rio Coffee that the following counties in *his own* section of the State, including his own county, which gave Gen. Taylor a majority over Gen. Cass, viz: Luzerne, Clinton, Lycoming, Bradford, Tioga, and Northumberland, and will now give Gamble from 2600 to 3600 majority over Fuller, the Whig candidate, for Canal Commissioner. Also a box of good hard soap and one box of good common candles, that Gamble will be elected by thousands of a majority.

MR. HARPER : Some time since, wishing to prepay postage on a letter, I offered at the Pittsburgh Post-office a Spanish piece of money. This was refused, on the ground that nothing but United States coin could be taken. Without any hesitation I returned the Spanish quarter to my purse, and presented one of U. S. coining.

Sometime after this, I was paying postage on a letter ; the postage was five cents, and gave in fifty cents. And what do you think I received in change. Do you give it up ? Well, I received two dimes and an old Spanish quarter. I wonder if it is the law, to give out Spanish coin, but not to receive any !

☞The above was handed to us on Saturday, by an intelligent and highly respectable clergyman, of Allegheny city. We presume as the Taylor Whigs have discovered a law authorizing them to tax our citizens *four cents* for advertising letters, there is no doubt but they will undertake to justify themselves in any thing they may do hereafter.

For the Morning Post.

What means the Whigs use to gull the people! We will give but a short extract from that German Whig Paper, "the Staats Zeitung" which is edited by the Rev. H. P. Mueller, and principally supported by the Iron Masters.

In speaking on the statement given by Mr. Clover, the Collector of the Canal tolls, the Rev. gentleman remarks, that the same is a forgery, and goes on to say : " Does the Courier not know that the Board of Canal Commissioners wilfully neglected to finish that Basin, out of which the Canal feeded? And why was it not finished? Because the Locofoco majority of the Canal Board did this *purposely* to reduce the tolls and then bring blame on the Whigs! But who will pay the damages which the Merchants have sustained by this Locofoco policy ?"

Is it not a shame for any Editor of a paper, and particularly for a Rev. gentleman to publish such barefaced falsehoods ? Have the Whigs no better arguments than lies ? Yours, J. G. BACKOFEN.

Keep it before the Democrats.

That William Vincent is the nominee of the Democratic party for Senator—that he was regularly and fairly nominated according to the established usages of the party ;

That if elected, he will vote, with the Democrats in the election of officers for the organization of the Senate ;

That he will vote with the Democrats in the very important matter of districting the States ;

That in regard to banks he will vote with the Democrats for the most radical restrictions, inclusive of the individual liability clause ;

That he will vote with the Democrats on all the political questions of the day that divide them from the Whigs.

KEEP IT BEFORE THE DEMOCRATS.

That William Haslett is the Whig candidate, ardently attached to Whig measures and men, and will, if elected, do every thing in his power to advance the interest of the Whig party. By his votes and influence, he will do every thing he can to prostrate Democratic principles and men.

He will of course vote with his own party in the organization of the Senate—in the districting of the State—in granting bank charters, and in legislating for all kinds of corporations with special privileges. On all test questions he will vote with his own party.

We conceive that the above exhibits the true positions of the candidates for the Senate. Mr. Vincent represents Democratic principles.—Mr. Haslett represents Whig principles.

Every person knows that Mr. Haslett will most certainly favor ultra Whig measures, and nothing else. The Democrats may rest assured, that Mr. Vincent will as certainly favor nothing but Democratic measures.

When the question is thus narrowed down, no Democrat, *who is desirous for the triumph of his party and its principles*, will refuse to vote for Mr. Vincent.—*Butler Herald.*

Gov. Johnson's Sinking Fund.

When Gov. Shunk came into the administration in January, 1845, the amount of Wm. F. Johnston's shin plasters, then outstanding and in circulation, was $1,438,178

The amount stated to be outstanding by Gov. Johnston, in his message at the commencement of the last session, was 702,664

Thus showing that the sum of $735,514 of this debt, had been cancelled and paid off during Gov. Shunk's administration, except a small amount which was funded. It was thus the public debt was paid during Gov. Shunk's term, besides meeting all the demands on the treasury and paying the interests on the public debt punctually. Gov. Shunk claimed no extraordinary credit for this. He was content to stay at home and attend to his duties, and leave the results of his actions to speak for themselves.

But as soon as Gov. Johnston got into power, one of the first financial acts under his administration was to renew his favorite unconstitutional and irredeemable shin plasters, and turn the money which was applicable to their payment, to the purchase of state stocks, and call it *Gov. Johnston's sinking fund*, in order to make an electioneering hobby of it. Verily, a party who can expect to deceive the people by so shallow a device, can have no confidence in their discernment and intelligence. It is very certain that the people ought to place no confidence in them.—*Keystone.*

Cure for Founder.

1.—" The seeds of sunflowers;" says a correspondent of the Zanesville Gazette, are one of the best remedies known for the cure of founder in horses. Immediately on discovering that your horse is foundered, mix about a pint of the whole seed with his feed, and it will effect a perfect cure.' The seed should be given as soon as it is discovered that the horse is foundered.

2.—A strong decoction of sassafras, to be given thrice a day, a quart at a time, is strongly recommended as a safe and certain cure. As auxiliary means, the horses' shoes should be taken off, and the animal turned into the pasture (if in the season of grazing ; if not he should be fed on mashes of bran and straw, with an addition of a pint of linseed meal, for a few days ; his feet should be washed in warm water, dried by rubbing with a course cloth, and have his hoof and coronet well rubbed with heated lard. Bleeding, either general or local, in severe cases, is eminently serviceable ; and it will be well, too, to dissolve 5 drachms of Barbadoes aloes in a pint of water and gin, and give it in a drench.

LOCAL MATTERS.

DEAR SIR : Will you be so kind as to notice in the Post of Monday, that Philip S. White, Esq., will address the citizens on Monday evening, in the 5th Presbyterian Church, on the subject of Temperance. Mr. White is a distinguished lecturer.

Yours respectfully, T. S.

THE SLAVE CASE.—The Virginia runaway slave has runaway in earnest. He is now beyond the read of his master or the officers.

Officers Barr, Reed and Hill did what they could to apprehend him; but they failed.

These officers say that they were not aware of the object of the Governor of Virginia in rendering the requisition—that they were after a horse-thief and not a slave. Under these circumstances they should not be reproached—for it is most disgraceful for Northern men to engage in the infamous business of slave catching. Public opinion has changed within a few years.

We understand the requisition was brought to this city by the owner, or a friend of his.

Officers Hague and Fox inform us that they were applied to in the first instance, but refused to have anything to do with the matter.

We believe information was made before Ald. Morrow, on Saturday, against officer Hill, for firing at the fugitive. The powers of an officer in making arrests are not clearly defined. But few, if any, know how far they can go where resistance is offered.

MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE.—The superintendent is working manfully to establish the Exchange, and the prospects are good. If business men will only agree to make the little sacrifice of time necessary to give an attendance in the room at the appointed hour, for a few weeks, the habits of buyers and sellers will be so changed that they will give over the old and awkward system of making transactions. We trust the present season will give permanence to the institution. One thing is certain that every honest merchant has an interest in its success.

☞Our readers must not neglect attending the Sale of that Trunk and Contents of rare and valuable articles, to be sold at McKenna's Auction Rooms this afternoon, at two o'clock, as the property of G. P. Costell, to pay Rent, Boarding and other charges, by order of P. H. Anteon. Among the articles are 3 Gold Lever Watches, 2 Silver Lever, 1 Gold Lepine, Jewellery and a large quantity of Clothing, Books, &c. ; also 1 excellent Fowling Piece.

SUPREME COURT, Oct. 5.—Treasurer of Allegheny College vs. McCord, Mercer County ; judgment reversed, opinion by Rogers, Justice.

Jester vs. Jefferson Township, District Court ; argued by McClure for plaintiff in error, Woods for defendant in error.

Estate of James Cherry, Orphans' Court ; argued by McClure for appellant, Layng for appellee.

Lobbe vs. Frew, for use, Common Pleas ; judgment of non. pros.

STRANGERS IN THE TOMBS.—On Saturday we noted the fact that destitute strangers are in the habit of applying to the Mayor for permission to lie on the hard boards of the cells during night. On Saturday morning there were no less than *nine* such cases ! Of course when day light appeared they were permitted to go. This statement is no evidence of improvement in the condition of the people. One year ago applications to the Mayor for lodging in the Tombs were unfrequent.

BOOBYER AND GRIBBLE, of the Bee Hive Clothing Store, No. 251, Liberty street, have issued a very singular and indescribable card. It contains the cut of a double-faced gentleman—one face much pleased at a good bargain made at the aforementioned establishment, the other dejected on account of the neglect to make a purchase there.

LOST CHILDREN.—That old and popular bell ringer Lynch, requests us to say that he can be found at his residence, corner of Webster and Washington streets, four doors from Dickson's store, at almost any hour of the day or night. Persons who require his services will know where to call.

☞H. WILLIAMS will open a NIGHT SCHOOL, at 6½ o'clock this evening, (Monday, the 8th October,) on the corner of Fourth and Perry streets, entrance on Perry, where he will be happy to impart instruction in Reading, Penmanship, Arithmetic, Book-keeping, Phonography, Physiology, &c.

FIRE.—On Saturday night last a stable belonging to a drayman, near the Perry House, Duquesne Way, was burned. A horse was also burned. We did not hear how the fire originated.

" OLD SNAKE."—Under this title we shall publish an article from a " Connaught Man," which " gives the divil" to Mr. Postmaster Roseburgh.—So look out !

RAIN—We heard of little else than rain yesterday. The river will now be up, and on to-morrow the coal boatmen will probably get off.

☞NOTICE EVERY ONE WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.—The American Oil, having performed by its use so many remarkable cures, and being a powerful Remedial Agent for various diseases, has induced some persons to counterfeit this valuable medicine. The original and genuine American Oil is obtained from a well in Burkeville, Kentucky from the sole and only proprietors, D. Hale & Co., who appointed Mr. Wm. Jackson, of 89 Liberty street, Pittsburgh, their sole and only agent for supplying sub-agents in western Pennsylvania, western Virginia, and part of Ohio. The true and genuine American Oil is a dark green color. There are various counterfeits abroad —some Seneca Oil, some a mixture closely resembling the genuine, purporting to come from the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Dispensary Company; some black, some white, said to be made from the Original American Oil. D. Hale & Co., the only and sole proprietors of the true and original American Oil, DO NOT nor NEVER DID supply any persons who make the article called Extract of American Oil, said to be refined, clarified and concentrated. BEWARE of the worthless counterfeits, and OBSERVE that Wm. Jackson, 89 Liberty street, Pittsburgh, head of Wood street is the ONLY and SOLE agent for the above mentioned District, and that none is genuine but what has the name and address printed on the label, and in the pamphlet in which each bottle is enveloped, and likewise notice that the proprietors' address is printed in each pamphlet thus : " D. Hall & Co., Kentucky." Another way of detecting the counterfeits is the difference in the price. The genuine is sold invariably at 50 cts. per bottle and no less, while some of the counterfeits are sold at various prices under.

The Pure and only Genuine American Oil is sold wholesale and retail by Wm. Jackson, at the only agency in Pittsburgh, No. 89 Liberty street, head of Wood st. aug31:3m

News by Telegraph !

Reported for the Morning Post

NO NEWS FROM THE EAST.

Because the line has been out of order since Saturday.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 7, P. M.

It rained during the most of the day, and still continues raining. The river has risen 7 inches—business is improving, but there has been no change whatever in the market.

Flour is scarce and firm.

Pork.. The market is firm. Mess rates at $8.

Bacon.. There is a better demand.

THEATRE.

MANAGER.....C. S. FORTER

ADMISSION:

Dress Circle and Parquette.....50 cents.
Second Tier.....25 "

☞Fourth night of Mrs. FARREN.
MONDAY, October 8, will be presented
THE WIFE.
Antonio.....Mr. Farren. | St. Pierre.....Mr. Webb.
Marianne.....Mrs. Farren.
To conclude with the successful Farce called
WHO SPEAKS FIRST?
Capt. Charles...Reynolds. | Militant.....Roys.
Mrs. Militant.Miss Cruise. | Sunset.....Mrs. Donovan.
TIME ALTERED—Doors open at 7 ; Curtain will rise at half past 7 o'clock, precisely.

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EXTENSIVE CABINET-MAKER'S STOCK OF SPLENDID FURNITURE AT AUCTION.—On Tuesday, October 30th, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold, positively, without reserve, at the cabinet warerooms of Philip Weise, Penn street, second door from Walnut street, 5th Ward, his entire stock of splendid Furniture, as he is declining that business. All the articles are made in the best manner, exclusively for customer trade. Housekeepers and others will find it their advantage to attend, as bargains may be expected.—Among the articles are, in part—mahogany dressing bureaus, mahogany and cherry plain bureaus, mahogany secretaries and book-cases, card tables, centre tables, side tables, dining and breakfast tables, fancy sewing stands, wash stands, wardrobes, high and low post bedsteads, fancy and common chairs, settees, together with a great variety of every kind of Furniture, not necessary to mention [oct8] JAMES McKENNA, Auct.

Great Bargains!

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

THE subscriber will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, on Saturday, the 13th day of October, 1849, at 10 o'clock, A. M., all that Farm of Land, situate in Ross Township, Allegheny County, adjoining the property of William Lecky, Esq., on Woods' Run, near the flourishing Borough of Manchester, late the property of John Davis, deceased, which has been subdivided into convenient Lots, suitable for Gardeners, Nursery-men, Country Seats, &c., &c., containing as follows:

Lot No.	1,	13	Acres,	141 Perches.
" "	2,	7	"	107 "
" "	3,	5	"	39 "
" "	4,	9	"	01 "
" "	5,	5	"	41 "
" "	6,	5	"	—
" "	7,	4	"	151 "
" "	8,	7	"	73 "
" "	9,	11	"	75 "
" "	10,	9	"	111 "
" "	11,	4	"	100 "
" "	12,	5	"	18 "
" "	13,	5	"	143 "
" "	14,	6	"	35 "
" "	15,	5	"	96 "
" "	16,	5	"	49 "
" "	17,	5	"	112 "
" "	18,	3	"	94 "
" "	19,	7	"	15 "
" "	20,	7	"	42 "
" "	21,	5	"	30 "

These Lots comprise some of the most beautiful, convenient and desirable locations in the neighborhood of the Cities of Allegheny and Pittsburgh, being a short distance from the Ohio River and the Beaver Road, which is good at all seasons; and distant about 30 minutes' drive from the Old Allegheny Bridge. Some of the Lots have valuable improvements, consisting of Dwelling Houses, Barn, Fruit Trees, &c., &c., and abound in never-failing springs of good, pure water.

Persons doing business in the Cities, and others, desirous of convenient Country Seats, accessible at all seasons, Gardeners, Nursery-men, &c. &c., will find this an excellent opportunity to procure choice Lots.

Plans of the Lots can be seen at the office of G. R. RIDDLE, Fifth street, Pittsburgh, and adjoining the premises with SAMUEL DAVIS, who will show the property to persons wishing to purchase.

TERMS OF SALE: One-fourth in cash, and the balance in three equal annual instalments, with interest, secured by bonds and mortgage. Sale positive. Title indisputable. oct3 d1w JOHNSTON R. DAVIS.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS of Allegheny County, No. 58, March Term, A. D. 1849

Elizabeth B. Browne by her next friend Henry Kennedy vs. Edward O. Browne. } Libel for Divorce. *A vincula matrimonii.*

To Edward O. Browne, the above named respondent.—Take notice, that whereas a writ of *alias* subpœna gave libel for divorce at suit of your wife, Elizabeth B. Browne, by her next friend Henry Kennedy, was issued out of the above mentioned Court, tested at Pittsburgh on the seventh day of May, A. D. 1849, and returnable the third Monday of June next thereafter, and whereas, on the return of the said alias subpœna, proof was made that you could not be found in said County, now you are hereby required to be and appear in your proper person at the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County, on the 4th Monday of October next, being the first day of the next term of said Court, to answer the petition or libel of your said wife, and shew cause, if any you have, why she should not be divorced from the bond of matrimony. JOHN FORSYTH, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Pittsburgh, Sept. 17th, 1849.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, of March Term, A. D. 1849. No. 53.

Elizabeth B. Browne by her next friend Henry Kennedy, vs. Edward O. Browne.—Application for Divorce.

And now, to wit, September 15, 1849, the Court appoint Robert Morrow, Esq., Commissioner to take depositions of witnesses to be produced on part of libellant.—three weeks notice or the time and place of taking the same to be given by publication in the "Pittsburgh Post," a paper published in the City of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County ; the last of which publications shall be at least ten days before the day appointed for taking the same.

From the Record. HIRAM HULTZ, Proth'y.

To Edward O Browne, above named respondent.—Take notice, that in pursuance of the above Rule of Court, the depositions of witnesses will be taken before R. Morrow, Esq., at his office on Fifth street, in the City of Pittsburgh, on Friday, the 19th day of October next, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 6 o'clock P. M.

MAGRAW & McKNIGHT,
sept 7 Attys. for Libellan.

SEPTEMBER 15, 1849—No. 195, October Term, 1849. AMELIA MURRAY, by her next friend, vs. THOMAS MURRAY.

On motion of Mr. Hamilton, the Court appoint Andrew McMaster, Esq., Commissioner, to take depositions *ex parte* Libellant;—notice of the time and place of taking the same to be given to the Respondent, personally, if he be found in the County ; and if not so found, to be given by publication in the Weekly Pittsburgh Post, three times, the last of which shall be held at least ten days before the day of taking the same.

From the Record. HIRAM HULTZ, Proth'y.

To the Defendant above named.—Take notice, that the depositions of witnesses to be read in the argument of the above cause, will be taken before Andrew McMaster, Esq., Commissioner appointed to take testimony in this case, at his office on Fifth street, Pittsburgh, on the 25th day of October, 1849, between the hours of 2 and 5 o'clock P. M. of said day, when and where the parties interested may attend. ANDW. McMASTER,
sep22:3tw Commr.

☞NOTICE is hereby given, that application will be made at the next session of the Legislature for a charter for a bank to be located in the city of Pittsburgh, to be styled the Western Bank of Pennsylvania, with a capital of one million of dollars, and to have all the privileges of discount and issue, such as is commonly granted to banking institutions in this State.

Pittsburgh, June 29, 1849. jy5

ESTRAY MARE.—Came to the enclosure of the subscriber, residing in Pine Township, on the 21st of September, a SORREL MARE, supposed to be five years old, with a small white spot on the face ; had a yoke on, and unshod. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take her away. [oct6:3t*] WM. RAMAGE.

DUFF'S COMMERCIAL COLLEGE, N. W. CORNER OF THE DIAMOND.

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In the Orphan's Court of Allegheny Co.,

IN the matter of the estate of John Burgess, deceased, No. 59, June Term, 1847.

SEPTEMBER 29, 1849.

The account of William Holmes, Esq., for acting Executor, having been filed, exhibiting a balance in his favor of $1697.44, and said Executor praying for his discharge from said Executorship, and the office of Trustee under the will, &c.

On motion of James S. Craft, Esq., the Court ordered that notice of the above filing and application be given by three insertions (weekly,) in two of the newspapers of the city of Pittsburgh, and that, if no objections be made on the probate of said notice, that the said Wm. Holmes shall then be discharged from the office of Executor aforesaid.

By order of the Court.
t. s. DANIEL M'CURDY, Clerk.
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Notice.

THE undersigned having taken out Letters of Administration on the Estate of James Glendening, late of Findley Township, Allegheny County, dec'd, hereby notifies the debtors and creditors of said estate, that he will meet with them at the late residence of the deceased, on Monday the 5th day of November first ensuing, where they are requested to attend, with their accounts properly authenticated, for settlement.

sep24:6t* JAMES POLLOCK, Adm'r.

SAFETY FUSES—14,000 feet Extra Safety Fuses for sale by RHEY, MATTHEWS & CO., se8:1d 28 Water street.

WINDOW GLASS—295 boxes 8x10 Glass;
275 " 10x12 "
50 " 9x12 "
165 " 10x14 "
85 " 7x 9 "
10 " 9x14 "
25 " 10x15 "
20 " 10x16 "
Of Smith & Herrons' manufacture, which we will warrant equal to city brands. For sale at the lowest market rates.
All orders for larger size Glass and for Sheet Glass, left with the subscribers, shall have prompt attention.
RHEY, MATTHEWS & CO., oct8 28 Water st., Agents for Smith & Herons.

WROUGHT SPIKES—200 kegs improved Wrought Spikes; various sizes, for sale low by RHEY, MATTHEWS & CO., oct8 28 Water street.

SCORCHINGS—86 casks, prime quality, for sale by RHEY, MATTHEWS & CO.

SODA ASH—24 casks Muspratts & Sons';
35 " Steel & Sons; over 80 0-0 test;
for sale by [oct8] RHEY, MATTHEWS & CO.

N. O. SUGAR—100 hhds., prime, per steamer Planter, for sale by [oct8] RHEY, MATTHEWS & CO.

PIG METAL—400 tons cold blast, charcoal, for sale by RHEY, MATTHEWS & CO. oct8

PIG LEAD—350 pigs Lead, to arrive; for sale by RHEY, MATTHEWS & CO.

WOOLEN COMFORTS—An assortment of Ladies', Gentlemen's and Children's Woolen Comforts, just received by McCANDLESS & CAMPBELL. oct5 97 Wood street.

Fine Wool Under-shirts and Drawers.

WE are making Under-shirts and Drawers of a fine soft texture, and will sell them retail for a small advance on the cost of manufacturing. These Goods are warranted not to shrink in washing.
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PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS in and by the Act of the General Assembly of Pennsylvania, enlitled an act relating to elections of the Commonwealth, it is enjoined on me to give public notice of such elections to be held, and enumerate in such notice what officers are to be elected : in pursuance thereof, I, JOHN FORSYTH, Sheriff of the County of Allegheny, do therefore make known and give this public notice to the electors of said county of Allegheny, that a General Election will be held in the said County, on the SECOND TUESDAY OF OCTOBER NEXT, in the several election districts therein.

The electors of the 1st ward of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the house of Mrs. Jane Little, at the corner of Ferry and Fourth streets, in said ward.

The electors of the 2d ward of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the house of Wm. Armstrong, corner Third and Smithfield streets, in said ward.

The electors of the 3d ward of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the house of And. McMasters, Esq.

The electors of the 4th ward of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the Washington Coffee House, corner Penn and St. Clair streets.

The electors of the 5th ward of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the house of Alexander Stewart, in said ward.

The electors of the 6th ward of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the public school house in said ward.

The electors of the 7th ward of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the public school house in said ward.

The electors of the 8th ward of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the public school house in said ward.

The electors of the 9th ward of the city of Pitts