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"No North, no South, no East, no West, under the Constitution; but a sacred maintenance of the Common Bond, and true devotion to the Common Brotherhood.—Franklin Pierce.

NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT,
FRANKLIN PIERCE,
OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
WILLIAM R. KING,
OF ALABAMA.

FOR JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT,
GEORGE W. WOODWARD,
OF LUZERNE COUNTY.

FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER,
WILLIAM HOPKINS,
OF WASHINGTON COUNTY.

Democratic Electoral Ticket for Pennsylvania.

SENATORIAL ELECTORS.
GEORGE W. WOODWARD, WILSON M'CANDLESS,
GEN. ROBERT PATTERSON.

REPRESENTATIVE ELECTORS.

District.		District.	
1.	Peter Logan.	13.	H. C. Eyer.
2.	George H. Martin.	14.	John Clayton.
3.	John Miller.	15.	Isaac Robinson.
4.	F. W. Bockius.	16.	Henry Fester.
5.	R. M'Cay, Jr.	17.	James Burnside.
6.	A. Apple.	18.	Maxwell M'Caslin.
7.	Hon. N. Strickland.	19.	Gen. Joseph M'Donald.
8.	A. Peters.	20.	William S. Calahan.
9.	David Fisher.	21.	Andrew Burke.
10.	R. E. James.	22.	William Dunn.
11.	John M'Reynolds.	23.	John S. M'Calmont.
12.	P. Damon.	24.	George R. Barret.

THE SHERIFFALTY.

It is now about a week since the Whig organs promised that Mr. Magill would come out with a *statement* which would exhonorate him from any participation in the peculations from the County Treasury, and prove himself as pure as Cæsar's wife, who it is said was above the suspicion of being capable to commit a fraud upon her spouse. But, Mr. Magill's statement has not appeared, and many of our citizens begin to think that *he is not above suspicion*, and not over pure.

We have treated Mr. Magill kindly on this subject, and would never have referred to it, had not his two organs, the Journal and Gazette, given publicity to Barker's charges against him. Then we thought we had a right to refer to the peculations that have been practiced about the Court House, and put some questions to our cotemporaries. How was it met? Why the Gazette was as mum as an oyster, and the editor started off to the shades of Cleveland at once.—The Journal man did not get up in time; he had to stay at home, and, inasmuch as he could not escape, he made a most gross attack upon a couple of Democrats, who he said were mixed up in the frauds. We asked him for the proof, and promised in the most implicit manner, that no democrat who had been guilty of defrauding the county Treasury, could use the columns of the *Post* to defend his fraud. The following is the only answer the Journal has given:

"The Sheriffalty.—The *Post* declines investigation into the truth of Joe Barker's charges against the Democratic County Commissioners, James Cunningham and Alexander Carnahan, but insists that Magill was a Commissioner at the time the alleged peculations were committed. As it is a Democratic family affair, the *Post* ought to speak out unless it is willing to cover up Democratic peculations, because they are Democratic. Shame, shame, on the *Post*."

Now is not that a beautiful defence of Mr. Magill—a very explicit explanation of the fraud, with which it is said he has been connected, and a convincing proof that Democrats have been guilty of stealing? The editor of the Journal has lost his usual cunning, or he would never have written the above paragraph. The *Post* has never referred to "Joe Barker's charges against the Democratic County Commissioners," but it has invited the Journal to prove the charges, and at the same time to relieve its candidate for the sheriffalty of the suspicions which are entertained in every district of the city and county against him. The evasion of the Journal will not satisfy the people. It and its neighbor of the Gazette, and we may now include Mr. Magill himself, have been too bold in promising an explanation of frauds that cannot be explained without connecting some of themselves with the frauds committed. We, therefore, call for Mr. Magill's "statement." *It must come out.* In the above paragraph the Journal has made insinuations against the honesty of two respectable democrats. His information must have been received from Mr. Magill; and if these gentlemen are guilty, we again demand Mr. Magill's "statement; and while he is proving their guilt, we ask him to make his own innocence manifest.—This must be done. Inasmuch as the whig papers have said that Mr. Magill *would* explain all things, the people now want all things explained, and especially where that *scrip* has gone to. The whigs must not suppose that we are particular as to which party the frauds may be fixed upon, for we are opposed to rascals in all parties; and if any turn up in the party to which we belong, (and such an occurrence would be a curiosity) we are as willing to place him on the list of rascals as the worst whig among them all.—But we want some proof before we gratify the Journal with a discussion. He has got two of his party "under the sods of the valley," and of course it is not admissable to refer to their derelictions; but there is one of them left alive and kicking, and according to the statements of some of his own party, he is the greatest sinner among them all. As the whig papers have brought this matter before the public, it is not necessary for us to be over modest in speaking of it, and until they bring out Mr. Magill's "statement," properly authenticated, setting forth the stealings of all, we can assure them we will not refrain from referring to it, and keep this matter before the people until the election.

We esteem Mr. Magill a good citizen, and care nothing for the ravings of "Joe Barker" against him. The former says his prayers in a proper manner, on Sunday, and there is a rumor that the latter does not. But this is not of much consequence compared to other matters. Barker has made serious charges against Magill. The Journal, the Gazette, and Mr. Magill have promised to explain them, but they have not done so. Now, when will we have this explanation? Echo answers *never.* The charges cannot be answered, for if they could, they would have been forthcoming long ago, and, with a melancholy forboding we must conclude that they are all correct.

There is another fraud which we would desire the whig editors and whig candidates to explain when Mr. Magill's statement is published. That is, why the Whig candidate proper should permit his bigotted notions to carry him so far astray as to assail his democratic competitor on his religious opinions? Now what our candidate's religious opinions are we do not know. We would consider it impertinent on our part to enquire into such matters. All we want to know, is, that he is an honest man, and one in whom the people have confidence, and the choice of the Democratic party. Charles Kent has all these recommendations, and we, therefore, support him.—From early boyhood he has proved himself capable of conducting his own business, and by hard industry, in a most laborious calling, it is said that he has made a comfortable competence.—That is the man for the people. The poor boy who can start in life without a shilling, and by his successful attention to his own business, raise himself to opulence, is the very man who will attend to the business of the people in the same proper manner. Who will say as much for Magill, or Barker, the two Whig candidates? The "statement" must first come out before we can say which is worst, and when it does we may show them both up. "Hope delayed, maketh the heart sick," and, upon our word we are sick of waiting for Mr. Magill's statement.

Since the above was in type we have received the following from Mr. Magill. We will attend to it to-morrow.

TO THE PEOPLE OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

I learn from letters and other sources of information, that Joseph Barker, a candidate for the office of Sheriff, is charging me with having, while Commissioner of this county, appropriated county scrip to my own use; with having taken it to my own dwelling, and that there it was signed by myself and family; or that I obtained scrip in some manner, over and above what was justly due me, as pay for my services as Commissioner. To sustain these charges he refers to James Cunningham, Esq., a late Commissioner, and to the present Board of Commissioners.

I pronounce the charges just referred to, and all others of a similar kind, as utterly false.—All the scrip bearing my signature was signed by myself in the court-house, my family having nothing to do with it. I never took or borrowed a dollar of the scrip, except what I drew by warrant from the Treasurer, as my legal pay as Commissioner; and during the period I was in office I never knew or heard of any man having obtained, taken or received scrip or county funds in any manner, who was not lawfully entitled to it, and that was not drawn by warrant on the Treasurer.

Being a candidate for nomination for another office, before the Convention of June 3d, 1846, I resigned my office as Commissioner on the 23d of May preceding, (having served one year and seven months,) at which time, as the books will show, there was due me for services as Commissioner, the sum of twenty-two dollars and six cents. Since that time I have had no connection with the Commissioners' office.

Through the politeness of Mr. Gormley, who was clerk to the Commissioners at the time I was in office, and is yet; Messrs. Mitchell, Boyles and King, the present Board; and Mr. Cunningham, who was one of my colleagues in office, and to whom reference is made by Barker, I am enabled to append to this statement a mass of testimony so entirely satisfactory, that I cheerfully submit the case to my fellow citizens, with full confidence that they will do me justice, and that they will decide that the charges in question have no foundation in truth.

WILLIAM MAGILL.

Pittsburgh, Aug. 26, 1852.

I was clerk to the County Commissioners during Wm. Magill's time in the office. On his retirement he requested me to examine the scrip account, as far as he was connected with it. I did so, and found it correct, with the exception of three dollars, which was supposed to be an error of the Treasurer, and was accounted for by him. The scrip, during Mr. Magill's time was all signed in the office or in the Court House. The name of William Magill has never appeared on any counterfeit. I am able to say that Mr. Magill never obtained a dollar of County Scrip or funds, either by loan or otherwise, except his legal pay as a Commissioner.

JAMES GORMLY.

Sworn and subscribed, this 30th day of August, 1852. And. McMaster, Ald'n.

The undersigned, Commissioners of Allegheny County, have no evidence, on the books or otherwise, that William Magill, while commissioner, had ever received any county scrip or funds in any manner except as his legal pay as a Commissioner. Nor has any intimation ever been given connecting his name with any deficiency of scrip.

JAMES MITCHELL,
EBENEZER BOYLES,
ROBERT KING.

Commissioners' Office, August 27, 1852.

I certify that I never told Joseph Barker that I had known Wm. Magill, candidate for the Sheriffalty, to take Scrip belonging to the County, when he was a Commissioner. I never knew or heard, save what has came from Barker and his friends, that Magill ever took Scrip home with him to have it signed. The assertion, therefore, that I am his authority for the charge which he prefers against Wm. Magill, Esq., is entirely false, and without the slightest foundation. I am no political friend of Wm. Magill, I belong to a different party, but justice requires (as my name has been coupled in this matter by Barker) that I should give this certificate, which I freely do. JAS. CUNNINGHAM.

Attest—Thos Scott.

Wylie street, Pittsburgh, August 26, 1852.

The Committee of Arrangements for the Scott and Graham Mass Convention, which is to assemble in the City of Pittsburgh, on the 23d day of September next, are requested to meet at the Office of the Allegheny Valley Railroad Company, on Saturday, the 28th inst., at 3 o'clock, P. M.

WM. F. JOHNSTON,
au26 Chairman of Com.

☞ We find the above in the Whig papers of this city, and we deem it to be our duty, to make a few remarks in relation thereto.

When the Allegheny Valley Railroad project was started, a number of gentlemen, whigs as well as democrats, called upon us to ascertain if we had any objections to Governor Johnston being made President of that company. "None, whatever." we promptly replied, "*if he will let politics alone.*" Thereupon the most positive assurances were given us that the Governor would quit politics, and devote all his time, talents and energies to the prosecution of the great work in which Pittsburgh is so deeply interested. With this understanding, we favored the selection of Governor Johnston for the Presidency of the A. V. R. R., and have ever since devoted our columns and our pens to advance that enterprise. But we are sorry to find that Governor Johnston, forgetful, of his solemn promises, has turned politician again, and is now more concerned about the success of the Whig party than the interest of the Allegheny Valley Railroad. Indeed he is making the rooms of that company *the whig head quarters for the campaign!*

Democrats as well as whigs are stockholders in the Allegheny Valley Railroad, and they do not wish to see the office of the Company,—the rent of which they have to pay,—converted into a den of whiggery. We think it is a monstrous piece of impudence for Governor Johnston to call whig meetings in the Allegheny Valley Railroad office, and he must presume a great deal upon the good nature of Democrats to think that they will sanction his political proceedings.

Now, we have only to say that of Governor Johnston wishes to play the politician, he should resign his place as the President of the A. V. R. R. at once; otherwise it cannot be expected that Democrats will co-operate with him very cordially in laboring for that work. He must quit politics or resign. That we shall insist upon!

OPENING OF THE CAMPAIGN.

The first blow given by the Democracy of Allegheny county the present campaign to Federalism, Galphinism, and Fuss and Feathers, will be given on Friday night next, when the Hon. Sam Houston, of Texas, will be present. Let the Democracy of the city and county make a glorious turn out and welcome the bosom friend of Jackson, the founder of a Republic, and the hero of many a well fought field, both in the camp and the cabinet, with the enthusiasm his many virtues deserve. Gen. Houston will address the people at some place which will be hereafter announced, and we trust he will have a warm reception at the hands of our citizens.

JAMES C. VAN DYKE, ESQ.

We are pleased to learn from Philadelphia that our worthy friend James C. Van Dyke, Esq., has been nominated as the Democratic candidate for Congress in the district at present represented by the Hon. Joseph R. Chandler. Mr. Van Dyke is not only a talented, energetic and accomplished lawyer, but an enthusiastic and influential Democrat, and a whole-souled fellow. Although we can scarcely anticipate the election of a Democrat in a district so largely whig, yet we feel confident that Mr. Van Dyke will receive the vote, and more than the vote, of his party. He deserves to be elected.

Bishop Upfold.—The Bishop of Indiana preached twice in Trinity Church on Sunday last to crowded congregations. His old parishioners were glad to hear one who has so strong a hold on their affections, and whose discourses are always calculated to awaken the intellect, as well as touch the finest emotions of the heart. The Bishop appears to be in excellent health.

The *Post* says: "We need such a man as William Hopkins in the Canal Board of Pennsylvania." What for?—*Gazette.*

Are you anxious to know, Deacon? Well, we will tell you. Just to keep your t'penny lawyer, Hoffman, from getting his long fingers into the State Treasury. Are you satisfied?

Items of News and Miscellany.

Twenty-three miles of the Akron Branch of the C. & P. Railroad, from the Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad to Millersburgh, were let for grading and bridging last week at Millersburgh.

Almost anything seems a sufficient cause for suicide. A boy, fourteen years of age, in Perry county, Miss., was whipped by his father, when he went to a neighbor's house and borrowed a gun, with which he returned and shot him. He died instantly.

Mr. Seward, in speaking of the magnitude of the fishing business, says that it employs a fleet of 1200 sail, managed by twelve thousand men, a capital of four million of dollars.

Two barns, belonging to Mr. Murdock of Winchendon, Mass., were burned on Friday evening last, supposed to be the work of an incendiary. The barns belonged to the tavern estate, formerly occupied by Mr. Morse.

By a recent proclamation of the Governor General of Canada, the line of railroad from Quebec to Richmond, already commenced and from the last point by *St. Lawrence and Atlantic railroad* to Montreal, now completed and running, is adopted as the central portion of the "main trunk line of railway throughout the whole length of the Province.

Capt. Edmund Fanning, formerly of Stonington, Conn., and one of our first Pacific navigators, was at the Lobos Islands, in 1798, on a sealing voyage, and was never interrupted there. There were no inhabitants there, and there was neither wood, water or vegetation on the Islands. No other nation claimed any exclusive right to his knowledge. The Islands were covered with guano.

A letter dated 27th of July, which appears in the Davenport (Iowa) Gazette, states that the surveying party of the Iowa and Minnesota boundary had arrived at the Big Sioux on the 10th, and that Colonel Talcott would leave on the 28th for Dubuque. It was thought the survey would be completed by the 15th of September.

The principal, if not the only business of the extra session of the Legislature of Missouri, about to assemble, will be to take such measures as will secure to the Pacific and the Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroads the use of the lands donated by the Federal Government, at the present session, to assist in the building of those roads.

The temperance men of Maine have adopted a new method of disseminating the principles of their cause. They use letter envelops, on which are printed extracts from speeches and arguments by distinguished men, with various statistics, in favor of temperance, and thus distribute the most powerful appeals, by hundreds and thousands, to every quarter.

It is said the Clark's and Reybold's of Delaware, are now sending from one to two thousand baskets of peaches to market daily.

A writer in the N. Hampshire Gazette, who dates his letter at Medina, Michigan, and signs himself "A Massachusetts Wolverine," proposes a Grand New England Jubilee to be held in Boston some time during the Great Exhibition in New York next year.

The security of life on the Erie Railroad is greatly enhanced by a line of telegraphic wire extending along the stations, by which the movements of trains can be controlled, and liability of collisions and other accidents, in a degree avioded.

The Paris Moniteur, in translating some California items from the English papers, says:—Assassinations are frequent, and Lyric law continues to be administered." This is a new name for the code of Judge Lynch. We imagine that the sufferers find the infliction of the penalty rather more tragic than lyric.

The Orleans Family have resigned, it is said, the hope of ever returning to France, with the exception of the Dutchess of Orleans. The Prince de Joinville is exceedingly depressed, his hearing is affected, and he suffers from a disease of the liver. The Duke d'Aumale spends his time in literary work.

It is reported that a desperate fight occurred at Chateauga, N. Y., on Saturday afternoon, between the circus company of Sands and the citizens of that place, and that one man was killed, and two others could not survive.

HON C. B. CURTIS.

The Democratic Congressional Conference meeting, composed of the counties in the XXIII district, assembled at Brookville, Jefferson County, on the 24th inst., and on the 69th ballot nominated the Hon. Carlton B. Curtis, for Congress. Mr. Curtis is a good and true Democrat and he will, of course, be re-elected. He, at present, represents that district in Congress.

☞ The books of the recent elections show the following footings:

For Pierce—

North Carolina	10
Missouri	9
Arkansas	4
Iowa	4
	27

For Gen. Scott—
"Fired with indignation"—

Political Knavery Rebuked.—The *Boston Pilot*, a well known and deservedly influential paper among our Irish adopted citizens, has this manly caution to its numerous readers:—

"W. E. Robinson.—We have read the lecture of this person, on the New Hampshire controversy. It is a disgraceful production. We may notice it briefly next week. ☞ Meanwhile we caution adopted citizens against it. ☜ It is THE MOST DISHONEST ELECTIONEERING DOCUMENT WE HAVE SEEN THIS SEASON."

Indianapolis and Lafayette Railroad.—We learn from the Indiana *Sentinal*, that this road is completed and the cars are running daily from Lafayette to Lebanon, in Boone county. The rails are now laid some distance this side of Lebanon, and we understand that the road will be completed in about two weeks to the depot near Eagle Village, fifteen miles from this city. In three months the road will be finished.

NOMINATIONS IN ILLINOIS.

The following are the Democratic nominations for Congress, in Illinois so far as they have been made.

Fourth District—Lewis W. Ross.
Fifth District—Wm. A. Richardson.
Sixth District—John Calhoun.
Seventh District—James C. Allen.
Eighth District—Philip B. Fouke.

☞ The House of Representatives on Friday last, elected Robert Armstrong, Esq., publisher of the Union newspaper, Printer to that House, conformably to act of Congress lately passed on the subject. Several other persons were voted for, most of them, says the Intelligencer, without agency or expectation on their part.

☞ W. A. Gildenfenny & Co., 78 Fourth street, have received Mary Seaham, a novel, by Mrs. Grey—the three English volumes complete in one. The reputation of Mrs. Grey will insure for this book a ready sale.

☞ H. Miner & Co., No. 32 Smithfield street, has for sale Mrs. Grey's new novel entitled Mary Seaham, and also the Bank Note and Commercial Reporter, Edited by J. Thompson, No. 2, Wall street New York.

☞ A telegraphic despatch from Washington says, that James Brooks, editor of the New York *Express*, and member of Congress, will be Postmaster-General, in place of N. K. Hall.

Col. James A. Gibson.—This gentleman was nominated for Congress in the 22d district, composed of Butler and part of Allegheny counties, at Bakerstown, on Monday last. The Colonel is a good democrat, and would make an excellent member if elected.—*Lawrence Journal.*

[From the Pennsylvanian.]

PROCEEDINGS OF THE DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

Harrisburg, August 26th.

In pursuance of the call of the State Central Committee, the members of the Democratic State Convention of the 4th of March last, assembled in the Hall of the House of Representatives at 11 o'clock, A. M., when they were called to order by the Hon. Wm. Hopkins, President, who addressed the Convention as follows:—

Gentlemen of the Convention,—We have met under circumstances very different from those under which we assembled in March last. *Then* we were full of hope. A large majority of this body believed that the time had arrived when Pennsylvania's distinguished Statesman, James Buchanan, could be nominated for the Presidency. To this end delegates were appointed who were known friends of that gentleman. With what fidelity these delegates discharged the trust that was reposed in them, let the four days balloting which occurred at Baltimore, answer. They adhered to him with a devotion rarely equaled and *never* surpassed.

They were not *alone* in their preference for the man of your choice. They had the proud satisfaction of receiving the warmest co-operation of the sterling Democracy of the "Old Dominion," of North Carolina, Alabama, Georgia and Mississippi, but they were obliged at last to yield.

This great and good man had to be offered up as a sacrifice to the union and harmony of the Democratic party. The sacrifice was a great one, and one which seemed like parting with the *last friend*, but still, it was not *too great* to be made, in order to accomplish so desirable an end.

It is proper to state in this connection, that a respectable minority of this convention expressed a preference for another distinguished gentleman, the patriot and statesman of Michigan.—He *too* had a large, perhaps I might say, controlling number of friends at Baltimore, who with *equal fidelity*, adhered to him. He was *altogether worthy* of this support.

Then again, the intellectual *giant* of Illinois and the scar-covered patriot of Texas had their admirers, who exhibited as much anxiety for their nomination as did the others for their favorites. Thus it became apparent that personal preferences must be laid aside and some one selected who would harmonize *all* the conflicting interests.

After surveying this widely extended confederacy, the attention of the convention was turned towards New Hampshire's favorite son. The moment his name was introduced (in the language of a delegate in my eye) "it took like wild fire," and Franklin Pierce was, by the *unanimous* voice of the convention, declared the nominee of the great Democratic party. And who, I ask, could have been selected that would have been more acceptable to *all?* Superadded to talents of the highest order, he will bring to the administration of the government a large amount of political wisdom and experience, and besides, a purer, braver, or more disinterested patriot, *does not live.* As to his *entire* fitness for the exalted position assigned him, he has the endorsement of some of the most eminent statesmen of the age. It is only necessary to mention two—James Buchanan and Lewis Cass—who would desire more? Of the nominee for the Vice Presidency I need hardly speak. The name of William R. King is as familiar to the Democracy of Pennsylvania as "household words;" with them he has long been a favorite. Perhaps there is not a man in the Union who would command a more cordial support.

But, gentlemen, how sadly different are the circumstances which surround us now, from those under which we last met. Then the Hon. Richard Coulter was, so far as we knew, in the vigor of health—occupying a seat on the bench of the Supreme Court.—*Now*, his mortal remains lie slumbering in the dust. He was indeed an eminent jurist—a profound scholar, and a courteous gentleman. *Then* the lamented Searight was a member of this body, with a promise of many years of usefulness, and it was by pleasing duty as your organ, to pronounce him the nominee for the office of Canal Commissioner. *Now* it is my *mournful* duty to announce to you, that he, *too*, has "gone down through the valley of the shadow of death." This is not the occasion for pronouncing a eulogy upon his character, nor would I be competent to such a task. But you will, I know, allow me to make a remark or two. It was my privilege to enjoy the personal acquaintance of the deceased for upwards of twenty years, during the last fifteen of which our intercourse was of the most friendly character. I was both his predecessor and successor in office as Commissioner of the Cumberland Road, and transacted business with him to the amount of thousands of dollars, and I here publicly (as I have often done privately) bear my humble testimony to his *inflexible integrity.* A more honest, honorable, or gentlemanly man I have never met. In all the relations of life he was courteous and kind. His heart and hand were always open to dispense of his ample means towards alleviating the wants of the necessitous. But the character of this truly good man was still more strikingly exemplified in the domestic circle. A more indulgent and devoted husband and father could no where be found. But he is gone, and I respectfully suggest, in view of the relation he sustained to this Convention, that appropriate resolutions should be passed expressive of our profound sorrow on account of his demise. Thus you see, gentlemen, that an inscrutable providence, has, within a few brief months, stricken down two of our most prominent citizens—each of them representing one of the political parties of the country—and thus demonstrating the great truth that "death is no respecter of persons" or parties, and reminding us of "what shadows we are and what shadows we pursue."

Should we not, therefore, learn from these afflicting dispensations of divine providence to cultivate a spirit of mutual forbearance and brotherly kindness, not only towards those of the same political faith with ourselves, but also with our political opponents. Let us remember that "to err is human, to forgive divine."

While we should adhere to our principles with manly firmness, we ought at the same time to treat those who differ with us courteously, and never say of the living that which we would regret having said after they are dead.

But I must not detain you. It only remains for us to proceed to the performance of the duty for which we have met.

In accordance with the recommendation of the president, resolutions, expressive of the high regard of the Convention for the lamented Mr. Searight and of sympathy with his family in their bereavement, were introduced by Mr. Fuller, and passed unanimously.

The following resolution, submitted by Mr. Hirst, of Philadelphia, was adopted unanimously:

Resolved, That the members of this Convention cordially approve and will support heartily and enthusiastically the nomination of Franklin Pierce as President of the United States, and Wm. R. King as Vice President of the United States, and that we adopt as sound and enduring Democratic doctrine, the National Platform of principles of the Baltimore Democratic Convention.

Mr. Daugherty of Dauphin, moved that the Hon. George W. Woodward be nominated by acclamation as the Democratic candidate for Judge of the Supreme Court.

The motion was agreed to amid much applause.

A large number of nominations were made for Canal Commissioner. The Hon. Wm. Hopkins, the President, being among the number, he requested permission to resign his position as President of the Convention, which was granted.—He then named the Hon. Hendrick B. Wright, as his successor, who took the chair.

On motion, the Convention adjourned until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Convention re-assembled at 2 o'clock. On motion of Mr. Badger, the Convention proceeded to a first ballot for a Candidate for Canal Commissioner with the following result:

William Hopkins	had	47 votes
Joel B. Danner	"	19 "
Henry S. Mott	"	14 "
F. R. West	"	11 "
Perry Baker	"	9 "
A. S. Feather	"	6 "
J. P. Patterson	"	7 "
——Forsyth	"	5 "
Thos. Ousterhant	"	5 "
John Creswell	"	3 "
T. J. Power	"	2 "
R. J. Loyd	"	1 "

No candidate having received a majority of all the votes cast, there was no choice. A second ballot was then had without effecting a choice, as follows:

William Hopkins	had	47 votes
Joel B. Danner	"	24 "
Henry S Mott	"	16 "
Perry Baker	"	9 "
F. R. West	"	14 "
J. P. Patterson	"	6 "
——Forsyth	"	2 "
D. B. Kutz	"	5 "

THIRD BALLOT.

William Hopkins	had	70 "
Joel B. Danner	"	30 "
H. S. Mott	"	14 "
F. R. West	"	11 "

Wm. Hopkins of Washington county, having received a majority of all the votes cast, was declared the nominee of the Democratic party for the office of Canal Commissioner.

On motion the nomination was made unanimously.

Mr. Hirst, Chairman of the State Central Committee, invited the members of the Convention to attend the Democratic Mass Meeting to be held at Reading on the 4th of September next, which was accepted.

Mr. Strong on behalf of the Berks County Committee, promised a cordial welcome to all who might attend upon that great occasion.

After a brief address from the chairman, the Convention adjourned *sine die* with three cheers for the nominees, Woodward and Hopkins.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

Olean, Aug. 21, 1852.

Railroad Meeting—At a meeting of the citizens of Olean and the adjoining towns favorable to the construction of a railroad from Attica to Olean as a link of that great chain of railroad now in contemplation from Rochester to Pittsburgh, David Bookes, Esq., of Portville was called to the chair and Ansel Adams, C. V. G. Garse and Richard Welch were chosen Vice Presidents; E. C. Brooks and G. S. M'Intosh were chosen Secretaries. Lambert Whitney, Charles H. King and G. S. McIntosh were appointed a committee to draft and present resolutions. They therefore presented the following:

Resolved, That the citizens of Olean and its vicinity are deeply interested in the building of the Attica and Olean railroad, and we therefore pledge ourselves to the extent of our ability to aid and forward the interest of the road both by our individual subscriptions and by soliciting similar succor from others.

Resolved, That we consider it the most direct and feasible route from this point to the cities of Buffalo and Rochester that can be obtained, and we therefore call upon the citizens of Buffalo to examine the premises and aid us in the enterprise.

Resolved, That the most direct and feasible route from Rochester to Pittsburgh is *via* Attica, Olean, thence extending across to Turrangwan valley or up the same, connecting with the surveys already made by the company from Pittsburgh to Lafayette corners, and that said route from Rochester to Layfayette corners will be from twenty to thirty miles shorter than any other route heretofore mentioned.

Before the above resolutions were adopted, Lambert Whitney made a spirited speech in favor of their adoption, and dwelt particularly on the feasibility of the route from Attica to Olean and the vast resources of the coal and iron mines in Northern Pennsylvania which would ever furnish business for the road.

Samuel W. Bradley, of Pennsylvania, followed, setting forth the feasibility of the route described by the last resolution, in an earnest and energetic manner. Many others followed. The question on the passage of the resolution being put by the chair, was unanimously passed.

Charles H. King, Ansel Adams and O. P. Boardman were appointed a Committee of Correspondence.

On motion it was

Resolved, That the proceedings of the meeting be published in the Pittsburgh, Attica, Ellicottville and such other papers as may please to copy it.

The meeting then adjourned to such place and time as the last named committee may direct.

DAVID BOCKES, Chairman.

E. C. Brooks, }
G. S. McIntosh, } Secretaries.

☞ Lafayette Hall!—Grand Conundrum Night—Tuesday, August 31, Herr Alexander, the *Wizard of the World*, will present TWO FINE SILVER WATCHES to the authors of the best TWO ORIGINAL CONUNDRUMS, the decision to be made by a Committee selected by the audience.

☞ WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, performance for Children and Families. Admission 25 cents; children 15 cents. au31:1t

MASONIC HALL!

IT may be proper briefly to state the progress of Masonry in this City, within the last five years, and some of the circumstances which led directly to the erection of the above Hall.

In 1845, only one Lodge existed in this City—Lodge 45, which, for more than half a century pursued its peaceful labors, holding its meetings in the Hall, corner of Third and Smithfield streets, which was destroyed by the Great Fire of the 10th of April, of that year. The members were few, and being unable to re-build, were obliged to rent small and inconvenient apartments, which, in consequence of the rapid increase of members, were soon found to be entirely inadequate. It was deemed prudent, however, to continue to use the hired room, even at great inconvenience, until the Fraternity could gather strength and means to build a Hall which would be an ornament to the City and a credit to the Craft.

In the Spring of 1846, a second Lodge was constituted, and soon after another, and the Order continued to increase in favor, so that in 1849, there were four Lodges of Ancient York Masons, Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, a Council of Royal and Select Masters, and an Encampment of Knights Templars. It was now absolutely necessary that more commodious apartments should be had. Accordingly, it was determined to make an effort to erect a Hall. But how to carry this object into execution, was a question not easily solved; as the amount of means which would be required, would be much greater than the Lodges, in their organized capacity would be able to contribute. It was, therefore, proposed to form a joint stock company, or "Masonic Fund Society," for the purpose of building a Hall and creating a fund for charitable uses. This received the approbation of the Brethren, and in the Spring of 1849, the "Fund Society" was organized. A lot of ground on Fifth street, 70 feet front by 120 feet deep, was purchased for the sum of $10,500. In October following, a Charter was obtained.

The prospect was now encouraging; and the Brethren, with a commendable liberality, subscribed for the stock; so that early in the Spring of 1850, a contract was made for the building of the Hall, for $24,000, exclusive of the painting and ornamental work, which will cost $5000. The furniture for Lodge Room and Chapter will probably cost $2,500; making the entire cost of building lot, Hall and furniture, $30,000.

The "Fund Society" being now in a situation to push forward the work, determined to fix on an early day upon which to lay the foundation stone. It was thought not inappropriate to select the 4th day of July, the birthday of our Republic, as it would be beautifully consistent with the true democratic principles of the order, which keeps alive true equality and warm affection among its members, and through those members conveys these principles to the world. Accordingly, the corner stone was laid, with appropriate ceremonies, on the day designated.

The Masonic Hall has a front of 70 feet, and is 110 feet deep; the body of the building is 52 feet wide, leaving a space of 8½ feet on each side for light and air, in the front of which spaces are placed the stairways. The whole building is three stories in height, the first story being 14 feet, the second 25 feet, and the third fifteen feet high; the second story being approached by a stairway on one side, and the third by a second stairway on the other side.

The third story of the building is devoted exclusively to Masonic purposes, and is divided into two commodious rooms, one 19 by 70, and the other 30 by 70, with their anterooms. The large room is designed for the use of the Blue Lodges, of which there are now five in the City, and the Encampment of Knights Templars. The other will be occupied by the Royal Arch Chapter and the Council of Royal and Select Masters.

The second story forms one clear room, 52 feet wide by 100 feet long, and has been finished in the richest manner, with a highly ornamented ceiling; and as it has large windows on all the sides, besides ventilating flues leading up in the walls, will be well ventilated. It will comfortably seat 1300 persons. The ceiling is 21 feet high, and it is altogether the most comfortable Concert room in this part of the country. It is perfectly secure, and is supported by iron columns. The stairway to this room forms one broad flight, 8 feet wide. But there being two sets of stairs, the room can be entered from either side, so that in case of large crowds both stairs can be used, affording abundant and easy egress. This room is intended for concerts, exhibitions, &c.

The first story and basement will be occupied by stores the Board of Trustees having determined to permit no restaurant or drinking establishment within their walls.

The walls above are of brick, except the front of the first story, which is of polished stone work; and all are designed for great strength; being 22 inches thick up to the third floor, and 13 inches thick above that level. The whole building is covered with a slate roof.

The building was designed and superintended by J. W. Kerr; the stone work executed by George Howarth; carpenter work by Boyd & Murdock; plain plastering by Wright & Sons; the ornamental plastering by Blythe & Morganotti; painting by S. M'Kinley; and the gas fixtures by Gallagher, Long & Miller.

The erection of this Hall is a proud achievement for the Craft of this City. Five years since there was but one Lodge, with but few members, and a small hired room to meet in; now there are five Lodges, viz: *Lodge 45, St. John's Lodge, Franklin Lodge, Solomon's Lodge*, (German) and *Washington Lodge.* There is also an Encampment of Knights Templars, a Royal Arch Chapter, and a Council of Royal and Select Masters. There is also a Lodge, *Mt. Moriah Council*, in Allegheny City.

☞ Application for the above Concert Room, to be made to the Janitor at the Hall, or to J. SHIDLE,
aug31:6t No. 10 Smithfield street, Pittsburgh.

DIED:

On Tuesday, August 29th instant, of Cholera Infantum, EDWARD KERWAN, (infant son of Edward R. and Fanny C. Kerwan, of Irwin street,) aged one year and five days.

LAND WARRANTS—For sale by LOOMIS & M'DOWELL,
au31 over S. Jones & Co., cor Wood and Fourth sts.

BLANK CHECKS—Blank Checks on all the Banks and Brokers in the City, bound and unbound, for sale by J. R. WELDIN, Bookseller and Stationer,
au31 No. 63 Wood, between Third and Fourth sts.

STOCKS FOR SALE—
20 shares Exchange Bank;
120 do Noblestown Plank Road;
100 do Braddock's do;
100 do Colling Mining Company;
75 do Bluff do do;
30 do Ridge do do;
For terms, enquire of LOOMIS & M'DOWELL,
au31 over S. Jones & Co., cor Wood and Fourth sts.

FLAXSEED—A small lot just received by
au27 A. J. STUART.

EGGS—Three bbls, just rec'd and for sale by
au26 SMITH & SINCLAIR.

Sons of Temperance.

THE Grand Division of Pennsylvania, will hold a special session in the City of Pittsburgh, on Wednesday, the 1st day of September next, at 8 o'clock, in the Hall, corner of Third and Wood streets.
au10:d2waw3t SAMUEL J. PICKANDS, G. S.

NEW FALL AND WINTER GOODS.
Murphy, Tiernan & Co.,
(SUCCESSORS TO MURPHY, WILSON & CO.)
IMPORTERS & WHOLESALE DEALERS
IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC DRY GOODS,
No 48 Wood street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

ARE now receiving from all the Eastern Cities, and from Europe, their first supply of goods for the Fall trade, to which they invite the attention of buyers. On the 1st of September they expect to have their assortment complete, which will be kept so by constant additions every week throughout the season. They will, as heretofore, continue to sell goods as low as the *Eastern Jobbers* for *Cash* or approved paper on the usual credit; and they assure their old customers and friends, and all others who design purchasing here, that they will not be undersold in *this* market.
au27:3tw

☞ Wanted.—A FEW MEN, of thorough business habits and good address, for a safe and respectable business; it is a business that requires no capital but good character, business habits and energy. To men with the above qualifications a permanent business and the best of wages will be given. Apply or address No. 30 *Smithfield* street, corner of Third. apr23:tf

☞ Never Suffer Long from a Cough.—At this age of the world, when you can get Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, it is a criminal neglect if you do not cure it. au18:daw

☞ Especial Attention is Directed to the advertisement of HALSEY'S FOREST WINE, a medicine of great celebrity in the cure of various morbid and unhealthy conditions of the human body, arising from what is usually termed impurity of the blood. It is recommended for the cure of Dropsy, Gravel, Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Costiveness, Rheumatism, Gout, and diseases of the Heart, Liver and Kidneys. Dr. Geo. H. Keyser, No. 140, corner of Wood street and Virgin alley, is the agent for Pittsburgh. See advertisement in another column of this paper. au18:daw

Worms! Worms!

☞ Various theories have been started relative to the origin of intestinal worms, and yet the question is still a vexed one among medical authorities. Of one fact, however, all are informed, and in which all agree—the fatal nature of the influence they exert on children. As this season of the year the attacks of worms are most frequent as well as most dangerous. We take great pleasure in directing the attention of parents to the Vermifuge of Dr. M'Lane. It is one of the most extraordinary medicines ever introduced to the public, and has never failed of success when tried.

For sale by most of the Druggists and Merchants, and from the sole proprietors. J. KIDD & CO.,
au25:d&w 60 Wood street.

☞ Mechanical Remedies.—Under this head we designate a number of articles that have been introduced lately for the purpose of relieving certain diseases and deformities, that cannot be reached by the application of medicines proper. Among the most important of these, are—SHOULDER BRACES—the object of which is to cure stooped shoulders, a habit of leaning forward, hollow and flat chest, and very frequently removes a tendency to diseases of the Pulmonary organs, dependent on these dispositions.—These Braces are strong, well made, and adapted to the use of ladies, misses, boys and men. The Gentlemen's Brace is formed in such a way as to answer the double purpose of a Brace and suspenders, and at a price very little above the price of suspenders. The public may rely on these Braces, as being what they are represented; many persons of weak and hollow chests have been completely cured, and, in some cases, the circumference of the chest increased as much as four inches—thus giving to the Lungs a fuller action, and consequently adding to the general health and strength of the body.

I also keep TRUSSES, ABDOMINAL SUPPORTERS, Spinal Supporters, Suspensary Bandages, of every variety now in use.

DR. GEO. H. KEYSER, Wholesale and Retail Druggist, No. 140 Wood street, corner of Virgin alley, Pittsburgh, Pa.
au21:daw

☞ Scrofula.—It is due to Kier's Petroleum to say that it has been known to completely eradicate every vestige of this dreadful disease in less time than any other remedy, and at less cost or inconvenience to the patient.

The thousands of certificates in the hands of the proprietor, many of which are from well known citizens of the city of Pittsburgh and its immediate vicinity, go to show clearly and beyond all doubt, that Kier's Petroleum is a medicine of no common value, not only as a local remedy in *Paralysis, Rheumatism, Deafness, loss of Sight*, but as a valuable internal remedy, inviting the investigating physicians, as well as the suffering patient, to become acquainted with its merits.

Those having a dread of mixtures are assured that this medicine is purely natural, and is bottled as it flows from the bosom of the earth.

The following certificate is copied from a paper published at Syracuse, N. Y., and bears date August 2, 1852, to which is also appended the certificate of the celebrated D. Y. Foot, M. D., of Syracuse:

This may in truth certify, that I have been so badly afflicted with Scrofula for the last seven years that most of the time I have been unable to attend to any kind of business, and much of the time unable to walk and confined to my bed, and have been treated nearly all the time by the best Physicians our country affords; occasionally I got some relief, but no cure, and continued to grow worse until Dr. Foot recommended me to try Petroleum, or Rock Oil, as everything else had failed. I did so without faith at first, but the effect was astonishing; it threw the poison to the surface at once, and I at once began to grow better, and by using seven bottles I have got a cure worth thousands of dollars.
MRS. NANCY M. BARKER.

This may certify that I have been acquainted with Kier's Petroleum, or Rock Oil, for more than a year, and have repeatedly witnessed its beneficial effects in the cure of indolent ulcers, and other diseases for which it is recommended, and can with confidence recommend it to be a medicine worthy of attention, and can safely say that its success has attended its use where other medicine had failed.
D. Y. FOOT, M. D.

For sale by all the Druggists in Pittsburgh. [au27:d&w.

BROOMS—150 superior Corn Brooms.
au30 J. D. WILLIAMS & CO.

GREEN APPLES—18 bbls on consignment and for sale by [au30] J. D. WILLIAMS & CO.

TABLE SALT—2 cases prime dairy, in sacks.
au30 J. D. WILLIAMS & CO.

TIMOTHY SEED—30 bus prime, just received and for sale by [au27] A. J. STUART.

COTTON YARNS—300 lbs for sale by
au28 VON BONNHORST & MURPHY.

BROOMS—200 dozen Brooms, for sale by
au28 VON BONNHORST & MURPHY.

SUGAR—25 hhds N O for sale by
au28 VON BONNHORST & MURPHY.

CHEESE—250 boxes prime Western Reserve, for sale by
au28 VON BONNHORST & MURPHY.

120 SHARES NOBLESTOWN PLANK ROAD STOCK, for sale by LOOMIS & M'DOWELL,
au28 over S. Jones & Co.'s, cor Wood and Fourth sts.

SYRUP—58 half bbls Golden;
10 do do New York.
au30 J. D. WILLIAMS & CO.

SUGAR—20 hhds prime New Orleans;
20 bbls Loaf, Crushed and Pulverized.
au30 J. D. WILLIAMS & CO.

EMBOSSED PIANO COVERS—Received this day by Hallroad, a new and beautiful style.
au30 W. M'CLINTOCK, 85 Fourth st.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Subscription Books of the Pittsburgh Trust and Saving Company, have been re-opened, for the purpose of disposing of an additional amount of stock.
By order of the Board of Directors.
au26:1w JOHN D. SCULLY, Actuary.

Caution.

THE public are hereby cautioned against purchasing a Promissory Note, drawn by me, payable one month after date, to GEORGE THISE, for One Hundred and Ten Dollars—said note dated 16th of August, 1852, as I will resist the payment of the same. JOHN BOYLE.
Indiana Township, August 28, 1852. au30

BANK STOCKS WANTED—
50 shares Bank of Pittsburgh;
50 do Exchange Bank;
50 do Merchants and Manufacturers' Bank;
Wanted at the Banking House of
A. WILKINS & CO.,
au30 No. 75 Fourth street.

A. J. STUART,
(SUCCESSOR TO STUART & SILL,)
WHOLESALE GROCER, PRODUCE AND COMMISSION MERCHANT—Deals in all kinds of Grain, Seeds, Flour, Bacon, Pork, Lard, Butter, Cheese, Feathers, &c., &c.
No. 6 Smithfield street,
au28 opposite the Monongahela House, Pittsburgh.

SILKS! SILKS!—A. A. Mason & Co., have just received (per Express,)—
15 pieces cheap black Silks;
10 do fine brocade do;
5 do Lutestring;
12 do Satin de Chene;
10 do Black Chene;
Of the newest and most fashionable styles. au28

WINDOW GLASS—
500 boxes 8 by 10;
400 do 10 by 12;
200 do 10 by 14;
150 do 7 by 9;
80 do 10 by 16;
40 do 10 by 15;
60 do 12 by 18;
Best country brands. For sale by
au28 VON BONNHORST & MURPHY.

To Bridge Builders.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the Office of the undersigned, until THURSDAY, the 9th day of September, for building the wooden structure over the Run, next the Ferry, on the line of the Lawrenceville and Sharpsburgh Plank Road. Plans and specifications can be examined at the Office of Heastings & Preiser, Fifth street.
JAMES BLAKELY,
au30 President L. and S. Plank Road Company.

SUNDRIES—
6 boxes Corn Starch;
5 do Hecker's Farina;
5 do Babbitt's Yeast Powder;
6 do superfine Rice Flour;
5 do Maccaroni and Vermicelli;
15 do pure Ground Pepper, ¼lb papers;
3 do do Ginger, do;
10 do fine to extra No. 1 Chocolate;
20 cans 8 and 10lbs superior English Mustard;
20 doz ¼ and ½lb "Underwood's" do;
1 bbl Cloves;
6 cases pure ground Cloves, ¼lb papers;
1 bbl Nutmegs. For sale by
au30 J. D. WILLIAMS & CO., 122 Wood st.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE FOR SEPTEMBER—Just received, at H. Miner & Co.'s, 32 Smithfield street.

One hundred thousand copies are now printed of this Magazine; and more than Fifteen Hundred Dollars are paid to American editors, authors and artists, for labor bestowed upon the preparation of a single number. This magazine is probably read by a greater number of persons than any periodical published in any part of the world—and more money is expended upon it, for original articles and pictorial embellishments, than upon any other magazine issued in the United States.

Terms—Three Dollars a year, or Twenty-five cents a number. The semi-annual volumes, as completed, neatly bound in cloth, at Two Dollars. Four volumes are now ready.
au30 H. MINER & CO.

More New Books!

THE following have been received at the New Bookstore, No. 65 Market street:

What Now? For young ladies leaving school—by Chas. F. Deems, Principal of Greensboro' Female Seminary, N. C.

A Step from the New World to the Old—by Tappan.

Views on Millenarianism, with a Discourse on the Nature of the Resurrection—by Bryant.

Temple of Melodies; a choice and new collection of sacred and church tunes, in a neat and convenient style.

Moore's Irish Melodies—With appropriate airs, and music for instrumental accompaniments, gotten up in a style suitable for the parlor table or the piano.

The Friend of Moses—A Work against Modern Skepticism, by Dr. Hamilton, of Mobile.

Phillips' Devotions.

The finest editions of our Classic Poets.

A few copies of "God in Disease,"—still on hand.
au28 DAVISON & AGNEW.

Fresh Arrival—New Books!

MODERN CHIVALRY—Or the Adventures of Capt. Farrago and Tague O'Regan—by H. H. Brackenridge; second edition; with a biographical notice; a critical disquisition on the work, and explanatory notes; with illustrations from original designs, by Darley.

The Arabian Night Entertainments; embellished with nearly one hundred engravings; a new edition—8vo; carefully revised and corrected.

The Standard Speaker; containing exercises in prose and poetry, for declamation in schools, academies, lyceums, colleges; newly translated or compiled, from celebrated orators, authors and popular debaters, ancient and modern—a treatise on Oratory and Elocution, notes explanatory and biographical, by Epes Sargent, third edition.

A Father's Legacy to his Daughter—By Dr. Gregory. Also, Mrs. Chapone's Letters.

Coe's New Drawing Lessons—Drawing for Schools. A Method by which all the members of a large class are taught to draw at once, with neatness, uniformity and accuracy,—in six parts. By Ben. H. Coe, Teacher of Drawing.
au28 B. T. C. MORGAN, 104 Wood st.

AMUSEMENTS.

LAFAYETTE HALL!

HERR ALEXANDER,

WILL GIVE A SECOND SERIES OF HIS SOIREES MYSTERIUSES. ☞ Commencing MONDAY EVENING, August 30th.

☞ Admission, 25 cents; Children, 15 cents. au30

SPECIAL NOTICES.

☞ H. AHL, Surgeon Dentist.—[Successor of G. W. Biddle.] No. 144 Smithfield st. [my3:y

☞ Shell Oysters—First of the season, received THIS DAY, at "OUR HOUSE,"
au30 No. 24 Diamond alley.

☞ U. A. O. D.—Meets above the O'Reilly Telegraph Office, corner of Third and Wood streets, every Monday evening. [ap28

☞ ANGERONA LODGE, I. O. O. F.—The Angerona Lodge, No. 289, I. O. of O. F., meets every Wednesday evening in Washington Hall, Wood st. [jy1:y

☞ BLACK TEA.—For the best Oolong Tea in Pittsburgh, at 50 cents ℔, go to the Pekin Tea Store, No. 38 Fifth street, where the very best Black and Green Teas can always be had. [jy9

☞ I. O. O. F.—Place of meeting, Washington Hall, Wood street, between Fifth street and Virgin alley.
Pittsburgh Lodge, No. 336—Meets every Tuesday evening.
Mercantile Encampment, No. 87—Meets first and third Friday of each month. [mar25:1y

☞ W. F. FUNDENBERG, Dental Surgeon.—No. 151 Third street, a few doors above Smithfield. Office up stairs. Dr. F. has been connected with the establishment of Dr. Hullihen, of Wheeling, for the last five years. [ap29:6m

☞ ÆTNA INSURANCE COMPANY, of Hartford, Conn.—Capital Stock $300,000; Assets $489,172. Office of the Pittsburgh Agency in the Store Room of M'Curdy & Loomis, No. 59 Wood street.
nov4:tf R. H. BEESON, Agent.

☞ SPENCERIAN COMMERCIAL COLLEGE—(Late Chamberlin's,)—Corner of Third and Market streets, (third floor,) Pittsburgh, Pa. E. P. GOODNOUGH, Practical Accountant, &c.; R. C. SPENCER, Associate. Address, P. R. SPENCER, Principal Teacher of Writing and Commercial Correspondence. See extended notice in another column. au13

☞ CURTAINS, Curtain Materials, and Curtain Trimmings of every description, Furniture Plushes, Brocatelles, &c., Lace and Muslin Curtains, N. Y. Painted Window Shades, Gilt Cornices, Curtain Pins, Bands, &c., at wholesale and retail. W. H. CARRYS,
No. 169 Chesnut street, corner Fifth, Philadelphia.
Curtains Made and Trimmed in the very newest French style. [mar20:1y

☞ State Mutual Fire Insurance Company.—Harrisburg, Pa. Capital $200,000. Designed only for the safer classes of property, has an ample capital, and affords superior advantages in point of cheapness, safety and accommodation, to city and country merchants and owners of isolated dwellings and country property.
A. A. CARRIER, Actuary,
nov12] Branch office 54 Smithfield st., Pittsburgh.

☞ Miller's Window Shade Manufactory, CORNER OF SECOND AND ARCH STS., PHILADELPHIA. Our motto is, "*Quick Sales and Small Profits.*"

☞ Store, Church, and Lodge Room SHADES, made in a superior manner.

☞ Dealers and others are invited to give us a call, before purchasing elsewhere. G. L. MILLER & CO.,
au27:7m S. W. corner Second and Arch sts., Phila.

☞ NELSON'S DAGUERREOTYPES.—Post Office Buildings, Third street. Likenesses taken in all kinds of weather, from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M., giving an accurate artistic and animate likeness, unlike and vastly superior to the common cheap daguerreotypes, at the following cheap prices: $1,50, $2, $3, $4, $5 and upward, according to the size and quality of case or frame.
Hours for children, from 11 A. M. to 2 P. M.
N. B.—Likenesses of sick or deceased persons taken in any part of the city. [nov25:1y

☞ Attend to your Horses.—DR. HOYT'S HEAVE POWDER.—This powder is offered to the public as a guaranteed cure for the heaves in horses, and is the only medicine known adapted to that purpose, having been used, in the private veterinary practice of the proprietor for the last thirty-seven years. The utter incompetency of that noble animal, the horse, for labor, when troubled with this common disease, should induce every one having such, to apply immediately for this remedy. For sale wholesale and retail at Dr. KEYSER'S Drug Store, No. 140,
jy28:d&w corner of Wood st., and Virgin alley.

☞ DEAFNESS, Noises in the Head, and all disagreeable discharges from the ear, speedily and permanently removed, without pain or inconvenience, by Dr. Hartley, Principal Aurist of the N. Y. Ear Surgery, who may be consulted at 99 Arch street, Philadelphia, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.

Thirteen years of close and almost undivided attention to this branch of special practice has enabled him to reduce his treatment to such a degree of success as to find the most confirmed and obstinate cases yield, by a steady attention to the means prescribed. [aug20

J. C. ANDERSON .... MINAS TINDLE.

☞ J. C. Anderson and Minas Tindle have this day entered into partnership, under the firm and style of J. C. Anderson & Co., in the Wholesale Fruit and Confectionary business, at No. 6 Wood street, Pittsburgh.

Having disposed of my entire interest in the Wholesale Fruit and Confectionary business, to Messrs. J. C. Anderson & Co., I take pleasure in recommending them to my former friends and customers, and hope for them a continuance of the liberal patronage bestowed on me.
jy7:tf JOSHUA RHODES.

☞ Sheriffalty—*To the Freemen of Allegheny County:* I offer myself as a candidate for the office of SHERIFF, for the ensuing term, and without any party nomination, as an Independent Candidate, and would thankfully solicit the votes of my fellow-citizens of all parties.—After a residence of thirty-three years (save three months,) in Pittsburgh, in active business, I trust my character is known to the entire community, as not to require any endorsement, and hope I may be deemed trustworthy. Please give your suffrages to the oldest (but not the most fortunate,) Bookseller in Western Pennsylvania, and oblige, gentlemen, your obedient servant.
au20 LUKE LOOMIS.

☞ ASSOCIATED Firemen's Insurance Company of the City of Pittsburgh.—W. W. DALLAS, President—ROBERT FINNEY, Secretary.
Will insure against FIRE and MARINE RISKS of all kinds. Office: in Monongahela House, Nos. 124 and 125 Water street.

DIRECTORS:
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William Gorman, William Collingwood,
A. P. Anshutz, Joseph Kaye,
William D. Wrighter. ja9

☞ A Thing of Beauty is a Joy Forever.—Why will people endure pimples on the "human face divine," or eruptions of any kind, when it is a fact so well known, that Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla cleanses the skin from all impurity, removing pimples, sores and blotches, leaving the affected parts as healthy, smooth and soft as the flesh of a babe. It is really priceless to those who wish the rosy beauty of childhood.

It causes all sores and poisonous wounds to discharge all their infected matter, and eradicates every impurity from the system.

It does its work mildly, but effectually, giving conscious beauty and blooming health, in the place of ugliness and soul-sickening disease.

See advertisement in another column. [jy15:daw

☞ Odd Fellows' Hall, *Odeon Building, Fourth street, between Wood and Smithfield streets.*—Pittsburgh Encampment, No. 2, meets first and third Tuesdays of each month.

Pittsburgh Degree Lodge, No. 4, meets second and fourth Tuesdays.

Mechanics' Lodge, No. 9, meets every Thursday evening.

Western Star Lodge, No. 24, meets every Wednesday evening.

Iron City Lodge, No. 182, meets every Monday evening.

Mount Moriah Lodge, No. 360, meets every Monday evening, at Union Hall, corner of Fifth and Smithfield.

Zocco Lodge, No. 385, meets every Thursday evening, at their Hall, corner of Smithfield and Fifth streets.

Twin City Lodge, No. 241, meets every Friday evening.—Hall, corner of Leacock and Sandusky streets, Allegheny city. my29:1y

☞ CITIZENS' Insurance Company of Pittsburgh.—C. G. HUSSEY, President; SAMUEL L. MARSHELL, Secretary.

Office: 94 Water Street, between Market and Wood streets.

Insures HULL and CARGO Risks, on the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers and tributaries.

Insures against Loss or Damage by Fire.

ALSO—Against the Perils of the Sea, and Inland Navigation and Transportation.

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☞ Pittsburgh Life Insurance Company OF PITTSBURGH, PA.—Capital, $100,000.
President: JAMES S. HOON;
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Treasurer: JOSEPH S. LEECH.
Secretary: C. A. COLTON.
Office, No. 55 Fifth Street, in Masonic Building.

This Company makes every Insurance appertaining to or connected with Life Risks.

Mutual rates are the same as those adopted by other safely conducted Companies.

Joint Stock Rates at a reduction of one-third from the Mutual rates—equal to a dividend of thirty-three and one-third per cent., paid annually in advance.

Risks taken on the lives of persons going to California.

DIRECTORS:
James S. Hoon, Joseph S. Leech,
Charles A. Colton, Samuel M'Clurkan,
William Phillips, John A. Wilson,
mar11:6m John Scott.

Great Inducements to Cash Purchasers.

WE will sell our large stock of COMMON AND FANCY CHAIRS AND BEDSTEADS, at prices that cannot fail to please cash purchasers. All our work is warranted. Our terms are CASH. JAMES LOWRY, JR.,
mar25 cor. Seventh and Liberty sts.

Notice to Stockholders.

THE Stockholders of the Pittsburgh and Steubenville Railroad Company, are hereby notified, that the second instalment of five dollars per share is now called in, and will be paid into the Treasury of said company, on or before the 12th day of August next, at the Treasurer's Office, No. 46 Wood st., Pittsburgh.
By order of the board of Directors.
jy23:tf WM. A. HILL, Treasurer.

SONS OF TEMPERANCE BANQUET,
AT MASONIC HALL,
On Thursday Evening, Sept'r 2, 1852,
AT 8 O'CLOCK.

TICKETS, admitting a Lady and Gentleman, $1,00. In order that all may enjoy comfort and pleasure, only two hundred tickets will be sold. Tickets to be had at George R. White's, Market street; Col. M'Candless' Penn street; C. Magee's, Smithfield street; Alderman Steel's Fourth street, and from the Managers, generally.

MANAGERS:
C. L. Magee, Wilson M'Candless,
Wm. M'Cullough, A. G. Lloyd,
John Mellon, Henry Schriver,
Robert W. Parke, John M. Kirkpatrick,
Hiram Hultz, David W. Miller,
John Lloyd, Geo. H. Hildebrand,
R. C. Stockton, John D. Bailey,
John J. Mitchel, John Rippey,
Wm. B. M'Clure, Wm. Forsyth,
J. M. Kinkead, James K. Morange,
Francis Thurston, John Lang,
Wm. H. Cluley, Samuel A. Long,
Andrew Miller, John Paul,
George R. White, Thomas Steel. au26

SONS OF TEMPERANCE PROCESSION.

THURSDAY, Sept. 2d, 1852—Divisions in the two cities will assemble at their respective Halls at 9 o'clock A. M. In the country they will meet in time to allow them to be on the ground 15 minutes before ten. Divisions from abroad will assemble at MASONIC HALL, Fifth street, at the hour first mentioned; also the G. D. All to be on the ground at 10 o'clock, precisely, at which time the procession will move.

ROUTE.—The right resting on Liberty and Fourth streets, down Hay to Penn, where they will countermarch; up Hay to Fourth; along Fourth to Smithfield; down Smithfield to Third; up Third to Ross; along Ross to Fourth; down Fourth to Smithfield; up Smithfield to Liberty; along Liberty to Wayne; down Wayne to Penn; along Penn to Hand; down Hand and over bridge to Ohio; along Ohio, down Cedar and East Common to Ohio; down Ohio to Federal; along Federal and over bridge to St. Clair street; up St. Clair to Penn; along Penn to Irwin; along Irwin to Sixth; up Sixth to Wood; down Wood to Fifth, at Masonic Hall. au23