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PITTSBURGH:

TUESDAY MORNING:............DECEMBER 14.

Democratic Primary Meetings.

The City Democratic Committee of Correspondence met at the St. Charles Hotel, at 7½ o'clock, P. M., pursuant to call; and organized with Charles Barnett in the Chair, and W. J. Rose acting as Secretary.

On motion of R. B. Roberts, Esq., it was—

Resolved, That the Democratic Primary Meetings of the City of Pittsburgh, be held on SATURDAY, December 18th, from 5 to 8 o'clock, P. M., in the several Wards, respectively, as follows:

First Ward, at the House of Hugh Sails.
Second Ward, at the House of B. Perry.
Third Ward, at the Allegheny Engine House.
The citizens of the Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth and Ninth Wards, will meet at the respective Public School Houses in each Ward,—for the purpose of electing delegates to nominate a candidate for Mayor.

The Delegates will meet in Convention at the COURT HOUSE, on WEDNESDAY, December 22d, at 11 o'clock, A. M.

CHARLES BARNETT, Chairman.
W. J. Rose, Secretary. dec10

THE MAYORALTY.

It will be gratifying to our fellow citizens of all parties, to understand, from the following card, that our present worthy Mayor has consented to be a candidate for re-election. We do not urge his election on the grounds of his adherence to democratic principles, although that position would be a strong one, but for the all-sufficient reason that in the discharge of his duties he has never permitted political predilections to bias his mind in the discharge of his official duties. JOHN B. GUTHRIE has always been the officer *of the people*, and during his long administration, there is not one charge of dereliction of duty that can be brought against him. We know him well, and we have the opportunity of observing that early and late, he is vigilant in the discharge of his official responsibilities, and we feel confident in saying that so long as he remains Chief Magistrate of our city, the peace and comfort of his fellow citizens will be properly attended to.

Hon. JOHN B. GUTHRIE:—

We, the undersigned citizens, feeling interested in the selection and choice of our next Chief Magistrate, would most respectfully take this method to request your consent to be a candidate for the Mayoralty at the ensuing election.

The honorable and impartial manner you have persued, in dispensing Justice to all classes, has won for you the esteem and pride of our party as well as the majority of our fellow citizens who would very much regret your withdrawal from being a candidate for the ensuing term.

J. R. M'Knight,	Richard Rainey,
S. McClurken,	John Swang,
W. H. Smith,	Wm. Richardson,
H. Jones,	Hugh McManus,
Robt. J. Dickey,	Geo. Quigley,
Samuel Tarbett,	A. Holstein,
Geo. Funston,	G. G. Backofen,
James Herdman,	Jas. Cockran,
A. Hunker,	Wm. Gillmore,
Mark M'Henry,	S. W. McClelland,
Charles H. Paulson,	Hugh Kelly,
W. C. Murphy,	E. Frowenfetel,
C. H. Bonton,	A. Frowenfetel,
A. Patterson Smith,	J. A. Hesterdof,
S. B. McElroy,	A. Pidnerfeld,
Jas. Finlay,	Bernard McClusky,
H. H. Barnett,	Henry Wilson,
Robert Woods,	Saml. Anderson,
John W. Riddell,	G. G. Sutton,
Wm. Price,	S. Goldman,
James Cassy,	Wm. Hughes,
John Huny,	Wm. Hugus,
James Cliff,	D. B. Hugus,
James Mathews,	Jacob McCollister,
George Snebin,	John Bleckman,
A. J. Stewart,	A. Vance,
G. W. Mullin,	B. F. Latshaw,
Jas. McLaughlin,	Zack. Tomer,
John Grout,	Jacob Tomer,
Thos. Neill, jr.	A. S. McGonigle,
J. Shiddle,	A. Kelly,
C. F. Kuhn,	Thos. Cook,
Geo. McGonigle,	Martin Lytle,
Jas. D. Kelley,	Michael O'Hara,
John Dunwoody,	Michael O'hara, jr.,
Thos. Barnes,	P. H. Hunker,
M. C. Milligan,	A. C. Henderson,
Burke & Barnes,	John Cook,
H. H. Gillespie,	John Kennedy, jr.
W. B. McConlogue,	R. Biddle Roberts,
Thos. Black,	J. Fredrich,
John Berry,	A. S. Getty,
Peter Joedon,	Daniel Ahl,
G. F. Herion,	Edward Houston,
N. Pruhta,	B. Burns,
David P. Work,	N. D. Patterson,
John J. Patterson,	Andrew Gribbin,
Mark Devlin,	Andrew Kerney,
Henry Kennedy,	J. W. Connell,
Thos. Devlin,	Robert Day,
Thos. Potter,	J. Blein,
P. Devlin,	Robert Watson,
Saml. Baird,	Wm. S. Day,
Jacob Bostin,	Fr. Eilenberger,
J. Forest,	Theodore Frank,
J. Curray,	Peter Jost,
Wm. M'Clelland,	R. M'Dermott,
George McCook,	James E. Moody,
G. L. M'Cook,	James Neivell,
Charles Kent,	J. G. Backofen,
William M. Edger,	Samuel Dunn,
Wilson M'Candless,	John Taylor,
Martin Connolly,	W. C. Gallagher,
C. A. M'Anulty,	B. Perry,
Thos. Phillips,	E. S. Watson,
Henry M'Cullough,	Edward K. Kernan,
Patrick Smith,	James M'Kenna,
John Hugan,	George Richard,
Thomas Hyan,	T. R. Sill,
Randal Kernan,	Peter M'Mannus,
John Kernan,	L. Wilmarth,
R. Frieschkom,	L. C. Wilmarth,
C. L. Goehring,	G. B. Bingham,
C. H. Goehring,	Robert Galway,
Philip Saly,	H. O'Connor,
L. Stern,	William Schmer,
J. J. M'Dermott,	James F. Richard,
Phillipp Seip,	George Acereutz,
John Haulman,	B. Stern,
Adam Streib,	John Chasman,
F. Kersch,	A. Eicleir,
John Fowler,	N. Herl,
A. Kelly, Jr.,	David Knittell,
C. Benson,	B. Buerkle
F. Griesman,	John N. Young,
James M'Cune,	R. Yuistt,
F. Hassel,	J. M. Scott,
Charles Wattelgal,	G. W. M'Anulty,
John Walsh,	James Meskimen,
James Flack,	H. W. Lairly,
Jackson Duncan,	George Parsons
Hugh Blakly,	W. W. Irwin,
John Hughes,	R. Dunlap,
W. B. Howard,	C. Hugus, Jr.
P. Platt,	Charles Shaler,
Thomas M'Donald,	Th. Umbstætter,
F. Hoover,	Samuel W. Black,
James Elliott,	W. J. Rose,
William Slater,	David Sands,
Andrew Hall,	J. G. Muntz,
John Devlin,	Dennis Semard,
Andrew Dunn,	Jefferson Patten,
George Louman,	H. W. Buffrim,
R. B. Young,	Joseph Darlington,
Maurice Kann,	Jacob Breitback,
James Whitter,	Charles M'Nulty,
J. N. Fricker,	E. M'Dermond,
J. Finch,	S. Smith,
John Morrow,	P. Murphy,
Henry Schrieber,	L. S. L. Vandergrift,
Robert M'Coy,	E. Fresbee,
William Ward,	S. Vandergrift,
William M. Porter,	Robert Waterman,
James H. Latshaw,	B. Winchester,
John Watt,	D. Rodgers,
J. Chr. Jehle,	S. P. Ross,
P. Fahr,	P. C. Shannon,
M. Grunhart,	W. B. Haslett,
J. Roth,	Hugh M'Vance,
H. P. Pollock,	E. C. Campbell,

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
Pittsburgh, Dec., 13, 1852.

Gentlemen:—I received, some days since, your letter requesting me to again become the candidate of the Democratic party for Mayor of this city. Owing to impaired health and other causes not necessary to mention here, I had determined not to be a candidate again for that office. In as much, however, as it appears to be the desire of the Democratic party, together with that of a large number of citizens of other parties, I should feel myself wanting in gratitude for past favors, were I to decline the proffered honor.—Therefore, if nominated by the coming Democratic convention I will accept the nomination and abide the decision of the people.

Be pleased, gentlemen, to accept my thanks for the kind and flattering manner in which you have refered to my past official conduct.

Very Respectfully
Your obdt. servant,
JOHN B. GUTHRIE.

"O. P. Q."—ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.—We publish this morning the paper of "O. P. Q." and intended to accompany it with remarks; but its length and more important calls upon our columns have deprived us of the privilege of comments this morning. We will, however, attend to our correspondent to-morrow. The following is his communication:

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

You have thought proper to advert, in your paper of Saturday last, to sundry communications in the Gazette and Journal in reference to the proposed County subscription to the Allegheny Valley Railroad. You denounce those articles as "*evidently*" from the same hand—as remarkable for their "bullying style, and almost total absence of facts"—and as indulging such mis-statements in regard to the length of the Road as "should entitle the writer to *profound contempt*"—and you indulge in sundry insinuations in regard to the authority of "those anonymous scribblings," as though it were not sufficiently respectable to make it worth while to consume your valuable time in the correction.

The secret reason of this very sudden and otherwise unaccountable attack is perhaps explained by a communication in the same paper, whose simultaneous appearance in the columns of your cotemporaries leaves even less of doubt in regard to its origin than the equally anonymous effusions which have so much disturbed your equanimity. Of the tenor of that communication itself, I have no complaint to make. I am only sorry that you have not thought it worth while to treat a great and momentous question with the like dignity.

My purpose now is merely to set you right in regard to one or two matters upon which you have suffered yourselves to be misled, rather, I doubt not, by the suggestions of others than by the exercise of your own judgment, and to show you how readily a man who is very positive may be mistaken.

You say that the articles referred to are "*evidently*" from the same hand—perhaps from the pen of "a hireling attorney"—and therefore unworthy of even a respectful notice.

I do not perceive of what possible consequence it can be to the public from what quarter those articles may come, unless you desire to raise a false issue, and thus to divert the public mind from the question. It is a very common device, and may sometimes help a bad cause or a poor logician. The party, however, who resorts to it, and quarrels with his adversary, instead of answering him, always betrays thereby a sense of the infirmity of his own cause.

Allow me to say, however, that "evident" as it may seem to you, your judgment as a critic is entirely at fault, in supposing that the several obnoxious articles in the Gazette and Journal are from the same hand. When you denounced their tone as "bullying," and their statements as unfounded, I was inclined to suspect that you had taken the opinion upon trust, and without reading for yourself; and I am now satisfied that I was right. You could not else, as a writer, have betrayed such a want of discrimination as to confound two styles so entire dissimilar.

You insinuate that the articles in question are the production of some "hireling Attorney." I have already remarked that it is of no consequence who wrote them. Will you allow me now to ask you what you have to gain by converting the matter into a personal issue? Could you make out that your correspondent or yourself was less free from the suspicion of a selfish or mercenary motive, or more personally independent than the writer of those articles? Suppose you should discover, and I for one will agree to put the whole case on this issue, that either of them had a much deeper and more abiding interest in the prosperity of the county than your correspondent, or perhaps even yourself. And suppose they should say to you, "who is to hire us, and whence your intolerant zeal?" Could you expect to profit, or would the public profit by such a controversy?

If you suppose, however, that the writer for the Gazette has any motive for concealment, or any other reason for writing anonymously, except to present the question unaffected by the influence of names, give me leave to say that you are greatly mistaken. Whenever it becomes necessary for him to appear, he will not decline the responsibility.

And now a word as to your denunciation of the *tone* and statements of the writer for the Gazette.

The substance of his communications was—1st. That a municipal corporation should never embark in any enterprise outside of its corporate limits and its appropriate sphere—or at least not without the concurrence of an overruling necessity, the fullest information, and a strong assurance of exemption from all risk: and,

2d. That not one of the circumstances existed here.

That there was in the first place no such *necessity*, because we were already provided with the best public connections of that sort in Pennsylvania—the Ohio and Pennsylvania and the Cleveland and Pittsburgh railroads, uniting us at once with the Atlantic and the great west.

That we were, in the second place, without *information* as to the cost—there was no completed survey—no estimate in figures based on a survey, or anything that amounted to more than mere conjecture—and the very route and length of the road were yet undetermined.

And here you charge me with misrepresentation as to the length; and affirm that it does not exceed 175¼ miles and that you have seen the calculations.

Allow me to say in reply that if I have over-estimated it at 200 miles, it is the fault of the Company and its friends, and not mine. It was their business to furnish an accurate measurement before they asked for a subscription, and yours to see it before you recommended it.

You say you have, and the actual length is as stated by you above. I can only say, if you have, that you have been favored above the editor of the Gazette, who is eminently the champion, and seems to be the depository of the interests of the Company. He puts the distance to Smithport alone, perhaps to the State Line, at 185 miles by one route, and 175 by another, and admits that no choice has yet been made.—Beyond that, however, we have some ten miles more. You perceive, therefore, that I was not much at fault after all; and if I were, I have the best possible apology for it. When you and the Gazette and the Engineer shall have once determined the route and settled the question of distance between you, I will then yield the point, and we will proceed to talk about the propriety of subscription.

But you have seen the calculations of the cost, and here again you have the advantage both of the editor of the Gazette and myself. He does not pretend to have seen them, and if you have, you are bound to give them to us before you ask for a subscription, or denounce any man for questioning its propriety. "*Light*," was what Ajax so fervently prayed for, and that is precisely what we want. Allow me to say, however, with all proper deference, that you are mistaken. You have seen no actual measurement of the distance and no calculations founded on actual surveys. No such thing exists, and there has not been time to furnish it in such a shape as to be reliable. It will take at least the six or eight months' labor of the editor of the Gazette *twice told* to put us in possession of such details as would authorize a subscription from a prudent man.

That, lastly, there was no evidence that the work would pay, or that they had means to make it. And the grounds of this assersion were that we could not do more than guess at the cost;—that it would probably be six millions;—that there are no means worth speaking of outside of this city and county—that *their* subscriptions were totally inadequate—and that even if made there would be no business for its support because it passed through a thinly settled region, and could therefore have no *local* trade, and it moreover involved a circuit of about 150 miles to New York, and could therefore have no thorough trade.

And now, Messrs. Editors, allow me to ask, where are the misrepresetations of which you complain? My estimate of the cost has been questioned. It is said to be only *four* millions instead of *six*. Be it so. It is only a *guess* on both sides and I am as well, nay, better, entitled to that privilege than the Company. I have a right to guess until they *demonstrate*. Suppose it, however, to be only *four* millions. It is not pretended that the subscriptions outside exceed *one-fifth* of that amount, and they are admitted to be, with the exception of only some $250,000, the bonds of poor counties. It is not pretended that, even with our aid to the extent of $1,150,000, the subscriptions would be equal to the *one half* of the admitted cost, and it is not denied that the country through which the Road would pass is almost a wilderness, and that the length of the route to New York would exceed that by way of the Central Road to the extent already stated.

Wherein, then, have I mis-stated the facts?—What have I written that entitles me to the objurgations of the Post, or that the people ought not to know? You were hasty, Messrs. Editors, and will no doubt, in the spirit of exact justice, and in the discharge of your duties to the people, either take back what you uttered without reflection, or allow your readers to judge how far your reproaches have been deserved.

O. P. Q.

HOWE'S HYGIAN HOARHOUND AND LIVERWORT COUGH CANDY.—The agent of this excellent article is now in our city, and we would inform our readers that it can be had at several of the Drug Stores.

The Stalls in the New Market House.

We have for a long time past heard serious objections made to the manner in which the new Market House is constructed and the terms on which it is proposed to lease it out. When it was proposed to be built, we supposed it would be an edifice not only useful but ornamental, and that our victuallers would be glad to get into it. But, as it is now constructed, it is a mere martin box on a large scale. The stalls are cramped into a space much smaller than those in old Market; there is no accommodation furnished the Butchers; they have to pay exhorbitant rents and *build up* their place of business afterwards, and then be turned off their own premises whenever the Market Committee may get it into their wise heads that they have the privilege of accusing as good citizens as themselves of a violation of the laws. This may be done under the ordinances, but we would ask, if it is allowable in common justice?

The men who rent stalls in that market, pay for them for the purpose of prosecuting their legitimate business. The stall is their property, so long as they pay the rent, as fully as the building in which we print our paper is ours while we fulfil our contract with our landlord.—We, and all other business men, who pay rent, have a right to commence work when we please and quit when we please. If we choose to work every hour of the twenty-four, there is no law against us doing so. But the hard toiling butcher has to discontinue his labors whenever the Market Committee, or the gentlemen who own property in the neighborhood of the New Market House, tell him to do so.

We doubt much if there is any man in this community, except the persons referred to, who will consider such a course even handed justice, and we hope the butchers will not submit to it.

The Concert announced for this evening at Lafayette Hall, will, we trust, not be forgotten by our citizens. This will be the only chance to hear these charming vocalists, as pressing engagements call them to New York and Philadelphia. In proof of the estimation in which they are held by the greatest artists, we will mention that Mad. Sontag, as well as the Germanian Society, have anxiously sought to engage the M'lles. Tourny for their concerts. If you want to hear to perfection what has never been presented to a Pittsburgh public, viz: the most perfect blending of two youthful and fresh voices, go to the Concert to-night.

The following was intended for the *Dispatch*, but the editor desired more for its insertion than the author was willing to pay:

PITTSBURGH, Nov. 30, 1852.

DEAR SIR:—In consequence of seeing a paragraph in your paper of Wednesday the 24th, stating that no Englishmen followed the late Benjamin Fox, who was murdered in the Fifth Ward, to his grave. I will take it as a favor if you will make known, through your paper, the cause of no attendance. It not being from any ill feeling towards him, as all who were acquainted with him knew him to be a sober and industrious young man; and had there been any notice given when his funeral was to take place, there would have been a respectable attendance of his friends; as many were enquiring when the funeral was to take place, after it was over. As no notice had been given, it is true that no Englishmen followed the corps, as the bearers rode in front of the hearse, but they were all his countrymen.

Sirs, hoping you will favor me by inserting the above in your paper, to take the stigma away from my countrymen, placed on them by the parties that ought to have given the required notice.

Great credit is due to his employers, Messrs. Blair & M'Kelvey, for paying all funeral expenses. Yours, respectfully,

JOSEPH RAGERS,
One of the Bearers.

STATISTICS OF PENNSYLVANIA.

NATIVE POPULATION.

Born in	Number.	Born in	Number.
Maine	1,137	Alabama	87
New Hampshire	1,775	Mississippi	101
Vermont	4,532	Louisiana	127
Massachusetts	9,230	Texas	17
Rhode Island	1,046	Arkansas	10
Connecticut	9,236	Tennessee	158
New York	58,835	Kentucky	497
New Jersey	29,117	Ohio	7,229
Pennsylvania	1,844,652	Michigan	224
Delaware	12,522	Indiana	399
Maryland	21,013	Illinois	233
District of Columbia	767	Missouri	220
Virginia	10,410	Iowa	70
North Carolina	409	Wisconsin	45
South Carolina	659	California	5
Georgia	176	Territories	2
Florida	21		
Total Native population			2,014,619

FOREIGN POPULATION.

Born in	Number.	Born in	Number.
England	38,048	Denmark	97
Ireland	151,723	Sweden	133
Scotland	7,292	Prussia	413
Wales	8,920	Greece	4
Germany	78,592	China	1
France	4,083	Asia	42
Spain	101	Africa	40
Portugal	24	British America	2,500
Belgium	126	Mexico	42
Holland	257	Central America	4
Turkey	2	South America	83
Italy	172	West Indies	660
Austria	49	Sandwich Islands	3
Switzerland	914	Other countries	351
Russia	130	Unknown	2,296
Norway	27		
Total Foreign population			295,871
Aggregate Native and Foreign			2,311,786

DEAF AND DUMB.

White males	521	Colored males	14
White females	465	Colored females	4
Total			1004

BLIND.

White males	443	Colored males	20
White females	355	Colored females	11
Aggregate			829

INSANE.

White males	924	Colored males	16
White females	918	Colored females	33
Total			1891

IDIOTIC.

White males	709	Colored females	28
White females	657		
Colored males	54	Total	1448

PAUPERS.

Native	5898	Native	2654
Foreign	5653	Foreign	1157
Whole No. June 1, 1850	3811	Annual cost of sup't	$232,138

Whole number of paupers who received support within the year—11,551.

CHURCHES.

Number of churches	3,509
Ratio of churches to population	658
Aggregate accommodation	1,366,413
Average accommodation	410
Aggregate value of church property	$11,551,885
Average value do.	$3,297

Real and Personal Estate for the year ending June 18, 1850.

Assessed value	$497,039,649
True or estimated value	$722,486,120
Proportion to each free person	$313

AGRICULTURE.

Acres of improved land	8,628,619
Acres of unimproved land attached to farms, &c.	6,294,728
Total	14,923,347
Cash value	$407,876,099
Average cash value per acre	$27 33
Agricultural implements, value	$14,722,541

MANUFACTURES.

Manufacture of iron castings, capital invested	$3,422,934
Tons pig iron used	69,601
Tons old metal used	819
Tons mineral coal used	49,228
Bushels coke and charcoal used	276,855
Value raw material, fuel, &c.	2,372,467
Male hands employed	4,782
Female hands employed	1
Average wages of male hands, monthly	$27 55
Do. do. female do. do.	6 00
Tons castings made	67,810
Value of the products	$661,160
Value of entire products	$5,354,881
Manufacture of pig iron, capital invested	3,570,425
Tons of ore used	877,283
Tons mineral coal used	816,060
Bushels coke and charcoal used	27,505,186
Value of raw material, fuel, &c.	$3,732,427
Male hands employed	9,285
Female hands employed	9
Entire wages of male hands, monthly	$201,039
Entire wages of female hands, monthly	$46 00
Average wages of male hands, monthly	21 15
Tons pig iron made	285,702
Value of other products	40,000
Value of the entire product	$6,071,513

MANUFACTURE OF COTTON GOODS.

Capital invested	$4,528,925
Bales cotton used	44,162
Tons of coal used	24,189
Value of all raw material	$3,152,530
Male hands employed	3,564
Female hands employed	4,099
Entire wages monthly of males	$63,642
Do. do. do. of females	$40,656
Average wages monthly of males	$17 26
do. do. do. of females	$9 91
Entire value of products	$5,322,262
Yards sheeting, &c. &c. made	45,746,790
Pounds yarn and thread made annually	5,380,000

MANUFACTURE OF WOOLLEN GOODS.

Capital invested	$3,005,064
Pounds wool used	7,560,379
Tons of coal used	10,777
Value of all raw material	$3,282,718
Male hands employed	3,490
Female do. do	2,238
Entire monthly wages of male hands	$67,138
do. do. do. female do.	23,279
Average monthly wages of male hands	$19 50
do. do. do. female hands	10 40
Value of entire products	$5,321,866
Yards of cloth made	10,095,234
Annual product of other woollen goods, lbs.	1,941,621

MANUFACTURE OF WROUGHT IRON.

Capital invested	$7,620,066
Tons pig metal used	163,702
Tons blooms used	20,405
Tons mineral coal used	325,967
Bushels coke and charcoal used	3,039,998
Hands employed	6,764
Average monthly wages	$27 68
Tons wrought iron made	182,506
Value of other products	$219,500
Value of entire products	$8,902,907

For the Daily Morning Post.

THE LANGUAGE OF THE FLOWERS.

Lines written within a Wreath of Flowers, in an Album.

BY WILLIAM W. BRINCE.

'Tis said that the flowers
Have a language of love,
More expressive than ours,
Like the angels' above,
That passions most noble
And sentiments rare,
Some leaflet or flowret,
May fitly declare.

Methinks I could better,
Thus speak to the eye,
Than letter by letter
Trace words with a sigh—
The wild-rose and jasmine
And lily so white,
With clematis tendrils
I then would unite,
In wreathing a token
Of friendship for the,
Of thought better spoken
Than verbage might be.

PITTSBURGH, December, 1852.

For the Daily Morning Post.

THE NEW MARKET HOUSE.

MESSRS. HARPER AND PHILIPS.—

I find an article in your paper of Monday relating to the order of letting the stalls in said market. No reasonable person can, after looking the order full in the face, refrain from making a few remarks, (even at his own expense,) showing its grevious bearings on its recipients. There is, we trust, not a disposition on the part of the citizens who sit in seats of *authority*, to force an unjust tax on her patrons; does not all see, that the tax is beyond all reason; again if one purchases the preference of a stall it amounts to a sham sale, for he is not allowed to do with his purchase, *as property*. The stalls are not only small, but, look at the rent, (at present) fixed; show, if you please, any city in the Union having such a burdensome tax; again, can one suppose that the butchers are such wiseacres as to buy that that they cannot control. In all fairness it is hoped that a correct view will be taken of the matter by the gentleman having authority. There is a disposition on the part of those engaged in vending their meats, to comply with that which is coupled with justice. The position of matters *as they now stand*, are by all concerned, disagreeable, and on the part of the butchers, *inadmissable*; will the honorable gentleman having the authority, so regard this matter as to enable us, the recipients, to meet them in a fair, and on justifiable terms, before it is to late; we could show much that is grevious in the present edict, but a word on so plain a matter as this, is all that we deem requisite.

J. V. H.

Items of News and Miscellany.

The West India steamer *La Plata* had carried the fever to Southampton from Chagres. On the voyage she lost her captain, purser, third engineer and six of the crew.

Some ardent admirer of Mrs. H. Beecher Stowe has given to the world, through Fraser's Magazine, a genealogical tree of her family.—They comprise twelve, of whom nine are authors.

John Anderson, one of the oldest citizens of Cincinnati, died on last Saturday. He was born in Ireland in January, 1751, fought in the Irish rebellion, landed in Cincinnati in 1800, and at the time of his death was nearly 101 years of age.

Thackeray's tickets in Boston, it is stated, are taken up rapidly in that city, where there is so much eagerness to hear him. He charges $300 for a single lecture in New Bedford.

The quantity of lumber surveyed at Bangor averages, annually, about 200,000,000 feet, whose value cannot fall far short of $3,000,000.

COMMERCIAL SUMMARY.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 4.

The Levee transactions yesterday were exceedingly limited. There was, however, but little except Wheat to be offered. Other kinds of grain come in very slowly, and are in light demand. The Provision market has not yet fully opened, and the Grocery trade is about closed. Salt continues to arrive freely, and the tendency of rates is downward. Navigation good; weather warm, with an inclination to rain; rivers all in a good stage.

TOBACCO—We continue to notice the light sales of this article, although of no importance. Yesterday 1 hhd sold at the Planters' at $3,90, and 3 do at the State at about the same figure.

HEMP—The only sale we hear of is that of 8 bales from Levee at $94 ℔ ton.

LEAD—No sales, but held firm, at $4 87½ and even that high figure has been refused.

PROVISIONS—Market inanimate. A sale of Mess Pork was reported to us at $16 50, 150 bbls, 60 at $17, and 10 do without inspection at $16 25. Lard is selling for 10@10½c for prime. Nothing of importance in Bacon: 6 casks Shoulders at 6½c ℔ lb. Green meats 6, 7 and 8c, for Shoulders, Sides and Hams, and sales have been made a shade above. Butter is very scarce, held at 20 to 25c by the firkin for the best quality.

PROVISION MARKET.—There was some movement yesterday, and Mess Pork brought $17, from the Levee. Lard was in brisk demand, but as some of the transactions were kept private, we are unable to name the rates. We should, however, quote a No. 1 article, in large packages, in active demand at 10¼ to 10½c. A lot of city rendered in tierces, was sold at 10c, but the transaction was regarded as no criterion of the market value. There were no sales of green salted or pickled meats, from the fact that none of those articles were offered. Any of these descriptions would, however, find a ready sale at full prices.

We may suggest that the entire product of the hog is wanted, and that buyers are willing to operate at high remunerative rates, and, further, that as good prices can be obtained here as at any other point in the west, and all things considered, we may presume that sellers can realize on better terms in St. Louis than in any other market.

The supply of hogs for a day or two has been on a very limited scale. Packers would gladly avail themselves of the opportunity to get a few thousand head at $9, but in view of the fact that the operators, at various points, in the interior, and on the Illinois and Upper Mississippi, are offering great inducements, this point seems to be somewhat neglected.

A packer in the southern part of the city, yesterday, engaged 1000 head, to be delivered about the first proximo; the terms were not made public. We imagine that the buyer paid $9, if not more.

The weather is extremely mild, and of course unfavorable for packing operations. A lot of hogs, brought down by the Altona, still remain in the pens.—*St. Louis Union, Dec. 4.*

LOUISVILLE, December 9.

The Provision trade continues in the ascendant, and Hogs for packing have advanced to 6¼c ℔ lb net. The number slaughtered in this market up to Sunday night was 78,533, and the number left over in pens was 34,900, and large droves within a few miles of the city. This shows a great increase over the business at the corresponding period last season.—For particulars of sales we refer to the summary below. The weather for several days has been very unfavorable for slaughtering, and the business in consequence has been greatly retarded.

PROVISIONS AND LARD.—The market is very firm, but, in consequence of wet weather, not active. Sales during the week of 480 bbls Mess Pork at $16,50, cash; 800 bbls and 1000 bbls also at $16,50; and about 460 bbls Rumps at $14. Sales of several lots of old Bacon at 8c for Shoulders and 9 @9½c for clear Sides. A sale from Pork house of 10,000 Shoulders, out of salt, early in the week, at 6½c. Sales of 7,500 Shoulders, from the block, at 5⅝c, and 3,500 Hams, from the block, at 8@8½c. A sale of the prime Lard of 700 hogs, in kegs, at 10½c; and sales of 1000 tierces and bbls prime Lard at 10c. Small sales in kegs at 11c.

IRON AND PIG METAL.—We quote bar Iron, manufactured from charcoal blooms, at 4@4½c, and from puddled or boiled Iron, 3¾, by the quantity; inferior iron 3¼c. Tennessee Pig Metal advanced to $48 ℔ ton, and holders very firm.—Ohio Iron we quote at $45@$48 ℔ ton. Blooms $55@$65 ℔ ton.

COAL AND WOOD.—Fair receipts from Pittsburgh. Retail prices are 12½c ℔ bushel. Sales by the quantity at 9@9½c. Pomeroy Coal 10@11c. Wood ranges from $1,50 to $4,00 ℔ wagon load.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 10.

FLOUR—The market was again very dull to-day and prices farther declined. The sales comprised 275, 400, and 500 bbls at $3,90, and 800 do from H. Railroad at $3,80. Received during the last 24 hours 2708 bbls, exported same time 620 bbls.

PROVISIONS—The demand was better to-day, and prices were well sustained. The sales comprised 10,000 pcs Shoulders in dry salt at 6¾c; 1600 do Sides at 7¾c; 40,000 lbs do to arrive at same, and 50,000 pcs Shoulders, deliverable at Louisville from 10th to 20th January, at 6¾c; 120 bbls No. 1 Lard at 10½c; 280 kegs do at 10½c; 100 bbls prime pork at $15, and 1000 do Mess, deliverable at Louisville (sold yesterday at $16,50. We quote Mess Pork $16,50@16,75; Bulk Meat 6¾c, and 7¾ for Shoulders and Sides. 10@10½c for No. 1 bbl Lard, and 10½ do keg. Sales 1600 and 2000 green Hams at 8¼c; and 2000 Shoulders at 6¾c.

HOGS—The market possessed no new feature to-day except that the number offering was larger than yesterday. The sales comprised 700, 230, 240 and 400 head at $6,30, and 600 do at $6,45. Most of the houses have as many as they can handle this week, consequently the demand is not so brisk as previously noticed.

WHISKY—Sales of 400 bbls from river and 358 do from canal at 18½c, and 125 do from wagons at 18¾c. The demand is good and closed firm.

BALTIMORE, December 11.

REMARKS—Business is steady and gradually improving.—There is, however, no special feature to notice this week.

The money market continues easy. Discounts are making freely in bank and on the street at moderate rates.

Stocks are active and all sound securities firm, with an upward tendency.

PROVISIONS—Bacon...The supply is light and holders firm; transactions small. Small sales of shoulders at 8½@8¾ cts; sides do 9½@9¾; hams 11@13 cts. Pork...There have been sales during the past week, mostly to arrive, of about 1500 bbls western mess to the Government at $20. We note a sale of old at $18,50, and 50 bbls do at $19; prime do $17.—Beef...But little doing. Small sales mess at 15,50@$16; No. 1 do 13,50@14. Lard...sales of 100 bbls at 12@12¼ and 150 kegs at 13; sales to-day of 400 bbls, to arrive, at 12½, and 200 kegs at 13 cents ℔ lb. The market is firm and the supply very light.

NEW YORK DRY GOODS MARKET.—Both woollen and cotton goods have advanced in New York, and considerable speculative activity prevails in the former description especially, in consequence of the increasing scarcity and constantly rising prices of wool. What goods are making at the present price of wool will cost considerable more than the present selling prices, advanced as those are. Heavy sheetings are very active, at an advance; the quotations are from 7⅛@8¼ cents. The spring trade has actually commenced, in consequence of the upward tendency of the market. Drills are very in low stock, and have advanced ⅛@¼ cent. Drills are very scarce, and firm; browns at 8c, blues 9½c and bleached 8@8½c. Cloths, Canton flannels, &c., are also in demand at advancing figures.

Medical Testimony Cannot be Controverted.—One of the most startling cases is narrated of Dr. M'Lane's Vermifuge, by Dr. John Butler, of Lowell, Trumbull county, Ohio. The case was that of a young lady who had been very sick for *eight years*, and had consulted a number of physicians, who had treated it as one of Prolapsus Uteri. Dr. Butler was then called in, and for a time, believed with his predecessors that it was a case of Prolapsus. He was, however, soon forced to the conclusion that his patient was suffering from worms, and after much persuasion, prevailed upon her to take two doses of Dr. M'Lane's Vermifuge. This medicine had the effect of removing from her a countless number of the largest size. After she passed them, her health immediately returned. She is since married, and continues to enjoy excellent health.

For sale by most of the Druggists and Merchants, and by the sole proprietors, J. KIDD & CO., dec13:d&w 60 Wood street.

LARD.

R. WATSON is now engaged in slaughtering FIVE THOUSAND HOGS; and will have constantly on hand a large stock of BULK PORK, of his own curing. Also, a No. 1 article LARD, in barrels and kegs. For sale at his Warehouse, corner of Liberty and Wayne streets. nov23:1m*

W. A. M'CLURG & CO.,
HAVE REMOVED TO THE CORNER OF
Wood and Sixth Streets,

Where they offer to their old customers, and the public generally, at the lowest rates, Wholesale and Retail, the largest, most select and complete stock of CHOICE TEAS, FAMILY GROCERIES, WOODEN AND WILLOW WARE to be found in the West. dec4:y

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CARD.—*Benefit of the Stage Manager, Mr. J. P. BRELSFORD.* Tuesday evening, December 14; on which occasion will be presented, for the first time this season, Sheridan Knowles' beautiful play of "LOVE; or, The Countess and the Serf;" Mrs. FARREN as the Countess, and Mr. BRELSFORD as Huon, the Serf; with other entertainments, for which see bills of the day. dec13

CURRANTS—10 casks very fine, for sale by dec14 SMITH & SINCLAIR.

MOULD CANDLES—30 boxes, a superior article, for sale. dec14 SMITH & SINCLAIR.

FANCY SOAP—20 boxes Hill's Fancy Soap, for sale by dec14 SMITH & SINCLAIR.

ROSIN SOAP—60 boxes No. 1, and family Soap, for sale. dec14 SMITH & SINCLAIR.

BUCKETS—10 doz. patent Buckets, for sale by dec14 SMITH & SINCLAIR.

TUBS—15 doz. No. 1 Tubs; 10 do No. 2, for sale by dec14 SMITH & SINCLAIR.

LEATHER—3 bundles, rough harness; 4 dozen Upper Leather. For sale by dec14 SMITH & SINCLAIR.

UNCLE TOM'S CABIN—A new supply, just received and for sale by B. T. C. MORGAN, dec14 No. 104 Wood street.

To Tailors.
AN EXPERIENCED CUTTER can find employment in a Clothing establishment, by enquiring at dec14:3t NO. 278 LIBERTY ST.

Toys and Fancy Goods, for the Holidays.
THE cheapest and best assortment of Toys and Fancy Goods in the city, can be found at the Cheap Store, 92 Wood street, for sale wholesale and retail. Dealers and the public are invited to call and see. dec14:3t J. P. KAUFFMAN.

Holiday Presents.
THE subscriber (now in the Eastern cities) will, in a few days, open an extensive variety of new and elegant patterns of Watches and Jewelry, as well as a large assortment of ornamental and useful articles, suitable for Christmas and New Years' Gifts, at Nos. 67 and 69, corner of Fourth and Market street. dec14:3t W. W. WILSON.

Caution!
AS my wife, MARY STEIN, formerly Heppert, has left my house nine times, besides having broken open my chest, and taken from it $338 in gold, I caution all persons not to give or harbor her on my account, as I am not responsible and will not pay for anything got by her.
FRANCIS STEIN.
Butler, December 13th. dec14:3tw

A LOT, on the corner of Crawford street and Centre Avenue, 20 feet front by 60 deep; on which is erected a good two story Brick Dwelling.
Two Lots on Crawford street, 20 feet front by 60 deep.
One Lot on Crawford street, 20 feet front by 60 deep; on which is erected a large Cabinet Maker's Shop.
For sale low and on accommodating terms, by AUSTIN LOOMIS, Real Estate Agent, dec14 No. 92 Fourth street.

EAST BIRMINGHAM PROPERTY FOR SALE.—I will sell at a great bargain, a Lot of Ground, in East Birmingham, 20 feet front on a 60 feet street, by 120 feet deep to a 20 feet alley; on which is erected three neat and comfortable brick Dwelling Houses; the Lot is fenced in, with a good board fence, and all other conveniences in good order. The purchaser would not need to lay out any money for years, for repairs. Price $1500. Terms will be made easy. Apply to JAMES BLAKELY, dec14 No. 186 Wood street.

A CARD.—*To the French and German Residents of Pittsburgh, Allegheny and neighborhood.*—For the accommodation of the German and French population, we have just concluded arrangements to draw drafts on *Messrs. Gebr. Rock & Co.*, Bankers, Frankfort-on-the Maine, and on Messrs. Edward Blount & Co., Bankers, Paris; which drafts can be made payable in all the principal places throughout France and Germany. Apply to W. & J. T. TAPSCOTT & CO., New York, Or, to the undersigned, European Agent, No. 186, corner of Wood and Liberty streets, Pittsburgh. dec14 JAMES BLAKELY.

NEW AND EXTRAORDINARY WORKS—By Bulwer and Thackeray.
My Novel, or Varieties in English Life, by Sir E. L. Bulwer; part first, price 37½ cents.
The Confessions of Fitzboodle, and the Professions and Adventures of Major Gahagan, by W. H. Thackeray; neatly bound in cloth—price 50 cents.
Knick-Knacks, by Le Gaylord Clark, fresh supply; price $1,25. To doubt the success of the Knick-Knacks, would be about equal to doubting the success of the Knickerbocker, itself—which, happily, is one of the fixed literary facts of American history.—*Godey's Lady's Book*.
At Miner & Co.'s, No. 32 Smithfield street, will be found the largest and best selected stock of cheap Books, Annuals, and Gift Books, of all kinds in the country, any of which will be sold at very low prices.
Subscriptions received for any periodical published.
H. MINER & CO.,
dec14 No. 32 Smithfield street.

CASH FOR WHEAT!

Pearl Steam Mill;
CANAL BASIN, ALLEGHENY CITY,
(NEAR THE RAILROAD STATION.)

Bryan, Kennedy & Co.,
JOHN T. LOGAN, WM. BAGALEY,
ROBERT T. KENNEDY, H. CHILDS,
S. S. BRYAN, A. P. CHILDS,
HENRY P. SCHWARTZ.

On and after the 1st day of January, we will pay the highest market price, in cash, for Wheat, at our Mill. dec14:wtf

Pennsylvania Railroad.
PERSONS having business with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, west of the Allegheny Mountains, are informed, that the repairs of the Road, and construction of the second track and depots, have been committed to the Engineer department, Edward Miller, Esq., Chief Engineer, office in Philadelphia, assisted by Oliver W. Barnes, Esq., P. A. Engineer, office in Pittsburgh, and G. W. Leuffer, Esq., P. A. Engineer, office in New Florence, Westmoreland county, Pa.
H. J. Lombaert, Esq., has been appointed Superintendent, office in Altona, Blair county, and T. A. Scott, Assistant Superintendent, in immediate charge of all matters in relation to the transportation of freight and passengers.
H. H. Houston, of Philadelphia, is the general Freight Agent of the Company, charged with the receiving and forwarding of Freights, office at Philadelphia, assisted by J. L. Sneeder, local Agent at Philadelphia, and Covode & Graham, at Pittsburgh, until January 1st, 1853.
J. Meskimen is the Passenger Agent at Pittsburgh.
J. Ross Snowden, Esq., Solicitor of the Company at Pittsburgh.
Office of Pennsylvania Railroad Company, December 10th, 1852. dec14:eod3w

Only Newspaper Postage.
DICKENS'S HOUSEHOLD WORDS & UNITED STATES WEEKLY REGISTER.
NEW ARRANGEMENT.—The publication of this periodical will hereafter be carried on by the undersigned, who have become sole proprietors of the work. With the present volume commenced a new series of the work, under the title of "Dickens's Household Words and United States Weekly Register." The original work has attained such an unprecedented popularity, both in England and this country, as to render any commendation of it in this place superfluous.—For variety and richness of information, vivacity of style, and genial tone of feeling, it has no rival in English periodical literature. It may justly be called the greatest intellectual labor-saving machinery of the age. One has only to peruse its pleasant pages, to become master of an amount of knowledge which it has required no small degree of search and energy to accumulate in this condensed, but fascinating form. Nor is it less valuable in point of pecuniary saving. The price of this work for one year will give more mental entertainment and instruction to the family circle, than ten times the sum spent for the common run of books. In the present edition, a copious summary of statistical facts will be given with each number, which cannot fail to prove of service to the American citizen, both for present use and future reference. The work will continue to be issued in a style of great typographical neatness, forming two volumes a year, worthy of a distinguished place on the shelves of the library or the drawing-room table.
The "Weekly Register" portion of this work contains a record of important statistics, as well as of other passing events, of general interest in the United States.
The present volume of the Household Words commenced with No. 1 of the New Series, with which, and the succeeding numbers all new subscribers can be furnished.
TERMS.—The Household Words may be obtained of Booksellers, Periodical Agents, or from the Publishers (No. 17 Spruce st.) at $2 50 a year, or 6¼ cents a number for single copies; 2 copies for $4 50; 3 copies $6; 5 copies $9; 10 copies $15. Clergymen supplied at $1 75 per annum.
Liberal arrangements will be made with Agents and Post Masters for its circulation.
Persons contemplating subscribing to a periodical, will do well to procure a specimen number before deciding.
All orders must be addressed to
McELRATH & LORD, No. 17 Spruce st. New York.
Agents wanted in the City and for the Country. dec14

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.
THE subscriber offers at private sale one Woolen Factory, with complete machinery for manufacturing all kinds of Woolen Goods, propelled by water or steam, and doing a first rate business with the surrounding country; situate on the waters of Turtle creek, in Franklin township, Westmoreland county, Pa., a half mile North of Stewart's station, on the Pennsylvania Railroad, 17 miles from Pittsburgh. There are about 18 acres of Land attached, with a Saw Mill, TWO DWELLING HOUSES, Stable and out houses, together with a store house and ware house, and an Apple and Peach Orchard of the best Grafted Fruit; also a great Variety of other Fruit Trees, Grape Vines, &c., &c.
Persons wishing to purchase such property would do well to call on the subscriber, on the premises, and examine for themselves, as this is a rare chance not often to be met with. This property will be sold together or separate, to suit purchasers. Title indisputable and terms easy.
M. L. MORRIS.
Morristown, Westmoreland county, Pa., Dec. 10, 1852.
Steubenville Herald, and Washington Examiner copy three months weekly and charge Post. [dec11:3mw

To Railroad Contractors!
SEALED PROPOSALS, addressed to either of the undersigned, will be received at Hillsborough, Highland county, Ohio, until the 1st day of February next, at noon—For the Graduation and Masonry of the Middle Division of the Cincinnati, Hillsborough and Parkersburgh Railway, extending from Hillsborough, Highland county, to a point near Jackson, Jackson county, Ohio, about 56 miles. The line will be ready for examination early in January, and Profiles and Specifications of the work will be exhibited at the Engineer's Office, in Hillsborough, for one week prior to the 1st day of February.
This Railway forms the recognized continuation across Ohio, of the Baltimore and Ohio, and North-Western Virginia Railways, and being located as a link in the great through line between Baltimore and St. Louis, will be found in every way worthy of the attention of able and enterprising contractors.
The remainder of the line to the Ohio river, will be ready for contract about the 1st day of May next.
JAMES M. TRIMBLE, President.
ELLWOOD MORRIS, Chief Engineer. dec10:lm

Birch Wine, Wine of Tar, and Medicated Wines, of various characters, have been before the public, but it has remained for the FOREST WINE to blend in one compound the peculiar medical virtues of each of those important articles, whose action has a specific influence in curing those peculiar chronic, kidney, stomach and nervous diseases, causing debility and prostration, often of a serious nature. The FOREST WINE is one of the best tonics in use, having all the strengthening properties of Wine, with the healing and medicinal qualities of the roots and herbs from which it is distilled.
See advertisement in another column of this paper.
Sold Wholesale and Retail by Dr. GEO. H. KEYSER, 140, corner of Wood street and Virgin alley, Pittsburgh, Pa.; also, by JAMES T. SAMPLE, north-west corner of Federal street and the Diamond, Allegheny City. nov15:d&w

Dr. Guysott's Improved Extract of Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla is *a Sure Remedy for Hereditary Taints.*
Thousands of individuals are cursed with grevious complaints which they inherit from their parents. The use of the *Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla* will prevent all this, and save a vast amount of misery, and many valuable lives, for it *thoroughly expels from the system the latent taint*, which is the seed of disease, and so takes off the curse by which the sins or misfortunes of the parents are so often visited upon their innocent offspring.
Parents owe it to their children to guard them against the effects of maladies that may be communicated by descent, and children of parents that have at any time been affected with *Consumption, Scrofula* or Syphilis, owe it to themselves to take precaution against the disease being revived in them. Guysott's Extract of Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla is a sure antidote in such cases.
See advertisement. sep15:d&w

Scrofula.—It is due to Kier's Petroleum to say that it has been known to completely eradicate every vestage 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 most Physicians our country affords; I occasionally got some relief, but no cure, and continued to grow worse until Dr. Foot recommended me to try the 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 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.

Baldness Positively Cured, by C. S. EMERSON'S *American Hair Restorative.*—The proprietor of the article called *American Hair Restorative*, has met with such unbounded success in the use of his article, as to justify him in taking bald cases, and giving a written guarantee. That is, he will, for a price agreed upon, by himself and the person using the article, restore the hair effectually, or refund the amount expended; or, he will sell at the usual price, without the above guarantee. The following instances, of individuals who have had their hair restored, ought to convince any one of its efficacy. They have allowed us to use their names as references: John Hoffer, Woods' Brewery, cured of baldness of 14 years' standing; S. R. Holmes, M. D.; Capt. R. Morris; James Guthrie, 131 Grant street, was totally bald—now his head is completely covered with new hair; also, John Oberly, Tarentum. We would invite particular attention to the following:—
Case of Baldness of 20 years' standing, cured by one Bottle and part of a bottle of American Restorative.
Mrs. Alexander, aged 42, wife of William Alexander, who resides at No. 46 Pennsylvania Avenue, states that she has been bald for the last 20 years; the head, on both sides, was perfectly smooth and without any hair; when she commenced using the Restorative. She has now used one bottle and part of a bottle of hair restorative, and has used it regularly for the last six weeks. Her head is now perfectly covered with a thick crop of new hair, firm and strong; as any one can see by calling. Mrs. Alexander has no objections to the publication of the above.
I am a brother of Mrs. Alexander, whose statement is written out above, and know personally that the statements made are correct. H. M. DAY,
Pittsburgh, Sept. 17, 1852. No. 95 Fourth street.
DR. GEO. H. KEYSER, Wholesale and Retail Druggist, No. 140 Wood street, corner of Virgin alley, Pittsburgh, Pa. oct29:law

BLACK LEAD—10 cases German and East India, for sale, by dec10 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

OIL CARAWAY—150lbs. for sale by dec10 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

CASSIA—50 cases, for sale by dec10 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

GUM SHELLAC—5 cases Orange, for sale by dec10 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

SPANISH BROWN—5 tons, for sale by dec10 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

OIL LEMON—35 lbs. for sale by dec10 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

WAFERS—68 lbs. Red, for sale by B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO., dec10 corner of First and Wood streets.

CAMPHOR—10 bbls. refined, for sale by B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO., dec10 corner Wood and First streets.

CASH PAID FOR CITY WARRANTS, at the Real Estate Office of S. CUTHBERT & SON, dec10 140 3d street.

CHINTZES! CHINTZES!—Now opening at A. A. MASON & Co.'s, a beautiful assortment of French and English Chintzes. Fast colors and superior quality. dec10

SCARFS AND COMFORTS—A large assortment of every size and quality, just received at dec10 A. A. MASON & CO.

BEST KID GLOVES—Just received, per express, at A. A. Mason & Co.'s, 50 doz. Alexander's best Kid Gloves. dec10.

OLIVE OIL—10 baskets, pints and quarts, for sale, wholesale and retail, by J. LAVELY & CO., nov30 Grocers and Tea Dealers.

NO. 1 CRAB CIDER—10 bbls. received and for sale by the gallon or barrel, at 25 cents per gallon. dec7 J. LAVELY & CO., No. 265 Liberty st.

FRESH BUTTER AND LARD—Always on hand and for sale. Lard at 12½ cents. J. LAVELY & CO., No. 265 Liberty street.

CHOICE BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—In sacks of all sizes, in store and for sale by J. LAVELY & CO., dec7 No. 265 Liberty street.

FRESH OYSTERS—Of the best quality, daily received from Baltimore. Can $1,00; half can 50 cents. dec7 J. LAVELY & CO., No. 265 Liberty st.

WANTED—Time Bills on Cincinnati, St. Louis or New Orleans. THOMPSON BELL & CO., Exchange Brokers, nov29 corner of Third and Market streets.

150 BOXES GERMAN CLAY—In store, on consignment, and will be sold on liberal terms, by TAAFFE, MAGUIRE & BANE, dec6 112 Second street.

A FEW CASES MADEIRA AND PORT WINE—On hand and will be sold low, to close a consignment. TAAFFE, MAGUIRE & BANE, dec6 112 Second street.

20 BBLS. NO. 1 BELLEMON HERRING; 5 bbls. No. 1 Trimmed Shad; for sale by TAAFFE, MAGUIRE & BANE, dec6 112 Second street.

EMBROIDERIES—Now openining at A. A. MASON & CO'S, a large and varied stock of Embroideries, comprising Chemizettes, Habits, Collars, Undersleeves, Cuffs, Laces, Flouncings, Insertions, Edgings, &c., of the newest and most fashionable styles. dec6

Agents Wanted.
TO procure subscribers for the CONGRESSIONAL GLOBE AND APPENDIX, which are printed by order of Congress, and "pass free through the mails."—See Joint Resolution No. 14, passed at the last session of Congress.
Address, JOHN C. RIVES, dec3:1w* Washington City.

FOR RENT—A desirable three story Dwelling House, well arranged and in good condition, with gas fixtures, bath room, &c., situate on the corner of Fourth street and Cherry alley, (No. 150.) Will be rented at the low rate of $250 a year, till the 1st of April next. At present occupied by W. W. Irwin.
S. CUTHBERT & SON, General Agents,
dec3 140 Third street, near Smithfield.

Land Agency and Offices for Locating Lands in the West.
AND for the purchase and sale of Land Warrants, St. Paul's, Minnesota, and Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.
The undersigned has formed a connection with Messrs. Conway & Nichols, of St. Paul's, Minnesota, for the above purposes. Messrs. C. & N., having been settled in the Far West for a number of years, and being practical surveyors, every reliance can be placed on their integrity and prudence in the matter of purchasing or locating lands.
oct28 JAMES BLAKELY, 186 Wood st.

ATTENTION NEPTUNE!
AT A SPECIAL MEETING of the NEPTUNE FIRE COMPANY, held on Saturday evening, December 4th, the following Resolution was unanimously adopted:
Resolved, That the Company adjourn to meet next Saturday evening, for the purpose of giving up the apparatus to the City, as we deem it utterly impossible to hold on any longer, owing to the condition of our house.
Therefore, every member of the company is earnestly requested to be in attendance on Saturday evening, December 11, at 7½ o'clock.
dec6 A. N. M'GONIGLE, Sec'y.

Western Insurance Company, Pittsburgh.
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jy7:tf JOSHUA RHODES.

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Iron City Lodge, No. 182, meets every Monday evening.
Mount Moriah Lodge, No. 300, meets every Monday evening, at Union Hall, corner of Fifth and Smithfield.
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