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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.

FINE JOB PRINTING.—Having recently made large additions of NEW AND BEAUTIFUL TYPE to our News and Job Office, we are now prepared to do PRINTING OF ALL KINDS, in the neatest style, and upon the lowest terms. Every size and variety of Type, from fifty line Wood down to Diamond, will now be found in our extensive Job Office.

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A long article in the Chronicle of yesterday, in relation to the senior of the *Post*, would be beneath contempt, were it not for the fact that it attempts to make it appear that his partner is unfriendly to him. The man who asserts this utters a falsehood, and we demand of the editor of the *Chronicle* to produce his proof.

This base controversy which it desires to fasten upon us, originates in a spirit of the most unwarrantable malignity. The wanton malice that has been evinced by the editor, has no effect at home, it is intended for foreign consumption, and his falsehoods are regularly forwarded to those upon whom it is supposed they may operate, for its "billingsgate," we have no reply to make. We cannot degrade our paper to the level of its columns, but will say in the most distinct terms we can use, that his charge is a *bald faced lie*.—Our readers will excuse us for using the term, but it is the only one that will suit our purpose at present.

As to its abuse of the senior of the *Post* they might just as well stop it—they only gnaw a file. He is so well known in this community that he is invulnerable to their attacks, and he is so strongly fortified by the kind recommendations of the friends who know him and esteem him, that their malice is pointless.

THE CHARTIERS VALLEY RAILROAD.

Independent of the importance of this link in the chain of improvements which will give to our City commercial facilities equal to any inland city in the world, it cannot but strike the eyes of our capitalists in a light that few similar roads possess. The Chartiers Valley Road impinges along its whole route the finest coal field in Western Pennsylvania. While other roads may have rivals in the portage of merchandize and travel to lessen by competition their profits, this road can never be idle, for the mineral wealth it controls is inexhaustible. Our manufacturers, indeed every one who regards the interests and prosperity of Pittsburgh, should go forward as soon as the books are opened, and take at once the stock. We believe it will be one of the best paying investments in the country. The short and connecting roads are always those that pay best, inasmuch as the capital invested is small, and they partake of all the benefits which accrue from the main lines they unite with. The Chartiers Valley road, in a municipal point of view, addresses itself to our corporate authorities, as it will have the effect to strike powerless the Hempfield road.—Our people are now wide awake. Our natural resources are undoubtedly great, but in a short time they will be rivaled by our artificial facilities. Pittsburgh will be the hub of the wheel; our diverging rivers, canals and railroads, the spokes; the boundaries of our republic the periphery. The more spokes in the wheel the bigger the hub will grow. We say again, let the stock of the Chartiers Valley Railroad be taken forthwith as soon as the books are opened, as it commends itself to our sense of acquisitiveness, as well as our sentiment of public spirit.

For the Daily Post.

MR. EDITOR:—As two or three of the Railroad Companies, are aiming to have freight Depot's at the point, it appears to me a thing impossible to accommodate each with a street to run machinery and lay down rails.

Would it not be a better arrangement at the outstart, for the city, and the several companies, to construct a dam with sufficient locks, below the two cities, which would secure sufficient water at all seasons, and at all points on both rivers, by using boats constructed for the purpose. Baggage cars could be easily conveyed to either road.

By such an arrangement the several companies will save more than enough to complete the improvements in the purchase of eligible sites, on the two rivers, and at the same time, do all the business, without that constant annoyance to the citizens which must otherwise be the result.

CITIZEN.

The suggestions contained in the above communication, we consider worthy of the attention of the Companies referred to, and we hope they will take the suggestions into consideration.

Citizen's Deposit Bank of Pittsburgh.

We have perused the bill to incorporate this Deposit Bank, as it passed the Senate, and we find the only feature of an objectionable nature stricken out, viz: Section 8, which provided for making loans on hypothecated stock without an endorser. The institution has no authority to issue notes, and the provisions seem to be well guarded to protect the public. We know the gentlemen who are named as incorporators in the bill, and they are men of the highest character for carefulness and probity; and if such persons will always have the charge of the institution, the public need never have an apprehension concerning it.

"A PAID FIRE DEPARTMENT is the subject of a strong communication in the New York Journal of Commerce. The writer thinks it a strange commentary upon our national cuteness, that so many men will work like slaves at night, and unfit themselves for the morrow's labors, for nothing, in fact less than nothing,—no wages and find yourself. The little pay they get when on duty for a length of time will not cover expenses, much less of time if engaged in business.

—We are decidedly in favor of a Paid Fire Department. Our present organization is a bad one. It produces more rows, inculcates more juvenile vice than can be drawn from any other source. We, therefore, hope that our wise Councils will take the matter in hand, and devise some means, by which we can have a Fire Department, which will not be exclusively under the control of rowdy boys.

BLACKWOOD'S MAGAZINE.

We have received the February number of this standard English Magazine, from the American publishers, Leonard Scott & Co. This number, besides several interesting literary papers, contains two or three articles which will prove interesting to those interested in English politics. The tale of Lady Lee's Widowhood is also continued in this number.

FAYETTE COUNTY.—A Telegraphic despatch informs us that Col. Thos. B. Seawright and A. S. Fuller, have been elected delegates to the Convention of the 1st of March.

A contract with the Postmaster General to carry the mail from New Orleans to San Francisco, via Vera Cruz to Acapulco, it is said, has been signed, giving about $500,000 for the job. The contract, however, is to go before Congress. The successful bidders are Mr. Rankin, of Poughkeepsie, taking much of it nominally in behalf of parties in New York city; Mr. Chas. Morgan, of New York, and Mr. Aspinwall, the latter on the Pacific, the former for New Orleans to Vera Cruz. The parties from Vera Cruz to Acapulco are said to be Simeon Draper, of New York; Coleman & Stetson, and some others.

It is Sir FRANCIS BARING, formerly a member of the British Ministry, under the Premiership of Lord Melbourne, who, it is rumored, will succeed Mr. Gladstone, in the Chancellorship of the Exchequer; and not Francis Barny, as reported a day or two since by telegraph.

The following is an extract from a letter, dated, January 12th, 1853, from Sacramento City, from John Little, jr., of the 6th Ward, brother of Thos. M. Little:

"I will give you a few items about California, as it is at the present time; there is water all over the country, communications through the city of Sacramento in a boat of this fashion ——, there are thousands of people here starving; you can see stout big men here, begging, and crying for something to eat, there is not work enough for all of them, they flock from the Mines and the States, and fill the city right up; I can hire men here for their grub; if any boby else told you that, you would not believe them; I'll swear to it being a fact. John Lytle, and Henry and William Wilson are on a ranch surrounded by water, and not doing much at present. Samuel Lytle is doing well, I heard from him about a week ago. Ham Rea is running on a steamboat doing very well; John Barrett is running on a steamboat, keeping about even with the times, he took a trip to the southern Mines about two weeks ago, (I give it to you as I got it from himself,) he says, he had to wade for two days up to his waist in water, without anything to eat, except what acorns he picked up on a little dry spot about 100 yards square, and it was the best meal he ever eat in his life, he has seen the elephant in all its shapes.

John Hughes is here, in Sacramento.

I have given notice of every one only myself, you are anxious to know what I am doing, I am doing a little of everything, I am steamboating for the present, and doing very well; all that a person earns here, he earns honestly, if he works for it; that's an item you can depend upon."

For the Daily Post.

SURVEYOR GENERAL.

Messrs. Harper & Phillips,

DEAR SIRS:—As the time for the meeting of the Democratic State Convention, is rapidly approaching, the merits and claims of the different candidates before the Convention for nomination, is now the proper theme of discussion. In this age of *progressive Democracy*, which has been so triumphantly sustained by the people at the last election, for the welfare and success of the Democratic party, and the principles which the party advocates, it is necessary for the Convention to nominate men who are known to be uncompromising Democrats, men against whom there can be no objections, and who can control the *whole* vote and strength of the party, such a man is Dr. JOHN PATRICK, of Fayette county, who has been named by his numerous friends in connection with the office of SURVEYOR GENERAL, popular in his manners, eminently qualified for the position, and a reliable Democrat, that is always found battling for the principles of his party, of unimpeachable integrity, and a man against whom there can be no objections. If he will consent to let his name go before the Convention, he will find many warm and ardent supporters, who will use every exertion for his nomination. For the success of the party, we sincerely hope that he will consent to be a candidate and be nominated by the Convention.

ALLEGHENY.

EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.—The Washington Republic semi-officially announces that President Fillmore will have nothing to do with the efforts of Democrats to get into office by the resignation of whigs. It says:

We have seen a statement in several papers that whig office-holders are resigning their places, with the view of having the vacancies filled by Democrats, in order to embarrass the movements of General Pierce. It is more than intimated that these resignations are encouraged by the present Administration. We have reason to know that such is not the fact. President Fillmore has no disposition to interfere with the perfect right of his successor to select his own agents for the discharge of all Executive functions, and has neither encouraged nor countenanced a different policy.

CASE OF CONSCIENCE.—The National Intelligencer states that a reverend gentleman of the Catholic Church called at the office on Sunday last, and handed in $30 in gold, which he stated had been delivered by a person in the confessional, to be disposed of as above mentioned. The editors presume it to be a case of conscience connected with some transaction of which they know nothing, and of course could inquire nothing of the worthy priest who received the money under the seal of confession. The mention of the incident may possibly serve to prick the consciences of some delinquent subscribers.

A TUNNEL UNDER CINCINNATI.—It is stated that it is seriously contemplated by the Directors of the Cincinnati and St. Louis Railroad to cut a tunnel under the city of Cincinnati, to connect with the Hillsborough and Parkersburg roads or some other direct Eastern route. The Enquirer says the tunnel will be commenced near the foot of Sixth street and run through into Deer Creek Valley, by this means furnishing a sufficient quantity of dirt to fill up the whole valley. The top of the arch will be some feet below the bottom of Longworth's wine cellar on Sycamore street.

STOCK FOR THE HIPPODROME.—The packet ship Ocean Queen, Captain William B. Smith, arrived here this morning from London, brought out seven African ostriches, trained for the performances of the hippodrome about to be established in this city by the famous Franconi, of Paris.

One of these birds is of colossal dimensions, and a beautiful sable plumage. It was purchased originally from the London Zoological Gardens, and has been trained to run against race-horses. It will, with a boy mounted upon its back, outstrip the fleetest Arabian or English coursers.

The entire stock is in the finest condition, notwithstanding a very tempestuous passage across the Atlantic.—*N. Y. Post.*

Meagher, in his lecture at Boston, told some excellent anecdotes about Grattan. According to Mr. M., Grattan was indebted for his eloquence to long nights of study and perseverance. He practised in barns, fields and meadows, and frequently with no other listeners than a surprised porker or a lost ax-helve. Passing by a gallows one night, he commenced an address to the chains, and with so much naturalness and pathos, that a person passing by, exclaimed, "how the devil did you get down!"—It is unnecessary to add, that the manner with which Meagher told the joke "brought the house down" like a pile of bricks.

SOLDIERS OF THE WAR OF 1812.—Yesterday, in the Senate of the United States, Mr. Brodhead, from this State, gave notice that unless the Committee on Public Lands reported upon the bill read in place by him, granting one hundred and sixty acres of land to the soldiers of 1812, he would move to add it to the Appropriation Bill. Mr. Brodhead argued that the great importance of the Bill entitled it to the immediate action of the Committee, and fully justified him in the course he would feel constrained to adopt in case the Committee failed to act promptly on the bill. If a report could be had from the Committee, there is a hope that the bill would pass.—*Phila. Argus*, 19.

ODD.—Here is a pretty extensive family at a knotty small circle that met a few days since, an account of which we find in the Albany Express:

At an oyster supper the other day, there were present—one father, three daughters, one son, one mother, one brother, three grand-daughters, three sisters-in-law, one uncle, one brother-in-law, three aunts, four cousins, one wife, one nephew, one grand-son, three nieces, one husband, and three sisters. And yet, strange to say, there were only four persons present.

"How far do you want to drive this horse this evening?" said a livery stable keeper to three young bucks for whom he was harnessing a horse to a rockaway.

"Only seventy-five miles," was the reply.

"You cant drive this horse that far," said the keeper.

"Vy not," said the exquisites, "ain't we all got vips."

Mary Benton, the oldest woman, in the world, died at Elton, England, on the 16th ult. If she had survived until the 14th February next, she would have attained the unprecedented age of 122 years. This interesting personage was a native of Cockfield, Durham, and resided for some time at Long Newton.

A Family Quarrel and Tragedy.

The Richmond (Va.) Dispatch gives the following history of a recent occurrence in that State:

Many of our readers will, no doubt, remember that about two years since a violent personal difficulty arose between two very respectable families, of the name of Morris and Williams, residing in Amherst county, near Lynchburg, in consequence of an attempt by Mr. Williams to unite himself in marriage to a daughter of Mr. Morris. The marriage party left home for the purpose of being united in wedlock, but, before the consummation of the nuptials, they were overtaken at Charlotesville by the father and brother of the young lady, who got possession of the intended bride, after some resistance, and started with her on their return home. Stopping to tea at Nelson Court House, they were overtaken by Mr. Williams and his brother, where a violent altercation took place at the supper table, in which young Morris, the brother of the intended bride, was shot dead by a Mr. Williams, brother of the intended bridegroom. Williams, who committed the deed, left the county, we learn, and did not return till recently.

On Saturday last, it appears, he was met, while on horseback, by a brother of the Morris killed, in a road near Lynchburgh. M. asked W. if it was true that he had boasted of having killed his brother. Without replying, Williams apparently was attempting to draw a pistol, when he was anticipated by Morris, who immediately fired two pistol balls at him, the first taking effect in the thigh, the latter penetrating the body, and producing what is thought a mortal wound. Morris was arrested, and bail offered by his father, (a very wealthy man,) to a large amount, which was refused. The excitement, it is said, in Lynchburg and neighborhood, growing out of this distressing affair, is very great.—The Williams party, we learn, threaten summary vengeance, in the way of Lynch law, in case Morris should be bailed, or an opportunity otherwise afforded him to escape the penalties of the law. Although bail was at first refused, it was subsequently granted to Morris, it appearing that Williams commenced the assault, by halting in the road, and indulging in abuse of Morris.

THE BOURBON QUESTION.

The question put at the head of an article in the last number of "*Putnam*," has called forth many answers from the press. Some have treated the subject with due dignity, and gone off into lengthy disquisitions, discussing the probabilities and improbabilities. Others have pronounced it a downright "flam," the sheer concoction of a brain aching for a novel topic. By others it has been pronounced the resurrection of an old story, that had its day, and died out years ago. It has been ridiculed by others; even philosopher GREELEY, usually the first to advocate all newly broached ideas, has taken a comical fit, and looks at the matter in a foocical light.

If there be such an identical personage as the Rev. ELEAZER WILLIAMS, what a fine opportunity is opened to him to make his "'tarnal fortin." Why does he not begin the tour of the Union, and exhibit himself—admittance 25 cents.—How grand the bills would look headed in staring type,

"THE BOURBON IS AMONG US!"

If that gentleman has an eye single to the state of his finances, he will adopt this sugestion.—He has at any rate the example of his friend Louis Phillippe. Could'nt Eleazer get an old French Sword, a baton, a star of honor, a piece of the old throne, a stone from the Bastile, and a door from the house of Orleans? Where's Barnum?

In the mean time, sundry rumors are afloat in Cleveland of a "very mysterious" nature. It is stated that developements are anticipated. The oldest inhabitant was seen to look knowing. He received a private visit from an unknown individual dressed in black. It will be refreshing and relieving, to the gossip-lovers and Paul Prys, to know what all this is about. Here is the solution of the Memphian mystery. The individual in black is a prominent contributor for SNOOK'S *Monthly*, and it is confidently asserted he is preparing an article for the next issue of that widely circulated and popular magazine, headed,

"HAVE WE A SMITH AMONG US?"

Cleveland Plaindealer.

COLLECTION OF TAXES.—Mr. Forsyth's bill in the Senate, changing the mode of collecting taxes, and appointing a general receiver, to whose office every citizen can go, and by paying his taxes in advance, save five per cent of the sum, meets with general favor among our citizens—and would be a great improvement over the present inconvenient and cumbrous method, besides saving to the county a very large sum annually, which now goes into the pockets of the tax collectors. The Senate should hurry the bill through, that the new plan may go into immediate operation. The general tax bill reported by the Commissioners, receives but little favor. It is considered as an impertinent and unwarrantable pimping and prying into every man's private business—calling for unnecessary exposure of his private affairs, which may be used to the disadvantage of any citizen, by mean and malignant individuals.

The inquisitorial feature of the bill, requiring every man to be examined on oath, as to the amount of his personal property is sufficient alone, to condemn it, for the policy of law has always been, to exclude altogether evidence where personal interests are concerned. This tax bill would, however, hold out additional inducements for men who do not stickle at falsehood, to go farther, and commit perjury. So convinced were the Commissioners of this fact, that they have provided a special clause for the punishment of those guilty of this crime in the examination. If a man's pecuniary affairs cannot be reached without imposing an oath, we do not see how it could be ascertained whether he has sworn falsely or not, without imposing a still stronger obligation.—*Ledger.*

THE CHANGE OF FASHION.—The ladies and gentlemen of the fashionable circles, are anxiously discussing the changes in male and female costume introduced by the new French Court. The example of France is, of course, supreme in all questions of dress, and if the Parisian milliners should take a notion to patronize the Bloomer, the whole respectable world would be obliged to go into the shorts. There is, however, no danger of that, just now, as the order of the day at Paris is, to revive the style of the time of Josephine,—short waists for women, breeches and knee buckles for men. It is a melancholy prospect for tall girls and spindle-shanked youths; but we see no escape for them, unless there should be a revolution in the French empire, before the new mode comes into general use. Gentlemen of fine calves, rather pride themselves on the chances of a future display of elegant proportions.

STEAMBOATS ON THE WESTERN RIVERS.—From a list furnished by A. Guthrie, Esq., Steamboat Inspector of steamboats in the United States, we select the following places in the West, to show the number of steamboats registered at them, with their tunnage:

Pittsburgh	101	16,384
Wheeling	38	6,843
Cincinnati	104	24,109
Louisville	26	14,109
St. Louis	126	30,948
Nashville	18	3,578
Vicksburg	4	687
New Orleans	111	34,336

FRAUDULENT OPERATIONS BY THE SPIRITS.—A man named Richard Dougherty, who has been rendered insane, it is said, by the influence which some of the spiritual mediums possessed over himself and his purse, was yesterday placed in the Lunatic Asylum. The police authorities are in possession of information, from which it appears that the mediums defrauded him out of the large amount of $13,000; but the details have not yet been made known, and until the parties by which the fraud has been committed are arrested, the circumstances of the case will not be published.—*N. Y. Post.*

TWO MORE TERRITORIES.—The House of Congress has passed two territorial bills—one, for the organization of the Territory of Washington, embracing the northern part of Oregon, and the other for the organization of the Territory of Nebraska, lying immediately west of Missouri and Iowa.

The following States elect their Judges by a direct popular vote:

New York,	Mississippi,	Michigan,
Pennsylvania,	Missouri,	Illinois,
Maryland,	Ohio,	Wisconsin,
Virginia,	Indiana	California—12.

The Cleveland Plaindealer says the real estate speculation mania in Cleveland is experiencing somewhat of a decline just now. Several large sales, conditionally made last week, have been repudiated by the buyers. It is said a general re-action is taking place.

WIFE AND CHILD.

AIR—"*A man's a man for a' that.*"

I.

Let rakes extol a roving life,
Of freedom of prate, and all that;
Of noisy brats and scolding wife,
And doctors' bills and all that.
Though fools may rail, and jest, and scoff,
A wife's the thing for all that.
The time, they'll find, is not far off,
When so they'll think, for all that.

II.

'Tis true, when youth and fortune smile,
And health is firm, and all that;
When wine, and song, and dance beguile,
Variety and all that;
When every place where'er you roam,
Has jolly friends, and all that;
You want for neither wife nor home,
Nor sympathy, nor all that.

III.

But age comes on with stealthy pace,
And sober thoughts, and all that;
Trouble will show her frowning face,
Sickness and pain, and all that;
The feast, the bowl, will lose their powers,
And revelry, and all that;
Then shall we need to cheer the hours,
A wife and home, and all that.

IV.

Oh! "when misfortune clouds the brow,"
Disease and death, and all that;
Then "woman, then an angel thou,"
To soothe and cheer, and all that.
Thy gentle cares beguile our pains,
Our sleepless nights, and all that;
Thy voice the sighing soul sustains,
With hope and trust, and all that.

Items of News and Miscellany.

A Wisconsin paper says extensive firms in Toronto, Oswego, Green Bay, Depre and Fond du Lac, have smuggled nearly $400,000 worth of goods, during the last two years, into Wisconsin.

At Greenville, Dark county, Ohio, there is a child that has four natural ears, two on each side of the head, and well developed—two in their natural position and two directly in front, one on either side. Each pair directed to one orifice, and in direct opposition to each other. It was evidently sent into this world to *hear* something.

The Philadelphia *Pennsylvania* explains that the two bank charters lately passed at Harrisburg, for that borough, were not *for banks of issue*, being for saving banks, receiving deposits with power to discount notes and bills of exchange. The one asked for at Carlisle is of the same character, it says.

All the world is complaining of the want of friends and yet scarcely any body gives himself the trouble of bringing the necessary disposition to gain and preserve them.

Mullooney says his wardrobe consists of two suits, one of sattinet, and the other law—the former he is wearing out, while the latter is "wearing out" him. Poor devil, how we pity him! and yet there are hundreds just like him.

Mr. Greeley, of the *Tribune*, in a commendatory notice of his Whig Almanac, says that although he retains the name Whig as a prefix to the title there is nothing in it that the most rabid Locofoco need object to; and if he isn't satisfied with the election returns of 1852, he must be difficult indeed.

And for Whigs, if *Whigs there shall be hereafter*, we consider those better returns to calculate gains upon than ever were before or ever will be again. It will be easy to cypher out "cheering indications," "glorious results," taking the returns of 1852 as a basis of comparison.

A man named Devine, has been fined $1,000 and costs at Savannah, Ga., for peddling goods without a license. The goods were represented to be pure silk, but turned out to be flax and cotton, with a slight mixture of silk.

Kossuth continues to live very privately and retired in London, and is in excellent health.

A gentleman from New York has subscribed $460,000, the whole amount required to build a railroad from Fayetteville, N. C., to the Deep River coal mines, in the same State.

A bill has been introduced in the Legislature of Delaware prohibiting the sale of spiritous liquors on the Sabbath, and fixing the license to retail at $100 per annum. Fine and imprisonment is to be the penalty for a violation of the law.

The Board of Brokers at St. Louis, Mo., on the 6th inst., resolved that after the 14th, they would neither receive nor pay out any paper circulating as money which is not redeemable there in gold and silver, unless such paper shall have been issued by regularly incorporated companies, having the legal authority to make the issues.

The winter on the Plains, west of Fort Larimie has never been more severe than during the present season. The American Fur Company have lost many of their cattle and horses. Buffalo and antelopes are found dead in some of the canons—having been frozen.

A convention of delegates from the banks in New England was held in Boston Wednesday.—The object of the meeting was to form a Bankers' Association for the suppression of counterfeiting.

The Masonic fraternity of New Orleans have purchased the Commercial Exchange in that city for $550,000.

A rumor prevailed at Mobile, Ala., on the 12th inst., that the postmaster there was a defaulter of the amount of $25,000.

The total number of hogs packed at Louisiana, Mo., this season, is 2,906; aggregate weight, 589,588 pounds; average weight, 202½ pounds.

Eight or ten of the work house convicts succeeded in making their escape last Monday night from the St. Louis work house by digging under the wall. So says the St. Louis *News* of the 14th inst.

The collector of the Maryland Capitol Gazette thus implores delinquents to fork over the tin:

"Meet, oh meet me I implore you,
Meet me where I most adore you,
'Neath the shadow of the bower,
Meet me there at any hour;
Meet me there or where you will,
Meet, and PAY THAT PRINTING BILL."

AN ANECDOTE.—The following anecdote from the New Hampshire *Telegraph* is too good to be lost:

Many years ago there was in the eastern part of Massachusetts, a worthy old D. D., and although he was an eminently benevolent man and a good christian, yet it must be confessed that he loved a joke much better than even the most inveterate jokers. It was before church organs were much in use, it so happened that the choir of the church had recently purchased a double bass violin. Not far from the church was a large pasture, and in it a huge town bull. One hot Sabbath in the summer he got out of the pasture, and came bellowing up the street.—About the church there was plenty of untrodden grass, green and good, and Mr. Bull stopped to try the quality, perchance to ascertain if its location had improved its flavor, at any rate the reverend doctor was in the midst of his sermon, when—

"Boo-woo-woo," went the bull.

The doctor paused, looked up at the singing seats, and with a grave face, said:

"I would thank the musicians not to tune their instruments during service time, it annoys me very much."

The people stared, and the minister went on. "Boo-woo-woo, went the bull again, as he passed another green spot."

The parson paused again, and addressed the choir:

"I really wish the singers would not tune their instruments while I am preaching, as I remarked before, for it annoys me very much."

The people tittered, for they knew as well as any one, what the real state of the case was.—The minister went on again with his discourse, but he had not proceeded far before another "Boo-woo-woo," came from Mr. Bull.

The parson paused once more, and again exclaimed:

"I have twice already requested the musicians in the gallery not to tune their instruments during sermon time. I now particularly request Mr. Lafevor that he will not tune his double bass viol while I am preaching."

This was too much. Lafevor got up too much agitated at the thought of speaking out in church and stammered out:

"It isn't me, parson B——, its tha-that d—d town bull!"

A gentleman was accosted by a poor loafer, who asked for charity.

"I will remember you next time," replied the gentleman.

"Please your honor," said the loafer, I don't credit, I deal on the cash principle."

Derangement of the Liver!

Is one of the most common, as well as the most formidable diseases known to American physicians. It had for years attracted the closest attention of the medical faculty in all parts of the United States, and yet up to the time of the discovery of Dr. M'Lane's great Specific, it was almost beyond the reach of medical skill. Thousands had perished without even a hope of relief, and although thousands may yet be destined to feel the direful effects of this most complicated disease, it is now, thanks to the research of Dr. McLane, most completely brought within the scope of medical control. The proprietors of the Liver Pills feel confident that they offer a remedy which has been fully tested by time, and which has never failed of success when fairly tried.

Beware of Counterfeits!

For sale by most of the Druggists and Merchants, and by the sole proprietors. J. KIDD & CO., feb19:1&w 60 Wood street.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO LET—A two story Dwelling House, on Grant street. Rent $200 per year; contains six rooms. feb23 S. CUTHBERT & SON, 140 Third street.

FISH—30 bbls. No. 3 Mackerel; 20 half bbls. do; In store and for sale by HENRY M'CULLOUGH & CO, feb23 corner of Penn and Irwin streets.

MOLASSES—500 bbls. N. O. Molasses, (oak cooperage;) 50 half bbls. do do. In store and for sale by HENRY M'CULLOUGH & CO., feb23 corner of Penn and Irwin streets.

BROOKS' UNIVERSAL GAZETEER—A new Universal Gazeteer of the known world, compiled by R. Brooks, M. D.; 1 vol. 8vo.; illustrated. For sale by feb23 KAY & CO., 55 Wood street.

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An Anxious Mother,

WISHES to obtain information of the whereabouts of her son, JOHN FROMALD, who left Pittsburgh on the 2d of November, 1850; since that time I have heard nothing of him. He will be 17 years of age the 29th day of April, 1853. He speaks three languages, French, German, and English; has blue eyes, light hair, and rather thin in flesh. Any person having any knowledge of him, to furnish his mother, the undersigned, of it.

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SPTS. TURPENTINE—60 bbls. in prime order, for sale by feb14 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

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JOHN GROUTT, SUCCESSOR TO MARTIN & M'LAUGHLIN, Importer of BRANDIES, GIN, WINES, &c. Also—Dealer in Fine Old Whisky and Peach Brandy, corner of Smithfield and First streets, Pittsburgh, Pa. jan12:tf

Removed.

I TAKE this method of informing my friends and customers, that I have removed to the new Warehouse, No. 239 Liberty street, nearly opposite Smithfield street. feb8 ALEX. HUNTER.

Pittsburgh and Steubenville Railroad.—THE subscribers to the Capital Stock of the Pittsburgh and Steubenville Railroad Company, are hereby notified to pay into the Treasury, the fourth instalment of Five Dollars per share, on or before the 1st of December, proximo, and Five Dollars per share on or before the 1st day of each month thereafter, until the whole amount of stock subscribed for has been paid.

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Wholesale and Retail Clothing Merchants, NO. 88 WOOD STREET.

THE subscribers respectfully inform their old customers and the public in general, that they have this day associated themselves in the above business, under the firm of JOHN M'CLOSKEY & CO. They respectfully solicit a share of public patronage.

The previous business of each will be settled by themselves respectively. feb9

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. Fogel, 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.

WM. A. DROWN'S UMBRELLA AND PARASOL MANUFACTORY,

NO. 86 MARKET STREET, PHILADELPHIA.

W. A. DROWN, respectfully informs dealers, that his PARASOLS for the approaching season is now complete, and invites their attention to it.

He is constantly adding new styles, and dealers will find his stock one of the most desirable to select from that can be found in the country.

Also, will be found a large stock of UMBRELLAS, consisting of low priced COTTONS; GINGHAM of every quality; and a choice assortment of SILK, all of which he offers at a small advance on the cost of manufacture. feb11:2m

CARRIAGES FOR SALE.

REMOVAL.—The undersigned announces that he has removed to his commodious CARRIAGE WAREHOUSE, situated near the Two Mile Run, between Pittsburgh and Lawrenceville, on the Greensburg and Philadelphia Turnpike Road, and is now prepared and will receive daily from the East, new and second hand CARRIAGES, which he will sell on the very lowest terms for cash. Having had twelve years' practice in the business, and with his well known facilities in the East, he flatters himself in putting down all competition.

Those wishing to purchase are respectfully invited to call and see for themselves.

Especial and prompt attention paid to repairing of Carriages, &c. [feb24:1y] JOSEPH WHITE.

Seeds and Implements.

EARLY CABBAGE, Cauliflower, Radish, Lettuce, Cucumber, Egg Plant, and other seeds for hotbeds; Pruning Saws, with Chisels attached, on long handles; Corn and Cob Crushers; Root Cutters; Corn Planters; Seed Drills; Cutters, suitable for Hay or Corn Stalks, one of the most complete and useful in the country; Vegetable Root Cutters; Cultivators; and Rodger's patent Steel Teeth; Plows, (Hall & Speer's approved patterns,) and a great variety of labor-saving implements; Ames' Spades and Shovels, Hoes, Forks, &c.

Orders from merchants or dealers will be filled promptly on liberal terms, from the Seed and Horticultural Warehouse, 49 Fifth street.

feb8 JAMES WARDROP.

JOHN DOWNS... WM. F. FOWLER.

CARROLL HALL GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING STORE AND PATENT SHIRT MANUFACTORY,

145 *Baltimore st., Baltimore, under Carroll Hall.*

THE undersigned, in conducting the above business, use every effort to obtain the choicest Goods appertaining to the Gentlemen's Furnishing line that is imported into the New York market. The store is kept constantly supplied in seasonable goods, together with a variety of fancy articles.

The attention of the public is also called to the PATENT SHOULDER SEAM SHIRT, manufactured by them, which, for neatness and comfort of fit cannot be excelled. To this branch of their business the undersigned pay particular attention, and are determined not to be excelled by any establishment in this city. An experienced Cutter is employed, and a satisfactory fit is warranted in every case.

A large and varied assortment of the above articles kept constantly on hand, which is offered to the trade on liberal terms.

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I HAVE introduced an elegant article of CLOTH and HAIR BRUSHES, superior to anything of the kind ever before manufactured in this city. They will compare with any Eastern Brushes ever brought to this market, not only in material, but also in finish. The best of workmen are employed to ornament them, and thus make them in every respect equal to any manufactured in any of the Eastern cities.

Also, a large assortment of Paint, Varnish, Sash, Shoe, Horse, Dusting, Scrubbing, Sweeping and Window Brushes.

Also, a large assortment of Nailed and Tied Whitewash Brushes.

Also, a fine variety of Tooth, Nail and Brushes, Hat, Varnish, Blenders, &c. &c.

All of which I will sell as low as they can be purchased in any Eastern market. All who doubt the above statement are most respectfully invited to call and judge for themselves.

N. B.—As I have concluded to confine my attention entirely to the manufacture of Brushes, I feel that I can offer as great inducements as any manufacturer in the Union.

feb9 CHAS. A. MOORE, No. 110 Wood st.