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PITTSBURGH:

THURSDAY MORNING.....MAY 26.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

CANAL COMMISSIONER,
THOMAS H. FORSYTH,
of Philadelphia County.

AUDITOR GENERAL,
EPHRAIM BANKS,
of Mifflin County.

FOR SURVEYOR GENERAL,
J. PORTER BRAWLEY,
of Crawford County.

THE HEMPFIELD RAILROAD.

ROBERT T. CONRAD, Esq., President of the Hempfield Railroad Company, has issued an advertisement, inviting proposals until the 23d of May, for all the heavy sections remaining to be let on the Hempfield Railroad between Wheeling and Washington. The heavy work on the next division, extending from Washington to the Monongahela river, 25 miles, (and probably that on the entire line from Washington to Greensburg) will be ready for examination by contractors after the meeting of the Board, on the 20th inst., and will then be put immediately under contract. On this division is a tunnel 1500 feet long. Proposals will be received for the remaining heavy work on the line of the Hempfield Railroad, from Wheeling to the Monongahela river, (52 miles) until Monday the 30th inst.

THE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY.

The Hon. JAMES C. DOBBIN, Secretary of the Navy, the Norfolk *Argus* says, will pay a temporary visit to his home in North Carolina, in a few days, and will take Norfolk in his route, making an official visit to the Gosport navy yard, and will also inspect the vessels of the exploring squadron for the North Pacific, &c., now making its rendezvous at Norfolk.

Mr. DOBBIN, in the discharge of his official duties, has thus far given great satisfaction to those who have had business transactions with him. He labors with untiring industry, day and night, to promote the interests of the government, and watches, with vigilant eye, the affairs of the Department over which he presides.

VIRGINIA ELECTION.

An election will take place this day (Thursday) in Virginia, for Commissioners of the Public Works, Members of Congress, and also for members of the House of Delegates, and one half of the State Senators. In the Wheeling Senatorial district there will be a warm contest, growing out of what is called the "Pittsburgh issue," or the *Right of Way* for the Pittsburgh and Steubenville Railroad through Brooke county. The counties of Brooke and Hancock are supporting a candidate for Senator who is in favor of the Right of Way; while Wheeling, on the other hand, has a candidate of her own, who is pledged to oppose that measure. May the Right of Way triumph, is our earnest prayer.

☞ The Directors of the Buffalo and Pittsburgh Railroad, in a card published over their signatures in the Buffalo *Courier*, positively declare that they have not either individually or collectively, directly or indirectly, present or prospectively, any manner of interest in, or title to, by purchase, gifts or otherwise, any lands, coal beds, timber, or any other species of property, on either of the proposed routes of the Buffalo and Pittsburgh Railroad, or roads with which it will connect, either in New York State or in Pennsylvania, or that will in any manner be affected by its construction, outside the newly established boundaries of the city of Buffalo.

THE ST. CHARLES HOTEL.—This magnificent Hotel is doing a most thriving business, and its patronage is still on the increase. Without making an invidious distinction, we can safely say that it is one of the best regulated Hotels in the Union. Every accommodation required is produced with promptness. The landlord is a gentleman in the strict sense of the term, and his *attaches* are prompt, respectful and attentive.

THE MEETING OF THE CANAL BOARD, which was to have convened yesterday, was postponed on account of the illness of Mr. CLOVER. We had the pleasure of meeting with Mr. HOPKINS a popular member of the Board, and also with Mr. WILSON, the very efficient Secretary to the Commissioners.

POST OFFICE APPOINTMENTS.—We learn that David M. Boyd, has been appointed Postmaster at West Middletown, Washington county, Pa., and Benj. Craven, at West Alexander, in the same county. These are excellent appointments.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—We would call the attention of the public to the advertisement of our friend, Capt. JAMES MAY. The Real Estate offered for sale is some of the most valuable in our city, and offers great inducements to capitalists.

Meeting of the Democratic State Central Committee.

The Democratic State Central Committee met at the Merchants' Hotel, Philadelphia, on Saturday last. There was a pretty full attendance of the members, and the proceedings were quite harmonious. WM. L. HIRST, Esq., was in the chair, and WM. CURTIS and WM. H. WELCH acted as Secretaries.

Mr. Badger, of Philadelphia, seconded by Mr. Jameson, of York, moved that a committee of three be appointed, to express the feelings of this Committee on the occasion of the death of JOHN BANNISTER GIBSON. Adopted.

The following gentlemen were appointed: Mr. Badger, of Philadelphia; Mr. Carson, of Dauphin; and Mr. Miller, of Perry.

After a short absence, the Committee returned and reported the following:

Bewailing in common with the whole people of our beloved Commonwealth, the demise of J. Bannister Gibson, the late Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, we deem this an appropriate occasion to publicly manifest our feelings on this great national bereavement. Therefore, Resolved,

That the Democratic State Central Committee, in Convention assembled, do entertain for the memory of J. Bannister Gibson, for his profound learning, for his great legal acquirements identified as they are, with the judicial history of Pennsylvania, for a period of almost a half century, and for his unblemished character as a man, the most venerated respect. That we regard his death a great public calamity, which we mourn, as becomes those who regard the loss which the country has sustained, as one universally deplored.

Resolved, That, as a token of respect, we will wear the usual badge of mourning for the remaining period of the term of our official appointment, and that these proceedings be enrolled upon the minutes of the Central Committee.

Mr. Kneass, of Philadelphia, seconded by Mr. Mott, of Pike, moved that the late State Convention shall re-assemble at Harrisburg, on the 28th day of July next, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the Supreme Bench, to be supported by the Democratic party of Pennsylvania, at the ensuing election, and for the transaction of any other business that may become necessary.

Mr. Vaux, of Philadelphia, seconded by Mr. Fretz, of Montgomery, moved to amend by inserting Norristown in place of Harrisburg; Mr. Vandyke, of Philadelphia, seconded by Mr. Monaghan, of Chester, moved to amend the amendment by inserting Philadelphia in place of Norristown, which was lost, the amendment being also lost, the original resolution offered by Mr. Kneass, was adopted.

☞ We understand that the following foreign appointments, some of which have been announced already, have been made by the President; and that other objects of pressing attention prevent his bestowing any further consideration, at present, upon appointments of this class.

Official.

Minister plenipotentiary to Great Britain, Jas. Buchanan, of Pennsylvania. Secretary of legation, John Appleton, of Maine.

Minister plenipotentiary to Spain, Pierre Soule, of Louisiana.

Minister plenipotentiary to Russia, Thomas H. Seymour, of Connecticut.

Minister plenipotentiary to Mexico, James Gadsden, of South Carolina. Secretary of legation, John Crigg, of California.

Minister plenipotentiary to Prussia, Peter D. Vroom, of New Jersey.

Minister plenipotentiary to Central America, Solon Borland, of Arkansas. Secretary of legation, Frederick A. Beelen, of Pennsylvania.

Minister plenipotentiary to Brazil, William Trousdale, of Tennessee.

Minister plenipotentiary to Chili, Samuel Medary, of Ohio.

Minister plenipotentiary to Peru, John R. Clay, late charge d'affaires in Peru, and formerly secretary of legation in Russia and Austria.

Minister resident in Switzerland, Theodore S. Fay, long secretary of legation at Berlin.

CHARGES D'AFFAIRES.

For Belgium, J. J. Seibles, of Alabama.

For Netherlands, August Belmont, of New York.

For Sardinia, Richard K. Meade, of Virginia.

For Bolivia, Charles L. Woodbury, of Massachusetts.

For Austria, Henry R. Jackson, of Georgia.

For Two Sicilies, Robert Dale Owen, of Indiana.

For Denmark, Henry Bedinger, of Virginia.

For Buenos Ayres, William H. Bissell, of Illinois.

For New Granada, James L. Greene, of Missouri.

Commissioner to the Hawaiian Islands, Shelton F. Leake, of Virginia.

CONSULS.

Acapulco, Charles L. Denman, of California.
Alexandria, Edwin de Leon, of South Carolina.
Basle, David L. Lee, of Iowa.
Bordeaux, Alfred Dilmore, of Pennsylvania.
Bermuda, John M. Howdin, of Ohio.
Bremen, William Hildebrand, of Wisconsin.
Cork, Dennis Mullin, of New York.
Dublin, M. J. Lynch, of Illinois.
Dundee, William H. DeWolf, of Rhode Island.
Havana, Alexander M. Clayton, of Mississippi.
Hong Kong, James Keenan, of Pennsylvania.
Honolulu, Benjamin F. Angell, of New York.
Hamburg, S. M. Johnson, of Michigan.
Labaina, Geo. W. Chase, of Maine.
Liverpool, Nathaniel Hawthorne, of Massachusetts.
Melbourne, James M. Tarleton, of Alabama.
Panama, Thomas W. Ward, of Texas.
Paris, Duncan R. McRae, of North Carolina.
Rio de Janeiro, Robert G. Scott, of Virginia.
St. Thomas, Charles J. Helm, of Kentucky.
Talcahuano, Wm. B. Plato, of Illinois.
Trieste, Wyckham Robertson, of Louisiana.
Trinidad de Cuba, John Hubbard, of Maine.
Valparaiso, Reuben Wood, of Ohio.
Venice, Donald G. Mitchell, of Connecticut.
Zurich, George F. Gonndi, of Pennsylvania.

UTAH TERRITORY.—The Deseret News gives us some insight into the progress of the settlements in the Mormon region. From this source we learn that Palmyra contains one hundred families, the first house having been built in September last. It is surrounded by a fine farming region, and has good water facilities. Springville has more than one hundred and thirty families, besides a grist mill and a saw mill, a brass band, and a school for teaching the French and German languages. Provo is a large town, and much crowded. Many new buildings are in progress; German and French schools are taught, and a dramatic association is in operation. A bridge across the stream at Provo, to replace one swept away by a spring flood, is in progress, besides a flourishing mill; and a company is turning the Crown river into its old channel, to prevent overflows. The town of Cedar, in Iron county, contains 70 men, about half being employed by the Deseret Iron Company. This place has a dam and water course, several furnaces, and a casting house. The town of Harmony, in the same county, has an iron foundery in rapid progress. Parondan, also in Iron county, is extensively engaged both in the lumber and iron trades. They have iron works there. Several other settlements in the iron region are named, all apparently quite flourishing.

SUCCESSFUL FARMING ON THE EASTERN SHORE.—A correspondent of the Centreville *Times* relates the success of a farmer of that county, by a liberal use of manure. It appears he purchased the farm in 1844, (previous to which it scarcely produced enough to support a family,) and since then, now nine years, he has used 10,998 bushels of ashes, 17,835 bushels of stone lime, and 9,780 of shell lime, besides street manure, in all costing $3,224 63. In 1844 the produce of the farm sold for $491 58, and was gradually increased until 1852, when it sold for $3,504 47. The sales of the nine years amount to $16,215 20, or $12,990 52 over and above the cost of the manure. At the rate of the yield of 1844, the aggregate sales of the nine years would have amounted to only $4,424 22, so that he has a clear gain, from produce alone, of $8,566 30, by the application of manure for nine years; in addition to which, his farm, of 308 acres, which, in 1840, was assessed at $4,928, is, this year, assessed at $10,780—increase in value, $5,852. During the nine years he also sold 81,900 worth of wood and rails, making a total increase of $16,318 30.

What shall we do with the Fragments of the Whig Party?

The New York *Tribune* answers this question thus:

"Let us do our proper work and not stand shivering with terror lest our adversaries should overdo theirs. The proper antidote in Fillibusterism of all sorts is the urgent and vigorous advocacy of THE PACIFIC RAILROAD.

We rather like the idea of thus converting Whiggery to use. The Pacific Railroad is better than the hulks, and the Whigs have peculiar qualifications. The Galphin Whigs for instance, can "make tracks" in fine style. The old fogies are good for "sleepers." You can find "railing" enough in the *Tribune* for several miles of work. The conservative editors would do for "breakmen and station-masters." They have no machinery at present for a locomotive, but who can object to the fire-worn General Scott for a "tender-behind!"

IMPORTANT RAILROAD IMPROVEMENT.—In a card in the Washington *Union* of Sunday, Robert Mills, Esq., engineer and architect intimates to the public that an improved railroad engine has been perfected, that will be capable of running a mile a minute for any distance, and that he has nearly accomplished an improvement in the construction of railroads, by means of which this rate of speed may be made in safety. He anticipates from his improvements the ability to cross the continent from the Atlantic to the Pacific in as many minutes as there are miles of distance. His improved road, he states, combines safety of travel with economy of construction.

☞ The Lunatic Asylum at Columbus, Ohio, is now full, containing upwards of five hundred patients. In fourteen years there have been admitted 2116 patients, of which 1036 were farmers, being more than twelve times the number of those of any other occupation except laborers, of which class there were 130. The next highest on the list is teachers, being 40. There were 24 clerks, 22 preachers, 21 tailors, 9 lawyers, 6 printers, 3 sea captains, 2 musicians, 2 medical students, &c. Among the causes, spirit rappings is now most frequent.

HON. LYNN BOYD, late Speaker of the House of Representatives, has withdrawn from the Congressional canvass in the first district of Kentucky, in consequence of several candidates being in the field. H. C. Burnett, who was also a candidate in the same district, has likewise declined, and both have pledged themselves to take no part in calling a convention to make a nomination, thus leaving their party friends to pursue whatever course they may deem proper.

Items of News and Miscellany.

The Chicago Tribune says a suit is about to be commenced by the Michigan Southern and Indiana Northern Railroad, against the Illinois Central Railroad, to restrain the Central from running their cars across the track of the Southern road.

A striped bear, a white bear, a tiger, a leopard, and a horned toad, have arrived at New York, from California to be exhibited at the World's Fair.

Dr. Holmes, of New York, has discovered a method of embalming human bodies, in fifteen minutes, by injecting a liquid in an artery of the lower limbs.

A verdict *pro forma* has been given against the Metropolitan Bank, in New York, for the $1,000 penalty for receiving foreign bank notes.

David Pollard, another victim to spiritual rappings, committed suicide in Clinton Co., N. Y., last week.

Mr. Tucker, the engineer of the train which ran into the river at Norwalk, has been removed to New Haven where his family reside. Doubts are entertained of his recovery. He is under $3,000 bonds.

Mr. Vanderbilt, of New York, has sold out his entire interest in the Staten Island Ferries, including four steam ferry boats, for the round sum of six hundred thousand dollars. The new proprietors are Messrs. Geo. Law, Minthorn Tompkins, John C. Thompson and others.

Hon. A. H. Stephens is a candidate for Congress in the 8th district in Georgia.

In St. Louis they have a panorama of "Uncle Tom's Cabin as it is."

Tobacco is in great demand at Petersburg, Va., and on Thursday 170 hhds. were opened at the different warehouses.

The penny subscriptions in England, to be placed in the hands of Mrs. Stowe, already amount to $6,000.

No less than 7,650 miles of railroad now in course of construction, centre at Chicago, Ill.

Thomas H. Averett, lately M. C. from the fifth congressional district of Virginia, has determined to run as a stump candidate for Congress, on the ground that the convention which nominated Mr. Boocock was improperly constituted.

The Chicago Daily Tribune says, that a new Catholic Cathedral is to be commenced some time during the season, on the north side near the Catholic College in that city. It will probably be the largest and finest in that part of the country, and cost between $150,000 and $200,000.

Items of Chinese News.

A copy of the *Friend of China*, of March 11, received at Boston, contains a variety of information later than that given in the English papers.

The report of the capture of Nankin, which was alleged to have taken place on the 10th of February, was discredited, on the ground that the Shanghai mail of the 26th, brought no news of it. It was thought not improbable, however, that the next mail might bring an account of its being invested by one of the four divisions of the insurgent army. No official intelligence of the event had reached the Chinese authorities in Canton on the 9th.

There was a tremendous earthquake at Sichong, in Sercchuen, and the walls of the prison were thrown down, and a number of criminals escaped.

There had been a number of piracies in the China seas, and the Nymph, with a large quantity of specie on board, narrowly escaped capture by four junks. In consequence, the steamer Hermes was ordered out on a cruise March 4, of the results of which the *China Mail*, of the 10th, gives the following account:

"The Hermes has returned to harbor, having fallen in with the pirate fleet, who, as might have been expected, offered a desperate resistance, throwing upwards of a hundred stinkpots on board the steamer, by which, however, fortunately, no one was hurt. Of the two junks which fought hardest, one was blown up, and the other sunk. The remaining three were captured, with 65 men, 11 of whom were wounded. Six women and five children, supposed to have been captured by the pirates, were also found on board, and will probably prove valuable as witnesses before the court, in identifying the actual pirates. The prisoners speak the dialect of this and the adjoining districts."

Congressional Elections in Virginia.

On next Thursday the congressional elections in Virginia will take place, and the probable result will be the election of every democratic candidate.

In the first district the Hon. Thomas H. Bayly runs without opposition, notwithstanding a whig majority in the district.

In the second district Gen. John S. Millson will be elected without opposition.

In the third district the Hon. John S. Caskie will be elected by a majority of not less than five hundred votes over his whig competitor, Clayton G. Coleman.

In the fourth district the Hon. Wm. O. Goode, a distinguished member of Congress, will be elected over Wyatt Cardwell, whig, by a majority equal to the number of votes cast for his opponent.

In the fifth district, unfortunately, the issue is not so certain, as two democrats—the Hon. Thomas H. Bocock and the Hon. Thomas H. Averett—are in the field. It is probable, however, that one of the democratic candidates will beat the whig candidate, John T. Wootten, by a small plurality.

In the sixth district the Hon. Paulus Powell will be elected over Alexander Moseley by a handsome majority.

In the seventh district the Hon. William Smith will in all probability be returned by a majority varying from one thousand to fifteen hundred votes. Edgar Snowden, whig, is his opponent.

In the eighth district the result is somewhat doubtful. We anticipate the election of the Hon. C. J. Faulkner by a small majority over A. R. Boteler, whig.

In the ninth district the Hon. John Letcher has no opponent.

In the tenth district S. Kidwell, democrat, has no opponent.

In the eleventh district two democrats, J. F. Snodgrass and C. L. Lewis, and one whig, A. M. Sterret, are in the field. Sterret will probably be defeated.

In the twelfth and thirteenth districts the Hon. H. A. Edmondson and the Hon. Fayette McMullin have no opposition.—*Washington Union.*

☞ In 1845, San Francisco had but 150 inhabitants. In April, 1847, there were 375, besides a few Indians. In October, 1847, there were 800. In October, 1848, 847. In August, 1849, there were 1,419 votes cast. In January, 1858, the city contained 30,000 people and about 10,000 voters. In March, 1847, there were only six vessels in port, and on the 18th of the following December only four, and no arrival for a week. In January, February and March, of 1848, there were but nine arrivals of vessels, four of which were from the neighboring ports of Monterey and San Pedro; and for the last quarter of 1847, the imports amounted to $49,000, and exports to $65,600. From the first of January to the 31st of October of 1852, there were 827 arrivals, with an aggregate tonnage of 370,855 tons, and in the last month over 200 vessels in port. From January 1st to October 31st of the year 1852, the duties received at the Custom House amounted to $1,560,242 14, and the number of passengers arriving by sea during the same period, was 58,851, while those who departed in the same manner were 16,575. The first brick building was erected in September, 1848, and this was the second brick house in Upper California, there being one at that date in Monterey. In the first two months after the discovery of 1847, the amount of dust brought into San Francisco was about $250,000, and during the next two months about $600,000.—Now it is five millions a month. The first Protestant house of worship in California was built by the Baptists, and was dedicated the 5th of Aug., 1849. At the present time there are 18 churches, two of which are Catholic and the rest Protestant. January 1, 1852, there were five daily and seven weekly newspapers.

A MAINE LAW NEEDED.—In the recent discussion in the British House of Commons, on the bill for regulating public houses in Scotland, Mr. Henry Drummond affirmed that every Saturday night thirty thousand men got drunk in Glasgow, and lay in a perfect state of insensibility until Monday morning. We should think a Maine law would be very beneficial in Glasgow.

"Touch us Gently, Time."

This sweet prayer came from the calm and contented soul of Barry Cornwall. The whole range of poetry furnishes few things more chaste, quiet, and beautiful. Read, calmly.

"Touch us gently, gently, Time!
Let us glide adown thy stream
Gently—as we sometimes glide
Through a quiet dream!
Humble voyagers are we,
Husband, wife, and children three—
(One is lost—an angel fed
To the azure overhead!)

"Touch us gently, gently, Time!
We're not proud nor soaring wings:
Our ambition, Our content,
Lies in simple, simple things.
Humble voyagers are we,
O'er life's dim unsounded sea,
Seeking only some calm clime—
Touch us gently, gently, time."

☞ The following incomparable prayer was offered by Mary, Queen of Scots, on the morning of her execution. There is hardly anything superior in its language:

"O Domine Deus! speravi in te;
O cari mi Jesu! nunc libera me!
In dura catena, in misera poena,
Laguendo, gemendo, et geni flectendo;
Adoro, imploro, ut liberas me!"

☞ The following translation conveys but a faint idea of the sublimity of the original:

"My Lord and my God, I have hoped in thee;
O Jesus, beloved! now liberate me!
In this hard galling chain—in this harrassing pain.
My desire is to thee:—
In languishing, groaning, and bending the knee,
I pray, I implore thee to liberate me!"

☞ On the first of July next the Washington *Republic* will be published on a smaller sheet than it is now printed on, at 12½ cents per week, or $5 a year. Its prospectus says it will be an independent sheet, not attached to any creed or party. Its editor, no doubt, having found that Whiggery would not pay, sees but one political party in the country, *i. e.* the Democracy, and rather than support that party, has determined to publish an independent sheet, hoping to be in existence when at some future time a party will spring up from the ashes of dead Whiggery. *Nous verrons.—Pennsylvanian.*

MARRIED:

On the 19th instant, by the Rev. A. M. Bryan, Mr. C. BENSON to Miss MARY A. AURENTZ, both of this city.

On the 23d of April, by the Rev. W. A. Passavant, Mr. REESE C. FLEESON to Miss JANE DICKSON, both of this city.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ORANGES AND LEMONS—
100 boxes Oranges:
100 do Lemons: Just rec'd and for sale by
JOSHUA RHODES & CO., 39 Wood st.,
my26 opposite St. Charles Hotel.

LAGER BEER HALL,
No. 137 Wood Street.
BY RUDOLPH VOLGER.

THE subscriber informs his fellow-citizens, that he has purchased this popular Hall from Mr. Beilits, and that it will be a pleasure to him to accommodate them with a glass of good Lager, whenever their appetites may desire such refreshment. [my26:3t] RUDOLPH VOLGER.

BANK STOCKS WANTED—
10 shares M. & M. Bank:
20 do Exchange Bank;
10 do Bank of Pittsburgh:
20 do Trust Company.
By
CHAS. E. LOOMIS,
Stock, Bill and Real Estate Broker,
my26 75 Fourth st., opposite Bank of Pittsburgh.

JUST RECEIVED—
550 boxes M. R. Raisins;
500 do Cluster do;
250 half do do;
50 boxes Valencia do;
30 do Smyrna do;
50 do Lexia do;
1500 drums Figs;
600 boxes do; For sale by
my26 JOSHUA RHODES & CO., 39 Wood st.

STOCKS FOR SALE—
10 shares Minnesota Copper Stock;
10 do National do;
40 do Adventure do;
55 do Hidge;
20 do Western Insurance Company;
40 do Firemen's do;
10 do Pittsburgh Life Insurance Company;
20 do Allegheny Gas;
26 do Allegheny and Butler Plank Road.
CHAS. E. LOOMIS,
opposite Bank of Pittsburgh, Fourth street,
my26 Stock and Bill Broker.

TO the Honorable the Judges of the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, in and for the county of Allegheny:

The petition of Winifred Sweeny, of the Fourth Ward, Allegheny, in the county aforesaid, humbly sheweth:—That your petitioner hath provided herself with materials for accommodation of travelers and others, at her dwelling house in the Ward aforesaid, and prays that your Honors will be pleased to grant her a license to keep a public house of entertainment, and your petitioner, as in duty bound, will pray. WINIFRED SWEENY.

We, the subscribers, citizens of the Ward aforesaid, do certify, that the above petitioner is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation and lodging of strangers and travelers, and that such tavern is necessary.

S A Walker, C A Vandivender, Wm Barney, Wm Davidson, Henry C Kelly, Francis Vanhorn, Wm France, Wm Seddon, W H Robinson, E Whitehouse, D Blackstock, M O'Donnell.—*Enterprise.* my26:3t

NEW MUSIC.

ANNIE, MY OWN LOVE. The latest composition of our townsman, S. C. Foster—words by Charles P. Shirras. Who'll have me? As sung with rapturous applause by Madame Thillon, at her concert in this city.

Dreams of Home; (with an excellent likeness of Madame Thillon.

Come, and I'll give you rest; new song, by J. B. Woolbury. Yes, they miss thee at home: answer to do they miss me at home?

Soldier's Schottisch, (with an elegant colored vignette.)

Review Polka, (embellished with handsome engraving.)

Nancy Till Schottisch.

Paris Schottisch. Wallenstein.

Evergreen Waltz.

Jewel Schottisch, new and beautiful, by Wollenhaupt.

Yes, I'll come to thy mountain home—Brown.

Also—A most extensive and choice selection of Music for Violin and Piano, Flute and Piano.

Solos for Violin and Flute, by the best masters, &c.

Cultivation of the Voice, without a master, a new work, by J. B. Woolbury.

The above received per express, and for sale by
H. KLEBER, Sign of the Golden Harp,
my26 No. 102 Third street.

FIRST EDITION, 35,000—PUTNAM'S MONTHLY—JUNE—Completing the First Volume, is now ready, and for sale at MINER & CO.'S, No. 32 Smithfield street.

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Literature—American, English, French, German.
Music, Fine Arts, &c.

☞ TO SUBSCRIBERS AND THE TRADE—THIRD VOLUME.—The present number completes the first volume of the Magazine; price Two Dollars, in appropriate clothing binding. Orders for the volume should be forwarded at once. The cloth cases or covers will be supplied at 25 cents.

MINER & CO.,
my26 No. 32 Smithfield street.

SUNDRIES—
50 dozen assorted Pickles;
25 do do Preserves;
30 do Spiced Oysters;
10 cases Sardines;
10 do Prunes, glass jars;
8 do do fancy boxes;
40 boxes Lozenges;
20 cases Claret Wine;
20 do Nacat do;
10 dozen assorted Ketchup;
50 boxes Jujube Paste;
30 do Gum Drops;
10 cases common Liquorice;
25 boxes Refined do;
50 kegs Walnuts;
50 do Cream Nuts;
30 do Filberts;
25 do Sicily Almonds;
5 bales Bordeaux do;
50 bbls. Pecans;
25 casks Currants;
25 bbls. Lovering's Sugar;
30 boxes Rock Candy;
25 do Maccaroni;
25 do Vermacelli;
60 kegs German Plums;
2000 bbls. Pea Nuts;
500 boxes Herring; Just rec'd and for sale by
JOSHUA RHODES & CO.,
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Property for Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale, on very reasonable terms, the following property, viz:

A Three Story Brick Dwelling House, No. 110 Penn street, between Hay street and Evans' alley; and Lot 25 feet front, extending back 112 feet to an alley. The House is one of the best buildings, and in one of the most pleasant neighborhoods in the city.

Five Lots—embracing corners of Front and Ferry streets; one hundred and five feet front on Ferry and sixty feet on Front street, with a good three story Brick Building on the corner, a two story Frame on Front st., and two Brick Buildings, used as shops, on Ferry st.

A Lot, 31 feet front by 80 feet deep, on Front, between Market and Ferry streets.

A Lot, with very convenient Frame Dwelling; Lot 20 feet by 90, fronting on Congress and Elm sts.

A House and Lot, on Wylie street, near the new Court House. The house is well arranged and in good order, and is now occupied as a hotel.

A Three Story Brick, on Smithfield street, near Seventh, being in an excellent business location. The Lot is 20 by 80 feet deep, fronting on Smithfield st.

A Cottage Frame and Lot, 28 by 120 feet, fronting on Anne and Robinson streets, Allegheny City. This is a very desirable and pleasant location for a residence.

Nine Lots in the town of McKeesport, each 60 feet by 150. Several of these are on the Main street.

Eleven Acres in Limestown, on the Monongahela River, on which there are 4 houses; there are some 6 or 7 acres of excellent stone coal, and abundance of limestone, convenient to the landing; and two coal pits open.

Ninety Lots in the town of Columbia, 60 feet by 150 each, nearly all level, and well located. The tenant of each Lot has the privilege of using whatever stone coal he may require for his own use, from a pit near the Locks. Columbia is a pleasant situation on the bank of the Monongahela river, a short distance below Lock No. 3, in the midst of an extensive stone coal region, and would be a desirable point for manufacturing establishments.

Two Hundred acres of superior Stone Coal, with House, Railroad, &c. This property has a front of 140 rods on the Monongahela river; an excellent landing; good grade and foundation for railroad—with enough level ground at one point for houses and gardens, or locations for manufactories. The vein is deep enough to allow horses to be used in hauling out the coal—the quality of which, for iron work, manufacture of gas, or for any ordinary uses, is not surpassed by any in the country.

In my absence, my agent, James Blakely, Esq., will give all necessary information, and be authorized to give warrantee deeds for any property sold.

JAMES MAY,
my26 No. 110 Penn street

PROPOSALS.
NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF YARDS AND DOCKS, May 17, 1853.

SEALED PROPOSALS in Duplicate, for each class separately, endorsed "Proposals for Class No. ," for the Navy Yard at Philadelphia, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, M., on the 25th day of JUNE next, for furnishing and delivering at such place or places within the Navy Yard aforesaid as may be directed by the Commandant thereof, the materials and articles herein specified, viz:

CLASS NO. 1.

1,200 lineal feet of curb-stone, 5 inches thick, 8 to 10 feet long, } per foot
1,200 lineal feet flag-stone, 12 inches wide, not less than 3 inches thick, and from 7 to 9 feet long, } per foot
3,000 perches pier stone, } per perch
500 team loads pebble paving stone, } per load

CLASS NO. 2.

28,666 feet face measure, hemlock wharf timber, per 1000 feet
10,000 feet, board measure, white pine, 11 by 12 inches, and 30 to 50 feet long, do
50,000 feet, board measure, white pine plank, 3 inches thick, 30 to 50 feet long, and not less than 12 inches wide, do
50 white oak fenders, 7 by 9 inches square, and 12 feet long, each
500 feet, board measure, white pine panneled boards, ⅝ inch thick, per 1000 feet
600 feet, board measure, white pine panel plank, 1½ inch thick, do
500 feet, board measure, white pine panel plank, 2 inches thick, do
600 feet, board measure, ash plank, 2¼ inch, do
600 feet, board measure, ash boards, 1 inch thick, do
6 pieces white hickory, 8 by 8 inches, and 7 feet by 6 inches long, each

CLASS NO. 3.
Miscellaneous.

100 pounds 20d cut nails, per pound
100 do 12d cut nails, do
200 do 10d cut nails, do

CLASS NO. 4.
Miscellaneous.

500 fathoms 2½-inch Manilla rope, estimated at 700 pounds, per pound
800 do 3-inch Manilla rope, estimated at 1,200 pounds do
300 do 3½-inch Manilla rope, estimated at 600 pounds do
200 do 3¾-inch Manilla rope, estimated at 750 pounds do
400 do 4-inch Manilla rope, estimated at 1200 pounds do
300 do 4½-inch Manilla rope, estimated at 1100 pounds do
200 do 4¾-inch Manilla rope, estimated at 1200 pounds do
6 pitching axes each
1 barrel coal tar per barrel

CLASS NO. 5.
Miscellaneous.

¼ ream patent glass-paper, No. 0 } per ream
½ do do No. ½ } do
1 do do No. 1 } do
1 dozen screw-augurs, with cutters, for brasses, assorted, from ⅝ to 1 inch } per dozen
1 do do assorted, from ⅝ to 2 inches } each
1 dozen centre-bits, assorted, from ⅝ to 1½ inch } do
12 cross cut saws each
6 panel saws each
3 lemon saws each
3 wood saws each
6 broad axes each
3 wood axes each
2 adzes each
2 grindstones, each 48 inches diameter
3 gross 1-inch iron screws, No. 12 } per gross
3 gross 2inch do do No. 16 } per gross
4 ¼-dozen cast steel shovels, Nos. 3 and 4 } per dozen
½ do do No. 0000 } per dozen
1 dozen spades each
1 patent tape-line, 100 feet long each
9 pairs bench-planes, right and left, from ⅛ to 1½ inch per pair

CLASS NO. 6.
Miscellaneous.

2,500 pounds round iron, from ½ to 7-16 inch diameter per pound do
6,000 pounds square iron, ⅜ inch do

CLASS NO. 7.
Miscellaneous.

24 sheets double elephant drawing paper per sheet
24 sheets Columbier do do per sheet
2 reams letter paper, ruled to pattern do
9 do cap paper, plain-lined do
9 do cap envelope do
1 do large envelope do
2 do blank bills, to pattern do
1 do receipt for recruits, to pattern do
½ do certificates of settlement do
½ do pay accounts do
½ do mechanics' pay rolls do
½ do money requisition do
½ do officers' pay rolls do
¼ do officers' muster rolls do
½ do discharges do
½ do allotment tickets do
½ do requisitions for small stores do
½ do stewards' weekly returns do
12 quires blotting paper per quire
500 quills, clarified, No 80 per 100
1½ pound sealing wax per pound
½ do French waters, red do
½ do pounce do
6 dozen Faber and Conte's drawing pencils per dozen
32 do Faber's best lead pencils do
2200 legal envelopes, white per 100
2100 letter envelopes, white do
6 dozen pieces of red tape per dozen
1 do pieces mouth glue per piece
2 pieces India ink each
25 do India rubber each
444 papers black sand per paper
2 American Almanacs for 1854 each
18 small bottles carmine do
18 quart bottles Mayhard & Noyes's black ink do
1 quart bottle Arnold's copying black ink do
2 small bottles blue ink do
150 cards Perryan Spointed pens per card
3 penknives each
2 sealing knives each
2 memorandum books per dozen
1 log book, to pattern each
2 diaries do do
1 pay book do do
6 blank books, 3 quires each
1 mechanics' and laborers' book, to pattern do
1 requisition book do
5 letter files each
2 sand boxes each
2 inkstands each
2 flat rulers each

CLASS NO. 8.
Miscellaneous.

50 cords yellow-pine wood per cord

CLASS NO. 9.
Miscellaneous.

1000 team loads paving gravel, 22 miles free each per load

CLASS NO. 10.
Miscellaneous.

14 tons timothy and clover hay per ton
800 bundles rye straw per bundle
150 bushels ground oats and corn per bushel
120 bushels oats do
20 bushels wheat ship stuff do
2 bushels salt do

CLASS NO. 12.
Miscellaneous.

6 dozen 12 inch mill-saw files per dozen
6 do 10 inch do do
6 do 5-inch hand-saw files do
20 do 4½-inch do do
10 do 4-inch do do
2 do 12inch half round cabinet rasps do
2 do 12inch do files do
2 do 14-inch flat file files do
2 do 14-inch flat coarse files do
2 do 14-inch half-round fine files do
2 do 14-inch half-round coarse files do
6 do 6-inch rat-tail files do

CLASS NO. 13.
Miscellaneous.

200 pounds shear-steel, 2¼ by ⅝ inches per pound
400 pounds cast steel, from 1½ to 1¼ inch square do

CLASS NO. 14.—*Miscellaneous.*

60 pounds glue per pound
20 do borax do
10 do spelter do
10 do ox shoe nails do
10 do rotten stone do
6 do sponge do
200 do copperas do
30 gallons sealing wax per pound
12 sides bellows leather do
20 gallons dubbing per gallon
1 barrel rosin per barrel
1 barrel coal oil per barrel
20 pounds brown soap per pound
6 do castile soap do
12 dozen corn brooms per dozen
6 do hickory brooms, flat do
4 do whitewash brushes, 8-knots do
6 do hand-scrub brushes do
4 do dusting brushes do
6 do sweeping-brushes, with handles do
1 do 1-bushel baskets, oak or hickory do
1 do 2-bushel baskets do
6 do iron-bound water-buckets do
1 do do water-cans do
12½ do copper-riveted fire-buckets each
1 horse-cover each
2 do sacks each
2 do horse-brushes each
1 do comb each
2 curry-combs each
1 bottle of oil of spike per bottle
1 pair sheep-shears per pair
1 set cart-harness complete, to order per set
1 set cart-harness for chains, to order do
5 barrels sperm oil, 150 gallons per barrel
5 do do tallow, 1000 pounds per barrel
50 pounds gum packing do
200 do sheet lead do
400 do cotton waste do
6 largest size screw-wrenches each
6 smallest size screw-wrenches each
6 bell-punches, ⅝ inch each
2 brass pumps, 4 inches diameter each
100 feet iron pipe, 2½ inches diameter per foot
50 feet lead pipe, 2½ inches diameter do
3 tin oil-tanks, 40 gallons each
6 copper oil-funnels each
12 patent frying oil-cans each
20 quires emery paper per quire
34 feet 2-inch leather hose, copper riveted, with coupling in the centre per foot

FOR THE NAVAL ASYLUM.

CLASS NO. 1.
Miscellaneous.

50 pea coats, coarse bl