THE CITY POST.

FRIDAY MORNING.....DECEMBER 23.

HIGHWAY ROBBERY.—We yesterday recorded the robbery of a man named M'Guirk, in Allegheny city; to-day we have likewise a case of highway robbery. A gentleman named Moore, residing in Ohio, while waiting till the train should leave the depot of the Ohio and Pennsylvania railroad, in Allegheny, was accosted by a stranger, who represented himself as an old friend. The two drank together several times; at length the stranger proposed a walk over the Commons, in the direction of the Penitentiary. Moore acceded, and they left the depot. When Moore and the stranger were near the Penitentiary, two men (apparently strangers to Moore's "friend,") stepped up and showed Moore and his companion a curiously constructed ball, which they bet $1,000 neither could open. The ball contained also a piece of money in a secret slide, which could be exposed or not, accordingly as the bet was made. Moore's companion had only between $600 and $700, which he offered to bet. The others would not consent until the entire thousand was staked, and the stranger, in a confidential manner, asked the loan of what money Moore might have about him to complete the stakes. Moore took time to consider; he was pulling his pocket book out of his pocket slowly, when two of the men seized his arms, while the other snatched the pocket book, containing $337, and decamped. Moore was then knocked down by his "old acquaintance," and the two also decamped. As Moore was a good deal intoxicated, he cannot describe the robbers. Mr. M. is left penniless by the robbery.

It strikes us rather forcibly that any amendment in the police arrangements of Allegheny would be for the better.

STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.—The first annual meeting of this association will be held in Lancaster, commencing on Tuesday, December 27, 1853. The session will be continued three or four days. All who feel themselves interested in the cause of education are respectfully and urgently requested to attend.

Addresses may be expected from G. M. Wharton, Esq., of Philadelphia, and from Prof. M. W. Jacobus, D. D., of Allegheny city. Committees appointed at the late meeting will report on interesting and important topics. Arrangements have been made for a liberal deduction from the usual fare on the railroads, in favor of persons attending the association.

Mr. Haupt, the Superintendent of the Pennsylvania railroad, has issued a notice, in which he states that teachers, directors, and controllers of public schools, and other persons desirous of attending the convention to be held at Lancaster, on the 27th, 28th and 29th of December, 1853, can procure excursion tickets from Pittsburgh, Johnstown, and intermediate points, to Lancaster. Said tickets to be good, as above, over the Pennsylvania and Harrisburg, and Lancaster roads only, and until December 31st, 1853. Full fare, each way, must be paid over the Allegheny Portage road.

WESTMORELAND COUNTY MURDER.—We mentioned a few days since that a man named Myers had been committed to our jail, on a charge of murder. We learn from the Westmoreland *Argus* the following facts in relation to the affair. "John Washabaugh was killed at California Furnace, in Ligonier township, on Sunday last, by a pistol shot discharged at him by a colored man named Myers. We are not in possession of all the circumstances attending the unhappy affair, but learn that the deceased, with others, were in the habit of teasing the old colored man, and charging him with some petty thefts. The colored man, on such occasions, would become greatly excited, which was great amusement to his tormentors. On Sabbath last the deceased, and perhaps others, renewed the disreputable practice, when the accused drew a pistol and shot John Washabaugh dead. The murdered man was upwards of sixty years of age."

THE MERCY HOSPITAL FAIR is still well attended night after night; the Hall in which it is held is crowded with our citizens young and old, grave and gay, all eager as purchasers or vendors, to do something for the good cause in which they are engaged. The Mercy Hospital, as we have been informed by one of its Managers, has received under its roof in the few years since its establishment 2424 patients; 1908 of which have been cured, 314 improved, 197 died, 814 are now in the institution. Few apply for admission but those who are nearly or entirely destitute, sick and homeless. Surely an institution that refuses admission to none, no matter of what color, clime or creed, should receive our warmest sympathy and support. Go then to Lafayette Hall to-day and to-morrow, and assist according to your means.

DISTRICT COURT.—In the case of Black & Washington vs. M'Anulty, the jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff, of $175.

In the case of M'Callister vs. Scott, a motion was made for a new trial.

Johnson & Neal vs. A. H. Zeigler: No. 234, November term, 1852. Umbstaetter for plaintiff, and Woods for defendant. No verdict.

Conrad Schadd vs. Conrad Eisel; No. 671, November term, 1852. Umbstaetter for plaintiff, and Mahon for defendant. Action of slander. No verdict.

WOULDN'T HAVE BELIEVED IT.—The Mountain *Echo*, published in Johnstown, in noticing the recent accident on the Portage road, by which a German boy was killed, states that this is the first death resulting from accident to the passenger cars that has ever occurred on the Allegheny Portage Road, which is among the oldest railroads in the United States, and which is regarded as the most dangerous road in the world.

The Portage road has been certainly regarded as one of the most dangerous roads in the country, yet it certainly deserves a different reputation.

WEBSTER BANK COUNTERFEITS.—A large number of notes on this bank, have been circulated in this city. On Tuesday officer Wagley arrested a huckster named Thomas Cannon, charged with passing a counterfeit $5 dollar bill on Alexander S Shaw. The bill which it is alleged the defendant passed on Shaw, is on the Webster Bank of Boston, and is so well executed, that it requires a nice eye to discover any difference between the counterfeit and the genuine note of this denomination. The defendant denied having given the note to Shaw, and refused to redeem it. He was committed to prison in default of bail, by Ald. Reinhart.

MORE TROUBLE AHEAD.—We learn that a suit is about being instituted against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, to compel them to raise the track from Liberty street, and all other streets in which it has been laid, within the city limits. The movers in the case contend that the City Councils had no right to cede the use of the streets to any company, and that consequently the laying of a track upon them is illegal.

FREIGHT.—We learn from the Westmoreland *Republican* that the total amount of freight shipped on the Pennsylvania railroad during the first six months of the present year, from the various stations in Westmoreland county, amounts to 67,842 tons. The amount of tax which the company would have to pay over into the State Treasury on this freight, would be over $4,000.

TO BE CLOSED.—The Board of Brokers have promulgated the following:

"The Banks and Banking Houses of this city will be closed on Monday the 26th inst., to allow all hands a holiday in lieu of Christmas coming on Sunday. Notes and acceptances coming due on that day, are requested to be paid on Saturday preceding."

"PEARL LINE."—This is the name of a line of handsome spring wagons which are to run between the wharves, depots, &c. to the Pearl Steam Mill, in Allegheny; they are designed to carry wheat to that extensive establishment. The line is composed of six one horse spring wagons, very light, and gotten up with great taste. The Pearl Mill Company deserve credit for their enterprise.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY.—Alderman Hartje on Wednesday committed to jail a man named Jacob Fraulman, on a charge of assault and battery. The information accusing Fraulman of the offence, was made by Xavier Weshnar. Shortly after the defendant had been committed, an order was received for his discharge, the suit having been settled.

EXCURSION TICKETS.—Excursion tickets on the Pennsylvania Railroad will be sold from December 29th to January 1st, to and from Johnstown, Pittsburgh, and intermediate stations on the western division of the Pennsylvania Railroad. Tickets to be good for a return train within the time specified.

LARCENY.—A man named John Ferguson was committed to jail, yesterday, charged with the larceny of a grate. The information was made by Thomas H. Golding, clerk of the steamer Clara Dean. He accuses Ferguson of taking the grate from the wharf. Ald. Steel committed Ferguson for trial.

OFF THE TRACK.—On Wednesday morning four cars of a construction train, on the Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad, were thrown from the track, down an embankment, about two miles east of Lucas station. By the accident a workman named Thraikill, had two of his ribs broken; no other persons were injured.

WARD NOMINATIONS.—Many of the Wards in this city will nominate democratic candidates for Council, on Saturday next. The democratic primary meetings also take place the same day.

PLEASANT.—The Soiree given by Mr. M'Manus to his pupils, on Wednesday evening was one of the most pleasant parties that ever came off in this city. It reflected honor on the managers.

LAST NIGHT.—To-morrow night is the last night of Mr. and Mrs. Florence. They perform to-night. See bill in another column.

THE December term of the Court of Quarter Sessions will commence on Monday next. The criminal calendar for this term is not very large.

WE WOULD invite attention to the large sale of Stocks, at 7½ o'clock this evening, by P. M. Davis, Auctioneer.

JUST RECEIVED, 300 more EMPIRE LONG SHAWLS, excellent styles. A. A. MASON & CO., dec19 25 Fifth street.

FINE WHITE FLANNELS—A large and superior assortment of the above on hand, and selling at reduced prices. A. A. MASON & CO., dec19 25 Fifth street.

BLANKETS.—A. A. MASON & CO., No. 25 Fifth street, will open, this morning, a superior stock of 10-4, 11-4 and 12-4 Swiss and English Blankets. dec19

ON HAND, a superior variety of Ladies' Cloth Cloaks, Talmas, Fillibusters. A. A. MASON & CO., dec19 25 Fifth street.

JUST RECEIVED, a few Gent's Traveling Shawls. dec19 A. A. MASON & CO.

A. A. MASON & CO. invite attention to their superior all wool PLAIDS, just received, and selling at reduced prices. dec9

WOOLLEN SHAWLS—5000.—A. A. MASON & CO. have now open their Winter stock of every grade of Long and Square Woollen Shawls. dec9

Chartiers Railroad Company. A MEETING of Stockholders of the Company will be held, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter, on MONDAY, the 9th day of January next, at the Monongahela House, Pittsburgh, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing a Board of Managers, for the ensuing year. (dec17) J. K. MOORHEAD, Pres't.

CHAMPAGNE BASKETS—Empty Champagne Baskets, for sale at KEYSER'S Drug Store, nov24 140 Wood street.

QUININE—500 ounces for sale at dec17 KEYSER'S, 140 Wood street.

GLYCERINE—10 lbs for sale at dec17 KEYSER'S, 140 Wood street.

LUDLUM'S SPECIFIC—12 dozen for sale at dec17 KEYSER'S, 140 Wood street.

EXTRACTS OF LEMON, Peach, Vanilla, Orange and Nutmeg, for preserving cakes and pies, for sale wholesale or retail at [dec17] KEYSER'S, 140 Wood street.

EXTRACT LOGWOOD—560 lbs for sale at dec17 KEYSER'S, 140 Wood st.

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS—20 doz. for sale at dec17 KEYSER'S, 140 Wood st.

FLUID EXTRACT VALERIAN—10 lbs for sale at dec17 KEYSER'S, 140 Wood st.

WOLFE'S SCHEIDAM AROMATIC SCHNAPPS—48 dozen for sale at dec17 KEYSER'S, 140 Wood street.

HAIR DYE—Do you want it? Yes! Why, then, buy CRISTADORO'S. It makes a beautiful brown or black, that challenges the lustre of the raven's wing. For sale at dec17 KEYSER'S, 140 Wood street.

CARTER'S SPANISH MIXTURE—For sale at dec17:daw KEYSER'S, 140 Wood st.

Associated Firemen's Insurance Co. AN ELECTION for Thirteen Directors, to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the Office of this Company, on TUESDAY, January 3d, 1854, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 1 P. M. dec19:dtd ROBT. FINNEY, Secretary.

BUILDING LOTS—Ten Lots of ground, situate in New Troy, fronting on Chesnut street, each 23 by 100 feet, for sale low. Apply to MOFFITT & LOWRIE, oc18 Real Estate Agents, Post Buildings, 5th st.

COMMERCIAL POST.

WEEKLY REVIEW OF PITTSBURGH MARKET

OFFICE OF THE DAILY MORNING POST, Friday, December 23, 1853.

We have no particular change to note in our market since the date of our last weekly notice. Business in nearly every department has been quiet, which is usually the case at this season of the year, as our merchants and tradesmen generally, are preparing for their general settlement time on the 1st of January.

The weather during the week has been quite changeable, and rather unpleasant for out-door business. Receipts of flour has continued very limited during the week, barely equal to the demand; on Wednesday prices advanced under the apprehension of a suspension of river navigation, by the closing of the river, and the unusual small stock in the hands of our dealers caused an increased demand, and sellers demanded 25c ₩ bbl advance, which was acceded to on the part of buyers. Grain has continued in good demand, without change in price. With reference to the European grain and breadstuff market, we copy the following from the *Mark Lane Gazette:*

The *Mark Lane Express*, of the 21st ult., says: The wheat trade has since our last maintained a decidedly firm tone, but buyers have continued to act with more than ordinary caution; hence it has not been easy to establish any advance on previous prices. At the principal ports, where stocks of wheat are held, quotations have undergone little or no change; but at several of the markets in the agricultural districts, which depend on the growers for supplies, the quantity brought forward has proved insufficient to provide for the consumptive demand, and where this has been the case a rise of from 1s to 2s, and in some places 2s to 3s per qr., has been realized. The reports in regard to the yield of wheat from the straw become more and more unfavorable in proportion as thrashing is proceeded with; and an opinion is fast gaining ground that the deficiency will prove even more serious than estimated at harvest time. Prices of wheat are now nearly as high as they were previous to the decline which took place in the early part of the month, and present appearances indicate a further rise. The consumption of bread does not thus far seem to have been diminished in consequence of its dearness; the fact is that other articles of food have advanced in the same proportion as wheat, indeed bread is relatively cheaper than potatoes, &c. It appears, therefore, that any falling off in the importations from abroad might easily lead to a rapid reduction of the stock of foreign in granary; and as in the natural course of events we must expect a decrease in, if not a cessation of shipments from the northern ports of Europe during the winter months, and there seems little prospect of much reaching us from the Mediterranean and Black Seas, the probability is that the value of wheat has not yet touched the highest point. Merchants and millers are nevertheless exceedingly cautious in adding to their stocks, and there is less disposition to enter into speculative purchases than might be the case if prices were more moderate. In this position of affairs the upward movement is likely to be gradual; but that the tendency will continue upwards during the winter we feel fully convinced. The great bulk of the foreign wheat and flour in the United Kingdom is held at London, Liverpool and Bristol: these places are likely, therefore, to be visited from time to time by purchasers from the surrounding districts, and each will have to provide for a wide circle of country. The weather has been favorable for out-door occupations: the sharp frost experienced the last few days has interfered more or less with ploughing, but it has been of great service in destroying slugs, which were previously very abundant. On the whole, the prospects for next year are auspicious; as far as sowing has proceeded, the seed has been well got in, and the breadth of land cultivated with wheat is likely to be greater than in ordinary seasons. Potatoes are becoming exceedingly scarce, and have risen to such a price as to be entirely beyond the reach of the poorer classes; in the metropolis they are bringing 1½d to 2d ₩ lb in retail. Ireland has thus far managed better than might have been expected; and the demand for Indian corn has not been nearly so active as usual at the corresponding period of the year. This may be partly accounted for by the diminution of population, in consequence of the extent of emigration during late years, and partly by the fact that the last oat crop gave a good return.

ASHES.—The demand for soda ash since our last, has not been active, and prices have undergone no change from our last. The sales were light, principally at 3¼@3½ for domestic and imported; in other sorts nothing was done.

APPLES.—The supplies are more than equal for the demand, and we note sales during the week of considerable lots, at from $1,25, 1,50@1,75, as to quality; occasional sales of choice at higher figures.

ALE.—We have no change reported in this article, but quote at $6, 7@8, as to brand.

BEANS—There is but little demand for Beans, and sales are confined principally to the retail trade. We quote small white at $1@1,25, from first hands and stores.

BROOMS—Sales during the week were made at $1,62, 2,12 @2,75, first hands; stock light.

BRICK—The demand continues brisk for Bolivar, at $25 for common, and $40 for extra.

BUCKETS AND TUBS—The manufacturers' prices are $1,25 for Buckets, cash; No 1 Tubs $6,25, No. 2 $5,50; Keelers $2,75. Sales of Buckets from stores at $2@2,25.

BUTTER—There is a moderate demand for roll for retailing; for packed we hear little or no inquiry. We quote roll at 14@16, for good to choice; packed would not command over 11½@12.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Is in steady demand at $1,25@1,37 per sack.

CHESTNUTS.—Are selling at $1,50@1,62.

CRACKERS—Have undergone a change; the following are the present rates, viz:

Water Crackers, ₩ bbl	$4,50
Butter do do	5,50
Sugar Crackers, ₩ lb	7½
Soda do do	7½
Boston do do	7½
Pic Nic do do	7½
Pilot Bread, ₩ bbl	$4,00

CRANBERRIES—We quote at $9,50@10 ₩ bbl, and but few in the market.

COPPER—We quote at 25@26, cash and time.

CANDLES AND SOAP—We now quote candles as follows: dipped 11½; mould 13, which is an advance; soap 4¼@5.

CHEESE—The supply coming forward is good, and the demand continues brisk; we quote steady sales at 9@9½@10 for common to prime.

DRIED BEEF—We notice sales by the tierce at 9.

DRIED FRUIT—There is a moderate demand for Peaches at $1,50@1,75, first hands. Apples are in limited demand at 87@$1,12.

EGGS—Are ready sale at 16@17, for fresh; pickled are selling at 13@14

FEATHERS—We continue our quotations at 50@53, according to quantity and quality.

FISH—We quote Lake Salmon at $10@10,50: white Lake at $10: Trout at $9; No. 3 Mackerel at $10,50@10,75; Herring $5.50@6.

FEED.—We continue to quote City mills bran at 10@12; shorts 17, and middlings 3¼.

FREIGHTS—Freights on the Ohio river at present are unsettled, and it is difficult to give any thing like a correct quotation: we therefore omit for the present. On the Pennsylvania railroad $1 ₩ bbl is charged on flour, and on first class freight 90c ₩ 100 lbs; second do 75c; third do 65c fourth do 50.

FRUITS—The following is the list of current prices for foreign fruit:

Raisins	$2.62@2.75 ₩ box.
Currants	18@20 ₩ lb.
Figs	12@14 ₩ lb.
Lemons	6.00 ₩ box.
Oranges	4.50 ₩ box.

FLOUR.—The supplies since our last report have been unusually light, barely equal to the demand: at the close of our last, we noticed the selling rates at $5 60@5,75, prices remained so, up till Wednesday morning, when fears were entertained of the freezing over of the river, and the fact of an unusual light stock in the hands of dealers caused prices to stiffen, and advanced from $5,62, 5,75@5,87 for superfine, and $6 for extra; but should the weather continue to moderate, as we now have strong indications of, prices, we think will again recede some. The sales for the week amount to about 1500 bbls, at $5,62@5,75, and on Wednesday and Thursday, the market was firm at $5,87@6 for superfine and extra.

GRAIN—There was a fair supply of Grain during the past week, with a fair demand. We note sales of about 3000 bushels Oats at 39@40, from first hands; from stores 42@43. Corn was in fair demand at 52@53, with sales of one or two lots at 50 cents. Barley in fair demand at a slight decline; we quote sales at 60. Wheat is less firm, and our mills are not willing to pay over $1,00@1,15. Rye continues scarce, and would readily command 70@73.

GROCERIES—The demand is limited to the city trade, and we have nothing special to notice as regards prices. We quote Sugar 5@5½. Molasses dull, and selling to the city trade at 24@25; to the country 27@28. Coffee firm at 12@12¼.

GUNPOWDER—We note regular sales by the keg at $4,50@5 for FFFG; Kv. rifle 6¼ for $1,50; do dozen 1 lb canisters $4,50; FFG $4@4,50; rock powder $3, with the regular discount to the trade.

GERMAN CLAY—Sales in small lots are made at $26 to $28, cash and time.

GLASS—There continues a moderate demand for Window Glass to the city and country trade, and sales of country brands of 8x10 at $2,40@2,50, and $2,50@2,75 for 10x12, from first hands. Sales from store at 25c. advance on these rates.

HOGS—We notice sales of several lots dressed at 4@4½, with sales 800 live at 4,25@4.62.

HOPS—We continue quotations for Eastern new crop at 45 cts.

HAY—Regular sales at the scales at $12@14 ₩ ton; an advance.

HIDES—We quote common western at 11½; prime dry 12¼@13; green 6.

LIME—Sales are made at $1,25 ₩ bbl, from stores, for Louisville.

LARD—We quote at 8¼@9 cts by the bbl, and 10 in kegs.

MESS PORK—Sales at $13.

NAVAL STORES—We quote Rosin at $3@3,25; Tar at $4,50@5,00, according to the size of packages; Turpentine at 80@83c ₩ gallon.

IRON AND NAILS—We correct our table for Iron and Nails, and now quote the prices settled upon by manufacturers. The quotations for Nails are "nett cash rates" for large orders.

IRON—Common bar	3¼@3½ cents.
" Band	4¼@4c.
" Hoop	4½@5c.
" Nail Rods	6c.
SHEET IRON—No. 13 to 17	6¼c.
" " 18 to 20	6½c.
" " 25 to 26	6c.
NAILS—10 to 20 penny	$4,00 ₩ keg.
" 8 to 9 "	4,25
" 6 to 7 "	4,75
" 5 "	5,00
" 4 "	5,25
" 3 "	6,25
SPIKES—Cut 3 to 4½ inch	4,75
" " 5 to 6 "	5,25

OILS—There is an advance in Linseed Oil, and now held firm at 80@85 by the lot. Lard Oil: No. 1 firm at 85@90; No. 2, 75@80.

ONIONS—Are inquired after, and sales were made at 75@80, first hands, and 87@90 from store.

POTATOES—We note a steady demand for Neshannocks and Reds at 45@50 for the former, and 31@35 for the latter.

PIG METAL—Since our last, we have reported two lots, sold by Messrs. King and Moorhead, as follows: 668 tons Mercer county, and 200 tons Johnstown; terms not given.

BLOOMS—We continue to quote at $85.

RAGS—Sell readily at 3¼@3½.

SALT—We have again to advance our rates for Salt, and now quote steady sales at $2,00@2,12 for common and extra; with sales of 500 bbls at those rates.

SEEDS.—During the past week, but little seed was offered and but few sales transpired. We quote at $5,25@5,37, first hands; from stores $5,50@5,62. Flaxseed, we quote at $1,30@1,35.

SHEETING.—We quote Bannor Mills' sheeting at 8¼ for No. 1, and 8 for No. 2.

TOBACCO—The demand for manufactured is fair, and prices are firm; we note steady sales of Twist at 10, and Lumps at 21@26, according to brand.

TANNERS' SOAPS.—We quote sales at 2½ ₩ lb.

TIN.—We have to note a slight decline; I C, $10,50, and I X, $12,50, cash; Banca Block Tin 24 cts ₩ lb.

WHISKY—We quote steady sales at 25@27.

WHITE LEAD.—The demand continues active, with steady sales at $2,50 for pure.

WOOL—The Philadelphia Commercial List quotes that market as follows:

"The market has been exceedingly quiet during the past week, the attention of the dealers and manufacturers being mostly absorbed by the auction sale in New York. Prices are unchanged. The sales foot up 212,000 lbs at 30@60 cts ₩ lb, 4 and 6 months. Among the sales, we notice 5000 lbs prime at 60c, 6 months; 15,000 lbs ¼ and full blood at 53@57c; 30,000 lbs medium at 50c; 5000 lbs merino pulled at 43@45c, 6 months, and the balance in small lots, at our quotations.

The *Providence* (R. I.) *Journal*, of the 10th inst., says: There has been more activity in the wool market at about the same prices as last week. The following are the sales for the week: Fleeces...90,000 lbs at from 40@52; largest sales at 48@52c. Pulled...10,500 lbs at from 40@50c; largest sales at 45. Foreign...11,300 lbs at from 33@35c; largest sales at 34½@35c. Total sales of the week 111,000 lbs."

REFINED SUGARS—1500 bbls Powdered, Crushed, small Loaf and Clarified Sugars, in store and for sale by JAMES A. HUTCHISON & CO., dec13 Agents St. Louis Sugar Refinery.

FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

CRYSTAL PALACE OUTRIVALLED WITH A DISPLAY OF **CHRISTMAS PRESENTS,** Of every description, AT HODKINSON'S FANCY CHINA STORE, LAFAYETTE HALL, PITTSBURGH. [dec20:5t

BOOKS FOR THE HOLIDAYS, handsomely bound and illustrated. The following are a few of our large assortment:—

Our Saviour, with Prophets and Apostles; a series of eighteen highly finished engravings, designed expressly for this work. Turkey morocco, full gilt, $7.
The Queens of England; a series of portraits of distinguished female sovereigns. Morocco, full gilt, $10.
The Poetical Works of Thos. Moore; one vol. Morocco, full gilt, and illustrated with steel engravings, $6.
Byron's complete Works, same style, $6.
Poems of George P. Morris; one vol—$5.
The Pathways and Abiding Places of our Lord; illustrated with eighteen steel engravings, $3.
Wild Scenes and Song-Birds, by C. W. Webber; illustrated with twenty-five colored lithographs. Cloth $6; morocco $8.
The Book of the Heart, or Love's Emblems; containing thirty-three steel engravings, $6.
The Keepsake, a Gift for the Holidays, $6.
Shakspeare's Works, in various styles of binding, and at prices from one dollar to twenty-five dollars.
Also, a large and carefully selected assortment of the lower priced Gift Books and Annuals. Call early, if you want BARGAINS, at W. A. GILDENFENNEY & CO.'S, dec21 76 Fourth street.

CHRISTMAS AND THE HOLIDAYS.—The subscriber having been at great pains and expense in preparing for the Holidays, feels quite confident, with his large and varied stock of Books, &c., of being able to give good satisfaction to all who may wish to find Books and Presents for the coming season. Special attention has been given to Books for Children. JOHN S. DAVISON, dec19 65 Market, near Fourth st.

NEW BOOKS JUST RECEIVED AT DAVISON'S BOOK STORE, 65 MARKET street, near Fourth:—Hot Corn: Ellen Mulgrave; Pierre Toussant; Flower of the Family; Little Ferns for Little Friends; The Early Called; Little Susy's Six Birth-days; Cloth Books for Children; Kenny's Mills, or the Earnest Worker; At Home and Abroad, or How to Behave; splendid English illustrated and colored juveniles; Common Sights on Sea and Land; Fox and Geese; Blind Sister; Small Sins; Prairie Missionary; Self-Reliance; My First Born; The Visit; Sins of the Tongue; Life Real and Unreal; Alice and Bessie; toys and puzzles, for children; Boyhood of Great Men; Harry's Ladder to Learning; Arabian Nights; Rhetoric of Conversation; splendid editions of the Poets, English and American illustrated; Melville's Sermons; Christ in History; The Last Days of Christ, by Schauffler; Pastor's Sketches; Richard Williams, the Patagonian Missionary, by Hamilton. dec19

BIBLES, HYMN AND PRAYER BOOKS in the most elegant styles, for family, pulpit, or personal use. BUTLER'S NEW SMALL 4TO. BIBLE, the most beautiful family Bible in print, in various styles. Dr. West's Analysis. All suitable for Holiday Presents. At DAVISON'S BOOK STORE, dec19 65 Market st., near Fourth.

Most Important News! **OMER PASHA VICTORIOUS!** AS will be perceived by the news brought per steamer Niagara, there is no doubt but that, at LOUIS REINEMAN & CO.'S JEWELRY STORE, on FIFTH street two doors from Wood, opposite the Morning Post printing office, the CHEAPEST WATCHES, CLOCKS and JEWELRY can be had in this city, as there will be a change in the firm on the 1st of February next, and therefore be sold off at cost. Those wishing to buy cheap Christmas and New Year's Presents cannot find a better opportunity than this. The stock is of the most exquisite kind, and has been selected with the greatest care, as to workmanship and style. Country dealers and others will find it to their advantage to come and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere, as we are determined to let none go unsatisfied. LOUIS REINEMAN & CO., dec17:d2w 42 Fifth street, two doors from Wood.

ELEGANT GIFT BOOKS.—The following are a small part of the magnificent collection of fine books now displayed on our counters and shelves, in anticipation of supplying the wants of those in search of the best Holiday Gift Books:
Poetry of the Year; passages from the Poets, descriptive of the seasons: with twenty-two colored plates from drawings by eminent artists; magnificently bound.
Gem of the Season; beautifully illustrated with mezzotint engravings, and colored presention plate.
The Queens of England; a series of twenty-seven elegant portraits of distinguished female Sovereigns.
The Book of the Heart; or, Lovers Emblems; illustrated with thirty-three fine steel engravings.
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Childrens books of all kinds.
Toy books to suit all eyes and tastes. Call and look at the retail store of H. MINER & CO., dec16 No. 32 Smithfield street.

CHRISTMAS BOOKS—H. P. CALLOW, THIRD street, has received a splendid lot of ANNUALS and GIFT BOOKS for the approaching Holidays, to which he takes pleasure in inviting the attention of his customers and the public generally. He has also received—
Hot Corn;
Nos. 15, 16, 17 and 18 of Industry of All Nations;
Popular Educator, for December;
Scenes in the Life of an Actor;
Yale College "Scrapes," by Varo;
Davis, the Pirate; Valdez, the Pirate;
Jack Junk;
Morgan, the Buccaneer, &c. H. P. CALLOW, dec15 Third st., opposite Post Office.

FANNY FERN'S NEW BOOK—FOR THE HOLIDAYS.—20,000 ordered in advance of publication. Received and for sale at the Cheap Book and Magazine Store of H. MINER & CO., No. 32 SMITHFIELD street, Little Ferns for Fanny's Little Friends, by the author of "Fern Leaves"—one elegant 16 mo., 300 pages, 6 illustrations, price 75 cents. The same, gilt edge, $1.
A New Game—the Crystal Palace. Great Exhibition, or World's Fair Game, showing our country's progress. This game is put at the very low price of 25 cents, to be within the reach of all our country's sons and daughters.
Diaries of all kinds, for 1854.
For sale by H. MINER & CO., dec9 No. 32 Smithfield street.

CHRISTMAS AND HOLIDAY BOOKS, at DAVISON'S BOOK STORE, 65 MARKET street, near Fourth.—The subscriber having now opened his Holiday Books, would invite attention to his large assortment of JUVENILE and other BOOKS suitable to the season. The assortment includes Children's Books for all ages and purses; English classics, in splendid cabinet binding; the most elegant editions of pocket, family and pulpit Bibles; superbly illustrated English works; and Prayer Books and Bibles in velvet, with gold and silver ornaments. That he may have the pleasure of giving greater satisfaction to friends and customers, he solicits early calls. JOHN S. DAVISON, dec12 65 Market, near Fourth street.

FOR THE HOLIDAYS—A general assortment of new Fruit, including Raisins, Currants, Figs, Prunes and Lemons; also, Hard, Soft and Paper-shell Almonds, Walnuts and Filberts, wholesale or retail. dec15 BAILEY & RENSHAW.

PORT OF PITTSBURGH.

4 FEET 3 INCHES WATER IN THE CHANNEL.

ARRIVED.
Steamer Jefferson, Parkinson, Brownsville.
" Luzerne, Bennett, Brownsville.
" Thomas Shriver, Bailey, West Newton.
" Gen. Bayard, Peebles, Elizabeth.
" Diurnal, Sheppard, Wheeling.

DEPARTED.
" Jefferson, Parkinson, Brownsville.
" Luzerne, Bennett, Brownsville.
" Thomas Shriver, Bailey, West Newton.
" Gen. Bayard, Peebles, Elizabeth.
" Winchester, G. D. Moore, Wheeling.

SHELL OYSTERS RECEIVED DAILY AT DYER'S, on FIFTH STREET, one door above the Theatre, and immediately opposite Masonic Hall. ☞A call is solicited from lovers of good Oysters. [sep16

TRUSS, SHOULDER BRACE, SUPPORTER AND ELASTIC STOCKING DEPOT at Dr. KEYSER'S, No. 140 corner of Wood street and Virgin alley. All kinds of mechanical appliances are kept and fitted at this establishment. Satisfaction warranted in all cases. nov24

BONNETS, BONNETS.—A. A. MASON & CO., No. 25 Fifth street, will exhibit, this morning, 250 Velvet, Silk and Satin Bonnets, of the latest styles and most fashionable colors. nov21

ALPACAS.—Just received at A. A. MASON & CO.'S, No. 25 Fifth street, 150 ps. Alpacas, of every color and quality. nov21

WIDE SILK VELVETS.—A few ps. extra fine, splendid finished Black Velvet, for Ladies' Cloaks, just rec'd. nov21 A. A. MASON & CO., No. 25 Fifth st.

LADIES' CLOTH CLOAKS.—We invite attention to our large and splendid assortment of Cloth Cloaks and Velvet Talmas. [nov21] A. A. MASON & CO.

TRIMMINGS, TRIMMINGS.—A. A. MASON & CO., No. 25 Fifth street, are now exhibiting one of the largest assortments of Trimmings ever offered in this city, of all the most fashionable styles, and of every color. [nov21

BANK OF PITTSBURGH STOCK—10 shares for sale by AUSTIN LOOMIS, nov15 No. 92 Fourth st.

FRESH CRANBERRIES—Just received and for sale at the Family Grocery and Housekeepers' Store of nov15 BAILEY & RENSHAW.

WOOL LONG SHAWLS—A. A. MASON & CO., No. 25 FIFTH street, have on hand over 5000 Wool Shawls of every quality. nov14

COFFEE—60 bags prime Rio; 20 " Laguayra; 20 " Old. Gov. Java. nov1 J. D. WILLIAMS.

FOR FARMS, BUILDING LOTS, AND DWELLING HOUSES, on reasonable terms, call at the Real Estate Office of S. CUTHBERT & SON, nov18 140 Third street.

CROTON MILLS HOMINY AND SYRUP—Rec'd fresh, and for sale by BAILEY & RENSHAW, nov10 253 Liberty street.

500 PIGS LEAD received per steamer Return, and for sale by ALEXANDER GORDON, nov16 134 First street.

OHIO AND PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD STOCK—20 shares wanted by AUSTIN LOOMIS, oct26 No. 92 Fourth st.

40, 80, AND 160 ACRE LAND WARRANTS WANTED by AUSTIN LOOMIS, oct26 No. 92 Fourth st.

400 LBS. FRESH CORN MEAL; 600 lbs Extra Hulled Buckwheat Meal. Rec'd and for sale by BAILEY & RENSHAW, oct28 253 Liberty street.

GOSHEN AND PINE APPLE CHEESE just received, the finest in the market, by oct25 BAILEY & RENSHAW.

ALL KINDS OF GOLD, SILVER AND BANK NOTES bought, sold and exchanged by oc29] A. WILKINS & CO., Bankers, United States Bank Building, No. 71 Fourth st., Pittsburgh.

CITY WARRANTS—$500 WANTED by oct20 AUSTIN LOOMIS, No. 92 Fourth st.

10 SHARES PITTS. TRUST AND SAVINGS CO. STOCK WANTED by AUSTIN LOOMIS, oct20 No. 92 Fourth st.

DRIED APPLES—200 bushels in store and for sale by oc19 KING & MOORHEAD.

SOAP—30 boxes Palm, 10 do Castile, 5 do Almond, 2 do Olive, 2 do Candia, 50 do Toilet and Fancy; for sale by nov24 J. D. WILLIAMS, 122 Wood street.

B. W. FLOUR—250 sacks B. W. Flour, 50 lbs each; 25 do do 25 do on hand, and for sale by [nov22] KIRKPATRICK & HERRONS.

FIELD PLASTER—84 barrels "Canal Mills, Erie" brand on hand, and for sale by nov22 KIRKPATRICK & HERRONS.

RUBBERS, OVERSHOES, BUSKINS, JENNY LINDS, BOOTS and SANDALS, of every variety, at low prices. L. E. HAYWARD, dec3 Corner Market and Liberty sts.

PALM SOAP—50 boxes Chillicothe Palm Soap, on hand and for sale by nov22 KIRKPATRICK & HERRONS.

BONNETS, BONNETS—250 Silk, Satin and Velvet Bonnets, of the latest and most fashionable shapes. nov29 A. A. MASON & CO., 25 Fifth st.

PRICES OF STOCKS.

CORRECTED DAILY FOR THE MORNING POST BY
Patricks & Friend, Exchange Brokers,
Corner of Fifth and Wood streets, Pittsburgh.

LOANS.	Bid.	Asked.	Par Val.
United States 6s. 1868	$ 119,00	$ 120,00	$ 100,00
United States 5s. 1853	100,00	101,00	100,00
Pennsylvania 6s. 1879	105,00	000	100,00
Pennsylvania 5s. 1868	95,00	97,00	100,00
Allegheny county 6s		100,00	100,00
Allegheny county coupons	96,00	100,00	100,00
Pittsburgh city 6s	98,00	100,00	100,00
Pittsburgh city coupons, payable New York	102,00	102,00	100,00
Allegheny City 6s	98,00	99,00	100,00
Allegheny City coupons, payable in Philadelphia	92,00	94,00	100,00
BANK STOCKS.			
Bank of Pittsburgh	55,50	55,75	50,00
Merchants & Manufacturers' Bank	57,00	57,50	50,00
Exchange Bank	55,25	55,50	50,00
Farmers' Deposit Bank			
Allegheny Savings Bank	00,00	00,00	2,14
BRIDGE STOCKS.			
Monongahela Bridge	23,75	24,00	25,00
St. Clair street Bridge	—	35,00	25,00
Hand street Bridge	00,00	00,00	47,00
Northern Liberties Bridge	80,00	38,00	50,00
INSURANCE STOCKS.			
Western Insurance Company	15,50	16,00	
Citizens' Insurance Company	15,00	17,00	
Associated Firemen's Company	5,00	7,00	
TELEGRAPH STOCKS.			
Atlantic and Ohio	42,00	44,00	50,00
Pittsburgh, Cincinnati & Louisville	41,75	43,00	50,00
Lake Erie		24,00	50,00
Pittsburgh Gas Works	58,00	58,50	50,00
Monongahela Slackwater	—	45,00	50,00
RAILROAD STOCK.			
Pennsylvania Railroad	49,00	49,75	50,00
Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad	48,75	49,00	50,00
Cleveland & Pittsburgh Railroad	50,00	53,00	50,00
Marine Railway and Dry Dock	102,50	105,00	100,00
Turtle Creek Plank Road	10,00	12,00	25,00
Perrysville Plank Road	26,00		25,00
Greensburg Turnpike	8,00	10,00	
Chartiers Coal Company		18,50	20,00
COPPER STOCKS.			
Pittsburgh and Boston	—	175,00	......
North American	—	63,00	......
North West		20,00	......
North Western	—	17,00	......
Adventure	6,25	7,50	......
Ohio Trap Rock		17,50	......
Minnesota		200,00	......
Pittsburgh and Isle Royal	8,00	10,00	......
Douglas Houghton	4,50	4,00	......
Ontonogan			......
Ridge	—	1,00	......
Fire Steel	1,12	1,75	......
Colling	3,00	3,25	......
Aztec	0,00	2,00	......
Bluff	2,00	2,10	......
Peninsular			......
Avery		2,00	......
Forest	—	0,00	......
Phœnix	7,00	9,00	......
Iron City	2,50	3,00	......

BANK NOTE LIST.

CORRECTED DAILY FOR THE MORNING POST BY
Hoon & Sargent, Exchange Bankers,
Corner of Wood and Sixth streets, Pittsburgh.

PENNSYLVANIA.	
Pittsburgh Banks	par.
Philadelphia "	¼
Brownsville "	par.
Bucks county "	¼
Chester Co. (new issue)	¼
Columbia Bridge Co	¼
Danville "	¼
Delaware co. "	¼
Doylestown "	¼
Easton "	¼
Germantown "	¼
Lancaster Banks	¼
Lebanon "	¼
Montgomery co. Banks	¼
Northumberland "	¼
Pottsville "	¼
Reading "	¼
Schuylkill county "	¼
Washington "	¼
West Branch "	¼
Wyoming	½
Carlisle	½
Chambersburg	½
Erie	½
Gettysburgh	½
Harrisburg	½
Honesdale	½
Middletown	½
Waynesburg	½
York Banks	½
Relief Notes	½
United States Bank	15
Allegheny City Scrip	par.
Pittsburgh City "	par.
Allegheny Co. "	prem.
NEW YORK.	
New York City	¼
Country Banks	¾
NEW JERSEY.	
All solvent Banks	¾
DELAWARE.	
All solvent Banks	¼
Small Notes	½
MARYLAND.	
Baltimore Banks	¼
Country Banks	¾
VIRGINIA.	
Bank of Va. & branches	¾
Farmers' Bk. & branches	¾
Valley Bk. & branches	¾
Exchange Bk. & branches	¾
Wheeling Banks	¾
Wheeling branches	¾
NEW ENGLAND.	
All solvent Banks	½

OHIO.	
State Bk. and branches	¾
Other solvent Banks	¾
Bank of Sandusky	—
Granville	50
Norwalk	50
Urbana	50
Wooster	25
INDIANA.	
State Stock Banks	¾
State Bk. and branches	¾
ILLINOIS.	
State Stock Banks	¾
State Bank Branch	50
Bank of Illinois	15
KENTUCKY.	
All solvent Banks	¾
MISSOURI.	
State Bk. and branches	¾
MICHIGAN.	
All solvent Banks	1
WISCONSIN.	
Marine & Fire Insurance Co. at Milwaukie	2
TENNESSEE.	
All solvent Banks	3
NORTH CAROLINA.	
All solvent Banks	1
SOUTH CAROLINA.	
All solvent Banks	1
GEORGIA.	
All solvent Banks	1½
ALABAMA.	
All solvent Banks	5
LOUISIANA.	
All solvent Banks	1½
EXCHANGES.	
New York	par.
Philadelphia	par.
Baltimore	par.
Cincinnati	¾ dis'ct.
Louisville	¾ dis'ct.
St. Louis	1 dis'ct.
VALUE OF COINS.	
American Gold (new)	par.
American Gold (old)	pr'm.
Sovereigns	$4 83
Guineas	5 00
Fredericksdors	7 80
Ten Thalers	7 80
Ten Guilders	3 90
Louisd'or	4 25
Napoleons	3 83
Doubloons, Patriot	15 70
Doubloons, Spanish	16 25
Ducats	2 10

B. W. FLOUR—50 sacks for sale by dec17 KIRKPATRICK & HERRONS.

ZINC WASH BOARDS—50 dozen "Holmes" Zinc Wash boards on hand and for sale by dec17 KIRKPATRICK & HERRONS.

TAR—40 barrels N. C. Tar for sale by dec17 KIRKPATRICK & HERRONS.

MESS PORK—15 barrels for sale by dec17 KIRKPATRICK & HERRONS.

NEW BOOKS! NEW BOOKS!—The Illustrated Magazine of Art, for December; The Popular Educator, for December; Part VI, the Practical Draughtsman; The Twin Brothers; or, the Victim of the Press Gang; A Month in England; by Henry T. Tuckerman.
JUVENILE BOOKS. In great variety, comprising all the standard juveniles and numerous new and beautiful books, for the approaching holidays.
GIFT BOOKS AND ANNUALS. Our stock comprises everything published, most of them in superb bindings and elegantly illustrated, forming a magnificent collection.
BIBLES AND PRAYER BOOKS, Of every variety of size and style of binding, suitable for holiday gifts, or other purposes. H. MINER & CO., dec6 No. 32 Smithfield street.

STATIONERY, of all kinds and qualities, for sale by J. S. DAVISON, dec 65 Market street, near Fourth.

BOOKS LAST RECEIVED, AT DAVISON'S Book store, 65 Market street, near Fourth:—Harper's and Putnam's Magazines; Lyell's Geology; Pierson on Infidelity—new supply; Hamilton's Philosophy; Hitchcock's Philosophy; Liber on Civil Liberty and Government; Golden Dreams and Leaden Realities; Longstroth on the Hive and Honey Bee; Webster's Dictionaries, Bush's Notes; Kitto's Bible Illustrations; Explanatory Bible; Prime on Death of Little Children; Fern Leaves; Isaac T. Hopper; Missionary of Kilmany; Lamp and Lantern, Hamilton; Jacqueline Paschal, or Convent Life at Port Royal. [de3

A FARM FOR EXCHANGE for Real Estate in or near the city—A valuable improved Farm of 76 Acres; 50 in cultivation; with a Frame Dwelling House, Barn, Stable, &c.; a well of excellent water; large garden and good fences. Situate in Franklin township, near Harrisville, 20 miles south of Butler. S. CUTHBERT & SON, nov18 140 Third street.

COPAL VARNISH—500 gallons, Smith's New York brand, in store and for sale by FLEMING BROS., successors to J. Kidd & Co., dec2 60 Wood st.

BLUE VITRIOL—2000 lbs in store and for sale by dec2 FLEMING BROS.

CREAM TARTAR—500 lbs, pure, in store and for sale by dec2 FLEMING BROS.

VERMILLION—100 lbs, Trieste and Chinese, in store and for sale by [dec2] FLEMING BROS.

SPICED SALMON; Mess Mackerel; No. 1 Mackerel, in kits; Salmon, in bbls. For sale by [nov15] BAILEY & RENSHAW.

S. H. MOLASSES—200 bbls Steam Refined Sugar-House, just received from steamer Prairie City, and for sale by dec13 JAMES A. HUTCHISON & CO.

N. O. SUGAR—104 hhds, prime new crop, landing from steamer Oakland, and for sale by dec13 JAMES A. HUTCHISON & CO.

A. A. MASON & CO. will open this morning a splendid assortment of Ladies Cloth Cloaks, Capes and Fillibusters. nov7

QUICKSILVER—200 lbs in store and for sale by dec2 FLEMING BROS.

1000 NESTS SAND CRUCIBLES in store and for sale by [dec2] FLEMING BROS.

APPLES—100 bbls choice Apples for sale low by dec2 BAILEY & RENSHAW, 253 Liberty st.

SEGARS—Just rec'd, a supply of choice London size Havana Segars, in 100 boxes. dec2 BAILEY & RENSHAW.

NEW CROP Layer Raisins, M. R. Raisins, Sultana Raisins, Drum Figs, Zante Currants, Received and for sale by dec2 BAILEY & RENSHAW.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE FOR DECEMBER just received by B. T. C. MORGAN, dec2 104 Wood st.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—15 bags just received and for sale by [dec2] KING & MOORHEAD.

DWELLING HOUSES FOR RENT.—A large House on Second street. Also, a large House on Robinson st., Allegheny City. S. CUTHBERT & SON, nov21 140 Third st.

CHILDREN'S FANCY SHOES, of new styles, just received at No. 107 Market street. nov29 W. E. SCHMERTZ.

LADIES' FRENCH MOROCCO BOOTS and ¾ BOOTS—A new supply at No. 107 Market street. nov29 W. E. SCHMERTZ.

GENT'S, BOYS' AND YOUTHS' CALF, KIP and COW-HIDE BOOTS—A large assortment of the very best quality, *warranted*. Prices unexceptionable. nov29 W. E. SCHMERTZ.

PLAIDS, PLAIDS.—A. A. MASON & CO., No. 25 FIFTH street, will open, this morning, another beautiful assortment of all wool Plaids, bright colors. nov29

SHAWLS, SHAWLS—5000 Bay State, Empire, Waterloo, Watervleit, and other Shawls, just received. nov29 A. A. MASON & CO., No. 25 Fifth st.

PLAID DE LAINES.—Just opened this morning, at A. A. MASON & CO.'S, No. 25 Fifth street, 5 cases more of those beautiful Plaid De Laines, brilliant colors. [nov29

TO SMOKERS.—All Smokers wishing good and cheap CIGARS, will find them at JEHU HAWORTH'S, corner of Diamond and Diamond alley. Flora Regalias, 10 for 10 cents. Abana do do do. Colorado do do do. Call and try them, and then you'll buy them. [nov23

A NEW BRICK HOUSE, of hall, 5 rooms and finished attic, with Lot of 25 feet front on Main st., Duquesne borough, by 100 deep to Carpenter's alley, with fruit and shade trees. Price $1100. Terms easy. dec6 S. CUTHBERT & SON, 140 Third st.

35 BOXES LEMONS; 37 bbls Cranberries; in store and for sale by JOSHUA RHODES & CO., dec2 39 Wood street.

LADIES' CLOTH CLOAKS.—A. A. MASON & CO. have on hand a splendid assortment of Ladies' Cloth Cloaks, and are constantly receiving the newest shapes. [nov16

30 BARRELS SWEET POTATOES JUST RECEIVED at nov28:3t* T. C. BOYLE'S, 108 Wood st.

BUTTER—30 kegs and 2 bbls fresh roll for sale by dec17 SMITH & SINCLAIR.

TELEGRAPHIC.

By the O'Reilly Lines for the Morning Post

THIRTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, December 22.

HOUSE.—*Yesterday's Proceedings Concluded.*—Mr. Dean replied to the speech of Gerritt Smith on the Kozsta affair. He defended the consistency of this Government, and spoke of the oppressive and despotic character of the Austrian government. He was not pledged to the slave or any other power, slavery is a local and municipal institution, with which Congress has nothing to do, so that the declaration of Mr. Smith that this government is a greater and guiltier power than Austria, is not just or true.

Mr. Giddings replied, briefly defending Mr. Smith.

After further debate, the committee rose and the House adjourned.

WASHINGTON, December 22.

SENATE.—Mr. Gwin gave notice of several bills granting land for railroads in California.

Mr. Hamlin introduced a bill establishing a line of telegraph from the Mississippi river to the Pacific.

The joint resolution authorizing the President to confer the title of Lieutenant General, by brevet, was taken up, and, after a long debate, ordered to be engrossed—yeas 30, nays 12.

Mr. Cass offered a resolution directing inquiry as to granting a pension to the widow of Capt. Gunnison, recently killed in Utah. Adopted.

Sundry resolutions, directing inquiry as to authorizing orders or drafts on foreign post offices to be used in place of ordinary drafts, for remittances, was adopted, after which the Senate went into executive session, and subsequently adjourned.

HOUSE.—Mr. Henn presented the credentials of Hadly D. Johnson, delegate from Nebraska. Referred to the committee on elections.

Mr. Cobb introduced a bill giving further time for satisfying claims for bounty lands.

Several bills were introduced appropriating lands for railroads in the South and West, all of which were referred.

Mr. Disney introduced the French spoliation bill, which was referred to the committee on foreign affairs.

Mr. Miller, of Missouri, introduced a bill, organizing the territory of Wisconsin. Referred.

Mr. Latham introduced a bill refunding to California certain dues collected since the ratification of the treaty with Mexico, and prior to the admission of California into the Union. Referred.

The House then went into committee of the whole on the President's Message.

Mr. Wright, of Pennsylvania, said he thought the country at large unprepared to anticipate the results which had occurred from the debate of the last three days. He was one who believed that after the great contest the country had passed through, when both of the great parties of the nation came together with honorable warfare, and when the great battle had been fought and the victory won, that abolitionism was not only dead, but buried. He then alluded to Gerrett Smith's speech, which he said exhumed the lifeless body, and dragged it before the country. He said he could not keep his mouth closed when such sentiments were avowed, and he then reviewed Mr. Smith's speech, particularly that part in which he characterised the United States as a greater oppressor than Austria. He said Mr. Smith had cast a firebrand into the country, but he would fail in his object. He also defended the administration and the compromise from the attack made by Mr. Smith. He quoted the provisions of the constitution in regard to the recovery of fugitives from labor, and asked how can the gentleman put his hand on the Holy Evangelist, and swear to support the constitution.

Mr. Smith answered, that a few days before the convention which framed the Constitution adjourned, the committee on style recommended that the word service be substituted for servitude, as the latter was identified with slavery and the former was identified with the condition of freemen. The recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Mr Wright said that this was not his recollection of history, and went on to say that Congress had no right to legislate on slavery, and he washed his hands of the subject.

ONE WEEK LATER FROM EUROPE.

ARRIVAL OF THE AMERICA.

NEW YORK, December 22.

The steamship America arrived at Halifax this morning, with Liverpool dates to the 10th inst.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.—Cotton...market unchanged in every respect; moderate business doing. The sales for the week were 39,000 bales, including 4200 to speculators, and 2250 for export: fair Orleans 6¾, middling 6; fair Mobile 6½, middling 5¾; fair Upland 6⅜, middling 5½; the stock at Liverpool exclusive of shipboard is 620,000 bales.

Breadstuffs...Brown & Shipley quote wheat as advanced 3d@4d: red 9s 8d@10s: white 9s 10d@10s 4d. Flour advanced 1s@1½s: Western 35s 6d; Baltimore, Philadelphia, and Ohio 36s 6d; corn, small business doing, but prices firm; white 45s, yellow 44s; mixed 43s.

Provisions...Gardiner quotes a small business doing in pork and beef, dull; market for bacon shoulders; prices stiffer, but quotations unaltered. Lard has declined 6d@1s and market dull, prices nominal.

Linseed cake declined 5s. Naval stores no sales; Turpentine, Tar and Rosin 25 in bbls. Spirits Turpentine 53s. Tea market unchanged, moderate business doing; market firm. Sugar unchanged in every respect. Coffee active; market unchanged in price. Rice quiet.

LONDON MARKETS, December 10th.—Sugar and Coffee steady; Tea quiet. Rice dull, declined 6d. Breadstuffs: prices a shade lower. Red Wheat 68s@70s; white 72s@80s. Flour: Western canal 36s@38s; Baltimore and Ohio brands 37s@39s. Metal market: Iron improved; Copper active; Lead wanted.

MONEY MARKET.—Transactions small in U. S. and State Stocks, at nominal rates. Money unchanged; consols for account, ex-dividend, 95⅛.

HAVRE, Dec. 8th.—Cotton; the sales of the week ending to-day were 5,500 bales.

By Telegraph to London.—Cotton market regular. Orleans 97f. The stock at Havre is 30,000 bales. Flour; large business doing at advanced rates.

ARRIVAL OF THE STEAMER HERMANN.

PHILADELPHIA, December 22.

The steamer Hermann left Southampton the afternoon of the 7th, with a full cargo of freight and 150 passengers, for New York. She reports that when she left Bremerhaven the ice was closing up the harbor.

The four powers have resumed their joint action in favor of peace, and have been recognized by a formal protocol. For the purpose of preventing the present territorial arrangement in Europe, they propose a joint conference, open to the representatives of Russia and Turkey. This proposition is unfavorably received by the liberal press. Advices from Bucharest to the 6th, and Kalafat to the 2d, have been received. Nothing new. The Pascha has entered Georgia. The port of Odessa is frozen up. Two companies of Wallachia militia deserted and joined Omer Pascha. A small Turkish steamer was taken by a Russian frigate, but afterwards re-taken by a Turkish steamer.

The Turkish government refuses to submit to the three months armistice proposed by England, in consequence of which the English Minister had a long audience with the Sultan, followed by an extraordinary meeting of the divan.

At an entertainment given by the officers of the allied fleet, on board the Turkish flag ship, Lord Stafford made a speech connecting the proposed aid of Great Britain with the strong recommendations of peace. The Sultan replied that he desired peace, but not if incompatible with sovereign rights and honor.

More Turkish victories reported in Asia. The Russians, after three bloody battles, have been driven back to the fortresses. Saffa and Akistan have been taken by assault of Selim Pacha.

The Russians attacked the entrenched camp at Bayahid, but were beaten. They also failed in their last attempt to retake the fort of St. Nicholas.

The Russians were defeated near Aresko, on the 4th inst., leaving several dead bodies on the field.

The Turks have taken Akhalzikh, in Georgia.

The Russians are so hard pressed in Asia that 16,000 troops have been sent to their relief.

No movements of importance are reported on the Danube.

The Turks are fortifying Kalafat. Their fleet, including the Black Sea, has returned to the Bosphorus.

The Turks are elated to the highest pitch of enthusiasm.

The troops are abundantly provisioned, and paid regularly.

The Russians are suffering from sickness.

Some Americans have joined the Turkish camp. A legion of Circassians has been formed at Constantinople, under Saffe Bey.

A Russian General has been removed from command in Moldavia, and Gortschakoff succeeds him.

The Greek Patriarch of Constantinople requested permission to accompany the Sultan to camp, to prove that the Greek church prefers Turkey to Russia.

Latest accounts state that conflicts have taken place between the Montenegrins and Turks.

VIENNA, Dec. 6th.—The Russian troops in the little Wallachia, had been defeated before Ishmael Pacha.

GREAT BRITAIN.—No political news.

The ship Edward Everett, from Baltimore, received part of the crew of the ship Hyperion bound to Jamaica, which foundered at sea. She sunk with eight men on board.

FRANCE.—The French minister is instructed to demand from Austria an explanation of the recent engagements with Persia.

The cholera still lingers in the suburbs of Paris.

PHILADELPHIA, December 22.

The stores of James S. Keen and J. Frith, North Third street, were destroyed by fire last night. Five or six firemen were caught in the ruins by the falling ceiling. Four of them were rescued, and the police were engaged in rescuing another fireman, when a second fall of ruins covered up the fireman and also caught Jacob Albright, the policeman, beneath the beams; one fell across his legs, and it was impossible to rescue him; jackscrews were at last resorted to, and the sufferer was kept sensible by stimulants. The firemen were able to direct a stream of water upon the burning timbers beyond him, and after two hours labor he was gotten out, his lower limbs being terribly burned. Besides the fireman known to be under the ruins, Hiram Hammer, a policeman, is missing, and it is supposed he has perished.

NEW BEDFORD, MASS., December 22.

The Rev. Gardner Dean, Baptist clergyman, disappeared last Thursday evening, and has not since been heard of. The Mayor offers $300 reward. There is considerable excitement, as it is feared he has been murdered.

CLEVELAND, December 22.

It is very cold; the snow is six inches deep here, and is a foot deep a few miles from the Lake. There is nothing on canal or river. Ice formed last night an inch and a half thick.

PHILADELPHIA, December 22.

The body of Hiram Hammer, police officer, was found among the ruins of the fire.

TELEGRAPH MARKETS.

NEW YORK, December 22.

Cotton firm. Flour; sales 10,000 bbls State at $7@7.12; Ohio $7.06@7,18, advanced 12½ cents. Grain; sales 3,500 bush Wheat, Southern, at $1,64, inactive; sales 25,000 bush Corn, mixed, at 80. Provisions; sales 500 bbls Pork steady. Mess Beef; sales 150 do at $13,50, firm. Lard; sales 300 do at 10¼. Whisky: sales 800 bbls at 28½. Coffee; sales 1,500 bags Rio at 12½, Java 13½, firm. Sugar; sales 300 hhds Orleans at 4½@4¾. Havana 4½ firmer. Molasses; Orleans 30, active.

PHILADELPHIA, December 22.

No transactions in the markets to-day, owing to the announcement of the steamer.

STOCKING FACTORY, FIFTH ST., BETWEEN WOOD AND MARKET STREETS. *ABILITY, ENERGY, & ECONOMY.* THE best goods in Children's Hose, Men's Socks, Undershirts and Drawers, sold at manufacturers' prices, at the FIFTH STREET STOCKING FACTORY, all made from last year's wool. NO ADVANCE IN PRICE. sep27 WILLIAM DALY.

New Music. A COMPLETE assortment of Songs, with English and Italian words; Fantasies and Potpourris, arranged for the Piano, from all the favorite and popular Operas of Mozart, Donizetti, Bellini, Meyerbeer, Rosini, Verdi, Auber, Weber, Bellini, Balfe, Lortsing, Flotow, etc., etc.; together with the latest compositions of Jaell, Gottschalk, Jullien, Strakosch, etc., etc., etc. Just received and for sale by H. SCHROEDER & CO., nov30 Cargo's Hall, 83 Fourth street.

SILK VELVETS—25 pieces, assorted colors, just rec'd at nov29 A. A. MASON & CO.'S, No. 25 Fifth st.

SEGARS—40,000 Half Spanish; 10,000 Cruz & Sons' Principes; 5,000 Havannas (London) with other choice brands; for sale by SMITH & SINCLAIR, nov11 122 Second and 151 First streets.

PIMENTO—3 boxes for sale by sep27 KING & MOORHEAD.

WINDOW SHADES—Plain and figured, for sale by nov8 WALTER P. MARSHALL.

PIG METAL—300 tons, Mercer County, to arrive, for sale by [nov17 KING & MOORHEAD.

YEAST POWDERS—4 gross, Preston & Merrill's, for sale by [dec3] B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

A. A. MASON & CO. have just opened a fine lot of all wool Plaids, for Ladies' Scarfs. dec5

PLAID DE LAINES.—Just received, and on hand, an excellent assortment of Plaid De Laines, fine styles. dec5 A. A. MASON & CO., No. 25 Fifth st.

AUCTION SALES.

Auction Card. JAMES M'KENNA, Auctioneer and Commission Merchant, No. 120 Wood street, near the corner of Fifth, regular sales of Dry Goods, Clothing, Groceries, Glassware, new and second hand Furniture, each day at 10 and 2 o'clock; and at early gas light, each evening, Watches and Jewelry, Guns, Pistols, Books, Fancy articles, Cutlery, Boots, Shoes, &c., with a general assortment of every description of Dry Goods. Refer to the principal merchants. fe53

Auction—Daily Sales. AT the Commercial Sales Rooms, corner of Wood and Fifth streets, at 10 o'clock, A. M., a general assortment of Seasonable, Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hats, Caps, &c.,
AT 2 O'CLOCK, P. M., Groceries, Queensware, Glassware, Table Cutlery, Looking Glasses, New and Second Hand Household and Kitchen Furniture, &c.,
AT 7 O'CLOCK, P. M., Books, Stationery, Fancy Articles, Musical Instruments, Hardware and Cutlery, Clothing, Variety Goods, Gold and Silver watches, &c. P. M. DAVIS, Auctioneer. [ja31:tf

JAMES McKENNA, Auctioneer.

FRENCH BRANDY; BURGUNDY, PORT AND MADEIRA WINES, AT AUCTION.—On Monday next, December 26, at 2 o'clock, will be sold at McKenna's Auction House, without reserve, 9¼ casks excellent quality French Brandy; 6 do Burgundy Port Wine; 2 do Madeira Wine. Those intending to purchase can examine previous to sale. dec21 JAMES McKENNA, Auct'r.

OIL CLOTH TABLE AND STAND COVERS, AT AUCTION.—On Friday next, December 23d, at 2 o'clock, will be sold at McKenna's Auction House, a large invoice of Oil Cloth Table and Stand Covers, of the latest style and most beautiful patterns, in lots to suit purchasers. dec22 JAMES McKENNA, Auct'r.

GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES AND JEWELRY AT AUCTION.—On SATURDAY evening next, December 24th, at early gas light, will be sold, at McKenna's Auction House, a large assortment of new and second-hand Watches, such as English gold and silver patent levers, Lepines, quartiers, French gold do, gold plate do, gold guard chains, fob and vest chains, heavy gold finger rings, lockets, pencils, ear-rings, breastpins, &c. dec22 JAMES McKENNA, Auct'r.

ASSIGNEES' SALE of an extensive COUNTRY DRY GOODS STORE AT AUCTION.—On MONDAY next, December 26th, at 10 o'clock, will be sold, at McKenna's Auction House, by order of Assignees, the stock of a retail country store. Among the lot are some very fine goods, such as Saxony, Coburgs, merinos, alpacas, mous de laines, beraizes, ginghams, linen lustres, calicos, chintzes, pant stuff, vestings, flannels, bleached and brown muslins, silk hdkfs. and cravats, fine shawls and dress hdkfs., ribbons, laces, tweed cloths, cassinets, patent thread, spool cotton, gloves and hosiery, suspenders, linseys, lamb's wool shirts and drawers, white dress shirts, gingham and check shirts, overcoats and pantaloons, superfine satin vests, Irish linen, buckram and padding, silk plush, chasans, heavy blankets, furniture calico, men, women, misses, boys and youths' boots, brogans, shoes, bootees, buskins, pumps and slippers, gum overshoes; also, a very large lot of silk and worsted fringe, with many other articles. dec20 JAMES McKENNA, Auctioneer.

P. M. DAVIS, Auctioneer.

ADJOURNED SALE OF GROCERIES, by order of Assignees.—On SATURDAY morning, December 24th, at the store of Edward Heazelton, No. 18 Diamond, will be sold, agreeably to adjournment, the balance of that stock of Groceries, &c., comprising—
20 hhds N. O. sugar;
10 chests green and black teas;
26 bbls mackerel, herring and lake fish;
12 boxes tobacco;
40 kegs and boxes mustard, spices, &c.;
Rice, saleratus, madder, wire sieves;
Nails, hay and dung forks, packing yarn;
500 lbs carpet chain; 300 lbs hemp twine;
3 warehouse trucks, packing paper, &c.
dec23 P. M. DAVIS, Auct'r.

EXCHANGE BANK STOCK AT AUCTION.—On FRIDAY evening, December 23d, at 7½ o'clock, at the Commercial Sales Rooms, corner of Wood and Fifth streets, will be sold, for cash, par funds—50 shares Exchange Bank of Pittsburgh Stock. dec23 P. M. DAVIS, Auct'r.

LARGE SALE OF STOCKS.—On FRIDAY evening, Dec'r 23d, at the Commercial Sales Rooms, corner of Wood and Fifth streets, will be sold, without reserve, for cash, par funds—
100 shares Ohio and Pa. Railroad Co. Stock.
124 " Ridge Mining Co. do
150 " Adventure do do
100 " Aztec do do
22 " Citizens' Insurance Co. do do
dec22 P. M. DAVIS, Auct'r.

MISCELLANEOUS.

ATTENTION, LADIES. HAVING determined to close out our entire stock of Silk, Satin, Velvet and De Laine BONNETS before the 1st of January, *at greatly reduced prices*—at prices that will defy competition in the city—call and see our BONNETS, and satisfy yourselves.

Our gentlemanly old friend next door
Is being alarmed at his expenses;
Notwithstanding he is three score and more—
But he cannot compete with the SPENCES.
Now Ladies, you must bear in mind,
In order to save expenses;
Get a BONNET of the right kind,
At the Fancy Store of SPENCES.

☞Remember the place, No. 38 MARKET st., between Second and Third streets, at the sign of the Cheap Bonnet Store. [dec5] M. J. & C. SPENCE.

DANCING ACADEMY, at WASHINGTON HALL. Young Ladies & Childrens' Classes. I WOULD respectfully inform the public, and Young Ladies especially, that I intend commencing my Class for Ladies in the latter part of the present week, and would most earnestly request all who may wish to join, to give in their names, and unite with the commencement of the Class. Also, the Class for Children was commenced on Saturday last, 19th inst., and will continue every Saturday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Parents who may wish to have their children taught a becoming, easy, graceful manner and walk, and a light, natural carriage in dancing, would please send their children, so as to have them commence at once. For further particulars, enquire at the Hall, on Wood st. nov22 CHRISTOPHER A. McMANUS.

Steamboats, Ahoy! THE subscribers tender their acknowledgements for the favors bestowed upon them by their Steamboat friends, and would respectfully remind them and others interested in building boats, that they are at all times prepared to furnish, on the most reasonable terms, every description of Cabin Furniture and Chairs of the best material and workmanship. T. B. YOUNG & CO., jy12,'53 Corner Third and Smithfield streets, opposite "Brown's Hotel."

For Sale. I WILL SELL my unexpired lease (fourteen years) of a Lot, situate on O'Hara street and Spring alley, in the Fifth Ward—50 ft. fronting on O'Hara street, and running back 100 ft. on Spring alley, on which is erected a four storied Brick House, 40 ft. square, with a frame, two stories, 50 ft. square, both of which are well calculated to carry on any branch of manufacturing business. Being engaged in manufacturing in the country, I offer the above for sale. Inquire at No. 425 Liberty street. oc18tf EDWARD FABER.

Messrs. J. Shroffel & Co., MANUFACTURERS OF FIRE PROOF SAFES, Vault Doors and Iron Window Shutters. AND as all persons admit the necessity of the above mentioned articles, we have no hesitation in recommending our article to be equal to anything in the city. Orders promptly attended to, and put up in the best style, and on short notice. ☞Smithfield street, between Fourth and Fifth, Pittsburgh. [sep9:dm] J. SHROFFEL & CO.

PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE PROPERTY FOR SALE. ONE LOT and a THREE STORY HOUSE or STORE, with back Building and Ice House. Two Lots and a good Brick Dwelling House. Also, three Lots on Caldwell street. If the above property is not sold at private sale previous to THURSDAY, January 26, 1854, it will be positively sold on the day to the highest bidder, as the subscriber is leaving the city, and going West. ADAM WEAVER, dec6ts Penna. Avenue, No. 271.

JNO. GROUTT, Importer of Brandies, Gin, Wine, &c.; DEALER IN FINE OLD MONONGAHELA RYE WHISKY, Peach and Apple Brandy, &c. ALSO, RECTIFIER AND DISTILLER. Corner of Smithfield and Front streets, Pittsburgh, Pa. [de9

Valuable City Property for Sale. THE subscriber offers for sale that valuable LOT, corner of Market and Water streets, fronting 55 feet on each street, on which are erected two substantial Brick Warehouses.
I will also sell my DWELLING HOUSE AND LOT in the Fifth Ward, on Penn street. This Lot has 90 feet on Penn street, and runs through to Pike street 220 feet. The house is one of the largest and most complete dwellings in the city. For particulars, enquire of Mr. FOSTER, at my office, corner Market and Water streets. dec14:1w POLLARD M'CORMICK.

A Delightful Dwelling House, FOR RENT, on Cliff Street, in the Sixth Ward; ample grounds around it, with fruit trees and vines; every convenience to house-keeping on the premises, with hot and cold water bath rooms, &c., and the gas brought to the street this fall. I intend to remove from the City on the 1st of November, when possession will be given. Rent $225 per annum. Apply to Messrs. John Harper or Morrison Underwood, at the Bank of Pittsburgh, or to the undersigned, on the premises. [sep22] LECKY HARPER.

HOT CORN! HOT CORN!! HOT CORN!!!—Hot Corn: Life Scenes in New York Illustrated—including the Story of Little Katy, Madalina the rag-picker's daughter, Wild Maggie, &c. With original designs, engraved by N. Orr. By Solon Robinson.
"Bid that welcome
Which comes to punish us."
"A beggar's book outworth's a noble's blood."
"Of every inordinate cup beware;
Or drink, and with it misery share."
For sale by B. T. C. MORGAN, dec13 104 Wood street.

Dissolution of Partnership. THE partnership heretofore existing between Samuel Pinkerton, Alexander Young and Philip De Rochbrune, under the firm of PINKERTON, YOUNG & CO., was this day dissolved by mutual consent. The name of the firm will be used by either of the late partners in settling the business. PINKERTON, YOUNG & CO. Pittsburgh, December 1, 1853.
☞The business will be continued at the old stand, by Sam'l Pinkerton and Alex. Young, under the style of dec1:dif PINKERTON & YOUNG.

VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE, consisting of two Three Story Brick Houses on Penn street; also, three Dwelling Houses in the rear. The Lot is 48 ft. front by 100 deep. The Houses on Penn street are excellent business stands. For price and terms, call at the Real Estate Office of S. CUTHBERT & SON, dec10 140 Third street.

Dr. David Hunt, DENTIST—OFFICE, Fourth street, between Market and Wood streets, nearly opposite the Pittsburgh Bank. nov17:ly

CARGO'S HALL, *Fourth street near Wood*, opposite Lafayette Hall, can be obtained for Parties, Festivals, Concerts, Public Meetings, &c. Also, Cargo's Cotillon and Sax Horn Band can be found in readiness at all times, by applying to WM. FRANK CARGO, at the Crystal Palace Daguerrean Rooms of B. M. Cargo & Co., Fourth street. jy19

B. LOUTH & BRO., East Birmingham, manufacturers of Bar Iron, and small Iron of all descriptions, and make, also, the finest quality of Hoops, Rounds and Squares. ☞Leave orders for Iron in the box, at the city Post Office. oc18

NEW BOOKS!—H. P. CALLOW, Dispatch Buildings, has received the following: Magazine of Art, for December; No. 6 Practical Draughtsman; Popular Educator, for December; The Lady at Home, by Arthur; The Iron Rule, by Arthur; The Twin Brothers; And all the different Magazines for the present month. dec6 H. P. CALLOW, Third street.

LADIES' CLOTH CLOAKS—We have now for sale a large and choice variety of Ladies' Cloth Cloaks. dec12 A. A. MASON & CO., No. 25 Fifth st.

EXCHANGE ON NEW ORLEANS AND CINCINNATI—Sight Checks on the above points for sale by A. WILKINS & CO., dec2 No. 71 Fourth street.

MEDICAL.

Invalids of Pittsburgh and Vicinity, YOUR attention is urgently invited to a careful and candid perusal of something that has just been introduced into the time honored Keystone State.

PULVERMACHER'S HYDRO-ELECTRIC VOLTAIC CHAINS!

A NEW and NOVEL mode of applying a powerful remedial agent, so constructed as to be worn under the garments next to the skin, producing a constant, UNINTERRUPTED current of ELECTRO-MAGNETISM, effecting **Immediate Relief** From the most acute pain, and also a permanent cure of all NERVOUS DISEASES.

It seldom has failed to furnish almost certain relief, and a FINAL, PERMANENT CURE, by being used according to directions, to the following diseases:

Rheumatism, Uterine Pains, Gout, Sciatica, Palpitation of the Heart, Paralysis, Periodical Headache, Painful and Swelled Joints, St. Vitus' Dance, Neuralgia of the Face, General Debility, Diseases of the Spine, Pains of the Chest, Deafness and Blindness, Hysterics, Dyspepsia, *ALL DISEASES*

That are caused by a deficient amount of NERVOUS FLUID, are greatly relieved, if not permanently cured by simply wearing the chains for a few hours each day.

Be it Understood That it is not claimed that it cures all diseases, but only those for which it is recommended; and moreover, we boldly claim and DEFY, that no medicinal agent of ANY KIND has performed SO MANY CURES during the last year, of those diseases just named, as

PULVERMACHER'S ELECTRIC CHAINS.

And to prove this assertion, we defy any person to produce so many WELL AUTHENTICATED CERTIFICATES of Scientific Physicians and intelligent patients as may be found in a pamphlet of thirty-six pages, to be had (gratis) of the agent in this town.

The electric Chains were first introduced in France in 1850, and after being subjected to the most **Thorough and Rigid Trial,** By the first medical men in Paris, they were found to possess strange and marvellous power in relieving pain, whereas the hospitals of that city, and also secured by letters patent by the French Government.

They are now introduced in almost every Hospital in England, Germany, Austria, Belgium, and patented in those countries, where they have become the MOST POPULAR CURATIVE AGENT IN THE WORLD.

They were first introduced into the United States about one year since, and went through the same trial as in Europe, and were at once introduced into every Hospital in New York, where they are now in daily use, effecting even MORE WONDERFUL CURES than had ever before been awarded them.

They are highly recommended by Profs. Valentine Mott, Van Buren, Post and others, who have published their views of their power and value in several of the medical journals in that city, and are also in the daily practice of recommending their use to patients. A full account of their opinion may also be found in every pamphlet, and sent to the address of any person in the State by applying (post paid) to Dr. GEO. H. KEYSER, who is agent for Pittsburgh, Pa. The chains can be sent by mail, with full descriptions for use.

Price of Chains, $3 and $5.

Physicians are politely invited to call and examine their construction, and pronounce upon their merits.

One Word More to Invalids. No person need fear that they will not accomplish just what it is claimed they can do, and all persons who have become disgusted with a constant pouring down of patent nostrums (bottled swill) are kindly and politely invited to give them a trial.

N. B.—One Chain will last for years and lose none of its electric power by use, and can be applied to either adult or child.

GEO. H. KEYSER, No. 140 corner of Wood street and Virgin alley, wholesale and retail agent. [dec16:dawém

DYSPEPSIA, RHEUMATISM, SCROFULA, LIVER COMPLAINT, &c.

FROM THE METROPOLIS.—Pass it around! let the afflicted hear the glad tidings! This is but the sentiment of thousands:

WASHINGTON, May 17, 1853.

Messrs. Mortimer & Mowbray—Gentlemen: Having been afflicted with *Liver Complaint of ten years standing*, I hereby, for the benefit of the afflicted, take great pleasure in announcing that after using a few bottles of your Hampton Tincture, I found it had accomplished a perfect cure. I have used different medicines from time to time, but have never been able to account for any apparent good; and it is a blessing to stricken humanity to find that *the medicine is that which possesses the wondrous power of prolonging human life.* The many cures it has wrought is a sufficient guarantee of the beneficial results which may be experienced from its use. Yours, respectfully, J. CURTAIN HAY.

LIVER COMPLAINT, DEBILITY. [*Extract from James Harris, Esq's Letter, Alexandria, Va.*] After speaking of wonderful cures on himself, he says: "Mrs. H. has been suffering with the liver complaint and with inability, constantly complaining, from weakness through her whole system. She now enjoys better health than she has for thirty years, being entirely restored by the use of Hampton's Vegetable Tincture."

DISEASED SIDE, BREAST, EYES. [*Extract of a Letter from J. Grimes, Esq., Loudon Co., Va.*] "My wife has been for years afflicted with great weakness; pain in the breast, side and back; palpitation of the heart; loss of appetite; complexion sallow; the sight of one eye almost gone, the other very weak. I have been persuaded to use Hampton's Tincture has restored her to perfect health. Her eyes are as good now as ever they were."

RHEUMATISM, 38 YEARS. Mrs. E. Bagwell, of Virginia, suffered from Rheumatism from her 12th to her 50th year of age; at times entirely [illegible]. Being wealthy, she employed the best medical attention, and tried many medicines, but was cured only by *Hampton's Vegetable Tincture.*

CHRONIC INFLAMMATORY RHEUMATISM. The wife of Thomas W. Tenkle, 78 Pearl street, was a great sufferer for eight years. Restored to perfect health by Hampton's Vegetable Tincture.

MERCURIAL RHEUMATISM. Mr. Jarrett Plummer, 158 East Baltimore street, suffered this disease intensely six years; could not sleep; dreadful ulcers formed on his limbs, from which splinters of bone issued. His physician pronounced him incurable; but Hampton's Vegetable Tincture cured him.

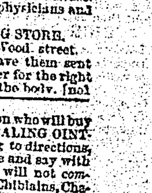
HEREDITARY SCROFULA. A boy in the family of the Hon. W. P. Thomasson, once member of Congress from Kentucky, was a mass of sores from head to foot. His eyelids turned inside out, protruding over the eyeballs so as to produce blindness. He was cured by *Hampton's Vegetable Tincture.*

DYSPEPSIA, NERVOUS DISEASE, &c. Mr. Wm. Oldham, of the Baltimore Custom-House, suffered these complaints for eighteen months, with body and mind seriously afflicted. He was cured by *Hampton's Vegetable Mixture*, after other things failed.

COUGH, CONSUMPTION, &c. Mr. Henry O. Winn had a cough for five years, great weakness, &c.; had, in all, five or six physicians; tried all.

HAMPTON'S VEGETABLE TINCTURE. For sale, wholesale and retail, at the Drug Store of Dr. GEO. H. KEYSER, 140, corner of Wood street and Virgin alley. Also, by J. P. FLEMING, Allegheny. [nov28:daw

DR. BANNING'S LACE OF BODY BRACE.



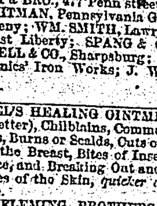
The Brace of Dr. Banning is now got up in a much improved form, and is worn by hundreds of persons for the cure and prevention of *Vocal, Pulmonary, Dyspeptic, Nervous, Spinal, Female, Uterine and Child-bed WEAKNESSES*, such as Prolapsus Uteri, Chronic Diarrhœa, Dragging of the Bowels, Piles, Fistula, Milk Leg, and Enlarged Veins. Essays, descriptive of its use, may be had at my Store, free of charge.

☞I also keep Fitch's, Chaplin's, Jackson's, Mrs. Betts' and Vanhorn's SUPPORTERS; also, TRUSSES of every kind; Lace Stockings, Suspensory Bandages, and every variety of mechanical appliances used in the cure of disease. I would respectfully invite the attention of physicians and others to the above articles.

For sale at Dr. G. H. KEYSER'S DRUG STORE, 140 Wood street.

N. B.—Persons in want of Trusses, can have them sent to any part of the country, by stating whether for the right or left side, and sending the measure round the body. [nol

$50 Reward



WILL be paid to any person who will buy a box of Dr TERREL'S HEALING OINTMENT, and use it according to directions, if they will call at my office and say with a clear conscience, that it will not *completely cure* Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Chafing, Sore Lips, Burns and Freezes, Sores on Children, and greatly alleviate, if not entirely cure Saltrheum, Piles, Inflammation of the Breast, Bites of Insects, Pimples on the Face, and all Diseases of the Skin. MONROE TERREL, Naugatuck, Conn.

For sale by FLEMING BROTHERS, and Dr. KEYSER, Wood street, Pittsburgh; J. G. SMITH, Birmingham; Mrs. S. HOLMES, Temperanceville; D. M. CURRY, Allegheny; WM. SEIBERT & BRO.; 477 Penn street, Pittsburgh; LORENZ & WIGHTMAN, Pennsylvania Glass Works; SAM'L DYER, Allegheny; WM. SMITH, Lawrenceville; LUKE B. DAVISON, East Liberty; SPANG & CO., Stewartstown; LEWIS DALZELL & CO., Sharpsburg; STEWART, LLOYD & CO., Mechanics' Iron Works; J. W. HANNEN, Manchester. jy25:dawy

DR. TERREL'S HEALING OINTMENT *will cure* Saltrheum (Tetter), Chilblains, Common Sores, Chapped or Cracked Hands, Burns or Scalds, Cuts or Wounds, Piles, Inflammation of the Breast, Bites of Insects, Sore Lips, Pimples on the Face, and Breaking Out and Sores on Children, and all Diseases of the Skin, *quicker and surer* than any other Medicine.

For sale by FLEMING BROTHERS, and Dr. KEYSER, Wood street, Pittsburgh; J. G. SMITH Birmingham Drug Store; WM. SEIBERT & BRO., 477 Penn street; LORENZ & WIGHTMAN, Pennsylvania Glass Works; Mrs. S. HOLMES, Temperanceville; D. M. CURRY, Allegheny City; SAMUEL DYER, Allegheny City; WM. SMITH, Lawrenceville; LUKE B. DAVISON, East Liberty; SPANG & CO., Stewartstown; LEWIS DALZELL & CO., Sharpsburgh; STEWART LLOYD & CO., Mechanics' Iron Works; J. W. HANNEN, Manchester. jy25:dawy

N. B.—A single box of Dr. TERREL'S OINTMENT will keep any Blacksmith's, Farmer's, Sailor's, or Mechanic's hands, let them chap or crack ever so bad, sound and in good working order all winter. Prepared and sold by MONROE TERREL, jy25:dawy Naugatuck, Conn.

Private Diseases. DR. BROWN, No. 41 Diamond Alley, Devotes his entire attention to an office Practice. His business is mostly confined to *Private Venereal Diseases*, and such painful affections, brought on by imprudence, youthful indulgence and excess. Syphilis, Syphilitic Eruptions, Gonorrhea, Gleet, Stricture, Urethral Discharges, Impurity of the Blood, with all diseases of the Venereal Organs. Skin Diseases, Scorbutic Eruptions, Tetter, Ringworm, Mercurial Diseases, Seminal Weakness, Impotency, Piles, Rheumatism, Female Weakness, Monthly Suppressions, Diseases of the Joints, Fistula in Ano, Nervous Affections, Pains in the Back and Loins, Irritation of the Bladder and Kidneys, successfully treated—Cure guaranteed.

Sixteen years' practice (six in this city) enables Dr. Brown to offer assurances of a speedy cure to all who may come under his care.

Office and Private Consultation Rooms, 41, Diamond alley. ☞Charges moderate. nov8:dawly

RHEUMATISM.—Dr. Brown's newly discovered remedy for Rheumatism is a speedy and certain Remedy for that painful trouble. It never fails. Office and Private Consultation Rooms No. 41 DIAMOND, Pittsburgh, Penn'a. The Doctor is always at home. march23:d&w.

Ten Acres for Sale. THE subscriber offers for sale Ten Acres of Land, near the residence of Rev. Dr. Campbell, in Manchester, all of which is in the highest state of cultivation. Near 600 grafted fruit, are on the lot; also, about three acres of vineyards of the best quality of grapes; the other improvements are two Dwelling Houses and out-houses; one of the dwellings is new, not having been yet occupied. The prospect from this place is among the most extensive and beautiful in the country. It is abundantly supplied with fine never-failing springs. Apply to Mr. Craft, on the premises, or to JAMES BLAKELY, Estate Office, cor. Seventh and Smithfield sts.

☞An extensive variety of Grape Vines for sale. Apply as above.

A BIRMINGHAM GROCERY STORE FOR SALE.—A bargain can be had of it, if called for soon. It is one of the best on that side of the river, doing a fine cash business. Enquire of THOMAS WOODS, dec17 45 Market street.