Daily Morning Post.

G. F. GILLMORE, Editor and Proprietor.

PITTSBURGH:

FRIDAY MORNING:..........APRIL 28.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR GOVERNOR,
WILLIAM BIGLER.
FOR JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT,
JEREMIAH S. BLACK,
OF SOMERSET COUNTY.
FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER,
HENRY S. MOTT,
OF PIKE COUNTY.

☞ READING MATTER WILL BE FOUND ON EACH PAGE OF THIS PAPER.

JOB PRINTING.

We have one of the best *Job Printing Offices* in the city, and we would respectfully ask merchants and all others who want Cards, Circulars, Bills of Lading, Bill Heads, Blank Checks, Handbills, etc., to give us a call. All our Job Type are of the most modern manufacture and cannot fail to please all our customers. Our workmen are perfect masters of their business, and will labor assiduously to please all who will favor us with an order.

A NEW INSOLVENT LAW.

There is a bill pending in the State Senate, which deserves careful consideration and scrutiny, before it becomes a law. It provides for compulsory insolvency, on terms similar to compulsory bankruptcy in England. It is an act for the relief of creditors instead of debtors, and might be made the means of great injustice, if not carefully guarded.

This bill provides that, two or more creditors may declare their belief, on oath or affirmation, that their debtor is insolvent. On their petition accompanied by such affidavit, a Judge of a Court of Common Pleas may order a citation to issue against the debtor, requiring him to appear before the Court, where the parties may be heard.

If, in addition to alleged insolvency, the petitioners state on oath that they believe the debtor is about to remove with his property from the State, or fraudulently assign or dispose of his property, the Court shall order a writ, in the nature of an injunction, to restrain and prevent the same. This writ of injunction will take from the debtor all power to dispose of his effects, and render every act with that intent null and void.

If the debtor confess his insolvency, he is declared an insolvent, and the Court appoints a Trustee to dispose of his estate, and distribute the proceeds. If he denies his insolvency, the Court proceeds to hear and determine the case, in which hearing, all the parties, as well as other witnesses, may be examined. Either party may demand an issue, and have a trial by jury, if the Court is satisfied of its propriety.

Such a law may serve the ends of justice in some cases; but in many others it would be used, as the bench warrant under the act of 1842 now is, as a means of compelling and frightening debtors into a preference of some creditors over others—a means of extorting money from one *embarrassed*, but not *insolvent*.

The twenty-first section of the bill provides, that any debtor, finding himself in failing circumstances, may call a meeting of his creditors at his place of business, and if two-thirds in number and value of the creditors be present at the meeting in person, or by their agents, a statement of debts, credits, and property is to be laid before them; and a majority of the creditors thus present may declare said debtor in a state of liquidation, and appoint two or more persons as inspectors of the business, and three more persons as auditors of the inspectors' accounts. The inspectors are thereupon to wind up the affairs of the debtor, and make pro rata distribution of the proceeds among all the creditors, without preference. Debts due to workmen, servants, and operatives, shall be paid in full first, after mortgage, execution, or other liens.

In a large mercantile community, this bill is a matter of much interest, and should be understood before it becomes a law. The latter part of the bill, providing that the debtor can go into voluntary liquidation, would no doubt work well, and be an improvement on existing laws. The first part is liable to serious objection. It may be maliciously used or abused to the injury, perhaps ruin, of many who are not dishonest, and would not be insolvent, but for the derangement of their business, and destruction of their credit, which the application of the process would produce. Such a law, too, would encourage an extension of the credit system, already almost boundless. The law, too, is to operate entirely in favor of the creditor class; and affords the debtor no relief, after driving him to insolvency. A State Legislature cannot provide for his discharge from further liability, after giving up his property.

THE SHIELDS GUARDS.

This fine company is now fully organized, and in a few weeks will make their first parade. The Captain of the Company is our respected fellow citizen, JOHN S. HAMILTON, Esq., now a member of the Legislature, who performed good service for his country during the war with Mexico. He is a *practical* soldier; and at the head of the *Shields Guards* will do honor to the military of our city.

The following is his letter, consenting to accept the Captaincy of the Company:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.
MESSRS. JOHN CALLOHAN AND P. KANE:
Gentlemen:—I feel highly flattered by the tender of the command of the Shields Guards, made by you; or at least the desire of an expression of my acceptance or refusal in the event of an election. Feeling, as I always have done, an interest in the promotion of the military character of our city, with full approbation of the company, I accept.
Yours, JOHN S. HAMILTON.

The *Shields Guards* is composed of the best men in our city. Many of them are men who have smelled powder, and stood before bullets when their country required their services; and they are willing to do so again if their country should require their brave hearts and stalwart arms to defend her against the aggressions of a foreign foe.

☞ Col. Benton has delivered himself of a very bitter and able speech on the Nebraska bill. He takes the occasion to vent his spleen against the administration; and he proves pretty conclusively that slavery can never exist in the Kansas and Nebraska territories, whatever laws in relation to it may be enacted. The opponents of the bill will find but little consolation in Benton's speech, so far as the question is to be considered as one of a practical character. The friends of the bill find Col. B. proving it to be what Mr. Everett pronounced it, "a matter of little practical importance."

Col. Benton says:

How can the slave States profit by this bill? By the extension of the slave power? That may prove a fallacious expectation. Throw open the question of slavery by the repeal of the compromises, and it will prove a question of numbers! And where then will be the chance of the slaveholders? The slaveholding emigrants will be established. They will gain nothing but an unequal contest, and they will lose the slaves they may take to the new territory.

Col. Benton's ability no one will question, but his violent and overbearing temper has thrown him out of the ranks of political parties, and he seems to be making war on all mankind. We are afraid he will not live long enough to punish all his enemies as he desires.

☞ The Washington correspondent of the Baltimore *Patriot* says:—"A political movement is going on here, and in other sections of the country, which has for its object the re-organization of the whig party, and the running of Gen. Scott for President, and the Hon. John Bell for Vice President, at the election in 1856."

Mr. Bell will never allow Scott to "lead the column," with his name on the ticket. The order should be reversed.

WEEKLY MONEY ARTICLE.

Money is in tolerable supply, though one per cent. is paid on good paper, and occasionally from one to one and a half per cent. per month.

There is evidently a larger business done at the wharves and freight depots of our city this year than ever before. The late rise in prices of breadstuffs has given renewed activity to that branch of trade here as elsewhere. The amount going eastward keeps the railroads and canal transporters in active employment.

Our canal has been open and fully employed for nearly eight weeks, while the New York canal is not yet opened for business, and will not be until the second or third day of May. This gives the Pennsylvania public works a great advantage over those of our northern neighbor; and the consequence is seen this year, in the fact that the receipts of the Pennsylvania railroad were greater for the last month than those of any other road between the East and West. When the double track of the Pennsylvania road is completed throughout the line, it will probably excel all other routes yet in use in the cheapness and speed of its conveyance of freight and passengers between the East and West.

The business on the Ohio and Pennsylvania road too, increases from month to month, and will probably produce receipts to the amount of a million dollars during the current year from 1st March last.

In one year more the Pittsburgh and Steubenville road will be completed, and in connection with the Steubenville and Indiana road, will open central Ohio and Indiana to the Pittsburgh trade. This Steubenville road will, doubtless, in a very short time after its completion, do as large and profitable a business as the Ohio and Pennsylvania road.

Next will come the Chartiers Valley road, (now all under contract except one or two sections,) which will connect Pittsburgh directly with Southern Ohio; and there is every prospect that it will enjoy a large carrying trade.

The fact is, all the Pittsburgh railroads, projected, under contract, or completed, have the most encouraging prospects.

There is continual complaint of a stringent money market in Cincinnati. The Cincinnati *Price Current* says rates for money there vary from 12 to 36 per cent.

That paper says,

The latter is certainly an exhorbitant rate, but it is being paid by some of our enterprising Western Railroads. And we may now repeat a remark made a few weeks since, that while this class of greedy borrowers are in the market, business men may not look for ease in financial affairs. Last year, and prior thereto, the markets of Europe and the East were open for the bonds of Western Railroad Companies, but these are now, in a great measure, closed, and the latter are consequently compelled to look chiefly at home for help. Business men are not disposed to pay over 12 per cent. for money, and, although first class paper is obtainable at 15, 18, and even 24 per cent., yet the bulk of the negotiations at these figures are for short loans.

Railroads built, or business done on loans at more than twelve per cent. can seldom produce a profit.

The New York *Post* of the 25th says:

Money is in active demand, but with a good supply. The amount of capital withheld from immediate use is very large—and another large amount is only available at high rates of interest for the discount of the best kind of paper. This, with the continued railroad pressure, and an undefinable feeling of fear, keeps the market more stringent than it otherwise would be. The quoted rates are ten to twelve for first class, and twelve to fifteen for second class paper.

The means available for call loans are not used to their fullest extent, and this is the reason why the bank contraction noticeable in last week has not further hampered the market. There is no disposition to use the funds available on call in stock or other speculations. The buyers of stocks are those who have to deliver on their maturing contracts.

The shipments of gold last week were all for France and in consequence of the cessation of exports both of cotton and breadstuffs to that country, good French bills are very scarce.

The domestic exchanges are all in favor of New York, and large amounts are coming both from the south and west, which must shortly effectuate an easier state of the money market, especially as the payments from the trade are diminishing weekly, and in another month all the fall transactions will have been paid for. Jobbers find the payment from their customers regular, but their orders are suffering curtailment from the twofold motive of a sense of prudence in stringent money times, and from the prospect of a decline in prices, which many profess to see.

The bank statement published to-day shows a contraction of loans for the week to the extent of $1,300,000 and a decline in the amount of specie held by the banks to the extent of 600,000. The amount now held is $10,525,970.

The Illinois steamer, now *en route* to New York, has about a million dollars in gold dust.

The banks are gradually contracting in view of the renewed demand for the export of gold. This contraction is too gentle to create alarm, but is such as to inspire increased caution in operating, and to lead to a contraction of all general obligations. As contracts die out they are but partially renewed.

The exports of specie from New York last week were	$1,409,521
Previously in April	1,623,110
In January	1,845,982
" February	570,724
" March	1,465,127
Total since January 1st	$6,924,470
Same time in 1853	3,736,192
Same time in 1852	7,232,761
The exports of merchandise from New York last week	$1,278,000
Since 1st, January, 1853	21,850,119
Same time in 1853	16,196,963
The imports to New York were	$4,146,592
Previous 15 weeks of 1854	53,568,198
Total since 1st January, 1854	$57,714,790

From the above figures it appears that, notwithstanding the large exports of provisions and breadstuffs, more specie has been exported this year thus far, than during the same time last year.

The imports are about three and a half millions less this year than last thus far. The exports over five and a half millions greater.

The receipts of gold from California were considerably less during the first quarter of this year than last. The steamships Illinois and Northern Light have arrived at New York, with $2,194,294 65 in specie.

THE GADSDEN TREATY.

This treaty has been ratified by the Senate by a vote of 32 to 12; so says the correspondent of the *Ledger*. The compensation to be paid to Mexico was increased from seven to ten million dollars; and the Sloo amendment was carried by a vote of 30 to 14.

This can hardly be called a ratification. It will require the assent of the Mexican government to the amendment, to make it a treaty at all. That government is not likely to accept the amendment. The Sloo grant is unpopular in Mexico. Negotiations, however, will probably be re opened, and more favorable terms may be obtained.

If the recently reported brilliant victory of Santa Anna over Alvarez should turn out a fact the Dictator will probably not be quite so conciliatory as before.

It is said that the army of Alvarez was completely routed after a severe engagement.

☞ A correspondent of the Louisville *Democrat*, writing from Elizabethtown, in regard to the Ward trial, says: "Mr. Marshall, however, didn't meet public expectation. His speech was a failure." Col. Carpenter, on the contrary, the correspondent says: "took the defense by surprise. He is a young man, and has been only five or six years at the bar; he is well, but not as widely, known as some of the counsel for the defense. Disparaging remarks were occasionally thrown out by interested parties, who spoke as they wished. They did not anticipate such an analysis of testimony, so clear, so elaborate, and so lucid an exposition of the whole case as was made. The speech was eloquent and powerful, and made a deep impression upon all who heard it.

☞ A fatality seems to attend the movements of the troops which were first shipped on the ill-fated *San Francisco*. By a despatch from Norfolk we learn that the steamship Falcon put into that port on Monday, disabled. She left New York on the 18th inst., with Companies D, G, I and K, of the 3d Regiment U. S. Artillery, numbering 255 men, and commanded by Lieut. Col. Loeser. Most of the troops were those rescued from the steamer San Francisco, and were on their way to California by the Isthmus route. The troops and all the passengers have been safely landed. The troops are accommodated at Fortress Monroe, until provision can be made for sending them on to their destination. The injury to the Falcon is only in her machinery.

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.—We would call the attention of capitalists to the advertisement of Mr. E. Faber. It is one of the best localities in the city, and is highly desirable for any business purpose.

RISE IN CANDLES AND TALLOW.—We expect the price of these articles will attain a further rise before long. It is known that a very large amount of tallow has heretofore been exported from Russia, by way of the Black and Baltic seas, to England, and other countries of Western Europe. The war cuts off this source of supply of that article entirely, and will compel Great Brittain, France, &c., to look elsewhere for the amount demanded.

Although we do not believe the war in Europe should raise the price of scrubbing brushes or drugs, we think it quite likely tallow in all its various forms and uses will advance in price. The vast quantities of the article consumed will make this an important item in the increased foreign commerce of this country.

Archbishop Hughes is in Washington.

The next meeting of the American Medical Association will be held at St. Louis.

The paintings known as the Dusseldorf collection, were to be sold at auction last and this evening in New York.

The Supreme Court at Washington has reversed the decree of the Circuit Court of Ohio, which recently declared against giving the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, a part of the assets of the Cincinnati book publishing concern, held by the Methodist Episcopal Church since the separation of that denomination in 1840; and has remanded the course for further proceedings.

Miss Eliza Logan is playing a very successful engagement at the Boston Museum.

Deacon Daniel Clark, a soldier of the revolution and a resident of Plymouth, Vt., for the last fifty years, died at Brooklyn, Ct., a few days since, aged 101 years.

Twenty-one German country girls, from 14 to 17 years old, were lately taken from a steamer on the Rhine which they were descending in company with three men, who were taking them to New York to be placed in houses of ill-fame. They were sent to their homes, and two of the men were arrested.

☞ **Morse's Invigorating Elixir or Cordial.**—The earth's crust is a vast depository of remedies suitable to the diseases of the creatures that inhabit it; and science, industry, reflection, and experiment are continually introducing from this great remedial storehouse new agents for the amelioration of human suffering. The most powerful of these agents that has ever been applied for the mitigation of pain, the conservation of health, and the prolongation of life is the Asiatic herb which forms the basis of *Dr. Morse's Invigorating Elixir or Cordial*. This preparation, if not a universal panacea, certainly embraces within its province as a curative a greater number of complaints than have never before been subdued, or even relieved, by a single medicine. It is applicable to all nervous diseases, and all disorders of the secretive organs. It literally renovates the powers of the stomach, and gives to every organ and every fluid necessary to digestion its full natural vigor, however the same may have been impaired by illness or indulgence. If the procreative function has been impaired, in either sex, a single course of this preparation will impart to the relaxed organization its full sexual vigor. Woman, the most fragile as well as the fairest portion of animated nature, will find this her surest reliance in all difficulties, radical or incidental, to which her structure is liable; while in cases of nervous head-ache, neuralgia, dyspepsia, nervous melancholy, hysteria, feebleness, nervous trembling, incipient paralysis, sleeplessness, unnatural irritability, fainting fits, epilepsy, weakness of the back, general prostration, palpitation of the heart, lassitude, mental indolence, &c., its effects are as certain and uniform as the results of a mathematical calculation.

The Cordial is put up, highly concentrated, in pint bottles. Price three dollars per bottle, two for five dollars, six for twelve dollars.
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Sold by Druggists throughout the United States, Canada, and the West Indies.
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J. P. FLEMING, Allegheny City. apr20:emaw

DIALOGUES.

DR. KEYSER, of 140 Wood street, has furnished us with the following dialogue. The Dr. says he will not vouch for the occurrence of the present one, but insists on it that the same thing happens daily:

DIALOGUE.—SCENE, BARBER SHOP.

Enter man in long coat. Man: Mr., I want you to shave me as quick as possible, and don't you hurt, for my face is very tender.

Barber—I'll do that, sir, and won't hurt you, neither; and if you want your tender face cured, get some of BAKER'S CREAM OF ROSES, and put it on your face; it'll cure it.

Man—Where can I get it?

Barber—At Dr. KEYSER'S, No. 140, corner of Wood street and Virgin alley.

Man—Dr. Keyser's, eh! That's the very place I was going. I see he has HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS for sale, and I want a bottle for my wife; she has the dyspepsia very bad.

Boy—Lookee here, Massa: when you go down dere, jis git a box of dat HAIR DYE dey sells dere, an' it'll make dem red whiskers of yours as black as charcoal.

Man—Yes, or as black as your face;—but no matter; if I go there, I will get a box of Hair Dye. Let me see; what's the name of it?

Barber—CRISTADORO'S HAIR DYE. You can get anything you want at KEYSER'S, except dry goods. He has a splendid assortment of all kinds of perfumery, soaps and fancy articles, besides Drugs and Medicines. It's worth a visit to his store, to see his fancy show cases, and those Crystal Palace scales.

Man—Well, I'm going there. I want several articles in his line, and may as well buy from him as any body else. [133

☞ **Important to Country Dealers.**—DR. GEORGE H. KEYSER, *Wholesale and Retail Druggist*, No. 140, corner of Wood street and Virgin alley, has for sale a complete assortment of pure and genuine patent or proprietory medicines, which will be sold at proprietors prices; among which are the following, viz:

PILLS.
Dr. Rose's Alterative,
do. Railroad,
do. Golden,
do. Female,
Dr. M'Clintock's Liver Pills,
Hobensack's Liver Pills,
Sellers' do.
McLane's do.
Fitche's Cough,
do. Cathartic,
do. for Diarrhea,
do. for bleeding Lungs,
Roberts' Sarsaparilla,
Townsend's do.,
Bennett's Plant and Root,
Louden's Indian Vegetable,
Wright's do.,
Holloway's do.,
Dyott's Anti-bilious,
Lee's New London,
do. Windham,
Dr. Cook's Billious,
Hibbard's do.,
Harris' sick headache,
Radway's Regulators,
Moffat's Life,
Bragg's Anti-bilious,
do. Fever and Ague,
Louden's do.,
Jaynes' Sanative,
Brandreth's,
German,
Hooper's Female,
Anderson's,
BITTERS.
Boorhave's Holland,
Hostetter's Stomach,
Green's Oxygenated,
Hampton's Tincture,
Radcliffe's Alkaline,
Hutchings' Dyspepsia,
Stoughton's,
Sargeant's,
Wolfe's Schnapps,
SYRUPS AND COUGH REMEDIES.
Dr. Keyser's Pectoral,
Dr. Jaynes' Expectorant,
Taylor's Balsam of Liverwort,
Schenk's Pulmonic,
Dr. Duncan's Expectorant,
Nuttall's Syriacum,
Dr. M'Clintock's Pectoral,
do. Cough Mixture,
Fitche's Pulmonary Balsam,
do. Expectorant,
do. Cherry Pulmonic,
Dr. Rose's Expectorant,
Ayres' Cherry Pectoral,
Sellers' Cough,
Morgan's do.
☞ Remember the place, DR. KEYSER'S, No. 140 Wood street, corner Virgin alley. mar15:daw

A Word to Farmers—How to have good Butter and More of It, and Healthy Stock.

☞ **New Discoveries.**—VEGETABLE CATTLE POWDER—These powders are put up in one pound packs, and are really a good article, not only for the diseases incident to Horses, Cows, Swine and other animals, but they are likewise an excellent article to improve the condition of the animal.

For Milch Cows, they not only improve the condition of Mich Cows, but they increase the quantity as well as improve the quality of milk and butter. The proprietors say that it increases the quantity of butter from half a pound to a pound a week to each cow, while those persons who have tried it, say a pound and a half to two pounds per week, with the same kind of feeding as before. Of one thing we are certain, all who use it once will use it all the time and save money by the operation, as well as improve the appearance of their stock. Price 25 cents a paper, 5 papers for $1. GEO. H. KEYSER, No. 140, corner Wood st. and Virgin alley, Wholesale and Retail Agent. feb1

☞ **Ague and Fever** of three years standing Cured.—Mr. John Longdon, now living at Beaver Dam, Hanover county, Va., near Richmond, had Ague and Fever for three years, most of the time he had chills twice a day, and rarely less than once; he was parched with fevers as soon as the chill left him; and after trying physicians, quinine, most of the Tonics advertised, and every thing recommended to him, was about to give up in despair, when Carter's Spanish Mixture was spoken of: he got two bottles, but before he had used more than a single one, he was perfectly cured, and has not had a chill or fever since.

Mr. Longden is only one out of thousands who have been benefitted by this great tonic, alterative and blood purifier. See advertisement with his certificate. mar11

☞ **Harris' Sick Headache Pills—Warranted.**—NO CURE, NO PAY.—This Pill is a certain cure for that most distressing affection of the nervous system called Sick Headache. It never fails to remove an attack in from twenty to thirty minutes, when taken according to the directions, and that without either vomiting or purging. Its use, moreover, tends to the complete eradication of the disease. There are twelve doses in each box, with ample directions. Price $1.
Prepared and sold by HARRIS & LATHROP, Harrisville, Va., and sold by GEO. H. KEYSER, 140 Wood street, Pittsburgh, Pa., sign of the Golden Mortar. apr8:daw

☞ **Pantaloons.**—The well-known superiority of GRIBBLE'S fit in the Garment, needs no comment on his part; it has been acknowledged by all who have favored him with their orders, that they have never been fitted with the same ease and style as by him. He begs to inform his patrons and the public, that his stock is now replete with the newest styles for coats, vests and pants, suitable for the present season. E. GRIBBLE, Tailor and Pantaloon Maker, mar24 240 Liberty st., head of Wood.

☞ **Medicine Chests.**—Dr. KEYSER, wholesale Druggist, of 140 Wood street, has on hand a splendid assortment of MEDICINE CHESTS, for families and steamboats, at various prices. Those in want of articles of this kind would do well to give him a call. feb1

SPECIAL NOTICES.

☞ NOTICE.—A meeting of Stockholders in the "Pittsburgh Life Insurance Company," will be held at their Office, on THURSDAY, April 27th, 1854, at 7 o'clock, P. M., to act upon the Supplement to the Charter.
apr18:td C. A. COLTON, Secretary.

☞ HYDRAULIC CEMENT.—The undersigned have constantly on hand a large supply of Benson's HYDRAULIC CEMENT, of warranted quality. This article is the best and cheapest material for CISTERNS; a single four inch course of brick, laid in and plastered with this CEMENT, will endure for ages; and even plastered on clay walls, in successive courses to the thickness of an inch, becomes in a few days so solid as to resist any ordinary degree of outside pressure, nor is the water in the least degree affected.
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☞ **CITIZENS' Insurance Company of Pittsburgh.**—H. D. KING, President; SAMUEL L. MARSHELL, Secretary.
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Isaac M. Pennock, Francis Sellers,
S. Harbaugh, J. Schoonmaker,
Walter Bryant, William B. Hays.
John Shipton. dec28

☞ **Strange Developements.**—Scientific men are daily bringing to light new inventions, and the march of progress is onward; persons Bald, or becoming so, will be pleased to learn that science and long research combined, have brought before the public the greatest wonder of the age, in the article of EMERSON'S AMERICAN HAIR RESTORATIVE, a sure cure for Baldness and to prevent Hair from falling. See circular to be had of the Agents, giving full particulars. Price $1.00 in large bottles. Sold by C. E. FISHER & CO., Proprietors, 57 Superior street, Cleveland, Ohio.
For sale in Pittsburgh in the following houses:
Fleming Bros., L. Wilcox & Co.,
R. E. Sellers, G. H. Keyser,
Joel Mohler, Benj. Page, Jr.,
J. H. Cassel.
Allegheny city—L. A. Beckham, Pressly & Means, J. P. Fleming.
Birmingham—A. Patterson, John O. Smith. [apr6

☞ **Indigestion and Liver Complaint CURED BY KIER'S PETROLEUM.**—Read the following letter from Rev. O. DICKINSON, a Missionary in Oregon:
MR. J. M. KIER—*Dear Sir:* Myself and wife having been greatly benefitted by the use of your Petroleum, I wish to have you send me a box of two or three dozen bottles. I am the Congregational Minister in this place, and several of my people are afflicted with indigestion and an inaction of the liver, the same as my wife was before taking your PETROLEUM, or ROCK OIL. We took several bottles—two or three such—something over a year and a half ago, and we have never enjoyed so good health for years as we have since that time. I had not taken a single bottle, before that fullness of the stomach which so distresses the dyspeptic was relieved, and have not had it since that time. My wife was also afflicted from a chronic disease of the liver, which had been of several years standing, by the use of your Petroleum.
Sold by S. M. KIER, Canal Basin, GEO. H. KEYSER, 140 Wood street, and Druggists and Medicine Dealers everywhere. oct25

☞ **Gould's Third Public Sale of Building Lots.**—AT ROCHESTER, BEAVER CO., PA.
Will take place upon the premises, on SATURDAY, the 11th inst., at 10 o'clock. Persons desiring lots at half-price, must apply soon, as the 150 set apart for those who would first call, are nearly all gone. After the third sale no more will be offered at half-price, but knocked down to the highest bidder.
Terms—One-third in hand, balance in one and two years. Good warranty deeds from Ovid Pinney, Esq., whose title is perfect, beyond dispute. apr5

☞ **Important to Cuppers and Leechers.**—Dr. KEYSER, 140 Wood street, has received an assortment of
Thomas' Mechanical Leeches;
" Cupping Glasses;
" Breast Glasses;
" Eye Cups;
" Dental Leeches;
" Scarificator.
These are really important inventions, and very convenient to those who follow Leeching. Call and see them.
☞ Corner Wood st. and Virgin alley. ja6

☞ **NELSON'S DAGUERREOTYPES.**—Post Office Buildings, Third street. Likenesses taken in all kinds of weather, from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M., giving an accurate artistic and animate likeness, unlike and vastly superior to the common cheap daguerreotypes, at the following cheap prices: $1.50, $2, $3, $4, $5 and upward, according to the size and quality of case or frame.
Hours for children, from 11 A. M. to 2 P. M.
N. B.—Likenesses of sick or deceased persons taken in any part of the city. [nov25:1y

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

☞ **Corns! Corns!! Corns!!!** A great many persons are dreadfully tormented with corns. A certain remedy will be found in DR. COMER'S CORN PLASTER, for sale by Dr. GEO. H. KEYSER, 140 Wood street. sep8
Price, retail at 12½ and 25 cts. per box.
☞ Liberal deductions to those who buy to sell again.

☞ ATTENTION! S. L. G.—You are hereby notified to attend at your Armory, on MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS and FRIDAYS, for drill, and to transact such business as may come before the Company. P. KANE,
mar29:6md Secretary pro tem.

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

☞ **Notice.**—The JOURNEYMEN TAILORS SOCIETY, of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, meets on the first and third WEDNESDAY of every month, at the FLORIDA HOUSE, Market street. By order.
jel:y JOHN YOUNG, JR., Secretary.

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

☞ **Scrofula.**—It is due to KIER'S *Petroleum* to say that it has been known to completely eradicate every vestige of this dreadful disease in less time than any other remedy, and at less cost or inconvenience to the patient.
The thousands of certificates in the hands of the proprietor, many of which are from well known citizens of the city of Pittsburgh and its immediate vicinity, go to show clearly and beyond all doubt, that KIER'S PETROLEUM is a medicine of no common value, not only as a local remedy in *Paralysis, Rheumatism, Deafness, loss of Sight*, but as a valuable internal remedy, inviting the investigating physicians, as well as the suffering patient, to become acquainted with its merits.
Those having a dread of mixtures are assured that this medicine is purely natural, and is bottled as it flows from the bosom of the earth.
The following certificate is copied from a paper published at Syracuse, N. Y., and bears date August 2, 1852, to which is also appended the certificate of the celebrated D. Y. Foot, M. D., of Syracuse:
This may in truth certify, that I have been so badly afflicted with Scrofula for the last seven years that most of the time I have been unable to attend to any kind of business, and much of the time unable to walk and confined to my bed, and have been treated nearly all the time by the best Physicians our country affords; I occasionally got some relief, but no cure, and continued to grow worse until Dr. Foot recommended me to try the Petroleum, or Rock Oil, as everything else had failed. I did so without faith at first, but the effect was astonishing; it threw the poison to the surface at once, and I at once began to grow better, and by using seven bottles I have got a cure worth thousands of dollars.
MRS. NANCY M. BARKER.
This may certify that I have been acquainted with Kier's Petroleum, or Rock Oil, for more than a year, and have repeatedly witnessed its beneficial effects in the cure of indolent ulcers and other diseases for which it is recommended, and can with confidence recommend it to be a medicine worthy of attention, and can safely say that success has attended its use where other medicine had failed.
D. Y. FOOT, M. D.
For sale by all the Druggists in Pittsburgh. [au27:d&w

RICE FLOUR.—100 lbs of a very superior article Rice Flour, just received by [apr24] JOS. FLEMING.

☞ **A Lady of our acquaintance,** Mrs. Powell, No. 18 Stanton street, New York, was troubled with liver complaint for a long time, and after trying many remedies, was advised to try Dr. M'Lane's Celebrated Liver Pills. She did so, and says that with one box she was effectually cured.
Indigestion, stoppage of the menses, costiveness, and general irregularity of the bowels, are all diseases originating in the same prolific cause, as is also that dreadful scourge DYSPEPSIA. Those who are afflicted with any of the above enumerated diseases, may rest assured that the source of all their maladies is in the liver, and for its correction the best remedy ever offered to the public is Dr. M'Lane's Celebrated Liver Pills. Try them. The money refunded if not satisfactory.
P. S.—The above valuable remedy, also Dr. M'Lane's celebrated Vermifuge, can now be had at all respectable Drug Stores in this city.
Purchasers will be careful to ask for, and take none but Dr. M'Lane's Liver Pills. There are other Pills, purporting to be Liver Pills, now before the public. For sale at all the respectable Drug Stores in the United States and Canada.
Also, for sale by the sole proprietors,
FLEMING BROS.,
Successors to J. Kidd & Co.,
apr21-maw 60 Wood street.

☞ **To Painters—Zinc Paint.**—I have just received a lot of Snow White Zinc Paint, which I will sell very low. Also, ZINC DRYER by the gallon, which sells low, and covers better than Linseed Oil.
GEO. H. KEYSER, 140 Wood st.,
mar25 cor. of Virgin Alley, sign of the Golden Mortar.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Assignee's Sale.

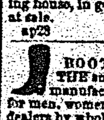
ALL the real estate of William Eberhart, Jr., will be exposed to sale, on the premises, in the borough of Cookstown, Fayette county, Pa., on FRIDAY, the 10th day of May, 1854, say one lot of ground, on which is erected a glass factory, with flattening house attached, with a complete size stone bat oven, cutting room, and all other necessary buildings and appurtenances to a glass factory, &c., all in good repair, and in complete running order for manufacturing window glass after the most approved method. On the same lot there are two two-tenement brick dwelling houses, and one four-tenement frame dwelling house two stories high. One lot of ground adjoining lots of M. & J. Hunter, on which is a four-tenement frame dwelling house, nearly new; and one lot of ground on Main street, adjoining lots of J. Conard and W. Evans, on which is erected a large frame dwelling house and store room, and good cellar; also, one lot of ground adjoining lots of J. L. Eberhart and others, on which is a large frame stable, ware-room, &c.; also, a lot of ground adjoining factory and T. M'Crory, on which is a large six-tenement frame dwelling house; also, a lot of ground adjoining land of J. Tiernan, on which is erected two two-tenement frame dwellings, near the glass factory; also, three-quarters of an acre of coal belonging to the factory.
A good title and the terms of sale made known on the day of sale. If the property cannot be sold to advantage, it will be rented on the same day, for the term of one year.
FRANCIS M'KEE,
SHARPLESS BEALE,
apr28:3td Assignees.

Orphans' Court Sale.

BY VIRTUE of an Order of Sale of the Orphans' Court of Allegheny county, dated the 22d day of April, 1854, I, Francis Wilson, Guardian of Eliza J. Donaldson, Harvey Donaldson, George Donaldson and Robert Donaldson, minor children of Hugh Donaldson, late of Wilkins township, Allegheny county, dec'd., will expose at public vendue, on the premises, on FRIDAY the 26th day of May, 1854, at 10 o'clock, A. M.: All that certain Tract of Land situate in Penn township, Allegheny county, and bounded and described as follows, viz:—Beginning at a post on the line of R. Morrow's (carpenter) land; thence along said line North 85¾°, East 105 8-10 perches to a post; thence South 7½°, West 7 2-10 perches to a locust; thence South 6½°, East 19 1-10 perches to a stone; thence South 1°, East 17 3-10 perches to a stone; thence North 10°, East 6 perches to a post at the line of par-part No. "one;" thence along said line North 65°, East 42 8-10 perches to a post; thence along the line of said par-part No. 1 South 3°, West 40 5-10 perches to a post at the corner of par-parts Nos. 1, 2 and 3, and thence along the line of par-part No. 2 South 89½°, West 60 perches to Henry Morrow's line, the place of beginning; containing Fifty-nine Acres and Sixty Perches. Being parpart No. 3 in the plan of the farm of Robert Donaldson, Esq., dec'd., filed in Orphans' Court at No. 56 of December, 1852; assigned and allotted to said minors in fee in the partition of said estate; subject to the payment of thirty-eight dollars per annum to Mrs. Mary Donaldson, during her natural life. Title indisputable. Terms at sale.
FRANCIS WILSON,
Guardian of the minor children
apr28:3tw of Hugh Donaldson, dec'd.

Orphan's Court Sale.

WILL be sold at public auction, by order of the Orphan's Court, on MONDAY, May 29, 1854, at ten o'clock, A. M., on the premises, all that certain lot of ground, in the city of Pittsburgh, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning on Smithfield street, at the distance of 23 feet easterly from the corner of Third street, at the corner of lot of James McKown, thence at right angles with Smithfield street, 19 feet towards Fourth street, thence parallel with Fourth street, 60 feet to Smithfield street, thence along Smithfield street 19 feet to the place of beginning; being 19 feet front on the easterly side of Smithfield street, and running back towards Grant street, 60 feet, on which is erected a large three story brick dwelling house, in good order. Title good. Terms made known at sale. HINAS TINDLE,
apr28 Admin'r of H. Wilkinson, deceased.

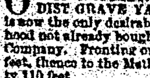


Wholesale and Retail BOOT AND SHOE MANUFACTORY.—THE subscriber, having engaged extensively in the manufacturing of BOOTS and SHOES, of all kinds, for men, women, and children, is now prepared to sell to dealers by wholesale such goods as they may want, at prices as low as can be bought East; and any particular kind or size made to order at short notice. Orders and calls solicited from Dealers in and out of the city, as it will be to their advantage to call before purchasing elsewhere.
Customer work made as heretofore.
THOS. A. HINTON, Agent,
apr28:2w. No. 42 St. Clair street.
☞ Brownsville Clipper, Butler Herald, Armstrong Democrat, Brookville Jeffersonian, copy to amount of $1.00, and send bill and copy of paper to advertiser.

Valuable Property for Sale.

ON LIBERTY STREET, ADJOINING THE METHODIST GRAVE YARD, NEAR CANAL BASIN.—This is now the only desirable piece of property in this neighborhood not already bought up by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. Fronting on Liberty 50 feet, on Flin street 100 feet, thence to the Methodist Grave Yard 86½ feet, to Liberty 110 feet.
This property is most desirable as a Hotel. The building now on it, a good substantial three story brick, with all the necessary back buildings, has for a long time been occupied as the Union Hotel, doing a good business. Capitalists and others desirous of making a good investment, will do well to examine the premises.
apr28:tf EDWARD FABER.

Secondhand Pianos.



ONE Mahogany Six Octave Piano, in very good order—price $75.
One elegant Rosewood Piano, not over 3 years old, 6 octave—$150.
One Rosewood Piano, 6 octave, nearly new—$175.
One Rosewood 6 octave Piano—$100.
One Rosewood 6¾ octave Boudoir Piano, manufactured by Gilbert, Boston, nearly new—$200.
One Rosewood 6 octave Piano, Hallett, Davis & Co—$200.
For sale by JOHN H. MELLOR,
apr28 81 Wood st.

Stray Cow.

CAME to the residence of the subscriber, in Upper St. Clair township, Allegheny county, on the old Washington road, nine miles from Pittsburgh, about the 10th inst., a RED COW, with white face and belly, supposed to be about three years old. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take her away, or she will be disposed of according to law.
apr28:6tw JOHN ESPEY, on the premises.

FOREIGN FRUITS.—
250 boxes Cluster Raisins;
1200 drums Figs;
250 boxes Oranges;
4000 Cocoa Nuts;
170 boxes Lemons;
1200 " M. R. Raisins;
700½ " do do
400¼ " do do
150 " Durla do
10 cases Jar Prunes;
6 " Box do
3 " Fancy Prunes;
80 boxes German Plums;
22 casks do do; Just received and for sale by, J. C. ANDERSON & CO.,
apr27 No. 6 Wood street.

FRESH NUTS.—
45 bags Pecans;
13 bales Bordeaux Almonds;
40 bags Sicily do
55 " Irica do
65 " Filberts;
40 " Cream Nuts;
40 " Walnuts;
2000 bush Pea Nuts; just received and for sale by
J. C. ANDERSON & CO.,
apr28 No. 6 Wood street.

SUGARS.—
200 bbls Sugar, Union Refinery;
12 " Loverings Powdered Sugar;
20 " do Pulverised do
60 " do Crushed do
150 bags Brazil Sugar; just rec'd and for sale by,
J. C. ANDERSON & CO.,
apr28 No. 6 Wood street.

NEW BOOKS.—Life and Sayings of Mrs. Partington and others of the family; edited by G. P. Shillaber, of the Boston Post: illustrated, $1.25;
Melbourne and the Chincha Islands, with sketches of Lima, and a Voyage Round the World: by G. W. Peck, $1.
An Art—Student in Munich: by Anna Mary Howatt; $1.25;
The Divine Character Vindicated, or a Review of the conflict of Ages: $1;
Russia as it Is: by Count A. de Gurowski: $1;
Cooper's Novels and Tales: 33 vols;
Chambers' Information for the People: 2 vols.
For sale by H. MINER & CO.,
apr28 No. 32 Smithfield street.

KNICKERBOCKER FOR MAY:
Blackwood's Magazine for April;
Littel's Living Age for this week;
Part 10th of the Practical Draughtsman;
Violet of the Child of the City, a tale of New York Life: by Robert F. Greely.
Together with Gleason's Pictorial, and all the prominent weeklies for this week; received and for sale by
W. A. GILDENFENNEY & CO.,
apr28 76 Fourth street.

NEW BOOKS! NEW BOOKS!—The Two Roads, or the Right and the Wrong: by James Knorr, 1 vol., 11 mo., cloth;
Kew Gardens, a sketch; St. Mark's Eve in Yorkshire, and other tales selected from Chambers' miscellany;
Mrs. Partington's Life and Sayings, just received.
The above, together with a large assortment of standard miscellaneous and other books, for sale cheap by
apr28 S. B. LAUFFER, 87 Wood st.

SOAP AND CANDLES—The art of manufacturing Soaps, including the most recent discoveries: embracing the best methods for making all kinds of Hard, Soft and Toilet Soaps; also, Olive Oil Soap, and others necessary in the fabrication of cloths; with receipts for making Transparent and Camphine Oil Candles.
By Phillip Kurten, practical Soap and Candle Maker, at Cologne, on the Rhine. For sale by
apr28 B. T. C. MORGAN, 104 Wood st.

TEN THOUSAND ACRES OF LAND FOR SALE.—Embracing some of the finest Prairie in M'Lean and Livingston counties, Illinois, some of which lies contiguous to the county seat in each county. These lands are of superior quality, adjacent to Railroads now in operation, and are offered at prices varying from $6 to $11 per acre. The title is perfect, being derived direct from the United States Government. Persons desirous of purchasing good lands, will find this a favorable opportunity.
apr28 S. CUTHBERT & SON, 140 Third st.

FLOUR.—67 bbls fine; 13 do extra s. f., for sale by
apr28 SMITH & SINCLAIR.

ZINC WASH BOARDS.—12 doz for sale by
apr28 SMITH & SINCLAIR.

SHOT.—5 kegs for sale by
apr28 SMITH & SINCLAIR.

WHITE BEANS.—7 bbls for sale by
apr28 SMITH & SINCLAIR.

FISH.—30 bbls White Fish;
15 half bbls do do;
25 do do Lake Trout;
15 bbls do do. For sale by
apr28 SMITH & SINCLAIR.

JAVA COFFEE.—35 pockets prime Java Coffee for sale by
apr28 SMITH & SINCLAIR.

VANILLA BEAN.—A very superior article, received by
apr12 JOS. FLEMING.

JOHN M'CANDLESS.........SAMUEL POLLOCK.........DAVID CAMPBELL.

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THIRD SUPPLY OF SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,

Which, in addition to their former purchases, makes a most complete and elegant assortment of Fancy and Staple Dry Goods, Laces, Trimmings, Combs, Threads, Tapes, Porte Monias, Pocket Books, Handkerchiefs, Ribbons, Collars, Embroideries, Cravats, Stocks, Percussion Caps, Pistols, Pins, Buttons, &c., to which they invite the attention of Country Merchants, feeling confident that their prices and terms are as favorable as those of Eastern Houses. [apr28:10td&4tw

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PURCHASERS,

assuring them that, with the superior facilities, *they are enabled to offer equal inducements with the largest Eastern Houses*. They name, in part:—

1200 pieces Elegant Silks, every variety;
2000 " of every variety of Dress Goods;
400 cartons of every description of Shawls and Mantillas;
200 " of every style Embroideries and Laces;
1100 pieces of White Goods, full assortment;
400 boxes Bonnet Ribbons;
Millinery Goods, of every description;
150 cartons of all styles Dress and Mantilla Trimmings;
100 cases Hosiery and Gloves, a complete assortment;
Every variety of Men's Furnishing Goods;
Linen and House Keeping Goods, a full stock;
200 cases Bonnets, of all the various styles;
500 Silk and Lawn Bonnets, of their own manufacture;
40 cases Parasols, all styles;
20 " English, French and American Ginghams;
20 " American Calicoes;
200 " and bales of Bleached and Brown Muslins;
40 " " Tickings;
50 " Checks, Tweeds and Stripes, Jeans, &c.
30 " Summer Stuffs, and Goods for Boy's Wear;
Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, Tailors' Trimmings, &c.

PITTSBURGH, April 17th, 1854—1mdaw A. A. MASON & CO., 25 Fifth street.

C. B. HEADLY & CO.'S
Cheap Carpet Warehouse,
No. 82 Third Street,
PITTSBURGH, PA.

WE HAVE NOW IN STORE one of the largest and choicest stocks of CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, MATS, MATTINGS, RUGS, &c., ever exhibited west of New York, embracing all the *new styles of Spring Carpets*, and will continue to receive them as they are produced from the looms.

☞ Hotels and Steamboats supplied on the most reasonable terms. ☜

Our assortment consists in part of the following:—

Royal Velvet Carpets;
Royal Brussels do
Tapestry do do
Aubusson do
Extra and Imperial Three-ply;
Patent Tapestry Ingrain;
Superfine and fine Ingrain;
Worsted and Wool Carpets;
Wool and Cotton do
Hall and Stair Venitian;
Hemp Carpets, very cheap;
Listing and Rag Carpets;
Druggeting, 2-4, 4-4, 5-4, 6-4, to 12-4;
Canton Matting, 3-4, 4-4, 5-4, and 6-4, White, Checked and Fancy;
Cocoa Mattings, 2-4, 3-4, 4-4, 5-4, 6-4;
Spanish Matting, 25c ⅌ yard;
Elegant Mosaic Rugs, $30 ⅌ pair;
Axminster, Chenille & Tufted Rugs;
Colored and Fancy Wool Mats;
Cocoa, Jute, Adelaide, Velvet, All art and other Mats;
Embossed and Printed Cloth, Table and Piano Covers;
Damask Piano and Table Covers;
Worsted Damask do do
Transparent Green Oil Cloth;
Gold Bordered Shades, a new article;
Transparent Shades of every description.

Together with the best selection of FLOOR OIL CLOTH to be found in the city, of the following widths—3-4, 4-4, 5-4, 6-4, 7-4, 8-4, 12, 18 and 24 feet, from the most celebrated manufacturers.
BUFF HOLLANDS, for Windows, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, and 50 inches wide.
Oval and hollow Brass Stair Rods, Carpet Bindings, Tacks, Roller Ends and Rack Pullies.
ALSO—An entirely new article for Bathing purposes, known as the Royal Turkish Bath Towel, which takes the place of a flesh brush and sponge—every body should use them.
Persons in want of any article in our line, are respectfully invited to call and examine.
"SMALL PROFITS AND QUICK SALES!"
mar31:1mdaw C. B. HEADLY & CO., 82 Third street.

JAMES P. TANNER,

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Boots, Shoes, Bonnets, Hats, Leather, &c.,
No. 56 Wood Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Again takes pleasure in calling the attention of his customers and Country Merchants generally, to his very complete and large stock of

BOOTS, SHOES, BONNETS, HATS, LEATHER, &c.,

Purchased direct from the New England Manufacturers, principally for cash, consisting of
OVER 3000 CASES OF THE LATEST SPRING STYLES,
Adapted expressly to Western Sales.

HIS STOCK OF FANCY SHOES, BRAID, SILK, GAUZE, and LAWN BONNETS is very large and varied, such as cannot fail to give full satisfaction. Also, BONNET TRIMMINGS.

His assortment of HATS, for Spring and Summer Sales, is very large, and comprises all the styles to be found on sale East or West.

His old customers, and Country Merchants generally, are invited to call and examine this *superior stock*, which can not be surpassed by any in the country—with the full assurance that the whole will be sold at unusually small advances on Eastern cost, comparing favorably with New York and Philadelphia. "Come and see." mar29:2aw2m

H. CHILDS & CO.,
Wholesale Boot and Shoe Warehouse,

NUMBERS 133 AND 135 WOOD STREET,
PITTSBURGH, PA.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED their extensive Spring Stock, consisting of upwards of thirty-five hundred cases of BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, CAPS, AND BONNETS, all of latest styles and fashions, among which are:

Ladies & Misses'	Men and Boys'	Palm Leaf Hats.	Ladies' Bonnets.
Bronze Kossuths,	En'ld Nullifiers,	Leghorn and Straw Hats,	Fancy French Lace,
Purple Parodies,	Drab Congress Boots,	Fur and Wool Hats,	Snake Skin Plait,
Cinderella Slippers,	Kid Glove Button do,	Cloth and Glazed Caps,	Eb'd Fancy Belgrades,
Sontags & Eurekas,	Oxford and Union Ties,	Plush and Velvet Caps,	Gossamer Lace,
Buskins and Gaiters,	Calf and Kip Boots,	Children's Shoes,	Leghorn and Straw,
Alboni & Paris Ties,	Coarse & Fine Brogans,	Infant's Colored Boots,	Florence, with Capes.

Together with a great variety of Fancy Goods, well adapted to the approaching season. Our Stock having been purchased direct from the Manufacturers, principally for cash, with great care in the selection of quality and sizes adapted to the Western trade, we are enabled to offer superior inducements this Spring, and are determined not to be undersold by any regular house, either in New York, Philadelphia or Baltimore.
Merchants visiting our city will please call and examine for themselves. mar18:dawjel

LECTURE.
YOUNG MEN'S LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.

GEORGE SUMNER, Esq., will Lecture in MASONIC HALL, on next TUESDAY EVENING, May 2nd.
Subject—*France and Louis Napoleon.*
Mr. Sumner has been a resident of France for nine years, and is thoroughly acquainted with the language and people. Gov. Marcy, Secretary of State of the United States, tendered him the appointment of Assistant Secretary of State; which Mr Sumner declined.
Doors open at 7 o'clock; Lecture to commence at 8 o'clock. Tickets 25 cents; to be had at the Music and Book Stores, Library Room, of the Lecture Committee, and at the door.
HENRY WOODS,
WM. H. KINCAID,
JAMES B. HOLMES,
C. H. IRISH,
apr27 Lecture Committee

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ON THE LINE OF THE SUNBURY AND ERIE RAILROAD, between Sunbury and Lockhaven. Wages $1.12½ per day. The location is healthy, and constant employment will continue for at least one year, as there is much heavy work on this line. Laborers coming from the West can reach Williamsport either by the Central Pennsylvania Railroad from the junction, or via the New York and Erie and Blossburg Railroads.
J. B. & W. G. MOORHEAD,
apr27:1m Contractors.
[Pittsburgh Dispatch, Sandusky Register, and Buffalo Republic, copy and send bill to this office.]

Notice.
DALY'S STOCKING MANUFACTORY,
No. 20 Fifth street, first corner above Market street,
PITTSBURGH, PA.

WHERE will be found the largest and best assorted stock of HOSIERY ever offered for sale in this city. Purchasers will find it to their advantage to call at this establishment and examine for themselves; it is all I need to insure their custom. C. DALY.
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Beautiful Sites for Country Homes.

THE undersigned offers for sale, on easy terms, FIFTY LOTS, laid off and restricted for rural residences. Also, an ENTIRE SQUARE, on the bank of the Allegheny river, 764 feet long by 200 feet deep; having fronts on Mary and Julia Ann Avenues, and Henrietta and Herr streets. This square contains many Fruit Trees of the choicest kind, and commands a fine view of the picturesque and romantic scenery around. I am desirous of preserving this square entire, as it would afford one of the most charming and magnificent sites for a gentleman's summer residence, in the immediate vicinity of the two cities.
Also, about THREE ACRES OF GROUND, at the head of the Island, advantageously situated for manufacturing purposes.
The above property is situated in Duquesne borough, on the high and main bank of Herr's Island, and is reached by a very substantial Bridge of one span. For particulars apply at my residence, in Duquesne borough, on the main bank, fronting the head of Herr's Island, or of JOHN DUNLAP & CO., corner of Second and Market sts., Pittsburgh.
apr17:tf WM. C. MILLER.

SHOT—50 kegs assorted Shot, received per steamer Granite State, and for sale by
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A LARGE LOT OF GROUND situated on Pennsylvania Avenue, near Tunnel street; for sale cheap.
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FISH—200 pkgs White Fish;
180 do Trout;
130 do No. 1 and 2 Salmon;
183 do Pickeral;
30 do Sugar Cured White Fish. For sale by
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GOTHIC CHIMNEY TOPS—200 of various patterns, for sale by HENRY H. COLLINS.
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BACON—85 pieces shoulders, sides and hams, for sale by
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Corner of Smithfield and Third streets,
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GOLD PAPER HANGINGS—Warranted pure gold leaf; for sale by WALTER P. MARSHALL,
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LIFE and Sayings of Mrs. Partington, and others of the Family; edited by B. P. Shillaber, of the Boston Post. Godey's Lady's Book, for May.
Lamplighter; fresh supply. For sale by
apr28 H. MINER & CO., 32 Smithfield street.

BROOMS—200 dozen, for sale by
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DUQUESNE BOROUGH.—WHARVES AND WHARFAGE.

An ordinance for Electing a Wharf Master, and Regulation of Wharf, &c.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted and ordained by the Citizens of the Borough of Duquesne, in council assembled.* That the Council shall, at the regular time of electing borough officers, elect one suitable person to fill the office of wharf master, who, before he enters on the duties of his office, shall give bond with one sufficient surety in the sum of two hundred dollars, to the Burgess and Town Council for the faithful performance of the duties enjoined on him; and he shall also take an oath or affirmation before the Burgess, or one of the Justices of the Peace, that he will perform the duties enjoined on him honestly, faithfully, and to the best of his knowledge and abilities as wharf master.

SECT. 2. That the wharf master procure suitable books at the expense of the borough, and keep a regular account of the arrivals and departures of all boats that may land; also, to keep an account of all other cargoes and rafts of every description, that may land in the bounds of said borough or shall be subjected to wharfage; and to keep a separate list of all cord wood and bark, and number of tons of pig metal, hoop poles, shingles, lath, staves or headings, which may be landed on the beach or wharf.

SECT. 3. That the wharf master shall keep a regular account of all moneys received by him, and pay over to the treasurer of said borough once every month four per cent. of the money collected by him, retaining the remainder for his services. He shall exhibit his books when called upon by the council, or a committee appointed for that purpose to examine the same; he shall point out the place for boats or flats to load and unload, according to the ordinance made and provided; and he shall be authorized to enforce all ordinances relating to the wharf, and shall deliver to his successor in office, all books and papers belonging to the wharf master.

SECT. 4. The owner, or owners, or agents, shall pay wharfage as follows, to wit: for every steamboat lying up in said borough to pay one dollar, with privilege to load or unload, and the same amount for every day they remain thereafter; for every flat or keel boat landed, with the privilege of loading or unloading, fifty cents, and the privilege of lying twenty-four hours, and shall pay twenty-five cents for every day they remain thereafter.

SECT. 5. The owner, owners, or agents of log rafts, round or hewed, landing or lying up in the bounds of the borough, shall pay the sum of twenty-five cents per thousand feet, running measure, which gives them the privilege of six days landing, and shall pay twelve and a half cents for each six days thereafter; for all framing timber landed as aforesaid, to pay ten cents per thousand feet, running measure, with the privilege of six days landing, as aforesaid; by paying five cents as aforesaid, all owners, &c., of sawed lumber, including boards, plank, &c., &c., lying up in the bounds of the borough, shall pay one-half cent per thousand feet, board measure, which shall entitle them to a landing for six days, and shall pay one-fourth cent for every six days thereafter; all owners, &c., of cord wood and bark, shall pay ten cents per cord, landed on the beach, which shall entitle them to a landing of three days, and shall pay the same amount for every day thereafter; for all lath landed on the beach, five cents per thousand, with the privilege of lying twenty-four hours; all hoop poles, staves and heading ten cents per thousand, with the privilege of lying twenty-four hours on the beach, and shall pay the same amount for every day thereafter; for all shingles landed on the beach, one cent per thousand, with the privilege of twenty-four hours landing, and shall pay the same amount for every day they remain thereafter; all owner, owners, or agents of pig metal shall pay five cents for every ton landed on the beach, which shall entitle them to a landing for four days, and shall pay the same amount for every day thereafter; for all flats landing in the bounds of said borough, to load or unload, twenty-five cents, and shall pay the same amount for every day thereafter; all persons drawing lumber of any kind on the beach, shall pay five cents per thousand feet.

SECT. 6. That all purchasers of logs, boards, plank, scantling, hoop poles, staves, shingles, cord wood, pig metal or bark, shall pay the same amounts for every six days or every single day, as specified in the fifth section, that was paid by the original owners; and the wharfmaster shall have discretionary power to cause the removal of all articles which may encumber the landing, &c.

SECT. 7. That if the owner of any lumber next the shore, or hemmed in by other rafts, shall sell, or desire to remove said raft, he shall apply to the wharfmaster, who shall direct or cause a way to be opened; *provided*, it can be done without injuring or destroying any other rafts. All persons violating this ordinance, by refusing to comply with the directions of the wharfmaster, shall, upon conviction thereof, pay a fine of not less than one dollar nor more than twenty, and in default of payment of such fine or fines, upon due conviction, the Burgess or any of the Justices of the Peace, shall commit such offender or offenders to the jail of the county, there to remain until the fine and costs are paid or otherwise discharged by due course of law.

SECT. 8. All previous ordinances in relation to wharves and wharfages be and the same are hereby repealed.
Ordained and enacted into a law this 22d day of April, A. D. 1854. WM. C. MILLER, Burgess.
M. O'NEIL, Clerk. apr27:3t

INDIA RUBBER HOSE.—5000 feet of ⅞, 1, 1¼, 1½, 1¾, 2, 2½, 3 and 6 inch Hose, just received from the Boston Belting Company, and for sale at the India Rubber Depot, No. 116 Market street. J. & H. PHILLIPS,
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Melbourne and the Chincha Islands: by G. W. Peck.
Annual of scientific discovery, or year book of facts in sciences and art, for 1854: edited by David A. Wells, A. M.
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CONGRESS WATER—Another fresh arrival of this celebrated Mineral Water, just received in pint and quart bottles, by JOS. FLEMING,
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BLUE LICK WATER—3 bbls received direct from the springs, by [apr21] JOS. FLEMING.

PHYSICIANS POCKET CASES—A beautiful article, suitable for country practitioners received by
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