Daily Morning Post.

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PITTSBURGH:

TUESDAY MORNING......................MAY 9.

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.

COURT-MARTIAL OF MAJOR WYSE.

Our readers have before been made acquainted with the fact that Brevet Major Francis O. Wyse is now undergoing trial at Fort Columbus, Governor's Island, for disobedience of orders in refusing to embark on the steamship "Falcon." The facts of the case are briefly these: A portion of the Artillery regiment destined for California, and which had previously suffered shipwreck on the "San Francisco," were ordered by Major Gen. Scott to sail from the port of New York for the Isthmus. The ship selected was the "Falcon," and they were to be under the command of Major Wyse, the senior officer, we believe, since the arrest of Col. Gates, for his connection with the disaster attending the first sailing of the unfortunate expedition. Maj. W., on inquiry, became satisfied that the "Falcon" was unseaworthy, and asked for a commission to examine her. One was appointed by the Secretary of War, which, as he afterwards ascertained, reported favorable as to her soundness without a proper examination. He asked that another might be appointed, but the only reply he got from Gen. Scott was an order to embark. Not wishing to run the risk of another shipwreck, he, naturally enough, refused on the day of sailing, and turned over the command of the detachment to Lieut. Loeser. It was for this he was arrested.

What makes the case more strange is the fact that the vessel had scarcely been at sea thirty-six hours before she was disabled, and had to put into the nearest port. From the testimony adduced on trial, it also appears she was down on the books of all the insurance offices, as utterly unseaworthy, and could not obtain an insurance. It seems incredible that Gen. Scott could send troops on board such a vessel, when the evidence of her unsoundness might have been so easily obtained.

The case is one of unusual interest, and will, perhaps, settle the question whether an officer's life is at the command of his superior. That his life was perilled is confirmed by subsequent events, and the testimony of a great many respectable gentlemen who had at various times examined the ship. For refusing to undergo what plainly appeared to await him—a second shipwreck—Major Wyse has been put upon trial charged with "disobedience of orders." The case we repeat is important, as it involves the question whether, as Mr. Bagnet says "discipline must be maintained," even though the soldier's life be placed in peril. Ordinarily such undoubtedly would be the case, but whether this refusal comes under the rule is a different matter. At all events, we think the evidence elicited on the trial is sufficient to call for an investigation of the charge so frequently brought of the cruel manner in which the American soldier is treated.

Major Wyse, all agree, is a brave man, and did not disobey from cowardice; but he was indignant at the proposal to send his regiment to sea in such a vessel, and he was "determined to take a stand to bring the question to an issue, with the hope of being able to convince the community that the American soldier, although clothed in the livery of his country, was nevertheless an American citizen, and at least, as such, entitled to some consideration."

Miss Agnes Robertson.

This lady made her debut at our theatre last evening, to a crowded and fashionable audience, and judging from the rapturous applause that followed her enactment of the different characters in "The Young Actress," we should say she will prove the card of the season to the management. Although her style is not the highest in the histrionic profession, still her beauty and versatility is exceedingly captivating. To-night there will be a repetition of "The Young Actress," and she will also appear in the original character of "Andy Blake," in a comedy of that name.

DREADFUL STEAMBOAT EXPLOSION.—A dreadful steamboat explosion occurred on the Delaware river, about 11 o'clock on Friday night. The steam tow-boat Pennsylvania was coming down the Delaware, near Bordentown, with a number of canal boats in tow, when her boiler exploded with a tremendous report, and with fatal effect. The scalding steam pervaded the deck of the boat, blinding those who were not killed outright, and creating frightful confusion. There were a number of horses on the deck of the tow boat, and the scalding steam told with dreadful effect among them. Nine of the poor poor animals were scalded to death, and a tenth leaped overboard in the confusion, and was drowned. One fireman (colored) was instantly killed; another was dangerously wounded, who has since died. Three drivers of the horses, who were on board taking care of them, were also killed, and two are missing, supposed to have jumped overboard and drowned. The P. was built for a city ice boat; she was sold some time since to the Philadelphia Steam Tug and Navigation Company, and last summer entirely new boilers were put in. The force of the explosion was forward, which accounts for the destruction among the horses.

TO WHISKY DRINKERS.—Three persons purchased some whisky at one of the doggeries in Zanesville, which they took home in jugs, and on Monday all three of them died. Some of the whisky remained, and on being analysed, was found to contain a large portion of *strychnine*, a most deadly poison. Distillers are said to put this drug into whiskey, for the purpose of increasing the yield.

CONFLAGRATIONS.—Saturday was marked by two destructive conflagrations in New York, and one also in New Jersey. At Ogdensburg three dwelling houses were destroyed; at Utica a drug store, and buildings adjoining, took fire, causing a loss of about fifteen thousand dollars; and at Baldwinsville, N. J., a tannery and its contents were consumed—loss estimated at about fifteen thousand dollars.

MADAME GRANEY'S FASHIONABLE DANCING ACADEMY.—We understand that this lady will give her first public entertainment at Lafayette Hall this evening. She comes to our city with a high reputation as an artiste, and we have no doubt she will attain a popularity consummate with her skill in the science to which she is devoted.

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

HARRISBURG, May 6, 1854.

A pleasant ride of ten hours and a half brought me to this place, without any accident occurring by the way. The Central Road deserves the good reputation it bears for solidity of construction, and the safety and regularity with which the trains are run over its entire length. It is undoubtedly one of the very best roads in the country; and its business is every month increasing. The train of last night consisted of seven passenger besides baggage cars, and brought over 400 passengers.

Harrisburg has improved very much within the last year. Several new hotels, and many other buildings have been erected; and a Novelty Works establishment, on a large scale, has also been started under favorable auspices. The prospect for crops, fruits as well as grain, is said to be good in this region, though the season is backward.

The Legislature is very busy winding up the labors of the session. As usual, at the close of the session, each member is anxious to get some bill of his own, of a local nature, passed before adjournment; and, in the scramble for precedence, the time is wasted, and very little accomplished. There are an unusual number of speech-making members in the lower House, this year, and some of them gentlemen of ability.

I will mention some of the bills passed this session, that more particularly interest our city and county: *E. G.*, the bill for the sale of the the Public Works is of more importance to Allegheny, perhaps, than to any other county. The Main line is one of Pittsburgh's great avenues of travel and trade with the East, and to some extent, it is a *competing* line with the Central Railroad Company. Should that Company buy the Main line, under the bill which has passed, all competition will be at end, and we must pay such fares and freights as the Company may choose to impose. It is doubtful, however, whether that Company or any other, will buy it under the present law. While prominent Whig members, and even some Democrats, are arguing that it is better to *give* it away than to keep it, the Company may think it best to wait for another session of the Legislature, to see whether a lower price may not be fixed upon. A reduction of one or two million dollars on the price is worth waiting for one year more.

The new School Bill is probably one of the most important that has passed this session. It has been signed by the Governor, and is now a law. The improvements made in the School law of the Commonwealth, will greatly promote the cause of public education. At least, such is the opinion of those who have devoted their attention to the subject for many years. To our Senator, Dr. M'Clintock, is mainly due the credit of securing the passage of this bill. It provides for the more speedy and economical collection of the school tax throughout the State. It also prevents frequent changes of the text books used in schools, and thus saves a heavy annual tax to parents, in purchasing new books, rendered necessary by the frequent changes adopted by book-selling directors and teachers.

The new law provides for an important change in the management of the schools in Pittsburgh. The several wards may retain their school property, and elect six directors, to exercise the duties of directors as heretofore, so far as relates to the erection and repair of school houses, collection and disbursement of school taxes, and renting or selling of school houses and lots. But for all other purposes connected with the management of our schools, the [5]4 directors of our nine wards form one Board of Control. It is also provided that the board of directors of each ward may execute deeds of conveyance of their school property to this Board of Control; and when all the wards have so done, Pittsburgh will form but one school district, under a Board of Control, consisting of 27 members, each ward electing 3. This board will then have the control of all the schools of the city, apportioning the funds, providing for the education of the colored children, and establishing a high school, if desired. A similar system of the consolidation of the schools has existed in the city of Philadelphia for several years, and given great satisfaction there. The new school law contains many other important improvements on the old law, and, it is thought, will give to Pennsylvania the most complete and efficient system of public instruction of any State in the Union. The people of our State will enjoy ample advantages of education, on an economical plan; and we hope will yet become the most intelligent portion of the confederacy.

A bill has passed, authorizing the Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad Company to connect with the Central road, by the Commons and Acqueduct route. The connection is desirable in every respect; but the use of the Commons is objectionable. It is the cheapest route for the Company, however, and Railroad Companies must do as they please in Pennsylvania.

The bill giving the Lake Shore Road to the Cleveland, Painesville and Ashtabula Company, on their subscribing half a million dollars to the Sunbury and Erie Road, passed both Houses, and is signed by the Governor. It is a splendid donation to a foreign corporation.

The bill consolidating the suits against the Central, and the Ohio and Pennsylvania Roads, for passing small notes contrary to law, has passed both Houses. It subjects them to but one penalty of $500, for all their past violations of the "Small Note Law," and because of which suits were brought. But the Banks and Bankers were not provided for. They must stand the penalties, or escape "by due process of law." This act shows how much more popular railroads are than banks. We would suggest, for the sake of consistency, a little consolidation in favor of the conspirators now in prison. Let one penalty suffice for them. Let one of them remain in prison for the term of the sentence, and the rest go free. Our county will lose several thousand dollars by this act. Subjoined is a copy for publication.*

During this session, too, an appropriation of $20,000 has been made towards the completion of the House of Refuge at Pittsburgh, provided an equal sum is raised from other sources. This amount will be nearly sufficient to complete the buildings, and establish the institution upon a plan equal to the House of Refuge at Philadelphia.

The general appropriation bill, including claims, amounts to over five millions dollars, and the conference committees of the two Houses are as yet unable to agree upon some of its provisions. Should they not agree, the bill must fail, and a new one will be got up, and the session, perhaps, be prolonged a few days. The session will already extend twenty-seven days beyond the one hundred, to which it was designed to limit it. These twenty-seven days cost the State more than twenty thousand dollars, in the pay of members, and all other expenses. If our legislators would go a little more vigorously to work at the commencement of each session, a hundred days would be amply sufficient for the public business. G.

An Act relative to certain penalties:

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, &c.*, That where several suits have been brought by the same prosecutor or prosecutors, in any Court of the Commonwealth, against any Railroad or Canal Company, to recover penalties, alleged to have been incurred by reason of the clerks, collectors, or employees of such Company, having heretofore passed and put in circulation notes, issued by banks not located within the State of Pennsylvania, of a less denomination than five dollars, contrary to the provisions of the 48th section of "An act regulating Banks," passed April 16th, 1850, shall be, and the same are hereby consolidated, and the Court of the proper County is hereby directed to consolidate the same; and if, upon the trial of any such cause, the Court shall determine that the plaintiff is entitled to recover the penalty against any such Company, judgment shall be entered for a single penalty of five hundred dollars, together with the legal costs of all the actions so brought against such Company, until the time of the consolidation thereof. And all other penalties claimed in such actions be and the same are hereby remitted, released, and discharged together with all other penalties or forfeitures heretofore incurred by any such Company, under the 48th section of the act aforesaid, for any act heretofore done. *Provided*, That nothing in this act contained, shall be construed to release any such Company from any liability which may hereafter be incurred under the provisions of the act herein before mentioned. *And provided further*, That either party may have a writ of errors in other cases.

CHIPS OF FUN.

A correspondent of a Union county paper closes an article thus: "The substance of this report may be expressed in the language of *Shakespeare*:

"The Duke of York with thirty thousand men,
Marched up the hill, and then marched down again."

A GENTLE HINT.—"Please take the half of this poor apple," said a pretty damsel to a witty swain the other evening. "No, thank you, I would prefer a *better half*." Eliza blushed and referred him to papa.

A JAIL BIRD.—Some days ago, a gentleman, visiting a jail in Cincinnati, heard one of the female convicts singing with gaiety and spirit. "Ah! my canary bird!" said he, looking through the bars of her cell. "Your canary," she replied, "I wish you would hang the cage where I could get a little *sunshine*."

EFFECTS OF COLD WEATHER.—On a bitter cold day, a gentleman standing at a picture store suddenly felt some one at his pocket. As there was but one person near him, he instantly turned, and looking him full in the face, said, "Sir, your hand was in my pocket." "Was it sir?" calmly replied the other, "I really beg your pardon, if it was; but the weather is so very cold, one is glad to get his hand *any where*."

Bancroft, in his eulogy on Gen. Jackson, says "*he never died*: but when Death came, the old hero shoved him aside, and *escaped into glory!*" —*Iowa Gazette.*

An Exchange says, "We receive papers daily, that *lay* in the post-office from five to fifteen hours." We presume they must be from Shanghai or Cochin China.

NEW MUSIC.—We have received from Messrs. Russell & Bro., No 15 Fifth street, "The Song of Liberty, or the March of Concord." It is composed and published by B. Cahill of Washington City, the author of the American Marseilles.

Race around the World.

The California *Chronicle* of the 30th of March says:

"Three of the finest clipper ships that ever ploughed the ocean are about to leave us for Hong Kong. Two of them—the David Brown, of New York, and the Romance of the Seas, of Boston—it will be remembered, have made the quickest passages of the season to this port, the Romance having arrived in ninety-six days, and the David Brown in ninety-eight days, from their respective ports. A good deal of interest is excited in the public mind as to the speed of these vessels, as it is understood that very heavy bets are pending upon the results of their voyages, to be determined by the priority of arrival in Boston and New York, via China.

"We have been on board these vessels, and cannot withhold the expression of our admiration at the beauty and magnificence of their cabins, and the perfect preparations which are made for the comfort of their passengers and the security of their cargoes. They are palaces within, and without offer to the storms a broadside of oak.

"The Samuel Russell, of New York, a fine clipper of 950 tons, means to try the other vessels in a hard run in the race from here to Hong Kong, it is said that her chances are good. The measurement tonnage of the Romance is 1,713. The Russell will sail to-day, the Romance and Brown probably on Saturday. These two vessels have been discharging day and night, and are nearly ready for the steam tugs, which are already engaged. Bets are high in favor of the Romance, but time and tide must decide the question."

The Romance of the Seas and David Brown were towed out of the harbor of San Francisco at three o'clock on the afternoon of the 31st of March, and have already began to test their speed. The *Alta* publishes the logs of these vessels on their passage to San Francisco, and says:

"The David Brown left New York on the 13th of December, and the Romance of the Seas left Boston on the 16th. The former was twenty-one days to the Equator on the Atlantic, on which day the latter was in 16 degrees North; but we find the Brown crossing the Equator too far west, thus bringing her to hard beating for three days off Cape St. Roque, in which her competitor came up and passed St. Augustine in fine style and close to the Brown. But from this point, the two ships drove on together, neck and neck, never being over one hundred and forty miles from each other, and often within forty miles, and both making the Farrilones the same hour. Each ship experienced the same weather, light winds, calms, gales, &c., and each in the same time, six days since, carried away their jib-booms."

THE HAIR THEORY OF PETER BROWNE.—Mr. Peter Browne, to whose physiological investigations of the hair of the American pretender to the Bourbon crown we alluded a short time since, has applied his theory to the question, whether the people whose remains are found in the mounds are identical with the existing race of American Indians. His conclusion is, that they are, which he founds upon the identity of form between the horizontal section of the hair of the former, and that of hundreds of specimens of the latter. Mr. Browne divides the hair of the human family into the cylindrical, the oval, and the eccentrically elliptical, as characterizes the various races. Mr. Browne has examined the hair of the mummy of a young American Indian, supposed to be a female of about ten years old, from Pachacarnack, Temple of the Sun, five leagues from Lima, South America. This cemetery has not been used since the Spanish conquest, previous to which (according to Herrera) it was kept sacred for the nobles and other dignitaries of Peru. The hair of this Indian which is in good preservation, is *cylindrical*, diameter 1-304 of an inch. Mr. Browne has also examined eight other ancient specimens of Indian pile, and finds similar results.

On the other hand, he has submitted to the most critical investigations the hair found upon the mummies of Egypt and Thebes, and has found them to be *oval*, without a solitary exception. These observations of Mr. Browne bear upon the very interesting question in ethnology, as to the origin of the aboriginal inhabitants of America. Provided the hair theory be true, the favorite doctrine with many, that the Indians of this continent are descended from the Egyptians must be false. The *autochthonous* origin of the aborigines of America is held by many on various grounds, which the theory of Mr. Browne, would seem to confirm.—*N. Y. Post.*

THE THREE-DOLLAR GOLD COIN.—The new gold piece of three dollars value will be issued in a few days. This new coin is between the size of the five-dollar and the two-and-a-half-dollar gold piece, but not so thick as the former. It is, however, very distinct in its appearance from either of these coins and can never be mistaken for them by any one who looks at its face. The obverse side is embellished with a head of Liberty, which, instead of being simply bound with a fillet, has, in addition, a crown of feathers, in the style of an Indian princess. This is different from any of the representatives of Liberty upon any of our coins. There are no stars surrounding the head, as is usual; but in their place are the words, in capitals, "United States of America." The reverse side has, instead of the eagle, a wreath composed of heads of wheat, Indian corn, and flowers, with the figure "3," the word "dollar" in capitals, and the date, 1854.

GROWTH OF WASHINGTON CITY.—The new assessment of city property in Washington, exclusive of ground, stocks, and banking capital, amounts to $40,879,295. This is an increase of between four and five million over the assessment of 1849. The government property is exempt from taxation. The *News* says the assessment of ground, stocks, and banking capital will probably amount to $15,000,000 more, showing an average advance over the assessment of 1849 of nearly one hundred per cent. The slaves in the city are assessed at $249,105; the furniture at $1,382,450; the improvements at $9,212,220; and horses and carriages at $41,610.

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. apr6daw

DRY PEACHES—282 sacks Dry Peaches for sale by MURPHY, TIERNAN & CO., No. 48 Wood street. apr29

Shoulder Braces.

S hould you be stooped and troubled with a
H acking cough, pain in the breast, side or back,
O r any of those symptoms arising therefrom; you will
U nderstand me when I say, that a Shoulder Brace will
L essen and oftentimes permanently cure these
D angerous harbingers of pulmonary consumption.
E very one is aware of the advantage such a
R emedy possesses in straightening and
B ringing the body to a natural position—
R emember this all who desire an erect form.
A full chest, and capacious lungs.
C all at Keyser's, 140 Wood street, where he is
E ver ready to fit all ages and conditions with
S houlder Braces of the best and latest fashions.

[From the Pittsburgh Daily Dispatch, Feb. 24, 1853.]

An Excellent Article.

Persons who have acquired a stooping position, by following a sedentary occupation will experience great relief by the use of the "Washington Suspender Brace," made and sold by Dr. KEYSER, corner of Wood street and Virgin alley. It answers for a brace and suspenders, the weight of the pantaloons is so placed as to continually tend to bring the shoulders to their natural position, and expand the chest. We purchased one some time ago, and have been so pleased with it that we unsolicited gave it a "puff" gratis. Women, hundreds of whom are annually injured by the weight of enormous "skirts," should also procure these braces. Be particular in procuring the kind mentioned, as many of the braces sold are humbugs.

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 proprietary medicines, which will be sold at proprietors prices; among which are the following, viz:

PILLS.	Hooper's Female,
Dr. Rose's Alterative,	Anderson's,
do. Railroad,	BITTERS.
do. Golden,	Boorhave's Holland,
do. Female,	Hostetter's Stomach,
Dr. M'Clintock's Liver Pills,	Green's Oxygenated,
Hobensack's Liver Pills,	Hampton's Tincture,
Sellers' do.	Radcliffe's Alkaline,
McLane's do.	Hutchings' Dyspepsia,
Ritche's Cough,	Stoughton's,
do. Catharic,	Sargeant's,
do. for Diarhœa,	Wolfe's Schnapps,
do. for bleeding Lungs,	SYRUPS AND COUGH REMEDIES.
Roberts' Sarsaparilla,	Dr. Keyser's Pectoral,
Townsend's do.,	Dr. Jaynes' Expectorant,
Bennett's Plant and Root,	Taylor's Balsam of Liverwort,
Louden's Indian Vegetable,	Schenk's Pulmonic,
Wright's do.,	Dr. Duncan's Expectorant,
Holloway's do.,	Nuttall's Syriacum,
Dyott's Anti-bilious,	Dr. M'Clintock's Pectoral,
Lee's New London,	do. Cough Mixture,
do. Windham,	Fitche's Pulmonary Balsam,
Dr. Cook's Bilious,	do. Expectorant,
Hibbard's do.,	do. Cherry Pulmonic,
Harris' sick headache,	Dr. Rose's Expectorant,
Radway's Regulators,	Ayres' Cherry Pectoral,
Moffat's Life,	Sellers' Cough,
Bragg's Anti-bilious,	Morgan's do.
do. Fever and Ague,	Remember the place,
Louden's do.,	DR. KEYSER'S,
Jaynes' Sanative,	No. 140 Wood street, corner
Brandreth's,	Virgin alley.
German,	mar1&daw

Dr. Morse's Invigorating Elixir and Cordial.—Whence proceed the lassitude, the depression, the debility, the indifference to life, the instability, the continual feeling of illness which it is impossible to define or localize, so common, so hard to bear, and so little pitied by the robust and healthy? We answer—from the stomach and the nervous system, between which there exists the closest sympathy. Want of vital energy, sluggishness in the secretive organs, a general *inertia* of the system, is at the bottom of all the difficulty. To rouse the whole organization from the torpor, to imbue it with new life, activity and vigor, and to sustain it in that condition, there is no preparation comparable with DR. MORSE'S INVIGORATING ELIXIR OR CORDIAL. Other stimuli may excite the dormant physical energies for a time, but like the night flash of the lightning that leaves behind it a deeper gloom, the exhibition of these exhilerants is followed, after the first convulsive effect is over, by a depression of body and mind more profound and paralysing than the disease. The remedy is literally worse than the disease. But the Elixir has a dynamic influence. It not only creates a new condition of the physical organization, but perpetuates it. The animal spirits are not only cheered and elevated by its agency, but kept up to their new level without flagging. A vegetable compound, congenial to the system, it seems to act upon the constitution itself, and to revolutionize it. In chronic diseases of the nerves, the stomach, and the liver, its operation is all but miraculous.

The Cordial is put up, highly concentrated, in pint bottles. Price three dollars per bottle, two for five dollars, six for twelve dollars. C. H. RING, Proprietor, 192 Broadway, New York.

Sold by Druggists throughout the United States, Canada, and the West Indies.

AGENTS.—FLEMING & BROS., No. 60 Wood street, Pittsburgh. DR. GEO. H. KEYSER, No. 140 Wood street, do. J. P. FLEMING, Allegheny City. my5&daw

[From the Pittsburgh Dispatch, February 4, 1854.]

Having worn one of Dr. Keyser's Washington Shoulder Braces, until it is no longer fit for service, we feel perfectly competent to discourse upon its merits. By taking the weight of the pantaloons from the hips, throwing back the shoulders, and expanding the chest, while it answers every purpose of suspenders. No one who is "stoop-shouldered" or whose occupation is sedentary, can afford to be without one of these braces. Women and girls, whose health is too often injured by the weight of their under-garments, should wear them. We have tried several kinds, but none seem at all equal to the "Washington," and we wish others to profit from our experience.

Sold wholesale and retail at the Drug Store, Geo. H. Keyser, No. 140, corner of Wood street and Virgin alley, sign of the Golden Mortar.

N. B.—I also keep every variety of Trusses, Supporters, Body Braces, Pile Props, Elastic Stockings, and Suspensory Bandages. myl&dw

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, 210 Liberty st., head of Wood. mar24

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.

Medicine Chests.—Dr. KEYSER, wholesale Druggist, of 140 Wood street, has on hand a splendid assortment of MEDICINE CHESTS, for families and steam boats, at various prices. Those in want of articles of this kind would do well to give him a call. fsb1

Public Sale of 10 Building Lots.

IN the village of COAL PORT, in Chartiers township, Allegheny county, Pa., three miles from the Ohio river, by way of the Little Saw mill Run Railroad, on SATURDAY, the 13th day of May next, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

This property lies in the village of Coal Port, contiguous to the Little Saw-mill Run Railroad and Coal Works.

These Lots are advantageously situated either for private residences or places of business. The village is a thriving and already prosperous one, lying in a rich and populous neighborhood, easy of access by the Railroad which passes through it.

Here is a favorable opportunity for persons of moderate means to secure the most desirable lots now for sale in the village. I invite persons desiring a location in this neighborhood to come and examine for themselves, as I believe nothing but inspection is needed to assure purchasers.

The Little Saw-mill Run Railroad, and passenger cars will make *ten* trips each day between the Ohio river and this village. A line of Ferry Boats constantly ply between the Railroad Depot at the river and the foot of Penn street, Pittsburgh. The Lots are thus brought practically close to the city.

A copious Spring of pure water runs in the rear of the Lots, at such an elevation that pipes may be laid with ease to afford an abundant supply to every house which may be erected.

On the day of the sale, passengers will be carried to and from the ground by the cars, free of charge.

The terms of sale are easy, one-fourth cash on conclusion of sale, the balance in three equal payments.

ELI NEELD, Proprietor. JAMES C. RICHEY, Auct. my8d&wtd

To Printers.

FOR SALE—A LARGE DOUBLE MEDIUM HAND PRESS, in good order, is for sale cheap, by L. & W. NEED, my6:2tdaltw corner Liberty and St. Clair sts.

BLACK DRESS SILKS, plain and figured; French Lawns; White Crape Shawls; Plain and figured Swiss Mulls; 500 dos Ladies' Mitts, Gloves and Stockings; just received at A. McGIGHE'S, my6 corner Grant and Fifth sts.

FIELD BOOK FOR RAILROAD ENGINEERS—Containing formulæ for laying out curves, determining frog angles, leveling, calculating earth-work, etc., etc., together with tables of radii, ordinates, deflections, long chords, magnetic variation, logarithms, and natural sines, tangents, etc., etc.; by John H. Henck, Civil Engineer. Pocket-book form, $1,75.

Narrative of a Voyage to the North-west Coast of America, in the years 1811, 1812, 1813 and 1814, or the first American Settlement on the Pacific: by Gabriel Franchere.

The Catacombs of Rome, as illustrating the Church of the first three centuries; by the Right Rev. Wm. Ingraham Kip, D. D.

Mrs. Partington's Life and Sayings, with illustrations.
The Art Student in Munich: by Miss Howitt.
The Lamp Lighter; thirty-fifth thousand.
Early Engagements: by Sarah Marshall Hayden.
Tempest and Sunshine; or, Life in Kentucky.
History of the French Protestant Refugees. For sale by H. MINER & CO., my6 32 Smithfield st.

Proclamation.

BY virtue of a precept under the hands of Wm. B. McClure, President of the Court of Common Pleas, in and for the 5th Judicial district of Pennsylvania, and Justice of the Court of Oyer and Terminer, and general Jail Delivery, in and for said District, and William Boggs and Gabriel Adams, Esqs., Associate Judges of the same county, in and for the county of Allegheny, dated the 1st day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, and to me directed, for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, at the Court House in the city of Pittsburgh, on the 1st Monday of June, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

Public notice is hereby given to all of the Justices of the Peace, Coroner and Constables of the county of Allegheny, that they be then and there, in their proper persons, with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations and other remembrances, to do those things which to their respective offices, in their behalf appears to be done—and also those that will prosecute the prisoners that now are or may be in the jail of said county of Allegheny, to be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Given under my hand, in Pittsburgh, this 1st day of May, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, and of this Commonwealth the 77th. WM. MAGILL, Sheriff. my8:td

LOST.—One pair SPECTACLES, gold frame, between the Board Trade Rooms, via Fourth, Market and Penn streets, and Fourth Ward School House. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving them at the warehouse of my8:3t ENGLISH & RICHARDSON, Water street.

MANILLA PAPER—100 reams, various sizes, just received and for sale by S. B. LAUFFER, my6 87 Wood street.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Pittsburgh Life, Fire and Marine Insurance Company.—The Stockholders of this Company are notified that according to the provisions of the supplement to the charter of the "Pittsburgh Life Insurance Company," an Election will be held at the office of the Company, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 3 P. M. on the 11TH DAY OF MAY, 1854, for eight additional members of the Board of Directors. By order. my2 CHAS. A. COLTON, Sec'y.

State Mutual Fire & Marine Insurance Company, OF PENNSYLVANIA.
Branch Office cor. Fourth and Smithfield sts., Pittsburgh.
Capital, 350,000 Dollars.

DIRECTORS: John P. Rutherford, Dauphin co; P. C. Sedgwick, Harrisburg; Samuel Jones, Philadelphia; A. Wilkins, Banker, Pittsburgh; A. A. Carrier, Pittsburgh; John B. Rutherford, Dauphin co; A. J. Gillett, Harrisburg; S. T. Jones, Harrisburg; Robert Klotz, Carbon co.

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The above company will insure against perils of sea and inland navigation and transportation; also, on buildings and merchandise in city or country, at lowest rates consistent with safety. Policies issued on dwelling houses either perpetually or for a term of years. ja13

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The attention of the community is especially invited to this company, as an institution based upon an ample capital, and conducted on the strictest principles of equity and economy. Policies issued on Boats, Cargoes, and property generally, by A. A. CARRIER, Agent. ja13 Office cor. Fourth and Smithfield sts.

CASH MUTUAL FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, of Pennsylvania. CAPITAL, $100,000. CHARTER PERPETUAL.
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Jacob S. Halderman,	Aaron Bornbaugh.

RUSSELL & OAKES, Agents, Office, in Lafayette Buildings, je3 (entrance on Wood street.)

CITIZENS' Insurance Company of Pittsburgh.—H. D. KING, President; SAMUEL L. MARSHELL, Secretary.
Office: 94 Water Street, between Market and Wood streets.
Insures HULL and CARGO Risks, on the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers and tributaries.
Insures against Loss or Damage by Fire.
ALSO—Against the Perils of the Sea, and Inland Navigation and Transportation.

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ASSOCIATED Firemen's Insurance Company of the City of Pittsburgh. J. K. MOORHEAD, President—ROBERT FINNEY, Secretary.

Will insure against FIRE and MARINE RISKS of all kinds. Office: No. 99 Water street.

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David Campbell.	ja12

Strange Development.—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, 27 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, Preatly & Means, J. P. Fleming. *Birmingham.*—A. Patterson, John G. 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 of myself and wife, before taking your PETROLEUM, or ROCK OIL. We took several bottles—two or three each—about 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 I have felt nothing of it since that time. My wife was also relieved 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

HYDRAULIC CEMENT.—The undersigned have constantly on hand a large supply of Beeson'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.

This CEMENT should be used for all underground, underwater, and exposed structures, for all important buildings, and for fire walls, coping walls, chimney tops, bridges, aqueducts, canal locks, and every species of brick and stone structure exposed to water, damp, or frost.

ENGLISH & RICHARDSON, apr15 116 Water street, 150 Front street.

Gould's Third Public Sale of Building Lots.—AT ROCHESTER, BEAVER CO., PA.

Will take place upon the premises, on SATURDAY, the 13th inst, at 10 o'clock. Persons desiring Lots at half-price, must apply soon, as the 150 set apart for those who build this season, 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

[W]ILSON'S DAGUERREOTYPES.—Post Office Buildings, Third street. Likenesses taken in all kinds of weather, from 8 A. M. to 6 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:ly

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:ly

Corns! Corns!! Corns!!! A great many persons are dreadfully tormented with corns. A certain remedy will be found in Dr. COHEN'S CORN PLASTER, for sale by Dr. GEO. S. KEYSER, 140 Wood street.

Price, retail at 12½ and 25 cts. per box. sep8

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:ly

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. JOHN YOUNG, JR., Secretary. jel:y

ANGERONA LODGE, I. O. 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 sufferings 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. [au27:1&w.

YELLOW OCHRE—4000 lbs just received and for sale by FLEMING BROS., Successor to J. Kidd & Co., apr29 No. 60 Wood street.

What do the Physicians say? Listen to the testimony of an eminent physician in favor of M'Lane's Vermifuge, which is now universally acknowledged to be the best in use; even members of the medical faculty (who are so often opposed to the use of patent medicines,) cannot withhold their approval of this invaluable remedy:

LIND, Stark county, Ohio, Jan. 8, 1849.

I have used Dr. M'Lane's Worm Specific in my private practice, and am prepared to say that the unparalleled success with which I have prescribed its use, both for children and adults, induces me to say the most in its favor of any specific or patent medicine ever before brought to my notice. The mode of administration, the smallness of the dose, and the certainty of the efficacious effects, give it, in my opinion, a decided advantage over any other medicine of the kind before the public.

Purchasers will be careful to ask for Dr. M'Lane's Celebrated Vermifuge, and take none else. All other Vermifuges, in comparison, are worthless. Dr. M'Lane's genuine Vermifuge, also his Celebrated Liver Pills, can now be had 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., my6 60 Wood street.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

95 Building Lots in Allegheny City at Auction.—The subscribers will offer at public auction on SATURDAY, May 20th, at 2 o'clock, on the premises, 95 Building Lots, situated in the Third Ward, Allegheny City and Reserve Township, between East Lane and Chesnut streets. This property, being convenient to the numerous manufacturing establishments in Allegheny City, the Fifth and Ninth Wards in the City of Pittsburgh, will afford a rare opportunity to persons working in those establishments to secure a pleasant and cheap home.

Terms of payment easy, which will be made known at time of sale. ROBERT GALWAY. JAMES MARSHALL. my9 JOHN SCOTT.

REGISTER'S OFFICE, PITTSBURGH, May 5, 1854.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following named persons have filed accounts of their several actions as administrators, executors, and guardians; and that said accounts will be presented to the Orphans' Court, in and for Allegheny county, for conformation and allowance, on MONDAY, the 5th day of June, A. D. 1854:

Final account of Hiram Gamble, guardian of John Gamble, minor heir of Hezekiah D. Gamble, dec'd.
Account of Thomas Graham and Thomas Harvey, administrators, cum testamento annexo, &c., of James Maffett, late of Morgan county, Ohio, dec'd.
Final account of Emily Miller and H. R. Kern, administrators of Michael Miller, dec'd.
Account of Wilhelmina Hattenhauer, administrator, &c., of Henry Hattenhauer, dec'd.
Second supplementary account of T. Bakewell, guardian of heirs of J. P. Bakewell, dec'd.
Account of Mary Barbara Garber, administratrix, &c. of John Garber, dec'd.
Account of Joseph Mitchell, executor, &c., of Ingram Dickson, dec'd.
Second supplementary account of D. Gilleland, administrator, cum testamento annexo, &c. of James B. Irwin, dec'd.
Account of John Slater, guardian of Mary Brayden.
Final account of Jacob Kinckerly, administrator, &c., of Jane Ballis, dec'd.
Final account of E. W. Worthington, administrator, cum testamento annexo, &c. of David Winters, dec'd.
Account of James Harding, administrator, &c. of Thomas Harding, dec'd.
Final account of J. V. Rowland, guardian of Francis L. Moore.
Account of Geo. R. Beam, administrator, &c. of Catherine Beam, dec'd.
Account of Henry Beck, executor, &c. of Wm. Griffiths, dec'd.
Account of Mary Gardiner, acting administratrix, &c., of Thos. Gardiner, dec'd.
Account of William M. Edgar, guardian of Margaret Ann Henderson.
Account of Mary Johns and Samuel Palmer, administrators, &c. of Wm. Johns, dec'd.
Account of Dr. J. Pollock, administrator, &c., of N. Carlisle, dec'd.
Account of John D. Davis, guardian of minor heirs of Jas. H. Davis, dec'd.
Account of James Benny, L. Wilcox, Jr., and Mary B. Kidd, executors, &c., of Jonathan Kidd, dec'd.
Final account of Joseph Wall and Harvey Applegate, administrators, &c., of Gideon Wall, dec'd.
Account of Francis Karns, executor, &c., of Isabella Miller, dec'd.
Account of Wm. Noble, surviving executor, &c., of Joseph Cooper, dec'd.
Account of John Gilfillan, administrator, &c. of William Snodgrass, dec'd.
Account of Thos. Payne, administrator, &c. of John Lowrie, dec'd.
Account of Mary B. Davis, administratrix, &c., of James H. Davis, dec'd.
Account of George Wyman, guardian, &c. of Elizabeth Peebles, minor heir of Samuel Peebles, dec'd.
Account of J. H. Goodwin, administrator, cum testamento annexo, &c., of Felix Negley, dec'd.
Account of James Speer, surviving administrator, &c. of Washington Hart, dec'd.
Account of John Phillips and A. H. McClelland, executors, &c., of Atdial Ramsey, dec'd.

my8:2td4tw ALEX. RICHARDSON, Register.

NEW MUSIC—The Herdsman's Mountain Home; Song of Liberty, or the March of Concord; Sweet Woman; Pop goes the Weasel, with a full description of figures; A Leaf; The Brightest Eyes; Fanny Polka; Cadet Polka Redowa; Buds and Blossoms—30 sacred melodies, with brilliant variations, and very elegantly bound for the Piano;

Just received; together with a selection of other fashionable music for the Guitar, Flute, and Violin, by H. SCHROEDER & Co., my9 No. 83 Fourth street.

JUST RECEIVED—Crystaline, or the Heiress of Falldown Castle, by T. W. Shelton; The Whimsical Woman, by Emilie F. Carlen; Woman and her Master, by F. Fetmilh; The Royal Favorite; or the Mysteries of the Court of Charles the Second—an historical romance; The Miller and his Men, or the Secret Robbers of Bohemia;

Received and for sale by W. A. GILDENFENNEY & CO., my9 No. 76 Fourth street.

PROPOSALS FOR COAL, SLACK AND LIME.—Sealed Proposals will be received at the office of the Pittsburgh Gas Company—addressed to Thomas Bakewell, Esq., President—until the 18th, at 8 o'clock P. M., for supplying the works with 150,000 bushels of Coal, 40,000 bushels of Slack, and 5,000 bushels of Lime, delivered in the Company's stores in such quantities and at such times as the board may direct. Payments, cash; reserving twenty per cent. to completion of contract.

Any information as to quality, can be obtained by application to the undersigned, at the works. my9:td W. B. CRISP, Engineer.

DEEDS, MORTGAGES, AND BONDS—And a general variety of books used by Attorneys, Aldermen, and Justices of the Peace, for sale by W. S. HAVEN, my9 Printer and Stationer, Market st., cor. of Second.

TRACING CLOTH—In rolls, 18, 24, and 30 inches wide For sale by roll or yard by W. S. HAVEN, Dealer in Engineer's Stationery, my9 Market street, corner of Second.

Public Auction Sale of Valuable Real Estate.

SITUATE ON FOURTH STREET ROAD, two and a half miles from the Court House.—The following described valuable Real Estate, will be sold at Public Auction, on WEDNESDAY, the 10th of May, 1854, at two o'clock, P. M., by the undersigned Executors of John R. Tomer, dec'd.

One Lot of Ground, consisting of about six acres, with two fronts; on which is the old Mansion House, Stable, a good Spring and Spring House; an Orchard, with a large number of Fruit Trees, of different kinds.

One Lot, consisting of about one acre, fronting on Fourth Street Road. Also, one Lot of about three quarters of an acre, fronting on Fourth Street Road.

TERMS—One fifth in cash, balance secured by mortgage, with interest, to be paid in two annual payments, two years after the death of the widow of deceased.

Also, at the same time and place, one acre of ground, adjoining the above six are lot, belonging to Jacob Tomer, will be offered for sale. JACOB TOMER, ADAM WEAVER, GEORGE GUMBERT, my8:4t Executors.

Forty-one Building Lots and Two Large Brick Dwelling Houses For Sale.

THE subscriber now offers the following well known and desirable property for sale, situate in the SEVENTH WARD, city of Pittsburgh, and but TEN MINUTES walk from the Court House.

ONE LARGE BRICK HOUSE, with nine apartments, situated on the corner of Colwell and Miller streets. Also, ONE LARGE TWO STORY BRICK HOUSE, with eight apartments, situated on Reed street. EIGHT Building Lots on Colwell street; TEN Building Lots on Reed street; TWENTY-THREE Building Lots on Miller street. This property is very conveniently situated, and will be very desirable for private residences.

The above property, if not sold at private sale, will be sold at Public Auction, on THURSDAY, May 11th, 1854, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

TERMS—One-fifth cash; the balance in TEN YEARS, with annual payments. For further particulars, enquire of the subscriber. JACOB TOMER, oct10:6m] on Colwell, near Vine sts, 7th Ward.

One Week More!

AND positively the last in Pittsburgh, of the celebrated Astrologist, MADAME BLANCHE, whose unparalleled success has attracted thousands to see her at the [illegible] Hotel. [illegible]

NEW BOOKS.—Woman and her Master; by [illegible] Smith, Esq., author of Stanfield Hall, [illegible] J. Frederick Minnie Grey, Gus Howard, etc., etc. [illegible] Fanny Lawrence, The Royal Favorite; or, the Mysteries of the Court of Charles the Second: by G. W. M. Reynolds. For sale by my3 H. MINER & CO., No. 32 Smithfield street.

Large Opening of Millinery and Fancy Goods.

No. 40 Market street, below Third street, Pittsburgh.

THE subscriber [illegible] opens to-day, MONDAY, at the above place, a large assortment of the above goods, comprising straw, fancy crape and silk Bonnets; cap and bonnet Ribbons; cape and [illegible] ribbons, illusions, crapes, French flowers, dress stock, [illegible] dresses, frames, crowns, &c., &c. The entire stock will be offered low; and CASH buyers will find it to their interest to call. J. D. BERND, my8:2t* Agent for Thomas Morgan, Philadelphia.

NEW BOOKS.—RUSSELL & BRO., 15 Fifth street, have received the following:

Despotism in America, an inquiry into the nature, results and legal basis of the slave holding system in the United States: by Richard Hildreth.
Woman and her Master: by the author of Harry Ashton, Gus Howard, &c.
Ivan, the Serf; a tale of Russia: by A. C. Burdick.
Narrative of a voyage to the Northwest coast of America: by Gabriel Franchese.
The Catacombs of Rome: by Right Rev. Wm. I. Kip.
Fresh supplies of Spirit Manifestations examined and explained: by John Bovee Dodds.
Mrs. Mowatt's autobiography of an actress.
Dr. Trall's new illustrated Hydropathic Encyclopedia.
The Lamplighter. my8

HARRIS' REPORTS—Just received this day, the 8th volume Harris' Pennsylvania State Reports, and for sale at 87 Wood street, by my6 SAMUEL B. LAUFFER.

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

ZINC WASH BOARDS—12 dos 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.

DRIED PEACHES—40 sacks for sale by apr3 SMITH & SINCLAIR.

BACON—24 casks Bacon Shoulders;
2 do Hams, a prime article, for sale by my2 J. A. HUTCHISON & CO.

SUGAR—65 hhds prime N. O. Sugar, just received and for sale by [my2] J. A. HUTCHISON & CO.

BACON—85 pieces shoulders, sides and hams, for sale by apr25 HENRY H. COLLINS.

LARD OIL—25 bbls No. 1 for sale by B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO., my1 corner Wood and First sts.

FRANK LESLIE'S Ladies' Gazette of Paris, London and New York Fashions, for May;
Putnam's Monthly, for May; just received and for sale at PAUL KLEINER'S Literary Depot, my3 Fifth st., opposite the Theatre.

AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE.—JOSEPH C. FOSTER, *Lessee and Manager*—Fifth street, above Wood......Prices of admission: Boxes and Parquette 50c; Private Boxes, large, $8; do. do. small, $5; Second Tier, 25c; Boxes for colored persons, 50c. Persons securing seats will be charged 12½ cts. extra for the certificate. Doors open at 7 o'clock; performance to commence at 7½ o'clock......Second appearance of the FAIRY STAR, whose triumph last night was hailed by the most enthusiastic audience that ever crowded the theatre......This evening, May 9th, 1854, will be presented the Irish comedy, written by Dion Bourcicault, entitled ANDY BLAKE......Andy Blake, (original character,) Miss Robertson; Gen. Daby, Mr. Batty......To be followed by Bourcicault's new piece of THE YOUNG ACTRESS. Maria, Sally Bacon, Paul, Effie Heatherbloom, and Corney, by Miss Robertson......To commence with MR. AND MRS. PETER WHITE......Mr. Peter White, Mr. Glassford; Major Pepper, Mr. Baily; Mrs. Peter White, Mrs. Brelsford......The "Fairy Star," Miss AGNES ROBERTSON, will appear to-morrow night in two popular characters.

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS by Mail or Telegraph, or Bills sent by Adams & Co.'s Express, will secure immediate attention. Refer to this office, the Hotels and Music Stores. CIRCUS AND MENAGERIE posting faithfully attended to. [my5:tf

Dancing and Waltzing Academy, AT CARGO'S HALL, (FORMERLY WILKINS HALL.)

PROFESSOR MEYER'S Classes are now open at the above rooms. Classes for Young Ladies and Children meet every WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY, at 4 o'clock; for Gentlemen at 8 o'clock, P. M. Gentlemen who cannot attend every lesson, can subscribe for a certain number of tickets. Each ticket represents a lesson, and must be delivered before the lesson commences; the consequence is, that no lesson is lost, unless the ticket is missing. Terms made known at Mr. M.'s residence, No. 21 Fifth street, or at the Academy during the hours of tuition. [my3:1w* [Journal copy and charge Post.]

CARGO'S HALL, (formerly Wilkin's Hall,) *Fourth street, near Smithfield*, 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 R. M. Cargo & Co., Fourth street, or at the Hall. mar21

JUST RECEIVED—
12 dozen Embossed Gum Rattles;
20 do Gum Teething Rings;
5 pounds White and Black Erasers;
6 gross assorted Elastics;
4 do ¾ inch Bands for Papers; for sale at the India Rubber Depot of J. & H. PHILLIPS, my4 No. 116 Market st.

RIDING CAPES—2 dozen Gentlemen's India Rubber Capes, with sleeves, just received and for sale at the India Rubber Depot, 116 Market street. my4 J. & H. PHILLIPS.

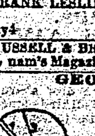
INDIA RUBBER LEGGINS, of the best quality of Metallic Rubber. Also, a commoner article, for sale at the Rubber Depot, 116 Market street. my4 J. & H. PHILLIPS.

THE HUNTER-NATURALIST—Romance of Sporting, or Wild Scenes and Wild Hunters: by C. W. Webber, author of Shot in the Eye, Old Hicks the Guide, Charles Winterfield papers, Gold Mines of the Gila, &c., &c. For sale by R. T. C. MORGAN, my4 104 Wood street.

FRANK LESLIE'S Ladies' Gazette, for May, for sale by R. T. C. MORGAN, my4 104 Wood street.

RUSSELL & BRO., 15 Fifth street, have received Putnam's Magazine, for May. my4

GEORGE SLETCHER, FROM NEW YORK,



MANUFACTURER of the celebrated Gossamer Ventilating Wig, Elastic Band Toupees, and every description of Ornamental Hair, for Ladies and Gentlemen, 79 FOURTH STREET, between Wood and Market, Pittsburgh.

SLETCHER'S system enables Ladies and Gentlemen to measure their heads with accuracy.

FOR WIGS.
No. 1. The round of the Head.
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No. 3. From ear to ear, over the top.
No. 4. From ear to ear, round the forehead.
For Toupees, to cover the top of the head only—a paper pattern, the exact shape of the bald part. [my4

Alderman Watson, *Office on Third street, opposite the old Post Office.*

WHERE all business pertaining to the office of Alderman and Justice of the Peace will be promptly attended to. Acknowledgments of Deeds and Mortgages, and other instruments of writing, taken at his office, or at the residence of the parties.

The Dockets of D. S. SCULLY, late an Alderman of the City of Pittsburgh, are placed in my possession. Persons having Judgments on said Dockets may have the necessary process issued thereon by Alderman Watson. [my3:tf

Notice to Stockholders.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE R. R. CO., Pittsburgh, February 24, 1854.

AGREEABLY to a resolution of the Board of Directors of the Pittsburgh and Connellsville R. R. Co., passed at a meeting held at the office of the Company, Neville Hall, in this city, on Wednesday the 22d inst. individual subscribers to the stock of said company are hereby notified that the 2d, 3d and 4th instalments of two dollars and fifty cents per share on their subscriptions will be due and payable at the office of the Company, on the 15th days of March, April and May next. WM. B. CURRY, Treasurer. feb25 P. & C. R. R. Co.

JOSEPH CHAPMAN, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN IMPORTED CIGARS, my31y No. 53 MARKET STREET, PITTSBURGH.

THE MERCHANTS AND MANUFACTURERS BANK has this day declared a Dividend of FIVE PER CENT. on its capital stock, out of the profits for the last six months, payable on or after the 13th inst. W. H. DENNY, Cashier. PITTSBURGH, May 2, 1854—[my3]

BANK OF PITTSBURGH, May 2, 1854.

THE President and Directors of this Bank have this day declared a Dividend of FOUR PER CENT. on the Capital Stock, out of the profits of the last six months, which will be paid to stockholders, or their legal representatives, on or after the 12th inst. my3:td JOHN SNYDER, Cashier.

WESTERN INSURANCE COMPANY, Pittsburgh, May 2, 1854.

THE President and Directors of this Company have this day declared a dividend of TWO DOLLARS per share on the Capital Stock, payable to stockholders on or after the 15th inst. [my3] F. M. GORDON, Secretary.

JERSEY PEACHES—27 bus choice Pared Peaches; 50 do Unpared Peaches; received and for sale by BAILEY & RENSHAW, my3 253 Liberty street.

CHOCOLATE AND COCOA—We have just received direct from the manufacturers, a fresh lot of
Bakers No. 1 Chocolate;
Do Perfectione Chocolate;
Do Vanilla do;
Do Eagle do;
Do Prepared Cocoa;
Do Broma; wholesale and retail by my3 BAILEY & RENSHAW.

VALUABLE MILL PROPERTY FOR SALE—Situate on the Sandy and Beaver Canal, seven miles from the Railroad at East Liverpool. A large stone GRIST MILL of 3 run of stone, every thing in complete order, and now doing a fair business; able to turn out 50 bbls of flour in 24 hours. Also, a SAW MILL, capable of sawing from 100 to 1500 feet of lumber daily. Also, a large WOOLEN FACTORY, without machinery. 2 dwelling houses, store house, stables, barns, &c. 96 acres of land, part in cultivation, balance in prime timber, for mill purposes; about 15 acres of meadow, and a good orchard. The above property is in good order, and will be sold at a bargain, as the owner is going further West.

For price, terms, &c., call at the Real Estate Office, of my8 S. CUTHBERT & SON, 140 Third street.

AGENCY FOR THE SALE OF LANDRETH'S WARRANTED SEEDS.—F. R. DRAVO, DIAMOND, Pittsburgh, Pa., has arranged with David Landreth, of Philadelphia, for a constant supply of his warranted Garden Seeds. These Seeds have, for many years, stood pre-eminent in this vicinity. None will be sold by him but those received direct from Landreth. mar[illegible]

JULLIEN'S MUSIC FOR THE MILLION—The [illegible] of this Music just received. Persons buying [illegible] pages of choice music for $1, and have a chance [illegible] to get 60 a Piano worth $500. Call and examine [illegible] of drawing apr1 SAMUEL [illegible]

WINDOW SHADES—A large stock [illegible] of new and beautiful designs; sold wholesale [illegible] and retail at the Oil Cloth warerooms, No. 116 Market street [illegible] apr3 J. & H. PHILLIPS.

PERRY & CO'S SUPERIOR STEEL PENS—A fresh supply of the Double [illegible] Acting Spear Pointed Barrew and Perryian Pens, [illegible] and extra fine points, just received by apr13 S. B. LAUFFER, 87 Wood st.

OIL AND [illegible] BUFF WINDOW BLINDS—Just received, a large supply, among them some new and splendid styles [illegible] superior to any thing of the kind ever brought to this city. SAMUEL B. LAUFFER, [apr]13 87 Wood st.

SHOT—25 kegs Patent Shot received per steamer Arctic, and for sale by [apr9] J. A. HUTCHISON & CO.

TO LOAN—$10,000, on 4 and 6 month's paper, by AUSTIN LOOMIS, april1 92 Fourth st., bet'n Wood and Smithfield.

FRANK LESLIE'S GAZETTE, FOR APRIL—G. R. PEARSON has received this beautiful Magazine of Fashions. Call or send to apr7 No. 74 THIRD Street, Dispatch Buildings.

ZINC PAINT—3 tons Snow White Zinc Paint, from the American Zinc Company, receiving and for sale by apr7 J. A. HUTCHISON & CO.

S. H. SYRUP MOLASSES—60 bbls S. H. S. Molasses received per steamer U. S. Mail, and for sale by apr7 J. A. HUTCHISON & CO.

GOLDEN SYRUP—
25 bbls Golden Syrup;
25 ½ do do;
60 kegs do. Received and for sale by apr7 J. A. HUTCHISON & CO.

HALL'S PERCUSSION SEAL PRESS—For making impressions of seals, and stamping envelopes, this press is superior to any other in use. Orders received by W. S. HAVEN, mar15 corner of Market and Second sts.

JOHN HERRON, Agent for Soldiers' Bounty Land and Pensions, has removed to Bruce's Law Office, corner of FIFTH and GRANT streets. feb28

SAL ROCHELLE—600 lbs for sale by mar8 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

POSITIVELY RECEIVED—Frank Leslie's Gazette of Fashions, by RUSSELL & BRO., apr5:1t No. 15 Fifth street, near Market.

HARPER, Godey, Putnam, and Graham's Magazines for April, for sale by R. T. C. MORGAN, apr1 104 Wood street.

STAR CANDLES—200 boxes, assorted numbers, in store and for sale by feb25 ENGLISH & RICHARDSON.

NEW PUBLICATIONS—Godey's Lady's Book; Peterson's Ladies' National Magazine and Yankee Notions, for May.

The New York Journal and People's Journal, for April. Popular Educator, for March.

Life and Sayings of Mrs. Partington, and others of the Family: edited by B. P. Shillaber. Received and for sale by PAUL KLEINER, Fifth street, apr24 opposite the Theatre.

BROOMS—200 dozen, for sale by apr22 M'CLURKAN, HERRON & CO.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—30 bbls for sale by my1 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

FULTON STREET PROPERTY.—For sale, No. 23 Fulton street, a House of 8 rooms, with good Lot; $1,000. No. 149 Fulton street, a House of 5 rooms, good store room and finished attic; $2,300. No. 151 Fulton street, six rooms and finished attic; $2,200. For terms enquire of S. CUTHBERT & SON, apr25 Real Estate Agents, 140 Third st.

Phonography.

H. WILLIAMS will give lessons in PHONOGRAPHY, at from 12 M. to 1 P. M., and from 4 to 5 o'clock, P. M., in his SCHOOL ROOM, corner of FERRY and LIBERTY Streets, Pittsburgh.

A knowledge of this delightful and useful art can be acquired in from twelve to twenty lessons, of an hour each. Terms, 25 cents per lesson. apr13:2w