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ARNOLD PLUMER,

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We would call the attention of MERCHANTS AND BUSINESS MEN to the fact that we have just received from Philadelphia a number of fonts of new Job Type, and are now prepared to fill orders for Cards, Circulars, Bill Heads, Paper Books, Posters, and Programmes for exhibitions. All orders will be promptly filled.

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AN EXPLANATION.—It is perhaps unnecessary for us to say that, in speaking yesterday of the "*tinkers*" who were trying to arrange a fusion scheme for selfish purposes, we only referred to some four or five individuals generally found about the corner of Fifth and Smithfield streets. There were many Democrats who honestly supposed that our best policy would be to form a mixed ticket with the Whigs. They had a right to entertain such an opinion; but we saw no chance of its success. In what we have said we refer not to such, but only to those who sought to manage the whole thing for selfish and dishonest views; and they were very few in number, and profess to be Democrats. We have said the same before, and were probably understood.

THE NEWS.

John B. Gough, the celebrated temperance lecturer, arrived in Boston, from England, on Friday last, on the steamer America.

The Democrats of York county in convention on Tuesday last, nominated Wm. H. Welsh for the State Senate, and Col. James Ramsey, Isaac Beck, and Samuel Maneer for Assembly.

The deaths at New Orleans from yellow fever during the past week numbered 138. It is considered that the epidemic in that city has now reached its climax, and a rapid improvement in the public health may be looked for.

Accounts from Virginia show no mitigation of the terrible scourge with which the inhabitants are afflicted. Thirty new cases of fever were reported in Norfolk on Thursday. In Portsmouth the deaths average eight a day.

At a Council of the South Carolina Know Nothings, they repudiated the doctrine of the proscription of Catholics, and provided for the admission into the Order of all eligible natives, of all religious creeds, upon a declaration disclaiming any binding allegiance, political or ecclesiastical, to any foreign power.

The ministers, rabbins and delegates of the Israelitish congregation throughout the Union, are called to assemble in Cleveland, Ohio, in October, to deliberate on the Union of American Israel; on the organization of a permanent regular Synod or Sanhedrim; on a plan for religious and scholastic education, and on all other matters of importance in regard to Judaism, which may be brought before the Conference.

PATENT OFFICE REPORT.

Hon. S. T. Shugert, Acting Commissioner of the Patent Office, has sent us "The Report of the Commissioner of Patents for 1854," in two large bound volumes, the second of which is filled with plates representing models of inventions. The business of the Patent Office is becoming very large in this inventive age. The number of inventions for which patents are sought is rapidly increasing, and it requires a large force at the office to dispose of the cases.

When Hon. Charles Mason, late Commissioner, went into the office, at the beginning of President Pierce's term, the business was far behind, and numerous cases had been long pending, at great expense to the applicants. An extra force was immediately employed, and this business is now brought up to the satisfaction of all parties concerned. Great credit is due to the officers in that department for their diligence in business. It is one of the most useful functions of our government—that of giving encouragement to inventive genius, and judging of the merits of all improvements in machinery and implements used in all branches of industry. In no country in the world are so many new inventions brought to light every year as in the United States, and in no country can a patent be obtained at so little expense.

☞ The Pittsburgh *Gazette* is getting terrible on the K. N.'s. It says that the sum and import of all their resolutions in this county are about as follows:

"*Resolved*, That we must carry this county—at some rate.

Resolved, That we are not able to do it without help from outsiders.

Resolved, That the county offices are worth something and we want them—we must have them.

Resolved, That in order to carry these offices, or make a respectable show in the county, the Organs must play fair Free Soil and Temperance tunes, from this forward.

Resolved, That plantations and "niggers" are well enough, but if we can't get them, we will rant on the Free Soil question, and take the county offices—if we can.

Resolved, That we must have office—that is what we got up the party for."

That is a pretty serious charge for the *Gazette* to make. It is not likely that K. N.'s and Republicans can *fuse* when such a spirit is manifested by the organ of the latter against the former.

HELP FOUND.—The *Journal*, of this city, was in extacies yesterday morning because Mrs. Swisshelm favors the Know Nothings. As Mrs. S. and the editor of the *Journal* publish a joint paper such a decision on the part of that lady was to be expected. "*Help for the Americans*," as the *Journal* calls it, is found at last. And what of it? We have found help for the Democrats, too, without buying an ism. Help for the Democrats is found in their own indomitable energy, their awakened zeal and determination, and their time honored principles. No amalgamation of discordant elements can long beat down a party so compact and so determined as the Democracy. Mrs. Swisshelm is a good writer and a respectable lady, but all help can't save the Know Nothings from impending defeat. That bubble has burst: the charm is broken, and the people are recovering their sober reason. "Help" may be found, but it looks very much now as though it had "come too late."

THEY ARE LEAVING.—Almost every day we hear that Democrats are leaving the Know Nothing party, and coming back into the ranks of our party again. We welcome them back. We trust they will continue to come till we recover our full strength, and more too. "They have seen *Sam*;" and don't like him. The mistake of going to see him was a bad one, but it can be repaired. Curiosty misleads a good many people in this world, but experience sets them right again. Come back, gentlemen, the Democratic party is large and liberal. It *prescribes no man* for errors of the past. It welcomes to its ranks all who accept its principles and help to support its cause. The party will give a good account of itself this fall; and it welcomes all who are opposed to proscription on account of religion or birth, and all who would support the Union and the Constitution.

POLITICAL NEWS.

Jefferson county, Iowa, which last fall gave 194 fusion majority, has just elected a full Democratic ticket by 40 majority.

The American Despatch, a Know Nothing paper at Hartford, Conn, has been stopped for want of support.

The Indianapolis State Sentinel contains a call for a mass meeting of the Democracy at that place, on the 25th inst., signed by over eight hundred citizens.

At a late election in Keokuk, Iowa, the Democratic candidates had majorities ranging from 34 to 101, or an average of 58. In April last, the Know Nothings carried the city by 201 majority.

In Davenport Iowa, at the recent election, there was a Democratic majority of 150. The whole county (Scott) gave an average Democratic majority of about 100. In April last, fusion and Know Nothingism had 350 majority in the county.

On the 16th inst. the municipal election of Georgetown, D. C., came off. The Know Nothings polled 241 votes: their opponents 240. At the election for Mayor a few months ago the Know Nothing candidate was elected by 156 majority. Is not that a "tumble down?"

The New York Courier thinks that no party will have a majority in the next House of Representatives, and the national organization of the Know Nothings have been broken up, its members will join the Republicans or Democrats, according to their previous affinities.

The Memphis Eagle has hoisted the name of Millard Fillmore for the Presidency, subject to the decision of the Know Nothing National Convention. He won't do; and that National Convention will blow up like the last. The London correspondent of the New York Times says of Mr. F., who is in London:

"Mr. Fillmore is at the Hotel de Londres, and receives vast crowds of visitors. A child who has already seen a good deal of him, said yesterday to her mother, "Mother, I like Mr. Fillmore: he always looks so clean and nice!" To appreciate this opinion, you must know that in his linen and the care of his beard, Mr F. is the neat particular of men."

ATCHISON & CO.—The following item from the Cleveland *Plaindealer*, should it prove true, will be a stumper for the opponents of Democracy. It will certainly produce some sensation among our northern Know Nothings who have so loudly condemned the conduct of Missourians in late Kansas affairs. It deserved condemnation; but if the Know Nothings are the guilty parties the fact should be known at once. Let us have the certificates, Mr. *Democrat*. We thought it was a little singular how such a well organized foray into Kansas could be got up so quietly, and yet upon so extensive a scale. A secret society could do it, and it will, if it does so one illustration of the beauties of secret political societies. They can be used for any purpose:

"The St. Louis *Democrat* says that there is not the least doubt that the notorious, if not infamous, David Atchison, of Missouri, who had been the head of the party in Missouri that would force slavery into Kansas against the wishes of her people, as a *member of the Kansas Nothing Order*, and has accomplished the Kansas outrages through its instrumentality. It declares that several members of the Order will soon give the certificates of Atchison's connection with them. Wonder what the Know Nothings and Abolitionists in Ohio, who have had so much to say about Kansas matters, will say to this exposure.

LECOMPTON.—The Kansas Legislature has passed an act making Lecompton the permanent seat of government of Kansas. It is called for Judge Lecompte, who is one of the principal owners of the tract of land on which it is located. It is situated on the Kansas river, about 60 miles from Westport, in a country well supplied with timber, and having good water power. This act of the Legislature, if affirmed, will make fortunes for a number of persons. A letter writer says:

"Yesterday, shares in the Lecompton Town Company could have been bought for one hundred dollars; to day, they cannot be bought for less than one thousand, except when a party is compelled to sell by a money pressure. This evening, men are considered worth ten thousand, who, last evening, were considered worth nothing. To day, men are regarded as good for fifty thousand dollars, who, yesterday, were regarded as good for several hundred less than nothing. What is it that fickle fortune will not do for lucky people?"

OHIO RIVER.—We are glad to see that the Philadelphia papers are a good deal "stirred up" on the subject of the Ohio river improvement. They are all in favor of it, too. That thing will succeed yet, and be of immense benefit to Pittsburgh.

The Philadelphia *Argus* of Saturday last says:

"The improvement of the Ohio, as contemplated, by means of a slackwater navigation, or by any other means likely to insure uninterrupted navigation, is a matter of the greatest and most undeniable importance to the trade and prosperity of our city, and the enterprise should meet the readiest and promptest encouragement from our business men and capitalists, so that in whatever direction their efforts may be put forth towards the attainment of the desired end, they be united and earnest so as to carry the utmost weight and influence."

DICKENS' HOUSEHOLD WORDS.—The September number of this monthly is received from the publishers. It is needless to praise this periodical. Its merits are well known: and it has a wide circulation among intelligent and admiring readers.

TERMS.—Three dollars a year, or Twenty-five Cents a number; those remitting Three dollars will receive the Magazine free of postage. Bound Volumes of Six Months' Twenty-five Cents each; Bound Volumes from the commencement of publication supplied to order. Clubs—Two copies, Five Dollars; Three copies, Six Dollars; Five copies, Eight Dollars and Seventy five cents. Putnam's Monthly and Household Words, Five Dollars.

THE CONVENTION.—We hope the Convention to-morrow will not load the party down with long strings of resolutions. The principles of the Democracy are well known. It is opposed to all proscription on account of birth-place or religion; and it opposes all sectional issues and parties that endanger the stability of the union of these States. Those are the issues we have to meet now; and we welcome help from all quarters to meet them.

☞ We regret to announce the death of Mr. John J. Crowley, a compositor in this office, at the age of nineteen years, who died yesterday. Mr. C. learned his trade in this office. His steady and industrious habits, and amiable and obliging disposition, won him friends wherever he was known. To his widowed mother he was a dutiful son, and her main support. All connected with this office will sincerely condole with her in this her bereavement.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.—James Robinson, of Indiana township, will be supported by many friends for the office of County Commissioner. He is well qualified for the office, and would no doubt make a good and faithful officer in that position. Several good names are mentioned in connection with that office, and our only choice is a good one.

RAILROADS IN PROPHECY.—It may not have occurred to every one that the modern invention of railroads figures in the pages of ancient prophecy. But if not, what is the meaning of this passage, which in our good old version of the Scriptures may be found in Nahum, 2d chapter, 4th verse: "The chariots shall rage in the streets, they shall justle one against another in the broadways, they shall seem like torches, they shall run like lightning." That description is not peculiarly applicable, as we perceive, to a stage-coach or an omnibus, but it is a picture to the life of an express train raging along the broadways of railroad travel.

☞ If a man deceive you, trust him not again; if he strikes you, thrash him like smoke if you are able.

CURIOSITY.—Looking over the affairs of others, and overlooking your own.

The Command of the Army in the East.

The London *Post* says: There have been many rumors lately in circulation of the recall of the present Commander-in-Chief of the British army in the Crimea. These rumors, we are able to state, are without foundation, as not only has General Simpson not been recalled, but there is no reason to suspect the slightest intention of recalling him.

At the same time it is proper to state that General Simpson's health is not of the strongest, and that, therefore, it will excite but little surprise if he finds himself unable to cope for a protracted period with the vast labors and incessant anxieties of the chief command.

It is not probable, in the event of General Simpson's coming home, that a new Commander-in-Chief will be sent out from England, as Lord Raglan was the only one of the veterans of our last great war that was really fit for service.

STATE OF SEBASTOPOL.

The Odessa correspondent of one of the Parisian journals furnishes the following letter, received from a Russian merchant, still a resident in Sebastopol:

My prolonged silence has made you believe I was neglecting you. Not at all; but I was obliged to emigrate and abandon my quarters for a subterraneous habitation, or rather cellar, whither I was driven, whether or no, by the shot and shell of the enemy. My house suffered from the beginning of the bombardment of the town; the windows were broken and the roof knocked into holes, but we managed to hold on though in a continual panic. However, about the middle of June two shells fell, one into the kitchen and the other into the warehouse, and leveled them both to the ground.

The enemy recommenced a murderous cannonade on the 17th, at 9 in the morning. I was writing in my office, when a ninety-six pounder from the French battery opposite Bastion No. 1, passed through two walls and the stove and fell just at the third. Ten minutes afterwards a shell of two hundred weight burst in the midst of the court. After that it would have been madness to think of stopping. In fact, by the evening the house was in ruins from top to bottom. Shot, shell and rockets were crossing in every direction. Very many of the houses that survived the bombardment of the last nine months are now in ruins. A great number of inhabitants were killed or wounded while hastily carrying whatever they could into mines and pits. The cellar in which I now am is dug out of the rock, has no window, and but one means of egress or ingress. My furniture consists of a table—that is, of a cask turned on its end, while a smaller one serves me for a stool. My bed is of primitive simplicity—a bundle of hay covered by a rug.

The warehouses and shops are removed into Fort Nicholas. The goods are placed in a long corridor on the ground floor, which is vaulted over. The public offices—those of the Governor, the Port, the Magistracy, the Police, the Customs, &c., are all in the same fort. One of the buildings is also appropriated to the dispensary. The grand house, the head quarters of General Osten-Sacken, and of General Kismer, the commandant of Sebastopol; and the troops are quartered in the upper stories. In short, the whole town has moved into Fort Nicholas.

On the 8th of July, Innokentie, the archbishop of Cherson and the Turida, celebrated divine service before Prince Gortschakoff, General Osten Sacken, Admiral Nachimoff, and all the officers both of the sea and the land services. The Archbishop brought to Prince Gortschakoff the pictures of the Saints sent by the cities of Kieff, Voronezh, Moscow, and other places, and addressed the troops as follows before giving them his blessing: "Valiant warriors, holy Russia prays for you, and sends you these pictures, whose power has no equal in this world. Pray to them, and trust in God that it will be his pleasure to drive the enemy from the soil of the Crimea." Prince Gortschakoff thanked the Archbishop, and then, turning to the troops, led off three cheers.

The visit of the Archbishop, who returned to Bakhtchi-Serai, somewhat raised the spirits of the soldiers, and the small number of inhabitants left.

[From the New York Herald.]

Financial Movements in Europe.

People on this side the Atlantic, who see with what trouble a huge corporation like the Erie Railroad raises some thirty five to forty millions to carry out an enterprise which is certain in the long run to pay at least something on the investment—or who remember the anguish of mind and State embarrassments caused by the necessity of raising a hundred millions or so for the last war with Great Britain—can hardly form an adequate conception of the financial movements of Europe at the present time. In a recent article we had occasion to sum up the various amounts which, up to that time, had been raised by the belligerents for war purposes. Since then, some slight additions have been made, and we now give the list, as corrected up to the present time:

English loan	$[illegible]	$[illegible]
Do	50,000,000	[illegible]
French loan	250,000,000	250,000,000
Do	100,000,000	100,000,000
Do	75,000,000	100,000,000
Turkish loan	2,000,000	3,000,000
Do	5,000,000	10,000,000
Total		$549,500,000

To these must be added the loans effected by Prussia and Austria at the commencement of the war, some fifty millions more; and a small loan recently effected by the King of Sardinia under the guarantee of England.

Altogether, independently of the Russian expenses, which must have been enormous, the cost of the war, in money actually laid out for soldiers' pay, provisions and munitions of war, has already exceeded six hundred millions of dollars; nearly all of which has been raised within eighteen months.

COWHIDING EXTRAORDINARY.—Yesterday afternoon, two young ladies of the fancy order, residing in the house with the green door, Locust street, below Eleventh, repaired to the house of Mrs. Rogers, Locust street, below Twelfth, one of them having first provided herself with a cowskin. Upon ringing the bell, Mrs. Rogers came to the door, whereupon the young lady asked her if she was Mrs. Rogers "I am," was the reply. "What do you keep?" was asked. "A boarding house," was the rejoinder. "A boarding house, do you—a boarding house, ha, a boarding house, indeed, and keep my husband, do you?" said the young lady with the cowskin, at the same time drawing the weapon from under her apron, and seizing Mrs. Rogers with her other hand. Without more ado, she quickly and energetically applied it to the shoulders of Mrs. R., who in vain attempted to break away. After inflicting as many strokes as she thought a sufficient punishment for keeping, as she said, her husband (!) from her, she left the house, signifying to Mrs. Rogers that she would give her a little more if she came out upon the pavement. The affair created some little excitement in the neighborhood, but the police, inasmuch as the cowhiding took place inside of the house, did not think it worth while to interfere in the matter.—*Phila. Argus.*

THE SULTAN AND HIS FINANCIAL DIPLOMACY—ON THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE WOMEN.—It has been generally supposed that the treasury of the Sultan had been cleaned out by the Russian war; and that the late loan to Turkey, passed by the British Parliament, was for the purpose of relieving his immediate necessities. But upon reading the following among the news items of the last steamer, we are led to a different conclusion:—

"A letter from Constantinople, of July 19th, says:—'The Sultan has ordered magnificent necklaces in brilliants to be made, as presents for Queen Victoria and the Empress Eugenie; and saddles, all embroidered in brilliants, to be made for the Emperor, the King of Sardinia, and Prince Albert. The value of these presents will be about 2,000,000 francs.'"

Four hundred thousand dollars or so in presents from a bankrupt is rather a cool operation—but it is doubtless intended as bait for another impending loan of ten or twenty millions; and it will bring it, or jewelry will have lost its charm among the fair sex. The Sultan ought to know.

☞ Col. Marshall P. Wilder, President of the United States Agricultural Society, has made an application to the Board of Aldermen of Boston, for the use of a square of vacant land, about forty acres at the south end, for the purpose of the great national exhibition of the United States Agricultural Society, in October next. It is proposed to have in connection with the show of fruits, flowers, implements, cattle, &c., of this demonstration, a magnificent horse exhibition, which shall exceed in extent and beauty that at Springfield two or three years since. Various cities have made application for this great display—Philadelphia tendering $5,000 to cover any anticipated excess of expenditure; but Boston, through its leading citizens, has guaranteed $10,000, and will have the show. It is estimated a hundred thousand strangers will visit the city to attend the exhibition.

☞ The poetical correspondent of the Detroit Advertiser thus decribes Louisville:

"This town does very curious seem,
For boys run loose at random;
And when folks want a splendid team,
They hitch two jackasses before a dray, and a big negro with a red shirt on sp behind to drive 'em tandem

[From the Pennsylvania Patriot.]

A PICTURE.

Her form was jaunty, as daintily made
As the marble designs of old Phidias;
And her face, why Lord bless me! an angel's bride
Would, in contrast, look perfectly hideous.
Her step was *not faun-like*—that simile's worn
To the verge of a threadbare starvation—
But I swear that she moved with a motion as free
As the freiest thing in creation.

In a shadowy glen she gracefully stood,
Or, rather, reclined on the bank of it,
And the water that gushed from the spring by her side,
Seemed to sparkle with joy as she drank of it.
And I, like a slave, lay stretched at her feet
And moved with devotion her bonnet,—
Now sheepishly longing to give her a kiss,
Now swearing to pen her a sonnet.

But her eyes rested not on the things around
On me, and the leaves, and the fountain,
But I saw that with dreamy gaze they were fixed
On a brow of a far off mountain:
And I thought, as I looked, how sweet to soar
To that re-less so dim and romantic,
And stroll by her side, with my arm round her waist—
The bare thought made me perfectly frantic

"Oh! Mary," said I, in a tremulous tone,
"I swear that I'll never reveal it,
What thought chains your gaze to you far distant hill
I conjure you not to conceal it—
Perchance 'tis the scene of some earlier love,
Or the home of some heart dearly cherished;
Or, perchance, on that spot, darling hopes have grown up
And ripened, and withered and perished."

She pensively paused as she looked in my face,
And her heart with some secret seemed swelling,
And I, like an asses, now nervously stood
And awaited with awe for the telling—
"And must I reveal it?" she said, with a sigh,
So sweet that the air seemed to feed on it,
"Well, dad's tenant's run off from that patch just up thar,
And the *ingens* is running to seed on it!"

Still cushes that spring with a musical trill,
And that shadowy glen still frowns sternly,
And that distant patch, which so fixed her gaze,
At this season, no doubt, smells infernally;
But whenever I love as I mean to love,
With a faith like the Pilgrim in Bunyan,
The deal who shares my Dinah's deep sighs,
Shall never, by Jove, be an onion!

RIDGWAY, Elk County, Pa., August, 1856.

ONE OF THE BOYS.—A few days ago a youngster some six or seven years of age, stepped in to Dr. Fred. Brown's store, and asked Dr Withington for a first rate cigar.

"Do you smoke, Tommy?" inquired the Doctor.

"Now and then," was the reply.

"Folks all well, Tommy?"

"So so-ish—pretty comfortable."

"I saw your mother the other day; she was dressed in deep mourning. Who is that for, Tommy?"

"Why, you know that father has been very sick?"

"Yes; but bless me, he ain't dead, is he?"

"Dead? no! He's got nearly well; and mother was so disappointed she put on mourning, and says she is wearing it for an aunt of mine who died some time ago; but you and I understand it, Doctor—that's all in a pig's eye. You don't want to step over to Young's, and moisten the alimentary, do you?"

"No."

"Well, Frank Goell's a perfect trump—I guess I'll go and see him. Good morning, Doctor—*Boston Times.*

THE WINTER CAMPAIGN.—The preparations (says the *Vienna Military Gazette*) made by the Allies for wintering in the Crimea, are of truly astonishing proportions. Kamiesch, Balaklava, Eupatoria, Yenikale, have become military establishments of vast importance. The works at the two first named places, more particularly, are of a character to retain their importance even if the siege of Sebastopol were abandoned. The possession of these positions will compel the Russians to keep a large army in the Crimea. It is believed that the arrangements for the campaign of 1856 include the concentration of an army at Varna, Burgos, and on the Bosphorus, while the field artillery, cavalry, and means of transport will be stronger than that in the Crimea, and to which detachments now in the Crimea would be added preparatory to operations in a new field. Whether the Kars business will be taken and the Russian fleet destroyed, or the next assault be repulsed, the siege will equally be raised, and only the four points above named be occupied.

☞ We see by the Court Records that the two counterfeiters, White, of Buffalo, and Lawrence, of Epping, N. H., have been placed under ten thousand dollar bonds, each, for making and selling, imitations of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. This is right. If the law should protect men from imposition at all it should certainly protect them from being imposed upon by a worthless counterfeit of such a medicine as Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. We can only complain that the punishment is not half enough. The villain, who would for paltry gain, deliberately trifle with the health of his fellow man, by taking from their lips the cup of hope, when they are sinking and substituting a falsehood—an utter delusion, should be punished at least as severely as he who counterfeits the coin of his country.—*Green County Banner, Carrollton, Ill.*

☞ We understand that the President has offered to Dr. P. Parker the appointment of United States Commissioner to China, in the place of the Hon. R. M'Lane, resigned, and it has been accepted by him. We believe no better appointment could have been made for that important and difficult mission. Dr Parker has been a resident of China for twenty years or more, and has for a long time been connected with it as Secretary of Legation, &c., is well acquainted with the language and people of that country and its present complicated political concerns. Dr Parker is now on a visit to the United States, but will soon return to, enter upon the duties of the situation which has been assigned to him.—*Phila. Argus.*

SINGULAR SUICIDE.—On Wednesday last, a young man, a stranger in the town of Coburg, N Y, went round the town and regularly summoned a coroner's jury to meet at the house of Mr. Brody, coroner, at 12 o'clock that day. At the hour appointed, he came himself to the kitchen door of Mr. Brody's house, entered, and proceeded deliberately to a table, opened a drawer, and taking a case-knife therefrom, drew it across his throat. He then started up stairs, but fell near the top, and expired before help could be obtained.—*Ontario Reporter.*

☞ The man who runs down the girls, speaks ill of married women, throws a quid of tobacco into the contribution box, and takes a penny out to buy more, can never have any peace in this world. Bedbugs, mosquitoes, and the nightmare, and all the bobgoblins of a guilty conscience, will haunt him on his way to that well heated prison, where the convicts are fed on cinders and squawfortis soup, and are allowed no other amusement than to sit and pick their teeth with a red hot poker through all eternity.—*Dow, Jr.*

A girl thirteen years old, at Hartford, Conn., is a splendid swimmer and diver, and boldly jumps into the water from a pier thirty five feet high. She is not encumbered with a bathing dress on those occasions.

The editor of the Rochester Democrat gives this receipt to kill fleas on dogs: Soak the dog for five minutes in camphene, and then set fire to him. The effect is instantaneous.

Dennision, the Chicago post office robber, has been convicted and sentenced to ten years' imprisonment.

☞ There are two reasons why we don't trust a man; one because we don't know him, and the other because we do.

☞ **Diseases of the Liver.**—When the celebrate I Dr. Rush declared that drunkenness was a disease, he enunciated a truth which the experience and observation of medical men in every day confirming. The many apparently insane excesses of those who indulge in the use of spirituous liquors, may be thus accounted for. The true cause of conduct, which is taken for infatuation, is very frequently a diseased state of the Liver. No organ in the human system, when deranged, produces a more frightful catalogue of diseases. And if, instead of applying remedies to the manifestations of disease, as is too often the case, physicians would prescribe with a view to the original cause, fewer deaths would result from diseases induced by a deranged state of the Liver. Three-fourths of the diseases enumerated under the head of Consumption, have their seat in a diseased Liver. (See Dr. Gunn's great works.)

Purchasers will please 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.

☞ Dr. M'Lane's genuine Liver Pills, also his celebrated Vermifuge, can now be had at all respectable Drug Stores in the United States and Canada.

Also, for sale by the sole proprietors,

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Lungs! Lungs!!

Persons suffering from diseases of the throat or lungs are, in a great majority of cases, completely restored to health by a faithful trial of Dr. Curtis' Hygeana or Inhaling Vapor. By the Doctor's new method of treatment, the medical agent is brought in direct contact with the diseased parts, and cannot fail of having a beneficial effect. All druggists sell it. See advertisement in this paper.

Caution—Dr. CURTIS' HYGEANA is the original and only genuine article. jel8:3wdaw

☞ **Stocking Factory.**—C. DALY'S Stocking Factory, where everything is made in the HOSIERY LINE, is at the corner of St. Clair and Penn streets. He is continually turning out every variety of Hosiery, well made and suitable to the season, which may be always obtained Wholesale and Retail at his Store, corner of Market alley and Fifth street. Don't forget the name—C. DALY and No 29 sp22

POLITICAL.

☞ Please publish the following ticket, and oblige PHILO-CARSITES.

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☞ **To the Democracy and Qualified Voters of Allegheny County.**—Having seen my name in the Pittsburgh Post and Union presented by some one as a candidate for a seat in the House of Representatives at the coming October election, I feel grateful to the kindness of my friends deeming me a suitable person to fill a seat in the Legislative hall of the Keystone State—nevertheless, owing to my having solicited a number of the Democratic party to place me on their ticket for the office of Prothonotary, I feel compelled to decline a nomination by said Convention as a member of the Legislature; still asking my friends of the Democratic party a nomination for the office of Prothonotary.

JOHN H. MCELHINNY,
of Jefferson Township.
At this season, no doubt, smells infernally;
But whenever I love as I mean to love,
With a faith like the Pilgrim in Bunyan,
The deal who shares my Dinah's deep sighs,
Shall never, by Jove, be an onion!

☞ **MATTHEW HARRISON**, OF ROBINSON TOWNSHIP, will be a candidate for the office of SHERIFF of Allegheny County, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention. 1y24

☞ **JAMES ROBINSON**,
OF INDIANA TOWNSHIP,
WILL be a Candidate for nomination for the Office of COUNTY COMMISSIONER, on the Democratic Ticket, at the October Election.

☞ **Sheriffalty.**—GEORGE R. RIDDLE, of the City of Allegheny, will be a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Allegheny County, at the ensuing election. 1y24awtw

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