MEETING OF COUNCILS.

The Seat of Andrew J. Catherwood—Construction of Sewers—The Contested Seats of Common Council—The European Line of Steamships.

Both branches of Councils held their regular stated meeting yesterday afternoon.

SELECT BRANCH.

President LYND in the chair.

Petitions and Communications.

From the officers of the 139th Regiment, asking for certain bounty to their men.

Against the location of a municipal hospital in the Ninetieth ward.

For a culvert on Second street, from Columbia avenue to Fulton street.

A remonstrance against the occupancy of Richmond Hall as a municipal hospital.

For the location of the Franklin and Hand-in-Hand Fire Companies.

From the Controllers of the Public Schools, asking an appropriation of $400 to purchase a new diploma-plate for the Girls' High School; the original one is missing, supposed to have been stolen.

Also, one asking the Pennsylvania Railroad to advance $100,000, coming due to the city, to pay the salaries of school teachers up to April 1. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Reports of Committees.

The Committee on City Property offered an ordinance directing the sale of a lot of ground at the northeast corner of Twenty-first and Callowhill streets for a sum not less than $3,000.

After some little discussion as to the title of the lot, the bill passed.

Mr. WETHERILL, from the Committee on Railways, reported a resolution directing the City Solicitor to take such legal steps as may be necessary, to test the right of a certain corporation now laying railway track in Lombard and South streets. Agreed to.

The Committee on Law reported a resolution changing the place of voting in the eighth precinct o the First ward to No. 702 Dickerson street. Agreed to.

Construction of Sewers.

The Committee on Surveys reported an ordinance authorizing the construction of a sewer four feet in diameter, at Thirty-sixth and Walnut streets, in the Twenty-fourth ward, at a cost of $4,000. Agreed to.

The same committee also reported in favor of constructing a culvert on Twenty-third street, from Pine to South, at a cost of not more than $1,600. Agreed to.

A further report was also presented in favor of constructing a culvert on Seventh street, from Morris to Tasker. Also, for a sewer on Christian street, from Twenty-third street to the Schuylkill. Agreed to.

The Committee on Finance reported a resolution to satisfaction on the official bonds of Augustus J. Batton, collector of outstanding taxes in the Fifth ward.

Mr. WETHERILL offered a resolution making it unlawful for the City Controller to countersign any warrant for any bill unless the regular committee shall have concurred and acted upon the same. Postponed until next week.

Mr. WETHERILL offered a resolution inquiring why the City Treasurer retains in his hand large amounts of the receipts from taxes, and styled by him city debt account; and why not used by him to meet demands upon the treasurer, but retained to meet the interest due in July next. Agreed to.

The Members from the Twenty-fifth Ward.

Mr. ZANE offered a preamble and resolutions in reference to Andrew J. Catherwood holding his seat as a member of Select Council. The preamble sets forth that the qualifications of a member of Select Council are the same as are required by the Constitution of Pennsylvania for members of the Senate; and that Andrew J. Catherwood tendered his resignation as a member of Select Council, and is now and has for some time past removed from the district for which he was chosen, and thus rendered himself ineligible and morally disqualified; therefore,

Resolved, That a committee of five be appointed to examine into the facts of the case, and report to Council at an early day.

On a motion to suspend the rules the yeas and nays were called by Mr. KING.

The Democrats, with Mr. Brightly, refused to answer to their names. Only twelve persons answered to their names.

A call of the House was demanded. The roll was again called, and only the twelve Republican members answered.

Mr. ZANE wanted to know whether members present in the Chamber were not obliged to answer to their names when a call of the House was demanded.

The CHAIR stated that this had not been the usage of the Chamber, although it was done.

A motion was made to adjourn, but afterwards withdrawn.

The call of the House was again taken, when only twelve members answered to their names.

The CHAIR decided that no quorum was present.

Mr. ZANE finally withdrew his preamble and resolutions, and business was proceeded with.

Mr. ZANE moved that the preamble and resolutions be not entered on the minutes. Agreed to.

The Committee on Schools reported an ordinance appropriating $5,000 for expenses in the Fourteenth school district.

Bills from Common Council.

An ordinance to refund taxes paid under an erroneous assessment was concurred in.

Also, resolutions to enter satisfaction on the official bonds of numerous city officials.

The resolution granting certain powers to the Board of Health was referred to the Committee on Health. Adjourned.

COMMON BRANCH.

Mr. SULZBY offered a resolution accepting the resignation of Wm. Messer. Agreed to.

Communications.

The annual report of Girard College was presented.

A communication was read asking that Councils refund water rent which had been paid twice at the office of the Register of Water.

A communication was received representing that the Independent Line of Telegraph is now in successful working order from the city of Portland to the Merchants' Exchange in this city. The company propose constructing a telegraph from the city of Philadelphia to the city of Washington, to connect with the line from Baltimore to Harrisburg, and with the Independent Line to New York, Boston, and Portland. The company ask the privilege of constructing telegraph poles on certain streets of the city.

Petitions were received from the Assistance and Western Hose Companies, asking to be placed on the list of fire engine companies.

Several remonstrances were read against the use of Richmond Hall by the Board of Health for the treatment of contagious diseases.

Numerous petitions for repairing roads and opening of streets were submitted.

One from the Western Market Company requested that Councils enact an ordinance to prevent the sale of the offal of slaughtered animals in the city during the summer months.

Exempt from Taxation.

Mr. BAIRD, chairman of the Committee on Finance, submitted an ordinance appropriating $1,927.66 for the purpose of refunding that amount to the Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania, by Supreme Court having decided that the Hall used by the Medical Faculty (for which taxes amounting to $1,927.66 had been paid) is exempt from taxation. The ordinance was adopted.

Sureties Released.

Resolutions releasing the sureties of Mr. Landy, late Commissioner of Highways, and the clerks of his appointment, were adopted.

Contested Seats.

The resolution offered last Thursday by Mr. PAINTER, to inquire into the right of certain members of Council from the Thirteenth, Eighth, and Ninth wards, to hold seats in the Chamber, was taken up for consideration.

The CHAIR decided that the amendment of Mr. KESSLER was in order. That the committee should inquire into the right of the new members from the Twenty-first and Twenty-fourth, Second and Third wards to a seat in this Council.

Mr. KESSLER contended that it was only just that this committee of investigation be authorized to examine into all the contested seats of the Council. The majority members were willing to investigate the right of the Union members to their seats, but are unwilling to extend the same courtesy to those gentlemen of their own party who have no right whatever to claim membership here. The Speaker, whose seat it was now contemplated to declare vacant, was elected in virtue of the sheriff's proclamation—a sheriff of opposite politics, one, by the way, who retained possession of an office, to which he was not entitled, until he was obliged to leave it. It is well known that there is a gentleman in this body who never presented a certificate of election, and the Supreme Court has decided that that certificate is the only title by which a man holds his office.

The Passmaster desired to know whether Mr. Eckstein intended to say that any member was qualified without having presented a certificate of election.

Mr. ECKSTEIN replied that the person referred to had no certificate, which was in accordance with law. Mr. E. then moves as an amendment that the committee also inquire whether the petitions of citizens in reference to contested election cases were presented within the time prescribed by law, and whether James Greenwood and Isaac Leech are entitled to seats in Common Council.

The CHAIR decided the amendment out of order.

Mr. ECKSTEIN appealed from the decision of the Chair. The appeal, however, was afterwards withdrawn, and on motion of Mr. Leigh the matter was indefinitely postponed.

Bills from Select Council.

The bill from Select Council authorizing the Board of Health to use the Richmond Hall as a hospital for small-pox cases was taken up.

Mr. WILLIAMSON spoke against the passage of the ordinance, stating that the people of the neighborhood were unanimously opposed to it. He was confident that the conversion of the hall to such uses would greatly depreciate the value of surrounding property.

Mr. SLOSSON said that the Board of Health require this hall from necessity. They would not ask for it unless it was absolutely necessary. For one, he was willing to submit to the better judgment of the men who devote their time to the consideration of the public health.

Mr. HARPER urged the adoption of the ordinance. If it were not passed, the Board of Health would seize on it, for they have a right to do so.

Mr. QUIN thought it bad policy to erect buildings for a specific purpose, and then appropriate them for another purpose. He was willing to accord every possible aid to the Board of Health, to lessen disease in the city. Let that Board erect a temporary hospital outside of the city, and Councils will foot the bill.

After some further discussion, the ordinance was indefinitely postponed.

The resolution from Select Council, instructing the City Solicitor to inquire by what right the South and Lombard-street Passenger Railway Company are laying rails upon that part of the city, was adopted, with an amendment that the City Solicitor likewise inquire whether the Legislature has the legal right to authorize a railroad company to lay its rails in the city without the previous consent of Councils.

The resolution changing the place of voting in the Eighth precinct of the First ward gave rise to much discussion.

Mr. GAVIN moved an amendment that the place of voting be at Pasgyunk road and Wharton street.

Mr. QUIN said there was no house erected at that spot.

Mr. GAVIN then moved that it be designated at Tenth and Wharton streets.

The resolution was agreed to.

All the other ordinances of Select Council were concurred in.

Mr. A. W. ADAMS called up the bill in reference to establishing a line of steamships between this port and Europe.

Mr. PAINTER read a speech in opposition to its passage. He spoke of the efforts of railroad companies to control the interests of Philadelphia. He remembered the time when the friends of the North Pennsylvania Railroad made application to the various corporations of the city to subscribe for its stock. The only corporation who resisted this influence was Kensington—Democratic Kensington, true to her faith.

Mr. LEIGH. Should the gentleman not have said Know Nothing Kensington?

This remark caused much laughter, as Mr. P. was not of the Democratic faith, at the time he mentioned, but boasted in privilege of being a Native American.

Mr. PAINTER continued. The subscriptions amounted to one million and a half of dollars, and yet the stock, said the speaker, was almost worthless. It is true, the road helped to the city instead of hurting it. Mr. CLARK here interrupted the speaker by reminding him that he might get into the milky way. He thought that it was unconstitutional for the city to subscribe for the stock of the company.

Mr. HARPER argued in favor of the ordinance, and proved by a statistics that Philadelphia must always play second fiddle to New York, unless she has a line of steamships of her own. In one year the imports for Philadelphia, by way of New York, exceeded in value those direct to this port to the extent of eighteen millions of dollars. Hence the importance of a direct line of steamships between this city and Europe.

Mr. WRIGHT moved to postpone the subject until Thursday next. Agreed to.

Mr. LOUGHLIN offered a resolution instructing the Philadelphia delegation to vote against an act, now before the Legislature, empowering the Board of Health to make sanitary laws. Agreed to.

Then both Councils adjourned.

THE POLICE.

[Before Mr. Alderman Beitler.]

A Practical Joke, Perhaps.

A half-simple young man known as George Prowert was arraigned, at the Central Station yesterday afternoon, on suspicion of having been engaged in the robbery of the store of Messrs. Eyre & Landell, which took place on the night of the 28th or morning of the 29th of January last. Mr. Edward Eyre testified the store had been robbed, as nearly as could be ascertained, of silk goods to the amount of four thousand seven hundred dollars.

The prisoner was arraigned on the oath of Peter Smith, who resides at 1243 Coates street. The witness entered into a long detail as to an interview he had with defendant. The latter met him in Chestnut street and desired him to sell some silk, for which he might have all he could obtain over a dollar per yard. Smith made an agreement to meet him the next day at the house of the mother of defendant. He went there, but could not then have another interview. In a conversation the prisoner told him that the silk had been stolen from the store of Messrs. Eyre & Landell; that he stood sentinel; the thieves went through the vault grating in the pavement; they had a horse and wagon standing on Liberty street, above Fourth; the horse, being detached, was secreted in an alley. Prowert and the same party intended to go into the country to commit another robbery. An agreement was made that Smith was to call on Prowert at his residence to get some of the goods. He called, but failed to obtain any. In answer to several questions propounded by the alderman, Mr. Smith replied that his desire was not to get any of the goods, but merely to obtain all the information he could, which he intended to communicate to the authorities.

Sergeant Seibert, of the police, testified that he knew the prisoner well; considers him *non compos mentis*; he induced the witness to watch a house a whole night for thieves when there were no thieves about; I saw him on Wednesday night, and asked him about this affair; he said if I would go along with him he would show me where all the swag was hid. The prisoner laughed, as though he considered he had cracked a joke with the police officers. The case was held under advisement.

Suspicious Person.

A young man was arrested on Wednesday night by Detectives G. H. Smith and Taggart, at the St. Louis Hotel. The prisoner was regarded with suspicion by one of the clerks of the establishment. The accused had his name docketed as Edward Rivera. Detective Smith testified that the trunk of the accused was examined, and these "nippers" were found therein. (Nippers shown.) Witness understood that several rooms had been entered at Norristown, and the marks of nippers were upon the door keys. He desired to have the case further investigated, until he could hear from the gentlemen at Norristown. The accused was committed, in default of $1,500, to await a further hearing.

Postponement.

The investigation of the alleged cruelty to the crew of the ship Northampton was to have been resumed yesterday afternoon, before United States Commissioner Hazelitt, but owing to the sickness of United States District Attorney Coffey, it was postponed until this day week.

Burglary.

At an early hour on Wednesday morning, the dwelling of Mr. John Miller, an aged man, located on Fifth street, below Spruce, was feloniously entered in the rear; the window shutters having been pried open. The thieves obtained an old silver watch that had been in the family a century. Old Mr. Miller proved it very highly. It seems the house girl heard the noise of some one on the steps, and she called out, "Is that you, Mr. Miller?" There was no answer. She heard the retreating footsteps sounds of the invaders, and immediately gave the alarm. The thieves effected their escape.

[Before Mr. Alderman White.]

A Horse and Wagon Disappears.

A young man, giving the name of John Ryan, was arraigned before Mr. Alderman White, yesterday, on the charge of the larceny of a horse and wagon, the property of Mr. Sylvester Considina, the proprietor of a livery stable in Union street. The evidence elicited sets forth the facts that, on the 10th inst., at 11 o'clock in the morning, the defendant hired the horse and wagon, to be used until 5 o'clock on the same day, for the sum of $3. From that time until Wednesday evening the defendant kept himself aloof from the stable. The facts were made known to the police, and Officer Sigmund arrested the prisoner on Wednesday evening.

The accused admitted hiring the horse and wagon and stated that on the return to the stable on the afternoon of the same day he stopped with a couple of friends to take a drink with them in a tavern at Third and Gaskill streets. While in there, his friends, as he alleges, jumped into the wagon, and drove away. This was between two and three o'clock. He named his friends. One of the police officers, stated that he saw the prisoner in company with his two friends at about five o'clock on the same afternoon. They had not with them at that time, the horse and wagon. The accused was committed in default of $2,000 to answer at court. One of the parties whom he named is well known on the police annals of this city. His likeness is in the Rogues Gallery.

[Before Mr. Alderman Miller.]

Assault with Intent to Kill.

William O'Donnell and George O'Donnell, were arraigned before Mr. Alderman Miller yesterday morning, on the charge of beating a man named James Forbes, with intent to kill. It seems from the evidence that Mr. Forbes resides in the vicinity of Green street and Thirty-sixth, in the Twenty-fourth ward. On Wednesday night the defendants, it is alleged, dragged him out of his house and beat him in a merciless manner without any provocation. They stated that Forbes was beating his wife, and they only interfered to save her. She denied the statement. The accused were required to enter bail in the sum of $400 each to answer at court.

[Before Mr. Alderman Hutchinson.]

Boy Run Over and Killed.

Robert Cassiday, employed on Wednesday evening as driver of car number ten on the Green and Coates-street Passenger Railway, was arraigned before Mr. Alderman Hutchinson, on the charge of running over a boy named John Dugan, aged 16 years. The sad event occurred near Broad and Coates streets. The boy's legs were shockingly crushed. The accused was held in the sum of $800 to await the result of the injuries to the lad. The unfortunate youth died shortly after having been admitted into the St. Joseph's Hospital.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

Supreme Court of Pennsylvania—Justice Woodward.

THE COMMUTATION TONNAGE ACT—LOCAL FREIGHTS.

Shipper & Detweiler vs. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company. An action to recover back an alleged excess of freight which plaintiffs paid defendants on certain shipments of flour from Pittsburg to this city. Before reported. Justice Woodward instructed the jury yesterday morning that the term local tonnage, in the commutation tonnage act, meant simply that tonnage which originated along the line of road, or which was bona fide actually produced in the State, the products of the soil and industry of citizens, as contradistinguished from the products of other States; that the Legislature meant to reduce the toll on this local tonnage, and that the plaintiffs, citizens of the State, who manufactured flour at Wheeling, Virginia, and shipped it to Pittsburg, there to be sent over the road to Philadelphia, were not entitled to a reduction of the tolls given to local tonnage; and that the verdict must be for the defendants. Verdict accordingly for defendants. The case will go to the Supreme Court.

John A. Pifer and Eliza his wife, in right of the said Eliza, v. Bernard Read. An action to recover damages for an assault and battery committed by defendant on Mrs. Pifer. On trial, Meyer and Dechert for plaintiff, and D. Dougherty, Esq., for defendant.

Court of Oyer and Terminer and Quarter Sessions—Judge Allison.

In the case of A. Montpelier, who was put on trial on Tuesday, charged with arson, in having set fire to his store in Third street, (before reported,) the jury yesterday returned a verdict of guilty, but recommended the defendant to the mercy of the court.

PHILADELPHIA BOARD OF TRADE.
THOMAS KIMBER, Jr.,
SAMUEL MORRIS,
JOSEPH C. GRUBB, } COMMITTEE OF THE MONTH.

LETTER BAGS
AT THE MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, PHILADELPHIA.
Ship Henry Cook, Morgan.....London, soon
Bark Cora Linn, (Br) Killam.....Liverpool, soon
Bark Sea Eagle, Howes.....Port Antonio, soon
Brig Ella Reed, Jarman.....Havana, soon
Schr Greenland, Evans.....Havana, soon

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF PHILADELPHIA, March 13, 1863

SUN RISES.....6 15—SUN SETS.....5 49
HIGH WATER.....8 30

ARRIVED.

Brig Allaretta, Bibber, 5 days from Matanzas, with molasses to E C Knight & Co.
Schr Rose Mandeville, Hudson, 5 days from Alexandria, with mules to captain.
Schr Nightingale, Nickerson, 5 days from Bristol, RI, with mdse to Crowell & Collins.
Schr Saco, Westcott, 5 days from Newbern, NC, with lumber, &c, to W C Lloyd.
Schr Joseph Maxfield, May, 4 days from New Bedford, with mdse to Twellis & Co.
Schr Mechanic, Corliss, 1 day from Odessa, Del, with grain to Christian & Co.
Schr Packet, Texas, 1 day from Leipsic, Del, with corn to Jas L Bewley & Co.
Schr Lucy, Spence, 1 day from Brandywine, Del, with flour to R M Lee.
Schr Polly Price, Townsend, from New York.
Schr D G Floyd, Rackett, from New York.
Schr Joseph Beebe, do, for Boston.
Schr J B Allen, Allen, from New York.
Schr Isabella, Alberto, Tooker, from Newborn.
Schr B M Browning, Gandy, from Great Egg Harbor.
Schr J C Runyon, Mathis, from Washington.
Sloop S Seymour, Boom, 36 hours from Washington, with mdse to T Webster, Jr.

CLEARED.

Ship Owlago, Card, Liverpool, Jno R Penrose.
Bark Oak, Ryder, Boston, Twelis & Co.
Brig Tangent, Tibbetts, Cardenas, J Mason & Co.
Brig D B Bonta, Knowlton, Trinidad, S & W Welsh.
Brig Isaac, Rose, Key West, Hunter, Norton, & Co.
Schr Kate Brigham, Moser, Liverpool, P Wright & Sons.
Schr C E Elmer, Mason, Carson, Stewart, Carson & Co.
Schr E A Crocker, Cordis, Truro, Sinnickson & Glover.
Schr Ella, Packard, Boston do
Schr Industrious, Connell, New York do
Schr J Price, Townsend, Westport, Blakiston, Graff & Co.
Schr Joe Maxfield, May, Boston.
Schr Isabella Alberto, Tooker, New York, do
Schr Ella, Packard, Boston, do
Schr B M Browning, Gandy, New York. Gastner, Stickney & Wellington.
Schr J C Runyon, Mathis, Beaufort, Tylor, Stone & Co.
Schr D G Floyd, Rackett, Providence, L Audenried & Co.
Schr Amelia, Beebe, Providence, do
Schr J B Allen, Allen, N York, Hunter, Norton & Co.
Schr Wm Hunter, Baker, Key West, do
Schr John C Baxter, Price, Fort Royal, do
Schr Catharine Lazenan, Newbern, do
Schr M Webster, Collins, Boston, Cabeen & Co.
Schr E English, Eng ish, Port Royal, Navy Agent.
Schr Carolina Virginia, Jackson, Alexandria, A G Cattell & Co.
Schr Time, Haines, Baltimore, Bowen & Weightman.
Schr Challenge, White, New York, Twellis & Co.
Str Farmer, McCue, Baltimore, A Groves, Jr.

(Correspondence of the Philadelphia Exchange.)

LEWES, Del, March 11.

At the Breakwater, one large steamer and an iron-clad, together with the bark C Brewer, brig Rockingham, for Baltimore, and an unknown brig, bound up, also bark schr Chronometer, and about ten other schooners, names unknown. The brig B Baldwin, from New York, previously reported as having got off the beach, went ashore again, and is full of water. The schrs M E Pierce and Washington passed to sea on the 9th. The mate of the schr Chronometer reports that, when off Fire Island, the boom fell and killed Captain Parsons. His body will be forwarded this morning to his family by stage. Wind northeast, and storming.

Yours, &c,
AARON MARSHALL.

MEMORANDA.

Ship Westmoreland, Decan, hence at Liverpool 24th ult.
Ship Fanny McHenry, Smith, for this port, was in the river, Liverpool, 24th ult., bound out—old 23d.
Bark Achilles, Gallagher, hence at Liverpool 22d ult., had thrown part of her cargo of flour overboard.
Schr Carthagena, Kelley, from New Bedford for this port, ran ashore on Brenton's Reef, 7th inst., but was got off.
Upscombe, Feb. 25—The Christian brigantine, of St. John's (N D) from Bordeaux for Newport, ballast, ran on shore on the mainland, east of Mort Stone, and bilged; crew saved.
Feb. 26—The brigantine from Bordeaux, wrecked east of the Mort Stone, was the Saint Christian, Rossel, for Cardiff (not as before reported). A packet of letters has been picked up west of this place—35 of them are addressed "Capt W Russell, Philadelphia," and one "To the care of Mr. Richards, Northeast of Fothwick, Philadelphia;" others to parties in the States.

HOTELS.

BRANDRETH HOUSE,
Corner of BROADWAY, CANAL, and LISPENARD STREETS, NEW YORK.
CONDUCTED ON THE EUROPEAN PLAN.
The above Hotel is located in the most central part of Broadway, and can be reached by omnibus or city cars, from all the steamboat landings and railroad depôts.
The rooms are elegantly furnished. Many of them are constructed in suits of communicating parlors and chambers, suitable for families and parties travelling together.
Meals served at all hours.
Single Rooms from 50 cents to $1 per day.
Double Rooms from $1 to $2.50 per day.
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BOWEN & CO.'S LITHOGRAPHIC ESTABLISHMENT,
Southwest Corner of ELEVENTH and CHESTNUT Sts.,
NO. 515 MINOR STREET,
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Every description of
LITHOGRAPHY, PLATE PRINTING, and COLORING
EXECUTED IN THE MOST SUPERIOR MANNER.
mh10-tf

GOVERNMENT SALE.—WILL BE sold, by order of the War Department, at public Auction, at ALLEGHENY ARSENAL, Pittsburg, Pa., to the highest bidder, at 10 o'clock A. M., on WEDNESDAY, March 18, 1863, the following United States property, viz:
82,500 pounds of Scrap Iron.
1,000 " " Steel.
12,000 " " Leather.
1,100 Powder Barrels.
1,600 Bullet Kegs.
1,500 Packing Boxes.
Terms cash.
R. H. R. WHITELEY,
mh9-12t Major of Ordnance.

PEPPER SAUCE.—200 DOZ. PEPPER Sauce; 100 doz. Continental Sauce; 50 doz. Worcestershire Sauce.
FINE AMERICAN PICKLES.—200 doz. half gallon Pickles; 250 doz. quart Pickles; 500 doz. pint Pickles; also in bbls. half bbls. and kits.
CONDENSED MILK.—200 doz. Wm. K. Lewis & Bro. and Borden's Condensed Milk.
For sale by RHODES & WILLIAMS,
feb19 107 South WATER Street.

UMBRELLAS.—THE BEST ARE made, and neatest sold at TENTH and MARKET.
mh9-6t* SLEEPER'S.

EDWIN A. HUGHES, UNDERTAKER,
259 South TENTH Street, above Spruce,
feb16-3m Philadelphia.

OLIVE OIL.—AN INVOICE JUST received and for sale by CHAS. S. & JAS. CARSTAIRS, No. 126 WALNUT, and 21 GRANITE streets. m9-tf

MACKEREL, HERRING, SHAD, &c. &c.
2,500 Bbls Mass. Nos. 1, 3, and 8 Mackerel, late-caught fat fish, in assorted packages.
2,000 Bbls. New Bedford, Fortune Bay, and Halifax Herring.
2,500 Boxes Lubec, Scaled, and No. 1 Herring.
100 Bbls. new Mess Shad.
200 Boxes Herkimer County Cheese, &c.
In store and for sale by MURPHY & KOONS,
fa14-tf No. 146 North WHARVES.

CARD PRINTING, NEAT AND Cheap, at RINGWALT & BROWN'S, 111 South FOURTH Street, below Chestnut. oc6

FOR SALE AND TO LET.

FOR SALE.—THE LUMBER YARD, Corner EIGHTH Street and GIRARD Avenue. Fifteen feet with housing-house, Stable, and Shedding. Also, a very fine CART HORSE, Harness, Carts, &c. mh11-6t*

COAL YARD FOR SALE.—THE best stand in the city. Capacity for doing any amount of business. Inquire on the premises, No. 957 North NINTH St., below Girard avenue. mh9-6t*

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TIMBER LAND
FOR SALE!
For Sale, a Tract of first-rate
WHITE PINE TIMBER LAND,
Containing One Thousand Acres, situated in CAMBRIA County, Pennsylvania, within a few miles of the Pennsylvania Railroad, connected by a Plank road at Tipton.
The lands are heavily set with White Pine, Oak, and Hemlock Timber, (principally White Pine).
The improvements consist of a First Class Steam Saw Mill in complete running order; a good Grist Mill, with two run of stones, driven by water power, and a good Water Saw Mill; also a good Store House, Blacksmith Shop, Stables, twelve good Houses for Workmen, and everything in complete order for manufacturing Lumber to good advantage, and can be made and put into market on as good terms as can be done at Williamsport or Lock Haven. There are Schools near, and a Church on the property. Tipton is a first-rate point on the Pennsylvania Railroad as a Lumber Market, and as a place of residence is very healthy, and has Churches, Schools, and every advantage of a thriving Country Village.
This is a very desirable property, and the Timber and Mills are equal to any.
WHITE PINE TIMBER LAND FOR SALE IN CLEARFIELD COUNTY, PENNA.
For sale, a tract of 250 Acres of first-rate White Pine Timber Land in Clearfield county, Pennsylvania, within two miles of Clearfield Creek (which is a good rafting stream), and within hauling distance, over a good road to Pennsylvania Railroad.
There is a new and first-class Steam Saw-Mill, in good running order, on this property, with dwelling houses for workmen, and other necessary improvements needed around a Lumber manufactory.
The White Pine Timber is heavily set, and of the best quality. There is also first-rate Oak on the tract, and the soil is rich and rolling, and can be readily sold for farming purposes after the timber is off. There are Several Hundred Acres of first-rate White Pine timber lands adjoining this property which can be bought at a reasonable price, which would supply lumber enough for several years' operations.
Lumber can be readily rafted or sent to market by railroad at a good profit.
There are Churches, Schools, and Post Office near the property, and the neighborhood is flourishing and prosperous. This is a most desirable property, and well worth the attention of capitalists who wish to invest in active business. For further particulars, address
JOHN W. TENER,
mh6-m&fr5m No. 13 South THIRD Street, Phila.

FOR SALE—A VERY FINE RESIDENCE, No. 963 FRANKLIN Street. Apply at the LUMBER YARD, Southeast corner EIGHTH Street and Girard Avenue. mh11-6t*

FOR SALE—THE BELL TAVERN and FIVE ACRES OF LAND, situate on the Philadelphia and Darby Railroad, 4½ miles from Market-street Bridge. The property has been known as the "Bell Tavern" for more than 50 years, and has always commanded a first-class business. No public house in the vicinity offers greater advantages for a business of a retrative trade. Apply to R. S. PASCHALL,
mh10-6t* 715 WALNUT Street.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—FOUR STORY BRICK BUILDING, suitable for Manufacturing purposes, in rear of No. 125 Arch street.
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IN THE ORPHANS' COURT FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.
Estate of ANTHONY G. QUERVELLE, Dec'd.
The Auditor appointed by the Court to audit, settle and adjust the first account of JOHN H. MILLER, Administratrix of the Estate of Anthony G. Quervelle, deceased, and to report the balance in the hands of the accountant, will meet the parties interested for the purposes of his appointment, on WEDNESDAY, March 18, 1863, at 10 o'clock P. M., at his office, No. 520 FOURTH Street, in the city of Philadelphia.
mh6-fmw5t JOHN HASLA, Auditor.

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.
Estate of ELIZA WHARTENBY, deceased.
The Auditor appointed by the Court to audit, settle and adjust the account of MARGARET ELLES M. WAGNER, sole Executor of the last will and testament of WILLIAM WHARTENBY, deceased, as filed by MARGARET ELLES, late Executrix of said WILLIAM WHARTENBY, deceased, and to report distribution of the balance in the hands of the accountant, will meet the parties interested for the purposes of his appointment, on TUESDAY, March 17th, 1863, at 4 o'clock P. M., at his office, No. 627 WALNUT Street, in the city of Philadelphia.
mh6-fmw5t SAMUEL C. FERGUSON, Auditor.

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.
Estate of WILLIAM JOHNSON, deceased.
The Auditor appointed by the Court to audit, settle, and adjust the second and final account of JOHN HOTZ, Executor of the last will and testament of WILLIAM JOHNSON, deceased, and to make distribution of the balance in the hands of the accountant, will meet the parties interested for the purposes of his appointment, on TUESDAY, March 17th, 1863, at 10 o'clock P. M., at his office, No. 627 WALNUT Street, in the city of Philadelphia.
mh6-fmw5t J. HUBLEY ASHTON, Auditor.

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.
Estate of CHARLES M. SMITH, deceased.
Application has been made under the Act of April 14, 1851, having been filed in this matter, notice is hereby given that ELIZABETH MCPHERSON widow of the said CHARLES M. SMITH, claims to retain the personal property referred to therein of the value of $300, and will apply to the Orphans' Court for the allowance of the said appraisement, on FRIDAY, April 3, 1863, at 10 o'clock A. M.
C. GUILLOU,
Attorney for the Widow,
mh10-1uf-4t* 610 WALNUT Street.

ESTATE OF CHARLES H. MATTSON, Deceased.
Letters of Administration upon the estate of said deceased have been duly granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate will please make payment, and those having claims against the same present them to
SAMUEL H. MATTSON, Administrator,
No. 1126 CHESTNUT Street, Philadelphia.
Or to his Attorney, JOHN M. MAXWELL,
fe20-fr6t* No. 28 North SEVENTH Street.

ESTATE OF DAVID KELTER, DECEASED. Letters testamentary to the Estate of DAVID KELTER having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will present them. And those indebted thereto, will make payment to
HIRAM HILLER, Administrator,
fe27-f5w* No. 2213 GREEN Street.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.
Estate of WILLIAM W. PAXSON.
December Term, 1862. No. 471. Vend. Exp.
"Thomas Cunningham, Esq., Auditor, to make distribution of the fund raised by the sale under the above writ, of the following described real estate, to wit:
All that certain lot or piece of ground situate on the west side of Thirteenth street, at the distance of 98 feet northward from the north side of Wharton street, in the First ward of the city of Philadelphia, containing in front on said Thirteenth street 16 feet, and in depth 55 feet.
All that certain cottage or two-story brick and frame building and lot appurtenant thereto, situate on the west side of Thirteenth street at the distance of 66 feet northward from the north side of Wharton street, containing in front on said Thirteenth street 16 feet, and depth 100 feet to Clarion street.
All that certain cottage or two-story brick and frame building and lot appurtenant thereto, situate on the west side of Thirteenth street, at the distance of 82 feet northward from the north side of Wharton street, containing in front on said Thirteenth street 16 feet and in depth 100 feet to Clarion street—
Will attend to the duties of his appointment on Tuesday, the 17th day of March, 1863, at 4 o'clock P. M., at the office of Stephen Benton, Esq., No. 520 Walnut street, (Fulton's Building, rooms 5 and 9) Philadelphia, when and where all persons must present their claims or be debarred from coming in upon said fund.
mh10-3t* GEORGE W. HARKINS, Auditor.

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