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CORRECTED DAILY, FOR THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, BY N. HOLMES & SONS, Bankers.
No. 57 Market st., between Third and Fourth sts., Pittsburgh.

PENNSYLVANIA.		Branch at Massillon	½
Bank of Pittsburgh	par	Branch at Wooster	do
Exchange Bank of do	par	Branch at Xenia	do
Mer. and Man. of do	par	Branch at Youngstown	do
Bank of Commerce	par	City Bank, Cincinnati	do
Bank of North America	par	Commercial Bk, Cincinnati	do
Bank of North'n Liberties	par	Franklin Bank	do
Bank of Pennsylvania	par	Lafayette Bank	do
Bank of Penn Township	par	Ohio Life Ins. & Trust Co	do
Bank of the United States	12	Western Reserve Bank	do
Commercial Bank of Pa	par	Bank of Massillon	do
Farmers' & Mechanics' Bk	par	Small Notes	do
Girard Bank	par	NEW ENGLAND.	
Kensington Bank	par	All solvent Banks	½
Manufac. & Mech. Bank	par	NEW YORK.	
Mechanics' Bank	par	New York City	par
Moyamensing Bank	par	Country	½
Philadelphia Bank	par	MARYLAND.	
Southwark Bank	par	Baltimore	par
Tradesman's Bank	par	Country	½
Western Bank	par	N. JERSEY & DELAWARE.	
Bank of Chambersburgh	½	All solvent banks	½
Bank of Chester County	par	VIRGINIA.	
Bank of Danville	par	Bank of the Valley	½
Bank of Del. Co., Chester	par	Bk of Virginia, Richmond	"
Bank of Germantown	par	Ex. Bank, Va., Norfolk	"
Bank of Gettysburgh	½	Farmers' Bank of Virginia	"
Bank of Lewistown	—	Merchants' & Mech. Bank	"
Bank of Middletown	½	North Western Bank	"
Montgomery Co. Bank	par	Branches	"
Bank of Northumberland	par	NORTH CAROLINA.	
Carlisle Bank	½	Bank of Cape Fear	2
Columbia Bk & Bridge Co.	par	Bk of St. of N. Carolina	2
Doylestown Bank	par	Commercial Bk, Wilming'n	2
Easton Bank	par	Merchants' Bank, Newbern	2
Erie Bank	½	SOUTH CAROLINA.	
Farmers' Bk of Bucks Co.	par	Bk of the St. of S. Carolina	2
Farmers' Bk of Lancaster	par	Bank of South Carolina	2
Farmers' Bank of Reading	par	Bank of Charleston	2
Farm. Bk of Schuylkill Co.	par	Planters' & Mechanics' Bk	2
Far. & Drov. Waynesburg	½	GEORGIA.	
Franklin Bk. Washington	par	Augusta Ins. & Banking Co	2
Harrisburg Bank	½	Bank of Augusta	2
Honesdale Bank	½	Bk of Brunswick, Augusta	2
Lancaster Bank	par	TENNESSEE.	
Lancaster County Bank	par	All solvent bank	3
Lebanon Bank	par	KENTUCKY.	
Miners' Bank of Pottsville	½	Bk of Kentucky, Louisville	½
Monongahela Bank	par	Bk of Louisville, Thurston	"
West Branch Bank	½	Northern Bk of Kentucky	"
Wyoming Bk, Wilkesbarre	½	Southern Bk of Kentucky	"
York Bank	½	MISSOURI.	
Relief Notes	½	Bk of State of Missouri	½
OHIO.		ILLINOIS.	
Ohio State Bank	½	State Bank and branches	50
Branch at Akron	do	Bank of Illinois	75
Branch at Athens	do	WISCONSIN.	
Branch at Bridgeport	do	Marine & Fire Ins. Co. chks	5
Branch at Chillicothe	do	MICHIGAN.	
Branch at Cleveland	do	Farmers' Mechanics' Bank	5
Branch at Toledo	do	Government Stock Bank	5
Branch at Dayton	do	Peninsular Bank	5
Branch at Delaware	do	Insurance Company	5
Branch at Columbus	do	State Bank	5
Branch at Ashtabula	do	CANADA.	
Branch at Salem	do	Bk of B. N. America, Toronto	5
Branch at Mansfield	do	Bank of the People, Toronto	5
Branch at Ripley	do	Bank of Montreal	5
Branch at Cincinnati	do	Bank of U. Canada, Toronto	5
Branch at Columbus	do	EASTERN EXCHANGE.	
Branch at Washington	do	On New York	par
Branch at Cadiz	do	On Philadelphia	[illegible]
Branch at Lancaster	do	On Baltimore	[illegible]
Branch at Steubenville	do	WESTERN EXCHANGE.	
Branch at Mt. Vernon	do	Cincinnati	[illegible]
Branch at Newark	do	Louisville	[illegible]
Branch at Elyria	do	St. Louis	[illegible]
Branch at Springfield	do	GOLD AND SPECIE VALUE	
Branch at Marietta	do	Doubloons, Spanish	16,00
Branch at Troy	do	do Patriot	15,50
Branch at Mt. Pleasant	do	Eagle, old	10,00
Branch at Zanesville	do	Eagle, new	10,00
Branch at Norwalk	do	Fredericksd'ors	7,80
Branch at Piqua	do	Ten Thalers	7,80
Branch at Portsmouth	do	Guineas	5,00
Branch at Eaton	do	Sovereigns	4,82
Branch at Ravenna	do	Ten Guilders	3,96
Branch at Chillicothe	do	Napoleons	3,80
Branch at Cuyahoga	do	Ducats	2,15
Branch at Toledo	do		

PRICES OF STOCKS.

REPORTED FOR THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BY A. WILKINS & Co. STOCK AND EXCHANGE BROKERS, NO. 71, FOURTH STREET.

PITTSBURGH, November 22, 1853.

	Par	Asked	Offer'd	
LOANS.				
United States 6's	100	—	—	Int. Jan & July
Do. 5's	100	—	—	Int. Feb & Aug
Pennsylvania 6's	100	—	—	Int. Jan & July
Do. 5's	100	—	—	Int. Feb & Aug
Alle'ny Co. 6's	100	—	—	Int. May & Nov
Do. coup. 6's, scrp	100	—	—	do
Do. coup. 6's	100	—	—	do
Pittsburgh city 6's	100	—	—	Int. Jan & July
Do. coup. 6's, N. Y.	100	—	—	do
Allegheny city 6's	100	—	—	Int. May & Nov
Do. cou. 6's, Phil.	100	—	—	do
BANK STOCKS.				
Bank of Pittsburgh	50	56	54	Div. Nov 5 p ct.
Merchants' & Manuf Bank	50	47	45	do
Exchange Bank	50	56	55½	do
Allegheny Savings Bank	—	222	212	
BRIDGE STOCKS.				
Monongahela Bridge	25	25½	24½	Div. Mar 4 pr ct
St. Clair St. Bridge	25	28	25	Div. Jan. 2 per
Hand St. Bridge	50	45	43	Div. " 2.00 p s
Northern Liberties	50	40	35	Div. " 2½ pr s.
Williamsport Bridge	25	15	—	
INSURANCE.				
Pittsb'g Life Insurance	5	10	9	Div. 20 p ct.
Western Insurance Co	—	16½	15½	Div. Nov. 2½
Citizens' Insurance Co	—	18	15½	
Associated Fireman's Co	—	7	6	
TELEGRAPH.				
Pittsb'gh to Phil's	50	41	40	Div. Qr. 3 pr ct.
Pittsburgh & Louisville	50	42	39	do
Lake Erie	50	25	—	Div. 4 pr c. 4 mo
Morse's Magnetic	50	—	—	
RAIL ROAD, SLACKWATER, &c.				
Pittsburgh Gas Works	50	61	59	Div. Jan. 4 pr c
Monongahela Slackwater	50	44	42	New Stock.
Youghiogheny Slackwatr	50	15	—	
Penn'a Central Rail Road	50	—	45	Ex. Div.
Ohio & Penn'a Rail Road	50	46½	45½	do
Balt. & Ohio Rail Road	50	—	—	
Cleveland & Wellsv'le R. R	50	—	—	
Marine R. Way. Dry Dock	100	105	102½	Div. Nov 5 pr ct
Fayette Manuf. Co.	50	60	00	
Erie Canal Bonds, (old)	100	28	—	
Do. do. (new)	100	35	—	
Turtle Creek Plank Road	25	10	—	
Alleg. & Perrysville Pk Rd	25	26	25	
Greensbg. Turnpike Rd	50	10	8	
Chartiers Coal Co	50	17	—	
COPPER.				
Minnesota	—	195	189	Div. 1853, $15
Pittsburgh & Boston	—	151	148	New Stock.
North American	—	66	60	
North West	—	—	16	
North Western	—	18	15	
Iron City	—	3	2	
Bureau	—	2	1	
Pittsburgh & Isle Royal	—	7	5	
Ohio	—	4	2½	
Adventure	—	4½	3½	
Merchant	—	—	—	
Douglass Houghton	—	5½	4½	
Ontanagon	—	—	—	
Ohio Trap Rock	—	21	21	
Ridge	—	5	5	
Fire Steel	—	2½	1½	
Collins	—	4½	3	
Aztec	—	2	1	
Bluff	—	2½	2	
National	—	30	23	
Avery	—	5	—	
Forest	—	11	9	
Phoenix	—	—	—	
Norwich	—	11½	10½	

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Herron & Criswell, BELL AND BRASS FOUNDERS, MANUFACTURERS of all kinds of Brass Work, Locomotive, Steam Engine, Plumbers, &c. Also, Cotton Batting Manufacturers. FOUNDRY, Rebecca street, Allegheny city. WAREROOM, No. 12, Market st., near First, Pittsburgh. N. B.—Old Brass and Copper taken in exchange for work, or cash paid. Orders left at the Foundry or Office, will be attended to punctually. fel2:ly

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J. A. BROWN would most respectfully inform the public that he keeps on hand, at his stand on the west side of the Diamond, Allegheny city, a complete assortment of Venitian Blinds; also, Venitian Shutters are made to order, in the best style, warranted equal to any in the United States. His Blinds can be removed without the aid of a screw driver. Having purchased the stock, tools, and wood, of the Cabinet Establishment of Ramsey & McClelland, I am prepared to furnish their old customers as well as the public generally, with everything in their line. Agency, No. 5 Wood street, Pittsburgh. ja28:ly J. A. BROWN

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J. SCOTT, DENTIST, Fourth street, five doors west of Market. All work warranted. jal6

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WILLIAM M. A. M'CLURG Grocer and Tea Dealer, corner of Wood and Sixth Streets, have always on hand a large assortment of choice Groceries and fine Teas—Foreign Fruits and Nuts, Wholesale and Retail. Dealers supplied on the lowest terms.

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ROBERT MOORE, Wholesale Grocer, Rectifying Distiller, dealer in Produce, Pittsburgh Manufactures, and all kinds of Foreign and Domestic Wines and Liquors, No. 315 Liberty street. On hand a very large stock of superior old Monongahela Whiskey, which will be sold low for cash.

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CARD. THE subscriber would respectfully inform his friends, and the public, that he has opened the house lately occupied by Messrs. Mercer & Robinson, corner of Water Alley and Federal st., Allegheny, for the purpose of doing a regular Family Grocery and the Business, where he hopes by close attention and fair dealing to merit a share of patronage. oc14 WILLIAM FRANCE.

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THOMAS WOODS, COMMERCIAL BROKER, No. 45 Market street, PITTSBURGH. HAVING established myself as above, I am now prepared to receive CONSIGNMENTS, or SAMPLES OF GOODS of every description, which can be sold in this market, and for the sale of which every exertion will be used. All orders for Pittsburgh Manufactures will be promptly attended to. Particular attention will be given to the Sale and Collection of Notes, Drafts, Bills of Exchange, and the Purchase and Sale of Stocks. By industry and personal attention to all business intrusted with me, I hope to merit and receive patronage. THOMAS WOODS. Pittsburgh, April 22, 1853. [ap23

HARD & DE LANGE, DEALERS IN HIDES, LEATHER, AND OIL. 215 Liberty street, (SIGN OF THE GOLDEN HORNS.) They will keep on hands, at all times, a general assortment of Leather, for Shoemakers and Saddlers' use; also, Shoemakers' Findings, Tools, &c. ap18 HARD & DE LANGE.

New Leather Store. J. G. MOWRY, late of the firm of R. Bard, No. 223 Liberty street, opposite the head of Wood street, wholesale and retail dealer in LEATHER, HIDES, and OIL, has just returned from the East, and is now receiving a large assortment of Leather, consisting of—Red Sole, Baltimore Leather, Philadelphia and French Calfskins; Morocco and Kids of all descriptions; Binding and Lining Skins, and a general assortment of Findings. Having purchased my entire stock for cash, I am prepared to sell low, for cash. I would invite my friends to call and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere. mh14 J. G. MOWRY.

A Card. HAVING received my SPRING STOCK of Goods, I will be pleased to show them to my friends and those wanting anything in my line. My stock this Spring is very large and complete, consisting of Satin Delaines, Bareges, worsted and cotton Delaines; Damask, Moreens; Bindings and Fringes; lace and mull Curtains, of splendid styles, and Curtain Goods of all kinds; Furniture, Philadelphia and Cotton Goods of fine new patterns; Bands and Knobs; buff, green and stone-colored Holland, all widths; Oil Cloths and Shades for Window Blinds; Venitian Blinds of all kinds. Orders promptly filled. mh30 WM. NOBLE.

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WM. NOBLE, Upholsterer and Dealer in Upholstery, Wholesale and Retail, Third street, adjoining the Post Office.

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Bonds and Mortgages	$25,000 00
United States, State of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia City, Camden and Amboy Railroad, and other loans	145,955 00
Stock in Banks, Railroads, and Insurance Cos.	19,787 70
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Subscription Notes	100,000 00
	$519,769 13

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Mortgages	$1,012,130 68
Real Estate	84,377 78
Temporary Loans	81,468 00
Stocks	81,650 00
Cash, &c.	54,346 81
	$1,212,708 44

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48 boxes No. 1 Starch;	3 bbls. Spts. Turpentine;
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Saturday, February 5.	Wednesday, February 9.
Saturday, " 17	Wednesday, " 23.
Saturday, March 5.	Wednesday, March 9.
Saturday, " —	Wednesday, " 23.
Saturday, April 2.	Wednesday, April 6.
Saturday, " 16.	Wednesday, " 20.
Saturday, " 30.	Wednesday, May 4.
Saturday, May 14.	Wednesday, " 18.
Saturday, " 28.	Wednesday, June 1.
Saturday, June 11.	Wednesday, " 15.
Saturday, " 25.	Wednesday, " 29.
Saturday, July 9.	Wednesday, July 13.
Saturday, " 23.	Wednesday, " 27.
Saturday, August 6.	Wednesday, August 10.
Saturday, " 20.	Wednesday, " 24.
Saturday, September 3.	Wednesday, September 7.
Saturday, " 17.	Wednesday, " 21.
Saturday, October 1.	Wednesday, October 5.
Saturday, " 15.	Wednesday, " 19.
Saturday, " 29.	Wednesday, November 2.
Saturday, November 12.	Wednesday, " 16.
Saturday, " 26.	Wednesday, " 30.
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Saturday, " 24.	Wednesday, " 28.

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THIS article is presented to the public as an external remedy, avoiding the pain and danger which necessarily attend the introduction of caustic minerals and eye-washes, with assurance of its efficacy as a cure for all the various diseases of the eye, of acute or chronic inflammation, whether induced by scrofulous origin or otherwise; debility of the optic nerve, granulation of the lids, ulceration of the lachrymal glands, and weakness of vision from any cause.
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S. STONER, No. 80 Wood street, is opening a fresh supply of **BOYS' SUMMER CLOTHING** from New York. They are pretty—nay, they are handsome—and well worthy the attention of both fathers and mothers. His Boys' Saloon is now finished—it also exhibits some taste in its arrangement—the brilliant skylight in it will enable parents to make their selection without the least fear or doubt of either the color or quality of the article selected. His stock of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES and VESTINGS, for men's wear, is quite as complete as usual, and will be made to order with his general punctuality. je25

New Restaurant. THE undersigned has opened a RESTAURANT at No. 60, Fourth street, a few doors from Market, nearly opposite the Merchants' Bank, which he has handsomely fitted up, and is now prepared to accommodate the public, at all hours, with any thing they may want in his line. Dinner on the table, daily, from 12 to 3 o'clock, P. M., and every attention will be given to supply the table with all the delicacies of the season. Meals and refreshments furnished to order, at all hours, on the shortest notice. With the facilities possessed by the subscriber to give satisfaction, he trusts to be able to merit a general and extensive patronage, and invites a call from all who desire, at any time, a comfortable meal, well got up, and served in unexceptionable style. Terms reasonable. JAS. WILSON, No. 60 Fourth st. Pittsburgh, May 7th, 1853. my

BLACKSMITH BELLOWS MANUFACTORY. Co-partnership Notice. THE subscribers would respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they have entered into partnership commencing on the 19th April, under the firm of R. WILLIAMS & CO., for the manufacture of BLACKSMITH BELLOWS of every description, which they are determined to make of the very best materials and superior workmanship. They intend to have always on hand an assortment of all sizes from 28 to 40 inches, at their manufactory, corner of Robinson and Sandusky streets. ROBERT WILLIAMS, JAMES WILSON. Allegheny City, May 3d. my3:dly

Bolivar Fire Brick and Crucible Clay Manufacturing Company. THIS Company having enlarged their capacity for Manufacturing, are now prepared to meet the increased demand for their brick, Crucible and Building Clay. Orders promptly attended to by KIER & JONES, Canal Basin. Pittsburgh, [illegible]

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NEW STYLES. E. WATTS & CO., MERCHANT TAILORS, NO. 185 LIBERTY STREET, IS NOW receiving very elegant new styles of goods, for gentlemen's wear, consisting of superior French and English Overcoatings, Black and Colored CLOTHS, Heavy Fancy and Velvet CASSIMERES, Plush, Cassimere and Silk Vestings in great variety. Persons in want of superior clothing are respectfully invited to call and examine our stock before buying, as we will endeavor to make it to their interest to purchase of us. oc13 E. WATTS & CO., 185 Liberty st.

WANTED—Spanish and Mexican dollars; Spanish and Patriot doubloons; old American half dollars, for which I will pay the highest market price in par funds. H. D. KING, Cor. Stock and Ex. Broker.

PITTSBURGH GAZETTE.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 23, 1853

THE SANDWICH ISLANDS.—It is now plain that the attention of the public mind is to be divided between the Eastern and the Western questions. That the matter of the annexation of the Hawaiian kingdom as a sovereign State in the American Confederacy, will occupy a prominent place in the business of the approaching Session of Congress, seems evident and unavoidable.—And it is but just to confess that the history of the American people for the last twenty years, shows a uniformity of decision on questions of this kind, which leaves no chance for a doubt as to the manner in which the small point in reference will be disposed of. Manifest destiny has hitherto had an eye chiefly on the dry land; it now enlarges the scope of its vision, and takes in the sea. It will next embrace the things which be under the sea.

The Boston *Traveller* has the following reflections on this annexation project:

Our contemporaries are very extensively discussing the position of the Sandwich Island affairs. And we are surprised to find how easily some of them—very judicious and sensible writers too—fall in with the notion, that the independence of the islands cannot long be maintained; and that it is therefore desirable, as the islands must fall into somebody's hands, that they should be annexed to the United States. Why should it be believed so readily that these islands cannot retain their independent national character? Why, we are told the natives are rapidly dying away, and the race will soon be extinct.—Well, suppose this be true—though we believe the danger to be much exaggerated—it will require many years to depopulate these islands of the native inhabitants; and in the meantime other inhabitants will be gradually gathered at the islands to occupy the vacant places made by death; and why may not the present independence of the Hawaiian kingdom be continued in those who succeed the present inhabitants of the islands? We can see no reason why, but in the restless, fillibustering spirit of a portion of that Universal Yankee Nation. It is manifestly for the interest of the commercial world that these islands, directly in the track of the trade between China and the Western World, so conveniently located and adapted to accommodate the whalers and other ships which so frequently visit the Pacific and Arctic oceans, should remain independent and open ports for all the shipping of the world, and all the great marine Powers of the world, doubtless will readily unite in a guaranty of this independence, if the scheming Yankees of the island would allow matters to take their natural course. Our own convictions are most decidedly that the only reason why annexation to the United States is deemed so necessary by certain American residents on the Sandwich Islands is, that such a step would subserve their private interest.

To our mind the result in New York will have the effect of binding together more closely the Democracy in the other States. We are sure this will be the effect, if the Democrats are as wise and as true as we believe them to be.—*Wash. Union.*

The Union is in pursuit of consolation under difficulties. But unless it is more preserving in its search than it has been discreet in its management, it will seek in vain. Its attempt to overawe the Hunkers of this State was such a ridiculous piece of stupid impudence, and has resulted so disastrously to the Administration, that it is not surprising that it now looks to "other States" for comfort.

And yet it is hardly fair to compel the Union to bear all the odium of "the result in N. York." The line of policy it pursued was evidently the line of policy marked out by the Administration. The President and his Cabinet deliberately determined to "crush out" the spirit of the Adamantines; and the Union did no more than try, in its very feeble way, to do its share in the "crushing" process. If the "crushers" got "crushed," it was only another illustration of the truth that very often the "biters" become themselves the "bitten."

There is a moral in "the result in New York," and in Massachusetts also, which should not be overlooked. In both States the Administration openly interfered in the Canvass. In both States the Executive laid his hand upon official offenders; and in both, official missiles, insolent and threatening, signed by members of the Cabinet, were scattered among the people. The *underlings* of other Administrations—whose histories are only remembered with contempt—may have impudently attempted to direct results. But it was left for the Administration to furnish *Cabinet Ministers* willing to stoop to a game so utterly Anti-Republican, ungentlemanly and humiliating.

Fortunately, however—fortunately alike for immediate results, for the character of the American People, and for the integrity of our free institutions—this official interference not only failed to "crush out" the spirit of independence, but awakened a feeling which has rendered the rebuke administered to official insolence doubly emphatic and effective. The People have vindicated themselves, and hung, upon a good moral gibbet, the stupid functionaries who vainly deemed themselves sufficiently potent to overawe them.

The Administration, in thus attempting to control results by the application of official "thumb-screws," are equally mortified and disappointed. And it is encouraging, judging from the present tone of the Union, that they feel their humiliation. The lesson, though expensive, will be worth all it cost, not merely to the present Administration, but to all future Administrations which may be tempted to play a similar game of folly.—*Albany Eve. Jour.*

MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—The Board of Managers of this Society, held their monthly meeting on Wednesday evening at the Mission Rooms in Mulberry street, the Rev. H. Bangs, presiding. The reading of the Scriptures and prayer were by the Rev. D. Terry. The intelligence from the mission in Africa was of more than ordinary interest; indeed more encouraging than any previous advices. From Germany there was a call for aid for building a suitable place of worship at Bremerhaven, for the benefit of seamen, and the numerous emigrants who assemble there for embarkation. The Government are more stringent than formerly respecting missionary efforts, yet the work goes on and may be considered, on the whole, in a prosperous condition. In Saxony the missionaries had been compelled to withdraw, yet private meetings are held in various places. In South America the prospect is improving. In Buenos Ayres, since the recent political change, the congregation is larger than it had been for a long time.

A RELIGIOUS EXCITEMENT has sprung up in Providence, R. I., in consequence of an attempt alleged to have been made on Sunday week, to force a young Irish girl to enter the Convent of the Sisters of Mercy at that place. By a statement in the Providence Tribune, it would seem that a very young female was procured at the Convent, from the Superior, about three years ago, by a gentleman of that city, as a servant in his family, and that lately various attempts have been made to induce her to return, in which her elder sister joined. The girl being attached to the family, refused. On the Sunday in question she was decoyed away from the church in the vicinity of the convent, where an Irishman named Richard Newman and an Irishwoman named Mary Kalne, attempted to force her into the building, two of the nuns standing ready at the door to receive her. She screamed and the neighborhood being alarmed, assistance promptly came to her rescue, and she returned to the family with whom she had been living.

PARISIAN FIREMEN.—A Paris correspondent of an exchange paper, says the Fire Department of Paris numbers only six hundred and thirty six men, which suffices for the worst fires that occur. They are divided into four companies.

Their principal barracks—for they are under military discipline—are near the Place Vendome, and before the barracks is always stationed an armed guard. They all wear a showy, yet serviceable uniform. One hundred and thirty-four men are on daily duty in the theatres, as policemen or protectors, and the remainder are dispersed in the guard-houses of the different arondissements. As firemen, they are very skillful, courageous and efficient. They never throw water on a fire when it can be avoided, making it a point to preserve property from both elements. All are provided with pinchers and small crowbars, with which, having entered a house where fire is, they proceed methodically to their duties, ripping off all the woodwork which is in danger, and throwing it into the streets. If the extending flames oblige them to use water, they use only so much as will suffice for their purpose. Large conflagrations are very rare in Paris.

THE CHEAPEST SELL ON RECORD.—In Portsmouth, Va., a few days ago, a complete set of household furniture, of a good quality, sold at auction for eighty-six cents. It occurred as follows:—

"An ungallant lord fell out with his better half, and determined to dispose of "bed and board," pocket the money, and let her hunt for a living. Some gentlemen met at the sale, and soon convinced the crowd of their obligation to see justice done to the lady. The result was, not one but those interested bid on the furniture, and the whole was finally knocked down for the above handsome sum—eighty-six cents. The furniture was then presented to the lady—and eighty-six cents to the lord."

EARTHQUAKE IN CALIFORNIA.—Considerable excitement has been created in certain parts of the country of late by alarming frequency of the shocks of earthquakes. It is estimated by a gentleman who has kept a record of these events that an earthquake shock has occurred in some part of the State once a fortnight for the last year. Some of these have been very severe. In one of the Southern counties, it will be remembered, a shock took place about a month since which caused the cattle to bellow with fright. In one of the towns several houses were disturbed to a degree that it was impossible to close the doors the next day. The earthquake which occurred in this city on the 18th of June, 1850, was sufficient in the present state of our buildings to do considerable mischief. Gen. Valley, it is said, has spoken of one of these visitations that took place in this city in 1843 that would have levelled a large portion of the city had it been built at that time. The recent observations of Baron Terloo, a German geologist, have shown that the ground at the Mission Dolores has been raised by some subterraneous action some eighteen inches within the last twelve months. Other geologists confirm this statement. We are informed that in the coast range of mountains there are fissures in the earth to an unfathomable depth which extend for miles, evidently caused by earthquakes at no very distant date. What effect a very severe earthquake would have in this vicinity it is impossible to tell. In addition to any damage to buildings, a very great change would doubtless be effected in the relations of land and water. It is supposed by a skilful geologist that the result would be likely to be a reclamation of some eight to ten thousand acres of marsh land, which could be made into good solid ground in this country. It is recorded that at the time of the destruction of Callao by an earthquake an immense wave, of the height of thirty-seven feet overwhelmed the city and extended into the country ninety miles. That great natural and comparatively recent changes have taken place in this State no one can doubt who has given the subject the slightest attention. Large quantities of shell-fish and beach-stones are constantly being found at the height of two or three thousand feet above the level of the sea, and other indications show such changes.—*Placer Times.*

OBITUARY OF THE SOFT DEMOCRACY.—The Hard democracy of Livingston, N. Y., have prepared an obituary, which they intend to have inserted upon the tomb of Free Soilism. Here it is:—

OBITUARY.
The Van Buren or Free Soil Party,
Born of respectable colored parents, at Buffalo, August, 1848.
Died at sunset, Nov. 8, 1853,
Aged 5 years and 3 months.

A post mortem examination proved the immediate cause of death to be cholera infantum, produced by too strong meat being forced into its weakened stomach, causing immediate death.

A NOVEL MARRIAGE CEREMONY.—At Rochester, N. Y., on Tuesday last, the Rev. Antoinette L. Brown, as the officiating clergy-man, united a happy couple in the bands of holy wedlock, thus probably becoming the pioneer in this interesting department of Woman's Rights. The parties were Delos Allen and Eliza W. De Garmo, both members of the Society of Friends. Those present state that the Rev. Miss Antoinette went through the ceremony with marked propriety—omitting, however, all allusion to the primeval injunction. This is a progressive age, when a man can be married by a girl as well as to a girl; and when girl doctors and girl divines undertake the cure of both body and soul.

In spite of wars and rumors of wars, this is a fine time for science and musical artists. Mademoiselle Rachel is slowly making her journey to St. Petersburgh, where her salary will amount to nearly $80,000. Mad'lle Marie Cabel is the new nightingale of this season. She sings in the Theatre Lyrique, and wonderful golden baits are held out to tempt her to the opera. Madam Alboni gets $12,000 for five months at the Italian Theatre, performing six times in each month; $400 per night. The tenor Mario is offered $15,000.

SMOKED HERRING—50 bxs. new rec'd and for sale by W. A. McCLURG.

INDIGO—Madras Manilla, 2 cases for sale by nol5 R. E. SELLERS.

LAND WARRANTS WANTED, at the highest market price, by A. WILKINS & CO. Fourth street.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—A fresh supply of Stone Mill, hulled Buckwheat Flour, rec'd and for sale by W. A. McCLURG, nol7 Grocer and Tea Dealer.

RETAIL PRICES OF FOREIGN FRUIT, at MORRIS & PATTON'S, in the Diamond.—[illegible]

TRY IT WITH BUCKWHEAT CAKES—That delicious article, Honey Syrup, 12½c qt., sold by Morris & Patton, in the Diamond, and Federal street, Allegheny.

FISH—50 bbls. and half bbls. No. 1 Lake Trout, inspected. McGILLS & ROE.

TOBACCO—10 kegs Ky. 6 Twist; 20 boxes Grant's 5s; 35 do Russell & Robison's; 25 do assorted brands. nol5 McGILLS & ROE.

JENNY LIND BUTTER SCOTCH—A superior article for Coughs, Colds, &c., sold Wholesale and Retail, by KEATING & CO. nol6 154 Smithfield street.

NORMA—The Opera of NORMA, composed by Vincenzo Bellini, with Italian and English words. [illegible] Price $2.00. A large assortment of the above work just received and for sale at the Music Store of nol21 JOHN H. MELLOR, 81 Wood street.

Attention Purchasers. THE subscriber has just returned from the East with a good selection of Carriages, Buggies and Sulkies. They will be received and remain at Messrs. Clark & Thaw's Warehouse for a few days, after which time they will be removed to the Carriage Depot at the Two Mile Run on the Greensburgh Pike. nol21-3td JOS. WHITE.

TO SADDLERS—A few doz. superior Saddle Bag Leather, in store and for sale by nol1 HARD & DE LANGE.

TO BOOT & SHOEMAKERS—Examine our stock of French Kips and Calf Skins, at prices to suit all. nol1 HARD & DE LANGE.

TO TANNERS—An invoice Bank and Straits Oil, rec'd and for sale by nol1 HARD & DE LANGE.

PRODUCE SUNDRIES— 10 bbls. prime packed Butter; 15 kegs do do do; 10 bbls Sweet Potatoes; 25 do small white Beans; 3 sacks do do do; 5 sacks No. 1 Hops, just rec'd and for sale by nol3 SHRIVER, DILWORTH & CO., No. 130 and 132, 2d st.

ONIONS—20 bbls. this day received, by nol9 HENRY H. COLLINS.

ALPACAS! ALPACAS!—Just opened at A. A. Mason & Co.'s, No. 25, 5th street, 150 pcs Alpacas of every color and quality.

TRIMMINGS—A. A. Mason & Co., No. 25, 5th street, are now exhibiting one of the largest assortments of Trimmings ever before offered in this city, of all the most fashionable styles, and of every color.

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

WIDE SILK VELVETS—A few pieces extra fine, a beautiful finished Black Velvet, for Ladies Talmas, just rec'd by A. A. MASON & CO.

CLOVES—400 lbs. for sale by nol R. E. SELLERS, 57 Wood street.

CALCINED MAGNESIA—15 boxes for sale by nol1 R. E. SELLERS.

MADDER—2 casks for sale by nol1 R. E. SELLERS.

SUPERIOR WHITING—25 bbls. for sale by nol1 R. E. SELLERS.

DAMAR VARNISH—1 bbl. for sale by nol1 R. E. SELLERS.

BRIMSTONE—1600 lbs. for sale by nol1 R. E. SELLERS.

CHERRY PECTORAL—5 gross rec'd and for sale by R. E. SELLERS, 57, Wood st.

WRAPPING PAPER—Medium and Crown, for sale at the Wall Paper Warehouse, No. 55, Market street, between Third and Fourth. THOMAS PALMER.

TRANSPARENT WINDOW CURTAINS—A large assortment of handsome styles for sale by THOMAS PALMER.

WALL PAPER at all prices, together with a great variety of Borders, for sale by nol1 THOMAS PALMER.

10 BBLS. CASTOR OIL in store and for sale by FLEMING BROS., Successors to J. Kidd & Co., nol1 60 Wood street.

3 TONS MANGANESE OXIDE in store and for sale by nol1 FLEMING BROS.

20 BBLS TURPENTINE in store and for sale by nol1 FLEMING BROS.

15 BBLS. LINSEED OIL in store and for sale by nol1 FLEMING BROS.

25 BBLS. VEN. RED, English, in store and for sale by FLEMING BROS.

1000 LBS. GARRETT'S SCOTCH SNUFF in store and for sale by FLEMING BROS.

ALCOHOL—30 bbls. Alcohol, 79 and 92 per cent., in store and for sale by FLEMING BROS.

BONNETS! BONNETS!—A. A. Mason & Co., No. 25, 5th street, will exhibit this morning 250 Velvet, Silk and Satin Bonnets of the latest styles and most fashionable colors.

SELLING OUT.—The oldest carpet establishment west of the Mountains, [illegible] W. M'CLINTOCK, 112 Market st.