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To Advertisers.—Neither the Editorial Rooms nor Printing Establishment of the *Daily Gazette*, are opened on Sunday. Advertisers who desire their notices to appear in the paper on Monday morning, will please hand them in before 8 o'clock, on Saturday.

Pittsburgh Weekly Gazette.—The extensive circulation of our *Weekly Gazette* offers to our businessmen a most desirable medium of making their business known. Our circulation is between four and five thousand, reaching almost every merchant, manufacturer and shop-keeper in Western Pennsylvania, and Eastern Ohio.

Advance Payments.—Hereafter no subscription will be taken for the Daily or Weekly Gazette, unless payment is made in advance. Whenever the time is up to which the subscription is paid, the paper will be invariably stopped, unless the subscription is renewed by advance payment. All transient advertising, of every description, will be required to be paid in advance. The only exceptions will be where special monthly or yearly contracts are made. sepdtdkw

Indiana and Illinois State Stock Banks.

We take this mode of notifying those who remit us by mail that we can no longer receive the notes of the Indiana and Illinois State Stock Banks. They are not current in this city, and we cannot sell them except at a ruinous shave.

COUNTRY HOMES FOR CITY BUSINESS MEN.

The storm and excitement in financial circles has interrupted our quiet and peaceful suggestions on rural homes. We could not expect our readers to pay much attention to such matters while absorbed in affairs more immediately pressing on every man's notice. The excitement in this community is now, we trust, pretty well over; our bankers and business men generally have stood firm, and have evinced their solidity and prudence; and we may again turn to matters having quite as much to do with the true happiness and permanent prosperity of the community. The subject is, not so inappropriate to questions of ways and means, and of finance as some would imagin, as we design in our country homes for city business men to inaugurate a less extravagant, excitable and dangerous system of social life, and to substitute the calm and serene pleasures of rural art for the feverish excitements of speculation; and the sobrieties of a comfortable yet plain country home for princely city mansions, extravagant display, and reckless extravagance. We wish to show that a competence only is necessary to happiness, and that there is something better than a mad desire for great wealth, or than the ostentatious display of it. In a word, we wish to introduce a less extravagant mode of living, and thus remove the temptation to reckless efforts to acquire wealth, and to introduce more rational and unhurtful excitements and pursuits.

In our last we were on the subject of supplying a country home with water, without the adventitious aid of a spring, or the artificial means of a well. We recommended rain or cistern water, and promised to describe the mode adopted to supply our own residence. We now proceed to redeem our promise.

First. The Roof. This is covered with slate. Where coal is burnt, a great deal of soot gathers in the interstices between the shingles, which is blown off of slates, and, besides, shingles furnish a great amount of woody fibre, which gives a disagreeable taste to the water and causes it to ferment. Slate is the best article which can be used where pure water is required. If the roof is shingled, paint it well, with some of the earthy paints, such as Blake's cement.

Second. The Drains. These are built of brick, leaving a space of about four inches square for the flow of the water, and are thoroughly plastered with water cement. They are placed far enough under ground to prevent the danger of frost, and have a gradual declination towards the cistern. At the points where the down pipes enter the main, the brick work is brought up above the surface of the ground, and a strainer, made of brass wire, is built into the brick work. This prevents any animal or any substance much larger than a pin-head from getting into the drains through the down pipes. The down pipes are constructed with a loose joint near the ground, so that they can be removed for the purpose of clearing out any leaves or other obstructions which may gather on the screen, or strainer.

Third. The Cistern. This is placed near the house and at a point best suited to bring all the drains together at one place. It is twelve feet deep from the top of the ground to the floor of the cistern, which is large enough to contain 120 barrels of water. It is built of brick, laid in common lime mortar, and shaped somewhat like a jug, with the mouth about two feet from the top of the ground. The neck is about two feet in diameter, to serve as a man-hole to enter the cistern for the purpose of cleaning it. It has a waste-pipe near the top, and it is thoroughly plastered on the inside with water lime cement. The man-hole is covered with plank, on which is arranged a gauge to indicate the depth of water in the cistern, which it does with accuracy. The gauge comes to the top of the ground, which is smoothed off, leaving the top of the man-hole two feet below the surface.

Fourth. The Filter. This is placed between the drains, where they come together, and the cistern. It is built of brick, 3 feet by 4 feet 3 inches, in the clear inside, and 3½ feet deep. It has a floor of brick, and is thoroughly plastered with cement on the inside, so as to be water tight. The water from the drains enters at one end, 2 feet 6 inches from the bottom, and passes out at the other end, at the same height, into a drain leading to the cistern. A four inch brick wall is erected across the inside, one foot from the end next the cistern, dividing it into two apartments, the largest one being 3 feet square. At the bottom of the wall are left spaces about three inches wide by two high, four inches apart, to let the water pass from one apartment to the other, and the division wall is plastered with cement. Into the largest apartment is placed, 1st, eight inches of very coarse, clean gravel; 2d, three inches pulverized charcoal; 3d, six inches common clean gravel; 4th, three inches pulverized charcoal; 5th, eight inches gravel. The water coming in from the drains percolates through the gravel and charcoal and passes into the small chamber, which contains nothing but water, and passes into the cistern freed from all impurities and clear as crystal. We have several coal fires burning in our dwelling, and still the water is pure and clear, and devoid of all coal taste. The water passing out of the filter at the same altitude it comes in at, prevents any rush of water through the filtering substance, and the consequent displacement of it. The top of the filter is about 18 inches below the surface of the ground, and is covered with strong plank, and the whole covered with earth.

It will thus be seen that all our arrangements are under ground, beyond the reach of frost, and so constructed that nothing can possibly get into the cistern to injure the water. We have thus secured an unfailing artificial spring, depending upon the same source, the clouds, as natural springs, and have secured its filtration. We cannot however, give it a regular flow, and must supply the defect by artificial means. In our own case we have proceeded as follows:

In the basement story of the house we have placed a force pump, connected with the cistern by a lead pipe, which passes under ground and enters the cistern near the top, and passes to the bottom at one side. In the garret we have a reservoir, made of wood and jointed with zinc, which holds three or four barrels; which is also connected with the force pump by a lead pipe. From this basin we have distributed pipes through the house, into the kitchen, wash-room, bed-room, bathing room, water closet, *etc.* The force pump is a large one and throws up water with but little labor. On an average, ten minutes pumping by a man daily, will supply sufficient water for a family of from six to eight persons. This can be done in the morning, while the chores are doing up, and there is no further trouble about water for the day, no running to the well or spring. The water is just where it is wanted, without any labor to the females of the family.

We have now tried this plan for more than a year, and during one of the driest seasons ever known, and can say emphatically that for all family purposes nothing more is desired. It furnishes a liberal and constant supply of pure, wholesome, soft water, with labor so slight that it is not worth mentioning. Where persons desire to irrigate largely, it would be necessary to dig a well, or what is better, build a large cistern at the barn or stable. Where the ground is clay, or clay-loam, the cement may be plastered directly on the earth, using brick for the arch. The whole cost of drains, cistern, filter, reservoir, pump, and the distribution of the water through the house, on the plan we have adopted, is less than $200; and it costs that to dig a well eighty feet deep, even where there is no rock; and many persons spend hundreds of dollars to find miserable, hard water, and then have the never ending labor of raising it by pump or windlass. A cistern, filter, &c., with a small pump placed over it, or carried into a house a few feet from it, will not cost more than forty or fifty dollars, and yet there are hundreds of families that lose almost that amount annually for the want of a plentiful supply of soft water.

We think we have made our promise good, of showing that there is water abundant in every place where there is the roof of a house or other building, and that the advantages of hydrants, with water distributed through the dwellings, may be enjoyed as well in the country as in the city.

FIRE-BRIGADE.—Attention is directed to the advertisement in to-day's paper of the Messrs. Miller. These gentlemen come here with the highest recommendations as to their ability to do all they profess, and those desiring to acquire an easy, graceful, and correct style of penmanship would do well to give them a call.

Messrs. Miner & Co. and Gildenfenny & Co. have laid on our table a work entitled "Theatrical Journey-work and anecdotical recollections of Sol Smith, Comedien, &c." To those who affect such reading this will be found a pleasant book. For sale as above.

"IMPORTANT NEWS FROM IRELAND."—The Irish Republican Union held a meeting in New York on Thursday evening, when Mr. Molloy announced that he had much pleasure in stating "that intelligence, having direct and important influence on their interests, was received from Dublin, from parties of high standing and influence. The nature and purport of the tidings it was deemed best to withhold at present from publication."

Mr. Kerin said, "the news from Ireland was of vast importance, and if they had any hope or any intention to serve Ireland, let them get a musket, or earn the price of it, and enrol themselves in this organization, step on board some staunch bark and go manfully to the rescue of the 'Old Green Isle.'" The nature of this intelligence has not yet leaked out.

THE CALIFORNIA FORGER.—The Henry Meiggs, whose Schuylerism in San Francisco, was reported by the North Star, was well known in New York. He gained some credit by the marvellous erection of a church without much "visible means"—an Episcopal church in Williamsburgh. Then he came to New York city, and went into Tattersall's, bought out Miller, and made money, but saved little or none. Suddenly he failed, and turned his financial skill to building up an "American Musical Institute." At this he succeeded well for a while, then failed, and soon after sailed for California.

—Among the sufferers by Meiggs in San Francisco, are Adams & Co., $20,000; Mr. Luning, $16,000; R. E. Woods, $27,000; J. Pendegrast, $16,000; E. Gelston, $36,000; Dr. Bevoidy, $19,000; Mrs. Burrill, the actress, $4,000; Dr. Crowell, $15,000; Mrs. Brooks, $3,000; Mr. Reese, $60,000; Thompson & Co., $30,000, and many poor people suffer in same ranging from $1,000 to $5,000.

THE OFFICIAL CATHOLIC ORGAN.—The Catholic Vicar-General of New York, having announced that henceforth the Freeman's Journal is to be recognized as the "official paper" of Archbishop Hughes, the editor, in referring to the announcement, intimates that it imposes certain restraints upon him to which he has hitherto hesitated to submit, but to which he has at length conceded. The Irish American, another Catholic paper, is not at all pleased with this official endorsement.

BANK ROBBERY.—*Ten Thousand Dollars Stolen.*—The Nashville Gazette of the 3d inst., says:—"We were yesterday informed that a robbery was a few days since committed on the Marine Fire Insurance Bank, of Mason, Georgia, by one of the clerks, Scoville by name, employed in the bank, to the amount of $10,000. Scoville has absconded to parts unknown. Reward offered, $1,000. The President of the bank was in our city yesterday in quest of the thief."

FUNERAL RITES UNDER COMPULSION.—An American nobleman, named Doss, who had done great service to Chamorro, President of Central America, by his skill as a marksman, was early in August mortally wounded, and afterwards died, a Protestant. At his death he was refused burial in the Catholic Cemetery, but Chamorro had him buried with great military honors, and forced the Priests, under penalty of death, to say twenty-five masses for his soul.

CODFISH AND LOBSTERS.—The Newport (R. I.) Mercury says it is surprising the number of lobsters a codfish will destroy. In opening a haddock codfish one will find lobsters, whole or in part, in at least ninety. Some will be found entire and apparently just gorged, and others perfect in form but nearly digested. We have repeatedly taken from a codfish, that would weigh not more than six pounds, a lobster weighing not less than a pound. The number of lobsters destroyed by the cod in a season must surpass all conception.

THE ARCTIC'S MISSING BOATS.—Stephen G. Sluyter, master of the steamer Victoria, writes to the Herald that he was at St. Johns when the Lilly Dale arrived there, and saw the boat which she picked up. It was a clinker built whale boat, painted black outside, straw color inside, and had a red gunwale. She had also five brass row-locks, made to unship. As the boat referred to is not one of the Arctic's life-boats, there is one boat the less accounted for, and therefore one more chance of favorable intelligence respecting those who escaped from the wreck.

STORMY WINTER.—It is predicted by the weather-wise, that the ensuing winter will be unusually stormy, marked by heavy falls of rain or snow, or both. The prediction is based upon the fact that about the same amount of water falls to the earth each year, and as much less than the usual portion has fallen during the last six months, the balance is to be made up this winter.—*Portland Argus.*

We dined out the other day, with a citizen who enjoys a good joke. Among others he related one of a Yankee and a Dutchman, who, when discussing politics, wound up on the relative merits of Seward and Bouck, both ex-governors of the Empire State. Says Yankee, "Bouck has not so long a head as Seward." "Vell," says Duchee, in a huff, "Seward's head is not half so thick as Bouck's."

THE GREAT SALE OF WOOL.—The quantity of wool sold at Troy, N. Y., on Thursday, was 476,000 lbs. Some three or four hundred manufacturers were present. The Budget says:

"The sale commenced at noon, and from the start the competition was quite brisk. About 475,000 lbs. were sold, at a range for fleece of 20½@42 cents, mostly from 35 to 40 cents. For pulled 21½@33 cents—average probably 28.—Flocks were common Shoddy, Smyrna and Texas sold well—quality small. Prices ruled from 8 to 5 cents above the highest quotations. The same house have sold at sales within the last two weeks, in addition to the above, 250,000 lbs. and have yet on hand over 250,000 lbs."

A CARD.

DR. CALVIN M. FITCH, of New York, would announce that he has made arrangements to extend his stay in PITTSBURGH till Monday evening, Nov. 16th, during which time he may be consulted daily, at his Rooms, at the CITY HOTEL, for PULMONARY CONSUMPTION, Asthma, Dyspepsia, Female Complaints, and all other diseases connected with or predisposed to Consumption. To those who have previously consulted Dr. Fitch, no charge for consultation will be made, as it affords us pleasure to see our former patients, and all consulting Dr. Fitch on the present occasion may continue to correspond with him in New York, without further expense.

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Flour will be delivered to families in either of the cities. Terms, CASH on delivery.

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To Persons who are Stoop Shouldered—Shoulder Braces.

DR. LANE, editor of the Chambersburg Transcript, under date of Sept. 18, 1854, in speaking of these Braces, says:—Our friend, Dr. GEO. H. KEYSER, submitted to our inspection a very fine specimen of the "Washington Suspender Brace," manufactured and sold by him at the corner of Wood and Virgin alley, Pittsburgh. It serves admirably the purposes for which it is intended, is light and easy, and altogether free from the objections attached to the many other Braces in general use. It is an excellent Suspender, while at the same time, it preserves the shoulders in a healthful position, without at all restraining the natural movements of the body. The Dr. will send them by mail, free of postage, to any part of the Union.

[From the Pittsburgh Daily Dispatch, Feb. 26, 1852.]

CHEST EXPANDERS—SHOULDER BRACES—AN EXCELLENT ARTICLE.—Persons who have acquired a stooping position, by following a sedentary occupation, will experience much ease in the use of the "Washington Suspender Brace," made and sold by Dr. KEYSER, corner of Wood st. and Virgin alley. It answers for a brace and suspenders, the weight of pantaloons is so placed as to continually tend to bring the shoulders to their natural position, and expand the chest. We purchased one some time ago, and have been so pleased with it, that we unsolicited give it a notice—praise.

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—My son Charles has been afflicted with inflammation of the hip joint. At the age of 3 he was first attacked, inflammation increased until the hip was very badly diseased, and the joint seriously affected his leg, drawn up so that it was impossible to straighten it; a professor of surgery gave it as his decided opinion that the leg would never heal, and that the young man would never walk again. The disease increased so rapidly that for two and a half years he only walked with a crutch, and the efforts to exercise the limb was attended with great pain, so that he could not sleep. I watched him so attentively that for five months I did not have one full night's rest. He had been treated by distinguished medical practitioners by leeching, blistering, &c., he had also been before the Medical Clinique of Yale College. The remedies they recommended were most faithfully tried but without avail.—This was his disease and dreadful condition eighteen months since when he commenced taking Myers' Herb Juice, the bottle was but partly taken when he was much better, continuing until three bottles had been taken, when a cure was effected, and he is now, now he is in excellent health. This is the testimony of facts can be corroborated by addressing Mrs. Catharine McGill, 91 Wallace st., New Haven, Conn., or can be fully substantiated by hundreds of witnesses, or by addressing a line to Rev. W. W. Belden, New Haven, Conn.

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