HOME MATTERS.

Proceedings of Select Council.—Dec. 27, 1854.—Members present—Messrs. Allen, Cordell, Drum, Kier, Kincaid, Loomis, Lytle, Murdock, McCurdy, Oyer, Smith and President.

The minutes read and approved.

On motion of Mr. Smith, that the regular order of business be dispensed with and we proceed with the business from Common Council.

Adopted.

The report of the Finance Committee relative to the deficiency in appropriations Nos. 3, 5, 7 and 12, with the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following additional appropriations be made:—No. 3, City Printing, $300; No. 5, City Watch, $800; No. 7, First Street Commissioner, $500; No. 12, Allegheny Wharf, $500, and charge the same to appropriation No. 14.

Which in Common Council report accepted, and Resolution read three times and passed.

Also report of Finance Committee relative to the Interest and State Taxes falling due on the 1st day of January next, with the following resolution:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be instructed to procure all the funds from the City Collector that he possibly can previous to the 27th inst., and that he is hereby authorized to negotiate on the faith of the city any deficiency that may occur to meet the interest, and State tax due on the 1st of January next. Report accepted, and resolution read three times and passed.

Also report of Finance Committee with resolution, authorizing the Mayor to draw warrants in favor of Messrs. Loomis and Hepburn, for $60,00 each. Report accepted, and resolution read three times and passed.

Also a proposed act, for the collection of taxes and water rents in the city of Pittsburgh. Read and referred to Finance Committee.

A resolution in favor of Warner Kouskamp, for $683—damages sustained by the widening of Gibbon street, Eighth Ward. Referred to Committee on streets.

A resolution to have a lamp post erected on Centre Avenue, at the head of Dinwiddie street. Read and referred to Committee on Gas Lighting.

In all of which action of Common Council the Select Council concurred.

Also the following resolution:

Resolved, That a Committee of five, three from the Common and two from the Select Council, be elected by Councils to vote through one of their number to be designated by them for that purpose, the City Stock held in the following Railroad Companies at the next election of officers for said Companies, viz:—Allegheny Valley Railroad Company, Pittsburgh and Steubenville Railroad Company, Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

Which in Common Council read and adopted, and Messrs. McAuley, Reed and Getty elected on part of Common Council.

Action concurred in, and Select Council went into election for two members of said Committee—when Messrs. Allen, Murdock, Bissell, McCurdy and Smyth were nominated, and Messrs. Kier and Dunn appointed tellers.

Messrs. Allen and Murdock having received the majority of the votes cast were declared duly elected.

Mr. Kincaid called up the following resolution which in Select Council, August 28, 1854, was read twice and laid over:

Resolved, That the Water Committee be and they are hereby authorized annually to exonerate Joseph Pennock, Isaac M. Pennock and Geo. S. Selden, from the payment of the water taxes, which may be assessed on the dwellings owned by them situated on Duquesne Way, until the said water taxes shall amount to the sum of one hundred and twelve dollars and ten cents, the sum expended by them in extending the water pipes along Evans' alley. Read three times and passed.

Mr. Cordell presented the bill of R. H. Hartley for $37,32 for hose. Read and referred to Committee on Fire Engines and Hose.

Also bill of J. McMillin for $4,87 for printing paper book, with the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to draw a warrant in favor of J. McMillin for $4,87 and charge the same to contingent fund. Read three times and passed.

Mr. Kincaid presented the following:

Resolved, That the Treasurer be directed to receive the City Warrants in the hands of the several Tax Collectors as payment of taxes collected by them. Read three times and passed.

On motion adjourned.

Court of Quarter Sessions.—Before Judges McClure, Boggs and Adams.

After the meeting of Court yesterday morning, his honor Judge McClure charged the jury in the case of Com. vs. James S. Negley, indicted forgery and false pretences. No verdict had been rendered up to the hour of adjournment.

Com. vs. John Cook, alias Jones; indictment assault and battery. Verdict not guilty and the prosecutor to pay the costs. The parties were colored.

Com. vs. Wm. J. McMinn; indictment, larceny. The defendant is charged with stealing a quantity of table ware from Calvin W. Bennett, proprietor of the St. Clair Hotel, while employed in the hotel as watchman. Mr. Fay testified that McMinn gave into his charge forty-two spoons of different kinds, all of which were marked "Exchange Hotel," excepting seven, which were marked "City Hotel." (Mr. Bennett did not change the name of the hotel from "Exchange" to "St. Clair," until after he had purchased the household utensils, which accounts for their being marked "Exchange Hotel.") Mr. Fay also testified that the defendant had previous to the time of presenting the spoons, brought for examination a mashed up sugar bowl, which he pronounced to be very fine silver, and which weighed about two and a half pounds. McMinn wished to have his name carved on the spoons, but Mr. Fay refused to do so, fearing that they had been stolen. McMinn in a few days called and took them away. Witness further stated that on the 15th of November, McMinn called at his house after eleven o'clock at night, remarking that he had something particular to say to him. He said that he had wrongly condemned the three watchmen (Link, Carville, and McDonald) for the larceny of money which they had never stolen; and which was afterwards found in his own bed;—that he had intended to withdraw the prosecution, but was told by some one that if he did, "the watchmen could have him sent to the penitentiary for their characters." He then told Mr. Fay that he was sorry he had got into trouble, and asked him to swear in Court that the articles of silver ware were marked "Exchange Hotel, city of New York," which the witness refused to do.

The case will probably occupy the attention of the Court during the greater part of to-day.—Messrs. McCandless, Flanegin and Miller appear for the defence; and Messrs. Irwin, Mahon and Hatch for the prosecution.

The Military Festival.—The supper given by the Duquesne Greys of this city, at the St. Charles Hotel on Wednesday night, in honor of their guests, the Rover Guards, was a brilliant affair. The supper was very handsomely served, and Messrs. Bryson & Shirls deserve much praise for their efforts in this regard. During the evening Judge Wilkins, Judge Flinn, of Cincinnati, and Gen. Larimer were severally toasted, and responded in happy style. Col. Black made an eloquent and feeling speech in answer to a toast respecting the Volunteer Soldiers in the Mexican War; and his Honor, the Mayor, made a few remarks when the cities of Pittsburgh and Cincinnati were toasted. The speech of Judge Wilkins was the great feature of the evening.—It was delivered with the ease and grace characteristic of that gentleman, and abounded in reminiscences both interesting and new, as well as highly honorable to him. The other speeches of the evening were conceived in excellent spirit and received with vociferous applause. The company broke up at a late hour, and all present seemed to enjoy themselves heartily.

The Guards departed for their homes yesterday, much gratified with their visit, notwithstanding the unpleasant weather which accompanied them.

The Allegheny Burglars.—Wm. Martin, who was arrested on Saturday last, on suspicion of being concerned with James Dickson in the robbery of the dwelling and store of Mr. Mertz, had a final hearing before Mayor Adams yesterday. A pair of gloves which had been found in the cell occupied by him in the watch-house, were identified as the property of Mr. Mertz.—When Martin was questioned as to how he had obtained them, he answered that Dickson had passed them to him from his cell, telling him to destroy or mutilate them so that they could not be recognized. He was held to bail to appear and answer the charge.

Allegheny Whig City Convention.—The delegates appointed to place in nomination candidates for the offices of Mayor and Director of the Poor, met in the Council Chamber on Wednesday evening, and on the first ballot Adams and Wadlow each received four votes; on the second, six votes were cast for Alex. Wadlow, who was declared, by resolution, the candidate of the Whig party. Daniel Boisel, on first ballot, was unanimously nominated as a candidate for Director of the Poor.

The Rovers.—In consequence of the sudden rise in the river, and the consequent speedy resumption of business in the Queen City as well here, the Rovers were compelled to leave yesterday, being one day sooner than they intended. A beautiful flag was presented by them to the Duquesne Greys and a neat and feeling speech made by Capt. Sargent, of the Guards, which was replied to by Messrs. Roberts and Campbell, of the Greys.

Benefit.—W. Pearson Collins, of Sanford's Opera Troupe, takes a benefit at City Hall to-night. An unusual variety of songs and dances is placed upon the programme. A rare entertainment may be expected.

BY TELEGRAPH.

From Havana.

New York, Dec. 28.—The Empire City arrived with later dates from Havana.

The examination of Lacoste, arrested on a charge of fillibustering at Barracoa, was progressing. In his declaration he unhesitatingly avowed that his purpose was the liberation of his countrymen from the Spanish yoke.

Capt. Hawkins, of the schooner Charles T. Smith, has been cited to appear and answer the charge of clandestinely bringing arms to the Island.

A new act of registration of the slaves has been promulgated. It is said to be of great service to the importers of negroes, and several cargoes had lately been landed.

All the ports of the Island have received heavy armaments from Europe.

Sugars quiet at 7@8 reals for yellow; muscovado 4@5; white 7½@9. Stock 24,000 boxes. Weather favorable for operating in the estates.

Washington City, Dec. 28.—The American Association for the advancement of Education met at ten o'clock this morning and resolved to meet at New York next year.

D. R. Barnard, of Connecticut, delivered an able lecture on the Public School system.

Philadelphia, Dec. 28.—The receipts and stocks of Flour are small; prices unchanged:—sales 300 to 400 bbls. standard brands Penna. at $9,25, holders firm; sales 6300 bbls. Baltimore at $9,12½. Rye Flour in better demand; 300 bbls. sold at $6,50. Corn Meal, more inquiry; Penna. held at $4,25. The supplies of Wheat come in slowly; demand limited; sales 1500 to 2000 bush. at $2,12 for good and $2,20@$2,22 for white. Rye taken on arrival; sales 500 bush. at $1,25. Corn in demand; sales 3000 bush. new yellow at 91, afloat and 92 in store, including a lot of white at 90. Whiskey dull; small sales in bbls. at 40 and in hhds. at 39.

New York, Dec. 28.—Cotton dull, and prices ⅛@¼ lower; sales 400 bales. Flour advanced 12½c; sales 12,000 bbls straight State at $9@9.37, southern firm; sales 2500 bbls. Corn firm; sales 3,000 bus western mixed at 97@99. Pork unchanged; sales altogether 1000 bbls. Beef firm; sales 400 bbls Lard dull. Whiskey, Ohio 38. Coffee firm and active; sales 5750 bags Rio at 9⅞@10¼. Sugars and Molasses heavy.—Stocks better; money unchanged; Va. 6s; Penn'a Coal Co. 94½; Cumberland Coal Co., B. 30, 28½; N. Y. Central 87¼; Reading 72; Erie 37⅞.

Melodeons—Carhart's Genuine Make.
H. KLEBER has just completed his stock of superior MELODEONS, from the celebrated Factory of Carhart & Needham, the original inventors, New York, comprising
5 Octave Melodeons, Piano style, round corners, and carved gothic tables, with double set of reeds, double swell, etc.
5 Octave Melodeons, elegant scroll legs and double swell.
4½ do do do do do.
All the above have Carhart's latest improvements of the double swell, possessed by no other make, and which makes them superior in that respect to any others. For sale by HENRY KLEBER,
Sole Agent for the genuine Carhart N. Y. Melodeons.
de16 101 Third street

PROCLAMATION.—Whereas a certain dearth of money pervades throughout the land, thereby making the usual tax upon men for holiday presents grievous and not to be borne; and, Whereas, the war in Europe has been the occasion of drawing off many of my toy making subjects throughout France and Northern Germany from their usual occupation to that of war, consequently making it out of my power to supply my millions of little subjects. Therefore, this is to inform my subjects in general and the Boys in particular, that one CHESTER of this city of Smoke, and on the street called Wood, No. 74 of the same, has generously volunteered to aid me in this my great need. The said Chester has therefore supplied himself with a large variety of Garments suitable for all the wants of my subjects. I, on my part, have solemnly pledged that my subjects shall pay the man Chester at the time of purchase in the current coin of the land. My old hoary headed friend John Frost will feelingly impress it upon the minds of my subjects that this will be a judicious expenditure of their funds. In the name of fun and good cheer, I have done this Dec., A. D. '54. SANTA CLAUS.

CLOVER SEED—200 bus. for sale by de19 J. B. CANFIELD.

SUNDRIES—150 bus. Dry Apples; 250 bus. Dry Peaches; 100 bus. Cloverseed; 40 do pared do; 20 do prime Tim'y Seed; 10 bbls. prime Roll Butter; 5 do do No. 1 Lard; 50 kegs do packed Butter; 10 bbls. Hickory Nuts, for sale by de18 SHRIVER & DILWORTH, 130 & 132, 2d st.

SYRUP—100 bbls. Balt. Golden Syrup; 100 do Brooklyn do, just rec'd and for sale by SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

FIRE CRACKERS—30 bxs. Chinese Fire Crackers, large No. 1, for sale lower than can be bought elsewhere in the city, at W. H. SUTTON'S, No. 12, Wood st.

BOSTON SYRUP—2 bbls. Boston Syrup just rec'd and for sale by W. H. SUTTON, No. 12 Wood st.

DRIED PEACHES—200 bus. in store and to arrive and for sale by BELL & LIGGETT.

FAMILY FLOUR—Choice extra family brands in store and for sale by BELL & LIGGETT.

CASHMERES—10 pcs. more of those All Wool Figured Cashmeres, at 25c per yd. de16 A. A. MASON & CO., 25 5th st.

HOUSEKEEPING GOODS—A. A. Mason & Co. have reduced the price of all their Housekeeping Goods one fourth from usual prices. de17

DRY PEACHES—20 bus. this day rec'd and for sale by de15 HENRY H. COLLINS.

30 BXS. CASTILE SOAP just rec'd and for sale by de8 FLEMING BROS.

400 LBS. BERMUDA ARROW ROOT in store and for sale by FLEMING BROS.

THIRD ST. PROPERTY FOR SALE—A new three story Brick Dwelling House, of 11 rooms, with a large Store Room, a bath and gas fixtures, bath room and good cellar. No. 133 Third st.
A two story Brick Dwelling House, of 3 rooms, a hall and Store Room, cellar and finished attic; also, a back building, suitable for a dwelling house.
A two story Dwelling House on 2d st., containing three rooms and a Store Room, and finished attic, with a large bake oven in the cellar. S. CUTHBERT & SON, 140, 3d st.

CARGO'S DAGUERRIAN GALLERY, Apollo Buildings, 74, 4th st.—Pictures taken in all kinds of weather in the best style of which the art is susceptible, at very reasonable prices. Citizens and strangers are invited to call and examine specimens. Rooms open day and evening. de11-d&wT

AWAY WE GO FOR THE FLEECY SNOW—Music furnished for Sleighing Parties on the shortest notice by FRANK CARGO, office at R. M. Cargo's Daguerrian Gallery, No. 76 Fourth st.
Grand Prize Fancy Dress Party at Wilkins' Hall, on next Friday, Dec. 15th. Tickets 75 cts. Social Assembly as usual on Tuesday evening. de11

CIGARS.—Hernani Regalia, La Union, Principe, Cuba, Florida and Seed, Cuba and Seed, Half Spanish and Common Cigars, for sale by de12 WM. H. SUTTON, No. 12 Wood st.

POOR'S RAILROAD MAP OF THE U STATES just rec'd and for sale by de7 KAY & CO., 55 Wood st.

SUNDRIES—100 bgs. prime Rio Coffee; 50 bxs. best brands 5s Tobacco; 50 kgs. Va. Twist do; 50 bbls. medium No. 3 Mackerel; 50 do large do do; 100 do N. O. Molasses; 20 bbls. green Apples; 10 do prime Timothy Seed; 20 do Maple Sugar; 50 doz. Corn Brooms; 20 do (bright) No. 2 Rosin, on hand and for sale by JOHN WATT & CO.

MOLASSES BARRELS.—100 Molasses Barrels (oak) for sale by JOHN WATT & CO.

FLOUR—A superior article of Western Gennesee Flour in store and for sale by de16 S. HARBAUGH & CO.

SOAP—40 boxes Rosin Soap in store and for sale by de16 S. HARBAUGH & CO.

CANDLES—20 boxes Mould Candles in store and for sale by S. HARBAUGH & CO.

HOPS—40 bales just rec'd and for sale by de16 S. HARBAUGH & CO.

PEARLS—17 bbls. No. 1 Pearls in store and for sale by S. HARBAUGH & CO.

BUTTER—4 bbls. prime Roll and 8 firkins prime rec'd and for sale by BELL & LIGGETT.

BROOMS—75 doz. Corn Brooms, ass'd sizes, in store and for sale by BELL & LIGGETT.

FLAXSEED OIL—14 bbls. rec'd and for sale by de16 BELL & LIGGETT.

FRESH SALMON at 12 1-2c per lb.; No. 1 Mackerel do do do; Prime Mess Shad do 10c do; Very fine fresh No. 3 Mackerel at 6c per doz., for sale by de15 J. W. McFARLAND.

PHILA. STEAM SYRUP at 10c per qt., for sale by de15 J. W. McFARLAND.

PRESTON & MERRILL'S BAKING POWDER, warranted to be the best article now in use; 24 doz. rec'd by de15 JOS. FLEMING.

HOUSE RENTING—Persons having houses to rent, and those wishing to procure Dwelling Houses, will find it to their interest to give us a call.—Particular attention paid to procuring good tenants and the collection of rents. S. CUTHBERT & SON, 140, 3d st.

STORE ROOM TO LET, situated on 3d st. Dwelling House on Carpenters' alley. Also, a Dwelling House on Logan st. Immediate possession of the above can be had. S. CUTHBERT & SON, 140, 3d st.

TOOTH BRUSHES—I have rec'd the largest and finest assortment of English Tooth Brushes ever offered in Pittsburgh. Those in want of a good article, and warranted genuine English, can always procure them at JOS. FLEMING'S, cor. Diam'd & Market st.

GUM DROPS—A very large assortment of Gum Drops rec'd by de15 JOS. FLEMING.

FINE SOAPS—A large assortment of the finest Toilet Soaps rec'd by JOS. FLEMING.

PEARLASH—41 casks just rec'd by de14 R. DALZELL & Co.

OATS—400 bus. Oats to arrive and for sale by de14 SHRIVER & DILWORTH

6 JARS PRESERVED GINGER for sale by de19 J. W. M'FARLAND, 265 Liberty st

MOLASSES—50 bbls. N. O. for sale by de19 J. B. CANFIELD.

MESS PORK—25 bbls. for sale by de19 J. B. CANFIELD.

LINSEED OIL—40 bbls. for sale by de10 J. B. CANFIELD.

PEARLASH—30 bbls. for sale by de19 J. B. CANFIELD.

BUTTER—30 kegs packed Butter for sale by de13 SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

NEW FIGS—3 cases prime new Figs, in small boxes and drums, to arrive this day and for sale by de12 W. A. McCLURG.

BEANS—18 bbls. white Beans just rec'd and for sale by de13 HENRY H. COLLINS.

CLOVER SEED—29 bbls. to arrive and for sale by de4 JOHN FLOYD & CO.

DRY PEACHES—33 bbls. prime Ohio halves to arrive for sale by JOHN FLOYD & CO.

PEACHES—100 bus. new Dry Peaches in store and for sale by JOHN WATT & CO.

CLOVER SEED—80 bus. just rec'd and for sale by de6 JOHN WATT & CO.

FLOUR—50 bbls. Family Flour for sale by de6 JOHN WATT & CO.

BUTTER & CHEESE—40 boxes Cheese; 20 packages Butter, 15 kgs Somerset Co. family Butter for sale by de6 JOHN WATT & CO.

TANNERS' OIL—25 bbls. best quality, for sale by the bbl. or gallon. de6 J. SCHOONMAKER & CO.

COMMERCIAL.

COMMITTEE OF ARBITRATION, FOR DECEMBER.—W. H. Smith, V. P.—J. S. Dilworth, S. Harbaugh, J. Rhodes, Thos. Sargeant.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

Office Pittsburgh Gazette, Friday Morning, December 29, 1854.

FLOUR—none offered from first hands: from store, 65 bbls. superfine at $9,20, and 40 do. at $9,25.

CORN MEAL—a sale of 400 bus at depot at $1,00.

GRAIN—a sale of 1,800 bus. Wheat, on terms not given, and 150 bus. Oats, at depot at 55.

WHISKEY—sales in dray load lots at 38@39.

HAY—sales at scales of 20 loads at $25@$30 ℔ ton.

BACON—a sale of 400 pcs. Shoulders at 7, four mos.

BULK MEAT—a sale of 15,000 lbs. Shoulders at 5@5¼.

BUTTER—sales of 10 boxes and 6 bbls. Choice Roll at 20; 3 bbls. Inferior do. at 16, and 600 lbs. Packed at 13.

CHEESE—sales of 50 bxs. in lots, at 10@10½.

FRUIT—sales of 75 bus. Dried Peaches at $2,12, and 10 bus. Pared do. at 12 cts. ℔ lb.

ASHES—a sale of 8 tons Pearls at 6¼, on time, 5 cks Domestic Soda at 3¼, and 6 do. Imported at $3,10, four mos.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

The River was in high flood, yesterday, the stage of water in the evening being 11½ feet, and still rising. Ice was running heavily out of the Allegheny, but had ceased running out of the Monongahela.

The coal tow-boats were getting in readiness to go out with their barges. The coal boats will, we presume, commence to go out to-day.

Two pairs of coal boats broke loose on Wednesday, one of which was recovered, but the other, we hear was lost.

The Pittsburgh, Capt. Campbell, was taking in a fine load of freight for Cincinnati. She is the regular packet for to-day, and leaves at 10 o'clock, A. M.

The Ambassador, Arctic, and Equinox were loading for New Orleans; the J. C. Fremont and J. S. Pringle for Cincinnati and Louisville: and the Twin City for Nashville.

Freight did not seem to come forward very freely, and the wharf was not crowded as we expected to see it. Business will doubtless be more active to-day.

There has been an active demand for Money during the week, and no increase having been experienced in supplies, increased stringency has been complained of. It is not likely that any improvement will take place during the current week, though it is not expected that the demand will be so pressing as during the past ten or twelve days, borrowers having to a considerable extent made arrangements in advance for their first of January payments. Rates of interest range from 1 to 3 ℔ cent. ℔ month. Unless all signs fail a decided change for the better will take place soon after the 1st of January. The movements just now, in all the markets, indicate such an improvement, and in the West the favorable nature is the rise that has taken place in the River, with a strong probability of a full resumption of navigation. The rains of the last three days have been general, and tolerable steady, though not so copious as might have been desired but at present writing it still continues, and the River is rising at this point.—[Cin. Price Cur.

Uncurrent Money has generally declined in value. Indiana Specie paying Banks can be sold at 10 discount. All others 15, except Bank of Connersville, 25. Drovers' Bank, Rome; Plymouth Bank, Merchants' Lafayette; Merchants Springfield; Traders' Terre Haute; Bank of America, Morocco; Northern Indiana, Orange Bank, State Stock, Logansport; State Stock, Peru, 60 dis. Kentucky Trust Co., 65 do; Newport Safety Fund, 85 do; Bank of Circleville, 25 do; Bank of Massillon, 85 do; Bank of Kanawha, 10 do; Virginia Free Banks, 5 do, except Trans-Allegheny, 25 do; Tennessee, Old Banks, 2½ do; Tennessee, Free Banks, 5 do; Wisconsin, solvent Banks, 5 do; do. broken Banks, 15 do; State Banks of Indiana, Kentucky and Old Virginia Bank notes, under tens, ¼ to ½ dis. Clinton Bank of Columbus, and the suspended Independent State and Stock Banks of Ohio, are all received at par, in small amounts.

In Money affairs we have no change to notice, either for better or worse; parties having payments to meet, find it extremely difficult to make both ends come into juxtaposition; and perhaps never found the achievement more difficult than during the last year. Exchange has declined to ⅛@¼ prem., although many ask more, but the market is exceedingly dull and the tendency of rates decidedly downward.—[Cin. Gaz.

Money is tending to greater ease, although any attempt to place securities even to a moderate amount, and to obtain loans, shows that capital is still held back for very high rates. The arrival from California of $1,500,000, has helped the market, and the influence would have been still greater, but for the report of the small addition to the Specie in the New York Banks, as shown by the statement of last week's averages.—[Phil. Inq.

The receipts of Hogs for the week, and since the commencement of the packing season, have been as follows:

From Kentucky	3,250
By River and Railroads	21,457
Through Toll-Gates	4,500
Slaughtered at Madisonville and Fairville	2,200
Total	31,407
Previously reported	225,259
Grand Total	256,726
To same date last season	279,875
To same date in 1852	232,340
To same date in 1851	282,822
To same date in 1850	265,216

—[Cin. Price Cur.

With the single exception of a few demand loans at 7 ℔ cent., Money was about as dear to-day as at any time during the season. First-class mercantile paper, strictly such, is done at 12a15 ℔ cent., 60 days to 6 months, but very fair names are difficult to pass under 18 ℔ cent.—Withal, however, we hear of few failures within the past week or ten days. Great efforts are making by parties having Real Estate, Building and other engagements outside the ordinary commercial business of the city, to sustain their credit and to keep up the values, in many cases undoubtedly extravagant, upon which for a year or two past, they have estimated their fortunes or profits. It is borrowers of this class, together with no inconsiderable amount of paper forced on sale from the East, that make the market so dear. Our large Banks discount beyond their daily receipts, at the risk of losing their Specie to other cities, and the Foreign Bankers show no willingness to-day to part with their Exchange on any other terms than for cash. The Kentucky Banks have been drawing some Specie to make themselves strong against an ingoing circulation, and the Banks of Baltimore want Specie preparatory to their 1st January showing to the Maryland Legislature.—[N. Y. Times.

There has been a large business done in Exchange for the steamer, but at declining rates. The supply of sterling Commercial Bill was large, and some sales were made as low as 5 ℔ cent. First-class Banker's Sterling was sold at 7½ ℔ cent. Francs, 5.22½a5.16¼.

The favorable character of the foreign news, assisted by the large arrival of Gold by the George Law, gave quite an impetus to the Stock market to-day, and with large transactions there was a general upward tendency of prices.—Nearly all the fancies participated in the improvement, and the better feeling continued to the close of the Second Board. The Bears were not as free sellers generally, as for a month or two past, excepting in one or two Stocks. —[N. Y. Trib.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad—37 bdls paper, J. L. Shee; 12 bls hay, J Donaldson; 59 bxs cheese, H. H. Collins; 50 do, R Dalzell & co; 340 do, J B Canfield; 20 sks rags, J Spratt; 4 bbls pork, Hanna & Dyer; 9 kgs lard, 5 pkgs butter, 2 sks feathers, 2 do fruit, Brown & Kirkpatrick; 80 doz brooms, 145 bbls flour, 12 bbls apples, M'Clurkan & co; 3 bbls butter, J Floyd; 57 sks wool, J A Bears; 931 pcs bacon, 10 bbls lard, Bell & Liggett; 36 kgs butter, 16 do, 10 bxs cheese, 57 kgs lard, 6 bbls do, 31 do pork, 27 sks wool, cast 4 carriages, A & A M'Bane; 8 bbls tallow, 23 pks butter, J B Canfield; 3 do, Hardy, Jones & co; 160 bbls flour, 17 do butter, Jones & Denney; 16 tons metal, Nimick & co; 16 sks fruit 2 bbls seed, 4 pkgs butter, Shriver & co; 2 do, 10 kgs lard, 175 sks bran, S Harbaugh; 311 bus wheat, English & co; 5 sks beans, 5 do fruit, 2 bbls butter, Montgomery & Leech

RIVER INTELLIGENCE.

STEAMBOAT ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

ARRIVED.

Luzerne, Bennett, Brownsville.
Jefferson, Mason, Brownsville.
T. H. Shriver, Hendrickson, West Newton.
Col. Bayard, Peebles, Elizabeth.

DEPARTED.

Luzerne, Bennett, Brownsville.
Jefferson, Mason, Brownsville.
T. H. Shriver, Hendrickson, West Newton.
Col. Bayard, Peebles, Elizabeth.
Ambassador, Oliver, New Orleans.

River.—On yesterday evening there were 11 feet 9 inches in the channel and rising.

FOR SALE—A valuable Horse, perfectly sound, easy under the saddle, goes well in harness, and is very gentle. no21-tf E. D. GAZZAM.

NOTICE.—CARPETS, CARPETS, CARPETS, receiving at No. 112 Market st.—Wilton, Velvets, Brussels, Tap. Brussels, Extra Three Ply, Tap. Ingrain, Extra Sup. Ingrain, Fine Ingrain Venitian, List and Rag Carpets; also, every variety of Door Mats, Window Shades and Trimmings, with a fine fine assortment of Floor Oil Cloths, from 24 feet to 18 inches wide, which we offer at a reduced price. We invite the attention of our customers and travelling community to call and see, at W. McCLINTOCK & BROS.

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.
THE firm of WARNER, PARK & CO. was dissolved on the 5th day of December, 1854, G. E. Warner having disposed of his interest to David E. and James Park and Jacob Painter. The business of the late firm will be settled by the undersigned, who will continue the manufacture of Cotton Sheetings, colored and white Carpet Chain, Candle Wick, Twine and Batting, under the style and firm of PARK, PAINTER & CO.
DAVID E. PARK
JAMES PARK, Jr.
JACOB PAINTER.
To Park, Painter & Co I cordially recommend a continuance of the patronage extended to the late firm. G. E. WARNER.

BANNER COTTON MILLS, PARK, PAINTER & CO., Warehouse, No. 149, 1st, and 120, 2d sts., de27-d&wlmT PITTSBURGH.

CHRISTMAS SOIREE—A Select Cotillion will be given by Frank Cargo at Wilkins' Hall, on MONDAY EVENING, Dec. 25th. Those wishing to attend must secure invitations of the Managers or of Frank Cargo, at R. M. Cargo's Daguerrian Gallery, 76 Fourth street. No gentleman admitted without a lady. de22

41 ACRES OF LAND, situated in Darlington township, Beaver county, within ½ mile of Enon Station, O. & P. R. R.; 30 acres cleared, balance good timber land. A 3 foot vein of Bituminous Coal is opened and ready to be worked. The land is rolling, but can all be cultivated. Price $40. Apply to de15 B. M'LAIN & SON, No. 21, 5th st.

ANNATTO—2 baskets for sale by de13 R. E. SELLERS & CO.

BLUE VITRIOL—2000 lbs. for sale by de14 R. E. SELLERS & CO.

BROOMS—50 doz. Corn Brooms just rec'd and for sale by McCANDLESS, MEANS & CO.

LARD—5 kegs No. 1 Lard for sale by de14 R. DALZELL & Co.

VINEGAR—50 bbls. Cider for sale by de14 J. D. WILLIAMS.

NEW PRUNES, in small bxs. and glass rec'd and for sale by de12 W. A. McCLURG.

BUTTER—10 bbls. prime Roll Butter for sale by de14 SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

PLAID MERINOS—Murphy & Burchfield have rec'd some very handsome goods of above kind, in blue and black, and other desirable combination. Also, Plaid Cashmeres in small and large Plaids. de7

PRINTED MERINOS FOR CHILDREN—Murphy & Burchfield have rec'd a further supply of the above scarce and desirable goods, in blue, buff, orange and cherry. Also, small figured DeLaines, in fancy colors, for children's wear. de7

BLANKETS of a superior quality, and medium do, to be had at low prices for quality, at store of de22 MURPHY & BURCHFIELD.

LIFE PRESERVERS & JACKETS of all the different styles, manufactured of India Rubber and Macintosh goods, for sale, wholesale and retail, at the India Rubber Depot, No. 116 Market st. de13 J. & H. PHILLIPS.

FISHING BOOTS, (India Rubber) at the Rubber Depot, 116 Market st. J. & H. PHILLIPS.

BAPTISMAL PANTS at the India Rubber Depot, 116 Market st. J. & H. PHILLIPS.

INDIA RUBBER WHIPS of all sizes, wholesale and retail, at the Rubber Depot, 116 Market street. de13 J. & H. PHILLIPS.

PARED PEACHES—30 bus. pared Peaches on hand and to arrive. de13 SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

DRIED PEACHES—300 bus. Dry Peaches, prime halves, in store and for sale by SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

FOR $25 PER ACRE—114 acres of Land ¼ of a mile from the Ohio river, opposite Sewickleyville, 30 acres of which is cleared, the balance is covered with excellent timber; 80 acres can be cultivated. Some improved property in the city will be taken in part. And only ¾ of an hours ride from the city. Apply to de13 B. McLAIN & SON, 21, 5th st.

DWELLING HOUSE FOR SALE—A 3 story Brick House on Logan st., with lot of ground 23 ft. front by 48 deep. The house is very conveniently arranged with 3 halls and 9 rooms, and well papered and finished in modern style, a balcony in front; hot and cold water to each story, and gas fixtures in each room. de6 S. CUTHBERT & SON, 140, 3d st.

EMPTY BARRELS—100 empty Barrels, Oil and Turpentine, for sale by de27 R. E. SELLERS & CO., 57 Wood st.

S. L. FANCOAST & CO., COMMISSION MERCHANTS, No. 17 North Wharves, Philadelphia, Sole Agents for the sale of R. S. CHILDS & CO.'S LAMP BLACK. All orders for the above article promptly attended to. no11-3m

W. JACKSON & SON, of the late firm of W. & S. Jackson & Sons, Grate and Fender Makers, 246 Front st., and 930 Broadway, New York, have constantly on hand every variety of Grates and Fenders. Also, Circular and Square German Silver Grates. Whole sale Dealers supplied. je12 1y

FOR RENT—The large and convenient House on Fourth st., between Market and Wood sts., at present occupied by Mr. George Beale. Rent low and possession given immediately. no14-tf E. D. GAZZAM.

FOR RENT—A well lighted and furnished Basement Store, corner of Third and Market sts.—Rent $100 per annum. no29-tf E. D. GAZZAM.

Philo Hall Building.
FOR RENT—Rooms in the above building suitable for offices. E. D. GAZZAM, no23-tf Market st., between 3d and 4th sts.

SPEARS' MILLS FOR RENT.—These desirable and very popular FLOURING MILLS and SAW MILL attached, are now for rent low, as the present proprietors intend embarking in another business. These Mills have one of the best water powers in the country, being supplied by the Little Beaver river, and Sandy and Beaver Canal. They are 4½ miles from the Ohio river, or out-let Lock of the Canal, and the Pittsburgh and Cleveland railroad. There is in contemplation (and has been surveyed) and will be built, a railroad from Darlington to the river, which will make the communication to this Mill good the year through.
THE STORE is a very desirable location for selling goods, has a good run of custom, doing a good cash business, of about $12,000 per annum. Any one wishing to engage in a safe paying business, will do well to call soon on the proprietors, as they are determined to rent for the reasons mentioned above. DANIEL SARVER, Spear's Mills, Columbiana Co., Ohio.
Postoffice address: Smith's Ferry, Beaver Co., Penn'a, or to J. D. STUART, Union Line, Pittsburgh. sen5:tf

Heartburn, Acidity of Stomach and Dyspepsia.
DR. R. T. FORD has lately compounded a Medicine called California Lozenges, which has proved a certain cure for the above named affections. It is an invaluable medicine for children, acting as a gentle restorative of the disordered system. Numerous certificates can be submitted, but we prefer departing from the usual custom, knowing its merit will fully sustain itself. Try it one and all. For sale by JOHN HAFT, Jr., ded Sole Agent, No. 141 Wood st.

WILLIAM BARNHILL ... JARED M. BRUSH.
WILLIAM BARNHILL & CO., BOILER MAKERS and SHEET-IRON WORKERS, Manufacturers of Barnhill's Patent Boilers, Chimneys, Britchen, Fire Bed Steam Pipes, Condensers, Salt Pans, Sugar Pans, Iron Yawls or Life Boats, etc. Also, Blacksmiths' Work, Bridge and Viaduct Irons, &c. Repairing done on the shortest notice. no30-1yd.

Assessment Notice.
THE Stockholders of the Colling Mining Company are hereby notified that an assessment of Fifty Cents per share has been levied on the stock of said Company, payable on the 22d day of January, 1855. By order of the Board of Directors. GEO. E. ARNOLD, de22-dlm Treasurer.

Notice—Pittsburgh and Steubenville Railroad Company.
THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Pittsburgh and Steubenville Railroad Company will be held, in accordance with law, on MONDAY, the 8th day of January, 1855, at the office of the Company, No. 146, 3d st., Pittsburgh, at 10 o'clock, in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing a President and twelve Directors. CHARLES NAYLOR, President. Pittsburgh, Dec. 21st, 1854.—td

NOTICE—The interest of Mr. John Atwell, in our business, ceases from this date, by agreement. Our business, as Wholesale Grocers, will be continued by the remaining partners, under the firm of BAGALEY, COSGRAVE & CO., Nos. 18 and 20 Wood st., Pittsburgh. BAGALEY, WOODWARD & CO., No. 221 Market st., Philadelphia. Pittsburgh, Dec. 19, 1854.-de21 WM. BAGALEY & CO.

ARTIFICIAL TEETH!! DRS. DUNCAN & CAMERON, DENTISTS, No. 156 West Sixth street, between Race and Elm streets, CINCINNATI.
THIS OFFICE under the management of its present proprietors, has been increasing in reputation for superior operations in the Artificial Department of Dentistry for the last ten years, and no expense or effort shall be wanting to give satisfaction to all who may favor it with their patronage.
The subscribers would call attention to the following essential points pertaining to Artificial Teeth, viz: Beauty and naturalness of appearance, quality and strength of the materials, comfort to the wearer, and usefulness in restoring the natural appearance of the mouth, and facility to masticate, in all of which they are warranted in saying they are exceeded by few.
TEETH inserted from one to a full set, with artificial Gums. Full and Half Sets invariably inserted by suction.
All operations in Dentistry performed in the most thorough manner.
TERMS—Considering the superior character of the work and the guarantees given, they are the most reasonable in the West.
Two Teeth or more, on Gold Plate, $2,50 per Tooth; Silver $2 00.
The money refunded if the Teeth do not prove satisfactory.
For the information of those living at a distance we would state that our facilities are such that we can make in the finest style, a full set of TEETH in from 24 to 48 hours, and small pieces in proportion, so that no delay need to be apprehended.
W. C. DUNCAN, J. G. CAMERON, Dentists. de18-1y No. 156 West 6th st., bet. Race & Elm. Cin.

Chartiers Valley Railroad Company.
A MEETING of the Stockholders of the Chartiers Valley Railroad Co. will be held in accordance with the provisions of the Charter, on MONDAY, the 8th day of January, 1855, at the St. Charles Hotel, in the City of Pittsburgh, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing a Board of Managers for the ensuing year. de14-td J. K. MOORHEAD, Prest.

ELECTION—The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Associated Farmers' Insurance Company, and Election for thirteen Directors, to serve the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Company, on Tuesday, the 9th day of January, 1855, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 1 P. M. de14-td R. FINNEY, Sec'y.

THE HOUSE OF REFUGE for Western Penna., at Pittsburgh, is now open for the reception of inmates regularly committed from counties composing the Western Judicial District of Penna. Forms of commitment can be obtained of the Superintendent at the House of Refuge, or of the Secretary, at the office of Palmer, Hanna & Co. By order of the Board. JAMES ANDERSON, Prest. de16
Papers in the Western counties favorable to the institution, please copy.

HATS AND CAPS—We would respectfully call the attention of our friends and customers generally to our splendid assortment of HATS and CAPS—Silk Hats, of our own manufacture, from $2,50 to $5, made of the best material and most approved styles; also, extensive assortment of Fur, Plush and Cloth Caps, and childrens' fancy Hats, which we will sell low for cash. JAS WILSON & SON, 91 Wood st. de16

To Contractors.
MEMPHIS AND CHARLESTON RAILROAD.—Proposals for Graduation and Cross-Ties will be received until December 25th next, for that portion of the line passing through McNairy County, Tennessee, and Tishomingo County, Mississippi, comprehending Sections 27 to 80.
Plans and specifications may be seen at the Engineer's office, in La Grange, Tennessee, to which place proposals should be directed.
The Western end of this work is eighty miles Eastward from Memphis, and the Eastern end, is two miles Westward from Tuscumbia, Alabama. I. L. MEIGS, de14-4d Prin. Assistant Engineer.

FOR THE WEST—Any person going to or living in the West can purchase a valuable Portable Saw Mill Right for several States. It is said to be of great value in a new country. It can be bought if the buyer can make money.
A variety of good Copper Stocks on hand to sell for Real Estate, here or in the West.
I also have a Printed Register of Real Estate. Described on it are a variety of Farms, Country Seats, Houses and Lots, Stock, &c. This Register is given to any one gratis. THOMAS WOODS, de7-tf Commercial Broker, 75 Fourth st.

MACKAREL, CODFISH, SALMON, HERRING, PORK, HAMS AND SIDES, SHOULDERS, LARD AND CHEESE. Constantly on hand and for sale by J. PALMER & CO., MARKET ST. WHARF, PHILADELPHIA. de15-1m

China for Christmas Presents and Family Use.
JUST opened the best assortment ever opened in this city, and at prices to suit the times at de20 HODKINSON'S, 65 Wood st.

Monongahela Navigation Company.
NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS—The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Monongahela Navigation Company will be held, as required by law, on THURSDAY, the 11th day of January, 1855, at the office of the Company, No. 75 Grant street, in the City of Pittsburgh, at 2 o'clock, P. M., for the election of officers for the ensuing year. de29-td WM. BAKEWELL, Sec'y.

TO THE COMERCIAL COMMUNITY.—Prof. MILLAR & CO. have room for a limited number of students in Writing, Book-Keeping, Arithmetic Calculations, and in all other necessary essentials which constitute the business man.
Each pupil receives separate instruction, thereby advancing him in a sure and superior manner.
Call at the Iron City Commercial College, Lafayette Hall, Wood st., where you will be guaranteed full satisfaction. Open from 8 A. M. till 10 P. M. Be kind enough to read the following:
I know of no person in this city, now engaged in teaching Book Keeping, equal to Mr. John Barry, whose valuable services can be had at the Iron City Commercial College. JOHN FLEMING, Author of Fleming's new and improved system of Book-Keeping, &c.
Pittsburgh, Dec. 16, 1854.—We, the undersigned, take pleasure in stating to our friends and the public that we have taken a few lessons in Prof. Millar's new and superior system of Penmanship, and our improvement has exceeded our most sanguine expectations. Those who wish to improve their hand-writing will find Prof. M. the most skillful teacher and best penman in Pittsburgh.
R. Moody, Albert Laufman, G. H. Hilderbrand, J. M. Bushfield, W. G. McClure, Robt. Wallace, A. A. White, Lewis E. Jenks, R. McCarr, J. H. McKelvy, Dunlop Paxton, Peter O. Bryne.
And others, whose names can be seen at the rooms.

ORNAMENTAL STAINED GLASS. THOMPSON & SCHLEIF, GLASS STAINERS, No. 155 Third street, Pittsburgh, respectfully invite the attention of the public, and of Architects, Builders and Gentlemen or Trustees about to build private residences or churches, to their specimens of STAINED GLASS, at their establishment, for which Silver Medals were awarded by the Pennsylvania State Fair in 1853, and by the Allegheny County Fair for 1854. They are prepared to execute Stained Glass of every style and designs, for churches, private dwellings, or steamboats, from the plainest and cheapest to the most ornamental and costly, including the decoration of churches with Life-Like figures, scriptural and allegorical subjects, and every other description of Ornamental Windows; also, Ornamental Doors, Transoms, Side Lights, Sky Lights, etc., introducing Landscapes, Fruits, Flowers, and every variety of scroll work. Enamelled Glass of new and handsome patterns at low prices, and Entry Lamps, and Lamps for Hotels and Restaurants, got up in handsome style at short notice. They can point to work already executed in this city and other places, for churches, steamboats and private dwellings, as evidences of their capacity and skill. de11-1yd&ltwT

Executor's Sale
OF that beautiful Country Seat, formerly the residence of Abraham Horbach, dec'd, near Wilkinsburg.
The subscriber offers for sale the Mansion House and premises above mentioned, comprising twelve acres of excellent land, in a high state of improvement, with the buildings thereon, viz: A large Brick Dwelling House and Brick Barn, Carriage House, Stabling and other Buildings, being the same property allotted to Mrs. Arabella Statenfield, now also deceased, in the partition of the real estate of said Abraham Horbach, Sr., her father, and now to be sold for the payment of debts and the maintenance of minor children. A long time can be given for the payment of a considerable portion of the purchase money. For particulars and terms, those desirous of purchasing, will please call on the subscriber. THOMAS DAVISON, Exec'r of Arabella Statenfield, East Liberty. de22-1md&w8

DUQUESNE GLASS WORKS. GEORGE A. BERRY & CO., MANUFACTURERS OF WINDOW GLASS, No. 75 Water Street, near Market, no30-1md PITTSBURGH, PENNA.

For Rent.
THE DWELLING HOUSE, at present occupied by the subscriber, situated on Pennsylvania Avenue, near the 7th Ward, and having fourteen rooms, with wide hall, and convenient out-houses, viz: Stone Spring House, with abundant supply of water, Wash House, &c. The lot, which is covered with trees and shrubbery, has a front of three hundred feet, and is about a mile from the centre of city business.
Business men desiring to obtain, on easy terms, a country home, possessing a fine view of the river, are invited to examine the property, which, if application be made on or before the 24th of December, will be rented for a term of years, to a private family. Possession given the first of April. de13-tf E. D. GAZZAM.

NEW YORK ADVERTISEMENTS.

From Wm. H. McDonald's Advertising House, No. 102 Nassau street, New York.

NEW YORK AND CALIFORNIA STEAMSHIP LINE, (Via Nicaragua.)
THE ACCESSORY TRANSIT COMPANY OF NICARAGUA, PROPRIETORS.
THE NORTHERN LIGHT, STAR OF THE WEST, PROMETHEUS, or DANIEL WEBSTER, all first class steamships, will leave New York on the 12th and 27th of each month. When those days fall on Sunday, the Monday following will be the sailing day. Connecting by the Nicaragua Transit Route, having but twelve miles of land transportation, over a good macadamized road, in carriages, with the steamships SIERRA NEVADA, YANKEE BLADE, CORTEZ, UNCLE SAM, PACIFIC, and BROTHER JONATHAN, one of which will leave San Juan del Sud, the Pacific terminus of Transit Route, to San Francisco on the arrival of the passengers. For further information apply to CHARLES MORGAN, Agent, no9-6m 5 Bowling Green, N. Y.
Letter Bags made up at the office—Letters 25 cts. per ½ ounce.

MERIDEN MACHINE COMPANY—WEST MERIDEN, CT., have on hand and are constantly making, LATHES, PLANERS, and other MACHINISTS' TOOLS, of superior quality and finish. Also, FARHAM'S Patent Improved Double Acting FORCE PUMPS, of all sizes, for mines, factories, railroad water stations, etc. Cuts, with full particulars, may be had on application. se29-3mx

GENTLEMEN'S Fine Gold California Diamond Cluster Breast Pins, with Chains attached, equal to the real Diamond. Price, $5,00; without chain, $4,00. Orders sent by mail, enclosing the money, or by express, will be promptly attended to by addressing L. & J. JACOBS, Importers of Watches, Jewelry, se23-1mx Diamonds, &c., 407 Broadway, New York.

Childs & Smith, No. 449 Pearl Street, New York,
IMPORTERS OF WINDOW CORNICES, BANDS AND PINS. Orders from the Trade in New York or at a distance will be promptly attended to. Also, constantly on hand, Worsted, Silk and Cotton DAMASK, CORDS, TASSELS, GIMPS, &c., WINDOW SHADES and TRIMMINGS, all of which they offer at greatly reduced prices. au24-3mx

World's Fair Premiums. THREE PRIZE MEDALS Have been awarded to the very elegant and superior **PIANO FORTES**
EXHIBITED by the subscriber at the Crystal Palace. In making the above announcement, they would take this opportunity to return their thanks to their numerous friends, for the extensive and liberal patronage heretofore extended to them, and assure them that no pains shall be spared to sustain the flattering reputation already attained. In order to meet the greatly increased demand for their Instruments, they have added largely to their manufacturing facilities, which they trust will enable them in future to promptly meet every demand.
Also, on hand an assortment of very superior MELODEANS, of every style, and at low prices.
GROVESTEEN & TRUSLOW, 505 Broadway, N. Y. (Adjoining St. Nicholas Hotel)
N. B.—Premiums were awarded by the American Institute to their Pianos five years in succession. au22-6mx

No. 76 Chambers Street, NEW YORK. PINNEO & CO., Importers and Jobbers of SILKS, RIBBONS, VELVETS, FEATHERS, FLOWERS LACES, &c.,
Are now receiving a large and complete assortment of RICH MILLINERY GOODS, Which they are enabled to sell at the lowest prices, and on the most favorable terms. Those who purchase of us may save one profit at least, as very nearly all our goods are received direct from the manufacturers in France.
REMEMBER THE NUMBER,
76 Chambers st., 1st door West of Broadway, OPPOSITE THE IRVING HOUSE, N. Y.
H. O. PINNEO ... E. C. CHAPIN ... O. H. SANFORD. au19-3mx

For Melbourne, Australia, Pioneer Line, Carrying the United States Mail.
THE A. 1, superior Clipper Ship GERTRUDE will succeed the Nightingale, and sail for the above ports on the first of July, as seventeenth Ship of this Line. The Gertrude has proved herself a remarkably fast sailer, and is the only A. 1 Ship now loading at this port for Australia. The Pioneer Line has gained a most enviable reputation. It was the first, and is now the only regular line. Everything is provided for passengers except wines and liquors, soap and towels. The length of passage varies from 75 to 100 days. First Cabin Passage $200 and $225, second Cabin passage $125 and $150. For freight or passage, apply to R. W. CAMERON, my30-tfx 116 Wall street.

JOHN PHYFE, DEALER IN IVORY, and manufacturer of Ivory Goods, No. 3 Murray st., New York. oc20-1y

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS AND SEEDS.—RALPH & CO., 23 Fulton street, New York, Wholesale and Retail. oc5-4f

Dubuque Tribune. The Official Paper of the City.
THIS is one of the oldest and most widely circulated Newspapers in Iowa.
Pittsburgh Merchants and others, wishing to secure the business of Dubuque and the Upper Mississippi, will do well to send their advertisements to the DUBUQUE TRIBUNE, which is issued Daily, Weekly and Tri-Weekly, and which has already a large advertising patronage, as will be seen by reference to its columns. oc18-tf

Notice.
AN unexpected run upon my Banking House, at a moment when a large amount of my means was not instantly available in cash, has constrained me to suspend payment. I hope to be able in a few days to resume, or to render to those interested a satisfactory statement of my affairs. H. D. KING.

DISSOLUTION.—The co-partnership of WM. BARNHILL & CO. is this day dissolved by the purchase by William Barnhill of the entire interest in said firm, and he is fully authorized to collect all accounts due said firm. WM. BARNHILL. JOSHUA HANNA. Pittsburgh, Nov. 24th, 1854.
WM. BARNHILL has associated with him JARED M. BRUSH, and will continue the business at the old stand, under the name and style of WM. BARNHILL & CO. November 24th, 1854—no30-3d

HO! FOR KANSAS—For sale a good Brick House of 6 rooms, and large lot, situated on Crawford st., Pittsburgh. Will be sold at a great bargain, as the owner is going to Kansas. Enquire of THOS. WOODS, 75, 4th st.

Fall and Winter Goods.
EDMOND WATTS, MERCHANT TAILOR, 185 LIBERTY STREET.
I HAVE now on hand a large Stock of Fall and Winter Goods, overcoatings of entirely new designs, Fresh Vestings of the most beautiful patterns French and English Cassimeres, of every style and shade in the market, all of which I will make to order on the most reasonable terms and warranted to suit. se28

MRS. S. E. CARGO, Fashionable Dress Maker and Milliner, No. 76 Fourth st., second story; same entrance as to the Crystal Palace Daguerrian Gallery. Dresses, Cloaks, Mantillas, Talmas, etc., made in the latest styles, and on the shortest notice. Children's Dresses, &c., made up with neatness and dispatch, and at very reasonable prices. Bonnets and Caps made to order, of every style, according to directions, and neatly and tastefully trimmed. Give us a call. jy20-d&wT

Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad Co. will be holden at the office of said Company, in Cleveland, on WEDNESDAY, January 3d, 1855, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at which time 12 Directors will be chosen for the ensuing year. SAMUEL FOLJAMBE, Sec'y. Cleveland, Nov. 25, 1854—no30-lawdtw

Allegheny Gas Company.
THE Allegheny Gas Company has declared a dividend of four per cent. on the Capital Stock, payable after the 17th inst., at the office of R. H. Davis, Treas., Water st.
The Board of Managers have directed the sale of a limited amount of Stock, which can be bought at the Manager's office.
A quantity of Coke for sale at the Works. R. H. DAVIS, Treasurer.
Office next door to the new Post Office. Allegheny, Nov. 8, 1854.—no9-td [Dispatch copy.]

Business Stand for Rent.
THAT old and well-known Store, situate on Federal st., 2d door from the Diamond, at present occupied by John Dean, in the Dry Goods business. [illegible] where we will unite our stock of Goods, which will be sold extremely low and on accommodating terms. JOHN DEAN & CO. no11-2wd

Notice.
LETTERS of Administration on the Estate of John Hall, late of Allegheny county, dec'd, have been this day granted to the undersigned. Those having claims are requested to present them, and those indebted, to pay forthwith, to ROBERT C. LOOMIS, se28:lawd6w No. 59 Wood street.

A BARGAIN FOR MANUFACTURERS.—Is offered in Adamsburg, at Dam No. 4, on the Big Beaver river, consisting of 13 shares of water power and 100 lots; the water power is one of the best in the country; it and the lots are offered at a great bargain. Enquire of oc10 THOS. WOODS, 75, 4th st.

JAVA COFFEE—25 pockets superior Java Coffee rec'd by no3 W. A. McCLURG.

$200 REWARD.
IN pursuance of a resolution, passed by the Councils of the City of Pittsburgh, on Monday, the 30th day of October last, I, FERDINAND E. VOLZ, Mayor of said city, do hereby offer a reward of TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS for the apprehension and delivery of JOHN KREMER into the hands of the proper authorities, who stands charged with the murder of Terrence Clarke, late foreman in the employ of Mr. John Agnew, Glass Manufacturer.
The said John Kremer, at the time of the murder, was engaged as a fire teaser in Mr. Agnew's factory. He is a stout athletic German about 5 feet 9 or 10 inches in height, strongly marked on the face by the small pox; brown hair, small whiskers, and between the ages of 40 and 50 years.
Given under my hand and seal of office, the 2d day of November, A. D., 1854, at the Mayor's office in said city of Pittsburgh. no3 FERD. E. VOLZ, Mayor.

Fire and Marine ÆTNA INSURANCE COMPANY, HARTFORD, CONN.—CHARTERED 1819. Paid up CASH CAPITAL, $300,000, With Large Surplus, Securely Invested.
THIS old and long tried Company is still prepared to issue Fire Policies on all descriptions of Buildings, Merchandise, Mills, Factories, Stores, Warehouses, Bridges, Dwelling Houses and Contents, and personal property generally. Also, issue Policies against the perils of Navigation on the Rivers, Lakes, Canals and Rail Roads, at remunerative rates.
The undersigned has long been doing business for this Company in the West—has a full knowledge of its financial condition—that its capital is unimpaired—no bank or other debts now due are unpaid—her resources were never greater than at the present time. The Ætna Company never was connected, either directly or indirectly, with any other Hartford Company. Policy holders will always find at this Agency a sworn statement of its condition, made out semi-annually. All losses promptly paid as usual. H. B. TEN-EYCK, Agent, for Pittsburgh and Western Penna. Office No. 87 Water st., 3 doors East of Market.
The undersigned having relinquished the Agency of the Ætna Insurance Company, would cheerfully recommend H. B. Ten-Eyck, Esq., the present agent, and the Company to the confidence of the community generally. no22-d3w GEO. E. ARNOLD.

In the Matter of the Assignment of James S. Negley.
AND now to wit: this 25th day of November, A. D., 1854, the account of Robert D. Thompson, Assignee of James S. Negley having been filed and confirmed "nisi" and Robert Robb, Esq., having been appointed his successor, it was ordered and directed that notice of the filing of the same be given by publication for two weeks in the Legal Journal and Daily Gazette, newspapers of Pittsburgh. By the Court. no27-2wd

MOURNING GOODS.
FRANK VAN GORDER has just rec'd a large and beautiful assortment of Mourning Collars, Sleeves and Setts in Crape, Tarleton and Swiss, Black Lace and Gauze Veils, Black Hosiery and Gloves in wool, cotton and silk—Ribbons, Belts and Crapes, in all qualities.
Alexander & Bajm's best Kid Gloves can always be found at 83 MARKET STREET, corner of the Diamond.

JAS. M'LAUGHLIN, Dealer in Groceries, Produce, Flour, Bacon, &c., No. 10, corner Smithfield and First sts., Pittsburgh, Pa. no1

CIDER AND WINE VINEGAR FOR PICKLING & FAMILY USE. Well known for its fine Flavor, Strength and Purity, and warranted to improve by age.
For sale by the barrel, half barrel or gallon, by A. BALLOU, oc4-d&wT 144 First and 145 Water st., Pittsburgh

PHILADELPHIA ADVERTISEMENTS.

From [illegible] & Co's ADVERTISING HOUSE, [illegible] 3RD ST. PHILADELPHIA.

B. T. Babbitt's Potash in Tin Cans.
OF 33 1-2, 12, 7 pounds each, assorted; 143 lbs in a case, warranted equal to any in use at about the same price as that in casks, with full directions for use, printed on each can, being in a much more portable condition for retailing. [illegible] The article has been in use for the last three years, and gives the best of satisfaction to all who have met with it. Also, superior Saleratus, Powder, Castile Soap, Cream Tartar, Candles of all kinds, and the best Saleratus in pound papers, and in a case, or other packages. B. T. BABBITT, de9-3mc Nos. 68 & 70 Washington st., New York.

Phrenological Cabinet. FOWLERS, WELLS & CO., Phrenologists and Publishers, 231 Arch street, below Seventh, Philadelphia, furnish all works on Phrenology, Physiology, Water Cure, Magnetism and Phonography, wholesale and retail, at New York prices. Professional examinations, with charts, and full written descriptions of character, day and evening. Cabinet free. my23-1yc

C. B. HEADLY & CO. CHEAP CARPET WAREHOUSE, NO. 82 THIRD ST. NEAR MARKET.
WOULD respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they have in store their complete Fall Stock, consisting of Carpets of every description, from the Royal Velvet and Brussels, to the common Ingrain, Hemp, and Rag. Floor Oil Cloth from one to eight yards wide, new designs and very rich. Cocoa and Canton Matting, Druggets, Rugs, Mats, Stair Rods, Window Shades, &c. Persons in want are invited to call and examine their stock. Steamboats, Hotels and Residences furnished on the most reasonable terms.
Small Profits and quick Sales.
TERMS—CASH ONLY.

NEW PLOW FACTORY. VALLEY FORGE WORKS. J. S. HALL & SPEER,
HAVING commenced operations in the NEW PLOUGH FACTORY, in Manchester, we are manufacturing PLOUGHS of every description of the most improved patterns. Among them will be found J. S. Hall's Patent Double or Drill Ploughs, J. S. Hall's Patent Iron Centre Ploughs, Improved Lever Ploughs, also, Hill Side and Sub-Soil, Cotton and Sugar Ploughs, together with Plough Points and Castings of every description. Our Ploughs and Castings can be had Wholesale and Retail, at our warehouse No. 123 Liberty st., Pittsburgh. au11-6md&w8

DAGUERREOTYPES—You can save time and money by going to CARGO'S, No. 76, 4th st., and getting a brilliant Likeness of yourself, put up in his inimitable style. Parents, children, brothers, sisters and friends, come to-day, while health allows, for, 'tis said "to-morrow" is found only in the fool's calendar. Rooms open day and evening. Prices to suit all. jy8-4w&d

California Diamond Pins.
GENTLEMEN'S SOLID GOLD CALIFORNIA DIAMOND CLUSTER BREAST PINS with chain attached, price $5, without chain $4. These Pins are equal in brilliancy and appearance to the real Diamond, and are really worth a visit to see. We invite every one to call, civility to non-purchasers gratis. L. & J. JACOBS, 407 Broadway.
N. B.—A small history of the Discovery of these Stones would not be amiss. Professor Jacob, so well known for his superior manufacture of ACCORDEONS,
Having sent large quantities to California, his Agents there sent him a specimen of the Quartz Rock, which he immediately sent to his manufactory in Paris to be cut and used in the inlaid work on Accordeons, his agent in Paris being struck with the beauty and brilliancy of the Stone after being polished, sent a quantity of them back to us, hence the manufacture of the above Pins, at a price within the reach of every one.
WATCHES AND JEWELRY of every description, prices marked in the window, and at 25 per cent. less than any other store in the United States. L. & J. JACOBS, 407 Broadway, New York.
These Pins sent by mail to any part of the United States by enclosing amount, addressed L. & J. JACOBS, 407 Broadway, New York.
N. B.—A specimen can be seen at the Counting Room of this office. no25-3md

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.—Whereas Joseph M. Elliott, by deed dated Oct. 2d, 1854, has made an assignment to the undersigned, for the benefit of his creditors, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said Elliott, to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against him to present them, duly authenticated, for settlement. F. B. McCONNELL, Pittsburgh, Oct. 21st, 1854.—oc23-law7t Assignee.

The Liverpool and Philadelphia STEAMSHIP COMPANY Intend Sailing their Favorite Steamships:
CITY OF MANCHESTER, 2125 tons, Capt. Wylie.
CITY OF BALTIMORE (new) 2368, Capt. Robt. Leitch.
CITY OF WASHINGTON do 2700, Capt. Robt. Leitch.
KANGAROO, 1874, Capt. [illegible]
FROM PHILADELPHIA.
CITY OF MANCHESTER—Thursday, 18th Jany, 1855.
FROM LIVERPOOL.
CITY OF MANCHESTER—Wednesday, 20th Dec., 1854.
KANGAROO—about Wednesday, [illegible]
RATES OF PASSAGE.

	FROM PHILADELPHIA	FROM LIVERPOOL
Saloon Berths	$90	21 guineas.
Midship	65	15 "
Forward	50	15 "

Including Steward's Fees.
THIRD CLASS PASSENGERS.
A limited number of Third Class Passengers will be taken from Philadelphia and Liverpool, and found in provisions.
From Philadelphia, $25. | From Liverpool, $40.
Certificates of passage will be issued here to parties who are desirous of bringing out their friends, at corresponding rates.
Drafts on Liverpool from £1 upwards.
An experienced Surgeon will be carried on each ship.
All Goods sent to the agents in Philadelphia and Liverpool, will be forwarded with economy and despatch.
For freight or passage, apply to SAMUEL SMITH, Agent, 17 Walnut street, Phila., or 7 Broadway, New York. Or— WILLIAM INMAN, Agent, 1 Tower Buildings, Liverpool. Or— JOHN THOMPSON, Agent, No. 410 Liberty st., Pittsburgh. no22-tf

JOSEPH CHAPMAN, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN IMPORTED CIGARS, 53 Market street, Pittsburgh.

AUSTRALIA. SIXTY DAYS' PASSAGE. Pioneer Line of Monthly Packets, CARRYING THE UNITED STATES MAIL.
The following Ships have sailed:

Revenue, 1,200 tons, July 1852.	Sea Ranger, 1,200 tons, July 1853.
Epaminondas, 1,400 tons, Aug 1852.	Lady Franklin, 900 tons, Aug 1853.
Ocean Eagle, 1,450 tons, Sept 1852.	Edward, 1,400 tons, Oct., '53.
Mirror, 1,500 tons, Oct., 1852.	Ocean Steed, 1,800 tons, Nov. 1853.
Scargo, 1,450 tons, Dec., 1852.	Carthage, 900 tons, December, 1853.
Baltimore, 1,300 tons, Jan., 1853.	Albert Franklin, Feb. 1854.
Euphrasia, 1,200 tons, March 1853.	Nightingale, 1,066 tons, May 1854.
Oregon, 1,000 tons, March 1853.	Gertrude, 1,100 tons, July 1854.
Nimrod, 8,00 tons, April, '55.	

The Ships of this Line are fitted with Emerson's Patent Ventilators and carry Francis' Metallic Life-Boats.
The new and magnificent Clipper Ship FLYING SCUD, 1,713 Tons Register, W. H. Bassz, Master, will succeed the "Gertrude" as Eighteenth Ship of this Line, and will sail for Melbourne, Australia,
On the 20th of September.
The FLYING SCUD is built on the most approved modern principles and is considered to be a perfect model of Marine Architecture. Those who desire a quick run in one of the finest and fastest Clipper Ships ever built, should secure passage without delay, as only a limited number of 1st and 2nd Cabin passengers will be taken.
For freight or passage, apply on board, at Pier 10 East River or to R. W. CAMERON, au7 116 Wall street, New York

H. PARRY, GENERAL COMMISSION FACTOR.—Will attend to the purchase and sale of Merchandize, Real estate, &c., and the negotiation of Bills, Notes, Mortgages, and the collection of money, &c.
Special attention will be paid to the storage and sale of Pig Metal and Blooms. From long experience in this department, it is hoped satisfaction will be given to Furnace Men who may favor him with their business. Office, No. 56 Hand st., between Liberty and Penn sts.
REFERENCES:
D. T. Morgan & Co., R. & W. Mackey, Marshall McGeary & Co., Palmer, Hanna & Co., Alex. Laughlin, F. Lorenz, Wm. Dilworth, Alex. Scott, John McFadden, Richard Bard, Wm. Larimer, John Sampson, Shriver & Dilworth, Pennock, Mitchell & Co., Bailey, Brown & Co., Nicholson & Payne, F. G. Bailey, John Graham, John D. McCord, Dr. Wm. Addison, Wm. Phillips, R. H. Hartley, N. B. Craig, Geo. Miltenberger, B. Darlington. sep21m

WM. M. SHAW, Commission and Forwarding merchant, No. 75 Walnut st., Cincinnati, Ohio.
References.—T. S. Dugan & co., Tweed & Sibley, Carpenter & Ford, Cincinnati; Murphy & Crafts, New Orleans; A. Culbertson, Pittsburgh; Triplett, McFaden & co., St. Louis. oc4-5md

Fresh Arrival of Fall Goods.
HAGAN & AHL are just receiving their choice Fall Goods, to which they invite the attention of their customers, and the public in general. The Goods have been selected with great care, and will be sold as low as they can be purchased in the city. Their stock consists, in part, of the following:—
Plain black Silks; Fig'd do; Striped do; Plaid do; Lupin's Bombazines; do Silk & col'd do Laines; do striped & figured do; Fine Cashmeres; Canton Cloth; Paramattas, all colors; Brocha Shawls, long & square; Bay State do; Blk Thibet do; Cashmere Shawls; Chintzes and Ginghams; Unshrinkable Flannels; Welsh do; Embroideries; Gloves and Hosiery; Ribbons.
With all grades and colors LUPIN'S FRENCH MERINOES, at the very lowest prices; with an excellent assortment of Housekeeping Goods.
se11 Iron Front Buildings, No. 91 Market st

Notice to Shippers.
THE Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad Company is prepared to carry Freight with promptness and dispatch. Through freight is carried from Pittsburgh to Crestline in nineteen hours, and there are two competing lines from Crestline to Cincinnati, so that shippers may rely upon the prompt forwarding of their goods. Rates from Pittsburgh to Cincinnati, 40, 50 and 60 cents per 100 lbs. for the three classes of freight. Freight is shipped through at low rates to various points in the West. Apply to J. A. BEARES, Freight Agent. or D. N. COURTNEY, Master of Transportation. Pittsburgh, July 20, 1854.—jy22

Liverpool and Philadelphia Steamship Company.
NOTICE.—The CITY OF PHILADELPHIA will sail for Liverpool, SATURDAY, 23d September, instead of 9th September as previously advertised. SAMUEL SMITH, Agent, 17 Walnut st., Philadelphia, Or JOHN THOMPSON, Agent, se5:3w 410 Liberty st., Pittsburgh.

FARM FOR SALE, of 132 acres, situate on the Youghiogheny River, 4 miles above M'Keesport and 20 from the city; 80 acres in a good state of cultivation, 50 of prime bottom land, remainder choice timber and well watered. A two story brick house, a large frame barn with stone basement; also, suitable out-buildings.—Apple and Peach orchard with abundance of other fruit trees of choice qualities. Price $50 per acre. Terms easy. Also, can be had the stock and farming implements; a valuable horse power Cutting and Threshing Machine, &c.—Will be sold at fair prices. S. CUTHBERT & SON, no14 Real Estate Agts., 140, 3d st.

Tea, Tea, Tea.
WE are receiving from New York and Philadelphia 380 HALF CHESTS TEA, comprising Young Hyson, Imperial, Gunpowder, Oolong, Souchong and English Breakfast, all of which have been carefully selected, and will be sold as usual, either by wholesale or retail. A. JAYNES, jy25-tf Pekin Tea Store, No. 38 Fifth street.

Allegheny County, ss.
[L.S.] IN the Orphans' Court in and for said County, at No. 58, Dec. Term, 1849.
In the matter of the Account of Robert Watson, Trustee to make sale of certain real estate of Rev. C. B. Maguire, dec'd.
And now, to wit: October 14th, 1854, the Account of Robert Watson, the said Trustee, being filed, it is ordered and directed that the Clerk of said Court give notice of the filing and exhibition of said Account, in the Pittsburgh Legal Journal and the Pittsburgh Gazette, for three weeks and that the said account will be allowed on the 4th day of November next, unless cause be shown why the said account should not be allowed. By the Court. JARED M. BRUSH, Clerk.

Notice to Consignees.
FREIGHT delivered by Ohio and Penna. Railroad Company at the Federal street Station must be received by the owner or consignee before 5 o'clock of the same day; or a charge for storage will be made. no21-dtjal J. A. BEARS, Freight Agent O. & P. R. R.

Philo Hall Building for Rent.
TWO handsome Stores in Philo Hall Building, 3d st., near Market. Rent $80 for each store, from now till 1st of April next. E. D. GAZZAM. no20-tf Office Market st., between 3d and 4th.

APPLES—100 bbls. Russets, Golden Gates, Newtown Pippins, Rambos, &c., in prime order, this day rec'd by no21 HENRY H. COLLINS.

AGRICULTURAL, &C.

JAMES CHARLTON, NO. 52 WATER st., Manufacturer of R. J. Colvin's IMPROVED SEED OR CORN PLANTER.
This machine is neat, simple and cheap. It plants corn in hills, three feet apart, placing from three to four grains in a hill, so as to be worked both ways with accuracy.—Having lately improved the machine by increasing the size of the roller, the ground will be marked, every revolution of the wheel, so that the farmer or operator will know what he is doing in the middle of the field if he chooses. This unrivalled machine can be sold from NINE to TEN DOLLARS, according to the size of the roller.—The public can rest assured that this machine has no superior. oc25

Pittsburgh Hedge Farm Nursery, SITUATED on Wilkins Avenue, about one quarter of a mile from the second toll gate on the Farmers' and Mechanics' Plank Road, an extension of Fourth street, and about three and a quarter miles from Pittsburgh. WM. & JAS. MURDOCK, Proprietors.
They offer for sale a very large collection of well grown trees and plants suitable for transplanting this fall and coming spring.
The Nursery now covers some 30 acres of ground and contains over 200,000 trees, shrubs and plants, and over 10,000 fruit trees, and 20,000 Evergreens and Shrubs; are of fine size for removal to orchards and pleasure grounds.
Plants carefully packed and sent according to directions to any part of the United States.
We beg leave to call the attention of the lovers of shrubbery and venders in the trade to our unrivaled collection for the Spring of 1854, embracing nearly all the Evergreen family, Indigenous and Exotic, that is worthy of general cultivation in this section of country. Plants can be procured of many things quite large to give immediate effect. Prices moderate as usual. From strangers, cash or satisfactory reference in the city of Pittsburgh required in all cases.
Orders addressed to us through Wilkins Post Office, near Pittsburgh, Pa., or left at our stand on market days, in Diamond Market, will be promptly attended to. -24-d&wtfT

PITTSBURGH AGRICULTURAL WAREHOUSE AND SEED STORE—No. 129 Wood street, Pittsburgh, Pa.—E. R. SHANKLAND, (late Shand, Stevenson & Co.,) Manufacturer and Dealer in Agricultural and Horticultural Implements, of all kinds, Wholesale and Retail: Field, Garden and Flower Seeds, Evergreen, Fruit and Shade Trees; Guano, Poudrette, Chemical Salts, and all other articles connected with Agriculture. de17:1ydw:3

Fruit Trees, Evergreens, &c.
THE subscriber would most respectfully call the attention of his friends and the public to his very large stock of Fruit Trees, Evergreens, Shrubbery, Roses, Greenhouse Plants, &c. Of Apple, the stock is large and fine. Of Pear, we have some 6000 Dwarf and Standard of our own raising, of choice varieties. Peach, several thousand fine, with Cherry, Plum, Apricot, Raspberries, Gooseberries, Currants, &c. Our Evergreens, from 1 to 5 feet, of which we have many thousands, are fine. Persons wanting large quantities will be liberally dealt with. Call and see our stock. We always give satisfaction. Orders left at the Pittsburgh P. O., Mr. H. Dalzell, Liberty st., the Oakland Nursery, 1¼ miles on Penna. Avenue, or the Pittsburgh Nursery, 1½ miles from Oakland, will be promptly attended to.
N. B.—Planting done neatly to order. oc19-1&wS JOHN MURDOCH, Jr.

Bay Wood Flowers.
ARRANGEMENTS have been made with the proprietors of Bay Wood Floral Gardens for a constant supply of Boquettes and cut flowers during Winter and Summer. Ladies and gentlemen can be furnished at short notice any of the following French forms:
Pyramidal (en variété) Vase (en variété)
Hemisphérique " Flabelliforme "
Bicolore Tricolore,
Boquette Fu Mélange. Rosettes,
Fleurs pour les cheveux.
Orders for flowering plants in pots, also received at E. R. SHANKLAND'S Seed Warehouse, ia21 129 Wood street.

FRUIT TREES AND SHRUBBERY. The subscriber offers for sale, a choice assortment of strong, vigorous PEAR TREES, both dwarfs and standards, some of a bearing size; New Jersey Peaches, Plums, Cherries, Apricots, Gooseberries, Currants, Raspberries and other Fruits; Evergreens, Hyacinths, Tulips, and Crocus Roots, for blooming in winter and spring; Implements for the Farm and Garden, of most approved construction, from the Seed and Implement Warehouse, 49 Fifth street. [no16] JAMES WARDROP.

FODDER CUTTERS—30 Sinclair's Baltimore Propeller Cutters; 10 do do large size, fitted for horse power. no15-3twT JAMES WARDROP.

BIRD CAGES—6 doz, various sizes for sale by no15-3twT JAMES WARDROP.

LIVER COMPLAINT, DYSPEPSIA, JAUNDICE, CHRONIC or NERVOUS DEBILITY, DISEASE OF THE KIDNEYS. And all Diseases arising from a Disordered Liver or Stomach, SUCH AS CONSTIPATION INWARD Piles, Fullness of Blood to the Head, Acidity of the Stomach, Nausea, Heartburn, Disgust for Food, Fullness or Weight in the Stomach, Sour Eructations, Sinking or Fluttering at the Pit of the Stomach, Swimming of the Head, Hurried and Difficult Breathing, Fluttering at the Heart, Choking or Suffocating Sensations when in a lying posture, Dimness of Vision, Dots or Webs before the Sight, Fever and dull Pain in the Head, Deficiency of Perspiration, Yellowness of the Skin and Eyes, Pain in the Side, Back, Chest, Limbs, &c., Sudden Flushes of Heat, Burning in the Flesh, Constant Imaginings of Evil, and Great Depression of Spirits,
CAN BE EFFECTUALLY CURED BY DR. HOOFLAND'S CELEBRATED GERMAN BITTERS, PREPARED BY Dr. C. M. Jackson, No. 120 Arch Street, Philadelphia.
Their power over the above diseases is not excelled, if equalled, by any other preparation in the United States, as the cures attest, in many cases after skilful physicians had failed.
These Bitters are worthy the attention of invalids.—Possessing great virtues in the rectification of diseases of the Liver and lesser glands, exercising the most searching powers in weakness and affections of the digestive organs, they are, withal, safe, certain and pleasant.
READ AND BE CONVINCED.
J. D. Spring, Laceyville, Pa., April 6, 1854, says "I can get you some good certificates for your German Bitters in this vicinity if you wish them. A lady purchasing some of this week, says that it is by far the best medicine she ever knew, having done her and her daughter much good," &c.
S. R. Lawson, Benfard's Store, Somerset Co., Pa., Aug. 15, 1853, says "I am much attached to your German Bitters, having used two bottles of it, which I procured from S. Kurtz, your agent at Somerset, and found great relief from it in disease of the Liver. I find it has great effect on my lungs strengthening and invigorating them, which, as I am a public speaker, is a great help to me."
[illegible] Hamilton, Pa., May, 1851, said: "I have used myself [illegible] bottles of your German Bitters for Liver complaint and diseases [illegible] character, resulting from the abuse of mercury. I was [illegible] and afflicted with spasms from the use of the latter article. The German Bitters is the first article from which I obtained any relief. I have also given the article to many dyspeptics, with the most salutary result. I think as many more bottles will cure me."
J. C. Young, Esq., of Dauphin, Pa., writes May 5, 1851:—"I was afflicted with General Debility, Intestinal Weakness and Costiveness, for which I used many different remedies without relief. I at last used your Hoofland's German Bitters. I took a few bottles according to directions, and was completely cured. I have not been so healthy for ten years as I have been since I took your Bitters, which is about one year ago."
The Bitters are entirely vegetable, always strengthening the system and never prostrating it.
Sold by dealers in medicine and storekeepers everywhere, and by Fleming Bros., B. A. Fahnestock & Co., Geo. H. Keyser, 140 Wood st., Pittsburgh; H. P. Schwartz, Allegheny City, and by dealers in medicine generally. oc31-1yd&wlsT

FITS! FITS!! FITS!!! THE VEGETABLE EXTRACT EPILEPTIC PILLS, For the Cure of Fits, Spasms, Cramps, and all Nervous and Constitutional Diseases.
PERSONS who are laboring under this distressing malady will find the VEGETABLE EPILEPTIC PILLS to be the only remedy ever discovered for curing Epilepsy, or Failing Fits.
These Pills possess a specific action on the nervous system; and, although they are prepared especially for the purpose of curing Fits, they will be found of especial benefit for all persons afflicted with weak nerves, or whose nervous system has been prostrated or shattered from any cause whatever. In chronic complaints, or diseases of long standing, superinduced by nervousness, they are exceedingly beneficial.
Price $3 per box, or two boxes for $5. Persons out of the city, enclosing a remittance, will have the Pills sent them through the mail, free of postage. For sale by SETH S. HANCE, No. 108 Baltimore street, Baltimore, Md., to whom orders from all parts of the Union must be addressed, post-paid.
For sale in Pittsburgh, by FLEMING BROS., No. 60 Wood st. oc31-d&w3t

Carpetings, Oil Cloths and Mattings. ROBISON & CO., FIFTH STREET, OPPOSITE THE THEATRE.
HAVE now on hand, and to which they are daily adding, a large and choice assortment of the above goods, from the lowest to the highest grade, which will be sold at eastern prices.—Also—Rugs, Mats, Window Shades, Venitian Blinds, Piano and table covers, Buff Holland, Green oil cloth, and all other goods usually kept in Carpet houses, to which the attention of purchasers is invited. oc10

HAGAN & AHL, NO. 91 MARKET STREET, Between the Diamond and 5th.
ARE now receiving an extensive and splendid assortment of choice SUMMER GOODS, to which they respectfully invite the attention of the public. Their stock consists in part of the following:
Plaid and striped Silks; Brocade do; Poult de Soi do; India do; Black Silks of all grades; Plaid and Plain Grenadines; Challis, Barages & Tissues; Mourning Deberge; Fine French Lawns; Plain & Figured Swiss; Summer Cravats; Plain and barred Jaconets; Crape and Thibet Shawls; Cashmere & Barage do; Bonnet & Mantua Ribbons; Embroideries of all kinds; Thread, Lace and Edgings; Hosiery, Gloves and Mitts; A complete assortment of Housekeeping Goods; Black and colored Lastings for Ladies' Gaiters. ap18

Naval Stores.
TAR, PITCH, TURPENTINE, Spirits Turpentine and Rosin, constantly receiving from the South, and for sale in lots to suit purchasers, by C. K. DAVIS & CO., oc4-5md 37 N. Wharves and 73 N. Water st., Phila.

Pioneer Line of Australia Packets from New York to Melbourne, CARRYING THE UNITED STATES MAIL.
THE beautiful and favorite Clipper Barque NIMROD, nineteenth ship of this line, will be despatched on her second voyage to Melbourne, on the 20th inst. Passenger accommodations unsurpassed. Rates—Saloon, $200. First Cabin, $150, Second Cabin, $125. The Nimrod will be followed by the celebrated Clipper Ship Windward. Apply on board at pier 9, East River, or to oc13 R. W. CAMERON, 116 Wall street New York.

New Leather Store.
J. G. MOWRY, late of the firm of R. Bard, No. 233 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 Calf-skins, 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.

CLOVER DAIRY.—The subscriber is prepared to furnish to families, FRESH MILK and CREAM, and will be thankful for the patronage of his friends and the public. His COWS will be fed on good wholesome food, and every care will be taken to satisfy his customers. Orders addressed to Wilkins Post Office, giving the No. of the residence and street, will be punctually attended to. [oc24:dtf] H. PARRY.

CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, &c.
W. M'CLINTOCK & BROS. are now selling off their entire stock of Carpeting, Oil Cloths, &c., for cash, at prices lower than ever offered in the western market. Our stock consists in part of the following, viz: Rich Velvet Pile Carpets, Tapestry Brussels, Brussels, 3 ply, Superfine and common Ingrain; Damask, Twilled and Plain Venitian; List and Rag Carpets. Also, Oil Cloths, Rugs, Window Shades, Stair Rods, Matting, Bindings, and Mats of all kinds.
With a full assortment of all articles generally kept in a carpet warehouse.
Persons wishing to furnish Steamboats, Houses or Hotels will do well to call now, as now is the time to secure great bargains. Remember the place, No. 112 Market st., near Liberty. oc7

STEWART & KILGORE, MANUFACTURERS OF COOKING, HEATING, AND FANCY STOVES, GRATES, FENDERS, Pipes, Boxes, and Foundry Castings of all kinds. OFFICE AND WAREHOUSE, No. 267 Liberty St., corner of Hand, PITTSBURGH, PA.

NA MOTU, or Reef Rovings in the South Seas; a narrative of adventures at the Hawaiian, Georgian and Society Islands, by Edward T. Perkins, in 1 vol. 12mo., for sale by KAY & CO., 55 Wood st.

NOTICES, &C.

NOTICE—The late firm of Wick & M'Candless having been dissolved by the death of John D. Wick, on the 20th inst., the business of said firm will be settled by the undersigned, at their office, corner Wood and Water sts. D. M'CANDLESS, Surviving Partner.

CO-PARTNERSHIP—The undersigned, of the late firm of Wick & M'Candless, has this day associated with him WILLIAM MEANS and HARRISON A. COFFIN for the purpose of continuing the Wholesale Grocery and Commission business, at the old stand, corner of Wood and Water sts., Pittsburgh, under the name and style of M'CANDLESS, MEANS & CO. They respectfully invite a continuance of the patronage so liberally extended to the late firm. D. M'CANDLESS. May 24, 1854.—my27

I HAVE this day purchased the interest of Joseph Dilworth in SHRIVER, DILWORTH & CO.—The business will be continued at the old stand, Nos. 130 and 132, Second st., under the style of SHRIVER & DILWORTH. JOHN S. DILWORTH. July 1st, 1854.

CO-PARTNERSHIP—We have this day associated ourselves in the Carpet business, at No. 112 Market st., the partnership to date from the first day of January last, and the business to be conducted under the name and firm of W. McClintock & Brothers. WASHINGTON McCLINTOCK. ALEXANDER McCLINTOCK. GEORGE L. McCLINTOCK. Pittsburgh, May 1st, 1854.—my13

REMOVAL—J. & W. Rea have removed to Nos. 74 Water and 90 Front sts., Pittsburgh, Pa.

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—The undersigned have this day formed a co-partnership for the transaction of the Wholesale and Retail Dry Goods Business, under the firm of HAGAN & AHL, at Nos. Market and 8 Union streets. A. J. HAGAN, DANIEL AHL. mh3tf

NOTICE—I have sold my interest in the business of Long, Miller & Co. to S. A. Long, who, with Jno. Phillips will continue at the old stand, No. 109 Front st. I cordially recommend the new firm to the patronage of my friends. P. H. MILLER. Pittsburgh, July 29th, 1854.

S. A. LONG ... JNO. PHILLIPS.
S. A. LONG & CO., Bell and Brass Founders and Gas Fitters, invite attention to their stock of Chandeliers, Brackets, Pendants and other fixtures.—We fit up houses with steam and gas, make brass castings of all kinds to order, furnish Railroad pumps and tank fittings, and keep anti-attrition metal constantly on hand. jy31

WM. A. IRWIN'S REAL ESTATE OFFICE, No. 87 Front street, 3d door from Market; Dealer in Lake Champlain Ore, Pig Iron, &c. Coal property bought and sold. au27-tf

STRAW GOODS—1854. THOS. WHITE & CO. No. 41 South 2d street, Philadelphia—Splendid new establishment.—New Goods—Large and unequalled assortment. [mh14:ly

F. LORENZ, SR. ... THOS. WIGHTMAN.
PENN GLASS WORKS; LORENZ & WIGHTMAN, Manufacturers of all kinds of VIALS, BOTTLES, and WINDOW GLASS, 63 Water and 65 Front streets, Pittsburgh. N. B.—Particular attention paid to odd sizes of Window Glass and private moulds for Bottles and Vials. sep22.

Notice to Shippers.
ON and after August 3d no freight will be received at the Federal street Station of the Ohio and Penna. Railroad for shipment, after the hour of 5 o'clock, P. M. Bills Lading must be handed into the Freight Office before 7 o'clock, P. M. J. A. BEARES, au2-tf Freight Agent O. & P. R. R.

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