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Reading Matter on each page of this paper

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

Morgan Defeated!

"Open wide the gates of Athol!
Where the bones of sages rest;
Open wide the gates of Athol,
To receive another guest."

We feel a slight degree of pleasure in laying before our readers this morning the result of yesterday's election. Mr. Morgan has been very handsomely beaten; though not half so handsomely as he would have been but for the side issues adroitly drawn into the contest.

A great many suffered themselves to be enticed into voting for him, who are not Know Nothings, and who do not sympathize with them; nevertheless, the verdict against Know Nothingism is emphatic and conclusive.

Mr. Volz has been triumphantly re-elected against an opposition more bitter and unscrupulous than was ever encountered before by any man in the same position; and the result is therefore exceedingly complimentary to him.—Yet it is not to be concealed that his success is owing much more to the fact that circumstances made him the embodiment of a great principle at stake, than purely personal considerations.

We have no particular exultation to indulge in over the defeated, on this occasion; but we may be permitted to rejoice at the sudden stop it gives to the career of sundry and divers demagogues, and at the certainty with which it demonstrates the fact that political whirlwinds cannot be manufactured to order.

The course adopted by this paper in the late contest was prompted by our deliberate judgment, and, had the result been adverse, would still have received the approval of our conscience; but now that it has been endorsed, vindicated and sustained by the people, we may be pardoned for a slight inclination to throw up our beavor and give one hearty hurrah.

The election was conducted with a good degree of quietness and order; but no effort was spared to overawe independent voters and keep them from the polls. Men were challenged who had been voters before their challengers were born; and the whole purpose seemed to be, not to prevent illegal voting, but to deter honest citizens from the exercise of their rights. This exasperating course was borne with much patience and all rioting was thus prevented.

The result for Councils discloses a complete discomfiture of the Know Nothings. They have carried none but the First and Ninth wards, and perhaps one or two members in the other seven.

VOTE FOR MAYOR.

	Volz, Ind.	Morgan, K. N.
1st Ward,	152	272
2d do	226	242
3d do	566	266
4th do	235	269
5th do	428	256
6th do	330	276
7th do	138	108
8th do	203	78
9th do	117	172
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Volz's majority, 466.

VOTE FOR COUNCILMEN.

Independent.		Know Nothing.	
FIRST WARD—*Select Council.*			
J. T. Kincaid*	135	T. S. Clark,	268
Common Council.			
John B. Warden,	161	A. Getty,	270
Wm. K. Nimick,	163	John Gracey,	265
B. Singerly,	159	Wm. Evens,	260
John H. Bailey,	157	John Caldwell,	260
*Mr. Kincaid was not a candidate—and this vote was cast for him against his wishes.			
SECOND WARD—*Select Council.*			
Isaac Jones,	258	R. Finney,	209
Common Council.			
J. M. Irwin,	253	J. B. Sweitzer,	228
Adam Wilson,	242	A. S. Nicholson,	224
S. A. Long,	241	W. F. Fundenberg,	208
THIRD WARD—*Select Council.*			
A. M. Pollock,	559	J. B. Chambers,	264
Common Council,			
John S. Kennedy,	547	W. C. Hamilton,	260
Joseph W. Lewis,	543	W. D. Wrighter,	258
James Herdman,	546	Samuel Myler,	245
W. M. Edgar,	550	I. W. Chadwick,	255
W. M. Kirkpatrick,	533	Lowrie Childs,	256
FOURTH WARD—*Select Council.*			
James M'Auley,	311	W. M. Wright,	194
Common Council.			
George Black,	288	R. J. Anderson,	226
George S. Selden,	270	John Rippey,	224
FIFTH WARD—*Select Council.*			
J. M. Taylor,	597	No Opp.	
Common Council			
Francis Felix,	385	J. H. M'Elroy,	255
John Mackin,	388	M. Breidenthal,	254
Andrew Scott,	373	O. Henderson,	256
W. D. Hamilton,	351	C. Ferguson,	256
James Tucker,	572	B. F. King,	3
SIXTH WARD—*Select Council.*			
W. F. Murdoch,	346	Wm. Dawson,	269
Common Council.			
W. C. Barr,	342	Sas. McGregor,	265
Robert McAdams,	334	Geo. E. McLain,	249
Archibald Kelly,	338	Jas. Armstrong,	260
James Duncan,	342	Wm. Barnhill,	261
SEVENTH WARD—*Select Council.*			
H. Weaver elect.			
Common Council.			
Hugh M'Master	128	J. K. Morehead	122
Alex. Lynch	113	—— Mayo.	
EIGHTH WARD—*Select Council.*			
Wm. Alexander,	197	Samuel Morrow,	86
Common Council.			
Wm. Griffin,	174	James Ewing,	84
Christ. King,	200	James Munn,	75
Daniel Seitz,	202	James G. Mustin,	79
NINTH WARD—*Select Council.*			
Samuel D. Hill,	115	Philip Drum,	174
Common Council.			
Jos. Darragh,	85	James Little,	177
James Leech,	87	J. B. Poor,	201

Allegheny City Election.—The election for Mayor in our sister city was gallantly contested, though the lines were not as closely drawn as on this side of the river. The result is as follows:

	Adams	Campbell	Wadlow	Miller	Hays
First Ward,	124	65	118	86	3
Sec'd "	105	99	95	65	2
Third "	255	103	89	122	3
Fourth "	219	101	175	74	9
	703	368	479	347	17

Mr. Adams is the present Mayor, and was an Independent candidate. Mr. Campbell ran as the Democratic nominee, and Mr. Wadlow and Mr. Miller are supposed to have divided the Know Nothing vote between them. We are not very able, however, to keep the run of Allegheny politics.

For the Councils, in that city, we have no returns.

Americanism—Prof. Tiffany's Lecture.—Our readers will perhaps recollect that during the sitting of the Know Nothing Convention in this city last week, Prof. Tiffany, of Dickinson College, delivered a lecture on Americanism.—As we were especially invited by an "American and Methodist," we took some trouble to be present, expecting to be enlightened somewhat as to the principles of the Know Nothings, of which secret political order the Professor is reported to be a high dignitary. The next morning, before we had time to write down our impressions, we were presented with a copy of the Lecture, with the respects of Prof. Tiffany, thus seeming to invite a more extended notice than we had designed to give, and we therefore delayed an examination of the Lecture until after the election. As the subject is one which is just now greatly occupying the public mind, we cheerfully comply with the implied invitation to give the impressions made upon us by the Lecture.

It is currently reported that the Professor is the candidate of the Brotherhood for United States Senator. Judging from the lecture before us, his qualifications are not of a very high order. The first part, if we may judge from internal evidence, appears to have been composed during extreme youth as a College exercise. It has the triteness, paucity of ideas and multiplicity of words which usually characterize such performances. If this hypothesis be correct, it is possible that the pleasure which his schoolboy rhetoric then gave him, may have continued to blind his judgment; and that the lecture does not therefore afford sufficient evidence from which to form a correct estimate of his present powers. We are willing to believe so.

But admitting so much, we are still puzzled to account for the latter part of the performance. *That* is evidently of recent origin, and appears to have been tacked on to the first in order to make the labored and much cherished essay suit the present times and exigencies. How poorly, nay how absurdly it answers that purpose we shall soon see.

It usually happens that if you grant a reasoner his premises, his conclusion will irresistibly follow; but in the present instance exactly the reverse is the case. You *must* grant his premises before you can refute his conclusion.

The leading idea of the learned and reverend Professor, thinly spread over four columns of the first part of his essay, is, that our position as a nation is owing to the Christian principles incorporated with our national character and policy. He announces and dilates upon this as though it were a discovery, though we doubt whether there is a Christian minister in the land who has not over and over again enforced the same truth. He also enforces it as if it were a matter of controversy, which we are happy to believe it is not. What these Christian principles are, he proceeds to show as follows:

"Whence came the idea which has grown up into so new a political system? Where did the doctrine of *the political equality of all men* originate? It was not the result of philosophical investigations, though the thinkers of the world may have explained and enforced the truth when once known and published. But the idea was first embodied in the teachings of Christ, when he directed *all* his disciples, rich and poor, wise and ignorant, to look up to one common parent and say, not *my* Father, but *our* Father."

The Professor goes on, at great length, to say, that this idea of the political equality of all men, as taught by Christ, was first embodied in the government of the United States; and that the election held by the Apostles, recorded in the New Testament, where "*the whole multitude*" chose Stephen, &c., was but the expression of "the adoption of brotherhood, in view of a common relation to the God of Heaven."

It may perhaps gratify our Professor to know that this doctrine was fully recognized by the Signers of the Declaration of American Independence. They, however, are content to assert the truth of the equality of men as "*self evident*," and therefore requiring no argument.

And now what is the conclusion—the necessary deduction—which the Professor draws from all this sound logic, and liberal, constitutional, Christian, and truly American doctrine?—all of which we most devoutly believe it is. "Why, cries this Christian Professor, "*Know Nothingism!*" This may seem incredible, but it is even so. This secret, political order, he proclaims as the "broad aegis of Americanism"—"the bulwork for freedom!"

Oh, most lame and impotent, illogical, inconsequent, and pitiable conclusion! In all our experience as an editor we have never met with anything like it. The slave drivers, it is true, arrive at the same conclusion, but they deny the premises. That all men are equal, is with them a mere flourish of rhetoric, and practically it is evidently nothing more with the Northern Professor. "A common brotherhood" is a divine and constitutional truth in the South, with the exception of dark-colored persons. It is the same in the North, agrees the Professor, with the exception of persons born elsewhere than in the United States! Coming so near together in principle it is not surprising that the worthies should find little difficulty in forming an alliance offensive and defensive; the main stipulation being, that one shall have full liberty to extend slavery wherever he can without hindrance; while the other shall be allowed and encouraged to proscribe all who differ from him in place of birth. And this compact, evidently formed—these intentions, openly avowed, they are shameless enough to call *Americanism!*

How the Professor reconciles his Americanism as a Know Nothing, and the true Americanism of that part of his Lecture which we have supposed must have been composed in better times, it is for him rather than for us to say.

Without having said all that we intended concerning this singular performance, we are compelled, for the present, to close. We intend, however, to resume the subject at our leisure.

"The Immaculate Conception of our Most Blessed Lady."—The N. Y. Freeman's Journal (Roman Catholic) of Jan. 4th, contains a most extravagant, not to say ridiculous and blasphemous article, on the recent announcement from Rome, of the immaculate conception of Mary, the mother of Jesus. Here it is in part:

"*The Immaculate Conception of our Most Blessed Lady.*"—The glorious news has reached us that on the 8th of December Pope Pius IX., of immortal renown, in presence of the Cardinals and Princes of the Church, declared it an article of divine faith, that the Mother of God, our Most Blessed Lady, was conceived without original stain.

He that hath ears to hear, let him hear! He that is athirst, let him leave off waiting beside dry and broken cisterns, and make haste to this City of God, which is made glad by the torrent of a river flowing from the living fountain of waters.

The doctrine which is now promulgated as an article of faith, and which henceforth it will be heresy not to receive, has long since been believed by all pious Catholics. But this dogmatic definition of its truth and character is a favor beyond. It has given joy to the whole world, and is it too much if we expect from it the pacification of the nations, and a general prostration of heretical and persecuting forces? It is a year of sorrows that has preceded its announcement. Pestilence has stalked abroad over the earth.—Cruel, bloody and causeless war has carried mourning into tens of thousands of Christian homes. Famine has been standing at the door, and a general distress, not altogether accountable as to its source, has disarranged the business and the worldly wealth of multitudes. The Church, too, and her members have been persecuted. In the midst of these chastisements, we must say it, men have not returned in their hearts towards God. They have forgotten his hand, and have vainly sought remedies in natural ways. The very depths of human misery and anguish have pleaded before the throne of God for a more powerful intercession; and the Holy Ghost, the Comforter, has taught by his Church truths that the world in earlier ages was not able to bear."

From this we learn, that to doubt the dogma that Mary was born without sin, is hereafter to be guilty of heresy—and consequently to deserve burning; that this doctrine is to be regarded by the faithful as a "city of God," "a torrent of a river flowing from the living fountains of water;" that its promulgation has given joy to the whole world; and is expected to promote "the pacification of the nations" and "the general prostration of heretical and persecuting forces;" and that sorrows, pestilence, war, famine, general distress, the derangement of business, and the persecution of the Romish Church are all to be checked by the promulgation and belief of the doctrine that Mary the mother of Jesus, was of immaculate conception.

To settle this all important point, we are told that no less than 200 bishops were gathered at Rome; that the discussion lasted 20 hours, and occupied four sittings, on four successive days and that it was not until midday of the fourth sitting that the important decision was reached. A bishop who was present thus describes the crisis in the discussion:

"This was the last sitting; midday sounded; the entire assembly dropped upon their knees to recite the *Angelus*. Then each resumed his place and they had no sooner exchanged a few words than an acclamation to the Holy father, a cry of eternal adhesion to the Holy See; to the See of Peter, arose, spread itself, bursting and issuing from every heart; *Petre doce nos; confirma fratres tuos.* And the instruction which, in the name of the Church, these pastors demanded of the Supreme Pastor, was the definition of the Immaculate Conception. And these words vibrated in the souls with such ineffable virtue that it was as a cry of supplication from the whole assembly; supplication so manifestly proceeding from the heart, and so sublime, that to comprehend it, it would be necessary to have heard it; neither pen nor speech could give an adequate idea of it.

"O Catholic church! they say thou art dead, and what abundance, what power of life! Peter lives and speaks in Pius IX. The dogma which places on Mary's head such a brilliant crown was providentially reserved for our times, in order to prove that the Church is always flourishing, always indefectible, always one. Speak to us, then O Blessed Father! God wills it, and the world expects. Thy word will render Heaven propitious and will console the flocks with their pastors."

The whole thing strikes us very much like a "*ruse*," designed to cover the real design of this assemblage of Romish dignities in the Vatican—the largest it is said that was ever witnessed, while there action is adapted to awaken a little enthusiasm among the faithful in connection with the circulation of a new and "blessed" medal.—But it will not answer the purpose. In this country, at least, there must be something more than the grandiloquent proclamation of a newly discovered article of faith, and the circulation of a new medal to commemorate the discovery. The Bible is here open; and the only appeal that will stand must be to the law and the Testimony; and if the bishops, or the Pope himself, speak not according to this word, it is because there is no light in them. And, until they can show chapter and verse for the dogma of the immaculate conception of Mary, the result of their twenty hours of labor will be regarded as no better than ridiculous. *Parturiunt montes: nascitur ridiculus mus.*—*Boston Traveller.*

FROM WASHINGTON.

Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Daily Gazette.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8, 1855.

Gen. Dawson succeeded a few days since in attaching his homestead bill to the bill for amending the land graduation act. I was under the impression that the friends of the latter bill had managed to shake off the Homestead clause, but am very glad to learn that I was mistaken. The two bills became as firmly united as the Siamese Twins, and neither can pass without the other. There is, therefore, a very excellent prospect that the Senate will have another grand battle over the homestead principle, without the opportunity of finding itself behind Hunter's scheme of wholesale speculation.

A ludicrous thing occurred among the Know Nothing fraternity a few days since. One of the chief men in the establishment of the National "Organ" of the society, since become notorious for the fierceness of its sectional, proslavery and proscriptive spirit, is an Irishman named ———, who has put money in his purse by pursuing the honest trade of a baker. Mac ——— seeing a chance of turning an honest penny in a new line, furnished the funds of setting up the organ, and constituted himself chief of the committee for managing its concerns.—Things went on very well until the receipts of funds from the slave States enabled the Organ to stand alone, and then Mac received notice of the revocation of his *exequator*. He was shown the door of the establishment, and has not since seen the inside of it.

The Democratic meeting against the tariff is beginning to bear fruit. It is understood to be arranged that the bill introduced by the committee of Ways and Means last session, will be taken up this week, and will most probably pass. It reduces all duties now above that rate to twenty per cent. or to the lower rates of 15, 10 and 5. This bill applied to the importation of this year would produce about $33,000,000, while the annual expenditure is $60,000,000 or over. The old saw recites that "whom the Gods would destroy they first make mad." The divinities which watch over the fortunes of our democracy, have certainly become irate, and are conducting them through lunacy to deserved destruction.

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Dividend—Citizens' Insurance Company

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The clothes will look much whiter and cleaner, and last longer than when washed in the usual way; it is warranted not to injure the finest fabric.

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DIED—At the residence of his mother, in Ohio township, Allegheny county, on Wednesday evening, January 3d, 1855, ROBERT S. HOOD, the only surviving son of David Hood dec'd., and Martha Hood his widow, aged 24 years.

Not long since, the young man stood as the picture of health, strength and beauty, but now he is no more, but numbered among the silent of the tomb. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church, and entertained high anticipations of future happiness. His only desire to remain any longer on this terrestrial globe of sin, sorrow and woe, was for the assistance of his mother and two sisters, but, as he saw it the design of the Creator of the universe to call upon him at his time, he calmly submitted and prayed for the Lord to call him soon, as he was tired of the world and all its vanities. Being a little worse on Wednesday than he usually, he called the family to his bedside and gave them his wise counsel; and gave them to rely upon the Lord Jesus Christ for their support and protection in all things, and as their eventual Saviour. He shook hands and bid them a last kind farewell, he calmly laid his head down on the pillow, and died almost as though he lived. "The Lord gave, and the Lord hath taken away; blessed be the name of the Lord."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CITY HALL.

The public are respectfully informed that MAD. ROSA DE VRIES and her Company will give a Grand OPERATIC CONCERT, IN PITTSBURGH, ON FRIDAY Jan. 12th. The sale of Seats will commence on Thursday morning at 9 o'clock, at the Music Store of H. Kleber. Full particulars in future advertisements. ja10

Lecture

REV. DR. PLUMER will deliver a Lecture for the benefit of the Ladies' Relief Association of Allegheny, in Doctor Rogers' church, Allegheny, on Friday evening, 12th inst., at 7 o'clock. Subject—"Marriage." Admission 25 cts. ja10

IRON CITY COMMERCIAL COLLEGE, Lafayette Buildings, Wood st. Prof. MILLIAR & BRO. respectfully announce that their institution is now one of the largest, most convenient and superb of the kind in the Western country.

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BEAVER STREET PROPERTY—TWO CHEAP HOUSES FOR SALE.—A two story Frame Dwelling House with Lot of 21 ft front on Beaver st, 100 deep to Vetral st.; contains a parlor, dining room and kitchen, and four bedrooms and a cellar, large yard, pump, coal house, out oven, stable, &c. Price $1,100; $100 in hand, remainder in 1, 2 and 3 years.

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If you wish to purchase a cheap House, Building Lot or Farm; or if you wish to procure a business partner, or rent a Store or Dwelling House, the place to be suited is at the old established Real Estate Office of S. CUTHBERT & SON, 140 3d st. ja10

WINTER LARD OIL—25 bbls. No. 1 for sale by ja10 J. SCHOONMAKER & CO.

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SUNDRIES—105 bgs Ground Nuts, 12 bgs Sumac, 25 bgs Dry Peaches, 50 sks Feather, 1 cask Beeswax, 10 bbls Grease, 24 lbs Old Copper, to arrive, for sale by ja10 ISAIAH DICKEY & CO.

HANDSOME LACE SETTS—Rec'd by this morning's express—4 Maltese Lace Chemisettes and Sleeves, 2 Lace Mourning Setts, 1 Black and White Mourning Sett. The above are sent out on commission, from a New York importer, and will be sold *cheap*. The setts unsold are to be returned on Monday next. Ladies wishing to purchase should call this week at VAN GORDER'S, ja10 83 Market st., cor of the Diamond.

3 DOZ. MOHAIR HEAD-DRESS rec'd by express this morning at VAN GORDER'S, ja10 cor Market st. and Diamond.

HAMS—8 csks. in fine condition Cincinnati cured, for sale by J. SCHOONMAKER, ja10 24 Wood st.

Fourth Ward Independent Ticket—Allegheny City.

MAYOR, William Adams; Select Council, James Park, Jr.; Common Council, Joseph Fisher, James Marshall, John Soland, Thos. Henry; Assessor, James Graham; Assessor, James Graham; Assistant Assessors, Elenezer Derby, Andrew Davidson; School Directors, James P. Sterrett, Charles W. Quick; Judge of Elections, Robert Fairman; Inspector of Elections, John Wright; Constable, Archibald Montgomery. ja9-1td

AGREEABLE TO NOTICE, A MEETING of the Pittsburgh and Steubenville Railroad Company was held at the office of the Company, in the City of Pittsburgh, on Monday the 8th inst.

On motion, George Black, Esq., was unanimously appointed Chairman, and James Chambers and William M. Herah, Secretaries.

The reports of Robert Woods, President; D. Mitchell, jr., Engineer, and W. A. Hill, Treasurer, were read; when, on motion, the reports of the President and Engineer were accepted.

On motion of Robert McKnight, Esq., James S. Craft, William Algeo, and Adams Getty were appointed a Committee to audit the accounts of the Company and Treasurer, to report to an adjourned meeting of the Stockholders to be called by the President of this meeting. GEO. BLACK, Chairman. JAMES CHAMBERS, WM. M. HERAH, Secretaries. ja9

For Private Sale.

A VALUABLE FARM, of 240 Acres, situate 1½ miles from Morgantown, Va., of which 150 acres are cleared, in good condition, under good fences, as well watered as could be wished, and not more so. The improvements are a good Frame House, and two tenements, two Barns, and all desirable out buildings; an Apple orchard of about 175 trees of choice fruit, besides other trees in variety; three large Sugar Camps, and any quantity of Coal of an excellent quality. The timber is abundant and choice.

This property is situated within one-fourth of a mile of the Monongahela River, and is of course convenient to good markets. A more desirable situation will scarcely be found this side of sun-set. For a view of the premises, and terms of sale, call on the subscriber, living thereon. ja9-13twT JOHN S. DORSEY. Mon. (Va.) Mirror.

Dividend.

THE Trustees of "The Pittsburgh Gas Company" have this day declared a Dividend of Five per cent. out of the profits of the Company, on the Capital Stock, payable to Stockholders or their legal representatives, forthwith at the office of the Company. OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAS COMPANY, JAMES M. CHRISTY, Treasurer. January 8th, 1855. ja9 2wd

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

THE co-Partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, in the Grocery business, in the name of John Watt & Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

The business of the late firm will be settled by John Wilson, at the old stand on Liberty street, and for that purpose he is hereby authorized to use the name of the firm. JOHN WATT. January 8th, 1855. JOHN WILSON.

In retiring from the business, I cheerfully recommend my late partner, John Wilson, to the patronage of my former customers. JOHN WATT.

JOHN WILSON, Grocer and Commission Merchant, No. 266 Liberty street, Pittsburgh. The subscriber will continue the Wholesale Grocery, Produce and Commission business, at the old stand of John Watt & Co., No. 266 Liberty street. JOHN WILSON. ja9

BUCKWHEAT—80 sacks Buckwheat Flour for sale by JAS. McLAUGHLIN, de7 No. 10 Smithfield st.

S. SADLER, Bookseller and Stationer, Federal st., Allegheny, has constantly in store, a large stock of Theological and standard Works, Miscellaneous and new Publications, School Books, all kinds in use, A. S. S. Union and Tract Society Books. A fine assortment of Stationery and Writing Papers. Blank Books on hand or made to order. Also a choice variety of Fine Paper Hangings, cheap Wall Paper, Transparent and Oil Window Shades. Purchasing for Cash, I am enabled to sell *Wholesale and Retail at low prices.* Orders promptly filled. Rags bought. ja9.

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.—Situated in North Fayette township, Allegheny county, 16 miles from the city and 2½ miles from the Steubenville railroad, at the Noblestown station; contains 10 acres, all cleared and fenced and in a high state of cultivation. The improvements are a comfortable dwelling house with 6 rooms, Barn, Stable, Stone Milk-house, Smoke-house and other out-buildings. There is an orchard of choice selected fruit of various kinds. The place is well watered by six living springs, and the whole place can be easily cultivated. It is situated in a good neighborhood, convenient to church, mill, school, &c. Apply to ja9 R. M'LAIN & SON, 21 5th st.

MOLASSES—150 bbls. N. O. Molasses for sale by ja9 JOHN FLOYD & CO.

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200 BUSHELS prime Dried Peaches for sale by ja9 J. B. CANFIELD.

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DIARIES FOR 1855—A large assortment of Diaries for 1855, which I will sell at the lowest rates. All persons not supplied with the above useful articles, can save 25 percent, by calling at SAMUEL B. LAUFFER'S, 87 Wood st.

SUGAR—23 hhds Sugar just received from New Orleans, for sale by R. DALZELL & Co.

APPLES—21 bbls. Romanite Apples received this day, and for sale by ja3 R. DALZELL & Co.

WILLOW CHARCOAL, an excellent article, prepared expressly for medicinal purposes, 6 dozen rec'd by JOS. FLEMING, cor Diamond and Market st.

SEIDLITZ POWDERS. 5 gross very fine and freshly prepared Seidlitz Powders on hand and for sale by JOS. FLEMING, ja9 cor Diamond and Market st.

BAKER'S COD LIVER OIL—The best article of Cod Liver Oil now in use, 12 doz received by ja9 JOS. FLEMING.

FLAVORING EXTRACTS—24 doz Preston and Merrill's fine assorted Flavoring Extracts; also, 24 doz Preston & Merrill's Baking Powder, certainly the best article now in use, rec'd by JOS. FLEMING.

TOOTH AND HAIR BRUSHES, a very large and fine assortment, rec'd by ja9 JOS. FLEMING.

TOBACCO—75 kegs No. 1 Six Twist, Kentucky Tobacco, rec'd per steamboat Pennsylvania on consignment, for sale by J. A. HUTCHISON & CO.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R. Stock will be taken in exchange for a Lot of ground in Wellsville bounded by three streets, near the Railroad Depot. The lot is 140 ft. square, with a Frame Dwelling House and Stable erected thereon. Price $2800. Apply to ja9 R. M'LAIN & SON, 21 5th st.

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CAPITAL OF $2000—A person who is about moving to Kansas, having a capital of $2000, and other means, wishes a partner, if the same is employed in general mercantile business, principally in Pittsburgh manufactured articles. Would leave in two weeks to select location. Apply to ja9 R. M'LAIN & SON.

ROLL BUTTER—2 bxs fresh Roll Butter rec'd and for sale by ja9 HENRY H. COLLINS.

LARD—15 kgs prime Lard rec'd and for sale by ja9 HENRY H. COLLINS.

EGGS—4 bbls fresh Egg just rec'd and for sale by ja9 HENRY H. COLLINS.

DRY PEACHES—30 bbls. just rec'd and for sale by ja9 HENRY H. COLLINS.

DIVIDEND.—The President and Board of Managers of the S. L. Bridge Company having this day declared a Dividend of Two Dollars on each share of the capital stock of the Company, the same will be paid to the Stockholders on or after the 15th inst. ja7 G. E. WARNER, Treasurer.

Second Ward—Citizen's Council Ticket.

SELECT COUNCIL, Isaac Jones; Common Council, Samuel A. Long, John M. Irwin, Adam Wilson.

SHIRTING MUSLINS.—We invite the special attention of buyers to our assortment of Shirting Muslins, including the very best makes of these goods, of medium and fine qualities. Also British Long Cloths for Shirting, and Shirting Prints and Chintzes.

We continue to keep, also, a superior article of Bosom Linen, *warranted pure flax*, and being purchased from the manufacturers through their agent in this country, can be sold very low for quality.

Our assortment of Pillow Case and Sheeting Muslins and Linens is very full, and of Housekeeping Goods generally, and to which we invite the attention of all wanting any goods in this department. *Prices to suit the times.* ja7 MURPHY & BURCHFIELD.

CLOSING OUT SALE—FAMILY GROCERIES AT COST.—Being about to make a change in our business, we offer for sale at cost during the present week the balance of our stock on hand, consisting of choice Green and Black Teas, Syrups, Fish, Molasses, Spices, &c. We invite the attention of Families and the trade generally. Terms Cash. ja7 J. W. McFARLAND, 265 Liberty st.

PRIME HAVANA CIGARS—A small lot of choice brands, Havana, Principe and Regalia Segars, closing out at cost by J. W. McFARLAND.

PRIME TEAS SELLING AT COST:—Extra fine Young Hyson, 75 cents per lb.; Imperial, 70; Old Hyson, 70; Very fair Oolong, 50; Sup'r Eng. Breakfast, 56; Good Oolong, 38. For sale by the half chest or single pound, by ja7 J. W. McFARLAND, 265 Liberty st.

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DRIED FRUIT—25 bbls. Dry Peaches, 50 bushels Dry Apples, for sale by ja7 JOHN FLOYD & CO.

BUTTER—50 kegs prime Butter, 10 bbls Solid Butter, 2 bbls Roll Butter, for sale by ja7 JOHN FLOYD & CO.

LARD—20 kegs No. 1 Lard, 5 barrels No. 1 Lard, for sale by ja7 J. FLOYD & CO.

CLOVER SEED—30 bbls. Ohio Clover Seed for sale by ja7 JOHN FLOYD & CO.

CORN MEAL—72 bbls. received and for sale by ja7 BELL & LIGGET, Water st.

ROLL BUTTER—1 bbl. prime, rec'd and for sale by ja7 BELL & LIGGETT.

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SHIP STUFFS—100 bags rec'd and for sale by ja7 BELL & LIGGET.

RYE FLOUR—60 bbls. rec'd and for sale by ja7 BELL & LIGGET.

CHEAP DWELLING HOUSES.—Persons wishing to become their own landlords, now have a good opportunity to obtain bargains, as we have several good, substantial Houses for sale on very easy terms; or, if you prefer to build a house to suit yourself, we can furnish you with a handsome Building Lot at as low a price as $250. S. CUTHBERT & SON, Real Estate ag'ts, ja4 140, 3d st.

Third Ward—Citizen's Ticket.

SELECT COUNCIL, A. M. Pollock; Common Council, William M. Edgar, Joseph W. Lewis, John S. Kennedy, Walter Kirkpatrick, James Herdman. ja6-3t*

WE WISH TO PROCURE A SITUATION for a Young Man, as a Partner in a small manufacturing establishment. He is able to make himself useful in any department, and has a capital of Six or Seven Hundred Dollars. He is a good plain book-keeper and salesman, but would prefer being employed in or about the manufactory. S. CUTHBERT & SON, 140 3d st. ja6

EIGHT HOUSES TO LET.—Apply to ja6 S. CUTHBERT & SON, 140 3d st.

NEW YORK HOMINY, Samp, Carolina Gritts, Split Peas, Sweet Corn. A full supply on hand and for sale by W. A. McCLURG.

HECKER'S FARINI, Hecker's Wheat Gritts, Corn Starch, Tapioca, Pearl Sago, For sale by the box or retail by W. A. McCLURG.

PARED PEACHES—4 bbls. very choice; also 150 bus. unpared do., for sale by ja6 W. A. McCLURG.

FLOOR OIL-CLOTH—12,000 yds., 2-3, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 8-4 wide, of a great variety of patterns and at the lowest prices, wholesale and retail. ja5 J. & H. PHILLIPS, 116 Market st.

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SUNDRIES for Sale—5 bbls fresh roll Buttr, 4 bxs do, 27 bbls Green Apples, 48 sks Dry do, 5 bbls Lard Oil, 6 bbls Onions, 12 kegs Lard, 19 bbls do, 2 casks Potash. McCANDLESS, MEANS & CO, ja4 cor. Wood & Water st.

PIANO FORTE INSTRUCTORS AT REDUCED PRICES.—

Bertini's complete Method, reduced price,	$1.50
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Czerny's complete "	1.50
Cramer's "	1.00
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" (abridged)	50
Piano without a Master,	25
Burrowe's Piano Forte Primer,	25
Clarke's Catechism,	25

For sale at the Music Store of ja4 JOHN H. MELLOR, 81 Wood st.

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SUGAR—20 hhds. prime N. O. Sugar to arrive by steamboat Mansfield, and for sale by T. LITTLE & CO, 112 2d st.

LARD OIL—10 bbls. in store and for sale by ja4 S. HARBAUGH & CO.

TALLOW—20 bbls. Tallow in store and for sale by ja4 S. HARBAUGH & CO.

FLOUR—200 bbls. in store and for sale by S. HARBAUGH & CO.

SEMI-ANNUAL SALE—A. A. Mason & Co. will open 400 more of those Long Shaws at $2.00, on Thursday, Jan. 4, 1855. ja4

GOLD MEDAL DE LAINES—A. A. Mason & Co. will open 300 pkgs more of Gold Medal De Laines at 12½c per yd.

A. A. MASON & CO. will open on the 4th inst. 5 more cases of those 4c and 5c Calicoes. Also 2 more cases at 6¼c. ja4

FEATHERS—16 bags Kentucky Feathers rec'd this this day and for sale by ja4 J. A. HUTCHISON & CO.

FLOUR—200 bbls. superfine Flour on hand and for sale by J. A. HUTCHISON & CO.

AMUSEMENTS.

All Advertisements of Concerts or Public Exhibitions, *must be paid in Advance.*

MASONIC HALL.

FOR THREE EVENINGS OF THIS WEEK, Commencing THURSDAY EVENING, January 11th, and following FRIDAY and SATURDAY EVENINGS, 12th and 13th, at Masonic Hall, and an Exhibition on SATURDAY AFTERNOON for Schools, commencing at 3 o'clock.

The Beautiful and Interesting Work of Art from the Eastern Cities, known as a

TOUR IN THE TROPICS
AND
VOYAGE TO CALIFORNIA.

Admission 25 cents; Children half-price. Doors open at 7 o'clock; commencing at ½ past precisely. For full particulars see Small Bills. 1wd

FOR RENT.

TO-Let.

NO. 2, Collonade Row, Federal st., Allegheny City. This house is in a complete state of repair, contains 12 rooms, and is furnished with gas, hot and cold water, bath, shower, &c. Apply to W. O'H. ROBINSON, ja1-21 No. 1, Collonade Row.

For Rent.

THE FOUR STORY WAREHOUSE, situate on Water and Front sts., now occupied by Hardy, Jones & Co. Enquire of the subscriber or Hardy, Jones & Co. ja5-tf ROBERT BEER.

For Rent.

A DESIRABLE Country Residence in Pitt township, with Two Acres of ground, Fruit Trees, Shrubbery, out houses, &c., will be rented cheap, and for a term of years to a good tenant. Apply to Geo. A. Swartz at the office of ja5-tf PATRICK & FRIEND.

To Let.

TWO FRONT OFFICES on Water street near Market, well finished, very suitable for Insurance offices. Also, a two story Brick Dwelling, with stable and ¾ acre of ground; within three minutes walk of the Railroad station at East Liberty. Enquire of ja3-2wd GEO. A. BERRY, 76 Water st.

To Let.

The Warehouse on the corner of Front street and Chancery lane. Possession given on the 1st of April next. For terms apply to the subscribers, now in possession. ja1-tf D. W. HERSTINE & Co.

FOR RENT.—A Country Seat in Pitt Township. Also, a small Brick House on the Minersville Road, 7th Ward. Possession immediately.—Enquire of (ja1) JOHN WATT & CO., Liberty st.

FOR RENT—The 2d, 3d and 4th story rooms over J. Wilson & Son's Hat Store, and Tiernan & Co.'s Banking House, corner of Wood st. and Diamond alley, (entrance off Wood st.) The above rooms are each 40 feet front by 60 feet deep, and well lighted. For terms, enquire of de20-tf J. WILSON & SON, 91 Wood st.

For Rent,

THE DWELLING HOUSE, at present occupied by the subscriber, situated on Pennsylvania Avenue, and 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.

FOR RENT—The large and convenient House on Fourth st., between Market and Wood sts., at present occupied by Mr. George Beals. 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. no23-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.

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, no23-tf Office Market st., between 3d and 4th.

Water-Cure Institute.

HAND STREET (SOUTH SIDE) BET. PENN STREET AND THE RIVER, PITTSBURGH, PA.

DOCTOR BAELZ, Graduate and Practitioner in the old Schools of Medicine, Allopathic and Homœpathic, and for the past ten years a successful Hydropathist, has opened a WATER CURE in the above location.

The perfectly safe, direct and immediate effect this system has on all Fevers, and all diseases acute and chronic—while it is mild, grateful and invigorating to the weak and debilitated, renders it peculiarly desirable in families, who will be treated at their homes.

Allopathic and Homœpathic treatment will be administered where desired; but, after long and thorough experience, Doctor Baelz gives a decided preference to Hydropathy, which has, throughout the old and new world, proven so eminently successful in every form of disease, including Incipient Consumption, Bronchitis, Dyspepsia, Intermittent and Chronic Rheumatism, Asthma, Cutaneous, Nervous and Liver Diseases. Testimonials of cures from highly reputable citizens of nearly every State in the Union, can be examined at Doctor Baelz's office. The Clergy are invited to consult him gratis.

Warm water being used in the commencement, and often throughout the treatment, it is a luxury instead of unpleasant, as those unacquainted might suppose.

REFERENCES—Messrs. Charles Brewer, Waterman Palmer, W. W. Wilson, W. H. Williams, Thompson Bell, J. R. Weldon, D. T. Morgan, Wm. B. Holmes, R. H. English, B. M. Kerr.

The undersigned, having visited Doctor Baelz's Institution and witnessed his successful treatment, cheerfully recommend him as a thoroughly educated and skillful Physician:

Charles T Russell, Jos. M'Connells, David Hunt, John C. Curtis, Robt. Patrick, John B. Livingston, John Wright, W. W. Patrick, Moses F. Eaton, O. Ormsby Gragg. ja7 6md

LEAD—70 pigs Galena Lead for sale by ja4 R. DALZELL & Co.

SHOT—200 bags assorted from No. 1 to No. 9 ja4 R. DALZELL & Co.

BUTTER—14 kegs packed Butter, 3 bbls packed Butter, 5 " fresh roll Butter, in cloths, 3 bxs " ja4 R. DALZELL & CO.

LARD—20 kegs fresh No. 1 Lard in store. ja4 R. DALZELL & CO.

PEARL ASH—56 barrels first quality ja4 R. DALZELL & CO.

LATEST PUBLICATIONS—A course of Lectures delivered before the Young Men's Christian Association, in Exeter Hall, London. The Rose and the Ring, illustrated, Thackeray. American Principles on National Prosperity, a Thanksgiving sermon; by Nicholas Murray, D. D. Hard Times, by Dickens. Autobiography of Rev. Wm. Jay, 2 vols. Ruth Hall, Ida May. ja4 J. L. READ, 78 4th street.

FLOUR—100 bbls. extra, 200 do superfine, 100 extra family, arriving and for sale by D. W. HERSTINE & CO, ja3 No. 93 & 95 Front st.

BUTTER—6 bbls. fresh Roll Butter just received and for sale by ja3 HENRY H. COLLINS.

FAMILY FLOUR—100 barrels People's Mills, Extra Genesee, in store and for sale by ja3 D. W. HERSTINE & CO., No. 93 & 95 Front st.

CORN MEAL—100 bbls. Cincinnati steam dried in store and for sale by D. N. HERSTINE & CO., No. 93 & 95, Front street.

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

A GOOD FARM FOR SALE, situate six miles from Farmington, Va., and on the Penna. line, consisting of 207 acres, well improved: 100 acres cleared; a large orchard, good buildings, dwelling house and barn; also, plenty of excellent coal, 20 acres of meadow. This is a desirable farm and will be sold for $2,500. Terms easy. Possession given on 1st of April next. de30 S. CUTHBERT & SON, 140, 3d st.

NEW AND SEASONABLE BOOKS, issued by the American Sunday School Union, illustrated with beautiful engravings. "We have never been able to offer to our friends, old as well as young, such a large and truly beautiful variety of illustrated Books for the holiday season, as at the present time." A full supply just rec'd per Express; also, new Books from New England S. S. Union, and other leading publishing houses, to which the attention of persons selecting premiums for Schools, &c., is invited. A large assortment of illustrated and standard works, gift books, annuals, &c. More new Holiday Books this week opened. For sale by de19 S. SADLER, Allegheny.

HOGS—150 Dead Hogs, average 200, for sale by SHRIVER & DILWORTH, 130 & 132, 2d st.

WOOL PLAIDS—A. A. Mason & Co. will reduce their whole stock of Wool Plaids 25 per ct; also, Cashmeres, Delaines, &c., &c. de15

EMBROIDERIES REDUCED—A. A. Mason & Co. will, on Saturday, Dec. 16th, reduce the prices of their immense stock of Embroideries, comprising upwards of 50 cartons of Sleeves, Chemizetts, Collars, Laces, Trimmings, &c., just opened. de16

REMNANTS OF SILKS—A. A. Mason & Co. will offer on Saturday, Dec. 16th, a large lot of Remnants of Silks, at almost one half the usual price.

LADIES visiting Sanford's Opera Troupe should call at VAN GORDER'S and buy a Rigolette, Head Dress, or any other fixins they need of that kind.—Remember the place, 83 Market st., opposite City Hall.

VAN GORDER has still left a few of those sets Collars, Sleeves, Chemizetts, Hdkfs, Bands, &c., which have been selling so fast *at cost*, at 83 Market st., corner of the Diamond. de26

A BRICK HOUSE FOR SALE CHEAP! de20 S. CUTHBERT & SON, 140, 3d st.

SUNDRIES—400 sacks Dry Peaches, prime halves, 20 do Pared do do; 100 sacks do Apples, 6 bbls packed Butter; 60 bbls prime roll butter, 50 kegs do do; 10 bbls No. 1 Lard, 150 bushels cloverseed; 150 kegs do do, 3 bbls fine Potash; 50 bbls cheese, 4 bbls Tallow; 100 dz common Brooms, in store and for sale by ja3 SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

FEATHERS—3000 lbs. prime Ky. Feathers to arrive and for sale by HENRY H. COLLINS.

FISH—140 half bbls. White Fish; 131 do Trout; 40 do Salmon, for sale by de30 HENRY H. COLLINS.

2300 DOLLARS IN CASH TO LOAN, in connection with the sale of mortgages to amount of $2,700, and 12 lots worth $5,000, payable in 5 equal annual payments, with 6 per cent. interest per annum to be secured by bond and mortgage. Apply to de30 R. McLAIN & SON, 21, 5th st.

FOR JANUARY—Harper and Putnam's Magazines, Harper's Story Books rec'd by de30 S. SADLER, Allegheny.

HARPERS' NEW PUBLICATIONS FOR NEW YEAR'S—Thackeray's new book, The Rose and the Ring; Parish and other Pencilings: Kirwan; National Prosperity, a Thanksgiving Sermon, by N. Murray, D. D.; Later Years, by author of Old House by the River; Hard Times, Dickens; Franconia Stories completed with other new books rec'd by S. SADLER, Allegheny.

DRIED PEACHES—200 bush. Ohio halves received and for sale by BELL & LIGGETT.

BROOMS—60 doz. common Brooms received and for sale by BELL & LIGGETT.

EGGS—5 bbls. fresh Eggs this day received and for sale by HENRY H. COLLINS.

HAGAN & AHL have just rec'd per Adams & Co's Express, this day, a large lot of Austrian Collars, to which they invite the ladies and all who wish to procure handsome and cheap holiday presents.

VENISON for sale at Ross, Patton & McCombs', in the Diamond. de23

BABBIT'S SOAP POWDER & SALERATUS for sale by J. W. McFARLAND.

FRESH ARRIVAL OF SPLENDID GIFT BOOKS FOR CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS—The Life of Martin Luther, 50 pictures. The Republican Court. The Diadem. The Book of the Boudoir. Cabinet Annual. Gems from Moore's Melodies. Leaflets of Memory, 1855. Cooper's Novels, 33 vols. Waverly Novels, 12 vols. and 27 vols. Just rec'd and for sale by de23 KAY & CO., 55 Wood st.

GOLDEN SYRUP.—50 bbls Golden Syrup for sale. Apply to ja5-6td BAKEWELL, PEARS & CO.

HAY.—5 tons baled Hay at Depot, for sale by ja5 SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

LARD—10 kgs. prime Lard just rec'd and for sale by de30 S. HARBAUGH & CO.

AUCTION SALES.

P. M. DAVIS, Auctioneer.
Commercial Sales Rooms, corner Wood and Fifth streets.

MARKET ST. DRY GOODS STORE AT AUCTION.—On Friday, Jan. 12th, at 2 o'clock, P. M., at the store No. 66 Market st., near Fourth, will be commenced the sale of the entire stock of Dry Goods, &c., of Wm. Frank & Co., (as they are declining business.)—The assortment is quite large of the most desirable staple and fancy dry goods suitable for the present and approaching seasons, comprising in part superior black and fancy dress silks, and satins, French merinos, cashmeres, parametta cloths, alpacas, de laines, mouselines, lama and lyon cloths, plaids. Imported and domestic ginghams and prints, furniture prints and checks, bed ticking, shirting checks and stripes, Welsh and country flannels red, white and green flannels, Canton flannel, colored cambrics, Irish linens, bleached and brown muslins, cassimeres, satinets, jeans, undershirts and drawers, wool comforts, hosiery and gloves in great variety, cravats and hdkfs, &c. &c. Also, a large stock of splendid silk thibet, cashmere and wool long and square shawls, laces and white goods, ribbons, bonnets, and a full stock of trimmings, &c., usually kept by the trade. ja9 P. M. DAVIS, Auct.

VALUABLE STOCKS AND BONDS AT AUCTION.—On Thursday evening, 11th inst. at 7 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange, 4th street, will be sold:
30 shares Pittsburgh Trust Co. Stock,
45 " Exchange Bank "
50 " Ohio & Pa. R. R. Co. "
50 " North American Min. Co. do.
3 Bonds Allegheny Co., coupons attached, payable in New York, $1,000 each.
3 Bonds Washington Co. coupons attached, payable in New York, $500 each.
ja7 P. M. DAVIS, Auct.

To Business Men.

THE advertiser, a young man, wishes a situation. He is well acquainted with double entry Book-keeping; has a good knowledge of shipping, bill making, &c. Unquestionable reference given. Address Box 595, Post Office. ja5 2w

Notice.

THE President and Managers of the Company for erecting a Bridge over the Allegheny River opposite Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny, have this day declared a Dividend of Two Dollars per share on each share of the capital Stock of the Company in which dividends are made, which will be paid to stockholders or their legal representatives forthwith. JOHN HARPER, Treasurer. Pittsburgh, Jan'y 1, 1855. ja4-d1w (Daily papers copy 1 week.)

Dividend Notice.

PITTSBURGH, January 2d, 1855.

THE Managers of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Bridge Company (at Hand street) have this day declared a Dividend of Two Dollars per share on the capital Stock of said company, payable forthwith. ja4-2wd GEO. E. ARNOLD, Treasurer.

Notice to Contractors.

OFFICE OF METROPOLITAN RAILROAD COMPANY, Georgetown, D. C., Dec. 26, 1854.

SEALED PROPOSALS for the grading, Masonry, and bridging of forty-three and a half (43½) miles of this road will be received at the office of the company until three o'clock, P. M. on the 15th day of February next.

The maps, profiles, plans, and specifications will be ready for inspection on and after the 5th day of February.

The Metropolitan Railroad is designed to extend from the cities of Washington and Georgetown to the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, by an easy and direct route, connecting with the latter road east of the "Point of Rocks," on the Potomac river, and making a saving of distance on the first ninety miles of the present traveled route from the Capital to the Western and Northwestern States of forty-five miles.

Proceeding from the point of intersection with the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, the route extends to the city of Frederick, and, passing through the richest agricultural districts of Maryland, terminates in the city of Hagerstown, where it connects with lines of railroads, now in operation extending to Harrisburgh, the Pennsylvania Railroad, &c.

The portion of the road for which proposals are now invited extends from the westerly line of the District of Columbia (3½ miles from Georgetown) to the city of Frederick.

Proposals will be received for the work in sections of one mile each, or for the entire distance of 43½ miles.

The work is generally of a medium character for this part of the country, with some heavy cutting (in earth and rock) and bridging; and every facility exists for prosecuting it vigorously and with economy at all seasons of the year. The country is elevated and rolling, well watered, and remarkably healthy.

The time conditioned for the completion of the contracts will be from one to two years.

Any further information desired by persons proposing for the work will be furnished at the office, or may be had by addressing the President of the company by letter prior to the day of letting.

By order of the Board of Directors, FRANCIS DODGE, President. EDMUND FRENCH, Chief Engineer. ja3-2awt feb

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 30, 1854.

NOTICE.—The Annual Meeting of Stockholders and Election of Trustees of the Odd Fellows' Hall Association of Pittsburgh, for the ensuing year, will be held at the Odeon Hall, Fourth street, on MONDAY EVENING, Jan. 1st, between the hours of 6 and 8 P. M., (meeting at 6.) By order of the Board. ja1 J. P. HENDERSON, Sec'y.

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NOTICE.—The Co-partnership of William Larimer, Jr., with Zug, Lindsay & Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent. The undersigned having purchased his interest, the business will be continued as formerly, under the style of Zug, Lindsay & Co. C. ZUG, J. PAINTER.

In retiring from the firm of Zug, Lindsay & Co., I cheerfully recommend the present firm to the patronage of my friends. W. LARIMER, Jr. Pittsburgh, Jan. 1st, 1855. ja3d1w

Notice to Stockholders.

OFFICE ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R. Co., Pittsburgh January 1, 1855.

IN accordance with the Charter, a general meeting of the Stockholders of the *Allegheny Valley R. R. Company* will be held at their office, No. 74 Water street, Pittsburgh, on the first Tuesday (6th day,) of February next, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which time and place the Report of the President and Managers, for the past year, and a Statement of the affairs of the Company will be presented, and an election for President and Board of Managers for the ensuing year, will be held at 12 o'clock M. [ja1-td] J. GIBSON, Sec'y.

EXCHANGE BANK OF Pittsburgh, Dec. 29th, 1855.

LIST of deposits, and balances of deposits, of ten dollars and upwards which have remained unaltered in the Bank for three years:

A. F. Coon, March 18th, 1851	$28.16.
A. D. Hurley, July 21st, 1851	10.49.
S. Parker, Nov. 14th, 1851	80.00.
Robert Swan, April 19th, 1851	14.27.
David Torrence, April 4th, 1851	200.00.

I certify that the above statement is correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief. JAS. B. MURRAY, Cashier.

Sworn and subscribed before me this 29th day of December, 1854. C. W. ERNEST, ja1-d1aw4wt Notary Public.

STATEMENT of Deposits and Balances of Deposits in the *Farmers' Deposit Bank of Pittsburgh*, which have remained unaltered and unclaimed for three years next preceding the date of this Statement:

Richard J. Bugh, bal. Oct. 22, 1851	$20.60.
Melling Woolley, dep. June 3, 1851	50.00.

There are no escheats to the State. JOHN MAGOFFIN, Cashier.

Farmers' Deposit Bank of Pittsburgh, December 28th, 1854.

Affirmed unto and subscribed before me. de29-3td&1tw8 J. McD. GLENN, Notary Public.

OFFICE OHIO AND PENNA. R. R. Co., Pittsburgh, Dec. 23, 1854.

NOTICE.—The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders and Election of Directors of the Ohio and Penna. Railroad Company, for the ensuing year, will be held at the Company's office, in Pittsburgh, on Thursday, the 25th day of January, 1855, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 3 P. M., (meeting at 10.) By order of the Board of Directors. de23-td J. ROBINSON, Sec'y. [Journal, Post, Dispatch, American, Union and Chronicle copy.]

NOTICE.—The subscribers heretofore doing business under the style of Dawson, Mohan & Co., in the manufacture and sale of Railroad Tools, Farm and Garden Implements, will hereafter continue the same under the style of DAWSON, NEWMYER & CO., at the Empire Works in the Ninth Ward, and Warehouse, No. 22 Wood street. Either of us will attend to settling up the business, Pittsburgh, Pa. WM. DAWSON, Jan. 1, '55—ja1-1m J. S. NEWMYER.

Reduction in Music—Music at half price.

JOHN H. MELLOR, No. 81 Wood street, between Diamond alley and Fourth street, has made arrangements with the Music publishing house of WM. HALL & SON, of New York, for the sale of their valuable Catalogue, and he is enabled to offer all their NON-COPYRIGHT Music, together with that of his entire stock of Music and Musical Works, at an average of *ONE-HALF THE FORMER PRICES.*

In order to afford this reduction, it is necessary to adopt the CASH SYSTEM, and it is believed that the public will be better served than heretofore by a strict adherence to this principle. In regulating the prices, the National Currency has been adopted and as far as possible Decimals. *The price will be marked on every piece of Music.* The non-copyright thus—"*Reduced Price,—Cents.*" The copyright editions thus—"*Copyrigh,—Cents.*" All the non-copyright Music printed previous to this arrangement will be sold at *one half the old prices. A similar reduction will be made on Instruction Books, &c.*

Since the study of Music has become an essential branch of education, a reduction in the price of Sheet Music has been demanded by the public, and it is hoped that the plan adopted will increase the sales sufficiently to warrant the publishers (Wm. Hall & Son) in carrying out their enterprise to its fullest extent. The Catalogue of Messrs. Wm. Hall & Son already contains the works of the best European authors, and they will continue to reprint such as may hereafter be published—all of which will be sold at *less than one-half the prices of the foreign copies.*

Orders from any part of the country, enclosing the money, will be promptly and faithfully attended to.

A full stock of Chickering & Sons' Pianos, Melodeons, Guitars, Harps, Strings, and Musical Goods of every kind, on hand and for sale at lowest cash prices, by JOHN H. MELLOR, No. 81 Wood st., between Diamond alley & 4th. st. [ja1

Information Wanted.

MR. JOHN TODD left Ireland for the United States in 1852. He landed in New York, and started for Pittsburgh, Pa., with a view to employment as a civil engineer, expecting to meet there our William Millar, an engineer. Any information concerning said Todd will be thankfully received. Address Sarah Eliza Todd, care of Rev. Baxter Dickinson, D. D., Boston, Mass. ja3-3tawdr

Assignee's Sale.

THE undersigned will offer for sale upon the premises on SATURDAY, the 20th of JANUARY, 1855, at 2 o'clock, P. M., the Steel Works, Mill Fixtures and Machinery known as "M'Kelvy & Blair's Works." Persons desirous of engaging in the business, will find this a favorable opportunity for investment. THOS. M. MARSHALL, Assignee. Pittsburgh, Jan'y 1st, 1855.

P. S.—The Assignee can be found at his office at any time previous to the 20th inst., by persons desirous of purchasing. de1

SUNDRIES—5 bbls. roll Butter, 5 bxs roll Butter, 3 bbls No. 1 Lard, 5 kegs No. 1 Lard, 50 bus Dried Apples, 500 bxs cheese, received and for sale by ja4 T. LITTLE & CO, No. 112, 2d street.

BIRMINGHAM Property for Sale, consisting of a Lot of ground, having a front on Water street of 22 feet, and extending back 95 feet; on which is erected a two story Brick Dwelling, arranged with hall, double parlor, dining room and kitchen. Will be disposed of very reasonable. Apply to R. McLAIN & SON, ja4 No. 21, 5th st.

HAY—1 car load baled Hay, for sale at the O. & Pa. Depot, by VON BONNHORST & MURPHY.

LIFE'S A MARCH, and now upon the morn of a new campaign let us see that we are properly accoutred. Enemies are to be guarded against—are you equipped? If not, go to CHESTER, 74 Wood street. Men and Boy's Clothing just above cost. ja1

FRESH SALMON at 12 1-2c per lb.; No. 1 Mackerel do 10c do; Prime Mess Shad do 10c do; Very fine fresh No. 3 Mackerel at 25c per doz., for sale by de15 J. W. McFARLAND.

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

HOLIDAY ARTICLES—R. E. Sellers & Co., 57 Wood st., offer as suitable for holiday presents, some beautiful French Sachet Boxes, for handkerchiefs, gloves, &c., with a fine variety of Perfumery in boxes. de22

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY'S at hand and Fruits and Pickles at less than cost. We have this day made a still greater reduction in the prices of our stock of Pickles, Fresh Fruits, Syrups, Essences, Extracts, &c., and will, if possible, close them out the present week, regardless of cost. Now is the time to lay in a supply of Fancy Groceries, and 265 Liberty st. is the place. The stock is small and the opportunity will soon be over. de25 J. W. McFARLAND.

PRIME COOKING RAISINS at 8c per lb; Prime Cooking Prunes, at 8c per lb; Cluster Raisins, at 10c per lb; Preserved Citron, Candied Orange Peel, Fresh Ground and Whole Spices, &c., for sale by de25 J. W. McFARLAND, 265 Liberty st.

SECURE A HOME—A VALUABLE CHRISTMAS GIFT—Several good Building Lots in Allegheny City, near the Outer Depot, 24 by 30 ft. Price $150 to $250. Terms, ¼ in hand, remainder in 3 annual payments. Or a Lot on Mt. Washington, 50 ft. front by 210 deep. Price $250, $20 in hand, the remainder at $5 a month. For particulars, call on de23 S. CUTHBERT & SON, 140, 3d st.