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MONDAY MORNING, JUNE 18, 1855.

Correspondence of the N. Y. Tribune.

The K. N. National Convention.

THE BEGINNING OF THE END.

PHILADELPHIA, Thursday, June 14, 1855.—After rejecting the Northern ultimatum 51 to 92 and following that up by slaying all the middling propositions—Rayner's by 44 Yeas to 97 Nays—they came direct to the main question, being the adoption of the ultra proslavery resolutions of the majority of the Committee. These were carried—Yeas 80; Nays 59; and the Black Power, in secret midnight conclave, was triumphant.

That your readers may realise fully the enormity of this action of the Council, I repeat the propositions thus acted upon:

REJECTED—51 YEAS, 92 NAYS.

Resolved, That the repeal of the Missouri Compromise was an infraction of the plighted faith of the Nation, and that it should be restored; and if efforts to that end shall fail, Congress should refuse to admit any State tolerating slavery, which shall be formed out of any portion of the territory from which that Institution was excluded by that Compromise.

ADOPTED—YEAS, 80; NAYS, 59.

Resolved, That the American party, having risen upon the ruins and in spite of the opposition of the Whig and Democratic parties, cannot be held in any manner responsible for the obnoxious acts and violated pledges of either; that the systematic agitation of the Slavery question by those parties has elevated sectional hostility into a positive element of political power, and brought our institutions into peril. It has therefore become the imperative duty of the American party to interpose, for the purpose of giving peace to the country and perpetuity to the Union; that as experience has shown it is impossible to reconcile opinions so extreme as those which separate the disputants, and as there can be no dishonor in submitting to the laws, the National Council has deemed it the best guarantee of common justice and of future peace to abide by and maintain the existing laws upon the subject of Slavery, as a final and conclusive settlement of that subject in spirit and in substance.

Resolved, That regarding it as the highest duty to avow these opinions upon a subject so important, in distinct and unequivocal terms, it is hereby declared as the sense of this National Council, that Congress possesses no power under the Constitution to legislate upon the subject of Slavery in the States, or to exclude any State from admission into the Union because its Constitution does or does not recognize the Institution of Slavery as a part of her social system; and expressly pretermitting any expression of opinion upon the power of Congress to establish or prohibit Slavery in the Territories, it is the sense of this National Council that Congress ought not to legislate on the subject of Slavery within the territories of the United States, and that any interference by Congress with Slavery as it exists in the District of Columbia would be a violation of the spirit and intention of the compact by which the State of Maryland ceded the District to the United States, and a breach of the National Faith.

Yesterday, as I wrote you, it seemed certain that both these propositions would be thrown aside and the question wholly ignored, or a milk-and-water compromise adopted. But as the day waned and the discussion grew spirited, the barrenness of such a result became more and more apparent, and both parties became more and more determined to stand by their respective propositions as those only upon which they could successfully appeal to the people of their respective sections.

The closing speech of Judge Cone of Georgia deepened this feeling by his appeals to the South and his denunciation of Kenneth Rayner and the few other middling men of the Convention. The extremes of the North and South united their forces to defeat all intermediate propositions and stand or fall by the originally defined issues of the Committee.

The result is of course the defeat of the North; but it has come out of the contest stronger than it went in, and it will appeal from the Council to the people with powerful effect.

The Northern members meet for consultation and action this morning. They will repudiate the decision of the Convention, and in the words of Gov. Gardner of Massachusetts, shake off the dust from their feet as a testimony against the minions of Slavery who have prostrated Americanism as they have the Republic to their basest ends.

PHILADELPHIA, Thursday, June 14—P. M.—The glorious action of the delegates from the Free States has been transmitted you by telegraph. Thank God! *There is North at last.*—The South is aghast. It does not know what to make of it. The North never acted so before. They beg, they implore, they plead; but the North is inexorable. It is not a child to be toyed back by sweet words. It asked simply the restoration of what the South had stolen; it was insultingly denied, and as if that were not enough it was told the robbery was right "in spirit and substance," and forbidden longer to complain of it!

The South has finally learned that the North is in earnest; and though it sorrows as though it would not be comforted, that its power over the Free States is gone; its respect is enhanced ten-fold for them and their positions. Southern men begged this morning that the Northern Delegates would come back into the Council—they proffered everything—their mouths dropped words of sweet promise; but the North said: No; we told you we would go if you refused to restore us Kansas and Nebraska, and passed the resolutions of the majority, and now we mean to keep our word.

The meeting of the Northern members this morning was at 8 o'clock in one of the parlors of the Girard House. It was well attended and spirited. There was no voice for looking backward. The weak were strong; the strong were thrice armed, and they sent forth their moderate but firm address and statement of principles with surprising unanimity. Their spirit was catching. Pennsylvania and New Jersey could not resist its influence. They have prepared a separate address for their constituents, differing not substantially from that of the other States of the North. New York alone is left—a monument of the infamy of her delegation—traitors alike to Freedom and their State. As one of their party from New York City told them to day—they would be repudiated from one end of the State to the other—the Empire State would trample their resolutions under its feet *two hundred thousand majority*.

The delegates yesterday afternoon were rather warm. Barker made a speech calling attention to himself as the founder of the Order. He gave an effecting picture of the organization in its tender infancy, when they met in a small room and had but a very few members. He used to be a Seward man, he said; he voted for Seward for Governor, but he asked the forgiveness of the Convention and God's forgiveness, and he hoped that he should live long enough to atone for it.

Gov. Brown of Tennessee made a conciliatory speech deprecating the repeal of the Missouri Compromise. They all thought at the South, he said, that it was an unjust thing to the North. It was uncalled for by the South, but now that they had got it they were hardly ready to give it up. But he was at all events in favor of a platform that they could all agree upon, even if it were no bigger than his hand [holding out his hand,] then they could grow upon that.

Ex-Gov. Johnston of Pennsylvania made a strong Northern speech, full of solid argument, in favor of restoring the Missouri line. A fifteen minute rule had been adopted, and he was promptly choked off by Barker and his Southern friends; but by the aid of some of the moderate Southern men, leave to speak another fifteen minutes was obtained for him.

Ellis, the editor of *The Organ*, made a very fair speech in favor of milk and water, having failed in his gagging position, and trembling for the Congressional printing.

Judge Cone of Georgia, Chairman of the Committee, closed the debate. He said he did not care if they could not carry a single State, he was not going to make a platform to carry elections on. He wanted to make one that was just—one that did justice to the South.

While the vote was being taken Sperry of Connecticut made a fiery Northern speech, full of backbone which has developed rapidly in his system since the Convention opened.

In the course of the debate a Virginian said: "Your Northern elections are all through with; you have carried them; now give us the majority platform and we will sweep the South, and before elections come round again the Kansas question will be settled."

Massachusetts, Maine, Ohio, and Indiana voted against every compromise platform proposed. Vermont voted for Kenneth Rayner's as a compliment to the man; they are heartily glad at the result. Gov. Johnston and three of the Pennsylvania delegation were in favor of the minority report. It was understood by the Northern Pennsylvanians that if they would vote against the minority report their Southern colleagues would go against the majority platform, and so they could keep the old Keystone together. *Pennsylvania therefore gave a unanimous vote against the minority report to the great joy of the Southerners.* But when the final vote came to be taken, the Southern Pennsylvanians having gained all they expected to by the bargain, concluded that it would not be of any more use to them, and voted for the majority report.

A dispatch was received from the Know Nothings of the *Express* Order, saying that the majority report must not be adopted—that New York would never sanction it, but Barker maintained that he knew the State better than anybody else. He said that after expelling 30,000 members who voted for Clark, they had 180,000 men whom they could rely upon in the Order.

There was a scene of wild and terrible excitement in the Council between 11 and 12 o'clock last night while the votes were being taken on the main proposition, growing out of a base and calumnious attack by one of the New York delegates upon one of those from Massachusetts. The latter was in private telegraphic correspondence with a friend in New York, and was anxiously awaiting the taking of the vote upon the minority resolution, after which he was to proceed by the midnight train to join his friend. He had recorded his vote—the fatal but expected result of the ballot had been announced—he dispatched a message to his friend by the telegraph runner who was waiting outside, and then hastened to his hotel to prepare for his journey. Some evil-eyed doorkeeper, or mayhap the New York gentleman himself, had noticed his dispatching a message to his friend, and eager to find cause for an assault upon any of the Massachusetts members, and thinking surely he had found out the great troubling secret of the Council, he rushed madly up the aisle to the President's chair, interrupting the proceedings in dent's chair, and screaming at the top of his lungs: *"The traitor is discovered! The correspondent of* THE NEW YORK TRIBUNE *is known! He has been detected in sending off dispatches from this Hall! He is Mr. ——— of Massachusetts! Expose the traitor!"* The meeting was thrown at once into a wild uproar. A hundred were upon their feet at once, shouting and howling; some "Out with the traitor!" "Hustle him out!" others that it was a "base lie," &c. A rush was made toward the President's chair, some drew their "cold steels," and a storm of passion and confusion raged that is indescribable.

At this moment Mr. Buffinton of Fall river, a tall, large, fine-looking gentleman, of bold and fearless manner, sprang to the side of the President, and in such a peremptory manner demanded to be heard, that he was at once accorded the floor. He spoke in a style that soon produced comparative calm. Said he—

"I rise to defend Massachusetts from these coarse assaults and base calumnies. Those who say she has traitors in her delegation say what is false, and say it at their personal peril. But if there are traitors in other delegations, and if this Convention has indignation to expend upon those who have divulged what has been said or done upon this floor, it must fall upon other heads than those of the Massachusetts delegates."

He then proceeded to say that a note from a Virginia delegate, intended for the correspondent of *The New-York Herald*, was, by being wrongly directed, put into his hands; that it contained a promise to furnish for *The Herald* a report of his (the delegate's) speech, the evening before! Mr. Buffinton had had no purpose of mentioning this circumstance; but the unprovoked and unfounded assault upon a Massachusetts delegate, had justified his course now.

The tide changed. Virginia and *The New-York Herald*, instead of Massachusetts and THE NEW YORK TRIBUNE, were implicated in dishonor. Of course there was no eager fury now to "out with the traitor." This was a horse of another color.

Mr. Burwell, of Virginia, frankly confessed that he wrote the note in question, and that he had furnished the reporter for *The Herald* with an abstract of his speech for publication. He owned that it was indiscreet and improper, but he did not mean to do wrong. Kenneth Rayner said he had been approached in a similar way, and asked to furnish reports for *The Herald*, but he had thought it a violation of the rules to comply, and had refused. Still he was not disposed to be hard on brother Burwell. Mr. Buffinton was not disposed to press the matter, and suggested that a vote be passed relieving the Virginia gentleman from censure, which was accordingly done.

Mr. Squires of New-York, who had opened this interlude by his attack on the Massachusetts members, now rose and apologized for it, and retracted his charges. Gen. Wilson then read a note from his associate—written just as he was leaving—whose innocent conduct had been so foully misconstrued for venomous purposes, explaining the affair, and denouncing the charge against him as false; and a vote was passed relieving him from any dishonorable suspicion; so ended this tempestuous farce, in the result of which the originators got decidedly more than they bargained for. The prompt action of Mr. Buffinton was admirable in conception and execution, and saved the Council from the seriously threatened personal collisions which impended at the moment of this interference.

Beyond what I have communicated there is nothing new to-day. The Council is considering the details of its platform, and will omit from it all opposition to Roman Catholics and the Pope. The exclusion of Catholics from the Order is also to be discontinued, and the ritual altered to that effect. Its whole value almost to many of the Northern and Western members will be thus destroyed; and, indeed, it will settle down into a simple secret conclave for the benefit of the Black Power of the South. In this purpose it needs the aid of the Catholics of Louisiana and Alabama, and so will invite them into its fold.

But all interest is gone in the further action of the Convention. Nobody cared for it save as to the position it should announce as to Slavery. It has been made a great battle ground on this question, and though Slavery has been nominally triumphant, Freedom has won the greatest moral victory which the whole history of the controversy between those two great elements of the Republic has recorded. Henceforth there is to be a new era in that controversy. The great importance of the results of the past twenty-four hours lies not in the fact that they compass the destruction of the great Know Nothing party—the creation of a passion and a day, (this is of a comparatively small account;) but in the more resolute and enduring fact that it has inaugurated a North, and formed a rallying point for those who would gather into one triumphant host all in the nation who henceforth would make Slavery sectional and Liberty national; who would put in practice the wise decision of the United States Supreme Court that "Slavery is a mere municipal regulation, (limited by the verge of the local law."

Where all have done so well in bringing about results so gratifying it may be invidious to particularize; but a few names among the Northern members, who were devoted from the start to the work of creating a unity and a strength of *Northern back-bone*, should justly be exposed to the public appreciation and honor that they deserve. First stands Henry Wilson of Massachusetts, preeminent as the leader in the whole movement. He was handsomely sustained by all his associates, and the numerous insidious efforts of the enemy to separate them from him only attached them the more closely to his side. He has the highest honor in this contest, exhibited the greatest political ability, and broke down many strong prejudices against him, both among Massachusetts men who were witnesses to his conduct and among the delegates of the other States North and South. No man went into that Council with more elements of distrust and opposition combined against him, no one goes out of it with such an enviable fame, or such an aggregation to his honor. He is worthy of Massachusetts, and worthy to lead the new movement of the people of that State, which the result here so fitly inaugurates. Governor Gardner brought, from his eminent position and the high favor in which he was regarded by the moderate men of the North and South, great influence to the right side and did not fail to use it effectively and at the most fitting moments.

The Maine delegates were a unit from the start and firm as adamant. They needed no praying with but were at every point the sturdiest workmen for Northern fealty to its position. New Hampshire was the foreman in this labor, and though the other New England States had their weak spots at first, all came up manfully and faithfully when the hour of trial was at hand. At the West, Indiana with her Colfax, her Orth and her Cumback, ranged into the line with the first roll-call and was the Massachusetts of her section. Ohio, represented in most part by sons of "Ole Virginny," never tired under the lead of her noble-hearted Ford, in devotion to the standard erected as the "North Star." The other Western States, so soon as they realized the importance of the struggle and the high interests at stake, wheeled into line with their full power. It was hard at first to make all the Northern delegates appreciate the vital necessity to themselves and their party at home, of yielding nothing from the position assumed in the minority resolution; but they were all made to feel it, and the result has been most happy. They will have many an occasion to look back upon their votes of last night and their action to-day as the proudest deeds of their life. If they never do anything more for the cause of Freedom these will make them ever worthy of its highest crown.

[Here follows the action of the Seceding delegates, which we published on Saturday.]

The Delegates from Pennsylvania and New-Jersey will also present a Northern Platform—Not a State north of Mason and Dixon's line represented here, save perhaps New-York, will submit to the Platform adopted by the Council.

The Council opened regularly this morning, but not a Northern delegate was present. Nothing was done of importance, save to move the injunction of secrecy from the more important proceedings. The papers of this city now venture to let their readers know what is going on in their midst.

The pronunciamento of the Pennsylvania and New-Jersey delegations is substantially the same as the above.

While the ultra South have been happy in the triumph they have won for Slavery, though everything else be ruined, and are relieved at the departure of the Northern members, the "Boohoos" are in agony. The Union lowers before their eyes, and with tears streaming adown their cheeks, they exclaim, "All is lost"—of their expected offices.

But one or two delegates from the free States who remained here to-day declined to sign the address. Several States are but partially represented. The unanimity is most happy, and it is the first time the North has been found together for Freedom above Party.

The Massachusetts and Maine delegates mostly started for home to-day, and the Northern and Western members generally—their occupation here being gone—are rapidly leaving for their respective constituencies, to be greeted, no one doubts, with the warmest manifestations of approbation and applause.

Here is a telegraphic response from Massachusetts, received from a Boston Member of Congress this evening:

"Gentlemen of the Massachusetts Delegation:—ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND voters salute you, one and all, with 'Well done good and faithful servants.' Prepare the way for a grand Fusion of parties. Let in the light upon your doings.—Be liberal. Make as few issues as possible.—Let your addresses be sharp, but brief."

Governor Reeder, accompanied by his private Secretary, G. P. Lowrey, Esq., has arrived in this city, and leaves this afternoon, for Kansas Territory to resume his official duties. The journey, it is expected, will occupy about ten days. The Territorial Legislature meets on the 2d of July at Pawnee, but will probably adjourn to Shawnee Mission, some 200 miles this side of Pawnee.—*N. Y. Jour. Com.*

EX-PRESIDENT FILLMORE IN ENGLAND.—We notice that some of the English papers have taken occasion, on Mr. Fillmore's arrival in England, to denounce him because he signed the fugitive slave bill, and otherwise manifested his determination to enforce the provisions of the constitution, while he was President of the United States.

SINGULAR OCCURRENCE.—A few days since a spot of land, more elevated than any in the immediate vicinity, in Walworth county, Wisconsin, suddenly sunk to the extent of about forty feet in circumference, leaving a small lake or well in its stead, to which, thus far, no bottom has been found. The water has risen to within three or four feet of the surface of the earth surrounding it, and remains at that point.

New Intelligence Office.

THE subscriber has just opened an Intelligence Office at No. 410 Liberty street, in the well known office of John Thompson, Ship Agent; and as he has been Exploring agent for the Young Men's Bible Society of Pittsburgh for nearly two years, he flatters himself that his knowledge of the city and its citizens gives him great facilities in furnishing Housekeepers with help, and also in finding places for boys, girls and all others seeking employment. The patronage of the public is solicited.—Terms easy, and every effort used to give general satisfaction. GABRIEL BARR. je8-tf

WANTED—A cook, a wash woman and a German girl that can sew and do housework.—Liberal wages will be given. Apply to G. BARR, je12 No 410 Liberty st.

Marine Hospital Supplies.

CUSTOM HOUSE, Pittsburgh, Surveyor's Office, May 28th, 1855.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock of the 26th day of June, for the supplies of the following articles, for the use of the sick at the (United States) Marine Hospital, near this city until the 30th day of June, 1856:

Beef, as free as possible from Bone	price per lb
Brown Sugar, of the best quality	do
Rice	do
Tea, Hyson	do
Rice Flour	do
Soap	do
Sperm Candles	do
Coffee	do
Butter, best quality	do
Middling Bacon	do
Hams	do
Lard	do
Flour, best superfine	price per bbl
Molasses	do
Port Wine	do
Vinegar	price per qt
Milk	price per bus
Best Bolted Meal	do
Potatoes	do
Beans	price per doz
Eggs	price per peck
Salt	do
Hominy	price per cord
Wood	price per bus
Coal	do

All of the within (or above) articles to be of the very best quality, and to be furnished at such times and in such quantities as on the requisition of the Steward of the Hospital, approved by the Surveyor, may be required.

Any other articles that may be wanted, the contractor to furnish at the lowest market prices. It is estimated that the number of patients to be supplied will average about 20 per day, in addition to which there will be about two officers and servants to be supplied.

Any information concerning the contract will be given on application at this office. JOHN HASTINGS, Surveyor and Agent, U. S. Marine Hospital. my29

Mechanics' Bank.

AT a meeting of the Commissioners of said Bank, held on the 3d inst., it was *Resolved*, That the subscribers to the Stock of the Mechanics' Bank of Pittsburgh, be required to pay to the Treasurer the sum of *Twenty Dollars* on each share of the stock held by them, on or before the *Sixteenth day of June* next. Payment will therefore be made by the Stockholders, to Samuel Jones, Esq., Treasurer, at the office of S. Jones & Co., Pittsburgh. DAVID CAMPBELL, Secretary. my8-dltawtd

PINE AND CEDAR WARE.—SAMUEL KROESEN keeps constantly on hand a good assortment of Wash and Bath Tubs, Horse, Steamboat, Oak Well, Kitchen or Draw Buckets, Wooden Bowls, Churns, Dry Measures, Zinc and Cherry Wash Boards, and all other kinds of ware in his line. Also—50 nests Tubs, and 100 dozen Buckets. Wareroom, Masonic Hall, Fifth street, Pittsburgh, Pa. au24-y

Washing Carpets, Shawls, &c.

MESSRS. BUCKLEY & BRADBURY, New Brighton, Pa.,

RESPECTFULLY announce to their friends and the public, that they have fitted up a room in G. M. Stewart's Sash Factory, on the Canal, near by opposite the Merrick House, where they are prepared to Scour and Wash CARPETS, TABLE SPREADS, BED HANGINGS, DAMASK, MOREEN, or other HEAVY BEDDING, BLANKETS, SHAWLS and every other description of heavy washing. All orders left at Messrs. BUCKLEY & BRADBURY'S, on Railroad street, opposite the Ticket Office, will be promptly attended to, on reasonable terms. All work sent from a distance for Cleaning will receive prompt attention. fe4-2wd

CARD.

THE undersigned would invite attention to the REAL ESTATE of Gen. Larimer, which he now offers for sale at East Liberty. About 12 acres of it front on the Plank Road, opposite the Railroad Station, and will be sold in lots to suit purchasers. The MANSION HOUSE is also convenient to the Station, and is the finest country residence in the neighborhood, well watered, and beautifully situated: from ten to twenty acres will be sold with the Mansion House, as may be required. The residue of the lands will be sold in lots of from five to ten acres. This property must be sold, and may consequently go very low. In recommending it there is no private interest to serve, other than to sell it to the best advantage for the creditors and those wishing to procure a home in the country, cannot find a better opportunity. All this land is within a few minutes walk of the station, and now the cars run nearly every two hours from six in the morning till seven in the evening, giving the business man and mechanic all the convenience and comforts of country life whilst pursuing their trades and occupations in the city. THOS. MELLON, my25-6wd&4wT Trustee.

SAMUEL W. BLACK.......JNO. MELLON

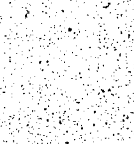
BLACK & MELLON, ATTORNEYS AT LAW, (Successors to Darragh & Mellon,) Bakewell's Buildings, Grant st., Pittsburgh. Will undertake the prosecution of Claims, before the Court of Claims, Washington City. my23-3md&wT

STOCKS FOR SALE—

50 shares	Pitts. Fire, Marine and Life Insurance Co.	
207 "	Greensburgh & Pittsburgh Turnpike R. Co.	
10 "	Pittsburgh & Steubenville	do do.
317 "	Pittsburgh & Washington	do do.
100 "	Steubenville Railroad Co.	
100 "	Chartiers Valley	do do.
20 "	Allegheny	do do.
20 "	Hempfield	
5 "	Little Saw-Mill Run Railroad Co.	
20 "	Pittsburgh & Butler Plank Road Co.	
20 "	Tuckahoe & Mt. Pleasant Plank Road Co.	
10 "	West Newton Plank Road Co.	
15 "	Brownsville and Elizabeth Plank Road Co.	
10 "	Bluff Mining Company of Michigan.	
200 "		

The above stocks will be sold at public sale, on THURSDAY, 2d day of August next, at 2 o'clock, P. M., at the Merchants' Exchange, Pittsburgh, unless sooner disposed of at private sale. Creditors of Gen. Larimer who make purchase of the above stocks at private sale will be allowed to pay by dividends accruing to them on their respective claims. THOMAS MELLON, Trustee. je6-dawtf

Important to Housekeepers and Fruit Growers.



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FOR sale at No. 122 Wood st., Pittsburgh, Pa., at the China and Queensware Store of HENRY HIGBY, who is the only agent in this city for disposing of the above very useful article. For a full description of these CANS, and the method of their use, see Circulars, to be had as above, where, also, a complete and full assortment of new and desirable patterns of CHINA, GLASS and QUEENSWARE, adapted to the wants of private families, hotel keepers and country merchants, may be obtained at low prices. my30-1yd&wT

HOUSEKEEPING HARDWARE.

Picot & Shotwell, Importers and Jobbers of English, French and German HOUSE FURNISHING HARDWARE, No 63 Maiden Lane, N. Y.,

INVITE the attention of Southern and Western Merchants to a large and very extensive stock of GOODS in their line. Cutlery of every description. Silver Plated Ware, Japannery, German Silver and Britannia Ware. Tinned and Enamelled Cooking Utensils. Bronzed, Copper and Brass Goods. Tea Trays, Fire Irons, Fenders, Wire Covers. Bronzed Candlesticks, Block Tin Ware, &c., &c. Our stock comprises every article in our line of business, all of which we will sell to dealers at the VERY LOWEST PRICES FOR CASH OR APPROVED PAPER. Goods ordered by letter will be selected with great care and despatch and put up in the best manner. PICOT & SHOTWELL, No. 63 Maiden Lane, New York.

P. S.—Also, manufacturers of a very superior article of Plated Spoons and Forks. je6-3mP

THE BEST OPPORTUNITY to secure a home, on easy terms, is now offered by the subscribers. We have a number of beautiful Building Lots for sale at very low prices, and on easy terms of payment.—They are pleasantly situated on Mount Washington, and are well laid off, fronting on wide streets, and convenient of access. On most of the lots are fine Forest Trees. Good water can easily be obtained, and at small expense. To the Mechanic or laborer who wishes to have a home in the country and yet be near enough to attend to business in the city, these lots offer a rare opportunity, being within a few minutes walk of the city. A lot of 20 ft. front by 120 deep can be had for $200. Terms, one-tenth in hand, remainder in quarterly payments. A lot of 72 ft. front by 170 feet deep, for $600. Prices from $200 up to $1000. A plan of the lots can be seen at our office. S. CUTHBERT & SON, 140, 3d st.

MACKAREL—15 bbls large No. 3 Massachusetts Mackarel just rec'd M'GILLS & ROE.