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At Way Stations, all matter will be left with the Station Agent of the Railroad Company, when the proper party is not at the station on the arrival of the Train, to receive his goods.
The charges for carrying packages, &c., and for services rendered by the Messenger, are intended to be reasonable. When the nature of the services are uncertain, so as to admit of a special agreement with the Messenger, as the Messenger is required to settle his bills and business daily with the Company, and to pay in full, the parties of the line will please not ask him to wait till next trip for his pay, as he has no discretion in the matter.
HENRY IRWIN has been appointed Messenger, and will commence his duties on Monday, Dec. 24, 1855.
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40 Inclosed do do
100 Common do do
50 Plain Dressing Bureaus;
40 Mahogany Bedsteads;
20 Walnut do
100 Cherry do
300 Cottage do
600 Cherry and Poplar Bedsteads
20 Mahogany Wardrobes;
10 Walnut do
10 Cherry do
40 Plain Bureaus;
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12 Secretary and Book cases;
50 Dozen Cane Seat Chairs;
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12 Ladies' Writing Desks;
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PITTSBURGH GAZETTE.

TUESDAY MORNING, MARCH 11, 1856.

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

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

More than forty thousand tons of shipping are now over due, at this port alone, from Europe. The month of February 1856 will long be remembered among mariners as a period fraught with suffering and disaster. To the storms and tempests which usually sweep the ocean in the second month of the year, there have been added the dangers and hardships arising from an encounter with an icy barrier which has been spread over the very track of vessels engaged in European voyages. This barrier has extended over five degrees of latitude and more than seven degrees of longitude. Never before have such extensive fields been reported so early in the season. Out of one hundred and nineteen reports of ice encountered by vessels in a series of years, the number reporting ice in January was two; February, four—(three of these this year); March, seven; April, twenty-six; May, forty-five; June, nine; July, twenty-two; August, three; and November one. The years 1787, 1834, and 1842 are those only in which ice has been reported as early as January and February in the track in question.

A passenger by the Atlantic, on her last voyage to this port, told us that it was discovered that the ship was in the vicinity of ice in season to avoid all danger of collision, and that the weather being thick, the engines moved very slowly: finally, the fog became dense, and the ship was stopped. Said he—"The following morning, after breakfast, the fog suddenly lifted, and then in all the glory of brilliant sunlight, I beheld a scene so gorgeous and so imposing, that it more than compensated for all apprehension and peril. On every side was a vast plain of ice, with here and there a village or a city looming up. The village presenting the single steeple of its church pointing heavenward from among the cluster of houses; while the city, with domes and cupolas and magnificent cathedral spires, reminded one of the Apocalyptic city, of which the 'wall was jasper,' and the 'city like unto clear glass.'" A survey from the mast-head of the Atlantic determined the fact that there was but one track out of the ice-field, and that was the narrow channel by which she had cautiously entered. The ship was put about, and steering an easterly course, was in a few hours released. Her general track is marked on the chart.

Captain Lines of the Arago, says in his report. "We were constantly picking our way amongst icebergs, and large and small pieces and patches of closely packed broken ice. For a part of two nights we stopped, and at other times were running slowly, frequently stopping and backing, to avoid collision with dangerous pieces. At noon of 22d found that we were in the bight of a bay of closely packed broken ice, and large and small icebergs, extending from S. E. around to North, as far as could be seen, with no open water to westward. We stood to the South in hopes of finding an opening, but after running thirty miles, found the ice extended to the North and Eastward as far as could be seen. Put ship about, and stood back again to the South, exploring whatever had the appearance of a passage; at one time running into a deep bay thirty miles, which we found closely blocked up, and had to stand out again. In this way we made two hundred miles southing, without seeing any open water to westward, before we found a passage."

The Baltic, Captain Comstock, experienced similar difficulties, as his course marked on the chart will show. He also describes the scene as exceeding in grandeur and beauty any description which can be given of it.

We have prepared, with some labor and much care, a complete list, now due at this port from Europe. Of these sixty vessels,

Two have been at sea from	35	to	40	days,
Thirteen " "	40	to	50	days,
Twenty " "	50	to	60	days,
Fourteen " "	60	to	70	days,
Four " "	70	to	80	days,
Four " "	80	to	90	days,
One " "	90	to	100	days,
Two " "		over	100	days.

Apprehensions for the ultimate safety of nearly all these vessels are probably groundless, but on their arrival they will report destructive gales and rude encounters with the ice. The ships which have reached port within last few days prepare us to expect this. Fourteen vessels which have arrived at this port since the first of February report the loss of twenty-nine men, nineteen of whom were washed overboard, and ten killed by falling from the yards. The severity of the cold has also caused great suffering, and many have lost limbs by frost. Taken altogether, the month of Feb. will long be marked in black in the log-book of many a mariner.—*N. Y. Cour. & Enq.*

Ex-Governor William Smith is one of the most ingenious politicians in Virginia. He is a member of Congress. For several past sessions he has been one of the shrewd, keen managers of the Southern cause. Upon the sudden rise and tremendous development of the Know Nothing power, this wily gentleman looked around him somewhat uneasily to see how it would affect his prospects for a re-election. He found that he was in the strongest Know Nothing district in Virginia. After this discovery it is not very strange that he avowed himself in Congress in favor of the principles of the new organization. This effected its intended purpose. Ex-Governor Billy, as he is familiarly called, became a popular man among the deluded K. N's. of Virginia, who have there, as elsewhere, a fondness for catching up and exalting their old Democratic acquisitions. He was voted for as their candidate for Governor, though he did not get the nomination. At the Congressional contest he was supported by the American party, and elected. But when this was accomplished, a new light seemed to break upon Ex-Governor Billy. And when the Virginia Democratic State Convention met recently at Richmond, lo! this great man of the K. N. party was found there, elected as a delegate from Alexandria. His right to sit in that body was questioned, and a scene of confusion arose, in the course of which he was obliged to pledge himself repeatedly to support the nominees of the National Democratic convention. He said that the Democratic and Republican parties are the only parties in the country, and that he was with the former. After this sort of purgation he was admitted to a seat in the Convention. Ex-Governor Billy is the type of a great many men in the South who have used the K. N. movement only to advance their own personal or sectional views, and who are to all intents and purposes, members of the Democratic party.—*Phila. N. American.*

Virginia and its Military.—The Adjutant General of Virginia has just made an official report of the condition of his department, which somewhat startles the delicate sensibilities of the Richmond Enquirer. According to the brigade returns of the year 1853, the State had ninety-two troops of cavalry, fifty companies of artillery, forty-nine companies of light infantry, and sixty-five companies of riflemen, making in all a force of 14,047 men. After a diligent hunt for these companies the Adjutant General reports that there are no cavalry companies at all, that there is but one company of artillery, nine companies of light infantry, and only one company of riflemen! Worse than this, he makes the actual aggregate of the military force of the whole State only 563, of whom but 223 appeared under arms when he demanded their muster. And what is still worse, he says that nineteen-twentieth of all the arms issued by the State, for many years past, have been stolen, and are not now to be found. Over this dreadful condition of the Virginia War Department, which has been heretofore held in reserve to frighten the outlaws of Pennsylvania and other border States, the Enquirer characteristically remarks, "is not this expose enough to strike every patriot with consternation?" Yes, verily. The constitution must be in a great jeopardy, for if this news should get abroad, who can tell what the fillibusters of Pennsylvania and Ohio might not attempt? Perhaps, in view of the imminent danger, it might be as well to call out that sole surviving company of artillery, as a permanent force, to keep the outlaws in check and the State in countenance.

Lord Lyndhurst.—The London correspondent of the N. Y. Commercial Advertiser says:

"It is a remarkable fact, and one which will be interesting to American readers, that in the House of Lords last night, Lord Lyndhurst, who is now in his 84th year, delivered a speech which occupies three close columns of the Times of to-day, and which is characterised by an amount of learning and vigor rarely excelled. It was upon the question of peerage for life, and although of course he took the old tory view against any such innovation, his speech as a specimen of oratory was not the less brilliant."

Cumberland, in one of his comedies, makes a husband say, 'Good nature in a wife is like gold leaf on a pill, it does not alter the dose, but it makes it go down.'

Mormon Emigration—Rescue of a Girl—Exciting Scene.—We copy the following from an editorial in the Albany *State Register* of the 27th:

We chanced on Saturday evening last, to meet some two or three hundred Mormon emigrants, at Dunkirk, on their way West. They were said to be Swedes, with a few Danes, Norwegians, and strugglers from other nations. Though doubtless possessing some wealth at home, their condition while being transported was that of the most squalid poverty and wretchedness. Coming here at this inclement season, their sufferings when they reach the Missisipi can scarcely be estimated.

Quite an excitement was created at Dunkirk by the successful attempt to rescue a young girl from the hands of the Mormons. It appears from what we could learn, that a Danish sea captain, who left his home nearly twenty years since, learned that his mother and sister were about emigrating with a company of Mormons to this country. He immediately proceeded to ascertain as nearly as could be—though not until he had crossed the Atlantic for the purpose—the vessel they had taken, and then followed them to New York. Arriving there, he failed to find their names recorded on the emigrant list, but not disheartened, he followed a party who had left upon the New York and Erie Railroad. At Hornellsville, he overtook the emigrant train, and passed through the cars, without, however, discovering his mother, or recognizing his sister, whom he had not seen for eighteen years.

From Hornellsvile he proceeded to Buffalo, where he secured the necessary papers for the rescue in case he should find them, and went on to Dunkirk in time to intercept the emigrant train on its arrival. Passing through the cars, he at last found a young woman who he thought might be his sister, and upon asking her she gave her real name, and acquainted him with the fact that her mother had died upon the passage. She at first consented to go with him, taking also a young girl, an adopted sister, when one of the Mormon "Elders," having charge of the party, interferred and attempted to prevent the rescue. The unterrified Dane at once showed a terrific array of deadly weapons, and declared himself prepared to go to all lengths, to secure his sister's release. His gallant bearing and the justice of his cause, enlisted the sympathies of the citizens and travelers at the depot, who tendered their aid if needed, and the girl was taken to a neighboring hotel, while the Mormon Elders bitterly bewailed the persecution the "chosen" were compelled to endure.

It was easy to discover that the feelings of the outsiders were upon the side of the brother though the sister, having became fearful of the anathemas of the "priests," begged to be allowed to go on with them. But the brother would not yield to her superstitious fears.

It was stated that the mother, at the time of her death, was the possessor of several thousand dollars, which of course was taken for the benefit of the Church. Whether the brother attempted its recovery, or satisfied with the rescue of a loved sister from a life of Mormon servitude, worse than death, he gladly returned to his home, were questions we asked ourselves, as we were whirled away by the train from the scenes of so interesting and exciting an incident.

The Reason why they Support Him.—"The man who signed the fugitive slave law, and did everything in his power when President to have it faithfully executed, who stood by the South in every emergency, is not the man whom the Southern people will fear to trust. Not at all. But they will evince their gratitude by supporting and sustaining him against any and all competitors."—*Richmond Whig.*

Do you hear that, men of the North? Do you take in its deep significance? Do you see about it anything savoring of Americanism? "The man who signed the Fugitive Slave Law." Is that a qualification for the American Candidate for the Presidency? "The man who stood by the South in every emergency!" Is that a qualification for an American Candidate for the Presidency? "The man whom the Southern people will never fear to trust!" Is that the qualification essential for the American Candidate for the Presidency? What does all this mean, translated into its true sense and broad interpretation? It means simply this, nothing more, nothing less: Mr. Fillmore signed the Fugitive Slave Law, he did everything in his power to have it rigidly executed, and therefore, the South will support him. "He stood by Slavery in every emergency," and therefore the South will support him. He is a man whom Slavery need not fear to trust, and therefore the South will support him. These are the reasons why the Richmond *Whig*, why all the Whig papers of the South, (there are not many of them) support him, and why the delegates from the South conspired with the "Silver greys" of the North to support him. Not one word is said about Americanism, not one word about the principles of the American Order. Not one word about the reforms it seeks to accomplish. But there is plenty of talk about Slavery, about the "South" and the "Institutions of the South," about "Southern rights" and the Fugitive Slave Law, and the Kansas Nebraska bill; but American principles, American policy, Protestant institutions and Protestant policy, are obsolete and meaningless terms. Let those who have forced the Slavery issue upon us fight its battles. We will cling to the great and good cause of Americanism, but we will not fight the battles of the "Silver grey" faction, nor of Slavery.—*Albany Repub.*

The Japan or Chinese Potato.—Too little attention has been paid heretofore, by newspapers in general, to the projected introduction of this esculent, as an article of food, into the United States. The notices of it have been principally confined to our agricultural journals, whose readers are chiefly farmers, so that the public, which, after all, is the real party to be reached, remains almost as ignorant as ever of the advantages of this root for an edible.

The potato in question, has been, for centuries, a staple article of food with the people of China and Japan. This fact alone goes far to establish its value, for both those nations are remarkable for their careful economy, they would not with their teeming populations, have continued to cultivate such an edible, if it had not been highly meritorious. In fact, as compared with the common potato, it is alike more luxuriant in growth, and less liable to disease. It can also be kept better in winter. It is cooked, either by water or by steam, or is roasted, like the common potato; and in taste as well as appearance, on the table, is like that of the best mealy varieties of that popular root. It produces a fine, pure, white flour, which has been pronounced, by some investigators, to possess as much nutriment as wheat flour.

The root was first introduced into Europe in 1850, specimines having been sent to France by M. de Montigny, French Consul at Shanghai.—In middle and northern France, roots have been grown weighing from two pounds to two pounds and a half, from tubers planted in April and dug in October. Already it is extensively grown grown in France. Most of the leading agricultural journals of Europe, including the Mark Lane Express, pronounce it the long-desired substitute for the failing ordinary potato. It has the advantage, in growing, of striking its roots perpendicularly downwards, so that it is able to produce the maxium of vegitable fibre from the minimum of surface soil. It has been calculated by competent French writers, from experiments made, that an acre of ground will yield, in six months, thirty-six thousand pounds.

The vine is a trailing one, like the sweet potato. It has already been cultivated by a few agriculturists in the United States; but their number is yet as inconsiderable. The results obtained by them justify the opinion, however, that when the root shall have been generally introduced, and the people have become accustomed to it, the annual crop will probably be as valuable as that of Indian corn.

British Interference with Gen. Walker.—As indication of the probable course of the British Government in view of Walker's absorption of the Mosquito coast, it is stated that in 1849, soon after the British had expelled the Nicaraguans from San Juan, and substituted the Mosquito and British flag for that of Nicaragua, a treaty was concluded between the two Governments whereby it was stipulated that any attempt by Nicaragua to "exercise sovereignty in any part of the Mosquito territory or to retake possession of San Juan shall be construed as a declaration of war against Great Britain." Standing orders are also supposed to have been placed in the hands of all the commanders of the ships of war comprising the British West India fleet, to prevent, by force if necessary, the extension of the Nicaraguan jurisdiction over the Mosquito region. The Clayton Bulwer treaty does not preclude either party to it from making war with any State or community in Central America, else how could we have burned Greytown. But the British Government may have come to the sudden and secret determination to abandon these cities of the Mosquito protectorate, and to avoid any further complication with Central American affairs.

The Know Nothing State Council of Rhode Island have repudiated the nominations of Fillmore and Donelson. The following resolution was offered in the Council, and was rejected by a vote of 46 to 9:

Resolved, That we heartily approve of the nomination of Millard Fillmore and Andrew Jackson Donelson for President and Vice President of the United States; and that we hereby pledge ourselves to use all honorable means to secure their election.

The Results of Recruiting.—Some time in March last the Hon. Joseph Howe, then in this city as recruiting agent for the British Government, entered into a contract with Capt. Brownlow, of the barque Louisiana, to carry three hundred recruits to Halifax for $2,700, and a second three hunnred for $2,400, but subsequently abandoned the project. Capt. Brownlow, however, having been at some expense in refitting his vessel, held to the agreement, and kept his vessel some days at the wharf, and subsequently down the bay, ready to fulfil his contract. The men not being forthcoming he presented his claim for $2,700. The matter was referred to arbitrators, Capt. Dunham for Capt. Brownlow, and Thomas Tileston Esq., for the British consul. They could not agree, Capt. Dunham claiming $1,500 and M. Tilerston deeming compensation to the extent of the actual loss to Capt. B. sufficient. A third party Capt. French, being called in, agreed with Capt. Dunham, and the British consul thereupon paid the amount. So Capt. Browlow at least has profited by the attempt at enlistment by British agents.

"Peggy" Not Gone South.—The Louisville Courier announces that Mr. A. K. Gaines' negro woman Peggy, who murdered her child in this city, has not been sent South with the rest of the family of fugitives who were recently delivered up to their owners, in this city. She has been in Frankfort since Saturday last. The Courier says:

Her owner, Mr. Gaines, has held her ever since her delivery up to him, subject to any requisition the Governor of Ohio might make upon the Governor of Kentucky for her as an offender against the criminal law of Ohio, and took her on the capital of the State, that she might be the more immediately subject to any order the Governor of Kentucky might make in the premises.

We presume that as her children and parents and husband have been sent South, Peggy cares very little what becomes of her—when or where, or in what manner she dies.

Horses.—It is stated that no less than *nine hundred* horses have been killed in this city since the first considerable fall of snow, a little more than two months ago. They have been driven to death. We see daily vehicles going through the streets with the same loads they are accustomen to carry when the pavements are in good condition—the horses before them drawing till their knees tremble under them at every step.—It would seem that self-interest would dictate a different course in loading; but it appears not. —*N. Y. Cour. & Enq.*

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The standing of the house is well known, as the first of its kind, the business large and increasing, and the customers of the best class in the city.
To an energetic business man, with small capital, this is a rare chance, and a sure fortune. For particulars enquire of [fe13] W. A. McCLURG, corner of Wood and 6th sts.

COAL LAND FOR SALE—83 acres best Coal, and 150 acres surface, immediately back of East Birmingham.
This Coal is nearer to the city than any other in market, and offers a rare chance for purchasers. The surface is elevated and beautifully situated for Country Seats, but 20 minutes' ride from the city, on a road of easy grade.—The atmosphere is clear, pure and bracing, free from miasma and objections to low lands, rendering it one of the most desirable places for residences. Reference is made to Wm. J. Howard, Jr., who owns and resides on adjacent property. It will be sold in five and ten acre plots, or together, as desired, if not sold by the first day of March, it will be disposed of at public sale.
Apply to O. A. GREGG, H. F. EATON, J. C. MOWRY, Birmingham; or WM. PHILLIPS, Esq., corner First and Ross sts., or to C. HEPBURN, Esq., No. 4th st. ja30:3md

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry at greatly Reduced Prices.
JOHN M. ROBERTS, 16 Fifth street, is now selling off his large and choice stock of fine Watches, Clocks, Jewelry and Fancy Goods at a very small advance on first cost, preparatory to enlarging his store room and the purchase of an entire new stock for the Spring Trade. Persons desiring great bargains should call early, as it is his determination to close out his present stock without any regard to former prices.
Don't forget the place, ROBERTS', 16 Fifth street, near Market. fe6

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Having just opened a full assortment of articles in our line we invite the attention of dealers from both city and country to our stock, feeling confident we can offer every inducement both as to quality and prices of goods.
oc24-tf 52 WOOD ST., corner of Fourth.

S. N. WICKERSHAM'S PECTORAL COMPOUND.—The following certificate is from Chauncey Brooks, Esq., President of the Western Bank of Baltimore:
Having purchased several bottles of S. N. Wickersham's PECTORAL COMPOUND, and given it a fair trial with myself, family, and a number of friends, (one of whom had a cough of two years' standing, and was entirely cured,) I take pleasure in recommending it as a valuable medicine. I have found your Pectoral Compound to be the best remedy for the cure of coughs and cold that I have ever used in my family, and would recommend it to all who are afflicted to use it.
Baltimore, Nov. 25, 1853. CHAUNCEY BROOKS.

BUILDING STONE—The Subscriber is willing to contract for furnishing 3500 perches of the best kind of building stone, at a fair price if application be made soon to the subscriber at No. 157 Wylie st., Sixth Ward. Persons in want of any considerable quantity, can rely upon being furnished with the best kind and in a very expeditious manner. fe5-tf J. C. CUMMINS.

MONEY can be obtained on first Bonds and Mortgages, by application to
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FLOUR—50 bbls. extra Ohio Flour received and for sale by SPRINGER & HARBAUGH.

HAIR—20 bales curled hogs hair in store for sale by fe29 SPRINGER HARBAUGH.

LARD—100 kgs. No. 1. Lard; 20 bbls. do. do. for sale by fe29 J. B. CANFIELD.

CHEESE—500 boxes for sale by
fe29 J. B. CANFIELD

POT ASH—15 casks for sale by
fe29 J. B. CANFIELD

BROOMS—100 DOZ. for sale by
fe29 J. B. CANFIELD.

BLIND TRIMMINGS—A full assortment of plain and fancy Blind Trimmings, just rec'd by Penna R R this day, at HORNE'S, 77 Market st.

COD FISH—5 tierces for sale by
fe29 J. B. CANFIELD

CLOVER SEED—40 bush. in store for sale by fe29 SPRINGER HARBAUGH.

HOPS—10 bales hops in store, for sale by fe29 SPRINGER HARBAUGH.

GUM ELASTIC EAR SYRINGES—A very nice and convenient article—a supply rec'd by fe28 JOS FLEMING.

BREAST PUMPS—I have just rec'd a large supply of breast pumps. Those wishing anything in this line should call and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere. JOS FLEMING.

LEMON ROUGE—6 dos of Harrison's Lemon Rouge rec'd by JOS FLEMING.

15 BBLS. MESS PORK rec'd and for sale by fe29 SHRIVER & DILWORTH

20 BBLS. FLOUR rec'd and for sale by fe29 SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

5 BBLS. PEARL ASH rec'd and for sale by fe23 SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

3 BBLS. POT ASH rec'd and for sale by fe29 SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

PUMPS—We are prepared to furnish pumps for removing water from cellars, at moderate rates at fe22 T. J. CRAIG & CO., 14 Wood st.

CLOVER SEED—300 bushels for sale by fe29 J. B. CANFIELD.

WHEAT—300 bushels prime white for sale by fe29 J. B. CANFIELD.

BEANS—10 bbls. for sale by
fe29 J. B. CANFIELD.

2 BBLS. APPLE BUTTER received and for sale by fe26 SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

FLOUR—100 bbls. extra flour in store and for sale by fe19 SPRINGER & HARBAUGH

200 BUS. Prime Clover and Timothy Seeds for sale by R. H. SHANKLAND & CO.
fe28

BUTTER—1 bbl. packed in store for sale low to close consignment by DAVID C. HERBST, fe26 corner Liberty and Hand sts.

SOUTHERN FLOUR—Extra Family and superfine, in store and for sale by fe26 DAVID C. HERBST.

OATS—200 bus. for sale by
fe26 DAVID C. HERBST.

PITTSBURGH LABORATORY—Alcohol and neutral spirits always on hand and for sale at Cincinnati prices by JAS. McLAUGHLIN,
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PEARLASH—7 casks prime quality just rec'd and for sale by R. DALZELL & CO.

55 BBLS. LOAF SUGAR—St. James Refined small loaves; 3100 lbs. Prime Buck Wheat Flour in 50 lb. sacks, 100 doz. New Corn Brooms in store, and for sale by fe23 JOHN FLOYD & CO.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—50 sacks prime, for sale by fe29 SMITH, MAIR & HUNTER.

BUCKETS—50 doz. for sale by
fe29 J. B. CANFIELD.

ROLL BUTTER—10 bbls. fresh in cloths, 12 bxs. do. do. fe29 J. B. CANFIELD.

PAPER—25 bdls. extra heavy and large Straw Paper, 20 do large Rag Paper, for sale by fe29 J. SCHOONMAKER & CO., 13 Wood st.

JAYNE'S HAIR TONIC—6 doz. of this celebrated hair tonic rec'd by JOS FLEMING, fe28 corner Diamond and Market st.

CASTOR OIL POMADE—A new and very fine article for beautifying and promoting the growth of the hair 6 dos rec'd by fe28 JOS FLEMING.

HARPERS' MAGAZINE FOR MARCH—Just rec'd and for sale by W. A. GILDENFENNY, fe24 4th st., opposite the Theatre.

40 BBLS. EXTRA FLOUR—To arrive and for sale by fe25 SHRIVER & DILWORTH.