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To Mill Owners. FRENCH BURR and Laurel Hill Mill Stones, Bolting Cloths, Mill Spindles, Mill Irons, Screws, Screen Wire, Corn and Cob Grinders, Cast Iron Proof Staffs, (a desideratum in every mill) always on hand and made to order, at 319 Liberty st., Pittsburgh, Pa. mh20:3md W. W. WALLACE.

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WHITE BEANS—10 bbls small White, rec'd and for sale by ap9 McCANDLESS, MEANS & CO.

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NEW YORK MILLINERY. MRS. SIMMONS' WHOLESALE AND RETAIL MILLINERY AND STRAW GOODS WAREHOUSE, 564 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.—Mrs. S. is now in Europe, for the express purpose of selecting novelties for the Spring Trade, which will arrive and be ready for inspection on or about the first of March.—Southern and Western Merchants, and Milliners are respectfully invited to call and examine the same before purchasing elsewhere. Pattern Bonnets always on hand, and sent by express to any address. fe43mdv

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IMPORTANT TO HOUSEKEEPERS AND DEALERS. THE HOPE MILLS, 71 FULTON STREET, and 71 BEEKMAN STREET, NEW YORK, Principal Office, 103 Front street, New York. Factory, Nos. 30, 37 and 38 Hudson street, Jersey City. THE Proprietors of this long and well-known COFFEE AND SPICE ESTABLISHMENT, Continue to prepare the best Pharmaceutical Powders in use, for Raising Bread, Biscuit, Tea and other Cakes, &c. They also prepare Mustard, Cocoa, and many other articles of daily use in every family, which they offer upon the most reasonable terms. Catalogues sent to dealers who request them. R. & J. O. ISHAM. N. B.—Consumers advised to inquire for Hope Mills articles. ja15-1yv

The Adams Express Company. Pittsburgh, Rochester and New Brighton Express. FOR the especial accommodation of the large population along the line of the Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad, between Pittsburgh and New Brighton, whose intimate business and social relations require such Agency, The Adams Express Company have made such arrangement with the Railroad as to enable them to put a trusty Messenger on the Accommodation Train, who will take charge of all property and business properly entrusted to him. The Messenger will have an Iron Safe in the Baggage Car, for the deposit and better security of Money, Jewelry and other valuables. He will leave Pittsburgh by the Morning Train, remain in Pittsburgh and Allegheny City during the day to receive on his up trip all parcels, packages, orders, money, &c., which will be delivered to the proper party soon after the arrival of the train at the Allegheny City Depot. He will also receive written or verbal messages to be delivered in the city—communicate intelligence—obtain information, and return replies—order goods, and return them—make purchases, large or small, from a paper of pins to a steam engine. All goods, &c., will be delivered or called for in the two cities, within reasonable distance, without extra charge, but to insure such delivery, the direction on packages, especially for private houses, should be explicit. 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 within reasonable limits. When the nature of the business is such as to admit of it special agreements will be made. As the Messenger is required to settle his bills and business daily with the Company, and to pay in full, the patrons 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 L. IRWIN has been appointed Messenger, and will commence his duties on Monday, Dec. 24, 1855. OFFICES AND AGENTS. Pittsburgh—64 Fourth Street. Allegheny City—Telegraph Office. Haysville—Capt. Hay. Sewickley Station—Mr. McLaughlin. Rochester—Mr. White. Beaver—Dr. Chandler. New Brighton—Mr. Hoops. OFFICE ADAMS EXPRESS CO., Pittsburgh, Dec. 20, 1855. de25-dtf

To those who wish Farms!!! TO have fertile land at a cheap price and on easy terms, your attention is called to the Ridgeway Farm & Coal Company, 25 acres or more in proportion are given for $200, payable in installments of $1 per week, or $4 per month. It is located in Elk Co. Pa., and has one of the best markets for its produce in the State. The soil is a rich loam and it not to be surpassed for farming, as examination will show. It is all coal land, underlaid by 3 rich veins, which on account of its facility to the Lake Market, will shortly become of immense value. The Sunbury & Erie R. R. passes directly through it, which is now under construction from Erie to within a short distance of Ridgeway. The Allegheny Valley R. R. also passes through it, which will connect it with New York and Pittsburgh; the timber on it is of the most valuable kind. Title unexceptionably good and warranted deeds are given. It presents a good and substantial opportunity to commence farming, providing for one's children or making an investment sure to increase in value. In a short time coal land will be treble its present price. Further particulars can be had from the pamphlets which are sent to inquirers. Letters answered promptly. Apply or address SAML. W. CATTELL, Secy. 135 Walnut st., Philadelphia. Free information is contained in the pamphlet. fe7:3mdr

Valuable Property for Sale, ON Liberty street, adjoining the Methodist Grave Yard, near Canal Basin. This is now the only desirable piece of property in this neighborhood not already bought up by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. Fronting on Liberty 60 feet, on Elm street 100 feet thence to the Methodist Grave Yard 88¼ feet, to Liberty 100 feet. The property is most desirable as a Hotel. The building now on it, a good substantial three story brick, with all the necessary back buildings, has for a long time been occupied as the Union Hotel, doing a good business. Capitalists and others desirous of making a good investment, will do well to examine the premises. ap29-tf EDWARD FABER.

Iowa Lands. J. N. FRAZIER, formerly a resident of Pittsburgh, (now of Iowa), will leave here in a few days for the Council Bluffs and Sioux City Land Districts. Capitalists and others having money to invest, or warrants to locate, can have their business faithfully and promptly attended to, by calling on him at the store room of Thomas M. Daly, No. 78 Market street, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. REFERENCES. John Alexander, Merchant, Market st. Pittsburgh; N. Holmes & Son, Bankers; do. A. Cameron, cashier, Mechanics Bank, Allegheny; John Fleming, accountant. ja25

T. L. RANDLETT, SHIP AND STEAMBOAT FIXTURES, No. 157 South Street, New York. POWER CAPSTANS, Common Iron and Wood Capstans, Reed's, Robinson's and Crowell's Patent Steering Apparatus, Windlasses, Chain Stoppers, Ladder Hangings and Braces, Metallic Leading Trucks and Rollers, Bilge Pumps and Fire Engines, Hose Pipes and Couplings, Ship Castings complete, Brass and Iron Cannons, Rifles, Muskets, Pistols and Cutlasses. Francis Metallic Life Boats; Tewksbury's Patent Marine Life-Preserving Seats; Life Preserving Mattrasses and Spring do; Metallic, Cork and India Rubber Life Preservers, all corresponding to the late Steamboat Laws, at very low prices, together with a large variety of life saving apparatus. Also all the latest improvements in Nautical Fixtures. mh18:3md

Notice to Bridge Builders. SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at my office, in Chicago, until the 1st day of May next, for the building of an IRON PIVOT BRIDGE across the Chicago River, at Rush street, according to the plan and specifications on file in my office. The work to be commenced immediately after the letting, and to be completed in nine months after the execution of the contract. The right to reject any bid will be reserved by the city. By order of the Common Council. H. W. ZIMMERMAN, City Clerk. Chicago, Feb. 28th, 1856—mh5:2md Chicago Dem.

Co-partnership. I HAVE this day associated with me as equal partners in the Painting, Graining and Glazing business, Robt. Thompson and Robt. G. Miller. The business will be continued at the old stand, 125 Third st., under the name and style of JOHN THOMPSON & CO. I would take this opportunity of returning my sincere thanks to my old customers for the very liberal support I have heretofore received from them, and would respectfully solicit a continuance of their patronage. After carrying on business in Pittsburgh for eighteen years, I need not say that any work given us will be done in the very best manner, as I flatter myself that my work and ability is pretty generally known and highly appreciated by the inhabitants of Pittsburgh and vicinity. March 7th, 1856—mh8:2md JOHN THOMPSON

PITTSBURGH GAZETTE.

THURSDAY MORNING, MAY 1, 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 month ly or yearly contracts are made. sepl:d&w

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.

From the Kansas Free State, April 14.

From Kansas.

Settlers are constantly pouring in by hundreds from every part of the Union. The New Haven Company of about one hundred men, to whom Henry Ward Beecher delivered an address, and for whom he raised a number of Sharp's rifles, have all arrived. They came up the Missouri on the Clara, without molestation. Their formidable looks served for a free pass to Lexington, and saved the overhauling of their goods at the Custom House. Agents have been sent ahead to select a place for settlement. In what part of the country they will locate has not yet been determined. They are generally substantial men and many of them farmers who are prepared, and who will go immediately into the extensive improvement of their claims as soon as selected. They all inform us that those who have already started are but a tithe of the number that will emigrate this season.

The law and order party appear to have abandoned the mob policy which has heretofore marked their course, and adopted one which in a manner shields them from the odium which their previous course has brought down upon them. In scrutinizing their code of mob laws, they find that it will answer all purposes that they desired; and that by its execution they would appear to enforce law and order, in which attempt they would be sustained by the military forces under the command of the President. Accordingly they have set themselves diligently to work to indict for treason all who participated in the State movement. The following is an extract from a letter which we received from a prominent Free State man in another part of the Territory. It shows the method by which the pro-slavery inquisition intend to subdue the inhabitants of Kansas. The authorities are not unadvised, but proceed according to their instructions received from Pierce and Douglas:

* * * "Under present circumstances, we can have no ground for *suspecting* that justice will be meted out to us in any shape whatever. To prevent my attendance at Topeka on the 4th ult., I was summoned to attend the District court at Whitehead, as a Grand Juror. And failing to attend, I am told Judge Lecompte fined *one hundred dollars*. An attachment was issued for my body to be returned immediately; but the Sheriff informed Judge L., that he did not think I could be found in the county, so it was dropped.—Since my return, I have thus far remained unmolested. And I think that the "powers that be" will allow me to remain so until they ascertain which way the current flows.

C. W. Stewart, A. Larzelore, and others, were brought before the Grand Jury and questioned about Free State affairs, elections, Sharp's rifles, prospects of emigration from the Free States, &c. B. Brook, Esq., was arraigned as a prisoner at the bar, charged with *misdemeanor* in serving as Judge of Elections, &c., and bound in the sum of $1000 for his appearance at the August term of the Court. Yours, &c."

Congress, or somebody else, has been laboring under a slight mistake in regard to the locality represented by one of the members of Congress Gen. Whitfield. It seems that he really belongs to Missouri, but by some mistake he has been placed to the credit of Kansas. We see by the border papers that the General has returned from Washington, and met with a "warm reception from his constituents." The "reception" alluded to was in Kansas city and Westport Mo., as up to the day of publication of the papers containing the notice, we cannot learn that the General had been in Kansas Territory. But he did make a speech in Westport. The Kansas City Enterprise says:

"Gen. Whitfield has arrived, and will be in attendance on the sessions of the Congressional Committee during its sittings in the Territory. The General is in fine health and spirits, and feels himself fully able to defeat all attempts of abolitionism to oust him from a seat he so ably fits. He has been warmly greeted by his constituents, and such has been his service to the Territory, that even a majority of the Free State men prefer him to Reeder, personally, as they all admit, his fine ability, persevering industry, and high-toned and gallant demeanor as a gentleman. He has done more for Kansas Territory than all his opponents combined could accomplish, even were they to devote their efforts to so deserving a purpose."

This certainly settles the question of who Whitfield's constituents are. We certainly have no desire to deprive Missouri of the smallest of her rights, and will gladly correct the mistake and return her Congressmen with the hope that we will not be charged with dishonest intentions. We have been accused of being "traitors, paupers and nigger thieves," but we dont like to be charged with taking small things.

[Correspondence of the Missouri Democrat.]

LAWRENCE, Kansas, April 18, 1856.

Monday of this week was the time fixed upon for the trial of the Branson Rescuers, before Judge Lecompte at Lecompton. But in consequence of the Clerk's having failed, through mistake, to summon the Grand Jury, the time was extended until the first Monday in May next, at which time, if "his honor" is well, the Rescuers will be tried and punished, in accordance with one of the enactments of the Barons, by one years imprisonment at hard labor, and five hundred dollars fine—which will not be paid.

For the past week the weather has been clear and pleasant. Our city has been full of strangers from the different Northern and Eastern States. Northerners are continually arriving in our young State, to become permanent settlers among us. On Monday the colony from New Haven, Connecticut, numbering about seventy-five men, arrived, each having a Sharpe's rifle with which to defend our rights from being again trampled upon by Drunken Davy's hosts. On Tuesday a small company arrived from Boston, and one from Indiana. On Wednesday a few families arrived from Illinois. Yesterday afternoon several gentlemen arrived from some of the middle States, and intend to locate in the vicinity of Fort Riley.

In the evening, Mr. Sherman and wife, with others from Ohio, came into the city and reported that Mr. Howard, Gov. Reeder, with Clerks, Reporters, Sergeant-at-Arms, connected with the Kansas Investigating Committee, were about ten miles back, and would arrive in the morning. This morning Ex-Governor Reeder, Mr. Howard and others arrived, and about noon the committee left for Lecompton, to commence their investigation, by an examination of the records, &c. Mr. Oliver of Missouri, had not arrived. The balance of the committee waited for him nearly a week at Kansas City.

Mr. Robinson arrived this afternoon, direct from Boston; he made the trip in nine days, was well treated on the route, and met Mr. Oliver and Gen. Whitfield at Kansas City. Both of these gentlemen are at Franklin, and will join the committee at Lecompton to-morrow. The former is in excellent spirits, and enjoyed his trip to Washington very much. Considers the cause of Kansas safe. The people's rights will be maintained, and Kansas will be admitted as a Free State or Slave State, as they may determine.

This afternoon, a company of about fifty men, from Ohio and New England arrived; more on the road, will be here to-morrow, all pleased with the country, and are determined to remain. This evening a meeting of the citizens was held in front of the Cincinnati House, to welcome them to Kansas. A committee of about 100 persons formed into line, marched to the residence of Governor Robinson on Orad Mount, and escorted that gentleman and Hon. A. H. Reeder down to the dining room of the Free State Hotel, which was soon filled with ladies and gentlemen. Dr. Harrington was called to the Chair. Reeder, being loudly called for, came forward and made an eloquent speech—discoursed the great questions of the day in a masterly and interesting manner. After he had concluded his remarks, Robinson, being loudly called for, came forward and made, what is usual with him, an eloquent and soul-stirring speech, making many good hits, reviewing briefly our past history, and speaking very encouragingly of our future triumphs. It is, perhaps, needless to add, that both gentlemen were loudly cheered by the people, who are resolute, and determined to sustain our present fearless attitude, well knowing their rights, and daring to maintain them.

Mr. Lines, President, of New Haven Colony, made a speech, and Colony Perry, of Rhode Island—of Know Nothing notoriety—entertained the people with several funny remarks. After which the meeting adjourned.

Yours, S. F. T.

NOT A DEFAULTER.—David C. Labatt, Esq., late Assistant Attorney for New Orleans, against whom a suit has been entered to recover some $250,000 of the city's funds, alleged to be unaccounted for by him, denies that he is in default. The amount claimed, he says, consists of bills in suit and uncollected, all of which he turned over to his successor.

The agricultural prospects of England are thus reported by the Mark Lane Express:

A most favorable change has taken place in the weather since our last, the improvement commencing with Monday, and since then it has at times been sunny, with some nice refreshing rains at intervals, and prevalent winds from the southwest. Nothing could have been better than the change so soon after so much spring corn had been sown; whilst the wheat plant will derive great benefit from this completely altered temperature, the thermometer ranging several days at noon, at 60 deg. On Saturday at was down to 55 deg. with a somewhat colder breeze and slight rain.

Our advices from Dorsetshire state that a heavy rain was experienced the whole of Thursday, and the wheat looks up already, still there are serious deficiencies, which cannot fill unless sown over again.

In Berkshire on the same day much rain fell, and its beneficial effects will soon be visible in the wheat-plant. That portion on good soils will now tiller-out well, and the light lands in other counties will soon show improvement wherever the plant had not been entirely destroyed, and a continuance of fine growing weather will soon work a wonderful change throughout the length and breadth of the land; so that our agricultural prospects in this respect, are now, on the whole, tolerably promising under all circumstances.

Barley-sowing has been brought to a close in all the early districts, and it is a long time since this grain was put in better or more expeditiously; and this, at least, is a fair promise for a crop, although the breadth of land under it is less than in ordinance seasons, on account of wheat having been planted where the turnips had been of necessity got off early during the winter months.

DESTRUCTION OF THE O. K. PORK HOUSE.—About 6 o'clock Saturday afternoon a fire broke out in the extensive smoke house belonging to the pork establishment of Messrs. Owsley, Kinnaird & Co., on Underhill street, near the Bardstown turnpike. Owing to the distance of the building from the fire engines, its being almost air tight, and thus preventing ready access to the flames, and the combustible nature of the stock, the house was almost entirely consumed. It was divided into four compartments, each separated from the other by thick walls. Three of these, with their contents were destroyed. There were being cured at the time of the fire about 30,000 pieces of bacon, most of which was entirely burned, or so damaged as to be of little value.

There was but little wood work about the building, and the walls, which were of great thickness and strength, were left standing, so that rebuilding can be easily and cheaply accomplished. No insurance was effected upon the house, and the loss of the proprietors is about $1,000. The meat belonged to several parties in the State and elsewhere, who had packed with or purchased from Messrs. Owsley, Kinnaird & Co. This was chiefly insured in various local offices, so that the loss in all will not exceed $4,000.—*Louisville Courier.*

STEAM POWER ECLIPSED.—The London Morning Chronicle announces an important discovery. It is stated that a great experiment "was recently tried at Vincennes in the presence of General Lahitte and the officers of the fort. The secret of compressing and governing electricity is at length discovered, and the power may therefore now be considered as the sole motor henceforward to be used. A small mortar was fired by the inventor at the rate of a hundred shots a minute—without flashing, smoke or noise. The same power can, it seems, be adapted to every system of mechanical invention, and is destined to supersede steam, requiring neither machinery nor combustion. A vessel propelled by this power is said to skim the water like a bird, and to fear neither storm nor hurricane. The inventor has already petitioned for a line of steamers from L'Orient to Norfolk, in the United States, which passage he promises to accomplish in 8 and 40 hours!"

BOOK-MAKING is most actively pursued in the United States. Over three hundred publishers are busy supplying the mental wants of the public, and over three thousand booksellers are distributing the productions. Books have multiplied to such an extent in our country that it now takes 750 paper mills, with 2,000 engines in constant operation, to supply the printers.—These mills produced 270,000,000 pounds of paper the past year, which immense supply was sold for about $27,000,000. A pound and a quarter of rags are required for a pound of paper, and 400,000,000 pounds were therefore consumed in this way last year. The cost of manufacturing a twelve months' supply of paper for the United States, aside from labor and rags, is computed at $4,000,000. With this ceaseless production it is almost impossible to keep up with the publishers in the notices of their works.

HORRIBLE SUFFERING AND CANNIBALISM.—About the 1st of December three U. S. soldiers, named Rigert, Wicker and Cornell, deserted from Fort Pierre, Nebraska Territory, and started down the river. Overtaking a party of four civilians, they agreed to keep together, and proceeded for several days until heavy snows and intense cold set in, and continued without intermission for 30 or 40 days, during which time they made little or no progress, and suffered terribly from hunger. One soldier, named Cornell, died, and the next day one of the civilians, and upon these bodies the starving men fed. Soon after, two more of the civilians died, when the wretched survivors were found by a party under Major Howe and taked to his camp, where, by care and attention, they all recovered.

DIVISION OF MINNESOTA TERRITORY.—The St. Paul papers are engaged in discussing this question. The Pioneer favors the project, while the Times opposes it. Minnesota at present contains territory equal to four States the size of Indiana, and that some day it will be divided into that number of States, is probable. The Pioneer urges that the Territory should now be divided, in such a maner that eventually two States may be formed from Minnesota, and two States from the Territory north of it, and it should be divided by an east and west line. The Times says the project of dividing the Territory, is a scheme of land speculators, and politicians lusting for the office of a new Territorial government, and it is not desired by the people of Minnesota.

REGISTRATION OF LETTERS BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND GREAT BRITAIN.—An arrangement has just been concluded between Mr. Campbell, Postmaster-General, and the British postmaster general, the Duke of Argil, providing for the registration of valuable letters to and from Great Britain. The registration fee on letters for Great Britan will be five cents, the same as on domestic letters, thus making the rate on a single letter, when registered, twenty-nine cents. The English registration fee is twelve cents. On all registered letters in each country prepayment is required. The arrangement goes into operation on the first of May.

A State Republican Convention has been called to be held at Syracuse, New York, on the 28th of May next, for the purpose of choosing delegates to the Presidential Convention, which will assemble at Philadelphia on the 17th of June. The New York *Tribune* says: "This State Convention affords a much needed opportunity for effecting an organization of the friends of free Kansas in every county and township in our State. For the want of such an organization the cause suffered a disastrous and dispiriting reverse last November. Such a misfortune suggests the appropriate remedy. A thorough organization must insure triumph this fall, by at least fifty thousand majority."

A NEWCOME APPEALING TO MR. THACKERAY.—At the St. George's dinner in New York, the other day, Mr. Matthews, the British Consul at Philadelphia, told the following anecdote of Mr. Thackeray, and a lady he met at Savannah:

The biographer of "The Newcomes" was waited on at table by an old lady, who said to him: "Mr. Thackeray, my name is Newcome. I am glad to see you. I see you are well acquainted with our family in England. We have been told that there is a property in England belonging to our family, valued at two millions; I wish you would put me in the way of getting it."

NARROW ESCAPE OF STEAMERS.—There was quite a commotion at the city warf Saturday afternoon, occasioned by the discovery of a quantity of smoke and suffocating vapor in the hold of the Kentucky river packet Blue Wing. A large box was taken out with much difficulty and being opened was found to contain a great variety of medicines and some inflammable substance supposed to be vitrol, this was in a large bottle that had been broken, and which but for the timely discovery, might have caused the entire destruction of the boat, as well as others laying at the warf.—*Lou. Cour.*

COAL ARRIVED.—During Friday and Saturday some five or six pair of coal boats arrived from Pittsburgh and continued on further South.—About two more pair are all that were expected on the late run.

The largest pair of coal boats we have any note of went through the canal on Saturday, the property of Mr. Thomas, of Pittspurgh. They were one 151 feet, and the other 152 feet in length, containing in the aggregate 34,700 bushels of coal. He disposed of the coal to another party for New Orleans at 11½ cents per bushel.—*Lou. Cour.*

FRENCH IMMIGRANTS.—It is said large numbers of French immigrants will sail for the United States this year.

The Evansville, (Indiana) Enquirer of 26th April says:

"Many of the farmers in the vicinity of Evansville have entirely suspended their work on account of the extremely dry weather. The spring has been the driest and most backward ever known in this region. In many places the wells, springs and streams have entirely dried up. We doubt if so great a scarcity of water was ever before known so early in the season."

TWO PUBLIC recantations of Popery in England are recorded. One by Rev. Thomas Derome, late priest of the Roman Catholic Chapel of St Andrews, Newcastle-on-Tyne, and the other by Rev. Mr. Bolton, late a Roman Catholic priest at Lincoln's Inn Fields.

A SMALL KEG, bound with brass hoops, filled with gold pieces to the amount of 1,000,000 (probably francs,) believed to have been a French military chest, buried there in the year 1813, to hide it from the Russian Cossacks, has been found by a peasant boy near Schwez on the Vistula.

THE GROWING CROPS all over France, it is said, present the most cheering appearence.—The deficiency in the produce of last year, officially estimated at 7,000,000, hectolitres, has been in a great measure made up by foreign importation.

CHICAGO, April 28.—The ice in the Straits of Mackinac, still prevents communication between the two Lakes. There is no open water within ten miles of Beaver Island, and the underwriters think the Straits will not be navagable before the 10th of may.

MISS FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE has been gazetted as officially Directress-General of all the hospitals in the British dominions. No nurses can for the future be appointed in any public hospital without her sanction.

IT is rumored that Gen. Houston intends to run as an independent candidate for the Presidency.

The Greatest Medical Discovery OF THE AGE. MR. KENNEDY, of Roxbury, has discovered in one of our common pasture weeds a remedy that cures every kind of Humor, from the worst scrofula to a common pimple. He has tried it in over eleven hundred cases, and never failed except in two cases (both thunder humor.) He has now in his possession over two hundred certificates of its value, all within twenty miles of Boston. Two bottles are warranted to cure a nursing sore mouth. One to three bottles will cure the worst kind of pimples of the face. Two to three bottles will scour the system of boils. Two bottles are warranted to cure the worst canker in the mouth and stomach. Three to five bottles are warranted to cure the worst case of erysipelas. One to two bottles are warranted to cure all humor of the eyes. Two bottles are warranted to cure running of the ear and blotches among the hair. Four to six bottles are warranted to cure corrupt and running ulcers. One bottle will cure scaly eruption of the skin. Two to three bottles are warranted to cure the most desperate cases of rheumatism. Two to three bottles are warranted to cure the worst case of ringworm. Three to four bottles are warranted to cure salt rheum. Five to eight bottles will cure the worst case of scrofula. A benefit is always experienced from the first bottle, and a perfect cure is warranted when the above quantity is taken. Nothing looks so improbable to those who have in vain tried all the wonderful medicines of the day, as that a common weed growing in the pastures, and along old stone walls, should cure every humor in the system; yet it is now a fixed fact. If you have a humor it has to start. There are no ifs nor ands, hums or ha's about suiting some cases and not yours. I peddled over a thousand bottles of it in the vicinity of Boston. I know its effects in every case. It has already done some of the greatest cures ever done in Massachusetts. I gave it to children a year old; to old people of sixty. I have seen poor, puny, wormy looking children, whose flesh was soft and flabby, restored to a perfect state of health by one bottle. To those who are subject to a sick headache, one bottle will always cure it. It gives great relief to catarrh and dizziness. Some who have been costive for years, have taken it and been regulated by it. Where the body is sound it works quite easy, but where there is any derangement of the functions of nature, it will cause very singular feelings, but you must not be alarmed—they always disappear in from four days to a week. There is never a bad result from it. On the contrary, when that feeling is over you will feel yourself like a new person. I heard some of the most extravagant encomiums of it that man ever listened to. No change of diet is ever necessary—eat the best you can get. I have likewise an herb, which, when simmered in sweet oil, dissolves Scrofulous swelling of the neck and under the ears. Price 50 cents. Price of the Medical Discovery $1 per bottle. DIRECTIONS FOR USE—Adult, one table-spoonful per day. Children over eight years, dessert spoonful; children from five to eight years, tea-spoonful. As no direction can be made applicable to all constitutions, take enough to operate on the bowels twice a day. Mr. KENNEDY gives personal attendance in bad cases of Scrofula. Sold, Wholesale and Retail, at Dr. KEYSER'S, 140 Wood street, corner of Virgin alley, and J. P. FLEMING, Allegheny. mh27:lyd&w8

Glass Works for Sale. NAUVOO or DRY RUN GLASS WORKS will be offered at public sale on THURSDAY, the 22d day of May, by the undersigned Executors of Marcus Black. This property is situated at the mouth of Dry Run, in Washington county, adjacent to Monongahela City. It consists of the buildings necessary for the manufacture of glass, together with dwelling houses enough for the accommodation of the hands. There are 43 acres in the tract, of which a considerable portion is river bottom land, suitable for town lots or gardens; the balance contains limestone and coal of the best quality. This property is considered one of the best in the valley, and is worth the attention of capitalists, or those who wish to engage in the manufacture of glass. For further information, enquire of J. S. & A. P. MORRISON, Att'ys at Law, No 133 Fourth st. JOSEPH S. MORRISON, JOHN KEBE, CYRUS BLACK, ap15:2md Executors of Marcus Black.

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