AUCTION SALES.

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

SELECT MISCELLANEOUS BOOKS—On Saturday evening, May 10th, at 7½ o'clock, will be sold, at the commercial sales rooms, corner of Wood and Fifth sts., a large collection of select miscellaneous books, comprising the best editions of standard histories, uniform sets of the British Poets and Dramatists, library editions of popular works on science and art, recent English and American publications in Literature, superb copies of the family Bible, numerous volumes in Theology, &c. &c. my9 P. M. DAVIS, Aucr.

SHOE STORE At Auction—On Saturday Morning, 10th inst., at 10 o'clock, at Hinton's Shoe Store, corner of Transit and Wylie sts., will be sold, his entire stock of Boots and Shoes, Tools, Store Fixtures, &c., comprising ladies', misses', and children' boots, shoes, gaiters, slippers and ties; mens' fine boots and monroes; mens, boot ties; fine walnut show case, counters, shelving, &c. &c. my9 P. M. DAVIS, Aucr.

BANK OF PITTSBURGH STOCK At Auction—On Thursday evening, May 15th, at 7½ o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange, 4th st., will be sold, 100 shares Bank of Pittsburgh Stock. P. M. DAVIS, Aucr.

LARGE LOT & DWELLING HOUSE IN THE BOROUGH OF NEW BRIGHTON At Auction—On Wednesday afternoon, May 14th, at 5 o'clock, at the Passenger Depot, will be sold that desirable lot of ground, situated at the corner of Irwin and Fourth sts., in the Borough of New Brighton, having a front of 84 feet and extending back 230 feet to Bush alley, on which is erected a two story dwelling house, with back building, &c., lately occupied by T. Tredwell, Esq. Said property being delightfully situated on the opposite side of the Seminary of Mr Davis, and in full view of the above depot.

Terms—one third cash, residue in 6 and 12 months, with interest for approved security.

This is indisputable. For further particulars apply to Wm Barnwell, Esq., corner of Grant and Diamond sts., or of the subscriber. my3 P. M. DAVIS, Aucr.

Union Executive Committee.

THE UNION EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE appointed by the late County Convention, which met at the Court House on the 19th of March last, will meet at the COURT HOUSE, in this city, on WEDNESDAY, May 14th, at 11 o'clock, A. M. A full attendance is requested, as important business will be brought before the Committee. All the delegates to the Convention are members of the Committee. By authority of the Convention.

JOSHUA HANNA, Chairman.
ap22d

A Human Life Saved!

POWHATAN, Mich., March 11, 1856.

J. A. RHODES, Esq.: Dear Sir.—As I took your medicine to sell on consignment, "no cure no pay," I take pleasure in stating its effects as reported to me by three brothers who live in this place and their testimony is a fair specimen of all I have received.

W. S. COWLIN told me—"I had taken nine bottles of Christy's Ague Balsam, and continually run down while taking it until my lungs and liver were coagulated so that I thought it impossible for me to live through another chill. The doctors too did all they could for me, but thought I must die. Nothing did me any good until I got Rhode's Fever and Ague Cure, which at once relieved me of the distress and nausea at my stomach and pain in my head and bowels, and produced a permanent cure in a short time."

H. M. CONKLIN says: "I had been taking medicine of as good a doctor as we have in our county, and taken any quantity of quinine and specifics without any good result, from 25th August to the 17th December. But seeing how it was operated on your neighbors, I got a bottle of RHODES' FEVER AND AGUE CURE, which effected a permanent cure by using two thirds of a bottle."

F. M. DOUGLIN was not here, but both the other brothers say his case was the same as H. M's. I sold the medicine to both the same day, and the cure was as speedy from the same small quantity, and I might so specify.

Yours truly, JOHN H. HUNTINGTON.

This above speaks for itself. Good proof it is, is it not? Is better testimony than the vast number of like certificates I have already published, and I can still greater amount that is continually pouring in to me.

One thing more. Last year I had occasion to Caution the Public in these words:—

"I notice one from one who have taken one of my general circulars, substituted the name of their neighbors for my medicine, and then with brazen impudence send their pamphlet with the enclosures. Let the proprietor of any other medicine say as much if he dares!" &c.

Now I take pleasure in saying that the Caution reserved to the same "Dr. Christie's Agua Balsam" that is mentioned in the above certificate.

There are several other industrious people who are applying to their poisonous trash all that I publish about my Fever and Ague Cure, or Antidote to Malaria, except the Certificates Cures, and the Certificate of the celebrated Chemist, Dr James L. Chilton, of N. Y. in favor of its perfectly HARMLESS CHARACTER, which is attached to every bottle. These will always serve to distinguish my medicine from imitation.

J. A. RHODES, Proprietor, Providence, R. I.

For sale by John Mitchell, Geo Ogden, Geo. H. Kayser, S. N. Wickersham, L. Sihm and Druggists generally.

DISSOLUTION—The Partnership heretofore existing under the name and style of MONTGOMERY & LEECH, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Either of the late firm is authorized to settle the business of said firm.

JOHN MONTGOMERY,
CHAS B. LEECH.

April 1, 1856.

CHAS. B. LEECH,
(Late of Montgomery & Leech,)
FORWARDING AND COMMISSION
MERCHANT,
DEALER IN
Flour, Grain, Bacon, Lard and Butter,
AND ALL KINDS OF PRODUCE,
Next door to the Old Stand,
No. 114 First street & 116 Second street.

REFER TO
James Marshall, Esq., President Farmers' Deposit Bank.
John Floyd & Co., corner 6th and Wood sts.
Wm. Phillips, Glass Manufacturer.
And Pittsburgh Merchants Generally.
Siter, James & Co., Philadelphia.
Barnett, Nesbit & Garretson, do.
J. G. Butler & Co., Cincinnati. ap3:

A Card.

I REQUEST the attention of my friends and the public to my stock of

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,

which I think contains a larger variety of rich styles than any other purchaser. I have taken special pains to obtain all the shades of

FANCY CLOTHS

generally desired, viz: Pensie, Pistachi, Mulberry, Bronze, Drab, Brown and Olive, with various tints of Green and Blue. I have observed the same care in selecting my

Fancy Cassimeres,

which embrace a choice assortment of light colors, suitable for evening dress in the Summer season, with a number of Black Elastic Diagonal goods also, intended for the hot weather. My stock of VESTINGS is as large as can be found elsewhere, comprising every variety of Silk Patterns; plain and figured Grenadines and Marseilles.

My assortment of Boys' Clothing has been increased and I am prepared to sell a suit cheaper than with more satisfaction to myself and buyers than hitherto. I would call special attention to a number of pieces of wool Plaids specially adapted to children' dress, which, I think, cannot fail to please. also, Drastins, Argentine Linsey, Andalusian Merinos, French Nankinettes and Drab Italian Cloths, with numerous styles of Worsted and Linen Goods, intended either for men' or boys' Clothing.

SOLOMON STONER,
ap23-1mddwT No. 80 Wood Street.

To Coal Dealers.

300,000 BUSHELS COAL WANTED.

PROPOSALS are now being received at the office of the Cincinnati Gas Light and Coke Company, for the delivery of 300,000 bushels of Youghiogheny or best quality Pittsburgh Coals, at the Works in Cincinnati. From 50,000 to 100,000 bushels should be delivered by the first day of July next; the remainder will be received in equal monthly install ments thereafter, the balance of the year 1856.

The Coal Stores of the Company are quite adjacent to the landing. H. MILLER, President, P. T.

Cincinnati, April 20, 1856. apdcdtf

DESIRABLE COUNTRY RESIDENCE IN OAKLAND FOR SALE—A Mansion House and about Four Acres, highly improved.

The house is of Brick, well built, conveniently arranged, and comfortable, containing 12 rooms. There is a Pump in the kitchen connected with a well of excellent water; a Cistern at the door of 120 barrels capacity; an ice house, Spring house, Observatory, &c. The grounds are highly improved and under good cultivation. The Fruit is of the choicest varieties, and abundant. The lawn Trees are of 10 years growth and best varieties. Vines, Shrubbery, &c., are tended with attention and good taste. There is an excellent Coal under the place, which is on a level with the dwelling, and the mouth of the pit within 100 yards of the cellars.

The location is rarely equalled for healthiness, good society, beautiful and extended view of the river, the Monongahela Valley, and the country extending to East Liberty. It is accessible by Penn's Avenue—the best road diverging from the city. Although complete in the country, and free from the city atmosphere, yet is within a convenient distance for walking or riding. A line of Omnibuses runs hourly, within a short distance of the house. This property offers to the city merchant, artisan or professional man and family, a quiet and, heretofore, retreat.

Possession can be given at any time. For further particulars, price, terms, &c., call at 67 Market street.

my2 RHODES' FEVER & AGUE CURE, or Antidote to Malaria, for the prevention and cure of Fever and Ague, or Chill Fever, Dumb Ague, and other Intermittent and Remittent Fevers, also for Bilious Fever, accompanied by Typhoid Symptoms, Typhoid Fever, Yellow Fever, Ship and Jail Fever, General Debility, Night Sweats.

And all other forms of disease which have a common origin Malaria or Miasma. Sold by

S. N. WICKERSHAM,
my1 No 341 Liberty st., Pittsburgh.

Leather and Flax Belting.

LEATHER BELTS, copper rivited; also, Flax Belting for Elevators, on hand and made to order, at 89 Liberty st, Pittsburgh.

D. COCHRAN. W. W. WALLACE
mh24d

GREASING OIL, for wagons, buggies, coal cars, &c., just rec'd and for sale low by

H. DE LANGE 323 Liberty st.,
my12 opposite the head of Wood.

FINE SHIRTING MUSLINS & LINENS—R. A. Mason & Co. have just opened 10 more cases of extra fine soft finished Shirting Muslins, very desirable makes. also, 100 pcs of fine qualities of Irish Linens of the best make, and warranted all pure flax. my5

FLOWERS & FRUIT—A A Mason & Co, have just rec'd, by Express, 10 more cartons of very fine French Flowers and Fruit. Wax Fruits, &c. The finest assortment to be found in the city. my5

OLIVE OIL—70 baskets for sale by
my5 R. E. SELLERS & CO.

CASTILE SOAP—50 bxs for sale by
my5 R. E. SELLERS & CO.

BULL'S SARSAPARILLA 12 doz for sale by
my5 R. E. SELLERS & CO.

BLUE MOSS—50 lbs for sale by
my5 R. E. SELLERS & CO.

ALCOHOL—15 bbls 76 and 96 per ct rec'd and for sale by
my5 R. E. SELLERS & CO.

MACKEREL—50 bbls No 3 Mackerel; 50 " Herring; receiving and for sale by
my5 HENRY H. COLLINS.

STEARINE CANDLES—25 boxes in store and for sale by
my5 SPRINGER HARBAUGH.

WOOL—The highest market price paid in cash by
my5 SPRINGER HARBAUGH.

GREASE—84 bbls Head Grease rec'd and for sale by
my5 R. DALZELL & CO., Liberty st.

LAKE FISH—150 half bbls White Fish; Trout, Salmon, Pickerel, &c., for sale by
my5 HENRY H. COLLINS.

OATS—200 bus to arrive and for sale by
my5 HENRY H. COLLINS.

ZINC PAINT—10 tons for sale by
my5 R. E. SELLERS & CO.

IODINE—50 ozs for sale by
my5 R. E. SELLERS & CO.

BACON—150 pcs this day rec'd by
my5 HENRY H. COLLINS.

LARD—100 bbls fresh this day, rec'd by
my5 HENRY H. COLLINS.

GLASS—500 bxs 8x10, 9x12, 10x12 and 10x14 for sale by HENRY H COLLINS.

20 TIERCES RICE—A prime article, for sale by J. B. CANFIELD.

OIL—10 bbls. Linseed for sale by
my1 J. B. CANFIELD.

300 BBLS. PRIME OHIO EXTRA FLOUR, just rec'd and for sale by
my5 FORSYTH & SCOTT, No. 18 Water st.

DRIED APPLES—250 bush. bright dry Apples in store and for sale by
my1 FORSYTH & SCOTT.

RIO COFFEE—100 Packs choice Green for sale by my1 WATT & WILSON, Liberty st.

STAR CANDLES—Just received from Cincinnati, on consignment, 200 boxes of Star Candles, a superior article, for sale by GEO. W. JACKSON, No 12 Fourth st. apd1

DRIED PEACHES—50 bush. in store and

BOOKS, MUSIC, &C.

CHICKERING & SONS'
PIANO FORTES.
MANUFACTURED BY
CHICKERING & SONS
BOSTON
CONSISTING OF
Grand and Square Piano Fortes.
and their lately invented
PARLOR GRAND PIANO.
For sale only by JOHN H. MELLOR,
No. 81 WOOD STREET, bet. Diamond Alley & 4th st.

JOHN H. MELLOR, the exclusive and only *Agent for Pittsburgh, &c.* for the sale of CHICKERING & SONS' Boston PIANO FORTES, begs to return his most sincere thanks to the citizens of Pittsburgh, Allegheny and vicinity, for their liberal patronage, and he has now the pleasure of informing them that, by the increased facilities afforded in the new and splendid Piano Forte Manufactory, recently erected at an expense of over

Two Hundred Thousand Dollars,

and employed by Chickering & Sons exclusively for the manufacture of their own Piano Fortes, they will be enabled to keep a full supply at their agency in Pittsburgh, of all the varieties manufactured by them, from the most splendid Grand, Parlor Grand and Square Piano Fortes, to the plain and low priced Piano Fortes, all of which will be sold invariably

AT BOSTON PRICES

by the aid of new machinery, and the valuable improvements introduced into the new manufactory of Chickering & Sons, they will be enabled to produce their Piano Fortes than heretofore, without increasing the price. Purchasers may also depend on a complete and large stock of their Piano Fortes being kept at the Warerooms in Pittsburgh of all the styles manufactured by them, thereby affording the western purchaser the advantage of the Boston market without expense of transportation or risk.

A PRICE LIST and description of Chickering & Sons Grand, Parlor Grand and Square Piano Fortes furnished gratis on application by letter or otherwise.

For the character of the above instruments, the subscriber has the pleasure of referring to about *Five Hundred Families* in Pittsburgh and vicinity who have purchased and have in use Piano Fortes from the above manufactory, and also to the following Principals of Seminaries and Live Chickering & Sons' Piano Fortes in use, and have given their unqualified testimony of their superiority over all others.

Rev. Chas. C. Beatty, Principal of the Blairsville Female Seminary.

Mrs. S. H. Hanna, Principal of the Washington Female Seminary.

H. H. Wilson, M. D., Principal of the Edgeworth Female Seminary, Sewickley, Pa.

Rev. Sam'l H. Shepley, principal of the Blairsville Female Seminary, Blairsville, Pa.

Rev. Joseph P. Taylor, Principal of Seawood Boys Academy, New Brighton.

St. Xavier Female Seminary, Youngstown, Pa.

Prof. S. B. Williams, Louisville Academy for Young Ladies, Louisville, Ky.

Miss Sarah Thompson, Principal of the male Seminary, at Xenia, Ohio.

&c. &c. &c.

Old Pianos taken in exchange at their full value in payment.

Sole agent for Chickering & Sons, for Pittsburgh and Western Pennsylvania, No. 81 Wood st, between 4th and Diamond alley.

NEW SPRING STOCK OF CHICKERING & SONS' Piano Fortes.

JOHN H. MELLOR has just received seven more of CHICKERING & SONS' PIANO FORTES, and completing the stock selected for Spring sales, consisting of Twenty-Five new and splendid Instruments of every variety and style, manufactured by the Messrs. Chickerings (Boston), from the palmiest SIX OCTAVE to the most splendid and finished SEVEN OCTAVE GRAND PIANO-FORTES, as well as their superb and inimitable Grand and Parlor Grand Pianos. EVERY PIANO FORTE in the list is of the latest improvements, the Patent AGRAFFE IRON FRAMES and PATENT ACTION, and are not only warranted to be perfect as by the manufacturers, but by the subscriber, to be in all respects, as perfect, as instruments can be made, both in regard to material and workmanship. PRICE INVARIABLY the same as in Boston, at the manufactory. JOHN H. MELLOR,
No. 81 Wood street between Diamond Alley and 4th st.
Agent for CHICKERING & SONS, Boston, for Pittsburgh and Western Penna.

GREATEST IMPROVEMENT YET!
NEW SCALE.
H. KLEBER & BRO.,
Have Received a small lot of
NUNNS & CLARKS'
PIANO FORTES
PROVIDED WITH THEIR NEW SCALE.

THIS IS THEIR LATEST and undoubtedly the most important improvement as yet made to the PIANO FORTE. The POWER of the Instrument is almost DOUBLED thereby; and in point of volume, sweetness and brilliancy of tone, they surpass anything as yet produced in the shape of a Piano. They combine all the advantages of the GRAND PIANOS without any of its disadvantages. We now challenge comparison with the instruments of any other maker in this country, confident that every unbiased judge with the artists will at once admit the superiority of these. The public is especially invited to call and examine these superb instruments.

H. KLEBER & BRO.,
Sole agents for *NUNNS & CLARK's* Piano Fortes, for Western Penna.
No. 53 Fifth st., next door to Masonic Hall.

P. S.—Splendid assortment of the above shortly expected for the during Trade.

PIANO FORTES
CHARLOTTE BLUME,
NO. 115 WOOD STREET, PITTSBURGH,

Is just receiving a large stock of Pianos of the latest styles, from the manufactories of:

BAUMGARDTEN & HEINS, Hamburgh;
HALLETT, DAVIS & CO. Boston;
HAINES, BROS & CUMMINGS, New York;
A. H. REICHENBACH, Philadelphia.

Together with those of other makers, at prices from $225 to $1,000; including every variety and style, from the plain, but substantial, iron frame Piano, to the most elegant, carved Louis XIV style, square and Grand Pianos.

Arrangements have been made with the manufacturers, by which their instruments are sold lower for their section of the country than in the east, and without the additional cost and risk of transportation.

Every Piano sold by the subscriber is warranted perfect in every respect and a written guarantee given if required. CHARLOTTE BLUME,
aud6 No. 115 Wood street.

Prize Songs

THE New York Musical Review Prize Songs.

No. I. Sweet and Low, by O. Urwest. Took the first prize of $200.

No. II. One Heart for Me, by de la Hache.

" III. Where are all the Birds that Sang, by Frank Sewell.

" IV. My Gentle Mother's Song, by C. C. Converse.

Took the second prize of $100.

No. V. The Baby, by B. D. Allen.

" VI. The Rivers, by Frank Hazler.

" VII. The Parting, by H. C. Watson.

" VIII. Serenade, by Robert Stoepel.

The above sight songs were selected from 450 sent in for competition, and is the best collection of songs ever published in America. They are issued in superb style, and sold at the low price of TWENTY CENTS EACH.

For sale at the Music Store of JOHN H. MELLOR,
my6 81 Wood street.

To the Public—Piano Tuning.

REPEATED instances of carelessness and insufficient tuning of Piano Fortes having of late come to our notice, we herewith respectfully request the proprietors of instruments, purchased at our establishment, to apply to us when they desire any tuning done. We employ none but the very best workmen, and could have their work but we cannot hold ourselves responsible for the injurious effects resulting from imperfect and slovenly tuning.

H. KLEBER & BRO., No 53 Fifth st.
my5

NEW MUSIC—The March du Nuit, L. M. Gottschalk, $1. Last Hope, do. 75.

The "March du Nuit" has run through three editions in one week, and the publishers are still unable to supply the demand. It is gotten up in elegant style and will undoubtedly have a larger and more extensive sale than any piece of the kind ever before published in America.

Blumchen, or Fashion Water Polka, Francis H Brown.

Miserere de Verdi, Fantasia per Henri Rosellen.

Malakoff Quadrille, with colored frontispiece.

Sardinian Polka.

Eugenie, Grand Mazurka Guerriere par W. V. Wallace.

Transcription of Favorite Melodies, by G. A. Osborne, 12 Nos.

Invitations to Sing, brilliant variations, Wm. Incho.

NEW POLKAS.

Hiawatha, by Pelicon Dalle Valle, by Ascher, &c.

NEW SHOTTISCHES.

Hiawatha, by Fay. V. Morris Happy Isaiun, Edinburg and White Mountain.

NEW WALTZES.

La Lazzer, Fountain of Love, Mondamino, Merry Sleigh Ride.

NEW SONGS.

Dreams that Charmed me When a child, Alice Hawthorne; Smiles and Tears, Why ask it I Remember, Alice Hawthorne; Deaver Spot of Earth to me I love Dearest, Why that Year "When Corrow fills up the Measure," Old Aunty Neal; The Rose remembered in the Heart, Ever and Ever; When Shall I be an Angel yet Footsteps of Angels, words by Longfellow; Dreams of Your Early Youth, Carry Bell; Red and Gold for sale by CHARLOTTE BLUME.

"Old Established Piano Depot," 115 Wood st.

Music mailed; Post paid. my5

BOOKS! BOOKS!! BOOKS!!!—French's American Dramas, consisting of Tragedies, Dramas, Comedies, Farces, &c. &c.

Brougham's Dramatic Works, consisting of Dramas, Comedies, Farces, &c.

Sketches and Adventures in Madeira, Portugal and the Andalusian of Spain.

Aileen Cooper, a story of our own time, by Shirley Brooke.

Lady Ellis; a perfect Gentility, Miss Thorne-ill.

Kate, by Wm. G. Simms.

Married not Married, by Alice Carey.

The Bunsby Papers, by Jno. Brougham.

Just rec'd and for sale by W. A. HOLMES & CO.
my5 Fifth st., opposite the Theatre.

FINE PAPER HANGINGS—Some new styles room and hall paper, with an additional supply of desirable patterns. Borders, plain Satin and Satin paper, Cornices, &c., rec'd at paper room of

R. G. COCHRANE, Allegheny.
my5

CHEAP WALL PAPER—Now supply, new patterns, at 12½ and 15c. Medium qualities 18 to 20c, received by R. G. COCHRANE.
my5

RAGS WANTED—Good mixed rags Highest at highest market price.

400 bales Straw and Rag wrapping paper, rec'd by

R. G. COCHRANE.
my5

INTERESTING WORKS ON TRAVEL, Life's Travel in the Chinese Empire, 2 vols.

Dublin's Observations in Europe, 2 "

Do do in the East, 2 "

Prime's Travel in Europe and the East, 2 "

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Stephens's Travels in Central America, Chiapas and Yucatan, 2 vols.

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The above, with a great many other standard works of travel, for sale by RAY & OLIVER, No. 65 Market st.

THE LIFE AND SPEECHES of Henry Clay, compiled and edited by Daniel Mallory; with valuable additions, embracing an Epitome of the Congressional Measures, and as full reports of the oratory and Speeches and Funeral Sermon, delivered in the Senate and house of Representatives, in Washington City, on the sad news of his death, not heretofore published, in two vols. 8 vo for sale by RAY & OLIVER, No. 65 Market st.

DEQUINCY'S NEW VOL, and other new books just rec'd by J. S. DAVISON, 68 Market st., near 4th.

Dequincy's Memorials, 2 vols; Contributions to Literature; Discipline, Critical, Humorous, Biographical, Philosophical and Pretical, by Sam'l Gilman, Dr. J. G. Holland and Wood, or Thoughts on Life in America and Europe, by Margaret Fuller Ossoli; Knowledge is Power, View of the Presidential Power of Mission, Cabinet Rule, Results of Labor, Capital and Skill, by Chas. Knight, with numerous illustrations; Preaching The Word; Talks to Young Men; Serving The Lord; Talks to Children, by Rev. C. Kingsley, Hypatia, by same author; Edward Gibbon's Memoirs of Gibbon; Carlyle's Last Journals; Motley's Dutch Republic, in cloth and sheep. Wine's laws of the Ancient Hebrews, a Second Journey Round the World, by Ida Pfeiffer; The Queen's Sermon, Religion in Common Life, by Calvin Reddaile; Comparative Physiognomy, Life Illustrated, Phrenology, Domestic Medicine; Physiology, Life and Health; Exercises and Letters to the Physiology and Calisthenic Exercises, and Letters to the People on Health. Also, her Domestic Economy and Receipt Book; The Great Book for Boys; The wonders of Science, or Young Humphrey Davy; The Young Apothecary Boy, who taught himself Natural Philosophy and eventually became President of the Royal Society; the Life of a Wonderful Boy, written by himself, beautifully illustrated, only 15 cents; Dickens' Little Folks, for children, 5 vols. &c. &c. &c.

NEW BOOKS THIS DAY—The Rise of the Dutch Republic, a History, by J. S. Motley, in 3 vols, 8vo.

A Second Journey Round the World; by Ida Pfeiffer The Test or, or Moral Influence in the Instruction and Government of the Young, by Jacob Abbott;

The Museum, No 18, Harper Story Books;

Harper's Magazine for May;

Young Humphry Davy, or Wonders of Science;

Paul Blake and Principles. For sale by

J. S. HEAD, 78 Fourth st.
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Commercial Hotel.
Corner of Girod and New Levee, New Orleans.

F. K. STEEL would most respectfully invite the traveling public that he has taken the above named Hotel.

The Hotel has recently undergone a thorough repair and renovation, and has been refitted with new and elegant furniture, carpeting, &c. &c. The proprietor will spare no pains and attention to the comfort and wants of his guests. The table will be supplied with the best the markets afford.

This Hotel being situated in the immediate vicinity of the business part of the city, as well as being convenient to the *Steamboat Landing*, he provides hopes that by a strict attention to the wants of his patrons to merit a liberal patronage that has ever been bestowed upon this house.

Price of Board per Day, $1,00.

The Bar will be stocked with Wines and Liquors inferior to no other house in the city. A good lunch from 10 to 12 A. M. Also obliging and accommodating attendants.

ja26:1m M. BURGIN, Supt.

TELEGRAPHIC

CONGRESSIONAL.

WASHINGTON, May 9.

SENATE.—Sundry private bills were taken up and passed.

The House bill giving a million and a half acres of land to Iowa for Railroads, was read.

Mr. Jones, of Iowa, asked to put it on passage.

Mr. Foote, moved its reference to the Committee on Public Lands.

After debate the bill was passed:

Yeas—Messrs. Adams, Allen, Bell, of Tenn., Bigler, Bright, Brown, Cass, Crittenden, Dodge, Douglas, Durkey, Fish, Fitzpatrick, Foster, Geyer, Hale, Harlan, James, Johnson, Jones, of Iowa, Jones, of Tenn., Mallory, Pratt, Seward, Slidell, Stuart, Sumner, Trumbull, Weller, Wilson and Yulee.

Nays — Biggs, Brodhead, Hunter, Mason, Pugh, Reed, Thompson, of Ky., Toombs and Wade.

Mr. James, from the Committee on Patents, reported a Bill amendatory of the Patent Law, the object being to protect the public against the oppressive use of invalid patents, and the equally meritorious inventor from dishonest infringers.

The Senate then adjourned.

HOUSE.—A message was read from the Senate asking that a third committee of Conference be appointed relative to the deficiency bill upon which the two houses disagreed. Mr. Phelps rose to defend the people of Missouri, whom he said Mr. Giddings yesterday charged as traitors and said they deserved to be hanged.

Mr. Gidding's interrupting, explained his statement, which he said was, that the people of Missouri by collecting an armed body for the purpose of usurping the government of Kansas, had committed treason, and that the laws and constitution were guilty of the charge.

Mr. Phelps denied the charge, saying that such an idea existed only in the distempered imagination of its author. The Missourians who went to Kansas in November and December last, went for maintaining the laws, and that the scenes of bloodshed that ensued were properly attributable to the friends of Mr. Giddings.

After further debate the proposition to appoint a third Committee of Conference on the Deficiency Bill was adopted.

After a long discussion on the resolution allowing the parties to the New Mexico contested election to be heard before the House in person or by counsel to support their respective claims. The House adjourned.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 9—P. M.—The Secretary of the Navy accompanied by Commodore Smith visited the steamer Minnesota to witness the operation of her machinery. They whose received by Capt F. Forrest, principal engineer of the chief martial; constructor Cook and other officers. Steam was let on, the propellor which made 33 revolutions with a pressure of only five pounds. Every part of her machinery worked admirably, and beyond the expectations of her engineers. Her boilers are on a new principle invented by the engineer in chief, and gave satisfaction. The engineers only the estimated amount of 25 tons of coal per day.

The Minnesota is expected to leave for Norfolk in about six weeks to be coppered and to receive her armament, but will not leave that port until every part is sufficiently tested. The engineers and constructors anticipate that she will be one of the most perfect specimens of Naval architecture afloat.

WASHINGTON, May, 9.—According to the evidence at the examination of the shooting affray yesterday, Mr. Herbert had come into the dining room at half-past 11 accompanied by a friend, and called for breakfast, but was informed by a servant that he could not have meals without an order from the office. Mr. Herbert directed several servants to wait upon him, who spoke to him on the subject. He retired, calling them harsh names. The deceased made reply, when Mr. Herbert struck him with his fist or a napkin. The deceased picked up a plate or tray, making movement as if to throw it, when Herbert threw a chair at the deceased. The latter returned the assault with a plate. During the melee Patrick, a brother of deceased entered. Hearing of the proceedings, Herbert seized him, and the two brothers closed in on Herbert, who was thrown down, and the two were striking him, when he fired a single barrelled pistol. Herbert was remanded to custody of the U. S. Marshal, awaiting further investigation.

CARLETON, May 8.—The Amensunk, from Aspinwall, brings dates from that place to 24th ult. The sloop-of-war, St. Mary's was at Panama and her commander immediately instituted an inquiry into the cause of the late outrage.—Commercial correspondence had taken place between him and the Governor of Panama. It is now believed that the riot did not originate in the desire for plunder.

St. John's, N. B., May 9.—The boiler of the steamboat I. D. Pierce, exploded yesterday, near Fredericktown. Four persons were instantly killed, and another has since died of his injuries. Several other persons were badly scalded.

PHILADELPHIA, May 9.—The new steamer City of Baltimore, arrived here yesterday, bringing two hundred and eighteen passengers, together with an immensely valuable cargo.—She is three hundred and seventy-four feet long.

LOWELL, May 9.—The brick block known as Wyman's Exchange, was nearly destroyed by fire to-day. Loss about $35,000, spread amongst various traders.

PROVIDENCE, May 9.—The cotton mill at Pawtucket owned by Hayer & Moies was destroyed by fire last night. It was used as a printing cloth manufactory. Loss $19,000.

LAMBERTVILLE, N. J. May 9.—The Railroad office was entered last night and robbed of $5000 in tens, fives, and smaller notes of the Hunterdon county Bank.

NEW YORK, May 9.—Flour firmer with sales 12,000 bbls at $5,87@5,90 for State, $6,12@6,75 for Southern and $6,87@7,25 for extra brands. Wheat firm with sales 5500 bush at $1,60@1,80 for inferior to prime white Southern and $1,60@1,61 for good red. Corn is also firmer with sale 27,000 bush at from 57 to 62. Mess Pork improving; sales 3500 bbls at $18,87@19. Beef firm, 200 bbls sold at $17 for prime. Lard steady, sales 600 bbls at 10¼. Whiskey firm with sales 1500 bbls at 28½. New Orleans Sugar 7¾. Molasses firm with sales 250 bbls at 48 cents. Spirits of Turpentine firm, with sales 250 bbls at 43½; sales 500 bbls Rosin at former rates. Freights firm. Provisions are improving, sales long ribbed Bacon at 9½. Butter dull with sales 50 bbls. Western dull. Stocks firm; sales of Cleveland and Toledo at 76½; Erie 56½; Michigan Central 96¾; N. Y. Central 92; Reading 89½.

CINCINNATI, May 9.—Flour unchanged sales 240 bbls at $5,25, and 28 bbls extra at $5,50@$5,60. Whisky continues in good demand, and prices are higher, sales 540 bbls at 20@20½. Provisions, nothing done in meats; there is a fair demand for lard, sales 200 bbls No. 1 Western at 9½. Sugar, sales 52 hhds low fair and prime at 8@8¾. Molasses in limited demand, sales of 70 bbls at 48. The river is unchanged.

PHILADELPHIA, May 9.—*Iron Market.*—The transactions in Pig during the week have not been large, the aggregate being 1875 tons; 800 tons No. 3 on the Schuylkill sold at equal to $25 here; other descriptions of Iron remain unchanged, with a steady demand; 55 tons Champlain Ore Blooms sold at $60.

DISEASES OF THE LUNGS.

DR. ROBERT HUNTER desires to announce that for the information and guidance of those who are afflicted with Diseases of the Throat or Lungs, he has established a family medical periodical entitled Medical Guide, which contains a treatise on Consumption, in which will be found a full exposition of his views on every subject connected with pulmonary diseases.

The February number contains, in addition to much information which should be read by every consumptive, a complete refutation of the Catarrh, Bronchitis, Asthma or Consumption, an extended explanation of the method of treatment by his Inhalers.

Dr. Hunter would also announce that he has opened branch establishments for the treatment of these diseases at Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington. These offices are placed under the professional charge of skillful and accomplished medical gentlemen, who have enjoyed in association with him long and great experience in the treatment of these diseases. The Medical Guide, resident in these offices, will therefore in future enjoy all the advantages of Dr. Hunter's advice and treatment under the most favorable auspices.

These arrangements are rendered necessary by the Empirics practicing under the name of *Inhalation*, both by wandering quacks, who, in many instances, use Dr. Hunter's name for their own purposes, and by the sale of *Inhaling Nostrums* in the Drugstores throughout the country. Such influences tend to bring discredit on this practice and to discourage persons from availing themselves of this, the only scientific and successful mode of treating diseases of the Respiratory Organs.

In chronic effections of the Throat and Lungs there is no difficulty attending the treatment of cases by correspondence, and for the convenience of those wishing to avail themselves of his treatment, Dr. Hunter has prepared a list of questions which will enable them to give a more full and explicit statement of their cases. This list, together with a number of the Specialist will be forwarded on application to either of the following addresses: New York, Dr. Robert Hunter, No 528 Broadway; Philadelphia, Dr. F. Morgan, No. 242 Walnut st; Baltimore, Dr J B Wilkins, No. 339 North Charles st.

NOTE—Dr Hunter can always be consulted *personally*, as heretofore, at his residence, No. 2 Howard st.

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HOGS' HAIR—10 bales curled just rec'd and for sale by SPRINGER HARBAUGH.
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LARD OIL—10 bbls No. 1 and 15 do No 2 just rec'd and for sale by SPRINGER HARBAUGH.
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HOMINY—14 bbls. Hominy just rec'd and for sale by FORSYTH & SCOTT.
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RED SOLE LEATHER—A new lot just in and for sale at reduced price by M. DE LANGE.

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A DWELLING HOUSE for rent on Third st, below Ferry. One on Carroll st, Allegheny. One on The East Common. One on Bagley's Lane. One on Coal Hill, opposite the Point. One on Mount Washington. One on Vernon st. One on Miller st. For particulars, apply to S. CUTHBERT & SON, 81 Market st. mh22

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