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A Vitalizing Element! TO CONSUMPTIVES. A PHYSICIAN of high standing, and formerly a Professor in one of the Medical Institutions of this country, now retired from active practice, who has been suffering from Pulmonary Disease, discovered, while traveling in South America for his health, a cure for Consumption, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds and General Debility; and being aware that thousands are suffering and dying annually from this most dreadful of all diseases, he is desirous, from the principles of humanity, of making known this most valuable remedy. Upon receipt of Fifteen Cents, in Postage Stamps, or Change, he will send a Recipe, with full directions for making and successfully using it. The amount required is applied for postage, and the payment of this advertisement. Address B. F. DEVEREOUGH, M. D., Box 23, P. O., Brooklyn, N. Y. fe16:1md&wTv

A. ARNOUX & SON. MERCHANT TAILORS, 567 BROADWAY NEW YORK. THE late firm of A. & G. A. Arnoux having been dissolved on the 1st inst., A. Arnoux, the founder of the original firm, has associated with himself his son WILLIAM, (also of the late firm,) for the purpose of continuing business as Merchant Tailors. They have taken the store No. 567 Broadway, between the St. Nicholas and Metropolitan Hotels, where they have just opened a fine assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings of the newest styles. Our customers are assured that our aim will be to enhance the reputation which forty years of attention to business has earned for the senior partner, and that our constant care will be to have every garment made up in a manner that, for style and workmanship, cannot be surpassed. my30:1mov

Sewing Machine Spool Cotton. ORRS & MACNAUGHT'S Superior Improved Six Cord 200 Yards **Spool Cotton Thread,** WARRANTED 6 Cord No. 60 inclusive, being 20 Nos. above other Thread sold as 6 Cord; 4 Cord to No 80 inclusive; 10 Nos. above other Thread, and 3 Cord from No. 90 to No. 150. Full assortment of this superior article (which is now preferred by those who use SEWING MACHINES for both Upper and Lower Thread) just received and for sale by the case of 100 doz., or packages of 100 doz. by ALEXANDER KNOX, No. 5 Pine Street, New York, General Agent for ORRS & MACNAUGHT, Glasgow. Samples for trial given free to buyers. my30:1m:v

New York Corn Exchange. BAG MANUFACTORY, 125 and 127 Broad Street. B. E. CLARK, MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN **Bags and Bagging,** OSNABURGS, Sheetings, Duck, Flax and Cotton Twine, &c. Millers, Flour Dealers, &c., supplied with Grain Bags, Seamless Bags, Flour Bags, &c. MILLERS' BAGS, Designed and printed to order expressly for their use. Our assortment of borders is large, and of various designs, and our customers can have any matter they may wish put in type without extra charge. Country Merchants are invited to examine our stock of FARMERS' BAGS, viz: Seamless Bags, of all the various brands of Duck, &c; very heavy Osnaburgs, heavy Drills, &c. Salt Factors supplied with bags, all sizes, printed to order. Provision Dealers supplied with Ham and Beef Bags, Covers, &c., made of plain or colored cloth. We have new designs for stamping. my2ltv

Paints, Oils, Glass, Burning Fluid, Camphene, Alcohol, &c., DORR & MANN, 339 GREENWICH STREET, (corner of Jay,) NEW YORK, near Hudson River and Erie Railroad Depots, ARE now selling the above articles, in connection with a complete assortment of Colors, Dry and in Oil, Brushes, Glass, Glazier's Diamonds, White Lead, French and American Zinc Paints, &c., &c., at prices that offer great inducements to Dealers and Consumers. my2:3mdv

For the 1,000,000. U. S. PATENT MARBLE COMPANY, 90 Thompson street, N. Y., MANUFACTURERS OF MARBLE MANTLES, TABLE TOPS, COLUMNS, PEDESTALS, &c. in Sienna, Brocatel, and all Italian Marbles. This article, which is a preparation of Marble Dust, chemically combined with mineral colors, so as to be moulded into any form and color, by which a marble can be manufactured at less than half the cost of the common material, while it exceeds it in durability and beauty. Unlike Marbleized Iron and Slate, there is no surface work, the color running into the mass of the material, while no varnish is used to give a temporary beauty to the surface. Mantles from $5 to $40. Table Tops, &c., equally cheap. Rights for the Manufacture and Sale of above for the different States, which will insure immense returns to those interesting themselves. Information furnished on application to PETER RENNIE, Prest., or JOSEPH LAMB, Sec. NEW YORK. oc22:lyv ap14

French Window Glass. EDWARD P. DICKIE, 144 Chambers st., N. Y., Two doors west of Hudson River Railroad Depot, OFFERS to Dealers and Customers his celebrated brands of French Window Glass on favorable terms. Parties wishing information will be furnished with price currents by mail at their address. Glass cut to any desired pattern, and packed free of charge. ap14:lydv

Umbrellas and Parasols. JOHN I. SMITH, WHOLESALE MANUFACTURER, 224 & 235 Broadway, New York. The most extensive in the world. THE late fall in the price of materials, consequent upon the stringency of the money market, has enabled me to manufacture largely for the Spring trade; and to offer to merchants, at very low prices, the largest and most complete assortment of UMBRELLAS AND PARASOLS to be found in Europe or America. Merchants visiting New York to buy their goods, are respectfully invited to call and examine the stock before purchasing. N. B.—Please cut this card out and put it in your Pocket Book for reference. JOHN I. SMITH, Manufacturer. mh25:3mdv

FIRST PREMIUM PIANO FORTES. STEINWAY & SONS, MANUFACTURERS 84 and 86 Walker Street, NEAR BROADWAY, NEW YORK. RESPECTFULLY call the attention of the public to their splendid assortment of semi-grand and Square Pianos, which, for volume of tone, elasticity of touch, beauty of finish, in short every thing that renders Piano perfect, are unsurpassed. They were awarded the First Premium for both kinds, in competition with the most distinguished makers from Boston, Philadelphia, New York and Baltimore. NEW TRIUMPH—STEINWAY & SONS have just been awarded the FIRST Premium GOLD MEDAL (over all competitors) at the late Fair of the American Institute, Crystal Palace, for the BEST Pianofortes. de7 oc18:tfv

Safety Fuse. FOR MINING PURPOSES, and for IGNITING CHARGES, both in WET and DRY blasting; of FOUR different kinds. The COTTON and HEMP FUSE, the SINGLE and DOUBLE TAPE WATER FUSE. Manufactured and sold by GLENN PUTMAN, 143 Liberty St., NEW YORK. Orders promptly filled for all kinds of GUN POWDER, of the most approved brands. EDGE'S EXHIBITION FIRE WORKS. SHIP SIGNALS, &c. &c. no13-dly

SCHIEFFELIN, BROS. & CO., IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN Drugs, Paints, Oils, Dyes, Perfumery, &c., 170 WILLIAM ST., New York, INVITE the attention of the trade to their large and varied stock of Drugs, Paints, Oils, Perfumery, &c., &c. In addition to their regular importations of Staple Drugs, they are also receiving, direct from the sources of production and manufacture, supplies of Tooth, Hair and Nail Brushes, Bronzes, Corks, Mortars, Sponges, French and English Perfumery, Lubin's Extracts, and many other articles usually embraced in Druggists stocks, which they are also enabled to offer on the most advantageous terms. Orders, either in person or by mail, will receive prompt attention. je18-lyv

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. 35, 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. H. & J. G. ISHAM. N. B.—Consumers advised to inquire for Hope Mills article. je30:lydv

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 New Brighton by the Morning Train, remain in Pittsburgh and Allegheny City during the day to attend to such commissions as may be entrusted to him, and return by the Evening Train, with his Goods and Commissions executed. It will be his duty 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 R. 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

Commercial Hotel, Corner of Girod and New Levee, New Orleans. F. K. STEEL would most respectfully inform the traveling public that he has taken the above named Hotel. The Hotel has recently undergone a thorough repair and renovation, and has been fitted up with new and elegant furniture, carpeting, &c. &c. The proprietor will pay every care and attention to the comfort and wants of the boarders. The table will be supplied with the best that 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, the proprietor hopes that by strict attention to the wants of his patrons to receive that 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. ja22:lyd G. BUSCH, Supt.

LEMON & CO.—TRANSPORTATION LINE—Having made extensive preparations this winter, we are now prepared to do a heavy business by PENNA CANAL and RAILROAD, to and from the Eastern Cities. We can assure our friends and all those disposed to patronize the Penna. Canal and Railroad, that no pains will be spared to render general satisfaction to Shippers of Eastern and Western Freight. The avoidance of the Inclined Planes on the Allegheny Portage Railroad will give increased despatch to the transmission of freight. Office on PENN street, at the Canal Basin. mhl6:lyd BOYD & LEMON.

PITTSBURGH GAZETTE.

FRIDAY MORNING, JUNE 27, 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. sep1: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.

Republican Nominations.

FOR PRESIDENT,
JOHN C. FREMONT,
OF CALIFORNIA.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
WILLIAM L. DAYTON,
OF NEW JERSEY.

State Ticket.

FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER,
THOMAS E. COCHRAN, of York.

FOR AUDITOR GENERAL,
DARWIN PHELPS, of Armstrong.

FOR SURVEYOR GENERAL,
BARTHOLOMEW LAPORTE, of Bradford.

For the Pittsburgh Gazette.

Fremont Meeting at M'Keesport.—At a meeting held in the Town Hall, M'Keesport, on Tuesday evening the 24th inst., called to make arrangements for organizing a Fremont Club, Mr. J. Frish was called to the chair and J. Guilford appointed Secretary. The Committee appointed at the primary meeting made the following report through its chairman, Mr. T. Penny.

Whereas the approaching Presidential election involves principles vital to the existence of our Republican form of Government, inasmuch as the so-called Democratic party in their platform recently adopted have endorsed the policy of the present Administration, and thereby *all the crime against Kansas*, as perpetrated by the hasty and uncalled for repeal of the Missouri Compromise—by the invasion of its territory—by the acts of an imbecile Shannon in enforcing with the aid of foreign marauders on its people laws subversive of all Freedom, enacted by a legislature imposed upon them by force of arms and the votes of a handed body of drunken rowdies, residents of an adjoining state—and in the enforcement of which have been set aside the sacred guaranties of the Constitution which declare that the people shall be protected in their persons, papers and effects from unreasonable searches and seizures, and the right to bear arms against invasion—and by failing to protect the people in that which is the palladium of Liberty—the elective franchise: Therefore,

Resolved, That liberty assailed, the Constitution violated, the union of these States endangered, and the Republic about to become a hissing and a bye-word, imperatively demand of all true patriots the use of the ballot box while they *may* use it in redeeming our country from the imminent peril that threatens it.

Resolved, That we heartily endorse the People's Platform adopted at the late Convention in Philadelphia, and pledge our best endeavors by all lawful means to secure the election of its nominees, John C. Fremont and William L. Dayton.

Resolved, That to further these our purposes we do hereby form ourselves into an Association to be called the *M'Keesport Fremont Club*, the officers of which shall be a President, two Vice Presidents, Secretary and Treasurer; and that the object shall be to procure and circulate documents relative to the facts having a bearing upon the issues involved in the present Presidential canvass, and in all proper ways to assist in securing the triumph of *Freedom*, protection of the Ballot Box and the restriction of Slavery.

The above report was greeted with an enthusiastic adoption.

A Committee, consisting of J. K. Scott, John Rowland, T. Penny, J. Guilford and G. L. M'Clane was appointed to digest a plan for a permanent organization.

Adjourned to July the 8th at 7 o'clock, P. M.
J. FRISH, President.
J. Guilford, Secretary.

The California Outbreak.—At the last accounts from California, the usurpation of power by the Vigilance Committee had found imitators in many of the leading towns of the Territory where vigilance committees had been established to co-operate with the central one at San Francisco. The Washington Union, of yesterday, contained a communication from a California Democrat, vindicating Mr. Broderick from the slanders circulated against him, and charged the outbreak upon the Know Nothings. The writer says that he is and has been for two years past one of the bitterest political enemies of Broderick but he will not see injustice done him. He says that Broderick was a Democratic candidate for Congress in New York city, before his removal to California; that in the year 1851, he was the recognized leader of the Democratic party in the California Legislature, in 1852, he was the opponent of Col. Weller, of the U. S. Senate, and only failed by one or two votes; in 1854, he had a majority of the Assembly in his favor for the Senate but the upper House defeated the election by only one vote. During the last session, with a Know Nothing majority in both branches, he got the Senatorial election postponed. It is said to have been by his influence that the delegates to the Cincinnati Convention were instructed to go for Buchanan. In 1851, he opposed the Vigilance Committee, and he does so now.

The Present Condition of Kansas.—The correspondent of the New York *Tribune* furnishes a melancholy picture of the condition of the people of Kansas:

Alas! the Free State cause and Free State men are suffering. Every day some of them leave the Territory. It is not fear that calls them away. I have seen many young men who were willing to stay, and fight too, if necessary; but business is prostrate; no one can work safely on claims, our board is high; and thus, under a biting persecution, Freedom is being crushed out.

The presses have been destroyed. That at Topeka has had supplies of paper cut off, and there is a determination to finish those correspondents who dare remain to chronicle the wrongs of Kansas. I am closely watched.—Many of my letters are taken. I have just learned that a system of espoinage on the boats down the river, at Lexington, where they generally stay all night, has succeeded in getting a number of my letters. I have not received a letter through the mails for a considerable time, and I have many correspondents, and regular correspondence with my family. I have no doubt but everything to me is stopped at Independence. Wearied of a similar persecution and the continued risk, Mr. Redpath has left the Territory. I have concluded not to leave, as this would merely play into the hands of the Border Ruffians.

Political Rumors.—As a matter of course there are, in every political canvass, a thousand rumors afloat which have no foundation in truth. They cannot all be contradicted,—but some of the most important now current are worthy of notice.

It is not true that Mr. Buchanan has offered to make Mr. Soule first Governor of Cuba. He thinks Gen. Quitman's services will first be needed, and must first be requited.

It is not true that Col. Fremont is a Jesuit, and holds a private *auto da fe* in his back kitchen, roasting a heretic once a month.

It is not true that Buchanan ever let any Democratic blood out of his veins. He never had any occasion. *Ex nihilo, nihil fit.*

The rumor that Mr. Fillmore intends to resign has already been contradicted. We feel authorized to add that he is as resigned already as he ever expects *to be*; and that he intends to run, and he runs alone.—*N. Y. Times.*

Young Men's Ratification Conventions in Ohio.—We understand that the young men from Ohio, in attendance upon the Republican Convention, met after the adjournment of that body and agreed to hold four great mass meetings of the Republican youth of Ohio, during the campaign. The call for the first of these was prepared and signed, and will be published as soon as the time can be fixed, for which purpose a conference between the committee appointed by the young men at Philadelphia and the State Republican Executive Committee is necessary. The first convention will be held at the city of Dayton, sometime during July, probably; the others are designed to follow in rapid succession at Fremont, Zanesville and Massillon.—*Cincinnati Gazette.*

Reform in the Church of Sardinia.—It is stated that nine articles proposed for the reformation of the church of Sardinia, will be brought before the Parliament at Turin during its next session. It is earnestly hoped that such measures will be adopted as will uproot some great abuses. The most important of these articles are:—"The entire independence of the church of Sardinia of Rome; the denial of tradition as a source of dogma; permission to all the people to read the Bible and interpret it for themselves; abolition of compulsory celibacy of the priests; and the use of the popular language in the church services."

Secretary Marcy's Opinion of Colonel Fremont.

[From the annual report of the Sec. of War, Dec. 5, '46.]
WAR DEPARTMENT, Dec. 5, 1846.
[Extract.]

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In May, 1845, John C. Fremont, then a brevet-captain in the corps of Topographical Engineers, and since appointed a lieutenant-colonel, left here under orders from this department to pursue his explorations in the regions beyond the Rocky Mountains. The objects of this service were, as those of his previous exploration had been, of a scientific character, without any view whatever to military operations. Not an officer or soldier of the United States army accompanied him; and his whole force consisted of sixty-two men, employed by himself for security against Indians, and for procuring subsistence in the wilderness and desert country through which he was to pass.

One of the objects he had in view was to discover a new and shorter route from the western base of the Rocky Mountains to the mouth of the Columbia river. This search, for a part of the distance, would carry him through the unsettled, and afterward through a corner of the settled parts of California. He approached these settlements in the winter of 1845—46. Aware of the critical state of affairs between the United States and Mexico, and determined to give no cause of offence to the authorities of her province, with commendable prudence he halted his command on the frontier, one hundred miles from Monterey, and proceeded alone to that city to explain the object of his coming to the commandant general, Castro, and to obtain permission to go the valley of the San Joaquim, where there was game for his men and grass for his horses, and no inhabitants to be molested by his presence. The leave was granted; but scarcely had he reached the desired spot for refreshment and repose, before he received information from the American settlements, and by expresses from our Consul at Monterey, that General Castro was preparing to attack him with a comparatively large force of artillery, cavalry, and infantry, upon the pretext that, under the cover of a scientific mission, he was exciting the American settlers to revolt. In view of this danger, and to be in a condition to repel an attack, he then took a position on a mountain overlooking Monterey, at a distance of about thirty miles, entrenched it, raised the flag of the United States, and with his own men, sixty-two in number, awaited the approach of the commandant general.

From the 7th to the 10th of March, Colonel Fremont and his little band maintained this position. General Castro did not approach within attacking distance, and Colonel Fremont, adhering to his plan of avoiding all collisions, and determined neither to compromit his Government nor the American settlers, ready to join him at all hazards, if he had been attacked, abandoned his position, and commenced his march for Oregon, intending by that route to return to the United States. Deeming all danger from the Mexicans to be passed, he yielded to the wishes of some of his men, who desired to remain in the country, discharged them from his service, and refused to receive others in their stead, so cautious was he to avoid doing anything which would compromit the American settlers or give even a color of offence to the Mexican authorities. He pursued his march slowly and leisurely, as the state of his men and horses required, until the middle of May, and had reached the Northern shore of the greater Tlamath lake, within the limits of the Oregon Territory, when he found his further progress in that direction obstructed by impassable snowy mountains and hostile Indians, who had been excited against him by General Castro, had killed and wounded four of his men, and left him no repose either in camp or on his march. At the same time, information reached him that General Castro, in addition to his Indian allies, was advancing in person against him, with artillery and cavalry, at the head of four or five hundred men; that they were passing around the head of the Bay of San Francisco to a rendezvous on the North side of it, and that the American settlers in the valley of the Sacramento were comprehended in the scheme of destruction meditated against his own party.

Under these circumstances, he determined to turn upon his Mexican pursuers, and seek safety both for his own party and the American settlers, not merely in the defeat of Castro, but in the total overthrow of the Mexican authority in California, and the establishment of an independent government in that extensive department. It was on the 6th of June, and before the commencement of the war between the United States and Mexico could have there been known, that this resolution was taken; and, by the 5th of July it was carried into effect by a series of rapid attacks, by a small body of adventurous men, under the conduct of an intrepid leader, quick to perceive and able to direct the proper measures for accomplishing such a daring enterprise.

On the 11th of June a convoy of 200 horse for Castro's camp with an officer and 14 men, were surprised and captured by 12 of Fremont's party. On the 15th, at daybreak, the military post of Sanoma was also surprised and taken, with nine brass cannon, 250 stand of muskets, and several officers, and some men and munitions of war.

Leaving a small garrison at Sanoma, Col. Fremont went to the Sacremento to rouse the American settlers; but scarcely had he arrived there, when an express reached him from the garrison at Sanoma, with information that Castro's whole force was crossing the bay to attack that place. This intelligence was received in the afternoon of the 23d of June, while he was on the American fork of the Sacramento, 80 miles from the little garrison at Sanoma; and, at 2 o'clock on the morning of the 25th, he arrived at that place with 90 riflemen from the American settlers in that valley. The enemy had not yet appeared. Scouts were sent out to reconnoitre, and a party of 20 fell in with a squadron of 70 dragoons, (all of Castro's force which had crossed the bay,) attacked and defeated it, killing and wounding five, without harm to themselves; the Mexican commander, De la Torre, barely escaping with the loss of his transport boats and nine pieces of brass artillery, spiked.

The country north of the Bay of San Francisco being cleared of the enemy, Colonel Fremont returned to Sanoma on the evening of the 4th of July, and, on the morning of the 5th, called the people together, explained to them the condition of things in the province, and recommended an immediate declaration of independence.—The declaration was made, and he was selected to take the chief directions of affairs.

The attack on Castro was the next object. He was at Santa Clara, an entrenched post on the upper or south side of the Bay of San Francisco, with 400 men and two pieces of field artillery.—A circuit of more than a hundred miles must be traversed to reach him. On the 6th of July the pursuit was commenced, by a body of 160 mounted riflemen, commanded by Col. Fremont in person, in three days, arrived at the American settlements on the Rio de los Americanos. Here he learnt that Castro had abandoned Santa Clara and was retreating south towards Ciudad de los Angeles, (the city of the Angels,) the seat of the Governor General of the Californias, and distant 400 miles. It was instantly resolved on to pursue him to that place. At the moment of departure the gratifying intelligence was received that war with Mexico had commenced; that Monterey had been taken by our naval force, and the flag of the United States there raised on the 7th of July; and that the fleet would co-operate in the pursuit of Castro and his forces. The flag of independence was hauled down, and that of the United States hoisted, amidst the hearty greeting and to the great joy of the American settlers and the forces under the command of Col. Fremont.

The combined pursuit was rapidly continued; and on the 12th of August, Commodore Stockton and Col. Fremont, with a detachment of marines from the squadron and some riflemen, entered the city of the Angels, without resistance or objection; the Governor General, Pico, the Commandant General, Castro, and all the Mexican authorities, having fled and dispersed. Commodore Stockton took possession of the whole country as a conquest of the United States, and appointed Colonel Fremont, Governor, under the law of nations, to assume the functions of that office when he should return to the squadron.

Thus, in the short space of sixty days from the first decisive movement, this conquest was achieved, by a small body of men, to an extent beyond their own expectation; for the Mexican authorities proclaimed it a conquest, not merely of the northern part, but of the whole province of the Californias.

The Commandant General, Castro, on the 9th of August, from his camp at the Mesa, and next day "on the road to Sonora," announced this result to the people, together with the actual flight and dispersion of the former authorities; and at the same time, he officially communicated the fact of the conquest to the French, English and Spanish Consuls in California; and to crown the whole, the official papers of the Mexican government, on the 16th of October, in laying these official communications before the public, introduced them with the emphatic declaration, "The whole province was yielded up to the United States, and is now in our military occupancy."—A small part of the troops sent out to subject this province will constitute, it is presumed, a sufficient force to retain our possession, and the remainder will be disposable for other objects of the war.

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W. L. MARCY.

To the President of the United States.

PITTSBURGH, June 25, 1856.

Editor Pittsburgh Gazette:

Dear Sir:—Allow us, as fellow-citizens, to call your attention to a very noble moral enterprise in our city, which claims our attention and interest, and to secure its full success, must have our sympathy and co-operation. We refer to the "Bethel Cause."

You must be aware that permanent operations for the moral and religious improvement of the many connected with the commerce of our city, were commenced three years since, and have been continued, not without success, to the present time. A room has been rented for a term of years, and neatly fitted up as a place of worship for the River and Canal men, situated on the corner of Water and Short streets, very convenient to those for whose benefit it was designed.

Stated worship and Sabbath Schools are held every Sabbath. The undivided and untiring services of an efficient Chaplain are bestowed; and we are happy in being able to say, congregations generally good and sometimes even large, and Sabbath Schools prosperous.

Through the politeness of the Surveyor of this Port, we gather the following statistics of our River and Canal commerce:

187 Steamers running in different trades, averaging at least 30 men and boys each, making the aggregate employed on Steamers	4110
Making 3288 arrivals of Steamers at our city during the year.	
Canal and Produce Boats and Barges	479
Keel Boats	129
Flat Boats	164
Averaging at least 4 men each, making an aggregate of	3088
employed on this class of Boats.	
Making a total aggregate of those employed on our *regular* River and Canal trade	7198

We should add to the above, if it could be definitely ascertained, the number of transient boats and men employed on them, that are found participating in the business of our growing city, which undoubtedly increases the number of those necessarily and actually engaged directly in the commerce of this city, to *over eight thousand souls.*

As business men and citizens, we feel we are deeply interested in every way in this enterprise. We ask the question, With this number of Watermen, and their families, in our midst, can we afford to be without a Bethel Church? Can we keep back from disseminating those moral influences which are the elements of all true and lasting greatness and prosperity? We unhesitatingly answer, no. All business men and Christians will unite in the same response.

We appeal to Capitalists, Business Men, and all others, to unite in placing our City Bethel upon a permanent foundation, and providing for its future operations.

Rev. Messrs. Fitch and Boughton are now making a call on our citizens in behalf of the object above stated, and we bespeak for those gentlemen your hearty co-operation.

We are, Sir, Yours truly,

Wm. Bingham, Mayor,	Allen Kramer,
Everson, Preston & Co.	W. Robinson, Jr.,
Wm. Thaw,	J. H. Shoenberger,
Leech & Co.	R. E. Sellers & Co.
J. W. Hailman,	Livingston, Copeland & Co.
Wm. Bagaley,	
M'Cord & Co.	N. Holmes & Sons,
M'Gills & Roe,	H. Childs & Co.

COFFEE—100 bgs prime quality Rio, 20 bags prime quality Laguayra. Just rec'd and for sale by je12 H. H. KING.

GREASING OIL, for wagons, buggies, coal cars, &c., just rec'd and for sale low by je13 M. DE LANGE, 233 Liberty st., opposite the head of Wood.

MOLASSES—150 bbls N O Molasses; 10 do S. H. do. In store and for sale by T. LITTLE & CO., No 112 Second st.

LACE LEATHER—Belting Clasps, Rivets and Burrs, for sale by M. DE LANGE, je13 233 Liberty st., opposite head of Wood.

DRIED APPLES—50 bush. just rec'd and for sale by je11 R. HUTCHINSON.

N. O. SUGAR—50 hhds. N O Sugar in store and for sale by ATWELL, LEE & CO.

WATER COOLERS—In all sizes, from 6 quarts to 6 galls., of our own manufacture, warranted. Call and see at the Iron City Stove and Tin Warehouse, 134 Wood st. je10 T. J. CRAIG & CO.

BANK OIL, of superior quality, just rec'd by je13 M. DELANGE, 233 Liberty st., opposite the head of Wood.

NAILS—250 kegs Nails, ass'd sizes, in store and for sale by ATWELL, LEE & CO.

TAR—125 bbls N. O. Tar, large bbls, in store and for sale by ATWELL, LEE & CO.

PURE PERUVIAN GUANA with Government brand, for sale by je10 HOLMES & COLLINS, No. 129 Wood street.

THE Horse's Foot and How to Keep it sound by William Mills. For sale by HOLMES & COLLINS, No 129 Wood st.

STRAWBERRY BASKETS for sale by je9 HOLMES & COLLINS.

CHEESE—150 boxes prime Cutting just rec'd and for sale by R. HUTCHINSON, je11 No 116 Second street.

LARD—10 kgs No 1 Lard in store and for sale by je10 ATWELL, LEE & CO.

DRY APPLES—75 bus choice Dry Apples in store and for sale by ATWELL, LEE & CO.

PIPES—100 bxs Clay Pipes; 75 " Stone Pipe Heads, in store and for sale by je10 ATWELL, LEE & CO.

THE Co-Partnership heretofore existing under the style of WM. McCUTCHEON & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. H. D. Norton having withdrawn from the business. All the business of the old firm will be settled by Wm. McCutcheon. H. D. NORTON. May 15th, 1856.—my17 WM. McCUTCHEON.

BATHING APPARATUS—A full assortment of Shower, Plunge and Sitting Bathing Vessels, also, Childrens' Baths, on hand at the Iron City Stove Warehouse of T. J. CRAIG & CO., 134 Wood st.

BUTTER—6 bbls choice Roll Butter; 2 do do do do; 8 kegs do packed do, in store and for sale by je10 ATWELL, LEE & CO.

ROTTEN STONE—17 bbls for sale by B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO., je11 corner First and Wood st.

WHITE & CHECKED CANTON MATTING—A fresh assortment of all widths, this day rec'd, at the Fourth Street Carpet Store. je17 W. D. & H. McCALLUM.

1 LARGE HEAVY VARNISH KETTLE for sale by J. SCHOONMAKER & CO., 24 Wood st.

SUGAR—10 hhds. prime N. O. Sugar for sale by je23 HENRY H. COLLINS.

CODFISH—5 casks of Codfish on consignment and for sale by SPRINGER HARBAUGH.

WANTED—A Journeyman Machinist of experience, in a Car Factory. To a man with good references, $10 per week will be paid. je12 R. CUTHBERT & SON, 51 Market st.

GOLDEN SYRUP—26 bbls Balt. G. Syrup in store and for sale by ATWELL, LEE & CO.

S. C. SODA—50 kgs S C Soda in store and for sale by ATWELL, LEE & CO.

SALERATUS—75 bxs Saleratus, in papers, in store and for sale by ATWELL, LEE & CO.

SOAP & CANDLES—55 bxs No 1 German Soap; 40 bxs Star Candles; 76 do Rosin Soap; 33 do Mould Candles. In store and for sale by ATWELL, LEE & CO.

LARD OIL—15 bbls No 1 Lard Oil in store and for sale by je10 ATWELL, LEE & CO.

MACKAREL—20 bbls. No. 3 Large and 25 bbls. No. 3 Medium, just rec'd and for sale by je11 R. HUTCHINSON.

CONGRESS WATER—36 dox Saratoga Water (Congress Water) just rec'd by je13 JOS. FLEMING, cor Market st. and Dia'd.

BACON—50,000 lbs Bacon Hams; 50,000 " " Shoulders, just receiving from smoke house and for sale by je16 T. LITTLE & CO., No 112 Second st.

DRAB D'TE and Black Summer Cloth, at je21:d&wS MURPHY & BURCHFIELD'S.

FARM FOR SALE—In North Fayette Township, Allegheny Co., containing 65 acres, 40 of which are under cultivation; prime land. The balance in timber. The improvements are good and convenient. Apply to je10 BLAKELY & RICKEY.

HIDES—506 Dry Flint Hides just arriving and for sale by SPRINGER HARBAUGH.

SUGAR CURED HAMS—10 tcs just rec'd and for sale by SPRINGER HARBAUGH.

BLUE LICK WATER—10 bbls of this celebrated Mineral Water just rec'd by je13 JOS. FLEMING, cor. Market st. and Dia'd.

FISH—Mackerel, Shad, Hominy, White Fish, Trout, Salmon, in whole and half barrels, for sale by je14 HENRY H. COLLINS.

TRANSPARENT GREEN OIL CLOTH, "not patented" for Window Shades, superior to any other manufactured in this city, for sale wholesale and retail at our warerooms No. 116, Market st. je13 J. & H. PHILLIPS.

LAKE FISH—50 hlf bbls White fish just rec'd and for sale by je11 R. HUTCHINSON.

RIO COFFEE—175 bgs choice Green Rio Coffee in store and for sale by ATWELL, LEE & CO.

PEARL ASH—30 bbls. No. 1 just rec'd and for sale by je11 R. HUTCHINSON.

SUNDRIES—50 bbls new large No 3 Mackerel; 50 ½ do do do do; 50 ½ and whole do No 1 Shad; 20 bbls No 1 Herring; 60 do extra Flour, in store and for sale by je10 WATT & WILSON.

HAY ELEVATORS, with antifriction blocks, for sale by je16 HOLMES & COLLINS, No 129 Wood st.

MONTGOMERY'S Celebrated Grain Cradles for sale by je16 HOLMES & COLLINS.

COFFEE—200 bgs Prime Rio Coffee, for sale by JNO. FLOYD & CO., je16 Corner 6th & Wood sts.

TEA—110 half chests Young Hyson & Black Teas, for sale by je16 JNO FLOYD & CO.

TALLOW, OIL & GREASE—15 bbls now landing from steamer Jacob Poe, for sale by je12 ISAIAH DICKEY & CO.

DRIED BEEF—10 tcs extra S C Dried Beef in store and for sale by T. LITTLE & CO.

FISH—50 bbls No 3 large Mackerel, 20 do No 3 medium, 20 half bbls No 2 large, for sale by je16 JNO FLOYD & CO.

BACON—6 hhds assorted on consignment for sale low to close by je16 JNO FLOYD & CO.

LINSEED OIL—10 bbls pure just rec'd and for sale by je11 R. HUTCHINSON.