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WEDNESDAY [illegible] AND LIES.—The disturbance which [illegible] created in the democratic ranks by the attempt to force a constitution upon Kansas against the will of its people, is a remarkable political development, and worthy of special note. We have our suspicions as to what the result will be—a yielding of this northern opposition, bold and determined as it seems, and an acquiescence in the demands of the South, for the sake, of course, of saving the Union. Already the *Union*, of this city, which uttered some bold words of protest at first, has caved in and gone over to the side of the administration. So has the Harrisburg *Union*, and the Albany *Argus*, and so, we fear, will they all; but it is nevertheless well to see and know how the land lies, *now*, that we may judge the present by the lessons of the future.

The list of leading democratic papers which oppose the Calhoun Constitution, embraces the Philadelphia *Press*, New Hampshire *Patriot*, Buffalo *Courier*, New York *Herald*, Detroit *Free Press*, Chicago *Press*, Louisville (Ky.) *Democrat*, Indianapolis *Sentinel*, Milwaukie *News*, Dubuque *Express*, Springfield *Register*, (Illinois), Pittsburgh *Post*, Toledo *Commercial*, Cincinnati *Enquirer*, and Columbus, (Ohio,) *Statesman*. These are representative papers; many of the smaller fry follow in their wake.

The Columbus (O.) *Statesman* says:

"We have received many letters from active, influential and unwavering Democrats, adjuring us to stand fast by the principles of our party and popular sovereignty, and asking us whether the Democracy will reject the constitution of the twenty-eight traitors when it is presented to Congress. *In reference to our position, our friends may be assured that it is taken for better or for worse, and will be maintained to the last extremity.*"

Col. Forney's *Press* says:

"As yet, there has been no known authoritative enunciation of his (Buchanan's) policy since the adoption of the Calhoun Constitution. What we do know, however, is, that the Democratic party of the free States, so far as we can ascertain their sentiments, are in a large degree inexorably opposed to this Constitution. A recent visit to our native county of Lancaster, and the adjoining county of York, and a somewhat free intercourse during our stay with the people of those counties, as well as an intimate knowledge of their sentiments, induce us to declare that on this subject there is scarcely to be found a dissenting opinion."

Hon. S. S. Cox is the Congressman from the Columbus (Ohio) district. The *Statesman* says of him:

"*Mr. Cox assures us that he has had the fullest communication with his constituents, and he has not found a single Democrat in favor of admitting the State under it, until it has been fairly and fully submitted to the people—a fact of which we are perfectly and unmistakably assured by the people themselves.* This is a crisis in which no Democrat can err ignorantly—no mistake can be made, by any true friend of popular sovereignty, from the East, West, North or South."

Concerning Mr. Douglas, the Chicago *Journal* says he left there on Wednesday night, "full of wrath and fury at the course of the Administration, and with an openly avowed purpose to oppose the doctrines enunciated by the Washington Union to the bitter end." Perhaps so; but we shall wait for better evidence of this unexpected honesty on the part of that Senator. We incline to believe that the following, from the Chicago *Press*, is a fair guess at the purpose of the little giant:

"Prior to that gentleman's departure from this city, he summoned his leading journalists to a private interview in which he doubtless instructed them to keep comparatively quiet until further orders. Mr. Douglas is a candidate for the Presidency in 1860, and also for re-election to the Senate by the next Legislature. He goes to Washington, first, to drive a trade for the former office. If successful in that, the other becomes of but secondary consequence, and he will run the chances of getting that as matters stand. Mr. Douglas is ready to indorse the doings of his agent in Kansas, Calhoun, and give his adhesion to the Lecompton Constitution, provided Mr. Buchanan, Mr. Cobb, and other aspirants for the Presidency in 1860, will give way to his claims. If they will not do so, then Mr. Douglas is ready to set up in opposition to the Administration, to unite with the Republicans and the *clergy* (think of that!) in kicking the Lecompton constitution out of Congress, and referring the whole subject back again to the people of Kansas, as the means most likely to secure his return to the Senate. The fact that Mr. Calhoun, the warm, personal and political friend of Douglas, headed the triumphant party in the Lecompton Convention, and that the *Times* and *State Register*, the Senator's well known organs in Illinois, have denounced the action of that Convention, places Mr. Douglas in a position to go either way as his personal interests may seem to demand. That he will be influenced by no higher consideration than this, his past history fully demonstrates, and that he has labored to put matters into their present shape for the express purpose of making capital for himself, no one who knows him well will doubt."

The *Pennsylvanian* makes steady war upon the "*Press*" and its coadjutors in this fight, denouncing them as Black Republicans and all that sort of thing; while the Washington *Union* assails them as factionists and cracks the whip over them as refractory slaves who we chastised into obedience. The administration is evidently a good deal alarmed at the tokens of rebellion; but still entertains the conviction that it can force all the rebellions into the party traces. Let us wait and see.

THE HARPIES.—In the old books which by right of antiquity the world calls "classic," the tale of the Harpies is related. Terrible birds were they, of dire aspect—most hideous to behold. They were not less filthy than greedy, and whatever they left of their plunder was so sadly befouled that only dire necessity could ever force the hungry victim of their rapacity to partake of. The feast was spread; the guests invited; the bowls of wassail crowned with flowers; the voluptuous guest already reclined on his cushion of rare workmanship; music filled the air; the old singer with his harp foretold the glories of the future and recounted the deeds of the past. But as soon as the favored voluptuaries stretched forth their jeweled hands to the repast, the air grew dark with the rush of flapping wings; the devourers covered all the scene with their terrible presence; what they wished they took; what they did not desire they spoiled.

The ancient Harpies were mythical but nevertheless representative. They have kept their progeny in full life through many generations. The latest exemplification of their power which we have seen is that which the South has afforded to the dough-face locofoco organ-grinders and time-servers that disfigure the face of society in almost every city and town of the free States. How were they bidden to the feast of popular sovereignty one year ago! The tables were spread and the viands prepared, when, lo! to-day the Harpies descend and despoil the feast. True, it was in the beginning one of bitterness, but it had been spread with such taste and sweetened so with places of delightful ease that at last all came to the banquet content. The Harpies have already devoured the choice bits and left the poor creatures that still linger disgusted about the board to pick up what few crumbs they can manage to swallow. The wry faces with which this is performed are more amusing than painful to behold. The despoiled rights of an innocent people, torn, plundered and outraged, are already called by some name euphonious, and swallowed with concealed grimaces but with feigned delight. The Harpies from the land of fillibusters and plunderers have taken their fill, and, worse even than those of old, cram their own disgusting leavings down the throats of those who would like to look on only. Now, let the poor wretches who are obliged to eat what Harpy Toombs and his satellite, Buchanan, have defiled for 'em, go on and stuff themselves with the food which not even swine would eat without pain. To us it will be pleasant to see them do it.

A FATHER AND SON SENT TO THE NEW YORK STATE PRISON.—The Buffalo *Commercial* says that in that city, on Saturday, a young man by the name of Halsey Woodworth was sentenced by Judge Sheldon to Auburn for the term of six years and six months, for passing counterfeit money. But a week before, his father was sentenced to the same prison for two years and ten months, for burglary.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30, 1857.—The disagreement between the President and Gov. Walker is confirmed positively. All the interviews and [illegible] intervention resulted in no approach to a compromise, each insisting on his original position. Gov. Walker considers the suggestion made to vote on the Slavery clause, and then refer back the remaining part of the Constitution by an act of Congress, as complicating the question and aggravating the difficulties. He is in favor of meeting the issue in the present form, and avows the purpose of opposing its acceptance with all his influence. The President is equally determined to sustain the Constitution, regarding it as the most practical mode of reaching the conclusion. He will make it a test in the party.

The forthcoming Message will emphasize these opinions, the President being encouraged thereto by the promise of the united support of the South. He will not remove Walker, being content with censuring his position. Walker will not resign, but will remain here to contest the point before Congress.

Senator Broderick openly avows his general opposition to the Administration, and letters from Senator Douglas look in the same direction, with qualifications. He will reach here on Tuesday and speak for himself.

An attempt may be made to introduce Kansas into Democratic caucus before proceeding to nominations for Speaker and Clerk, owing to the unexpected phase the issue has now assumed. If so, a split is inevitable. Powerful influences are being exerted to prevent such a movement, the leaders fearing the struggle and its consequences.—*N. Y. Trib.*

A DREADFUL SPECTACLE.—It will be remembered that the Russian line of battle ship Lafort lately capsized at noon day in the Bay of Finland, carrying down twelve hundred persons, of whom nearly four hundred were females. A writer in the London *Times* from St. Petersburg, says:

"Such persons as were on deck at the time were of course at once washed away, but the divers found no less than 1,100 corpses in the cabins 'tween decks, and in the hold of the vessel, all clinging to some portion of the timbers of the ship, or to each other. The horror of this fearful sight appears to have been aggravated by the circumstance that the bodies were already far gone in decomposition, and, with few exceptions, the eyes were wide open and glaring. The effect of this dreadful spectacle on the divers was such that one of them was totally unable for many days to recount the ghastly scenes he had witnessed down in that hive of putrefying corpses, and on his persistent refusal to repeat his visit there, was sent home."

OUR PRODUCE EXPORTS.—From Jan. 1st to Nov. 27th, 1856, our exports of produce from New York amounted to $45,313,003; during the same period this year they are only $23,768,783, or about one-half. Flour shows a falling off of one-half, Wheat two-thirds, and Pork falls off in still greater proportion. Look at this table:

	1856.	1857.
Cotton	$ 9,236,955	$9,244,357
Flour	13,824,579	5,613,115
Wheat	12,973,266	4,277,616
Corn	2,898,284	1,668,802
Corn Meal	256,695	179,521
Rye Flour		13,557
Beef	971,792	793,781
Pork	5,146,422	978,183
Grand Total	$45,313,003	$23,768,782

Those who think we are going to pay our debt to Europe with produce would need to consult this table thoroughly.

A FEELING of profound regret pervades the business community of Philadelphia at the announcement that the long established and well-known domestic commission house of Thomas S. Martin have suspended. This was the oldest domestic commission house in that city, and passed firmly through the crisis of 1837. Mr. Thomas retired from the firm some years ago upon an ample fortune, and subsequently became President of the Commercial Bank, in which position he remained until his death. The business of the firm has been continued by Mr. James Martin, with whom the superior credit enjoyed by the firm continued undoubted up to the present suspension. This, we learn, has been brought about by the utter impossibility of making sales of an immense stock of goods on hand, upon which acceptances are running to maturity, and a wise determination not to make sacrifices for money outside of the regular channels. Mr. Martin is a prominent member of the Society of Friends, and no name stood higher or was better known in monetary circles in Philadelphia.—*N. Y. Trib.*

THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE.—The Dublin University Magazine says:—"Dictionary English is something very different not only from common colloquial English, but even from that of ordinary written composition. Instead of about 40,000 words, there is probably no single author in the language from whose works, however voluminous, so many as ten thousand words could be collected. Of the 40,000 words there are certainly many more than one-half that are only employed, if they are ever employed at all, on the rarest occasions. We should any of us be surprised to find, if we counted them, with how small a number of words we manage to express all that we have to say, either with our lips or even with the pen. Our common literary English probably hardly amounts to 10,000 words; our common spoken English, hardly to 5000."

THE Cincinnati *Commercial* says that suits were commenced in the United States Circuit Court on Saturday, by James Lee & Co. of New York, against eight Banks of that State for the recovery of various sums of money amounting in the aggregate to $397,000 for drafts in that amount endorsed by them, which were drawn on E. Ludlow, Cashier of the Ohio Life and Trust Company Bank, and made payable to their order, and also for money advanced to the defendants—the drafts being unpaid at maturity. The Banks sued are the Bank of Xenia, Ross County Bank, Bank of Marietta and the Mad River Valley, Chillicothe, Logan, Athens and Piqua branches of the State Bank.

THE financial pressure is materially affecting the interests of the dwellers on Cape Cod. The Barnstable *Patriot*, in an Editorial on the subject, states that not less than $450,000 worth of fish and oil is now stored at Provincetown, awaiting purchasers. The very low prices of fish, unparalled for several years, and the difficulty of knowing whom to trust in these times of mercantile peril, almost entirely suspend business, and keeps back large dues from fishermen and their families.

A CURIOUS will case is pending in Dallas Co., Ala. Ephraim Pool, last summer, died after a short illness, but procured the services of a friend to draw his will. By that instrument he bequeathed a fortune of $60,000 to two mulatto women and their children, his own offspring, and gave the drawer of the will a negro for his trouble, besides making him sole trustee, with direction to send these slaves to a free State. The heirs of Pool contest the will on the ground that he was of unsound mind.

MANUFACTURE OF COTTON SEED.—Oil for illuminating purposes, made from cotton seed, has been introduced into this vicinity, and is much preferred to whale oil. Its cost at retail is about $1,25 per gallon. This oil is manufactured at an establishment in Providence. The hulls of the seed are first taken off, and these are made into sheathing paper, while the remains, after pressing for oil, make a good article of oil cake for cattle. Thus the hitherto useless cotton seed is converted into three useful articles.—*Woonsocket (R. I.) Pat.*

HOW JURORS ARE SELECTED.—In a trial in New York in an insurance case, it was found in the course of the proceedings that one of the jurors did not understand a word of English. It appeared that a brother juror interpreted the evidence for him. A citizen's hold upon the property he has acquired by his industry must be very slight, when it is called into question in a court where such things can occur.

COMPARATIVE statement of the foreign imports at New York for the week and since Jan. 1:

For the week	1855.	1856.	1857.
Dry Goods	$1,028,846	$823,538	$556,633
General Merch'ise	1,680,960	2,511,335	1,715,635
Total for the week	$2,609,506	$3,334,873	$2,272,268
Previously report'd	139,407,249	193,098,625	206,906,581
Since Jan. 1	$142,077,049	$196,433,498	$209,178,849

THE National *Era*, in noticing that part of Governor Wise's late letter in which he declares that if a Republican President had been elected in 1856, he would have been for a dissolution of the Union, says, "Our only regret is that his valor was not subjected to the test. God helping us, we will give him an opportunity of playing the rebel in 1860."

THOS. C. GILMAN, of Rochester, N. Y., who was engaged in the swindle practised last year by selling in the west forged drafts on the Corn Exchange Bank of New York, and who escaped to Europe, has returned and been arrested in New York.

THE intelligence by the North Star from California leaves but little room to doubt that the 118 emigrants massacred in the southern part of Utah, while on their way to California, were massacred by the Mormons. If our National Administration was not utterly imbecile, these assassins would soon be exterminated.

WHEAT FROZEN IN.—There are 900,000 bus. of Wheat frozen in in the Welland Canal, on its way to Oswego and other Ontario ports; 1,000,000 bus. on the Erie Canal; and 1,500,000 bus. on vessels frozen up, stranded or lost on the lakes between Chicago and Buffalo: total 3,400,000 bushels.

A LATE American editor, who has gone over to the Locofoco side of politics, complains of "a violent pain in the region of the left auricle of the heart." Perhaps he *lies too much on that side.*—*Louisville Jour.*

Special Notices.

Another Pittsburgher testifying to the wonderful curative powers of Boerhave's Holland Bitters.—Mr. JACOB WHITE, Third street, below Market, says:

"For a year past I have been afflicted very seriously with Dyspepsia, so much so, that my stomach refused to retain anything; I have tried almost every remedy, and the regimen of several physicians, but without alleviation, until I began the use of *Boerhave's Holland Bitters*, and have now found relief almost amounting to a cure. I found it efficacious in removing the extreme debility occasioned by this disease, and generally as a tonic it has few equals and no superior."

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An Infallible Cough Remedy.—I had been sick three months, not able to do anything, with a cough, and stuffed condition of the wind-pipe; I tried several of the best physicians in this city without receiving any benefit, all of them sold my lungs were affected. I was confined to my bed during the greater part of this time, I expectorated a great deal of matter from my lungs. The first two doses of your Pectoral Syrup that I took, I could not take without laying down in my bed, but before I had taken two bottles I was entirely cured. I have been well ever since. My sickness commenced about the first of March, of this year. I am now, and was at the time of my sickness, living at Thomas Patterson's, in Union street, near the Diamond. Pittsburgh, Oct. 23, '57. MICHAEL MCAVOY.

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THE HEALTH OF AMERICAN WOMEN.—For many years I have been troubled with general weariness and languor, both mental and physical; caprice, listlessness, dull headache, pain in the head and temples, coldness and tendency to stiffness, palpitation of the heart, very easily fluttered or excited, appetite variable, stomach and bowels deranged, with pain. Any mental or physical exertion was sure to bring on all the symptoms, and I had in addition, falling of the womb, and great pain in the region. One physician after another exhausted his skill and gave me up. A patient and persevering use of MARSHALL'S UTERINE CATHOLICON fortunately cured me and I have no words sufficient to express my thankfulness. Mrs. JULIA ANNE JOHNSON.

I can truly say that I have been a sufferer for many years with whites and deranged menstruation. After a while I lost away, general languor and debility, pain in the small of the back, a sort of aching and dragging sensation, pain between the shoulder blades extending down the spine, loss of appetite, trouble in the stomach and bowels, with cold hands and feet and dreadful nervousness. The least excitement would make me feel as if I should fly away. I tried doctors and drugs, and everything, one after another, without any benefit. One bottle of MARSHALL'S UTERINE CATHOLICON changed some of my symptoms for the better, and now I am entirely and radically cured. I wish that every woman could know what it will do. CLARISSA OBER.

MARSHALL'S UTERINE CATHOLICON has saved my life, as I verily believe. Skilled doctors and medicine until it seemed useless to try longer, which I met with a lady who recommended the Catholicon so strongly that I deemed it my duty to try it. I was mostly troubled with deranged menstruation. My symptoms were principally pains in the back and abdomen, bearing down pains at the time of the illness, bloating, sickness, nausea, constipation, feeling as if the back and limbs were bruised or broken, eructations and vomiting, anxiety (fits seemed to be a burden), disturbed sleep, falling, hot flashes, [illegible], fatigue on walking in the morning, faintness, especially when stooping, great irritability of temper, almost constant inclination to burst, great restlessness and desire to weep or feel unhappy. I was not only entirely cured of myself of all these symptoms, which I have given as an instance of the perfect account of my sufferings, but I have known so many others cured in our town that I feel bound to let you know that others who are similarly situated may also find relief. EMMA VOSBURGH.

For a long time I had Uterine complaints with the following symptoms: I was nervous, emaciated and irritable; disease seemed to abound in complaints, some of which I will try to give you: pain in the lower organs, and a feeling as if something was going to fall out; inability to walk much on account of a feeling of fullness, aching and dragging, and shooting pains in the back, loins, and extending down the spasmodic disturbances and pains in the side, stomach and bowels; headaches, with ringing in the ears; every fiber of the body seemed sore; great irritability; intense nervousness, I could not bear the least excitement without being prostrated for a day; I could scarcely go more about the house, and did not take pleasure in anything. I had given up hope, having my attention to MARSHALL'S UTERINE CATHOLICON. I took it, hoping against hope. Most fortunately it cured me, and there is not a healthier or more grateful woman in the country. I trust all will use it. It is truly the woman's friend in need. Mrs. FLORENCE LESLIE.

MARSHALL'S UTERINE CATHOLICON will certainly cure Falling of the Womb, Whites, Suppressed, Irregular or Painful Menstruation, Bloating, Inflammations and Diseases of the Kidneys or Urinary Organs, Retention or Incontinence of Urine, Heartburn, Costiveness, Nervousness, Faintings, Palpitations, Cramps, Disturbed Sleep, and all troubles organic or sympathetic, connected with the Uterine organs.

The price of MARSHALL'S UTERINE CATHOLICON is One Dollar and a Half per single bottle.

On the receipt of six dollars five bottles shall be sent by express, free of charge, to the end of the express route.

Be particular to write the post office address, town, county and State.

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FOR IT RESTORES PERMANENTLY Gray Hair to its original color; covers luxuriantly the bald head; removes all dandruff, itching and all scrofula, scald head and all eruptions; makes the hair soft, healthy, and glossy; and will preserve it to any imaginable age, removes, as if by magic, all blotches, &c., from the face, and cures all neuralgia and nervous headache. See circular and the following:

DOVER, N. H., Feb. 2, 1857. PROF. O. J. WOOD & CO.—Gents: Within a few days we have received so many orders and calls for Prof. O. J. Wood's Hair Restorative, that to-day we were compelled to send to Boston for a quantity, (the 6 dozen you forwarded all being sold,) while we might order a quantity from you. *Every bottle we have sold seems to have produced three or four new customers*, and the approbation, and patronage it receives from the most substantial and worthy citizens of our vicinity, fully convince us that it is A MOST VALUABLE PREPARATION. Send us as soon as may be one gross of $1 size; and one dozen $2 size; and believe us yours very respectfully, (Signed) DANIEL LATHROP & CO.

HICKORY GROVE, St. Charles Co., Mo., Nov. 19, 1856. PROF. O. J. WOOD—Dear Sir: Some time last summer we were induced to use some of your Hair Restorative, and its effects were so wonderful, we feel it our duty to you and the afflicted, to report it. Our little son's head for some time had been perfectly covered with sores, and some called it scald head. The hair almost entirely came off in consequence, when a friend, seeing his sufferings, advised us to use your Restorative, we did so with little hope of success, but, to our surprise, and that of all our friends, a very few applications removed the disease entirely, and a new and luxuriant crop of hair soon started out, and we can now say, that our boy, has as healthy a scalp, and as luxuriant a crop of hair as any other child.—We can therefore, and do hereby recommend your Restorative, as a perfect remedy for all diseases of the scalp and hair. We are, yours, respectfully, GEORGE W. HIGGINBOTHAM. SARAH A. HIGGINBOTHAM.

GARDINER, Maine, June 22, 1855. PROF. O. J. WOOD—Dear Sir: I have had two bottles of Prof. Wood's Hair Restorative, and can truly say it is the greatest discovery of the age for restoring and changing the Hair. Before using it I was a man of seventy. My hair has now attained its original color. You can recommend it to the world without the least fear, as my case was one of the worst kind. Yours respectfully, DANIEL L. MURPHY.

O. J. WOOD & CO., Proprietors, 312 Broadway, N. Y., (in the great N. Y. Wire Railing Establishment) and 114 Market street, St. Louis, Mo., and sold by all good Druggists. no20 en2d:lydawT

WOOD'S HAIR RESTORATIVE.—A large quantity on hand and for sale by B. L. FAHNESTOCK & CO., corner of Fourth and Wood sts. no16

ICE SPURS, FOR WALKING ON SLIPPERY PAVEMENTS during winter weather. Several gross assorted sizes, for ladies or gentlemen for sale cheap by the manufacture, J. D. MATTHEWS, Smithfield street, near Sixth. no23:2wd

CITY WARRANTS for sale by E. McLAIN & SON, 59½ Fourth st. no24

New Advertisements.

AN ORDINANCE Providing for the assessment and collection of City Taxes and Water Rents in the city of Pittsburgh.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted, &c., That it shall be the duty of the City Assessor to assess the City Taxes and Business Tax as heretofore under existing Ordinances, but he shall copy the assessment of City Taxes into one book and that of the Business Tax into another book, making the assessment for each ward separate in each book.—He shall furnish the assessment books herein provided for to the City Treasurer on or before the 1st day of June in each and every year, and he shall also furnish to the city Controller at the same time a true and correct statement of the amount each of city tax and business tax levied in each ward of the said city.

SECTION 2. It shall be the duty of the Assessor of Water Rents to assess the water rents as directed by an ordinance passed April 9th, 1857, and make return thereof to the city Treasurer in one or more books as the Treasurer may deem most convenient on or before the 1st day of June in each year. He shall in the book or books so returned give the assessments by wards, distinguishing between each ward, and he shall at the same time furnish to the Controller a true and correct statement of the amount of the total assessment of water taxes made in each ward. The said Assessor shall collect the water rents in new buildings and other revenue as now collected by him, and shall pay over the same to the Treasurer as heretofore, and shall at the same time furnish an exact statement thereof to the Controller.

SECTION 3. It shall be the duty of the Controller upon receiving the statements as hereinbefore provided from the assessors to open an account with the City Treasurer charging him with the various amounts levied respectively of city taxes, business tax and water rents, and credit the said Treasurer with such amounts received by him therefrom as he shall return from time to time, and account for to the satisfaction of the Auditing Committee, together with such reductions or abatements in said assessments as may from time to time be made under existing ordinances, and such amounts of the same as may annually be deemed by the proper committees lost and uncollectable.

SECTION 4. When all the assessments are returned to the City Treasurer he shall cause to be made out a notification of the amount of city taxes, business taxes and water rents levied upon each individual tax payer, with a printed notice at the bottom of each, when and where the same is payable, what deduction will be allowed for prompt payment and what penalties will be attached for non-payment, and the Finance Committee shall see that the Treasurer is furnished with printed blanks for this purpose. These notifications shall be delivered to those to whom they are addressed, or their agents, or left at their residences or places of business, by the ward constables of the respective wards, or by some other qualified citizen of each ward, to be designated by the City Treasurer, and the compensation therefor shall be at the rate of one cent for each notice delivered.—The city in no case to be held responsible for a failure to serve the notice herein before referred to.

SECTION 5. It shall be the duty of the City Treasurer to receive and collect all the city taxes and water rents assessed for city purposes, with the exception of water rents on new buildings and revenues heretofore collected by the Assessor of water rents, and to make allowance for the prompt payment thereof, as provided for in the 4th Section of the Act of Assembly of May 16, A. D., 1857.

SECTION 6. The City Treasurer shall on the first Monday in November of each year give public notice in the newspapers authorized as public printers, and by handbills posted throughout the city, to all persons who have omitted to pay their taxes and water rents, to pay them on or before the first of December then next ensuing, and that if not paid by that time, warrants will be issued to collect the same, with five per centum in addition. The said warrants shall be issued by the Treasurer before the fifth of December annually, to the ward constable of each ward respectively, or some other qualified voter thereof, to be designated by the Treasurer, who shall proceed to collect the said taxes, as provided for in the Act of Assembly of May 16, 1857, but before proceeding to collect the same each person to whom a warrant shall be directed, shall give bond with one or more sureties, in the sum of one thousand dollars, for the faithful performance of his duties, which shall be approved by the Finance Committee. The Collectors thus appointed shall make return on the warrants issued to them within twenty days, and all taxes returned by them uncollected shall be certified by the City Treasurer to the City Solicitor, who shall proceed to collect the same as prescribed in the 4th Section of said Act of Assembly.

SECTION 7. The Water Committee shall on or before the 31st day of December in each year, report to the Controller all exonorations or abatements in assessments made by them during the year, who shall duly credit the Treasurer's account with the same. The Finance Committee shall also on or before the 31st of December in each year examine the tax lists in the hands of the Treasurer, together with the returns made thereon by the Collectors and City Solicitor, and whatever they may deem lost and uncollectable they shall exonerate the Treasurer from and certify the same to the Controller; to be by him placed to the credit of the Treasurer.

SECTION 8. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils, this 30th day of November, A. D. 1857.

JAMES McAULEY, President of Select Council.

Attest: JOHN T. WHITTEN, Clerk of Select Council.

RUSSELL ERRETT, President of Common Council.

Attest: HUGH McMASTERS, Clerk of Common Council. de2:3td

AN ORDINANCE Supplementary to an Ordinance fixing the Salaries of City Officers.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted, &c., That from and after the first of January, 1858, the salary of the Clerk of the Mayor shall be Five Hundred Dollars, and that of Clerks of Councils each Three Hundred Dollars, payable quarterly, as the salaries of other city officers are now by law payable.

SEC. 2. That so much of any ordinance as is inconsistent herewith is hereby repealed.

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AN ORDINANCE Authorizing Relief Alley, and so much of Spring Alley as lies between Carson and Allegheny streets, to be graded and paved.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the citizens of Pittsburgh in Select and Common Councils, assembled. That the Recording Regulator be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the grading and paving of Relief Alley, and that part of Spring Alley, lying between Carson and Allegheny Streets, and to let the same, in the manner directed by an Ordinance entitled "an Ordinance to carry into effect the authority granted to the city of Pittsburgh by 'an Act supplementary to an Act to incorporate the city of Pittsburgh,'" approved the 16th day of May 1857, as far as said Act relates to the Streets of said city.

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Orphans' Court Sale.

BY virtue of an order issued out of the Orphans' Court of Allegheny county, the undersigned, Administrators of the estate of Robert B. Hare, deceased, late of the borough of Tarentum, will expose to sale, and sell for cash at Public Outcry, on SATURDAY, the 26th day of December inst., at 10 o'clock, A. M. of that day, all the right, title, interest and claim (being the undivided half thereof) of Robert B. Hare, deceased, late of the borough aforesaid, of, in, to, or out of all that certain Island situate in the Allegheny river, opposite the borough of Tarentum. The said property being twenty-one miles from Pittsburgh, and easy of access by railroad, river, canal and county road. The Tarentum Station of the A. V. R. R. is directly opposite. The entire Island contains about fourteen acres, and is well adapted to gardening purposes, or for a private residence during the summer for those doing business in the city. SARAH HARE, SAMUEL BLACK, Adm'r. de2:1tda2tw*F

VALUABLE BOOKS, &c., FOR THE HOLIDAYS.—E. C. COCHRANE, 6 Federal street, Allegheny, has opened a choice assortment of Books, &c., for the Holidays.—Barth's Africa, 2 vols, illustrated; The Saint and His Saviour, Spurgeon; Life and Ministry of Rev. C. H. Spurgeon; The Greyson Letters, edited by Henry Rogers, now supply; Reason and Faith, Eclipse of Faith, Rogers. The Knowledge of God, objectively considered, Breckenridge; The Light from the Cross, Tholuck; Hugh Miller's Works; The Divine Life, Kennedy, Rome, Christian and Papal; Songs in the Night, or Hymns for the Sick and Suffering; The Smitten Household; Fashionable Amusements; Memoirs of Christian Sinai and Palestine, Stanley; Researches in South America and Asiatic Russia, Humboldt; Prescott's Works; Irving's Works; Walker's Manly Exercise; The Horse and his Rider; The Standard Poets; Octavo, Duodecimo and Miniature Volumes, in fine Calf, Antique and Illuminated Editions; Longfellow, Hood, Tennyson, Bulwer, Scott and others, in 12mo and 32mo vols., blue and gold. Lately opened a fresh supply of standard and new publications in the various departments of Literature; Juvenile Books in great variety; new Reward Cards; Views of Noted Places, with descriptions. A fine assortment of Bibles, Psalm and Hymn Books; Episcopal Prayer and Lessons in extra, antique, and flexible bindings. New varieties of Writing, Letter and Note Papers, Stationery, &c. Portfolios, Albums, Writing Desks, Portmonnaies, Wallets, Gold Pens, Pencils, &c. &c. The American S. S. Union, Tract Society, Presbyterian Board and Evangelical Society Publications, at eastern prices. de2

FOR RENT.—A comfortable two story Brick Dwelling, with Barn and about six acres of excellent land, and near East Liberty. Possession may be had immediately on application to ALEXANDER KING, 273 Liberty street. de2

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SUNDRIES.—500 casks Soda Ash. 100 " German Clay. 50 boxes " 200 bbls. Caustic Alkali, (Imported) 1000 boxes Country Glass, On hand and for sale by ALEXANDER KING, 273 Liberty street. de2

HIDES.—107 Green Salted Hides. 76 Dry Flint " Just received and for sale by SPRINGER HARBAUGH. de2

FEATHERS.—3 sacks, just received and for sale by S. HARBAUGH. de2

HOPS.—15 bales Prime New York Hops in store and for sale by S. HARBAUGH. de2

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MOLASSES—100 bbls. prime Plantation (Oak Cooperage,) 40 " St James Sugar House, In store and for sale at reduced prices and accommodating terms, by WM. MITCHELTREE, Jr., & BRO., 209 Liberty street. no20

CODFISH—10 drums G. B. Codfish in store and for sale by T. LITTLE & CO., No. 112 Second street. de2

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OIL.—20 bbls Linseed, 10 " Bleached Whale Oil for sale by J. B. CANFIELD. no24

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—30 sacks, 50 lbs. each, in store and for sale by T. LITTLE & CO.

ROLL BUTTER.—5 bbls. choice to arrive and for sale by (no18) ATWELL, LEE & CO.

WHITE BEANS.—4 bbls. in store and for sale by (no18) ATWELL, LEE & CO.

POTASH.—10 bbls. a superior article, to arrive by C. & P. R. R. and for sale by ATWELL, LEE & CO. no18

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SEIDLITZ POWDERS, SEIDLITZ POWDERS.—You can get them fresh and of best quality at JOS. FLEMING'S, corner Diamond and Market street. no30

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The following statement exhibits the business and condition of the Company to Nov. 1, 1856:

Premiums received on Marine and Inland Risks to Nov. 1, 1856....
Fire Premiums....$214,034
Interest on Loans....176,790
....8,704 47
Total receipts....$400,18
Paid Marine Losses....$64,427 01
" Fire "....39,737 89
Expenses Salaries and Commissions....45,489 60
Re-insurance, Return Premiums and Agency Charges....27,474 68
....$177,12
Balance remaining with Comp'y....$223,057 07

The assets of the Company are as follows—
Phila. City and County Bonds....$ 10,848 18 (Cost Price)
Railroad Bonds....11,000 00
First Mortgage Real Estate....143,500 00
Stocks, Collaterals on call....22,400 00
Girard and Consolidation Bank Stock....5,225 00
Deposited with Sherman, Duncan & Co., New York....50,000 00
Deferred Payment on Stock not yet due....97,700 00
Notes for Marine Premiums....103,030 50
Due from Agents secured by bonds....35,276 18
Premiums on Policies recently issued, and debts due the Co....26,470 00
Balance in Banks....16,456 74
....$523,657 60

The Board of Directors have this day declared a DIVIDEND OF FIFTEEN PER CENT, Payable on demand on the business of the Company the 1st instant. THOMAS B. FLORENCE, President. KEWARD HELMBOLD, Secretary. THOS. J. HUNTER, Agent, Pittsburgh, No. 90 Water street. no27:6md:fc

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Mortgages....$918,128 08
Real Estate....84,377 78
Temporary Loans....83,966 17
Stocks....61,659 00
Cash, &c....45,384 81
....$1,212,703 44

Since their incorporation, a period of twenty-one years, they have paid upwards of One Million, Four Hundred thousand Dollars Losses by fire, thereby affording evidence of the advantages of Insurance, as well as their ability and disposition to meet with promptness all liabilities.

J. GARDNER COFFIN, Agent, Office Southeast cor. Wood and Third sts. ap19

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The mutual principle combined with the security of a Stock Capital, entitles the Insured to share in the profits of the Company, without liability for losses. The Script Certificates of this Company, for profits are convertible at par, into the Capital Stock of the Company.

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Neptune Insurance Company, OF PHILADELPHIA, Franklin Buildings, 414 Walnut Street.

Organized under the General Insurance Law, with a cash Capital of $100,000, privileged to increase to $500,000. Insures against loss or damage by Fire, Marine, Inland Navigation and Transportation.

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TITE & CHAFFEY, Agents, Office, Lafayette Hall, (entrance on Wood st.) jely10

Philadelphia Fire and Life INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 149 Chesnut Street, OPPOSITE THE CUSTOM HOUSE.

Will make all kinds of Insurance, either Perpetual or Limited, on every description of Property or Merchandise, at reasonable rates of premium. ROBERT P. KING, President. M. W. BALDWIN, Vice President.

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Insurance.

Monongahela Insurance Company, OF PITTSBURGH.

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OFFICE, No. 93 WATER STREET, Will Insure Against all kinds of Fire and Marine Risks.

ASSETS, NOV. 20TH, 1857.
Stock Due Bills, payable on demand, secured by two approved names....$140,000 00
Bills Receivable....25,543 [illegible]
Cash....11,068 [illegible]
70 shares Mechanics' Bank Stock—cost....3,929 60
Premium Notes....31,922 60
Office Furniture....600 83
Book Accounts....4,309 43
....$218,014 03

DIRECTORS: Wm. B. Holmes, John Atwell, Wm. Rea, Thos. S. Clarke, Alex. King, Wilson Miller, John McDevitt, Geo. A. Berry, James A. Hutchison. HENRY M. ATWOOD, Sec'y.

Western Insurance Company OF PITTSBURGH.

GEORGE DARSIE, President. F. M. GORDON, Secretary.

OFFICE, No. 92 Water street, (Spang & Co.'s Warehouse,) up stairs, Pittsburgh.

Will Insure against all kinds of Fire and Marine Risks. A Home Institution managed by Directors, who are well known in the community, and who are determined, by promptness and liberality, to maintain the character which they have assumed as offering the best protection to those who desire to be insured.

ASSETS, OCTOBER 31, 1857.
Stock Accounts....$121,550 00
Mortgage....2,100 00
Bills Receivable....4,161 [illegible]
Office Furniture....249 [illegible]
Open Accounts....9,478 01
Cash....14,841 43
Premium Notes....40,248 [illegible]
Bills Discounted....125,005 [illegible]

DIRECTORS. George Darsie, R. Miller, Jr., J. W. Butler, G. W. Jackson, James McAuley, Alexander Speer, Andrew Ackley, Wm. McKnight, Nathaniel Holmes, Alex. Nimick, J. Lippincott, William H. Smith, C. W. Ricketson. F. M. GORDON, Sec'y. no16

Pennsylvania Insurance Company OF PITTSBURGH. Office No. 63 Fourth Street.

DIRECTORS. Jacob Painter, Geo. W. Smith, D. E. Park, A. J. Jones, Rody Patterson, J. P. Tanner, I. Grier Sproul, W. B. McBride, Sam. Barr, Jr., C. A. Colton, Wade Hampton, A. A. Carrier, Robert Patrick, A. C. Sampson, J. H. Jones, John Taggart, Henry Sproul, Nicholas Voeghtly, James H. Hopkins.

CHARTERED CAPITAL....$300,000. Fire and Marine Risks taken of all descriptions.

OFFICERS. President—A. A. CARRIER. Vice President—ROBT PATTERSON. Secretary and Treasurer—I. GRIER SPROUL. no9:dly

Notice to Steamboat Captains and Owners.

THE undersigned, representatives of Insurance Companies underwriting on hulls of Steamboats, desire to call the attention of parties interested, to the fact that Policies of Insurance are vitiated by the failure of the master of boats to have at all times, a watchman on duty, as well in port as under way, by night as well as by day.

WM. P. JONES, Agent Insurance Company of North America. F. A. RINEHART, Secretary Pittsburgh Life, Fire and Marine Insurance Co. F. M. GORDON, Secretary Western Insurance Company. SAMUEL L. MARSHELL, Secretary Citizens' Insurance Company. JAMES A. HUTCHISON, President Monongahela Insurance Company. R. FINNEY, Secretary Eureka Insurance Company. P. A. MADEIRA, Agent Delaware Mutual Safety Insurance Company. J. W. MARTIEN, Agent Manufacturers' Insurance Company. R. W. POINDEXTER, Agent Great Western and Merchants' Insurance Co's. A. A. CARRIER & BRO., Agents State, Fire and Marine Insurance Company, Commonwealth Insurance Company, Quaker City Insurance Company. A. A. CARRIER, President Pennsylvania Insurance Company. THOS. J. HUNTER, Agent Farmers' and Mechanics' Insurance Company. November 5th, 1857. no9:dtfc

Eureka Insurance Company, OF PENNSYLVANIA, Office No. 99 Water St., Pittsburgh.

ASSETS, NOV. 2D, 1857.
Stock Due Bills, payable on demand, and secured by two approved names....
Cash in Pittsburgh Trust Company....$67,860 00
Premium notes....60,104 18
Bills Receivable....61,800 [illegible]
Mortgage....9,987 [illegible]
122 shares Exchange Bank Stock—Cost....5,000 00
200 shares Iron City Bank Stock—Amount paid....6,950 00
200 shares Allegheny Bank Stock....7,500 00
87 shares Mechanics' Bank Stock—Cost....4,000 00
Book Accounts....4,623 [illegible]
Office Furniture....12,672 [illegible]
....603 18
....$204,604 47

DIRECTORS: J. H. Shoenberger, W. K. Nimick, R. D. Cochran, John A. Caughey, C. W. Batchelor, James I. Bennett, W. J. Anderson, G. W. Cass, I. M. Pennock, W. W. Martin, J. T. Leech, Jr., D. McCandless, Geo. S. Selden.

J. H. SHOENBERGER, President. R. FINNEY, Secretary.

Manufacturers' Insurance Company, Fire, Marine and Inland, Office—No. 10 Merchants' Exchange, PHILADELPHIA, July 1, 1857.

Notice is hereby given, that the Agency of this Company, in the city of Pittsburgh, will, until further notice, be conducted by J. W. MARTIEN, whose long experience in underwriting, and connection with this office in Philadelphia, well qualifies him for conducting the business in a manner that will give general satisfaction. He is cordially recommended to all our patrons, as well as those desiring insurance. A. WEEKS, Secretary.

The business of the above Company will be conducted at No. 90 WATER Street, Pittsburgh. J. W. MARTIEN, Agent. au19:dtf

Delaware Mutual Safety Insurance Company, Incorporated by the Legislature of Pennsylvania, 1835. Office, S. E. Corner Third and Walnut sts., PHILADELPHIA.

MARINE INSURANCES on Vessels, Cargo, and Freight, to all parts of the world. *INLAND INSURANCES* on Goods, by Rivers, Canals, Lakes and Land Carriages, to all parts of the Union. *FIRE INSURANCES* on Merchandize generally.—On Stores, Dwelling Houses, &c.

Assets of the Company, Nov. 1st, 1856.
Bonds, Mortgages, and Real Estate....$101,350 [illegible]
Philadelphia City, and other Loans....103,075 [illegible]
Stock in Banks, Railroad and Insurance Co's....18,280 [illegible]
Bills Receivable....212,583 [illegible]
Cash on hand....37,841 [illegible]
Balances in hands of Agents, Premiums on Marine Policies recently issued, and other debts due the Company....
Subscription Notes....100,000 00
....$700,00[illegible]

DIRECTORS. William Martin, Joseph H. Seal, Edmund A. Souder, John C. Davis, John R. Penrose, George G. Leiper, Edward Darlington, Dr. R. M. Huston, William C. Ludwig, Hugh Craig, Spencer McIlvain, Charles Kelley, H. Jones Brooke, J. G. Johnson, James C. Hand, Theophilus Paulding, James Traquair, William Eyre, Jr., Joshua L. Price, James Tennent, Samuel E. Stokes, Henry Sloan, James B. McFarland, Thomas C. Hand, Robert Burton, Jr., John R. Semple, Pittsb'g, D. T. Morgan, J. T. Logan.

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Pittsburgh Life, Fire and Marine Ins. Co., Office, Corner Market and Water Sts., PITTSBURGH, PA.

ROBT. GALWAY, President. F. A. RINEHART, Secy. ANDREW FLEMING, M. D., Examining Physician.

This Company makes every Insurance appertaining to or connected with LIFE RISKS. Also, against Hull and Cargo Risks, on the Ohio and Mississippi rivers and tributaries, and Marine Risks generally. And against Loss or Damage by Fire. And against the Perils of the Sea and Inland Navigation and Transportation. Policies issued at the lowest rates consistent with safety to all parties.

DIRECTORS: Robert Galway, Samuel McClurken, Joseph P. Gazzam, M. D., John Scott, James Marshall, David Richey, James W. Hallman, Chas. Arbuthnot, Alexander Bradley, Joseph S. Leech, John Fullerton, Mansfield B. Brown, David H. Chambers, William Carr, Robert H. Hartley, John M'Gill. fe16—my25-ly

Citizens' Insurance Comp'y of Pittsburgh.

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Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

THE FIRM OF JONES & SCULLY is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business of the late firm will be settled at the old stand by Wm. O'H. Scully. J. H. JONES, WM. O'H. SCULLY.

SCULLY & CO., (Successor to Jones & Scully,) Forwarding, Commission and Storage MERCHANTS, No. 61 Water and 61 First Streets, PITTSBURGH, PA. no30:dlm

CARD.—In consequence of the financial derangements of the country, and the very general prostration of business arising therefrom, entirely unlooked for at the time of the recent sale of W. R. Murphy to J. M. Burchfield, in the firm of Murphy & Burchfield, the same has been annulled, and the business will be continued as formerly, under the title of MURPHY & BURCHFIELD. W. R. MURPHY, J. M. BURCHFIELD. Pittsburgh, Oct. 24, 1857.—no3

SYRUP.—10 bbls. Balt. Golden received and for sale low by DAVID C. HERBST, Corner Liberty and Hand sts. oc23

HONEY AND BROWN WINDSOR SOAP, Palm and Castile Soap, Frangipanni and Almond Soap, Porcine and Barber's Soap, for sale at JOS. FLEMING'S. no14

CHEAP LEAF TOBACCO.—3 Hhds. of damaged Leaf Tobacco just received on consignment from Louisville, and for sale by W. & D. RINEHART, No. 129 Wood St. no14

THOMAS' PATENT AMERICAN DOOR SPRING.—Territory and Springs for sale by M. F. EATON. no21

FEATHERS—10 sacks prime Kentucky Feathers just rec'd and for sale by HENRY H. COLLINS. no24