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MONDAY MORNING, MAY 16, 1859.

THE SLAVE TRADE.—We find the following paragraph going the rounde of the press. It is of a piece with a number of other items that float in this direction from that interesting region south of Mason & Dixon's line:

"At a recent meeting of the Black Oak (S. C.) Agricultural Society, resolutions were adopted requesting the Legislature of South Carolina "to take such steps as will induce a change of the unconstitutional and iniquitous law of the United States forbidding the introduction of the negro from Africa into the Southern States." The preamble is, in substance, that the South is in great need of negro labor, and that the planter is the best missionary to the African."

Whenever the people of the South encounter a law which, in its operation, is calculated to interfere with their interests as slave-holders, they at once, and without any needless ceremony, pronounce it "unconstitutional." They have a notion that their section would be greatly benefited by the re-opening of the slave trade—that is, by sending expeditions to the coast of Africa for the purpose of kidnapping the natives, and bringing them to this continent, in order to "replenish" the laboring forces of our great cotton and sugar growers. The only impediment that confronts them in this humane project is the law of 1808, which declares such acts to be nothing less than piracy, and hence their discovery that the enactment itself is "unconstitutional." This, too, in the face of the fact that the law was contemplated by that instrument many years before Congress enacted it. Indeed, aside from this consideration, the ability of a County Agricultural Society to decide upon the constitutionality of a law question might be fairly questioned, even in this age of progress and advancement.

That assertion that "the planter is the best Missionary to the African" is a very appropriate conclusion to the declaration that "the South is in great need of negro labor." The two quotations present a refreshing specimen of worldly avarice and religious hypocrisy combined. We shall not be surprised to see it announced one of these days that the Black Oak Agricultural Society has been converted into a Board of Foreign Missions, and that it has sent its agents to deal with King Dahomy for the purpose of inducing his "people" to partake of the advantages of the religious instruction vouchsafed to the poor heathen in our rice and cotton fields. We commend this new phase of philanthropy to the civilized world! No cause that has yet existed could boast of the support of such "missionaries." We are sure of that, at least.

THE TRACT SOCIETY.—The following is the resolution offered by Dr. Patton at the anniversary meeting of the Tract Society:

Whereas, The Tracan Slave Trade is contrary to the first principles of the Gospel and humanity, is condemned by all Evangelical Christians and is repudiated by all Christian, civilized and enlightened nations; and *whereas*, there are indications that this trade, with all its crimes and horrors, already is, or is about to be, re-opened by adventurers from this country; and *whereas*, the only barrier to this trade is the moral sense, enlightened by the Gospel; therefore,

Resolved, That the Publishing Committee be directed to issue, during the present year, a tract or tracts calculated to arouse and concentrate the religious sentiment of Evangelical Christians against the Slave Trade, and to set forth its wickedness before the nation.

It might be supposed that in an assemblage of Christian men such a resolution would meet with no opposition; yet it was bitterly opposed and absolutely defeated by being laid on the table. Dr. Spring then offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Society, in laying the preceding resolution on the table, have not come to this conclusion from any hesitation in relation to the sin of the African Slave Trade, or the great wickedness of reviving this iniquitous traffic in any form.

Even this resolution was bitterly denounced, and some pulling conservatives wanted it defeated. Dr. Bacon said:

"This Society has a tract on the evils of tobacco, and yet one of the venerable brethren has this morning handed out a paper and asked me to take a quid. I think it is time to end all this foolery, I venture to call it. Yet we are told the business of the Society is to circulate tracts. It circulates tracts against the use of tobacco, and the culture of tobacco; yet how many of those venerable men who handed us the regular ticket to vote to-day, how many of them are there on whose conscience rests the deadly sin of using tobacco! We maintain that this Society may have opinions, and circulate them, which, if they were to be universally adopted, the lower counties of Virginia, and all along the banks of the Connecticut, from Weatherfield to Suffield! But we are not to have an opinion at all about a certain wickedness which the laws of the United States for more than 40 years have pronounced to be a crime against human nature—*piracy*. We should use a little moral sense, a little common sense, and walk right through the cobweb meshes of such speeches as these. You doubtless remember the words of him who said "Ye bind heavy burdens, grievous to be borne, and lay them upon other men's shoulders, yet will not touch them with one of your fingers." Sir, is there any member of the Executive Committee of this Tract Society, just re-elected, on whose table sparkles the red wine? *I know there is!* Is there any member of the Executive Committee whose parlors echo to the feet of the merry dancers? *I know there is!* Yet here we are binding these burdens about dancing, and tobacco and wine drinking, and laying them on men's shoulders when our shoulders do not bear the least part of that burden. Is it not time to have done with such tom-foolery as that, and address ourselves to the weighter matters of the law, such as righteousness, mercy, and truth?"

Shamed into it by such speeces as this, the majority suffered Dr. Spring's resolution to pass; but the record is none the less disgraceful to the Society. Dr. Patton has by his resolution, put the majority so clearly in the wrong, that no logic of theirs can save them from utter contempt.

THE POST COAXETH THE GERMANS.—The Pittsburgh *Post* is quite fulsome in its flattery of "our German fellow citizens," and speaks in terms of high praise of their good sense, their "democracy," and all that. The *Post* says, after thus patting German citizens on the back:

"On Monday last, the Republicans of Massachusetts, by a majority of over six thousand votes, adopted an amendment to the Constitution of that State, which forbids any person of foreign birth from voting or being eligible to office unless he shall have resided within the jurisdiction of the United States for two years subsequent to his naturalization. Massachusetts is a Republican State. Know Nothingism has triumphed there, and a gross outrage has been committed upon a class of citizens, equal in all respects to those who would disfranchise them, except in the accident of birth."

Does the *Post* expect to make capital among sensible men by any such palaver? Even grant for the sake of the argument that the remnant of the Know Nothing party have succeeded in carrying this amendment in Massachusetts! What is that to us? Was not the proposed measure discouraged by every republican press in the land? Were not nine-tenths of the republican papers of Massachusetts opposed to it?

This would naturally lead to the inquiry—how then came it come to receive a majority of the votes cast?

In the first place, there were in the 242 towns so far heard from, but 32,800 votes cast, and of these, 19,000 in favor of it. This is but a few thousands more than the usual old line native vote. A German Republican from Iowa has published the statement of a fact which he observed while in Massachusetts, pending the question, [illegible] section, to wit: that the Democ[illegible] of this amendment in order [illegible] the *Post* is now so any[illegible] against it, hoped [illegible] w turn round and ch[illegible] in mean[illegible] ure!" The [illegible] caught by any such chan[illegible] Republican measure in Massachu[illegible] ave no weight elsewhere. But the i[illegible] ans there and everywhere else op[illegible] most emphatically repudiate it.

has been adopted in the Old Bay State [illegible] of the supineness of the Republicans who have suffered a few thousand Know Nothings and Locofocos to brand on the State this odious stigma. In a population of *two hundred thousand* voters, they give *nineteen* thousand voter in its favor!

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.—On Wednesday the 4th inst., the Sterling Saw Mills, in Burrassville township, belonging to Messrs. Smith, Rhodes & Smith, with the store, dwellings and tenant houses attached, were entirely consumed. So rapid were the flames, that it was impossible to save either furniture or articles of wearing apparel, while several children belonging to the families of those attached to the mill, narrowly escaped with their lives.

We learn from the stage-driver through that region, that very destructive fires are raging in the mountains, destroying large amounts of young timber, and rendering the roads almost impassable by fire and smoke. The season has been favorable to such fires, while to the carelessness and actual mischievousness of those residing in the woods, is to be attributed the losses occurring by such conflagrations.

Egg-Mill, near Spring Mills, is also on fire, and the destruction of young timber is reported to be very great. The hill is also covered with some of the very best timber, fit for lumbering purposes, and the danger to the property of farmers in that neighborhood has been very great. The fire is the work of the incendiary for the detection of whom no effort should be spared.—*Centre Co. (Pa.) Press.*

THE Republican primary meetings in Venango County, are to be held on Thursday, June 26. C. P. Ramsdell, has been appointed Senatorial delegate, from this county, to the State Convention, and J. S. Myers, representative delegate.

A MAN named Fagan, was killed by a pistol shot, on the night of the 7th, near Bucyrus, O., by a man named Hunt, from Columbia City, Ind. Y. Hunt, had a large sum of money with him, and as Fagan, who was drunk, stopped him on the highway and attacked him, Hunt supposed it was his purpose to rob, and hence drew his pistol and shot Fagan. Hunt delivered himself up, and after an examination was discharged.

ANTI-FUGITIVE LAW CONVENTION.—A Mass Convention has been called to meet in Cleveland, on Thursday, May 24th, to take action in relation to the late infamous trials under the fugitive law in those counties. The call is addressed to the people of the Western Reserve.

A MEETING has already been held in Ashtabula County, at which resolutions were adopted denouncing the Fugitive Slave Law, and pledging the prisoners at Cleveland, that if judicial relief was not ultimately afforded, "*no prison should hold them.*" Senator Cadwell addressed the people in a speech of great power and eloquence; and after the committee had reported the resolutions, Mr. Giddings spoke, and "made one of his powerful and peculiar speeches, with telling effect. He closed by sketching a history of the Order of the Sons of Liberty in New England, an organized body of the days of the Revolution, to apply the doctrines of free government and practice protection of the right. They were the men, he said, who compelled the British Stamp Act Commissioner, Ingersol, to resign his royal Commission; and afterwards enacted the 'Boston Tea party.' He then submitted a Constitution for such a body, and after signing it himself, invited others to follow his example; *when nearly a hundred names were enrolled upon the spot!*

A significant fact in this matter, we notice that among those who took part in this meeting, are the names of some who are the most conservative in the community—an old whig of old whigs standing at the head of the committee on resolutions. Nearly all the county officers participated. Senator Wade was absent from town.

THE FEELING IN THE PAPAL STATES.—A correspondent of the London *Times* writing from Rome says:

"The Papal government is full of apprehension for the future, and not without reason; for not to speak of the menacing aspect of affairs beyond the Roman States, the excitement in the interior increases from day to day.—As one strolls through the Piazzi di Spagna or down the Corso, and watches the groups of curiosity hunters, some doubt might arise in the minds of the uninitiated as to the reality of this reported excitement. Nevertheless, it is not the least true, and I hear continually of those who have just escaped the vigilance of the authorities and have gone to join the national army. Prussia is stated that one hundred and seventy-five young men have gone to Piedmont, and among them the two Counts Cesari and the two Counts Montecpecelli. From Romagna it is stated that three or four hundred have left, and from Rome itself upwards of sixty.

Passports are now positively refused, so that other means of leaving have been sought and found; perhaps what we commonly call "French leave" has been taken. The fact is, however, that the ferment increases, and that the youth do leave, either by Civita Vecchia or by the land frontier. It is an indication of a much healthier state of things than has long existed here, and a good augury for the future of Italy, that the excitement no longer manifests itself in abortive and silly attempts to redeem the country in street cries and objectless demonstrations while it shows, at the same time, a union of parties, and an absence of that dangerous and detestable element which has so often ruined the hopes of the Italians by its excesses. The strongest and most promising features of all, however, is that the moderation and union are all the results of administrable organization under the leadership of Piedmont. Without her direction no move will be made; when she holds the standard no police prohibitions will prevent the populations from crossing the frontiers by the hundred and thousand."

IMMIGRATION TO THE UNITED STATES—*Remarkable Increase*.—The present month (March) is likely to prove the most buoyant in the immigration trade to the United States that has occurred for the past two years. Since the commencement of the month seventeen ships have been cleared by the government emigration officer at this port, having on board 6720 emigrants, chiefly bound for New York. The numbers carried out by some of these vessels are truly formidable; for instance, the Constellation had on board 767 souls, and the Emerald Isle, 770 souls; the latter having sailed on Tuesday, the 19th. Of the total number 1407 were English, only 81 Scotch, while 4640 were Irish, and 487 natives of other countries. The majority of the latter were Mormons,—352, chiefly Danes, having—with 347 English and 8 Scotch, a total of 737 Mormons,—sailed in the William Tapscott for New York on the 11th instant. In addition to the above, the ships Great Western and Jeremiah Thompson, with about 1400 passengers, sailed from the Mersey on Thursday, the 21st, and before the close of the month upward of 2000 more are expected to embark; making the emigration to the States upward of 10,000 in one month. We may add that the monster clipper White Star, belonging to Messrs. H. T. Wilson and Chambers, has been chartered to convey passengers, and will sail for the early part of next month for New York.—*Liverpool Times.*

THE MISSISSIPPI FLOOD.—The New Orleans papers, of the 7th, state that the river was then rising from Baton Rouge down, and was expected to be rising at Vicksburg again in a few days; between Baton Rouge and New Orleans, it has been full to the brim. In the bends, where the current rushes against the banks with great force, the gentle wind or a passing boat throws the liquid element over the banks.

A letter to the same paper from Plaquemines, dated on the 4th says:

Three crevasses have taken place on the property of Mr. Maximilien Martin, at Pointe a-la-Hache—the largest of which measures over one hundred feet wide, and is about nine feet deep. If that crevasse is not speedily stopped not a single stalk of rice will be raised this season in that section of country, which is the very centre for the culture of that grain, and moreover all the orange trees, the finest in the State, will be killed by the fresh waters. All the farmers of Pointe a-la-Hache, with their slaves, are hard at work on the break on the levee, and yet it is impossible to say whether they will be successful in stopping it.

FIRE IN THE MOUNTAINS.—For several days and nights past, during the dry weather, the mountains have been on fire in many places. The fires could be distinctly seen after night from this place, in all their grandeur. A large extent of territory has been burnt over, and at one time frightful accounts of the loss of life and property were in circulation—but from the most reliable information we can gather, we incline to believe that no very serious damage has been done, except to the growing timber, fences, &c. Robert McDowell, Esq., we understand, lost about eighty rods of fence, and 1,000 new rails. John Snyder also had a few cords of wood destroyed. Great destruction of property would have resulted from the fire, had not the people with almost superhuman efforts, labored to prevent it.—*Uniontown Standard.*

THE ENGLISH ELECTIONS.—The English borough elections were proceeding when the Persia sailed. The general result cannot, of course, be known, but the indications were that the Derby party would be beaten. The attempts to defeat Mr. Bright, in Birmingham, proved a ridiculous failure, and at Carlisle, Sir James Graham and Mr. Lawson, his nephew, who advocate the ballot, were returned. In the last Parliament the Derbyites had one of the members from Carlisle. At Bristol, Mr. Berkeley, a leading ballot advocate, and Mr. Gore Langton, a liberal, had been returned. Mr. Richard Cobden had been returned without opposition, for Rochdale. Mr. Edwin James, the eminent counsel, had again been returned from Marylebone. No doubt was entertained of the re-election of Lord John Russell and his liberal associates in the city of London.

THE KING of Naples, says Mr. Bigelow, (April 28,) still lingers on the hither side of the grave, but the continuance of his life is now only a question of days, if not of hours. The bulletin of "the Two Sicilies" becomes every day more and more discouraging. No one here expects him to last through the current week. The new ministery for his son is said to have been already agreed upon.

PEOPLE'S STATE CONVENTION.—Last evening, the various Representative and Senatorial district conventions in this city, met to elect delegates to the People's State Convention. We append the result of the election.

Senatorial Delegates:

1st	Senatorial district—	John M. Butler.
2d	" "	Leonard Myers
3d	" "	John H. Brinckerhoff
4th	" "	Edward Gratz.

Representative Delegates.

1st	Representative district—	Andrew Postil
2d	" "	E. P. Melleneadz
3d	" "	Kennedy McCaw.
4th	" "	Samuel Bell, Jr.
5th	" "	Henry Wallace.
6th	" "	Morton McMichael
7th	" "	Dr. Seltzer.
8th	" "	George R. Smith.
9th	" "	S. S. Armstrong.
10th	" "	William Curry
11th	" "	" Smith.
12th	" "	John A. Fisher.
13th	" "	W. E. Kelly.
14th	" "	Francis Hood
15th	" "	Geo. W. Pomeroy
16th	" "	Thomas Dickson.

In the 17th district there was no election. The Convention will meet there to-night.—*Pitt. Bulletin.*

WASHINGTON, Thursday, May 12, 1859.—Though efforts have been made and countenanced by various leaders to reconcile the differences among the Democracy, the President refuses to compromise with Douglas, except upon humiliating conditions, which must be rejected. A movement is now making to unite the North and South irrespective of the Administration, with Hunter for President and Douglas for Vice-President, giving the latter the track for 1864. If Douglas will accede, it is supposed this combination can be easily made.—*N. Y. Trib.*

WHAT'S IN A NAME?—A man named Philips, charged with murdering his wife at *Cairo*, and a man named Hanna, who recently escaped from the Tombs, were arrested at Vienna, a few days ago, endeavoring to make their way to Palestine, and a man was arrested in Pekin, accused of horse-stealing at Carthage, and was sent back by the way of Warsaw. All this occurred in Illinois.

THE Dubuque Express and Herald of Tuesday notices a rapid rise of the Mississippi at that point. It was within twenty-two inches of the height attained in 1851, and swelling rapidly. There was already considerable destruction of property. The prospect is certainly bad for our friends down South.

FIRE IN THE WOODS.—A fire has been raging for several days in the woods up Chartiers creek, and has doubtless done considerable injury to the timber in that vicinity.—*Clearfield Raftsman.*

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Commercial Paper Discounted and Negotiated
Stocks, Bonds, and other securities, bought and sold on Commission.

Prompt attention is given to Collections in city or country.
Deposits Received in for Funds or Currency
Interest allowed on Time Deposits.
Deal in specie, Bank Notes, Land Warrants, &c.
Credit Examinations of Correspondents at lowest possible rates.

Making Returns promptly by first mail as directed.
my3 2md KRAMER & RAHM

Boots, Shoes, Hats,
BONNETS, &c.

JAMES P. TANNER,
WHOLESALE
SHOE, HAT AND BONNET WAREHOUSE,
No. 56 Wood Street,
Pittsburgh, Penna.,

Has now in store his very large stock of GOODS purchased direct from the NEW ENGLAND MANUFACTORIES, at the LOWEST CASH PRICES, all of which will be disposed of at a small advance on COST.

☞ Buyers who have heretofore gone East for their goods, for the future will save both time and money by making their purchases from him.

☞ Dealers are requested to call before buying, and satisfy themselves of the fact.

☞ Particular attention given to orders.
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EVANS & DARLINGTON ..... D. M. SOOT.

DARLINGTON & SOOT'S
INSURANCE AGENCY,
No. 37 Fifth Street,
PITTSBURGH, PA.

Inanres Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture, and other property against Loss or Damage by Fire.

AGENTS FOR

Continental Insurance Co. of City of N. York.
Cash Capital and Surplus.....$355,227 59

☞ Insured Participate in the Profits without Incurring any Liability.

Manhattan Fire Insurance Company of the City of New York.
Incorporated 1821. *Cash Capital and Surplus*... $373,239 09

REFER TO

HARVEY CHILDS, of H. Childs & Co., No. 133 Wood street, Pittsburgh;
JOHN D McCORD, of McCord & Co., No. 131 Wood street, Pittsburgh;
I. M. PENNOCE, of Klog, Pennock & Co., No. 29 Wood st., Pittsburgh;
JACOB L. SCHWARTZ, of S. A. Fahnestock & Co., No. 19 Wood street, Pittsburgh;
GEO. R. WHITE, of Geo. R. White & Co., No. 25 Fifth st., Pittsburgh.
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Pianos! Pianos!!

SPLENDID STOCK
OF THE
CELEBRATED GOLD MEDAL
PIANO FORTES,
Manufactured by
WILLIAM KNABE & CO., BALTIMORE.
ALSO,
SEVERAL SECOND HAND PIANOS,

From $25 to $200 for sale or rent.

CHARLOTTE BLUME,
my5 No 118 Wood st., 2d door above Fifth

CLAY—
GOVERNMENT PIPE CLAY, IN BOXES,
TO ARRIVE IN MAY AND JUNE.
FOR SALE BY
VON KAPFF & ARENS,
ap26:d1m AT BALTIMORE.

Carriages and Buggies.

FOR THE ACCOMMODATION of Pittsburghers, and strangers visiting the city, the subscriber has opened a Warerooms immediately in the rear of the Monongahela House, on First street, for the sale of

CARRIAGES, BUGGIES AND SPRING WAGONS,

of his own manufacture—the material all selected with great care.

Having been engaged thirty-three years in the business, and the last seventeen years in Allegheny City, with an increase of business, is sufficient guarantee as to the quality of his work.

The public are respectfully invited to call and examine his work.

☞ Factory on the corner of Federal street and North Commons, Allegheny City.

JOHN SOUTH.
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CHANGE IN THE RAILROAD AND STEAMBOAT TICKET OFFICE.—The old Ticket Office, corner room, Monongahela House, has been reopened for the sale of Tickets through to all important points, West and South. Also, by all Steamboat lines on Lake Erie, Michigan and Superior.

P. KNOWLAND,
my9:2md General Railroad and Steamboat Agent.

TENN. FLOUR.—
77 sacks Tyree Mills, extra family;
43 half do do do;
13 sacks Union do, superfine;
51 half do do do;
10 sacks Clinton do, extra family;
56 do do do, superfine;

Now landing from steamer Neptune, for sale by
my12 ISAIAH DICKEY & CO.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—Proposals for grading, paving and setting with curb, Clark street, between Fulton and Crawford streets, will be received at the office of the Recording Regulator until the 20th instant.

ISAAC MORELY, Recording Regulator.
Pittsburgh, May 12th, 1859:my12-3td

PEACHES—30 sacks Tennessee, for sale low to close consignment, by
my18 J. S. LIGGETT & CO., 70 Water & 92 Front sts.

Miscellaneous.

REMOVAL.

M'EGRAW'S
TOBACCO AND CIGAR WAREHOUSE
From 241 LIBERTY STREET,
To 179 LIBERTY ST., opposite Market
my14:d2tf

REMOVED.

C. G. HUSSEY & CO. have removed to their new Copper Warehouse, NO. 37 FIFTH STREET, in the Iron Front Block, third door west of Wood street.

Pittsburgh Copper Rolling Mill
C. G. HUSSEY & CO.
MANUFACTURERS OF
BRAZIERS BOLT AND SHEATHING COPPER,
PRESSED COPPER BOTTOMS
LOCOMOTIVE TUBING,
Railroad Still Bottoms and Plates Cut to order.
Brass Kettles, Sheet and other Brass.
SPELTER, SOLDER, COPPER RIVETS, &c.
Dealers in Block Tin, Tin Plate, Lead Wire, Sheet Zinc, Antimony, Sheet Iron, Tinners' Tools, &c.
No. 37 Fifth Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.
☞ Sheets Copper Cut to any pattern. ap18:6md

REMOVAL.—J. S. Liggett & Co., have removed from Nos. 62 and 70 Water street to Nos. 75 Water and 92 Front street

J. S. LIGGETT ..... JOHN LINDSAY
J. S. LIGGETT & CO.,
FLOUR FACTORS and Produce Commission Merchants, for the sale of Flour, Grain, Seeds and Produce generally, Nos. 75 Water and 92 Front street, Pittsburgh, Penna. 6-2d-1y

W. A. CALDWELL ..... JOHN CALDWELL, JR.
CALDWELL & BRO.,
BOAT FURNISHERS AND DEALERS IN
Manilla, Hemp and Tarred Cordage, Oakum, Tar, Pitch, Resin and Cotton Yarns,
Tarpaulin, Duck, Light and Heavy Drillings, &c.,
No. 68 Water and 64 Front streets, Pittsburgh.

REMOVAL.—N. HOLMES & SONS Bankers, have removed three doors above their old stand, where they will be found until the completion of their new building. ap9-tf

STEAM MARBLE WORKS.

Marble Mantels,
MADE BY MACHINERY,
Always on hand at the lowest prices.

NO GOOD HOUSE SHOULD BE WITHOUT MARBLE MANTELS.—They are always neat, and more in the beauty of a house than any other article that can be purchased with the same money. Besides they never endanger the safety of a house and family by taking fire, as wood mantles very often do.

Marble Tops for Furniture, Wash Stands, Counters, &c., &c., &c.

MONUMENTS,
TABLETS AND GRAVE STONES.
A BEAUTIFUL STOCK ALWAYS ON HAND

N. B.—Our stock of Marble is the largest in the West, and being manufactured by machinery, is got up in better style, with more dispatch, and at less cost than can be done by mere manual labor.

Warerooom, 3231 Liberty Street;
Mantel Room on the Second Story
OFFICE, 319 LIBERTY STREET, PITTSBURGH.
W. W. WALLACE.

STEAM ENGINES
AND
MILL FURNISHING.

STEAM ENGINES on hand and made to order, STEAM BOILERS, SALT PANS, MILL GEARING, ENGINE AND MACHINE CASTINGS, PULLEYS &c., Grate Bars and Sash Weights always on hand.

Catalogues of Wheels given to all who want gearing.
FRENCH BURR MILL STONES, IRON FRONT STAVES.
ANCHOR BOLTING CLOTHS at reduced prices.
FRENCH BURR SUIT MACHINES, used in low mills, and cheaper, better and more convenient than that in Iron Machines.
McMEEKEN'S PATENT EXCELSIOR SHINGLE MACHINES, PORTABLE MILLS for Planing and Chopping.
BOSS'S PATENT WATER WHEELS, used in saw and Mills. Are warranted to give satisfacti n.
Belting for Elevators, one third more of leather than other Belting. Office 70 Liberty street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

W. W. WALLACE.

HYDRAULIC CEMENT

THE SUBSCRIBER is the Exclusive Agent in this county for the sale of Belmont Cement. This Cement is much superior to any other sold in this market, for Public Works, Foundations, Cisterns, Fire Walls, etc., and all warranted good. Directions for using it are on each barrel. We invite a comparison of this with any other Cement. A large stock will be always kept on hand, and sold wholesale and retail at low prices.

W. W. WALLACE,
319 Liberty st., Pittsburgh.

SUNDRIES—100 bbls. Plaster Paris for land
100 " " " for building
Bellmont Cement,
superior quality,
Adamston Cement,
Connellsville do
319 Liberty street, Pittsburgh.
W. W. WALLACE.
FREDERICK GOULE

BOYLE & CO.,
59 SECOND STREET,
CINCINNATI, OHIO,
IMPORTERS OF
FOREIGN LIQUORS AND WINES,
DISTILLERS OF
ALCOHOL, COLOGNE SPIRITS,
Camphene, Burning Fluid and