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AMERICAN WATCHES. WHOLESALE AGENCY FOR THE SALE OF AMERICAN WATCHES. We would most respectfully call the attention of the public to the American Watches now being extensively introduced, the manufacture of which has become so firmly established that entire confidence can be placed upon them as safe and correct time-keepers, both by the wearer and seller. Having been appointed Wholesale Agents for the sale of these Watches, the public may be assured that we can sell them at the very lowest cash prices. We have also a very large stock of Silver and Plated Ware, Fine Gold Jewelry in sets, such as Coral, Garnet, Cameo, Jet and Palmings. Our assortment of CLOCKS is unusually large at present, comprising some beautiful patterns of Eight and One Day Parlor and Office Clocks at greatly reduced prices. We have also a full stock of English and Swiss Gold and Silver Watches on hand, all of our own importation. Also, Watch Makers' Tools, Materials and Watch Glasses. REINEMAN & MEYRAN, se24:1dwT. No. 62 Fifth street.

MEYER'S MIRACULOUS VERMIN DESTROYER, The Only Remedy in the Whole World Sure to Exterminate RATS, MICE, COCKROACHES, BUGS, ANTS, MOSQUITOES, FLEAS, MOTHS, MOLES, GRASS WORMS AND GARDEN INSECTS, &c. 50,000 BOXES SOLD IN ONE MONTH. These Celebrated Remedies have been extensively used for twenty-two years in all parts of Europe, and their miraculous powers have been attested by the Courts of Russia, France, England, Austria, Prussia, Bavaria, Saxony, Belgium, Holland, Naples, &c., and their Chemical properties examined, and approved by the most distinguished Medical Faculties all over the world. Their destructiveness to all kinds of vermin and insects has been certified to this country by the Directors of the various Public Institutions, Planters, Farmers, Proprietors of Hotels, Warehouses, Manufactories, and by various distinguished private citizens. Numerous Testimonials and Certificates of the efficacy of these Remedies can be seen at the Depot. For sale, Wholesale and Retail, by the Inventor and Proprietor, JOSEPH MEYER, Practical Chemist, 612 Broadway (cor. Houston st.) New York. General Agent for the U. States and Canadas, FREDERICK V. RUSHTON, Druggist, No. 10 Astor House, and 417 Broadway, New York. For sale in this city, wholesale and retail by H. S. KELLERS & CO., corner Wood and Second sts.; JOS. FLEMING, Corner Diamond and Market st. BEKEHAM & M'KENNAN, Allegheny. de28:6mdfo

Hide, Oil and Leather Store. D. KIRKPATRICK & SONS, No. 31 S. Third st., between Market and Chestnut sts., Philadelphia, have for sale DRY AND SALTED SPANISH HIDES, Dry and Green Salted Patna Kips, Tanners' Oil, Tanners' and Curriers' Tools at the lowest prices, and upon the best terms. ☞ All kinds of Leather in the rough wanted, for which the highest market price will be given in cash, or taken in exchange for Hides. Leather stored free of charge and sold on commission. mr8:1ydo

400 BBLS. FAMILY FLOUR to arrive and for sale by STEWART & KIRKPATRICK, Federal street, Allegheny. oc21

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HENRY GEHWIG & CO., MANUFACTURERS OF ROPES AND TWINES Of all sizes and descriptions. Warehouse, 489, cor. Penn and Walnut Sts., Two squares above the P. F. W. & C. R. R. Freight Depot. se3:3mdawfcF PITTSBURGH.

☞ THE PERUVIAN SYRUP.—WHAT IS IT?—Most persons have an idea that the Peruvian Syrup is a preparation of Peruvian Barks. This is not the case. It is a soluble preparation of Protoxide of Iron, which is readily received into the constitution, and will act as a tonic in a way that that metal does not usually act, when given in the form of carbonate, or even in the iron by hydrogen preparation, so popular with physicians. Whoever desires to give iron in a form that will be acceptable to the human stomach, and that will be readily taken into the blood, will give this Peruvian Syrup, which is attested by men of high character throughout the country. Dr. Hayes, the State Assayer of Massachusetts, testifies to its extraordinary virtues, and we have every confidence in the ability of the agent here to convince any one of the same. The Peruvian Syrup is made in Boston, and has performed most wonderful cures in all diseases requiring a tonic and alterative preparation. See long advertisement in another part of to-days GAZETTE.

DR. GEO. H. KEYSER, 140 Wood street, is the Agent for the city. se22:6m

RUPTURE OR HERNIA.—DR. GEO. H. KEYSER, of 140 Wood street, Pittsburgh, Pa., has been in the eastern cities for the past six weeks, and has procured the most approved kind of Trusses for the cure of Hernia or Rupture, which he is qualified to fit to any case of rupture with the assurance that will satisfy the patient. We would advise our readers to call on Dr. Keyser, when anything of this kind is needed, as we feel persuaded that he is competent to give the needful advice in such cases. jn23:dawT

## Sewing Machines.

WHEELER & WILSON'S SEWING MACHINES. FOR SALE WITH ALL LATE IMPROVEMENTS, AT MANUFACTURER'S PRICES, BY ALBY. R. REED, mr8ly No. 68 Fifth Street.

CALL AND EXAMINE THE LATEST IMPROVEMENT IN Sewing Machines. ☞ This Machine took the FIRST PREMIUM at the late Allegheny County Fair. THIS IS THE MACHINE whose owners offered a premium of $2000 In Philadelphia to any other on exhibition at the Franklin Institute that could do the same range of work as this. Their offer not having been accepted its superiority must be conceded. For sale at A. M. MARSHALL, & CO'S. jn18:dawF FEDERAL ST., ALLEGHENY CITY.

W. E. BRAMAN & CO'S DOUBLE THREAD SEWING MACHINES, A Model of Simplicity. PRICE THIRTY-FIVE DOLLARS. AGENTS WANTED. No. 50 Market st. oct7:1wdaF LASSOWE & NORTHROP.

SEWING MACHINE AT A BARGAIN —A first-class Grover & Baker's Quilting or Tailoring Machine, nearly new, warranted in first-rate order. Cost $150: will be sold for less than half price. Can be seen at no7 HERBST & BARKER'S, cor. Liberty and Hand sts.

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IRISH & MACKENZIE, Attorneys at Law, Office No. 60 Fourth street, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notary Public and Ohio Commissioner. ap9

## Wants.

WANTED—1000 bus. prime Clover Seed by GRAFF & VAN GORDER, 114 Second st.

WANTED, 5,000 BUSHELS FLAXSEED, For which the highest market price will be paid by M. B. SUYDAM, oc21:2md Allegheny Oil Mill, Corner Craig and Rebecca Streets.

WANTED—500 bus. prime new Clover Seed. Apply to GRAFF & VAN GORDER, oc17 No. 13 Wood street.

5000 AGENTS WANTED—To sell 4 new Inventions. Agents have made over $75,000 on one,—better than all other similar agencies.—Send four stamps and get 80 pages particulars, gratis. EPHRAIM BROWN, Lowell, Mass. oct3:2md

WANTED—5,000 bushels Flax Seed, for which the highest market price will be paid. J. B. CANFIELD & CO.; No. 141 First st. au30

## To Let.

TO LET—The commodious Dwelling house, with stable, out houses and grounds attached, known as the residence of Hon. B. D. Carson, situated at Soho Bridge, just beyond the city limits on the Fourth Street Road. Enquire of R. H. IRISH, Agent, oc14:dtf No. 60 Fourth street.

TO LET—Several fine Store Rooms on St. Clair street, one of which will be rented in connection with the spacious room on the second floor, and is well calculated for a furniture or carpet store. Enquire of R. H. IRISH, No. 60 Fourth st. oc14:dtf

TO LET—A comfortable two story Brick Dwelling, situate on O'Hara street, containing 6 rooms, with finished garret, and kitchen on first floor. Enquire of R. H. KING, No. 211 Liberty st.

HIAWATHA NUT AND BOLT WORKS. PATENT HOT PRESSED NUTS of all sizes on hand and manufactured. Also, BOLTS for Bridges, Machinery, Agricultural Implements, &c., furnished at short notice. ☞ Warehouse, No. 114 Water street. au4:6mdfo KNAP, SCULLY & CO.

SUGAR CURED DRIED BEEF—300 lbs. fresh cured Beef just rec'd and for sale at FRANCE'S Family Grocery and Tea Store, Epiphany street, Allegheny.

TARRANT'S EFFERVESCENT and Seltzer Aperient constantly sold by JOS. FLEMING.

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PITTSBURGH:

FRIDAY MORNING, OCT. 28, 1859.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY.


## City and News Items.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations for the *Gazette*, by G. E. Shaw, Optician, 55 Fifth St.—corrected daily:

| | IN SUN. | IN SHADE. |
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| 9 o'clock A. M. | 56 | 32 |
| 12 " M. | 65 | 44 |
| 6 " P. M. | | 40 |
| Barometer | | 29.3.10 |

SUPREME COURT.—Before Judges Strong, Thompson, Read and Lowrie, C. J.

*Thursday, Oct. 27th.*—Bannon *et al.* vs. Brandon, Venango county; argument continued by Heydrick and Church for defendant in error.

Mayhood vs. Powell & Co., Elk county; on motion of Johnston, judgment of *non pros.*

Bank of Lawrence county vs. Lawrence Co.; writ of error quashed.

County of Lawrence vs. Bank of Lawrence Co.; writ of error quashed.

Bank of Lawrence county vs. Lawrence Co.; argued by McGoffin for plaintiff in error, and by Taylor and McCombs contra.

Johnston *et al.* vs. McCue *et al.*, Butler county; argued by Graham for plaintiff in error and by Sullivan contra.

Adjourned till Monday morning.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT.—Judge M'Candless sat on Thursday to hear arguments upon the application of Thomas Williams, Esq., representing the City of Pittsburgh, as to the bill of costs in the case of Oehlrichs & Co. vs. the City. It was held that the clerk, Mr. Sproul, had taxed the costs too high, and had charged for certifying the case up to the Supreme Court. R. B. Roberts, Esq., appeared for Mr. Sproul. Two hundred and twenty-five dollars were stricken off, and the record will be procured when the costs as now assessed shall have been paid.

DISTRICT COURT.—Before Judge Hampton.

M. Arnold & Sons vs. the Pennsylvania Insurance Company. This was an action brought for the recovery of a thousand dollars, the alleged value of a lot of goods which was lost on one of our steamers, and which the defendants had insured. The plaintiff was non-suited, and moved for a new trial.

J. C. Adams vs. T. M. Howe *et al.*, executors of the late Charles Avery. Action on a promissory note endorsed by the defendants. Verdict for $1,083, subject to the opinion of the Court on the reserved points.

Samuel McCune vs. Launcelot Walker; action for damages sustained in killing a horse loaned by defendant to plaintiff. On trial.

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS.—Before Judges McClure and Parke.

*Thursday, Oct. 27.*—The trial of coal diggers for riot was continued.

The first witness called for the defense was John A. Holzer. He testified that he met Andrew Stein about 5 o'clock on the evening of the riot, who told witness that the women were going to the pit, and asked him to go and aid him in getting them away; witness said it was of no use, as the men had left the pit.

William Dyer testified that Andrew Stein was with him in Pittsburgh until afternoon of the day of the riot; met Stein again in Birmingham about 5 o'clock and in company with Barnabas Ran and Kirscher.

Judge Adams being on the bench, said he had known Stein for a couple of years and that his general character for peace was good. To the same effect testified Robert Neillie, J. W. Patterson, C. B. M. Smith, and others. Gregory Hight testified that Andrew Stein and himself were standing during the disturbance about 100 yards from the riot. Stein tried to keep the peace.

Conrad Pack testified that Geo. Kubeiner and he were at Temperanceville on the day of the riot, at a meeting there, and that Kubeiner spoke there to the coal diggers. Another witness testified that it was half past four when Kubeiner came to Dwyer's house, where a meeting was to be held, but there was no meeting. Didn't see Kubeiner at Keeling's pit.

Mr. Flenniken proposed to call Chas. Barnett, Esq., to prove that he found the cars at a certain pit larger than was designated by the mark.

Judge M'Clure said that a set of men at work at any business had the right to remonstrate with their employer. But no set of men have a right to come in and dictate terms to other men who are at work peaceably in the place of their choice. Such an interference is as unjustifiable as would be that of a man between a lawyer and his client, dictating what they shall do or say.

Mr. Shannon having submitted some points to the court, both sides rested, and Mr. Flenniken went to the jury. He argued the case at great length, and was answered by Mr. Shannon in an elaborate argument.

The Court charged the jury at some length, defining clearly the law of riot. He sustained the law as laid down by Mr. Shannon, instructing the jury that all present at a riot were principals, whether passive or active agents. A man standing by with his hands in his pockets, unless he shall join the side of law and order when called upon, is a rioter. By his presence he gives encouragement to riot, and he is guilty of riot. There can be no neutrals. That there was a riot on this occasion, there could be no doubt. Even if the riot was left out of the question, the going in a body to the pit to hinder these men from working, whether labor is called free, but an attempt to hinder men from working who had entered into a voluntary contract so to do, was a tyrannical attempt to abrogate a contract. The jury were still out when the court adjourned last evening.

John A. Strain, 3d ward, pleaded guilty to selling liquor without a license. Fined $20 and costs. R. N. Evans, for the same offense, was $10 and costs.

Frederic Rohrkeste, one of the parties indicted for riot at Keeling's pits, did not make his appearance for trial. He was brought into court on a process and held to bail in the sum of $500 to await the issue of his trial.

James Mackerel pleaded guilty to stealing a pair of shoes, the property of Edward Logan. He was also indicted for stealing a common soft hat from Andrew Anson, and was found guilty. He was sent four months to jail on each.

Mary Griffin pleaded guilty to selling liquor without license, and was sentenced to pay $20 and costs. Mary Haney, for the same offense, fined $15.

An interesting German Lutheran congregation has lately been organized at Birmingham, and is ministered to by the Rev. H. Gilbert. Some of the people come from distances of five and six miles. The service is held in the English Lutheran Church.

Rev. C. D. Ulery, of the Theological Seminary in Gettysburg, has been elected Pastor of the English Lutheran Church in Birmingham, of which the Rev. H. Reck was pastor from its organization, seven years.

The Mount Calvary Church, Charliere creek, below the city, which was connected with the Birmingham Church in the maintenance of a pastor, has become a separate charge. They have elected the Rev. J. S. Lawson, who served them as a supply during the past year.

The above items of church news we gather from the *Missionary*.

THE RIOT CASES.—These cases or this case consumed nearly the whole day in the Quarter Session on Thursday. The counsel on either side, Messrs. Flenniken and Shannon, argued the case elaborately, and presented the facts in the strongest light for and against the men who stand charged with the riot. The court room was crowded with the friends of the accused and the general mass of spectators who hang upon all cases like leeches. The parties who are on trial were each of them put under bail at the preliminary hearing, of $600 each, thus making an aggregate of about $16,000, of the best freehold bail in the county, showing that these men were by no means without funds. As to the body of the offence, to wit: that a riot was committed—there was little doubt, after the testimony was in. At the time of this writing, however, the verdict of the jury has not been rendered.

LECTURES.—We understand that the Trustees of the Western University and other of our leading citizens have united in extending an invitation to Prof. Barker, of Boston, to visit this city and deliver a course of lectures on Chemistry, and that the Professor has accepted. These lectures will be such as our citizens will be peculiarly interested in, and we are sure that such an audience will attend as will make the lectures profitable in all respects. These lectures will be delivered under the auspices of the University, which has recently added one thousand dollars worth of choice chemical and philosophical apparatus to its collection, which will be used in illustrating these lectures.

PRAYER MEETING.—The Young Men's Christian Association have under consideration the propriety of holding a general prayer meeting, all sects to be invited to participate, in City Hall, on Thursday evening, November 24th, which will be Thanksgiving evening. Doubtless it will meet with encouragement from all good people, and the hall will be full. The ministers of the various evangelical denominations in the city will participate in the exercises.

COMMITTED.—Thomas Barrett, (not Carrott, as we were erroneously informed on Wednesday night,) was on Thursday committed to jail by Mayor Weaver, charged with assault and battery with intent to kill, on oath of Mary Bumbaugh, whose child, was run over on Penn street, by a horse, ridden by the said Barrett. The poor child is, as we are informed, considered in an almost hopeless condition. He has been speechless ever since the accident occurred.

The Grand Jury were engaged yesterday afternoon in the examination of the jail and penitentiary. They have finished the regular business which is devolved upon them, and will today make their report upon the condition of the public institutions which they have visited, and be discharged.

ALLEGHENY LADIES' RELIEF SOCIETY.—The annual meeting of this Society was held last evening in Excelsior Hall. Allen Kramer, Esq., was called to the chair, and the throne of grace was fervently addressed by Rev. Dr. Baird, of the Methodist *Advocate*.

Hon. Robert M'Knight then read the report for the Secretary, Mrs. Dr. M'Laren. This report is a touching and beautiful paper, and we regret our inability to publish it in full this morning.

We gather from it that during the winter of 1858–59, 8,834 bushels of coal, 7,718 pounds of flour, 705 quarts of beans, 192 pounds of rice, 292 quarts of molasses, 63 pounds of sugar, 51 do coffee, 19½ do tea, 34 do candles, 154½ do soap, 192 loaves of bread, 36 lbs of buckwheat, 4 quarts of salt, 9 bushels corn meal, 11½ bush. potatoes, 1,189 yards calico, 502 do muslin, 434½ do cotton flannel, 161 do flannel, 90½ do jean, 10 do tweed, 70½ do satinett, a quantity of spool cotton and brooms; 1 shawl, 27½ pounds cotton batting and 251 pairs of shoes. A number of second hand articles have been donated to the society and given out by the managers; also, the meat of three hogs and a barrel of beans. In nine districts reported, 97 families received more or less assistance. There were in the number 350 children; 29 were widows; nearly half that number were deserted wives.

As to the benefits of the Society, some most touching instances were given, showing that this Society has been active and useful in the midst of sorrow and destitution.

Mr. McKnight also read the report for the Treasurer, Mrs. Mary J. Hayes.

The following are the items of that report:

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| Balance in Treasury, 1858 | $ 14 35 |
| Donation from Christ Church | 13 02 |
| Gentlemen's subscription | 1,029 50 |
| Donations, etc | 183 05 |
| Managers Fines | 7 75 |
| Total | $1,247 67 |

These money's were expended in manner as follows:

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| For Shoes | $ 220 97 |
| " Coal | 428 65 |
| " Groceries | 307 21 |
| " Dry Goods | 245 43 |
| " Cash given | 11 00 |
| " Sexton's services | 3 00 |
| Total | $1,216 26 |

—Leaving a balance in the Treasury of $31.41.

These reports were adopted, and then the meeting was eloquently addressed on the subject of Christian Charity, by Rev. Mr. Preston, of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church. He said that God found His happiness in doing good, and those who would be Godlike will also follow the example of Him who spake as never man spake. Rev. Dr. Baird succeeded Mr. Preston in some eloquent and appropriate remarks.

The following are the officers of the Society for the coming year:

President: Mrs. Robinson; Vice Pres't: Mrs. Dr. Trevor; Treasurer: Mrs. R. T. Hays; Secretary: Miss Whitten; Managers: Mrs. Hussey, Irwin, M'Cague, Dale, Eichbaum, Kramer, Patterson, Butler, Dunlap, Gibson, Brunet, Breading, Bryant, Palmer; Misses Tassey, Morrison, Findley, Wotring, Heron, Lyon.

THE Deer Creek Hotel, Mr. George W. Smith, proprietor, we are informed, was burned to the ground on Thursday; the fire broke out about 11 o'clock A. M., from what cause we could not learn. The building was owned by Mr. John Macrum, of Fairview, whose loss is about $2500; we believe he is insured. The postoffice was located in the building, and a store kept by Mr. Bunting.

The hotel, under Mr. Smith's management, has been a favorite resort for our citizens for some time. The loss at this time will be a severe blow to Mr. S., as he has been lying very ill for several weeks, in this city, and we condole with him in his misfortunes.

BEST BUSINESS AND ORNAMENTAL WRITING.—The official reports of Premiums awarded at the last Pittsburgh Agricultural Fair, just published in this paper, state that awards for best Business and Ornamental Penmanship were given to the Iron City College. Every other department of this institution, as well as writing, stands pre-eminent, which is fully attested by its patronage being more than treble that of any similar school of the country.

THE Washington *Tribune* says: "On Saturday last, about 8½ o'clock, as Mr. John Seaman, grocer, of this place, was coming up Beau street, on his return from service in the Methodist church, he said he was accosted by a man who demanded his money, and failed to the earth by a blow upon the head from a 'handy billy.' He has been since confined to his house by the injury.

MUSIC.—Souvenirs de Rica, a masurka, for the piano. The piece is dedicated to Nicholas Galitzin, and is for sale at Charlotte Blume's, who has sent us a copy of the music.

Also, Leaflets of Melody, four pieces de Salon, composed by Charles Fradel, and for sale by Mrs. Blume, 118 Wood street, above 5th.

MR. H. M. COWAN, former assistant teacher of book-keeping in Duff's College, and at one time book-keeper for Wood, Lowell & Co., died a few days since at Uniontown, Armstrong county, at the early age of 20. He was an excellent young man.

SCARLET FEVER.—We learn that scarlet fever, of a very malignant type, prevails to a considerable extent in the vicinity of Washington, Pa.—A number of deaths among children have occurred recently, and there appears, as yet, no abatement of the disease.

MAN KILLED.—A man named Bernard Lynch was killed on Wednesday night, at Altoona, by being run over by the Hollidaysburg Branch train. He was intoxicated and lay down upon the track.

HONEY.—Mr. Montooth has in his store on Smithfield street, the largest and richest supply of honey now in this market. Persons desiring that article need look no further.

The number of deaths recorded for this city, from the 16th to the 24th, was 13. Males 7, females 6; colored 1.

HONEY.—J. Montooth, Nos. 175 and 177 Smithfield street, has just received 20 thousand pounds of clover and buckwheat honey, in glass boxes and glass jars, which he is selling at the most reasonable rates.


Notice to Builders and Contractors. THE UNDERSIGNED (formerly foreman for Rowland Parry) would respectfully inform those for whom he has done work, and the public generally, that he is now prepared to furnish Slate, or put on Slate Roofs, in the most approved manner; Orders for Roofing or Repairing of Slate Roofs (if left at the office of Alex. Laughlin, corner of Ross street and the Canal, Fifth ward,) will be promptly attended to. THOMAS FARRY. my26:4md.

A CARD. ARTIFICIAL TEETH. IT is well known that first class Dentistry has been beyond the reach of the mass of people on account of its costliness, and the majority, rather than take up with the inferior workmanship of "cheap Dentists," have adopted the wiser course and done without any, for if a set of teeth be imperfect in workmanship and inexact in fit, it is worse than useless and dear at any price. THE CORALITE AND PORCELAIN TEETH have inaugurated a new era in the science of dentistry—being the very best Artificial Teeth now in use, they can be afforded at prices that place them within the reach of all. Being the first to introduce these styles of work to this community, I accordingly fixed such prices as I deemed would remunerate the best artistic and mechanical skill. Since then, however, the unprecedented favor with which the work has been received, has compelled other Dentists to adopt it, some of whom wish to retain the old gold plate prices, which I consider would be exorbitant; for, though the new styles are really more valuable than the best gold work, they are made of less expensive material. The increased amount of work done compensates for the reduction in price. On the other hand, a few Dental Quacks of this city, who possess neither mechanical skill or common honesty, advertise the work at prices slightly less than my own, notwithstanding they have neither the ability nor the right (it being patented) to manufacture it. The object of this trickery is merely to obtain an opportunity to disparage the Coralite and Porcelain and recommend some of their own worthless work. I have felt bound, in justice to myself and the public, to make known these facts. The qualities of the PORCELAIN AND CORALITE PLATE TEETH, which establish their great superiority over the best gold or other metallic plate are—entire freedom from all metallic taste, smell or tarnish, being incorrodible and imperious to the juices of the mouth; perfect adaptation or fit, (impossible in metallic work) which, with much greater strength and lightness, enables them to be worn with more ease comfort and utility. They are also far more durable, less liable to accident and more easily repaired. The public are invited to call and examine these new styles of work at No. 191 PENN STREET, oc8:eod2wd4ltwT N. STEBBINS, M. D., Dentist.

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TO THE NERVOUS OF BOTH SEXES.—A Retired Clergyman having been restored to health in a few days, after many years of great nervous suffering, is willing to assist others by sending (free) a copy of the prescription used. Direct the Rev. JOHN M. DAGNALL, 186 Fulton street, Brooklyn, N. Y. se30:2md&3mwF


## Telegraphic.

[A dispatch purporting to give some disclosures on the authority of the N. Y. *Herald*, was received last night. This is evidently one of those political *canards*, for which that infamous paper is noted; we shall not therefore aid in its circulation. Bennet will stop at nothing to carry a point, and as he is now seeking favors from the Buchanan administration, he is ready to do any dirty work it may allot him.—These "disclosures" assert nothing positive against the individuals assailed—for that would be too bold a step—but as the papers were found by and have since been in the possession of the attaches of the *Herald*, we have reason to believe that the material points are forged for a purpose.]

CHARLESTOWN, Va., Oct. 27.—The storm of last evening prevented the transmission of the latter part of the proceedings of the Court. The Court finally refused to postpone the trial, and the whole afternoon was occupied in obtaining a jury. Brown occupied a cot, on which he was carried into the Court room. The trial was resumed this morning. Brown was brought into Court, being able to walk, but he immediately laid himself down on his cot at full length within the bar. He looked considerably better, the swelling having left his eyes. Senator Mason is a spectator. Messrs. Harding and Hunter represent the Commonwealth, and Botts and Green the prisoner. Mr. Botts read the following dispatch, received this morning:

AKRON, Ohio, Oct. 26, 1859.—J. J. Faulkner and Lawson Botts, Charleston, Va.:—John Brown, leader of the insurrection at Harper's Ferry, and several of his family, have resided in this county for many years. Insanity is hereditary in that family. His mother's sister died with it, and a daughter of that sister has been two years in the Lunatic Asylum. A son and daughter of his mother's brother have also been confined in the Asylum, and another son of that brother is now insane, and under close restraint. These facts can be conclusively proven by witnesses residing here, who will doubtless attend the trial if desired. A. H. LEWIS.

[Signed.]

[The telegraph operator at the Akron office, Wm. C. Allen, adds to the above dispatch that A. H. Lewis is a resident of that place, and his statements are entitled to implicit credit.]

Mr. Botts said that on receiving the above dispatch he went to the jail with his associate, Mr. Green, and read it to Brown, and he was desired by the latter to say that in his father's family there has never been any insanity at all; on his mother's side there has been repeated instances of it. He adds that his first wife showed symptoms of it, which was also evident in his first and second sons by that wife. Some portions of the statements in the dispatch he knows to be correct; of other portions he is ignorant. He does not know whether his uncle's sister died in a lunatic asylum or not, but he does believe that a daughter of that sister has been two years in an asylum, and thinks a son and daughter of his mother's brother have been confined in the asylum; but he was not aware of the fact that another son of that brother is now insane and in close confinement.

Brown also desires his counsel to say that he does not put in any plea of insanity, and if he has ever been at all insane, he is totally unconscious of it. Yet he adds that those who are most insane, generally suppose that they have more reason and sanity than those around them. For himself he disdained to put in that plea, and seeks no immunity of that kind. The movement is made totally without his application or concurrence, and was unknown to him until the receipt of the above dispatch.

Brown here raised himself up in his bed and said: "I look upon it as a miserable artifice and pretext of those who ought to take a different course with me, if they took any at all, and I view it with contempt more than otherwise, as I remarked to Mr. Green. Insane persons, as far as my experience goes, have very little ability to judge of their own sanity, and if I am insane of course I should think I knew more than all the rest of the world, but I do not think so. I am perfectly unconscious of insanity, and I reject, so far as I am capable, any attempt to interpose in my behalf on that score."

Mr. Botts stated that he was further instructed by Brown that, rejecting this plea entirely, and seeking no delay for that reason, he does repeat to the court his request made yesterday that time be given for the arrival of foreign counsel, which he has now reason to expect, on account of a dispatch, dated the 26th, from Daniel Tilden, Cleveland, Ohio, to which an answer was sent for counsel to come on immediately.

The point was fully discussed by counsel on both sides. The Court stated that he must see in this case as in any obtiner, that proper cause for delay was made out before granting such application in the present case. He could not see that the telegram gave any assurance that