A West Hill minister picked up a frozen wasp on the sidewalk recently, and, with a view to advancing the insterest of science, carried it in the house and held it by the tail while be warmed its ears over a lamp chimney. His object was to see if wasps froze to death, or merely lay dormant during Winter. He is of the opinion that they lie darmant, and of the dormantthey lie darmant, and of the dormant-est kind at that, and, when they re-vive, he says, the tail thaws out first, for while this one's head, right over the lamp, was so still and cold that it could not wink, its probe worked with such inconceivable rapidity that the minister couldn't gasp enough to keep up with it. He threw the vicious thing down the lamp chimnes with be thing down the lamp chimney, said he didn't want any more truck with a dormant wasp, at which his wife burst into tears and asked how he, a minister of the Gospel, could use such language, right before the children, 100

· 1000

Bishop Ames tells a story of a slave master in Missouri, in the olden time of negro vassalage, who said to his chattel: "Pompey, I hear you are a great preacher." "Yes, mssa, de Lord do help me powerful sometimes." "Well, Pompey, dou't you think the negroes steal little things on the plan-tation?" "I'se mighty 'fraid they does, massa," "Theo, Pompey, I want you against stealing." After a brief re-flection, Pompey replied: "You see, massa, dat wouldn't never do, cause 'twould trow such a col'ness over de BUSINESS CARDS

A few days ago a man came in from the country who had a terrible pain in his stomach. He was all bent up, and his stomach. He was all both up, and his face wore an expression of agony that was pitiable to see. He asked a boy if he knew where there was any liquor sold in town, saying he couldn't stand it much longer if he didn't get some. The boy eyed the stranger for a moment, and then said : "Mister, I cannot tell a lie-I don't know where they sell liquor in this 'ere town, but if you'll give me some terbacker I'll show you where all the fellows go what's got pains in their stomachs."-Altoona Tribune.

"Eat your bread, Charles-do not fling it away," said a learned and good Judge to one of his family, adding "for who knows in the vissitudes of this life, if you may not some day want it." The old gentlemen had to cough, look learned and go away, when the youngster and go away, when the youngster answered more logically, "If I eat it, how can I have it when I want it?" This is the result of a learned Judge having chilren.

One of the boys just before return-ing to Cornell, the other day, sent a young lady filend of his a cake of Lubin's finest variety of toilet soap, with the request that she would draw no inference on receiving such a gift. The next day the young man was somewhat astonished when he received a letter from the young lady contain-ing the present of a fine-tooth comb, withe request that he would draw no inferences therefrom.

James Murphy, Jr., sged thirty-three years, the "Irish Giant" died in Baltimore on Saturday, of bronchial affection. Murphy traveled several years with P. T. Barnum, and was well known in the United States. He was about eight feet high, and weighed about three hundred and fifty pounds.

Lucretia Boyd of Elizabethtowc, settled the matter with her slow wooer by simply shedding a few tears, and saying: "I don't believe I nave a real friend on earth." What could the

JOB WORK Allegheny Valley Rail Road. Oil Creek & Allegheny River Bail-way, and Buffalo, Corry & Pitts-burgh R. R. ON AND AFTER Monday, February 2, 1874, trains will run as follows : U 1874, trains will run as follows: STATIONS. Northward. Southward am p m a m p m p m p 1 Pittsbargh 2420 7:20 10:05 3:00 W Pen June 4:02 8:55 8:39 11:30 Kittanning 4:50 9:40 7:45 12:32 R. B'k June 6:46 10:55 6:20 11:40 Brady Bend 6:09 10:55 6:20 11:425 Parker 6:48 11:35 5:20 10:35 Emission 7:05 12:00 10:55 Scrubgrass 8:25 DONE AT THE Parker Emionton Scrubgrass Franklin Oll City OFFICE 'REPUBLICAN''
 9:05
 1:00
 3:05
 8:25

 7:00
 9:45
 2:35
 2:15
 7:45
 8:09

 8:00
 2:40
 12:42
 7:93
Oleopolis Eagle Rock 8:17 0:05 Tionesta Tidionte Irvineton 10:28 11:45 Rouseville Titusville At the invest oash prices, neatly, prompt-

4 -4. 24.5

 $\begin{array}{c} 3:00 \\ 8:26 \\ 10:57 \\ 4:15 \\ 5:00 \\ 7:45 \end{array}$

10:05 2:55 1:52 7:28 11:10 3:50 12:53 0:25 5:10 11:15

7:00 9:47 8:53 6:05 a. m p. m p. m a. m a. m p. m

Trains run by Philadelphia Time, J. J. LAWRENCE, Gen'l Sup't.

PENNSYLVANIA

PENNSYLVANIA CEN-TRAL RAILROAD O'AND AFTER II P. P. Sunday May to the second stress of the second there is a soliows: ARRIVE. Mail Train, 1.50 a m : Fast Line, 12.12 a m : Well's accommodation No. 1, 6.20 a m Brinton accommodation No. 1, 6.20 a m Brinton accommodation No. 1, 6.55 a m : Clin-cinnati express 9.20 a m : Johnstown ac-commodation 10.50 a m : Braddock's ac-commodation No. 1, 7.60 p m : Wall's accommodation No. 3, 2.35 p m : Wall's accommodation No. 3, 2.35 p m : Homewood accommodation No. 3, 2.35 p m : Homewood accommodation No. 4, 5.50 p m : Wall's accommodation No. 4, 5.50 p m : Brinton accommodation No. 2, Li0 p m : Way Passengor 10.20 p m.

DEPART.

Corry Mayville Builalo

7:88 7:25 6:56

6:09 5:20

CEN

ly, and in style equal to that of any

other establishment in the District.

a make

7-11 - ----

SHOW CARDS.

VISITING CARDS.

SCHOOL CARDS

WEDDING CARDS,

PROGRAMMES,

BALL TICKETS,

ADMISSION TICKETS,

NAME OF TAXABLE

Good Meals at Reasonable Rates. MONTHLY STATEMENTS.

MRS. HINELY, having recently open-ed a New Dining Room for Ladles and Gentlemen, is prepared to furnish good meals at all times and at low rates. No. 16 SIXTH STREET, Late St. Clair, PITTSBURGH, PA. w81 3m

KEYSTONE DINING ROOMS, ENVELOPES 293 Liberty

. IN THE

Apply to GEO. G. SICKLES,

ST. CLAIR DINING ROOM.

BOROUGH OF TIONESTA.

79, Nassau St., New York City.

Immense Reduction to Suit the Times!!

READ THIS!

At the Wholesale and Retail Piano and Organ Emporium of



S. HAMILTON & CO., 77 5TH AVE., PITTSBURGH, PA

OUR MOTTO IS AND HAS BEEN

DEPART. Southern express 5.20 a m; Pacific ex-press 2.40 a m; Wall's accommodation No 1, 6.90 a m; Wall's accommodation No 1, 6.90 a m; Mail Train S.10 a m; Brinton's accommodation 15.20 a m; Braddock's ac-commodation No 1, 5.10 p m; Cinclanati express 12.35 p m; Wall's accommodation N 2, 11.51 a m; Johnstown accommodation N 2, 11.51 a m; Johnstown accommodation No 1, 8.50 p m; Hilladelphia express 3.50 p m; Wall accommodation No 3, 3.05 p m; Wall's accommodation No 4, 6.06 p m; Fast Line 7.40 p m; Wall's No 5, 11.00 p m. The Church Trains leave Wall's Station every Sunday at 9.05 a.m., reaching Fitts-burgh at 12.50 p. m., and arrive at Wall's station at 2.10 p.m. QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS.

Our business is exclusively PIANOS and ORGANS, which enables us to give our whole time and attention to this exclusive trade. Thus where other dealers sell from five to ten instruments a week, our sales very often exceed these numbers in a single day, so that we can better afford to sell at 10 per cent, profit on cost, than they can at 20 and 25 per cent.

Hvery Instrument we sell is a good as an agent for us, as they invariably introduce us favorably to all who see them. We have sold and in use

2,000 OF THESE ORGANS

in and about Pittsburgh alone. They are not some new Organ, the growth of a few months, but are old reliable makes, that are constantly adding every ineritorions im-provement. The really Grand Simmons & Clough's Combination Organs have been manufactured for Twenty-five years, while the Celebrated Taylor & Farley Celestes Organs have been manufactured over Twenty years. And now for the purpose of in-troducing them more thoroughly throughout all the country towns of the State, we have made new and very heavy contracts for large numbers of them, which we pro-pose to sell on their merits, and without the sama and wholegale discounts, we are thus enabled to offer these Organs at the following prices, at which we shall sell for a short time.

Station at 2,10 p. m. Cincinnali express leaves daily. South-ern express daily except Monday, All oth-er Trains daily, except Sunday. For further information aply to W. H. BECKWITH, Agent. The Pennsylvania Rallroad Company will not assume any Risk for Baggage ex-cept for Wearing Apparel, and Hmit their rsponability to One Hundred Dollar sval-me. All baggage exceeding that a ount in value will be at the risk of the mer, unloss taken by special contract. A. J. CASSAT General SuperIntendent, Altoons Pa. CABINET CASES. Double Reed, 4 Stop Organs, Regular Price, \$145.00 at \$ 85.00 5 155.00 at 90.00 LOTS FOR SALE! 11 6 165.00 at 95.00 FULL RESONANT CASES, Double Reed, 4 Stop Organs, Regular Price, \$165.00 at 95.00 5 86 175.00 at 100.00 44 6 . 185.00 at. 105.00 " Vox Humana " 2ª sets Reeds 6 215.00 at 125.00 " Viola 8 275.00 at 160.00 These Organs are all Solid Walnut, Paneling and Carving all of Solid Walnut. Nei-ther saw-dust mouldings nor cheap brass trinkets are used on these instruments every-thing is the very best, and are all fully warranted for five years.

THE BRADBURY & DECHER PIANOS WILL BE SOLD AT THE SAME RATES OF DISCOUNT.

The above are strictly cash prices, but if desired by the purchaser, either quarterly or semi.annual payments will be also at an advance of 10 per cent, per about on the above prices. Persons ordering by letter can depend on the most careful selection be-ing made. If the eash price he sent with the order, the instrument will be aligned by freight, if not accompanied with the cash, the Organ will be shipped by Express, C. G. D. If time be desired, we require notes with good scentity, or at least good references.

Address for Catalogue, and state where you read this notice.

DITHRIDGE & CO., Manufacturers of every variety of XX FLINT GLASS LAMP H! MINEYS, AND SILVEREDIGLASSIREFLECTORS, WASHINGTON & FRANKLAN STS., FITISBURGH, PA.

FORTEPITT_GLASSEWORKS.

H. H. COLLINS.

OND. W. DITHRIDGE, PAUL ZIMMERMAN,

There is "sheddy" in glass, as well as in in woolen fabrics. Consumers of koro-seme are sometimes almost discouraged, so frequently do cleinneys break, without any aquaent cause, rendering the could of chlunneys about equal to that of oil. Cheap-ness being the order of the day, a great many manufacturies make chlunneys from allieste of line, instead of from tend. The inflated uny toil the different qualities of glass by ringing them : t e vibrations of glass by ringing them; t e vibrations of the lead glass have a clear, ringing, hell-like sound, possessing the requisite strength in withstand expansion and constrongth to withstand expansion and con-traction, as well as the remerat pressure of mae, and will outlast half asboart of She-lime plass chimneys. Fifteen cents in-vested in one of the lead chimneys is mancy well spant, even though it infiress the "trade" in the chaper kied, which is mast assurably ought to, and doubties will. Stick a plu there, and remember it, The required lead slass chimneys may be fail at which above retail of "Code W. DITHRIDGE & CO, 2 ti Tionesta, Pa. 2.11 Tionesia, Pa.



Testimonials of Waters' Pianos' and Organs,

"Waters' Concerto Parlor'Organ pos-sesses a benutifui and peculiarly soft tore. The Concerto Stop is, without doubt, the best over placed in any organ. It is pro-duced by an extra set of reeds, peculiarly voiced, from which the effect is most charming and its imitation of the human voice is superb. For sweetness of tone and orchestral effects it has no equal."-N. Y. T'gaes.

'The Concerto Parlor Organ''s some-thing entirely new; it is a beautiful 'parlor orna I, possesses a sweet and power-ful tom is a most commendable inven-tion and holds a high place in public fr-vor."-N. Y. Evening Post.

AN OBCHESTERA IN THE PARLOR.—The orchestral organ is the name of anew reed organ recently announced by Horace Wa-ters & Son. The instrument takes this name from its needed of this is peoplic, producing the effect of a full sweet con-traito voles. Its finest effect is produced when the stops are drawn, so that an or-chestral effect is given. The case is and the and makes a handsome article, of furni-ture."—N. Y. Nun.

The Waters Pinnos are known as among the very best. We are enabled to speak of these instruments with confidence, from personal knowledge. -N: Y. Exangelist.

×.

10



INVITATIONS,

friend on earth." What could the poor fellow do but open his arms, and exclaim : "here is your refuge!"

The New York World doesn't give the name of the economical farmer's daughter in Massachusetts who put off her wedding day because eggs were up to forty cents a dozen and it would take two dozen for the wedding cake and puddings.

The correspondent who asks us what measures he shall adopt to keep agents out of his house, is informed that we know of but one plan-and that is to set fire to his house and burn it down.

"The honey-moon is well enough," said a prudent belle, "but what I want to see beyond that is the pomise of a fine harvest-moon."

Nearly everybody knows that near-ly everybody lies, and yet nearly eve-rybody says: "What everybody says must be so."

The policy of John Morrissey is de-fined to be π long pool, a strong pool, and a pool altogether.

It is more blessed to give than receive, but it is much more difficult in these times.

No longer do they say "according to Hoyle." Now it is "according to Schenck."

The charity that begins at home isn't the kind "covers a multitude of

Love without money is something like patent leather boots without soles.

An intelligent, liberal and pious clergyman makes a prime minister.

One thousand pills were stolen from a New York physician recently. Better run in old clothes than run

in debt,

A friend indeed is one who is not in need,

BILL EADS. 102 L C 2 17 LETTER HEADS,

NOTE HEADS,

CIRCULARS,

BLANKS,

TERS. S

33 3880 (TO)

DODGERS,

HANDBILLS,

LABELS,

SHIPPING TAGS, &c.

S. HAMILTON & CO., W. H. SIMPSON, Proprietor. feb17 14m 77 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. MEALS AT ALL HOURS. TRANSIENT CUSTOM SOLICITED. BARGAINS Cut Out for Reference. w25-1v Watches, Diamonds, Jewelry, Sil-ver and Silver Plated Ware, Clocks Bronzes, Cutlery, etc., of the finest qualities only,-offered regardless of cost. Our stock must be closed out tomake satisfactory settlement with the estate of the late John Stevenson. F. F. L. WANTED.-Everybody to know that Four-Fold Limment is the leading Lim-ment for curing all kind of Pains and Sore Threats, and for Horses, Catlle, dc., is the most successful Limiment in the market for the successful Limiment in the market. See circulars around bott Sold by all Druggists. 30-1y com Stevenson. JOHN STEVENSON'S SONS, 93 Market Street, Pittsburgh. M'ELROY & DICKSON, 54 WOOD ST., PITTSBURGH, PA. -WHOLEGALE-DR. C. KEMBLE, DRY GOOD Has bought out the store of OFFER THEIR STOCK OF BOLARD BROS., DRY COODS AND NOTIONS Tidioute, Pa., FOR AUTUMN, 1874, AT VERY LOW PRICES And will carry on the business hereafter. A full line of all the goods formerly kept will atill be found in this store. Physi-cians prescriptions enrefully compounded by a Competent Pharmaelst a Graduate of Philadelphia College of Pharmaey. 52.3m 32-3m C. KEMBLE, M. D. FREE TO BOOK AGENTS, The oldest and most reliable institution or obtaining a Morcantile Education. For iroulars write to P. DUFF & SONS, IODIDE OF AMMONIA An elegantly bound Canvassing Book for the best and cheapest Family Bible ever published, will be sent free of charge to any book agent. It contains over 708 fine Scripture Hiustrations, and agents are meeting with unprecedented success. Ad-dress, stating experience, etc., and we will show you what our agents are doing. Na-tional Publishing Co., Philadelphia, Pa., Cnicago, Ill., or St. Louis, Mo. 31 4t for obtaint Circulars write to waa-3m eom Pittaburgh, Pa. RHEUMAURA DEVA FACIS SWORN TO Dr. J. P. Prezzz - Holog sware, says I graduated at the investigation in in 1520 and after 30 years experiment, Friend Dr. Witter's Verget ability intrancial years and Pillia, which I guarantee as infailling area Philain in Head, Longe, Bask, Heest, Links, Ferrers, Edg. The Republican Office KEEPS constantly on hand a large as-sortment of Blank Deeds, Morigages Subponas, Warrants, Summens, &c. to be sold cheap for cash Parlies in Mend. Jampe, Bank, Henry, Linnis, Perretes, Koley F. Hinsh, and All Rivermanis diverses. Strong Leader Parlies in 1997. Cr. A. CHHOURN, Noisey Parlies of the Strong in 1997. Constraints of the Strong Strong Strong Constraints were liver fines. Moreover, M. B. Strong Parlies Dev (1) History were liver fines. Moreover, M. B. Strong Constraints (1) and were liver fines. Moreover, M. B. Strong Constraints (1) and Market M. Strong Constraints (1) and the Character of a ministry of strainty (1), K. Y. Steep Joon Leages, Fills Character Alling, etc. Additional distribution (1) and the Character Alling, etc. Additional distribution (1) and the Character Market (1) and the Character (1) and the Character Market (1) and the Character (1) and the Character Market (1) and the Character (1) and the Character Market (1) and the Character (1) and the Character Market (1) and the Character (1) and the Character (1) and the Character Market (1) and the Character (1) and the Character (1) and the Character Market (1) and the Character (1) and the Character (1) and the Character Market (1) and the Character (1) and t TOB WORK of all kinds doni at this ofice on short notice 7-13