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WEDNESDAY MORNING—OCT. 14, 1863.

McClellan on Woodward.

The telegraph brought us intelligence on Monday evening that Gen. McCLELLAN had written a letter to Hon. CHARLES J. BIDDLE, indorsing GEO. W. WOODWARD, the Copperhead candidate for Governor. We have since read the letter as published in the Copperhead organs. It is not worth our while to argue the question whether it is a genuine and authentic production of the grave-digger of the Chickahominy. Suffice it to say, that it bears many evidences of such a paternity. In his epistolary communications, as in his military operations, McCLELLAN moves only at the eleventh hour. The letter was evidently designed to influence voters to cast their votes in favor of WOODWARD, and yet it is only dated at Orange, New York, the day before the Pennsylvania election! Even if it had been published sooner it would have proved powerless and inefficacious. McCLELLAN'S sympathy with rebels and military incapacity have damned him forever in the estimation of the loyal citizens of America.

The Copperhead press seize every opportunity to resurrect and galvanize this long since defunct general; but their efforts are utterly unavailing, and must ever prove abortive. Even the soldiers, who were *supposed* to look upon McClellan as a Napoleon, express the utmost contempt for him both as a man and as a captain. Shortly after this precious epistle was posted so conspicuously through the city, yesterday, we saw soldiers reading it at several places, and turning away in disgust. We heard one say to his comrades, "McClellan has humbugged the army long enough and now he wants to humbug the people, but if he is never made President until the soldiers elect him he will never become an occupant of the White House."

But to the letter. It is a matter of very little importance, we think, to the American people, what Geo. B. McCLELLAN says, or whom he indorses. There are plenty of old women in the country who can talk as sensibly on any subject as he can. As a general he could do little, and as a letter-writer he can do less. Hear him on WOODWARD and a vigorous prosecution of the war:

"I understood Judge WOODWARD to be in favor of the prosecution of the war with all the means at the command of the loyal States, until the military power of the rebellion is destroyed."

This is a direct contradiction of Judge WOODWARD'S repeated declarations. He has again and again declared, that the war is "unconstitutional," and that, if it were within his power, he would withdraw the national army North of Mason and Dixon's line, and negotiate peace with armed rebels!

But, we suppose that the "energy and decision" with which WOODWARD would "carry on the war," would be a re-enactment of the Fabian policy of "Little Mac," who was wont, while at the head of one of the largest and finest armies that ever any nation produced, to sit down for months in idleness and inactivity when he was only confronted by a few thousand of the enemy's forces and some twelve or thirteen "quaker guns."

General Scott on the Generals.

ADAMS, of the Cincinnati *Gazette*, in a recent letter from Washington, writes:

Gen. Scott was encountered the other day by a leading Washington official, with whom the old veteran fell into a very unreserved talk about generals. It will not surprise any one to know that he pronounces Lee the greatest general of the war, thus far; or that he declares that he was more disappointed in Gen. McClellan's performances than he ever was before with those of any officer in our service. Gen. Grant's operations he spoke of as displaying more military skill than any other general had exhibited on our side; and he was the more surprised and mystified at it, as he could only remember him in the Mexican war as a young lieutenant of undoubted courage, but giving no promise whatever of anything beyond ordinary abilities. If he had remembered that Gen. Tecumseh Sherman was Gen. Grant's right hand man, his mystification might have been diminished.

The Steamboat Incendiaries.

We have heard reports that the recent burning of Steamboats at St. Louis, and other places on the Mississippi river, was in accordance with a concerted plan of the rebels to prevent the navigation of that river. It appears by the following despatch that some of those incendiaries have been arrested:

CINCINNATI, Oct, 9. 1863.

The Mississippi river gunboat plot is exploded. Intercepted letters here this morning by Gen. Cox, commanding the department of the Ohio, have developed the gun-boat plot. Two men have been arrested at the Burnett House by the Provost Marshal as accomplices. One of them turned State's evidence. He says all the steamers on the Western waters were to be burned. Eighteen of the gang were stationed at St. Louis, ten at Louisville, and eight at Cincinnati. The work was to be done between the 1st and 15th of October. The burning at St. Louis was premature. The plot is fully exposed, and every accomplice will be arrested.

Enlistment of Slaves in Maryland—An Alternative.

A recent Washington letter says: The slaveholders of Maryland discover that there is an unpleasant proviso in Mr. Lincoln's decision respecting the enlistment of slaves in that State. He assents to their demand, and no more slaves are to be enlisted in Maryland without the consent of their masters. But—and here's the rub—but, if the white slaveholders of Maryland will not permit their slaves to enlist, they must enlist themselves, or be drafted. Soldiers, the government is determined to have, from slave States as well as free, and if the white people of Maryland prefer to fight rather than permit their slaves to do it for them, the President will not object.

Mrs. Brown, widow of the John Brown of the Kansas and Virginia history, was in Clayton county, Iowa, a few days ago, in search of a home in that State. Of the visit to McGregor, the *News* of that place thus speaks:

"Mrs. Brown has her family with her—she is seeking a new home west of us where she may live in retirement. Mrs. B. has made a good impression upon all who have called upon her, and let her go where she may, she will take with her the good wishes of her newly made friends in McGregor."

The father of Spencer Kellogg Brown, the young man who was hung at Richmond on the 25th of September, went into the Fulton street meeting, New York, last week, and requested prayers that the death of his son who was "murdered" in Richmond might be sanctified to him and his surviving family. The request produced a thrill and sensation through the audience.

A Commission has been appointed by Gen. Grant to examine into the ownership of property at Vicksburg—confiscate that of rebels and place loyal owners in possession of what belongs to them.

Mrs. N. P. Willis is to keep a little family school at "Idlewild," on the Hudson.

The Tender Mercies of Slavery—An Incident of Life in Washington.

The following reminiscence of Washington life, during the dark and days when the National capital owned the usurpation of the Slave-power, we find in the correspondence of the N. Y. *Evening Post*:

"Forty years ago, a wealthy planter came from Florida or Louisania, to reside in Washington for a time, bringing with him a son, a fine manly boy of thirteen or fourteen. At the levees of his father, which were then fashionable, he received the caresses of the ladies and the encouragement of the gentlemen that his age, intelligence and his father's position naturally elicited. Of his family, none accompanied his father besides this son, in his visits to Washington. In due course of time the boy, on whom his father's affections were evidently centered, was sent North, and was there educated, graduating at Harvard or Yale, with an honorable standing in his class. On his return to this city he avowed a love for the North, acquired during his college life, which was not restrained in its expression by his father, who fostered and encouraged it zealously, and readily consented to his permanent residence there. He desired, however, that his son should remain with him here during his own stay. An appointment was procured for him as a clerk in the War Department, and he entered upon its duties.

Among the acquaintances formed at this time was a gentleman from Pennsylvania, and the chief clerk of a bureau, who was the father of a girl yet in her teens, lovable in character, as well as very beautiful. Intimacy begat friendship, and it was hardly a matter of wonder that love should follow. With the blessings of all they were married at St. John's Church, in this city, it happening to be about the first marriage that ever took place there; and even now the long rows of carriages, the fair dames and rich attire, the music, the crowded parlors, the splendor and joy which crowned the wedding, are vividly depicted by those who treasure the chronicles of society in those days.

The young man's father had bought and furnished an elegant house for his children, and they removed at once to their own establishment. Not long after the marriage, and while in the full tide of happiness, the father was called home, and left his son and daughter, intending soon to return. They received no intelligence from him for week after week, which caused them anxiety, daily increasing to alarm. At last, one day, when the son had just decided to go in search of his father, a carriage dashed up to the door, a young man stepped out, and, followed by the sheriff of the district, walked into the War Department, and, before all his companions, in the broad light of noon, arrested the son as the slave of his father!

The son solemnly declared that his father had manumitted him, and that he had seen the will long since in which it had been done. This outrage shocked the sensibility of even an effete slave community. Mr. Monroe, then President, and others high in power, used all the argument, all the entreaty tongue could utter, offered money without stint, for the ransom of one whom all loved and esteemed, and whose condition, to that hour, no one had dreamed. But the young man, possessed of all power in the case, and the son of an enraged family, mocked them, told them that money was no object, argument and treaty alike unavailing. What he had now obtained was revenge, of which nothing should foil him.

The father had met with sudden death, the will had been either concealed or destroyed, and his person, in all appearance of Saxon birth, with the exception of a slight swarthiness common to all natives of the extreme South, was taken, chained as a slave, his horse and furniture sold, and accompanied by his beautiful, heart-broken wife, faithful and unfaltering in this living death, from the fashionable circles of Washington society, carried to the "plantation," to toil in slavery, beneath the infuriated lash of a vindictive family.

Mr. Monroe assured him that a situation should be given him if he ever could prove his manumission or escape.

He never afterwards was heard from in this district, for, as Napoleon said of convents, "the terrible mysteries of slave prisons perish unrevealed."

The True Measure of the Inflation of Currency.

The rise in gold in New York brings up the old speculations about the inflation of currency. In a letter on the subject some months ago, I held that the inflation was not nearly so great as was popularly supposed, and by a calculation of the amount of currency now in circulation, sought to show that since the war the inflation had not been more than twelve or fifteen per cent.

A curious confirmation of this estimate may be drawn from a totally different source. It may be considered that a true test of the inflation of the currency is to be found in the inflation of *values*. An average made from a table of the prices of different necessaries of life, at stated periods for a term of ten years prior to the war, in several of the principal markets of the country, and a similar average for the last two years, would show the exact difference in prices produced by the inflation. Such tables have been prepared, and the average for the last two years is found to be only *about fifteen per cent.* greater than for the ten previous years.

In other words, the inflation of the currency caused by our enormous loans, issues of greenbacks, postal currency, certificates of indebtedness, and the like, causes us to pay about fifteen per cent. more than we did before the war, for the same article, and warrants a premium of about that amount on gold. When, as now, it is up to over forty, the rise above fifteen is the gauge of the hopes and fears of capitalists, for the final success of the Government, *as affected by the panics and manufactations of Wall street speculators*, whose interests are involved in putting gold up, or putting it down.—*Whitelaw Reid.*

Slavery in Arkansas—The People in Favor of its Abolition.

An Arkansas letter to the St. Louis *Democrat* says:

"In this state, thanks to the President, the slavery question is settled. All the Union men and non-slaveholders in the State accept the Proclamation as settled law, and are glad of it. The slaveholding rebels had so much faith in its virtue that they have fled the State with their slaves, so that the negro question is already settled. There is only one thing to fear. If the Governor commits the affairs of this State to some conservative pro-slavery man who will hob-nob with the wealthy slaveholders and induce the hope in their minds that the Proclamation is 'mere breath,' and that they will yet be permitted to hold and own their slaves, then this State will be lost to the Union for years to come, and the horrors of a guerrilla war, such as desolates Missouri, will prevail in this State.

"As soon as the principal towns in the State are garrisoned, it will be safe to call on the people to elect delegates to a convention to form a constitution. There is no earthly doubt but that such a convention would undo all that the rebel convention did, and settle the efficacy of the President's Proclamation, by declaring in the organic act of the State that slavery was abolished and should never again exist in the State. All this can be done in a few months, if the man who is sent here to manage things wants it done."

A French Fleet to be Sent to the Gulf.

A Washington letter to the Philadelphia *Ledger* says:

"I learn from high authority that the petition of the French residents of New Orleans to the Emperor, praying that a suitable fleet may be sent for their protection in the event of any sudden trouble, has been promptly and favorably responded to, and that some half dozen vessels of war will soon be within easy call of the French Consul in that city.

"It has been charged by some that the above petition was a mere plot to bring a heavy French naval force into the Gulf, and thus add to the chance of that still greater plot for the embroilment of the two powers in difficulty.

"From what I can learn, however, I am inclined to believe this charge to be unfounded, as I have seen, myself, letters from some of the first French citizens in New orleans upon this very subject, wherein not a thought of any difficulty with the United States was mentioned, or even vaguely hinted at."

It is a singular fact that while not a single accident has occurred to the guns on board the Ironsides and Monitors, five of General Gillmore's guns of the same calibre as those used by the navy, have exploded, or become damaged since the siege of Charleston began. Experienced naval officers explain this by the fact that the projectiles used by the Monitors were "slushed" or greased before being rammed home.

Owing to the increasing price of provisions and fuel, the hotels in Cincinnati have increased board to $3 per day.

RICHMOND MARKETS.—The market is well supplied with potatoes, now selling at 50c. ℔ quart; $2 for half peck sweet potatoes; $1 50 for Irish potatoes; tomatoes, 50c. ℔ quart; peas, 75c.; cranberries, $1 50 ℔ qt.; butter, $4@$4 50 ℔ lb; eggs, $2@$2 50; bacon, $2 50@$2 75 ℔ lb; mackerel, $4 a piece; sausages, $1 50 ℔ lb; sugar, $2 50 to $2 87; flour, $40 to $45 for superfine; corn meal, $10 ℔ bushel, and scarce. Market destitute of corn, hay, fodder, &c.—*Richmond Whig.*

SHIPMENTS OF SPECIE.—The two European steamers which sailed from New York on Saturday, took out a larger consignment of specie than has gone forward for a long while. The following is an official statement:

For Liverpool, per City of Manchester,	$1,257,473 53
For Bremen, per America,	921,758 13
Total	$2,179,231 46.

THE wounded recently paroled and returned to our lines at Chattanooga by Bragg had remained eight days upon the field without having their wounds dressed. The Federal surgeons who were prisoners were not allowed to touch one of our wounded during the entire time they were there. The enemy had no supplies, and many of our men suffered terribly.

MARRIED:

RICHARD—McCONNELL—On Tuesday, October 13th, 1863, by the Rev. B. Gracey, D. D., Lieut. L. B. RICHARD and Miss SADE McCONNELL, all of Pittsburgh. No cards.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CRUDE OIL—125 bbls. to arrive and for sale by HENRY H. COLLINS.

WAREHOUSE FOR SALE.—A three-story Brick Warehouse and lot of ground on Smithfield street, between First and Water streets. oct14 S. CUTHBERT & SONS, 51 Market st.

BUTTER! FRESH BUTTER.—5 bbls. prime fresh Roll Butter just received and for sale at No. 120 Second street. oct14 FRANK VAN GORDER.

LEATHER BELTING.—10,000 feet of the Patent Rivet Oak Tanned Leather Belting. Also, Lace Leather, Rivets, &c., always on hand and for sale at Nos. 23 and 28 St. Clair street, by J. & H. PHILLIPS. oct14

WOOD STREET PROPERTY FOR SALE, 73 feet 9½ inches front by 64 feet in depth, at corner of Sixth street. Also, 52½ feet adjoining the above. S. CUTHBERT & SONS, oct14 51 Market street.

BOARD WANTED.

THREE YOUNG MEN WANT BOARDING, In a central part of the city. Address, immediately, P. O. BOX 184. oct14 1t

PAPER AND ENVELOPE WAREHOUSE.—Just opened, a large stock of NOTE, LETTER AND CAP PAPERS. Also, ENVELOPES, in great varieties, colors and qualities, for every taste. For sale by W. G. JOHNSTON & CO., Paper Dealers, oct14:3aw-wtsw 57 Wood street.

CLOAKS.

Just received, per Adams & Co's Express, A FINE LOT OF CLOAKS, In Silk, Velvet and Cloth. oct14 2t WHITE, ORR & CO.

McCOLLISTER & BAER, Wholesale Tobacco Dealers, 108 WOOD STREET, have now in store the largest and most complete assortment of TOBACCO, CIGARS AND PIPES In the city, which they are selling at the very lowest cash figures. All orders promptly attended to. oct14

1864. DIARIES. 1864.

A large assortment of POCKET AND COUNTING HOUSE DIARIES, for 1864—in paper, in cloth, in roan, in imitation Turkey, in Turkey Morocco—with gilt edges and with marble edges—with locks, patent clasps and elastic fastenings. All sizes, and from the commonest to the very best. For sale at reasonable rates by W. G. JOHNSTON & CO., Stationers, oct14:3aw-wtsw 57 Wood street.

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RUBBER SOLED BOOTS & SHOES. GEO. ALBREE, SON & CO., No. 71 WOOD STREET, CORNER OF FOURTH, Have just received a full supply of Gent's, Boys' and Youths' Solid Rubber Soled (Nailed) Calf, Kip and Water Proof LEATHER BOOTS, with other scarce and desirable goods, comprising Gent's Sewed and Pegged Grain CAVALRY BOOTS; Men's, Boys' and Youths' two and three soled Calf, Kip and Water Proof BOOTS and CONGRESS GAITERS. Also, Ladies' Fine Glove Leather and Morocco Sewed BALMORALS and CONGRESS BOOTS. All of which are custom-made and warranted to give service. oct14

NINE PENNY SONG BOOKS! NOW OUT. Containing 108 of the latest and most POPULAR SONGS! ALL FOR NINE CENTS—ONE CENT EACH. Mailed, post-paid, on receipt of two 3 cent stamps. Address all orders, to insure prompt attention, to JOHN P. HUNT, Publisher, oct5 MASONIC HALL, FIFTH STREET.

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RETAIL PRICES OF STEEL COLLARS AND CUFFS:

Gent's Standing Collars	$1 00 each.
" Turnover "	1 00 "
" Cuffs	1 50 per pair.
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" Cuffs	1 50 per pair.

Sent by post on receipt of $1 15.

Steel Collars re-enamelled for 25 cents; or we will exchange a NEW COLLAR for an OLD ONE, providing it is not broke or bent, for 25 cents.

The trade supplied at the New York Agent's price. For price list address EATON, MACRUM & CO., Pittsburgh, Pa. oct:tf

ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, Corner G and 22d streets, Washington, D. C., Sept. 26th, 1863. WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION on the FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD WEDNESDAYS, 7th, 14th and 21st of October, at the Corral, near the Washington Observatory, a large lot of HORSES and MULES, condemned as unfit for public service. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a. m. Terms—Cash, in Government funds. CHAS. GARRETSON, A. Q. M. sep28:td

THE DRAFT.—Persons who are drafted, who are entitled to exemption for causes laid down in the Conscription Act of March 3, 1863, or who wish to be relieved by the payment of $300, *from this present draft*, or wish to procure a substitute, to take their place *during the war*, will find it to their advantage to call on me, as I am fully prepared with blanks, &c. JOHN H. WILSON, No. 107 Fourth street, near Smithfield. jy8:lawtf

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the name and style of JONES, BURTIS & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All of the business of the late firm will be settled by W. D. JONES, late of said firm, who alone is authorized and responsible for same. C. L. BURTIS, J. W. GUEBESSEY, W. D. JONES. Pittsburgh, Oct. 9th, 1863. oct10:3td

JOSEPH SNOWDEN, NOTARY PUBLIC, No. 85 DIAMOND STREET, PITTSBURGH. Acknowledgments of Deeds, Depositions and Affidavits taken. Also, Deeds, Mortgages, Articles of Agreement, Leases and Legal Papers of every kind written. sel8:tm

G. W. DASH, MERCHANT TAILOR, No. 64 SMITHFIELD STREET, will sell cheap for cash a good UNION SUIT FOR $20; CASSIMERE, ALL WOOL, $25; BLACK CLOTH SUIT, $35. A suit of cloth made in twelve hours, at G. W. DASH'S, No. 91 Smithfield street. oct7:2m

REMOVAL.—We have this day taken possession of the office lately occupied by Rider & Clark, 59 HAND STREET, at which place we will be glad to see our friends. LYDAY & CHORPENNING. October 1st, 1863. oct1:2t

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ELECTION RETURNS.

How the Ladies have Voted.

We are enabled, through our "special," to give the public, even at this early date, the result of the Ladies' vote on a very important question, a result, too, while showing the soundness of their judgment, speaks louder than words for the popularity of the WHEELER & WILSON SEWING MACHINE.

The three leading Sewing Machine Companies in the country are the "Wheeler & Wilson," "Singer & Co.," and "Grover & Baker," and their sales for the quarter ending June 10, which we subjoin, show how the ladies voted:

Wheeler & Wilson	7,137
Singer & Co.	4,214
Grover & Baker	3,673

Showing that the Wheeler & Wilson Company sold, during the quarter named, nearly double the amount made by either of the others.

Over 121,000 of these Machines have been sold, and the demand for them is greater than ever. This should be regarded as a test by those who desire to buy the BEST FAMILY SEWING MACHINE.

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WE HAVE THEM! READ. READ. READ.

THE LATEST "MODE."—Good, fashionable authority in New York vouches for the fact that no lady of *ton* will dare to appear on Fifth Avenue or Broadway with trailing dress or long petticoat. Short dresses are now in style. They are scalloped around the edge, and are worn over balmoral *papons*, at length to display the kid boot, or else the skirt is looped up at every seam, nearly to the knee, showing the colored petticoat, of mohair, cashmere or silk, trimmed either to match the dress or in tasteful contrast to it, and in correspondence with the shade of the hat or mantle worn. The leather boots have very high heels, colored, perhaps and strings and tassels of leather, also. The petticoat is short enough to disclose the instep, at least. To every dress suitable for walking, French modes now attach little rings, through which cords, running to the waist, to join another cord, which is drawn at will around the waist when a lady prepares to promenade, and loosened within doors, thus allowing the dress to resume its original length in the *salon*. Hoops and skirts are quite exploded in Paris, flounced mohair skirts being used instead, to enable the dress to fall gracefully.

Those BALL AND KID BOOTS, for Women Misses and Children, and at prices far below what you can buy them for at any other establishment in Pittsburgh.

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WESTWARD THROUGH TRAINS.

	Fast Line.		Express.
Leaves Pittsburgh	1:00 a. m.	.....	12:40 p. m.
do Allegheny	1:10 "	.....	12:50 "
Arrives at Alliance	4:10 "	.....	4:00 "
do Crestline	8:00 "	.....	8:15 "
do Ft. Wayne	2:20 p. m	.....	2:10 a. m.
do Chicago	8:30 "	.....	7:40 "

FOR COLUMBUS, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS.

Leaves Crestline	8:30 a. m.	.....	8:40 p. m.
Arrives Columbus	10:45 "	.....	11:15 "
do Cincinnati	8:50 p. m.	.....	5:50 a. m.
do Indianapolis	6:00 "	.....	6:00 "
do Louisville	12:50 a. m.	.....	12:40 p. m.
do St. Louis	8:10 "	.....	7:45 "

All trains through to Chicago without change of cars.

N. B.—The time to Cincinnati is the same as by Steubenville. Trains on both roads meet at Columbus, and passengers all go into Cincinnati together.

CRESTLINE TRAINS.

	Crestline Mail.		Alliance Accm'n.
Leaves Pittsburgh	7:00 a. m.	.....	1:40 a. m.
do Allegheny	7:10 "	.....	1:50 "
do New Brighton	8:36 "	.....	8:51 "
do Alliance	11:00 "	.....	7:00 p. m.
do Crestline	6:00 p. m.	.....	.....

These trains stop at the principal Stations between Allegheny and Rochester.

NEW BRIGHTON ACCOMMODATION TRAINS. FROM FEDERAL STREET STATION, ALLEGHENY CITY.

Leave Allegheny at 9:15 a. m., 12:00 m., 4:45 p. m. and 6:10 p. m.

Arrive at New Brighton at 11:15 a. m., 1:45 p. m., 6:30 p. m., and 8:20 p. m.

EASTWARD.

Leave New Brighton at 6:00 a. m., 6:30 a. m., 12:20 p. m. and 2:50 p. m.

Arrive in Allegheny at 6:50 a. m., 8:15 a. m., 2:30 p. m. and 4:40 p. m.

Tickets good on these trains are sold at reduced rates.

EASTWARD TRAINS—ARRIVE AT PITTSBURGH.

Chicago Express	2:25 a. m.
Chicago Express	3:00 p. m.
Cincinnati Express	7:50 p. m.
Crestlide Mail	7:00 p. m.

☞ Trains are run by Columbus time, which is 12 minutes slower than Pittsburgh time.

For further information and through tickets apply to GEORGE PARKIN, Ticket Agent, Union Passenger Station, Pittsburgh, and A. C. CASSELBERRY, Agent, Allegheny. JOHN B. JERVIS, General Superintendent. ap21 WM. P. SHINN, General Passenger Agent.

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BAILEY, FARRELL & CO., PRACTICAL PLUMBERS, GAS AND STEAM FITTERS, Dealers in Brass Work, Pipe, Pumps, Valves, And all kinds of fittings for Water, Gas and Steam. AGITATORS AND TANKS FOR OIL REFINERIES, lined with lead by a new process. No. 129 FORTH STREET. oc12

JOHN HALL & CO., VALLEY FORGE PLOW WORKS, PITTSBURGH, PA., Manufacturers and dealers in all the different kinds of PLOWS, PLOW CASTINGS, SCOOPS, CUTTING BOXES, &c. With greatly increased facilities for doing business, we earnestly invite dealers to give us a call. Manufactory, Temperanceville. Warehouse, Cecila alley and Liberty St., Pittsb'gh. JOHN HALL, T. F. HALL, STEPHEN WOODS, JAS. J. BROWN. oc2:6m

ESTATE OF DR. FRANCIS McGRATH, Dec'd.—Letters of Administration on the estate of Dr. F. McGrath, late of Pittsburgh, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons having claims are requested to present them, and all who are indebted are required to make payment to TERESA McGRATH, Adm'x, sel7:1lawd6w Second street, Pittsburgh.

STUCCO WORKER.—JAS. OWENS, STUCCO AND RASTIC WORKER, PAPER HANGER AND PLASTERER. CENTRES AND ORNAMENTS of all kinds furnished on short notice. All orders left at No. 23 CONGRESS STREET, six doors from Wylie, or at Palmer's Wall Paper Store, No. 91 Wood street, will be promptly attended to. mh28

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IF YOU WISH to preserve your CIDER procure the PURE SULPHITE OF LIME, used to arrest fermentation in Cider, and thus to preserve its sparkling properties. For sale in bottles containing 10 oz. each, with full directions for using, at GEO. A. KELLY'S, Central Drug Store, in Market House, Allegheny. oct

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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COLLINS PARK ASSOCIATION Will give the following liberal Premiums, AMOUNTING TO $1,000, FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF BREED HORSES.

THE FAIR WILL COMMENCE ON Wednesday, October 14th, 1863, AND CONTINUE THREE DAYS.

Premium for the best Draught Stallion	$10
Premium for the best Stallion for all purposes	15
Premium for the best Yearling Colt	5
Premium for the best Two Year Old Colt	5
Premium for the best Family Horse, Mare or Gelding	10

The above Premiums will be awarded on THURSDAY, October 15th, at 10 a. m.

FIRST DAY, 1½ P. M.—FIRST PREMIUM, $150 FOR TROTTING HORSE, FIVE YEARS OLD, OWNED IN ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

To First Horse	$100
To Second Horse	50

Heats 3 in 5, to harness, to rule.

FIRST DAY—SECOND PREMIUM, $100.

First best Double Team	$75
Second best Double Team	25

Mile heats, 3 in 5

SECOND DAY, 1½ P. M.—PREMIUM $150, FOR PACERS.

First best Pacing Horse	$100
Second best Pacing Horse	50

Mile heats, 3 in 5, to harness, to rule.

SECOND DAY—SECOND PREMIUM, $100.

First best Trotting Stallion	$75
Second best Trotting Stallion	25

Mile heats, 3 in 5, to harness, to rule.

THIRD DAY, 1½ P. M.—GRAND TROTTING—PREMIUM, $400—SWEEPSTAKES FOR ALL.

First best Horse	$300
Second best Horse	100

Mile heats, 3 in 5, to harness, to rule.

Three or more entries, and not less than three, to start. Entrance, 10 per cent. Entries to be made to the Treasurer, on the ground, at 6 p. m. the day previous to the race.

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Number of pieces.	Length in feet.	Width in inches.	Thickness in inches.	Board Measure in feet.
1782	30	8¼	2¼	170,400
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The above bill of joists must be delivered on the Covington side of the Ohio river, at the Bridge, in the Spring of 1864, and no later than the 1st of June. The quality of the lumber must be good and sound, free from all defects, edges must be full and square and free from sap.

Proposals in writing for the above delivery, addressed to the undersigned, and accompanied by satisfactory references, will be received to the 10th of November next. JOHN A. ROEBLING, Engineer Covington and Cincinnati Bridge Co. se30:1awd6w

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