THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE.

BY ERASTUS BROOKS

PITTSBURGH:
THURSDAY MORNING, APRIL 1, 1847.

FOR GOVERNOR,
GEN. JAMES IRVIN,
(OF CENTRE COUNTY)
FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER.
JOSEPH W. PATTON,
(OF CUMBERLAND COUNTY)

☞ Subscribers changing their places of Residence or business, on the 1st of April (to-day) will please favor us with their addresses

TO THE PATRONS OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE.

The subscriber has purchased the establishment so long known as the PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, and with this number his interest and responsibility begins.

We have been drawn to this favored spot, partly from a conviction, long impressed upon our minds, that in the whole extent of the Union, there is no place in the interior offering prospects so desirable for manufactures, trade, and for inland commerce, and partly because the city and neighborhood of Pittsburgh presents every social inducement which the heart of man could desire for a pleasant home. No quarter of our country was ever visited with a severer calamity than this devoted city was less than two years since; and no where have the fruits of a noble perseverance and an indomitable energy, wrought changes so marked, or been attended with more personal sacrifice, and in the end with greater public prosperity.

The "GO AHEAD" spirit of our age and our country is stamped upon every visible work upon which the eyes of man can rest. Where the despair of defeat would have controlled many, the hope of that enduring courage which never dies, has prevailed here. The action of the young men here seems to have been, in its spirit and zeal, of that kind which Richelieu gave to his young friend when he said to him, "*there is no such word as fail.*" So let it continue now and to the end, for in all the examples of a good life, there are none more useful, none more worthy of remembrance and emulation, than a manly perseverance, uniform industry, and that energy of action and determination of purpose that never falters in what it undertakes.

There are fruits and proofs to here of a wise and hearty co-operation between men of all ages, and all classes and conditions of society. There have been good counsels from the old, as well as a vigorous perseverance from the young. It is not a fabled city that has sprung forth here from the ashes, but a city of living, industrious, thriving men,—a city whose foundation is upon Iron, whose gates, the noble Ohio and the Allegheny, whose avenues the great East and the far greater West, whose walls the noble mountains embowelled with mines more precious than gold and silver, and which, as far as the mind of man can see into the future, will endure to borrow the strong words of a German poet, "till time itself shall grow gray." Here indeed we are upon the great high road between the cities of the Atlantic and the Valley of the Mississippi, at the head of the noble Ohio, itself emptying into the father of waters, and this again flowing on to the ocean. By our canal too we are wedded to the Delaware and thus once more to the ocean. We look also to the day, and that not far distant, when the boundaries of the two great oceans shall be spanned by those iron bands and cords,—the Rail Road and the Telegraph,—which, for the Union itself, shall be as hooks of steel in keeping us of "one country, one constitution and one destiny." Shame upon the man, or section of the Union, who, for almost any cause save the loss of his free inheritance, would interpose to destroy this Union,—but a double and undying shame to him, or them, who would seek to introduce into the Union an enlargement of that greatest element of political evil—*the institution of Slavery*,—every ingredient of which is disease and death—a curse to the hearts and interests of men who touch it, and the very plague spot of our country as it is. But, *as it is*, the mantle of the Constitution is thrown around it, and we have not the power to touch it. But against its extension,—and particularly the foul conversion of free into slave territory,—we will write and speak so long as we can lift a pen or give utterance to a free thought. We are for our country whatever its boundaries, but a thousand times we say give us no more territory, if the price of territory is to add even a rood of ground, for a habitation for one additional slave. Slavery in a Republic established by free men, is an anomaly any way, but the deliberate extension of slave territory in the middle of the nineteenth century, and that at the price of war and the risk of disunion, is a piece of iniquity so bold that a man can hardly comprehend it. All political abolition and all interference with the established rights of the Slave States, we oppose, and as we would not practice injustice towards the Southern States, so we would not tolerate any interference with our own. Slavery aside from the great moral wrong, involved in the institution, and forever incident to that abuse of power where one man exercises ownership over another, is the great enemy of free white labor. In defending the rights of laboring men who are free, we should feel bound to oppose the institution of Slavery. It is the wages of labor which has made, and which still makes the South hostile to the Protective Policy, for so long as slaves can be found to work for their hog, hominy and coarse clothes, and to be completely under the control of overseers or masters, so long will these masters oppose any system of labor which admits of a liberal payment of wages.

For ourselve we are brought incidentally to remark here that we intend to defend, as best we may, the Protective policy of the country. It is the true interest of the people in our judgment to adopt it and to abide by it. It is a system entirely consistent with a liberal revenue for the support of Government. It is a check upon those enormous importations which have added at times so largely to the foreign indebtedness of the country. It provides, as any good christian system will ever do, first for those of our own household, and this without the infliction of injury upon any country or class of people. It is for the greatest good of the greatest number, and upon this good old principle of Jeremy Bentham we rest our Democracy.

For the same reason we oppose the Sub Treasury law. It draws a dividing line between the Government and the people. It is no fiction to say that it gives one kind of currency to the one, and another kind to the other. But the institutions of the States are overshadowed by the central power of the Federal Government. It supposes that a few individual partizan officers in the service of the Administration, are safer agents than the sworn officers of a Bank—than a corporation with a Board of Directors, a President, Cashier, all receiving power from the States, where they are, and all responsible to the States and the community for the manner in which they administer their trusts. The Sub Treasury law is less convenient, more expensive, not as safe as the system in practice before the Sub Treasury act became a law. It is a constant violation of that divine prayer, which teaches us to pray, "lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil," for surely no scheme which the wit of man ever conceived of, was better calculated to tempt men from virtue than that which places forever before their eyes, and under their own control, the vast treasures of the Government. Defalcations are no new thing in our Government. The documents are full of them, and we have Achans, and Judases too, as of old, who have been seduced from virtue by their accursed thirst for gold.

We shall enter heartily into the great Rail Road measures which are designed to make this city the line of communication between the East and the West, and we can assure the people of Pittsburgh, and of the neighborhood, and particularly those on the lines of communication, as well as those in the vicinity of such lines, that every dollar [illegible] in such works of Internal Im[illegible] both the products of the soil and the labor of the workshop. Rail Roads have made Boston more wealthy than all her foreign commerce, or all her land trade, great as it is. They have contributed to developements of the one which, without them, would never have been known, and largely also to the prosperity of the other. So may it be with us. With Rail Roads and Canals, and River communication, and with mines of wealth beneath our very feet, this city and neighborhood cannot fail to be prosperous. Some one—Talleyrand, we think it was—has spoken of the Revolutions of *Space* as distinguishing the new world, while the revolutions of time only marked the old. It is peculiarly so of the great West, and yet steam and lightning have annihilated, as it were, both time and space. No man, even with a Prophet's eye, can pretend to read the future of a favored land like this. We only know that if we are true to ourselves and to our history, we shall as a nation realize the Prophet's prayer—"live forever." We are then for Internal Improvements—for Protection, and in its spirit and substance, though not necessarily for the very letter of the act, for the Tariff of 1842. We are for an equal currency, for gold and silver, and bank paper, redeemable upon demand in the precious metals.

We are for Peace, and may God in his mercy hasten the day of its coming. Let it come in a reunion between us and a sister Republic—in the return of our brave men from fields of blood to the more joyous fields where the sickle and the plough take the place of the bayonet and the sword. Let it come, whether more territory come of it or not. As we are the greater, the wealthier, and the more civilized nation, so in our strength we can afford to be the more magnanimous. Let us, if we can, live down that slander upon the American name, by which we have been styled the great "land stealers of the new world." Let France, if she will, lay violent hands upon the poor Arabs, and the more defenceless people of Tahiti. Let England gloat over her conquests in the East, and let Russia, Austria and Prussia, with their triple alliance, combine, if they will, to blot from the map of the world the last remaining vestige of poor Poland; but as surely as the great Ruler of men and of nations is a God of Justice, so surely will he in his own good time punish the oppressors of the weak. Let it be our aim to follow no such examples of tyranny, but rather like the Fathers of the Republic to distinguish ourselves for that honesty of purpose and virtuous conduct, only in the practice of which we have a right to invoke the blessings of Heaven.

In defence of our opinions we hope always to be found manifesting that respect to the judgments of others, which may be due to men as sincere in their convictions, and as honest in their conduct as ourselves. Toleration is the foundation of all true liberty, whether of parties, creeds, or in Governments, showing a respectful regard to the rights and interests of the People.

With our brethren of the Press in the city, neighborhood, State, and every where, we desire to enjoy that intercourse which becomes men whose duty it is to be both faithful chroniclers and commentators upon the great events of the day. The freedom of the Press is a liberty too great either to be lost or diminished by the passion, spleen, or the discourtesy of those who control it. We may find occasion often to differ from those around us, but we hope our differences may always be expressed in manner and terms such as shall give no offence to men willing to hear that which others regard as true and important.

In taking the place of our respected predecessors, we hope always to be found maintaining that interest in all questions of moral and social improvement which have hitherto distinguished the columns of this paper. We can hardly feel that the Gazette loses the services of Mr. WHITE, since we have his promise of a hearty good will in our success, and we shall expect frequent contributions from his pen. The services of Mr. HARRIS will be secured to the office as heretofore, and every possible attention paid to the commercial department of the paper. We shall make arrangements also for constant contributions from abroad, and for the transmission of the earliest news by telegraph. Our one and earnest wish is to win success by making the Gazette worthy the confidence and respect of the community.

ERASTUS BROOKS.

ALL FOOLS DAY.

"But 'tis a thing to be disputed,
Which is the greatest fool reputed
The man that innocently went
Or he that him design'dly sent."

Thus runs a song in Poor Robins' Almanac for 1760, describing a custom more common then than now of playing franks upon whoever would consent to be, or be whether he would consent or not, the subject of the merriment of the day. "Sleeveless errands" they were called nearly three hundred years gone by. What the origin of the custom is we cannot now pretend to determine, but for a time, whereof the memory of man runneth not to the contrary, it has been a custom common to almost all countries. The French name the thing, *Poisson d' Avril* "an April fish," instead of April fool. Poisson it is said by some of the old writers was a corruption for our word passions, as the Passion of our Saviour took place about this time, and as the Jews sent Christ backwards and forwards to march and torment him from Annas to Caiphas, from Caiphas to Pilate, from Herod to Pilot and from Pilot back to Herod. Hence the custom. Such is the explanation of Bellingford as we find it condensed in an interesting work on Popular Antiquitaries by John Brand. In Asia the day is observed much more than in this country & perhaps the observance is less here than any where else. Anciently the day was observed in Britain as a high festival and uninterrupted hilarity, we are told reigned through every order of its inhabitants. They call persons imposed upon in the North of England on this day, "April Gouks," or a Cuckoo, that being the meaning of the word. In Scotland they hunt the Gouk by sending silly people upon silly errands, and there is a couplet which runs thus:

"On the first day of April
Hunt the Gouk another mile."

In India it is a great day even now, and high and low participate in making fools of their neighbors. The great day among Hindoos is the close of March when the greatest mirth is made by sending persons upon sleeveles errands.

One writer supposes the origin of the Custom to be the tricks played by Romulus upon the Sabines who instituted games on this day. The Sabines flocked to see the celebration and the Romans seized upon, and secured the Sabine virgins.

The true origin of this custom we think is explained in the following from an old number of the Gentleman's Magazine.

"Our year formerly began, as to some purposes and in some respects, on the 25th of March which was supposed to be the Incarnation of our Lord. Great festivals were usually attended with an Octave, (or eight days) where the first and the last were the principal. April 1st is the Octave of the 25th of March and was, therefore, the festival of both the Annunciation and the old new years day.

This is the opinion of many who have given much more time than we have to bestow upon the subject:

The following pretty verses upon the day are quite fifty years old, but they are as good as new and indeed much better than many new things in the way of the poetic art divine:

TO A LADY WHO THREATENED TO MAKE THE AUTHOR AN APRIL FOOL.

"Why strive dear girl, to make a fool
Of one not wise before;
Yet having, escaped from folly's school
Would fain go there no more.

Ah if I must to school again,
Wilt thou my teacher be?
I'm sure no lesson will be vain
Which thou canst give to me.

One of thy kind and gentle looks,
Thy smiles devoid of art,
Avail beyond all crabbed books
To regulate my heart.

Thou needst not call some fairy elf,
On any April Day
To make thy bard forget himself
Or wander from his way.

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News Items.

IT IS STATED that there is to be established at South Trenton, a stock company, consisting entirely of colored persons. The object is to carry on the tanning business, with a capital of $6000 divided into shares of $20. None but colored persons are permitted to own stock. The shares are said to be nearly all taken.

IT IS STATED that the exquisite painting of the Parting of Ruth, Orpah, and Naomi, in the rotunda of the Capitol at Washington, has been disposed of to a gentleman in New York for the sum of $5000.

The Wheeling Times is urging the erection of a Bridge over the Ohio, the city has been solicited to subscribe for $50,000 worth of the Stock of the company.

Irish Relief Meeting.—The amount received by the committee in the city of New York is $101,578. The Albany committee have received $11,539.

Gen. Cadwalader, of Philadelphia, arrived at Wheeling on Sunday night, *en route*, for Fort Polk, (Point Isabel,) to receive that portion of the ten new regiments which has been raised and ordered to that point. Gen. C. left Washington on Saturday morning.

NOBLY DONE.—Gerrit Smith has contributed two thousand dollars for the relief of Ireland.—This is believed to be the largest donation yet made in this country by a single individual.

THERE WAS BORN at Wallacetown, Scotland, recently, a beautiful female child, 13 oz weight, 7 inches round the cheast, foot one eighth of an inch.

GREEN PEAS, growing in the open air were served up at Savannah on the 23d.

Members of the Thirtieth Congress.—WALTER D. LEAKE has been nominated as the Democratic candidate for Congress in the Richmond, Virginia district. Mr. SEDDON received the nomination in the first place, and a resolution was adopted declaring that the Convention did not mean in his nomination to express confidence in Mr. CALHOUN.

The Richmond Whig gives the following information in regard to the nomination:

"A committee was appointed to wait on Mr. SEDDON, who came in with the committee, and, in an address to the Convention, declined the nomination, on the ground that, after having, as in his conscience he thought, faithfully served his constituents, he could not consent to accept a nomination accompanied by a resolution which, in view of his known opinions, he could not but regard as a reflection upon himself. The Convention then, after several ballotings, during which John W. Jones and Henry L. Hopkins were voted for, nominated Mr. Leake by a close vote over Robert G. Scott."

Mr. Giles, of Md., declined being a candidate for re-election to Congress.

Hon. J. M. Hawles, M. C. elect from the Wayne District, New York, died of apoplexy, in the village of Lyons, on Thursday evening of last week.

GENERAL SCOTT'S LETTER.—The following letter will be read at this time with interest.

[Private and confidential.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 26, 1846.

My Dear General: I left Washington late in the day yesterday, and expect to embark for New Orleans the 30th instant. By the 12th of December I may be in that city, at Point Isabel the 17th, and Camargo say the 23d, in order to be within easy corresponding distance from you. It is not probable that I may be able to visit Monterey, and circumstances may prevent your coming to me. I shall much regret not having an early opportunity of felicitating you in person upon your many brilliant achievements, but we may meet somewhere in the interior of Mexico.

I am not coming, my dear general, to supercede you in the immediate command on the line of operations rendered illustrious by you and your gallant army. My proposed theatre is different. You may imagine it, and I wish very much that it were prudent at this distance to tell you all that I expect to attempt or hope to execute. I have been admonished that despatches have been lost, and I have no special messenger at hand. Your imagination will be aided by the letters of the Secretary of War, conveyed by Mr. Armistead, Major Graham, and Mr. McLane.

But, my dear general, I shall be obliged to take from you most of the gallant officers and men (regulars and volunteers) whom you have so long and so nobly commanded. I am afraid that I shall by imperious necessity—the approach of yellow fever on the Gulf coast—reduce you, for a time, to stand on the defensive. This will be infinitely painful to you, and, for that reason, distressing to me. But I rely upon your patriotism to submit to the temporary sacrifice with cheerfulness.

No man can better afford to do so. Recent victories on that high eminence, and I even flatter myself that any benefit that may result to me personally from the unequal division of troops alluded to will lessen the pain of your consequent inactivity.

You will be aware of the recent call for nine regiments of new volunteers, including one of Texas horse. The President may soon ask for many more, and we are not without hope that Congress may add ten or twelve to the regular establishment. These, by the spring, say April, may, by the large bounties, be in the field—should Mexico not earlier propose terms of accommodation, and long before the spring, (March,) it is probable you will be again in force to resume offensive operations.

I am writing at a late hour of the night, and more than half sick of a cold. I may dispatch another note before I embark, but from New Orleans, Point Isabel, &c., you shall hear from me officially and fully.

It was not possible for me to find time to write from Washington, as I much desired. I only received an intimation to hold myself in preparation for Mexico on the 18th instant. Much has been done towards that end, and more remains to be executed.

Your detailed report of the operations at Monterey, and reply to the Secretary's despatch, by Lieutenant Armistead, were both received two days after I was instructed to proceed South.

In haste, my dear General, yours faithfully,

WINFIELD SCOTT.

Major General Z. TAYLOR,
United States Army, commanding, &c.

GEN. GAINES REMARKS.

At the public dinner given to Mr. T. B. King, of Georgia, in New York, one of the toasts was to the Army, which was responded to by General Gaines, of the army. On rising he was greeted with protracted and enthusiastic applause. He said he had not risen to inflict upon the company, there assembled, a speech; but as the senior Major General of the Army, it would not be becoming in him to allow the toast, just given, to be passed over without a reply. It was with the deepest mortification, mingled with the highest satisfaction, that he was present at all. (applause.) His place, if the choice was his, would be in the face of the common enemy. (Cheers.) The news which we have been receiving for the last few days from the seat of war, he was grieved to say, was of disaster and defeat. But to-day, thank God, more encouraging tidings had reached us, and from authority that seemed reliable, he was happy to announce, that the gallant Taylor had safely reached Monterey. (Tremendous cheers and applause.) Sir, said he, I know that man, and many of the brave and capable officers under his command; and I feel warranted in assuring you, that his position is one of safety.—(Renewed applause.) After a high eulogy upon Gen. Taylor and the army, the gallant General commented upon the inception of the present contest. We had gone, said he, into this war, entirely unprepared; it was an offensive war, and the preparation for it was inadequate. He wished to blame no one for this—it would not be proper for him to do so. They whose fault it was, if fault it was, if fault there were, had perhaps been badly advised. (Laughter and applause, long continued.) Gen. Taylor had knocked down his enemy, who had rose again, and he found himself unprepared to follow up the blow, and was compelled to encamp in the valley of the Rio Grande, during the sickly season of the year, for the space of four months, for lack of proper reinforcements (Sensation.) The General went on to say that in the outset he had made an effort to have concentrated in the valley of the Rio Grande an army of 50,000 men, with an instructive establishment on the spot; the consequences of which he believed then, and still believes, would have been, in four or five months, to put an end to the war. (Cheers.) But he was deemed insane. (Laughter. Just as, 16, years ago, the man was thought to be insane who talked of Railroads in the State represented by the honorable guest of the evening. (Renewed laughter and applause.) But he congratulated himself that this imputed insanity had proved the means of bringing him to this great and beautiful city, where, said he, I have enjoyed, and am enjoying, everything that can make a soldier absent from the field of battle while the war is raging, satisfied and happy. And the veteran resumed his seat, amidst the most deafening applause.

GRISWOLD'S recent work on "The Prose Writers of America," calls Margaret Fuller's (the [illegible] of [illegible]) work on "Woman in the 19th Century" [illegible] expression of her discontent [illegible] a female."

NEW PAPER.—We received yesterday the first number of Allison's new Daily, from Steubenville, called the Herald, the same as the old and well known Weekly. The Daily is a smart, racy sheet. If the merchants and business men of Steubenville give it a liberal support, as they should, from every principle of self-interest—by subscribing and advertising, it will be of very great service to that town

It is complained that our paper does not reach Steubenville regularly, and we are asked to remedy the evil. We have been trying to do that for months, but hardly expect to succeed until the roads get better and we have a more energetic Postmaster General.

ARMY MOVEMENTS.—A Company of regular troops, recruited at Philadelphia under the ten regiment bill, and under command of Capt. Barnard, arrived yesterday by canal, and were immediately shipped on board the Germantown. She leaves for New Orleans this morning. Another Company, which was to have arrived last night, is also to go on that boat. The two muster 250 rank and file.

A number of army Forges have been shipped on that steamer. The Voltiguers, we understand, will get their horses in Kentucky.

Local Elections and Whig Triumphs.—The Whigs of Huntingdon Borough, at the recent election reduced the loco majority for Congress last fall, which was 110, to 40, and this too when the new township of Brady, with a majority of 25 Whigs, had been detached from it.

The Whigs carried the borough of Hollidaysburg at the primary election, by 30 majority, a gain of 44 since the previous election.

IT IS STATED in an English paper, that a company is shortly to be formed in London, for the erection of public ovens, on the principle of baths and wash-houses—at which the laboring poor may make their own bread of any quality suited to their means. An establishment of the kind has been for some time in operation in Paris, and is said to have been worked most successfully.

Anti Wilmot Proviso men.—Senator Breese of Indiana has had a son appointed midshipman in the Navy, on board the Germantown just sailed from Norfolk. It is also said that he has two sons-in-law appointed under the ten regiment bill, and so Mr. Breese's vote is now accounted for.

ARREST OF A FUGITIVE FROM EUROPE.—Assistant Captain Harrison and Officer Witherby, of the 2d Ward, New York, arrested on Friday a German calling himself Nathan Levy, alias Herman Bondy a passenger on board the London packet ship Prince Albert, which arrived at this port on Thursday night last, who stands charged with having embezzled some 40,000 ducats, or about $20,000, from the house of Rothschilds & Co., situate at Vienna, Austria, with whom the accused was employed as clerk. It appears that Levy absconded last August, and since that time he has been secreted in London but was finally expected to make his appearance in New York, consequently a watch was placed on all the packets, and yesterday the police succeeded in making the arrest. The accused is detained on the affidavit of Rothschilds' agent in this city. The prisoner and his baggage were taken before the Chief of Police, and on searching the latter a large amount of gold and Austrian securities were found in his possession, evidently the proceeds of the emezzlement. The Chief committed him for a further examination.

☞ From the New Orleans Bulletin, Extra, March 20

Repulse of Santa Anna—Three Days' Fighting—Mexican Loss Five Thousand Men—American Loss Eleven Hundred.

The schooner *William Preston* has just arrived from the Brazos, which place she left on the 10th instant. By this arrival we learn verbally that Gen. Taylor, who had fallen back before Santa Anna, towards Monterey, and had been attacked by Santa Anna, and, after three days' hard fighting, the latter had been repulsed with the loss of 5,000 men, and that General Taylor's loss was also severe—one report says 1,100 another 1,700 men.

We are indebted to Col. HUNT for the following copy of a letter, addressed to him from Captain Ogden, of the Quartermaster's Department, and which is the only written information we have been able to obtain, as the vessel brought no mail. Though the details given above may not be exactly correct, there is, we think, every reason to believe there has been a fight, and that it has resulted gloriously for the American arms. The previous Mexican reports tend very much to confirm such a result. Several vessels are hourly expected, and it is probable that we shall have later and more authentic advices before morning.

THE RAILROAD TO PITTSBURGH.

Our community is awaiting with profound interest the result of the proceedings of the Committee appointed on Monday last at the meeting of the Stockholders of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company. It is a subject of very general regret that the Committee did not proceed to Pittsburgh, in conformity with the instruction of the Stockholders; the expectation being confident and, we think, well founded, that personal intercourse, maintained on both sides in a frank and friendly spirit would accomplish, and happily, the object of restoring good feeling; and a hearty co-operation in the consummation of a purpose of deep concern to both cities.—*Baltimore American.*

A FLOUR MERCHANT OF BOSTON, was made so happy by the news brought by the Hibernia on Saturday night that visions of prospective profits mingled with his dreams, as he quietly snoozed in church on Sunday morning. The minister was descanting upon the unsatisfying character of sublunary things. "What is the price of all earthly happiness?" he asked in rather an animated tone. "*Forty two shillings per barrel,*" replied the flour dealer.

GAZETTE JOB OFFICE.

The Proprietor of the Pittsburgh Gazette has purchased the interest of Messrs. White & Harris, in the Gazette Job Printing establishment. Mr PARKIN will, as hitherto, superintend the office, and all orders for books or Job Printing of any kind, will be executed with promptness, and upon satisfactory terms.

☞ **Consumption** is a disease that is hurrying its victims by thousands to the tomb, without having its progress at all retarded by the medicines in common use, but a brighter day is coming, nay has already come, when this dreadful disease can be successfully combatted. Dr Rogers' preparation of Liverwort and Tar, not only gives relief in all cases of Cold, seated Cough, &c, immediately, but from the testimony of gentlemen of the highest standing, is making some very remarkable cures of Consumption. Improvement in the treatment of disease is onward, and nothing can arrest its spirit in this progressive age; in evidence of which we invite the attention of our citizens to the certificate of Dr Cox late Professor in the Cincinnati Eclectic College, which we publish in another column.

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RICHARD GRAY
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THE subscriber respectfully informs the public that he has commenced the manufacture of *Gentlemen Fashionable Boots*, of good material and workmanship which he will warrant superior to any Boot ever made in Pittsburgh for the price. These handsome Boot will be made to measure, and warrant them as represented, at the very low price of FIVE DOLLARS CASH. Gentlemen are requested to call and examine them. W B ERSKINE.

Notice to Advertisers.
☞ Advertisements, to secure insertion, should be handed in by five o'clock in the afternoon. Attention to this, on the part of our customers, would be productive of mutual benefit.

BY MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH.

Reported for the Pittsburgh Gazette.

IMPORTANT FROM MEXICO.

CONFIRMATION OF THE NEWS OF GREAT BATTLES BETWEEN GEN. TAYLOR AND SANTA ANNA.

We have received an important despatch this morning, confirming the important news received two days since.

On the 22d instant Santa Anna commenced the battle by an attack which he led in person against General Taylor.

The cannonading was long continued and with the most deadly effect on both sides.

On the second day the officers made immense exertions and distinguished themselves at all points. The American forces were every where gallantly led and Tayler was found in the thickes of the fight.

Santa Anna attempted to outflank Gen. Taylor.

The first attacks were made up of skirmishes, and the rumors are confirmed of the first day's battle as previously received.

GENERAL TAYLOR

While foremost in the fight received a ball in his overcoat, but was not injured. Adjutant Bliss, at his side, was slightly wounded.

Adjutant LINCOLN greatly distinguished him self and was killed. This battle lasted until three o'clock—when Santa Anna was so hard pressed that he was compelled to retire to Agua Nueva.

These reinforcements awaited his command and he was much stronger than before.

At this point communications passed under a flag of truce between the commanders of the two Armies. Taylor at the last accounts maintained his position undisturbed.

Taylor had the promise of Santa Anna that he would get back C. M. Clay, and he had, it is said, Mexican prisoners enough to command and make the exchange. The prisoners, it is said, were afterwards ordered to be exchanged, including Clay and all under his command.

In the battle General Wool greatly distinguished himself. His officers and men fought like heroes.

After the battle, General Taylor demanded of Santa Anna that he should immediately surrender. This was declined, and Taylor himself was called up to surrender. Lieut. Crittenden took back the answer, and said to Santa Anna for his General, "GENERAL TAYLOR NEVER SURRENDERS!!!"

Santa Anna's Adjutant General was afterwards captured and an exchange made.

On the 24th and 25th General Taylor occupied his command and position unmolested and without any show of opposition:

Colonel Morgan for whose safety so much anxiety has been felt, cut his way through the enemy, and arrived safely at Monterey. He is of the 2d Ohio Volunteers.

The Mexicans were in possession of Ceralvo, China, Mier, and all the towns between Camargo and Monterey.

THE KILLED.

Among the Killed were Lieuts. Moore, McNulty of Miss. Colonel Yell and Capt. Porter of Arkansas.

Adjutant Vaughn, Col. McKee, Henry Clay Jr. Captains Moore and Mills, all these of Kentucky.

Captains Skinner, Walker, Fagkatt, and Lt. Parr of Indiana.

Colonel Harding, Captains Zabriskie and Woodman, and Lts. Hazloton, Brunton, Fletcher, Ferguson, Rollins, Barthson, Atherton and Price. The above all killed.

WOUNDED.

Colonel Jefferson Davis, Aid-de-Camp of Gen. Taylor.

General Lane, and numerous others.

Every Volunteer Colonel but one was either killed or wounded.

The slaughter among the Mexican officers was immense, and also among the men.

Gen. Taylor's official despatches were intercepted.

All safe and quiet at Brazos.

No later news from Vera Cruz.

Other accounts represent our loss in the battle to be not more than 700, and Santa Anna's 4000. It is said, however, that the American loss includes *sixty-three officers*, which is an immense proportion. Santa Anna's officers were also slain in great numbers, a proof, if indeed proof be wanting, that they fought well. The odds against Taylor were at least, according to the best accounts we have seen, ten thousand men. The retreat of Santa Anna decided the battle against him, and it was an alternative to which he was forced, and which was beyond his control. The battle took place at Buena Vista, not far from Saltillo, and between Saltillo and Agua Nueva. The volunteers joined heartily in the pursuit, and in that valorous impetuosity, not always the wise discretion of a true soldier, is found the cause of the great sacrifice. The pursuit was conducted by the batteries under command of Washington, Bragg, and Thomas, by squadrons of the first and second Dragoons, and by companies of the several Volunteer regiments from Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky, Mississippi, Illinois, and Texas.

The Mexicans made a stand at Agua Nueva, and here we are compelled to leave them, and our own army in undisturbed possession of the country between Buena Vista and Monterey.

Our next intelligence will probably be of a battle between the Mexicans under command of General Urrea, and the American troops under command of Colonel Curtis. Urrea is reported between Monterey and Camargo, with eight thousand men, and Colonel Curtis has but two thousand under his command. If a battle has been fought, our troops are no doubt victorious, but with such odds, in the events of a battle, it has probably been a very bloody one. Indeed the annals of warfare hardly present a series of such fierce and cotinued strife as has distinguished the battles of May, September, and this last, which took place on the 22d of February. The victories have all been remarkable, and the last adds a new and impressive incident to the day memorable as the anniversary birth day of the Father of his country. To us, however, it must be a day of mourning for the loss of the brave and honored dead, as well as for the birth of him who was alike distinguished for the triumphs of peace as well as the conquests of war. Our sincere hope now is, that the successful war carried on by General Scott on the frontier, and by General Taylor, in the interior, will lead to peace.

THE LATEST.

PHIL'A, March 25th,—10 P. M.

The line of telegraphs are in complete operation between New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington. There is no later news from the army, either by way of Vera Cruz or Monterey. The office of the North American is illuminated for the victory of General Taylor over Santa Anna. There is great excitement in town at this result, mingled with sorrow, of course, at the loss of so many brave men.

PHILADELPHIA MARKET.

PHILA'D. March 31 7 o'c. P. M.

The receipts of Flour are large and increasing, but the arrivals are mostly delivered to fill contracts made to arrive. The demand exceeds the supply on sale, and is imporving. There have been sales to-day to the extent of 3000 bbls standard brands at $6.06¼a6,12½ per bbl. The weeks sales have been 15,000 bbls.

Cornmeal is selling to a moderate extent at $4,50 per bbl.

Rye Flour is in fair demand at $5,12½ per barrel.

An active demand prevails for Wheat. Sales to-day of 20,000 bu prime Red at 128a130c, and a few thousand bu prime White at 134a135c per bu.

Corn is in request. The sales to-day have been 30,000 bu at 81a82c for prime White, and 88a92c for Yellow.

Sales few thousand bu Rye at 82a84c.

The market for Sugar is steady, with moderate sales.

An active inquiry prevails for Molasses—bbls 300 bbls N O at previous prices.

Market for Coffee active and considerable sales at prices showing no change.

For Provisions there is less inquiry than previously, but prices are nominally higher.

No 1 West Lard ranges from 9½a10¾c in bbls and kegs.

Sales Rendered Tallow at 8a8½c per lb.

Cotton is firmly held, but the sales are very moderate.

Flaxseed is selling at 159c per bu.

No local news of importance.

The Tennessee river is reported to be high.—The Louisville Journal says, "the rise in the Ohio, Cumberland and Tennessee, has nearly overflowed the town of Paducah."

The water lacks, says the Kentuckian, perhaps two or three feet of being so high as it reached in the great freshet of 1835, and it is now at this place some inches higher than it has been since that memorable flood.

AGENCY FOR PATENTS,
Washington, D. C.
ZENAS C. ROBBINS, Mechanical Engineer and Agent for procuring Patents, will prepare the necessary Drawings and Papers for Applicants for Patents, and transact all other business in the line of his profession at the Patent Office. He can be consulted on all questions relating to the Patent Laws and decisions in the United States or Europe. Persons at a distance desirous of having examinations made at the Patent Office, prior to making application for a patent, may forward (post paid) enclosing a fee of five dollars, a clear statement of their case, when immediate attention will be given to it, and all the information that could be obtained by a visit of the applicant in person, promptly communicated.
All letters on business *must be* post paid, and contain a suitable fee, where a written opinion is required.
Office on F street, opposite the Patent Office.
He has the honor of referring, by permission, to
Hon. Edmund Burke, Commissioner of Patents;
Hon. H L Ellsworth, late do do do;
H Knowles, Machinist, Patent Office;
Judge Cranch, Washington, D C;
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Capt. H M Shreve, Missouri;
Erastus Brooks, Esq., Pittsburgh. ap1

To Travellers.
"EXPRESS FAST PACKET LINE"
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THE Canal and Railroad being now in excellent order, the Packets of this Line will leave with passengers as follows, every night at 9 o'clock
Packet Louisiana, Capt Thompson, Thursday, April 1st
do Kentucky, Capt Truby, Friday, April 2nd.
do Ohio, Capt Craig, Saturday, April 3rd.
do Indiana, Capt Berkey, Sunday, April 4th.
do Louisiana, Capt. Thompson, Monday, April 5th.
do Kentucky, Capt Truby, Tuesday, April 6th
do Ohio, Capt Craig, Wednesday, April 7th
do Indiana, Capt Berkey, Thursday, April 8th
do Louisiana, Capt. Thompson, Friday, April 9th.
do Kentucky, Capt. Truby, Saturday, April 10th.
do Ohio, Capt. Craig, Sunday, April 11th
do Indiana, Capt. Berkey, Monday, April 12th
For passage apply at the Office, Monongahela House, or to D LEECH & CO
ap1 Canal Basin

PEARL STREET HOUSE.
88 *Pearl Street, New York.*
REDUCTION IN PRICE—The subscriber respectfully calls the attention of the travelling community, and especially business men, to the fact that this house is now open and is offered for their patronage at the low price of ONE DOLLAR PER DAY.
Its location for business is not surpassed in N. York, and every comfort, with good living, clean beds, airy rooms, &c., can here be had as well as at the most extravagant houses. One call will surely satisfy any one of these facts and insure an extensive patronage for the house. SAML. C. BISHOP, Proprietor
New York, April 1, 1847. 1tm

Executor's Notice.
NOTICE is hereby given to all persons indebted to the Estate of Samuel Hamilton, late of Mifflin Tp., Allegheny County, deceased to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against said Estate to present them properly authenticated for settlement to either of the subscribers
MATTHEW H WEST, Of Baldwin Township;
JAMES E IRWIN,
WM. B HAMILTON. } Exec'rs
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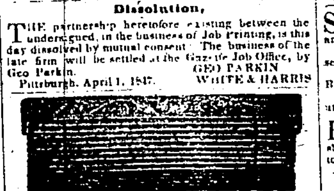
OUTSTANDING CLAIMS—The Auditors of the Accounts of the Overseers of the Poor for the year ending 1st April, 1847, desire all claims against the Overseers to be presented for adjustment and payment before the 15th instant, as they wish to make a final settlement of all accounts prior to the transfer of the books and papers under the new Law, the "Guardians of the Poor."
The Auditors wish the Duplicates of the different Collectors settled, not later than the 10th instant.
WM. ALGEO of Wm.,
WM. A HILL, } Auditors
JOSEPH M'CULLOCH
apld3t [Post copy]

FOR SALE—A supply of the following articles, just received from the manufactory at Jamestown, New York: viz
550 dozen finished Patent Scythe Sneaths;
300 do do Cast Steel Hoes, finished and handled in the very best manner and warranted to be trowel tempered;
100 dozen good Hay Rakes; 50 tons Hay;
50 gross do Matches;
The above will be sold low and in any quantity to suit all classes of purchasers, who will call at my large Flat Boat, just below the St. Clair street Allegheny Bridge, and down Cecil's Alley.
apld3t NATHAN BROWN, Jr

Notice.
PITTSBURGH GAS WORKS, 1st April, 1847.
AN adjourned meeting of the Stockholders and Trustees of the Pittsburgh Gas Works, with the Committee of Councils appointed the 25th of January last, consisting of Messrs. Shipton, Denny, Albree, Franklin and Thompson, will be held on Monday, the 5th April, instant, at 2 o'clock, P. M., in the Mayor's Office.
GEO W JACKSON, Pres't
Wilson M'Candless, Sec'y. apldtd

Dissolution of Partnership.
THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, in the publication of the Pittsburgh Gazette is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All the business of the late firm will be settled by D N White, who is authorized to close the same.
D N WHITE
B F HARRIS
Pittsburgh, April 1, 1847 d&w3tF

Dissolution.
THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, in the business of Job Printing, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business of the late firm will be settled at the Gazette Job Office, by Geo Parkin. GEO PARKIN
Pittsburgh, April 1, 1847. WHITE & HARRIS



TRANSPARENT VENETIAN BLINDS—The greatest variety ever offered in this city before—made on the most approved Eastern plans—and most fashionable Eastern patterns and colors. Also, THE CHEAP ROLL, or BOSTON BLIND, on hand or made to order of all sizes, and at all prices.
Country Merchants and others are invited to call and examine the above for themselves, as all will be sold wholesale or retail, and a liberal deduction made to wholesale purchasers.
apldly A WESTERVELT

SIX CENTS REWARD—Ran away from the subscriber, living in Ohio Township, Allegheny County, on the 29th ult., MINER McCLURE—an indented boy. The public are warned against trusting or harboring said boy on my account, or they will be proceeded against according to law. The above reward, but no charges, will be paid for the return of said boy. aplw3t*F HUGH DUFF

FOR RENT—A very comfortable dwelling house, well arranged for a large family, situated on Fourth above Smithfield street. Rent $275.
ALSO,
A good dwelling house, with plenty of yard room and other conveniences, situated on Caldwell street.—Rent $102. S CUTHBERT
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SUNDRIES—2 sacks Corn;
3 do Oats;
2 do Apples;
4 do Peaches;
1 do Feathers;
3 barrels Eggs;
110 pieces Bacon; landing from stmr Comet and for sale by JAMES DALZELL
apl No 24 water st

NAILS—25 kegs Oliphant's Brand, landing from a Brownsville Boat and for sale by
apl J DALZELL, 24 water st

STAR CANDLES—10 bxs in store and for sale.
apl J DALZELL, 24 water st

FRESH TEAS—150 hf chests Y. H. Teas;
75 do Pouchong do;
Now landing and for sale by BAGALEY & SMITH
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CITY CURED BACON—1,500 pcs Hams;
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Very superior quality, for sale from Smoke-House by
apl BAGALEY & SMITH

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apl BAGALEY & SMITH

SUGARS AND MOLASSES—
300 hhds New Orleans Sugars;
900 bbls Plantation Molasses; per late arrivals and for sale by BAGALEY & SMITH
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FOR SALE—15 tons Pig Metal. Apply to
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SUNDRIES—7,000 lbs assorted Bacon;
1,000 lbs Venison Hams;
3 bbls Lard;
2 bbls Beans;
2 sacks Feathers;
4 sacks Flaxseed; for sale by
apl POINDEXTER & Co

RIO COFFEE—650 bags prime green Rio Coffee, for sale by BAGALEY & SMITH
apl Nos 18 and 20 wood st

ORANGES AND LEMONS—
100 boxes Oranges;
25 do Lemons; in prime order, landing from steamer Germantown and for sale by
apl BAGALEY & SMITH, 18 and 20 wood st

FIRE BRICK—Constantly on hand and for sale by ISAIAH DICKEY & Co
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50 bbls Molasses;
In store and for sale by ISAIAH DICKEY & Co
apl 56 water and 107 front sts

GREEN APPLES—100 bbls Romanite Apples;
25 bbls Spitzenbergh Apples;
10 bbls Pippins, in good shipping order, for sale by P C MARTIN
apl cor smithfield and front sts

ROLL BUTTER—9 bbls Fresh, just rec'd and for sale by P C MARTIN
apl cor smithfield and front sts

COTTON—300 bales Mississippi Cotton on hand and for sale by ATWOOD, JONES & Co
apl water and front sts

COTTON YARNS—8,000 lbs No 11 to 15, for sale by apl ATWOOD, JONES & Co

CIDER VINEGAR—25 bbls rec'd this day, for sale by apl ATWOOD, JONES & Co

SPANISH MOSS—50 bales for sale low by
apl ATWOOD, JONES & Co

CASTOR OIL—6 bbls for sale by
BRAUN & REITER
mch23 cor Liberty and St Clair sts

SOAP—100 bxs Cin. No 1, in store and for sale by
O BLACKBURN & Co.
mch25 cor water st and cherry alley

TO COAL MINERS AND OTHERS—The undersigned solicit information of those acquainted with the best mode of working coal mines by shaft.—There are several so worked in this country at a depth of 300 to 1,000 feet, and in England at 1800 feet below the surface. Of the several strata in this property, the principal one is at about one-tenth of the latter distance (150 feet). There is a shaft in successful operation near this city obtaining a purer article than our pit coal, and at less expense than pits generally, [including hauling.] when in addition our principal strata is two to three times the thickness of that in pits, and with another great advantage, that it could be used on the ground where obtained, as the location even without the extraordinary advantage, is well known to be one of the best in the country for every description of manufacturing.
It is also believed that this coal from its peculiar nature and purity, may be adapted to the manufacture of Iron from the Ore, if so, it will offer great inducements for extensive operations on this side of the river.
We have had applications from persons accustomed to working coal by shafts, who have strongly urged its adoption by us as being in every point of view advisable and highly advantageous. We are desirous of obtaining further information on the subject, and should it prove satisfactory, we will sell or lease the privilege of sinking a shaft and working the Coal.
O ORMSBY GREGG
ISAAC GREGG
MOSES F EATON
Birmingham, April 1, 1847 d3t&w1tF
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Pedlars supplied with above at lowest prices.
T KENNEDY, Jr.,
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B.M. HINCHMAN, Secretary.
The subscriber, who is the duly authorized Agent for the above named Company, is prepared to make insurance, at the Office of the Agency, in the St. Charles Hotel, Third st., third door from Wood street, and will give all further information desired.
my2-dly. THOS. J. CAMPBELL.

PEA NUTS—Roasted for customers, at the Mustard and Spice Factory, 27 Fifth street.
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PEPPER SAUCE—100 boxes [pint bottles,] West India Peppers, on hand and for sale by
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GROUND GINGER—50 bbls and 100 kegs on hand and for sale by RHODES & ALCORN
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ROASTED AND GROUND COFFEE (fresh every morning) always on hand and for sale at No 27 Fifth street mch31 RHODES & ALCORN

SOAP—4 boxes Hull & Son's Variegated Soap, just rec'd and for sale by R E SELLERS
mch31 No 57 wood st

FLAXSEED—5 bbls Flaxseed for sale by
R E SELLERS
mch31 No 57 wood street

SARSAPARILLA—1 bale Vera Cruz just rec'd and for sale by R E SELLERS
mch31 No 57 wood street

RICE AND LOAF SUGAR—
25 tierces Rice;
25 bbls Loaf Sugar, for sale by
J DALZELL
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MUSTARD—Superfine Mustard of our own manufacture, warranted equal to the best English, for sale at a low price at the Mustard and Spice Factory, 27 Fifth street. mch31 RHODES & ALCORN

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OIL VITRIOL—75 carboys just received and for sale at the new Drug warehouse of
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SPRING SHAWLS—W R Murphy has now open an assortment of new and rich style Cashmere and other Spring Shawls.
French needle work Collars, Jaconet and Swiss Insertings and Edgings.
Swiss and Scotch Mulls, Jaconets, Nainsooks, and Bishop Lawns.
New style Barred Muslins and Jaconets, &c. &c., all at reduced prices.

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LARD—5 bbls No 1 Lard now landing from steamer Nashville, and for sale by
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mch16 18 and 20 wood st

WHITE LEAD—
75 kegs pure, "J Hannen & Co's,"
30 " No 1; in store and for sale by
MYERS, HUNTER & Co
mch20 128 Liberty st

COFFEE—50 bags handsome Rio, landing from steamer Isaac Newton and for sale by
J & R FLOYD
mch27 192 Liberty st

RICE—10 tierces Carolina Rice, landing from stmr Gladiator, for sale by J & R FLOYD
mch27 192 Liberty st

APPLES—60 bbls Romanite Apples, in prime shipping order, for sale by P C MARTIN
mch24 cor smithfield and front sts

ROLL BUTTER—4 bbls fresh, for sale by
P C MARTIN
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ROBERTSON & REPPERT
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SHELLED CORN—10,000 bus. in sacks suitable for shipping, offered on contract, part to arrive in a few days. ROBERTSON & REPPERT
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OIL VITRIOL—25 carboys Oil Vitriol for sale by J KIDD & Co
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LINAMENT—10 gross Nerve and Bone Liniment for sale by J KIDD & Co
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J KIDD & Co
mch24 No 60 wood st

MOLASSES AND RICE—
500 bbls Plantation Molasses;
20 bbls Sugar House do;
40 tierces prime Rice; for sale by
POINDEXTER & Co
mch24 No 41 water st

FISH—10 bbls No 3 South Mackerel;
40 hf bbls do do do;
10 bbls No 2 do do;
20 hf bbls do do; just rec'd for sale.
POINDEXTER & Co
mch24 41 water street

SUGAR—20 hhds prime N. O., in store and for sale by J & R FLOYD
mch24 192 Liberty street

MOLASSES—400 bbls N. O., in good order; in store and for sale by J & R FLOYD
mch24 192 Liberty street

COTTON YARN—6,000 lbs assorted, in store and for sale by J & R FLOYD
mch24 192 Liberty street

SEED—50 bus. Cloverseed;
10 bus. Timothy Seed, in store and for sale by J & R FLOYD
mch24 192 Liberty st

SUNDRIES—7 bbls Cloverseed;
2 bbls Timothy Seed;
4 kegs No 1 Leaf Lard; a prime article for retailing, for sale by REYNOLDS & SHEE
mch24 cor Penn and Irwin sts

SUGAR—25 hhds prime N. O., for sale by
CUNNINGHAM & BONNER
mch24 144 Liberty st

FEATHERS—2,700 lbs prime Ky., just rec'd and for sale by POINDEXTER & Co
mch25 No 41 water st

MOLASSES—15 bbls Sugar House;
113 " New Orleans; for sale by
CUNNINGHAM & BONNER
mch24 144 Liberty st

FISH—20 bbls No 2 Mackerel;
10 hf bbls do do;
25 bbls No 3 South Mackerel
20 bbls No 3 North do; for sale by
CUNNINGHAM & BONNER
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TOBACCO—20 bxs 1 lb Lump Tobacco, on consignment and for sale by
S F VON BONNHORST & Co
mch27 No 35 Front st

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By John D. Davis, Auctioneer
ON Thursday morning, April 1st, at 10 o'clock, at the Commercial Auction Rooms, corner of Wood and Fifth streets, will be sold—a large assortment of Silk Lawn and Velvet Bonnets, ribbons, caps, face trimmings, leghorn hats, &c. Also, an extensive assortment of staple and fancy dry goods, &c.
At 2 O'Clock, P. M.
A large quantity of fine quality household furniture, embracing a general assortment, among which are mahogany dressing bureaus, imitation mahogany chairs, high post bedsteads, French post do with patent spring cot beds, wash stands, with ewers and basins; dining, breakfast and card tables, fancy and windsor chairs, large and small rocking chairs, carpeting, floor matting, feather beds, mattrasses, looking glasses, cooking stoves, glassware, queensware, groceries, &c.
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