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The Hon. Albert J. White, late Senator in Congress from Indiana, and at present President of the Lafayette and Indianapolis Rail Road Company, will, at the request of a large number of persons, address the citizens of Pittsburgh, this evening at 7 o'clock, at the rooms of the Board of Trade, upon the of subject of *Rail Road connections with the West, and their importance to Pittsburgh.*

RAIL ROAD ADDRESS AT THE BOARD OF TRADE ROOMS.—We call the attention of our citizens to the notice of a meeting to night, at the Rooms of the Board of Trade, where the Hon. Mr. White, will address them upon the rail road subject. The interest which Pittsburgh has, in bringing, through these now favorite avenues, the trade and travel of the Great West to her doors, renders any information in relation to rail road communication, deeply interesting to us. Mr. White is fully informed upon the subject on which he intends to speak, and we have no doubt will impart much important and useful information, and also point out the advantages which are likely to accrue to the whole West, from our contemplated rail road improvement. We hope there will be a full attendance to hear him.

The mother and sister of John C. Vaughan, Esq., editor of the Cleveland True Democrat, were on the ill fated steamer, St. John, which was lately destroyed by fire, near Montgomery, in Alabama. Both perished! God support our deeply stricken friend.

We shall not now enter into an argument with the Dispatch, in relation to moral rights and obligations. It is a vast subject, requiring more time, thought, and investigation than an editor of a daily paper has time to bestow upon it. The article of the Dispatch contains some things which are true, and others which are false, and is entirely too flippant for so grave a subject. It attributes sentiments to us which we did not utter, and flies off from the main question at issue, to others wholly irrelevant. What we averred was, that a man who takes an oath to support the constitution, has no right to make any mental reservation, or to disobey its injunctions, from a regard to conscientious scruples. If he cannot, consistent with his views, keep his oath, he ought not to take it. It is the business of a Senator to legislate under the Constitution, and in accordance with what he sincerely believes to be its provisions. He has no right to set it aside, or neglect or evade its requisitions, in obedience to any opinions of his own. If he does so, he is false to his oath, false to his constituents, and false to the people of the United States, who ordained the Constitution, and who only have the right to amend it. If he believes the Constitution conflicts with the laws of a higher power, let him resign his seat, denounce the Constitution, and labor for its repeal.

Mr. Buchanan and Slavery.

In the speech of Mr. Seward, the following passage occurs:—

> "I think it was Jefferson who said that the natural ally of slavery in the South was the Democracy of the North."
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> "MR. HALE. It was Mr. Buchanan who said so."

Mr. King, of Alabama, some days afterwards undertook the defence of his friend, Mr. Buchanan, and called upon Mr. Hale to give his authority for his averment, that Mr. Buchanan had said that the natural ally of Slavery in the South was the Democracy of the North. Mr. Hale said he had not the document by him to sustain the statement, but he thought he could satisfy the Senator from Alabama within a few days. Mr. King denied that Mr. Buchanan had ever made use of such language, and he would wait for the proof. Mr. Davis, of Mississippi, read the following as being what Mr. Buchanan did say, and he thought Mr. Hale would fail to produce any thing more:—

> "Let me suppose another case of a much more dangerous character. In the Southern States which compose the weaker portion of the Union, a species of property exists which is now attracting the attention of the whole civilized world. These States never would have become parties to the Union, had not their rights in this property been secured by the Federal constitution. Foreign and domestic fanatics, some from the belief that they are doing God's service, and others from a desire to divide and destroy this glorious republic, have conspired to emancipate the Southern slaves. On this question, the people of the South, beyond the limits of their own States, stand alone and unsupported by any power on earth, except that of the Northern Democracy."

This extract is from a speech made in February, 1842. We think, however, Mr. Davis is mistaken in saying that Mr. Buchanan said nothing more. On a previous occasion, we think it was, he used the following language, at least it is attributed to him, and has not been denied, to our knowledge:—

> "All Christendom is leagued against the South upon this question of Slavery. They have no other allies to sustain their constitutional rights, except the Democracy of the North.
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> "In my own State, we inscribe upon our party banners hostility to abolition. It is there one of the cardinal principles of the Democratic party: and many a hard battle have we fought to sustain this principle."

For the Pittsburgh Gazette.

MESSRS. EDITORS—You allude, in your paper of yesterday, to a want that is felt and acknowledged by all business men of our city—the want of banking capital adequate to the demand of the large and increasing business of Pittsburgh.

My object is simply to ask, if the friends of free banking are satisfied with the efforts that have been made to procure the passage of a suitable law at the present session of our Legislature. All parties here seem to favor the passage of such a law, as the best way to attain the object so much desired, especially by Democrats, as perfect safety to note holders, and an abolishment of the present system of monopoly. Cannot something more be done to bring this unanimity of sentiment to bear upon our representatives at Harrisburg? W.

We hardly know in what way the views of our correspondent, can be carried out, except by calling a meeting of the citizens, and getting an expression of the public feeling in regard to it. We are satisfied that nineteen twentieths of our citizens are in favor of establishing this new system of "free banking," but an effort is necessary to arouse them to more active measures concerning it. While those States which have adopted this system, have at present a superabundance of money, and which is going a begging at exceedingly low rates of interest, we are suffering under a most extraordinary pressure in our money market.

There is no good reason for this, as our commercial, manufacturing, and agricultural relations, are equally as prosperous as they are in those States. But the banking capital of this State is entirely too limited to supply the growing demands of trade, and consequently we are suffering materially from the want of it. We should like exceedingly, to see the system introduced here; but until we can change the character of our Legislature, we are afraid no bill of the kind can be carried through.

IMPORTANT RAIL ROAD DECISIONS.—*Heavy Damages.*—Mrs. Tarbell, at Albany, N. Y., last week, obtained $1000 damages, of the Albany and Troy McAdam Turnpike Company, for an accident resulting in the death of her husband, owing to a heavy embankment of snow and ice, running across the road. The stage in which her husband was a passenger, was overset. At the same Court James Collins obtained a verdict of $11,600 against the Mohawk and Hudson Rail Road Company, for injuries received in consequence of the collision of two trains of cars, in one of which he was passenger. His foot was crushed, and he rendered a cripple for life.

Mr. Webster is about to receive a solid gold chain in acknowledgment of his *services* in the cause of the Union. The chain is of pure gold, of a value exceeding four hundred dollars, as it came from the mines. Its workmanship reflects much credit on Californian skill. It was manufactured for the donor, Mr. George W. Eggleston, at San Francisco. It should be called "Mr. Webster's Union Chain." Our citizens will have an opportunity of seeing it for a few days, at Ball, Tompkins & Black's, corner of Broadway and Murray st., where it has been sent to be engraved with appropriate inscription.

The Famous Clarion Letter.

A correspondent asks us to republish this noted epistle of our friend Col. McCandless, and as it takes up but little space, we comply, and it may be of some use in the approaching Tariff controversy. Mr. McCandless may also desire to refresh his memory with a most agreeable reminiscence.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 8, 1844.

Gentlemen: Your cordial invitation of the 30th ultimo, to be present with you at your mass meeting, on the third of September, came to hand during my absence in the Northwestern counties of Pennsylvania.

I assure you, that I never wrote an apology for my inability to attend any public assemblage, in the whole course of my political career, with more reluctance than I do this. Clarion has not only been firm and steadfast in her adherence to *Democratic* principles, but she has been inflexible in her love and support of the *Tariff*—that public measure, which, (aside from the Bank question) like the rod of the Prophet, is destined to swallow up all other topics of political controversy. You have properly appreciated the importance of the *protective principle*, to the success of the manufacturing and agricultural interests of Pennsylvania, and in the abandonment of that principle by Mr. Clay in the Compromise Bill, you have the best guaranty that, if elected to the Presidency, he will carry out the principles of that bill, and afford you a horizontal duty, to enable you to contend with the pauper labor of Sweden and Russia. In doing so, he would give you and the *Tariff* the same *support* that the *rope* does the *hanging* man—instant death, and without "benefit of clergy." Support him if you can—for my own part, I shall go for POLK and DALLAS, who have at heart the true interests of Pennsylvania.

My engagements, gentlemen, in the Supreme Court, will prevent me from attending your mass meeting. With the *brightest prospect* of Democratic success, 20,000 majority,

I have the honor to be

Truly yours,

WILSON McCANDLESS.

Messrs. Adam Mooney, Seth Clover, and others, committee.

For the Pittsburgh Gazette.

Rail Roads West and North West.

(No. 4.)

In my review of the system of trunk lines running west, I have come to the two prominent extensions from Indianapolis, one of them running south of west to Terre Haute, in a direct line to St. Louis, the other north west to Lafayette, in a direction to Chicago. These lines are not competitors with each other, being 90 miles apart at their intersection of the Wabash. The Terre Haute line has the advantage of approaching that great depot of the Mississippi trade, the point where travellers and business are both distributed, St. Louis—while the Lafayette line is superior in its approach to the *many* cities of the north west, and to those fertile seats of enterprize which have already achieved so much, and whither emigration for the next quarter of a century will set with a powerful current. Lafayette is very nearly in the same parallel of latitude with Pittsburgh and at the head of steam navigation on the Wabash. If at Indianapolis we set one leg of a compass and draw the other along the Wabash valley, from Terre Haute to Peru, a distance of 150 miles, no point of that arc of the circle will vary ten miles in the common distance from Indianapolis. The Lafayette line cuts this arc in its centre, and if continued due north west, would pass the Illinois river at La Salle, where canal and steamboat navigation unite the Mississippi at Rock Island, and passing through the capital of Iowa, must meet the Missouri line at Council Bluffs, the point where Whitney's line of rail road to the Pacific crosses the Missouri. Standing at Pittsburgh and looking to the great country behind Chicago, the subject of your connexion with that country is presented in a most interesting point of view. Nature has proclaimed that between that country and you the bonds of commerce must forever be intimate and unbroken. On your left the waters of the Ohio, proceeding to their confluence with the Mississippi and open against the descending current of the Mississippi and the Illinois, a transit for your vessels, while on the right your canals conducting you to the Lakes, set your vessels and your commerce afloat to almost the same distant market. Thus these two great lines of navigation diverging from Pittsburgh, and separated from each other by several degrees of latitude at their greatest distance, almost meet again on the prairies 700 miles to the west. What a vast outlet for your manufactures at the terminus of these water lines, and along all the intervening shores! Between extremes so united by a belt of navigable water, every just notion of commercial advantage dictates that a rail road line should be drawn.

From Chicago to Philadelphia, *via* Lafayette, Indianapolis, and Pittsburgh, the rail road distance is 930 miles. From Chicago to New York, *via* Toledo, Cleveland, Dunkirk, and the Erie road, the distance is 969 miles. The mercantile travel, therefore, from Lake Michigan and the Upper Mississippi would be very apt to make the Pittsburgh line its transit route either going or coming—and to almost every portion of Indiana your line would present the shortest route.

It was not my object, however, to dwell on general considerations familiar to the reflections of your business men, but, from my acquaintance with the country to call your attention to the trunk lines running west, and to note their progress.

Recurring to the line of the Bellefontaine road, east of Indianapolis, I will remark that, since my first number, I have learned from an authentic source that the iron has been procured for the first 30 miles out of Indianapolis, the laying to commence this summer, and that such arrangements have recently been made at the East as to ensure the speedy completion of the whole work to the State line of Ohio.

The line from Indianapolis to Terre Haute (74 miles) is nearly one half graded.

Thirty three miles of the 64 between Indianapolis and Lafayette have been graded.

We have now reached the Wabash in our prophetic rail road journey west; (it is not all prophecy) but, as it is unfashionable to stop short of the "Father of Waters," and as my promised *finale* is running into rather too great a length, I beg leave to cut this number in two and will give you, to morrow, "*another* last call of Baxter." W.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette

WASHINGTON, March 19, 1850.

A NEW DISH ON THE BOARD—HOME DEPARTMENT—THE NEW CLERKSHIP—MR. HAMPTON—ALL SAFE ENOUGH—HALE UPON CALHOUN—PROBABLE SETTLEMENT OF CONTROVERSY—AMERICAN CONSUL AT ST. JAGO DE CUBA—THE WOOLLY HORSE AND COL. BENTON.

The House having become tired and cloyed with the sameness and superabundance of the dish which has formed its sole entertainment day after day for three months past has to day taken a taste of business, by way of variety. The bill for the supply of deficiencies in appropriations for the service of the current year, was taken up in committee of the Whole. Mr. Hampton of your State and District, moved the addition of an item of ten or twelve thousand dollars in payment for the services of clerks necessarily employed, in the department of the Interior, since its organization under the law of last session. Mr. Hampton supported the amendment with facts and arguments which showed the indespensable necessity of the proposed appropriation. He showed from the undisputed testimony of the Secretary of the Interior himself, that the eight or ten clerks appointed by Mr. Ewing had worked night and day to keep up the current business of the department, and that they had received, so far, not a dime for their services from the government. He mentioned that the committee had thrown out the estimate of the *Secretary* for these clerks, but he was sure that the House would not sanction the principle of refusing to pay for services that were acknowledged to have been indispensable, and to have been faithfully rendered.

Mr. Begly quoted poetry, and delivered an inconsiderable quantity of the most unmistakeable prose against paying these men.

But the debate was chiefly interesting as developing the feeling of the Democrats towards the Department of the Interior. Mr. Lane, of Maryland, whose calibre is of the very lightest, and who, being a tolerable skirmisher, and as good food for powder as anybody else, is always put forward, came up to the attack, and declared that he voted for the bill establishing the Department on Walker's recommendation, and that he was now ready to reverse his vote, having discovered that it was of no adequate use. Several other declared similar sentiments. The Committee rose without deciding the question. You may set down all this talk about abolishing the Home Department, as mere "leather and prunella." Offices, like taxes, are created by irrepealable laws. I look upon a fat office as a part of the Constitution, just as durable and immovable. Let some fishy subject, who would not remove Democrats and appoint Whigs, supercede Mr. Ewing, and the country would see all this patriotic opposition to the last department established by law, fade away like the morning dew.

Mr. Hale has been paying his respects to Mr. Calhoun this afternoon. His dissection of the last speech of the great nullifier, was very complete and satisfactory, but he did not conclude. By the way there has been no more expressive criticism upon Calhoun's speech, than that which I saw in your journal, to the effect, that it had been of great service to the cause of the Union, as showing the real purposes and sentiments of its author. I quite agree with you. Never was that distinguished man so utterly powerless as now. He stands exposed to the suspicion and distrust of his nearest friends, while his enemies, like Benton, point to him as having verified the worst they have ever said or thought of him!

My opinion continues to be, that the present controversy will be settled on the basis of an amalgamation of the plans suggested by the President, Mr. Webster, and Mr. Bell—California will be admitted in her present shape. There will be no positive legislation for the establishment of governments in the territories, though it is not improbable that a recognition and legalization of the present order of things therein will be carried through. An attempt will be made to settle the boundary dispute with Texas, by figuring out her claims to territory north of latitude 34 deg., and it will succeed. A bill will be passed for the better enforcement of the constitutional provision for the restoration of fugitive slaves, and probably for the prohibition of the slave trade in this district, and that will close the catalogue. This is the programe of arrangement which I know is circulating through the minds of many of the wisest and most patriotic in both Houses—and it presents features which commend it to the judgement of the whole country.

I have before referred to the statements concerning the rejection by the authorities of the Spanish government in Cuba, of Rev. Mr. Sewall as consul to St. Jago. I have heard an explanation of that affair, which I consider quite probable, and which deprives the case of all importance— The Spanish government were informed by some miserable and malignant secret enemy of Mr. Sewall, that he was an abolitionist, and designed stirring up an insurrection among the slaves. This flagitious slander of course had a most unfavorable effect. But it is stated that it has been refuted, and that the exequatur will soon be issued to Mr. Sewell.

The man whom Benton prosecuted for exhibiting a woolly horse under the pretence that it had been caught by Col Fremont in New Mexico, is exciting much amusement at Old Bullion's expense, by giving what he calls "Horsematic Readings," in which he pays many left handed compliments to the "House of Benton," as the great Senator has himself denominated his family. Of course the grand jury threw out the complaint, and I only wonder that they have not presented the magistrate who committed the person, on Col. B's application, for incompetency. It is supposed that Col. Benton will soon find means to stop the lecturer's career, should he become too pungent. JUNIUS.

FROM HARRISBURGH.

Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette.

HARRISBUGH, March 19, 1850.

In the Senate, to day, on motion of Mr. Muhlenberg, the Senate resumed the consideration of the bill to annul the marriage contract between Lieut. Edward Middleton, U. S. N., and Edwardina his wife.

Mr. Crabb stated that the friends of this bill desired to lay before the Senate a printed argument, which was now on its way to Harrisburgh, and would reach here during the afternoon; he therefore desired a postponement of the subject for the present.

Mr. King moved that the further consideration of the subject be postponed until to morrow afternoon, which was subsequently modified so as to simply postpone for the present, which was unanimously agreed to.

Mr. Forsyth then rose to a question of privilege, and stated that a bill of his, which had passed the Senate a few days ago, had been mutilated after its passage, and before it reached the hands of the transcribing clerk. A very important proviso had been torn from the bill. There had been opposition to this portion of the bill; and he had no doubt that some of those who were opposed to it had taken this extraordinary course to defeat it.

Mr. Crabb suggested a Committee of enquiry.

Mr. Packer thought some action ought to be had in order to vindicate the character of the Senate. The matter complained of was certainly a very grave offence against the diginity of the Senate, and ought to be inquired into.

Mr. Forsyth said it was his intention to propose some action in regard to the matter, at the proper time. He should demand a restoration of the bill to its original shape, at least.

The matter was then dropped.

On motion of Mr. Darsie the Senate resumed the consideration of the bill read in place by him yesterday, to repeal the 4th section of the act incorporating the North Lebanon Railroad Company.

The section which this bill proposes to repeal is as follows, to wit:—"That said company, or any other company, authorised by the laws of this Commenwealth to construct a railroad, may in lieu thereof, or in connexion therewith, construct a Plank Road, whenever in the opinion of the stockholders the interests of the public would be equally subserved, and in such case the Directors may change the route or course and extend the points in the direction so as to adapt it to the grade or other convenience and advantage of the road."

On motion of Mr. Brawley, the further consideration of the bill was postponed till Thursday next.

The remainder of the day was occupied with local and private bills, several of which were passed.

This was private bill day in the House also. Nothing of particular interest to your readers transpired in this body.

There are three important divorce cases now pending in the Senate. The parties are all wealthy and distinguished, and their cases consequently excite a great deal of interest in the public mind. It is pretty certain now, that Mr. Forrest will get through. The case of Lieut. Middleton is extremely doubtful. And that of Mr. Wetherall, third party to whom I allude, as he desires to be divorced from a lady who has borne him fifteen children, and that only upon the most frivolous pretences imaginable, is altogether hopeless. No improper conduct on the part of this lady is even *alleged* by the husband. In addition to this, it is said that the petitioner is already engaged to be married to a lady of large fortune, in anticipation of the favorable action of the Legislature. This is carrying the joke a little too far for even the Legislature of Pennsylvania. COBDEN.

FROM NEW YORK.

Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette.

NEW YORK, March 19, 1850.

The political news of the day is confined to the speculations of people upon the speech of Senator Seward, which, though preceded by Clay, Calhoun, and Webster, has produced an effect in no wise inferior, and in many respects superior, to those declarations, able as the country has pronounced them. On all sides, the speech of Mr. Webster is hailed as a great constitutional argument, in favor of the compromises of the constitution; but Mr. Seward's arguments are those of a man pleading for humanity, untrammelled by all compromises. Mr. Webster has marked out the line of duty for the free States, if they would comply with the strict letter of the law; but Governor Seward has only echoed the impulses of the North, upon the rights of man to claim the services of his fellows. Lovers of expediency may pretend much horror at the boldness of our Senator, but it is no use to disguise the fact that he has touched, with a master hand, the pulse of the free votes of the free States without respect to party lines.

Our Board of Supervisors have just made up the valuation of the "village," which amounts to two hundred and fifty-six millions of dollars, upon which has been assessed a tax of over three millions of dollars, a sum larger than the disbursements of any State government in the Union for regular expenses, and almost equal to the taxation for all purposes in some of the larger States. Our police, alone, costs half a million annually, and for lamps and gas a quarter of a million.

A new class of merchants have made their appearance this week; those from Ohio and the rest of the wheat growing States, filling the little space before left in the hotels. All the houses now "colonize" that is send the guests who cannot sleep on sofas and temporary beds out to private houses to sleep. The dry goods houses are all selling enormous bills, and the country will close the spring trade more largely in debt to New York city than was ever known.

Money continues abundant in face of the large increase of business, and low rates of interest only are paid, except in case of houses of small means and smaller reputation. All kinds of speculations thrive now, and though people often refer to the exciting days of 1836, those times are surpassed in every point by the every day events of 1850. All kinds of stocks are up and every body buying for an advance or for investment. Pennsylvania stocks are sold in moderate lots, and the stock now generally held by capitalists, who not only have an investment not easily shaken, but one which pays larger interest, comparatively, than the national debt.

Niblo in a few weeks opens his elegant theatre, with the Havana opera troupe, the best on this side the Atlantic. The Astor Place troupe made a living, but nothing more, and are now on a provincial tour to Boston. The infant prodigies—the Misses Batemen—are playing Shakspercan parts to large houses; and the theatres coining money from the "Serious Family." The plot of this last play is simple enough: merely a representation of what a family comes to when its head forgets that there is "a good deal of human nature in men and women," and tries to form the characters of its members, as we make bricks, in a mould and by pressure only. Barnum the Great, has offered for proposals to lease a house he means to build for the "Swedish Nightingale." He is sanguine of a large profit on his scheme, and says he shall bring his songstress up the western waters, and let every city of note have a chance to hear her once at least.

Col. Du Solle, the able editor of the Philadelphia Key Stone, who came here to edit a locofoco (old hunker) paper, has abandoned the field in disgust. New York locofocoism was so much dirtier than he anticipated, and required so much and so diversified stultification, that he was forced to decamp, and surrender his editorial pen to one of the old hacks.

The new French Minister, it is said, means to give Mr. Clayton something to do.

The French "Courrier" complains much of various seizures of vessels from Havre at San Francisco, laden with French merchandise, and says this is one of the circumstances which will first occupy the attention of M. Sain Bois le Compte. One of the vessels was held liable to seizure because it contained brandy in cases of twelve bottles each, instead of barrels of not less capacity than five gallons.

Ashes—Prices firm, sales of pots at $6 37½, and pearls at $5 87½. Cotton—The demand is fair, with a moderate business doing. The sales are 500 bales at 12¼@12½ for mid. uplands; Mobiles, 12½. Flour—The market not active; sales 1100 brls at $4 87½@4 94 for common state; straight to favorite do at $4 94@5 25; mixed Ohio and Indiana at $5 12½@5 18; mixed to fancy Michigan at $5 12@5 37½; pure Genesee $5 62@5 75. Rye flour sells at $2 75@2 81. Grain—For wheat the market is firm and dull. Holders of rye refuse to operate at 57c. Yellow corn at 55½@57c; white at 51@57c, and mixed at 53@54. Sales of northern oats at 40@43c, and Jersey at 34@37. Provisions—Sales of pork at $10 44@10 50 for mess, and $8,94@9 00 for prime. Beef steady and in demand; sales $5 75@6 50 for country and city prime, and $8 75@10 00 for do mess. Beef hams $18. Cut meats at 6@6½ for hams, and 4c for plain shoulders. Lard, 6¼@6½. 40,000 lbs good mutton tallow sold at 6½c. Whiskey—Holders ask 24½c for prison, while only 24¼c is offered. C.

BY AUTHORITY.

By the President of the United States of America.

A PROCLAMATION.

Whereas a Convention for the extension of certain stipulations contained in the treaty of commerce and navigation of 27th August, 1829, between the United States of America and his Majesty the Emperor of Austria, was concluded and signed in this city, on the 8th of May, 1848: which convention, being in the English and German languages, is word for word, as follows:

Convention for the extension of certain stipulations contained in the treaty of commerce and navigation of 27th August, 1829, between the United States of America and His Majesty the Emperor of Austria.

The United States of America and his Majesty the Emperor of Austria having agreed to extend to all descriptions of property the exemption from dues, taxes, or charges, which was secured to the personal goods of their respective citizens and subjects by the eleventh article of the treaty of commerce and navigation which was concluded between the parties on the 27th of August, 1829, and also for the purpose of increasing the powers granted to their respective consuls by the tenth article of said treaty of commerce and navigation have named for this purpose their respective plenipotentiaries, namely, the President of the United States of America has conferred full powers on James Buchanan, Secretary of State, of the United States, and his Majesty the Emperor of Austria has conferred full powers upon his charge d'affairs to the United States, John George Hulsemann; who, after having exchanged their said full powers, found in due and proper form, have agreed to and signed the following articles:

ARTICLE I. The citizens or subjects of each of the contracting parties shall have power to dispose of their personal property within the States of the other, by testament, donation, or otherwise, and their heirs, legatees, and donees, being citizens or subjects of the other contracting party, shall succeed to their said personal property, and may take possession thereof, either by themselves or by others acting for them, and dispose of the same at their pleasure, paying such duties only as the inhabitants of the country where the said property lies shall be liable to pay in like cases.

ARTICLE II. Where, on the death of any person holding real property, or property not personal, within the territories of one party, such real property would, by the laws of the land, descend on a citizen or subject of the other, were he not disqualified by the laws of the country where such real property is situated, such citizen or subject shall be allowed a term of two years to sell the same—which term may be reasonably prolonged, according to circumstances—and to withdraw the proceeds thereof, without molestation, and exempt from any other charges than those which may be imposed in like cases upon the inhabitants of the country from which such proceeds may be withdrawn.

ARTICLE III. In case of the absence of the heirs, the same care shall be taken, provisionally, of such real or personal property as would be taken in a like case of property belonging to the natives of the country, until the lawful owner, or the person who has a right to sell the same, according to article II, may take measures to receive or dispose of the inheritance.

ARTICLE IV. The high contracting parties grant to each other the liberty of having, each in the ports of the other, consuls, vice consuls, commercial agents and vice commercial agents, of their own appointment, who shall enjoy the same privileges and powers as those of the most favored nations; but if any of the said consuls shall carry on trade, they shall be subjected to the same laws and usages to which private individuals of their nation are subjected in the same place.

The said consuls, vice consuls, commercial and vice commercial agents, shall have the right, as such, to sit as judges and arbitrators in such differences as may arise between the masters and crews of the vessels belonging to the nation whose interests are committed to their charge, without interference of the local authorities, unless the conduct of the crews or of the captain should disturb the order or tranquillity of the country; or the said consuls, vice consuls, commercial agents, or vice commercial agents should require their assistance in executing or supporting their own decisions. But this species of judgment or arbitration shall not deprive the contending parties of the right they have to resort, on their return to the judicial authority of their own country.

The said consuls, vice consuls, commercial agents, and vice commercial agents are authorized to require the assistance of the local authorities for the search, arrest and imprisonment of the deserters from the ships of war and merchant vessels of their country. For this purpose they shall apply in writing to the competent tribunals, judges and officers, and shall demand said deserters, proving by the exhibition of the registers of the vessels, the muster rolls of the crews, or by any other official documents, that such individuals form legally part of the crews; and on such claim being substantiated, the surrender shall not be refused.

Such deserters, when arrested, shall be placed at the disposal of the said consuls, vice consuls, commercial agents, and vice commercial agents, and may be confined in the public prisons, at the request and cost of those who shall claim them, in order to be sent to the vessels to which they belong, or to others of the same country. But if not sent back within three months from the day of their arrest, they shall be set at liberty, and shall not be again arrested for the same cause. If, however, the deserter shall be bound to have committed any crime or offence requiring trial, his surrender may be delayed until the tribunal before which his case shall be pending shall have pronounced its sentence, and such sentence shall have been carried into effect.

ARTICLE V. The present treaty shall continue in force for two years, counting from the day of the exchange of its ratifications; and if twelve months before the expiration of that period, neither of the high contracting parties shall have announced, by an official notification to the other, its intention to arrest the operation of said treaty, it shall remain binding for one year beyond that time, and so on, until the expiration of the twelve months which will follow a similar notification, whatever the time at which it may take place.

ARTICLE VI. This convention is concluded subject to the ratification of the President of the United States of America, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate thereof, and of his Majesty the Emperor of Austria; and the ratifications thereof shall be exchanged in Washington within the term of one year from the date of the signature thereof, or sooner if possible.

In witness whereof, the respective plenipotentiaries have signed the above articles, as well in German as in English, and have thereto affixed their seals.

Done in the city of Washington, on the eighth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and forty eight, in the seventy second year of the independence of the United States of America, and in the fourteenth year of the reign of his Majesty the Emperor of Austria.

JAMES BUCHANAN, [L. S.]
HULSEMANN, [L. S.]

And whereas, the said convention has been duly ratified on both parts, and the respective ratifications of the same were exchanged in this city on the 23d of February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty, by John M. Clayton, Secretary of State of the United States of America, and Johann George Hulsemann, Charge d'Affaires of his Majesty the Emperor of Austria near the said United States, on the part of their respective Governments:—

Now, therefore, be it known, that I, ZACHARY TAYLOR, President of the United States of America, have caused the said convention to be made public, to the end that the same, and every clause and article thereof, may be observed and fulfilled with good faith by the United States and the citizens thereof.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

[L. S.] Done at the city of Washington, this twenty fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty, and of the independence of the United States the seventy fourth.

Z. TAYLOR.

By the President:
J. M. CLAYTON, Secretary of State.

Senator Houston has improved upon Senator Seward's project for giving all foreign refugees a quarter section of land each, by proposing that the gift be extended to all creation, who have not land already, or are not worth $1500. It will probably be suggested next, to divide the people's cows, furniture, hats, boots, and breeches, share and share alike, among all mankind. Congress has about as much moral right to portion out our wardrobe as to alienate our land.—*Noah.*

We have in the United States, 68 colleges, 12 law schools, 96 medical seminaries, 20 divinity schools, and more than one thousand classical academies.

In a message from Governor Fish, of New York, to the State Legislature, he recommends that provision be made by law, authorizing the transmission, free of tolls, over the canals and railroads of that State, of all articles the growth or produce of the United States, which are designed for exhibition at the proposed "World's Fair" in London next year.

Foreign papers state that at the funeral of the Danish poet, Oehlenschlager, who expired lately of apoplexy, in the eighty first year of his age, upwards of twenty thousand persons were present. The streets through which the procession passed were strowed with sand and green boughs,—and the houses hung out black flags hemmed with silver.

The reduction of tolls on goods passing through the New York Canals, as recently decided on by the State Canal Board, is as follows on the articles designated:—On salted fish and fish in brine, per 1000 pounds per mile, four mills; on turnips and all esculent roots, per 1000 pounds per mile, three mills; on pork, bacon and lard, on sugar, molasses, coffee, iron in bars, nail rods, nails and spikes, railroad and boiler iron, and on domestic distilled spirits, going towards tide water, a reduction of one mill per 1000 pounds per mile

General Taylor's Plantation Submerged.—The Cincinnati Commercial of the 14th states, that when the steamer Yorktown, Captain Haldeman, passed General Z. Taylor's plantation, on the Mississippi river, forty miles above Natchez, the entire place was under water, from an overflow in the Mississippi. Captain Haldeman says he never saw that point so completely submerged, and fears are entertained of the total ruin of numerous plantations, and of course the bankruptcy of some of the owners.

One of the deepest thoughts we ever had—was when we were a child. We fell into a well one hundred and fifty feet below the surface of the earth, and were wondering how we should get out!

Why should California yield just double the quantity of gold this year to what it did last? Because it was then found only in particular pints, and now it is found in Quartz.

"Look: in this place ran Cassius' dagger thro'." The Cincinnati papers say, that M. Cassius has gone into the business of slaughtering *hogs* in that city.

Adelphi, Ross co., O., Feb. 18, 1848.

Messrs. J. Kidd & Co:—We wish to inform you that we have sold all of your Worm Specific you left with us. We wish you to send us some more as soon as possible, as it has given general satisfaction here. We have many calls for it since we are out of the article. It has superceded all other preparations in this county, and for this reason we wish to keep a supply on hand. R. & M. A. PATTERSON.

The above is one of the hundreds of similar communications which the proprietors of this medicine are daily receiving. Where it has been introduced, it has become the most popular remedy in use.

For sale by J. KIDD & CO., No. 69, corner of Fourth and Wood st., Pittsburgh. mr23-d&w1wS

MARRIED,

On Thursday, the 21st inst., by Rev. Francis Herron, D. D., Mr. Allen B. McQuewan, to Miss Mary Glenn, both of Pittsburgh. mr23-1t*

BOARDING.

PLEASANT ROOMS, in a pleasant part of the city, convenient to business, suitable for a married lady and gentleman, from April 1st. Also, boarding for a few young gentlemen. Enquire at this office.
mr22-tf

BACON—Hams and Shoulders—7000 lbs for sale by
mr23 S F VON BONNHORST & CO

CLEAR SIDES—3000 lbs for sale by
mr23 S F VON BONNHORST & CO

VENISON HAMS—1000 lbs for sale by
mr23 S F VON BONNHORST & CO

TOBACCO—60 pkgs, various brands, for sale by
mr23 S F VON BONNHORST & CO

SPTS. TURPENTINE—10 bbls in prime order, just rec'd and for sale by
B A FAHNESTOCK & CO,
mr23. corner First and Wood sts

WANTED—Beeswax at market price, by
mr23 B A FAHNESTOCK & CO

SUNDRIES—200 lbs Nutmegs;
5 bbls Camphor;
8 bbls Winter Lard Oil;
20 doz S P Townsend's Sarsaparilla;
30 oz Sulphate Morphine; for sale by
mr23 J KIDD & CO, 60 Wood st

SUGAR—62 hhds N O, just rec'd and for sale by
mr23 C H GRANT

THE SUBSCRIBERS, having the Agency for selling the Printing Paper of a long established and extensive Mill, in this vicinity, will be at all times well supplied with the different sizes of Paper, of superior quality, which we offer at the lowest regular prices.

Any size or quality will be manufactured to order at short notice. A H ENGLISH & CO,
(Successors of Elliott & English,)
mr23 No 79 Wood street

MOUSE DE LAINES.

MURPHY & BURCHFIELD have just opened a supply of new and neat styles Printed Mouse de Laine. Also—Berage De Laines for Ladies dresses.
mr22

MOURNING HANDKERCHIEFS—Murphy & Burchfield have rec'd a supply of new styles L. Cambric Hdkfs, for Ladies in mourning. mr22

BUTTER & EGGS—4 bbls prime R. Butter, in cloths;
13 " Eggs; just rec'd per s'r Messenger, and for sale by
mr23 WM BAGALEY & CO

INDIGO—10 ceroons S F, in store and for sale by
mr23 WM BAGALEY & CO

MADDER—5 casks No 1, in store and for sale by
mr23 WM BAGALEY & CO

BULK PORK—1,100 lbs ass'd, for sale by
mr23 WM BAGALEY & CO

DEER SKINS—3 bdls just rec'd and for sale by
mr23 A CULBERTSON, 145 Liberty st

BATTING—30 bales No 1, in store and for sale by
mr23 A CULBERTSON

CANDLE WICK—10 bales on hand and for sale by
mr23 A CULBERTSON

CHOCOLATE—10 boxes No 1 Norfolk co, just rec'd and for sale by [mr23] A CULBERTSON

PEPPER—24 boxes Ground, in store and for sale by
mr23 A CULBERTSON

California India Rubber Goods.

JUST received the following articles:—
24 Isthmus Bags, for packing;
24 Pea Coats, a splendid article;
12 Capes or Cloaks; 24 Traveling Bags;
12 pairs Pants; 24 Camp Blankets;
12 " Mining Boots; 60 Canteens;
40 Haversacks; Air Beds, Pillows, Life Preservers, &c., at the India Rubber Depot, No 5 Wood st.
mr23 J & H PHILLIPS

INDIA RUBBER DOLLS—72 Doll Busts, just rec'd and for sale at the India Rubber Depot, No 5 Wood street. [mr23] J & H PHILLIPS

AIR BALLS—25 doz ass'd sizes, of H B Goodyear's make, just rec'd and for sale at the India Rubber Depot, No 5 Wood st.
mr23 J & H PHILLIPS

NEW ARTICLE—2 doz Foot Balls, a beautiful article, just what is wanted for the exercise of the limbs, for sale at the Rubber Depot, No 5 Wood st.
mr23 J & H PHILLIPS

To Let,

A BRICK BUILDING, 25 by 50 feet, three stories high, with Engine, &c; located in Birmingham, immediately below the Ferry. Enquire of
BOLLMANS & GARRISON,
mr23-tf Pittsburgh Foundry

WILLIAM DIGBY

BEGS leave to inform his friends and customers that he is just receiving his new spring stock of Goods, comprising, as usual, all the newest and most fashionable styles of Cloths, Cassimeres, fancy Vestings, cotton and linen summer stuffs, and every article suitable for gentlemen's wear for spring and summer. It being impossible to describe the beauty, quality, or quantity of the stock, the proprietor hopes all who are in want of good, cheap, fashionable, and well made clothes, will give him a call, as there is no stock this side of the Alleghenies that can compare with it.

The ready made department is very extensive, adapted to all tastes.

Rail road contractors, country merchants, and all who purchase largely, are particularly invited to examine the stock before purchasing, as particular attention is paid to the wholesale business in this establishment.

Every article in the tailoring line made to order in the most fashionable and best manner, at the shortest notice. mr22

LAND FOR SALE

In Peebles Township, Allegheny County.

FROM TEN TO TWENTY ACRES OF LAND, within half a mile of the village of East Liberty, and five from the city of Pittsburgh. The situation is pleasant and healthy. Gentlemen wishing to purchase a pleasant country situation, should view the premises.

For terms, apply to Edward Joyce, East Liberty, or
mr23-w3t*S CASPER NEGLEY.

Thirty Building Lots, Seat for Steam Saw Mill, and valuable site for Iron Works, at Auction.

On Tuesday morning, March 26th, at 10 o'clock, will be sold on the premises, near Herr's Island, in the borough of Duquesne—30 valuable Building Lots, of various sizes, having a front on the Pennsylvania Canal and Butler Turnpike Road.

Also—A very valuable seat for Steam Saw Mill, and a desirable situation for Iron Works.

A plan of which may be seen at the Auction Rooms, and the property shewn, by calling on Mr. Henry Herr, who resides on a part of the property. Terms at sale. [mr23] JOHN D DAVIS, Auct

TUBS AND CHURNS.

PINE AND CEDAR WARE MANUFACTORY.
No. 87, corner Market and Fifth—or 69 Market, tween Third and Fourth sts.

THE subscriber keeps constantly on hand, wholesale and retail, the following articles, viz:

Wash Tubs,	Staff Churns,
Meat Tubs,	Barrel Churns,
Bath Tubs,	Half Bushels,
Wooden Bowls,	Pecks and Half Pecks,
Wash Boards,	Brass Bound Buckets,
Clothes Pins,	Towel Rollers,
Wooden Ladles,	Bread Rollers,
Clothes Baskets,	Market Baskets, &c., &c.

SAMUEL KROESEN,
mar 23 No 63 Diamond alley, Pittsburgh

BLACK SILK LACES.

A. A. MASON & CO., 60 Market street, are now opening another large invoice of Black Silk Laces, of all widths, comprising the best, and most varied assortment ever offered in this city. mr22

EMBROIDERIES—5 cartons French Wro't Capes; 5 do do do Collars; 2 do do do Cuffs; 2 do Muslin Application Capes and Collars; 2 do Mourning Collars; 1 do do Cuffs. Also—A large variety of all kinds of French Embroideries and Laces, received and now opening at A A MASON & CO,
mr22 Market street

NEW BOOKS.

ANNUALS of the Queen of Spain; 1 vol, bound in cloth.
Headley's Miscellanies; 1 vol, bound in cloth;
Cosmos: a description of the Universe, by Humboldt; 2 vols, bound in cloth;
Gray's Natural Philosophy; 1 vol, cloth;
Travels in Minnesota; do do;
Life and Writings of Dr. Chalmers; 3 vols, cloth;
Comb's Physiology of Digestion; 1 vol;
Abbott's William the Conqueror; 1 vol;
The Wilmingtons: a novel by the author of Norman's Bridge, &c.
Constance Lindsay, or the Progress of Error, by the author of the Curate of Linwood, &c.
Hands, not Hearts: a novel by Janet W. Wilkinson;
The History of Pendennis, Nos 1, 2, 3, and 4.
Received and for sale by
JOHNSTON & STOCKTON,
mr22 corner Market and Third sts

McCURDY'S Furniture Warehouse,

Adjoining the Pittsburgh Bank, on Third street.

THOSE persons who desire to save from twenty five to thirty per cent. in purchasing Furniture, are respectfully invited to call at my warehouse, where will be found a large and well selected stock of the most approved style of workmanship, both modern and ancient, and calculated to please the taste of all those who desire either elegant or substantial Furniture. Having determined to dispose of my present entire stock, at very reduced prices, I feel confident that those who desire any article in my line, will not fail of being suited.
mr22-tf A. McCURDY.

PARED PEACHES—20 bu just rec'd and for sale by
mr22 S & W HARBAUGH

WINDOW GLASS—200 bxs 8x10;
150 bxs 10x12; rec'd and for sale by [mr22] S & W HARBAUGH

RICE—10 tres in store and for sale by
mr22 S & W HARBAUGH

SUGAR—20 hhds N O Sugar, in store and for sale by
mr22 S & W HARBAUGH

MOLASSES—23 bbls N O, just rec'd and for sale by
mr22 S & W HARBAUGH

LARD—200 bbls and tcs rec'd per steamer J Q Adams, and for sale by
mr22 S & W HARBAUGH

COPPERAS—20 bbls rec'd and for sale by
mr22 WICK & McCANDLESS

GOLDEN SYRUP—10 bbls landing from steamer Clipper No 2, for sale by
mr22 JAMES DALZELL

TANNERS' OIL—50 bbls for sale by
mr22 JAMES DALZELL

FEATHERS—2000 lbs prime, for sale by
mr22 JAMES DALZELL

SALT—$1,25 per Barrel.

THE subscribers, having been appointed agents for the sale of Salt, by several of the very best manufacturers, have now on hand and will continue to keep a constant supply.

Orders left at our warehouse, or with Peter Peterson, will be promptly filled at all times.

Just received, a large lot of L. Peterson's brand.
JOHN McFADEN & CO, Penn st,
mr22 Canal Basin, Pittsburgh.

CALIFORNIA BLANKETS—100 pairs very heavy Blankets, manufactured expressly for the California trade. For sale by
HERSEY, FLEMING & CO,
mr22-4w 127 Wood street

BEANS—50 bu White, for sale by
mr22 J D WILLIAMS & CO

FIRE KINDLING—150 packs Cheevers', for sale by
mr22 J D WILLIAMS & CO

HAMS—6 tcs Family, for sale by
mr22 J D WILLIAMS & CO

SODA ASH—A few casks just rec'd and for sale by
mr22 JOHN McFADEN & CO

SAMUEL McKELVY,

MANUFACTURER OF CAST STEEL, and No. 1 and No. 2 American Blister Steel. Also—Best Cast Steel Files, of all sizes; and Blacksmith and Shoe Rasps, always on hand and for sale, either at his "Eagle Steel Works," O'Hara street, Fifth Ward, or at the office in the Iron Store of BOLLMANS & GARRISON, No 4, foot of Wood street, Pittsburgh.
mr22-d1m

CIRCULAR.

We, the undersigned, having used, with entire satisfaction, the Cast Steel and Files made by Samuel McKelvy, at his Eagle Steel Works, in this city, take pleasure in recommending them as equal in quality to any ever used by us, of foreign manufacture.

Pittsburgh, March 13, 1850.

G & J H SHOENBERGER & CO,
Manufacturers of Iron and Nails, Pittsburgh, Pa.
KNAPP & TOTTEN,
Iron Founders and Machinists, Pittsburgh, Pa.
COLEMAN, HAILMAN & CO,
Manufacturers of Springs, Axles, Spring Steel and Rivets, Pittsburgh, Pa.
F & W M FABER,
Engine Builders and Machine Card Manufacturers, Pittsburgh, Pa.
A FULTON,
Brass Founder, Pittsburgh, Pa.
GRAFF, LINDSAY & CO,
Manufacturers of Iron and Nails, Pittsburgh, Pa.
JOSEPH TOMLINSON,
Locomotive Engine and Ship Builder, Pittsburgh, Pa.
W W WALLACE,
Marble Manufacturer, Machine and Engine Builder, Pittsburgh, Pa
mr22

GEORGE E. ARNOLD & CO.,

DEALERS IN

EXCHANGE, COIN, BANK NOTES, &c.,

No. 74 Fourth street, next door to the Bank of Pittsburgh. mr21-1m

A CARD.

GEORGE E. ARNOLD & CO. have opened an Exchange Office, No. 74 Fourth street, next door to the Bank of Pittsburgh, and are prepared to transact, on reasonable terms, any business in their line that may be entrusted to them.

Exchange, Coin, Bank Notes, &c., bought and sold. Collections made in all the principal cities and towns in the United States.

Deposites received in par funds and currency.

They respectfully solicit a share of the custom of the business community mr21-1m

AMERICAN GOLD.

The new Coins, Double Eagles and Gold Dollars,

FOR SALE AT THE

EXCHANGE AND BANKING HOUSE

OF

A. WILKINS & CO.,

S. E CORNER OF MARKET & THIRD STREETS,

Pittsburgh. mr21

FRESH SILKS.

ALEXANDER & DAY, corner of the Diamond and Market street, are prepared to offer, at the lowest market prices, a choice assortment of Silks, of the best qualities and newest styles. Best black glossy Gro de Rhine, of a celebrated manufacturer, warranted not to cut in wearing. Black Brocade fig'd Silks, very rich. Rich fig'd Silks and Satin De Chenes, in choice colors; Chameleon, Gro de Rhines; Satin de Chenes, and Ture Satins.
ALEXANDER & DAY, 85 Market st,
mr21 Northwest corner of the Diamond

FANCY DRESS GOODS.

A LARGE supply of new style De Laines, Bareges, Lawns, Linen Lustres, &c.
Bonnet Ribbons—A large supply of Bonnets & Bonnet Ribbons, just received.
ALEXANDER & DAY, 85 Market st,
mr21 Northwest corner of the Diamond

For Rent,

THE Dwelling House, corner of Pride and Bluff sts, Eighth Ward, now occupied by myself. Possession given at any time.

This is one of the most pleasant residences about the city; it is surrounded by a fine yard and garden; is free from the smoky atmosphere of the city below it, and is only fifteen minutes walk from the centre of business. JAMES W. BUCHANAN,
mr21-tf corner Wood and Fourth sts

To Let,

A STORE on Wood street, one door from Second, at present occupied by George S. Anshutz. Enquire on the premises. mr21-6t

SUGAR—16 hhds just rec'd per steamer Farmer, for sale by [mr21] J B CANFIELD

ROLL BUTTER—6 bbls fresh, just rec'd and for sale by [mr21] J B CANFIELD

SODA ASH—73 casks Muspratt's best quality and high test, just landing from steamer Jefferson, and for sale by W & M MITCHELTREE,
mr21 160 Liberty street

COPPERAS—15 bbls in good order, for sale by
mr21 J SCHOONMAKER & CO

GERMAN CLAY—30 tons for sale by
mr21 J SCHOONMAKER & CO

LINSEED OIL—10 bbls for sale by
mr21 J SCHOONMAKER & CO

JOHN DURAND & CO'S BRANDY, in half pipes and quarter casks, a choice assortment and a pure article, of various vintages, part very old, received from Bordeaux via New Orleans, for sale by
mr21 A CULBERTSON, 145 Liberty st

CLARET WINE—100 boxes, choice brands: and also an assortment of Champagne and White Wines, just rec'd per steamer Diadem, and for sale by
mr21 A CULBERTSON, 145 Liberty st

TIN PLATE—60 boxes Tin Plate, receiving from steamer De Witt Clinton, and for sale by
mr21 JAMES DALZELL

DISSOLUTION.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between Elliott & English, in the Book and Paper Business, was dissolved on the 11th inst., by mutual consent. The business will be continued at the old stand, No. 79 Wood street, under the firm of "A. H. English & Co.," by whom the business of the former partnership will be settled. SAMUEL ELLIOTT,
mr21 A H. ENGLISH.

For Sale,

A LOT OF GROUND situate in Wilkins township, near the Pittsburgh and Greensburgh turnpike road, and fronting on the Braddock's Field road—containing SIX ACRES, more or less.

For terms, &c., apply to Alexander K. Miller, Fourth street; or to the subscriber, near the premises.
mr20 3t ABRAHAM HORBACH, Jr.

BAGS—10 doz Tow;
10 do Cotton; in store and for sale by
mr20 J & R FLOYD

SOCKS—100 doz (Country) on hand and for sale by
mr20 J & R FLOYD

VENISON HAMS—3 casks rec'd per steamer Ben West, for sale by
mr19 WM BAGALEY & CO

LARD—5 bbls and 15 kegs in store and for sale by
mr19 WM BAGALEY & CO

MOLASSES—25 bbls S H, just rec'd and for sale by
mr19 WM BAGALEY & CO

Allegheny County, ss:

THE Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, to all persons interested in the Estate of Christian I. and Ann Almira Wendt, minors under the age of fourteen years, greeting:

Whereas, At an Orphans' Court, held at Pittsburgh, on the 18th day of March, 1850, in and for said county, the petition of Robert Duncan, guardian, &c., was presented to the Court, praying for an order to make sale of a certain described lot of ground, situate in the city of Pittsburgh, &c, for the maintenance and education of said minors. Now, therefore, we command you, and each of you, that in your proper persons you be and appear before our Orphans' Court, at Pittsburgh, on the 30th day of March, 1850, then and there to shew cause, if any you or either of you have, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and hereof fail not.

Witness the Hon. W. B. McClure, President of our said Court at Pittsburgh, this 18th day of March, A. D. 1850. DANIEL McCURDY, Clerk.
mr21-d3t

Chambers' Educational Course.

THE SCIENTIFIC SECTION.—The Messrs. Chambers have employed the first Professors in Scotland, in the preparation of these works. They are now offered to the Schools of the United States, under the American revision of D. M. Reese, M. D., L. L. D., late Superintendant of Public Schools, in the City and County of New York.

I. Chambers' Treasury of Knowledge;
II. Clark's Drawing and Perspective;
III. Chambers' Elements of Natural Philosophy;
IV. Reid & Bain's Chemistry and Electricity;
V. Hamilton's Vegetable and Animal Physiology;
VI. Chambers' Elements of Zoology, with plates;
VII. Page's Elements of Geology, illustrated.

It is well known that the original publishers of these works (the Messrs. Chambers, of Edinburgh) are able to command the best talents in the preparation of their books, and that it is their practice to deal faithfully with the public. This series will not disappoint the reasonable expectations thus excited. They are elementary works, prepared by authors in every way capable of doing justice to their respective undertakings, and who have evidently bestowed upon them the necessary time and labor to adapt them to their purpose. We recommend them to teachers and parents with confidence. The first named volume, in the hands of a teacher of the younger classes, might furnish an inexhaustible fund of amusement and instruction. Together, they would constitute a rich treasure to a family of intelligent children, and impart a thirst for knowledge.—[Vermont Chronicle.

Published by A. S. Barnes & Co., New York; and for sale by A. H. ENGLISH & CO.
mr20 No 79 Wood st

AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE!

Lessee and Manager..............C. S. PORTER.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:
Dress Circle and Parquette..........50 cents.
Second and Third Tiers..............25 "
Gallery (for colored persons)........25 "
Doors open at 7; Curtain will rise at 7½ o'clock.

☞ Third night of M'lle BLANGY, Mons. DURAND, and Mons. SZOLLOSEY.

On Saturday, March 23, will be presented
THE CHAIN OF GUILT.

☞ After the Drama—Irish Song, "Bould Soger Boy," by Mr. Lubey.

To conclude with a Ballet called
THE TWO LOVERS.
Colon.............................Mons. Durand.
Peperneck.........................Mons. Szollosey.
Lisette...............................M'lle Blangy.

☞ During the Ballet, a number of Dances, by M'lle Blangy, Mons. Durand, and Mons. Szollosey.

☞ Monday—Benefit of M'lle BLANGY.

AUCTION SALES.

By John D. Davis, Auctioneer.

Bargains! Bargains! Bargains!

Sale of the Furniture of a Private Family.

THE Rev. Mr. Teasdale, being about to remove to a distant city, proposes to sell, at auction, at his residence on Wylie street, a few doors above Chatham street, on Monday, the 25th inst., at 2 o'clock, P. M., all his Household Furniture, consisting of several beds and bedding; centre, breakfast, dining and kitchen tables; fancy, common and rocking chairs; mahogany bureaus; ottomans and foot stools; mahogany and common work stands; wash stands; 2 clocks; writing desk; parlor, hall, stairs, and kitchen carpeting; a general assortment of crockery; and all the kitchen utensils. Also, a Canary Bird, one of the sweetest of singers; one saddle and bridle, nearly new; one buffalo robe, &c., &c.

mr23 JOHN D DAVIS, Auct

Boots, Shoes, Palm Leaf and Silk Hats, Cloth and Plush Caps, &c., at Auction.

On Saturday morning, 23rd inst., at 10 o'clock, at the Commercial Sales Rooms, corner of Wood and Fifth streets, will be sold—
50 cases Boots and Shoes;
2 do Palm Leaf Hats;
6 do Men's Silk do;
5 do Cloth, Plush, &c, Caps;

Comprising super city made calf boots; extra fine kip welt boots; seal, grain and thick do; men's and boys' super calf and morocco bootees; men's and boys' fine lined and bound brogans; ladies' morocco, calf, and goat boots; do polka boots; Jeffersons and walking shoes, do goat, morocco, kid, sewed and pegged slippers, &c.

mr22 JOHN D DAVIS, Auct

Books at Auction.

On Saturday evening, March 23rd, at 7 o'clock, at the Commercial Sales Rooms, corner of Wood and Fifth streets, will be sold—

A large collection of valuable theological, historical, poetical, classical and miscellaneous books, embracing fine library editions of standard works.

Also, a quantity of choice theological and miscellaneous second hand books, from the library of a clergyman about to remove from the city. Family and pocket Bibles, blank books, letter and cap writing paper. [mr22] JOHN D DAVIS, Auct

Furniture, Fine Piano Forte, &c., at Auction.

On Monday morning, 25th inst., at 10 o'clock, at the residence of George Upfold, D. D., on Prospect Hill, near Fulton street, will be sold—

1 splendid mahogany case Piano Forte, made by Blume, a superior instrument, in fine order;

Fine cherry Wardrobe Bureau, mahogany bureaus, fine cherry book cases, mahogany table, high and low post cherry bedsteads, hair mattrasses, enclosed and common wash stands, sette and cushion, study chairs and table, fine astral lamps, britannia study and chamber lamps, venitian blinds, fancy and common chairs, ingrain carpets, cherry dining tables, queensware, glassware, kitchen utensils, canton matting, &c.

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150 hhds prime N O Sugar;
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10 12lbs bxs Y H do;
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10 6lbs do Gunpowder do;
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70 do 7x9;
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mr20 J & R FLOYD

BATTING—25 bales No 1;
25 do No 2; on hand and for sale by
mr20 J & R FLOYD

ROCK POWDER—70 kegs (in store and magazine) for sale by [mr20] J & R FLOYD

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27 doz Tow and Flax Yarn; for sale by [mr19] RHEY, MATTHEWS & CO

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1 do Hog Round;
1 do Hams;
18 bbls No 1 Lard;
6 do Grease; to arrive on the steamer Caledonia, for sale by
mr19 ISAIAH DICKEY & CO, Front st

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mr19 HARDY, JONES & CO

TOBACCO—8 bbls Smoking, for sale by
mr19 HARDY, JONES & CO

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mr19 No 69 Wood st

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mr19 C ARBUTHNOT

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mr19 WICK & McCANDLESS

BEANS—13 sacks rec'd and for sale by
mr19 WICK & McCANDLESS

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mr19 WICK & McCANDLESS

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162 hhds prime N O Sugar;
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12 tierces Rice, landing from steamer Amazonia, and for sale by W & M MITCHELTREE,
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One of the boats will positively leave Pittsburgh on every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, and FRIDAY EVENING, at 6 o'clock—full or not full.

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Only 73 Miles Staging.

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AMAZONIA,
McBride, Master, will leave for the above and all intermediate ports on this day the 21st inst, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

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FOR LOUISVILLE.

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FOR NASHVILLE.

The splendid fast passenger packet
LOYAL HANNA,
Kinney, master, will leave for the above and all intermediate ports on this day, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

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FOR LOUISVILLE.

The fine new and staunch steamer
NAVIGATOR,
Wm. Dean, master, will leave for the above and intermediate ports, on this day, the 20th inst., at 10 o'clock, A. M.

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FOR CINCINNATI.

The splendid steamer
MONONGAHELA,
Capt. D. Stone, will leave for above and intermediate ports, Wednesday, 20th inst, at 10 o'clock, A. M., in place of the New England No. 2.

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THE subscriber has just received a new and beautiful instrument called "Melodeon Piano," from the factory of Murch & White, Cincinnati. It has the elegance of exterior of a Piano Forte, and is possessed of a tone at once sweet and powerful. Its great advantage, however, consists in the rapidity of its enunciation, which enables the performer to execute upon it the most brilliant piano music. Altogether, it may be called the best reed instrument ever invented. Call and examine.

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CANDLES—40 bxs mould, dipped, and sperm;
CHEESE—150 bxs Cream and English Dairy;
CORDS—20 doz Hemp and Manilla;
CASSIA—50 Matts;
CLOVES—1 barrel;
CIGARS—50 M Common and half Spanish;
FISH—25 brls and half brls Mackerel and Salmon;
GLASS—50 bxs assorted sizes;
HAMS—1200 Prime Venison;
" 1000 Sugar Cured;
INDIGO—100 lbs S F and Manilla;
INK—16 doz Harrisons Black and Copying;
MOLASSES—23 brls N Orleans;
" 15 half brls Sugar House;
MUSTARD—20 doz assorted canisters;
MACCARONI—50 lbs Italian;
VERMACILLI—50 lbs do
NAILS—200 kegs assorted;
PICKLES—5 doz jars assorted;
PEACHES—20 bushels halves;
PAPER—50 reams assorted;
PRUNES—100 lbs Bordeaux;
SOAP—50 bxs Rosin and Cast Steel;
SUGAR—10 hhds N Orleans and Clarified;
TEA—60 packages Green and Black;
TOBACCO—20 bxs 16, 8, & 1 lb lump;
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