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WHIG STATE CONVENTION.

At a meeting of the Whig State Central Committee, held at Harrisburg, March 15, 1850, it was

RESOLVED, That the Whigs of the several counties of this State be requested to select a number of delegates equal to their respective representatives in the Legislature; the said delegates to meet in Convention at the city of Philadelphia, on the 19th day of June, 1850, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Canal Commissioner, to be voted for at the ensuing General Election.

MORTON McMICHAEL, Chairman.
GEORGE H HART, Secretary.

☞SEE NEXT PAGE FOR LOCAL MATTERS TELEGRAPHIC NEWS, &c.

COUNTY SURVEYOR.—A correspondent suggests the name of WM. WEST, of Allegheny, as a candidate for County Surveyor. As this is the only name we have heard mentioned for the office, we take the liberty of saying that we understand, from good authority, that Mr. West is a very estimable man, and well qualified for the office.

THE CUBA DIFFICULTY.—We quite took the town by surprise yesterday, with an extra, giving the important news from Washington, in relation to the difficulties with the Captain General of Cuba, which will be found in another column, and which was telegraphed from Washington expressly for this paper.

The news itself is startling and highly important; and further intelligence will be looked for with intense interest. We hope those who have hitherto charged our Government with indifference to our honor and interests, will now be satisfied that the dignity of the country, and the rights of its citizens will never suffer in the hands of the Whig administration.

The Locofoco Nominations.

The Democratic State Convention met last week in Williamsport, and put in nomination the following ticket:

WM. T. MORRISON, of Montgomery, for Canal Commissioner.

EPHRAIM BANKS, of Mifflin, for Auditor General.

J. Porter Brawley, of Crawford, for Surveyor General.

In announcing the ticket, the *Post*, of this city, has the following remarks:

"We have no personal knowledge of the character and qualifications of Mr. Morrison; but the fact that he has enjoyed the confidence of the intelligent and radical Democracy of Montgomery county, and the additional fact that he has been selected as our standard bearer, by the great Democratic party of Pennsylvania, is condemnation enough for us. We therefore raise the name of William T. Morrison to our mast head, where it shall remain until he is triumphantly elected in October.

Gen. Ephraim Banks, of Mifflin, the nominee for Auditor General; and J. Porter Brawley, of Crawford, the nominee for Surveyor General, are old and consistent Democrats. They shall have our unqualified support."

Those who are acquainted with the enthusiastic, not to say extravagant, manner with which the *Post* generally speaks of its party candidates, will consider this rather a cold reception. The fact is, the Convention has nominated a most miserable ticket, and the party is dissatisfied and chagrined, as it has good reason to be. As the Post is wholly unacquainted with the qualifications of its candidate for Canal Commissioner, we will try and enlighten him. Mr. Morrison was a member of the late Legislature, and a member of the important committee on Banks. This was a position of considerable importance, and ought to bring a man out, if there was any thing in him. But we are informed he proved himself a mere cypher, without a single idea, a weak and uninformed man, with no energy or force of character, and no confidence in his own judgment. Such a man is wholly unfit for the highly responsible office of Canal Commissioner. There is no office in the State which requires more decision of character, more ready and sound judgment, and more firmness and confidence in his own ability. One of the opposite characteristics must be a tool in the hands of designing men. If the people of Pennsylvania have any respect for themselves and any regard for the welfare of the State, they will not place a man so wholly incompetent, in so highly responsible an office.

The next man on the ticket is EPHRAIM BANKS, for Auditor General. This is a most important position, as, under a corrupt or incompetent man, the finances of the State might be seriously embarrassed or embezzled. Mr. Banks is, we believe a respectable man, but unfit for the office. He was spoken of for Judge in Judge Woodward's place, some years ago, when the whole bar of the District talked of emigrating, so outraged were they at the idea. Ought a man unfit be placed in so important a station, where he will have to pass upon claims for millions of dollars annually?

J. PORTER BROWLEY, the candidate for Surveyor General, is a person of not much importance, we believe, but hardly as low as our Democratic friends have estimated it, as is indicated by their selection. Of this man we shall say nothing at present, except to express our gratitude to the Convention that they did not place him in a higher position. If the Post says any thing in his favor, we may notice him again.

Such is the ticket the Locofoco Convention has deemed fit for the suffrages of the people of Pennsylvania—a ticket which no party, in no other State of the Union, would have dared to have presented to the people. If the Whigs take up good men they will certainly sweep the State, if there is any self respect and regard for the public welfare left.

"GREENWOOD LEAVES: a collection of Sketches and Letters. By Grace Greenwood. Second edition. Boston, Ticknor, Reed, and Fields."

We are indebted to the talented author of this charming work for a copy, for which she has our thanks, as there are none of the fugitive pieces of the day, to be found in our periodicals, which we read with more delight than here. In fact, it has become a habit with us to read every article bearing her signature. The work is most beautifully printed and bound, and will doubtless soon find its way into the hands of all those who admire native worth and genius. We presume it is for sale at some of our bookstores.

Letters from Matanzas state that all its inhabitants, on the news of the invasion at Cardenas, with one accord, tendered assistance to the Government. Arms were given them by the authorities, but the precipitate flight of the invaders made their employment unnecessary.

According to a letter from Cardenas, the expedition carried off with it a large amount of money, taken from the public treasury in that city.

An American at Havana writes that he saw 160 of the captured invaders marched into the prison of Moro Castle.

Miss Fenimore Cooper.—A new book is announced soon to be published in London, entitled "Rural Hours in the United States," by Miss Fenimore Cooper, daughter of the novelist.

The application of Mrs. T. B. Lawrence, formerly of Boston, for a divorce from her husband, on the ground of harsh and improper treatment, is now pending before the Court at Louisville.—The jury have rendered a verdict for the applicant, but the decree of divorce has not yet been declared.

Austria, according to the settlement made at St. Petersburgh, is to pay Russia for her intervention in Hungary, 3,700,000 silver roubles, or about $3,000,000. Seven hundred thousand roubles are to be paid in salt, and the remainder in three equal annual instalments, with five per cent interest.

COL. FREMONT.—We understand that the Geographical Society of London have voted a gold medal to Col. Fremont for having made, during the past year, the most valuable discoveries in Geography, of any known person. It is usual, we understand, for this society to give a medal every year to the person having made the most valuable discovery in Geographical science.

TENNESSEE.—A meeting was lately held in Clarksburg, Tennessee, over which Hon. Cave Johnston, late Postmaster General, presided, at which resolutions were passed in favor of the Compromise resolutions of the Committee of thirteen, and expressing the most unalterable attachment to the Union.

The Philadelphia North American announces the opening of a further section of the Central Railroad, as follows:

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.—It will be seen by reference to the advertisement, that this improvement will be opened to Huntingdon on the 10th inst., for trade and passenger travel. By this extension of the road, passengers who leave this city at 8 o'clock in the morning, will arrive at Hunting-don early in the evening, and, after a night's rest on the packet boat, will cross the Portage Railroad by daylight, take the packet boat at Johnstown, and arrive at Pittsburgh by the middle of the following day, with infinitely less fatigue than is now necessarily incurred, and without loss of sleep.

PITTSBURGH, JUNE 4TH, 1850.

Editor Gazette, Dear Sir:—Allow me to offer a remark or two on the brilliant concert given by Signora Biscaccianti and company last evening. Seldom have we of the West enjoyed such a musical treat—the magnificent singing of the fair contatrice herself, the splendid performances of Mons. Simon and Signor Biscaccianti, and the fine accompaniments of Madam Simon. The house was a good one—a most brilliant and select audience testified their musical appreciation, and the generous enthusiasm of their hearts, by frequent and prolonged applause.

The young Prima Donna was in fine voice, and looking "beautiful exceedingly."

And here may I be allowed to say, what after an acquaintance of three years I may *well* say, to all who are interested in the singer, that she is, in the private relations of life, as loveable and estimable, as she is captivating to the public and admirable as an artist. None can know the woman intimately without loving her, and to her friends there would be a heaven of melody in her voice, even were she far less great and brilliant as a singer.

On the evening of the 5th, this fine company will give their farewell concert. Then, let all the music-lovers of Pittsburgh—and this I am aware, comprehends a large class—go to hear for the last time for some years, the enchanting voice of Biscaccianti! Every body should be there to hear her in "*Casta Diva*"—let all her friends be there to cheer her warm heart at parting,—and may God bless her wherever she goes! Truly yours,

GRACE GREENWOOD.

Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette.

Descriptive—United States Senate.

WASHINGTON, June 1, 1850.

MR. EDITOR—Your regular correspondent in this city, keeps your readers so well informed as to political matters, that there is no occasion for me to dwell upon them. If a person does not wish to become sick and disgusted with politics, he had better not come to this city. The last thing that seems to be thought of, is the good of the country. Personal and party interests engross the time and attention of the great mass of the members of Congress. Should they treat each other as they treat their common country, they would be denounced and driven from decent society. But I will not dwell upon this sad picture. Perhaps I may amuse some of your readers by giving a kind of running description of some of the principal characters in Congress—and first let us visit the Senate.

On entering the Chamber, the presiding officer, Vice President Fillmore at once attracts attention. He is a large, noble looking man, with grey hair and fresh complexion. His manners are easy and dignified, his voice firm, and his whole bearing is such as to command the respect and confidence of all parties. He is withal a man of pure character and blameless life. To the extreme left of the Chair sit Henry Clay. He is now more than ever "the observed of all observers."

It is amusing to hear strangers as they enter the Senate Gallery, inquire, which is Mr. Clay? He is the first man they wish to see. After looking at him for a time in silence, they begin to make remarks about his appearance; what they think of him, &c. All seem to feel the most unbounded admiration for the man. He is a good deal changed in appearance from what he was a few years since. His hair is quite grey and thin—his form somewhat bowed with years, and the painful impression is made that he must soon pass away. When he rises to speak, every eye is turned towards him—papers, letters, and pens are dropped, and each Senator assumes a listening and attentive posture. As he proceeds his head begins to move, his hands to waive, his form becomes erect, and the rich tones of his melodious voice fall with enchanting power upon the auditory. It is perfectly wonderful to witness the versality of his powers. He can be logical, grave, humorous, fanciful—he can soar aloft and roam at large over the fields of imagination, or he can come down to the every day life, the common sense of the most practical man. He can indulge the fancy, or grapple with figures and facts; and in each and every place show himself a master.—Truly he is a most wonderful man. He is, unquestionably, personally the most popular man in the Senate, as well as in the country.

By his side sits Mr. Seward. He is a slender man, with a large head and pleasant countenance. He sits quietly and speaks but seldom. But he is a man of mark, and when he speaks he is listened to with great attention. His views upon Slavery are such as to array most of the South ern Senators against him. At times they indulge in the most bitter and personal abuse, but he pays little or no attention to it. He is respected, feared, and hated.

A little to the left of Mr. Clay, is the seat of Judge Berrien. He is a plain benevolent looking person. As a debater he stands very high, and his great personal worth secures the confidence of Senators, and gives him a commanding influence. He takes rather ultra ground upon the Slavery question.

Near Mr. Berrien sits "honest John Davis."—His hair has become perfectly white, which gives him a patriarchal appearance. He is greatly respected, though he seldom speaks now.

In front of Judge Berrien is to be seen the distinguished Senator of Ohio, Mr. Corwin. He is a man of good size, fair proportions, and has become quite portly. For some reason or other, he takes no part in the exciting debates that are going on. If he would but open his mouth, there would be no lack of listeners, for as an orator he is unrivaled. It is hoped he will break silence before long.

In the neighborhood of Mr. Corwin is Mr. Hale. He is a large, fine looking man, and bears the mark of great good nature. Though his views are greatly abhorred, yet he never speaks without commanding the attention of Senators. In a skirmishing debate he is equal to any man in the Senate. He speaks with ease, and abounds in witticisms. At one moment he will lash Senators into a storm of passion, and the next convulse them with laughter. I was amused the other day, while listening to him, to see the excitement which was produced. Some Senators left their seats, and paced the chamber. Judge Butler sat in his seat but trembled like a leaf from head to foot. It was really painful to look at him; but when he seemed ready to burst with rage, and expressions of anger were heard all over the Senate, Mr. Hale gave a playful and witty turn to his remarks and set the House in a roar of laughter. This power, which he possesses in an eminent degree, enables him to keep on the best possible terms with the Senators.

On the same side of the Senate sits the great Senator of Massachusetts, Daniel Webster. His broad expansive forhead, black steady eyes, mark him as an intellectual giant. He takes but little part in debate, except when great questions are brought forward. For the most part he sits quietly and calmly listening to what others have to say. Occasionally he walks across the chamber. His motions are slow, and steps measured. In manner he is cold and distant—no person takes any liberties with him, but all treat him with the most profound deference. He is not popular in the same sense that Mr. Clay is, yet every body is proud of him as a fellow citizen and countryman.

On the same side of the Chamber with Mr. Webster, is Mr. Badger, of North Caroline. He is a man of common size, quite bald and of active habits. Besides being an able lawyer and statesman, he is quite a Theologian. He has felt it necessary to oppose the views of Bishop Ives, and has shown no little learning and skill in his opposition.

Near Mr. Badger sits Truman Smith, an old codger looking man. Most of the time he is walking about. He has a queer gait, and is always looking down, as though he was hunting some thing.

On the other side of the Chamber, at the extreme right, is Mr. Benton. He is a large portly man, hair somewhat grey. It is seldom he is absent from his seat, and is always at work. When he first rises to speak he is dull, measured, and uninteresting—but by degrees he kindles up. His voice becomes full and powerful, and he soon satisfies his hearers that he understands perfectly what he is talking about. He is a man of great industry and of great acquirements.

In the same part of the Chamber, is Mr. Clemens. He is a young man—rash, impetuous, and immaturely. He sits with his feet on the top of his desk, and in many ways manifests a disregard for the common proprieties of the Senate. He has talents, and would be an effective speaker, but for two miserable habits—he must needs take a drink of water every minute or two, and he wears his hair so long that he is obliged to be continually poking it behind his ear. Both of these habits give him a loaferish appearance which detracts particular to distinguish him. His colleague, Mr. Foote, is a famous man; he is short, small, and quite bald, resembling Mr. Van Buren, somewhat. he is an active, uneasy being, moving about continually. He speaks more than any other Senator; he is fluent, energetic, and sometimes eloquent; his faults, whatever they may be, all stand out, and it is his fortune always to be in hot water with somebody; yet he is undoubtedly a kind and generous man, with many redeeming qualities. Near him, is Mr. King, a most dignified and useful Senator; he never indulges in personalities, nor does he consume the time of the Senate in useless talking; he is universally respected. A few feet from him, is Mr. Cass, a short, fat, good natured looking gentleman; he is no great talker, yet an able man.

Mr. Soule is a very accomplished man, and a most eloquent speaker; he is a Frenchman by birth, but speaks our language well.

Judge Butler is a man of common size, with hair as white as snow, and extremely nervous; he is considered an able man, yet very ultra in his notions.

I must defer any further descriptions till another time. I am happy to say that the Senate is still a most able and dignified body. D.

FROM NEW YORK.

Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette.

NEW YORK, June 1, 1850.

The passage of the bill by the Senate, granting a mint to N. Y. City, is very welcome to merchants and bankers here. The restrictions under which it has been passed, by giving the contract of the establishment to the Philadelphia officers amounts to nothing. What New York wants is a mint here, and it is immaterial whether the manager resides at New York or Timbuctoo. The coin enters and departs from the country through New York, and though the new concern will only be a "branch mint," more golden fruit will be plucked from it, than from all the other limbs as well as the old stock added.

During the month just closed, we have had an immigration large beyond all precedent, reaching the excessive number of 45,918 souls, against 30,158 souls in May, 1849, an equal number, throughout the whole year, would give us an influx equal to the whole population of the city, although more than 33,000 of these emigrants are from Great Britain, and of the poorest class, our bills of mortality show no change for the worse, and the city is as healthy as when we have only our stationary population.

The earnings of the Erie Road, for May, were declared to day, and reach the sum of $148,226, and $635,975 for five months, an average of $127,195 per month. The road has paid roundly in extra interest, no doubt, during its construction, in common with all other roads, but day light is seen at last, and the fact now starares its opponents in the face, thus rendering the interest upon every dollar of the cost after paying its expenses of running. In one year from this date, the real western terminus of the Erie Road will be be at Erie, Pennsylvania.

Money remains abundant, and can be borrowed upon second rate security at five per cent. U. S. 5's of '67, close at 116½ (ex. div.) Pennsylvania 5's 86½, and Reading 49. Business, generally, is not active. In the dry goods trade, there is more done than in other branches. In woolens there has been rather more activity, although no improvement in prices can be quoted. The better descriptions of cloths are quiet. There have been moderate sales of goods adapted to the S. uthern and Western markets, such as Satinets, Linseys, Tweeds, &c. There is no new feature to notice in foreign goods. A limited demand from Jobbers continues. The importations of goods adapted to the fall trade have already been large for the season, and many are predicting an overstock. The acounts of foreign market, by the Asia, are not quite as flattering as those previously received. In the United Kingdom the manufacturers are firm in prices, but buyers are generally holding off, thus cutting a halt in trade. This is particularly the case in Manchester, where, in consequence of the advance in cotton, manufacturers are asking higher rates, which buyers refuse to give.

A city paper, this morning, has the following news in relation to iron that is not without interest:—"In mense quantities of foreign iron are coming into New York, and we hear of six thousand tons imported by one New York house to meet home orders; thus, the freight excepted, (and much of it comes in foreign bottoms) taking a quarter of a million of dollars to Great Britain, for an article as easy of manufacture, and as natural to our land of minerals, as flour or corn. The importation of these 6,000 tons of iron is an occurrence not of one week, but of many, and they contribute vastly to the foreign debt which we are just now so largely increasing. The price of rail road iron is very low in England, but is kept up to about $35@$40 per ton here, by the heavy freights.—The Erie Rail Road Co., alone have taken ten thousand tons of British iron since the close of April at New York, and three thousand tons at Quebec, to be landed at Dunkirk, via the Welland Canal.

Cotton holders are getting their ideas much elevated just now. In fact, the demand for American cotton so far exceeds the supply, that an order from St. Petersburgh, received by the last steamer, for four or five cargoes will have to go unanswered. The old stock has been diminished not alone by the deficiency of the crop, which is very considerable, but by the expansion of the manufacturing system of Europe, and particularly of England.

All the stories told of ghosts and vampires have been fully paralleled by a case brought to light here. Not long since, a young man arrived in this city, and took board at a house in Pearl street, where he soon fell sick, and after a short time died. The landlord of the house was his creditor for $5 and his fear of losing it was so great that he locked the corpse up in a room as security for the debt. Some of the boarders of the house got up a subscription to bury the body, the landlord purchased a coffin worth five or six dollars for which he charged twelve, and when the friends came to attend the funeral, and the hearse was at the door, he refused to unlock the corpse unless he was paid the five dollars that the deceased owed him, otherwise, he declared he would send the body to Potter's field. The young man, shocked at the atrocious conduct of this vampyre, borrowed the money, redeemed the dead body of the unfortunate stranger from his clutches, and buried it at Williamsburgh.

On change, the operations are not large. Cotton is firm. Flour is selling freely at the quotations before given. Meess pork has rallied to 10,75, and prime 8,75@9 87½. Ashes, 5,62½. Whiting 27, though some has been picked up lower. Tobacco is active, with a speculative demand. Iron remains at 19,50@20. Lard is not so firm, and 7 cts is the top price. C.

For the Pittsburgh Gazette.

County Surveyor.

WILLIAM WEST, of Allegheny city, will be presented to the nominating Convention, which assembles to-day, as a candidate for the office of Deputy Surveyor of the county. Mr. W. has, through all his life, been a consistent and earnest Whig, and, for many years, formed one of the devoted band that withstood the progress of Locofocoism in his native county of Perry. Of his qualifications for the office he seeks there is no doubt, as he has been a practical Surveyor since his youth, and has held commissions as Deputy Surveyor from Gov. Ritner, and from one of the Governors of Ohio. TRUE WHIG.

For the Pittsburgh Gazette.

The Old and the New.

Against the old, the low'd the good,
The New comes on—
The light in which our fathers stood
Alas! has gone!

The sturdy pioneer awakes
The farthest wood;
The echo from his axe now breaks
The solitude.

Where once his cabin stood, now stands
The villa's wall;
Around are balmy meadow lands
With flocks o'er all.

Sweet homes before the swelling tide
Are swept away;
And grave yard bones are scattered wide
When Migh has sway.

Fair happiness becomes a dream—
Gay wealth the lure
That mocks us like a night fly gleam
Along a moor!

Art mounts upon those wings at morn
That glory gives—
Pale Genius in a cottage born
Awakes and lives.

And Fame's arena is beset
By men who fight;
Who battle on and front regret,
That burn for might!

The quiet days our fathers knew,
Alas! they're o'er!
The spirit of the age is New.

DEATH OF A GREAT MAN.—Guy Lussac, the eminent chemist died in Paris, on the 9th of May, in his 73d year. Lussac, whose whole life has been occupied by a series of great and useful labors in chemistry and physics, gave very early promise of his reputation. He was to acquire. The friend and pupil of Berthollet, he first distinguished himself by a work on the gases and vapors, which placed him at once by the side of Dalton. As a savant he extended the bounds of science by the most brilliant and startling discoveries. Making researches sometimes alone, sometimes in connection with other eminent men—Ehenard and Humbolt, for instance—there is hardly a branch of physical science in which he has not labored with signal success. There is hardly a savant in his study, or a manufacturer in his factory, but is indebted to Gay Lussac for some invention, some method, some apparatus, some scientific suggestion, which facilitates his labors and renders his results more perfect.

GEN. PAEZ.—Intelligence received at Jamaica from Venezuela, states that this distinguished Venezuelian General, who has so long contended against General Monagas, for the liberties of his country, is to be sent on board of the Venezuelian schooner Intrepid, from Cumana, to New York, on the 15th May.

CLEANLINESS.—A rusty shield prayed to the sun, and said, "O sun! illume me with thy ray;" to which the sun retorted, "O shield! make thyself clean."

A TOAST.—The following toast was given at the late medical supper, at Columbus, Ohio:

"*The Ladies.*—The successful nonsopathists. They cure man's greatest malady—of the heart—by a "leetle" of the same sort!

The following announcement was posted on the window of the Electric Telegraph Office, Stockport:—"England, The Queen delivered of a Prince at eight o'clock this morning by Electric Telegraph."

ENGLAND'S GOOD NAME.—Our late proceedings in Greece have induced foreign nations to make a little alteration in our national; nick name, by adding a letter to it. Instead of calling us John Bull, they now every where style us John Bully.—Punch.

RIDING AND WALKING.—Old Astley, the famous Circus man, had the lowest contempt for women who did not know how to ride. A celebrated actress from Drury Lane applied to him for an engagement.

"Can you ride, madam?"

"No, Sir."

"Then, please madam, you must walk." And he would not listen to another word.

☞INVALUABLE DISCOVERY.—The Inventor of McLane's Vermifuge having disposed of his right to his great remedy, the proprietors, Messrs. Kidd & Co., beg leave to offer it to the American public as the best remedy for worms ever offered. It has been tried in all parts of the country, and in cases which had defied the exertions of the best physicians, and never without the most complete success. We caution parents against delay. If your children exhibit the symptoms of being troubled with worms, lose not a moment, but at once purchase a bottle of McLane's Vermifuge, and thus save them pain, and perhaps their lives.

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Scald of the Foot and Ankle Cured.

MR. KIRK—I am desirous of making known to the public the great efficacy of your PETROLEUM in my own case, which was a severe scald of the foot and ankle; upon removing the stocking, the skin peeled off with it, and left nothing but the bare surface. I expected to be laid up all winter from the effects of this scald, but we applied the Petroleum freely, by means of a flannel cloth saturated with it; at first the application was painful, but in a very short time the pain abated, I had no pain in one hour afterwards, in five days from the time of the application of the Petroleum, I was able to go to work. I take pleasure in stating these facts for the benefit of other sufferers, and am desirous that they should be made public. I would also state, that I find immediate relief by the use of the Petroleum, in burns, from which I am a frequent sufferer owning to my business about the engine. I would recommend it as the most prompt and certain remedy for burns I have ever known.

(Signed.) J B COE, Engineer.
Sharpsburgh, Allegheny Co.

Pittsburgh, April, 1850.

For sale by Keyser & McDowell, 140 Wood street; R E Sellers, 57 Wood st; D M Carry, Allegheny city; D A Elliott, Allegheny; Joseph Douglass, Allegheny; also by the proprietor, S M KIRK,
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IMPROVEMENTS IN DENTISTRY.

DR. G. O. STEARNS, late of Boston, is prepared to manufacture and set Block Teeth on Gold and pure of sets, upon Suction or Atmospheric Suction Plates—Tooth ache extracted free of charge, when the nerve is exposed. Office and residence next door to the Mayor's office, Fourth street, Pittsburgh.

Rates—J. R. McFadden, F. H. Eaton. ls19

DR. D. HUNT,
Dentist, Corner of Fourth and Decatur, between Market sts

CONGRESS—THOMAS M. HOWE will be a candidate before the Antimasonic and Whig Convention, for nomination for Congress. may18-d&w1t

ASSEMBLY—HENRY ABRAHAM, Esq., of Elizabeth Borough, will be supported in the next Antimasonic and Whig Convention, as a candidate for the Legislature. may10d&w1wT

JOHN M. FOSTER, Esq., of Tarentum, will be presented by his friends for nomination to the Assembly, at the coming Antimasonic and Whig Convention. may23:d&w1oT

Mr. Editor—Please announce the name of JAMES FITZE, Esq., of Snowden township, as a candidate for Assembly, before the approaching Antimasonic and Whig Convention. Mr Fitze is a man of ability and integrity, and would make a member on whom the people could depend. SNOWDEN may22-d&w1eT

JAMES J. KEYS will be a candidate before the Antimasonic and Whig Convention of Allegheny county, for nomination to the office of Prosecuting Attorney. may22-d&w1eT MANY VOTERS

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.—William S. Thompson, of the Sixth Ward of Pittsburgh, will be supported for nomination as a Candidate for County Commissioner, before the Anti Masonic and Whig Convention, by may18:d&w1e MANY VOTERS.

JAMES MCCREA, of the 5th Ward, Pittsburgh, will be supported for nomination as County Commissioner, at the Whig and Antimasonic Convention. may22:d&w1eT

TO THE ANTI MASONIC AND WHIG VOTERS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY.—Robert King, of the Seventh Ward of Pittsburgh, is hereby announced to the Convention, called to meet on the 5th of June next, as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner. ap30-d&w1eoT MANY VOTERS

HERVEY GIFFIN, Baldwin township, will be supported for County Commissioner in the Antimasonic and Whig Convention. may22:d&w1eT

COUNTY AUDITOR—JOHN GERRICK, of Pine township, will be supported in the approaching Whig and Antimasonic Convention, for the nomination of Auditor. may27:d&eT MANY FRIENDS

The claims of C. HARBOUCK, Esq., will be urged before the Antimasonic and Whig Convention of Allegheny county, for nomination as a candidate for the office of Prosecuting Attorney. by MANY FRIENDS. may23

ASSEMBLY—PETER PETERSON, Esq., of the Third Ward, of Pittsburgh, will be a Candidate for nomination before the Whig and Anti Masonic Convention, as a Candidate for Assembly, and will be supported by MANY FRIENDS. may1

GABRIEL ADAMS will be supported for nomination, in the Antimasonic and Whig Convention, for the office of County Commissioner. may 25:d&w1eT

THOS. VARNER, Esq., of Baldwin township, will be supported for Commissioner, in the Anti Masonic and Whig Convention, by NUMEROUS FRIENDS may9:d1w&wic8

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY—FRANCIS C PLANNER, Esq. will be a candidate for nomination before the Anti Masonic and Whig Convention, for Prosecuting Attorney for Allegheny County may16:d&w1eS

MR EDITOR—Please announce that WILLIAM M'CANDLESS, Esq., will be a candidate for Prosecuting Attorney, before the Antimasonic and Whig Convention. MANY WHIGS may6:d&w1eS

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.—EZEKIEL BOYLES, of North Fayette township, will be a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Whig and Anti Masonic Nominating Convention. may9-w1eS MANY FRIENDS.

CONGRESS—HON. HARMAR DENNY will be urged by his friends, for a nomination as a candidate for Congress in the approaching Antimasonic and Whig Convention. may11d&w1eS

ASSEMBLY — we are authorized to announce JAMES F. KERR, Esq., of Pittsburgh, as a candidate for Assembly, subject to the decision of the Anti-masonic and Whig Convention. may18:d&w1eS

WILLIAM JEFFERY, of the Ninth Ward, Pittsburgh, will be supported in the Whig and Antimasonic county Convention, for Assembly. SOUTH PITTSBURGH. may17:d&w1eS

N. P. FERGUSON, of Birmingham borough, will be supported for County Commissioner, at the Whig an Anti Masonic Convention, by MANY FRIENDS may9:d&w1eS

MARRIED.

On Thursday, the 30th ult, by the Rev. Thomas P. Gordon, Mr. ADAM N. BIRKENFELD, of Allegheny city, to Miss Barbara Stotler, of Allegheny county.

W. & H. MITCHELTREE,
Sole Importers for this market, of

Jas. Hunpratt & Sons' Patent Soda Ash,

RE now receiving by canal, large supplies of the above celebrated article, both glass and soap makers' best quality and high test, which they will sell at the lowest market price, for cash or approved bills.

N.B. In addition to the above, they have several shipments to arrive, for the fall trade. je3

ASH SETTING POLES—3,500 feet landing and for sale by ROBERT DALZELL, & CO:
je3 Liberty street

LARD OIL—10 bbls receiving from steamer Keystone State, and for sale by J DALZELL,
je3 No 10 Water street

TALLOW—The highest price in cash will be paid for

Annual Meeting—Allegheny Cemetery.

THE Annual Meeting of the Corporators of the Allegheny Cemetery, will be held at the office on the Grounds, on SATURDAY, the 8th of JUNE, inst., at 2 o'clock, P. M., at which time the annual Statement will be read, and a Board of Managers elected for the ensuing year. J. FINNEY, Jr., Secretary.

The following persons compose the Board of Corporators:—Dr. J. P. Speer, W. Robinson, Jr., Thos. M. Howe, John Chalfant, R. W. Stephens, T. A. Blanchard, Dr. H. D. Sellers, F. Lorenz, Chas. Avery, J. H. Shoenberger, H. Childs, Joseph Fahnestock, John Bissell, Henry Stearns, R. S. Cassatt, Wm. Eichbaum, F. G. Barry, Hermann Denny, R. G. Giles, G. W. Jackson, Charles Brewer, Wilson M'Candless, Geo. Ogden, P. M'Cormick, J. D. M'Cord, Robt. Beers, Thos. Irwin, Jesse Carothers, A. Culbertson, Wm. Holmes, C. F. Spang, R. W. Poindexter, C. B. Bradford, and J. Finney, Jr. je3d2t

NEW MUSIC.

At the Sign of the Golden Harp, No. 10, Third st.

HAS JUST RECEIVED

The Lord's Prayer, (beautifully embell'shd.)
Our Faith then Fondly Pleading, (opera Linda,) as sung by Mad. Biscaccianti.
I'm Queen of a Fairy Land, do.
May Breezes, as sung by Mad. Bernstein.
Swiss Girl, as sung by Miss Kraff.
Erani, as sung by Mad. Biscaccianti.
Call me pet names.
Piper of Dundee.
Yes, ere we met I was a lover.
Old Bertom.
Wedding Waltz.
Sylph Waltzes.
Aliquippi Waltz—H Rohbock.
Morse Rose Polka.
Polka Polka, &c., &c. (je5) H. KLEBER.

A FARTHER supply of black silks and fancy colored Silks, just received by express this morning, at north east corner of Fourth and Market sts.
je5 MURPHY & BURCHFIELD

MURFFIY & BURCHFIELD are selling Berages and Berage M. D. Laines at very low prices, at north east corner of Fourth and Market sts. je5

BLACK SILK LACES—Extra wide medium and narrow trimming Laces of best quality, just rec'd and for sale at Northeast corner of Fourth and Market streets je5 MURPHY & BURCHFIELD

BLEACHING POWDER—50 casks Murphy's best, of quality to arrive via Philadelphia per ship Delta. For sale by W & M MITCHELTREE,
je5 Liberty street.

Allegheny County, ss.—The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, to George Washington Brant, Wm Brant, Elizabeth Brant, George W. Bricker, Jane Bricker, and Albert Bricker, heirs at law of Thos. G. Brant, late of said county, deceased.

Whereas, at an Orphans' Court, held at Pittsburgh, for the said county of Allegheny, the petition of Andrew Bedell and Geo Cunningham, Administrators of the estate of said intestate, was presented to said Court, praying an order to sell the real estate of said deceased for the purpose of paying his debts. Now, therefore, we command you, that laying aside all excuses, you and each of you be and appear in our said Court, on the 6th day of July, 1850, then and there to show cause, if any you may have, why the prayer of the petitioners should not be granted. Witness the Hon. Wm. B. McClure, Esq., President Judge of our said Court at Pittsburgh, this 6th day of June, 1850.

Jel-w3t DANIEL McCURDY, Clerk.

TAILORS' GOODS, AT COST.

HERSEY, FLEMING & CO, having arranged to pay cash, their attention to the sale of domestic Woolen and Cotton Goods, now offer their large stock of Tailors' Trimmings, Vestings, French and German Cloths, Doeskins, Cassimeres, &c. at first cost.

HERSEY, FLEMING & CO
120, Wood st
je4

BRIDGE ELECTION.

AN Election will be held by the Stockholders of the Williamsport Bridge Company, at the public house of Henry Wilson, in Monongahela City, on Monday, the 24th day of June next, at 1 o'clock, for the purpose of electing, to serve one year, Seven Managers and one Treasurer.

JOSEPH WILSON, Treasurer.
June 1, 1850—je4:2t

WHITING—100 bbl to arrive, for sale by
ISAIAH DICKEY & CO
je4 Water & Front sts

SUNDRIES—62 bbls No 1 Lard;
3 bbl brls do;
6 casks Bacon Sides;
2 casks Shoulders;
3 casks Hams;
1 cask assorted Hams;
37½ Nappee Blooms; to arrive, for sale
ISAIAH DICKEY & CO.
je4 Canal Basin, Penn st

New Publications.

IRVING'S Mahomet, 2 vols 8' calf & cloth. 12mo.
Taylor's Eforada. 2 vols. 12mo.
Irving's Works, complete. 12mo. cloth & half calf.
Downing's Landscape Gardening. 8vo.
Downing's Fruit Trees of America. 12mo.
Malabiet—Croly. 8vo.
Chapman's American Drawing Book. 2 Nos, 4to.
Household Words—Dickens. Nos 1 to 8.
Weale's Rudimental Series: 12mo.
David Copperfield—vol 1. 12mo.
For sale by JAMES D LOCKWOOD
je1 101 Fourth st

WOOL! WOOL!

THE highest market price in cash, will be paid for the different grades of Wool, by
S & W HARBAUGH
145 First st & 116 Second st

FLOUR—1-0 brls Flour, rec'd, and for sale by
je4 S & W HARBAUGH

SODA ASH—20 cases Kurnx superior brand, received
je5 for sale by S & W HARBAUGH

LARD—20 kegs No 1 Lard.
je5 10 bbls do do: sale by
S & W HARBAUGH

SOAP—50 bxs No 1 Soap, rec'd, and for sale by
je4 S & W HARBAUGH

CANDLES—25 bxs Mould Candles, for sale by
je4 S & W HARBAUGH

Household Words.

JAS. D. LOCKWOOD has just rec'd Dickens' Household Words—Nos 1 to 8. je4

WINDOW GLASS—300 boxes assorted sizes, in prime order, for sale by JOHN WATT & CO
je3 Liberty street

FLAXSEED OIL—3 tierces receiving, for sale by
je3 JOHN WATT & CO

TEAS! TEAS!! TEAS!!!

WE enter not into the list of puffery, we say nothing about Gold Medals or Silver Medals, Large Capital, Bought for Cash, &c. In fact, we will not humbug in any manner or form, we simply invite the readers of this paper to call at our Tea Warehouse, or elsewhere; this is the best method we know to ascertain who sells the best and cheapest Teas in Pittsburgh.

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Good and strong Tea at 50 and 60 cents per lb.
A prime article, ... 75 do do
The best Tea imported into the U. States, $1
Low priced, damaged, or inferior Teas we do not keep.

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Proprietors of the Tea Market,
Ewer's Row, Diamond.

ENTERPRISE COOKING STOVES—4 for sale, to close, at $17 each, by
O H GRANT
je4

CHEESE—150 bxs prime new Cheese, just received and for sale by