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AMERICAN BREADSTUFFS—BRITISH CALICOES.—It is stated, on the most reliable authority, says the Lawrence, [Mass.] Courier, that the entire exports of breadstuffs from the United States to England in 1849, will not be sufficient to pay for over one half the Calicoes imported from that country during the same period! In the year 1848 we imported from Great Britain alone, over 12,000,000 dollars worth of Calicoes! Meantime the heaviest calico manufacturers in the United States have failed.

What a comment upon the terribly destructive effects of the present tariff upon all our home interests! What will be the consequence, if no relief is granted by Congress. That is not hard to foresee. The revulsions of 1836 to '40 will be re enacted on a more extended scale, overwhelming tens of thousands with the ruin of all their earthly hopes. Then, if not before, when the people shall arise in their distress, and peremptorily demand a tariff, will Congress go back to the only safe policy of specific duties, to be overthrown again in some future day of prosperity by interested Demagogues.

Paine's Hydro Electric Light.

We copy an article to day, giving a further account of the wonderful discovery said to have been made by Mr. PAINE, of Worcester. Our faith in the certainty of this discovery is not very great, although it has always appeared to us possible and probable. Its wonderful influence in promoting the happiness and comfort of man, should it prove to be true, gives an interest to every thing connected with it, and leads us almost tremblingly to hope that so great a blessing is soon to be given to the human race.

The editor of the New York Tribune, in noticing the subject, says that he has conversed with several scientific men who have argued that the whole is an absurdity and a cheat, and that the gas which Mr. Paine has exhibited at Worcester, is not produced by any new method as he claims, but is generated in the usual mode and kept in a private reservoir in order to impose upon visitors.

"Meanwhile, says the editor, we know of at least one eminent savant who has conversed with the inventor, examined the light and heat, and inspected the apparatus as far as it is exhibited, and who has had his mind so far changed respecting the affair as to be entirely undecided, waiting for further testimony before concluding either way."

The process by which this gas is produced, has not been shown by the inventor to those who have visited him for information, this he explains by the statement that he has not completed his patent in England, where he wishes to take out a patent before taking one in this country. This alone throws a doubt over the matter, which will not be removed until the invention is fully exhibited for the inspection of the world.

THE LATEST DEVELOPMENT OF DEPRAVITY.—The last developement of unmitigated malicious mischief, in Pittsburgh, is that of throwing oil upon the dresses of ladies, as they walk the streets. Yesterday we were shown a silk dress, completely saturated with oil, which had been thrown upon it some where in Market street—the discovery of the oil being made by the wearer, at the corner of Fourth street. On Tuesday, no less than *four* ladies had fine silk dresses ruined by being saturated with oil, as they were walking the streets. This number has come to our knowledge, but there may be others. So far, the villain or villains, have not been detected. Their enmity seems especially directed to silk dresses no others being the subjects of this malicious mischief. We hope the authors of these contemptible exhibitions of malignity will soon be detected and subjected to most condign punishment. If any one is detected in the act, he will be very apt to receive very summary punishment.

Lieutenant Maury, in a note to the Secretary of the Navy, dated 3d inst., states that the Comet discovered on the 1st May, by Dr. Peterson, of Altona, was observed from the National Observatory at Washington, on Sunday night, by Mr. Ferguson, who says that the Comet is without a tail, and that its neucleus presents the appearance of a pearly white nebula, about 1 minute 30 degrees in diameter, with marks of condensation about the centre.

CALIFORNIA GOLD.—According to a statement in the New York Journal of Commerce, the quantity of California gold imported into New York from the 12th June, 1849, to 4th June, 1850, was $9,988,347. The value of gold dust brought by passengers, and not entered on manifests, for the same period is estimated at $4,000,000, making an aggregate of $14,000,000 for the year.

DIFFICULTY WITH PORTUGAL.—A well informed Washington correspondent of the New York Tribune, writes as follows:

> Mr. Clay, our Charge d'Affairs at Lisbon, is looked for in this country before a great while.—So soon as he arrives, the President will transmit a special message to Congress, upon the subject of our present relations with the Portugese Dominions, that will smell considerably strong of gun powder. The difficulties that exist, grow out of the continued refusal of the Portuguese Government to pay the indemnities to American citizens, without pretending to give an excuse, for such injustice. Things have been brought now to such a crisis, that there is no alternative but payment or war.

A Washington letter in the New York Tribune says:

> Orlando Brown, Commissioner of Indian Affairs, has resigned. The resignation took place before his appointment had been confirmed by the Senate. It is said that Major Markland of the same Bureau, has also resigned.

BALTIMORE FACTORIES.—The Ellicott's Mills Gazette of Saturday says:

> The Thistle Factory, commenced on the first instant, to run four days in the week. Thus all our factories—the Union, Granite, Patapsco and Thistle are suffering by the pressure in the domestic market. Those four communities, embracing a population of two or three thousand inhabitants, are thrown upon half work, when the wants of many are barely supplied with the proceeds of full labor. The depression is felt by all—the mechanic, the store keeper, and the farmer.

THE PENNSYLVANIA BIBLE SOCIETY.—This society during the past year, has distributed 62,011 Bibles and Testaments, which is nearly equal to the distribution in the years 1847 and 1848, when the work of supplying many of the counties was most vigorously pressed. The purchases from the American Bible Society since 1840 amount to $112,006 28. The amount for the past year is $16,200 23, which we are happy to think is paid for in full. The pledge of $30,000, made in 1848, to aid the American Bible Society in its foreign distribution, was paid. The promise made for the same object in 1849, of $50,000, will soon be fulfilled.

The Boston traveller states that the retail traders of that city are cheated out of at least $50,000 annually, by means of counterfeit money. Three rogues are now under arrest on charges of uttering spurious bank bills.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette.

WASHINGTON, June 9.

A day of ambiguous Rumors—Alarming, if true, from Cuba—Course of the President—Illness of Mr. Clay—Mr. Benton's Motion and Speech.

This has been a day of rumors, and at the close of it, we are in such a mist, as to be quite unable to distinguish the true from the probable, and the probable from the false. Late last night, a telegraphic dispatch was received from Charleston, stating that Gen. Campbell, the American Consul, had been imprisoned in Havana, by order of the Captain General, and that the bark or brig Rolla, with one hundred and thirty California emigrants, had been captured, and the persons taken, thrown into confinement. The immediate cause of the Consul's imprisonment is stated to have been, his making a personal demand for the release of these. This news was issued here in a printed slip, which seems to have come from the Republic office. The city has been agitated all day with this exciting intelligence, and with rumors growing out of it. We first heard, on what I thought indisputable authority, that Hon. W. R. King, chairman of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, had received, while in church, a note from Mr. Clayton, informing him of the substance of the above dispatch, and requesting him to assist at a consultation upon it. Next it became bruited abroad that a long Cabinet council had been held in the morning, followed by another in the afternoon, at which the most energetic measures for the vindication of the honor and rights of the country had been determined upon; and thus the case rested, every body firm in the conviction that couriers were speeding on the wings of the wind to every point of the compass, like the henchmen of Roderic Dhu, proclaiming war with Spain. But about six o'clock came a violent reaction. It was ascertained that no Cabinet council had been held, and that, in fact, the government had received no information of the above startling import, and none of any character upon which reliance could be placed, or which required, or would justify action in the premises. Soon there came contradictions of the alleged details, and then people consented to pocket their eagerness and anxiety, and to wait for some authentic announcement. At six o'clock, the President and Vice President were seen quietly, but in a business like manner, promenading the Avenue together, with as little evidence of concern for the state of the Republic, as either of them was ever known to manifest.

If the more serious and threatening rumors of this morning, prove true, I shall then telegraph to you to morrow. In fact, I did make the attempt, but was informed that nothing could be forwarded until to morrow morning.

Mr. Clay was taken with a sudden indisposition while attending divine service to day, which rendered it necessary that he should be at once conducted out of church to his own lodgings; medical assistance was immediately procured, and Mr. Clay was relieved from all present pain. But the anxiety of his friends still continues, and the most lively fears are entertained that this attack may be the premonition of serious, and even fatal illness.

Whether Mr. Benton will make his contemplated motion, to morrow, to lay the Omnibus Bill on the table, is extremely doubtful, as the amendments for shaping the details to the minds of the supporters of the measure, cannot possibly be disposed of for several days to come. Whenever Mr. B. makes the motion, he will accompany it with an elaborate speech against the bill. Mr. Corwin is not going to speak, as reported, but I learn that twelve other Senators have expressed a desire or intention to speak at length upon the general subject, before the scheme be voted upon.

JUNIUS.

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL.

In publishing the testimony of the Hon. REVERDY JOHNSON, the Attorney General of the United States, given before a committee of the House of Representatives in reference to the Galphin claim, the Maryland Republican makes the following striking remarks:

> It will be seen that this officer, with his characteristic frankness, adopts the whole responsibility of his opinion; allows nothing for the suggested influence of any of his co-laborers in the Cabinet, and fully agrees with the reports of the committee, that no other power than his own unbiased judgment induced the advice and opinion he gave to the Secretary of the Treasury, and which led to the payment of the claim under consideration, so far as it had been left unsettled by his predecessor in office.
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> The views of the Attorney General, and his belief that no opinion expressed by his department had been disregarded, but had always been considered conclusive of the question referred to it, leads us to make some general reflections about that office.
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> It seems to us utterly absurd to suppose that the several heads of the public Departments could ever give their business full or speedy dispatch unless the views of that officer were conclusive. If they did not follow his advice, considering him, as he must be considered, competent to advise, what other opinion could they get? The United States cannot be sued; no legal opinion of their obligation could be obtained from any tribunal, and all the courts of the United States could not satisfy their demand for advice, if the various, complicated, and vexed questions of Government, were to be decided, upon evidence, by the Judicial Department.
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> The power, duty, and obligation, of the Attorney General to advise, arise out of the stringent necessity of the case; and no officer, of competent reputation, ability or experience, would remain an hour at Washington, in such a Department, if his opinions were not habitually sustained.—There may be exceptions, but these must be of rare occurrence.
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> From such considerations, it follows that the highest duty of the Attorney General is to do full justice in each case submitted. He must decide *ex æquo et bono*; his action being only modified or controlled by the restraining power of Congress.—He must decide what ought to be done. He must follow the written law, as far as that prescribes a rule, beyond which, if not restrained, he should follow the dictates of equity and conscience.—He is bound by the ties of natural justice not to create claims, but the course, and manner, and principles of their adjustment, after they have been generally or specially admitted by Congress, must flow from the dictate of that spirit which desires to give to every man his own.
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> In such a post, men of the purest morals, of the highest integrity, and firmest purposes, may gratify their honest ambition; and when a public officer, under such circumstances, fills the measure of his country's expectation, it is the solemn duty of every citizen to maintain him. The Attorney General in the Galphin case has done this, and no more. Some of the committee think he has erred in judgment; but it is a good deal to say of an unimpeachable act, done by a man of knowledge, learning, and unrivalled experience, that it is an error of *judgment*. By what comparison will you compare it? By whose judgment demonstrate its error? Is the standard equal to the test? Is the test greater than the standard? The common sense of mankind will decide. One opinion, there being no immoral motive to gratify, may be as sound as the other. Then which shall preponderate? This is a question of no small difficulty.—Hot haste and crude opinion cannot, for they should not, prevail. That mind which, under opposition with other great minds, in a thousand intellectual conflicts has prevailed, and which still prevails with the enlightened and unbiased intellects which adorn the judicial department of the nation, must command national respect in its own peculiar sphere. When an officer has been thus tested, with admitted integrity and purity of purpose, the highest object of the Government—justice—is attained; and hence the country must rest with confidence upon what has been done as the best that could be done.

Lewis Cornelius, who was born near new Brunswick, N. J., and died Sept. 27th, 1841, at Milford, Pike co., Pa., was almost the equal, but not quite, of the famous prodigy, Daniel Lambert, whose weight was 639 lbs, Cornelius, at his death, weighed 60½ pounds less, but was an enormous man. He was very sensitive to any and all allusions to his size or weight; and though remarkable for his usual calmness and placidity, would nevertheless manifest considerable irritation at the curious surprise exhibited in the gaze of a stranger. He was 48 years old; 6 feet high; measured round the body 8 feet, 2 inches; and round the thigh 4 feet 2 inches, and round the calf 2 feet 7 inches. As Jack Falstaff said at Windsor, "think of that, Master Brooke! A man of my weight!"

FATAL RESULT OF A BITE FROM A HUMAN BEING.—Dr. Duhr, of Coblenz, mentions the case of a police officer whose right thumb was severely bitten while taking a man into custody.—The wound healed up very well but a week afterward numbness and formication were felt in the thumb and the index, with spasmodic twitches of the muscles. The next day the man was seized with frightful convulsions, and loss of consciousness for a few moments. These symptoms diminished greatly for the two following months, yet they reappeared subsequently with renewed intensity, accompanied by defective speech, want of sleep, and wandering.—The patient soon died. On a *post mortem* examination, the posterior portion of the left hemisphere of the brain was found in a state of inflammatory softening.—*Lancet.*

Gen. Wool's Stables, at Troy, New York, were burned on Thursday morning, and two horses, two carriages, harness and other property, were destroyed. One of the horses was the beautiful bay charger which the General rode at Buena Vista.

The Governor of South Carolina has appointed the Hon. Robert W. Barnwell, Senator to Congress, in place of Col. Elmore, dec'd. Mr. Barnwell is now at Nashville, in attendance on the Southern Convention.

Paine's Hydro Electric Light.

NORTHAMPTON, MASSACHUSETTS,
Monday, June 3, 1850.

To the Editors of the Tribune:

Among the great and wonderful discoveries and inventions of the present age, it is believed there is not one so nearly approaching the miraculous, or so full of beneficent promise to mankind, as that which has recently been announced by HENRY M. PAINE, of Worcester, by which he is enabled almost without expense or labor to produce, from pure water, a constant and most brilliant light; and by which also he can produce heat and motive power to any desired extent—thus essentially superseding the necessity of using the ordinary materials for the accomplishment of those purposes, and to a great extent the vast expenses which the use of those materials involve.

The reality and practical utility of Mr. Paine's discovery and invention, so far at least as the production of light is concerned—and perhaps the same may be said of heat also—have been most fully and satisfactorily tested.

The principle, applied as prescribed, infallibly produces the promised results; so that the time may be regarded as not distant when the whale may securely sport in his native ocean, when the coal beds of the earth may rest forever undisturbed, and the forests, "whose end was to be burned," may be said to have outlived their doom.

Presuming that your readers may feel some interest in knowing the processes by which Mr. Paine has arrived at the important results which he has announced, I submit for their information the following brief history of his experiments, which I have learned from himself.

In the course of some experiments which, in connection with the late Col. Bomford of the Ordnance Department, Mr. Paine was making in the Winter of 1844-5, for the purpose of precipitating silex, in solution by the action of electricity, he became satisfied that so long as the whole body of water around the poles remained a conductive or diffusive medium, the action of the passing currents would be limited, and the results desired unattainable.

With this view of the subject, he sought for some method by which the atoms of water in contact with the poles could be effectually barred from communication with any conducting substance, and yet admit of a continual supply of the water to be decomposed.

Holding to the doctrine of imponderability and immateriality of the electric fluid, all efforts to accomplish the desired result failed, and the experiment was about to be abandoned, when a doubt as to the truth of the books on the question of the nature of electricity arose in his mind, and on the faint hope thus suggested the experiments were renewed, and the results more than realized his most cherished anticipations—for not only was the insulation of the water perfect, and the decomposition rapid, but the electric fluid was found to be susceptible of accumulation and condensation to an unlimited degree.

The ease and rapidity with which the water was resolved into its component gases, naturally suggested the idea of applying the discovery to some practical use, and that of light was selected as the most simple and inexpensive in its application. But on the very threshold of the experiment an apparently insurmountable obstacle was met, in the inability to separate the gases; and after a number of serious explosions he was induced, by the entreaties of his family, for a time to desist.

But although his practical experiments were suspended, his mental action on the subject was not. During the Fall of 1849, he came to the conclusion that the law which demanded an aqueous communication between the poles, or that the positive and negative poles should both enter one body of water, was not correct—a conclusion which a very simple experiment demonstrated as true.

One pole was inserted into a glass of water in the corner of a large room, and the other pole in another glass in the opposite corner, and an electric communication made between them. *All the water in one glass was decomposed, and hydrogen only obtained. All the water was decomposed in the other and oxygen only obtained.*

The experiment being thus entirely successful, a small electro magnetic apparatus, having its helices kept in motion by clock work, was put in operation at Mr. Paine's dwelling, and was found capable of supplying three burners with an abundance of the gases. At this period, Mr. Paine publicly announced the discovery, and invited the citizens to call and examine for themselves.

In the Spring of 1849, Mr. P. erected a light house on an eminence in Worcester, and there successfully tried his experiments on a large scale for several months.

He also lighted one of the stores in the city, which presented a most brilliant exhibition, exciting the astonishment and admiration of all who witnessed it.

The experiments at the light house were continued till September, when an explosion occurred which momentarily clouded the bright prospects of the discovery. This explosion is thus accounted for:

"That state or action of electricity known as *galvanism*, produces decomposition; while that known as *intensity* causes repulsion to take place at the [illegible] electrodes and deflagration of the decomposing cells is the consequent result. It was to this action that the explosion referred to was due, the gases being fired by the [illegible] electrode. It was hence apparent that some method should be devised, other than that of personal observance, to prevent such explosions in future. The same agent that caused the danger must be made to remove it. But here was a formidable difficulty, and to surmount it required long and patient thought and labor. The object, however, was attained, and the apparatus made to govern itself, *by the breaking of its circuits when a surplusage is passing;* so that the danger of an explosion is entirely removed."

It is not at present practicable to go into a minute discription of Mr. Paine's apparatus. Suffice it to say, that the descent of a weight of 67 pounds, a distance of nine feet, will generate 800 cubic feet of the gases from a quart or two water—being sufficient to light a hall of the largest size for a whole evening, and at no other expense than the interest of the cost of the apparatus, which may be some $400 or $500.

And these gases may be used, as has already been suggested, not only for *light*, but for *power* and for *heating purposes*. The apparatus, constructed for the supply of 3,000 burners, and its actions, are now daily witnessed by admiring visitors, at the Worcester Exchange, nothing being concealed from observation but the interior of the helices and electrodes. The whole process of the decomposition can be seen, and if necessary, felt.

Mr. Paine has also at his house, subject to view, the small apparatus, before alluded to, by which he exhibited the strongest white light, and so pure that the delicate shades may be distinguished by it at a distance of several feet from the burners. And, at the same time, he produces, in a few moments, an equal and genial heat throughout the apartment.

Mr. Paine claims to have *discovered* a new principle in electricity, viz:—ponderability, materiality, and obedience to the laws of gravitation. He claims to have been the first to accumulate and compress the electric fluid; and also to have *invented* an machine or apparatus, which enables him to use the electric fluid for useful purposes in the arts and sciences, at no other cost than the interest of its prices.

Mr. Paine, in prosecuting his experiments, has bestowed upon this subject immense labor, both of body and mind, in season and out of season—by day and by night—encountering from without almost every possible difficulty, opposition and discouragement—the supercilious contempt of the learned and scientific, and the thoughtless jeers of the self conceited and the ignorant. But, full of hope, and an indomitable spirit of perseverance, he struggled on, and, as we see, has finally triumphed. And great reason has he, and his country, and the world, to thank God that he has been thus sustained and prospered. Humble as has been his condition, future generations, rejoicing in the light, enjoying the heat, and propelled over earth and ocean, and it may be, through the air, by the power discovered and developed by his ingenious, patient, and laborious efforts—will recognize and honor HENRY M. PAINE as one of the greatest discoverers and geniuses of his age, and one of the noblest benefactors of mankind.

In conclusion, it may be interesting to state the fact, that very recently Mr. Paine has received a communication from Sir George Cayley, President of the Royal Polytechnic Institute of London, through Reverend Dr. McVickar, of New York, in which Sir George says that he has learned from the American papers that the discovery referred to has been made; that he had for years been convinced, and had predicted, that the time was approaching when the components of water would be separated and converted to practical purposes; and desiring to be informed as to the fact of such a discovery having been made, and if so, soliciting, in behalf of the Royal Polytechnic Institution, the honor of being the medium of its first introduction into England.

Yours. T.

The great tunnel on the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road, is one of the greatest works of civil engineering now going on in the world. It is a few miles from Morgantown, West Virginia, and is through a mountain (for a rail road track,) a mile and a quarter wide. There are already sunk three shafts some 20 by 16 feet, and from 175 to 185 deep. Hundreds of shantees are now reminding one of a new town in California.

The shafts being now completed to the perfect level of the road, a large number of hands are enabled to go to work, tunnelling through the rock—all of which has to be brought up through the shafts, except at the two extremes or sides of the mountain. They work day and night—one set during the night, and the other by day. The works of the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road, in passing through Western Virginia and the Ohio Valley, will be among the proudest works of the age.

The Concord (Mass.) Rail Road is one of the best in the country. Its income for the year is $296,908—the expenses $147,974. It has paid 9 per cent. in dividends, and has carried $5,033 to contingent fund, which now amounts to $33,847. The road owes nothing, and never did, and has never paid a cent of interest money. Its annual dividends have been 10 per cent. until the present year, and this year the capital has been increased, the rates of fare and freight have been reduced, and the income has been somewhat lessened by the dulness of business, and by increased competition. But the whole amount paid to stockholders in dividends is the same as last year, within $1,350. The Concord road has 69 miles of heavy main track, with 8 miles and 239 feet of side track, and is furnished with an ample supply of cars, engines and furniture.

Prince Windischgratz has declined the income of 400,000 florins, offered him by the Emperor, for his services in quelling the Hungarian insurrection.

A recent letter from an American in France, says, that if the Government succeeded in their intention to curtail the rights of suffrage in that country, 100,000 votes will be suppressed in the city of Paris alone. It remains to be seen whether such a measure can be accomplished.

The savans of Berlin, it seems, were quite excited at hearing the account of Dr. Parkman's murder, but they have not been able to settle the question, whether the murderer is Daniel Webster, or the Lexicographer.

BY AUTHORITY.

PUBLIC ACTS

Passed during the First Session of the Thirty First Congress.

[PUBLIC—No. 6.]

AN ACT authorizing the negotiation of treaties with the Indian tribes in the territory of Oregon, for the extinguishment of their claims to lands lying west of the Cascade mountains, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President be authorized to appoint one or more commissioners to negotiate treaties with the several Indian tribes in the territory of Oregon, for the extinguishment of their claims to lands lying west of the Cascade mountains; and if found expedient and practicable, for their removal east of said mountains; also, for obtaining their assent and submission to the existing laws regulating trade and intercourse with the Indian tribes in the other territories of the United States, so far as they may be applicable to the tribes in the said territory of Oregon; the compensation to such commissioner or commissioners not to exceed the rate heretofore allowed for similar services.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That the President be authorized, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, to appoint a Superintendent of Indian Affairs for the Territory of Oregon, who shall receive an annual salary of twenty five hundred dollars, and whose duty it shall be to exercise a general superintendence over all the Indian tribes in Oregon, and to exercise and to perform all the powers and duties assigned by law to other Superintendents of Indian affairs.

SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That so much of the act to establish the Territorial government of Oregon approved the 14th August, 1848, as requires the Governor of said territory to perform the duties of Superintendent of Indian Affairs, and authorizes him to receive a salary therefor, in addition to the salary allowed for his services as Governor, be repealed; and that the Governor of said territory shall hereafter receive an annual salary of three thousand dollars.

SEC. 4. And be it further enacted, That the President be authorized, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, to appoint one or more Indian agents, not exceeding three, as he shall deem expedient, each of whom shall receive an annual salary of fifteen hundred dollars, give bond as now required by law, and perform all the duties of Agent to such tribe of Indians in the territory of Oregon as shall be assigned to him by the Superintendent to be appointed by the provisions of this act, under the direction of the President.

SEC. 5. And be it further enacted, That the law regulating trade and intercourse with the Indian tribes east of the Rocky Mountains, or such provisions of the same as may be applicable, be extended over the Indian tribes in the territory of Oregon.

SEC. 6. And be it further enacted, That the sum of twenty five thousand dollars be appropriated out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated to carry into effect the provisions of this act.

Approved, June 5, 1850.

IRVING'S LIFE OF GOLDSMITH.—This volume has, for nine months, been running the gauntlet through almost all the London publishers; it commenced with the lordly Murray, and, for the present has terminated in the cheap series published by the indefatigable Mr Bohn. For the present, we say, because we perceived there are at least half a dozen other announcements from rival publishers, stating that Oliver Goldsmith, a biography, will also appear under their superintendence, in the different series published respectively by those gentlemen.

A profitable speculation in Manchester Goods.—One of the leading Brazilian houses shipped a quantity of Manchester goods, some months ago, to Buenos Ayres. Finding the market closed up, and no sale for the articles, they were reimported, and the shippers recently sold them in Manchester at a profit of 12 per cent. after paying their freight and all other charges.

The Scotch papers report that the jail of Rothsay, has not now a single lodger. In the entire county, with a population of 17,000, there is not a single individual shut up in 'durance vile;' and the penitentiary in Perth contains only one solitary individual, who was sentenced in Rothsay.

Letters from Dalmatia, received via Trieste, announce that the city of Stagno had been utterly destroyed by frequent earthquakes and a sudden irruption of sulphurous springs. No lives were lost, as all the inhabitants left the city before it was finally destroyed.

The principal Jewish houses in Bavaria, are about to emigrate and withdraw from the kingdom, civil and religious liberty being denied them. A large depression of the Government funds has ensued from the abstraction of their capital.

Forty three persons were lately taken into custody at Berlin for riots and assaults made on the constables at the Opera House, while waiting to obtain tickets for the "Prophete," such was the excitement occasioned by its production.

BIOGRAPHY OF LORD JEFFREY.—We are happy to learn that Lord Cockburn is engaged on a life of the late distinguished friend and brother judge Lord Jeffrey. The life long friendship between the great critic and his biographer—the similarity of their pursuits—and the easy yet forcible style of the learned lord, can hardly fail to ensure an interesting memoir.—*Greenock Advocate.*

The Richmond and Danville Railroad Company have just contracted for twelve hundred tons of heavy English iron rails at $39 50 per ton, delivered in James River.

MR. RITCHIE, OF THE UNION.—The Southern Democrats, of the ultra pro-slavery cast, such as Meade, of Va., and Venable, of N C., (old nullifiers,) are assailing Mr. Ritchie for giving in to the "adjustment," but Mr. Ritchie is giving them courageous and effective blows back in his paper.

The Egyptian Mummy unrolled at Boston last week, by Mr. Glidden, which was believed to be a female, is proved to have been a man.

A CONGREGATION OF ELDERS.—The Hempstead (Long Island) Inquirer, publishes a list of the members of the congregation of Rev. Z. Greene, in Suffolk county, who are over seventy years old. It includes the name of five persons over 100; eighteen over 90; fifty one over 80, and forty five over 70 years of age.

The Mint in New Orleans is once more in operation, and it is expected a million of dollars will be coined this month, at that establishment.

The Delaware Whig State Convention assembles at Lewes, on the 25th ult., to nominate candidates for Governor and Congress.

Another tractarian, second only in rank to Mr. Newman, has gone to Rome to abjure Protestantism.

Louis Phillippe is menaced with an attack of dropsy in the chest.

A WEALTHY THIEF.—The Cleveland Herald states that Mr. H. N. Ward, of that city, a man of wealth and previous good standing, has been proved to have committed repeated thefts. A secret apartment in his barn was found full of stolen goods.

A tobacconist in St. Louis, whose till had been frequently robbed, in order to detect the thief, so arranged a loaded pistol that it would be discharged on the opening of the till. On the next visit of the thief, he received the contents of the pistol, and was found to be the tobacconist's own apprentice boy.

The Board of Managers of the Washington Monument Society propose to celebrate the approaching Fourth of July at Monument Place, Washington. It is understood that a procession will be formed, and move from the City Hall to the Monument grounds, where the Oration will be delivered by the Hon. H. S. Foote; when it is expected a collection will be taken up in aid of the great Monument now in the course of erection.

LONG SENTENCES.—John C. Sullens, convicted at St. Louis, of murder in the second degree, has been sent to the State prison for fifty years, and Thomas McDonald, convicted of robbery, for twenty years.

JEROME K. BOYER, Esq., editor of the Carlisle (Pa.) Democrat, has returned safely to his duties, having been no further than Williamsport, and never having had any idea of going to Cuba with the invaders.

FORGED PASSPORTS.—The United States Department of State have information of a forgery and sale of blank passports, and have given notice that blanks are never issued, and no person is permitted to sell them.

COST OF FASHIONABLE BATHING.—The sum of six hundred and fifty dollars is asked for an ordinary house, and still more ordinary furniture, for three months, at Newport watering place.

DESPERATE FIGHT.—The Rio Grande Sentinel, of the 25th ult., gives an account of an affray between two gamblers, D. W. Shopshire and J. Van Alston, at Rio Grande city. Both parties were armed with pistols and bowie knives, and after a desperate fight Shopshire was killed.

POWERS' STATUE OF EVE, on board the "Westmoreland," which was wrecked near Carthagena, on the coast of Spain, not long ago, has been got out, but as the vessel had been full of putrid water, for a month or more, of course in a damaged state, more or less.

Another serious Crevasse, sixty miles above New Orleans, had occurred on the 30th ult. It is represented to be 100 yards wide, and the water is rushing through with great velocity.

Luther Severance, of Maine, is confirmed as Commissioner to the Sandwich Islands.

Six thousand visitors are expected at Newport this season.

Mr. Hyde, of New York city, it is stated, is to be added to the editorial corps of the Republic.

A COMEDIAN, in New York city, had lately the sum of $175,000 bequeathed to him. An act in the drama of life which he would no doubt like to rehearse.

LOGAN, WILSON & CO.,
129 WOOD ST., ABOVE FIFTH,
Have just received large additions to their
SPRING STOCK OF HARDWARE, CUTLERY, &c
Imported by late packets from Europe, and to which they would especially call the attention of purchasers, believing their very extensive stocks and low prices will give entire satisfaction.
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DENTIST
DR. D. HUNT,
Dentist, Corner of Fourth and Decatur, between Market an
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Improvements in Dentistry.

DR. G. O. STEARNS, late of Boston, is prepared to manufacture and set Block Teeth in whole and parts of sets, upon Suction or Atmospheric Suction Plates.—Toothache cured in five minutes, where the nerve is exposed. Office and residence next door to the Mayor's office, Fourth street, Pittsburgh.

References—J. B. M'Fadden, F. H. Eaton. ja19

Scald of the Foot and Ankle Cured.

Mr. Kier—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 had immediate relief by the use of the Petroleum in burns, from which I am a frequent sufferer owing 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 Curry, Allegheny city; D A Elliott, Allegheny; Joseph Douglass, Allegheny; also by the proprietor, S. M. KIER,
ap27 Canal Basin, Seventh st, Pittsburgh

☞ Dr M'Lane's Liver Pills.—This great American remedy for one of the most formidable ills that flesh is heir to, is now acknowledged superior to any medicine of the kind ever offered to the public. The action is easy, certain, and attended with no unpleasant result. It has never been tried without producing the most salutary effect. Compounded by one of the most eminent physicians in our country, it is the medicine which science, skill, and experience offers to human suffering. Call and purchase a box

☞ For sale by J. KIDD & CO, No 60 Wood street.
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ENCOURAGE HOME INSTITUTIONS.
CITIZENS'
INSURANCE COMPANY,
of Pittsburgh.

C. G. HUSSEY, Pres't .... A. W. MARKS, Sec'y.
Office—No. 41 Water street, in the warehouse of C H. GRANT.

THIS COMPANY is now prepared to insure all kinds of risks, on houses, manufactories, goods merchandise in store, and in transitu vessels, &c.

An ample guaranty for the ability and integrity of the Institution, is afforded in the character of the Directors, who are all citizens of Pittsburgh, well and favorably known to the community for their prudence, intelligence, and integrity.

Directors—C. G. Hussey, Wm. Bagaley, Wm Larimer, Jr., Walter Bryant, Hugh D King, Edward Heazelton, Z. Kinsey, S. Harbaugh, S. M. Kier.
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MARRIED.

On the 11th instant, by Rev. C. Foster, Mr J. N. Orbin, to Miss Margaret Q. Cox, all of Brownsville, Pa

NOTICE.

THIS is to inform the public that Mr. Cyrus Black, my brother, whom I had appointed agent for the settlement of my business affairs, as attorney in fact for me, has withdrawn his agency, and all business connected with my affairs will be settled by myself.
je12:d1t* CAROLINE SMITH

Alicant Mats.

RECEIVED this day, a fresh assortment of Alicant or Grass Mats, at the Carpet Wareroom of
W McCLINTOCK
je13 75 Fourth st

Patent Stair Oil Cloth Cover.

W. McCLINTOCK has received this day, at his Carpet Warehouse, No 75 Fourth st, Stair Oil Cloth Covering of very handsome patterns and colors, to which we invite the attention of purchasers.
je13

RECEIVED this day, at W. McClintock's Carpet Warehouse, more of those handsome Three Ply Imperial Carpets, to which we invite the attention of purchasers je13

COFFEE—100 bags Rio just arrived, for sale on consignment, by TAAFFE & O'CONNOR
je13

MACKEREL—50 brls No 3 fresh Mackerel, Boston importation will be sold low, to close consignment by je13 TAAFFE & O'CONNOR

TO BUILDERS—40 brls Roman Cement, for sale by
je13 TAAFFE & O'CONNOR

SODA ASH—22 casks received and for sale by
je11 S & W HARBAUGH

CIGARS—200,000 common in store, for sale by
je13 S & W HARBAUGH

POTATOES—1500 bushels in store, for sale by
je13 STUART & SILL

BUCKETS—50 doz Beaver Buckets just received by
je13 STUART & SILL

SOAP—45 bxs Cincinnati, for sale by
je13 STUART & SILL

MURPHY & BUCHFIELD are now offering goods at greatly reduced prices. Lawns from 6 cents up; 4-4 light Chintz from 10 cents up; Berages for 12½c; Plain Black Berage for 12½c; Bonnet Ribbons for 6c per yard. Ladies are invited to call and examine our stock of dress goods before purchasing elsewhere—North east corner of Fourth and Market sts. je13

CHEESE—200 bxs prime cream cheese just rec'd and for sale by J B CANFIELD
je13 143 Front st

SALERATUS—200 boxes Saleratus;
10 brls do;
5 casks do; in store, for sale by
je13 J B CANFIELD

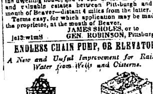
FOR SALE,

A MOST valuable Farm on the Ohio River; 21 miles below Pittsburgh, containing 113 acres, a large proportion of which is in high cultivation, of which about 40 acres are first rate river bottom, and the residue prime upland. On the premises are erected a substantial cut stone dwelling, occupied as a tavern on the Beaver Road, with a stone and frame stable and barn, and fine bearing orchard. The property fronts on the Ohio River, and the Ohio and Pennsylvania Rail Road, now being made, passes in front of the dwelling house, and is one of the most beautiful and valuable estates between Pittsburgh and the mouth of Beaver—distant 4 miles from the latter.

Terms easy, for which application may be made to the proprietor, at the mouth of Beaver,
JAMES SHOLES, or to
je13:wim8 GEN. ROBINSON, Pittsburgh.

ENDLESS CHAIN PUMP, OR ELEVATOR.

A New and Useful Improvement for Raising Water from Wells and Cisterns.



On account of remarkable simplicity in construction, these Pumps are very easily put up and kept running, not being liable to get out of order or to be deranged.

No other pumps produce so good an effect on the quality of water, for these agitate it from the top to the bottom, thus keeping it lively and fresh like spring water, which owes much of its sparkling character to a constant circulation.

They require little power—can be put in wells of any depth—and cannot freeze, in consequence of the water falling to a level when the pump is not in use. Wherever they have been used, they have given great satisfaction, and are, indeed, for raising water, the best pumps in the world.

One of these pumps can be seen at David Prossel's in Birmingham, opposite this city, who will attend to putting them in, or give directions. The pumps are for sale by JOSEPH WOODWELL,
je13:w4t*3 Cor. Second & Wood sts, Pittsburgh.

PROPOSALS FOR A LOAN.

THE eleventh and twelfth sections of the Act of the General Assembly of this Commonwealth, entitled "A Supplement to an Act entitled an Act to create a Sinking Fund and to provide for the gradual and certain extinguishment of the debt of the Commonwealth and to authorize a loan," approved the 15th day of May A. D 1850, provides as follows, viz:—

Section 11. That the Governor is hereby authorized to negotiate a loan for the sum of Three Millions Three Hundred Thousand Dollars, redeemable in thirty years from the date of the subscription thereof, at a rate of interest not exceeding four per centum per annum, payable in gold and silver, semi-annually, upon the first days of February and August of each year, and exempt from every species of taxation: Notice, that proposals for said loan will be received, shall be published in at least one newspaper in the Borough of Harrisburg, in the cities of Pittsburgh, Lancaster, and Philadelphia, and in the cities of New York, Boston, and Baltimore, for a period not less than three months before the opening of said proposals, and by letter elsewhere, if deemed necessary, and upon the day assigned for that purpose, in such notice, the proposals shall be opened in the presence of the Governor, the Secretary of the Commonwealth, and Auditor General, and the loan shall be awarded to the highest bidder or bidders. If the amount of the bids shall exceed the sum of the said loan the same shall be distributed pro rata amongst the highest bidders, but if the whole of said loan shall not then be taken the Governor may renew notice, in the manner aforesaid, from time to time, till the whole amount of said loan shall be subscribed. No conditional bids shall be considered; and upon awarding such loans, or any part thereof, certificates with coupons for the interest, shall be issued therefor by the Auditor General.

Section 12. If the said loan shall be subscribed, it shall be and it is hereby appropriated for the payment and extinguishment of the funded debt of this Commonwealth, now due, or to become due, during the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty, and for the [illegible] domestic creditors.

In pursuance of the provisions aforesaid, notice is hereby given, that proposals will be received at the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth until 12 o'clock P. M. of Tuesday, the first day of October next, stipulating for a loan to the Commonwealth, for the purposes set forth in the said act, of the sum of three millions three hundred thousand dollars, redeemable in thirty years from the date of the subscription thereof, at a rate of interest not exceeding four per centum per annum, payable in gold and silver, semi-annually, upon the first days of February and August of each year, and exempt from every species of taxation.

Certificates of stock for the said loan, with coupons for the interest will be issued in the usual manner and made transferable by the owner, on the books of the Auditor General's Department.

The proposals will be required to state explicitly the amount offered, (which shall not in any case be less than one thousand dollars,) and the premium proposed.

The State reserves the right to accept the whole or any part of the sums offered at the premium proposed.

Bids for the loan must be direct and explicit. No conditional proposal will be received or considered.

Upon the acceptance of the proposals, the money must be paid into the State Treasury, in such manner as shall be directed by the Governor.

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To proposals to be directed, under seal, to this office, endorsed, "Proposals for Loan." They will be opened [illegible]

A L RUSSELL, Secretary of the Commonwealth.
Secretary's Office, Harrisburg, June 6th, 1850.
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COFFEE—100 bags for sale by C H GRANT
je18 24 Water street

FAMILY HORSE for sale, 6 years old, gentle and gay [illegible]
J B DILWORTH & CO
je3 27 Wood street

RECENT PUBLICATIONS.

Putz—Medieval Geography and History, 12mo.
Erman—Travels in Siberia, 2 vols. 12mo.
Brown—The American Bird Fancier.
Brown—The American Poultry Yard, 12mo.
Bennett—The Poultry Book, 12mo
Fletcher—Nineveh, Assyria, and Syria.
Mackay—Popular Delusion 2 vols, 12mo.
Thomas—American Fruit Culturist
Knapp—Chemical Technology, 2 vols, 12mo.
Spencer—The East
Darlington—Memorials of Bartram and Marshall.
Layard—Nineveh and its Remains, illustrated, 2 vols
Agassiz—Lake Superior, 8vo, Illustrated.
Beasley—Druggists' Receipt Book, 12mo.
Carpenter—Alcoholic Liquors, 12mo.

For sale by JAMES D LOCKWOOD
je12 Bookseller & Importer, 104 Fourth st.

Chulan Teas

RECEIVED at the Pittsburgh Family Grocery and Tea Warehouse:—
5 hf chts genuine Fongtae Chulan Teas in 9 oz papers
5 do Chulan Powchong Teas in 9 oz papers;
5 do do do do 7 oz do;

The above celebrated Black Teas are received direct from the importers, and will be sold as low as they can be purchased in the east, with the addition of freight, wholesale or retail, by
WM A McCLURG & CO
je12 256 Liberty st

HOMEOPATHIC CHOCOLATE for sale by
je12 WM A McCLURG & CO

NEW MACKEREL—100 brls No 3, large;
5 brls No 2, do;
5 brls No 1, do;
10 hf brls No 2, do;
30 brls No 1 Herring;
10 brls No 1 Shad;

Arriving and for sale by
je12 JOHN WATT & CO

POTATOES—400 bushels in store, for sale by
je12 WILLIAM H JOHNSTON

BROOMS—46 doz Corn Brooms for sale by
je12 WILLIAM H JOHNSTON

CORN—100 bu in store, for sale by
je12 WILLIAM H JOHNSTON

SUNDRIES—1013 Bacon Shoulders, in bulk;
12 casks Hams;
5 casks Sides;
6 casks Shoulders;
4 casks assorted;
51 brls Lard;
3 half brls do;
30 sacks Feathers;
1 sack Ginseng;

To arrive on steamer American Star, for sale by
ISAIAH DICKEY & CO
je12 Water and Front st

LINSEED OIL—4 casks, a prime article, just rec'd and for sale by je12 S & W HARBAUGH

BACON SIDES—3 casks just rec'd for sale by
je12 S & W HARBAUGH

NOTICE.

THE undersigned Commissioners, named in the Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, passed March 21, A. D 1849, hereby give notice, that they have procured a sufficient number of suitable books for subscription to the stock of the Pittsburgh and Steubenville Rail Road Company, and that the said books will be kept open according to a law to secure subscriptions for the stock of the said company, at the following places, viz:—

At the Exchange Hotel, in the city of Pittsburgh; at the house of Alexander McCandless, in the village of Noblestown, Allegheny county; at the house of P. Crafford, in the village of Burgettstown; and at the store of S & H Livingston, in the village of Florence, Washington county, from the hours of 9 A. M. to the hour of 3 P. M., upon Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, the 1st, 2d, and 3d, days of July 1850 or until sixteen thousand shares shall have been subscribed.

THOS BAVINGTON,
JOHN DUNCAN, Jr.,
THOS. C. HUNTER,
JAMES McFANEN,
JAMES WALLACE,
je12:d&wtjy3T SAMUEL LIVINGSTON.

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1850.
SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

CENTRAL RAIL ROAD OPEN TO HUNTINGDON, PA.

PENNSYLVANIA ROUTE.

Two Daily Lines Express Packet Boats,
And Rail Road Cars,
(Exclusively for Passengers,)
TO PHILADELPHIA AND BALTIMORE,
Via the Central Rail Road and Penn's Canal.
240 miles Rail Road, and 140 miles Canal.
Time—56 hours .... Fare—$10 through.
The Portage Rail Road is passed in day light.

ON an after this date, (10th June,) the Central Rail Road will run TWO DAILY TRAINS PASSENGER CARS from Huntingdon to Philadelphia The cars on the above road and the Allegheny Portage Rail Road are all new and of the very best description in the country, and with the increased speed on the mountains, passengers go through with despatch.

A Packet Boat will leave every morning at 6 o'clock, and every evening at 9 o'clock.

For Safety, Speed, and Comfort, this route is decidedly the most preferable now in use to the Eastern Cities. For passage or information apply to
W SUTCH, Monongahela House;
or to D LEECH & CO, Canal Basin.

P S.—On the 1st September, the Central Rail Road will be open to Hollidaysburg, when passengers will go through in 44 hours. je11

SUNDRIES—8 casks Duffield's Sugar Cured Hams;
10 brls No 3 Mackerel;
2 brls Dubbed Herring;
6 casks Potash;
1 brl Ground Cassia;
1 brl do Pepper;
1 brl do Ginger;
1 brl do Mustard;
10 kegs Alspice;
10 kegs Pepper;
20 bxs Starch;
10 brls Crushed and Pulverized Sugars,
300 lbs Zante Currants;
10 hf chests Chulan Tea;
10 do Superior Green Tea;
40 bxs fine and extra do;
20 brls Cider Vinegar.

In store and for sale by J D WILLIAMS & CO
je11 cor. Wood & Fifth sts.

JUST RECEIVED—600 feet of 2 inch 3 ply Gum Hose, for Fire Engine purposes; warranted to be equal to leather in every respect. The fire departments are invited to call and examine them at the India Rubber Depot, Nos. 7 & 9 Wood street.
je11 J & H PHILLIPS

AIR BALLS—78 doz Goodyear's Air Balls, assorted sizes, just received. Sold wholesale at the manufacturer's prices, at Nos. 7 & 9 Wood street.
je11 J & H PHILLIPS

FLOOR OIL CLOTH—500 yds 4-4 Floor Oil Cloth, just received from the factory, and for sale at the Wareroom, Nos. 7 & 9 Wood street.
je11 J & H PHILLIPS

GREEN OIL CLOTH—700 yds 4 & 5 quarter Green Oil Cloth, for Window Blinds, received this day from the Phillipsville Factory, for sale at the Wareroom, 7 & 9 Wood st. [je11] J & H PHILLIPS

Good Books for Summer Reading.

Mackay—Popular Delusions, 2 vols, 12mo.
Taylor—Eldorado, 2 vols, 12mo.
Gley—Story of the Battle of Waterloo, 12mo.
Erman—Travels in Siberia, 2 vols, 12mo.
———Napoleon and his Marshals, 2 vols, 12mo.
Dickens—Household Words, Nos 1 to 8, 8vo.
Lee—Naomi, 12mo.
Marvel—Fresh Gleanings, 12mo.
Fullerton—Grantley Manor, 12mo.
Lee—Life of Jean Paul, 12mo.
———Merry Mount, a Romance, 2 vols 12mo.
Edgworth—Harrington and Thoughts on Bores, 12mo
Taylor—Lady Mary. For sale by
JAMES D LOCKWOOD
je11 104 Fourth street.

WRITING PAPER—124 rms Ruled Leaf;
144 rms do Post for sale
je11 WICK & McCANDLESS

MAPLE MOLASSES—2 pkgs for sale by
je11 WICK & McCANDLESS

POTASH—8 casks pure Potash rec'd for sale by
je11 WICK & McCANDLESS

SALERATUS—20 casks Dean's Saleratus
40 bxs do do for sale by
je11 WICK & McCANDLESS

FLAXSEED—4 brls rec'd by Pilot No 2, for sale by
je11 WICK & McCANDLESS

BROOMS—140 doz Corn Brooms for sale by,
je11 WICK & McCANDLESS

BUTTER—1 brl roll Butter;
50 kgs packed do, for sale by
je11 WICK & McCANDLESS

CHEESE—20 bxs W. R. Cheese, for sale by
je11 WICK & McCANDLESS

FLOUR—200 brls superfine and extra, for sale by
je11 ARMSTRONG & CROZER

BACON—2000 lbs hog round rec'd for sale by
je11 ARMSTRONG & CROZER

LOUISVILLE LIME—75 brls in store for sale by
je11 ARMSTRONG & CROZER

POTATOES—200 bu received for sale by
je11 ARMSTRONG & CROZER

CIDER VINEGAR—10 brls in store, for sale by
je11 ARMSTRONG & CROZER

CORN BROOMS—75 dozen rec'd for sale by
je11 ARMSTRONG & CROZER

COFFEE—8 bags Rio to close consignment for sale
je11 ARMSTRONG & CROZER

LARD—10 kegs No 1 rec'd for sale by
je11 ARMSTRONG & CROZER

SUGAR HOUSE MOLASSES—30 brls for sale by
je11 ARMSTRONG & CROZER

MURPHY & BURCHFIELD have a large stock of Fancy and Staple Dry Goods, selling off at greatly reduced prices, viz:—

Barege de Laines a large assortment of beautiful patterns;
Mulls, Jaconet and Swiss Muslins,
A splendid assortment of Black and Fancy Silks;
Berages, Lawns and De Laines, remarkably cheap;
Beautiful Foulard Silks, at 37½ cents per yard;
Beautiful Calicoes, from 6¼ cents, and upwards;
A large stock of Brown and Bleached Muslins, 6¼c per yard, and upwards,
Bonnets and Parasols, at greatly reduced prices.
Cloths, Cassimeres, and Vestings, of the best quality, remarkably low.

Together with a large stock of Tickings, Apron and Shirting Checks, all widths; Brown and Bleached Sheetings and Shirtings; Irish Linens; together with [illegible] North east corner of Fourth and Market sts.

Peremptory sale of 82 Building Lots,
On Herr's Island, in the Borough of Duquesne.

On Thursday afternoon, June 13, at 3 o'clock, will be sold on the premises, [illegible]
J D DAVIS, Auctioneer.
je11

EXTRACTS of Lemon, Vanilla, Rose, Bitter Almonds, for flavoring Ice Creams, Jellies, Custards, &c., for sale by R E SELLERS
57 Wood st

CORKS—Mineral and Porter—7 bales just rec'd for sale by [je10] R E SELLERS

SCYTHE SNEATHS—6 doz rec'd, for sale by
je11 C H GRANT

SKETCHES and Rambles. In Ireland. By J. T. Headly. [illegible]
Annals of the Queens of Spain. By A. George.
[illegible] By Charles Burdett.
For sale by JOHNSTON & STOCKTON
je8 47 Market street

Divine origin of Government.

J. D. LOCKWOOD, 104 Fourth street, will publish this day, the Divine Origin of Government, translated from the French of Dr. Maistre, [illegible] in one vol 12mo.
je8

[illegible] SETTING POLES [illegible] landing and for sale by ROBERT DALZELL & CO
Liberty street

P. W. GATES'
PATENT DIES FOR CUTTING SCREWS.
PATENTED MAY 8, 1847.

THESE DIES having been adopted and highly approved in all the principal shops in New York and Philadelphia, are now offered to manufacturers, machinists, ship smiths, &c., with the utmost confidence, as the most perfect article in use for cutting screws.

Their superiority over any other Dies heretofore used, consists in their cutting a PERFECT SCREW, whether V or SQUARE thread, by once passing over the iron to be cut, which require no *swedging or previous preparation*, as the dies cut the thread out of the solid iron, without raising it in the least; in their greater durability, rapidity, and perfection of work; and in their simplicity and little liability to get out of order.

Certificates.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 17, 1848.

This is to certify that we have purchased from P. W. Gates the right of using his patent Dies for cutting bolts. In our opinion, his Dies are much superior to any others we are acquainted with for the purpose of cutting bolts.

J P MORRIS & CO.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 21, 1848.

Having had P W Gates' Patent Dies in use in our establishment for, the last nine months, for cutting bolts, we can in every respect recommend them in the highest terms, as we have laid all others away, they being so far superior—considering them 75 per cent. cheaper than any others now in use.

RANEY, NEAFIE & CO.
Penn Works, Pa.

This is to certify that we have purchased the right to use, and adopted in our business, P W Gates' Patent Screw Cutter, which we highly approve of. We can do much more work, and we believe it will surpass in durability and precision, as much as economy of labor, any dies known to us

MORRIS, TASKER & MORRIS.
PHILADELPHIA, 9th month, 29th day, 1848.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19, 1849.

Having adopted P. W. Gates' "Patent Dies" for cutting bolts, we take pleasure in saying, that it more than answers our expectations, and have no hesitation in giving it as our opinion, that it far excels any other plan in present use for cutting bolts.

T F SECOR & CO.

We have P. W Gates' "Patent Dies" for cutting screws, and the economy of using them is so very considerable, that we look upon them as indispensable to every establishment having any quantity of screws to cut.

McCORMICK, OGDEN & CO,
CHICAGO, May 10, 1849.

ORDNANCE OFFICE, WASHINGTON, 6th Sept., '48.

I have purchased of W. H. Scoville for the United States, the right to use in all the arsenals and armories under the supervision of this Department, P. W. Gates' "Patent Dies" for cutting screws on metal, they having been tried in two of the large arsenals, and found to be very efficient and excellent

A. TALCOTT, Col. Ordinance.

BUREAU OF YARDS AND DOCKS,
WASHINGTON, Sept. 25, 1848.

Considering Gates' Patented Improvement for cutting screws on metal to be a valuable one, I have, by authority of the Honorable Secretary of the Navy, purchased of the Attorneys of the Patentee, Wm. H. Scoville, and Samuel Mower, Esq, the right to make and use said improvement for the U. S. Navy.

JOSEPH SMITH, Chief of Bureau.

In use also by
Buffalo Works, Buffalo;
Reese & Ashley, Rochester;
Rowlett & Co, Gloucester, N. Y;
Haywood & Snyder, Schuylkill County;
Birbeck, New York;
Hogg & Delamater, "Phœnix," N. Y;
H. K. Dunham & Co, New York;
Denmead & Co, Monument Works, Balt;
Van Curen, Rochester;
Mott & Ayres, New York;
Allaur Works, do;
Pease & Murphy, do;
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FLOUR—30 brls family Flour for sale by
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FISH—10 bbls Nova Scotia Herring;
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