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MONDAY MORNING, JUNE 16.

CITY AND NEIGHBORHOOD INTELLIGENCE.

Meeting of Citizens in Aid of our Sick and Wounded.

A meeting of citizens was held at the Merchants' Exchange, at two o'clock on Saturday afternoon, to hear the report of the Sanitary Commission sent to Virginia to minister to our sick and wounded soldiers and to devise ways and means to carry out the suggestions of the Commission.

The meeting was organized with the following officers: President—Thos. Bakewell; Vice President—Reuben Miller, jr.; Secretaries—R. H. Davis and D. O'Neill.

D. P. Lowary, Esq., read the report of the Commission, which was accepted and the papers requested to publish it. The report was as follows:

The Committee sent out by the Sanitary Commission, to the army now occupying the country in front of Richmond, beg leave to report, as follows:

THE WOUNDED

seem to be well cared for. They are found in hospitals in Fortress Monroe, Baltimore, Washington City, Philadelphia, New York, &c., and are made as comfortable as the most skilful surgical talent, and the tenderest and most watchful nursing can make them. Kind hands of the gentler sex soothe the noble fellows' brows and minister to every want. These remarks are in no way applicable to the

HOSPITALS AT YORKTOWN,

which in their sanitary and dietetic arrangements are, to say the very best for them that truth will permit, most miserable. We are glad to know that the Government is about to take steps for the removal of the sick and wounded to more comfortable quarters.

HOSPITALS AT WHITE HOUSE.

Here there are at present about 1500 soldiers, most of whom are sick. They are comparatively comfortable and well provided for. The General Sanitary Commission of New York has its representatives here, and noble ladies, having left the comforts of home and the charms of society, labor assiduously to promote the comfort of the men. But in the medical directory at this point there is something radically wrong. Men are oftentimes ordered from their blankets in the tent to their regiments in the field who are wholly unfit for duty.

BEYOND WHITE HOUSE,

in the field, the great want is seen, the great suffering to be alleviated is found.—Scattered all along our lines, in every regiment, there are found the sick and suffering. These men have surgical attention and are waited upon by comrades detailed for that duty or voluntarily bestowing it, it is true, but are in many, very many instances without shelter, tents—are lying upon the ground, and their diet consists of hard crackers and salt pork. How the poor sick man, whose taste longs with inexpressible yearnings for something palatable and refreshing, loathes this coarse, improper food and he turns from it in disgust. But this is the best the government can do.

THE SANITARY COMMISSION

just steps in at this point and here finds its field of successful operation and most gratefully received attention. One of the regular army surgeons fitly and justly expressed the sentiments of the entire force in the field, when he said: "The Sanitary Commission is the best friend the soldier has, and the most efficient helper of the surgeon."

The establishment of head-quarters at White House, in a tent provided for the purpose and presided over by the chief director of the commission, would be accessible from all points along our line via the railroad running thence to Fair Oak station. It would also afford direct communication with Fortress Monroe and the outer wall beyond. Here supplies could be received, and being sent to a small depot established at Fair Oaks, they could be disbursed readily to all places where our boys are found and in need. All that is necessary to make this plan practicable and successful is for the people to contribute (and their contributions should be generous) of their means to further the object. The co-operation of the War Department should be obtained, and this, we doubt not, can be easily effected, and then it only remains for the right kind and the right number of devoted nurses, to take their lives in their hands, encounter all risks, and, trusting to Almighty God, to go forth upon this errand of mercy, prompted by an ardent desire to do good, to relieve suffering and to exercise gentleness, patience and unwearying vigilance and a pure christianity in behalf of and toward our brave troops.

It is essential that those who go should be selected only with reference to their fitness for this life of self-denial and this mission of benevolence. No one should proffer his services who is not actuated by the holiest impulses, who has not a due appreciation of his duties, and who is not willing to devote all his energies to the work. We would warn any one against going from any motive of curiosity or selfishness; we would advise all to go prepared for scenes of indescribable suffering, for heroic work and for every emergency.

THE RESULTS

will be most gratifying. The sick soldier under this care will have new hopes inspired, deeper feelings of patriotism will be stirred within him and many a hundred be stirred within him and many a hundred who otherwise would "pine away and die" will be restored to the fond embraces of loved ones at home.

At the suggestion of Postmaster Von Bonnhorst, Hon. Robert McKnight, who is temporarily in the city, was requested to inform the meeting as to the recent action taken by Congress towards improving the sanitary condition of the soldiers. He related what he had seen at White House, Va., which convinced the fourteen members of Congress there present that prompt measures were necessary. On their return to Washington a committee, appointed on board the boat, called first upon the Surgeon General and then upon the Secretary of War, who, at their request, appointed on the following day, an Assistant Surgeon General and five medical Directors, under the provisions of a bill already passed.—These have been confirmed by the Senate and have assumed their duties. Since that time forty additional Surgeons and eighty Assistant Surgeons have been authorized. As these are appointed and in the service, when men will have good medical attendance our hospitals so much needed, owing to the scarcity of surgeons in the army. He also stated that the hospital at Yorktown is to be removed to Fortress Monroe and another established at Lee's White house, on the Pamunky river, which will accommodate three or four hundred. It had also been determined to remove all who are able to stand a journey to hospitals in the North, where they can remain until convalescent. He approved of the recommendations of the committee and hoped all who went on as nurses should go with a determination to give their undivided attention to the comfort of the noble soldiers now suffering from disease and wounds, contracted in our country's service.

The President, Mr. Bakewell, then offered the following preamble and resolutions:

WHEREAS, The report of Messrs. Lowary, Pitt and Irwin, the committee recently visiting the battle-fields of Eastern Virginia, clearly shows the necessity for providing immediate and effective relief and assistance for such of the volunteers in Eastern Pennsylvania, as are now suffering from wounds or disease contracted while patriotically hazarding their lives in the defence of their homes, their families and their firesides, and

WHEREAS, It is the imperative duty of those citizens whose circumstances may prevent them from engaging in active service, to contribute liberally towards such measures as may be adopted for alleviating the sufferings of those persons who are actively engaged in the present arduous contest, Therefore,

Resolved, That the Sanitary Committee are authorized to accept the services of such judicious and competent persons as may volunteer to proceed to Eastern Virginia to attend to the necessities of our sick and wounded in such manner as may most effectually contribute to their relief, and who will remain there while the necessity may exist for their continuance.

Resolved, That in case a sufficient number of persons should not volunteer for this purpose, that the Sanitary Committe are hereby authorized and directed to engage judicious and competent male nurses, not exceeding twenty, to be paid for their services a reasonable compensation, and this meeting pledges itself to provide the funds to carry its proceedings into effect, for payment of such nurses and providing medicines and other necessaries for the sick and wounded volunteers.

Resolved, That we recommend to the Sanitary Committee the appointment of an Assistant Director to co-operate with F. R. Brunot, Esq.

Resolved, That F. R. Brunot, Esq., now at Washington, be respectfully requested to act as Director of the volunteer assistant nurses in Eastern Virginia, to whom they shall report and by whom their proceeding shall be regulated.

Resolved, That the various Ward and Township Committees, who have been appointed to collect funds for the Sanitary Committee, are urgently requested to proceed with their duties, and report without delay to Jas. Park, jr., Treasurer of the Sanitary Fund, by whom all contributions will be thankfully received.

Resolved, That those Wards and Townships in which collecting committees have not been appointed, or reported, to act, are requested forthwith to appoint committees and report as above.

Mr. Shannon spoke at some length in favor of the resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

On motion of Mr. Park, O. O. Phillips, Esq., from the first commission sent out, read a report showing what they had done, which was adopted, as follows:

Your committee beg leave to report that they visited the different government hospitals in Baltimore and found there a considerable number of sick and wounded from Allegheny county. The accommodations were good and the men seemed in every instance thoroughly satisfied with the treatment and attention bestowed on them. From Baltimore we went to Fortress Monroe. There were very few Pittsburghers in the hospital here, but those few we were informed were doing well. At Yorktown your committee found quite a number of Western Pennsylvanians, lying sick in the houses vacated by the rebels, and in the shanties and tents scattered around the town. Not having any medical stores with us, and no means or authority for the removal of any of the patients, we were unable to render them much assistance. But our presence seemed to cheer their drooping spirits, and whenever it was found that delicacies suitable for the sick could be purchased, your committee distributed money among the most needy, through which many little comforts were brought within their reach which they might not otherwise have been able to obtain. The hospital accommodations at Yorktown were not by any means good, and some of our Pennsylvanians complained of neglect and favoritism on the part of the Eastern physicians. Many of the buildings were crowded to excess, while numbers, suffering from fever and other kindred diseases, were huddled together in tents with the damp ground for a bed and a blanket their covering. Arrangements were being made at the time of our visit for improving the hospital accommodations there, but to what extent they were carried out your committee is unable to state. We reached White House at night and left next morning for Baltimore Cross Roads, about nine miles inland, where part of our army were encamped. During our stay with the army we visited, with a single exception, the different regiments raised in Western Pennsylvania, and those Pittsburgh companies serving in other regiments. The men as a general thing we found in good condition, but many of the regiments had suffered severely from exposure before Yorktown, and the hospitals and houses along the route contained more or less of their sick. Your committee visited the sufferers wherever practicable, and did all in their power to relieve their immediate wants.—There are very few sick with the army, those who were unable to do duty or accompany it in its daily marches having been left behind on the road. These men are for the most part without either proper treatment or accommodation, and it would be an act of mercy to the poor sufferers if steps were taken through which their removal to White House, or some place where they might receive proper attention, could be effected. Your committee cannot point to any very important results as arising from their labors; still they feel satisfied that their mission was not wholly without good. It served to show our soldiers that they were not forgotten at home, and from the manner in which your committee was received by both officers and men, it was evident that the interest which Allegheny county took in her sons, as evinced by the visit of your committee, was gratefully and warmly appreciated. If your committee did not accomplish more it was simply because they lacked the power. The spirit was willing but the means were wanting. The committee could not procure the removal of a single man, no matter what his complaint or condition, and as for supplying the sick with delicacies, nothing of the kind could be purchased at any price. Your committee feeling themselves powerless, as it were, to act, and there being no prospect then that their services could be of any avail, decided to return, after having passed nearly a week altogether in the camp. On our way home we visited the hospitals at Fortress Monroe, Baltimore, Washington and Philadelphia; also the Reserves at Fredericksburg, and saw nearly all the sick Western Pennsylvanians there. They are being well cared for and could not be more comfortable if at home.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. M. Shinn, Esq., thought a strong effort should now be made to collect money, if the system already adopted had failed (and the Treasurer informed him that but $600 had been received more than was necessary to pay for the expedition to Pittsburg Landing) another should be adopted. He therefore offered the following, which was passed:

Resolved, That the Sanitary Committee be advised to appoint a suitable general collecting committee, authorized to collect money for sanitary purposes, throughout the two cities and surrounding boroughs and townships.

A. W. Foster, Esq., offered a resolution calling upon the ministers of the several congregations of the county to take up collections for the Sanitary Commission in their respective churches on Sunday next and return the proceeds to the Secretary of the body.

This was discussed at some length and opposed with animation, Mr. Parke offering the following substitute, which was adopted by a large majority:

Resolved, That the Secretaries of the meeting be and they are hereby requested to have printed notices to be read from the pulpits by the pastors of the several churches of Pittsburgh and Allegheny county, calling the attention of their members to the effort now making by the Sanitary Committee to raise money to defray the expenses of the laudable mission under contemplation—the pastors informing their members that their contributions can be handed to the Treasurer of the Sanitary Commission.

The meeting then adjourned.

The committee will meet this morning at 10 o'clock at the office of the Western Insurance Co.

Any persons desirous of acting in the capacity of nurses are requested to make application to the committee at 10 o'clock this morning, with their testimonials, if unknown to the members of the Committee.

We are authorized by the Commission to say that any fresh fruits, jellies or other delicacies for the sick and wounded soldiers, left at Park, McCurdy & Co.'s warehouse, before 4 o'clock this afternoon, will be sent on immediately. Fresh butter, in small crocks, with layers of salt at bottom and top, will be very acceptable.

The Bridging of the Ohio.

Following is the bill provided for the establishment of certain post roads to which we referred on Saturday:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the bridge partly constructed across the Ohio river at Steubenville, in the State of Ohio, abutting on the Virginia shore of said river, is hereby declared to be a lawful structure: *Provided*, That when completed, if constructed without a draw, it shall leave an unobstructed headway in the channel of the river of not less than ninety feet above low water mark, and such channel or water way shall have an unobstructed width of not less than two hundred feet between the piers next to said channel or water way; or said bridge, if constructed with a draw, the same be constructed as provided in the fourth section of this act, as to elevation of draw and width of channel, and said draw shall remain open except as in said section provided.

SECTION 2. And be it further enacted, That the said bridge is hereby declared a public highway, and established a post road for the purpose of transmission of mails of the United States, and that the Steubenville and Indiana Railroad Company, chartered by the Legislature of the State of Ohio, and the Halliday's Cove Railroad Company, chartered by the State of Virginia, or either of them, are authorized to have, maintain, and operate said bridge when completed, as set forth in the preceding section, anything in any law or laws of the above named State to the contrary notwithstanding; and the officers and crews of all vessels and boats navigating said river are required to regulate the use of their said vessels and boats, and of any pipes or chimneys belonging thereto, so as not to interfere with the elevation, construction and use of said bridge.

SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That it shall be lawful for any other railroad company or companies, whose line or lines of road may now or shall hereafter be built to the Ohio river, in accordance with the terms of the charter or charters of such company or companies, to build a bridge across said river for the more perfect connexion of any such roads and for the passage of trains thereof, under the limitations and conditions hereafter provided.

SEC. 4. And be it further enacted, That any bridge erected under the privileges of this act may, at the option of the company or companies building the same, be built either as a draw bridge, with a pivot or other form of draw, or with unbroken or continuous spans: Provided, that if the said bridge shall be made with unbroken and continuous spans it shall not be of less elevation than ninety feet above low water mark over the channel of the said river; nor shall the piers of the same be of less distance apart than two hundred feet: And provided also, that if any bridge built under the privileges of this act shall be constructed with piers not less than two hundred feet apart, except that at the interval designated for the draw, the space of clear waterway may be reduced to, but shall not be less than one hundred feet on each side of the pivot or central pier of the draw: and that said draw shall be located immediately over the channel of the said river as understood at the time of the erection of the bridge: And provided also, that both spans of said draw shall at all times remain open for the passage of boats, except when required to be closed for the passage of engines or trains, and for ten minutes preceding the time any such engines or trains may be due.

SEC. 5. And be it further enacted, That any bridge or bridges erected under the provisions of this act shall be lawful structures, and shall be recognized and known as post routes, upon which no higher charge shall be made for the transmission over the same of the mails, the troops and munitions of war of the United States, than the rate per mile which the company or companies erecting such bridge may from time to time receive on the balance of their line or lines for such services.

Delegate Meeting in McClure Tp.

The Democracy of McClure township met at Eckert's Hotel on Saturday to elect delegates to the County Convention. R. H. Kerr and C. Gerber were duly chosen to represent the township.

Mr. Kerr presented the following which were fully agreed to unanimously, and ordered to be published in the *Dispatch*, *Chronicle* and *Post*.

Resolved, That the delegates are hereby requested to procure the nomination of a full Democratic ticket, and in no instance to affiliate with the enemies of the Constitution, and should the Convention order otherwise, then the delegates withdraw, as it is the desire of loyal citizens to sustain the Union and harmonize to restore our country to its former prosperous condition and the Democracy to power, for in every instance the country has been most prosperous when they have administered the government. They are to the Union of the States what the Bible is to the Christians. We most heartily endorse the prompt reply of General. John A. Dix: "*Shoot down the man who will attempt to pull down the American flag.*"

Resolved, That the candidates for legislative favor, to procure our votes, must pledge a willing support in favor of equalizing taxation in the county, we require and authorize, in addition to property now held and made liable for county purposes, that all kinds of property, real and personal, of whatever nature or kind, either in stocks invested in banks, corporation, or incorporated companies, such as bridges, insurance, bonds, mortgages, &c., &c., and that any and all general and special laws exempting property real or personal in Allegheny county from taxation be repealed, and that all taxable property hereafter shall be applied to the payment and support of said county, as lands and tenements are now made taxable under existing laws, for such purposes; this would reduce the present rates of taxation more than one half. $27,000,000 have now to pay for every thing, and this would increase the valuation to $60,000,000. Is it not worthy of trial?

Delegates to the State Convention.

J. Alex. Fulton and Silas M. Clarke, Esq., have been chosen respectively Senatorial and Representetive Delegates to represent Armstrong and Indiana counties in the State Convention at Harrisburg on the 4th of July next.

The Erie Democracy have elected Wm. A. Galbraith and Benj. Whitman as Representative Delegates. Crawford county being entitled to the Senaterial delegate, it was resolve to concur in whatever selection the Democrats there may make.

At Home.

Rev. W. H. Locke, Chaplain of the Eleventh Pennsylvania Regiment, is now at home on a brief furlough, having been detached to bring home the money sent by the regiment, which was paid off at Port Royal on the 12th. The Westmoreland county soldiers and others from adjoining districts sent home $8,000 or $10,000. He will return to his regiment to-day.

Democratic Primary Meetings.

The Democracy of the county met in their respective districts on Saturday, and elected delegates to the County Convention, which assembles on Wednesday next, as follows:

PITTSBURGH.

First Ward.—John Roth, J. C. Buffum.

Second Ward.—James Irwin, Charles Barnett.

Third Ward.—Chas. W. Lewis, Thomas Fagan first precinct, W. J. Montgomery, Wm. Clinton, 2d precinct.

Fourth Ward.—James M. Richards, John Minis.

Fifth Ward.—John Mackin, Jas. M. Taylor, 1st precinct; Samuel Cameron, William Scott.

Sixth Ward.—Wm. Bryant, John C. Harper.

Seventh Ward.—J. N. McClowry, E. S. Wau.

Eighth Ward.—Jno. C. Barr, Wm. Alexander.

Ninth Ward.—Hugh Kane, Thos. S. Rowley.

ALLEGHENY.

First Ward.—Wm. H. McGee, John Otterson.

Second Ward.—Henry Shriver, Jno. R. Large.

Third Ward.—Thos. Farley, John Swan, 1st precinct.

Fourth Ward.—William Stewart, G. L. Drane, 1st precinct; John Titsel, Fred. Ley, 2nd precinct.

BOROUGHS.

Monongahela.—John Creegan, Samuel Wilson.

TOWNSHIPS.

McClure.—R. H. Kerr, C. Gerber.

The State Fair.

The quarterly meeting of the Executive Committee of the State Agricultural Society was held at Harrisburg on the 10th inst. Mr. Joshua Wright, of Washington county, acted as President: Mr. John H. Zeigler, of Harisburg, Secretary. Propositions from societies and individuals, offering locations for the purpose of holding the next exhibition of the Society, were received and considered from Easton, Northumberland county; Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, and Norristown, Montgomery county.—After consideration, the proposition from Norristown was accepted, by a vote of 11 in favor, 2 against. The time for holding the exhibition was then fixed for Tuesday, September 30, October 1, 2and 3, 1862, at Norristown. Mr. John H. Zeigler submitted his resignation of the office of Recording Secretary, which, upon consideration was accepted, and A. Boyd Hamilton was, on motion, elected in his stead. A premium list and the necessary regulations were adopted. The list is of the most comprehensive and liberal character, and such as the Society is confident will be satisfactory to the agriculturists and manufacturers of the State. The Committee adjourned until the 3d of October, at 4 o'clock p. m., at Norristown.

"Ohio Air Grape Culture."

This is the title of a new book on an interesting subject by a practical man, John Phin, who gives the deductions of his own experience and of others in the management of the grape in the open air in our climate. His work is a seasonable one, inasmuch as the attention of our people has been much turned of late to the cultivation of different varieties of hardy American grapes desirable for the table or adapted to the making of wine. The plan of Mr. Phin's book is very thorough, and treats of everything relating to the grape, from the preparation of the soil in which the vine is to grow to the manufacture of wine from its fruit. It appears to us to be well executed. An appendix gives an account of several large vineyards in the United States. C. M. Saxton, of New York, is the publisher, and Rev. J. Knox has it for sale.

Strawberries for Canning.

We call attention to the advertisement of Mr. J. Knox, regarding strawberries for canning and preserving. He has one variety of berry which, from its color, solidity, weight and flavor, is peculiarly adapted to the above purposes. Orders can be left at both of his stands in the Diamond or Fifth street. Parties using these berries last year universally attest that they were the best berry for the purposes above specified they ever found.—The exhibition of new varieties of berry, a notice of which we gave the other day, was very largely attended, and gave great satisfaction. Some of the berries, displayed, particularly the Fillmore and the Triomphe de Gand, were of prodigious size and delicious flavor. Specimens of these, as well as other varieties, can be seen any day.

Third Ward Democratic Meeting

Pursuant to the call of the Democratic County Committee of Correspondence the Democrats of the Third Ward assembled at the house of John Duffy, (agreeable to call) between the hours of five and seven o'clock. John A. Strain was chosen President and E. P. Kearns Secretary. When, on motion, W. J. Montgomery and Wm. Clinton from 1st precinct, and Charles W. Lewis and Thomas J. Fagan from 2d precinct, were nominated to represent the Democracy, and on motion the said nominees were duly declared elected, to meet in the County Convention to assemble in the Court House on Wednesday, June 18th.

JOHN A. STRAIN, Pres't.
E. P. KEARNS, Sec'y.

Wounded at Philadelphia.

Among the wounded in the late battle who arrived at Philadelphia on Thursday last were the following: A. Palmer, Co. B, 104th Pa., Mount Pleasant, leg and arm; J. Gallagher, Co. E, 51st Pa., Pittsburgh, leg and arm; A. Bushu, Co. A, 92d Pa., Pittsburgh, arm; John Beeson, Co. D. 101st Pa., breast; H. Sheerion, Co. C, 63d Pa., Pittsburgh, right leg; C. Cool, Co. D, 52d Pa., Beaver, right leg; S. Friday, Co. H, 101st Pa., Winterburg, left hand; T. S. Moore, Co. E, 61st Pa., hand and hip; Peter Bosburg, Co. C, 61st Pa., Woodville, foot; J. Kesey, Co. I, 12th Pa., Pittsburgh, rheumatism.

The Chicago Excursionists.

A telegram from Chicago informs us that the programme for the entertainment of the Baltimore and Pittsburgh delegation, now in that city, on Saturday, was as follows: Carriages about the city at 9 a. m., and a visit to Camp Douglas; a tug boat ride on the river early in the afternoon and in the evening a steamboat excursion on the lake. The weather was clear and pleasant and everything propitious for a day's enjoyment.

Parson Brownlow's Book.

This long looked for publication is at length out, and great is the rush for it among subscribers and non-subscribers.—Our amiable and indefatigable friend Pittock, Fifth street, opposite the Postoffice, has a supply and will furnish it at the publication price. Those who want it should call early as the first edition will soon be exhausted. Pittock will always manage to have the latest attractions in the literary way as early as the earliest. His enterprise deserves a liberal support.

Frank Drew.

This renowned comedian commences an engagement at the Theatre this evening and from his reputation we expect he will be most successful here. The first piece is the "Life of an Actress," Mr. Drew as Grimaldi and Ettie Henderson as Violette. This will be succeeded by Frank's own version of "Camille," one of the richest burlesque ever produced and bill closes with "Sarah's Young Man," in which our favorite Maffitt appears.

Pennsylvania Post Offices.

Mrs. Sarah Reed, postmaster at Corsica, Jefferson county, Pa., vice W. W. Reed, resigned, and since deceased. John Hudson, postmaster at Kirby, Greene county, Pa., vice Marion Chalfan, removed. Office at McCalmont, Venango county, Pa., is discontinued.

Deckhand Drowned.

About 4 o'clock yesterday morning a deck-hand on the steamer Navigator, named Geo. Fetner, jumped overboard at Duff bar, on the Ohio, while in a state of insanity, from the effects of liquor. His leap was from the boiler deck and he drowned before assistance reached him.—He has a wife and family residing in Allegheny City.

Sentenced.

On Saturday, D. K. Bennett, convicted of endeavoring to procure an abortion, was sentenced to three years in the Penitentiary. John McLaughlin, convicted of stealing a carpet sack was also sentenced to six months imprisonment in the county jail.

Ward Meetings.

The officers of the Democratic primary meeting in the Fifth Ward, on Saturday evening were Niel O'Donnell, President and Jos. Bell Secretary. In the Third Ward, Allegheny, John Swan presided and Isaac Stern was Secretary.

Dead.

A Richey, of the Neptune Fire Company, whose friends reside on Seventh street, who was wounded in the battle at Winchester, died last week in the hospital there.

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS

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A PRACTICAL TREATISE ON THE Garden and Vineyard Culture of the Vine, AND THE MANUFACTURE OF DOMESTIC WINE.

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NOW IS THE TIME FOR CANNING and preserving Strawberries. Those selected for this purpose should be of good color, solid in substance, of firm texture, and of superior flavor. Exactly such a berry can be found during the Strawberry season, at J. KNOX'S Establishment, No. 29 Fifth street, Pittsburgh. Orders may be left either at his stand in the market, or at his Horticultural store. jel6

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Best quality Guitar D; A and E, silver strings, each..... 15c
Second quality Guitar D, A and E, silver strings, each..... 10c
Best quality Violincello A and D, each..... 20c
Best quality " G and C, each..... 25c
Mailed to any address post paid on receipt of the money, or in postage stamps.
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81 Wood street.
N. B—A large lot of fresh strings just arrived. Also, Violin cases, Flutes, Accordions, &c. jel4

NEW PIANO FORTES—JUST RECEIVING a very large new stock of Piano Fortes, selected personally, from the celebrated manufactories of Chickering & Sons, Boston, Hallett, Davis & Co., Boston, and Hazelton Bros., New York, all of new styles, and will be sold at present manufacturers reduced rates, for cash or on a reasonable credit. For sale by
JOHN H. MELLOR,
jel4 81 Wood street.

PROPOSALS.
SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the warehouse of James Herdman, No. 103 Wood street, until
4 o'clock, p. m., on Monday, 23d inst,
For the painting of the THIRD WARD SCHOOL BUILDING of the City of Pittsburgh; also for Coal and the Whitewashing of the said Building. Information may be had of any of the undersigned Board of School Directors:
JAMES HERDMAN,
WM. J. MONTGOMERY,
THOMAS PENDER,
ROBT. DUNCAN,
PETER BRADY,
C. W. LEWIS.
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For Ladies, Misses, and Children.
We have a variety of styles: Walking Boots, Gaiters, Slippers, White Satin Kid and Embroidered Slippers, suitable for parties and weddings, &c, &c.
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Our assortment was never more complete, and we offer our goods at as
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As the same quality can be sold in the city. We also manufacture every conceivable style, for ladies, misses, and children, at short notice.
W. E. SCHMERTZ & Co.
jel2 31 Fifth street.

AT AN ELECTION OF THE STOCKHOLDERS of the PEOPLE'S INSURANCE COMPANY, Held at the Merchants' Exchange, on Monday, the following persons were elected Directors:
Wm. Phillips, of Phillips, Best, and Co.
John E. Parke, of Phelps, Parke & Co.
Chas S. Bissell, of Bissell & Co.
Geo B. Jones, Wholesale Grocer.
Wm B. Hays, of Wm B. Hays & Co.
Wm Van Kirk, of A. Bradley's.
John Watt, of Watt & Wilson.
Samuel P. Shriver, of Shriver & Lazear.
James D. Verner, of Rhodes & Verner.
Capt John L. Rhoads, River man.
Frank Van Gorder, Commission Merchant.
C. Hanson Love, of C. Hanson Love & Co.
The Directors met on Tuesday, and organized by choosing
WM. PHILLIPS, President;
JOHN WATT, Vice-President:
WM. F. GARDNER, Secretary.
They have opened an office (temporarily) at No. 1 GIRARD HOUSE, SMITHFIELD STREET, Where they are prepared to take all kinds of FIRE AND MARINE RISKS.
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CHILDREN'S SHOES, AT MASONIC Hall Auction House. jel3

NOTICE—THE COPARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned under the style of Tiernan & Getty has this day been dissolved.
F. TIERNAN,
R. P. GETTY.
Allegheny City, June 9, 1862.
The Wholesale and Retail Grocery Business will be continued at the old stand, northeast corner of Ohio street and the Diamond, by
jel1 F. TIERNAN.

TEETH EXTRACTED WITHOUT PAIN by the use of an apparatus whereby no drugs or galvanic battery are used. Medical gentlemen and their families have their teeth extracted by my process, and are ready to testify as to the safety and painlessness of the operation, whatever has been said by persons interested in asserting the contrary, having no knowledge of my process.
ARTIFICIAL TEETH inserted in every style, and charges as low, as will warrant the best of material in all cases.
E. OUDRY, Dentist,
no14ly-is 134 Smithfield street.

R. R. BULGER,
MANUFACTURER OF
EVERY DESCRIPTION OF
FURNITURE.
No. 45 Smithfield Street,
PITTSBURGH
A FULL ASSORTMENT OF
Pittsburgh Manufactured Furniture,
Constantly on hand, which we will sell at the lowest prices for CASH. my16:1y:is

HOOP SKIRTS AT McCLELLAND'S AUCTION, jel3

PETROLEUM—250 BBLS, 40 GRAVITY, just received by
jel1 HENRY H. COLLINS.

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS

LECTURE AT THE IRON CITY COLLEGE, corner of Penn and St. Clair streets, Monday morning at 11 o'clock.
TITLE.

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!
VERY LARGE STOCK OF
SUMMER DRESS GOODS,
CHEPER THAN EVER
HEARD OF IN THIS CITY.
BLACK SILK VERY CHEAP.
BLACK SILK SHAWLS & SACQUES.
WHITE CRAPE SHAWLS,
HOSIERY AT A BARGAIN.
DOMESTIC GOODS
Cheap for Cash.
C. HANSON LOVE & CO.,
74 Market Street.
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NEW PATENT GUM HOSE JUST received and for sale at the Leather Store of M. DELANGE,
233 Liberty street opposite head of Wood.
jel6-mts

LEATHER BELTING OF HOYT BRO'S MAKE At New York card prices. Also extra heavy Lace Leather. For sale at M. DELANGE,
233 Liberty street opposite head of Wood.
jel6 mts

GUM BELTING, & GUM PACKING, of good quality for sale low at M. DELANGE,
233 Liberty street opposite head of Wood.
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JOSEPH MEYER.....ANTHONY MEYER.
JOSEPH MEYER & SON,
MANUFACTURERS OF
FANCY AND PLAIN
FURNITURE & CHAIRS
WAREHOUSE, 135 SMITHFIELD STREET.
(Between Sixth street and Virgin alley,)
no9 PITTSBURGH.

PATENT WRITING CASE
THIS CASE IS SO ARRANGED AS TO give the writer a table eight by nine inches to write upon, will hold
Pen and Pencil,
Paper
and Inkstand,
India Rubber,
and Checkers,
Checker Board,
and yet will fold up so as to measure only 8½ inches by 2 inches.
For sale by
W. S. HAVEN,
ap11 WOOD & THIRD STS.

EASTERN CARRIAGES, BUGGIES & WAGONS.
EASTERN SECOND-HANDED, TWO-SEATED Carriage-top Buggies and Light Buggies, without tops, will positively be sold at the lowest prices, to suit the times. Particular attention paid to repairing.
MRS. JOSEPH WHITE,
Lawrenceville, Penn street, near the Two-Mile Run. my24:6md

RAT, PASTE, RAT PASTE.
In offering this article we wish it distinctly understood that it is **no Humbug**, gotten up to deceive, but on the contrary is the best and most effectual Vermin Destroyer and Rat Killer, ever discovered. Its advantages are over all others, that
It is one half cheaper,
It is free from poison
It brings Vermin to the air to die,
It prevents them from dying in the premises,
It will when used according to the directions,
Completely banish Rats from the premises
In a single night.
It is preferable in every respect to any and all Vermin Destroyer now in use. If it does not prove effectual in every instance, banishing them in a single night,
Banishing them in a single night,
money refunded in every instance
On account of the celebrity of this article, many worthless imitations has been gotten up, only to deceive, to avoid imposition, ask for and take no other than the
Rat Paste, Rat Paste. Rat Paste.
Prepared by
JOSEPH FLEMING,
corner of the Diamond and Market streets.
Country dealers supplied at the lowest prices.
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THE BEST SHOES,
AND THE CHEAPEST IN THE LONG RUN.
And the place to get them is at
JOSEPH H. BORLAND'S,
98 Market street, second door from Fifth. jel4

NO 98 MARKET STREET
IS THE PLACE FOR CHEAP SHOES
At BORLAND'S
jel4

SOME FEW PAIRS ON HAND OF these Children's soiled shoes, at half cost. at BORLAND'S
jel4 98 Market street.

JUST OPENING.
OUR SUMMER STOCK CONSISTING of all the latest styles of Dress Goods, Lace Shawls, Points and Circulars, Silk, Cloth and Fancy Sacques, New York Mantillas, Shawls of latest styles, Sun Umbrellas, at all prices; Boys and Men's Clothes and Summer Cassimeres, Irish Linen and Muslins, very cheap; Calicoes at remarkable low prices. Ladies call and see at
H. J. LYNCH,
No. 93 Market street, between Fifth and Diamond.
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C. B. SEELY,
141 FIFTH STREET, opposite Cathedral
REAL ESTATE AND GENERAL AGENT.
DEALER IN
NOTES, BONDS, MORTGAGES and other Securities.
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IS THE FOLLOWING ABOUT HALF PRICE?
MEN'S OXFORD TIES, 50 CENTS.
MISSES' CONGRESS GAITERS, 40 CENTS.
BOY'S SHOES, Heavy, 50 CENTS.
WOMEN'S LASTING GAITERS, 40 CENTS.
BETTER SHOES THAN ARE SOLD IN TOWN!
Made Expressly for Our Retail Trade.
EVERY PAIR NEW, PERFECT & FRESH.
"O wise and perverse generation! don't be deceived."
THE PLACE TO BUY SHOES IS
CONCERT HALL SHOE STORE,
No. 62 Fifth street.
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NOTICE TO OIL REFINERS, AND OTHERS.
THE PENNA. SALT MANUFACTURING CO.
Having completed their arrangements for the manufacture of
CONCENTRATED OIL OF VITRIOL,
Are now prepared to supply the trade therewith. Their Platinum Still having a capacity of 12,000 lbs per day, they will be enabled to fill orders in large quantities without delay.
Address GEORGE COLHOUN, Agent.
jel1-3md Office, 24 Wood st, Pittsburgh.

KEEP IT BEFORE YOU.
SAVE YOUR MONEY
Get the thing itself well as name; buy the best PIANO that is light and elastic touch, that will not ache your wrist and fingers is a PIANO to day and to-morrow, low for cash or approved acceptances. Call and be convinced. WISE & BROTHER,
my26 Manufacturers, 116 Wood street.

RIVER INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF PITTSBURGH.

ARRIVED.

Franklin, Bennet, Brownsville.
Gallatin, Clark, Brownsville.
Col. Bayard, Peebles, Elizabeth.
Lizzie Martin, Brown, Wheeling.
Navigator, Dean, St Louis.
Emma Graham, Ayens, Zanesville.
Commodore Perry, Andrews, Wheeling.
Lavina Logan, Bryson, Nashville.
R. B. Hamilton, Bradley, Cincinnati.

DEPARTED.

Franklin, Bennet, Brownsville.
Gallatin, Clark, do
Col. Bayard, Peebles, Elizabeth.
Minerva, Gorden, Wheeling.
Empire City, Hazlep, St Louis.

The River—Last evening at twilight there was 6 feet water in the channel, and falling. Weather pleasant.

Manifest of Steamer Navigator.—Burke & Barnes, 1 box Locks; J S