

DAILY POST.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1863.

TO ADVERTISE: Advertisements must be handed in before 11 o'clock p. m., to insure insertion.

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION. The Democratic meeting held on Tuesday evening having called primary meetings for Saturday evening, we trust there will be a good turnout in the several wards, and that we may have a full convention. Nominations are to be made for Mayor, Controller and Treasurer. In casting about for candidates for these responsible places, we trust that the convention may select the very best men in our party. Because the Abolitionists, with all their power, and their presumed ability to elect their candidates, select as their candidates those men, it is no reason why we should do so. Let us set them an example in this, and show that if we have not the numbers to succeed at the polls, we have, at least, a sense of propriety sufficient to select good candidates. Not should any gentleman, no matter how important, refuse to let his name be used in this connection. The fact of a convention representing thousands of intelligent voters, placing one of their fellow-citizens in nomination for an important public trust, is in itself a compliment which should gratify his feelings. Let us have good candidates, at all events; whether they be elected is quite another question.

LUCID MOMENTS. We were not only pleased but astonished with yesterday's issue of the Pittsburgh Gazette, it contained nothing, editorially or otherwise, which was not worthy of the white man. This book like improvement in our journalistic contemporary, and we accordingly, congratulate it upon its lucid internal. Our neighbor has been tardy however in approaching the subject. We directed its attention to the small party of our soldiers seven times, but not until yesterday did it express in favor of increasing its compensation. Better late than never, however; our contemporary has at length spoken in favor of increasing the pay of our gallant Union defenders, and we are glad of it, it is timely and justly observed.

THE VOTE FOR PRESIDENT IN 1860. The following table is of interest as showing the votes cast for President in 1860, and the number required to be elected to justify the re-admission of the rebel states under the President's amnesty proclamation.

THE PEACE DEMOCRATS. The New York World in one of its standard articles, discussing the proceedings of a few Peace Democrats in Congress, remarks that "they must know that the Democratic party can not elect a President upon their platform."

ADMIRAL WILKS. The Secretary of the Navy defending his course in detaining the Vanderbilt when she was ordered to South America in pursuit of the Alabama. The Admiral insists that he was authorized to detain the ship; that in so doing he was carrying out the orders given by the Department to himself, and that the poor quality of the ships in his squadron is the true reason why neither the Alabama nor Florida was taken.

MR. JUSTICE WATSON. The opinion of the Supreme Court of the United States, dismissing the writ of error sent out by Judge ROSENKRANTZ in the legal tender case, on the ground that the decision of the State Court of New York had been in favor of the constitutionality of the law, the Supreme Court has no jurisdiction to revise that decision. The only mode, therefore, in which the question can come before this court, is by appeal of writ of error from the judgment of an inferior court of the United States.

DON'T FORGET THE GREAT HOLIDAY SALE of Toys, &c., commencing on MONDAY EVENING, December 21st at 7 o'clock, and on TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY AFTERNOONS, at 2 and 4 P. M., and on FRIDAY at 9 o'clock, will be sold at the Music Hall Auction Room, No. 15 Fifth street a large consignment of TOYS, VASES, and FANCY GOODS, comprising a full assortment for HOLIDAY GIFTS, &c. The above is consigned by one of the largest European Importers, and will be sold without any reserve whatever to price. The Toys can be purchased at PRIVATE SALES on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday morning.

LONDON AND INTERIOR ROYAL MAIL COMPANY'S CELEBRATED REMEDIES BLOOD POWDER AND BONE OINTMENT. A certain cure for Diseases of Horses and Cattle, known to and used only by the Company in their own stables from 1844 until the opening of the Railway over the Scotch route. After the general use of these remedies in all the stables of the Country, their annual sales of condensed stock were valued at a sum of £5000 per annum. In 1853 the London Brewery Association offered the Company £5000 for the receipt and use of the articles only in their own stables.

THE MAMMOTH GIRL THE ALBRINO FAMILY THE FAMOUS WHAT IS IT? THE EMPEROR BEN CONSTRUCTOR THE LARGEST SNAKE EVER BROUGHT TO THE UNITED STATES, measuring over 20 feet in length and 10 inches thick. All these curiosities will be exhibited at the Music Hall, commencing MONDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 21st at 7 o'clock, and on FRIDAY at 9 o'clock.

DUTTON'S PATENT SHELL GROOVE LADIES' SKATE, Patent Fastenings, Without Buckles. The SHELL GROOVE SKATE perfectly supports the skater in Every Position possible while on the ice in skating. It is of an Striking and Tastying appearance, and is light and easy to handle. It places the art of GRACEFUL SKATING within the reach of every person. Everybody can skate with them at once, with confidence, with uttering and without danger. They can be put on or taken off by any one with perfect ease, and in an instant's time. They are made wholly of CAST STEEL and are perfectly durable and reliable.

TO CONSUMPTIVES - THE ADVERTISER. I will mail you these healthful, restoring, and invigorating pills, for one dollar, by return mail, if you will send me your name, address, and the name of the nearest druggist, to whom you will send a silver coin for postage. The pills will be sent by return mail, and you will receive them by return mail, and you will receive them by return mail.

EMPLOYMENT. \$75 A MONTH - AGENTS WANTED for a commission on Sewing Machines. We will give a commission on all machines sold, and all expenses paid. For particulars apply to C. HUGGINS & CO., Detroit, Mich. Address: No. 103 N. W. Corner of Third and Broadway, New York.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. SPAIN'S BUILDING. Opposite the Postoffice, MUSEUM OF NOVELTIES, TOWNSEND'S EXHIBITION OF Living Wonders.

THE MAMMOTH GIRL From Illinois, only 16 years old, weighing 437 lbs. The Albrino Family From Madagascar, with white hair, white skin and pink eyes, both of rare parentage.

HOLMAN OPERA TROUPE. La Sonnambula! La Sonnambula! Miss Sallie Holman as Amina. New Fancy Dance. To conclude with the new comic Opera of MRS. PARTINGTON.

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HOLIDAY PRESENTS.

MUSIC FOR THE HOLIDAYS. OUR PIANO ROOMS ARE NOW OPEN, and we respectfully invite our friends to call and examine our stock of instruments.

CHRISTMAS PIANOS. AN ENTIRE NEW STOCK OF THE UNRIVALLED KNABE PIANOS, comprising 64, 66 and 7 octave Piano Fortes, with plain and elaborately carved cases. Also, Halnes Bros., N. Y. Pianos, which have been used in this city for fifteen years, and are acknowledged to be the best in the country at the price; also the Groves-Rosewood 7 octave Piano Forte.

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