His teeth were then dragged out with rough pincers, and in the course of this fresh torture, the poor Toledian expired.

Martin exhibited his savage disposition to the last. He was taken on foot to the place of execution, venting curses the whole way on those he called his enemies, but totally regardless of the exhortations of the priest who accompanied him.

FOR PRESIDENT,

JAMES BUCHANAN

Subject to the decision of a National Convention.

DAILY MORNING POST.

THS. PHILLIPS & WM. H. SMITH, EDITORS AND PROPRIETORS.

FRIDAY, APRIL 14, 1843.

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City Scrip.

The shades of night cover the secret transactions of the Chairman of the Water Committee, in bringing forth the new issue, of this worthless currency. It is well known to the community, that a prosecution was threatened these violators of the law, and that Mr. Sheriff, the chairman of the Committee, to avoid that responsibility proposed in Council, to those who were opposed to the measure, to record their disapprobation of it on the 3d reading, and not to call for the yeas and nays on the final passage of this Ordinance, and thus prevent the Record from being evidence against its friends.

In this, however, he was not successful, and our worthy legislator was compelled to toe the scratch. Was not the manœuvre worthy the legislative tact of John Sheriff? John Quincy Adams compared to him, is in his teens, the 21st Rule, that great barrier in Congress, to the reception of Abolition Petitions, would be a cob web to his wonderful genius.

The law, it appears, is broad enough to take hold of the person who signs this Scrip, and its tenor had wonderful effect on the conscience of the worthy clerk of the Council, whose name ornamented the former issue, and he refused to assume any additional responsibility by becoming a party to this. How was this difficulty to be overcome? The genious of Mr. Sheriff is ever prolific, and the finesse here displayed, far surpasses his little trick in Council, and entirely throws in the dark all his legislative efforts at Harrisburg.

At night he obtains from the Mayor a batch of the trash in sheets, and slyly wends his way to the office of the Clerk of Council. The certificates are filled up and dated in 1841, and purport to be issued in pursuance of the Ordinance of June 4, 1841, which authorized the issue of one hundred thousand dollars. So that instead of that amount we will have under that Ordinance one hundred and forty thousand dollars.—The Ordinance of 27th February last, authorizing the issue of forty thousand dollars was, therefore, unnecessary legislation on the part of the Council. The stratagem here exhibited was for the purpose of inducing the opponents of the issue to believe that the new batch of 40,000 was not issued, and thus prevent the threatened and dreaded prosecution; or the chairman of the Water Committee may claim the privilege of issuing under the last ordinance, any amount not exceeding the amount therein authorized, that may be necessary to complete the work, should the present unauthorized issue be insufficient.

In what situation will the city be placed, should the holders of this Scrip, when the debt is funded, claim the interest from Sept. 1, 1841, the time it purports to have been issued, or can the holders of it recover should the city set up as a defence that the issue was unauthorized, inasmuch as the amount required by the ordinance of June 1, 1841, had been already issued. Seriously this is a matter of importance to the city, as well as to the holders of this spurious currency. If Mr. Sheriff has the right to put out forty thousand in addition to the one hundred, he can put out enough to make the Rail road to Cumberland.

Mr. Stevens may or may not have told the truth when he suggested to Mr. Sheriff that he had been sent to Harrisburg to *vote* for and not to conceive or mature measures We shall see.

Business Prospects.—Bicknell's Reporter of the 11th says:—As the Spring progresses, the business avenues exhibit increased activity. Some delay has occurred in forwarding the goods that were purchased at the commencement of the season; but all the rivers in this vicinity are now fully navigable, and it is probable that the canals will also be so, by the time that this article reaches the eyes of our readers.

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The Spring Trade continues active in our business thoroughfares, the wharves of the Delaware and Schuylkill begin to look animated, and our shopkeepers are brightening up their widows. Economy continues the order of the day, and the disposition to pay off old scores and to get into good credit once more, is very general with the mass.

Shocking accident on the Concord Rail road—A soulless victim of a soulless Corporation.—Hill's N. H. Patriot of a late date, contains an account of a shocking accident that occurred on the Concord Railroad, on last Saturday week. As a train of cars were proceeding at a rapid rate between Goff's Falls bridge and Manchester, a man was discovered lying upon the track in such a manner that while his head barely projected across one of the rails, his neck lay immediately upon it. The engineer almost instantaneously reversed the steam of the locomotive; but the cars had come so near that the breaks were not effectually applied until the train had passed over the unfortunate individual, and, shocking to relate, the head was completely severed from the body and rolled over upon the outside of the road!

The train was brought up after proceeding about three rods. The engineer, paralyzed with fright, remained upon the engine unable to move. The news of the accident spread like wild fire among the passengers, many were so frightened that they were unable to leave their seats, while others were almost in an instant upon the spot where the tragedy had occurred. The mutilated body was removed from the track and placed upon the snow bank. Life was extinct, and the unfortunate sofferer, consequently, beyond the reach of medical skill.

One of the passengers picked up the head—another discovered blood upon the track, and several proposed to send immediately for a coroner, when it was discovered that the body was only a *man of straw*. The person who had picked up the head came to his senses and found that he was holding a large *red cabbage*, of which the blood had been discovered upon the track proved to be the *juice*. A bystander happening to recollect that it was the *first day of April*, the mystery was explained—the passengers resumed their seats, the train was out in motion, and arrived here in the usual time.

Business in New York.—As the natural laws of trade will have it, business still remains dull and inactive in New York, notwithstanding the almost universal revival in other parts of the country. The Commercial Advertiser says:—"The commercial community are disposed to be cautious in their business operations, and where the prospect for profit is so small, avoid embarking in transactions attended with much risk. Under ordinary circumstances purchases of produce or merchandise, at the present depressed rates, would be considered safe beyond contingency, and where, as is the case in many instances, they are much below the actual cause of production, we might reasonably look for considerable purchases on speculation. But in our present condition we cannot safely argue from any thing in our former experience. The state of things which has existed and which now exists, is wholly dissimilar to any which has preceded it; or, if in some points, a resemblance is found, in others they are so entirely different that a perfect parallelism cannot be established.

Miss Mary Darling, said to be the very prima dona of enchantment, has arrived at New York and is "showing off" at the American Museum. She is represented as a being of most bewitching loveliness and dazzling beauty.—[Picayune.

The above is a specimen of the "puffs editorial" bestowed upon this lady. Our readers would no doubt like to know something about her, and we here give it on the authority of a New York paper. When the steamer Columbia arrived last Barnum got a paragraph inserted in the papers, among the foreign news stating that Miss Darling, pupil of the great *Defrong* (??) had embarked for America. A few days after, her arrival was announced in New York, and her engagement at Barnum's Museum. Yet, after all, the wonderful Miss Darling turns out only to be the Miss Mills, who sometime ago operated at the Museum—robbed her father—ran off with an infamous scoundrel belonging to Boston—was betrayed and abandoned by him, and became an inmate of the Worcester, Mass., Insane Asylum! From this latter place, her reason having been restored, Barnum brought her to New York, and now thrusts her before the public as Miss Darling—the Enchantress whose fame and beauty has agitated all the thrones of Europe.

Pirates.—The N. Y. Herald says:—"Captain Silliman, of the brig Rebecca, arrived yesterday from Cuba, reports that on leaving that place, he was informed by a pilot, that a small coasting vessel, which arrived on the evening of the 20th, had been boarded by a piratical schooner, rigged fore and aft, with a crew of about fifty men, to the westward of St. Croix."

Pretty girls who wear veils contrive to let the wind blow them aside when they meet a smart young fellow.—[Ex. paper.

Pretty girls don't wear veils.

We find the following passage in the Belgian Journal de Commerce: 'The English ship Orissa has brought us a quantity of rats from Manilla.—They are of the size of a common cat; several of them escaped, and have been killed on the quay. They are so numerous that if a workman leaves any part of his clothes in a corner, they are immediately devoured.'

While one of the disciples of Miller was holding forth on the awful topic of the destruction of the world in 1843 or '4, some of the citizens who did not relish the doctrines procured a few rotten eggs with which they pelted him to his hearts content, and then threw some Cayenne pepper on the stove. The poor fellow had to abequatulate.

By the bye, St. Louis will soon be up to Cincinnati in the mob line. This is not the first we have heard of.

A land claim is set up in Florida for ten millions of acres! It is set up by some American purchasers from the heirs of the Spanish Duke of Alagor. The Louisville Journal pertinently asks—'Why do not the purchasers from the Duke's heirs set up a claim to the whole Territory at once? We wonder whether they claim from the whites or Sam Jones & Co.'

Col. Shilton President of the Brandon Bank drowned himself in Pearl river, on the 1st inst. (all fool's day!) He was concerned with Graves the swartwouting Treasurer of Mississippi.

WHEAT KILLED—The Alton Telegraph of April 1st says the wheat in that neighborhood is without doubt winter killed. It was not known how far this calamity extended through the state.

A gang of counterfeiters have been arrested in Philadelphia. Their names are Isaac Miller, Jas Richmond, Michael Kelly, James Poole, John Jones (!) and *Doctor* Mitchell, with a female named Catharine M'Keegan.

Graves, the Mississippi defaulter made his escape in women's clothes! The Vicksburg Sentinel thinks he carried off about $140,000 in Mississippi *State money!* A glorious haul!

The Bostonians are not yet satisfied with the number of Railroads in their State, and are about commencing a road from Boston to Fitchburg, a distance of about 50 miles.

The Pope of Rome has issued orders for the completion of St. Paul's Church, at Rome, in order that the Jubilee of 1850 may be celebrated therein. His Holiness is now in his 78th year.

A London paper states that compressed horse-hair has been introduced between the soles of boots, to exclude dampness.

The ice which bound up the Susquehanna from its sources to the Chesapeake Bay, has been carried off without any injury whatever to the public works.

Henry Luken, a journeyman printer, is lost, where, when and how, is not stated; but his friends, David Luken, Alton, Ill., and W S Luken, Davis' Mills, Bedford co. Pa., and his 'anxious mother,' in Juniata county, Pa., are all desirous to hear from him.

The Mobile Herald says that an unsophisticated individual bought a pair of beautiful garters the other day, and presented them to a lady supposing them to be bracelets.

We understand that Maj. Noah has thrown up the Tyler party, and has now come out for Martin Van Buren.—*Ex. Paper.*

We would not be at all astonished if this would be the case, as he is not the most stable politician in the world.

Suspicions are entertained in Boston, of knavery in the loss of the ship St. Clair, from Havre, for New Orleans, which vessel was wrecked and subsequently destroyed by fire, in October last.

Destruction of New Orleans.—This city, the most wicked in the civilized world, is to be inundated by the overflowing of the Mississippi some day soon, probably the 23d inst, according to the prediction of the press, &c. There are no cases of insanity yet.

Queer capture.—A small party of gentlemen made an attempt to give a serenade last Monday evening. A thief, an old offender, was in the house before which the party had stationed itself, and hearing a slight noise in front, rushed out in alarm and was captured by the serenaders. He was examined before Recorder Baldwin yesterday and sent to the Criminal Court.

Two more good gold mines have been discovered in North Carolina.

Freight from Philadelphia to Pittsburgh—Dry Goods, 95 cents per 100 lbs; Hardware and Groceries, 85 cents; Coffee, 70 cents, (delivered in 15 days.)

The Spring trade has commenced in N. York with a good deal of animation.

Six hundred slaves were recently landed on the north coast of the Island of Cuba.

Forty-two vessels arrived at New Orleans on the 20th ult., from sea, the largest number that has ever arrived at that port in one day.

St. Louis—The Democrats elected their mayor by a majority of 115.

Specie.—By ship Vicksburgh, Capt. Berry, arrived last evening in nineteen days from New York, 100,000 in specie was added to to the large amount already in our city.

Arrived yesterday, per ship Nonamtum, from Liverpool, 500 sovereigns to Bayley & Beck, 1 case specie to R. Blackwell.

Per ship Gaston, from New York, 240,000 in specie.

Per ship Sydney, from Liverpool, brought 25,000 sovereigns, consigned to samuel Nicholson—"a little considerable" over a hundred thousand dollars.

Per ship Lyons, from Havre—to G. Didier, $2,000 in gold.

The above very interesting items we clip from the N. O. Pic.

Large Casting.—A shaft weighing nearly three tons was lately cast at the Foundry of the Buffalo Steam Engine Works. The ladies of the city with their friends, were on the spot, by invitation of the master of the foundry, to observe the process.

Emigrant Passengers.

Some time since we observed a discussion in the Gazette respecting the tolls on Emigrant Passengers, in which a writer attempted to create impressions not borne out by the facts of the case. The following are the regulations of the Canal Board on this subject, and is certainly sufficiently explicit to be understood by every one.

"Relative to Emigrant Passengers."

"In 1842, the Commuted Toll on each Passenger, *exclusive* of all other charges on Boats and Cars conveying them, was $2,50.

In 1843, the Toll on these Passengers stands thus:—

	Miles		Mills		Cents	Mills
Toll on Canal	277	at	2	is	$3	1
Toll and Motive Power on Allegheny Portage Railroad;	36	at	19	is	66	4
Toll and Motive Power on Col. Railroad,	82	at	12	is	98	4
Charge through on Emigrant's					$2,49	9

In rescinding the commutation resolutions of 17th of April. 1840, it was not destined to *increase* the rates charged upon Emigrant Passengers passing over the *entire line* of our State Improvements; and the only exception to the above will be an additional charge of Twenty five cents for the use of the Trucks, on each Emigrant passing in Section Boats over the Columbia Railroad, and of Twelve cents on each passenger over the Portage Railroad.

I am directed by the Board to state, that the above are the rates at which Emigrant Passengers, passing *Westward* entirely through from Philadelphia and Columbia to Pittsburgh, will be charged. It is expressly understood, that all Way Passengers in Emigrant Lines on the Canals shall pay Freight and Packet charges.

THOMAS L. WILSON.
Sec'y of Board of Canal Com.

April 8, 1843.

Millerism in Philadelphia.—The Sentinel of Saturday says:—"Mrs. Taylor, who kept a cake shop in Fifth street above Prune, was taken to the Insane Hospital, in a state of mental excitement, on Friday last, caused by the belief of the world's destruction on the 23d of this month. She has always been a woman of a respectable character, and is now wholly insensible, not knowing her own friends."

The fine for boys throwing snow balls at each other in Boston is fifty cents, whether they hit or not.

They had 6 inches of snow in Portland on the 6th inst.

Snow fell to the depth of 3 inches in the upper part of the parish of St. Helena on the 31st ult.

Homœopathic system of Medicine.—It has been adopted in one division of the Auburn prison, N. Y. Under the infinitesmal system, it is said, not one has died, while, under the allopathic practice, seven have died during the last year! Besides, the medicine of the one costs $71, and that of the other $223.

The Millwood flour mills, together with 8000 bushels of wheat, were consumed on Saturday, at Toronto, U. C.

The railroad fare from Baltimore to Cumberland has been reduced to $5.

The Arkansas river at Little Rock was at a very low stage at last acounts—the 22 ult.

A free negro at Natchez, known as Guinea John, stabbed an Italian named Carasino, on the 26th ult. He was arrested and committed for trial. Carasino is expected to die.

Dan Marble left yesterday on a tour up the river. He still carries with him the admiration and esteem of all who know him, either as an actor or as a man.—[N. O. paper.

We may expect him here this season.

Mexican News.—Captain Colins, of the brig Caroline, arrived at New York on Saturday, from Metamoras, states that when he left, General Ampudia, with fifteen hundred men, was under marching orders for Tampico.

The Norfolk Tragady.—It appears that the killing was intentional on the part of Cook; that he directed the point of the muzzle to the brast of Mr. Gardner at the very moment the cap exploded. When Cooke was discharged a mob collected and threatened to tear down his house at which his wife became so much alarmed, that she fainted, was taken ill and died a few days after. About two thousan dollars have been raised by contribution for Gardner's widdow and children

The comet that made its appearance about thirty years ago, had a tail that measured one hundred and fifty millions of miles in length, and it will be three thousand years making one revolution.

Mr. Redd has been dismissed from the office of the Postmaster at Lexington, Ky. and Mr. Ficklin, former occupant, reinstated.

'Ninetta, come to your Pa!'—They have an 'infant prodigy' at the Tremont Theatre in Boston whom the ladies have taken a decided liking to. The manager after the litle equestrian has finish her part of the performances, courteously yields to the wishes of the ladies in the dress circle and hands her round to be kissed. As she was going the rounds the other night a lobby dandy, gazing in through a box door, exclaimed in a fervor of enthusiasm, 'O, honey *and* thunder, who wouldn't be a baby!'

For the Post.

Messrs Editors:—I have seen proposals issued by a *Victor Scriba* for the publication of a democratic paper in Allegheny city, to be entitled the "Democratic Sentinel." I know a gentleman bearing the name I find attached to the prospectus of the Sentinel,' but I cannot suppose that he would have any thing to do with a democratic paper, for it is well known that in 1840, *he* labored zealously for the Harrison cause, and flooded the county with German publications containing the most gross and infamous slanders on the democratic party. If *this* Victor Scriba, is the person of that name who published a Harrison paper in the German language in 1840, I would caution the democratic party to be on their guard, and not to let him "come it" over them with his *Indian talk*, as successfully as he and his backers think they can do. If I am right in my conjectures as to the person who is to publish this paper, I can assure him the democrats are not prepared to bestow any confidence on such a mercenary project, nor can they be persuaded to '*cotton*' to one who was so recently engaged in slandering those whom he now promises to support.—Give us some light on this subject Messrs Editors and oblige

A GERMAN DEMOCRAT.

The only light we can throw on the matter is to state that our correspondent is right as to the identity of the editor, and that the Victor Scriba who now proposes to publish the "Democratic Sentinel," is the same gentleman that published the federal falsehoods in 1840. But, we believe, his present project is a mere matter of business, and that he is to be merely the ostensible editor of the Sentinel, while it will be under the control of others who do not wish to appear in such an enterprise, for fear the public might say they had some personal motive in the matter. If this is the fact, and if Mr. Scriba merely publishes the paper per contract, the objections of our correspondent will not bear so strongly against him; although it has a good deal the appearance of the Swiss policy of fighting for any and every one that will pay him. The democratic party will never object to an increase of *honest* democratic 'Sentinels', to do battle for their principles, but we do not suppose that they desire to *warp* them in from the ranks of the Coonskin army of 1840, or that they can rely on the political honesty of those who would desire to make such mercenary creatures the organs of the party.

About Right.—Councilmen should be paid in out opinions, so that poor men who cannot spare time to attend to the duties of the office, could be elected. In this we coincide with the subterraneans of N. York, who have declared at a recent meeting. (Mike Walsh, Chairman,) that we are in favor of the members of the Common Council receiving a moderate compensation for their services, so that honest poor men can be elected to that body to opperate as a check upon the wealthy swindlers who now enrich themselves by speculating upon the public they are elected to protect.

We believe the city would save a considerable sum per annum, if the members of Select and Common Council were paid one or two dollars for every night of meeting. Better men would be elected.

A narrow escape.—The Richmond Compiler of Friday, says:

'Some of the officers of the navy are now in our city, for the purpose of inspecting and proving the new cannon cast for the Government at Tredegar foundry. The process of proving has been going on for two or three days past. On Wednesday, a ball from one of the cannon glanced across the upper part of the Belle Isle, and passed through the cotton-factory on the opposite side of the river. It passed over the head of one of the factory girls, who was sitting at her work. Had she been standing, it would have taken off her head. Quite a narrow escape. Precautions will be taken to prevent the intrusion of these balls."

FROM FLORIDA.

By the arrival of the U. S. Steamer Gen. Taylor, Capt. Peck, we are in receipt of the St Augustine News of Saturday last.

The schr Stephen and Francis, Capt Rose, sailed for Charleston on the 3d inst with one Company of the 3d Artillery, destined for Fort Moultrie This company has been stationed at Fort Marion and its place, as well as that of the company recently ordered to the Augusta Arsenal, will be supplied by a detail from the 8th infantry.

We learn by Capt Peck, that the post of Palatka will be finally abandoned on the 14th inst Henceforth the Head Quarters of the Command now in Florida, will be at St. Augustine.

Lt. Col. Belknap, of the U. S. Army, came passenger in the Taylor and has taken lodgings at the Pulaski House.

A correspondent writes as follows—'The only item of news I have to communicate, is that Col W. J. Worth arrived here yesterday, (April 1;) from Palatka. His approach was announced by the roaring of eleven six pounders. The weather seems to have cleared up. Spring, I hope, has at length arrived.'

From the St. Augustine News.

ARMY MOVEMENTS.—Companies 'A' and 'H,' 8th Infantry, arrived in this city on Saturday last and have taken quarters at St. Francis Barracks. Officers accompanying, Lt. Col. Clark, Captain Gwynn, Lieuts. Loncoln, Hanson and Jordan.

CIRCUS.

THE BENEFIT OF DAN RICE and positively his last appearance will take place on Friday evening the 14th inst. In addition to the usual performances of the Arena, there will be a variety of Singing Dancing, &c., and a grand

TRIAL DANCE

between Dan Rice and Davis. For full particulars see bills day. april 13 2t.

PITTSBURGH MARKET.

Reported for the Morning Post by Innis Harris.

FRIDAY MORNING, April 15, 1843.

Business in the Carrying Trade and on the Monongahela wharf, and on our Rivers and Canal is very brisk this week and a great deal doing. On Monday there was received and shipped for all the ports up and down the Ohio, and from Brownsville and by wagons &c. from eleven to twelve hundred tons of goods, and every day this week has presented quite an animated business appearance on the rivers and in our streets.

Flour has advanced and sales of about 2000 bbl during the week, commencing with 2,62½ and yesterday sales were brisk at 2,75 from waggons boats, and 2,87½ to 3 by the quantity from store.

Grain—Wheat 50, Rye 25, Oats 14 to 15, Corn 22 to 25.

Groceries—Sales of Coffee by one house of 530 bags Rio at 9 to 10 cts, and in smaller lots to the country 10 to 11½ cts. Sugar—Sales of N O in hhds 4½ to 5½ for choice, and prime in bbls 5½ to 6½ cts. Tea—stocks excellent and fresh, prices low. Molasses—Sales by the quantity 19 to 20 and by the bbl to the country 22 to 23.

Provisions—Bacon, sales by one house of 10,000 lbs country at 3½ cts cash; other sales country 3 to 3½; hog round and city cured 4cts; hams 5 to 5½ cts. Sales of hids of Bacon, pork, hams & sides at 2½ *cash* per lb. Beef cattle have raised; Farmers are asking 4 to 4½ for choice and 3 to 3½ for middling. A butcher paid for good cattle 4cts cash.

Feathers—small sales at 20 cts lb.

Fruit—Small sales of dried Peaches at 1 to 1,12 stocks good. Raisins per box 1,75 to 2,12½.

Salt is selling at the canal and river at 81 to 87; and from stores 1,00 per bbl.

Cotton Yarn is very plenty and very low by the bbl 5, 12½ to 14 cts for large and 4 to 7 per doz for long reel.

Ashes—scarce and in demand. Scorchings 4 to 4½, Pot 4½ to 5 cts; Pearl 5 to 5½

Wool—We are told there will be little or no changes this summer but remain about the same price as last year.

POWELL'S BALSAM OF ANNI SEED—A preparation made in England, and used throughout the whole eastern part of the United States, for the speedy and certain cure of Coughs, Colds Asthma, &c., it stands unrivalled, the price being only 25 cents per bottle, places it within the means of any one wanting medicine for those diseases. The taste is so pleasant that children cry for it, after once tasting it, and mothers of families should keep it in the house, as it is an excellent article for the cure of the Whooping Cough. To be had only at TUTTLE'S 86 Fourth. street.

FOR SAINT LOUIS, QUINCY, WARSAW, AND KEOKUCK.

The new and splendid Steam Boat MISSOURI MAIL, M. Littleton Master; will leave for the above and intermediate landings, on Thursday next 20th inst. at 10 o'clock A. M. For Freight or passage apply on board, or to JAMES MAY.

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The Missouri Mail is furnished with Evans' Safety Guard to prevent Explosion of Boilers.

FOR CLEVELAND (DIRECT.)

The Canal Boat JAMES W. DAVIS, Carey Master, will depart for the above and intermediate ports, on Monday the 17th instr (in tow to Beaver by S. B. Cleveland.) For freight or passage apply to BIRMINGHAM & Co No. 60 water street.

FOR CINCINNATI.

The steamer Cutter, Collins master; will depart for the above and intermediate landings on Friday morning, April 14 at 10 o'clock For freight or passage apply on board or to BIRMINGHAM & CO., No 60 Water st.

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FOR CINCINNATI.

The steamer MONTGOMERY, Gregg master, will depart for the above and intermediate landings on Saturday morning, April 15; at 10 o'clock. For freight or passage apply on board or to

ap 13 BIRMINGHAM & CO., No. 60 Water st.

AUCTION SALES.

S. FAHNESTOCK & Co., corner of Wood and 5th sts., on Friday morning at 10 o'clock, 6 cases of assd new style Prints; 500 pieces Satin and Marsina Ribbons; assd colors and Nos.; 1 case Nun's Bonnets; 100 cases Patent Blue Black Thread; 25 cases Sewing Silk; Bleached and Brown Sheetings; Tickings; Cloths; Cassimets; Kard & Lasting Buttons; Percussion Caps, &c.

At 2 o'clock P. M, Household and kitchen Furniture. ap 13.

Ohio River Improvement.

PROPOSALS will be received until the 12th of May 1843—for furnishing and delivering by casting, as may be directed, into line of dams:

From 15,000 to 20,000 tons of rough stone, at White Ripple and the Trap, 12 miles below Pittsburgh.

From 20,000 to 30,000 tons rough stone, at the head and foot of Blannerhassets Island, near Parkersburg Virginia.

From 5,000 to 10,000 tons of rough stone, at head of Buffington's Island, 214 miles below Pittsburgh.

For transporting and delivering by casting, as may be directed into line of dams:

All the stone quarried and now lying at the quarry (on the left shore of the river, about opposite to the middle of the Island.) into the dam at the head of Brown's Island, 7 miles above Steubenville Ohio.

All the stone quarried and now lying at the quarry (on the right shore of the river,) into line of dam at head of Mingo Island, 3 miles below Steubenville.

All the stone quarried and lying at the quarry—on the right shore—into dam at head of Captina Island, 18 miles below Wheeling Va., and for quarrying and delivering such additional quantity as may be wanted to complete same dam.

The quarries in all cases are but a short distance from line of dams.

Proposals must be accompanied with satisfactory references. Address Capt John Sanders, Corps of Engineers, Pittsburgh Pa.

Office Ohio River Improvements, Pittsburgh, April 12, 1843.

Advocate and Gazette, Pittsburgh; Wheeling Times and Argus, Wheeling; Union and Herald, Steubenville; papers at Marietta and Parkersburg, will copy till 12th of May, and charge this office. ap 13.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of Oliver P. Bixby late of the city of Pittsburgh, deceased, are hereby notified to make payment to the undersigned administrator, and all having claims against said estate, are requested to present their accounts properly authenticated for settlement. JOHN W. BLAIR, Administrator.

mar 25—6t.

PIG IRON.

60 TONS Soft Pig Iron, hot blast, for sale by JAMES MAY.

mar 28.

WHISKEY.

50 BBLS 5 years old copper distilled Monongahela Rye Whiskey on consignment, and for sale by J. W. BURBRIDGE.

ap 1. Water between Wood and Smith'd.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny county, of March Term 1841, No. 35.

In the matter of the voluntary assignment of Amos Clayton

And now to wit, April 8, 1843. On motion of R. Robb, Esq., at the instance of Aaron Floyd and other creditors the Court appoint H. S. Magraw, William Elder and J. D. Biddle, Esquires, to audit the account of the assignees and distribute the proceeds; any appropriations made by the assignees subsequent to the time at which the account was advertised to be confirmed absolutely are not to be interfered with From the Record,

A. SUTTON, Proth'y.

The auditors above named will attend at the office of H. S. Magraw in the city of Pittsburgh, for the purposes of their appointment, on Saturday, the 29th day of April, inst., at 2 o'clock P. M., at which time and place all persons interested are notified to attend.

HENRY S. MAGRAW,
J. D. BIDDLE,
WILLIAM ELDER,
Auditors.

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