DAILY POST.

PITTSBURGH, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9, 1843.

☞ For business cards, &c., see first page.

ATTEMPTED ROBBERY.—Yesterday morning, about 1 o'clock, the family of Mr. T. J. DUNCAN, at the corner of Chatham and Wylie streets, was aroused by the noise of a dog kept in the basement of the building; Mr. D., seizing a pair of pistols, came down stairs to learn the cause of the disturbance; as he got to the door three men were seen leaving the premises with all convenient speed. Had they waited a short time longer, Capt. Duncan says he would have administered a dose of pills more effectual and quicker in their operation than Dr. Brodie's. He observed two white men and a negro lurking about his neighborhood in the course of the evening, and has little doubt but the attempt at robbery was made by them. Our citizens should not let such warnings pass unheeded. Let them look to their locks and prepare their defences.

RAIN.—We were yesterday blessed with a heavy and refreshing rain, which lasted all day. Though rather unpleasant for those whose business kept them out, we do not believe that any one regretted its coming, for we have been sadly in want of a shower to lay the dust, and cool and purify the air.

APPOINTMENT.—We are pleased to announce that WEBB CLOSEY, Esq., has been re-commissioned by the Governor as a Notary Public for this city.

☞ The "Spirit of the Age" wants to know who won the medal at the target-firing on Saturday." Mr. Flanegan.

CORRESPONDENCE.

HON. WM. WILKINS:

The undersigned, your Democratic fellow citizens, feel anxious to know your mind respecting your nomination, by the democratic convention, in 1842, for our representative in Congress. We consider you fully and fairly before the people of this county, nominated by a regularly organized convention. We, therefore, sincerely hope that you will feel no hesitancy in suffering your name to remain before the Democracy of Allegheny county, at the ensuing election.

Your well known talents and qualifications for the station, and the great need we have for such well tried and faithful public servants, call loudly for your election at the present time. The essential public services rendered by you in former days will now be duly appreciated by your friends and fellow citizens-

Very respectfully,

R. A. Campbell,	C. Moore,
John Fleming,	Thomas Smith,
John L. Armstrong,	William B. Foster, jr.,
A. Streeper,	J. J. Benning,
J. G. Guthrie,	John Johnston,
H. M. Dunlap,	John Sarber,
Thomas M'Call,	W. W. Bachop,
Thomas J. Pearson,	Nelson Campbell,
John Haworth,	Sam'l Shields,
Wm. Miller,	John Gockring,
Lewis Weyman,	R. Dewhurst,
G. L. Drane,	William Milby,
George Spangler,	Charles Wallace,
James Ramsey,	Thomas Donnelly,
John McAllister,	John Watt.
John Fleeger,	

Homewood, August 7th, 1843.

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your very kind and complimentary letter, addressed to me for the purpose of ascertaining my sentiments in reference to my "nomination by the Democratic Convention of 1842, for Representative in Congress," and expressing the hope that I "will feel no hesitancy in suffering my name to remain before the Democracy of Allegheny county at the ensuing election."

My duty to you and the political party to which you are attached, demands an immediate reply.

Although nominated by the Democratic Convention of last year, as a candidate to represent the district in the 28th Congress; and, however binding that nomination may be considered by very many friends, yet I freely waive all my supposed claim under that proceeding. So far as I am concerned, I now throw the whole matter open, and desire that the democratic delegates, when they shall assemble in convention upon the 30th of the present month, may make a selection untrammelled by, and without any manner of reference to, the proceedings of last year. It is much more than likely, that upon a free and full consideration of the question, the approaching convention will be readily able to select a candidate combining in his character more popularity and higher qualifications for the responsible and honorable post than I ever pretended to possess. Still, if upon free deliberation and consulting the wishes of their constituents, they shall bestow upon me the compliment of renewing my nomination, I will abide by their decision and hold in high estimation the act which places me before the people as the democratic candidate. If the honor falls to another, I shall cordially acquiesce.

Your friend and fellow-citizen,

WILLIAM WILKINS.

To Messrs R. A. Campbell, John Fleming, and others.

A TROTTING MATCH was to have come off day before yesterday, over the Beaver Course, between INDEPENDENCE and DUTCHMAN, in harness, for $250. They are both reported to be good nags, but we suppose hereafter none will attempt to contest the palm with LADY SUFFOLK, the late conqueror of BEPPO.

DESTRUCTIVE STORM IN PHILADELPHIA—LOSS OF PROPERTY AND REPORTED LOSS OF LIFE—RAILROAD BRIDGE DESTROYED.

We are informed by Mr Adrian, (says the Baltimore Sun of Monday,) conductor of the cars from Philadelphia, which arrived here at 1 o'clock this morning, that a tremendous storm passed over that city on Saturday afternoon, destroying much valuable property in its course. It also extended to Chester, where it is reported several persons were killed. The rail-road bridge at that place was swept away and other serious damage done. The lateness of the hour prevents us from giving further particulars.

MAYOR OF ALLEGHENY CITY.

At a very numerous and highly respectable meeting of the citizens of Allegheny, held at Mr. Fleming's Hotel, on Saturday evening, the 5th August, on motion, Mr. W. CARSON was called to the chair, and *J. Briggs* was appointed secretary.

The design of the meeting was stated to be a desire to unite the friends of industry and honesty; without regard to political party, in support of a citizen for the office of Mayor, on whom all parties could unite. It was therefore

Resolved, That FRANCIS DILL of the second ward of Allegheny city, is a sound republican—a citizen of exemplary good character—a neighbor of great moral worth; and a workingman whose whole life is an example of industry and integrity to others.

Resolved, That in the selection of Mr. DILL for the office of Mayor of Allegheny city, the meeting entertain the opinion that his election would subserve the best interests of the corporation, and be a guarantee that no industrious man would be oppressed under his administration.

Resolved, That the proceedings be published in the Morning Post.

WM. CARSON, Chairman.

JOSEPH BRIGGS, Secretary.

DIED—Yesterday evening, SAMUEL J., son of Mr. and Mrs. WM. O'H. ROBINSON. Funeral from the residence of the parents this afternoon at 4 o'clock.—The friends of the family are invited to attend.

Sam Slick, the Attache!

THIS new work, from the pen of Judge Haliburton, just received (by express) at the St. Clair st. Literary Depot. aug. 8—1w.

Chuzzlewit in New York.

NO. 7, Martin Chuzzlewit, giving an account of his arrival in New York, for sale at W. M. FOSTER'S Universal Agency and Literary Depot, St. Clair st. aug 8—3t.

Handy Andy.

A SMALL supply of this popular work, cheap edition, just received at W. M. FOSTER'S Universal Agency and Literary Depot, St. Clair st. aug. 8.

Ladies' Companion.

AUGUST NO. Three splendid Steel Engravings, received at W. M. FOSTER'S Agency and Literary Depot, St. Clair st. aug. 8—6t.

Proposals for Chain Iron.

NAVY AGENT'S OFFICE,
Washington, July 28, 1843.

PROPOSALS will be received at this Office until 3 o'clock, on the first day of September ensuing, to deliver at the Navy Yard in this city, the following Chain Iron, for eighteen Chain Cables, 1 11-16 inches in diameter, each 150 fathoms long, constituting the following bill of Iron, viz:

35,100 links 1 11-16 inches in diameter—20½ inches long.
450 links 1 13-16 inches in diameter—22½ inches long.
20 feet 3¼ inch by 2¾ Oval pin Iron.
90 do 2¾ do 2 do do.
70 Swivel, 198 Shackle, and 18 box pieces.

Specifications of the Swivel, Shackle, Box pieces and Oval pin Iron, can be seen on application at this office; all of the above Iron must be the very best American, and undergo such proof, under the increased tests and inspection, as the Commandant of the Yard may subject it to; to be delivered free of expense to the Government, and in as short a time after the Contract is made as is possible, which time will be designated in the contract.

Bonds with good and sufficient sureties in double the amount of the Contract will be required, and a reservation made from each payment of 10 per cent, till the Contract is completed.

aug. 8. WM. B. SCOTT, Navy Agent.

Pittsburgh Theatre.

WM. P. HASTINGS, MANAGER.

THE citizens of Pittsburgh and vicidity are respectfully informed that the above establishment will open on Monday evening, the 14th inst., for the Fall season, with an entire *new* and *efficient company*.—The house will be thoroughly repainted and decorated, and every thing will be done to render the THEATRE, (*once more*) a place of *instruction and amusement*.

WANTED,

☞ SIX YOUNG LADIES and SIX GENTLEMEN, of good character, for the *Corps de Ballet*, to whom good salaries will be paid and dresses found.—Apply at the Merchants' Hotel, between 11 and 12 o'clock, A.M. aug 4—1w.

ADVERTISEMENT.

THE subscriber having, for particular reasons, resigned his situation in the Western University, has united himself with Mr. ROBERT GRIERSON, and Intends opening a new Institution on *Tuesday, the 22d of the present month*, in the Sabbath School Room of the First Presbyterian Church. The entrance is on Sixth street.

In this Institution all the branches of a collegiate course are to be taught. The subscriber is Principal and Professor of Mathematics, and Natural and Moral Philosophy. Mr. Grierson is Professor of Ancient Languages. An able tutor is also bespoke.

The subscriber can say with confidence that he has never known a teacher better qualified to preserve the esteem of all his students, and to instruct them in the difficulties of the Latin and Greek languages than Mr. Grierson. Having been the Professor of Ancient Languages in the University for two years, when the subscriber was Principal, he can, from personal observation, state to the community with infallible certainty Mr. Grierson's qualifications. He has no superior in the languages in Western Pennsylvania; and he can aid, if needed, in any of the branches of mathematics.

Our object is, to encourage students as much as possible to rapid, accurate, and enlightened progress, in every department; and while the collegiate term will be four years, yet each student will be advanced according to his merit; and at the time of the commencement, rewards of good conduct and scholarship will, in order to discriminate, be bestowed according to the opinion of neutral and qualified judges.

The year will be divided into three terms of fifteen teaching weeks; leaving seven weeks for vacation: at Christmas, one; in April, one, and five in August and part of September.

The first Monday in November, March, and July, will be days of matriculation, and for the receiving of the fees of tuition. The fees will be at the rate of $36 per annum for those belonging to either of the cities, who have not to pay board: and $25 for those from the country who have to pay their boarding.

The name of the Institution is, Duquesne College.

Pittsburgh, Aug. 7, '43—3t. ROBT. BRUCE.

AN ORDINANCE,

Authorizing the Mayor to purchase on Perpetual Lease, the lot now occupied by the Duquesne Engine and Hose House.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the the citizens of Pittsburgh in Select and Common Council assembled. That the Mayor be authorized to purchase on perpetual lease for the use of the City, a lot of grouud of twenty feet in front on second St., and extending sixty feet in depth to a twenty foot alley, owned by the Trustees of the Western University, and now occupied by the Duquesne Hose Company, giving therefor at the rate of $60 per annum, with the privilege of purchasing the property in fee for one thousand dollars, at any time it may be deemed expedient by the City authorities to do so.

Ordained and Enacted into a Law in Councils, this 3d day of August, A. D. 1843.

WM. EICHBAUM, Pres't. C. C.

E. J. ROBERTS, Clerk C C.
JOHN SHIPTON, Pres't. S C.
A. MILLAR, Clerk S. C.

aug 7—d3t.

AN ORDINANCE Relating to Dogs.

SEC. 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the citizens of Pittsburgh in Select and Common Councils assembled, that an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance concerning Dogs," passed the 7th day of November, 1836, be and the same is hereby repealed.

SEC. 2. Be it ordained and enacted, &c., That an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to prevent Dogs from running at large in the city of Pittsburgh," passed on the 9th day of August, 1831, be and the same is hereby revived and declared to be in full force.

SEC. 3. Be it ordained and enacted, &c., That the reward for taking up and destroying Dogs under said act shall be reduced to fifty cents per head. And the penalty against obstructing the officers or other persons appointed to carry said ordinance into effect shall be reduced to fifty dollars, instead of one hundred dollars as heretofore. And that Dogs need not be kept muzzled unless at the option of the owner, except from the 15th day of July to the 15th September.

Ordained and enacted into a Law of the Council this 3d August, A. D. 1843.

WM. EICHBAUM, Pres't C. C.

E. J. ROBERTS, Clerk C. C.
JOHN SHIPTON, Pres't S. C.
A. MILLAR, Clerk S. C.

aug 7.—d3t.

AN ORDINANCE Relating to Hogs.

SEC. 1. Be it ordained and enacted, by the citizens of Pittsburgh in Select and Common Councils assembled, That an ordinance entitled "an ordinance to prevent Hogs from running at large within the limits of the city," passed the 28th day of July, 1821, be and the same is hereby repealed.

SEC. 2. Be it ordained and enacted, &c., That so much of an ordinance entitled "an ordinance for suppression of nuisances, an introduction of wholesome regulations in the city," passed the 7th day of September 1816, as was repealed by the Ordinance aforesaid, be and the same is hereby revived, and declared to be force.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils, this 3d day of August, A. D. 1843.

WM. EICHBAUM, Pres't C. C.

E. J. ROBERTS, Cl'k C. C.
JOHN SHIPTON, Pres't S. C.
A. MILLAR, Cl'k S. C. Aug. 7—3t.

Section referred to:

☞ That if any person or persons, shall wilfully suffer his, her or their horse or horses, mare, gelding, mule, ox, hog or hogs, to run at large in the said city, he, she or they, shall for each offence, on conviction thereof, forfeit and pay for each of the said animals so running at large, the sum of one dollar. And every of the before mentioned animals, so found running at large, shall be considered as a public and common nuisance, and it shall be the duty of the city constables, or either of them, to seize and take into his or their custody, and impound every of the said animals so found running at large: And if after four days public notice, no person shall come forward, claim the same, and pay the said fine, and all costs and charges attending the seizing and keeping the same, then and in such cases every such animal shall be sold at public sale by any of the city constables, and after retaining the amount of reasonable costs and expenses such constable shall pay the balance, if any, to the Mayor for the use of the city."

TO MACHINISTS, ENGINE-BUILDERS AND OWNERS OF MACHINERY.

BABBIT'S ANTI-ATTRITION METAL.—This excellent invention for the reduction of friction in machinery has at length been introduced in our city.—It consists of a lined box, suitable for all revolving and sliding motions in the various kinds of machinery, where great weight or speed are applied; these boxes reduce friction in a remarkable degree, requiring but little oil, and are warranted entirely free from the objections found with those now in use.

These lined boxes have been introduced in many of the Eastern Rail Roads, and in various manufacturing establishments in that section of country, to which the limits of an advertisement will not allow us to refer, and nearly thirty well known superintendents, engineers, machinists and engine builders in the east certify that, "in the use of these boxes, friction is reduced in a remarkable degree; oil is required only in small quantities, and the wear is hardly perceptible, during a period in which a hard metal box of the same thickness would be worn out; journals running in these boxes attain a smoother surface than they have seen on those which have been run in any other box." They also certify "that the patentee of this improvement has received the highest award of the Massachusetts Charitable Mechanic's Association, for specimens of these boxes, (some of which had been run on the crank of a locomotive engine *more than thirty thousand miles*,) at the fair of the Institution, held in Boston in September and October, 1841."

The Franklin Institute, Philadelphia, also awarded Mr. Babbitt the premium for the improvement in boxes, under the Scott Legacy, which confines such awards to *new and useful* improvements.

The Committee on naval affairs reported strongly in its favor, in consequence of which the right to use it was purchased by the Government for $20,000. The committee refer to, and make a part of their report the letters of S. V. Merrick, J. Ericson, George C. Read, C. W. Copeland, Com. L. Warrington, Hon. A. P. Upshur, and Charles Howard, recommending the invention.

Mr. S. V. Merrick states that the metal having been long enough in use to test its merits fully, he has no hesitation in saying that, it is one of the most valuable improvements that has come to his notice. The effects produced are: a great diminution in friction; a saving in oil—one half or more; an economy in the original construction, the brasses being much lighter; a saving in repair, the metal lasting longer and being replaced at a less cost; and a saving in fuel, consequent upon diminished friction."

The metal has also been introduced with great advantage, in lining carriage and wagon boxes, for which it is well adapted.

It is also, amongst many others, strongly recommended by Mr. Charles Howard, President of the Baltimore and Susquehanna Railroad Company, who purchased the right for the road, a distance of seventy miles, for $1,050. Mr. Howard gives the article the following recommendation:

"The price was considered a high one, for the comparatively limited extent to which the Company would have an opportunity of making use of the patent right; but we were satisfied that it was for our interest to avail ourselves of the invitation. I can now say, that, having better tested its value by a more extensive application of it, I think that the company would be very unwise to relinquish their right to use it for a much higher consideration than that which was given for it; and I have no doubt, that if such a proposition were to be made to the Company, it would, without hesitation, be declined.

The great merits of the invention are, that it prevents the heating, and consequent cutting and destruction of the *bearings*, which are so numerous on the steam engine; and on the perfection of which depends the value of the engine; while, at the same time, there is a very great saving of oil, the expenditure forms a material item in the cost of working a large engine. In the locomotives of the company. I find the saving to be fully one half of the quantity which was required before Mr. Babbitt's invention was applied to them. Some of these locomotives having run several thousand miles I can also say that this invention makes the machinery much more durable, so that while the effective power of the machine is increased, the cost of repairs is diminished."

☞ The composition alluded to having been used in this vicinity, the proprietor is enabled to refer to the following gentlemen as to its merits, viz:

WM. LYON, of the firm of Lyon, Shorb & Co.
EDWARD MORGAN, Engineer of the steam boat West Point.
JOSEPH HAMILTON, JOSEPH TAYLOR, } Engineers of the steamer Brunette.

☞ The boxes and composition can be purchased & inspected at the Bell and Brass Foundry of ANDW. FULTON, corner of 2nd street and Chancery Lane.

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SALE OF BRIDGE AND OTHER STOCKS,

[BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONERS.]

ON WEDNESDAY, the 6th day of September, 1843, will be offered at public sale, at Pittsburgh, the following Stocks owned by the State of Pennsylvania, viz:

No. of Shares.	*Companies.*	*Par Value.*
1600	Allegheny Bridge Company,	$25
2000	Monongahela "	25
600	Big Beaver "	25
100	Conemaugh "	50
100	Loyalhanna "	25
171	Robbstown "	50
300	Williamsport, Washington co.,	50
2500	Monongahala Navigation company,	50
2151	Bedford and Stoystown Tp. Road company,	50
3823	Stoystown and Greensburgh "	50
1730	Greensburgh and Pittsburgh "	50
3437	Huntingdon, Cambria & Indiana "	50
967	Pittsburgh and New Alexandria "	50
322	New Alexandria and Conemaugh "	50
947	Pittsburgh and Butler "	25
882	Butler and Mercer "	25
320	Pittsburgh and Steubenville "	50
300	Robbstown and Mount Pleasant "	50
660	Mount Pleasant and Somerset "	50
672	Somerset and Bedford "	25
360	Armstrong and Indiana "	50
560	Indiana and Ebensburg "	25
329	Washington and Williamsport "	50
855	Do Pittsburgh "	50
200	Butler and Kittanning "	25
240	Mount Pleasant and Pittsburgh "	25
360	Somerset and Conemaugh "	25
320	Do Cumberland "	25
160	Ligonier and Johnstown "	50
224	Armstrong and Clearfield, "	25
80	Brownington, Harrisville, and Franklin "	50
200	Butler and Freeport "	20
224	Pittsburgh Farmers & Mechanics "	25
160	Bedford and Hollidaysburgh "	50
160	Birmingham and Elizabethtown "	25
160	Luthersburgh and Punxatawney "	25
300	French Creek Bridge company,	20
1250	Franklin and Allegheny Bridge company,	20
100	Erie and Waterford Turnpike Road company	50
560	Susquehanna and Waterford "	25
1010	Mercer and Meadville "	25
100	Anderson's Ferry, Waterford and New Haven "	100
200	Abington and Waterford "	25
280	Warren and Ridgeway "	25
40	Warren and New York State line "	50
96	Titusville and Union Mills "	25
160	Warren and Franklin "	25
80	Sugar Grove and Union "	25
300	Bank of Pennsylvania,	400
300	Columbia Bank and Bridge company,	100
1000	Pennsylvania and Ohio Canal company,	100

Purchasers will be required to pay for the Stocks, at the time or immediately after the sale, in certificates issued by the Auditor General, in pursuance of the Resolution of 7th April, 1842, notes issued by the Banks of this Commonwealth under the act of 4th May, 1841, specie, or the notes of specie paying banks. The transfer of Stock will be made in a reasonable time after sale.

JAMES CLARKE,
EVANS ROGERS,
JOB MANN,
Commissioners for sale of State Stocks.

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Found,

ABOUT the last week in June, in a Clothing Store in Liberty street, a Note of hand, considerably soiled and worn. It is signed by James Gaston and another, and drawn in favor of W. Black. The owner can have it by identifying it, and paying expenses. July 31.—tf.

FOR SALE.—A Mineral Water apparatus, complete, for sale low, at W. M. FOSTER'S Universal Agency and Literary Depot, St. Clair st. jy 31—6t

October Election.

Prothonotary.

I respectfully offer myself a candidate for the office of *Prothonotary* of Allegheny county, subject to the action of the Democratic county convention, which meets on the 30th August next.

GEO. R. RIDDLE.

Allegheny city, may 31—tc d&w.

Prothonotary.

I respectfully offer myself as a candidate for the office of Prothonotary, subject to the action of the Democratic Convention. WM. G. HAWKINS.

Wilkins township, june 27—tc.

Prothonotary.

To the voters of Allegheny county:—I respectfully offer myself to your consideration as a candidate (*independent of parties*) for the office of PROTHONOTARY of Allegheny county, at the ensuing election. As I do not come before you recommended by a *Convention*, those of you to whom I am not personally known will please examine into my qualifications, &c.; and if so fortunate as to obtain a majority of your suffrages, I shall endeavor by strict attention to the duties of the office, to satisfy you with your choice.

ALEX. MILLER.
of Pittsburg.

may 10—tc.

Prothonotary.

Clear the course for the Volunteers.

WILLIAM B. FOSTER, Esq., of Allegheny city, will be a candidate for the office of Prothonotary of Allegheny county, at the October election. june 4.

FOR THE POST.

MANY citizens of Allegheny city recommend D. J. C. M'CULLY as a suitable person to fill the office of Prothonotary. july 12.

Sheriffalty.

I respectfully present myself to the citizens of Allegheny county, as a candidate for the Sheriffalty, subject to the action of the Democratic convention, which meets on the 30th of August next.

june 9—d&wtc. ELIJAH TROVILLO.

FOR THE POST.

MANY Citizens of Pittsburgh, recommend Dr. JOSEPH CURRY as a suitable person to fill a seat in the Assembly, the ensuing session. july 11, 1843.

Assembly.

A number of the Democrats of Mifflin township have concluded to present the name of SAMUEL COCHRAN, Esq., of that township, for the consideration of the Convention which meets on the 30th inst., for a nomination for the Legislature. Mr C. is a well-known and a well tried democrat, and his neighbors confidently present his claims. aug 7—tf

Assembly.

We are authorised to announce JOHN BROWN, Esq., of Pine township, as a candidate for Assembly, subject to the nomination of the Democratic Convention. july 29—tc

County Commissioner.

We are authorized to announce ALEXANDER PHILLIPS, jr., of Robinson, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the democratic county convention. aug 7—tc

County Commissioner.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—Please announce the name of Genl. JOHN M. DAVIS, of Peebles, for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic county Convention, to be held in August next.

MANY DEMOCRATS.

County Commissioner.

Messrs. Editors: As the general opinion appears to prevail that inasmuch as there are already two of the County Commissioners from the country, it is but a matter of right and justice that the city or its immediate neighborhood should have the third candidate, so that while the effective power We therefore beg leave to recommend to the people of Allegheny county, JAMES C. CUMMINS, Esq., of the city district, for County Commissioner, at the ensuing fall election. MANY DEMOCRATIC VOTERS.

County Commissioner.

AT the solicitation of a number of friends of all political parties, I respectfully offer myself to the consideration of my fellow-citizens for the office of County Commissioner. That my sentiments may not be misunderstood, either as to political or private affairs, I make free to say that I have been all my life a consistent Republican, in the true sense of the word. As the country is somewhat embarrassed in its financial affairs, and the reduction of salaries of public officers has received the approbation of large majorities of the people, the undersigned would not should he be so fortunate as to be elected, in any manner attempt to resist this salutary reform; should it reach the office of County Commissioner.

apr 6. SAMUEL HUBLEY.

Commissioner.

We are authorized to announce Mr. JAMES H. ROBB, of Upper St. Clair township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the action of the Democratic Convention. aug 3—tc

COUNTY TREASURER.

JACOB TOMER, Esq. of Pitt township, well known to the Democracy of Allegheny county, as a staunch, uniform Republican of the Jackson school, will be a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

aug 2—tc. AN OLD DEMOCRAT.

COUNTY TREASURER.

At the solicitation of many radical democrats, Mr. SAMUEL McKEE, of Birmingham, has consented to become a candidate for the office of County Treasurer subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention. Of Mr. McKee it may be truly said, to be *known* is to be *popular*.

Many Friends of Unassuming Worth.

jy7—tc

Coroner.

I respectfully offer myself to the citizens of Allegheny county, for the office of Coroner, subject to the decision of the Democratic Convention.

jy 18—tc DAVID HARTZ.

Coroner.

I RESPECTFULLY offer myself as a candidate for Coroner of Allegheny county, subject to the action of the democratic County Convention to be held on the 30th August. JOHN JOHNSTON.

Allegheny, July 21—tc.

County Auditor.

Messrs. Editors:—Please announce the name of JOHN W. M'CLELLAND, of Franklin township, as a suitable candidate for County Auditor at the coming election, subject to the decision of the County Convention. Mr. M'CLELLAND is a Democrat of the warmest and purest kind, and will be warmly supported by MANY DEMOCRATS.

Aug. 7, '43—tc.

Landreth's Garden Seeds.

A full supply of Landreth's Garden Seeds always on hand and for sale, at his agency, the Drug store of F. L. SNOWDEN,

sep 10 184, Liberty st., head of Wood.

William C. Wall,

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CANVASS brushes, varnish, &c., for artists, always on hand. Looking Glasses, &c., promptly framed to order. Repairing done at the shortest notice.

Particular attention paid to regilding and jobbing of every description.

Persons fitting stamboats or houses will find it to their advantage to call. sep 10-y

TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.—HORSE LOST.—Strayed from Samuel Gamble's, near Dunningsville, Washington county, Pa., on the night of the 15th ult., a large Bay Horse, with no any particular marks; 14 or 15 hands high, and between 6 and 7 years of age. Has a few white hairs in his forehead. Whoever will return him to Samuel Gamble, near Duningsville, or to meat Pittsburgh, shall receive the above reward.

aug 2. P. MULVANY.

☞ The Washington Examiner, Uniontown Genius of Liberty, Wheeling Argus, Brownsville News, and Waynesburgh Messenger, insert three times each, send paper to advertiser, and charge this office.

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Hon. John M. Allen, } Cleveland.
Charles M. Giddings, } Cleveland.
J. S. Dickey, Beaver. } Cleveland.
Birmingham & Co., Pittsburgh.

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Beaver and Warren Packet.

THE canal packet ERIE, J. M. Shaw, master, will run as regular tri-weekly packet between the above named ports, leaves Beaver on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays' morning, leaves Warren on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays; connecting with the Stage Lines to Cleveland direct, For freight or passage apply on board, or to

BIRMINGHAM & CO., Pittsburgh,
J. S. DICKEY, Beaver.

1843.

FARE REDUCED.—U. S. MAIL LINE OF STAGES AND RAIL ROAD CARS, from Pittsburgh, via Bedford, Chambersburg, Harrisburg and Lancaster, to Philadelphia, connecting with the Main train of cars to N. Y. &c. Only 150 miles staging and one night out. Also, the direct line to Baltimore.

Fare to Philadelphia	$9.
Baltimore	9.

Leaves daily at 8 o'clock A. M.
Office 2d door below the Merchants' Hotel Wood st.

MENDELL, GRAHAM, WAUGH & Co.,
feb 23, 1843—1y. Proprietors.

The Great Central Route

Via National Road and Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road Company.

NEW LINE OF U. S. MAIL COACHES FOR WASHINGTON CITY, BALTIMORE, PHILADELPHIA AND NEW YORK.

THIS line is in full operation and leaves Pittsburgh daily at 6 o'clock A. M., via Washington Pa. and national road to Cumberland, connecting there with the rail road Co's to all the above places: Travelers will find this a speedy and comfortable route, it being a separate and distinct Pittsburgh and Cumberland line, facilities will be afforded which have not been heretofore enjoyed. Extra coaches furnished at the shortest notice, with the privilege of going through direct or taking one nights rest at their option.

For tickets, apply at our office at the Monongahela House. L. W. STOCKTON,
feb 3—dtf. President of N. R. Stage Co.

Regular Packets, for Cincinnati.

The Swiftsure, Robinson, Master, leaves every Thursday at 10 o'clock, a. m.

The Cutter, Collins, Master, leaves every Friday at 10 o'clock a. m.

The Montgomery, Bennett, Master, leaves every Saturday at 10 o'clock a. m.

The Express, Parkinson, Master, leaves every Sunday at 10 o'clock a. m.

JOHN BIRMINGHAM & CO.,
may 20 *Agents.*

To Let.

A THREE story brick house on Market betw'n 2nd and 3rd streets. The store in this house is large, and furnished with gas pipes and a good counter. Rent low.

ALSO, a dwelling house on Market between 3rd and 4th streets, and several rooms with an entrance from Market street. E. D. GAZZAM.

Aug. 7,—1w.

To Let,

FOR a term of years, my house, store room and work shop, on 2d street, opposite Jas. Park, jr., & Co The shop is brick, 19 feet wide, by 30 long, 3 stories high. I have in it a small steam engine, about 5 horse power, which I will also rent, if desired. For further particulars enquire of me, on the premises. ORRIN NEWTON.

aug 4—tf

To Rent.

PLEASANT rooms and good steam power, at the cast steel file manufactory, corner of Liberty and O'Hara streets. Apply on the premises. july 16.

Peach Trees.

THE subscriber has just received from the Nursery of Landreth and Fulton, near Philadelphia, a lot of the choicest variety of peach trees, to which he would call the attention of the public.

F. L. SNOWDEN,
may 8. No. 184 Liberty st. head of Wood.

Dr. Bochter's Pulmonary Preservative.

FOR coughs, colds, influenzas, catarrhs, whooping cough, spitting of blood, pain in the breast, all diseases of the breast and lungs, and arrest of approaching consumption. Warranted free from mercury and other minerals. B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.,
jy 12 Agents for Pittsburgh.

ALLEN KRAMER, *Exchange Broker, No. 46, Corner of Wood and Third streets, Pittsburg Pa.* Gold, Silver, and Solvent Bank notes, bought and sold. Sight checks on the Eastern cities, for sale. Drafts, notes and bills, collected.

REFERENCES.

Wm. Bell & Co.,	Pittsburgh, Pa.
John D. Davis,	Pittsburgh, Pa.
F. Lorenze,	Pittsburgh, Pa.
J. Painter & Co.,	Pittsburgh, Pa.
Joseph Woodwell,	Pittsburgh, Pa.
James May,	Pittsburgh, Pa.
Alex. Bronson & Co.	Philadelphia.
John H Brown & Co.	Philadelphia.
James M'Candless.	Cincinnati, O.,
J. R. M'Donald.	St. Louis, Mo.
W. H. Pope, Esq., Pres't Bank Ky.	Louisville.

Removal.

P. CAWFIELD has removed his marble Establishment to Wood st. opposite Fahnestock's Drug Store, where he will keep constantly on hand Tomb Stones, Monuments etc. ap 19—1yr

John Cartwright,

CUTLER and Surgical Instrument Manufacturer, corner of 6th and Liberty streets, Pittsburg, Pa.

N. B.—Always on hand an extensive assortment of Surgical and Dental instruments, Banker's, Tailor's, Hatter's, Hair Dresser's and Tanner's Patent Shears, Saddler's Tools, Trusses, &c. je 24.

SAMUEL MORROW,

Manufacturer of Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron Ware.

No. 17, Fifth street, between Wood and Market,

Keeps constantly on hand a good assortment of wares, and solicits a share of public patronage. Also, on hand, the following articles: shovels, pokers, tongs, gridirons, skillets, teakettles, pots, ovens, coffee mills, &c. Merchants and others are invited to call and examine for themselves, as he is determined to sell cheap for cash or approved paper. [mar 7—tf

For Sale.

LOTS on the North East corner of Coal Lane and High street. Apply to BENJAMIN DARLINGTON.

sep 10 Market near Fourth street.

PORTRAIT PAINTING. J. OSBORNE, *Portrait Painter*, Fourth st., 3d story Burk's Building. J. Osborne would solicit a call from those who desire Portraits. Specimens can be seen at his rooms. may 5.

Ice! Ice! Ice!

ANY quantity of clean, first rate Allegheny Ice, may be had at HUGH DUFFY'S, corner of Second and Grant streets. july 13—tf.

Public Sale of Valuable Lands.

PURSUANT to a decretal order of the Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery, for Mason county, pronounced the 19th day of April, 1843, in the cause depending therein of Henry Strider, Pltf., against James W. Barkenridge and others. Def'ds the undersigned special commissioner, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the court house in Mason county, on the 16th day of September, 1843, (being the first day of the Cir Sup'r Court of said county,) that well known body of land commonly called "Graham's Station," lying in Mason county, Va., on the Ohio river, containing by survey four thousand one hundred and twenty-three acres, in two adjoining parcels, a large proportion of which is river bottom land. The above lands previous to the day of sale will be laid off by the surveyor of the county in lots of convenient size for farms, and plats furnished, and so many thereof will be sold as may be necessary to produce the sum of money required by said decretal order.—The sales will be made on a credit of nine months for one-third part of the purchase money, of twelve months for another third part, and of eighteen months for the residue, the purchaser or purchasers giving bonds with good security for the payment of the different instruments, bearing interest from the day of sale, the legal title to be retained as further security for the payment of the purchase money, and liable to resale at the risk of the purchaser or purchasers failing to make punctual payments.

GEO. W. STRIBLING, Special Com'r.
Point Pleasant, Va., June 26, 1843. [jy6—2m

Remedy for the Influenza.

THE Influenza, which is now in almost a universal epidemic, is exciting the inventors of patent medicines to increased exertions in the puffing line, but owing to the general distrust entertained for the generality of such drugs, people fear taking them.—The following, however, from a distinguished physician in New York, Dr. Nelson, we think may be relied on:

"The object of the present communication is to recommend a single remedy, cheap and of easy access to the poor, and to caution them against an injurious one in this disease, namely, bleeding, either general or by leeches. In all those cases in which the first class of symptoms prevail, let the patient smell frequently at a common salts bottle, (*Sims' Aromatic Volatile Salts* are preferred) and by putting the vial to the mouth to draw a few deep inspirations of volatile matter into the lungs. This process be repeated two or three times in an hour, and it will give more speedy and greater relief, in all slight cases of the first class than any other remedy, and will be sufficient for a cure. It will also be essentially useful in the severe cases; and those of the class of prostration, a few drops of amonia, or hartshorn, ought to taken inter nally. A neat way of doing so is to take an old fashioned mixture called lac ammoniaci. However, it is as a local remedy, to act on the disordered surface, that its use is advised. The principles will be recognized by all physicians versed in molecular organization, and those who are deficient in that knowled