hen he sitteth among the elders of the land. She maketh fine linen and selleth it; and delivereth girdles unto the merchant. Strength and honor are her clothing, and she shall rejoice in time to come. She openeth her mouth with wisdom; and in her tongue is the law of kindness. She looketh well to the ways of her household, and eateth not the bread of idleness. Many daughters have done virtuously but thou excellest them all."

The Daily Morning Post.

THOS. PHILLIPS & WM. H. SMITH, EDITORS.

PITTSBURGH, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1845.

BALTIMORE AND OHIO RAIL ROAD.—We are glad to perceive, among our citizens, a rapidly increasing interest on this most important subject, and we hope that they will take some action that will secure to themselves and the State at large the immense advantages that must flow from making our city the terminus of the great work of the day. It is suggested that a meeting be held for the purpose of giving an expression, of the most strong and decided kind, in favor of removing the restrictions imposed upon the Rail Road Company by our legislature. We would earnestly join in urging this or any other mode of showing the extent of the public feeling on this subject in this part of the State. Let energetic action give way to mere discussion.

It is said that the action of the Board of Trade of this city in regard to the resumption of the Beaver Division, has had an adverse influence on the petition for the removal of the restrictions which our citizens so much desire to see removed. We shall not pause to discuss the conduct of the Board, for we think that there is no time to lose in discussing its conduct, and that its action on one subject should not influence the course of the Legislature upon another and entirely different matter. If it has committed an error, the best way to repair it is by a prompt and decisive movement on the part of the people themselves. If it has pursued the proper course, still there should be a popular movement to sustain its efforts.

It is plain that we shall have to contend with the blind selfishness of Philadelphia, in this matter. The people of that city, because they have managed to control and influence the Legislature of the State for many years, think they should continue to do so. And they will make a desperate effort to maintain the restrictions of which we complain, and which were adopted by the force of their own running policy.

☞ The Pittsburgh Post makes a beastly attack upon the whigs of Boston because they have funded a hundred thousand dollars for Mr Webster. Whatever money they have deposited for their Senator was undoubtedly their own. They didn't steal it after the fashion of Locofoco officeholders.

Louisville Journal.

This paragraph is written in the very exemplary and decent style which prevails in the columns from which it is taken. We shall not deny the right of the almoners to the money which they so generously dropped upon the WEBSTER plate, although we don't believe they earned it themselves. But, however undisputed and indisputable their right to the money may be, they have no right to expend it in corrupting the public men of the country—they have no right to "contaminate by base bribes" a man called to perform the high and honorable functions of a Senator of the United States. A majority of the drunkards and debauchees of the country maintain their immoralities at their own cost—yet their example is not the less blighting and injurious to public morals, and their conduct is not censured the less because they spend their own money in demoralizing society. The contributors to the WEBSTER subscription are as amenable to society for the manner in which they lavish their wealth, as any other set of men who use their means to the prejudice of the commonwealth, either morally or politically. We do believe that the $100,000 of a corruption fund given to Webster, is put to wretchedly bad use; that it will have much influence in destroying the purity of our national councils.

If we mistake not, the Journal itself will bitterly rue the day that this $100,000 was subscribed for the 'Godlike.' If we do not greatly mistake the signs of the times, one great object of this great charity, is to sustain WEBSTER as a whig candidate for the Presidency, even to the exclusion of CLAY, whose ardent friends desire him again to take the field—and whose "vaulting ambition" can never be satisfied without another dash at the Presidency. And why should not CLAY again be a candidate? Did he not make a better race last fall than he ever did before?

We would suggest that the JOURNAL amend its last sentence by writing 'Kentucky' instead of "Locofoco" before 'officeholders.' It would have force and point just now.

GREAT EXCITEMENT AT THE WHARF—THE VERY QUICKEST TRIP EVER MADE.—It was announced yesterday in some of the morning papers, that the CINCINNATI, a new and splendid steamboat constructed at the city whose name she bears, had arrived at our wharf, having completed the trip from Cincinnati to Pittsburgh in 52 hours. The boat and her achievement was the town-talk all the morning, and created no little admiration amongst even those who had been used all their lives to stylish steamers and rapid running.

Scarcely had the buzz about the CINCINNATI and her trip began to subside, when the steamboat MESSENGER arrived from Cincinnati,—and to the astonishment of all, it was announced that she had performed the trip in 49 hours, including eight stoppages! She accomplished the distance from Cincinnati to Wheeling in 38½ hours, and came from Wheeling to Pittsburgh in 10½ hours—thus completing the trip in 49 hours. The Messenger is a new boat owned in this city. Her hull was built by B. COURSEN & Co. of Elizabeth, and her engines are from the shop of Messrs ROBINSON & MINIS of this city, who are, we believe her principal owners. She is, therefore, a Pittsburgh boat, and no little honor is claimed for her, for having beaten the crack craft of the Queen city.

The folks interested in the MESSENGER say she has powers yet undeveloped, and that, by a slight improvement which they propose making, she will be able to make the trip from Cincinnati to Pittsburgh in 44 hours! The distance is 500 miles, and during her late trip she averaged more than *ten miles* an hour, against a very strong current, for the river just now is quite high.

This is another triumph for the mechanics and boatmen of Pittsburgh, and shows that they can still keep their position at "the head of the heap." For a matter of 8 hours Cincinnati had the palm; but when the Messenger came in it was reclaimed by the original bearers.

We publish "*A Card*" from the passengers on the Messenger which will be found in another column.

☞ A graceless villain, aged eighteen, having been confined in Providence, R I., for beating his mother, managed to escape last Wednesday and went directly to his mother's house, where he commenced choking and otherwise maltreating her. Officers were sent for to take him in charge. He fled; was pursued by the officers to the wharf, from which he plunged into the water. He was rescued after much difficulty and recommitted to prison.

CANAL TOLLS.—We are indebted to the politeness of Mr FOSTER, of the Canal Board, for a List of the Rates of the Toll fixed by the Board of Canal Commissioners on the public works of the State. We have no means of comparing them with the Tolls of last year, but we see, by a letter from Mr DARSIE, to the American, that an important reduction is effected on many articles. We will endeavor to have an abstract of the Toll List prepared for the information our readers. Meantime, we will give an extract from the letter of Mr DARSIE, above alluded to:

The reduction on Coal will I think enable Pittsburgh to supply the Philadelphia market. I was informed last year, that if the toll was reduced so as to permit the delivery of our Coal in Philadelphia at 23 cents per bushel, that it would command the market for Gas and Blacksmith purposes. The amount consumed in Philadelphia for Gas alone is about 200,000 bushels per annum I transcribe below a calculation of the gross charges by the commonwealth on Coal under the same rates.

Toll on boat in canal 276 miles at 2 cents,	$5 52
Motive power toll on wheels 16 pair Portage road 36 miles at 12 mills,	7 20
Columbia road 82 miles at 7 mills,	9 84
Motive power toll on cargo 118 miles 5 mills per 1000 lbs.,	35 40
Road toll on both roads 118 miles,	4 72
Toll on cargo 60,000 lbs at 22 cts.,	13 20
Use of trucks,	17 00
Total on 30 tons,	$92 88
Amount of State charges per ton,	3 09

REVENUE COMMISSIONERS.—We learn from Harrisburgh that the Board of Revenue Commissioners have done nothing yet but examine strangers and others at the seat of government, under oath, in reference to the value of personal property. This mode of procedure is regarded somewhat in the light of an inquisition, and consequently has become exceedingly unpopular. Their movements are slow, and unless they get along much faster than they have done, their 30 days limit will expire, and the business for which they have assembled to accomplish, will go undone. For our part we look upon the whole proceeding as a humbug, and a very expensive one to the Commonwealth.

NEWS FOR THE PEOPLE.—We learn that a letter has been received in this city, stating that a bill has passed both houses of the Legislature, and was signed by the Governor, extending to Aldermen and Justices of the Peace, going out of office, all the rights and privileges, under existing laws given to Justices in office, previous to the adoption of the new Constitution, respecting the retention of the Dockets and collection of fees.

The simple meaning, divested of all technicalities, is that Justices, not re-elected, may retain their dockets, and demand all legal fees due, before delivering transcripts for the further prosecution of suits yet pending.

There is a tail to this bill called the stay law, which goes into operation on the first of January, 1846. By its provisions bail is to be absolute for payment of judgments.

INTERESTING TO WIDOWS.—In the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, a decision of importance has been made. The application was on the part of a widow, who has married again, to compel from the executor of her late husband the payment of annuity of two hundred dollars, left her until her son should be of age, "provided however that she remained his widow until that time; otherwise the annuity to cease. The court ordered the payment of the annuity, notwithstanding the re-marriage. It was held that a provision for the payment of the annuity so long as the widow should continue unmarried would be good, the provision operating only as a *limitation* upon the devise; but the case before court there was a limitation already provided, to wit, the coming of age of the son, and the other clause, directing the annuity to cease on the marriage of the widow, could be regarded only as a *condition subsequent*, and a restriction upon marriage, which the law disfavors as opposed to the first law of our nature and to the interest of society.

HE HAS RETURNED.—Mr Coleman, who took out to England and France last year his celebrated Æolian Attachment to the piano forte which attracted so much notice in Paris and London, was a passenger home in the Hibernia.

MILLER EXCITEMENT IN MAINE.—Some of the citizens of Orrington have become so much excited with the advent theories of "Father Miller," as to neglect all business and to live upon their substance by selling stock from their farms and the furniture from their dwellings. They have set the twenty-third of next month as the day when the world will be caught up in the air to meet the Lord. The Selectmen of O. have given notice, that several persons named, are to be placed under guardianship, and all persons are cautioned against purchasing any property, as all contracts or deeds will be void on account of their incompetency to manage their affairs.

FOR THE POST.

We understand that the good people of Wheeling are uproarious in the extravagance of their joy, at the passage of the law by the Virginia Legislature, making their town the terminating point of the Baltimore and Ohio railway. So confident are they that their town must become the grand centre for all the travel of the vallies of the Ohio and Mississippi, that they are disposed to give full vent to the feelings of satisfaction, with when they hail the passage of the law in question. The people of Wheeling are right; the terminus of the Baltimore and Ohio railway must become the grand depot for the transhipment of a large amount of merchandize. To that point must come an immense number of the merchants, manufacturers and business men of our whole country, and most certainly, if Wheeling be made the point, there is good cause for the manifestations of joy, which report says, are apparent in the countenances, and which we know abound in the language and writings of her citizens.

But shall Wheeling be the point? This is an important question, and one in which our own city and the whole State are deeply interested. Shall Pittsburgh, shall the people of Pennsylvania, look tamely on while advantages so great, so manifest, and so permanent, are gliding by, without reaching out a hand to grasp them.—Will the Legislature of Pennsylvania adjourn without passing a law at least *permitting* the Company to come within our territory and extending their road to Pittsburgh? We think not—nay, we expect that every legitimate influence will be exercised to induce the Company to accept of the provisions of a law to that effect, and thus secure to our own State the expenditure within her borders of immense sums spent in the construction of the road, prevent the growing up of a rival in our vicinity whose increase in manufactures, in commerce and wealth would be felt injuriously by our merchants and mechanics, enable the people of our city to pay their portion of the burdens of the Commonwealth, and aid in fostering and maintaining the great and growing interests of our community.

We know not how to speak of the cause that is taken in regard to this matter by the board of trade of the city of Philadelphia. Can it be that they do not understand that their interests will be promoted as much by the extension of the road to Pittsburgh as to Wheeling. Is it possible that they expect any advantage to themselves by opposing us when they are thereby so far promoting the interests of our would-be rival. We cannot believe it. We know that the policy of Philadelphia should be to promote the general good, and we have no doubt she would willingly, and rather than oppose us did she but thoroughly understand our position.

We will recur to this subject again.

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THE BRIG O. C. RAYMOND.—Our readers will doubtless remember certain reports in relation to this vessel, under the command of Capt Dennison, as having been concerned in the embezzlement of specie amounting to $70,000, which had been shipped at Canton from Macao, some time in the year 1843. It appears that instead of proceeding to Macao, Dennison took a course for Talcahuana, where he arrived early in 1844, and disposed of his vessel, exchanged the silver committed to his charge for gold, and took passage on board the whale ship Archer, Capt Ricketson, of Nantucket, Mass., then at that place, for Payta. Upon his arrival at Payta, he took with him the whole amount of specie except about $13,000, and proceeded across land via Panama, to New Orleans, where he arrived in April or May last, and during the last summer spent some time in that town.

Recently, information has been received from China, by our Government at Washington, of the embezzlement of the funds by Dennison, and of the shipment on board the Archer, and orders were accordingly transmitted by the proper officers for their seizure, upon the arrival of the vessel. The Archer arrived at Nantucket on Monday, when Col. Bayles boarded her below the port and seized the specie remaining on board, which is now deposited in bank. Mr. Davis, of New York, an agent or partner of the house in China, claims the specie; and a similar claim has been instituted by the owners of the brig O. C. Raymond at Sag Harbor. Dennison has not been heard of for some time past, and has probably taken his departure for Texas.—*Balt Sun.*

Steamboat Accident.—The steamboat Blue Ridge, when about pushing out from our wharf on Saturday night, burst the connection pipe between her boilers, scalding the engineer and a German hand or deck passenger, rather badly. The floor of the social hall was torn up considerably by the explosive force, and the boat otherwise injured. The Blue Ridge had got pretty well into stream, when the accident occurred, and drifted with the current down below town, and was towed back by one of the boats lying at the wharf. (*Cin. Enq. Feb.* 24.

The Barclay St Suicide.—The New York *Courier des Etats Unis* spoils the romantic story respecting the young Spaniard, Aldama who killed himself in Barclay street a few days ago. It seems that he had followed a course of dissipation, and squandered in one year some fifteen or twenty thousand dollars. His father at length sent him to New York, on an allowance of $100 a month. The ardor of his attachment for a young lady in Havana did not prevent him from keeping a mistress in New York, or from indulging in excesses which did him neither good nor credit. "Woe to thee, Aldama."

COMMERCIAL ITEMS.

NASHVILLE, February 20.

The Cumberland is falling, though there is sufficient water in the channel for boats of the largest class.—The Sam Seay and Orpheus arrived yesterday from Pittsburgh. We notice that our merchants are receiving portions of their spring goods.

NASHVILLE, February 21, 1845.

The Cumberland is still falling, but there is yet sufficient water for boats of a large class. The weather, yesterday, was mild and clear, although heavy rains fell the night previous. The Radnor from New Orleans arrived Wednesday night.

The Cotton Market, in consequence of unfavorable advices from New York, has slightly declined since our last report—sales dull.

No change in the Tobacco market.—*Nashville Gazette.*

The Upper Mississippi is nearly free of ice as far up as Keokuk. The Die Vernon Reports the river falling, with twenty-eight inches of water on the lower rapids—and closed in the neighborhood of Burlington.—*St. Louis Rep.*

The Illinois river is reported nearly free of ice; 4½ to 5 feet water in the principal bars, and falling.—*Ib.*

PITTSBURGH MARKET.

REPORTED FOR THE POST BY ISAAC HARRIS.

Friday, February 28, 1845.

We have taken our usual walks through our streets, warehouses and along our rivers, and find business beginning to revive; a good many wholesales making and goods sending off. We have seen a great deal doing on the Monongahela Wharf, and a good many steamboats loading and unloading, and our business with the West and all parts of the country, is just commencing with energy and life. Amongst the Steamboats we visited yesterday was the large and beautiful "*Cincinnati*" steamer, which has reached us from her native city in 52 hours—and the Pittsburgh "*Messenger*," which has just arrived in 49 hours—both from Cincinnati,—these are two of the shortest trips from Cincinnati that we ever heard of.

Our Rivers are up and in the best order, and our canal will be open on or before the first of March, when business will go ahead rapidly and be vastly improved. In our walks we see a great many *New Goods* arriving and opening by our wholesale and retail houses, whose stocks are new, excellent and cheap.

Flour— Flour is in good demand, and the sales of the week near 200 bbls, on the wharf and from wagons $3 50@3 62½, and from stores $3 62½@3 87½ ℔ bbl, according to quality.

Grain—Wheat 70c., Rye 40@42c. Corn 28@29. Oats, sales of about 2000 bushels, at 16, 17@18c, and Barley quick at 75c. a bushel.

Hay—Sales from wagons and at the river, $6 50@$7 ℔ ton.

Ashes—Scorchings, sales of about 6 tons, at 3¼@3½c, cash ℔ lb, Pearls 4@4½c. Pot 3@3¼ and Saleratus 4¼@4½c. ℔ lb.

Butter—Receipts small and demand improved, small sales in kegs, 6¾@7; and about 2,200 lbs in rolls in bbls at 9@10 c ℔ lb.

Bacon—The market seems to be looking up a little, and since our last, sales have been made of lots to the retail trade, shoulders 4@4¼; assorted, and sides 5 and hams 6@7 c ℔ lb; a sale of good sugar cured hams at 7 c; a lot of 20,000 lbs country cured hams and shoulders sold at 6 and 4 c ℔ lb; Lard, sales in kegs, 5¾ to 5¾ c ℔ lb.

Cotton—A good deal has arrived during the week for Manufactories, and one small sale of 20 bales Tennessee at 5½ c ℔ lb.

Cheese—Stocks moderate; sales at 4½@5 c ℔ lb., good Ohio.

Feathers—Stocks fair, and sales moderate at 28@30 c ℔ lb., for choice.

Fruit, Dried Apples, sales of 500 bushels, at 72@75; dried Peaches, sales of 150 bushels in lots at $1,25@$1 35 c ℔ bushel. Green Apples, sales of about 500 barrels of good in lots at $1 25@150 c ℔ barrel.

Fish—Sales of 25 barrels of Lake Fish at $8 00@$8 50.

Groceries—Stocks large and excellent, and prices low. Sugar, sales of the week, in lots, of about 100 hhds., N. O., common, 4@4¼; fair 4¼ and 4½; prime 4¾@5 c ℔ lb., in barrels ⅛ to 1 c higher. Molasses, sales of about 250 bbls., in small lots, at 22, and by the single barrel, 23@25 c ℔ gallon.

Coffee—Sales of the week about 300 bags, in lots, Rio 6¾@7¼; Laguyra 7¼@7¾; St Domingo 6@6½; and Java 12½ c ℔ lb.

Metals—Bar Iron is steady and constant sales and demand, at 3 c for common and 3½ c ℔ lb., Juniata.

Pig Metal—Sales of 55 tons, No 1 Allegheny, at $27, at 6 mos.; 68 tons Hanging Rock $28; 200 and 250 tons Hanging Rock $29, 6 mos. Lead, Pig 4; Bar 4½@4¾ c ℔ lb.

Salt—Sales at the wharf $1,12½ a bbl. for No 1.

Seed—Clover seed, sales of 500 bushels, at $3,50. Timothy, sales of 150 bushels in lots at 2,25. Flaxseed, 90@$1 a bushel.

Whiskey—Sales of 250 bbls at the wharf, 17½@17¾; Rectified 21 cts a gallon.

Died,

Yesterday Mr. GABRIEL O'BRIAN, a native of Carlisle, Pa.

(Carlisle papers please copy.)

A Purse Lost!

LOST—on Wednesday night last, somewhere in the city, a *Black Silk and Gold Bead Purse*, containing a five dollar Exchange Bank note, and some small notes. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving the purse and its contents at this office. feb. 28–tf.

A CARD.

At a meeting of the passengers on the splendid steamer Messenger, the following resolution was unanimously adopted, and signed by the individuals present.

Resolved, That we take pleasure in tendering to Capt. Perry our thanks for the pleasant and speedy trip made by us from Cincinnati to Wheeling and Pittsburgh. The boat having performed the trip to Wheeling in 38½ hours and to Pittsburgh in 49 hours and would cheerfully recommend the boat and officers as worthy the confidence and patronage of our friends and the travelling community

OHIO RIVER, 26th Feb. 1845.

James P. Wood, Tenn.	Wm. Cooper, O.
T. Rawlins, do	C. A Orem,
Ruffus Smythe, do	Jesse H. Hicks, Ark.
S. T. McNutt, do	Jas. Nimick, Pa.
Wm N. Percival, Va.	Wm. S. Hunter, Pa.
George J. Hosey, Cin.	N. V. Maxwell, O.
T. E. S. Ruseman, Tenn	John W. Hall, Miss.
S. Holmes, Ill.	Thos. J. Claflin, U. S.
Robt. McFarland Ill.	M. Weil, Ky.
Wm L Speakman, Pa.	D. M. Eder, Petersburgh.
Jas. S. Webb, Ten.	Thos. Walton, Cin.
S. L. Bean, Mo.	J. B. Darst, Cin.
B. Bailey, Ky.	William P. Jones, Pa.
F. D. Newcomb, La.	Wm. P. Heath, Indiana.
Samuel M. Boge, Pa.	Isaac Heath, do
John Watson, Ky.	H. D. King, Pittsburgh.
T. O'Hara, Ky.	Lafayette Graham, do
T. T. Beathe, Ky.	Benjamin Graham, do

N. B. The above times includes all stoppages.

Fresh Oranges and Lemons.

10 BOXES Prime Messina Oranges;
16 do do Lemons;
16 drums prime Smyrna Figs;

Landing from Steam Boat Cincinnati, in excellent order and for sale low by P. C. MARTIN,
feb 28 60 Water street.

NEW WORKS.

Harper's Bible, No 18.

NO. 6, Thirlwall's History of Greece;
The Chimes, a Goblin Story, by Chas Dickens.
Just received and for sale by C H. KAY.
feb 28 Bookseller, corner of Wood & 3d sts.

Ladys Book for March.

JUST received at Cooks, 85 Fourth street:
The Ladys' Book for March, containing the following beautiful embellishments. Maternal Instruction, engraved by J Bannister. The Women of '76; an original design. A Fashion Plate, with five figures. Ladies spring Bonnets and dresses. Also Children's dresses. *Music*: Exchange of Hearts, by Himmel, contents entirely original.
Subscriptions received and single numbers for sale at Cook's, 85 Fourth st. feb 28

Buggies at Auction.

WILL be sold at *McKenna's Auction Mart, corner of 2d and Wood streets*, on Monday, the 3d inst. at 2 o'clock, P M., two superior new Buggies; also at the same time, a few Bbls of prime Shad; a few ½ boxes Tobacco, &c.
Terms at sale. P. McKENNA,
feb 28 Auctioneer.

AN ORDINANCE

Relative to City Printing and Stationary.

JANUARY 27th 1845.

SECTION 1st. Be it ordained and enacted by the citizens of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, that from and after the passage of this ordinance, that it shall be the duty of the Mayor of the city to contract with the publishers of two of the city daily newspapers, for the publication of all public notices on busines of the city, city Accounts, Proclamations, Ordinances, &c., on fair and equitable terms. And also for all Job printing and Stationary allowed to the city officers, and the persons thus contracted with, shall be the only authorized city printers, publishers and stationers, authorised to receive compensation for city printing, &c., unless otherwise ordered by a joint resolution of Councils.

2d. Be it ordained and enacted, that from and after the passage of this Ordinance, all ordinances now in force relative to the city printing, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils, this 24th day of February, 1845.

MORGAN ROBERTSON, Pres't. C. C.
E. J. ROBERTS, Cl'k, C. C.
GEO. W. JACKSON, Pres't, S. C.
ALEX. MILLAR, Cl'k, S. C. feb 28

AN ORDINANCE,

Making Appropriations for the year 1845.

BE it ordained and enacted by the citizens of Pittsburgh in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained by the authority of the same.

That the revenue for the year 1845, arising from Taxes, Wharfage, Rents, Fines, Forfeitures, Licenses and other lawful sources, together with all the moneys now in the Treasury, and not otherwise appropriated, be, and the same are hereby appropriated, for the purposes following, to wit:

No 1, *Salaries of City Officers, to wit:*		
Mayor, seven hundred dollars,	$700	
Treasurer, five hundred dollars,	500	
Solicitor, 2 hundred and fifty dollars,	250	
Wharfmaster on Monongahela, five hundred dollars.	500	
Wharfmaster on Allegheny, (Duquesne way) three hundred dollars.	300	
Street Commissioner, five hundred dollars,	500	
Clerk of Markets, two hundred dollars.	200	
City Constables, (3, $250 each,) seven hundred and fifty dollars.	750	
High Constable, three hundred and fifty dollas.	350	
Clerks of Councils, (2, $200 each,) four hundred dollars.	400	
Messengers of Councils, (2, $50,) one hundred dollars.	100	
Recording Regulator, two hundred and fifty dollars.	250	
Superintendent of Water works, including Engineer, twelve hundred dollars.	1,200	
Assessor of Water Rents, four hundred dollars.	400	
Assessor of City Taxes, seventy-five dollars.	75	
No. 2. Int'st on City loans, $36 885 90		
" Gas Works stock, 5,073		41,958 90
No. 3. Public printing, three hundred dollars.	300	
" 4. Engine and Hose Companies, thirteen hundred dollars.	1,300	
" 5. City Watch, four thousand dollars.	4,000	
" 6. City Water works, for current expenses,	5,000	
" " extension of works	5,000	
" 7. Repairing paved cartways, fifteen hundred dollars.	1,500	
" 8. Cleaning paved cartways, fifteen hundred dollars.	1,500	
" 9. Redemption of old Script, one hundred.	100	
" 10. Loans and certificates, of debt, viz: Bank of Pittsburgh, fourteen thousand eight hundred dollars.	14,800	
A. Horbach, five hundred dol's.	500	
W. Barr, two thousand dollars,	2,000	
Certf. of Debt due 1844, nineteen hundred and forty-eight dollars,	1,948	
Certf. of Debt due 1845, sixty-nine hundred and thirty-two dollars.	6,932	26,180
" 11. Outstanding Warrants, three thousand dollars.	3,000	
" 12. Monongahela Wharf, two hundred dollars,	200	
" 13. Allegheny Wharf, two hundred dollars.	200	
" Contingent fund, four thousand dollars,	4,000	
		$100,713 90

Ordained and enacted into a Law in Councils, this 24th day of February, A. D. 1845.

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GEO. W. JACKSON, Pres't. S. C.
ALEX. MILLAR, Clk. S. C. feb 28

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, in and for the County of Allegheny.

The petition of George H. Bell, of the 3d ward, of the city of Pittsburgh, in the county aforesaid, respectfully sheweth, That your petitioner hath provided himself with materials for the accommodation of travelers and others, at his dwelling house in the city aforesaid, and prays that your honors will be pleased to grant him a license to keep a public house of entertainment. And your petitioner, as in duty bound, will pray. GEORGE H. BELL.

We, the subscribers, citizens of the 3d ward, Pittsburgh, do certify, that George H. Bell, the above petitioner, is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accomodation of travelers and others, and that said tavern is necessary.

James Montooth,	James M'Dowell,
George Snyder,	Thomas Pinder,
Robert Paul,	John M'Masters, Jr.
W Jenkins,	James Kerby,
Joseph Cupples,	William Carr,
John Laughlin,	Abijah Ferguson.

feb 28-3td Chronicle copy, (and charge Post.)

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, in and for the County of Allegheny.

The petition of Mrs Ann Craddock, of the 3d ward, of the city of Pittsburgh, in the county aforesaid, respectfully sheweth, That your petitioner hath provided herself with materials for the accommodation of travelers and others, at her dwelling house in the city aforesaid, and prays that your honors will be pleased to grant her a license to keep a public house of entertainment. And your petitioner, as in duty bound, will pray. ANN CRADDOCK.

We, the subscribers, citizens of the 3d ward, Pittsburgh, do certify, that Mrs Ann Craddock, the above petitioner is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of travelers and others, and that said tavern is necessary.

Robert Paul,	William Biddle,
William Jenkins,	George W Bell,
T K Hibbert,	Wm Mackey,
Thomas Pinder,	M Patrick,
James Montooth,	John Bishop,
A Hunker,	D R Miller.

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To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, in and for the County of Allegheny.

THE petition of Peter Perchment, of Wilkins tp., in the county aforesaid, respectfully sheweth, That your petitioner hath provided himself with materials for the accommodation of travelers and others, at his dwelling house in the township aforesaid, and prays that your honors will be pleased to grant him a license to keep a public house of entertainment.—And your petitioner as in duty bound, will pray. PETER PERCHMENT.

We, the subscribers, citizens of Wilkins township, do certify, that Peter Perchment, the above petitioner, is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of travelers and others, and that said tavern is necessary.

James M'Cracken,	W G Hawkins,
John Shaeffer,	Robert Milligan,
Henry Frisk, sr,	Geo Johnston,
James Currey,	Jonathan Robinson,
Isaac Mills,	Thomas Megahey,
George M'Kenzie,	John Hershey.

feb 28.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, in and for the County of Allegheny.

The petition of W. Johnston, of Peebles township, in the county aforesaid, respectfully sheweth, That your petitioner hath provided himself with materials for the accommodation of travelers and others, at his old stand in the township aforesaid, and prays that your Honors will be pleased to grant him a license to keep a public house of entertainment, and your petitioner as in duty bound, will pray. W. JOHNSTON.

We, the undersigned, citizens of Peebles township, do certify, that W. Johnston, the above petitioner is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of travelers and others, and that said tavern is necessary.

W D Forward,	Robert Wilson,
Peter Perchment,	Samuel Borland,
H Barker,	Geo E Peebles,
George Bailey,	W E Noble,
David Irwin,	Henry Hodil,
Benj F Spahr,	Peter Schaick.

feb 28.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, in and for the County of Allegheny.

The petition of John Truby, of East Deer Township, in the county aforesaid, respectfully sheweth, That your petitioner hath provided himself with materials for the accommodation of travelers and others, at his dwelling house in the township aforesaid, and prays that your honors will be pleased to grant him a license to keep a public house of entertainment. And your petitioner, as in duty bound, will pray. JOHN TRUBY.

We, the subscribers, citizens of East Deer township, do certify, that John Truby, the above petitioner is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of travelers and others, and that said tavern is necessary.

John M'Cracken,	James Bole,
James Fryer,	Isaac Haws,
James Dickckey,	John M'Kee,
Robert Hughes,	Hugh Torrance,
Jacob Hershberger,	Thomas Neel,
D P Ingersoll,	John M Stewart.

feb 27-d3t*

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, in and for the County of Allegheny.

The petition of John Shaeffer, of Wilkins township, in the county aforesaid respectfully sheweth

That your petitioner hath provided himself with materials for the accommodation of travellers and others, at his dwelling house in the borough aforesaid, and prays that your honors will be pleased to grant him a license to keep a public house of entertainment. And your petitioner, as in duty bound, will pray.

JOHN SHAEFFER.

We, the subscribers, citizens of Wilkins tp., do certify that Jno Shaeffer, the above petitioner, is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of travelers and others, and that said tavern is necessary.

Robert Donaldson,	John Johnston,
Adam Walter,	James Gilmor,
John S M'Call,	Thomas Megahy,
Stewart Thompson,	Adam Linhart,
Christopher M'Call,	George Curry,
Lawson Green,	James M'Cracken.

feb 27–3t*

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, in and for the County of Allegheny.

The petition of Wm. Hutchinson, of Jefferson township, in the county aforesaid humbly sheweth, That your petitioner hath provided himself with materials for the accommodation of travelers and others, at his dwelling house in the township aforesaid, and prays that your Honors will be pleased to grant him a license to keep a public house of entertainment. And your petitioner, as in duty bound, will pray.

WM. HUTCHINSON.

We, the subscribers, citizens of the township of Jefferson, do certify, that Wm. Hutchinson, the above petitioner is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of travelers and others, and that said tavern is necessary.

David Megogney,	E Percival,
Jonathan Large,	Cary Cerroll,
H. H. M'Ilhinny,	Andrew Bedell,
Gabriel Caster,	Harvey H. Peterson,
Joseph M'Corkle,	Francis Blair,
Samuel Heth, jr.,	A. Craighead.

feb 27–3td.*

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, in and for the County of Allegheny.

The petition of John Otterson, of Reserve Township, in the county aforesaid, humbly sheweth, That your petitioner hath provided himself with materials for the accommodation of travelers and others, at his dwelling house in the township aforesaid, and prays that your honors will be pleased to grant him a license to keep a public house of entertainment. And your petitioner, as in duty bound, will pray,

JOHN OTTERSON.

We, the subscribers, citizens of Reserve Township, do certify, that John Otterson, the above petitioner, is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of travelers and others, and that said tavern is necessary.

John Croft,	Peter Bates,
William Broad,	Michael O'Shea,
Dan'l. Loper,	Jno. Snyder,
Robt. J. Gregg,	Stephen Jackson,
Francis Boyd,	Jonah Lewis,
Peter Burger,	James Sweeny.

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Peeled Peaches.

15 BARRELS PARED PEACHES, just rec'd. and for sale (at retail or by the barrel) by
A. G. REINHART,
feb 27. 1.0. Liberty street.

Key Lost.

LOST on Wednesday evening Feb. 26th between the corner of Market and Fifth streets and Mrs White's Boarding House on Liberty street. An ordinary sized door key, (quite new) which the finder will confer a favor by leaving at the store of Hugus & Bachman corner of Fifth and Market streets.
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Shawls, Alpaccas, Cashmeres D'Cosse.

83. *Market Street, Pittsburgh.* 83.

SELLING OFF AT COST.

B. E. CONSTABLE requests the attention of the public to his stock of shawls, consisting of Blanket Cloth, Cashmere, embroidered Thibet and Belvidere, and Broche, at prices ranging from 50 cents up to $12.

Alpaccas, figured and plain, Romelias, Zenobia Cloths, &c., at from 18¾ cents up to 50 and 62 1-2.

Cashmeres D'Cose from 25 up to 50 cents, the newest imported styles.

Just received, another lot of Flannels, imported as the only kind that is not liable to shrink. Jan 15

DOCTOR EDMUND LANDIS'S

PATENT DOUBLE SPRING TRUSS.

For the Melioration and Cure of Hernia.

HUMANITY is deeply indebted to the ingenuity and perseverance of Dr Edmund Landis, a citizen of Lancaster, Pennsylvania, for a valuable improvement in the construction of the Truss for the melioration of Hernia or Rupture, which, after being carefully tested by application to a number of patients, has never failed to give relief, and in most cases has proved successful in effecting a permanent cure.

This improved Truss has been submitted to the most eminent members of the medical profession, who, after fair trial and examination, have concurred in pronouncing it an important discovery, particularly as it admits of perfect adjustment to the seat of the complaint, and of bearing with certainty upon the point where the pressure is required, without admitting of a chance of change or of shifting by any action of the muscles, hip or body,—the outer spring, which is very elastic, only giving, by which arrangement every movement is accommodated.

The suffering and imminent danger to life consequent upon that most distressing of all complaints, *Strangulated Hernia*, need never be apprehended by persons who wear this improved Truss, and the patient may cherish a confident hope, that in consequence of the intestine or omentum never being permitted to protrude in the slightest degree, that the distended ring or opening will gradually contract, and a permanent cure be effected, when the Truss may be dispensed with altogether.

This Truss may be very properly termed, Dr LANDIS' COMPOUND SPRING TRUSS; the springs being 2 in number, the inner and the outer, the latter lying over the former. The exterior spring is three times the length of the interior, upon the end of the latter the compress or eliptical pad or block is fastened, which rests upon the affected part. There is a small adjusting screw, which passes through the outer spring, immediately over the pad or block, and is formed to bear upon any part of the block, so that the pressure can be made to act immediately upon or over the rupture with the degree of force or weight which the case may require. The whole apparatus is so adjusted as to fit any peculiarity of form, at the same time so flexible as to occasion neither inconvenience, nor uneasiness to the wearer, while following his usual avocations.

The following distinguished members of the Medical profession have borne ample and unqualified testimony to the palliative and curative value and importance of Dr Landis' discovery: George B Kerfoot, M. D., and John L Atlee, M D., of Lancaster; Geo M'Clelland, M D., Professor of Surgery in the Pennsylvania and Jefferson College, and Samuel M'Clelland, M D., Profess