The Daily Morning Post.

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

PITTSBURGH, THURSDAY, MAY 1, 1845.

RE-BUILDING THE MONONGAHELA BRIDGE.—We are gratified to learn that the Monongahela Bridge Company will succeed in their arrangements to re-build their useful superstructure which was consumed by the late fire. There is every reason to expect that they can succeed in having it ready for business by the 1st of December, and if they accomplish this, they will deserve the thanks of the community, to whom a bridge across the Monongahela is almost indispensable. The Managers meet to day to receive and consider plans for the new bridge, and we feel much interest in their deliberations, because we are anxious that they should erect a bridge on the most improved and modern plan of construction—one that will combine durability and usefulness, and at the same time be an ornament to the city. The attention of travelers who approach Pittsburgh by the Ohio, the Monongahela, and the various roads leading to the city from the southern side of the Monongahela river, will be the first attracted by the Bridge—and though we would not sacrifice strength or durability in the new bridge, to a desire to make it please the eye, still we should like to see taste and beauty in its construction. Although the bridges which now span our rivers, are, without doubt, substantial and excellent of their kind, still, it cannot be denied that they present a clumsy and graceless appearance to the observer. There have been as great improvements in the construction of bridges for the last few years, as in any department of industry and skill in our rapidly improving country; and in building this new bridge the Managers will no doubt avail themselves of the best efforts of art and science that they can command.

We understand that Mr ROEBLING, the skilful constructor of the new aqueduct, which he is about finishing, will submit a plan to the Managers to-day, for the new Bridge. The industry and skill of Mr. ROEBLING, as manifested in the building of the Aqueduct, give him an exalted rank among the most scientific and useful men of our country, to which he is a valuable acquisition. Under the most discouraging circumstances, he has pushed the great public work he is now completing, and has produced a superstructure which, in the opinion of men best able to judge, will establish his fame as an engineer.

The great success of Mr ROEBLING in building the Aqueduct, and his success is now almost universally conceded, even by those, who, at the outset, doubted the utility of his plan, added to the fact that he will raise little profit from the work, should give him a strong claim on the support of the people of this city, and of those who take pride in its advancement.

We feel confident that Mr. R., in submitting his plan to the Managers, will be able to convince all who doubt its sufficiency, if such there be, that their doubts are ill-founded.

But few persons, that we have seen, are opposed to wire bridges, who have given much consideration to the plan of their construction. Some, who appear to forget that the old plans to which they adhere so pertinaciously, were once new, and, as innovations, met the opposition of the timid and over-prudent, oppose the wire suspension bridge because it is comparatively a new invention. Others think it would do as an Aqueduct, but, by some unaccountable course of reasoning, arrive at the conclusion that it will not do for a bridge! For our own part, after a careful examination of the Aqueduct, and a full explanation of the principles of the wire suspension, we are fully convinced of its superiority over all plans now in use, and sincerely hope the company may promptly contract with Mr. ROEBLING.

One great inducement to employ him, is the fact that he can build the bridge in as short a time as it can possibly be done,—we will not say in less time than any one else, but the fact that he has his machinery, hands and his tools all on the spot will greatly facilitate his operations.

Much of his machinery and many of his tools he had to prepare for the Aqueduct, and this consumed time. The fact that these things are all ready, superadded to the circumstance, that he would need no timber but such as can easily be procured, would render it easy for him to complete the work this summer.

THE NEW AQUEDUCT.—We were much pleased on paying a visit to the Aqueduct on Tuesday afternoon, to find that the work is nearly completed, and that in the course of two or three weeks, we will have the pleasure of seeing boats passing across the new structure. This job, when finished, will reflect lasting honor on Mr ROEBLING, the skilful contractor, and will settle, not only the practicability, but the great superiority, of the wire suspension Bridge over every other plan. When Mr R. first proposed building the Aqueduct on the plan that was finally adopted by the Councils, a large number of our citizens did not believe it practicable, and were strongly averse to the city entering upon what they considered a very doubtful experiment. But as it progressed towards completion, they began to discover its many advantages over the wooden structures, and now all are warm in their admiration of the success that has attended the labors of the enterprising builder.

This work, when completed will be unsurpassed, if indeed, equalled by any thing in the country, and will be a proud monument of the expansive views of our city authorities, and the skill of our architects, mechanics and workmen. When in successful operation it will be a source of immense revenue to the city, and with the annual increase of our canal trade, it will, in the course of a few years, yield an unprecedented profit on the money invested.

It will long be a source of pride to the people of Pittsburgh, to remember that their city was the first to grant adequate encouragement to this system; and we feel certain that it will be the sincere wish of every man of enlightened liberality, that Mr Roebling may have abundant opportunities to employ his talents as successfully as he has in the construction of the Pittsburgh Aqueduct.

☞ Hon. J. Thompson, of Mississippi, who was appointed by Gov. Brown to fill the vacancy in the Senate of the United States, occasioned by the resignation of Mr. Walker, has declined the office; for reasons which will, doubtless, be entirely satisfactory to the Governor and people of the State, when they are made known. The Governor has not made another appointment.

☞ The Boston Emancipator has the following advice in regard to Fire Insurance:—"The disastrous fire in Pittsburgh shows the wisdom of some people in getting their property insured in another city.—Such a fire as that sweeps the insurance offices into ruin along with the buildings. Insuring your house in an office next door to you, and in which all your neighbors insure, is putting your stitches in too near the edge of the cloth."

☞ Seventeen thousand dollars are to be expended this season in improving the harbor of Chicago.

☞ The Taxes are endless and enormous in Great Britain. An English writer says that the school-boy whips his taxed top;—the beardless youth manages his taxed horse with taxed bridle on a taxed road; and the dying Englishman, pouring his medicine, which has paid seven per cent., into a spoon which has pa'd fifteen per cent., flings himself back upon his chintz bed, which has paid twenty-two per cent, makes his will on an eight pound stamp, and expires in the arms of an apothecary who has paid a license of an hundred pounds for the liberty of putting him to death. His whole property is then immediately taxed from two to ten per cent. Besides the probate, large fees are demanded for burying him in the chancel; his virtues are handed down to posterity on taxed marble; and then he is gathered to his fathers to be taxed no more.

CITIZEN'S HOTEL.—Corner of the Basin and Penn street.—This house has undergone a thorough repair, and looks as good as new. Mr KING, the Proprietor, will spare no pains to accommodate, all who may favor him with their patronage.

☞ It is 69 miles from Chicago to St. Joseph; and yet very often on board the Champion, plying between the two points, the light from both Light Houses can be seen at one and the same time. The light of prairie fires about Chicago can also be seen at St. Joseph.

VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY.—The Charlottesville Jeffersonian states that the magistrates, sitting in the capacity of a county court, and a jury, have been investigating the disturbances at the University, and will make a publication of the facts. Order had been restored, and the Lectures would be resumed on Friday last. The board of Visitors was in session on Wednesday.

New Orleans Custom House.—We have been politely favored with the following statement from the Custom House, showing the growing commerce of the port of New Orleans:

Amount of Duties, first quarter, 1844		$437,338 49
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Excess in favor of 1845,		$141,661 53
Exports of Domestic Growth, Manufacture and Produce—first quarter of 1845—		
January	$3,895,979	
February	6,856,737	
March	5,532,223	
		$15,784,836

Exclusive of Exports of Foreign Goods entitled to Debenture. [*Pic.*

FOR THE POST.

DISTRIBUTION OF MONEYS,

For the relief of the sufferers by the late fire.

The *plan* of Mr Dunlop, contained in the Post of Monday, for the distribution of the fund created by the recent calamity, is worthy of serious consideration, and unless one more acceptable to the sufferers, be suggested, its adoption should not be delayed. However, an exchange of views upon momentous questions of public interest may not be regarded as too presumptious. let those views or opinions come from what quarter they may.

That Mr Dunlop's plan is subversive of the great ends contemplated by the contributors to the fund, is evident to the most cursory observer. And no special pleading is required to prove that "*the city authorities—fire companies—fund for future emergencies,*" never entered into the minds of persons contributing to the relief fund. The moneys collected were taken up for the *sufferers* by the late fire—the people contributed for that specific object—and public expectation is, that the trust fund thus contributed, will be applied to the purposes contemplated by those who have so liberally expressed benevolent feelings.

But the idea of a funded debt, predicated upon *loan notes*, is certainly repugnant to sound policy, in view of the rights of the sufferers to the fund in question. No portion of our citizens out of the "burnt district" may claim a present or future benefit arising from the money specifically designed for the sufferers of the 10th of April. The money belong to them.—It is their property, and they only have a right to its enjoyment. Away, then, with *loan notes*—let each have his share, and that leads to the important consideration of distribution.

Simplicity in matters of public policy, should not be disregarded; people will understand plain truths, and be governed by them in all the relations of life.

Now, it is most manifest that the sufferers are naturally divided into *two classes*. One class is composed of the working community, without real estate; the other class embraces persons in circumstances not included in the former classification.

That the laboring class should be made whole in personal property consistent with the rights of all, no one can doubt. The *working* multitude are *first* entitled to relief. The other class should be paid in proportion to the necessities of each case; and if any person should deem it too humiliating to accept a share, the proportion of others will be greater in their distribution of the fund. But care should be taken to guard against misrepresentations as well as to reject all applications from individuals who own more than one city lot of the value of one thousand dollars.

JOHN SMITH, of Roanoke.

PROCEEDINGS IN JEFFERSON TOWNSHIP.

Agreeably to a previous notice a meeting of the citzens of Jefferson township was held at the house of Mr Snee, to make arrangements for raising some relief for the sufferers by the late fire in Pittsburgh.

On motion, John H McElhinney, Esq. was called to the chair and Hugh McElhinney, Esq., appointed Secretary. On motion,

Resolved, That we go into the matter of raising funds as a township, and that one person be appointed in each Sub-School District for money and produce. The following persons were appointed: School No 1 David Torrence; No 2, William Wilson; No 3, John More; No 4, John Murphy; No 5, Wm Lowrie; No 6, J H McElhinney, Esq.; No 7, Hugh Kennedy; No 8, Samuel Heth, Esq.; No 9; E Perceval, Esq.; No 10, Jeremiah Stailey.

Resolved, That each of the above named persons be authorized to collect the amount subscribed in his district within two weeks from this day and pay it into the hands of the proper person in the city of Pittsburgh in the name of Jefferson township.

OREGON EMIGRATION.

We understand says the St Louis Era, that a large number of emigrants are congregated at Independence, preparatory to their emigration to Oregon. There are two separate companies organized, and they will start about the 20th of April. They number about one thousand persons, and have a good supply of wagons and animals. All the houses in Independence were filled, and a large number were encamped in tents in the vicinity.

At St Josephs, in the Platte country, there was another large company, with about one hundred and twenty wagons. They then expected to start about the same time as the company did from Independence.

Another company with about thirty-five wagons, were assembled at another point on the river.

It was supposed that considerable accessions would be made to these companies before their departure.

Lieut. Fremont is about starting on another exploring expedition beyond the mountains, and one hundred and fifty young men were at Independence engaged to go with him. They were furnished with mules and equipped for their journey. The rush of emigration beyond the Rocky mountains will be very great, and those who expect to join the company should repair to the frontier immediately. The companies are very particular to preserve the character of the expedition. No person is permitted to join an exploring expedition until he has undergone an examination, and if he be a criminal, a refugee from justice, or a man of infamous character, he is excluded.

Tobacco Chewing.—One of the principal reasons why the fair sex have taken such a disgust to tobacco chewing is, that in early times ladies used to be brought to the Colony of Virginia and sold as merchandise—payment always being made in tobacco at about the rate of pound per pound. Tobacco, consequently reminds them of their marketable condition—the "*quid pro quo*" in sales in the wife market. The repugnance is a natural one. *Pic.*

POSTSCRIPT.

FROM MEXICO.

The city of Mexico desolated by an Earthquake.

The New Orleans Bee has received a copy of the Vera Cusano of the 12th inst., received by the same arrival the news which we published yesterday, containing the account of an awful earthquake which desolated the city of Mexico on the 7th inst

At the moment we write, says the Siglo of the 8th, the inhabitants of the capital of the republic are still under the influence of the horrors excited by the earthquake of yesterday, the disastrous effects of which we are still imperfectly acquainted with.

Yesterday, at 52 minutes past 3 o'clock P M, the oscillations began, slight at first and then stronger.—The direction of the motion appeared to be north and south. It lasted about two minutes. The shocks were terrible, like them was ever experienced before, and the condition of the building too surely proves of all exaggeration.

We were by chance upon the great square at the time, and we witnessed a spectacle not easily forgotten. In an instant the multitude, but a moment previous tranquil and listless, were upon their knees, praying to the Almighty and counting with anxiety the shocks which threatened to convert the most beautiful city in the New World into a vast theatre of ruins. The chains surrounding the portico were violently agitated; the flags of the pavement yawned open, the trees bent frightfully, the buildings and lofty edifices oscillated to and fro, the immense arrow which crowns the summit of the cathedral vibrated with astonishing rapidity. At 56 minutes past 3 the movements had ceased.

It is impossible yet to ascertain the extent of destruction. Not a house or door but bears the marks of this terrible calamity.

At 8 o'clock last evening, seventeen persons had been taken from the ruins of other buildings and carried to the Hospital.

At three quarters past six, and a quarter past seven, two more shocks were felt. They were, however, slight, and occasioned nothing but a temporary renewal of terror.

The authorities did everything that zeal and humanity could suggest, to carry help to the victims. and restore the aqueducts which furnish water to the city.

VIRGINIA ELECTION.

The returns from this State leave no doubt of the success of the democrats, who will have nearly all the Congressmen, and majorities in both branches of the legislature. The Richmond Compiler (whig) of yesterday, sums up the result as far as ascertained, as follows:

The whigs have lost—Hanover 1, Caroline 1, Spottsylvania 1, Essex 1, Gloucester 1, Accomac 1, Elizabeth city and Warwick 1, Fairfax 1—in all *eight*. Members of the House of Delegates, and probably a Senator in the northern neck District, to succeed Col. R. W Carter.

They have gained, we believe, the Senator from Hampshire, in which district Orrick is probably elected over Sloan.

Our opponents will have decided majorities in both Houses.

To Congress, thus far, we have elected but one whig, and he, we fear is the *only whig* we shall have.

The following gentlemen may be set down elected.

1st	Dist.	Archibald Atkinson,	Democrat.
2d	do.	Geo C Dromgoole,	do.
5th	do.	Shelton F Leake,	do.
6th	do.	Jas A Seddon,	do.
7th	do.	T H Bay'y,	do.
8th	do.	R M T Hunter,	do.
9th	do.	J S Pendleton,	whig.
10th	do.	Henry Bedinger,	democrat.

[*Balt. Republican.*

☞ Mr. Ritchie, who is about to assume the duties of the official editor at Washington, is said to be seventy years old. He has edited the Richmond Enquirer for forty-one years—and, the common fate of editors, leaves the scene of all his struggles and his many triumphs, poor. The editor of the Baltimore Patriot feelingly exclaims, "May he be more fortunate in his new abode." *N. O. Pic.*

SPEECH OF LOT DOOLITTLE, ESQ.,

Member of the Legislature from New Jerusalem, Huckleberry county, Varmount, on the bill for the protection of Hen roosts.

Mistur Speaker:—I've sot here in my seat, and heered the opponents of this great nashunal measure argify and expectorate agin it till I'm purty nigh busted with the indignant commotions of my lacerated sensibilities. Mr. Speaker, are it possible that men can bee so infatuated as to vote agin this bill? Mr. Speaker, I blush to say that it am. Mr. Speaker, allow me to pictur to your excited and denuded imagination some of the heart-rending evils which rise from the want of purtection to hen roosts in my vicinity, among my constitutents. Mr. Speaker, we will suppose it to be the awful and melancholy hour of midnight—all nater am hushed in repose—the solemn wind softly moans through the waving branching of the trees and nought is heered to break the solemcholy stillness, save an occasional grunt in the Hog Pen! I will now carry you in imagination to that devoted Hen House. Behold its peaceful and happy inmates gently declining in balmy slumbers on their elevated and majestic roosts! Look at that aged and veperable and highly respected Rooster, as he keeps his silent vigils with parental and unmitigated watchfulness over these innocent, belpless, and vittuous, Hens and Pullets! Just let your eye glance around and behold that dignified and matronly Hen, who watches with tender solicitude and paternal congratulation, over those little juvenile Chickens, who crowd around their respected progenitor, and nestle under her circumambient wings.

Now I ask, Mr. Speaker, am there to be found a wretch so lost and abandoned as will enter that peaceful and happy abode, and tear those interesting and inocent little biddies from their agonized and heart broken parents? Mr. Speaker, I answer in thunder tones that there am!—Are there any thing so mean nod sneaking as such a robber? No, ther are not! You may search the wide universe, from the natives who repose in solitary grandeur and superlative majesty under the shade of the tall cedars which grow upon the tops of the Aimmaleh mountains in the valley of Jehosophat, down to the degraded and barbarous savages who repose in obscurity in there miserable wigwam on the Rock Gibralter in the Gulf of Mexico, and then you will be as much puzzled to find any thing so mean, as you would be to see the airth revolve around the sun twice in twenty-fours, without the aid of a telescope.

Mr Speaker, I feel that I have said enough on this subject to convince the most obdurate member of the unapproachable necessity of a law which shall forever and everlastingly put a stop to these *fowl* proceedings; and I propose that every convicted offender shall suffer the penalty of the law as follows:

For the first offence, he shall be obligated to suck twelve rotten eggs without no salt on 'em.

For the second offence, he shall be obligated to set on twenty rotten eggs until he hatches 'em.

Mr Speaker, all I want is for every member to act on this subject accordin' to his consciousness. Let him do this, and he will be remembered for everlastingly by a grateful posterity. Mr Speaker, I've done. Where's my hat.

The eloquent gentleman here donned his seal skin cap and sat down, apparently much exhausted.

Bost. Post.

☞ The Indiana Sentinel, published at Indianapolis, by the celebrated Chapman, contains a brief, but earnest appeal in favor of the sufferers by the late fire in our city. A meeting was to have been held on Saturday week, at 2 o'clock, for the purpose of devising measures of Relief.

☞ Elworth, the pedestrian, is to attempt again his feat of walking 1000 miles in 1000 successive hours—one mile in each hour. The amount of the bet is $500 that he does not perform it. He commences next Thursday on the Eclipse course, the use of which he has obtained from the Secretary of the Louisiana Association. As it will require nearly six weeks for the completion of the business, we have some fears lest Elworth subsides into a "grease spot," should the heat of the weather go on increasing in intensity as it has done during the past ten days. *Pic.*

Swift travelling.—The London Chronicle of the 2d inst. says—

"Trains will shortly be started to accomplish the distance between Liverpool and London—204 miles—in six hours. The Great Western already runs between London and Bristol—118 miles—in four hours. The Brighton also runs at an accelerated pace, and we hear that in a short time the London and Birmingham will travel between these places in three hours—distance 112 miles.

Fatal Affray.—Isaac Glover, mate on the steamboat Muscle, was killed in Waterloo, on the Tennessee river, on the 3d inst., by Elisha Carey, a resident of the said place. Glover, it is said, went to the residence of Cary, abused his family, and ultimately struck Mr. C. in the face, who afterwards drew a knife and cut G. to pieces. Carey is now in jail.—N. O. Pic.

Jealousy and Bustles.—"Please, widow Wimple, may please lend her the biggest sweet pertater you've got."

"A sweet potato?"

"Yes'm."

"Why, ain't your ma going to Mrs Wallopop's party?"

"Yes'm.

"Ain't she ready?"

"Yes'm—all but her bustle. She had to bile her'n for dinner to-day, and she wants the pertater quick, case she expects Dr Possum right away"

"Dr Possum! He goin to call for the widow Fizzle! Tell your ma I hav'nt a sweet potatoe in the house."

"Yes'm"

"That artful 'oman. She don't get no potato of mine Let her *use corn cobs.—Rich. Star.*

Married,

On the 29th inst, by Elder J. Myers, Mr. SILAS MILLER, of Butler county, to Mrs SARAH MILLER, of Allegheny city.

BAYARDSTOWN

CHEAP CASH STORE.

EMANUEL REIS

HAS just returned from the Eastern cities, and is now receiving his spring supply of Fancy and Staple Dry Goods. His goods have been purchased within the few last weeks, at the lowest wholesale prices for *Cash*, and they will be sold wholesale and retail at a very small advance on Eastern cost.

Goods for Ladies.

Scotch, French and English Lawns;
Cashmere de Cosse; Crape de Laines;
Mouslin de Laines; Balizs;
Bombazines, Barages; Merinos; Alpaccas;
Linen Lawns; Linen Cambrics;
Black and colored Silks;
French, Scotch and Domestic Ginghams;
Cashmere, cotton and silk Hose;
Silk, Mohair and Picknet Mitts;
Mousline de Laine Shawls;
Cashmere do.;
Silk striped do.;
Superior Kid Gloves;
Silk, Cotton and Mohair Gloves;
Jaconets and Cambric Muslins;
Swiss, Book and Mull do.;
Collarets: Chemizents;
Plain and striped Muslins; Gimps;
Cords, Fringes, Linen Hdkfs;
Thread Edgings and Laces;
Cotton " "

ALSO,

A large and beautiful assortment of Calicoes and Ginghams.

Bonnets! Bonnets!!

The latest styles and fashion, of Leghorn, Straw and Fancy Bonnets, Parasolls, Sunshades, Furs, &c., &c.

GOODS FOR GENTLEMEN.

French; English and American Broadcloths;
Cassimeres, Satinetts, Vestings, Linen Collars;
Scarfs, Shirts, Suspenders, Silk Hdkfs.,
Blk, silk Cravats, Alpacca "
Silk and Cotton Hose, Irish Linen.

Carpets!

All qualities from 25 cents to $1 per yard.

Muslins!

Bleached and unbleached, from 6¼ cts. per yard upwards.

The above with many other articles too tedious to mention, will be sold for cash, at the lowest price.

EMANUEL REIS, Penn st., near the
may1-1m Canal Bridge, Bayardstown.

Bargain in Real Estate.

WE are instructed to sell at two-thirds of its real value, a lot of ground in Fleming street, Allegheny city; (in Fleming's plan of small lots adjoining property of the late James H. Sewel, Esq.,) one-half of the purchase money may remain on interest for a number of years. Apply to

BLAKELY & MITCHEL,
may 1. Real Estate Agents.

Marshal's Sale.

BY virtue of a plurius Vendition Exponas, issued out of the United States District Court at Pittsburgh, and to me directed, will be sold at public outcry, at the Court house in the city of Pittsburgh, on the 19th day of May next, the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain Lot of ground, in Brookeville, Jefferson County, Penn'a., being out lot No 16, in the borough of Brookville aforesaid, bounded on the east and on the south, by the north fork of Red bank creek, on the west by Mill street, and on the north by land of Timothy Pickering, containing twenty eight acres, and 210 perches, better known on the plan of said borough, as the mill lot, on which is erected a Grist mill, three stories high, with two run of stones, a two story frame dwelling, and stable, taken in Execution as the property of Robert S Barr, at the suit of the United States, and to be sold by

SAM'L. HAYS, Marshal,
MARSHAL'S OFFICE, } West. Dist. of Penn'a.
April 30, 1845. } 3tw

CHAMPAIGNE AND HOCK WINES.

WILL be added to the sale this afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at Davis' Auction Rooms, 14 baskets Champaigne Wine; 2 dozen bottles old Hock, good quality. (may 1) J D DAVIS, Auct'r.

Administrators' Notice.

ALL persons interested will please take notice that letters of Administration have been granted to the undersigned upon the Estate of John Johnston, late of Allegheny city, deceased. All persons having claims against, or knowing themselves to be indebted to said Estate, are respectfully requested to present them properly authenticated for settlement without delay. H. H. McCULLOUGH, No. 116, Wood st, over Parke & Hannen's Glas warehouse.

MARGARET JOHNSTON, Allegheny City.
may 1 *Administrators.*

VALUABLE SCHOOL BOOKS on hand and for sale by C H KAY, Bookseller, No 76 Market st above White & Brother's store, between 4th st and Diamond.

Mitchell's Geography and Atlas;
Olney's " "
Smith's new Arithmetic;
Smiley's " "
Guy's Astronomy and Keith on the Globes,
Renwick's Natural Philosophy;
Jones' " "
Gummere's Surveying;
Playfair's Euclid;
Young's Elements of Trigonometry;
Lovell's United States Speaker;
Frost's History of the United States.
Blair's Lectures on Rhetoric;
Porter's Rhetorical Reader;
Also a large assortment of valuable Standard Medical Works, all of which will be sold low for cash.
may 1

CHANGE OF HOURS.

STEAMBOAT LAKE ERIE,

CAPT. THOMAS CAMPBELL.

THE public are respectfully informed that the proprietors of the Steam Boat Lake Erie have from and after this date changed their hours, and in future will leave

Pittsburgh for Beaver at 3 o'clock, P. M., and Beaver at 8 o'clock, A. M. daily, (Sundays excepted.)

It will appear manifest upon examination, that the owners of the steamers Michigan and Wisconsin, are determined to drive from the trade the Steamboat Lake Erie; their course has been and new continues in full vigor to monopolize the whole business; they were not satisfied with having the lion's share of trade and choice of hours in leaving Pittsburgh and Beaver, but now publicly and plainly say they will drive the Lake Erie from the river—a generous public will decide.—Freights and passengers for all ports on River and Lake, carried on reasonable terms as heretofore. Apply to

THOMAS LYON, Ag't., Pittsburgh,
may 1. J. S. DICKEY, " Beaver.

Public Vendue.

WILL be offered at public sale, Saturday, May 10th, by the Administrators of John Redding, dec'd, at his late residence in Reisville, near Jacob Tomer's the following property: Three Horses and Harness, the running gears of a coal Wagon, a number of Books, several Beds, and a large variety of Household and Kitchen Furniture. Sale to commence at 3 o'clock, P. M. Terms made known at sale.

JACOB TOMER, Administrator.
may 1-10t JANE REDDING, Admistratrix.

METALLIC ROOFS.

THE subscriber most respectfully announces to his fellow citizens, that he has made arrangements to commence the above business in connection with

HOUSE SPOUTING

on a large scale, and from his knowledge as an Eastern Roofer, hopes to meet with encouragement.

My Shop is in the Fourth Story of the large Warehouse, corner of Cecil's Alley and Liberty street, where a Miniature Plan of Roofs may be seen, and any other information required will be given.

JOHN DUNLAP,
may 1-d&wtf Late of No 26, Market street.

Valuable Theological Works.

CHALMERS'S SERMONS;
Chalmers on the Romans;
Jay's Works, 3 vols;
Burritt's Notes New Testament;
Saurin's Sermon's, Blair's Sermons;
Hunter's Sacred Biography;
Dick's Lectures on the Acts;
Pulpit Cyclopedia;
Bunyan's Pilgrims Progress, Illustrated;
Introduction to the history of the Church, by Dr Jarvis;
Giesler's Text Book of Ecclesiastical History;
Cheever's Lectures on Pilgrim's Progress,
Campbell on the Miracles;
Bibliothica Sacra;
Burnett on the Thirty nine Articles;
For sale by CHAS. H. KAY, Bookseller, No 76 Market st., above White & Bro's Store, between 4th street and Diamond. may 1

A Farm for Sale.

I WILL sell, on terms advantageous to the purchaser, a small Farm of about fifty-three acres, well improved, in Pine township, twelve miles from the city. Title unexceptionable. Apply at my office, 5th street, in the Chambers occupied by Alderman McMasters. JAMES CALLAN.
may 1—w3t.

Stray Cow.

CAME to the premises of the subscriber, living in Findley township, on the 4th day of April, a Cow, supposed to be seven years old, having no particular mark other than she is of a mottled red and white and not giving any milk.

BENJ. McCULLOUGH.
Clinton, April 18th, 1845-m 1-3t.

Citizen's Hotel.

THE subscriber has opened the Citizen's Hotel on Penn street, as a house of public entertainment, in that large brick house, formerly the Penn House, near the canal bridge, where he is provided for the accommodation of the public, and will be glad at all times to see his friends.

BENJAMIN F. KING.
ap21-dtf

Insurance against Fire.

THE Citizens' Mutual Insurance Company of Pennsylvania, located in the City of Philadelphia, will insure against loss or damage by fire, Houses and Stores, *either perpetually, or for any limited period:* also stocks of merchandize, household goods, furniture, and wares and goods generally, on the most liberal terms.

Applications made to the Agency of this Company, in Burke's Building, on 4th street, between Market and Wood, at the office of Eyster & Buchanan, will meet with prompt attention. These are becoming quite frequent. JAS. W. BUCHANAN.
apr 30-dtf,

House Spouting.

I INTEND keeping on hand an assortment of Tin Gutter and Conductor, Painted, ready for immediate use, and will give my attention to fitting up Conductors in a good and substantial manner.

ap 30-4t S. MORROW.

All articles of Tin Ware manufactured and kept on hand, wholesale and retail.

Lard Oil.

1000 GALS. just received and for sale by R D MILLER & Co.
ap 30 194 Liberty st.

Machine Cards.

A FRESH supply of Machine Cards, for carding Wool just received from Massachusetts and for sale by GEO COCHRAN,
ap 30 No 2 Ferry st.

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 James Cassiday, of Lower St. Clair 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 tp. 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.

JAMES CASSIDAY.

We, the subscribers, citizens of Lower St. Clair tp. certify, that the above petitioner, James Cassiday, is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of travelers and others.

Wm. Chess	Henry Ingraham,
Wm. Meredith,	John Murray,
James Millinger,	J. P. Ross,
Robert H. Martan,	Wm. Milholland,
James M'Donald,	Alexander Gallagher,
J. D. Miller,	John Still.

apr 30-3t*

50 BOXES Star Candles, first quality, for sale By R. D. MILLER & CO.,
ap 29 194 Liberty st.

"Cincinnati Starch."

300 BOXES Starch, of first quality, for sale by R. D. MILLER & CO.,
ap 29 194 Liberty street.

Taken in Mistake.

A Feather bed and hearth rug, were taken from the wharf on the evening of the fire, among the goods of a person to whom they did not belong.—The rightful owner can receive information of them by inquiring at the office of the Morning Post. apr. 29

Monongahela Bridge.

AN adjourned Meeting of the Stockholders of the Company for a erecting a bridge over the River Monongahela opposite Pittsburgh, will be held at the Toll House of the old Allegheny Bridge on Friday the 2d of May next at 3 o'clock, P M.

ap28-dtd JOHN THAW, Sec'y.

Shawls, Alpaccas, Cashmeres D'Ecosse.

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

To Advertisers.

THE attention of Merchants and others, desirous of advertising abroad, is called to the INDIANA STATE SENTINEL, at Indianapolis, Indiana. The *Sentinel* is the State paper, and in addition to its large circulation, it is obliged by law to be filed in the Clerk's Office of every County of the State. Advertisers have also the benefit of a circulation tri-weekly or daily, during the winter, of thousands, sent to every county in the State. Terms reasonable; but as the amount of advertising cannot always be calculated, those desirous may send what sum they please, and the advertisement will be inserted to the amount.

G. A. & J. P. CHAPMAN,
April 29-3t *Proprietors.*

Valuable Miscellaneous Works

ON hand and for sale by CHAS. H KAY, Bookseller, No 76 Market street, above White & Brother's store, between Fourth street and Diamond.

Hume's History of England;
Alison's History of Europe;
Prescott's Ferdinand and Isabella;
Stephen's Central America.
Stephen's Travels in Yucatan;
Bancroft's United States;
Neals History of the Puritans;
Lockhart's Life of Scott;
Jefferson's Correspondence, &c.
Hall's Works;
Dunlop's History of Fiction;
Pictorial History of the American Revolution;
Mill's Crusades and Chivalry;
Roscoe's Lorenzo De'Medici, &c. &c.
For sale low for Cash. ap 29

JOHN M'DEVITT, JAMES M'DEVITT.

J. & J. M'DEVITT,

WHOLESALE GROCERS,

Dealers in Produce and Pittsburgh manufactures generally, No. 224, Liberty, opposite 7th Street, Pittsburgh, Pa. ap 28-1y

Merchants' Hotel Re-Opened,

BY B. WEAVER,

At recently the Mansion House, Penn street, near the Canal Pittsburgh, Pa.

THE subscriber having succeeded in obtaining the above beautiful and retired Mansion has this day re-opened it as the Merchants' Hotel, for the reception and accommodation of the Public. The House has been rendered commodious, refitted, painted and newly furnished, and its situation is the most pleasant in the City, having a fine opening both in the front and rear.

The Proprietor therefore extends his assurances that he will use his best efforts to render the visits of those who may favor him with a call as pleasant and desirable as at any Hotel in the City.

B. WEAVER, Proprietor,
Late of the Merchants Hotel, cor. Wood & 3d sts.

N. B. An Omnibus and Baggage Wagon always in waiting to conduct passengers, &c. to and fro, free of charge. apr 28-dtlJ.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE partnership heretofore existing under the name of Davitt & Aspers, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 10th inst. Persons having unsettled accounts with said firm will call at the County Treasurer's Office, with John C Davitt, or Eliab Asper, who are duly authorized to collect and settle all accounts.

JOHN C. DAVITT,
ELIAB ASPER,
AMOS ASPER.
apr 18-d3t.

Proposals for Coal.

PROPOSALS will be received at the Railway Office, Parkersburgh, Chester county, until May 13th, for furnishing two thousand tons of bituminous lump Coal, for the use of the Columbia and Philadelphia Railway, for the present year.

Proposals may be for any amount of Coal, from one hundred tons upwards, delivered at Columbia, or at the Schuylkill Inclined Plane, free of toll on the Coal, but inclusive of toll on the locks and motive power for boats and cargo on the Allegheny and Portage Railway. EDWARD F. GAY,
ap 29. Sup't. C. and P. Railway.

Morocco and Fancy Leather.

THE subscriber has just received and is now opening at his Shoe Store,

NO. 3, ST. CLAIR STREET,

A large and varied assortment of

MOROCCO AND FANCY LEATHER,

Comprising all the descriptions of such Leather usually kept in the best establishments at the East, all of which is of the clearest quality, from the best manufactory in Philadelphia, and will be sold at the lowest rates, for cash.

ap 29-3t J. C. KIMBALL.

Dry Goods.

J. K. LOGAN, & CO., corner of Wood and Fifth streets, over John D. Davis's Auction Store, have just received another supply of fresh and seasonable Dry Goods, which, added to their previous assortment, (all of which have been purchased very low in the eastern city,) enables them to offer great inducements to those wishing to purchase at wholesale or retail for cash. They have now on hand a large assortment of

French and English Broadcloths, all colors;
Do do Cassimeres, plain and Fancy;
Satinets, Blue, Blue Bl'k, Mix'd and Fancy;
Summer Cloths, Gambroons, Plaid Linens;
Bleached and Brown Linens, Drillings;
Satin, Cashmere, Valencia and Marseilles Vestings;
Linen Sheetings 5-4 and 8-4, Checks;
Bleached and Brown Muslins, Canvass, Padding;
Fancy Prints 6¼ to 25c.; Fine Ginghams;
Hosiery, a very large assortment and very low;
A splendid assortment of Spring Shawls;
An assortment of Parasols;

And a general assortment of other goods usually found in a Dry Goods Store, all of which will be sold low for Cash. ap 28

☞ N. B. Large additions expected on the 1st of May.

Cheapest Book of the Season!

THIERS' HISTORY OF THE CONSULATE and Empire under Napoleon, by M. A. Thiers, late Prime Minister of France, and author of the History of the French Revolution—translated from the French by D. F. Campbell, with notes and additions by H. W. Herbert.—No 2 just received at Cook's Literary Depot, 3d street, near the post Office. The publishers of the above work are not only to publish it in advance, but WITH NOTES and ADDITIONS, by H W Herbert, Esq. one of the most accomplished writers and ripest scholars in this country. The cheapness of the work puts it within the reach of every one, rich and poor. ap 28

Saleratus.

10,000 POUNDS Saleratus, just received and for sale on accommodating terms by J. & J. M'DEVITT,
ap 28. No 224, Liberty street.

Brandies.

2 HALF Pipes A Seignette Brandy;
2 do Bordeaux Pale, do;
A pure article, just received and for sale, by
J. & J. M'DEVITT,
ap 28 No. 224 Liberty street.

Coffee.

150 Bags Rio Coffee, a prime article, just received and for sale on accommodating terms, by J. & J. McDEVITT,
ap 28.- No. 224, Liberty street.

Sundries.

10,000 Principe Cigars.
10 Boxes Star Candles.
1 Tierce Cuba Honey,
Just received and for sale low, by
J. & J. McDEVITT,
apr 28. No. 224, Liberty street.