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M'MAHON & SEANOR.
ATTORNEYS AT LAW.
OFFICE in Fifth street, in Barr's new building, between Wood and Smithfield streets.
oct29 1y.

WM. O'HARA ROBINSON,
(LATE U. S. ATTORNEY,)
HAS removed his Office to No. 8 St. Clair street.
sep14

EDWIN C. WILSON,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW
Franklin, Venango County, Penna.,
WILL attend promptly to all business entrusted to his care—collections made in Warren, Clarion and Jefferson counties.
REFER TO
J. A. STOCKTON, & Co. } Pittsburgh.
MURPHY, WILSON, & Co..
JOHN BIGLER, } Franklin.
Hon. JAMES KINNEAR,
Hon. ALEX M'CALMONT,
Hon. JAMES WILSON, Steubenville, Ohio.
sep23-1y.

G. ORLANDO LOOMIS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Office, Fourth street, above Smithfield.
july 1-1y.

MAGRAW & M'KNIGHT,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
HAVE removed their office to the *New Court House*, in the room over the Sheriff's Office.
ap 17-tf.

Law Notice.
ANDREW BURKE,
OFFICE removed to Smithfield street, between 4th street and Diamond Alley, opposite Mr Geo Weyman's Tobacco Manufactory. ap 16

Removal.
M. offices WASHINGTON, Attorney at Law, East of the Court House, south side of Wolfe st., 2d door from Smithfield st. ap 17

Law Notice.
JAMES CALLAN has removed to the chambers occupied by Alderman McMasters on Fifth st. between Wood and Smithfield. ap 18

REMOVAL.
G. L. Robinson & M. M'Bride,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
HAVE removed their office to Grant street, a short distance from Seventh street, towards the Court House.
☞ Conveyancing and other instruments of writing legally and promptly executed. ap21

M'CANDLESS & M'CLURE,
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law,
Office in the Diamond, back of the old Court House, Pittsburgh.
ap 10

Wm. E. Austin, Attorney at Law,
Pittsburgh Pa. Office in Bakewell's building, Grant st.,
☞ WILLIAM E. AUSTIN, Esq., will give his attention to my unfinished business, and I recommend him to the patronage of my friends.
WALTER FORWARD.
sep 10-y

Shaler & Simpson, Attorneys at Law,
Office at the building formerly occupied by the United States bank, 4th street, between Market and Wood streets. m21
CHARLES SHALER. EDWARD SIMPSON.

Geo. S. Selden, Attorney at Law,
Office on Fourth street, between Wood and Smithfield.
☞ Conveyancing and other instruments of writing legally and promptly executed.
mar21-tf

HAMILTON & STERLING,
Attorneys at Law,
OFFICE, North side of Fifth street, between Wood and Smithfield streets, Pittsburgh, Pa.
N. B. Collections made on reasonable terms.
dec 4-1y

John W. Burrell,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
HAS Removed in consequence of the late fire from Third street to Bakewell's Buildings, opposite to the Court House. ap 16

Thomas Donnelly, Attorney at Law,
Office, near the Court House, in Mellon's buildings.
my7

R. Merrow, Alderman,
Office north side of Fifth street, between Wood and Smithfield, Pittsburgh. sep 10-tf

Alderman's Office.
THE undersigned begs leave to say to his friends and the public generally, that he has removed his office to Penn street, near the canal Bridge, opposite the United States Hotel.
JAMES BLAKELY.
oct16

Dr. George Watt,
Office, No. 77, Smithfield street, near Sixth,
aug 21. PITTSBURGH.

H. D. SELLERS, M. D.,
REMOVED to Penn street, between Irwin and Hand streets, five doors below Hand street.
ap 15

HUGH ARTERS,
SURGEON DENTIST.
118 *Liberty street.*
A few doors below St Clair st., Pittsburgh.
ap 28-1y.

Wm. A. Ward, Dentist,
Has removed to the place of his former residence, in Penn street, two doors below Irwin. ap 18

Doctor Daniel McNeal,
Office on Fifth street, between Wood and Smithfield streets, Pittsburgh. dec 10-y

JOHN SCOTT & CO.,
Wholesale Grocers and Commission Merchants,
No 7, Commercial Row, Liberty street, Pittsburgh.
s19-1y

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

ALONZO W. ING,
NO. 83 FOURTH STREET,
CHRONICLE BUILDINGS,
MANUFACTURER and dealer in all kinds of Tobacco, Snuff and Segars. oct4-y

J. G. MUNTZ,
DEALER IN DRY GOODS,
No, 114, Market street, near Liberty
PITTSBURGH, PA.
july 1-1y

Brownsville Juniata Iron Works,
Edward Hughes, Manufacturer of Iron and Nails
Warehouse, Smithfield above Fourth street.
sep 10-y

JOHN W BLAIR,
BRUSH MANUFACTURER
AND
SHOE FINDINGS STORE,
NO 120, WOOD STREET,
oct29 PITTSBURGH

JOHNSTON & STOCKTON,
Booksellers, Printers and Paper Makers,
No. 41, Market street. sep 10

J. L. SHEE'S
CASH RAG WAREHOUSE,
Corner of Pennand Irwin streets, Pittsburgh.
The highest price paid in cash for Country Rags, Baling Rope and Cotton Waste. Also, dealer in Chloride of Lime, Paper, Twine, &c., at cash prices.
july 14-d1y.

J. Vogdes & Son,
ARCHITECTS AND BUILDERS,
Office, Smithfield Street, corner of Diamond Alley.
PLANS and Specifications finished in the best style and at the shortest notice.
REFERENCES: Logan & Kennedy, H Childs & Co., J Woodwell, A Kramer, W B Scaife and Col tart & DWorth.
jan. 14, 1845—d1y.

DR. GEO. FELIX,
PRACTICING PHYSICIAN,
Corner of Smithfield street and Virgin Alley.
july 26, 1845-tf

MARTIN LYTLE,
FAMILY GROCER,
SMITHFIELD STREET,
Next door to the Fifth Presbyterian Church.
june 6.

REYNOLDS & WILMARTH,
Forwarding and Commission Merchants,
AND DEALERS IN
LUMBER, GROCERIES, PRODUCE,
AND
PITTSBURGH MANUFACTURES,
FOR THE ALLEGHENY RIVER TRADE.
Corner of Penn and Irwin streets,
L. O. REYNOLDS, } PITTSBURGH.
L. WILMARTH. } a5-1y

NEW BOOK STORE.
BOSWORTH & FORRESTER,
No. 43, Market street, next door to Third street,
ARE just opening a new and extensive assortment of Books and Stationery, which they will sell, wholesale and retail at the lowest prices. ap25

CHARLES A. McNULTY,
Forwarding and Commission Merchant,
PITTSBURGH, PA.,
...tion of Merchandize to all from the ports, transports, Philadelphia, New York and Boston. 131-1y

REMOVAL.
COOLEY & LAIRD,
Merchant Tailors.
HAVE Removed to No. 2, Water street, near the corner of Wood, and near the spot from whence they were driven by the fire, where they will be happy to see their old customers. jy19.

James Patterson, jr.,
Corner of 1st and Ferry streets Pittsburgh, Pa., manufacturer of locks, hinges and bolts; tobacco, fuller, mill and timber screws; housen screws for rolling mills, &c. sep 10-y

FLINT GLASS ESTABLISHMENT.
P. MULVANY. JAMES E. LEDLIE.
MULVANY & LEDLIE,
MANUFACTURE AND KEEP CONSTANTLY ON HAND,
Cut, Moulded and Plain
FLINT GLASS WARE,
IN ALL ITS VARIETIES, AT THEIR WAREHOUSE,
Corner of Market and Water Streets,
PITTSBURGH.
☞ Our Works continue in full operation, and we are constantly adding to our stock, which enables us to fill orders with promptness.
Purchasers are respectfully solicited to call and examine prices and terms. sep16 1y

Removal.
DR. WM. M. WRIGHT, DENTIST, has removed to St. Clair street, next door to the Exchange Hotel Buildings. sep 1

John M'Closkey, Tailor and Clothier,
Liberty street, between Sixth street and Virgin alley, South side. sep10

Charles H. Kay,
WHOLESALE and Retail Bookseller, Paper Dealer, Stationer and Bookbinder, corner of Wood and Third streets. sep18

Pittsburgh Infirmary,
FOR the reception and treatment of deformities of the human frame, such as *Club or Reeled feet, contracted joints, wry-neck* and *Strabismus* or *Squinting*, and of *Diseases of the Eye*, such as *Cataract*, etc, under the care of
ALBERT G WALTER, M D.
Liberty, near the corner of Fourth street.
dec 31-dtf

Removal by Fire.
THE subscriber informs his friends and the public, that he has opened a new
CABINET WARE ROOM,
at the corner of Liberty and St Clair streets, over Brown and Reiter's Drug Store, where he is prepared to attend to all orders in his line.
☞ Entrance on St Clair street.
sp 15 M. KANE, Jr.

WASHINGTON HOTEL,
Corner of St. Clair and Penn streets, Pittsburgh,
JAMES ARMSTRONG, Proprietor.
THE proprietor begs leave to return his most grateful thanks to his friends and the public for past favors, and hopes, by attention, to merit a continuation of their patronage. The house is pleasantly situated near the Exchange; it has accommodations for travelers, and a large room for public meetings, dinner or supper parties.
REFRESHMENTS
Always ready, or prepared on the shortest notice, with the choicest the market will afford. Oysters and Oyster Soup, also Fresh Shell Oysters, received every day during the season. The greatest care has been taken in the selection of wines and liquors. A variety of newspapers are regularly filed in the establishment.
P. S. A Hot Lunch served up every day at 11, A. M.
ap 18.

Hotel and Boarding House.
FRANKLIN HOUSE.
THE subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public, that he has opened a Hotel and Boarding House, corner of Sixth street and Cherry alley, where travellers and others will be accommodated on the most reasonable terms. The house is spacious, and has been fitted up at considerable expense, and every arrangement is made that will ensure the comfort and render satisfaction to boarders and lodgers. A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited.
ap 22-tf CHRISTIAN SCHMERTZ.

A CURE FOR CONSUMPTION.
SEVEN THOUSAND CASES
Of obstinate Pulmonary Complaints cured in ONE YEAR.
WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY, the great American Remedy for complaints and affections of the Respiratory Organs.
We do not wish to traffic with the lives or health of the afflicted, and we sincerely pledge ourselves to make no assertions as to the virtues of this medicine, and to hold out no hopes to suffering humanity which facts will not warrant.
We ask the attention of the candid to the following considerations.
Nature in every part of her works, has left indelible marks of adaptation and design.
The constitution of the animals and vegetables of the torrid, is such that they could not endure the cold of the frigid zone, and vice versa.
In regard to disease and its cure, the adaptation is more or less striking.
The Moss of Iceland, the Wild Cherry and Pines of all Northern latitudes, (and Dr. Wistar's Balsam is a compound and chemical extract from these,) have long been celebrated for complaints prevalent only in cold climates. Indeed the most distinguished medical men have averred that nature furnishes in every country medicines for its peculiar diseases.
Consumption in its confirmed and incipient stages, Coughs, Asthma, Croup, and Liver complaint, form by far the most fatal class of diseases known to our land. Yet even these may be cured, by means of the simple yet powerful remedies, named above, and which are scattered, by a beneficient Providence, wherever these maladies prevail.
WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY!
Will miracles never cease? More evidence of its surpassing health Restorative Virtues!!

From Dr. Baker, Springfield, Washington co., Ky.
SPRINGFIELD, Ky., May 14, 1845.
Messrs Sanford & Park—Gents—I take this opportunity of informing you of a most remarkable cure performed upon me by the use of Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry.
In the year of 1840 I was taken with an inflammation of the bowels, which I labored under for 6 weeks when I gradually recovered. In the fall of 1841 I was attacked with a severe chill, which seated itself upon my lungs; and for the space of three years I was confined to my bed. I tried all kinds of medicines, and every kind of medical aid without benefit, and thus I scrawled along until the winter of 1844, until I heard of "Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry."
My friends persuaded me to give it a trial, though I had given up all hopes of recovery and had prepared myself for the change of another world. Through their solicitation I was induced to make use of the Genuine Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry. The effect was truly astonishing. After five years of affliction, pain and suffering; and after having spent four or five hundred dollars to no purpose and the best and most respectable physicians had proved unavailing, I was soon restored to entire health by the blessing of God and the use of Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry.
I am now enjoying good health and which is my interest appearance that I am no longer known when I meet my former acquaintances.
I have gained rapidly in weight, and my flesh is firm and solid. I can now eat as much as any person, and my food seems to agree with me. I have eaten more during the last six months than I had eaten five years before.
Considering my case almost a miracle, I deem it necessary for the good of the afflicted, and a duty I owe to the proprietors and my fellow men (who should know where relief may be had) to make this statement.
May the blessing of God rest upon the proprietors of so valuable a medicine as Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry. Yours, respectfully,
WM. H. BAKER.

☞ The following letter from Dr Ritchey, of Franklin, Ind., who stands high in his profession, and ranks among the first politicians of the state, shall speak for itself in commendation of the "Genuine Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry."
Franklin, Ind., April 14, 1845.
Messrs Sandford & Park—I have but a few bottles of Wistar's balsam of wild cherry remaining on hand of the last lot furnished me by you. I heretofore waited until I had sold out and had obtained the money for one lot before I ordered another. But such is the demand for the article that I do not wish to be without it, and am therefore led to anticipate a little. The money for the last shall be forthcoming by the time the lot is disposed of, which, from the sales I have made lately, I think will be but a short time. The effects of the balsam are in many cases strikingly beneficial. ☞ It improves upon acquaintance more than any other Patent Medicine I have ever known. ☞ Almost all others fail upon trial and not being able to bear the test of experience, soon sink into disuse. This, however, seems to be most highly valued by those who have tested its virtues, and experienced its healing efficacy in their own cases. Yours very respectfully,
JAMES RITCHEY.

COUNTERFEITS.
☞ *Those who Counterfeit* a good medicine for the purpose of adding a few dollars to their pockets, are far worse than the manufacturers of spurious coin.
For while the later only robs us of our property, the former take property and health and life away.—Dr. WISTAR'S *Balsam of Wild Cherry* is admitted by thousands of disinterested witnesses, to have effected the most extraordinary cures in cases of a pulmonary and asthmatic character ever before recorded in the history of medicine.
The young, and beautiful, the good, all speak forth its praise. It is now the favorite medicine in the most intelligent families of our country.
Such a high stand in public estimation has been achieved by its own merits alone. And so long as a discerning public are careful to get *Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry*, and refuse with scorn counterfeits, and every other article proferred to them as a substitute, so long will *cures—positive cures*—cheer the fireside of a depairing family.
☞ The true and genuine "Wister's Balsam of Wild Cherry" is sold at established agencies in all parts of the United States.
Sold in Cincinnati, on the corner of Fourth and Walnut street, by SANDFORD & PARK.
Gen'l Agents for the Western States.
Also, sold wholesale and retail, by L. Wilcox and B A Fahnestock, Pittsburgh, Pa. and by appointed agents in every important Borough in Western Pennsylvania. oct 14-1y.

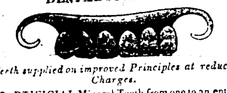
Select School for Boys and Girls.
H. WILLIAMS has open his Select School for Males and Females, in the room over Mr Dyer's Grocery, and formerly occupied by Mr Samuel Blood, in Federal street, Allegheny, on Monday, the 18th inst.
TERMS—Primary Class, $6 per scholar per quarter of 11 weeks.
Junior Class, " 8 " "
Senior Class, " 10 " "
REFERENCES.
Rev. D. Elliott, D. D., Rev. D. H. Riddle, D. D., Rev. A. D. Campbell, D. D., Hon. Charles Shaler, Joseph P. Gazzam, M. D., Charles H. Israell, Esq.
sept 1-dly.

Pittsburgh Tack Factory.
THE undersigned, having built machinery of the most approved kind, will manufacture of the best quality of Iron and in the neatest style,
TACKS, } BRADS,
FINISHING NAILS, } SHOE NAILS, &c. &c.
which they offer for sale low.
The attention of Western Merchants and others is invited to their establishment.
WOODWARD, HERSEY & CO.
Fifth street, opposite the Exchange Bank.
july 1-6m.

Phœnix Safes and Vaults.
THE undersigned invite attention to the following certificate:
CERTIFICATE.
The undersigned having been requested by Messrs. Constable & Strickler, to be present and superintend a test, by fire, of one of their recently invented Phœnix Fire Proof safes, and deeming the subject one of very great public importance, have carefully scrutinized the progress of a test, to which one of said chests was subjected. The chest was supported at each corner, at an elevation of 10 to 12 inches from the ground a fire of Bituminous coal and fire wood made over and around and kept actively burning 5½ consecutive hours. The fuel consumed was about 80 bushels of coal, and one cord of wood; the heat all the while being quite intense, and in the opinion of the undersigned much greater than a safe is likely to sustain in any ordinary house burning.
On the removal of the fire, at their request the chest was opened, and greatly to the astonishment of the undersigned and the large number of citizens present, a Blank Book with Sundry Bank notes within its fold; a piece of Dry pine Wood and the inner lining of the safe, which is of Wood, were found warm indeed, but not in the Slightest degree charred or injured, some manuscript on the Book as legible as before the test. The undersigned are unanimous in the conviction that a fire proof chest is practicable; and that the ingenious and enterprising manufacturers, whose efforts for some months past in producing this desideratum have proved so entirely successful, deserve the public confidence and patronage.
JOHN ANDERSON,
L. R. LIVINGSTON,
JOSIAH KING,
JARRICK MARTIN,
EDWARD HEAZELTON,
JAMES PARK, Jr.
In the character of the above named gentlemen, the public have a guarantee against deception, in the test which was made of our Phœnix Safes, and we therefore feel the utmost confidence in recommending them as a reliable protection against fire, under any ordinary circumstance. We would assure those interested, that there is no wood about these Safes, but what is necessarily connected with the shelves and drawers.
C. Townsend & Co's new building.
We make Vault Doors in the same manner and upon the same plan. One of these can be seen at Reese For the workmanship of our Vaults they can be seen at the following places: Lyon, Shorb & Co., Church & Carothers, Wm Larimer, King & Holmes, J. D. Davis, P. M'Cormick, and W. Martin.
☞ Manufactory on 3d street, between Wood and Smithfield. CONSTABLE & STRICKLER.
Pittsburgh, October 15, 1845 5m

JAMES COCHRAN,
Corner of Liberty and Factory streets, Fifth Ward, Pittsburgh.
MANUFACTURER of Magnesia Fire Proof Chests, Iron Doors, Grates and Railings; Iron Doors for Bank Vaults, Canal and Rail Road-Irons together with every description of Smith work.
REFER TO—M Allen, James May, William Holmes, Samuel Church, Lewis Hutchinson, Lorenz, Sterling & Co., John Irwin & Son, Atwood & Jones, A Beelen.
A BEELEN, Esq., Commission Merchant, corner of Front and Ferry streets, and Mr. G. BEALE, Jr., No 74, Wood street, are Agents for Pittsburgh; and Messrs. BRYAN and MILTENBERGER, St Louis, Mo., to either of whom orders may be addressed.
Pittsburgh, March 8, 1845. d1y

DENTAL SURGERY.



Teeth supplied on improved Principles at reduced Charges.
ARTIFICIAL Mineral Teeth from one to an entire set, inserted to answer the purposes of Mastication and articulation, equal to natural teeth; and secondarily resembling them, that the closest observer cannot detect them from sound, natural teeth.
Tender and decayed Teeth filled with Tooth paste, and without pain made solid and useful for mastication, obviating the necessity of extracting
Teeth inserted by atmospheric pressure without springs or clasps.
Irregularities in children's teeth attended to in time, prevented, and adults greatly remedied. The subscriber has one whole set and a part of a set of his artificial teeth finished, which he invites those who stand in need of such to call and examine.
CHARGES.
For Teeth on Gold Plate, from $2 to $3 each.
Silver Plate or Pivot 1 to 2 "
For Plugging 50 cts to 1 "
For extracting 25 cts
Operations given over by other Dentists, solicited, and no charge made wi hout entire satisfaction is given. Advice gratis.
sept 19 d 3 m L. J. CHAMBERLAIN.
Surgeon Dentist, St Clair st.

Dissolution.
THE partnership heretofore existing between James K. Logan and George Connell, under the firm of J K Logan & Co is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons having claims against the firm, will please present them for settlement, and all indebted will please make payment to J K Logan, who is duly authorized to settle the business of the concern.
J K LOGAN.
GEO. CONNELL.
Pittsburgh, August 1, 1845.

Dry Goods at Cost.
JAS. K. Logan, corner of Wood and Fifth streets, over J D Davis' Auction Rooms, being desirous of changing his present business, offers for sale his stock of Dry Goods now on hand, at cost, comprising a large assortment of cloths, cassimeres, sattinetts, vestings, prints, muslins, &c., and would respectfully invite the attention of those wishing to purchase as he is determined to close up his present business.
August 2, 1845.—aug 4.

Public Notice.
THE President, Directors and Company, known as the "Farmers' Deposit Bank of Pittsburgh," will, at the next meeting of the Legislature of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, make application for the privilege of issuing notes payable on demand.
THOMPSON BELL, Cashier.
Pittsburgh July 1st, 1845-jy30-d6Jan13.

PITTSBURGH MANUFACTORY.
Springs and Axles for Carriages
At Eastern Prices.
THE subscriber manufactures and keeps constantly on hand Coach, C and Elliptic Springs (warranted,) Juniata Iron Axles, Silver and Brass plated Dash Frames, Brass and plated Hub Bands, Stump Joints, patent Leather, Silver and Brass Lamps, Three-fold Steps, Malleable Iron, Door Handles and Hinges, &c., &c.
He respectfully solicits a continuance of the patronage heretofore bestowed upon the establishment.
WILLIAM COLEMAN,
jan 4 St Clair st., near the Allegheny Bridge.

Take particular Notice
THAT the Franklin House, foot of Irwin street, Pittsburh, by R B DIMOND, is the most eligible establishment for transient travellers or those who may wish a longer residence in the city, his accomodations are excellent. We know from experience and heartily recommend his house as worthy of patronage.
Hugh Kirkland, Freeport.
Wm Connelly, Franklin.
Benjamin J Niblock, Butler.
H H Webb, Coebranton.
Jno Hamilton, Ohio.
John Reiley, New York.
☞ Borders accommodated by the day or week, month or yearly. oct 15

John Cartwright,
CUTLER and Surgical Instrument Manufacturer No 140 Wood street, two doors from Virgin alley, 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.

Mails to Galveston.
PROPOSALS to carry the mails of the United States, from the 1st of March, 1846, to the 28th of February, 1850, with right to the department to extend to the 30th of June, 1850, from *New Orleans, in Louisiana, to Gavelston*, in *Texas*, 450 miles and back, will be received at the Contract Office of the Post Office Department, until the 25th day of January, 1846, to be decided by the 31st day of said January.
Leave New Orleans every Saturday at 10 a. m., arrive at Gavelston every Monday by 10 a. m.
Leave Gavelston every Tuesday at 10 a. m., arrive at New Orleans every Thursday by 10 a. m.
The proposals should specify the mode of conveyance, whether by steam-ship or sailing packet, and set forth the size, rate, and description of the vessel, with sufficient particularity to enable the decision to be made, on the advice of the proper officers of the naval service, whether the same is or is not convertible into a ship-of-war. And special notice is hereby given, that, agreeably to the provisions of an act of Congress, approved March 3d, 1845, those proposals (being acceptable in other respects) will be preferred which shall engage to carry the mail in a steam ship or ships, and shall stipulate to deliver said ship or ships to the United States, or to their proper officer, on demand made, for the purpose of being converted into a vessel or vessels of war; the United States being bound on their part to pay the fair full value thereof at the time of delivery, to be ascertained by four appraisers—appointed, two by the President of the United States, and two, by the owner or owners, with an umpire in case of disagreement, to be appointed by the President of the United States.
The bidder may propose a different schedule of days and hours than the one above specified. He may ask for an annual sum of compensation; or in lieu thereof, a certain proportion of the postages accruing on the mail-matter conveyed over the route, and he may offer to carry the mail more frequently than once a week.
Articles of contract are to be executed by the accepted bidder and by his sureties, by or before the 1st day of March next. The contract is to provide among other things, that the pay of the trip is to be forfeited when the trip is not performed, and a due proportion when a grade of service is rendered inferior to that specified in the contract; and that fines may be imposed, unless the delinquency be satisfactorily explained to the post office at the port of landing, the mail belonging thereto, or any part of said mail; for suffering the mail, or any part of it, to be wet, injured, or destroyed; for conveying it in a place or manner that exposes it to depredation loss or injury; for refusing, after demand made, to convey a mail by any additional steamship or vessel run by the contractor on the route, over and above the specified number of trips in the contract, and for not arriving at the time set; also for transmitting intelligence, or furnishing the means of transmitting intelligence in advance of the mail.—The Postmaster General may annul the contract for repeated failures; for violating the post office laws; for disobeying the instructions of the department; for refusing to discharge a carrier when required by the department; for assigning the contract without the consent of the Postmaster General; or for setting up or running an express as aforesaid.
The Postmaster General may alter the contract, and alter the schedule, he allowing *in pro rata* increase of compensation, within the restrictions imposed by law, for the additional service required, or for the increased speed, if the employment of additional stock or carriers is rendered necessary; but the contractor may, in such case, relinquish the contract, on timely notice, if he prefers it to the change. The Postmaster General may also discontinue or curtail the service, he allowing one month's extra pay on the amount dispensed with; and the contract "may at any time be terminated by joint resolution of the two houses of Congress."
The contract, the service, the yearly pay, the bidder's name and residence, and the name of each member of the firm where a company offers, should be distinctly stated in the proposals.
The following is the form of the guarantee, which should be filled the first blank with the name of the guarantor; the second with that of the bidder; and the third and fourth with the beginning and terminating points of the route; and, after being dated, should be signed by the guarantor, who must be shown, by the proper certificate of a postmaster, or other equally satisfactory testimonial, to be a man of property, and able to make good his guarantee. This guarantee, so certified, should accompany each bid:
"The undersigned, ——, guarantees that ——, if his bid for carrying the mail from —— to —— be accepted by the Postmaster General, —— shall enter into an obligation prior to the 1st day of March next, with good and sufficient sureties, to perform the service proposed."
"Dated ——"
The bid should be sent under seal to the First Assistant Postmaster General, and the words "Mail proposals—Galveston mail," written on the face of the letter, and should be despatched in time to be received by or before the 25th day of January next, which will be the last day for receiving proposals under this advertisement. C. JOHNSON,
Postmaster General.
POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT,
oct 20 Washington, October 11, 1845 law12t.
P. S. If the bidder shall not consider himself able or prepared to commence service as early as the 1st of March next, he will specify in his proposals, the day on which he will put the service in operation.
C. J.

WM. DOUGLAS,
Fashionable Hat and Cap Manufacturer.
No. 78 WOOD ST., PITTSBURGH.
WOULD respectfully announce to his friends and citizens generally, that he has opened at No 78 Wood Street, East side, Burnt district, nearly opposite his old stand, where will be found Hats and Caps, of the latest style and Fashion; prices very low.
N. B. Country Merchants are respectfully invited to call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere, which will be offered at prices that cannot fail to please at No 78 Wood street. aug21-3m

FALL FASHIONS.
THE subscriber would respectfully announce to the public that he is prepared to supply them with his beautiful style of hat. He would say to all who wish to get the worth of their money, that this is the place to come and buy. It is well known that quite an inferior article of Hats have been sold at exorbitant prices, and the purchaser getting but truck for his money and earnings. The order system is but slightly touched, and he does not manufacture an inferior article to palm off on the working man. His business is conducted on the CASH SYSTEM, and he is determined to sell cheaper than the cheapest of the cheapest.
His stock of FALL AND WINTER CAPS are of the most fashionable style. Customers' Hats made at shortest notice. Also, Ladies' Riding Caps and Infant's Caps of every pattern to suit the taste.
He respectfully solicits a continuance of the patronage heretofore bestowed upon the establishment.
WILLIAM COLEMAN,
jan 4 St Clair st., near the Allegheny Bridge.

Take particular Notice
THAT the Franklin House, foot of Irwin street, Pittsburh, by R B DIMOND, is the most eligible establishment for transient travellers or those who may wish a longer residence in the city, his accomodations are excellent. We know from experience and heartily recommend his house as worthy of patronage.
Hugh Kirkland, Freeport.
Wm Connelly, Franklin.
Benjamin J Niblock, Butler.
H H Webb, Coebranton.
Jno Hamilton, Ohio.
John Reiley, New York.
☞ Borders accommodated by the day or week, month or yearly. oct 15

John Cartwright,
CUTLER and Surgical Instrument Manufacturer No 140 Wood street, two doors from Virgin alley, 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.

RE-BUILT AND AT WORK!
PITTSBURGH CLOTHING STORE.
WILLIAM B. SHAFFER,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public generally, that he has taken the
NEW STORE
At the corner of Wood and Water streets, on the site occupied by Mr S. Schoyer previous to the Great Fire, where he is prepared to furnish all articles in the line of
GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHING,
On the most moderate terms, and at the shortest notice. His stock of Goods is
ENTIRELY NEW,
And has been selected with much care to suit the market. He has in his employment some of the best workmen in the city, and from long experience in the business, he hopes to give general satisfaction to those who may favor him with their custom. A large assortment of
Clothing suited to the Season.
consisting of Cloth, Frock and Dress Coats, of all colors various qualities, from $5 to $18; various patterns Tweed, Linen, Bingham and Cassimere Coats, varying in price from $1.25 to $3 together with a large stock of Cloth, Cassimere, Satinett, Tweed, Jean and Summer Pants—all of which have been recently manufactured, and of the best materials, purchased at the late reduced prices. He offers to the public as
GOOD BARGAINS
As any establishment in the city. He has also a large stock of Vests, Shirts, cotton and silk Cravats, Scarfs and Handkerchiefs, which he is prepared to sell low for cash, and cash only. Having secured the services of an excellent Cutter, he is prepared to manufacture garments of all kinds to order, in such a manner as to render the
PITTSBURGH CLOTHING STORE
worthy of public patronage. The public are invited to call and examine for themselves. jy24-tf

Fall Coatings.
JUST received, a fresh supply of NEW STYLES CLOTH—fancy colors and beautiful patterns. The colors are Citron, Green, Olive and Claret Brown, Mulberry, Gold mixed and Black. These goods are new even in the Eastern cities, having just been imported for the Tailors. We pledged ourselves to get up a superior coat this fall—"better than ever." The practical partner of our firm has been to New York, to purchase goods, and to secure the latest improvements in his department, all of which will be introduced on our work, with a discriminating regard to true elegance and correct taste. We are prepared to fulfil all promises made through this medium or otherwise; and as we live claims to be THE FASHIONABLE HEAD QUARTERS of this city, we will pledge ourselves furthermore, to compete with any Eastern house that sends work to Pittsburgh, made to order. In proof of our ability to do so, we mention with pride, that the names of many gentleman who formerly received their garments from the East, are now to be found on our register of customers, who are now convinced that they can be suited as well, and at more reasonable rates. ALGEO M'GUIRE & Co.
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BOOK AND JOB
PRINTING OFFICE,
N. W. CORNER OF WOOD & FIFTH STS.
The proprietors of the MORNING POST AND MERCURY AND MANUFACTURER respectfully inform their friends and the patrons of those papers, that they have a large and well chosen assortment of
JOB TYPE,
AND ALL OTHER MATERIALS
Necessary to a Job Printing Office, and that they are prepared to execute
LETTER PRESS PRINTING,
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

Books,	Bills of Lading,	Circulars,
Pamphlets,	Bill Heads,	Cards,
Handbills,	Blank Checks,	Hat Tips.

All kinds of Blanks,
Stage, Steamboat and Canal Boat Bills, with appropriate cuts.
Printed on the shortest notice and most reasonable terms.
We respectfully ask the patronage of our friends and the public in general in this branch of our business.
BIGLER, SARGENT & BIGLER.
July 25, 1845.

EXTENSION OF PITTSBURGH.
Rare Chance for good Investments!
THE subscriber has laid out, and now offers for sale at reasonable prices and on accommodating terms, *One hundred and ten building Lots*, on that handsome level ground between Braddock street and the Monongahela river. They are about one-third of a mile from the city line, and are situated in that part of the first city district which will probably soon be annexed to the city as the Seventh Ward. No property in the suburbs possesses superior advantages, nor has any heretofore been laid out with so liberal an allowance of wide streets; Braddock is from one hundred and twenty to about one hundred and ninety feet wide, and Beelen, Commerce, Brady, Columbus and Water streets all wide avenues. Most of the lots have *two fronts*, and as they are of various sizes, and will be sold, one lot, with the privilege of four or five; early applicants can be accommodated to suit their own views of Improvement. Persons who desire to build or to make secure investment in property that is sure to advance in value, and particularly those who intend to erect manufactories, would do well to view these Lots, and examine the draft, before purchasing elsewhere. The survey for the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road and the rail road survey by the State of Pennsylvania were both made alongside of this property, and it is generally considered that Braddock street, or the ground immediately alongside of it, affords the only eligible route for a Rail Road from Pittsburgh to the East. Cool can be delivered on this property at a much less cost than on the *Allegheny* river, and there is always deep water at this part of the river.
E. D. GAZZAM,
aug25-tf. Office Market between 3d & 4th sts.

To Printers.
WE have received, and will hereafter keep constantly on hand, a full supply of Printing Ink, in large and small kegs, which we will be able to sell *cheaper* than it has heretofore been sold in this city.
Orders from the country accompanied by the cash (IN ALL CASES) will be promptly attended to.
BIGLER, SARGENT & BIGLER,
Jy26-tf Office of the Post and Manufacturer.

B. PERRY,
FASHIONABLE BOOT MAKER.
(Formerly of the Monongahela House and late of Wood street.)
HAVING removed back again to the Burnt District, one door from the corner of Third and Wood streets, the undersigned is again prepared to accommodate his old friends and the public generally, with BOOTS and SHOES, of the best material, and of the finest and most fashionable style.
B. PERRY.
Remember the place! one door above Kay's Book store, Wood st. oct3-3m.

1845.
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