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JOHN BIGLER, EDITOR.

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MAYOR,

WILLIAM KERR.

Democratic Nomination.

(ALLEGHENY CITY.)

FOR MAYOR,

R. A. CAMPBELL.

DIRECTOR OF THE POOR,

S. S. SHIELDS.

THE ELECTION.

We give this morning the result of the election for Overseers of the Poor. To-morrow we will give full returns:

	L. J. Ashbridge.*	Wm. M'Clure *	Thos. Perkins.†	Wm. Chapman.†	Jno. Barker †	B. Tevis.‡	S. H. Cooper. ‡
1st Ward.	143	34	276	166	13	3	17
2d "	80	45	60	62	—	—	—
3d "	297	281	93	254	5	5	7
4th "	196	137	189	182	12	6	27
5th "	334	269	68	114	88	46	39
	1050	766	692	778	108	61	169

Democrats *; Whigs, †; Native, ‡.

We did not receive full returns from the Sixth Ward, but learn that Mr. Chapman has a majority of 30 over Mr. McClure, which elects him.

POSTAGE.—The Postmaster General has issued an order to the Postmaster at Washington city, that no letter or document franked by a member of Congress shall go free unless such letters shall be written by the members themselves, or by their order. In all suspected cases, postages will be charged, and if on arriving at the place of destination, the receiver shall be willing to open it and show that it is actually from a member, the postage will be refunded. Hitherto thousands of letters have been franked for *others* by members, and it is for the purpose of preventing this that the present order has been issued.

EMPHATICALLY "ON HIS OWN HOOK."—The Boston Journal tells a funny joke which the editor says an era faring friend of his once unwittingly played upon himself. Being in a place where pickpockets abounded, he lined his pockets with fish hooks, ingeniously arranged so as to catch and hold the hand of an intruder; and it worked to a charm, for it caught his own hand, and tore all the flesh from his fingers, in less than an hour after he had set his trap to catch a rogue!

THE WEATHER.—Yesterday was a wet day over head, and exceedingly unpleasant under foot. We might have dry side and cross walks in all parts of the city, if the street Commissioner would attend to his duty and have the gutters cleaned out and the water drained off. The cross walks are in a miserable condition.

THE RIVERS.—The steamers Cambria, Allegheny, and American were taking in freight for Cincinnati—also the hulls of several old steamboats loaded with Molasses barrels, are waiting for an opportunity to be towed down. The Cleveland, Belmont, Rhode Island, will all commence their regular trips as soon as the river is clear of floating ice. Our wharf to-day presents quite a business appearance.

SONS OF TEMPERANCE.—The following are the officers elect for the ensuing quarter:

G. H. Hilderbrand, W. P.; T. P. Davitt, W. A.; J. F. Stone, R S.; J. C. Kemball, A. R. S.; C. Hutchinson, F. S.; John Rea, T.; Francis Cooley, C.; Thomas Varner, A. C.; Lewis McKee, J. S.; G. Lambourn, O. S.; and Thomas Steel, P. W. P.

MONONGAHELA NAVIGATION COMPANY.—The officers of the Monongahela Navigation Company selected for the year 1846 are as follow:

President—JOHN B BUTLER.

Managers—John Anderson, Thomas Bakewell, James W Burbridge, George W Cass, Neville B Craig John L Dawson, William Eichbaum, Samuel R Johnston, James K Moorhead, Rees C Towrsend.

Treasurer—Thomas M Hunt.

Secretary—William Bakewell.

INDIANA LEGISLATURE.—A joint resolution was introduced on the 16th, in relation to the Oregon territory, justifying the course pursued by the President.

COLLISION.—The passengers on the Western Railroad from Albany to Boston, came in contact on Wednesday afternoon about 5 o'clock, with an upward freight train, between West Brookfield and Warren. Several persons were slightly injured.

MILL BURNT.—The large stone, mill and drying house of Daniel Lammott, Esq. an extensive cotton manufacturer of Aston, in Delaware county, Pa., took fire on Tuesday morning last, and was entirely consumed.

FIRE.—On Wednesday night about half past 11 o'clock, the cabinet makers' shop of Mr G W Wiley, on the corner of Bank and 11th street, Richmond, Va, took fire and was burned down. Mr Wiley's loss is about $500—all he had.

POPULATION.—The aggregate population on the surface of the known habitable globe is estimated at 395,300,000 souls. If we reckon with the ancients, that a generation lasts 30 years, then in that space 395,300,000 human beings will be born and die; consequently 31,760 must be dropping into eternity every day, 3407 every hour, and 56 every minute.

BLACK SEA WHEAT.—A letter from the American Consul at Odessa says the stock of wheat in port is 440,000 bushels, and though there were about 120 sail of vessels in port, of different flags, they had not only all engaged cargoes, but there was a scarcity of north continental shipping, and high rates of freight were paying to England, Holland and Belgium.

MAIL FOR EUROPE.—The steamship Acadia left Boston on Thursday, for Halifax and Liverpool, with an immense mail, deposited in about 40 bags. The letter mail exceeds 50,000, with an usual despatches. The A. takes out 68 passengers. Of these 41 are from Canada.

MICHIGAN.—Complete returns of the census show a population of 304 286—a gain in five years of 92,629.

PROTECTION TO SHEEP.—The following petition, we learn, is in circulation for signatures in some sections of this county. At the request of a friend we give it a place, and hope the subject will be carefully considered by our Farmers generally:

To the Honorable the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met:

The Petition of the undersigned, citizens of Township, Allegheny county, respectfully represent, that whereas it is the desire of many of your citizens to improve the stock of sheep in our county, and to promote more generally the growth of wool; and whereas, owing to the general destruction of sheep by dogs throughout the county, many of our farmers have been compelled to abandon the growth of sheep altogether, while others have reduced their stock to the mere supply of their family demands; and whereas, the provisions of the existing laws are altogether inadequate to remedy the evil, your Petitioners pray your honorable bodies to pass a law imposing a tax on every dog, exceeding one to each family, as will be effectual in abating so destructive a nuisance.

And your petitioners will ever pray, &c.

REFORM AMONG SAILORS.—A draft of 138 men left the receiving ship at the New York station on Monday last, via steamer and railroad, for the frigate Cumberland, in Boston harbor. On arriving at the depot in Boston, the lieutenant in command not finding stages to convey them to the navy yard at Charleston, marched them in a body through the streets, and not one of them attempted to desert, though the distance and the crowd were such that they might have done so easily. This speaks well for the men, as a few years ago the thing could not have been done without the loss of at least one in ten. The kind treatment of the officer in command contributed not a little to this result.

RELIEF FUND.

PROCEEDINGS IN COMMON COUNCIL.

MONDAY, Jan. 5, 1846.

Council met. Present Messrs. Albree, Barnhill, Bruce, Douglas, Hamilton, Martin, McIlwaine, Neeper, Pennock, Porter, Reed, Robertson, Roseburgh, And. Scott, Jno. Scott, Singer, Sterling, Stockton, Tindle, Von Bonhorst, Whitney, Wray, and President.

Mr. Robertson, President in the chair.

Mr. Tindle presented a petition from Geo. Aiten which was read and referred to the Committee on Distribution and concurred in by S. C.

Mr. Porter presented a report from the Special Committee appointed to distribute the sum of Five thousand dollars among those who suffered by fire in Third Ward on the 27th of May last, together with a list of the persons to whom paid and the sums paid—which was read and accepted, and referred to the Auditing Committee, and concurred by S. C.

Mr Wray presented a Communication from the committee on part of Allegheny city relative to the Poor House Estate which was read and accepted and concurred in by S. C.

Mr. McIlwaine called up the following resolution offered by him at meeting of Dec 25th and which had been read twice and laid over, viz: Resolved that the Auditing committee be and hereby is instructed to publish the names of all the sufferers by the fire of the 10th of April and the 28th of May who received assistance from the Relief committee together with the amount or claims laid in and the amount which said claimants received. Mr Aiten moved to substitute the following viz: Resolved that the committee on the Distribution of the Relief Fund be instructed to publish the following Reports and statements, to wit, in such a manner as they may consider most expedient, to wit:

Report of the Relief Committee.

Report of the Committee on Suppers.

Report of the Auditing Committee.

Statement of Treasurer of the Relief Fund.

List of the persons who have been recipients of the said fund and the amount paid to each, together with all proceedings of Councils in relation to the same.

Also, the memorial to Councils, together with the names thereto praying that the said proceedings be published. Provided, that the whole can be done with out expense to the city of the Relief Fund, which substitute was adopted By the following vote, viz: Yeas—Messrs. Bruce, Douglas, Martin, Neeper, Pennock, Robertson, Jno Scott, Singer, Stockton, Tindle, Von Bonnhorst and President, 12—Nays, Messrs Albree, Barnhill, McIlwaine, Porter, Reed, Roseburgh, And Scott, Sterling, Whitney and Wray—10.

Mr Singer moved to amend the resolution by adding "And also the names of all the property holders who are recipients of the bounty and liberality of the state of Pennsylvania and city of Pittsburgh, by the remission of taxes on their property, with the names and annual amount of pecuniary benefit accruing to each therefrom. Mr Robertson moved to amend the amendment, by adding, "Also, that the names of all applicants from the register, be added and published." Mr Von Bonhorst moved to amend the amendment by adding, "And all communications addressed to the Committee and Councils on the subject of the Relief Fund, also published."

A motion having been made to indefinitely postpone all the amendments the same was carried by the following vote, viz: Yeas—Messrs Albree, Barnhill, Bruce McIlwaine, Neeper, Pennock Porter, Reed, Roseburg, And. Scott, J. Scott Sterling Whitney, Wray and President, 15. Nays—Messrs Douglass, Hamilton, Martin, Robertson, Singer, Stockton, Tindle and Von Bonhorst—8.

A motion to lay the resolution on the table was negatived by the following vote, viz: Yeas—Messrs. Douglass, Martin, Robertson, Singer, Stockton, and Von Bonnhorst—6. Nays, Messrs Albree, Barnhill, Bruce, Hamilton, McIlwaine, Neeper, Pennock, Porter, Reed, Roseburg, And. Scott, Jno Scott, Stockton, Whitney, Wray, and President—17.

Mr Von Bonhorst moved to amit the names of female recipients in the publication, which amendment was laid upon the table by the following vote, viz:

Yeas—Messrs. Albree, Barnhill, Bruce, Hamilton, Martin, McIlwaine, Neeper, Pennock, Porter, Reed, Roseburgh, And. Scott, Jno Scott, Stockton, Whitney, Wray, and President—19.

Nays—Messrs. Douglass, Robertson, Tindle, and Von Bonhorst—4.

The question then being, "Shall the resolution be read a 3d time," it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote, viz:

Yeas—Messrs. Aiten, Barnhill, Hamilton, McIlwaine, Neeper, Pennock, Porter, Reed, Roseburgh, Andw Scott, Jno Scott, Sterling, Whitney, Wray and President. 15.

Nays.—Messrs Douglass Martin, Robertson, Singer, Stockton, Tindle, and Von Bonhorst—7.

The resolution was then read a 3d time and passed—and concured in by S C.

The memorial relative to the publication of the names of applicants and receivers from the Relief Fund was read.

Adjourned to meet to morrow evening at 7 o'clock.

American.

Chickener's Sugar-coated Vegetable Purgative Pills—Experience having long since decided, that every disease originates from impurities of the blood, or derangement of the digestive organs, it is evident that the remedy employed must be of such a nature as is best calculated to remove those obstructions, or restore the blood to its natural state. The Chickener Sugar-coated Purgative Pills, being compounded purely on scientific principles, and based on an intimate acquaintance with the origin of disease, and the actual structure of the human system are the only remedy which can be positively relied on. Being composed of a variety of ingredients entirely different from, and independent of each other in their mode of operation; they never fail to reach the seat of disease, in whatever shape it may appear. Thus, if the liver be affected, one ingredient will operate on that particular organ and by cleansing it of that excess of bile, it is constantly discharging into the stomach, restore it to its natural state. Another will operate on the blood, and remove those impurities which have already entered into its circulation; while a third will effectually expel from the system whatever impurities may have been discharged into the stomach, through the instrumentality of the other ingredients.

Sold by Wm Jackson, corner of Wood and Liberty streets, who is general Agent for Dr Chickener's Pills in Pittsburgh and vicinity.

☞ Beware of an imitation article called "*Improved Sugar-Coated Pills*," purporting to be Patented as both the pills and pretended patent are forgeries, got up by a miserable quack, in New York, who, for the last four or five years, has made his living by counterfeiting popular medicines. jan. 7.

☞ Though diseases may be fastened upon us, yet how thankful ought we to be that Providence has placed within our reach the means for their speedy and effectual removal. Coughs, Colds, Consumptions and Liver Complaints form by far the most fatal class of diseases known in our land. For the removal of the above diseases, Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry is pronounced by the many thousands who have used it, the best remedy in the world.

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☞ The genuine Wistar's Balsam is sold in Pittsburgh, by L. WILCOX, Jr., cor. Market st and the Diamond. jan 3

From the Philadelphia Saturday Courier.

THE MECHANIC HERO

OF BRANDYWINE.

Near Dilworth corner, at the time of the Revolution, there stood a quiet cottage, somewhat retired from the road, under the shade of a stout chestnut tree. It was a quiet cottage, nestling away there in one corner of the forest road, a dear home in the wilderness, with its sloping roof, walls of dark grey stone, and a casement hidden among vines and flowers.

On one side, amid an interval of the forest trees, was seen the rough outline of a blacksmith's shop. There was a small garden in front, with a brown gravelled walk, and beds of wild flowers.

Here at the time of the Revolution, there dwelt a stout blacksmith, his young wife and her babe.—What cared that blacksmith, working away there in that shadowy nook of the forest, for war? What feared he for the peril of the times, so long as his strong arm, ringing that hammer on the anvil, might gain bread for his wife and child.

Ah, he cared little for war, he took little note of the panic that shook the valley, when some few morrings before the battle of Brandywine, while shoeing the horse of a Tory Refugee, he overheard a plot for the surprise and capture of Washington. The American leader was to be lured into the toils of the Tories; his person once in the British camp, the English General might send the *Traitor* Washington' home, to be tried in London.

Now our blacksmith, working away there, in that dim nook of the forest, without caring for battle or war, had still a smoking likeness for this *Mister* Washington whose name rung on the lips of all men. So one night, bidding his young wife a hasty good bye, and kissing the babe that reposed on her bosom, smiling as it slept, he hurried away to the American camp, and told his story to Washington.

It was morning ere he came back. It was in the dimness of the autumnal morning, that the blacksmith was plodding his way, along the forest road. Some few paces ahead there was an aged oak, standing out into the road—a grim old veteran of the forest, that had stood the shocks of three hundred years. Right beyond that oak was the blacksmith's home.

With this thought warming his heart, he hurried on, thinking of the calm young face and mild blue eyes of that wife, who she night before, had stood in the cottage door, waving him out of sight with a beckoned good bye—thinking of the baby, that lay smiling as it slept upon her bosom, he hurried on—he turned the bend of the wood, he looked upon his home.

Ah! what a sight was there!

Where the night before he had left a peaceful cottage, smiling under a green chestnut tree, in the light of the setting sun, now were only a heap of black and smoking embers and a burnt and blasted tree!

This was his home!

And there stood the blacksmith gazing upon that wreck of his heartchoice—there he stood with his arms folded and moody brow, but in a moment a smile broke over his face.

He was a tall man. In the night his home had taken fire, and been burned to the ground. But his wife, his childhood escaped. For that he thanked God.

With the toil of his strong arm, plying there on the anvil, he would build a fairer home for his wife and child. Sweet flowers should bloom over the garden walks, and more lovely vines trail along the casement.

With this resolved glad light over his face the blacksmith turned there, with a cheerful light beaming from his large grey eyes when——a hand was laid upon his shoulder.

He turned and behold the face of a neighbor.

It was a neighbor's face, but there was an awful agony stamping those plain features—there was an awful agony flashing from those dark eyes—there was a wild, hurried and terrible agony speaking from those thin lips, that moved and trembled, but made no sound.

For a moment that former friend tried to speak the horror that convulsed his features.

At last, forcing the blacksmith along the brown grass field a few rods, from a clump with cinders, he pointed to the smoking embers. There, there—amid that heaped black and smoking mass, the blacksmith beheld a dark mass of burnt flesh and blackened bones.

"Your Wife!" shrieked the farmer, as his agony found words. "The British there came in the night they came and then he spoke that outrage, which the tongue refuses to think on, which the heart grows palsied to utter—that outrage too foul to name—"Your wife," he shrieked, pointing to that hideous thing amid the smoking mass—"the British have wounded, and worse, they dragged her dead body in the flames—they dashed your child against the hearthstone!"

This was the farmer's story.

And there, as the light of the breaking day fell around the spot, there stood the husband, the father, gazing upon that mass of charred flesh and blackened bones—*all that was once his wife.*

Do you ask me for the words that trembled from his white lips? Do you ask me for the fire that blazed in his eye.

I cannot tell you. But I can tell you that there was a vow going up to Heaven from that blacksmith's heart; that there was a clenched hand, upraised, in the light of the breaking day!

Yes, yes, as the first gleam of the autumnal dawn broke around the spot, as the first long gleam of sunlight streamed over the peaceful scull of that fair young wife—she was that last night—there was a vow going up to Heaven, the vow of a maddened heart and anguished breast.

How was that vow kept? Go there to Brandywine and where the carnage gathers thickest, where the fight is most bloody, there you may see a stout form striding on, lifting a huge hammer into light. Where that hammer falls, it kills—where that hammer strikes, it crushes! It is the blacksmith's form. And the war-cry that he shouts? Is it a maddened outcry of anguish—half howl, half hurrah! Is it but a fierce yell, breaking up from his heaving chest?

Ah no! Ah no!

It is the name of—MARY! It is the name of his young wife!

Oh, Mary—sweetest name of woman—so soft, so rippling, so musical—name of the mother of Jesus—made holy by poetry and religion—how strangely did your syllables of music ring out from that blacksmith's lips, as he went murdering on!

"*Mary!*" he shouts, as he drags that red coated trooper from his steed: "Mary!" he shrieks, as his hammer crashes down, laying that officer in the dust. Look! Another officer, with a gallant face and form—another officer, glittering in lace, clasps that blacksmith by the knees and begs mercy.

"I have a wife—mercy! I have a wife yonder in England—spare me!"

The blacksmith, crazed as he is, trembles—there is a tear in his eye.

"I would spare you, but a form is before me—the form of my dead wife! That form has gone before all day! She calls on me to strike!"

And the hammer falls, and then rang out that strange war cry—"MARY!"

At last when the battle was over, he was found by a wagoner, who had at least shouldered a cartwhip in his country's service—he was found sitting by the roadside, his head sunken, his leg broken—the life-blood welling from his many wounds.

The wagoner would have carried him from the field but the stout blacksmith refused.

"You see neighbor," he said, in that voice husky with death, "I never meddled with the British till they burned my home, till they"——he could not speak the outrage, but his wife, his child, were there before his dying eyes. "And now I've but five minutes" life in me. I'd like to give a shot at the British afore I die. D'ye see that cherry tree? D'ye think you could drag a man of my build up that? Place me there; give me a powder-horn, three rifle balls an' a good rifle, that's all I ask."

The wagoner granted his request; he lifted him to the foot of the cherry tree; he placed the rifle, the balls the powder horn in his grasp.

Then whipping his horse through the narrow pass, from the summit of a neighboring height, he looked down upon the last scene of the blacksmith life.

There lay the stout man; at the foot of the cherry tree, his head sunk, his broken leg hangin over the roadside bank. The blood was streaming from his wounds—he was dying.

Suddenly he raised his head—a sound struck on his ears. A party of British came rushing along the narrow road, mad with carnage and thirsting for blood. They pursued a scattered band of Continentals. An officer led the way, waving them on, with his sword.

The blacksmith loaded his rifle; with that eye bright with death he took the aim. "That's for Washington!" he shouted as he fired. The officer lay quivering in the road side dust. On and on came the British, nearer and nearer to the cherry tree—the Continentals swept through the pass. Again the blacksmith loaded—again he fired. "That's for mad Antony Wayne' he shouted; as another officer bit the sod.

The British now came rushing to the cherry tree, determined to cut down the wounded man, who, with his face toward them, bleeding as he was, dealt death among their ranks. A fair-visaged officer, with golden hair waving on the wind, led them on.

The blacksmith raised his rifle; with that hand stiffening in death he took the aim—he fired—the young Briton fell with a sudden shriek.

"And that," cried the blacksmith, in a voice that strengthened it to a shout, "and that's for"——

His voice was gone! The shriek died on his white lips.

His head sunk—his rifle fell.

A single word bubbled up with his death groan.—Even now methinks I hear that word, echoing and trembling there among the rocks of Brandywine.—That word was—MARY!

CITY PRICES CURRENT. JAN. 7.

CAREFULLY CORRECTED EVERY AFTERNOON.

Flour—From Store,	$4.75@ 5.00
" Wagon,	4.50@ 4.75
Buckwheat—per 100 lbs	1.50 @1.62½
Corn Meal— do do	50 @ 62
Grain—Wheat ℔ bush.	0.00 @ 80
Corn, "	36 @ 42
Oats, "	36 @ 44
Hay—Loose ℔ ton,	16.00 @18.0
Oil—Linseed, ℔ gall.	68 @ 70
Whiskey—℔ gall.	26 @ 28
Potatoes—Neshannock, ℔ bush.	31 @ 44
Salt—℔ bbl.	1.00 @1.06
Seeds—Flax,	1.00 @1.12½
Timothy,	2.37½@2.50
Clover,	5.00 @5.50
Lard—No 1 ℔ lb.	7½@ 8
Hogs—℔ lb (av. wt)	4 @ 5
Bacon—per lb.	8 @ 9
Cheese—per lb W R.	7 @ 8
Butter—Keg and Roll per lb.	10½@ 13

Married,

On the 1st inst by the Rev George M Hall, Dr A R THOMPSON, to Miss HANNAH CHARLES, both of Clinton, Allegheny co., Pa.

On Sunday, Dec. 23, 1845, by the Rev. M'Caul, H T CHAFFEE to SARAH ANN WARDELL, all of Allegheny city.

Dissolution.

THE limited copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the style of H T Chaffey & Co, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.

All persons indebted to said firm are requested to call on H T Chaffey, whose duty it will be to settle the business of the firm, at the old stand, and close their accounts at an early day.

H. T. CHAFFEY.
BENJAMIN GLYDE.

Allegheny city, January 1, 1846. jan7 w1t

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jan7 1t

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HAVE removed to Fourth st., opposite R & H Patterson's Livery stables. jan7 3m

Office of the Allegheny Co Mutual Insurance Co.

JANUARY 5th, 1846

AT a meeting of the Board of Directors of this institution, it was *Resolved*, That a dividend of ten per cent on all net earned premiums for policies in force on the 10th of April, 1845, be paid on or after the 15th instant.

Extract from the Minutes

J. B. ROBINSON Sec'y.

jan 7 2t

TOTTEN ON MORTARS.—Essays on Hydraulic and Common Mortars, and on lime burning, by J. G. Totten.

For sale by C. H. KAY,

jan7 corner of Wood and 3d sts.

BALLES PHONOGRAPHIC DICTIONARY.—An explanatory pronouncing Phonographic Dictionary of the English language, with a vocabulary of Greek, Latin, Scripture and Geographical names, also, a collection of phrases often used by English writers.

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The above series of maps are now in use in nearly every respectable School in New York, and the Eastern states.

Teachers are respectfully invited to call and examine them.

For sale by JOHN H MELLOR,

jan 7 122 Wood street.

AUCTION SALES.

BY JOHN D. DAVIS, Auctioneer, corner of Wood and Fifth streets. At 10 o'clock on Thursday morning the 8th inst. at Davis' Auction Rooms, will be sold a general assortment of fresh and seasonable Dry Goods, to which the attention of dealers are very respectfully invited.

At 2 o'clock, P M., a large quantity of Boots, Shoes, Caps, Fine Cutlery, Hardware, Queensware, Glassware, Cordage, Sole Leather, Lost Sugar, Molasses, Mantel Clocks, Carpeting in great variety, Cap, Writing and Letter Paper, together with Bureaus, Chairs, Tables, Bedsteads, Hair Mattresses, Book Case and Desks, and a variety of other Household Furniture, Cool Stoves, &c. jan 7

SALE OF BOOTS AND SHOES, to pay freight and charges at Auction, on Thursday next, Jan. 8th at 9½ o'clock, A M., will be sold without reserve, the following lot of Boots and Shoes, being the contents of 9 cases marked T. Lawrence, to cover freight and other charges incurred in the transportation between Philadelphia and Pittsburgh, unless redeemed before; they are all in good order, viz:

36	pair	kipp boots,
60	"	men's brogans,
50	"	boy's do
30	"	children's calf monroes,
4	"	youth's boots,
48	"	children's goat,
62	"	boy's brogans,
12	"	morocco's do
12	"	men's do do
12	"	" kipp do
27	"	women's seal slippers,
15	"	" assorted,
6	"	boy's seal boots,
48	"	calf bootees,
6	"	children's do

And immediately after, a large and general assortment of Dry Goods. Terms cash, par funds.

jan7 P. McKENNA, Auct'r.

WANTED immediately, two or three sober popular Agents—young men to travel through the country and get subscribers, &c. for a Pittsburgh Newspaper, &c. and one or two to sell Palmer's Pocket Scales—5 or 6 good white cooks, for Hotels and respectable private families—places for a number of bookkeepers, salesmen, warehouse men, mechanics, laborers, apprentices and boys in stores, &c. Also, wanted, places for colored coachmen, waiters, hostlers cooks and boys and girls for all work, in town and country, &c. Please apply at ISAAC HARRIS', General Agency and Intelligence Office, No 9 Fifth st. jan7.

FOR SALE,

A SMALL supply of Economy dark mixed and and fancy fresh colored broadcloth and cassimets. A large supply of yellow and purple carpet chain. All sizes of window sash and glass to suit; matches by the gross, &c: Louisville lime by the bbl. or retail; shovels; spades; ding and hay forks, &c. &c., for sale low for cash or trade to suit consignees.

ISAAC HARRIS, Agent

jan7 and Com. Merchant, No 9, 5th st

DR. GEO. FELIX,

HAS removed a short distance above his former location, on Smithfield street, near Second, east side. jan 7

LET ALL THE WORLD KNOW

That Seller's Vermifuge is the best in use!!

HERE is the proof—

Licking Station, Ky., Dec 17, 1845.

Mr. R E Sellers: I have the pleasure to inform you that I have used in my practice your celebrated Vermifuge, with the most happy results. I have formerly used Fahnestock's, but being persuaded to try yours, I have found it far superior in every respect, and can say without the fear of contradiction that your Vermifuge possesses more virtue than any I ever used, and most cordially recommend it to the attention of the public. I will state a case where I gave one vial of your Vermifuge. My brother's child was *pining and wasting to a mere skeleton*, in 36 hours after I gave the Vermifuge, the enormous quantity of *upwards of six hundred worms* were passed. The child that was given up for lost, is now as well and hearty as any in the neighborhood.

AMBROSE ARNETT, M. D.

☞ Those who wish can see Dr. Arnett's letter. Prepared and sold by R. E. SELLERS,

57 Wood st.

Sold also by Kerr & Mohler, 147 Wood street; L. Wilcox, Jr., and Wm. Thorn, Market street; Fenn & Cassell, Fifth Ward, and H. P. Schwartz and J. Mitchell, Allegheny city. jan7

New Works.

TRAVELS IN MEXICO, over the Table Lands and Cordilleras of Mexico, during the year 1843 and 1844, including a description of California, the principal cities and mining districts of that Republic, and the biographies of Iturbide and Santa Anna; by Albert M. Gilliam.

For sale by C. H. KAY,

jan7 corner of Wood and 3d sts.

AMERICAN ALMANAC FOR 1846.

The American Almanac and Repository of useful knowledge for the year 1846, just received and for sale by C. H. KAY,

jan6 cor Wood and 3d sts.

WRAXALL'S HISTORICAL MEMOIRS.

N. W. Wraxall Historical Memoirs of my own time, by Sir

For sale by C. H. KAY,

jan6 corner of Wood and 3d sts.

POSTHUMOUS MEMOIRS of his own time, by Sir N. W. Wraxall.

For sale by C. H. KAY,

jan 6 corner of Wood and 3d sts.

Post Office Stationery.

IN compliance with law and the Orders of the Postmaster General, *Sealed Proposals* will be received by me until 12 o'clock, noon, on Monday the 2d day of February next, for supplying the Stationery required for the use of this Post Office during the two years commencing January 1st, 1846, and ending December 31, 1847.

The estimate, for each year, is as follows:

80 Reams Enveloping paper.—Size 20X27 inches—weight 26½ lbs per ream;

50 Pounds Cotton packing twine;

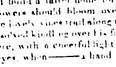
25 Pounds best quality Sealing Wax.

Contractors are required by law to give bond in a sum equal to double the value of the articles to be furnished. Payment will be made on delivery of the Stationery. Bidders required to furnish samples.

CHAMBERS MCKIBBIN,

jan6-6t Postmaster of Pittsburgh, Pa.

FOR CINCINNATI.



The splendid steam boat Pickaway *McDonald*, Master will leave for the above and intermediate ports on Thursday, the 8th inst., at 10 o'clock, A. M., (weather permitting. For Freight or Passage apply on board

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To Glass Manufacturers.

100,000 FEET Pine Lumber, half thickness, suitable for glass ware boxes. For sale low by

STEREIT & CO.,

jan6 18 Market street, one door above Front.

To Capatalists.

A JUDGEMENT for $572 on a good debt in a neighboring county for sale. Enquire of

STEREIT & CO.,

jan6 18 Market st.

Stoughton Bitters.

15 DOZ very choice, for sale by the dozen or single bottle by

STEREIT & CO.,

jan6 18 Market st.

Ess. Peppermint.

20 DOZ (Pinet) Ess Peppermint for sale by the dozen or single bottle by

STEREIT & CO.,

jan6 18 Market st.

Brandy.

1 qr cask Vieux Cognac, 1835, suitable for families or medicinal purposes for sale in any quantity, by

STEREIT & Co.,

No 18, Market street,

jan6 one door above Front.

Port Wine.

A very superior article, pure juice of grape, for medicinal purposes

STEREIT & Co.

No 18, Market street,

jan6 one door above Front.

New Books

GILLIAM'S Travels in Mexico

Conner Bird;

Willis' Poems;

Wandering Jew, just received by

BOSWORTH & FORRESTER.

dec6 43 Market st.

THE AMERICAN ALMANAC:

Finden's Beauties of the Poets;

Smith's key to the drawing of the human figure;

Hand Book of Oil Painting;

Drawing and Measurements of celebrated statues;

Drawing Book of Flowers and Fruit.

BOSWORTH & FORRESTER.

dec6. 43 Market st.

BLACK BALL OR OLD LINE OF LIVERPOOL PACKETS FOR LIVERPOOL.

(Only regular packet for the 16th of January.)

THE new, magnificent and celebrated fast sailing favorite Packet ship *YORKSHIRE*, burthen, 1150 Tons, Capt D. G. BAILEY, will sail positively on Friday the 16th of January, and will leave Liverpool on The 1st of March. For passage in the Cabin, 2d Cabin and Steerage, to, or from Liverpool,

Apply to ROCHE, BRO'S & Co.

New York.

Or to BLAKELY & MITCHEL,

jan 3 Agents, Pittsburgh.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

400 CUTS good yellow and purple carpet chain.

250 doz assorted window sash and glass to suit.

200 all sizes good wooden bowls.

A small supply of Economy broad-cloths, school books and stationary, and quite a large assortment of the American Temperance Union Publication, and Almanacs for 1846. Cheap and useful Family Medicines. All of which will be sold low, for cash or country produce, &c., to suit customers and consigners. ISAAC HARRIS, Ag't and Com Merchant.

No 9, Fifth street.

☞ Wanted to buy, rags for paper makers and carpet weavers, and country carpets. dec 31 6t

Rectified Whiskey.

THE subscribers having received a quantity of whiskey before the late advance in price, inform their customers, and dealers generally, that they are selling their best Rectified (a very superior article) at 25c per gallon by the barrel. They have as usual a good assortment of Groceries, Wines, Liquors and Cordials.

W & M. MITCHELTREE,

dec31-6t. No 160 Liberty st.

For Rent.

THE Two Story Brick Dwelling House and back buildings, No. 89, Smithfield street, at present occupied by Mr. John Stevenson. Possession given on 1st April next. Apply to

jan5 JOHN D. DAVIS.

Dividend.

OFFICE OF THE ALLEGHENY BRIDGE CO.,
Pittsburgh, January 1, 1846.

THE President and Managers of "the Company for erecting a Bridge over the river Allegheny, opposite Pittsburgh, in the County of Allegheny," have this day declared a dividend of eight per centum out of the profits of the last six months, which will be paid to Stockholders, or their legal representatives, on or after the 8th instant.

JOHN HARPER,

jan 3, 1846-w1td1w Treasurer.

FOR RENT.

A ROOM in the first story of the new brick house on corner of 5th and Union sts.

Also, The second and third stories of same building.

jan6 Apply to JAMES MAY.

ELECTION PROCLAMATION.

City of Pittsburgh, ss.

IN conformity with the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, providing for the incorporation of the city of Pittsburgh, and of the several supplements thereto: I, WILLIAM J. HOWARD, *Mayor of the said city*, Do issue this, my proclamation, declaring, that on the Second Tuesday of January, A D 1846 being the 13th day of that month, the Freemen of each ward of said city qualified to vote for members of the house of representatives of this commonwealth, will meet together at the usual places of holding elections, in their respective wards, and select, by ballot, one person in each and every ward, qualified to serve as a member of the Senate of this commonwealth, to serve as a member of the Select Council, and five persons in each and every ward, qualified to serve as Members of the House of Representatives of this Commonwealth, to serve as Members of the Common Council.

And that on the same day, the Citizens of said City qualified as aforesaid will at the usual places in their respective wards, as aforesaid, elect by ballot a citizen of the said City, qualified to be elected a Member of the House of Representatives of this Commonwealth, to be Mayor of said city.

Also, in conformity with the Provisions of a Resolution of the Select Council, passed December 23, 1845 the Citizens of the first and second wards of said city, qualified as aforesaid will, at the same time and place, elect, by ballot one person in each of said wards, qualified as aforesaid to serve as members of the Select Council, for two years, in the place of William Eichbaum, Esq., of the first and Josiah King, Esq., of the second ward, resigned.

Given under my hand and the Corporate Seal of the City of Pittsburgh, this first day of January, A. D., 1846. WM. J. HOWARD, Mayor.

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REMOVAL.

HENRY LAMBERT has removed to the warehouse nos 133 and 135 Wood street between Fifth and Sixth streets, where he respectfully solicits a share of public patronage. jan5

HENRY LAMBERT,

WHOLESALE GROCER,

FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANT