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THE STATE TREASURER'S REPORT.—In glancing at this document, we observed some facts that interested us, and although the notice of them may be thought somewhat tardy, they may not be entirely uninteresting to our readers. We may here premise that Mr SNOWDEN has proved himself to be one of the best Treasurers the State ever had—he has exerted himself with signal success in the important matter of paying the interest on our onerous debt, and is entitled to the meed of a faithful public servant.—His reports, too, are interesting and satisfactory,—they are, in other words, exactly what such documents ought to be.

The amount of the Public Debt, and the value of Public Property, are given in the Report under the heads "A" and "B" as follows:

A.

PUBLIC DEBT.

Funded debt, viz:		
6 per cent stocks,	$1,752,335 66	
5 " "	34,786,932 37	
4½ " "	200,000 00	
Total funded debt, 1st December, 1845,		$36,739,267 43
Relief notes in circulation,		1,258,572 00
Interest certificates outstanding,	$2,689,022 46	
Interest certificates unclaimed,	23,391 72	
Interest on these, at 4½ per cent., to 1st of Aug. 1845, if funded	171,389 15	
		2,888,803 36
Domestic creditors,		99,710 42
Total public debt 1st Dec., 1845,		$40,986,393 22

B.

PUBLIC PROPERTY.

Canals and railroads, at original cost,	$23,643,316 77	
Public buildings and grounds at Harrisburgh, estimated value,	250,000 00	
Money due on unpatented lands,	190,000 00	
State arsenals, powder magazines, &c., estimated,	100,000 00	
Stock in sundry corporations, par value,	2,045,476 79	
Total public property,		$31,228,793 56

Thus, it would seem that our Commonwealth is in debt, beyond the extreme value of her assets, about 9½ millions of dollars. This much, at least, must be raised by increased taxation, and it would seem to be worthy the prompt inquiry of our legislature, what the best mode of removing at least a portion of our public burdens, would be. With the present revenue of the Commonwealth, it will require great care and economy to pay the interest on the 41 millions that we owe, as it falls due, and our difficulties will have no diminution until a new tax be laid for the payment each year of a portion, however small, of the immense principal.

The gross amount of revenue, in 1845, was $3 010,062 31—the gross sum of payments from the Treasury, was $3,289,028 12. The revenue for 1846 is calculated at $3,226,700 00—and the Treasurer concludes, that, after paying the whole amount of interest that will fall due, there will be a balance in the Treasury of $97,000 on the 1st of December next. After the painful embarrassments of the Treasury, this seems to be rather a cheering prospect. The Treasurer is determined on making a vigorous effort to realize the arrears of Taxes due the State, and has notified the Commissioners of defaulting counties, that "if the taxes due by any county, are not paid on or before the second Tuesday of January next, such county will be charged interest from that period, for any balance so remaining unpaid, at the rate of five per cent per annum."

There is every reason to believe that these energetic measures will have the desired effect. The assessed valuation of property in Allegheny county, for 1845, was $14,669,025. On this sum her State tax was $41 672 66, and she owes but $5,415 95—a small amount, compared with the balances due by many of the other counties of the State—Bucks and Philadelphia for instance. The former of these counties has paid but $1,358 50 of the 41,985 she is liable for—And of the $323,414 19 apportioned to Philadelphia, she has paid but $145,060. She owes the State on her last year's assessments over $179,000, or about one fourth of the whole sum due to the Commonwealth by all the counties, for the year 1845. It would seem by this, that Philadelphia, notwithstanding her haughty assumptions and attempts to bend the entire energies of the state, and the whole influence of legislation to her supposed advantage, is by no means ready in assisting the State in her difficulties. The holders of State Stocks in that rich city, are much more willing to receive their interest than they are to pay their taxes, if we are to judge from the Treasurer's Report. It would, perhaps, save trouble and advance the true interests of the State if Philadelphia were exonerated from State Taxation, and also forbidden to vote on questions of general importance, such as the "right of way," for instance. The members might then devote themselves entirely to the procuring of little special enactments for their county, and would not be permitted to interfere with or retard the progress of the commonwealth, or to mar projects for the good of *all* her people.

A FOOLISH MOVEMENT.—We understand that a paper is in circulation, which is being signed by our merchants, pledging themselves not to have any further commercial intercourse with Philadelphia, unless the merchants of that city withdraw their opposition to the "Right of Way." This we consider a very foolish movement, and have not the slightest notion that those who sign it, will keep the pledge six months hence, unless they can clearly ascertain, that they can purchase to better advantage in some other city. It looks too much like a man "biting off his nose to spite his face," and the only effect it can have, will be to place our very respectable and enterprising business community, in a very rediculous light before the whole mercantile class of the country. It would, we think, be a difficult task for any of those who are engaged in this remonstrance, to show how Pittsburgh could be benefitted by the destruction of the commercial prosperity of Philadelphia, but we think, on the contrary, that it is very obvious to every intelligent man that any policy that will have an injurious influence on the mercantile interests of that city, must also injure to a certain extent, the same interests in Pittsburgh. We hope our merchants will abandon this very foolish "indignation movement."

THE DAILY PRESS OF NEW YORK STATE.—There are 43 daily papers published in New York, viz: In New Ykor city 16, Brooklyn 3, Albany 5, Troy 3, Saratoga Springs 3, Buffalo 4, Rochester 3, Syracuse 2, Utica 1, Lockport 1, Pen Yan 1, Geneva 1.

Correspondence of the "Morning Post."

HARRISBURGH, FEB. 13, 1846.

The "right of way bill" was again before the Senate to-day. Mr Darsie's substitute for the amendment of Mr Hickman, in reference to state agents was agreed to, yeas 17, nays 11. Mr Gibbons then offered an amendment which provides that the bill granting the right of way shall become a law in case the Central Rail Road Company do not within four or five months, after its passage subscribe one half of the stock necessary to construct the said road from Harrisburgh to Pittsburgh. Mr Bigler offered a substitute which requires the Central Rail Road Company to have *five millions* of the stock subscribed, of which ten dollars on each share shall be *actually* paid in, and fifteen miles of the road west of Harrisburgh, and the same number of miles east of Pittsburgh be placed under contract on or before the 1st day of June, 1847. If this is not done, then the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company are to have right of way to Pittsburgh. Mr B. it is said, will, to-morrow, in some important respects modify his proposition.

In the House, the New York and Erie Rail Road "right of way bill," was debated up to the hour of adjournment. No question taken.

AWFUL CALAMITY.—The Racine Advocate extra, of Jan. 27th, records the particulars of a terrible calamity which occurred in that village on the morning of that day. The dwelling of the Hon Marshal M. Strong, absent at Madison, as one of the councillors, in the legislature from that county, was consumed by fire, and Mrs Strong with her son and daughter perished in the flames! The fire occurred before dawn, and Mrs Strong was awakened by the flames, and with the servant girl had rushed out of doors in her night clothes, not yet conscious, however, of the extent of the danger.

Mrs. Strong, says the account, at the instant she turned and was made sensible of the danger around her, urged by a mother's all prevailing affection for her offspring, and following the holy impulses of woman's nature, heroically rushed into the midst of smoke and flames, with the frantic hope of saving her children!—Ladders were procured by those who gathered to the scene, the windows burst in, and every effort made to prostrate the mass of fire and smoke, and rescue the mother and children, but unavailingly, and a few hours later, the half consumed bodies of the victims were dug from the ruins.

INTERESTING STRANGERS.—The New Orleans Delta estimates the number of professional gamblers in that city, at present, at 300, and says that notwithstanding the severity of the laws against gentlemen of this cloth, they carry on their business very extensively. On the 5th, a trader from the West was invited to one of their rooms and plundered of 700. We believe this class of "speculators" have a pretty strong representation in our city, but nothing like the number claimed by the Delta for New Orleans.

THE OYSTER TRADE.—The oyster establishment in Baltimore, according to the Sun, has 25 men regularly employed in opening oysters for exportation.—They sometimes open 500 gallons a day. They are put in tin cans, in their own liquor, which are made air tight, and hermetically sealed; they are warranted to keep fresh in any climate. Five men are kept constantly employed in making the cans. The oysters are sent principally to the Western States, but considerable quantities are sent to the West Indies, South America, and some have been even sent to China. No returns have been received from the last named market, to inform us how the Celestials fancy the shell fish.

INSTRUCTING.—Resolutions have passed the House of Representatives of Tennessee, instructing the Congressional delegation from that State—Members and Senators—to oppose a national bank; to use their exertions to have the tariff of '42 modified to the revenue standard, to vote against the assumption of State debts, against the distribution of the proceeds of the sales of the public lands, and to go the whole for Texas and Oregon.

AND YET ANOTHER EXPRESS.—The Boston Times of Wednesday says:—We learn from a very reliable source that a fast sailing clipper built schooner sailed from Portland on Tuesday evening for Liverpool.—She was chartered from the owners by Mr. Packenham, the British Minister at Washington, and carried out despatches from him by a special messenger, who left Washington with them on Friday evening."

RIGHTS OF MARRIED WOMEN.—A bill has passed the Legislature of Alabama, which provides that property which a woman has at the time of her marriage shall not be liable for the payment of debts contracted by her husband previous to marriage; and also providing that the husband shall not be liable for the payment of debts contracted by the wife before marriage, except so far as the same can be paid by the property of the wife.

Robbery and Murderous Assault.—The store of Messrs. Norton & Bosms, at Pompton, Passaic county, in this State, was entered on Tuesday night, by some unknown villain. The circumstances, as related to us by Mr. Norton, are these. He had retired from the store room after nine o'clock last evening, leaving the clerk, Randolph Williams, (a son of Amos Williams, Jr. of Caldwell,) a young man of 21, who usually sleeps there. This morning Williams was found upon the ground under an open window, senseless and shockingly wounded upon the head, the door being closed as usual. Medical aid was instantly procured, and he was so far brought to consciousness that he was able in broken accent to state that something during the night a white man knocked at the door and asked for entrance.

On opening the door he was struck on the head, which is the last he remembers. He said nothing on [illegible] the store, a lamp was found burning, which [illegible] found without a [illegible]. Nothing appears to have been disturbed but the case, which was broken open and the pocket book, in which the money of the store was usually kept, gone. Fortunately the partners had during the evening taken out a large sum, leaving about $60 or $70 in bills in the pocket book.

It is supposed that the robber, who doubtless presumed he had killed the clerk, locked the door when he retreated, after securing the pocket book, and carried the key with him, and that the clerk, recovering sufficient strength, subsequently opened the window to get out, and fell senseless upon the ground where he was found. His situation is a very critical one, and his physician very considerately interdicted for their attempts to get information from him. In the suddenness and excitement of exigence, no clue has been found to the robber when Mr. Norton left home this morning.—*Newark Adv.*

The U. S. Bank.—The Philadelphia Ledger, says: "An impression is abroad that this institution, should peace and prosperity continue, will, at no distant day be revived. Its liabilities are nearly all concentrated in a few hands—English bankers—whose interest, it is believed, will induce them to deposit in its vaults a sufficient amount of specie to put it in operation. The charter is whole and being esteemed valuable, renders the project more probable than those who look at its disasterous wreck could believe possible."

That is decidedly the richest sarcasm of the winter season.

A Noble Boy.—Mrs. Child is again writing letters from New York to the Boston Curier. In the last, we have a pretty story of life. She says that, not far from her residence, there is a public school for poor children, and near by is a toy shop. A little boy, handsomely dressed, goes in, buys his pockets full of marbles. He watches till school is dismissed, then flings his marbles into the street and runs. His bright face peeps round a corner, to see the poor children pick them up; but they never know who is their benefactor. The woman who tends the toy shop, says he often repeats this pretty little experiment, and seems to take great delight in it.

MEXICO AND SANTA ANNA.—The Havana correspondent of the New Orleans Picayune, after announcing that Santa Ana was making arrangements for an immediate departure from Mexico, says:—

"There are other *on dits* about him that I give for what they are worth. It is said that he is much exasperated at the design of a few traitors to sell the country to foreign powers, after the wasting of so much blood and treasure to achieve independence. His return to Mexico will be marked by an entire change in his policy. The United States, if her Minister is of the right stamp, will become his *fidus Achates*—for money he will adjust the Texas boundary and cede California, defending his countrymen upon the plea that this was the only method left to preserve the integrity of the Republic, to resist the insidious attacks of Foreign Cabinets upon her liberties, to preserve them from a return to the Spanish yoke which they so nobly threw off, and to retain their position among the nations of the earth as an independent power.

Paredes must either side with the foreign powers or with Santa Anna. If he choose the latter, nothing can prevent the tyrant from taking the reins—if the former, nothing can resist the *grito* that Santa Anna will raise for liberty. No one that is well informed on the subject believes that the people of Mexico will be content that their country share the fate of Greece.

Every day we believe to be big with events in this distracted country, pregnant with interest to the United States.

The New York Sun says:

The banks are now in a state of unsafe expansion. The cash liabilities in three states are as eight to one of specie. If now, the English Government proceeds by drawing bills for specie, precisely as did the late National Bank, and if it can do so to a limitless amount, it will break and convulse the whole continent, and so cripple the government as to make loans impossible, while it will draw all the specie into Canada to carry on a vigorous campaign. This financial operation alone would be worth two campaigns at least. To a certain extent it has already been going on and if the difficulties thicken it will be vigorously pushed. It can, moreover, give Mexico great aid by that means, almost without detection. As long as peace prevails, it is the intention of England that the currency here shall be inflated, because it promotes the sale of her goods and also offers a better chance for a ruinous financial blow when she sees proper to deal it. If our government does not provide a defence in season by means of the Independent Treasury, we shall be bound hand and foot at the feet of England."

Oregon.—The Prophecy, (May 16, 1826.) made by *Senator Benton.*

"Westward the Star of Empire takes its way"

The course of conquest is from North to South, because the man that handles iron, will be master of him that wields gold.

But the course of emigration is from East to West, because it began in the East, and to accomplish the purposes of God, must end in the West. *These purposes will be accomplished.*

The valley of the Mississippi will be filled up; the barrier of the Rocky Mountains will be passed; the boundary of the Pacific will be reached; the circumbulation of the globe will be completed; *the oldest and the youngest People will be brought together;* and the emigration of the human race will stop, where it began, upon the borders and confines of the "Celestial Empire." (Speech in Senate, on the Bill to graduate the price of Public Lands.")

The Late Duel.—Yesterday Mr. Leonard Hyman was brought before Recorder Baldwin, charged on the affidavit of William S. Mount with having killed Thomas M. Kane in a duel, on the 21st ult. [illegible]

[illegible]

Mr. Hyman then gave bail in the sum of $5,000 for his appearance on the 1st inst. The Court room was excessively crowded.—*N. O. Delta, Feb. 6.*

Pitts. Firemen's Association of Pittsburgh and Allegheny.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee appointed for the purpose of [illegible] to the following persons, viz:

PITTS AGENTS.	PHIL. INS. COMPANIES.
Warrick Martin	Franklin Fire
Moses Atwood	North American Fire
King & Finney	Delaware Mutual Safety
George Cochran	American Fire
J W Buchanan	Citizen's Mutual
T J Campbell	Reliance Mutual
J W Burbridge	Spring Garden
William Bakewell	Columbia

To these notes, but *three* of the above persons, responded, namely:—WARRICK MARTIN $150, MOSES ATWOOD $120, KING & FINNEY $100, [illegible] $350; which has been paid over to the Treasury of the Association to cooperate with your request, as Your Committee [illegible] ... the Firemen has been most, as it should receive, as it deservedly merits a corresponding degree of popular favor.

JAS. B. MURRAY,
WM. HAYS, Jr.
EDWARD GREGG, } *Committee.*

Forensic Fun.—We have heard *for legal quibbles* in our day as all have *heard* some—but if a Philadelphia lawyer can beat the following (lately urged to a jury in this city) he can take our hat, aye, and our *corduroys;* the prisoner is on his trial for *entering* a house in the night time with intent to steal. The testimony was clear that he had made an opening sufficiently large to allow the upper part of his body, and through which [illegible] half way and stretching [illegible]

[illegible]

"What [illegible] to ask at your hands the conviction of my client on such testimony! The law is against *entering* a house—and can a man be said to *enter* a house, when only *one-half* of his body is in and the other half *out!* Gentlemen, look to the Divine Law on this point—God commanded Adam and Eve not to eat the *apple*—i. e. the whole of the apple. And all the commentators agree that if they had only eaten one-half, they would never have been expelled from the blooming Garden of Eden."

The jury brought in a verdict of "guilty" as to one half of his body from the waist up, and "not guilty" as to the other half.

The Judge sentenced the guilty half to one year's imprisonment, leaving it to the prisoner's option to have the innocent half cut off or take it along with him.

N. B. (*We mean the jury and judge ought to have done so.*)—*Delta.*

Bank Protection.—A gentleman gave us a day or two since a description of the contrivance which Banker Rothchild, of London, has upon the door of his vault to prevent incursions of thieves to his "pile." It is a wonderful piece of mechanism, and we suppose if the fact of its existence was generally known his money bags would be perfectly safe. If a person attempts the lock, or tampers with it in the slightest degree, an iron hand or arm is thrust out from the door, clenches the offender and holds him motionless in its iron embrace, which at the same instant a bell is struck in a room overhead, occupied by a watchman, giving him notice that his presence is required below.—Should this watchman not get down to the assistance and release of the wretch held by the iron arm in 15 minutes time, then a blunderbuss is discharged into the body of the trespasser. Thus he is mercifully allowed fifteen minutes grace to reflect upon the enormity of his offence. We were told that a few years since a man was caught by the iron nippers, and the watchman came to his relief only two minutes before the blunderbuss would have been discharged.—*Albany Atlas.*

COMMERCIAL RECORD.

PREPARED AND CORRECTED EVERY AFTERNOON.

PITTSBURGH BOARD OF TRADE.

COMMITTEE FOR FEBRUARY.

N. B. Craig, W. Barker, Robert Woods.

PORT OF PITTSBURGH.

5 FEET WATER IN THE CHANNEL.

ARRIVED.

Hibernia, Klinfelter, Cincinnati;
Defiance, Deuval, Cin;
Consul, Abrams, Brownsville;
Michigan, Boies, Beaver;

DEPARTED.

Monongahela, Stone, Cin;
Rhode Island, M'Fall, Wheeling;
North Queen, —— do
Medium, Connelly, Brownsville;
Cleveland, Calhoun, Wellsville;

IMPORTS BY RIVER.

Wheeling—Pr str Rhode Island; 47 doz brooms, 12 kegs lard, 2 bbls butter, 2178 ps bulk pork, Jordan & Son; 63 doz brooms, S M'Clurkan & Co; 200 bbls flour, owner aboard; 2 bales candle wick, 14 bbls flour, B A Sampson & Co; 4 sacks rags, Johnston & Stockton; 69 doz brooms, J D Williams; 143 kegs lard, 59 casks bacon, Hanna & Waterman; 5 bbls butter, Jordan & Son; 22 bbls flour, 2 sacks buckwheat flour, James Dalzell; 80 doz brooms, owner aboard, 8 bbls mehze, Litchfield.

Cincinnati—Pr str Bertrand, 27 bales cotton; Jno Grier; 11 hhds tobacco, 2 half bbls do, 1 box do, A Gordon; 3 hhds tobacco; 2 boxes do, Forsyth & Co; 5 hhds sugar, L & J D Wick; 3 hhds sugar, 1 bbl rice, 25 sacks feathers, Wm M'Cully; 24 bbls molasses, 9 boxes lemons, Jno Snyder; 316 bbls and 24 bbls mehze, B Cole; 27 boxes soap, 1 do tobacco, Watterb & Reist; [illegible] pigs lead, Jona Hanna; 89 hides, W Bryant; 50 bbls pork, 16 half bbls do, 4 casks bacon, 1 sack feathers.

Cincinnati—Pr str Allquipps; 549 bbls pork, 765 ps do; 129 mehze, 25 hides bacon, Wm Bingham; 2 packages mehze, H & P Graff; 1 do L & L Reed, 65 bbls whiskey, J & J M'Devitt; 40 do do, 15 bbls lard, sugar, 13 bbls lard, R Galway; 1 keg do, J McFadden & Co; 14 bbls fish, J Guion, 6 bales wool, 9 sacks feathers, T G O'Horne; 50 bbls potatoes, J D Davis, 1 box mehze, H Mutheril, 6 bbls molasses, J Dalzell; 3 bbls eggs, W Holmes & Co.

New Orleans—Pr str Oregon; 100 bbls molasses, Bagaley & Smith; 46 do, L & J D Wick; 5 cks wine, 10 baskets oil, 4 bbls and 1 cask ale, Miller & Rickson; 1 box mehze, J Kelley; 5 bbls loaf sugar, R Dalzell & Co; 108 blooms; Wood, Edwards & McKnight; 61 bbls molasses, Poindexter & Co; 25 sacks feathers, J Forsyth & Co; 133 pigs lead, 4 tierces rice, Coleman, Hailman & Co; 20 bales hemp, 35 hhds tobacco; H & P Graff; 20 sacks oats, 1 do flax, 1 do rags, 2 boxes sundries, J McEldowney; 18 sacks oats, J Dickey & Co; 36 bbls whiskey, (67 years old;) J & J McDevitt; 460 sacks oats, 2 bbls do, owners aboard.

Brownsville—Pr str Louis M'Lane; 30 boxes glass W Graham; 3 sacks seed, 8 kegs nails, 17 boxes glass, owner aboard; 2½ tons pig metal, Pennock & Mitchell; 24 bxs glass, 12 pigs blooms, Church & Carothers; 25 bxs glass, J Dickey & Co; 147 bxs glass, S Stone & Co; 22 do, A Laughlin.

Wellsville—Pr str Cleveland; 28 bbls and 12 kegs butter, 1 bbl tallow, 1 do and 2 kegs lard, McGill & Bradfield; 5 bbls pork, 2 do lard, J Porter & Co; 2 do butter, Church & Carothers; 2 [illegible] butter, D F Zimmons, 3 bbls beans, 4 bbls butter A H [illegible]; 12 reams paper, Christian Advocate; 14 do [illegible] L [illegible]; 5 do [illegible].

CITY PRICES CURRENT. FEB. 17.

CAREFULLY CORRECTED EVERY AFTERNOON.

Flour—From Store,	$4 00 a 4 25
" Wagon,	3 75 a 3 87½
Buckwheat—per 100 lbs	1 25 a 1 50
Corn Meal— do do	50 a 62
Grain—Wheat ℔ bush.	0 [illegible] a 0 [illegible]
Corn "	35 a 40
Oats "	32 a 34
Hay—Loose ℔ ton,	15.00 a 16 00
Oil—Lard ℔ gall.	65 a 70
Whiskey—℔ "	18 a 22
Potatoes—Neshannock ℔ bush.	44 a 62
Salt—℔ bbl.	1.10 a 1 16
Seeds—Flax,	1 00 a 1 12½
Timothy,	3 00 a 3 25
Clover,	5,00 a 5 25
Lard—No 1 ℔ lb.	7½ a 8
Hogs—℔ lb. (av. wt.)	4 a 5
Bacon—per lb.	8 a 9
Cheese—per lb W R.	7 a 8
Butter—Keg and Roll per lb.	10 a 11

Married,

At Morgantown, Va., January 27th, by E. Burkett, Mr ANTHONY DRAVO Jr., Merchant, of Pittsburgh to Miss ALABELLA, daughter of the late Martin Roter, D. D.

Died,

On Sunday, the 15th inst., MARY FOWLER, daughter of Simpson and Mary Hotner, aged 3 years, 7 months and 9 days.

The friends and acquaintances of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, [illegible] the residence of her parents, No. 12 Jackson's row, Robinson street Allegheny city, this day, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

Corn Brooms.

150 DOZ. assorted sizes, received and for sale by LAMBERT & SHIPTON, 133 and 135 Wood st.
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Produce.

12 KEGS Lard;
3 sacks prime Feathers;
2 Bundles Deer Skins;
60 dozen tow Yarn;
3 Barrels dried Apples, received per steamer Consul, and for sale by
LAMBERT & SHIPTON,
133 and 135 Wood st.
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BUTTER AND JEANS.

3 PIECES Sun [illegible] Jeans;
15 Boxes Roll Butter;
45 Kegs Lump [illegible] and for sale by
LAMBERT & SHIPTON,
133 and 135 Wood st.
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MATCHES—100 gross Eastern matches for sale by
R E SELLERS,
feb17 57 Wood st.

GUM CAMPHOR—2 bbls for sale by
feb17 R E SELLERS.

GLUE—13 bbls for sale by
feb17 R E SELLERS.

CARB. MAGNESIA—150 lbs for sale by
feb 17 R E SELLERS

CHEMICALS—Iodine, Hyd Potash, Iodide Lead, Citrate Iron, Iodide Sulphur, Proto, Iodide Mercury, Tannin, Ch. Zinc, for sale by
feb 17 R.E SELLERS.

BATH BRICK—200 Bath Bricks, for scouring Knives, Forks, &c. Steamboats, Hotels and families should never be without this article. For sale by
feb17 R. E. SELLERS, 57 Wood st.

ALCOHOL—5 bbls just received and for sale by
feb17 R. E. SELLERS.

Valuable House and Lot for Sale.

WE are authorised to sell that three story brick house, and the lot on which it is erected, situate on the western side of Grant st., above 6th, at present occupied by Mr P Delany, as a dwelling. The house is large and commodious; and contains ten splendidly furnished rooms. For further information respecting the property and terms of sale apply to
BLAKELY & MITCHEL,
feb17 cor Penn and Smithfield st.

FLAXSEED WANTED.

3000 BUSHELS flaxseed is wanted by
MILLER & RICKETSON,
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REGULAR PACKET.

For Nashville. Direct:

The new and light draught steamer SAM SEAY R Greenlee; Master will leave for the above and intermediate ports, on this day, the 17th inst., at 4 o'clock P M. For freight or passage apply on board or to
JOHN W BUTLER & BRO., Agents.
The Sam Seay was built expressly for the Nashville trade and will run regularly during this season.
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To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, in and for the County of Allegheny.

The petition of Valentine Stork, 1st Ward, city of Pittsburgh, in the county aforesaid, humbly sheweth, that your petitioner hath provided himself with materials for the accommodation of travelers and others, at his dwelling house in the city aforesaid; and prays that your Honors will be pleased to grant him a license to keep a public house of entertainment. And your petitioner, as in duty bound, will pray.
VALENTINE STORK.

We, the subscribers, citizens of the 1st Ward; do certify, that the above petitioner is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of travelers and others, and that said tavern is necessary.

Andrew Holten,	Wm Sheehy,
John Fouche,	John Caldwell,
John Wilson,	John Adams,
Thos Rose,	John White,
Adam Hach,	Arthur Nicholson,
August Wellner,	Hugh Bateman.

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

The petition of Michael O'Hanlon, of the 1st Ward, Allegheny city, in the county aforesaid, humbly sheweth. That your petitioner hath provided himself with materials for the accommodation of travelers and others, at his dwelling house in the city aforesaid, and prays that your Honors will be pleased to grant him a license to keep a house of public entertainment.—And your petitioner, as in duty bound, will pray.
MICHAEL O'HANLON.

We the subscribers, citizens of the 1st Ward, do certify, that the above petitioner is of good repute for honesty and temperance and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of travelers and others, and that said tavern is necessary.

H E Ream,	John Hague,
Charles Reel,	Samuel Martin,
Henry McCarty,	Harlow Woodhouse,
George Mecheaney,	Samuel Ralge,
Robert Woodhouse,	Robert Mecheaney,
J B Craig,	B Ford.

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

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

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

Thomas Farrow,	James Richardson,
George Winters,	John Keating
William M'Candless,	Hugh Parkhill,
J W Cook,	Henry Little,
John Bailey,	William Archers,
G W Anshutz,	Samuel Wilson.

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BOOKS.

HOUSE Carpenter;
Moving [illegible];
Downing's Cottage Residences;
[illegible]
BOSWORTH & FORRESTER,
feb17 43 Market st.

In the Orphans' Court of Allegheny County.

IN the matter of the estate of Arthur Lesser, deceased, late of Ohio Township, Allegheny County.

And now, to wit, January 31 1846, the petition of partition of the Real estate of the decedent to and among the heirs and legal representatives, having been made and the proceedings of law, and the same being of record [illegible] the return of E Trovillo, Esq., High Sheriff of said county, annexed to said writ of Partition, and on motion of Thomas Hamilton, Esq. The Court do give Judgment that the petition thereby made be firm and stable forever, and that the costs thereof be paid by the parties concerned, agreeable to the act of Assembly, in such cases made and provided.

And to wit, January 31, 1846, on motion of Mr. Hamilton, the Court grant a rule on all persons interested in said estate to come into Court on the fourth Monday of March next, to accept or refuse the shares or shares, purpart or purparts to be made by said inquisition according to their respective rights; notice to be given as directed by act of Assembly, &c.

By the Court, JOHN YOUNG, Jr., Cl'k.

All persons interested in the above estate, will take notice of the foregoing Rule.
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Pittsburgh Temperance Depository.

JUST received from the American Temperance Society, New York, a full assortment of their publications and the Journal and Youth's Temperance Advocate for January and February, and on hand, [illegible]
ISAAC HARRIS, Agent
feb17 1w [illegible] Comm. Mer., No 9, 5th street.

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 Francis Nicholson, of the First ward, of the city of Pittsburgh, in the county aforesaid, humbly sheweth, that your petitioner hath provided himself with materials for the accommodation of travelers and others, at his dwelling house in the city aforesaid; and prays that your Honors will be pleased to grant him a license to keep a house of public entertainment, and your petitioner, as in duty bound, will pray.
FRANCIS NICHOLSON.

We, the subscribers, citizens of the 1st ward, do certify that the above petitioner is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of travelers and others, and that said tavern is necessary.

Adam Hoeb,	J Wilson,
A Cross,	Jas's Gray, 4th st,
Daniel Graham,	John Laggart,
James Coappie,	Wm Orston,
Wm Meredith,	James Irwin,
Valentine Stork,	H Tonar.

feb17 3td.

Flour.

38 BBLS extra, for sale by
W B ANDERSON,
feb 16 No 25 Liberty & 3 Ferry st.

Produce.

150 BUSHELS Oats;
6 sacks Corn;
2 bbls white Corn meal;
5 " yellow " do;
1300 lbs Buckwheat Flour;
Just received and for sale by
feb16 W B ANDERSON,

Hams.

100 OF small size and superior qualities, For sale by W B ANDERSON.
feb16

STEAMBOAT LAMPS.

4 DOZ assorted three, two and one light suspending and side lamps for sale at lowest cash price by
W W WILSON,
feb10 cor 4th and Market st.

DIAMOND POINTED GOLD PENS.

3 DOZ of the best make just received and for sale by
W W WILSON,
feb10 cor 4th and Market 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 Nicholas Steiner, 4th Ward, city of Allegheny in the county aforesaid humbly sheweth, that your petitioner hath provided himself with materials for the accomodation of travellers and others, at his dwelling house in the city aforesaid; and prays that your Honors will be pleased to grant him a license to keep a public house of entertainment. And your petitioner, as in duty bound, will pray.
NICHOLAS STEINER.

We, the subscribers, citizens of the 4th Ward; do certify, that Nicholas Steiner, the above petitioner is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of travelers and others, and that said tavern is necessary.

Matthias Voeghtley,	H C Reoter,
Francis Henga,	L Walter,
G Demling,	Lewis Ottman,
William Glis,	Abram Haye,
F Janter,	William Lemon,
W Flodie,	D Bollia.

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

The petition of John Baldinger, of the 4th Ward, Allegheny city, in the county aforesaid, humbly sheweth, That your petitioner hath provided himself with materials for the accommodation of travellers and others, at his dwelling house in the city, aforesaid, and prays that your Honors will be pleased to grant him a license to keep a house of public entertainment. And your petitioner, as in duty bound, will pray.
JOHN BALDINGER.

We, the subscribers, citizens of the 4th Ward; do certify, that the above petitioner, is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of travelers and others, and that said tavern is necessary.

Henry Anshutz,	Henry Gubbs,
Beatus Reuter,	T Ganter,
J Whitaker,	Wm Cleis,
Samuel Lity,	C Bomback,
R Dewhurst,	Victor Scriba,
Abraham Hays.	[feb 14 d3t*

Proclamation.

BY virtue of a precept under the hands of the Hon. Benj. Patton, Jr., President of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the Fifth Judicial District of Pennsylvania, and justice of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery in and for said District, and Wm Porter and Wm. Kerr, Esq., Associate Judges of the same Courts in and for the said County of Allegheny, dated the 12th day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty six, and to me directed, for holding a court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery at the Court House in the city of Pittsburgh on fourth Monday of March next at 10 o'clock A. M.—Public notice is hereby given to Justices of the Peace Coroner and Constables of the County of Allegheny, that they be then and there in their proper persons with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations, and other remembrances, to do those things which to their respective offices in their behalf appertain to be done—and also those that will prosecute the prisoners that now are or may be in the jail of said county of Allegheny, to be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Given under my hand in Pittsburgh this twelfth day of February, in the year of our Lord, 1846, and of the Commonwealth the 67th.
feb14 ELIJAH TROVILLO, Sheriff.

Vaucluse, Wood Co., Va. Jan 26.

Mr. JOHN HARTWELL:

DEAR SIR—I have used in my family for a considerable time, Dr. Thompson's pills and I can with propriety say that they are an excellent remedy for those diseases for which they are recommended and I am well persuaded that the public would derive a great benefit from the use of them.

The Carminative is also an excellent remedy for those diseases among children for which it is recommended
Yours Truly,
ALEX P HENDERSON.

Prepared and sold by the proprietor,
EDGAR THORN,
Druggist & Apothecary,
feb14 cor Hand and Penn sts, Pittsburgh.

Kensington Works.

THE partnership of John Freeman & Co, was dissolved on the 9th inst., by the death of John Freeman, Esq. The business will hereafter be conducted by the undersigned surviving partners, under the name and style of Carothers, Miller & Co, to whom those indebted to the former firm, will please call and settle their respective accounts.
J CAROTHERS,
ALEX MILLER,
SAM'L CHURCH.
February 13, 1846.—feb14 d1m.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF STOCKS.

AT 7 o'clock, P. M. on Friday evening, the 20th instant, will be sold at the commercial auction rooms, corner of Wood and Fifth streets, without reserve by order of David Shaw, Administrator to the estate of the late Wm Shaw, deceased.

20 shares Bank of Pittsburgh Stock.

16 do Pittsburgh and Greensburgh Turnpike Road Co. Stock.

Also, for account whom it may concern:

40 shares Exchange Bank of Pittsburgh Stock.

Terms at sale.

feb14 J. D. DAVIS, Auct'r

Fair for the Washington Fire Company.

THE ladies of Allegheny have for some weeks been busily engaged in preparing useful and fancy articles to be sold on the 23d inst., to aid the said Company to procure a suitable house for the safe keeping of their apparatus.

As this is the first effort of the kind made in this community, it is hoped by the undersigned that a simple statement of these facts will ensure a large attendance and liberal patronage from those for whom the Firemen have so often periled their health and lives.

The sale will be commenced on Monday afternoon, the 23d inst., at 2 o'clock, in the storeroom of Messrs Clark & [illegible], on Federal street, near the market Allegheny city.

☞ Admittance 12½ cents.
JAS J BINNING,
JOHN G McMILLAN,
CHAS P WHISTON,
JOHN G COLLINS,
DANL M CURRY.
feb13-td Committee.

CIDER.

4 BBLS crab cider just received and for sale by
P C MARTIN,
feb13 60 Water st.

PECONS.

3 BARRELS Texas pecons on hand and for sale by
P. C. MARTIN
feb13 60 Water street.

MACKEREL.

A FEW bbls mackerel on hand and for sale by
P. C. MARTIN,
feb13 60 Water st.

LEMONS.

A FEW boxes fresh Sicily Lemons just received and for sale by
STERETT & Co,
feb10 18 Market st, near 4th.

Nails.

1000 KEGS assorted sizes nails and brads for sale at manufacturer's prices
BURBRIDGE, WILSON & CO,
feb10 Water st.

150 TONS assorted for sale at manufacturer's prices by
BURBRIDGE, WILSON & CO.,
feb10 Water street.

Molasses.

300 BBLS N O Molasses just received and for sale by
BURBIDGE, WILSON & CO.,
feb7 Water st.

Rice and Raisins.

30 TIERCES Rice;
25 boxes M R Raisins just received and for sale by
BURBRIDGE, WILSON & CO.,
feb7 Water st,

SUGAR.

150 HHDS N O Sugar, just received and for sale by
BURBRIDGE, WILSON & Co,
feb 7 Water street.

SKATES, Cutlery, Ivory, Ebony, &c. for sale by
JOHN W. BLAIR,
dec1. 120, Wood st.

Doctor Hoff's Tonic and Anti-Dyspeptic Pills.

IT has at all times been an object of peculiar importance to the medical world to discover some medicine or combination of medicines, which would operate in such a manner as to cleanse the stomach and intestines of all irritating matter, and not debilitate them. For the want of such a medicine, physicians have rarely been able to cure a case of confirmed dyspepsia or indigestion, to cure which the whole materia medica has been tried; from the most powerful articles down to charcoal and wheat bran.

A temporary relief in such cases is sometimes procured by the use of common emetics and purgatives, but the debility of the stomach and bowels produced by these medicines, soon brings a return of the distressing symptoms, even aggravated, and often the remedy has been worse on the constitution than the disease.

These pills are offered to the public with the confidence, produced by long experience in practice, that they will operate gently as a purgative, and effectually cleanse the stomach and bowels, without producing sickness, nausea or debility. They can be used at all times, by persons of all ages, without regard to diet, drink, or exposure to wet or cold. They generally improve the appetite, and in one hour after they are taken, and are the best preventive of those diseases generally termed bilious.

A few boxes of these pills are usually sufficient to remove the most confirmed Dyspepsia with all its distressing symptoms, such as sickness and sourness of the stomach, loss of apetite, habitual costiveness, cholic, despondency of mind, and a host of nervous affections, with which every person laboring under the disease is more or less afflicted.

As complaints are sometimes made of disappointment in the operation of these pills, owing to the improper use or administration of them, as to time, quantity and age of the patient, we have published a pamphlet, in which is set forth more fully the proper manner of using the pills, together with some of the diseases in which they are most applicable.

☞ These pills will rarely operate as a purgative if more than one pill be taken at a dose.

For sale by B A FAHNESTOCK & Co.,
feb12-d&w corner of Sixth and Wood sts.

Law Offices to Let.

SEVERAL commodious Law Offices, on Fourth street. For terms apply to
BLAKELY & MITCHEL,
feb13 cor of 4th and Smithfield streets.

Gold and Silver Watches.

J K Logan, corner 5th & Wood sts.

HAS received an invoice of Gold and Silver Patent Lever Watches.
A few Gold English Patent Levers.
Two Gold Anchor Levers, 13 Jewels.
One Silver " " 15 "
Three " English "
All of which will be sold very low. feb13

Sellers' Imperial Cough Syrup.

Pittsburgh, February 6th, 1846.

MR R E SELLERS—Though I do not believe any further testimonials are necessary to establish the reputation of your justly famed Cough Syrup, I feel compelled, as an act of duty, to mention several cases which came under my immediate notice, in members of families whom I was in duty bound to relieve at any cost, complained of hard breathing, a severe cough and no expectoration, loss of appetite, with strong symptoms of Pulmonary Consumption; I mentioned your syrup and they begged I would procure some, which I did. I am happy to report that they are quite relieved, the syrup having produced the desired effect in *every instance.* You are well assured of its good effects upon myself. Hoping that this may reach the notice of persons suffering from coughs and colds. I remain your ob't serv't
E. F. PRATT, Overseer Poor.

The Syrup is put up in 50 and 25 ct. bottles so that it may be bought by the poor, as well as the rich.

Prepared and sold by R. E. SELLERS, 57 Wood street. Sold by the City Druggists generally, and by J. Mitchell & H. P. Schwartz Allegheny city.
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Last Winter Session—Dancing School.

MADAME BLAIQUE'S last session for the present winter, will commence on Friday afternoon, February 13th, at 3 o'clock, P. M., at her Room in the Lafayette Assembly buildings.

In announcing the re-organization of her classes for the last winter season, Madame B., hopes it will not be out of place to convey to her kind patrons her grateful acknowledgement of the liberal support they have hitherto extended to her. She cannot but feel highly flattered at the evidence they adduced of their eminent appreciation of her services as a Teacher, in the crowded state of her classes, and she feels confident the simple announcement of the re-organization of her classes will be sufficient to secure to her a continuance of their favors.

In order to give that eclat to the *Examination Ball,* she proposes closing her winter labors with, and which the presence of all her pupils can only secure, she offers the following inducement to her patrons, in the reduction of her terms to $6 each, to those pupils who have attended the two previous sessions. feb9

Important to Gentlemen.

AT the solicitation of several gentlemen, Madame B. will open evening classes, for instruction in the Polka, Polka Quadrilles, &c.

Hours of tuition—Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings of each week, from 7½ to 9 P M.

Her subscription list is now open for subscribers at her rooms on Fourth st, near Wood.
feb9 2wd.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County.

IN the matter of the voluntary assignment of Samuel Fahnestock: No. 169, October, 1839.

And now, Jan. 28, 1846, William Simpson, assignee, having filed his supplementary and final account, the same is confirmed nisi, and it is ordered by the Court, that unless exceptions to the same are filed on or before the first Monday of March next, the same be confirmed absolutely, and that upon such confirmation the said assignee have leave to deposite the balance of money in his hands in Court, and be further discharged from the execution of his trust, and the Court order that notice of the filing of said account with the above order be published in the "Daily Commercial Journal" and "Daily Morning Post," weekly for four successive weeks, the first publication to be made three days before the time appointed for the confirmation of the above account.

From the Record.
GEORGE. R. RIDDLE.
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Mechanics Wanted.

A NUMBER of good workmen, who are well acquainted with Filing, Finishing and Fire Engine work, and Riveting, will find constant employment, and the best wages, by immediate application at the Kensington Iron ship Yard Pittsburgh.
feb11-1w. J. TOMLINSON.

NOTICE.—In pursuance of a resolution adopted by Councils on the 4th inst., notice is hereby given to all persons holding Warrants drawn [illegible] Mayor, *prior* to the 10th April, 1845, to present the same to the Treasurer, *immediately,* for li[illegible]
S. R. JOHNSON,
feb11 1w. City Tr[illegible]
Treasurer's office, No. 36, Third st.

L. O. REYNOLDS. J. [illegible]

REYNOLDS & SHEE,
FORWARDING AND COMMISSION
MERCHANTS,
For the Allegheny River Trade.
DEALERS IN
GROCERIES, PRODUCE,
PITTSBURGH MANUFACTURES,
Chloride of Lime and Paper.

The highest price in cash paid at all times for country rags, baling rope, and cotton waste. [illegible] Penn and Irwin sts, Pittsburgh, Pa.
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NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the County of Allegheny as Collectors of Taxes, or otherwise, are requested to settle their accounts on or before the [illegible] of April next, after which time suits will be [illegible] ately entered against delinquents.
JAMES CUNNINGHAM,
WILLIAM MAGILL,
JOHN McDOWELL,
Commissioners.
Commissioners' Office, January 23, 1846. } jan27 [illegible]

THE subscriber is renting out several [illegible] in his establishment with steam power [illegible] rates to good tenants. H H [illegible]
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