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FRIDAY MORNING:::::::::::::::DECEMBER 7.

To Newspaper Publishers.

The type on which the Daily and Weekly *Morning Post* was printed previous to getting our new dress is offered for sale. It is Nonpareil and Brevier, and in good condition, as any one can see by looking at a copy of the paper of last week. It will be sold cheap for cash.

Meeting of the County Committee of Correspondence.

Pursuant to notice given, the Democratic County Committee of Correspondence met at the St. Charles Hotel, on Saturday, December 1st, 1855, at 11 o'clock, A. M. After some discussion, the following resolution, offered by R. Biddle Roberts, Esq., was adopted:

Resolved, That the Democrats of the several Wards, Boroughs and Townships be requested to assemble at their several places of meeting, on Saturday, December 15th, 1855, and elect Delegates to meet in County Convention on the Wednesday following, (the 19th inst.,) at the Court House, in the City of Pittsburgh, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of selecting Delegates to attend the Democratic State Convention, to be held at Harrisburg, on the 4th of March next.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Committee be tendered to Messrs. Bryson & Shirls, the gentlemanly proprietors of the St. Charles Hotel, for their kindness and liberality in furnishing us with so comfortable and convenient place for our meeting. SAML. W. BLACK, Chairman.

N. B.—The times of meeting, as heretofore appointed—the Townships from 3 to 5 o'clock, P. M., and the Wards of the two Cities and the Boroughs from 5 to 7 o'clock, P. M.

To Merchants and Others.

We are prepared to print on a letter sheet copies of prices-current of the Pittsburgh market. The merchant ordering them can have his card inserted at the head of the list of prices.

THE NEWS.

Clubs are forming in New York for the support of Senator Hunter, of Virginia, for President, and Augustus Schell, of New York, (Hard Shell,) for Vice President.

The Kanawha Republican of the 4th inst. says the bank continues its regular business, and redeems its notes in specie whenever presented at the counter.

A fire occurred in Norfolk, on Monday evening, which consumed twenty-one buildings, including the City Hotel. The hotel was insured for $10,000—the others were not insured.

Rev. Henry C. Dean, a Methodist Clergyman, of Iowa, has been elected Chaplain to the Senate. He is said to be Anti-Nebraska and Anti-Know-Nothing. Henry Ward Beecher, Theodore Parker and Archbishop Hughes, each received one vote.

A large building in Honesdale, Pa., known as Cornell's Hall, and occupied by John Grady, Judah Levy and C. W. Stockbower, and owned by Thomas Cornell and Co., was entirely destroyed by fire on Tuesday, with the adjoining storehouse, containing a large quantity of hides. The loss is over $30,000, on which there is only a partial insurance.

Mr. Appleton, of Maine, late United States Secretary of Legation at London, has resigned. With the letters of recall sent by Government to Mr. Buchanan, at that gentleman's request, there was sent, we hear, an appointment for Mr. Appleton as United States Charge d'Affairs, *ad interim*, which that gentleman declined, preferring to return to the United States, where his private business demands his presence.

Early on Monday morning, the store of C. H. Gartrell, in Fifth street, Cincinnati, was entered and robbed of between two and three thousand dollars worth of silks, satins, embroideries, shawls, handkerchiefs, &c. The thieves effected an entrance by opening the back door with an outsider, and breaking a thin board which was used as a brace under the lock. Mr. Gartrell and one of his clerks were sleeping in the store, but were not aware that the robbery had been perpetrated until the usual time in the morning for opening the store had arrived.

OHIO RIVER IMPROVEMENT.

It is encouraging to witness the lively interest which is almost every where manifested in the improvement of the Ohio river. To make it navigable the year round is the general desire expressed by the press. It *can be done*, and some day will be done: then why delay the undertaking, and lose its benefits longer?

It is stated that the steamboat tonnage on our western rivers amounts to 877,355 tons; and that the capital invested in it is $35,587,547. And this tonnage bears annually toward the markets from two to three hundred million dollars worth of produce and merchandise. The navigation of the western rivers has now become one of the great interests of the country. Those rivers double the value of every acre of land in the west and southwest. Opulent cities spring up upon their banks, and their shores are a continuous scene of commercial life and activity. Those rivers afford twenty-four thousand miles of steamboat navigation; and by a comparison of the business done on them it will be found that the Ohio is, for commercial purposes, the most valuable of them all. Yet generally there are only a few moths in each year in which it is navigable by steamers of good size and class. This year has been an exception. A good stage of water has continued nearly all the time for eight or nine months, and the consequence has been a vast increase of business by this route, showing that it would always be the preferred and best route if a good stage of water could be relied upon. It is to secure this that the improvement is proposed.

It is estimated that seven million dollars would build locks and dams and side dams sufficient to keep four and a half feet of water in the channel the year round. That sum, or even nine millions, is a trifle compared with the sums invested in railroads. Nearly seven *hundred* millions have been employed in the construction of our railroads; yet there is no railroad in the country of one-fourth the value to commerce as would be the Ohio river when improved as is proposed.

The great question is, where shall the money come from to accomplish this undertaking? And another question asked is, will it not subject the commerce of the river to ruinous tolls? Both questions can be answered. Congress can be induced to grant, in money or public lands, a million and a half of dollars. The money is lying idle in the treasury; the lands are as liberally given to other improvements less important and less national. Let the great West speak out with a unanimous and decided voice for it, and the East and the South will respond in its favor, for all parts of the country are interested. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company contributes largely towards the construction of some of the Western railroads, yet no Western road would be half as valuable a feeder of our road as the Ohio river. A million dollars could not be better invested by that Company than in this river improvement. For several months past that road has earned about a hundred thousand dollars a month more than in former years, and the fact is unquestionably mainly attributable to the continued high stage of water in the Ohio river. The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company has an equal interest in the project; and should equally contribute. Then, there are six States whose shores are washed by the Ohio, and whose Legislatures would speedily follow the example of Congress in promoting so great an enterprise. Such contributions could be obtained from public sources as would insure the early completion of the work, and make the tolls low when in use. This improvement of the Ohio is practicable and every way desirable; and it would prove one of the most valuable and profitable undertakings of the age.

We had the pleasure of a call from Mr. Fisk, of the Lafayette (Ind.,) *Courier*, yesterday. He publishes an excellent daily and weekly paper there, and it would be as good an advertising medium for our merchants and manufacturers as any paper in Indiana.

Merchants publish certificates that speak highly of their goods in order to increase their sales. We see not why newspaper proprietors may not do the same for the same purpose. We, therefore, present below a few of the many complimentary notices of the *Post* that we have lately found in our exchange papers. We are grateful for their good opinion, and hope we shall continue to deserve it:

[From the Washington Commonwealth, (Whig.)]

The Pittsburgh *Daily Post* presented itself in a new dress last Monday morning, and now makes the neatest appearance of any of the dailies of that city. The *Post* is one of our most readable exchanges—one we could not do without—and we are glad to see this evidence of its prosperity.

[From the Lisbon Patriot.]

Pittsburgh Daily Post.

This sterling Democratic journal made its appearance on Monday in a neat and beautiful dress. The *Post* is the best paper in the "smoky city," and is equal in all respects to the best in the Keystone State. We heartily recommend it to such of our friends as desire a Pittsburgh paper.

[From the Washington Examiner.]

The Pittsburgh Post.

This old and sterling Democratic paper appeared on Monday last in an entirely new dress. Its appearance is very considerably improved. The *Post* is one of the ablest Democratic papers in the country. We wish its conductors all imaginable prosperity and success, pecuniary and political.

[From the Mountain Echo.]

The Pittsburgh Post.

We neglected to notice in our last the assumption of a new dress by that admirable paper, the *Pittsburgh Post*. It is now one of the handsomest, as it has ever been one of the best, daily papers in the Union. It deserves and should receive a liberal patronage.

[From the Commercial Journal.]

The Post.

Our neighbors of the *Post* have given that paper an entire new dress and new type throughout. It looked as neat as a pin yesterday morning. While we feel bound to oppose that paper on political grounds, we most cordially congratulate it on this new token of its prosperity, and wish for it all success in the ways of honest merit and just desert.

[From the Pittsburgh Dispatch.]

The *Post* appeared on Monday in beautiful new type. It looks like a healthy, well supported journal, and we are pleased to see its continued success.

[From the Crawford Democrat.]

The Pittsburgh *Post* put on an entire new dress last week, and it is now one of the neatest and brightest looking papers on our exchange list. The *Post* is a live paper, in which we always find something new and interesting.

[From the Mercer Independent (American.)]

The Pittsburgh *Post* made its appearance this week in a new dress from head to foot. It is now the handsomest sheet on our exchange list, and contains a larger amount of reading matter than any of the other Pittsburgh dailies.

[From the Sandusky, O., Commercial Register (Whig.)]

The Pittsburgh *Post* comes to us in a new garb, and now presents a very neat and tasteful appearance. The *Post*, although Democratic, is one of the best papers of the Keystone State, and deserves its success. Edited by Messrs. Gillmore and Montgomery it has attained to a character quite above that sought for by "Democratic" journals, and is a credit to its party and State. We wish it all success.

[From the Lawrence Journal.]

Pittsburgh Post.

This excellent leading Democratic paper, always a favorite with the party, has donned an entire new dress, and looks as neat as a bride in her teens. We are pleased to see it prosper, and may our friends Gillmore & Montgomery never lack patronage for the old Post.

We have a few more of the same sort left, but our modesty forbids saying any thing more about ourselves to-day—even by repeating what others say.

The Sugar Crop of Louisiana.—The Baton Rouge (La.) *Comet*, 26th ult., says, that "early frost in October, and the almost uninterrupted summer weather since, will cut the sugar crop of this State off at least one-half, if not more." The Thibodeaux (La.) *Minerva*, 24th ult., says: "We are delighted to hail the advent of cool, bracing weather, which can not but materially improve the sugar crop." The Lafourche, Ouachita, and other rivers of that State, are rapidly rising, and there is a fair prospect of good navigation.

Pittsburgh and Cincinnati.—The imports of Flour and Wheat into these two cities since the first of September to December first—three months—have been as follows:

	Flour, bbls.	Wheat, bus.
Pittsburgh	243,197	625,218
Cincinnati	231,978	664,665

In the export of Flour, Pittsburgh exceeds Cincinnati 20,528 bbls.—the former exporting 278,190, and the latter 257,662 bbls.

Large Export of Plows.—The steamer *South America*, which left this port on Wednesday for New Orleans, had as a portion of her cargo 1597 plows, shipped by Messrs. Hall & Speer. This is but one of many evidences we might furnish of the importance of Pittsburgh as a manufacturing point. They were for the most part intended for a Texas market.

[From the Cincinnati Commercial, of Thursday.]

Sad Accident—Explosion of the Steam Fire Engine Joe Ross.

Yesterday afternoon the Steam Fire Engine "Joe Ross" was placed at the crossing of Vine and Sixth streets, to make a trial, for the especial benefit of the city officials of Chicago, who are visiting our city for the purpose of witnessing the operations of these fire annihilators. About 4 o'clock, the time when her greatest power was being tested, the receiving chest exploded, instantly killing the engineer, John Winterbottom, and wounding some other gentlemen. A. B. Latta, inventor of the Steam Fire Engine, was badly scalded in the face and on the arms. Jeremiah Brant, carpenter at the People's Theatre, was scalded. Horace English, of the Fire Company, was severely bruised. One or two others were slightly injured. Mr. Winterbottom leaves a wife and one child thirteen months old.

The force of the explosion was so great that it threw Mr. W. some distance into the air, dismembering his legs, and otherwise injuring his body, which fell some distance from the engine. Several panes of glass, in Dr. Chapman's drug store, were also broken by the shock. From the testimony of the witnesses before Coroner Menzies, we learned these facts: that the steam was raised to 50 pounds to the square inch in 7 minutes, while it took the engine "Latta" 12 minutes to gain the same standard point; the usual working point is 60 pounds; in a few minutes the steam was up to 80 or 90 pounds; whilst the engine was working rapidly, the hose pipe burst—some person called to the engineer to stop the engine, which he did, though not instantly; almost as soon as it stopped working, the explosion occurred; the engineer was warned but a few minutes previous that the steam was getting too high, and cautioned Mr. Latta about the amount of water in the "fire-chest;" the steam was at 180 pounds—the highest point in trials heretofore only about 145; that the engineer was inclined to have his own way.

Carlyle.—Friend Ayer. In this age of quacks, charlatans and mere windy, gaseous pretenders to heal, who blow at every corner, and in the face and ears of all men, their loud, blaring Jericho trumpets and other noisy boisterous wind instruments of marvellously twisted brass, in such a woefully sham-ridden epoch as this, I say, it is comforting, nay even cheering to the earnest well wisher of his race to know there has arrived in this world a genuine Physician—to light once more upon something besides mere Sangrados and Don Mercurial Jalaps, with their phlebotomies, poisons and warm water.

Your Cathartic Pills and Cherry Pectoral, carry us forward to Halcyon days—to millenial Parmacopoeas, when Science, deep diving down into the principles of things, shall, with infinite cunning bring out the genuine Elixer Vitae: for of a truth there is manifestly enough somewhat of that same Life Essence in your subtle vegetable distillations and compounds.

You realize to us the visions of those painful-lest, smoke-dried Alchymists—bootless seekers—dreamers among retorts and crucibles, touching the Quintessential hidden Virtue of the Universe, which should antidote distemper, and break for man the Wheel of Time.

Fever and Ague!—John Ward says: "I recommend your BITTERS as a remedy for Fever and Ague. I was not only cured by it myself, but three of my friends living on Wylie street were also cured. One of them, who runs on the river, had the Chills for three months, and says the HOLLAND BITTERS was the only thing that did him any good."

CAUTION!—Be careful to ask for Boerhave's *Holland Bitters*. The great popularity of this medicine has induced many imitations, which the public should guard against purchasing.

Sold at $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5, by the proprietors, BENJAMIN PAGE, Jr. & CO., Manufacturing Pharmaceutists and Chemists, Pittsburgh, Pa.; R. E. SELLERS & CO., corner of Second and Wood streets; and Druggists generally. dec6

Hats! Hats!—We have received our Fall style of SILK HATS, which will be found, on inspection, a neat and good article. A good Hat for $3, and an extra one for $4. Call and see. MORGAN & CO., 164 Wood st., Next house to the new Presbyterian Church. sep5 One door from Sixth street.

THE LATEST NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

THIRTY-FOURTH CONGRESS. FIRST SESSION.

Washington City, December 6.—*Senate.*—Mr. Hale's resolution calling on the President for a copy from yesterday's report, was taken up.

Mr. Hunter remarked that it was unusual to make such calls before receiving the annual message, which might contain the information desired.

Mr. Hale consented that the resolution should be laid over, and moved that when the Senate adjourn it adjourn until Monday.

Mr. Hunter hoped not, as the House may organize to-day.

Mr. Clayton remarked that such an adjournment would delay the reception of the President's message, which the country is anxious to see.

Several Senators urged Mr. Hale to withdraw his motion.

Mr. Hale—In view of the fact stated by the Senator from Delaware, on which I was entirely ignorant, that the country is waiting with great anxiety for the message, I withdraw the motion. (Laughter.) The Senate then adjourned.

House.—Mr. Whitney withdrew the name of Humphrey Marshall as a candidate for Speaker. On the sixteenth trial, Richardson 72; Campbell 79; Pennington 9; Fuller 20; Wheeler 10; Banks 6; Smith, of Alabama, 14; Valk 3; Thurston 2; Puryear, Mace, Nichols, Andrew Oliver, Edmundson, Carline, one each.

[SECOND DESPATCH.]

The House on the seventeenth ballot voted as follows: Campbell 79; Richardson 73; Pennington 10; Fuller 21; Wheeler 11; Banks 14; Smith, of Alabama, 10; Thurston 2; Whitney, Puryear, Mace, Nichols, Oliver, Zollicoffer, Walker and Lake each one. There being no election the House proceeded to another ballot.

Eighteenth Ballot—Campbell 62; Richardson 72; Pennington 11; Fuller 21; Wheeler 10; Banks 18; Smith 11; Thurston 2; Puryear, Mace, Nichols, Oliver, Carlisle, Zollicoffer, Walker, Etteridge, Marshall and Florence one each.

Nineteenth Ballot—Campbell 57; Richardson 71; Pennington 14; Fuller 23; Wheeler 11; Banks 18; Smith, Thurston, Puryear, Mace, Nichols, Oliver, Carlisle, Walker, Marshall, Houston and Davis, of Maryland, each one.

Twentieth Ballot—Richardson 71; Campbell 48; Pennington 19; Fuller 22; Wheeler 12; Banks 23; Smith 8; Thurston 3; Coxe 2; Mace, Nichols, Oliver, Walker, Lake, Howard, Davis, of Maryland, and Clingman one each.

Twenty-first Ballot—Richardson 71; Campbell 46; Banks 21; Pennington 20; Fuller 21; Wheeler 13; Smith 7; Thurston 3; Nicholson 2; Oliver, Mace, Walker, Howard, Davis, Dunn and Aiken one each: 211 votes necessary to a choice; 106 last vote.

LATE FROM EUROPE.

ARRIVAL OF THE STEAMER ST. LOUIS.

New York, December 6.—The steamship St. Louis, from Havre and Southampton has arrived. She brings London dates to the 21st ult. The Africa arrived out on the 18th. The papers furnish interesting items not contained in the Halifax despatch by the America:

Three magazines belonging to the French artillery were blown up near Inkerman, killing 70 soldiers and 10 officers. The magazines contained 30,000 killogrammes of powder, 600,000 cartridges, and 300 charged shells, all of which were destroyed.

A terribly destructive fire occurred in Paris by which the public bakery was consumed. It contained 28,000 quintals of Corn, and an equal quantity of Flour and Biscuits, which were burned.

The ship America, which was wrecked near Calrito and which was sold by the Underwriters, has been got off by the purchasers.

A large amount of Russian grain on the coast near Gheerhennan had been destroyed by an allied flotilla sent for that purpose. The grain was intended for the army in the Crimea, and was packed in six liers, which extended along the coast for two miles.

The Czar has dismissed Prince Menschakoff as chief of his staff, and appointed Gen. Oldenburg in his stead.

Advices from Kars state that Gen. Monravieff, overcome by his defeat before Kars, had become insane, and that Gen. Bubusoff had been summoned to assume the command.

From Washington City.

Washington City, December 6.—It has just been ascertained, beyond the possibility of cavil, that a despatch has been received from Mr Buchanan relative to Mr. Crampton's difficulty, the tenor of which is that the British government, in a courteous but positive manner, decline giving such explanations as were demanded by our government, regarding the alleged violation of our neutrality laws by British agents. This aspect of affairs imposes on the American government very delicate obligations, and it will require all its wisdom to extricate itself from the present dilemma.

The governments of San Salvador, Honduras and Costa Rica have strongly protested to this government against the recognition by Mr. Wheeler, the United States Minister, of the present Nicaraguan government. He has probably thus acted, however, with the concurrence of our government, and in accordance with our uniform policy, whatever may be the objections on the part of the Central American States.

The government of San Salvador predicts that the present order of things in Nicaragua will not long continue for reasons stated, and declare themselves resolved to exterminate all foreign adventurers who may invade their soil for revolutionary purposes.

The members of the House are interchanging views to-night, and endeavoring to arrange matters that an organization may be effected without further delay, but their figuring cannot promise them a favorable prospect. The Democrats are resolved to stand firmly upon their platform, recently adopted in caucus, in the hope of eventually succeeding, seeing that the majority of the House in opposition to them cannot unite, but some of the latter are comforting themselves with the assurance that after several of their number have been complimented with a heavy vote, an election of Speaker will easily follow.

Things in Washington.

New York, December 6.—The *Herald's* correspondent telegraphed that all the administration knows of the Kansas affair, is, that Gov. Shannon has telegraphed the President for authority to protect the Sheriff of Douglass county in the execution of a process. The President replied that on the occasion of a rising, he would execute all the authority he possessed. As the Sheriff is not a U. S. officer, and could not seize under an act of Congress, the law, the execution of which has been opposed, must have been an act of the territorial legislature, and the President in such case has no authority except that which the acts of Congress confer to employ the militia of one or more States and the land and naval force of the United States to suppress insurrection in any State or Territory.

Mr. Greeley, of the *Tribune*, telegraphed last evening as follows: "Humphrey Marshall prevented his supporters from going to Mr. Fuller yesterday. He and his friends would probably support Richardson, if that would secure his election. Mr. Banks, with all the friends he could carry, voted to-day for Campbell, and part of Pennington's friends followed suit. I do not think it possible to carry Campbell's vote over 100 in any contingency. I understand the next rally of the anti-Nebraska members will be made upon N. P. Banks."

Another Tribune correspondent telegraphs that Mr. Fuller, in reply to the questioning of certain members, declares himself unequivocally in favor of admitting Kansas into the Union, with or without slavery, provided she has sufficient population, and possesses other constitutional requirements. This declaration produced considerable excitement, particularly among the Republican members.

The Pennsylvania delegates had a conference this evening, and resolved to cling to Mr. Fuller. The Southern Know Nothings are holding a caucus this evening, the result of which has not transpired.

Texas Affairs.

New Orleans, December 6.—By the arrival of the steamship Perseverance to-day, we have dates from Galveston to the 1st inst. A bill was before the Legislature proposing to loan to the railroad companies $5000 for each mile of railroad built after 50 miles shall have been finished, the State to retain a mortgage on the road. It is believed the bill will pass. Several of the papers are urging the Legislature to instruct Gen. Houston to resign his seat in the Senate on account of his anti-Southern sentiments.

From Baltimore.

Baltimore, December 6.—Four men who were employed in painting St. Alphonsus Church to-day, were precipitated to the ground in consequence of the breaking of the platform, and all were seriously and perhaps fatally injured.

Chief Justice Taney has disposed of his residence in this city, and intends residing permanently in Washington.

The Great California Plant.—*Canchalagua*, the great medicinal herb of California, is a new and invaluable addition to our Pharmacopœia. A. Robinson, Esq., author of "Life in California," Hon. J. C. Jones, long a resident there, and other eminent travelers, testify to the wonderful success with which it is used by the natives as a cure for Pulmonary and Bilious Complaints. By combining it with *Liverwort* and *Tar*, the best remedies for Coughs, Colds and Catarrhal affections known, prior to the addition of this Plant to our Herbarium, a medicine has been produced, which, if we are to believe the testimony of scores of convalescent patients, will *cure Consumption itself*, in its earlier stages. We refer to DR. ROGERS' SYRUP OF LIVERWORT, TAR AND CANCHALAGUA. The public are not asked to take its virtues *upon trust*. The pamphlet in the hands of Agents explains the philosophy of its operations, and gives the proofs of its success.

For sale, wholesale and retail, by R. E. SELLERS & CO., corner Wood and Second streets.

Sold also by HENDERSON & BRO., Liberty street; H. P. SCHWARTZ, and BECKHAM & McKENNAN, Allegheny City. nov30:dawlw

Batchelor's Hair Dye.—Why has no one succeeded in making a reliable Hair Dye, except Batchelor? Because they would avoid the cares, the thought, the time, patience and labor necessary. Others, by short cuts, would buy a reputation they cannot win; and by certificates of feed chemists, and newspaper bravado, fight their way to notoriety. But "industry has its reward." Witness the invincible reputation of BATCHELOR'S Hair Dye; made and sold, or applied, (in nine private rooms,) 233 Broadway, New York.

Sold, wholesale and retail, by Dr. Geo. H. Keyser, 140 Wood street. dec4:daw

M'Lane's Celebrated Liver Pills are ranked among the most popular remedies of the day. That it will cure liver complaint, sick headache, and dyspepsia, is now beyond a doubt. Read the following testimony from a well known lady and gentleman of our own city:

New York, August 3, 1852.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams, No. 248 Seventh street, testify that they have both been suffering with the liver complaint for about five years, during which time they have spent a large amount of money, and tried many remedies, but to no purpose. Finally, hearing of Dr. M'Lane's Pills, they purchased four boxes, which they took according to the directions accompanying each box; and now pronounce themselves perfectly cured of that distressing disease.

P. S. The above valuable remedy, also Dr. M'Lane's celebrated Vermifuge, can now be had at all respectable Drug Stores in this city.

Purchasers will please be careful to ask for, and take none but *Dr. M'Lane's Liver Pills*. There are other Pills, purporting to be Liver Pills, now before the public.

Also, for sale by the sole proprietors, FLEMING BROS., Successors to J. Kidd & Co., dec1:daw] No. 60 Wood street, corner of Fourth.

Sands' Sarsaparilla.—Investigation and experiment have demonstrated that upon the condition of the blood depends the health of the body. Consequently, when disease in the shape of Scrofula, Erysipelas, Ulcers, Cutaneous Eruptions, Liver Complaint, &c., appear, it is at once evident that the secretive functions have become inert, and impurities have been engendered in the blood which are working their way to the surface. SANDS' SARSAPARILLA is expressly prepared to remedy such cases, and should be at once resorted to. It will gently stimulate the functions of the stomach and bowels to regular and healthy action, and without nausea or purging expel therefrom all deleterious accumulations, purify the blood, equalize the circulation, promote perspiration, improve the appetite, impart tone and vigor to the system, and gradually but surely extirpate the disease, causing all unsightly excrescences to disappear, and leaving the skin perfectly smooth and flexible.

Prepared and sold by A. B. & D. SANDS, Druggists, 100 Fulton street, New York.

Sold also by FLEMING BROS., Pittsburgh, Pa., and by Druggists generally. nov27:1m

From the N. York National Monitor of February 24.—Hygean Vapor.—Dr. Curtis has done more to ameliorate the condition of humanity afflicted with lung complaints, than any other practitioner of medicines that has struggled with the secrets of the *materia medica*, for the last century, by the invention and perfection of an instrument that will convey to the lungs a medicine in the shape of a highly Medicated Vapor, which acts directly on the disease, and, not, as hitherto, by sympathy. Those who are troubled with diseases arising from disordered lungs, will subserve their interests by giving the Hygean Vapor a trial.

Caution.—Dr. Curtis' Hygeana is the original and only genuine article. nov26:3wdaw

Call at No. 164 Wood street, and examine our stock of Soft Hats and Winter Caps. Just received, a large lot of Shanghai, Celestial, and other styles of Caps, which we will sell low for cash. Morgan & Co., 164 Wood street. oct13

Balm of a Thousand Flowers, for beautifying the Complexion, and eradicating all Tan, Pimples and Freckles from the face. Sold at Dr. Keyser's, 140 Wood street. jan30

Spectacles and Surgical Operations Useless—The Blind May See.—It is gratifying for us to be able to announce to the public that the utility of BALL'S PATENT EYE CUPS is now no experiment.—their wonderful effects are coming daily to the knowledge of the proprietors. Strange as it may seem, it is true, that Spectacles may be dispensed with entirely and sight restored to its original power. These Cups are simple, yet philosophical. They are used without pain or the least danger of injury. Below will be found several certificates which speak highly in their favor:

[From the New York Evangelist.]

A very simple yet philosophical instrument, has been invented by J. Ball & Co., of this city, by the application of which the cornea of the eye is gradually raised to its original convexity, causing the focus to impinge on the retina without the aid of convex lenses. Thus by an easy process persons who have used glasses for years are enabled to dispense with them.

The editor of the Pennsylvania Democrat writes as follows, respecting the cure of Mrs. Gurstead, of Uniontown, Pennsylvania:

Uniontown, Pa., August 1, 1854.

Being well acquainted with Mrs. Gurstead, I know that before she used "Ball's Patent Eye Cups," it was impossible for her to read without the use of spectacles, and that her sight has been restored by the use of the Cups, so that she now reads print with her naked eye without difficulty.

John F Beazell, Ed. Penna Democrat.

Belchertown, June 1, 1854

Dear Sir—Having lost my sight by old age, I was induced to purchase your wonderful instruments, and by using the same according to your directions, I succeeded in restoring my sight so that I can read by night or day without spectacles. I have not used my spectacles for the last three or four months, which shows that the restoration is not a temporary one, but a valuable and permanent cure.

Melville Snell, Of the firm of Snell & Brothers, Fiskdale, Mass.

By remitting five dollars, a pair will be sent, post paid, with full directions, to any part of the country. Address DR. GEO. H. KEYSER, corner of Wood street and Virgin alley, Pittsburgh, Pa. [sep19:daw

Important to Farmers—New Discoveries.—VEGETABLE CATTLE POWDER.—These Powders are put up in one pound packs, and are really a good article, not only for the diseases incident to *horses, cows, swine*, and other animals, but they are likewise an excellent article to improve the condition of the animal.

For Milch Cows, they not only improve the condition of milch cows, but they increase the quantity as well as improve the quality of milk and butter. The proprietors say that it increases the quantity of butter from half a pound to a pound a week to each cow, while those persons who have tried it say a pound and a half to two pounds per week, with the same kind of feed as before. Of one thing we are certain, all who use it once will use it all the time, and save money by the operation as well as improve the appearance of their stock. Price 25 cents a paper; 5 papers for $1

GEO. H. KEYSER, Corner of Wood street and Virgin alley, oct12 Wholesale and Retail Agent.

Cough Remedies.—Dr. Keyser's PECTORAL SYRUP will cure you.

Dr. Keyser's Pectoral Syrup will cure Bronchitis.
Dr. Keyser's Pectoral Syrup will cure Laryngitis.
Dr. Keyser's Pectoral Syrup will cure Influenza.
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Suspension Bandages.

All these articles may be had or applied at DR. KEYSER'S Wholesale and Retail TRUSS DEPOT, No. 140 Wood street, sign of the Golden Mortar; or will be sent to any part of the country by sending the money and measure. [ap25:daw

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Passengers brought from the old country to Pittsburgh, and moneys remitted to Europe. [nov27

TO BRIDGE BUILDERS.—Proposals will be received by the Board of Directors of the Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad Company, addressed to the undersigned, until noon on THURSDAY, December 27th, 1855, for furnishing the materials and erecting the superstructure of a double-track Railroad Bridge, with wide side-walks for foot passengers, across the Allegheny river, at Pittsburgh. The bids are to be at a fixed price per lineal foot, for the length of the superstructure, to include all materials and workmanship, to complete the Bridge ready for use, with a double track; the Company furnishing the railroad iron for the tracks, and the contractor all other materials.

The Bridge will have seven spans, and its whole length will be about twelve hundred feet. The masonry, which is of the most permanent character, is in a forward state, the piers being fifty feet long and ten feet thick on the top; and the eastern abutment and some of the piers being now up to the coping. The superstructure will be required to be completed by the first of September, 1856. Bids will be received for a "Burr Bridge," with heavy arches, counterbraced with iron rods; and also for a "Howe Bridge," or any other well tried plan, provided the bidder will secure the Company against all claims for patent rights. Plans and specifications will be ready for inspection at the Company's office, in the city of Pittsburgh, on and after the 17th inst.; and further information may be obtained from S. W. ROBERTS, Chief Engineer. The Board of Directors reserve the right to contract for the work in such a way as they may deem best for the interests of the Company.

W. ROBINSON, Jr., President.

Pittsburgh, December 1, 1855—[dec4:td]

DR. H. J. BORRETTE, 13 Fourth street, Pittsburgh, offers his valuable FRENCH REMEDY, which is unfailing in the cure of all those painful and dangerous disorders to which the Female Constitution is subject. It moderates all excess, and removes all obstructions—invigorates the debilitated and delicate, by regulating and strengthening the system, and fortifies the constitution for the duties of life.

TO MARRIED LADIES

It is peculiarly suited, as it will in a short time remove all obstructions.

We are not of the number who believe and act in accordance with the belief that long and elaborate detail gives weight and dignity to objects of either momentous or trivial import; we incline to the contrary opinion, and hold that simplicity and truth invest such as are worthy of any attention, in decidedly the most rich and comely colors. In the present instance, our great desire is to be understood by those who may look to us for information, all else being considered of minor importance.

See circulars.

Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M. [nov9:3m*

NOTICE.—I have this day sold out my interest in the firm of HOSTETTER, SMITH & CO., to my late partner, JACOB HOSTETTER.

Pittsburgh, Nov. 29, 1855—[nov30] D. HOSTETTER.

L. HIRSHFIELD & SON, Dealers in Gents' FURNISHING GOODS, and SHIRT MANUFACTURERS, No. 70 Wood street, between Fourth street and Diamond alley, Pittsburgh, Pa. nov30

Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad.

THE ONLY RAILROAD

RUNNING WEST FROM PITTSBURGH.

The Fast Train leaves at 2:30 A. M., through to Cincinnati in 13 hours and 40 minutes. Fare, $7.

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These Trains all make close connections at Crestline, so that passengers avoid detention. The direct route to St. Louis is now open, via Crestline and Indianapolis, 100 miles shorter than via Cleveland. First class fare from Pittsburgh to St. Louis, $18.50. Second class, $12.00. Connections are made at Alliance with the Road to Cleveland, and at Mansfield with the Road to Newark, Monroeville and Sandusky City. No Trains run on Sunday.

Three Roads connect at Crestline. For particulars, see handbills.

Through Tickets are sold to Cincinnati, Louisville, St. Louis, Indianapolis, Chicago, Rock Island, Fort Wayne, Cleveland, and the principal towns and cities in the West.

The NEW BRIGHTON ACCOMMODATION TRAIN leaves Pittsburgh at 10 A. M. and 4:45 P. M., and New Brighton at 7:30 A. M. and 1 P. M.

For Tickets and further information, apply to J. G. CURRY,

At the corner office, under the Monongahela House, Or at the Federal street Station, to GEORGE PARKIN,

Pittsburgh, November 22, 1855. Ticket Agent.

OHIO AND INDIANA RAILROAD,

BEING THE

Continuation of the Ohio & Penna. R. R.

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THREE HUNDRED AND EIGHTEEN MILES FROM PITTSBURGH.

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For Tickets, apply at the Railroad Office of the Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad Company in Pittsburgh, Allegheny City, or at any of the following points:

Fort Wayne, Bellefontaine, Cincinnati, Urbana, Dayton, Springfield, Indianapolis, Richmond, Tiffin, Findlay.

Persons desiring Tickets will be particular to ask for a Ticket by the Ohio and Indiana Railroad.

Jo6 S. B. STRAUGHAN, Sup't.

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FIRE RISKS.

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CHARTER PERPETUAL—GRANTED BY THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA.

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This Company has been organized with a Cash Capital, and the Directors have determined to adapt the business to its available resources. To observe prudence in conducting its affairs, with a prompt adjustment of losses.

PITTSBURGH OFFICE, No. 58 Water street. J. NEWTON JONES, Agent.

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The following well known and responsible firms in Pittsburgh have authorized reference to them with regard to the stability and soundness of the Manufacturers' Insurance Company.

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CORNER OF WATER AND MARKET STREETS, **PITTSBURGH, PA.**

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This Company makes every insurance appertaining to or connected with LIFE RISKS.

Also, against HULL AND CARGO RISKS on the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers and tributaries, and MARINE RISKS generally.

And against Loss and Damage by Fire, and against the Perils of the Sea and Inland Navigation and Transportation.

Policies issued at the lowest rates consistent with safety to all parties.

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All Losses sustained by parties insured under policies issued by this Company will be liberally adjusted and promptly paid at its OFFICE, No. 99 WATER STREET. [jy11

CITIZENS' INSURANCE COMPANY OF PITTSBURGH.

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OFFICE 94 Water street, between Market and Wood streets.

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FLOUR DELIVERED TO FAMILIES in either of the two Cities.

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TERMS: CASH, ON DELIVERY.

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These Drafts are available at all the principal Towns of ENGLAND, SCOTLAND AND IRELAND, and the CONTINENT.

We also draw Sight Bills on **M. A. Grunebaum & Ballin,** *FRANKFORT A MAIN*, Which serve as a Remittance to all parts of GERMANY, SWITZERLAND and HOLLAND.

Persons intending to travel abroad may procure, through us, Letters of Credit, on which Money can be obtained, as needed, in any part of Europe.

Collections of Bills, Notes, and other securities in Europe, will receive prompt attention.

mh21 WILLIAM H. WILLIAMS & CO., Wood, corner of Third street.

PEKIN TEA STORE, No. 38 Fifth Street.

GREEN AND BLACK TEAS, warranted to give satisfaction.

RETAIL PRICES.

BLACKS.	GREENS.
Oolong—50, 62, 75, and finest quality $1 ℔ lb	Young Hyson—50, 62, 75, and finest quality $1 ℔ lb
English Breakfast—50, 75 and $1 ℔ lb.	Imperial and Gunpowder—50, 62, 75 and $1 ℔ lb.

Green and Black Teas of all grades put up in metallic packages expressly for the trade, and will be sold at the lowest prices.

COFFEE—Prime Java and Rio Coffee, green and roasted. SUGARS—Lovering's Crushed and Pulverized Sugars, and prime N. O. Sugar.

Baker's Broma, Cocoa and Chocolate.

nov9:d2m S. JAYNES.

HAVE YOU TRIED WRIGHT'S PREMIUM KATHARION? If not, try it, and you will never be without it.

Be sure to ask for WRIGHT'S PREMIUM KATHARION, Or you may get a worthless article.

For sale by all Druggists. 25 cents per bottle. Wholesale Western Depot, Dr. KEYSER, R. E. SELLERS & CO., and JOHN HAFT. aug16

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FARMERS AND MECHANICS' INSURANCE COMPANY, OF PHILADELPHIA.

Incorporated by the Legislature of Pennsylvania, 1855. Pittsburgh Branch Office, No. 90 Water street. Authorized capital, $300,000. Paid up capital, and securely invested, $206,000. THOS. B. FLORENCE, Pres't. Edw. R. Helmbold, Secretary.

ASSETS OF THE COMPANY.

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Allegheny County Bonds, (Pittsburgh and Cleveland)	$22,000	$10,830
Allegheny Co. Bonds, (Allegheny Valley,)	22,000	15,840
Pittsburgh City 6's, Coupons	38,000	30,400
Philadelphia 6's	10,000	9,350
Delaware Railroad	30,000	23,400
Reading Railroad	12,500	12,000
Amount Loaned on Mortgage in the City of Philadelphia		51,850
Amount Loaned on Notes, secured by Collateral or Personal Property		25,600
Cash on hand and in Bank		21,389
		$200,000

Amount of Fire or Marine Losses ascertained and not paid .... None.
Amount of Fire or Marine Losses claimed, other than those ascertained and unpaid .... None.

The Company has no unsettled claims at the Parent Office, and will adjust and pay in this city all losses occurring at the Pittsburgh Branch. For insurance apply to

THOMAS J. HUNTER, Agent,
dec7 90 Water street, between Wood and Market.

"Neither with my eye nor with my faith will I trifle."

IMPORTANT TO THOSE AFFLICTED WITH BAD SIGHT.—Persons suffering from Bad Sight, arising from impaired vision, constitutional decay, old age, or other causes, would do well to call upon Dr. G. E. SHAW, PRACTICAL OPTICIAN, where they may rely upon getting Spectacles scientifically adapted to the JUST WANTS OF THE EYE. Address, 26 Fifth street, opposite A. A. Mason's, Pittsburgh.

P. S.—Telescopes, Microscopes, Thermometers, and every article appertaining to the Optician trade, kept and repaired on the premises.

Glasses inserted in old Frames.

Any article not approved of, exchanged free of expense. dec7:ly

NOTICE—The partnership heretofore existing between Jacob Hostetter, D. Hostetter and G. W. Smith, under the firm of HOSTETTER, SMITH & CO., was dissolved on the 29th day of November last, by the entire purchase of the interest of D. Hostetter by Jacob Hostetter.

The business will be conducted as heretofore, under the name of HOSTETTER & SMITH.

JACOB HOSTETTER,
dec7 G. W. SMITH.

PEKIN TEA STORE, NO. 38 FIFTH STREET.

All qualities of Green and Black Teas put up in quarter pound metallic packages, expressly for Retail Grocers, and *warranted to give satisfaction.* [dec7] S. JAYNES.

AT A MEETING of the Trustees of the PITTSBURGH DOLLAR SAVINGS INSTITUTION, held December 3d, 1855, at their Banking House, No. 68 Fourth street, the first semi-annual dividend was declared, at the rate of Six per cent. per annum.

At the same time the following persons were elected a Committee of Investment, or Directors, for the ensuing six months:

Isaac M. Pennock, Alexander Bradley, John H. Shoenberger, N. Graftan Murphy, Henry L. Ringwalt.

dec6:10t CHAS. A. COLTON, Sec'y and Treasurer.

L. G. FOX, Fashionable Boot Maker, No 45 Diamond alley, second door from Wood street, keeps constantly on hand a good assortment of BOOTS, SHOES, CONGRESS GAITERS, TYES, &c., &c.

Makes to order to fit the feet. Keeps none but the best workmen, cuts the best stock, and manufactures all his work. dec6:3t

BOARD OF TRADE.—The regular monthly meeting of the Association will be held at their Rooms, on FRIDAY, the 7th inst., at 2½ P. M. A resolution will be offered to change the hour of the daily meeting. All the members are requested to attend.

dec6 J. P. BARR, Secretary.

SUNDRIES—Gold Pens, Electro-Magnetic Machines, Diamond Sparks, (for glaziers and glass cutters,) Porte Monnaies, Gilchrist's Unequalled American Razors, Military Goods, Regalia, Jewels, Emblems, Seals; Door, Number and Pew Plates; Table Cutlery, Silver Spoons, Forks, &c. Jewelry, Watches and Clocks. Watch Repairing at the old established house of W. W. WILSON,

dec6 corner of Market and Fourth sts.

10 FRAILS FRESH DATES;
200 boxes new Figs;
225 drums do
20 mats Seedless Raisins; Just rec'd and for sale by
dec6 REYMER & ANDERSON, 39 Wood st.

5 CASES PRUNES, in jars;
50 boxes do
25 half boxes do
25 qr. do do Just received and for sale by
dec6 REYMER & ANDERSON.

50 BOXES LEMONS just received and for sale by [dec6] REYMER & ANDERSON.

ALCOHOL—40 bbls for sale by B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.,
dec6 corner First and Wood sts.

CHLORIDE LIME—30 casks for sale by
dec6 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

BLUE MASS—100 lbs for sale by
dec6 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

WOOLLEN SHAWLS—A. A. Mason & Co. have just opened over 1000 new and handsome Woollen Shawls, which, with their previous large assortment, constitute an immense variety of style, suited to every taste. dec6

MERINO PLAIDS—Just opened, 2 cases of fine Merino Plaids, and selling at prices that make them the most desirable Dress Goods in the market.

dec6 A. A. MASON & CO.

AWFUL DISCLOSURES, by Maria Monk, of the Hotel Dieu Nunnery, of Montreal; containing, also, many incidents never before published. New edition. For sale by R. T. C. MORGAN,

dec6 No. 104 Wood st.

YOU can be thoroughly suited with Ambrotypes or Daguerreotypes, at CARGO'S, 76 Fourth st., opposite Wilkins & Co.'s. dec6

TEN YEARS among the Mail Bags, or Notes from the Diary of a Special Agent of the Post Office Department, by J. Holbrook; with illustrations by Darley. Received in advance of all others.

The Widow Bedott Papers;
Crotchets and Quavers, by Max Maretzek;
The Discarded Daughter, by Mrs. Southworth;
Curse of Clifton;
The Deserted Wife;
Klosterheim, by Thomas De Quincey;
Harpers' Story Book (No. 13) for December.

Just received and for sale at W. A. GILDENFENNEY & CO'S,

dec5 Fifth st., opposite the Theatre.

TURNBULL'S EYE BOTTLES—I have just received a large supply of these celebrated Bottles. All of Turnbull's preparations can always be had at my store. JOS. FLEMING,

dec5 corner Market and Diamond.

EXCITEMENT—The people are rushing to the ENTERPRISE, 74 Fourth street, for Pictures at 50 cents, and upwards. dec5

ROLL BUTTER—2 bbls prime for sale by
dec5 HENRY H. COLLINS.

BEANS—50 bushels for sale by
dec5 HENRY H. COLLINS.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested, that letters of Administration upon the estate of CHARLES SILBERHORN, late of Pitt Township, Allegheny county, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said decedent will make payment, and those having claims against the same will present them, duly authenticated, to

JOHN HARRISON, Pitt Township,
GUSTAVE THUMM, 199 Penna. Avenue,
dec4:w6t* Adm'rs of Chas. Silberhorn, dec'd.

COUNTRY PROPERTY FOR SALE—BLAKELY & RICHEY have for sale:

A Farm of 141 acres in Adams township, Butler county.
Also, one of 180 acres near Apollo, Armstrong county.
Also, one of 284 acres in Versailles tp., Allegheny county.
Also, one of 40 acres in Plum tp., do
Also, one of 110 acres in Patton tp., do
Also, one of 68 acres in Robinson tp., do
Also, one of 75 acres in Plum tp., do
Also, one of 118 acres in Plum tp., do
Also, one of 110 acres in Plum tp., do
Also, a beautiful piece of land in Pitt township, containing 16 acres, within four miles of Pittsburgh.
Also, 3½ acres, with suitable buildings for a suburban residence, in Minersville, within fifteen minutes' walk of the city.
Also, a Farm of 130 acres in Versailles township.
Also, one of 156 acres adjoining the above farm.
Also, 100 Building Lots at the end of the new bridge at Sharpsburg, lying between Sharpsburg and Stewartstown.

The above Farms and Lots are very desirable, and worthy the attention of those desiring such property. Please call and get one of our Registers. dec4:daw

CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE—Blakely & Richey have for sale the following desirable city property, viz:

A House and Lot on the North Common, in Allegheny city.
A Lot of Ground on Carson street, in Birmingham, and two Dwelling Houses.
A Lot of Ground on Pennsylvania Avenue, and seven Dwelling Houses.
A well established (licensed) Wholesale Liquor Establishment on Liberty street, Fifth Ward; lot 25 by 160 feet deep, with Warehouse, Dwelling House, &c.
A very fine Cottage building on Robinson street, running back to Ann street; lot 27 by 100 feet.
Four Lots of Ground on Quarry street, 25 by 100 feet.
One Lot of Ground on Liberty street, Fifth Ward.
One Lot and two Dwelling Houses in Lawrenceville.

Call and get one of our Registers, with full descriptions. dec4:daw

OPERA MUSIC—The Opera of La Sonnambula, by V. Bellini, complete, with Italian and English words, and Piano accompaniment. Price, $2.

Also, the following pieces from the above Opera, separately:

As I view these scenes so charming;
Ah! don't mingle;
Sounds so joyful;
Still so gently o'er me stealing;
Oh! love, for me thy power;
Oh! I cannot give expression;
Take now this ring—vocal duett;
Phantom chorus, "When daylight's going."

Also, arrangements for the Piano of the favorite airs of this Opera, by Wallace, Beyer, Herz, &c.

The above for sale at the Music Store of
dec4 JOHN H. MELLOR, 81 Wood st.

ENGLISH Papers by the Atlantic—London Illustrated News, Punch, Times, and Bell's Life.

Professor Hare's Great Work, 1 volume, 460 pages, with illustrations.

The Widow Bedott Papers, illustrated.
Cultivator Almanac for 1856.
Crotchets and Quavers; by Max Maretzek.
Caste—a story of Republican Equality.
A large assortment of new Juveniles received.
Gift Books, Annuals, Prayer Books, Bibles, &c. &c. for the Holidays.

Subscriptions received for any magazine or periodical published in the country, at a liberal discount from publishers' prices.

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dec4 H. MINER & CO., 32 Smithfield st.

SHEETING MUSLINS—One particular brand, the pre-eminent merit of which has been established by long experience, and is now universally acknowledged. The choice cotton from which they are made, their freedom from imperfections, the firmness and smoothness of their thread, and the excellent general excellence of their manufacture, render them unquestionably the most serviceable, durable and economical Sheeting offered to the public. To be had at the House Furnishing and Mourning Store of

BROOKS & COOPER,
dec4 No. 75 Market street.

BLANKETS—2000 pairs of Blankets, comprising every grade of 9-4, 10-4, 11-4, 12-4, 13-4 Delaware, Swiss, Rochdale and imported manufacture, on hand.

nov22 A. A. MASON & CO.

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STATE MUTUAL FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE OF HARRISBURG.
CAPITAL.......................$350,000.

GIRARD FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE OF PHILADELPHIA.
CAPITAL.......................$300,000

INSURANCE COMPANY OF THE VALLEY OF VIRGI[NIA] WINCHESTER, VA.
CAPITAL.......................$300,000

CONNECTICUT MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPA[NY] HARTFORD, CONN.
ml7] CAPITAL AND ASSETS...$3,154,489.

NUNNS & CLARK'S PIANOS.—FR[ESH] STOCK.—H. KLEBER & BRO. have now on the way, and partly received, a complete and choice stock of PIANOS from the Factory of NUNNS & CLARK, N. York. They are provided with all the late and important improvements which distinguish Nunns & Clark's Pianos above all others, viz: the Overstrings, Felt-covered Hammers, Grand Action, etc. Every Piano is *fully warranted*, the privilege to the purchaser of returning the same proves in any way defective.

Testimonial from M. Strakosh, the unrivalled Pianist:

Cincinnati, November 19, 1854.

Messrs. H. Kleber & Bro., Pittsburgh—Gentlemen: Permit me to thank you most sincerely for the magnificent Grand Piano, of Messrs. Nunns & Clark's manufacture, which you have been so kind as to loan me for Mlle. Teresa Parodi's concerts in your city. This superb instrument is one of the very best ever made in America; and for sweetness, power of tone, as well as solidity of construction, it leaves nothing to be desired. I really congratulate its future owner, who shall be so happy as to possess one of the master works of American industry. With hearty wishes for your happiness, etc. Your obedient servant,

MAURICE STRAKOSCH.

Sole agency for Nunns & Clark's unrivalled Pianos at H. KLEBER & BRO'S, No. 53 Fifth street, sign of the Golden Harp. nov

J. H. BYRAM..............................T. MAY PIERCE

BOOK AGENCY.—The subscribers have established a Book Agency in Philadelphia, and will furnish any book or publication at the retail price, free of postage. Any persons, by forwarding the subscription price of any of the $3 Magazines, such as Harper's, Godey's, Putnam's, Graham's, Frank Leslie's Fashions, &c., will receive the magazines for one year and a splendid lithograph portrait of either Washington, Jackson or Clay; or, if subscribing to a $2 and a $1 Magazine, they will receive a copy of either of the three portraits. If subscribing to $6 worth of Magazines, all three portraits will be sent gratis. Music furnished to those who may wish it.

Envelopes of every description and size in large or small quantities furnished. Seal Presses, Dies, &c., sent to order.

Every description of Engraving on Wood executed with neatness and despatch. Views of Buildings, Newspaper Headings, Views of Machinery, Book Illustrations, Labels, Certificates, Business Cards, &c. All orders sent by mail promptly attended to. Persons wishing views of their buildings engraved, can send a daguerreotype or sketch of the building by mail or express.

Persons at a distance having saleable articles would find it to their advantage to address the subscribers, as we will act as agents for the sale of the same.

BYRAM & PIERCE,
nov26:dawly 50 South Third street, Philadelphia.

C. T. BROTT..............................O. CU[RTIS]

BROTT & CURTIS, Dealers in Real Estate, St. Anthony Falls, Minnesota Territory. Land bought and sold throughout the Territory. Money loaned, investments made to the best advantage, and Land Warrants located. Also, Agents for the sale of Lots in the town of ST. CLOUD, 65 miles from St. Anthony, and head of navigation above the Falls. The survey of the great Pacific Railroad crosses the Mississippi at this point, and the numerous advantages it possesses as a place of business, will make it one of the largest cities in the Northwest.

REFERENCES:

Ex-Governor Ramsey, Minnesota.
Hon. Wm. H. Welsh, Chief Justice of Minnesota.
Hon. J. Meeker.
Hon. H. M. Rice, Delegate to Congress.
Rice, Hollingshead & Becker, Attorneys at Law.
Messrs. Borup & Oaks, Bankers.
Rev. T. M. Fullerton, Register of U. S. Land Office.
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ALEXANDER W. FOSTER, Attorney and Counsellor at Law, and Solicitor in Chancery, Agent for procuring Bounty Lands and Pensions, and for the collection of Claims in Great Britain and Ireland.

Collections made in this and adjoining Counties; estates of decedents settled; Real Estate bought, sold, leased, and rents collected. Moneys invested on Mortgage or other security. Titles examined and title papers drawn. Office on FOURTH street, a few doors above Smithfield.

Pittsburgh, March 28, 1855—[mh28:daw]

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Deeds drawn, and acknowledments and proofs taken for record or use in any of the above named States, Illinois, Mississippi and Rhode Island.

Pittsburgh, March 28, 1855—[mh28:daw]

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION of the PITTSBURGH TRUST COMPANY, as required by the Charter:

DR.

To Discounts, Notes and Bills of Exchange		$623,383
Cash on hand	$142,037 05	
Cash due by Banks and Bankers, subject to check	65,271 18	
		208,308
County Bonds		2,000
Banking House		12,000
Expense account		662
		$849,353

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By Capital Stock	$200,000
Cash due to Banks and Bankers	16,212
Unpaid Dividends	3,072
Discounts and Premiums received	1,345
Contingent Fund	40,184
Individual Deposits	394,539
Individual Deposits on Interest account	194,000
	$849,353

JOHN D. SCULLY, Cash'r.

Pittsburgh, Dec. 1st, 1855—[dec3]

WESTERN EXCHANGE HOTEL FOR RENT, and the FURNITURE, FIXTURES, &c., FOR SALE, with a lease of the premises for five years.—The subscriber now offers for rent the Hotel, which he has occupied, with a continual increased business for the last 12 years, known as the WESTERN EXCHANGE HOTEL, situated in Market street, above Fifteenth, PHILADELPHIA. It is large and commodious, five stories high, and has accommodations for about one hundred and fifty lodgers, and Stabling for nearly sixty Horses. It is considered one of the best Hotel stands in the street; is convenient to the various Railroads Depots, Markets, &c., and it being extensively known, it is deemed unnecessary to give details in an advertisement, as persons wishing to purchase would undoubtedly call and satisfy themselves of its advantages.

Particulars can be had by writing to, or calling on, the subscriber, on the premises.

dec3:dlw JOSEPH WATERMAN.

KEEP your head cool, and free from dirt and dandruff, and the scalp free from disease, if you wish to preserve your hair. ROSEMARY OIL is the best thing you can find to accomplish these objects. It is likewise an excellent article for softening and beautifying the hair. Price 25 cents per bottle. Sold by S. L. CUTHBERT,

dec4 53 Market street.

COFFEE—530 bags prime Rio Coffee landing and for sale by [dec4] MILLER & RICKETSON.

ALCOHOL—10 bbls Fletcher's 76° Alcohol in store and for sale by
dec4 MILLER & RICKETSON.

HERRING—50 boxes Scaled Herring for sale by [dec4] MILLER & RICKETSON.

BUTTER—3 bbls prime Roll Butter for sale by [dec4] MILLER & RICKETSON.

OIL—Sperm, Winter Bleached, Tanners', No. 1 Lard Oil, in store and for sale by
dec4 MILLER & RICKETSON.

SCOTCH ALE—6 casks Scotch Ale landing and for sale by [dec4] MILLER & RICKETSON.

TOBACCO—120 boxes 5s, 8s and 1 lb. lump, Twist, "Grant's," "Russell & Robinson," El Dorado, "Yankee Doodle," and other favorite brands, in store and for sale by [dec4] MILLER & RICKETSON.

CODFISH—10 drums "Grand Bank" Codfish for sale by [dec4] MILLER & RICKETSON.

SQUARE BROCHE SHAWLS—A. A. Mason & Co. have just opened some new and very desirable Broche Shawls. dec4

FINE FRENCH WOOLLEN LONG SHAWLS—We have just received a lot of the above very desirable, double centered, high colored Long Shawls.
dec4 A. A. MASON & CO.

PARAMETTAS and COBURGS—500 pieces of the above just received, including a large lot Brown and other desirable colors. [dec4] A. A. MASON & CO.

MOIRE ANTIQUE TRIMMINGS—Just received, 20 cartons of Cloak Trimmings, at reduced prices. [dec4] A. A. MASON & CO.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—60 sacks, a good article, for sale by
dec4 SMITH, MAIR & HUNTER.

TO THE PUBLIC!—M. R. BREEN & CO. have now on hand, and are constantly receiving, at No. 76 FIFTH street, opposite the Custom House, fresh supplies of PRIME OYSTERS, WILD GAME, and FISH, which they are selling at the LOWEST MARKET RATES. The Oysters are forwarded to accommodate. They also wish to make known to the citizens of Allegheny City, that they have opened a Depot at the EMMETT HOTEL, on Federal street, where the above articles can always be obtained. [dec3:3t

CLOUDS should not deter you. Cargo turns out the very finest of Pictures by his Mammoth Light, in cloudy weather. 76 Fourth street. dec1

FASHIONABLE HATS AND CAPS, at Low Prices.—J. WILSON & SON, No. 91 Wood street, respectfully inform the public that they have a large assortment of the latest styles of Hats and Caps, which they will sell at low prices for cash.

N. B.—Just received, a new style of Ladies' Riding Hats and Caps. [nov10] J. WILSON & SON.

BLACK MERINOS—A very large assortment of the above goods, of every grade, received this day by [dec1] A. A. MASON & CO.

LAND WARRANTS.—The highest market price paid for 40, 80 and 120 Acre Land Warrants, of the late issue.

Also—For 80 and 160 Acre Warrants, issued under the law of 1850.

Apply to BLAKELY & RICHEY,
sep21:daw corner of Seventh and Smithfield sts.

SUNDRIES—40 dozen Pepper Sauce;
30 dozen Catsup, assorted;
10 mats Dates;
5 cases Prunes, in glass jars; just received and for sale by [nov22] REYMER & ANDERSON.

FOR SALE, VERY CHEAP—A BUILDING LOT IN ALLEGHENY CITY, 24 feet by 100. A good bargain can be had by applying soon at the office of the jy12:tf MORNING POST.

LOT FOR SALE—A good Building Lot, 24 feet front on Carson street by 100 feet in depth, in Birmingham, will be sold cheap. Enquire of GEO. F. GILLMORE,

jy13 at the office of the Morning Post.

SILK PLUSH, for Cloak Trimming, for sale at No. 91 Wood street. [dec1] J. WILSON & SON.

ORANGES—5 bbls Sweet Malaga just rec'd and for sale by nov28 REYMER & ANDERSON.

BLANKETS—A. A. MASON & CO. have received another splendid lot of Wool Blankets, of the most approved makes, and in all sizes. nov28