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PITTSBURGH:

WEDNESDAY MORNING::::::JANUARY 27.

STATE CONVENTION.—At a meeting of the Democratic State Committee, held at Buehler's Hotel, Harrisburg, January 19, 1858, it was

Resolved, That the next Democratic State Convention be held at Harrisburg, on the 4th day of March next.

Pursuant to said resolution, Delegates from the several Senatorial and Representative districts of the State will convene in the Hall of the House of Representatives, at the Capitol, on THURSDAY, March 4th, 1858, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to nominate candidates for Judges of the Supreme Court and Canal Commissioner, and for the transaction of such other business as pertains to the authority of such Convention.

C. R. BUCKALEW, Chairman.

J. N. HUTCHINSON, R. J. HALDEMAN, Secretaries.

THE PROGRESS OF MORALITY

We build Churches, endow Theological Seminaries, sustain Sabbath Schools and boast that we are the most moral people on the face of the globe. We establish our claims to superior worth by indulging in such pastime as riots, murders, acts of adultery, and other little peccadilloes not highly creditable to our nature or education. A moment of reflection will convince us that, as a people, we do not excel in all that elevates and adorns humanity, and that in a moral point of view, we are not much "better than the wicked."

In one of the Territories of the United States, purity of life is evinced by each man becoming the liege lord of from five to fifty numbers of the fair sex, and living in open violation of the rules of decency and the precepts of christianity.

Gentlemen and ladies, of liberal sentiments and unrestrained action, scorning the trammels of marriage, and the obligations of wedlock, meet in harmonious conclave and live as Free Lovers, in charming primitive simplicity.

The strong minded men and women of the land assemble in solemn convention, and after denouncing the peculiar institution as a thing of abominations, gravely resolve that Washington was a thief, and Jefferson, a negro breeder.

A merchant or banker fails in business and involves hundreds in ruin; the public evince their disapprobation of his conduct by electing him to office or appointing him traveling agent of the Bible Society.

A Reverend gentleman is arrested, and tried for displaying too much attachment for "lovely women," and inducing her to "stoop to folly;" the jury cannot agree and is discharged. The next morning the good man finds himself famous, receives a "call" from a fashionable congregation, an offer of three thousand dollars per annum, and is straightway made a Doctor of Divinity.

In a city like Pittsburgh, a man seduces the wife of his bosom friend, and before the sensation created thereby has ceased the same individual is found in the arms of another matron. The hero is by no means alarmed at the disclosure that follows, but publishes a card cooly announcing his determination, if attacked, to defend himself to the bitter end.

We boast of our toleration in all things, and call our country an asylum for the oppressed of every clime; a riot occurs, and American powder and lead are found potent in destroying the lives of men whose greatest crime was a "rich Irish brogue or a sweet German accent."

We prove our devotion to the interests of religion by occasionally firing a house of worship, and show our "good will to men," by persecuting those whose time and energies are given to advance the interests of society.

Wendell Phillips and Lloyd Garrison, in a spirit of philanthrophy, would devastate the south, and the cotton planter would consider it capital sport to slaughter a few abolitionists, by way of creating an appetite for breakfast. Verily we are a moral people. It is true that murders and suicides are of daily occurrence; frauds and wrongs are practiced with impunity; law and order are trampled upon, and the vicious and abandoned throng our cities and indulge in all the follies and crime that shock humanity. Nevertheless we exist, it is said, in all that pertains to virtue and morality, and disgust sensible and observing men with boasts of excelling the rest of mankind in all good gifts.

From such virtue and such morality, from such evidences of worth and toleration, we pray for a safe and speedy deliverance.

Lucy Stone---Sale of Gerrit Smith and Governor Chase at an Exorbitant Price.

Our readers will remember that the notorious Lucy Stone, whose long tongue has been waggling for years at women's rights conventions, refused to pay the taxes assessed to her, on the ground that she was deprived of the privileges of citizenship. The Constable of the town in which Lucy Stone resides, thinking her objection unreasonable, and unworthy—"a strong minded woman,"—caused to be printed the following notice, and posted it in conspicuous places.

"SALE FOR TAX.—Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of a warrant *issued* by A. H. Freeman, Esq., J. P., to make the tax assessed against Lucy Stone, in the township of Orange, in the county of Essex, the subscriber, one of the constables of said county, will on Friday, the twenty-second day of January, instant, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the house of Lucy Stone, sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, the following goods, to wit: Two tables, four chairs, one stand and two *pictures*, to make the said tax and costs.

E. A. LYNES, Constable.

"ORANGE, Jan. 18, 1858."

On the day of sale the attendance was large—the assemblage consisting of "blue spirits and grey," sympathising Africans of both sexes, and all ages, and a number of white sisters—who had stood side by side with Lucy at conventions, and given material aid in making the strong minded women of the land as ridiculous as their worst enemies could wish them. We perceive by our exchanges that the first article offered for sale was a marble table, which was started at $6 and brought $7,-50. Then followed a picture of the great friend, and champion of Sambo, Governor S. P. Chase of Ohio, which sold for the immense sum of fifteen hundred mills, or one dollar and fifty cents in the current coin of the nation.

A picture of the distinguished philanthropist and ceaseless agitatator, Gerrit Smith was then offered and brought precisely the same sum that was paid for the likeness of his fellow fanatic, S. P. Chase. Although Chase and Smith have both devoted their time and energies to the cause of negro emancipation, and although they both think that all the interests of humanity are wrapped up in the dusky hide of the fragrant African, we find that their "pictures in little," at a convocation of their friends and followers brought the magnificent sum of three dollars, lawful money of the United States!

The sales realized $10,56, and the law was vindicated and satisfied. Lucy then delivered a speech against taxation without representation, and declared that rather than submit to the claims of the collector she would suffer an annual sale of her effects.

"No taxation under any circumstances," would make a desirable plank in the platform of woman's rights, and would meet with hosts of friends throughout the Union. Lucy should at once call a Convention of the restless spirits of the land and re-commence agitation and reform by waging a war of extermination against tax laws and tax collectors.

VARIOUS THINGS.

—At Whitewater Wis., a party of rowdies assembled about the house of a newly-married man named Pierce, for the purpose of a charivari. They attacked the house, and while William Hamilton was in the act of breaking in the door, Pierce fired upon the party through the door. Hamilton was instantly killed and another person was wounded. Pierce has surrendered himself to the officers.

—A message was sent in from the Mayor of New York, last week, to the Common Council, stating, on the authority of the Harbor Commissioners, that the water near Diamond Reef had shoaled so rapidly that two large vessels could hardly pass each other in the channel. The cause of this shoaling is said to be the washing out of the earth at the Battery enlargement.

—The large Eastern firms are beginning to start up their works again. Almost every day we observe in our exchanges notices of that sort. A large establishment in Philadelphia commenced last week with 170 hands which number is to be increased shortly to 326.

—The "Bay State Mills," are at Lawrence, Massachusetts. They gave employment to 2,500 hands and consumes annually three million pounds of wool. The capital was $1,800,000. The "Middlesex Mills," are at Lowell, and give employment to 1,400 hands, and consumed annually 1,500,000 pounds of wool.

—It is stated that Ex Governor McRea, of Mississippi, has been tendered the mission to Mexico by President Buchanan.

—H. M. Culloch, President of the State Bank of Indiana, officially announces that the branch bank at Jeffersonville has gone under, that receivers have been appointed, and that the other branches will continue to receive its notes.

—State of Vermont has appropriated $2,000 for a monument to Ethan Allen, the man who demanded the surrender of Ticonderoga "In the name of the Great Jehovah and Continental Congress."

—The will case of Madame DeLux has been decided in New York, giving her large estate to John P. Ferrie, a Cincinnati barber.

—It is said the Philadelphia banks will resume specie payments on the 1st of Febuary.

—The *Chronicle* don't like the result of the election for printer. The word "best" means a great deal.

—A hurricane passed over New Orleans on the afternoon of the 15th inst. Several lives were lost.

—Rancid butter it is said may be rendered fresh by being kneaded with fresh milk. Try it.

—In Michigan it is said that the making of maple sugar has already commenced.

—A man named Charles Bryant residing on the plank road about three miles north of Fostoria, in Seneca county, O., was killed on Friday evening 1st inst. under circumstances which led to the belief that he was murdered. It appears that an Irishman named James M'Carthy went to Bryant's house that evening, and often drinking very freely, got into an altercation with a man by the name of Grooves. Grooves becoming excited called M'Carthy a liar, whereupon the latter felled him to the floor, and while lying in that condition, was also struck on the head with some heavy weapon—supposed to be the tongs, and instantly killed. Mrs. Bryant was out milking and did not see the fatal blow struck. Suspicion pointed to M'Carty as the perpetrator of the deed. He was accordingly arrested and brought before Esq. Jones, of Fostoria for examination who bound him over to the Grand Jury at the next term of Common Pleas. He was taken to Tiffin jail. He pleads entire oblivedness of the act.

[For the Pittsburgh Morning Post.]

Mr. Editor: I observe for the last few days considerable interest exhibited by the members of the Legislature, and the press, in reference to the passage of a bill for the regulation of Banks, to protect the stockholders and to insure the permanency and solvency of such institutions. This is all very well, and, in my opinion, necessary for the safety of the people, so far as their interests are involved in the Banks of issue and exchange. At the same time I should like to see the same interest manifested in relation to Insurance Companies for the same purpose, I mean the community at large. This I consider quite as necessary for the protection of the people, as the special guardianship of these interests are involved in the solvency, and proper management of Banks. Even more so. How often is a merchant, manufacturer, mechanic and laboring man at the mercy of an Insurance Company, entirely dependent on its solvency and ability, to pay promptly its losses when their all is at stake, and their salvation from bankruptcy resting on the soundness of the institution.

There are but few in this country, you are aware, who can afford to underwrite for themselves. So to protect themselves and their creditors they must necessarily resort to what they consider a solvent Insurance Company, managed by honest men; and how pray, are they to know anything in relation to its merits, in the absence of a full and thorough statement, showing the amount of capital sold and paid in, how invested, the gross amount of their business, losses, expenses and losses remaining unpaid. If all companies exhibit such a statement as this (agencies and local companies,) there would be some means by which an opinion at least could be formed. Such a similar statement, I perceive some of the agencies make annually. This I presume is in accordance with a clause in their charter. Then why not have a general Insurance Law, and place all such institutions on a par. If we have among us local companies or agencies which cannot stand the light of a full exhibit, I say for the protection of the people the sooner they are wiped out of existence the better.

I merely make these suggestions that you may take the matter into consideration and give us your view on the subject. ARISTIDES.

EFFECT OF THE ABOLITION OF FLOGGING IN THE NAVY.—The *Journal of Commerce* publishes a letter written on board the U. S. frigate Congress, which has just arrived in Philadelphia, after a cruise of two years and a half, in which the writer says:

"The new mode of discipline without flogging is producing a rapid and decided change in the character of seamen; and in almost every particular the change is of the most desirable nature. There is perhaps less promptness and energy in the movements of some who formerly jumped at the ropes for fear of the 'cats,' and that class of reckless, bold and dare-devil spirits who seemed in their native element only when the storm was highest, and howled through the rigging with most terrific violence, is to some extent passing away. But there is rising in its place a self respect and intelligent manliness, a reliable fidelity, a sympathy with their fellow men, and a desire for their regard, which is full of promise. Considering the grade of society from which seamen ordinarily come, and the motives which lead the great majority to seek the service, it is surprising that the improvement in their character should have been as great as those most experienced declare it to be."

SALE OF AUTOGRAPHS.—A sale of curious autographs took place at the sales room of Bangs, Brother & Co., on Wednesday afternoon. There was a very large attendance of bidders, although the prices at which the autographs sold excited great surprise. Among the most curious was an autograph of King Henry VIII, dated 1528. The bidding on this commenced at twenty-five cents, and it was finally sold for the sum of $2. An autograph letter of the famous Ashley, Lord Shaftsbury, (1671,) brought $5. The Duke of Wellington's autograph brought fifty cents, and Leigh Hunt's the same. An unpublished song by Tom Moore, together with notes arranged by the poet, sold for $3. Noah Webster's autograph sold for $1,50; Lord North's sold for 37 cents; Lord Brougham's, 50 cents; Miss Mitford's, $1,25. An old picture, printed during the Revolution, representing the siege of Boston, sold for $5,25; and another, printed anterior to the Revolution, representing the landing of William Penn and his treaty with the Indians, sold for $5,50.—*N. Y. Tribune, Thursday.*

The Earthquake in Naples---Great Loss of Life.

The Naples correspondent of the London *Times*, writing under date of the 22d of December, 1857, gives the following particulars of the late terrible earthquake in that country. He says:—

At Bari the two awful shocks on the night of the 19th had crushed the barracks of Gendarmes and filled the people with terror, who passed the night in the open air. At Reigliano, a commune of Campagna, ten houses had fallen, five or six persons had been dug out of the ruins, and two persons had been killed. In Caposelle and Senerchia a man and child had their legs broken in attempting to escape. In many other communes houses and churches had been split, and the cupola of the church of St. Gregory had fallen in.

On Saturday morning two shocks had been felt at six and ten o'clock, A. M., and staircases had fallen, while many of the houses had fissures in them. Potenza, the capital of Basilicata, however, and the neighborhood seemed to have suffered more than any other part. The shocks there were continuous, and not a single house remains which is habitable. Now Potenza contains a population of upwards of twelve thousand souls. The Palace of the Prefecture, the military and civil hospital, the barracks of Gendarmes and of the Reserve, the College of Jesuits, the churches, and especially the cathedral, are all rendered useless, and "no one can without danger cross his own doorway." They were continuing to disinter the numerous victims, the number of whom was unknown. The whole population, who had been in the open air, were beginning to take shelter in a wooden barracks erected for the purpose. From other parts of the province very afflicting news had arrived. Tito, (a township of near ten thousand souls, near Potenza,) Marsico Nuovo, Laurenzana, and Brienza, were almost entirely destroyed. Two thirds of Vigoola had perished. Immense are the disasters in Vignola, Calvello, Anzi, and Abriola; and more than immense is the terror and desolation of the inhabitants. The pen falls horror struck from one's hand, so says the government reporter.

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In the commune of Carboni twenty-one have perished and nineteen have been wounded, not to speak of the damage done to the buildings. In Castelsano, which is nearly leveled with the ground, four hundred persons have perished. The same misfortune has also happened to Sarconi, where thirty persons have been killed.

From the remaining communes of the district no intelligence had as yet been received. It is impossible, therefore, to calculate the number of the dead. The popular voice makes it amount to many thousands. I have heard as many as fifteen thousand, even twenty two thousand, stated. It is very clear that, according to official information, several thousands must have perished. Commissions have been formed in all the suffering localities for the relief of the suffering. Government has sent down fresh supplies of beds, linen and wood for the construction of barracks. Telegraphic communication had been re-established as far as was possible. Nurses, Sisters of Charity and priests had also been sent down, and everything was being done for the comfort of the many thousands who not only from fear, but from necessity, are now encamped in the open air. Persons who have fled from the awful scenes, and have arrived in the capital, give yet more heart-rending details; but the official journal evidently fears the effect of them upon the public mind.

No sooner was the shock of last Saturday felt than a host of thieves and assassins rushed towards the Soledo, but the Gendarmes soon put them down with their drawn swords. * * I hasten to send you the report which the government published last night of intelligence from the scene of ruin. It justifies all that I have said of the indisposition of the government to tell the whole truth, and as to the probability of private reports being true. The mind, says the official writer, shudders to contemplate the details—they surpass beyond measure what has already been published. In Polla alone two thousand victims have been disinterred, and they were still at work. Pertosa, Atessa, Auletta, entirely destroyed, suffered next after Polla. Then Padula and St. Pietro, and afterwards Sala, Diano, Sarsano, Montesanto, St. Arsenio and Sapri. In all these places the number of dead as yet brought to light is two thousand six hundred. The official journal cannot and will not enter into details, but mentions Melfi, Barile, Avella, Venosa, in the Basilicata, where houses and churches were thrown down and people killed and wounded.

The same of Oglio, Matera, Majori and Tramoni, in Principato Citeriore.

Sut Lovengood's Daddy Acting Hoss.

"Hold that ere hoss down to the yearth."

"He's spreading his sail-ily now."

"Keep hiin whar he is."

These and like expressions were addressed to a queer-looking, long-legged, short-bodied, white-haired, hog-eyed, funny sort of a genius, fresh from some second-hand clothing store, and mounted on "Tarpole" a nic-tailed, long, poor horse, and enveloped all over in a perfect net-work of bridle reins, cruppers, martingales, straps, circingles and red ferreting, who had reined up in front of Pat Nack's grocery, among a crowd of wild mountaineers, full of fight and bad whiskey.

"I say, you darned ash eats, jist keep your shirts on, will ye? You nevr seed a raal horse till I rid up. Tarpole is next to the best horse that ever shelled rubbins, and he's dead as a still worm, poor ole Tickey Tail."

"What killed him, Sut?" said an anxious enquirer.

"Why, nothin' you tarnation fool; he just died standing up at that. Warn't that good pluck? Froze stiff; no, not adzactly, but starved fust and then froze afterwards, so stiff that when dad and me pushed him over, he just stick out so, (spreading his arms and legs) like a carpenter's bench, and we waited seventeen days for him to thaw, afore we could skin him. Well, thar we was—dad and me, (counting his fingers) dad an' me, Sal an' Jake—fool Jake we used to call him for short—an' Phineas, an' Simeon, an' Jonas, an' Charlotte, an' Cullina, an' Cashus Henry Clay, an' Noah Dan, an' Cathrine second, an' Cleopatry Antony, an' Jane Lind, an' Tom Bullion, the baby an' the prospect an' marm herself, all left without any hoss to crop with. That was a nice mess for a 'spectable family to be slashed about in, warn't it? I declare if I didn't feel like stealin' a horse, sometimes. Well, waited and rested, and waited until nigh unto strawberry time, hoping some stray horse mout come along, but dog my cats if any sich luck as that ever comes whar dad es he's so drotted mean, an' lazy, an' savage, an' ugly, an' tryin'.

Well, one nite, dad he lay awake all nite, a snorin' an' a rollin', an' a whisperin' at marm; an' next mornin' says he:

"'Sut, I'll tell you what we'll do; I'll be hoss myself, an' pull the plow, while you drive me, and we'll break up corn ground, and then the old quilt (that's marm) and the brats kin plant or let alone, just as they please.'"

So out we goes to the papaw, an' peeled a right smart chance of bark, and marm and me made gears for dad, and they become him mightily, then he would hale a bridle—so I gits an old umbrella what I found—it's a little piece iron, sorter like onto a pitchfork, ye know—an' we bent an' twisted it sorter into a bridle bit, snail shape, (dad wanted it curb, as he hadn't worked for some time, and mout sorter feel his oats, and go to cavortin.) Well, when we got the bridle fixed on dad, he chomped his bit jist like a raal hoss, (he always wus a most complicated old fool, enehow, and marm allers said so when he warn't about,) then I put on the gears, an' out dad an' I goes to the field, I a leadin' dad by the bridle, and totin' the gopher plow on my back.

"When we come to the fence, I let down a gap; that made dad mad; he wanted to jump the fence on all fours, hoss way. I hitched him unto the gopher, and away we went, dad leanin' for'ard to his pullin' right peart; and we made sharp plowin', dad goin' right over the bushes an' sprouts same as a raal hoss, the only difference is he went on two legs. Presently we come to a sassafras patch, and dad, to act up his character as a hoss, bulged squar inter it, and tore down a hornet's nest nigh as big as a hoss' head, and all the tribe kivered him rite strate. He rared and kicked once or twice, and fotched a squeal wus nor ary horse in the deestrict, an' set into runnin' away just as natural as ever you seed.

"I let go the plow and hollered woa," dad, woa! but ye mout as well said woa to a locomotive. Jewhillikins! how he run! When he came to a bush he'd clear it, gopher and all; pr'aps he tho't there mout be another settlement of bald hornets in it, and that it wus safer to go over than thru, an' quicker dun. Every now and then he'd paw one side of his head with fust one fore leg and then tother; then he'd gin himself an open-handed slap, that sounded like a wagon whip, and runnin' all the time, and carryin' that gopher jist about as fast and high from the yard as ever a gopher was carried, I swar.—When he cum to the fence he busted thru' it, tarin' nigh onto seven panels, scatterin' and breakin' the rails mightily: and here he left the gopher, gears, swingletrees and klevis, all mixed up, not worth a durn; most of his shirt stuck to the broken end of a splinter of rail, and nigh unto a pint o hornets staid with the shirt, a stingin' it all over—the ballance on 'em, about a galion and a half, kept on with dad. He seemed to run jist edsadtly as fast as a hornet could fly, for it wus the tightest race I ever did see: down thru' the grass they all went, the hornets sorter makin' it look like smoke around dad's head, and he with nothin' on but the bridl, and nigh onto a yard o' plow line sailin' behind him. I seed he was aimin' for the swimmin' hole in the creek, whar the bluff is over twenty feet perpendicular to the water, and it's nigh onto ten feet deep. To keep up his character as a hose, when he got to the bluff he jist leaped off, or rather, he jist kept on runnin'. Now right thar, boys, he overdid the thing, if that wus what he was arter, for there's nary hoss ever foaled durned fool enough to leap over sich a place; a mule mout have done it, but dad warn't actin' mule. I crept up to the edge and looked over. Thar wus old dad's bald head, for all the world like a peeled ingun, a bobbin' up and down, and the hornets sailin, and circlin' round, turkey-buzzard fashion, and every once in a while, one, and sometimes ten, 'ud make a dip at dad's head. He kept up a peart dodgin' under; sometimes they'd hit him and sometimes they'd hit the water, and the water was kivered with drowned hornets.

"'What on yearth are ye doin' thar, dad?' says I.

"'Don't (dip) you see these infernal varmints (dip) onto me?'

"'What,' sed I. 'Them are hoss flies thar; ye ain't really afeard of them, are ye?'

"'Hoss flies?' sed dad; 'they're rale (dip) ginewine bald hornets, you (dip) infernal cus.'

"'Well, dad, you'll have to stay thar till nite, and arter they go to roost, you come come and I'll feed you.'

"And knowin' dad's unmodified natur, I broke from them parts and sorter cum to the copper mines. I staid hid about till next afternoon, when I seed a fellow traveling, and sed I, 'What was goin' on at the cabin this side of the creek, when you passed it.'

"'Why, nuthin' much, only a man was sittin' in the door with nary shirt on, and a woman was greasin' his back and arms, and his head was about as big as a ten galon keg, and he hadn't the fust sign of an eye—all smooth.'

"'That man's my dad,' said I.

"'Been much fiten in this neighborhood lately?' said the traveler, dryly.

"'Nun wuth speakin' of personally or perticularly,' sed I.

"Now, boys, I hain't seen dad since, and would be afeard to meet him in the next ten years. Let's drink."

ANOTHER RAILROAD.—A project is on foot for another railroad from Detroit to the Suspension Bridge, under the name of the Niagara Falls and Detroit Railway. We find the following advertisement in the Toronto *Leader* in relation to it:

"Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislature, at its next session, for a charter to incorporate a railway company under the name of the Niagara Falls and Detroit Railway Company, to construct and work a line of railway from or near the present Suspension Bridge on the Niagara River, in the township of Stamford, to the Detroit River, Amhertsburg, or to the town of Windsor, or some point at or near or between these towns, on the said river, passing in as direct a line as possible through the towns of Simcoe and St. Thomas, or from the said Suspension Bridge through the said town of Simcoe to the town of St. Thomas, and from thence to some point on the Sarnia branch of the Great Western Railway in the township of Lobo, with power to construct a bridge, tubular or suspension, across the Niagara River for the use of such company.

"Dated Jan. 19th, 1858."

—The Bank of Ashland, Ky., has by her charter, the right to issue no notes of a less denomination than $5.

—Miss Martha Stewart, a daughter of Mr. Samuel Stewart, of Flat Rock, committed suicide on the 11th inst. The deceased was a member of a most respectable and wealthy family. She had been subject to fits of partial insanity, for several years.

—There is a private enterprise on foot to introduce camels into America, since the Government has so far succeeded.

DYSPEPSIA, HEADACHE AND INDIGESTION, by which all persons are more or less affected, can usually be cured by taking moderate exercise, wholesome food, and a dose of Boerhave's Holland Bitters, one hour before each meal.

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ASTONISHING EFFECTS OF ONE BOTTLE, IN AN AGGRAVATED CASE OF DYSPEPSIA.

PHILADELPHIA, March 20, 1855.

Dear Sir:—During the last five years I have been afflicted with *Dyspepsia*, in its most aggravated form, and have used, without receiving any benefit therefrom, every remedy recommended for that disease. In fact, I was afflicted so badly that on many occasions I was in *great danger of dying from suffocation*, in consequence of the rise of matter in my throat, and all my efforts for relief were in vain. I was at last induced, through the recommendation of several of my friends, to try "Hoofland's German Bitters," and I assure you the amount of relief I have received from the use of only one bottle, is astonishing, and compels me to say that I would not be without the Bitters for any money, as I am now, through their use, enjoying better health than I have known for many years.

Very respectfully yours, ELIZABETH GAUL,

To Dr. C. M. JACKSON. No. 12 Carter's alley.

See advertisement.

For sale by FLEMING BROS. and Dr. GEO. H. KEYSER, Pittsburgh. ja15:2wdaw

REMOVAL.—BOERHAVE'S HOLLAND BITTERS.—We have removed the manufactory of Boerhave's Holland Bitters, to No. 27 Wood street—the house now occupied by John Moorhead, Esq.

Until the first of April, our office will be on the second floor. [ja23] BENJ. PAGE, JR. & CO.

THE LIVER PILLS.—The Liver Pills of Dr. M'Lane were first used by him exclusively in his own practice. So efficacious were they in all cases of Liver complaint that they became famous, and attracting the attention of the medical faculty, passed into general use. They act with great certainty and regularity; the patient almost immediately feels the dispersion of his disease, and gradually restored to health. With some the effect is almost miraculous, frequently experiencing immediate relief, after having for months resorted to drugs and medicines of another description, in vain. Diseases of the Liver are very common in this country and are often frightful in character. Those who experience any of the premonitory symptoms of this dangerous and complicated disease, should at once procure a box of Dr. M'Lane's Pills, prepared by Fleming Bros. of Pittsburgh, and perhaps, thereby, be saved a world of misery.

Purchasers will be careful to ask for Dr. M'LANE'S CELEBRATED LIVER PILLS, manufactured by FLEMING BROS., of Pittsburgh, Pa. There are other Pills purporting to be Liver Pills, now before the public. Dr. M'Lane's genuine Liver Pills, also his celebrated Vermifuge, can now be had at all respectable drug stores. *None genuine without the signature.* [24] (ja23:1wdaw) FLEMING BROS.

THERE ARE HUNDREDS OF REMEDIES SOLD at every Drug Store, purporting to cure all disease nameable, each advertised as the very best ever known, till we had lost all faith in them all, but there is one exception.

We speak of Dr. Sanford's Invigorator, which came to us recommended as a cure for Liver Complaints, and all diseases arising from a Diseased Liver. The testimonials of so many of our Physicians in its favor, induced us to try it, and now conviction is certain that it is one of the greatest blessings ever given to Dyspeptics, for it made a complete cure before the first bottle was taken, and now we can eat anything eatable without trouble, while before nothing but the lightest food would digest, and often that gave pain. Now what we want to say to all our readers is, if Liver Complaint or Dyspepsia trouble you, do not fail to try this the greatest remedy in the world. ja13:1mdaw

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

STATEMENT OF THE MERCHANTS' AND MANUFACTURERS' BANK OF PITTSBURGH.

MONDAY MORNING, January 25, 1858.

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$600,000 00
Contingent Fund	160,000 00
Profit and Loss	5,140 92
Notes in Circulation	73,845 00
Due Depositors	165,129 21
Due other Banks	85,721 72
Due Commonwealth	2,865 22
Dividends Unpaid	1,079 50
Discount and Exchange	5,890 05
Interest on Securities	9,960 00
	$987,371 72

ASSETS:

Notes and Bills Discounted	$571,089 29
Bonds and Mortgages	53,125 94
Other Securities	70,650 46
Suspense Account	2,489 09
Real Estate	20,474 05
Banking House	18,651 44
Specie, Gold and Silver	95,115 45
Notes of other Banks	20,268 00
Due by other Banks	76,386 37
Expense	2,867 03
Other Assets	33,304 17
	$987,371 72

CITY OF PITTSBURGH, ss:

H. L. Bollman, President of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Bank, being by me duly sworn, doth depose and say, that the foregoing Statement is just and true, as he verily believes. H. L. BOLLMAN, President.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 25th day of January, A. D., 1858.

ja27 J. F. MACKENZIE, Notary Public.

MERCANTILE LIBRARY ASSOCIATION LECTURES.—Dr. E. C. WINES, of Washington College, will Lecture before the "Young Men's Mercantile Library Association," and the public generally, at

LAFAYETTE HALL,

On FRIDAY EVENING, January 29th instant.

SUBJECT:—BARCELONA, WITH SKETCHES OF SPANISH LIFE AND MANNERS.

Doors open at 6½ o'clock. Lecture to commence at 7½. Tickets TWENTY-FIVE CENTS, to be had at the Music and Book Stores, Hotels, Library Room, Lecture Committee, and at the door.

JOHN M. KIRKPATRICK,
WM. H. KINCAID,
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Library Rooms, Jan. 26, 1858. ja27:3t Lecture Committee.

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ja27:1t MASONIC HALL, FIFTH STREET.

RECEIVED THIS DAY another lot of those Unbleached and Bleached Muslins, and a good many other seasonable Dry Goods, which we will sell very CHEAP FOR CASH. C. HANSON LOVE, Formerly Love Brothers,

ja27 No. 74 Market street.

ON THE CONEMAUGH RIVER.—For sale a Valuable Farm in Westmoreland county, 2½ miles from Blairsville, on the North Western Railroad, 120 acres of choice land, 90 acres in cultivation, a young orchard of 10 acres, 30 acres of excellent timber, a new dwelling house of 6 rooms—price, $700. Terms easy. Real estate in the city will be taken in part pay.

ja27 S. CUTHBERT & SON, 51 Market street.

Assignee's Notice.

THE FURNITURE, ETC., OF THE ST. CLAIR HOTEL, advertised for sale this day, is postponed until further notice. J. W. WHITE,

ja27:2t Assignee of Wm. C. Connelly.

PACKED BUTTER.—600 lbs. solid packed Butter, received and for sale by

ja27 JAS. A. FETZER, 89 Wood street.

POTATOES.—324 sacks Neshannock Potatoes, arriving to-day, and for sale by

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ja26:3t* Pittsburgh P. O.

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MRS. ANNA MANSFIELD,

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A free Medical Lecture to Ladies will be delivered some afternoon during her stay. Further announcements to be made regarding it. ja27:5t

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Gents' French Calf Boots, double sole;
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HUSBAND'S MAGNESIA.—2 gross of this excellent Magnesia, just received by JOS. FLEMING,

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FOR RENT.—The large warehouse, now occupied by W. H. Smith & Co., Nos. 151 First and 122 Second streets. Enquire of PARK, McCURDY & CO.

ja25:tf Nos. 149 First and 120 Second streets.

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ja23 Corner of Wood and Water streets.

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ja22 WM. H. SMITH & CO.

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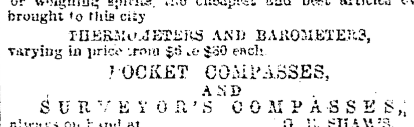

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The following statement exhibits the business and condition of the Company to January 1st, 1858:

Premiums received for Marine Risks unterminated in 1857		$89,271 01
Marine Premiums received during the year ending December 31, 1857		115,155 05
Fire Premiums received during the year ending December 31st, 1857		192,556 85
Interest on Loans		8,445 62
Total receipts for the year		$418,427 53
Paid Marine Losses	$122,640 59	
Paid Fire "	45,253 83	
Expenses, Returned Premiums and Re-Insurance	54,216 58	
Salaries and Commissions	32,453 53	
		$304,563 65
Balance remaining with Company		$113,868 68

The ASSETS of the Company are as follows:—

Bonds and Mortgages, Ground Rents, Bank and other Stocks	$212,450 00
Loaned on Stocks	37,650 00
Trust Fund in New York	33,151 53
Deferred Payment on Stock	97,700 00
Bills Receivable	74,404 67
Cash on hand and due from Agents	46,900 33
Premium on Policies recently issued, and debts due the Company	30,538 33
	$530,894 94

The officers and Directors, of this Institution, feel great pleasure in laying before the public the above Statement, with a view of arresting their attention to the *great importance* of Insuring their property.

This Company has entered upon the third year of its existance, during which period the Receipts have amounted to *eight hundred and fifty thousand dollars*, and have paid *losses over six hundred thousand dollars*, which is equal in respect to character of business to the very best and oldest offices.

We append the names of a few large and influential Merchants of Philadelphia, who patronise the Company by giving it a large amount of their Insurance, and to whom are respectfully referred any gentlemen who may wish to insure with this Company.

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ASSETS OF THE COMPANY.

November 2, 1857.

Bonds, Mortgages, and Real Estate	$101,350 94
Philadelphia City, and other Loans	137,011 25
Stock in Banks, Railroads and Insurance Companies	12,508 00
Bills Receivable	220,291 95
Cash on hand	38,894 66
Balance in hands of Agents, Premiums on Marine Policies recently issued, on other debts due the Company	92,730 57
Subscription Notes	100,000 00
	702,785 37

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ASSETS, OCTOBER 31st, 1857.

Stock Accounts	$121,500 00
Mortgage	2,160 00
Bills Receivable	4,161 67
Office Furniture	240 00
Open Accounts	3,478 04
Cash	14,841 45
Premium Notes	10,246 59
Bills Discounted	125,003 73
	$317,641 78

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