The Morning Post.

JAMES P. BARR, Editor and Proprietor.

PITTSBURGH:

MONDAY MORNING:.....AUGUST 16, 1858.

DEMOCRATIC STATE NOMINATIONS.

FOR SUPREME JUDGE,

WILLIAM A. PORTER,

OF PHILADELPHIA.

FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER,

WESTLEY FROST,

OF FAYETTE COUNTY.

THE COMING CONVENTION.

We believe that if the Democratic party of this county would at all times stand square up to its own organization and principles, it would become the predominant party here as it is in the State at large. No party has ever so carefully guarded the best interests of the people, or been so prompt to come to the rescue when improvidence and recklessness has endangered the public welfare. It has ever zealously regarded the rights of property, the safety of the citizen, and the equal rights of all. When its organization is guided by its own earnest and steadfast friends, it very seldom commits an error or a wrong, or fails in the end to win the meed of public approbation. It is only when its councils are misled by the eager aspirations for *office* and individual advantage that it loses the confidence and respect, which are the basis of its sound prosperity and its frequent triumphs, even in this stronghold of the opposition elements. A steady and sturdy adherence to its own organization and principles is the only guarantee of success, or of continued existence. This fact is so manifest in itself, and has been so frequently illustrated in our past experience, that it seems strange that any one of its active members can entertain thoughts of surrendering its management to those who do not profess to belong to the party; who bear it no good will; who bitterly denounce its principles, and who would only desire to use it for a time, and then gladly aid in effecting its final dissolution.

Yet even now some are found who seem willing to commit the management of our party, in some degree, to its life time enemies—to those who have reviled it from time to time with an energy and bitterness passing all ordinary bounds of party spirit and animosity. To consent to this is to seal the doom of the party here.

The Convention which is to assemble next Wednesday, will have a serious duty to discharge. It may pass what resolutions it will on tax or other questions. It may present what issues it will for the campaign, so long as they are Democratic. Of such matters we are not now speaking. But it should submit to no disintegration of the party—no schemes to disorganize it, either through the resolves of the Convention itself, or through committees empowered to play into the hands of wily and covert adversaries. Almost numberless have been the efforts to break up the Democratic organization, and scatter it as the Opposition is scattered and broken. A noted instance was in 1854, when a secret society sought to give it a deadly stab, and had nearly succeeded for a time. Are we not encountering a similar peril now?

What we ask of the Convention is that it give us a brief and comprehensive old fashioned Democratic platform, embracing living and present issues, and then give us a full and fair ticket of the kind of men that will command the greatest number of the votes of the people. We have good men enough in our own ranks for such a ticket, and need not go abroad or out of the party for candidates. And we have sense enough in our own party, it is hoped, to regulate its own affairs, and have no occasion to call in the aid and wisdom of those who, failing to secure the management of their own parties, are generously willing to assume the management of ours.

We want a straight out Democratic ticket, representing the principles of the party and the current sentiments of the day, and then we want a fair and square contest *a la* 1855, and we may win again, and have a party left for State and national contests as they rise. The party has survived the battles of half a century, and it is as strong as ever now, and may remain so, if not misled or disorganized. We welcome the co-operation and the votes of all who think our principles best; or who are tired of the errors of their former friends. Our platform of principles is a wide one, affording room enough for the whole nation to stand upon. But a party so great and strong, and that has accomplished such great results for the prosperity of this country, should not for a moment be reduced from its organization and its steady course by the *delusive* hope of a temporary local advantage, to be followed by an enduring and far reaching injury. These sentiments are Democratic, we know. This policy is the best, beyond doubt. Give us a good Democratic ticket and *let the convention make the ticket*: and not a clique, a caucus, or a committee.

Reversion of Land Grants to the General Government.

A decision has lately been made by the Secretary of the Interior, which is of a good deal of importance, and is likely to make something of a revolution in the land-grant business. The Secretary decides that if the requisitions of the act making a grant be not complied with in a reasonable time, the government will re-open the reserved lands for the benefit of the public. This decision, it is stated, is applicable to all grants of land in aid of internal improvements. This decision was given at the instance of the Milwaukie and La Crosse Railroad Company, which applied to Secretary Thompson to ascertain whether there was any way of obtaining titles to the lands without the certificate of the Governor of the State. The Secretary decides that the Department has no power to make titles to the company except through the State, and further that grants must revert to the general government unless the requisitions of the act of Congress making the grant, be fulfilled within a reasonable time.

This decision may put altogether a new face upon the land-grant business, for it is a notorious fact that the Legislatures of many of the States have wholly perverted the grants from the purposes which Congress designated, or have neglected to use them for those purposes altogether.

THE death of the Most Rev. William Walsh Roman Catholic Archbishop of Halifax, N. S., is announced as having occurred at his residence in Halifax, on Tuesday night. The Archbishop (who was of Irish parentage) was in the fifty-fourth year of his age at the time of his death. He had been actively identified for a long period with the progress of his church, in the British Provinces. His frank, genial disposition and liberal sentiments had won for him an unusual share of popularity in his Arch-Diocese. He was an industrious student, and was widely known as author and translator of several religious works.

VARIOUS THINGS.

—A Frenchman built a four story brick house adjoining his Dutch neighbor's two story house. Being on the roofs of their respective houses one day, the one on the low house cries out to the other: "What for you build so high tare?" To which the Frenchman replied: "De ground bees very cheap up here."

—Ellen L. Webber, of Massachusetts, was married to Jacob Burton on Wednesday of last week, and cut her throat on Saturday.

—The racing stallion "Ambassador" was killed by lightning on Thursday last, on the plantation of his owner, Mr. Charles N. Merriwether, about ten miles from Clarksville, Tenn. "Ambassador" was the winner of the great Alabama stake of twenty-eight thousand dollars in 1854, and his time is among the best on record.

—A detective officer from Chicago, Ill., fell asleep while travelling over the Altoo Railroad a few days since, and some light fingered fellow actually stole his boots.

—The Taunton (Mass.) *Gazette* says there are three or four sisters in that town, weighing 925 lbs., the shortest being about six feet high, and weighing 256 pounds.

—Wm. Allen Butler has been chosen to deliver a poem before the Phi Beta Kappa Society of Dartmouth College, next year: Caleb Cushing is chosen orator for the same occasion.

—The election in Iowa takes place on the first Tuesday in October, instead of the first Monday in August, as heretofore. Five State officers and two members of Congress are to be elected. The canvass is being conducted with unwonted activity.

—Through telegraphic communication has been opened by the magnetic line between Baltimore and Cincinnati. Hitherto messages had to be rewritten at Wheeling. The same line is rapidly being completed to New Orleans.

On last Tuesday night, a colored convict, named Nelson Bryan, died in the Maryland penitentiary, after a lingering illness, from consumption, at the age of twenty-seven years.—With an older brother, he was convicted of murder in the second degree, in the Circuit Court of St. Mary's county, on the 5th of April, 1858, and was sentenced to the penitentiary for eight years.

—There is a mammoth Congressional district in Wisconsin. It is the third, which extends from the line of Milwaukee county to Lake Superiors and embraces twenty or more counties, having an aggregate population of 350,000 souls, and upward of 60,000 voters. Wisconsin will probably have, under the next apportionment, eight members of Congress.

—Miss Catharine Dusinger died at her residence, in Hagerstown, Md., last week, in the 83d year of her age. She lived in the house in which she died for a period of seventy-five years, and leaves a brother, a few years her junior, who occupied the same house with her the same length of time.

—"Dramatic College" is the name given to a Home for Superannuated Actors, to be erected in England. A Mr. Dodd has given for the purpose five acres of land and one hundred guineas. Charles Kean presided at the meeting of its friends, held at the Princesses Theatre on the 25th ult.

—On Saturday last the Columbia water works, at Columbia, Pa., were sold at public sale for $15,350 and purchased by Colonel Samuel Shock, cashier of the Columbia Bank whose intention we understand, is to form a company. The works could not have fallen into better hands.

—Pursuant to an act of the Tennessee Legislature, an election is to be held on the first Thursday in next month, to ascertain the sense of the voters of the State in regard to the calling of a Convention to remodel the State Constitution.

—A most extraordinary discovery, which, for obvious reasons, is sought to be kept a profound secret, has taken place in an old ruined house at Iriel. An immense chest full of gold and silver coins of English stamp, has been found concealed in one of the cellars carefully walled up. From the papers and documents contained likewise in the chest, it has become evident that the house was once inhabited by Bolingbroke who must have lain concealed here during the time wherein his wherabouts has always remained a puzzle to biographers and historians. In one his letters he mentions that "his retreat is convenient to the Siene," and the house in question is found to possess a subterranean passage leading down to the water's edge. The money is evidently the result of the subscription raised by the party of the Pretender for want of which the latter was prevented from striking a decisive blow.

—Memphremagog Lake, lying partly in Vermont and partly in Canada, is beginning to be a place of resort in summer. It is surrounded by dense forests, and a new steamer carries visiters to any part of its shore.

—The German population in Philadelphia is estimated at 80,000 souls. About one half have arrived in this country since the revolution in Europe of 1848.

Railroad Earnings.

The earnings of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne and Chicago Railroad Company, during the month of July, were as follows:

From Freight	$48,888 56
" Passengers	48,917 78
" Mail	4,482 29
" Rent of Road	5,500 00
" Miscellaneous	161 02
Total	$107,949 65
Earnings in same m'h last year	119,556 18
Decrease, 10 7-10 per cent	11,606 53
Expenses in July, 1858	$75,802 65
" " 1857	108,777 62
Decrease, 30½ per cent	32,974 97
Net earnings in July, 1858	$42,147 00
" " 1857	10,778 56
Increase, 290 per cent	31,368 44

Fat Men.

Sir John Potter, the successor of Mr. Bright for Manchester, in the House of Commons, weighs about 450 pounds, and is the largest member of that body, in describing his face the London *Illustrated News* says:

Never since the first man was created, was there (we are persuaded) such a disc of human shoulders. To be apprehended it must be seen. It reminds us, when we look at it, of Milton's description of Satans shield, which, with the alteration of a single word, is an admirable picture of the face of Sir John:

—"The broad circumference
Stands on his shoulders like the moon, whose orb
Through optic glass the Tuscan artist views.'

And what a double chip he was! why, a bird might build her nest on that broad coign of vantage. The only face we ever saw like Sir John's, and that was long since, belonged to a grazier, who once at the assizes of a country town, planted himself one smoking hot day in front of Judge Park, where he sat perspiring and wiping his face until the fretful Judge could bear the sight no longer. Throwing down his pen, he called out, 'Fat man, do get out of the way; you make one hot to look at you.'"

A fatter man than Sir John, has recently died in upper Georgia. The Savanah *News* says:

One of our city physicians has handed us the following extract from a letter written to him by a professional brother in the upper country, describing a somewhat singular case, we believe of rare occurrence in surgical practice:

"I must put in a slip to give you an instance of death from the rapid accumulation of fat.—We had a young man residing 18 miles from this place who was one of the miracles of nature. At the age of 22 years he weighed 565 lbs.; he continued gradually to increase in flesh until he reached over 600 lbs; he was able to go about with tolerable ease to himself and attended to his planting interest. Some weeks ago he commenced increasing in flesh very rapidly, and gained 1½ lbs. per day; then it was found he gained a little over two lbs. per day. Last week he died suddenly in his chaise, I think from the accumulation of fat around his heart. Three days prior to his death he weighed 646 lbs; and had he been weighed the day of his death, no doubt he would have gone over 660 lbs. I have often seen him and visited his family a few months ago, professionally."

[For the Pittsburgh Post.

"QUEEN OF HEARTS."

BY STRANGE.

Miss Lancet was a gay coquette,
Who dwelt in rural parts;
Her wit and beauty won for her,
The title "Queen of Hearts"

Of every sighing swain that knelt,
She only made a butt;
And countless were the gallant youths
She cruelly had *cut*.

Among the gents professional,
The very deuce she play'd;
And many victims of her *tricks*
Were covered with a *spade*.

A hopeless love curtail'd their lives;
So blaming heartless maids,
They "*shuffled* off this mortal coil,"
And sought the peaceful shades.

To grace the sepulchre, she sent
Young Doctor Gentian Root;
And sent three attorneys, two divines,
One limner *followed suit*.

But conquests cease like all things else,
Vain victors lose their power;
The daring Queen of Hearts was *trump'd*
By Captain Barney *Bower*.

'Twas summer time, when blazing suns
All things beneath them parch;
The Captain, with his warlike troop,
Through Wagtown *made a march*

Against this mighty son of Mars,
Her breast she could not steel;
Right skillfully she work'd the game,
But Barney had the *deal*.

The coffers of the rich papa,
Bold Barney held in view,
And played not for the maid *alone*,
But gold and *diamonds* too.

The rich papa put Captain's nasal organ out of joint;
And did with *club* toward the door
Significantly *point*.

Henceforth the haughty queen was doomed
To drink of sorrow's cup;
Her lover from the town made tracks,
And nevermore *turned up*.

Alone, heart-broken, *euchred* dame,
She pined from day to day,
A warning to all giddy flirts,
And then she *parted* away.

Will the Ocean Telegraph Pay?

While the cable that was discharged from the Niagara and Agamemnon after the failure of the first attempt, was lying at Keyham, an expensive series of experiments was tried to ascertain the velocity with which words could be transmitted through it. These experiments were conducted by Mr. Whitehouse, the electrician of the Company, at an expense, we believe, of some $100,000. The result was not encouraging to the prospects of the company.

It appeared that but seventeen words in eighteen minutes—or say a word a minute—could be effectually transmitted. By the application, however, of Hughes' instrument, that rate of transmission was quadrupled. Subsequently, according to a report then published in the London *Times*, Mr. Whitehouse succeeded in sending five words per minute through 2,200 miles of cable, and expected that eight words could be transmitted with ease and certainty. Whether the result so stated to have been attained, or that expected to be attained, was or will be actually realized, somewhat doubtful. We incline to the belief that there has been considerable exaggeration indulged in somewhere in regard to these experiments. We do not think that Mr. Whitehouse ever succeeded in sending five words per minute through the cable at Keyham; and it is a question whether the submersion of the cable at the bottom of the Atlantic ocean will expedite or retard the passage of the electric current.

On this will depend the answer to the question: Will the Atlantic telegraph pay?

If the average rate of transmission by the English instruments should not exceed one word per minute, then it could not at the tariff proposed be a very profitable concern. Assuming that the line was kept constantly operated for the whole twenty-four hours of a day, and that the tariff of prices was a dollar per word, charging for address, date, &c., the gross receipts would only amount to $1,440 per day, or a little over half a million a year. But as it would not be likely to do more than half that amount of business, the receipts would probably reach no higher then a quarter of a million a year, which would leave only some $70,000 above the interest of the capital invested to go towards salaries, expenses, wear and tear, &c. So that at that rate of transmission and that tariff, the line would be very far from proving remunerative to its stockholders.

If, however, by the use of the Hughes, or some other instrument yet to be invented, the rate of transmission should be as high as five words per minute, the gross annual receipts, at full work, would be two millions and a half a year, and at half work a million and a quarter; or, not charging for address or date, say a million dollars a year. It is needless to say how immense the profits to the stockholders would be, even at the lower of these two computations, when it is recollected that there are but two offices to be kept up, and that there will be no expense arising out of repairs. The maximum rate of transmission over the submarine line between Europe and Africa is only four words per minute; and that rate can be obtained by but one operator. With the rest the rate is from two-and-half to three words per minute.

Should it turn out that from the immense pressure on the cable, or from the use of inefficient instruments, but one word per minute can be transmitted over the Atlantic telegraph, then the company might see itself compelled to fix the tariff at four or five dollars a word—no definite arrangement having been yet made on that point. Let messages be transmitted, however, at the rate of five words per minute, and the receipts of one year will be equal to thirty, three per cent. of the capital of the company.

[From the New York Evening Post.]

The End of the Frazer River Mania.

The depopulation of California, which has been going on ever since the beginning of the Frazer River excitement, was too violent and unnatural a condition of things to last. As was to be expected, it has come to a sudden end.—Nearly every city and county of any size in California has suffered greatly, both from the withdrawal of numbers of its population and from the ruinous downfall in the prices of houses and real estate. Comparatively little was known of the prospect for miners, the nature of the new country or its government, or the means of access to the gold region; but notwithstanding these drawbacks which should have delayed prudent men, California has for three months been subject to a depletion which has drawn off 30,000 of her population, and will leave hundreds of them to perish from the hardships of travel to the gold region, the jealousy of the Indian tribes, the want of provisions, and the want of money to buy the commonest necessaries of life. One would have supposed the Californians—than whom none know more intimately the color and exaggerations that gold digging stories take on—would be the last to be carried away by such an unreasonable mania. But they were the first. Happily they were the first to return to their senses.

There are now in New Caledonia, or British Columbia, as it will be called, many more mouths than can be fed by the limited supplies which the exclusive and inadequate trade of the Hudsan Bay Company furnish, many more bodies than can be sheltered from the coming winter's cold by the few houses of the traders or the huts of the Indians. For the present year emigration thither is, therefore, unwise, not to say wicked. Whoever reaches there before next spring, will either starve himself, or make somebody else starve.

It is a remarkable fact that this sudden collapse of the Frazer River mania followed hard upon news confirming the richness of the dry diggings, and was not hastened by any adverse news from the river-bed diggings. It is clearly the natural and healthy reaction from a very unnatural and unhealthy excitement, which, if long continued, would have retarded the prosperity of California materially.

The reliable information concerning the productiveness of the Frazer River mines still continues somewhat limited, and will be so until the subsidence of the present high water. Numerous and very profitable dry diggings are said to have been discovered.

An important feature of the news by this arrival is the large discoveries of gold in Oregen and Washington Territories. These discoveries, of course, are merely confirmatory of those made several years ago by Indians and the early settlers, and only certify the opinion we have several times expressed, that the gold producing region would be found in a greater or less degree to include the territory between California and British Columbia. With the added publicity which they will receive at this opportune time, and from their nearness to the Frazer River region, it is more than probable that the miners who find it impossible to sustain themselves in that crowded section, in the lack of tools and provisions, will betake themselves to a less occupied territory, where they may secure both at low prices, and aid in developing the mineral resources and gold producing areas of our most northern Pacific States.

In a Hot Place.

According to the following from the Louisville *Journal*, that city is in a fair way to receive its punishment. Hear it:

"Several cities boast of having the deepest Artesian wells in the world, but the really deepest one is in our city, and it is rapidly growing deeper and deeper every day. A great many varieties of earth, and as many of rock and several of water, have been reached, and if the theory of geologists in regard to the interior of the globe is correct, the borers may expect pretty soon to come to fire, which operating on the water above will, probably generate steam to work the machinery of the largest manufactoring establishment, and so save all the expense of coal. But, possibly the imprisoned flames may rush up with such force and fury as to form a volcano, right here in our midst."

The simple of all this is, that the people there, and a good many people elsewhere, think that hell is the substrate of Louisville, and the Artesian well people are about boring into it.—about the time the auger goes through and the "volcano" breaks forth, Prentice will immerse himself the ancient Dives, crying to Lazerus for "a drop of water," but Lazurus will send him nothing but his favorite beverage, a bucket of *old Bourbon!*—*Cincinnati Enquirer.*

THE LATEST NEWS
BY TELEGRAPH.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON CITY, August 14.—Dates from Matamoras to the 19th of July are received via New Orleans. Domingo had fallen into the hands of the forces under the Governor of Chihuahua, who declared for the constitution of 1857. Guaniuato, Guadalajara and Zacatecas had also been conquered by the liberals. Gen. Garga had left Matamoras to superintend in person the movements of the Tamulipas forces. Gen. Vidaurn was to take the field on the 27th at the head of the main body of the army of the north. Immediately on taking San Louis Potosa Col. Zuazua was banished, and also the Bishop of the Diocese, and thirty priests, for encouraging the reactionary forces to resist his entrance.

The Atlantic Telegraph Cable.

TRINITY BAY, August 13.—Mr. Whitehouse and his assistants decline giving any information respecting the electrical operations on the submarine telegraph, excepting that signals are constantly passing through the cable. All rumors to the contrary are unfounded. We hazard little, however, in saying that it has as yet been found impossible to work with Mr. Whitehouse's recording instrument successfully. No doubt is entertained, however, that the Hughes instrument, when ready, will overcome all difficulty.

A Double Murder.

HAMPTONSBURG, Orange county, N. Y., Aug. 14.—Last night Peter Shoorbeck and Margaret Shealey were both murdered by an unsuccessful rival for the hand of the latter, named Saunders.

Great excitement exists in the community in consequence, and a general search for the murderer is being made. He has thus far eluded discovery.

Preparations in Chicago.

CHICAGO, August 14.—Active preparations have been made under the auspices of the Board of Trade for the making of suitable demonstrations on the reception of the Queen's message. A large amount was subscribed at a meeting today, and a committee was appointed to draft congratulatory resolutions to C. W. Field.

Yellow Fever in New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, August 13.—The deaths from yellow fever in this city yesterday amounted to fifty-two.

Yellow Fever at Charleston.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Aug. 14.—Several deaths have occurred here from yellow fever. The physicians, however, deny the existence of the disease as an epidemic.

Gen. Walker.

AUGUSTA, Georgia, August 14.—Gen. Walker passed through here yesterday morning, en route for the North.

Those Who Have Used It.

Among the many testimonials in favor of the effects of Boerhave's Holland Bitters, we offer the names of the following, many of them well known in this city:

James Colvin, of South Pittburgh, says: "It is certainly a valuable medicine; it cured me of Dyspepsia."

Captain Henry Eaton says: "It cured my wife of Neuralgia."

J. A. Von Bonnhorst says: "I never met with so speedy a remedy for acidity of the stomach."

Henry Paulus says: "It cured me of a severe chronic diarrhœa in two days."

Samuel Woodruff, of Athens, Ohio, says: "When I commenced using your medicine I was so prostrated that I could not walk across my farm; after using one bottle I can eat anything."

HEADACHE.

FROM AN EMINENT CLERGYMAN.

I take great pleasure in saying to you that I made use of Boerhave's Holland Bitters, and found apparent relief of a severe headache, from which I had long suffered, and I believe they were of service to me in relieving my stomach and head.

SAMUEL E. BABCOCK.

HEADACHE AND DEBILITY.

Mr. Silas J. Liscombe, of Birmingham says: "I have found in Boerhave's Holland Bitters, a remedy for Headache and Debility. My wife has also used it with the greatest benefit."

Mr. A. S. Nicholson, of Pittsburgh, also remarks that he has experienced much relief from its use for headache.

STRENGTH AND HEALTH RESTORED.

Mr. John Davidson, living on miles above Pittsburgh, on the Pennsylvania Canal, says: "When I commenced taking Boerhave's Holland Bitters, I could hardly walk. I now enjoy excellent health."

Caution!—Be careful to ask for *Boerhave's Holland Bitters.* Sold at $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5, by the sole Proprietors, Benjamin Page, Jr., & Co., No. 27 Wood street, between First and Second streets, and Druggists generally.

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$1600. The owner is going west and will sell his brick dwelling house on Webster-street, near Townsend, for the above price, and on easy terms. The house is now arranged for two families, but can be easily altered to suit but one family. Contains six rooms and finished attic. Lot 24 feet front by 100 deep to an alley. In a good neighborhood. S. CUTHBERT & SON,
au10 51 Market street.

REMOVAL.

THE subscriber has removed the balance of his stock of

FURNITURE

To the ODD FELLOWS' BUILDING, No. 64 Fifth street, where he offers every article at the reduced prices.

Every article is marked in plain figures, and those in want of Furniture, are respectfully invited to call and examine the Goods and Prices, before puschasing elsewhere.

jy21:1m H. B. RYAN.

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Nos. 127 and 129 First Street, and Federal Street, Allegheny

Gas Pipes put up, and Fixtures of the latest styles and patterns. We have a very large stock of Gas Fixtures on hand, to which we call particular attention.

jy20:3m MAFFITT & OLD.

$900 will purchase an island situated in the Allegheny river, opposite Shirpsburg, containing about ten acres. Apply to JAMES C. RICHEY,
au10 Real Estate and Bill Broker, 65 Fifth st.

JAMES C. RICHEY, REAL ESTATE AGENT and BILL BROKER, No. 65 Fifth street.

LAND FOR SALE.—115 acres of Land, situate in North Fayette township; improvements good, ninety acres cleared, balance fine Timber, Coal and Limestone in great abundance, well watered, twelve miles from Pittsburgh and near Noblestown, will be sold at a great bargain. Apply to JAMES C. RICHEY,
au6 No. 65 Fifth street.

GO TO THE PEOPLE'S SHOE STORE, and buy your Shoes at reduced prices. A few more SOLLED SHOES and GAITERS selling CHEAP. GENT'S GAITERS and SHOES, selling low. Gent's Patent Leather Gaiters for $2. Now is the time for bargains. Go and procure a pair. Gent's Calf Oxfords and Ties, Buck and Calf Gaiters, cheap. Boy's and Youth's Summer Shoes selling at low rates. Call soon. DIFFENBACHER & CO.
jy17 No. 17 Fifth street, near Market.

LEMONS—25 bxs just received and for sale by REYMER & ANDERSON,
jy24 No. 89 Wood street.

INTERESTING TO THOSE SUFFERING FROM HEADACHE.—A certain remedy is found in Dr. M'Lane's Celebrated Liver Pills, prepared by Fleming Bros., of Pittsburgh. The following is a sample of certificates received daily from our own citizens:

NEW YORK, August 1, 1852.

This is to certify that I have been subject at times to severe headache; sometimes the pain would be so severe that I could rest neither day or night. Hearing of Dr. M'Lane's Celebrated Liver Pills, prepared by Fleming Bros., I sent and got a box, of which I took two pills on going to bed, for two nights. They relieved me entirely. Some time has now elapsed, and I have had no more trouble from sick headache. M. JOHNSTON, 118 Lewis street.

☞ 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 of* [49] (au12:1wdaw) FLEMING BROS.

DIED.

On Saturday evening, August 14, at his residence in East Liberty, Mr. JOHN M'MASTERS, Jr.

The funeral will take place from his residence at 2½ o'clock, this afternoon, to proceed to the Allegheny Cemetery. Carriages will leave Patterson's Livery Stable, Fourth street, at 1½ o'clock.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

COAL FARM IN BEAVER COUNTY, AT AUCTION—On TUESDAY EVENING, August 24th, at 7½ o'clock, at the Commercial Sales Room, No 54 Fifth street, will be sold: That valuable improved farm of one hundred and forty-seven acres of choice land in Beaver county, Pa., situated on the Ohio river, and Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad, about 6 miles below Rochester, and being the first farm above Industry Station. It contains about 100 acres of coal, 30 acres timber, 800 fruit trees, shrubbery, etc, and 3 houses suitable for tenants. The above joins the lands of an eastern coal company, who are about going into full operation, and will be shown to those wishing to see the primises, by Mr. Carson, who resides on the same. Terms, One-third cash, balance in four equal annual payments, with interest. Title indisputable. Possession given immediately.
au16 P. M. DAVIS, Auctioneer.

ASSIGNEE SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE—On WEDNESDAY MORNING, August 18th, at 10 o'clock, at dwelling house, No. 260 Penn street, by order of Wm. P. Baun, assignee of Wm. S. Harris, will be sold: A quantity of Household and Kitchen Furniture. (su16) P. M. DAVIS, Auctioneer.

BLACKSMITH'S TOOLS, AT AUCTION—On TUESDAY MORNING, August 17th, at eleven o'clock, will be sold, at the Commercial Sales Rooms, No. 54 Fifth street, a quantity of Blacksmith Tools, etc., comprising one superior Bellows, nearly new; Anvil, Vice, Small Tools, Blister and Cast Steel, Iron, etc.
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$15 WORTH OF MUSIC FOR TWENTY-FIVE CENTS—THE GENTLE ANNIE MELODIST.—This little work contains all the words and Music of the new and popular airs of the day. The selection has been made with great care, giving only those songs which are good and popular. All the best songs of S. C. Foster, are embraced in this collection. A large supply just received, and for sale at the Music Store of
au16 JOHN H. MELLOR, 81 Wood street.

FLOUR.—50 Bbls. Extra Superfine Flour, just received, and for sale by JAS. A. FETZER,
au16 corner Market and First streets.

EGGS.—40 Bbls. Fresh Eggs just received, and for sale by JAMES A. FETZER,
au16 corner Market and First streets.

ON THURSDAY, September 2d, at 3 o'clock P. M., will be offered for sale, on the premises, several Lots of ground of one, two and three acres, each. This property is situate on the Coal Hill and Upper St. Clair Turnpike, at about four miles from the city, near the well-known Nursery of Bockstock & Ammon, and from its location in the midst of most beautiful scenery—in a healthy and pleasant neighborhood, and convenient to the city; certainly offers Rare Inducements to persons desirous of purchasing an acre or more of ground for a country residence. A large Academy is in progress of erection on the premises. The soil is well adapted for fine gardens, orchards, etc, and springs of excellent water are abundant. For further particulars, apply at our office, 51 Market street.
S. CUTHBERT & SON,
au14 Real Estate Agents.

MONONGAHELA INSURANCE COMPANY STOCK, AT AUCTION—On TUESDAY EVENING, August 17th, at 7½ o'clock, at the Commercial Sales Rooms, No. 54 Fifth street, will be sold:
10 shares Monongahela Insurance Company stock.
au14 P. M. DAVIS, Auctioneer.

RELIEF INSURED—PRICES LOW.—Those in want of TRUSSES OR SUPPORTERS, should bear in mind that there is but one manufactory in the city. And although these articles are sold at many places, still they are mere dealers in them. Those who would procure a Truss, at about one-half the usual price asked for them in this city, should not fail to call at CARTWRIGHT & YOUNG'S,
au14 Truss Manufactory, No. 80 Wood street.

CUTLERY, CUTLERY, CUTLERY—Of the most approved ENGLISH, AMERICAN, FRENCH, and GERMAN Manufactories, for sale at BOWN & TEFLEY'S,
au14 No. 139 Wood street.

STOCKING YARNS—AT MANUFACTURERS' PRICES, Always on hand, and for sale at JOSEPH HORNE'S,
au14 77 Market street.

EXCITEMENT STILL INCREASING—On account of the great reduction of prices at the PEOPLE'S SHOE STORE, we are selling at the following cheap rates: Ladies' Black Gaiters worth $1,75 for $1,25; Ladies' colored Gaiters worth $1,75 for $1,25; Ladies' Buskins worth $1 for 75 cts; Ladies' Boots worth $1,25 for 80 cts; Ladies' Congress Boots worth $1,50 for $1,25; Gent's Patent Gaiters worth $2,75 for $2.
DIFFENBACHER & CO.,
au14 No. 17 Fifth street, near Market.

A GOOD ASSORTMENT OF DOMESTIC and Staple Dry Goods, always on hand.
C. HANSON LOVE.
(Formerly Love Brothers,)
au14 74 Market street.

FRESH FOREIGN FIGS—3 cases fresh, receiving this day, and for sale by REYMER & ANDERSON,
au14 No. 89 Wood street, Opposite the St. Charles Hotel

DATES, FRESH—30 mats new Dates, just received and for sale by REYMER & ANDERSON,
au14 89 Wood street.

COCOA NUTS, NEW—2000 just received and for sale by REYMER & ANDERSON,
au14 39 Wood st., opposite St. Charles Hotel.

PRUNES.—5 casks Cooking Prunes; 2 cases Fine received this day, and for sale by REYMER & ANDERSON,
au14 39 Wood street.

RAISINS, COOKING—150 boxes Valencia prime, received this day and for sale by REYMER & ANDERSON,
au14 No. 89 Wood street, Opposite St. Charles Hotel.

BOOTS AND SHOES—Selling at very low prices, to CLOSE OUT our Spring and Summer stock.
N. B—A few more pair of SOILED SHOES, LEFT, Which will be sold at less than cost.
Call soon and secure a bargain, at the Cheap Cash Store of JOSEPH H BORLAND,
au14 98 Market street, two doors from Fifth.

ALLEGHENY CITY LOTS FOR SALE.—Four lots of ground situated on Federal street, above the North Common, will be sold low and on easy terms. Apply to JAMES C. RICHEY,
au10 Real Estate and Bill Broker, 65 Fifth st.

JUST PUBLISHED.—Brightly's Purdon's Annual Digest of the Laws of Pennsylvania, for each of the years 1855, 1854, 1855, 1856, 1857 and 1858, namely, from the 28th of May, 1853, to 28th of May, 1858. The whole completing Strond and Brightly's Purdon's Digest to the present date, by Frederick C. Brightly, Esq., for sale by J. H. WELDIN,
No. 63 Wood street, near Fourth.

50 ACRES of very desirable land, at a short distance from the city, having some beautiful sites for country residences—47 acres contain coal of the very best quality. For sale by S. CUTHBERT & SON, 51 Market st.
au7

COPYING PRESSES—Screw Coping Presses; Cam and Lever Copying Presses; Lever Screw, and Spring Copying Presses. Sold by WM. G. JOHNSTON & CO.,
au7 57 Wood street.

MANILLA PAPERS.—All sizes and qualities, for sale by WM. G. JOHNSTON & CO., Paper Dealers and Stationers,
au7 57 Wood street.

TOBACCO.—75 boxes, assorted brands, 5's, 8's, and 10's Tobacco, now landing, and for sale by MILLER & RICKETSON,
au6 Nos. 221 and 223 Liberty street.

PRODUCE.—10 bbls. White Beans; 9 " Mess Pork, for sale by W. H. SMITH & CO.
fe30

A BUSINESS MAN WANTED—To purchase a Steam Mill, near the city, in complete order and but small capital required.
au7 S. CUTHBERT & SON, 51 Market street.

REFINED SUGARS.—30 bbls Lovering's Crushed, Fine and Coarse Pulverized Sugar; 20 bbls Lovering's "A" Coffee Crushed Sugar; 25 " " "B" " " 10 " "C" Yellow—in store and for sale by MILLER & RICKETSON,
au6 Nos. 221 and 223 Liberty street.

CLOCKS! CLOCKS!! CLOCKS!!!—We are offering our entire stock of Eight Day and One Day, Mantle, Office and Church Clocks, at a very small advance on cost, to make room for our fall stock. REINEMAN & MEYRAN,
au4 No. 42 Fifth street, Agents for the celebrated American Watches.

A VALUABLE LOT on Penn street, for sale by S. CUTHBERT & SON,
au3 51 Market street.

LIME—150 bbls. fresh, and for sale by HENRY H. COLLINS
au2

TWO DWELLING HOUSES FOR RENT, by S. CUTHBERT & SON,
jy 51 Market street.

FLOUR.—40 bbls. choice superfine for sale by JAS. A. FETZER,
fe3 Corner Market and First sts.

DRIED APPLES—50 bushels Dried Apples, just received and for sale by McCANDLESS, MEANS & CO.,
je22 Corner Wood and Water streets.

PAINTING AND PLASTERING, wanted in exchange for two lots of ground.
au3 S. CUTHBERT & SON, 51 Market st.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

DEPOT FOR THE SALE OF COAL OIL, 132 Second Street, PHILADELPHIA.

Lubricating Oil for all kinds of Machinery, Binnacle or Lamp Oil, is superior to the best winter strain sperm for burning in all kinds of LAMPS, LANTERNS, HEADLIGHTS, &c.

THOMAS' SUPERIOR PATENT IMPROVED LAMP. This lamp performs a perfect consumption of all smoke and smell arising from the use of oil, in which other lamps are found imperfect, thereby giving a much more brilliant flame. For sale wholesale and retail by
au12:2md H. BOUREAU, Sole Agent.

PROPOSALS will be received at the Commissioners' Office up to September 1st, for furnishing coal to Court House and Jail, for one year from date of contract.

Proposals will be received at same time up to same date, for repairing bridge over Cork Run, Chartiers township.

By order of Commissioners.
THOS. PERRING, Clerk.
August 11, 1858.—au12:3cD

Madame Appoline Tetedoux's

FRENCH AND ENGLISH BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES, 148 Third street, Pittsburgh, Pa. This School, designed on the plan of French Schools in France, and modified as to the English department on the plan of French Schools, in the United States, offers to young ladies, besides a full English course, the best opportunity of thoroughly acquiring the French language and literature, the Principal having resided several years in France, and being assisted by Mr. Tetedoux, a native of Paris, and a graduate of the "College Charlemagne."

French and Latin will be integral parts of the course.

The Fine Arts will be taught under the superintendence of Mr. Tetedoux, a pupil from the Conservatory of Paris.

Arrangements have been made for young ladies who, having already gone through a regular course of studies, still may wish to know English literature more thoroughly, acquire more facility in speaking the French language, and improve in the Fine Arts.

School will open on the second Monday of September.

Expenses by the term of Five Months:—Board $100; Tuition $30; Vocal Music $25; in classes $15; Piano $35; use of instrument $5; German and Italian, each $25, in classes $10; Drawing, in classes $10; Oil and Water Colors at the Professor's price. All charges payable in advance.

For circulars and further particulars