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State Central Committee.

WE publish an interesting letter on our first page in regard to the recent Alabama election. It gives a graphic picture of the scenes and incidents transpiring on election day, and is worth reading by those who take an interest in the Southern situation.

THE Commissioner of Internal Revenue has written to the Assessor of St. Louis to ascertain the sentiment of the cigar makers relative to the proposed method of stamping every cigar. At an informal meeting of cigar makers, opposition to the proposition was generally expressed.

OF all the New York daily papers, only the *World* ventures to put forth an opinion that Grant, in his correspondence with the President, has come off otherwise than honorably acquitted.

MR. BLAIR gave notice before adjournment yesterday, in the House of Delegates, that he would call up the Interest bill to-day.

THE Joint Committee of the Senate and House of Delegates on Counties, Townships and Municipal Corporations held an adjourned session on Wednesday afternoon for the purpose of hearing and determining upon the application of petitioners asking the formation of a new county out of parts of Marion, Monongalia and Wetzel counties, of other petitioners asking for a new county out of Harrison, Marion, Monongalia and Wetzel. At the session referred to the applications were withdrawn by the counsel representing the petitioners, it having been ascertained that the counties named, with the exception of Harrison, do not contain the number of square miles required by law.

WE are requested to state that the Wheeling letter to the Parkersburg *Times* in regard to the location of the Capital copied in our paper of Wednesday last was not written by the Commissioner of Immigration. This officer is now residing at a point sufficiently accessible to immigration and travel from every direction and will be likely to remain there no matter where the Capital may be located.

The *Times* of yesterday contains another letter from Wheeling, dated the 10th, from the same correspondent we presume, from which we make the following extract:

"It was my good fortune to attend an entertainment given to a literary club by a prominent citizen of Wheeling, and I would not allude to it here were it not for the hope that a reference to it might encourage the formation of such clubs in our own city of Parkersburg and elsewhere.

I did not know that there was anything Providential in my finding out this society, but it fulfills the idea long in my mind of what a literary club *should* be—a mixture of social entertainment, literary exercises, and vocal and instrumental music. On this occasion the exercises were chiefly by young ladies and gentlemen, and consisted in readings and recitations from Shakespeare, Lalla Rooke, Hiawatha, Willis, Tennyson, Burns, &c.; but a number of older persons participated, and I confess I was betrayed into the melting mood on hearing an elderly lady recite that incomparable production of Burns, "man was made to mourn."

Is there anything in music so sweet as the Scotch and Irish ballads and what are known as the popular English and American melodies? I listened to many of those songs on this occasion accompanied with music on the piano. I believe if they were oftener heard in every household people would get nearer heaven every day. Some of the New York churches have been pretty soundly abused for introducing Tom Moore's melodies as a part of their church music. Whether they were right or not, I can only say that he who cannot appreciate the religious gems of the author, has a "spirit dull as night and affections dark as Erebus." Such "literary clubs" as this are a blessing in any community. X.

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.

THURSDAY, February 13, 1868.

Prayer by Rev. J. T. McClure, of the United Presbyterian Church.

The House joint resolution proposing to add one member from the Senate and one from the House to the Committee to investigate the affairs of the Hospital for the Insane and authorizing the Committee to employ a clerk, was received and concurred in, and Mr. Drummond appointed on the part of the Senate.

Mr. Hoke, from the Committee on the Judiciary, reported back the following bills, recommending their passage:

Senate bill No. 68, A bill to legalize the execution, acknowledgement and recordation of certain deeds in Monroe county.

Senate Bill No. 72, A bill to amend section 208 of chapter 122 of the Acts of 1863, [making that section read as follows: If the judgment of the justice be affirmed as aforesaid, or if upon the trial in the court, the appellant do not increase the original judgment, if it was in his favor, or reduce it if it was against him, more than five dollars exclusive of interest and costs, the appellant shall pay the costs of such appeal. Provided, the appellant shall in no case recover costs where the original judgment against him is reduced more than five dollars, unless before such appeal is tried, he shall have tendered the appellee an amount equal to, or greater than, the judgment recovered on the trial of such appeal, together with all costs that may have accrued up to the time of such tender.]

House Bill No. 42, A Bill to empower the Board of Trustees of the Morgantown Female Collegiate Institute, to convey certain real estate.

House Bill No. 47, A bill to amend and re-enact sections two and three of chapter 164 of the Code of Virginia, 2d edition.

Said Bills No. 68 and 72, were not reached on the calendar, and No. 42, was ordered to its third reading, and No. 47 was recommitted.

Mr. Hoke also reported back Senate Bill No. 69, A Bill to amend and re-enact section 16, chapter 196, of the Code of Virginia, second edition, recommending that it do not pass. This bill was not reached. It provides for a change in the law for the observance of the Sabbath.

Mr. Zinn, from the Committee on Finance and Claims, reported back, recommending their passage, House Bill No. 27, A bill for the relief of Lorentz Kidwell and George Heckbert, [appropriating $148 65, to pay them for work done on the Parkersburg and Staunton Turnpike]; Senate Bill No. 63, A dill for the relief of tax payers, and House Bill No. 41, A bill to amend and re-enact the 7th section of an act entitled "An act concerning licenses," passed November 28, 1863.

Said bills Nos. 27 and 63 were tabled, and No. 41 amended and ordered to its third reading.

Mr. Drummond from Townships reported back recommending their passage.

House Bill No. 37, a bill providing for the election of township officers.

House Bill No. 38, a bill constituting a certain part of bank of Ohio river a lawful fence, and

House Bill No. 43, a bill amending the charter of the town of Morgantown in the county of Monongalia.

Said bill No. 37 was tabled, and Nos. 38 and 43 ordered to their third reading.

Mr. Farnesworth, from Internal Improvements and Navigation reported back, recommending their passage:

House Bill No. 40, a bill to incorporate the Peninsula Turnpike Company.

House Bill No. 46, a bill to amend and re-enact chapter 109 of the acts of 1866, entitled an act in relation to the Guyandotte Navigation Company.

Senate Bill No. 64, a bill to transfer the interest of this State in the wire suspension bridge across the South Branch of the Potomac river, in Hampshire county, to said county.

Said bill No. 40 was ordered to its third reading, No. 46 was recommitted and No. 64 was not reached.

Mr. Foster presented the petition of officers and voters of Gilmer county praying that Levi Johnson and W. L. Stevenson of that county be allowed to practice law without taking the test oath. Read and referred to the Judiciary.

Mr. Wright presented the petition of 25 tax payers of West Union, Doddridge county, protesting against the passage of Senate Bill No. 58, A bill to amend and re-enact the charter of the town of West Union, in the county of Doddridge. Petition tabled.

On motion of Mr. Farnsworth,

Resolved, That the Janitor be allowed the same per diem as was allowed him last session.

On motion of Mr. Young,

Resolved That the Committee on Internal Improvement and Navigation inquire into the expediency of providing for a survey of the route of the Menongahela and Lewisburg railroad, and report by bill or otherwise.

On motion of Mr. Boreman,

Resolved, That the Committee on Internal Improvement and Navigation inquire into the expediency of so altering the road law of the State as to require the payment of Surveyor's of Roads out of the county treasury.

Mr. Chapline introduced a bill amending the 4th and 6th sections of the act incorporating the Maryland and Virginia Bridge Company. Read first time, rule suspended, engrossed and passed, Yeas 21, Nays none.

Mr. Slack introduced a bill concerning the limitations of personal actions. Read first time.

Mr. Zinn introduced a bill to repeal the act of last winter allowing Prosecuting Attorney's a fee of $10 in cases of misdemeanor, and also a bill providing for the forfeiture of certain lands for school purposes. Each read the first time.

Mr. Hoke introduced a bill amending section 4, of chapter 172, of the code [in relation to set offs]. Read first time.

Mr. Workman introduced a bill amending chapter 143 of the acts of 1867, [East river and Princeton Turnpike]. Read first time.

House Bill No. 21, A bill to amend section 1, of chapter 101, of the Code of Virginia, second edition, pending at adjournment yesterday [in relation to deer] was recommitted.

The Senate joint resolution protesting against the burial of rebel soldiers in Antietam Cemetery was laid on the table for examination.

The Senate joint resolution proposing to celebrate Washington's birth-day was adopted.

The following bills were passed by unanimous vote, except that Mr. Foster voted against No. 14, Mr. Applegate against No. 47, and Mr. Boreman against No. 70:

Senate bill No. 14, a bill to amend the charter of the West Virginia Transportation Company.

Senate bill No. 47, a bill to amend the law providing for the registration of the qualified voters of the State.

Senate bill No. 70, a bill making an appropriation to the West Virginia Agricultural College.

House bill No. 30, a bill establishing the lines of the townships of Greenbrier county.

The following bills were read the second time and referred:

House Bill No. 49, A bill to incorporate Ripley Lodge No. 30, of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, in the town of Ripley.

House Bill No. 50, A bill to amend the law concerning corporations.

House Bill No. 51, A bill declaring the Elk Fork of Point Pleasant Creek, in Tyler county, a public highway.

House Bill No. 52, A bill to incorporate the North and South Branches Turnpike Company;

The following was recommitted.

Senate Bill No. 50, A bill to amend and re-enact sections 1 and 5 of the Act passed February 21, 1867, entitled An Act providing for the construction of a road in the counties of Boone and Cabell.

The following was tabled for examination:

Senate Bill No. 58, A bill to amend and re-enact the charter of the town of West Union, in the county of Doddridge.

The Senate adjourned.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

Prayer by Rev. J. P. Farmer.

Mr. Heermans, from the Committee on Finance and Taxation reported as follows: Adversely upon releasing Mrs. Eliza Pennington from taxation; in favor of referring to the Committee on Taxation the proposition to require township treasurers to distrain for taxes, and the resolution to exempt bonds issued for the erection of school buildings; suggesting that the petition of T. C. Davis and others will be covered by the passage of the bill concerning insolvent militia fines; recommending that the bill for the relief of Geo. C. Kerr's securities do not pass; reporting back the bill regulating the payment of money into the treasury, without recommendation; reporting a bill to repeal sec. 48, chap. 118 of the acts of 1863; reporting a bill to extend the time for the Sheriffs of Monroe and Greenbrier counties to pay the revenues of 1865-66-67; reporting a bill to amend and re-enact section 5, chapter 274, of the acts of 1860, passed by the General Assembly of Virginia.

Mr. Goff, from the Committee on Military Affairs, reported back the House joint resolution for the relief of Abraham Simons, recommending its passage; also recommending the passage of the bill for the enrollment of the militia with certain amendments; also reporting adversely upon the proposition to repeal the act creating a board of military claims.

Mr. Ferguson, of Cabell, from the Judiciary Committee, reported as follows: Recommending the appointment of a committee to investigate the charges against Judge Hindman; also Senate bill No. 42, with an amendment; also a bill to repeal chapter 79 of the acts of 1865 entitled an act to prevent the prosecution of suits and the suing out of process by persons engaged in the rebellion; also a bill to prevent trespass on lands; also a bill regulating the publication of legal advertisements; and a bill to authorize Alex. Monroe to practice law without taking the attorney's oath.

Mr. Fleming, of Harrison, from the Committee on Counties, reported against allowing Logan county to issue certain bonds; also a bill repealing chap. 86 of the acts of 1867.

Mr. Mahon, from the Committee on Roads, reported against the proposition to allow Seth Turner and John P. Hale to construct booms across Kanawha and New rivers, and granting $2,000 to build a bridge across Coal river, in Boone county. Also reported a bill authorizing a bridge across the Potomac river between Piedmont and Westernport.

Mr. Blair, from the Committee on Forfeited and Unappropriated Lands, reported a bill granting the minerals under a certain part of the bed of the Ohio river.

Mr. Boughner, from the Committee on Claims, reported that the case of D. P. King, of Clay county, came within the jurisdiction of the Board of Military Claims.

The following resolutions of enquiry were offerred:

By Mr. Armstrong: As to the expediency of repealing chapter 129, acts of 1867, or so much thereof as provides for the furnishing of "blank lists" by the Assessor "to each person or company within his district.."

By Mr. Stewart: As to the expediency of reporting a bill allowing Francis B. Boggs, late Sheriff of Braxton county, to distrain for uncollected tax for the years 1859 and 1860.

By Mr. Cole: Preventing persons from setting fire to coal mines.

By Mr. Evans: As to the expediency of amending the charter of the town of Brandonville, Preston county;

By Mr. Stewart: As to the expediency of allowing Francis C. Boggs to build a mill dam across Elk river, in Braxton county.

By Mr. Blair: Amending the act passed February 27th, 1866, entitled an act establishing uniform grades and system of drainage in the city of Parkersburg.

By Mr. Hinchman: Making it the duty of all persons to register themselves on going into any county or township, as the case may be, and providing that the Supervisors of each county shall appoint one Registrar in each township as near the centre thereof as possible, and also convenient to the road.

By Mr. Ferguson, of Cabell: Amending the act creating the county of Lincoln.

The following petitions were offered.

By Mr. Fleming, of Harrison: On behalf of James H. Tucker and 58 other citizens of Hampshire county, protesting against the removal of the county seat from Romney.

By Mr. Chase: On behalf of W. C. Clayton and 71 other citizens of Hampshire county, remonstrating against the removal of the county seat.

By Mr. Tomlinson: On behalf of Peter Darnel and others, asking for the incorporation of West Columbia Lodge No. 14, I. O. O. F., in Mason county.

By Mr. Armstrong: On behalf of Daniel Wolford and 40 others, and Jas. Pepper and 30 others, citizens of Hampshire county, protesting against the removal of the county seat.

By Mr. Armstrong: On behalf of George W. Bier and 47 other citizens of Moundsville, asking for such an amendment of the town charter as will require the authorities to publish regular statements of receipts and expenditures.

By Mr. Hinchman: On behalf of John Miller and 122 others, asking for a reduction of the tolls charged by the Coal River Navigation company.

By Mr. Largent: On behalf of Geo. W. Arnold and 74 others, and Wm. Devor and 101 others, citizens of Hampshire county, for the removal of the county seat.

By Mr. Mann: On behalf of J. H. Inskeep and 70 other citizens of Hampshire county, protesting against the removal of the county seat.

By Mr. Boggess: On behalf of John Haymaker and three other citizens of Calhoun county, asking relief for money expended in the pursuit and arrest of a horse thief.

By Mr. Heermans: On behalf of T. C. Rathbone, Agent for A. Meylent, praying for a release of the State's lien against 4,000 acres of land in Wirt county. Referred to the Committee on Taxation and Finance.

By Mr. Pinnell: On behalf of Wm. Curry and 30 other citizens of Webster and Upshur counties, asking the incorporation of a turnpike in said counties.

Mr. Hervey offerred the following joint resolution:

Resolved, By the Legislature of West Virginia: That a joint committee of two on the part of the House and two from the Senate be appointed to ascertain and report the present condition of the Code and when the same will be completed.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

To amend and re-enact the chartor of Ravenswood. For the relief of Geary township, in the county of Roane. To incorporate Highland Lodge I. O. O. F. To incorporate the Hughes Creek Railroad and Coal Company. Amending the charter of a road in Gilmer and Ritchie counties. Authorizing the jailor of Ohio county to employ a guard. To incorporate Cornstalk Lodge No. 2, of the Improved Order of Red Men in Wheeling. To limit the time in which the Board of Public Works may audit claims against the State of Virginia. For the collection of back taxes in the county of Cabell. Concerning insolvent militia fines. Allowing and legalizing a mill dam across Piles' Fork of Buffalo Creek at Mannington. To alter part of the division line between the counties of Hampshire and Mineral. Making a part of the Ohio river in Jackson county a lawful fence. Declaring a certain part of Tug Fork of Big Sandy river a public highway. Preventing the destruction of rabbits in Ohio county. Incorporating Saint George Lodge No. 39, I. O. O. F., in Tucker county. Creating a school district in Morgantown. To incorporate the town of Harper's Ferry. To provide free schools for Clarksburg. To incorporate the town of Bruceton. To incorporate the Pt. Pleasant and Mud Bridge Turnpike Company.

The bill authorizing elections to be held at Smithtown, Monongalia county, was laid on the table. The bill to provide for a Deaf and Dumb Institution was committed to the Judiciary. The bill providing for publication of 1000 copies of the Road laws was laid on the table. The bill extending the time of the Sheriff of Mercer county was committed to the Committee on Taxation and Finance. The bill relating to the Exchange Bank of Virginia at Weston was referred to the Judiciary Committee. The bill to amend an act incorporating the Maryland and Virginia Bridge Company was read a second time and laid on the table. The bill placing the roads of Morgan county under the control of the Board of Supervisors, and the bill refunding certain taxes against Solomon Harper of Ritchie county were each read the first time. The bill for the relief of Jacob W. Parsons was referred to the Committee on Taxation and Finance.

On motion of Mr. Mahon the House adjourned.

How Pennsylvania was Carried by the Democracy.

A correspondent of the Pittsburg *Gazette* thus sums up the rascalities which have been perpetrated in Pennsylvania:

"The developments in the contested election case before the Senate Committee grow richer and richer day by day. This afternoon the Democratic Prothonotary of Luzerne county was before the Committee. It seems that sixty men voted at one of the districts in Clearfield county last fall, on naturalization certificates purporting to have been issued by the Court of Luzerne county on the 28th of September, 1866, and the names of these sixty voters being shown to the Prothonotary, and compared with his naturalization record of that date, he testified that not one of these men, or men with these names, were naturalized in that Court at that time. Being shown one of the naturalization certificates, he testified that the printed part was similar to the genuine blanks used by him, and that the seal on it looked like the impression of the genuine seal; but that the signature was not his, nor was the filling up in the handwriting of himself or any of his clerks. Evidence, it is said, will be presented to show that the fraudulent certificates were issued in that county by the thousands; that at least three thousand six hundred of them were voted on in that county in 1866, and that they were sold openly in Scranton and Wilkesbarre for $1.75 each. It has been generally supposed heretofore that these fraudulent certificates were sealed with an old seal thrown out of use in that county, and not with the new and genuine seal of that county, made to take its place; but the evidence of this Prothonotary went to show that this new seal was left in the Prothonotary's office in a cupboard with nothing but a common lock on the doors; and as the impression of the seal on the fraudulent paper shown him was, in his opinion, that of the *genuine* seal, we are shut up to the conclusion that the scoundrels who perpetrated these frauds, aware of the fact that their use of the old seal had been detected, surreptitiously obtained the new one, and have used it *ad libitum*. There can be little doubt that the State has been flooded with these fraudulent papers. Two Democratic State Senators were elected with them last fall. Judge Sharswood was elected by them. And they intend to carry the State next fall with them, if their schemes are not counteracted. It is impossible, yet, to determine the full extent of this fraud; but what we already know, and what is reported as being capable of proof, is enough to make every honest man stand aghast, and almost despair of the possibility of maintaining a republican government.'

STOCK OF OIL IN THE OIL REGION.—The estimated stock of oil in the oil region on the 7th inst., was five hundred and forty-one thousand one hundred barrels. This amount includes all that is in iron tanks and wooden storage tanks, and on the hands of producers, brokers and shippers. The amount of oil on the hands of producers is very small, and it has been set down at four days' production. As compared with last month, the total stock shows an increase of but six thousand five hundred barrels, and a falling off of eighty-nine thousand nine hundred barrels, as compared with that held at the same time in December last. At no time, probably, within the past year has the stock on the hands of the brokers, shippers and producers been as small as at present. The increase in the total stock has been caused by the filling of iton tankage. There are at various points in the oil region about fourteen thousand barrels of oil in wooden storage tanks.

SECRETARY SEWARD has written to Governor Hayes that no law of the United States authorizes the return of documents on file in his Department, either to individuals or States, and therefore the resolutions of the Ohio Legislature ratifying the United States Constitutional Amendment will not be returned.

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Dissolution.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between John Roemer, Henry Roemer, and Herman Roemer, under the style of John Roemer & Co. is this day dissolved by limitation. The business of the old firm will be settled up by John Roemer. Those having claims against the old firm will please present them for payment, and those knowing themselves indebted to call and settle their accounts, and oblige.

JOHN ROEMER & Co.

NOTICE.

The above business will be continued in all its branches by John Roemer, at the old stand, Nos. 31 and 33 Main street, Centre Wheeling. Thankful for past favors, and solicit a continuance of the same.

Respectfully, JOHN ROEMER.
Jan 18-1m.

COFFEE.

100 BAGS CHOICE RIO,

Just received and for sale by

jan14 PAXTON & OGLEBAY.

JOHN REID. HERMAN ROEMER.

REID & ROEMER,

(Successors to John Bayha.)

MANUFACTURERS OF

Copper, Tin and Sheet Iron Ware,

137 Market st., opposite City Buildings.

WILL KEEP CONSTANTLY ON HAND a large assortment of all kinds of ware usually found in such establishments, and are fully prepared to fill all orders for anything manufactured from Copper, Tin or Sheet Iron.

Repairing done on short notice and at the cheapest rates. jan31-6m

THE UNDERSIGNED, DAVID LEVI, OF I. Wheeling, West Va., hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of the estate of Wm. Schwabacker, of Wheeling, in the county of Ohio, in the District of West Va., and who was, to wit, on the 15th day of November, 1867, adjudged a Bankrupt upon the petition of himself, by the District Court of the United States for said District.

Dated at Wheeling, the 7th day of February, 1868.

feb8-3wd&w DAVID LEVI.

FEMME SON'S LITTLE GIANT CLOTHES WRANGER—the best in use. Good Agents wanted in every county. Address,

J. F. RAYNOLDS,
Wheeling, W. Va.
Sep4-tf

New Advertisements.

☞ RELIGIOUS NOTICE—FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. Jonathan Cross, of South Wheeling, will preach in the Fourth Presbyterian Church of this city on Saturday evening, the 15th inst., at seven o'clock, and on Sabbath morning at 10 o'clock. A collection will be taken up at the close of the Sabbath morning service for the Board of Domestic Missions. feb14-2t*

For Cincinnati and Louisville.

The fine passenger packet "NEW YORK" Capt. H. C. Richmond, will leave as above on Friday, the 14th inst., at 12 m.

For freight or passage, apply on board or to

JOHN McCLUSKEY & CO., Agts,
feb14-1t 31 Water st.

For Marietta and Parkersburg.

The fine side-wheel passenger steamer "REBECCA," Capt. C. H. Booth, will leave as above on this day at 11 o'clock a. m.

For freight or passage apply on board or

BOOTH, BATTELLE & CO.,
feb14-1t Agents.

For Cincinnati.

The fine passenger steamer "R. R. HUDSON," Capt. Russell, will leave as above on Saturday, 15th inst., at 3 o'clock, p. m.

For freight or passage apply on board or to

BOOTH, BATTELLE & CO.,
feb14-2t Agents.

Notice.

I HAVE THIS DAY SOLD MY ENTIRE interest to the balance of the partners in La Belle and Jefferson Iron Works, located respectively at Wheeling, W. Va. and Steubenville, Ohio.

WM. BAILEY.
JANUARY 28, 1868. feb14-3t*

Administrator's Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I shall proceed to sell at public sale, at the front door of the Court House of Ohio county, on SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15th, 1868, at ten o'clock a. m., to the highest and best bidder for cash, 55 shares of the Capital Stock of the Washington Hall association; also lot No. 27 in Churchill addition, No. 1 on Quincy st.

JOSEPH SEYBOLD,
feb14-2t Adm'r of W. S. Wickham's Estate.

Dissolution.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing under the firm name of Turner & Speidel was dissolved on the 31 inst., Joseph Speidel retiring. The business will be settled up by the undersigned, who is duly authorized to receive claims and collect all debts due the late firm.

A. TURNER.
WHEELING, Feb. 13, 1868. feb14-4t

Lectures and Oyster Supper

At CLAYSVILLE, PA.

THERE WILL BE A FREE TEMPERANCE Lecture delivered at Claysville, Pa., WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEB. 19 1868, after which there will be an Oyster Supper given by the Claysville Lodge I. O. G. T.

The Rev. M. Mulheals, of Wheeling, W. Va., and the Rev. Mr. Watkins, of Washington, Pa., have been engaged to deliver the lectures.

Half fare tickets can be procured at the Hempfield Railroad. All are invited to attend. feb14-5t

For Sale and Rent,

BUSINESS BASEMENT ROOMS, finished offices and Daguerrian rooms in second story, and rooms for other purposes for rent in my brick block, on Main street. Possession given immediately.

Building lots and dwelling houses for sale. Also a manufacturing site, containing eight lots, fronting on Main street and the river, between the Belmont and River-side Mills, Sixth Ward. Also my country place for sale.

THOS. HORNBROOK.
Office, No. 118½ Main street, above Monroe, up stairs. feb14-tf

THE WEST VIRGINIA

Mining and Manufacturing Co.

CAPITAL,.....$125,000

J. B. FORD, President. A. ALLEN HOWELL, Vice President.

DIRECTORS:

M. W. BURT. T. M. DODSON
W. E. SIMPSON, J. H. CONNELLY,
W. F. PETERSON.

This company is now fully organized and are manufacturing Redneel Carbon and Lubricating Oils, Lamp Wick and Chimneys.

For information in regard to the Stock or business of the company, apply at the company's office, corner Fifth & Lindsay streets.

CHAS. BLACK, Secretary.
E. B. ADDISON, Treas. and Sup't. feb14

Special Notice.

TO EDWARD M. NORTON, UNITED States Marshal for the District of West Virginia:

You are hereby authorized to give notice by the publication of this notice or warrant that a special term of the District Court of the United States for the District of West Virginia, will be held in Wheeling, West Virginia, on FRIDAY, the 14th day of FEBRUARY, 1868, for the transaction of any business, unfinished, or otherwise, that may properly come before the court at a special term.

Given under my hand as Judge of said Court for the District of West Virginia, this 12th day of February, 1868.

JOHN J. JACKSON, JR.,
feb13-d1d Judge D. C. U. S. D. W. Va.

First Mutual Store.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the First Mutual Store Association, for the election of Directors to serve for the ensuing year, will be held in American Hall, FRIDAY EVENING, FEB. 14th, commencing at 7 o'clock.

WM. HASTINGS,
feb12-3td President.

Just Received.

100 PIECES CHOICE STYLES AND good quality Dark Calicos, to be sold at 12½c. 200 pieces of Brown and Bleached Muslins of every quality at less than New York Prices for cash. Please call and examine at

JOHN ROEMER'S,
Nos. 31 & 33 Main st., Centre Wheeling.
feb12-1w

Wanted.

IN A WHOLESALE NOTION, HOSIERY and Trimming house, in Philadelphia, a salesman who can command a good trade. To such a person a rare chance is offered for advancement. Address, with particulars,

BOX 1432,
feb10-1w* Philadelphia, P. Office.

Car Drivers' Gloves.

A NEW ARTICLE. WARRANTED TO keep the hands warm.

J. S. RHODES & CO.

New Goods.

NEW YORK MILLS, LONSDALE AND "Semper Idem," Bleached Muslins; 5-4 and 10-4 Bleached and Brown Sheetings; Merrimack and other first class Prints; Fine White BALLARD VALE Flannels; New Cassimeres for Boys' Wear, Irish Linens and Shirt Bosoms; Fine Black Alpacas and Mohairs.

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JOHN P. GILCHRIST,

PIG METAL BROKER,

OFFICE, IN UNION HALL BUILDING, 2d floor, Main street, near Monroe. All kinds of Mill and Foundry Iron constantly on hand and for sale. jan23

Boarders Wanted.

A FEW BOARDERS CAN BE ACCOMMODATED with Board and Lodging, at No. 80, corner of Market and Quincy streets. Price $4 50 per week. feb8-1w

Co-Partnership Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS DAY formed a Co-partnership under the firm name of Thomas Hughes & Co., for the purpose of conducting the Wholesale and Retail Clothing business, at the stand formerly occupied by Thos. Hughes, No. 35, Cor. Monroe & Water streets.

THOS HUGHES.
WM.