THE INTELLIGENCER.

FRIDAY MORNING, JANUARY 8, 1858.

Largest Circulation of any Pape: in Western Virginia.

CASH NOTICE.

ON and after JANUARY FIRST, 1858, all retail sales will be for Cash, by [dec28] MARSH & WAYMAN.

SETTLEMENTS.

ALL Accounts on our books are drawn off; and ready for settlement; those not called for on the first day of January will be presented on the second.
MARSH & TAYLOR.
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JANUARY 1, 1858.
CASH SYSTEM,

THE undersigned have concluded to sell Goods for *CASH EXCLUSIVELY*, from this date.
MARSH & TAYLOR.

Professor Miller's Dancing Academy!
AT WASHINGTON HALL,
WHEELING, VA.

THIS fashionable Institution will re-open for the *last* session of the season on Friday and Saturday next, January 8th and 9th. Hours of Instruction—For Ladies, misses and masters, from 3 to 5 P. M., and for Gentlemen, from 8 to 10 P. M., every Friday and Saturday. A select Cotillion Party every other Thursday during the season.
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Morals and High Prices.—It never occurred to us that the high price of provisions and morality were at all related to each other until very recently, when, upon reading a paragraph in some newspaper, upon the subject, we were induced to give the matter some attention. After thoroughly considering the subject as relating to our own city during the past year, we are prepared to say that dear beef *is* as fatal to morals as badly lighted throughfares or low necked frocks. The "local" of an exchange paper argues about like this:

"When mutton is eight cents a pound, the pound consists of sixteen ounces. Advance the price to fourteen cents, and the pound dwindles away to twelve or thirteen ounces. Put up the price of tobacco to two dollars a pound, and there would not be an honest segar maker in the city. Oakum and guano would then take the place of "Prime Cavendish;" while first class regalias would owe their paternity not to Havana, but to the cabbage patches that luxuriate about.

As we have already said, prices have a moral as well as monetary effect upon people. If you would have a miller escape perdition, the price of flour should never get above six dollars per barrel. The moment it rises above that figure, the millers rise above the Commandments, and commence working in gypsum and prepared chalk. With these things come short sleeps and unquiet consciences, and with unquiet consciences come gnashing of teeth, and all that sort of thing."

The same rule holds good in every department of business. With pork at its true value, which is just six cents a pound, no man would ever be dragged before a police court for making sausages of horse meat; nor, if potatoes were sold at thirty cents a bushel, would the hucksters ever dream that the bushel consisted only of three half filled pecks. People who would live happily and die in bliss, should think of these things, and pray for full crops, full barns and low prices. Amen!

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Yesterday—"The day opened through a golden door." The sky was marvellously clear and bright—the air pure and invigorating. The day seemed to have staggled from its allotted place sometime last September, like a lamb from the fold, and deigned to wander into the rout of this grim season, setting at defiance all the prophecies of the Almanac and its old fogy followers and believers. The man who paints the grim picture on the January page of that sort of publication, portraying "a tremendous snow storm and a wretched traveler, with staff and pack, up to his second joints in drifts, going into a dismal perspective of woods, from which it is safe to wager he never will come out alive," must have felt ashamed of his presumption yesterday. He is a harmless humbug.—We can only charitably allow that he did not intend it for this latitude. The ladies, glowing, charming, fresh and buoyant as usual, came down in brilliant array upon the dry goods houses and swarmed the sidewalks like so many fair renegades from some delightful elysian precinct "away up yonder."

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Singular Accident.—A man whose name we could not learn, was thrown headlong from a fractious horse in the streets of Bridgeport the day before yesterday. He was pitched head foremost into a sea of mud, with such great violence that nothing but his heels were visible. In his descent the bridle rein looped over his arm and shoulder, and that member penetrating the soft earth along with the balance of his corporosity, the man was thus transmogrified into a hitching in the ground, and the horse was unable to leave the spot, until the woe-begone rider was fished out. Fortunately, no serious injury was sustained.

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Sad Accident.—A lad named George Detrow, about twelve years of age met with a sad accident yeterday in Hamilton & Wilcox's coal bank, Centre Wheeling. He was employed in some capacity in the mine when a heavy fall of soap stone took place. He was partially buried beneath the immense mass and when extricated it was discoved that the lad, besides being seriously bruised, had both legs broken. Dr. Frizzel was called to attend and proper medical treatment rendered. The unfortunate boy was in a critical condition at last accounts.

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A Cunning Thief.—The young man who borrowed a watch from an inebriated friend at the Monroe House day before yesterday and afterwards "snaked" it, sloped yesterday with the proceeds of the ill-gotten chronometer. He sold the watch to a Main-street clothier for five dollars, but was compelled to redeem it, when he sold it to another party for eight dollars and is now employing his locomotives in a direction unknown "to those whom it concerns." The worst kind of luck to him!

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Monumental.—Messrs. Blum & Stanley have formed a partnership, as will be seen by their card, for the purpose of entering into the manufacture of tombstones and monuments, at the old stand of Evans & Stanley, Main street, a few doors north of Quincy. Blum is one of the best workman in all kinds of marble, in the city, and has executed some fine specimens of monumental work. They solicit the patronage of the public.

This day is the last chance for Bishop McIlvaines work at Orr's, for 50 cts. Send and get a copy.

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A Run-off.—The eastern bound B. & O. R. R Express train, yesterday morning ran off the track, at Black Oak Bottom, causing a slight detention, but doing no damage of importance.

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John Gruber, Esq., publisher of the Hagerstown (Md.) Almanac, and one of the oldest printers in the United States, died a few days since, at the advanced age of 91 years.

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The River.—The river is still falling slowly with a good stage of water in the channel.

The J. B. Ford leaves to-day for Cincinnati and Louisville. She was not receiving much freight yesterday, but her gay colors were unfurled to the breeze and she seemed to be cheerily trusting to luck, and hard drumming. Capt. John List is in command.

The favorite steamer Liberty is due this morning, from Cincinnati, and will leave to-morrow evening positively.

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Somebody is interested in the information that T. H. LOGAN & Co., have just received some articles that have been "wanting" lately, such as "Keyser's Pectoral Syrup," "French Army Lotion," "Sanfords Liver Invigorator," Concentrated Lye, White Castile Soap, &c.

They have also some elegant style "Colognes" which they will close out at very low prices.—Call at the "Bridge Corner Drug Store."

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A LIVER REMEDY.—We wish to say to every person who reads this that there is an article known as DR. SANFORD'S INVIGORATOR, or Liver Remedy, which can be relied on as certain to cure liver complaint in any of its forms, such as Jaundice, Dyspepsia and numerous other complaints, described in another column, besides which it is one of the greatest preparations or cures for consumption, taken in early stages, that is now known.

We take it for granted, as experiment has proven, that diseases of the lungs are not generally the first cause of consumption, but a debiliated system, caused by the improper action of the liver, which reduces the power of the lungs to resist or throw off diseases by cold and irritation, leaving the lungs at the mercy of this disease, because the liver has incapacitated them from performing their proper actions of throwing off diseased matter caused by cold.

Thus to prevent consumption, cure the liver and keep the system strong enough to throw off slight diseases of the lungs.

There is not in the world a better liver remedy or cure for debilliated system than Dr. Sanford's Invigorator, for it has been fully tried in a large and extended practice till its results are fully known, and it is offered as a tried remedy, and one that can be relied on.—*Lancaster Whig.*
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SETTLEMENTS.

ACCOUNTS against all parties indebted to the subscribers will be made out and ready for settlement by the first of January. Those not calling for their accounts by that time will be presented with them immediately thereafter. [dec28] M'CLALLENS, KNOX & CO.

Cash System.

ON the First of January, the subscribers intend adopting the CASH SYSTEM EXCLUSIVELY. They will not depart from this rule under any circumstances, for any party or parties whatsoever, being convinced, from a long experience, that this plan is not only better for the seller, but also for the consumer.
dec23 M'CLALLENS, KNOX & CO.

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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD!

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.—On and after Monday, December 21st,

THE FAST MAIL TRAIN leaves the Passenger Station every morning, except Sunday, at 7.50 o'clock, Pittsburgh time, arriving in Philadelphia at 11.50 p. m.

THE EXPRESS TRAIN leaves the Station every evening, at 9.40.

The Johnstown Accommodation train leaves Pittsburgh daily, except Sunday, at 2.30 o'clock, p. m., stopping at all stations, and running as far as Conemaugh. First Accommodation Train for Turtle Creek Bridge, leaves daily, except Sunday, at 10.40, a. m. The Second Accommodation Train for Turtle Creek, leaves, leaves daily, Sunday excepted, at 4.20 p. m. The Third Accommodation Train for Turtle Creek, leaves daily, except Sunday, at 6.20, p. m.

Returning Trains arrive in Pittsburgh as follows:—Express, 1.45 p. m.; Mail, 5.00 a. m.; Johnstown Accommodation, 11 a. m.; First Turtle Creek Accommodation, 6.50 a. m.; Second Accommodation, 12.40; Third Accommodation, 6.10 p. m.

Trains for Blairsville and Indiana, connect at Blairsville Intersection with Mail Train East, Express train West, and the Johnstown Accommodation Train East and West.

Pittsburgh and Connellsville Trains, stopping at all Stations on the Pittsburgh and Connellsville Road, leave daily, Sunday excepted, as follows:—Mail Train, 7 00 a. m.; Express Train, 3.30 p. m. Returning Trains from Pittsburgh and Connellsville Road, arrive at Pittsburgh, 8.35 a. m., and 6.10 p. m.

The traveling public will find it greatly to their interest in going East or West, to travel by the Pennsylvania Railroad, as the accommodations now offered, cannot be surpassed on any other route. As the road is ballasted with stone, and is entirely free from dust, we can promise safety, speed and comfort, to all who may favor this road with their patronage.

Fare to New York	$18 00
" " Philadelphia	10 00
" " Baltimore	9 50
" " Lancaster	8 50
" " Harrisburg	7 45

Baggage checked to all Stations on the Pennsylvania Railroad, and to Philadelphia Baltimore and New York.

Passengers purchasing tickets in the cars, will be charged Ten Cents in addition to the Station rates, except from Stations where the Company has no agent.

NOTICE.—In case of loss, the Company will hold themselves responsible for personal baggage only, and for an amount not exceeding $100.

N. B.—The Excelsior Omnibus Line, has been employed to convey Passengers and Baggage to and from the Depot, at a charge not to exceed 25 cents for each passenger and baggage.

For Tickets apply to J. STEWART, Agent.,
At the P. R. R. Passenger Station,
jan1 on Liberty and Grant sts., Pittsburgh.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

THE GREAT CENTRAL ROUTE, connecting the Atlantic cities with Western, North-Western, and South-Western States by a continuous Roilway direct. This road also connects at Pittsburgh with daily line of Steamers to all ports on the Western Rivers, and at Cleveland and Sandusky with Steamers to all ports on the North-Western Lakes; making the most *direct, cheapest and reliable route* by which FREIGHT can be forwarded to and from the *Great West.*

RATES BETWEEN PHILADELPHIA AND PITTSBURGH

FIRST CLASS—Boots, Shoes, Hats and Caps, Books, Dry Goods, (in boxes, bales and trunks,) Drugs, (in boxes and bales) Feathers, Furs, &c.	90c per 100 lbs.
SECOND CLASS—Domestic Sheeting, Shirting and Ticking, (in original bales,) Drugs (in casks.) Hardware, Leather, (in rolls or boxes) Wool and sheep Pelts Eastward.	75c per 100 lbs.
THIRD CLASS.—Anvils, Steel, Chains (in casks,) Hemp, Bacon, and Pork, salted (loose or in casks,) Tobacco manufactued, (except cigars or cut,) &c. &c.	65c per 100 lbs.
FOURTH CLASS—Coffee, Fish, Bacon, Beef and Pork (in casks or boxes, eastward,) Lard & Lard Oil, Nails, Soda Ash, German Clay, Tar, Pitch, Rosin, &c.	60c per 100 lbs.

FLOUR.—$1, per bbl. until further notice.

GRAIN—In car loads 45 cents per 100 lbs., until further notice.

COTTON—$2 per bale not exceeding 500 lbs weight, until further notice.

☞ In shipping goods from any point east of Philadelphia, be particular to *mark* packages "*via Pennsylvania Railroad.*" All Goods consigned to the agents of this road at Philadelphia or Pittsburgh, will be forwarded without detention.

FREIGHT AGENTS—C E Evans, 54 Kilby street Boston; J P Clarke, No 2 Astor House, and No 1 William street, and John McDonald, No 8 Battery Place, New York; Pierce & Co Zanesville, O; Irwin & Co, and Springman & Brown, Cincinnati, O; R C Meldrum, Madison, Ind; Dumesnil, Bell & Co, and Carter & Jewett, Louisville, Ky; P G O'Riley & Co, Evansville, Ind; R F Sass, St. Louis, Mo; Harris Wormley & Co, Memphis, Tenn; Leech & Co, Chicago, Ill; J P Glass, Fort Wayne, Ind; E J Sneeder, Phila; Magraw & Koons, Baltimore; D A Stewart Pittsburgh
H. H. HUSTON, Gen'l Freight Agent, Philad.
jy1y] H. J. LOMBAERT, Supt., Altoona, Pa.

O. K. JUST received and for sale by
dec15 T. B. JOHNSTON, 176 Market St.

IRISH WHISKY—A fine article, just received and for sale by [dec7] W. A. EDWARDS & BRO.

PEPPER SAUCE—just received and for sale by
oc15 W. A. EDWARDS & BRO.

CHARTER ELECTION.

For Mayor.

Please announce Doctor JAMES TANNER as a candidate for the office of MAYOR. His long and faithful services in the City Council is sufficient assurance of his ability and qualifications to fill the office and to enforce the ordinances with firmness and independance, to the entire satisfaction of [jan7] "THE PUBLIC."

City Treasurer.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of CITY TREASURER at the next Charter election.

jan7 R. W. HARDING.

[Times copy.]

Wharf Master.

I would again respectfully announce myself as a candidate for the office of Wharf Master, and if re-elected will attend faithfully to the discharge of my duties as heretofore.

jan6 ROBT. HAMILTON.

FOR MAYOR.

MR. EDITOR,—You will please announce the name af JAMES W. PAXTON, Esq. as a candieate for Mayor at the ensuing Charter election, we believe him to be in every respect well qualified to fulfil the duties of thrt office, and oblige,

MANY CITIZENS.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—Through the solicitations of many friends, I beg leave to announce myself as a candidate for the office of City Sergeant, at the coming charter election.

dec31 SMITH McDONALD.

City Clerk.

I respectfully offer myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Clerk. F. A. BRENTLINGER.

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Street Commissioner.

MR. EDITOR:—I offer myself as a candidate for Street Commissioner, at the coming Charter election. If elected I will endeavor to discharge the duties of the office as heretofore, to the best of my abilities. HENRY SHARP.

MR. EDITOR—Please announce DANIEL DUNBAR, as a candidate for Superintendent of Water Works at the coming Charter Election. EVERY PERSON.

dec 25, 1857.–te.

For the Intelligencer,

MESSRS EDITORS—I beg leave respectfully to announce through the columns of your paper, my name as a candidate for the office of City Sergeant at the approaching Charter Election. JAMES O. HAWLEY.

dec. 25, 1857.–te.

People's Candidate.

MESSRS. EDITORS.—Please announce the name of ALEXANDER WALLACE, as a candidate for City Sergeant at the next municipal election and oblige

dec22 MANY VOTERS.

For Superintendent of Water Works.

MESSRS. EDITORS,—Trusting that my services as Superintendent during the past year have met with the appreciation of the public, which I have hoped and de ired, I again respectfully offer myself as an *Independent Candidate* for re-election to the office. [dec2z] JAMES M. HALL.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—Please announce our fellow citizen, Mr. F. M. MCNAUGHTEN, as an Independent citizens candidate for City Sergeant, at the ensuing Charter Election —Mr. M. is fully competent to discharge the duties of that office, and if elected, will make a faithful and efficient officer.

A VOTER.

CITIZEN'S CANDIDATE.

I offer myself as a candidate for the office of CITY SERGEANT, at the coming Charter Election, and if elected I shall endeavor to meet the just expectations of the public.

dec17 A. S. HALLOWELL.

COMMERCIAL.

WHOLESALE MARKET.

CORRECTED DAILY FROM ACTUAL SALES,

By I. M. PUMPHREY.

WHEELING, Jan. 5, 1858.

ASHES.	
Pots	6½@7
Pearls	7
Soda Ash	3¾
BARRELS.	
Pork and Beef	1,25
Flour	37½
BUTTER.	
Keg ℘ ℔	12@12½
BEESWAX.	
Yellow ℘ ℔	22@25
BAGS.	
Seamless, ℘ 100	$25@30
CANDLES.	
Tallow ℘ ℔	13
Star do	30
CHEESE.	
Western Reserve, ℘ ℔	10
COFFEE.	
Rio, ℘ ℔	12@12½
Java	18
Mocha	18
COPPER.	
Braziers	40
Bolt	45
CORDAGE.	
Hemp in coils, ℘ ℔	13
Manilla	17
Cotton	22
Bed Cords—	
120 feet, ℘ dz	$3,50
90 do	2,50
60 do	2,00
Plough Lines	37
DRUGS.	
Alum in bbls, ℘ ℔	4@4½
Cream Tartar	35@40
Su. Carb. Soda	6@7
Borax	35@37
Copperas	3@4
Epsom Salts	4@4½
Glauber	2@3
FEATHERS.	
Live Geese, prime	50
FISH.	
Cod, ℘ ℔	5½
Mackerel No 1	——
" No 2	—
" No 3	:2
Half bbls	6,75
FLOUR.	
Super, ℘ bbl	3,50@3,75
Extra	4,25@4,50
FRUIT.	
Dried Apples, ℘ bu	1,25
Green, ℘ bbl	2,25
D. Peaches	—
Oranges, ℘ box	8,00
Lemons	6,00
Raisins	4,75
FURS.	
Fox	50@75
Mink	25@75
Raccoon	20@35
Muskrat	10
GINSENG.	
Good, ℘ ℔	40
GLASS.	
8x10, ℘ bx of 50 feet	2,15
10x12	2,40
10x14	2,65
10x16	2,75
12x14	3,00
12x16	3,00
GRAIN.	
Wheat, ℘ bu	75@85
Rye	55
Barley	45@50
Oats	25
Corn	60
HAY.	
Timothy, ℘ ton	18,00
Clover	6,00
HIDES AND SKINS.	
Green, ℘ ℔	4
Dry	10
Calf, green	8
dry	15@16
Sheep Skins	10@40
HOPS.	
New, ℘ ℔	8
IRON.	
Pigs, Hanging Rock	$30,00
Bars, ℘ ℔	2¾@4½
Round	2¾@3¾
Band	3½@5¾
Nail Rods	6¾
Hoop	3¾@6¾
Sheet	4¾@5
Slabs and Wings	4@4½
Steel do	8
LEAD AND SHOT.	
Pig, ℘ ℔	8
Bar	8½
Shot, ℘ bag	2,25
LEATHER.	
Spanish Hem, ℘ ℔	22@26
Harness	30
Skirting	33
Calf, ℘ doz	$15@20
Upper, ℘ doz	$36
LIME.	
Water, ℘ bbl	2,25
Quick	1,50
LUMBER.	
No 1 clear, ℘ M	$30@35
Common	18@17
Fencing	18@17
Flooring	$21@24
Lath	2,50@3
Shingles	4,00
MOLASSES.	
N. O. in bbls ℘ gal new	35@38
West India	70
Golden Syrup	58@60
NAILS.	
Cut 3d ℘ keg	5,75
4d	4,75
6d	4,25
8d@9d	3,75
10d to 60d	3,50
OILS.	
Linseed, ℘ gal	1,00@1,10
Lard, No 1	105
" No 2	100
Bl Whale	1,00
Castor, pure	2,08
Tanners	85@95
Spts. Turpentine	68
Alcohol	65@70
PAINTS.	
Chrome Green	25
Paris Green	30@45
C. Yellow	25
Litharge	@10
Red Lead	@10
Whiting	1½@2
Rosin, ℘ bbl	3,50
Pitch	3,50
Tar	4,50@5
White Lead ℘ keg	2,20
Zinc Paint	2;25@2,75
C'h Varnish ℘ gl	1 75@3
Furniture do	1 @3
POTATOES.	
Neshoshanics, ℘ bu	40
POULTRY.	
All kinds, dressed, ℘ ℔	——
Young chickens, ℘ dz.	——
PROVISIONS.	
Beef Cattle, on hoof	——
Lard, bbls	8@9
Hams, bacon	——
Shoulders	—
Sides	—
Hams, bulk	
Shoulders	—
Sides	—
Sheep, on hoof	2¾@3
Beans	
Eggs	12
RICE.	
Carolina	new 6@
SALT.	
Pittsburgh ℘ bbl	1,87
Kanawha, ℘ bu	33
SEEDS.	
Flaxseed, ℘ bu	—
Clover	—
Timothy	$2
SOAP.	
Rosin, ℘ ℔	5½
Castile	15@16
STEEL.	
Plough, ℘ ℔	7½
Cast	17
Blistered	12½@16
SUGARS.	
N. O. fair to prime ℘ hhds	8@8½
Crushed, Pulverised and Granulated	12@13
TALLOW.	
Best, ℘ ℔	8½
TEAS.	
Gunp. and Imp.	45@70
Y. Hyson	30@75
Oolong	30@75
Pouchong	25@40
TIN.	
IC ℘ box	$13
IX "	15
12x12 sqr	15½
Block Tin in Pigs	44
" Bars	45
TOBACCO.	
Twist, ℘ ℔	18
Good 5's	24@32
Extra	36@44
Smoking	7@10
WOOL.	
For all kinds	——
WHISKEY.	
Monongahela in bbls, ℘ gal	75@1,50
Common	20@22
ZINC.	
Sheet	10½@11

FALL STYLE SILK HATS.

WE have just received from the Eastern cities the Fall style of Silk Hats which exceed in lightness, durability and beauty of shape, anything we have heretofore introduced, with the "Flexible Band," so that they will fit the head with perfect ease and comfort, as a good fit will guarantee. Gentlemen are requested to call in at the corner of Union and Main streets.

aug18 S. D. HARPER & SON.

Again.

600 DOLLARS worth of Shirts consigned to me, on account of whom it may concern, either wholesale or retail, cheaper than the cheapest, being superior Marsailles and fine white, and will be sold at astonishing low prices by

nov6 A. M. ADAMS, No. 36 Water St.

HAT & CAP MANUFACTORY.

S. AVERY,

HAS on hand and manufacturing the largest assortment of

HATS AND CAPS

That is to be found in the city. Call and see, at 146 Main street, Wheeling, Va.

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ALL the sizes Draying Paper, just received by

oc20 PAYNE & CO.

ALCOHOL.—10 bbls. 76 and 98 per cent., for sale at

dec15 S. FUNDENBERG'S.

TELEGRAPHIC

BY THE UNION LINE.

TO THE DAILY INTELLIGENCER.

OFFICE, CORNER WATER AND MONROE STREETS.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Wasainoton, Jan. 7.

Senate.—Mr. J. A. Hemmond, Senator from from South Carolina in place of Mr. Butler, dedeceased took his place in the Senate.

Mr. Seward, of New York, presented a petition from citizens of Canandaigua, N. Y., praying for the adoption of some practical measure by which the people of the north may co-operate with the people of the South in extinguishment of slavery, by making a fair and honorable compensation to the slaveowners for full value of their slaves, the petition was ordered to lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. King, a resolution was reported requiring the President to furnish if not incompatible with the public interest, copies of the correspondence and dispatches from our Ministers at the courts of England, France and other powers, on the subject of the dangers of emigrants coming from thence contracting with irresponsible parties for their inland passage.

On motion of Mr. Foote, a resolution was adopted calling on the President to communicate alliofficial dispatches and correspondence of Robert McLane and Peter Parker, late commissioners in China, with the State department.

On motion of Mr. Gwinn, the committee on Foreign relations was instructed to inquire into the expediency of making an appropriation by low for the compensation of minister plenipotentiary to the empire of Japan, and for other officers of the U. States government in Japan.

House.—A select committee was appointed to enquire into the circumstances attending the sale of Fort Snelling. it consists of Barnet, Morris, of Ill., Morrel, Franklin and Pettit.

To-morrow being the anniversary of the battle of New Orleans, it was agreed that when the House adjourn to-day it be till Monday.

The House then went into a committee on the Presidents message.

Mr. Thayer maintained that if we wish we can and shall Americanize Central America, bnt have no desire to do so at the expense of our national honor by a violation of treaty stipulations. The proper way to effect it was by peaceable emigration.

Mr. Washburn, of Me., denounced the Lecompton Constitution and said the administration never intended that the people of Kansas should decide the slavery question for themselves. Adjourned.

A message was received from the president, in response to the call for information relative to the recent events in Centeral America.— While the President says that Commodore Paulding committed a great error in arresting Gen. Walker, he thinks it is quite evident that Com. P. was actuated by patriotic motives and desirous of promoting the interest and vindicating honor of his country.

The government of Nicaragua sustained no injury by the act, but was rather benefitted, it alone, would have the right to complain and he is quite certain it will never execute that right.

A warm and long debate ensued in which Seward of N. Y., Doolittle of Wis., and Pearce of Md. sustained the views of the President.

Davis of Wis., Douglass of Ill., Crittenden of Ky., Brown of Miss.. Pugh of Ohio, Toombs of Ga. argued in opposition. The message was referred to the committee on foreign relations. The senate then went into Executive session.

GOV. BANKS' MESSAGE.

Boston, Jan. 7.—Gov. Banks' message is mainly devoted to local affairs but closes with a review of the Kansas difficulties. The funded debt is one million three hundred thousand; provision is made for all but 215,000. Unless the expenses are reduced below last year there will be a deficit of 660,000 to be met by State taxes. He recommends the reduction of legislative sessions to sixty days and the payment of members' fixed salaries. He also recommends the suppression of Bank notes under five dollars, and after three or five years, the suppression of all notes under ten dollars. He refers to the naturalization question by the legislature with whom he will cheerfully concur in the adoption of measures to maintain the purity of elections and protect the rights of American citizens.

Concerning Kansas he says, nothing but direct introduction of Federal influence can force through Congress the Lecompton Constitution. If Government, with the sanction of the people, can force upon Kansas with the conceived fraud and violence, it will be the mightiest blow ever given against free Governments.

BANK MATTERS.

Albany, 7th—The report of the bank superintendents of this State, submitted to the Legislature, recommends that no mortgages be allowed to be taken hereafter as security for circulating notes; to compel every corporated bank gradually to replace ther present circulation by notes secured in the same manner as free banks; to compel all banks of the city of New York to keep 20 per cent of their average weekly deposits of all descriptions in coin; special deposits of coin not to form a part of the statement; the banks out of the city to keep the same either in coin or balance to their credit in a solvent bank of New York, Albany or Troy.

FROM NEW YORK.

Jan. 7.—The Sloop of War Cyanes, from Port Au Prince, via Havana, arrived at this port after a passage of 22 days.

The Cyanes brings Capt. Mays of the brig Packer, lately held as a prisoner at Cape Haytien on alleged charge of smuggling; also the remains of late Midshipman Broadhead.

The Spanish Squadron remained at Havana. Three hundred men had died by fever on the Spanish war ships. There was still considerable fever at Havana. Several members of the Opera Troupe were ill.

The fillibuster steamer Fashion was still at Havana.

KANSAS NEWS.

St. Louis, Jan. 6.—The St. Joseph papers of the 29th ult. state that the Express passed through that place with dispatches for Leavenworth, bringing intelligence that a superior body of Mormons had overpowered Col. Coats' command while passing from Hams Fork to Fort Bridges, butchering two hundred, taking a number prisoners and hanging all the officers that fell into their hands. The report is doubtless entirely false.

CINCINNATI MARKET.

Jan. 7.—Flour firm and held higher, sales of 600 bbls at $3,75a3,80 for Superfine. Whisky dull at 14 1-2. Hogs unsettled, receipts large, sales of 700 head at $4,50. 700 bbls Mess Pork to be delivered in March, sold at $12,50. The market for provisons generally unsettled.

INDIGNATION MEETING.

Petersburgh, Jan. 6.—A Walker indignation meeting was held here this evening. The largest hall in the city was crowded. Among the speakers were Mr. Pryor, of Richmond, A. D. Banks and others. Resolutions denouncing the arrest of Walker by Commodore Paulding, were adopted.

NOMINATION.

CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 7.—The Republican State Convention to-day nominated Gov. Hail by acclamation, for re-election, and A. H. Dunlap, of Nashua, for Railroad Commissioner.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 7.—The Directors of the Hartfo d, Providence & Fishkill R. R., have voted to surrender the road to trustees for the benefit of the stockholders.

RIVER AND WEATHER.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 7.—River falling. Weather clear.

LOUISVILLE, Jan. 7.—River falling, with water enough on the falls for any sized boats. Weather clear. Mercury 44.

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 7.—River 7 feet, falling slowly. Weather clear. Mercury 32.

NEW YORK MARKET.

JAN. 7.—Flour firm but dull, sales of 7000 bbls at $4,30a4,35 for State; $4,70a4,85 for Ohio, an advance of 5c on each. Wheat firm but very dull. Corn buoyant, new Southern White quoting at 60a65. Pork steady. Lard firm.—Whisky firm. Stocks active and high.

BALTIMORE MARKET.

JAN. 7.—The markets are finally unchanged. Enchange on New York 1-2 per cent premium.

SUICIDE.

RICHMOND, Jan. 7.—Wm. H. Cowes, under Gen. Walker in Nicaragua, and afterwards connected with the Memphis, Tenn., Bulletin, committed suicide last night by taking laudnum.

ELECTION EXCITEMENT.

SANDWICH, C. W., Jan. 7.—Great excitement existed to-day in consequence of the Sheriff, McLeod, being elected to Parliament over Rankin, the Ministerial candidate. From 2,000 to 3,000 people assembled and the Sheriff was obliged to flee to Michigan to save his life.

McDonald attempted to address the crowd, but he was beaten and severely injured.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS.

CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S GIFTS!

PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

ATTENTION is respectfully invited to my large and beautiful assortment of articles suitable for

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Among which may be found,

Gold Watches, Gold Finger Rings,
Gold Chains, Gold Pencils,
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Silk Purses, Fancy Bottles,
Work Boxes,, . Alabaster Stands
Writing Desks, Match Stands,
Cabas, Satchels, Parfumery, Baskets,

And an assortment of **TOYS** for the lettle folks.

I will have a large addition to my present stock of Watches, Jewelry, &c., &c., by Tuesday next, all of which will be sold at A GREAT REDUCTION.

Prices to suit the times. J. T. SCOTT,
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DON'T FORGET

THAT the largest and cheapest stock of articles suitable for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS is to be found at SCOTT'S CHEAP JEWELRY STORE, No. 157 Main St. *PRICES REDUCED TO SUIT THE TIMES.*
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MAIN STREET, CENTRE WHEELING.

Cameo Sets, Ear Drops and Pins,
Gold Lockets, Gold Rings,
Ladies' Gold Breast Pins, Gent's Gold Breast Pins,
Gent's Gold Studs.

Twenty-five of the above fine Gifts will be given to the twenty-five persons buying the largest bills of Presents, for cash, during the Holidays.
dec21 JOSEPH GRAVES.

HOLIDAY NOTICE.

HEISKELL & SWEARINGEN would call attention to their large and handsome stock of Dry Goods, suitable for

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SILKS, MERINOS,
SHAWLS, CASHMERES,
CLOAKS, M. De LAINES,
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EMBROIDERIES OF ALL KINDS!

Very cheap togethe with a large variety of elegant Goods at prices lower than ever before offered. dec21

$50 REWARD.

LOST, from the McLure House, on Saturday the 14th inst., Two Notes, each One Thousand and Twenty-nine Dollars and Seventy-five cents, given by Jno. List & Co to order of Cowgill, Johnson & Co., of Parkersburg, dated Sept. 26, at four and six months. The public are cautioned against taking or buying said note. The above reward will be paid on the delivery of said notes to
dec2 COWGILL, JOHNSON & CO.

Cheaper than Ever.

GREAT DISTRESS and heavy losses in the East; Railroad Stock, Bank Stock, and all goods forced on the Market and sold at ruinous prices to the Importer and Manufacturer. I have just returned from the Eastern cities and have purchased goods at those ruinous prices, and I now offer to my customers and the public generally, goods made up to order, in Coats, Pants and Vests in the neatest and most fashionable way, and ready-made clothing, lower than they have ever been offered in this market. You will get fine clothes for the same you have heretofore paid for coarse Come and buy [oc26] A. M. ADAMS.

JAS. M. DILLON,

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KEEPS constantly on hand, Gas fixtures, Lead and Wrought Iron Pipes, Sheet Lead. All kinds and sizes of Brass Cocks and Valves; Steam Whistles and Steam and Water Guages, Lift and Force Pumps, Sinks, Bathing Tubs Wooden and Cast Iron Hydrants, Gum Hose and packing of all Thicknesses, Anti-friction Metal, Pure Banca, Tin, Zinc and Antimony, the Celebrated TROY BELLS and the best Crucibells in the country.

☞ Also, Polly's improved and patent Chain Pump which is decidedly the greatest pump of the age, the right to put up which in Towns and Counties in Western Virginia will be sold on fair terms.

☞ Galvanized Iron Tubing, Incorrosive, and for conducting, or pressure pipe, for hot or cold water, and especially for deep wells, prefferable to, and cheaper than Lead Pipe.

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IMPROVED ENAMELED AIR-TIGHT FRUIT JARS!

THE only article that can be used year after year and answer a good purpose, for preserving Fruits, Vegetables, &c., &c., in their natural state. The body of the Ware is perfectly solid, the glaize pure flint glass, and the Jars free from all Metalic substance. They are free from any objection of poison, light, porousness, &c., &c., which have condemned the Jars and Cans made of other materials.

Full directions accompany each Jar. For sale, wholesale and retail, at the House Furnishing Store of
J. K. DUNHAM & CO.,
jy27 115 Main street, Wheeling, Va.

POCKET DIARIES, for 1858, just received by
ac29 PAYNE & CO.

FOUNDRY PROPERTY

For Sale or Lease, in West Columbia, Va.

THE property is in good working order, having Blacksmith shop with two fires, Patterns and tools, together with a stock of coke. The buildings are 50 feet in lenghth, by 30 feet in width, with carpenter shop, and lathe shop with one lathe.

The property is in the centre of a fine growing agricultural and manufacturing county, with a very large coal trade in active operation.

The property will be leased for a term of years to mechanics of steady habits and good character, and none but such need apply. If any one should desire to purchase the payments willl be made easy, either with or without the stock. This property has a chartered privilege for manufacturing of $50,000. Should a company purchasing, desire it, the chartered privileges will be allowed to go with the property.
ap18 2td tfw SARGENT & BROTHER.

Attention Citizens!

NEW AUCTION HOUSE!

"I'M WITH YOU ONCE AGAIN."

W. A. MOYSTON informs the citizens, and public generally, that he is now on hand and ready to receive consignments to dispose of at Auction, corner of Market and Union streets, in the store-room now occupied by Geo. Wilson. Sales every market morning. Goods should be sent in Tuesdays and Fridays. Sales punctually attended to at any time or place; therefore, "Do not stand upon ceremony, but send in your goods at once"! oc19

DR. MARCHISI'S UTERINE CATHOLICON, for the treatment of a class of diseases peculiar to the female sex. For sale at S. FUNDENBURG'S.
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JUST RECEIVED and for sale, cheaper than the cheapest,
Fine Ebony and Rosewood Work Boxes,
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ONE OF THE BEST PURGATIVE AND LIVER MEDICINES now before the public, namely, DR. SANFORD'S INVIGORATOR or *Liver* Remedy, that acts as a *Cathartic*, easier, milder and more effectual than any other medicine known. It is not only a Cathartic, but a *Liver* Remedy, acting first on the *Liver* to eject its morbid matter, then on the stomach and bowels to carry off that matter, thus accomplishing two purposes effectually without any of the painful feelings experienced in the operations of most Cathartics. It strengthens the system at the same time that it purges it, and when taken daily in moderate doses will strengthen and build it up with unusual rapidity.

DR. SANFORD'S INVIGORATOR is compounded entirely from new articles of medicine, namely, Gums.

Some idea of the strength of these gums may be formed when it is known that one bottle of the Invigorator contains as much strength as one hundred doses of Calomel, without any of its deleterious effects.

Though possessing rare medicinal powers, these Gums have been but little known to physicians, and never used in their prescriptions until used in the form of the *Invigorator*, which met with such unprecedented success as to induce the proprietor to offer it as a family medicine tried and known in its effects. It has rarely ever failed to cure *Liver* Complaints in their worst forms.

Indigestion being caused by a deranged *Liver* is cured when the Liver is excited to action.

Jaundice is caused by an improper action of the *Liver* and as a proof that the INVIGORATOR relieves this disease let any one troubled with Jaundice take the Invigorator regularly one week, and their skin will begin to assume its original color.

Costiveness can be permanently cured by the Invigorator. Take it in small doses on retiring, and it assists nature in her operations. By gradually diminishing the dose, the bowels are left in a healthy and active state, and work as regularly as clock work. Sick Headache is very soon relieved by taking a double dose of the *Invigorator*, which corrects all acidity and sourness of the stomach.

For an over-loaded stomach it has no equal, as it relieves all oppressive or uneasy feeling after eating heartily. For a family medicine generally, all who use it speak in the highest terms.

DR. SANFORD'S INVIGORATOR 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 edible 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.—*State Fact.*

There has never been tried in our family a remedy which has met with such unbounded success in the cure of diseases incident to children, as DR. SANFORD'S INVIGORATOR; nor is it alone for diseases of children that we use it; for it acts as a Cathartic so mildly and gently and seems to renovate the system so thoroughly that we think we are doing a service to all in advising them when they need medicine to try this remedy. There are cases that have come under our notice where great benefit has been received in diseases of the *Liver*, Stomach and Bowels, where all other remedies failed to give relief. It has become so useful in our family that we will not do without it.—*Jacksonville (Ala.) Republican.*

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ANN ARBOR, November 5, 1856.

PROF. O. J. WOOD—Dear Sir: I have heard much said of the wonderful effects of your Hair Restorative, but having been so often cheated by quackery and quack nostrums, hair dyes, &c., I was disposed to place your Restorative in the same category with the thousand and one loudly trumpeted quack remedies, until I met you in Lawrence county some months since, when you gave me such assurance as induced the trial of your Restorative in my family—first by my good wife, whose hair had become very thin and entirely white, and before exhausting one of your large bottles, her hair was restored nearly to its original beautiful brown color, and had thickened and become beautiful and glossy upon, and entirely over the head; she continues to use it; not simply because of its beautifying effects upon the hair, but because of its healthful influence upon the head and mind. Others of my family and friends are using your Restorative, with the happiest effects; therefore, my skepticism and douts in reference to its charactar and value are entirely removed; and I can and do most cordially and confidentially recommend its use by all who would have their hair restored from white or gray (by reason of sickness or age,) to original color and beauty, and by young persons who would have their hair beautiful and glossy.

Very truly and gratefully yours,
SOLOMON MANN.

FRIEND WOOD: It was a long time after I saw you at Blissfield before I got the bottle of Restorative for which you gave me an order on your agent in Detroit, and when I got it we concluded to try it on Mrs. Mann's hair, as the surest test of its power. It has done all that you assured me it would do; and others of my family and friends, having witnessed its effects, are now using and recommending its use to others as entitled to the highest consideration you claim for it. Again, very respectfully and truly, yours,
SOLOMON MANN.

CARLYLE, ILL., June 23, 1852.

I have used Prof. O. J. Wood's Hair Restorative, and have admired its wonderful effects. My hair was becoming, as I thought, prematurely gray, but by the use of his Restorative it has resumed its original color, and, I have no doubt, permanently so.

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"A horse, my kingdom for a horse."

THE undersigned, after returning his thanks for the liberal patronage which his friends have extended to him, wishes to respectfully announce to the public that he has removed his unsurpassed stock of horses, buggies, &c. to the east side of Main street, a short distance below the old stand, where he is prepared to furnish Livery Stock of an unexceptionable character. I hope to be able to render satisfaction and meet the expectation of patrons in all cases.
nov25—d2m Z. WHEAT.

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THIS house has been recently refitted, greatly enlarged, and now offers to the traveling community excellent accommodations. The stabling is of the best character.

The Hotel has recently passed into the hands of the present proprietor, who will spare no pains to afford the public the best of entertainment. [nov4:3m-d;t-w&w
Bethany, Nov. 2d, 1857.

WE have received this week, a great variety of new Music, both vocal and instrumental; in which may be found:—"Geo. Root's" new piece—Departed Days; The Rover's Grave—Charlie—We are Brothers; Homeward, Homeward, Hold; Oh My Love H is a Saileur boy—arranged for the Piano; My Cottage Home—beautifully Illustrated; The Lay of Pestal—Illustrated; Sounds so entrancing; Dreams That Charmed me When a Child; Sing me Songs of Home; I Near Again Those Silvery Chimes; On Mighty Pens; Messenger Bird; I Waited till the Twilight.
dec19 PAYNE & CO.

DISSOLUTION.

THE co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, as Cushing & Osbun, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. The partnership business will be left in the hands of D. Cushing to close up, who is duly authorized to use the name of the firm for that purpose.
Wheeling, Nov. 17, 1857. D. CUSHING.
dec1—3m daw A. G. OSBUN.

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