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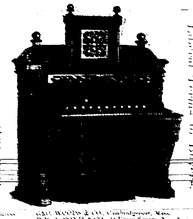


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WHAT THE PATENT MEDICINE FOLKS ARE THINKING ABOUT NOWADAYS.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

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WANTED!
HANDS
To Make Pants and Vests.

Curiosities of Commerce.

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## Curiosities of Commerce.

[illegible] of the value and necessity of this publication to every family and business house in our land, the Messrs. Ricloy of Printer's Material Store, [illegible] have published a work entitled "The Curiosities of Commerce," [illegible] "The Curiosities of Commerce," together with H. Ricloy & Sons' CATALOGUE AND PRICE LIST, [illegible] MAILED FREE. Address, H. RICLOY & SONS, P. O. Box 1545, New York.

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## SALE OF LANDS FOR THE PAYMENT OF TAXES

Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of the provisions of the Revised Statutes of New Jersey, relating to the Collection of Taxes, I will sell at Public Vendue, at the Court House, in the City of Rahway, in the County of Union, on the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1879, at 1 o'clock P. M., the following lands and tenements, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to pay the taxes, interest and costs, assessed and charged thereon, respectively, as shown by a list of the same, in the hands of the Collector of said Township, and remaining unpaid on the 1st day of January, A. D. 1879, and the costs of sale, viz:

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Rahway, N. J., March 6th, 1879. 3w