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—This number of the Phila-Telist has been delayed on account of our issuing new pricelists &c., and has been reduced from 8 pages to 4 pages in order to appear immediately, We hope to appear soon in 8-page style.

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