Pittsburgh Gazette

SATURDAY MORNING, APRIL 30, 1864.

RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE.

The 14th Quadrennial session of the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, will commence on May 1st, in the city of Philadelphia. The 1st instant being Sunday, if it is necessary to meet, the session will be devoted to holding religious services, and the organization proper will take place on Monday. It is expected the sitting of this body will occupy four or five weeks. The Bishops will preside in turn, usually commencing with the senior Bishop. Great interest exists throughout the Church in view of the important questions to be discussed and action taken thereon, such as lay representation, extension of the pastoral time at one charge from two to three years, presiding elders, election of bishops and their places of residence, etc. In regard to the first named question, it is thought that notwithstanding the strenuous efforts to induce persons to vote for lay delegation, the vote was light compared with the voice of the Church against the measure. In consequence of this fact, it is hardly likely that the General Conference will do anything beyond authorizing the Church to vote again on the question, sometime before the next session occurs in May, 1868. The *Christian Advocate Journal*, after giving the names of the delegates, says the General Conference of 1860, contained 221 members; that 1864 will number 245. Only 75 of its members were elected to the last General Conference. Of the whole number, 86 are presiding elders, 10 editors, 8 are Presidents, and 18 are connected with literary societies. There are 4 book agents, 2 missionary secretaries and 2 agents of the American Bible Society. The Rev. M. Thornton, the British representative from the Wesleyan Conference to the approaching General Conference, reached New York last week, accompanied by the Rev. Robinson Scott of the Irish Conference. Mr. Thornton preached twice last Sunday in New York. A cordial welcome is everywhere given to the British representative, whose elegant manner, classical eloquence, and deep spirituality, are highly appreciated.

——Rev. T. DeWitt Talmadge, pastor of the Second Reformed Dutch Church, Philadelphia, stated in his second anniversary sermon lately, that during the year one hundred and twenty-one persons had united themselves with the church; six thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine dollars have been raised for religious purposes. There are nine hundred and thirty scholars and teachers in the Sabbath school. Ninety new families have connected themselves with the congregation during the two years of his pastorate.

——A remarkable revival of religion is reported in progress at Mount Holyoke Female Seminary. A lady connected with this institution writes that the number of disciples is about three hundred and twenty five, and these all continued with one accord in prayer and supplication an entire day. There were over two hundred written requests for prayer sent in to the meetings.

——At the recent session of the New York East Conference, (M. E. Church) Rev. S. H. Platt collected the following statistics of the early conversion of ministers belonging to that body. Of 149 ministers, the average age at conversion was only 16 3-5 years; and about one sixth of them were converted when less than twelve years of age. What a sermon on early conversions! What an encouragement to parents and Sunday-school teachers!

——Spurgeon, the noted English divine, has the credit of saying, that "lately a great deal of infidelity had broken out in the Church, and he thanked God for it. It seemed as though God had let the devil loose among them to stir them up to renewed exertions. He trusted that God would deliver them from a sleeping devil, for a roaring devil was a blessing rather than the reverse."

——Mr. John Whiteman, a merchant in Philadelphia, treasurer of the Philadelphia M. E. Conference Missionary Society, was present at the monthly meeting of the Board of Managers of the M. E. Missionary Society, in New York, some days since, to pay over the sum of *fifty-one thousand dollars*, being the amount collected within the bounds of that body.

——The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America will hold its next meeting in the Third Presbyterian Church, Newark, N. J., on Thursday, the 19th of May, and will be opened with a sermon by the Rev. John H. Morrison, D. D., Moderator of the last Assembly.

——The New York correspondent of the *Presbyterian* writes that a very interesting discussion was held in the Ministers' Association of that city lately, upon the morality and economy of Insurance—life, fire, marine, and the subject of insurance generally.

——The *Church Journal* affirms that some of the Common Schools in the city of New York are already in the hands of the Romanists almost entirely, and others are losing constantly more and more of their best teachers, to make way for Romish successors.

——Preaching is still kept up at the London Theatres. Recent intelligence states that eight were crowded in one Sabbath. It is thought by the city missionary in attendance at one of the Theatres that a lower grade of society is reached every year.

——Stephen Allen Benson, late President of the Republic of Liberia, and Benjamin B. Warner, now President, were among the earliest pupils in the Methodist Episcopal Sunday School, established in Morovia in 1823, both of them being less than eight years old.

——On Easter Sunday $30,000 were collected at St. James' Episcopal Episcopal Church, in Chicago, to extinguish the entire debt on that church. In the Methodist Episcopal Church, on Wabash Avenue, Chicago, $29,000 were collected to pay off the debt on that church.

——The *Banner* says Count Montalembert, one of the most eminent defenders of the Catholic Church, has recently been denounced by no less than sixty-seven Bishops for his liberal speech at the Malines Congress.

——The receipts for the past year of forty-three religious societies, which held their anniversaries in London, were over four and three quarter millions of dollars. Nearly one half of this sum was for the support of foreign missions.

——The East Pennsylvania Conference of the United Brethren in Christ at their recent annual session, erased the names of two of the ministers from its list of members for disloyality.

COMMERCIAL RECORD

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

[Reported Expressly For the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WEDNESDAY, April, 29

GRAIN—The demand for Corn is better, though prices are unchanged; sale of 1,000 bush Shelled, to arrive, at $1,28; 400 bush do, on the spot, at $1,23; 3 cars do at $1,20; and small sales of ear, from store, at $1,30. Wheat is in demand, but there is none in the market. Oats—Sale of 1 car on track at 76; and small sales from store at 48. Nothing doing in Rye or Barley.

GROCERIES—There is a fair jobbing demand for Sugars at unchanged prices. Sales of 5 hhds Porto Rico at 18¾; 10 hhds New Orleans at 18 to 20; and 20 bbls Crushed at 20a22. Coffee is steady, with sales at from 46¾ to 47¾—some holders asking 48 for strictly prime Rio. Molasses—unsettled and prices are irregular. Small sales of new crop in express packages at $1,00a1,10; old cask packages holders are asking $1,16a1,20, and some small sales have been made at these figures

PROVISIONS—Steady, with a continued fair jobbing demand, and prices are still tending upward. We quote at 12¾a13¾ for Shoulders; 13¾a14 for Hibbed Hides; 15a15½ for Clear do; 16¾a17 for Plain Hams; 18¾a19 for Plain Sugar Cured, and 20a21 for Canvassed do. Lard is in fair demand, and city retailers may be quoted firm at 14¾ in sieves. Beef Pork and Mess Beef remain unchanged.

FLOUR—The demand for this commodity continues light, though the market is firm and prices are fully sustained. Small from store at $7,00 for Extra and $7,75a8,25 for Extra Family.

FISH—Sales of No 2 medium Mackerel at $10a10,25 per bbl and $12,75 for No 3 large do. Lake Herring may be quoted at from $5,75a6,00 per half bbl, and White Fish $8,75a9,00.

BUTTER & EGGS—There is but a limited demand for Butter, and with improved receipts, the market is dull though prices are not quotably lower. Sale of 4 bbls common Roll at 28; 24 bbls prime at 29; 3 boxes do at 30; and 6 boxes choice do at 32—a little above the market. Eggs dull; sales in lots of 24 bbls at 18a18½ per dozen.

DRIED FRUIT—Firm but unchanged; sales of 100 bush apples at 210¾ cts per pound; and 40 bush Peaches at 23.

SEED—Sales on track of 3 cars Shorts at $1,47 per cwt—an advance.

POTATOES—Choice kinds are improving but the demand is active and fully equal to the supply; sale of 2 cars "Peach Blows" at $1,25 per bush, and 2 do do at 84 per bbl

HAY—Loose hay is in better supply and a little dull though prices are nominally unchanged—ranging from $20 to $23 per ton. Sale of 10 tons baled from wharf at $22.

CHEESE—Sales in lots of 100 boxes prime old English Dairy at 10¾@11.

SEEDS—Sale in lots of 60 bush Flax Seed at $2,-87a2,95. Clover Seed is selling at $8,50a9,00 and Timothy at $3,00a3,25.

WHISKEY—Common rectified is firm, though the demand is not very active. We note small sales at 27,32 and some holders are asking more.

Pittsburgh Petroleum Market.

Aran. 29.—The market for both Crude and Refined, on the spot, as well as for future delivery, has been active and buoyant to day, the transactions being unusually large, and prices, on the whole, a shade better. The reported sales of Crude are as follows: 500, 600 and 150 bbls, on the spot, at 28; 3,50 do at 28¾, free on board cars; 470 at 28¾; 100 at 29, and 200, in bulk, at 28. Refined, also, was quite brisk, the reported transactions comprising several thousand barrels. There is considerable inquiry for bonded for future delivery, and several large sales have been effected, the particulars of which we were unable to learn. We hear of sales of 150 bbls free on the spot, in bulk, at 57; 50 bbls light strap, at 60; 150 bbls white, "Eagle" brand, at 60; 200 bbls "Niagara" at 60; 250 bbls "Stella" at 60; 100 bbls "Keystone" at 60; 200 bbls, different brands, at 60; 2000 bbls "North American" and 2000 bbls "Lucesco," in bond, for July delivery, on private terms. Naphtha is held very firmly in anticipation of the last quotations may be fairly given at from 20 to 35 Gentlemen in active trade and the supply is very limited; it would sell readily at $4,50 per bbl.

The receipts by the Allegheny river, during the twenty-four hours ending this evening, are as follows: B Ashworth, 248 bbls; Richardson, Hartley & co, 400; H. Rosenbach, 818; D S Duncan, 111; -Fish, 258; Sidar & Clark, 407—total 2,625 bbl.

New York Petroleum Market.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Gazette.

NEW YORK, April 29.

The market for Crude continues dull, and the nominal quotation is 34. There is a large speculative demand for Refined in bond and prices have still further declined, sales on the spot at 57a58, and 58a59 for May delivery. Free Oil is dull, and the market is a shade easier; sales on the spot at 64a65. There is a fair demand for Naphtha, and Refined is held firmly at 37½.

Petroleum Statistics.

(From the N. Y. Shipping List.)

Export from New York Jan. 1 to April 26—

	1864	1863
To Great Britain...galls	917,131	3,935,161
To France	1,055,851	924,855
N. of Europe, &c	1,303,164	2,123,118
Other Europe	69,270	238,437
East. E Indies, &c	180,022	162,937
Brazil, Cuba and Mex	176,024	279,763
S. America, W. Ind	20,318,151	487,565
Total	4,537,573	8,244,531
Total		7,247,469
Net decrease in 1864		2,767,013
Ex. Purchase Pr'ce	2,767,218	4,091,531
Total decrease from U. States in 1864		5,824,446

Amount of Petroleum exported from New York Bill little more than half the quantity export of last year, (see our Table) and from other ports less than half.

Rec'd at N. Y. since 1st January.....bbls...162,172

Exported same time—	1864	1863.
From New York.....galls	4,537,573	8,244,531
Other Ports	2,027,218	4,004,551
Total	6,564,790	12,249,242

Milwaukee Market.

April 27.—The wheat market was unsettled yesterday in consequence of the reaction in gold, and prices declined 2a3c on Change. The market opened at $1,22a1,29 for winter receipts of No 1 spring, and closed on Change at $1,22a1,23½, and $1,23½ for summer receipts. About 250 000 bush changed hands up to 1 p m, including 25,000 bush, buyers option, till the 10th and 12th of May, at $1 20a1,20½.

In the afternoon a further decline of ½a1c took place, We I selling at $1,22a1,22½, but the market partially recovered in the evening, closing at $1,23¼ at 1,26. The sales after Change amounted to 240 000 bush, making the total transactions of the day but little short of half a million bush.

The flour market opened with moderate sales at yesterday's prices, but closed 25c lower and very dull. Early in the day about 2,800 bbls were sold at $6,25 for good country spring, $6,50 for double do do and $7,50 for choice white winter. Towards the close spring extras were offered at $6,00, without findings purchaser.

Oats were dull but unchanged. Barley and rye scarce and very firm Corn sold to a limited extent, 4 8c, delivered.

High wines were firmer, held at $1,20.

Prize Cotton Sale at Cairo.

We are indebted to Mr. Wm Smith, of the firm of W. H. & W. Smith, for particulars of the great sale of prize cotton by the United States Marshal at Cairo, April 23. The whole number of bales was 2,100, two-thirds low middling, the other third middlings, a good deal wet. The different lots, buyers and prices were as follows:

Bemis & Brown, 100 bales at 72½c per lb.
A. G Eastman & Co., 100 do at 71 5-16c; 100 do at 75½c; 200 do at 72½c; 100 do at 72½c; 100 do at 73½c; 100 do at 71½c; 100 do at 71½c; 100 do at 72½c.
Nevins & co., 200 do at 72½c; 100 do at 72½c; 100 do at 72½c; 100 do at 71½c; 100 do at 71½c.—*St. Louis Democrat, Thursday.*

Cleveland Market.

APRIL 28.—FLOUR—Market quiet and active. Sales 50 bbls common XX red at $7,18; 30 bbls low grade do at $7,10

WHEAT—No sales on the river this morning. At the Board the following sales were made:—1 car on track at $1,50; 2,000 bush red free on board at $1,52; 7,000 bush do in four lots at $1,50; 5,000 bush prime red do at $1,53, the market closing at the inside figure. After Change 2 cars good red on track at $1,51.

CORN—No sales reported, but held at $1,19a1,20 for shelled on track.

OATS—Sales 2 cars on track at 79c, and 2 cars on C. & P. track at 78c. Held firm at 80 from store.

Imports by River.

ZANESVILLE—per JULIA—1st sundries, Clark & co; 11 bbls sundries, 35 sks potatoes, Reiser & Armstrong; 140 bbls flour, Cook, Pettit & co; 50 do do, Jas Gardner; 165 sks seconds, A J Hagan; 150 do corn, Simpson & Knox; 17 bbls scrap iron, Everson, Preston & co; 9 do do, hot bwp iron, Shoenberger & co; 7 sks potatoes, 25 bbls beans 40 do apples 1 do flax seed, W F Beck & co; 6 pkgs sundries, J o Dilworth & co; 1 bx clothing, A J Hands; 4 castings, Godfrey & Clark; 5000 ft lumber, W F Richardson; 64 bgs shelled corn, L H Volgt & co; 18 sks potatoes, Fleming & Steele; 1 bx sorghum, H J Lynch; 53 cil bbls, Lockart & Frew; 583 sks corn, 236 bbls apple butter, McClane & Anjer; 3 bbls eggs, H Hasbett; 7 pkgs sundries, Wm Sloss; 50 flour bbls, J C McVey, 4,500 staves Everhard; 38 sks potatoes, 5 do dry apples, 3 bbls cider, W Brown; 62 bbls apples, Cordray; 2 baskets eggs, Peter Hum; 78 bbls potatoes, Potter & Aiken; 1 bx, J H Goodwin; 5000 ft lumber Mr Davis; 11 head cattle, Mr Hess.

WHEELING—per MINERVA—77 bales hay, J & W Fairey; 4 bales wadding, Oppenheimer & co; 1 bx scrap iron, owner; 10 bales paper, McDonald & Arbuckle; 12 rolls do, Godfrey & Clark; 65 sks barley, 3 do seed, Hitchcock, McCrory & co; 65 bales wool, Clark & co; 4 boxes eggs G H Lore; 1 do do, 2 do bacon, Sawyers & co; 7 bbls scrap iron, Zug & Painter; 82 bbls ale, Wm Edmunds & co; 24 sks potatoes, Fleming & Steele, 112 oil barrels, Artesco Oil Co; 1 hhd tobacco; Head & Reinger; 500 fire brick, Moorhead & co; 71 bbls apples, 55 sks potatoes, owners.

Imports by Railroad.

PITTSBURGH PE. WATER AND CHICAGO RAILROAD, 144 sks wheat, Ferson & co; lot corn in bulk; Hitchcock, McCrory & co; 100 bbls flour, MacKown & Linhart; 1 car clay, Kier Glover & co; 1 car staves, J J Ralps; 100 sks oats, Daniel Wallace; 20 bxs tobacco, 1 hhd do, J W Taylor; lot potatoes H McWigman; 6 rolls leather, 16 sks scraps, 1 do beans, F Zeiger & co; 1 car hay, J Hinchman; 725 bulk sides, W B Hays & co; 1 car metal; John Moorhead, 138 sks wheat, S E Lippett & co; 8 bbls apples, Tuck; potatoes, Bingham, Sturgeon & co; 11 sks corn, L H Volgt & co; 500 pigs lead, J B Lyon; 225 do do, A Gordon; 100 bbls flour, Watt & Wilson, 400 do do, Shoemaker & Lang; 1 car scrap iron, W Malone; 20 bbls Sightwine, A Guckenheimer & bro; 20 do do, James Boyd; 100 bbls flour, MacKown & Linhart; 16 sks potatoes, J R McKee; 12 hides, J H Nelson.

CUYAHAGA AND TUSCARORA R. R., April 29.—140 bbl potatoes, Potter, Aiken & Shepherd, 56 bbls salt, H Christoe; 8 pkgs beans, Shriver & Lurner; 1 pack bacon, Henderson & Blakely; 12 bgs potatoes, 1 do corn, J Ziwell; 3 pkgs produce, A Lippatt; 53 sks potatoes, P McKelvey; 4 pkgs produce, N Angel; 200 sks potatoes, L H Volgt & co; 7 boxes cheese, 18 sks potatoes, 1 bbl apples, Shniss, von & co; lot scrap iron, S S Davis; 25 sks pearls, J B Lyon & co; 50 half bbls fish, Wm Cooper; 50 bbls tobacco, Moreland & Conner; 1700 bars iron, Park, Bro & co, 97 bales hay, S B Floyd; 22 pkgs scrap iron, Thos Mullin; 20 sks beans, Cook, Pettit & co.

ALLEGHENY STATION, April 29—2 bgs potatoes, S Fleming; 4 bbls apples, J Gelbiniz; 11 bbls pork, 5 tubs butter, Willey & Weaver; 19 do do 1 b do butter, J Adams; 3 bbls eggs, 1 bx butter, O Kings; 6 do do, 6 bbls eggs, H Lentz, 6 pkgs butter and eggs, Wm Sedden; 250 pcs bulk meat, Cook, Pettit & co; 11 tons mill feed, Simpson & Knox.

New York Grocery Market—April 28.

Sugar—Raw Sugars are lower in consequence of an impression among the trade that the 50 per cent. bill is through but one branch of Congress and the improvement noted in our last report is lost. Fair to good refining is now quoted at 16¾a16¾. Sales of 1,400 hhds at 18a17¾ for Cuba; 19c for clarified do; 17¾a18 for Porto Rico, and 100 boxes Havana at 19c. Refined are quiet and nominal at 24½a25c for hards.

Coffee—Holders of all kinds are still very firm in their views, but the sales are only in a retail way in consequence, embracing 600 bags St. Domingo at 50; 200 do La Guira at 44¾, the cargo of the Crusader; 2,400 bags Rio at 45¾ and a day or two ago 3,500 bags Ex Guayra (a resale) at 45c.

Molasses—Prices of all kinds are well sustained, and a fair inquiry prevails. Sales since our last of 100 hhds Porto Rico at $1; 100 hhds Cuba Muscovado at 85c, and 400 do do on private terms.

Rice—Is firm and a good inquiry prevails but the offerings are very light, and we have only to note a sale of 100 bags Rangoon at 11¾, which is an improvement.

New York Wool Market.

April 27—The passage by the House of Representatives, of a joint resolution increasing the duties on Foreign Wool 50 per cent till after the 1st of July, and the probability of continued high rates after that date, has strengthened the market for all descriptions, and prices may be quoted fair higher, with a brisk demand for domestic, in part speculative. Holders of Foreign demand such extreme prices as to materially restrict business in this description, and prices are to a large extent nominal. The sales include 250,000 lb Domestic Fleece at 75a80c, including small parcels selected at 82¾a84; 50,000 lb Pulled 70a80 for Super and Extra; 110,000 lb California, 28 for B Burry, 37½ for No 2, 45a48 for Fall Clip, and 61 for fine do; 260 bales Mestiza, 40a50; 30 do Cordova, about 62; 131 do Cape 50; and a small parcel do, 50.

STEAMBOATS

FOR CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS.—The fine passenger steamer ALPS, Capt. Jas. B. Lafferty, will leave as above on THIS DAY 29th inst., at 4 p m. For freight or passage apply on board or to J. D. COLLINGWOOD, } Agents.

FOR ST. LOUIS.—The fine steamer EMPIRE CITY, Capt. Jas Hetlep, will leave as above on FRIDAY, the 29th inst. For freight or passage apply on board or to JOHN FLACK, J. D. COLLINGWOOD, } Agents.

FOR CINCINNATI & LOUISVILLE.—The fine steamer KATE ROBINSON, Capt. R. Robinson, will leave as above on FRIDAY, the 29th inst. For freight or passage apply on board or to JOHN FLACK, J. D COLLINGWOOD, } Agents.

FOR NASHVILLE.—The splendid new passenger steamer CAMBRIA, Capt. Lytle, will leave for the above and intermediate ports on MONDAY, the 21 of May. For freight or passage apply on board, J. D. COLLINGWOOD, } Agents.

REGULAR WHEELING & PARKERSBURG PACKET.—The fine steamer MINERVA, Capt. John Gordon, will leave Pittsburgh for Wheeling every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY at 4 p m. For further connections with the Wheeling and Parkersburg Packets, Baltimore, will leave Wheeling every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY. Passengers and freight rechipted through to Parkersburg. For freight or passage apply on board or to JAS. COLLINS & CO., Agents. On Wharf Boat, at the foot of Wood street.

FOR WHEELING, MARIETTA AND CANESVILLE.—The fine passenger steamer EMMA GRAHAM, Monroe Ayres, commander, leaves Pittsburgh every TUESDAY, at 4 p. m., and Zanesville every FRIDAY, at 8 o'clock a. m. The new steamer JULIA, Wm. Coulson, Commander, leaves Pittsburgh every SATURDAY, at 4 p. m., and Zanesville every TUESDAY, at 8 o'clock a. m. For freight or passage apply on board or to J. D. COLLINGWOOD, Agent, Pittsburgh; H. S. PIERCE & CO., Agents, Zanesville, Ohio.

AUCTION SALES.

BAROUCHE AND BUGGY AT AUCTION—Saturday morning April 30th, at 10 o'clock, at Masonic Hall, Fourth street, will be sold Family Bar, uche and Top Buggy. T. A. MCGLELLAND, Auct'r.

HARNESS AT AUCTION—On Saturday morning, April 30th, at 10 o'clock, will be sold at Masonic Hall, Fourth street, 55 Fifth street, 10 sets two and second hand Harness, without reserve. T A MCGLELLAND, Auct'r.

CORNPLANTER OIL YARD.—On Tuesday evening, May 10, will be sold at the Commercial Sales No a, 51 Fifth street, on second floor, the area of ground on Duke's Island, by leasing on the Allegheny river, with the Engine, Pump, Pipes, all in quisite machinery Tanks, bargling platform, and railroad switch be ongine to the Cornplanter Oil Company Terms made known at sale. DAVIS & McILWAINE, Auct'rs.

LIBERTY STREET PROPERTY AT AUCTION—On Tuesday even ng, May 3d, at 7½ o'clock, will be sold for account of former purchaser, at the Commercial Sales Rooms No. 54 Fifth street, that desirable piece of ground, situate at the northeast corner of Liberty and Washington streets, having a front of 64 feet on Liberty street, and extending along Washington street 150 feet, on which are erected two substantial brick dwellings, with back buildings.

Terms of sale one half cash, and the balance in 12 months, with interest DAVIS & McILWAINE, Auct'rs.

LAW AND MISCELLANEOUS LIBRARY OF JUDGE McCLURE.—On Saturday evening, April 30, at 7½ o'clock, will be sold by catalogue on the second floor of the Commercial Sales Rooms, 54 Fifth street, the Law and Miscellaneous Library of the late Judge McClure; comprising valuable sets of American and English Law Reports, Law Treatises Common Law, &c; Fifteen editions of the Laws of Pennsylvania; Brown's edition of the same; Laws of the United States, &c; English statutes at large, viz: Rot of Parliament 6 vols; Proceedings and Debates of the English House of Commons, 21 vols; Gales & Seaton's Annals of Congress complete from the beginning, 46 vols; American State Papers, 10 vols, &c.

Among the miscellaneous works are the following: Raleigh's History of the World 6 vols; Tooke's Russia; Pictorial History of the Rebellion, 2 vols; Lossing's Pictorial Field Book of the Revolution, 2 vols; Pictorial Works of David Hume, 4 vols; Alison's Europe, 8 vols; Clarendon's History of the Rebellion, 3 vol; &c.

Catalogues are now ready for distribution and the books can be examined on Saturday.

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UNITED STATES MILITARY RAILROADS.

OFFICE OF ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER, Washington, April 16, 1864.

AUCTION.—Will be sold on Wednesday, the 18th day of May, at the Rail. ad Depot in Alexandria, Virginia:

500 tons of Old Railroad Iron;
100 tons of Old Car Axles;
50 tons of Cast scrap iron;
100 tons of Wrought iron;
A ton of Old Brass and Copper;
300 Oil Barrels;

Terms Cash in Government Funds. Ten (10) per cent to be paid at the time of purchase, the balance on delivery.

The property must be removed within ten days from date of sale. H. L. ROBINSON, Capt in and A. Q. M.

GOVERNMENT SALE.—Will be sold at Public Auction, on WEDNESDAY, May 4th, 1864, at Allegheny Arsenal, commencing at 10 o'clock a m, to the highest bidder, the following property:

1 Draft Horse.
13,875 Cartridge Boxes, Belts, &c.
70 0 0 lbs. 3 rap Leather.
50,000 lbs old Iron.
7,725 Boxes, Barrels and Kegs.

Terms cash. H. H. WHITELEY, ap21:34 Lt. Col. of Ordnance.

AUCTION SALE OF CONDEMNED HORSES.

WAR DEPARTMENT, CAVALRY BUREAU, Office of Chief Quartermaster, Western Department, April 20th, 1864.

Will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the times and places named below, viz:

Newport, Penna, Thursday, May 5th;
Gettysburg, Penna, Monday, May 9th;
Altoona, Penna, Thursday, May 12th;
Mifflin, Penna, Thursday, May 19th;
Reading, Penna, Thursday, May 26th;
Lebanon, Penna, Thursday, June 2d;
Chambersburg, Penna, Thursday, June 9th;
Scranton, Penna, Thursday, June 16th;
Williamsport, Penna, Thursday, June 23d;

One hundred (100) horses at Gettysburg, and two hundred and fifty (250) at each of the other places.

These horses have been condemned as unfit for the cavalry service of the United States Army.

For good firm purposes many good bargains may be had.

Horses will be sold singly.

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DAVIS & PHILLIPS, ap30:1t 101 Water street.

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12 ACRES OF LAND,

Within the Borough of Lawrenceville, and within

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It is excellent land, well improved, with good house, barn and out-buildings.

It is the highest land in the borough, yet generally level, and could be all divided into good building lots

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Offered at private sale till MAY 1st.

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LOT FOR SALE.—On the west side of Grantham street, Lawrenceville, near the canal, about 23 feet wide, and 90 deep, with uniform width, about 20 feet in rear for alley. Title warranted good. For parties are enquire at the office of W. W. Wallace, corner Liberty street Pittsburgh.

ap28:1w ALEXANDER WALLACE.

FOR SALE—Twenty-seven Acres of Land, part of the Lowrie farm, commanding a fine view of Pittsburgh and vicinity. In about one mile from Jones' Ferry Landing. There are on the premises some fine fruit trees, and a never-failing spring of excellent water. Will be sold together, or divided into small parcels. Persons desiring a country residence will please call on

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FOR SALE—That two-story BRICK DWELLING, finished in good style, and in complete order, situated on the corner of Decatur street and Cedar alley, Ninth Ward, containing eight rooms and finished cellar. Can be had at a bargain.

Enquire of PULP & SHEPARD, ap4 525 Liberty street

FOR SALE—That desirable property situated in the Borough of Manchester, on the corner of Locust street and the Ohio river, and known as the Greenwood property, on which is erected a modern style Brick Dwelling House, Carriage House, Stable, Ice House, &c.

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FOR SALE—320 acres of prime Missouri lands, in Reynolds county. Can be purchased for $40 cash, as the party owning wants to leave for the great West. Apply to

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FOR SALE OR RENT—A Farm of 52 Acres, good land, in Wilkins township, adjoining land of Peter Perchment, and within a short distance of the city.

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ap18:tf JOS. S. TRAVELLA.

FOR SALE.—At Evergreen, Ross Township, two miles from Allegheny, a good frame dwelling, modern style, containing eleven rooms, store rooms, pantry, cistern, cellar under the whole house, and an acre of ground with a variety of fruit trees and small fruits. This property is disconnected from the Association, but the purchaser can enjoy the advantages of a first class Seminary, to be opened in a few weeks by a gentleman from New York, and any other Benefits connected with the Association. Any gentleman doing business in the city, and desiring a healthy house in the country one hours' drive from the city, offering rare inducements for the moral and physical welfare of children, will do well to look at this property, which will be sold low. Possession can be given on Saturday, 1st May. For further information inquire at the premises, or at No 35 Market street ap18:2w

FOR SALE.—The undersigned have been appointed a Committee by the stockholders of the OAKLAND AND PITTSBURGH AND MINERSVILLE RAILWAYS, or either of them—with equipments, stock, &c., and will receive bids therefor until May 1st, proximo. If not sold by that time, proposals will be received for the iron and wood of the respective railways.

Notice of the disposal of the equipments, &c., will be given after May 1st, ofoward.

For particulars refer to either of the undersigned.

WM. A. HERRON,
JO-HUA RHODES,
SAMUEL MORROW,
A. S. BELL,

ap19:tmw1 Committee

FOR SALE—A CHOICE LOT OF FIVE ACRES.—The undersigned has the selling of a choice Lot of Ground, containing FIVE ACRES, situate on the Squirrel Hill Road, about half a mile from the station of the Oakland Passenger Railway, adjoining lands of D. H Fraith and Wm. J. Murdock. About one-third of the above is in woods, with a small stream of water flowing through the lot; all tillable ground, and of first class soil. It has an abundance of fruit, and very residence. It is also well situated for a vineyard. Land in that neigh