Pittsburgh Gazette.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, JUNE 1, 1864.

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

The U. S. Christian Commission.

The Army Committee of Western Pennsylvania presents the following report of its operations during the month of May:

The following gentlemen have gone as delegates to the Potomac Army: Rev. Herrick Johnson, Pittsburgh; G. G. McCormick, Pittsburgh; John McCarrell, M. D., Frankfort Springs, Pa.; Rev. W. M. Richie, Harshaville, Pa.; Rev. J. G. Rankin, Bevington, Pa.; Rev. W. M. Grimes, Cadiz, Ohio; Rev. M. A. Parkinson, Island Creek, Ohio; Rev. D. M. B. McLean, Allegheny, Pa.; Rev. D. W. Carson, Claysville, Pa.; Rev. J. W. McCune, North's Mills, Pa.; Rev. W. R. Marshall, Bellair, Ohio; Rev. J. B. Graham, Ohio; Rev. R. S. Morton, Hookstown, Pa.; Rev. S. J. M. Eaton, Franklin, Pa.; Rev. John Stockton, D. D., Cross Creek, Pa.; Rev. S. A. McLean, West Alexander, Pa.; Rev. John D. Knox, Rochester, Pa.; Rev. Sylvester Bent, Beaver, Pa.; Rev. W. J. Alexander, Dallas, W. Va.; Rev. J. Logan Sample, Elizabeth, Pa.; Rev. J. R. Duncan, Cumberland, Ohio; Rev. W. B. Dick, Mount Pleasant, Pa.; Rev. M. B. Lewris, Valparaiso, Ind.; Rev. James Davis, Blairsville, Pa.

To the Army of the Cumberland.—Rev. E. C. Sharp, Atwater, Ohio; Rev. John C. Steele, Allegheny, Pa.; Rev. A. Y. Houston, Library, Pa.; Rev. D. R. Barker, Mercer, Pa.; Rev. Samuel T. Lewris, Allegheny, Pa.; Rev. John Kelly, McConnellsville, Ohio; Rev. J. H. Lyon, Pittsburgh; Matthew Andrews, Clinton, Pa.—thirty-two delegates in all.

The Treasurer reports the following contributions received during May:

Amount previously acknowledged	$10,076 66
Christian Commission, Washington, Pa., (Additional), total amount, $3,200	500 00
Citizens of Martinsville, Ohio	100 00
John G Bentham, Pittsburg	50 00
Sol. Aid Soc. Milton, Armstrong Co., Pa.	62 62
Pupils of the 6th Ward School, Pittsburg	43 70
Union Relief Association, (additional)	48 54
Pair of Emma Force and Harriet Barrett, South Pittsburgh	30 00
Exhibition Union Literary Soc., Venice, Pa.	50 25
Sab. School U P Ch, Corsica, Pa	18 50
Free Church, Conquitty, Pa	100 25
M E Ch Wood field, Ohio	50 00
Collection in Mercer, Pa., by Ella D Hamilton	30 25
Collection in Spring Creek	12 10
Sol Aid Soc Stowe's Station, O	20 00
Summit Free Church, Davenport, Iowa	35 00
Lone Grove " " "	10 00
Smith Creek U P Ch, Warren Co, Ill	30 60
Thomas Pollock, Madison, Ind	34 50
Ladies' Hiland Free Church	13 87
David Shaw, Versailles Township	50 00
Miss J B Gray	2 00
Workmen of Boyce, Richards & Co. Glass Works, East Birmingham, Pa, as follows:	
S D Boyce	30 00
Henry Hebrank	3 00
Adam Weyman	5 00
J A H Carson	5 00
Daniel Boyle	5 00
John Finley	5 00
Henry Gilmore	3 00
Wm McClay	1 67
Robt Haugh	5 00
Wm McCullum	2 00
Adam Roth	2 00
John Schofield	1 67
Henry Brown	3 00
Thos Adams	5 00
Henry Kanfs	3 00
J P schneider	4 00
Concert in U P Church, Clinton Tp, Butler Co. Pa	25 00
Sol Aid Soc Fort Perry, Pa	71 50
" " " Harrisville, Pa	27 00
School Girl, Cross Creek	1 00
Comp. Cres. Ch, Wayne Co, O	15 65
Total receipts of month	$1,634 87
Previously acknowledged	20,883 85
Grand total	$22,518 03

The Christian Commission acknowledge the following donations of stores received during the month of May.

1 box of hospital stores from Soldiers' Relief Association of Buffalo, Washington co.

1 box of hospital stores from Soldiers Aid Society of Cadiz, Ohio.

1 box of wacing socks from Ladies Aid Society, Hickory, Washington co.

1 b s books from Sunday Schools of 2d Presbyterian church, 1st Pro Episcopal, 1st Presbyterian and Kramer chapel, of Steubenville, Ohio.

1 box stores from Soldiers Aid society of Greentown, Stark co, Ohio.

2 boxes hospital stores from Ladies Aid Society of Steubenville, Ohio.

1 box hospital stores from Owensburg circuit of the M E church.

1 box hospital stores from Ladies Aid Society of Conitersville.

1 box clothing.

1 do Fruit from Ladies Aid Society of Rossepoint, Lawrence co Pa.

1 box sundries from borough of Beaver, per Misses McLean and Wilson.

1 box hospitals stores from 1st and 2d U P Sunday Schools of Mercer, Pa.

2 boxes hospital stores from Amity and Ebenezer Soldiers Aid Society.

1 box hospital stores from Soldiers Aid Society of Monongahela U P church.

1 box clothing and fruit from Ladies Aid Society of Morristown, Ohio.

1 box of hospital stores from the Ladies' Aid Society of New Sheffield, Beaver county.

1 box of hospital stores from the Ladies' Aid Society of New Sewickville, Pa.

1 box of clothing from the Ladies Aid Society of Elizabeth

1 box and 1 barrel of hospital stores from the Ladies' aid society of the U. P. Church of Pigeon Creek.

1 barrel of eggs from the Ladies' Aid Society of Vernon, Mercer county, Pa.

1 box of stores from the Ladies' Aid Society of Worthington, Armstrong county.

1 box of hospital stores from School District, No. 2, Darlington township, Beaver county.

1 box of hospital stores from Eldersridge Soldiers' Aid Society, Indiana county.

2 boxes hospital stores from the Jersey Union Aid Society of Elizabeth township.

1 box of hospital stores from the Soldiers' Aid Society of Slate Lick, Armstrong county.

1 box of hospital stores from the Ladies' Christian Commission, Washington, Ohio.

3 boxes of hospital stores from the Ladies of Ridge congregation, Jewettville, Ohio.

2 boxes of hospital stores from the ladies of Amity, Washington county, Pa.

1 box of stores from the Ladies' Aid Society of Milton, Armstrong county, Pa.

1 box of hospital stores from the Ladies' Aid Society of Washington, Pa.

3 boxes of fruit and clothing from the Soldiers' Aid Society of Beaver per Beaver county Army Committee.

1 box of hospital stores from the Ladies' Aid Society of connersville, Pa.

1 box of hospital stores from the ladies of Mahoning, Lawrence county.

1 box of hospital stores from the Darlington Soldiers' Aid Society per Beaver Army Committee.

1 box of clothing from the Ladies' Aid Society of New Castle, Lawrence county.

1 box of hospital stores from the ladies of Moncongahela City.

1 box of hospital stores from the Ladies' Aid Society of Mount Jackson, Lawrence county.

1 box of clothing from the Ladies' Aid Society of Moscow Pa, east, Wamereland county.

1 box of hospital stores from the ladies of Shane Station.

1 box of hospital stores from the Ladies' Aid Society of Butler county.

4 boxes of hospital stores from the citizens of Marshlimburg, Belmont county, Ohio

1 box of clothing from the Young Ladies' Soldiers Aid Society of the First Presbyterian Church, Pittsburgh.

6 packages of clothing from the First English Lutheran Church, Pittsburgh.

1 box and 1 bbl of hospital stores from Soldiers' Aid Society of Beech Spring.

1 bbl and 1 pkge from Ladies' Aid Society of Cannsburg, Pa.

1 boxes of clothing and fruit from Island Creek Soldiers' Aid Society, Ohio.

1 pkge clothing from Ebenezer Soldiers' Aid Society, Pa.

1 box of hospital stores from Ladies of Monongahela City.

1 box of hospital stores from Soldiers' Aid Society of Greentown, Stark Co., Ohio.

1 box of hospital stores from citizens of Hanover township, per Beaver Co. Army Committee

1 box of hospital stores from Soldiers' Aid Society of Westfield, Lawrence Co.

2 boxes of hospital stores from citizens of Bridgeport, Belmont Co. Ohio.

1 box of clothing from Soldiers' Aid Society of Wellsville, Ohio.

4 boxes of hospital stores from Soldiers' Aid Society of Dunlap's Creek.

4 boxes hospital stores from Soldiers' Aid Society of Erie, Pa.

6 boxes hospital stores from Soldiers' Aid Society of Rogersville Green Co., Pa.

1 box of hospital stores from Soldiers' Aid Society of Nobletown, Pa.

1 box of books from Miss L McDaniels, Canonsburg.

1 box of clothing from Soldiers' Aid Society of New Texas, Pa.

1 box of sundries from Mrs Capt John Young.

1 box of sundries from Children's Aid Society of Canonsburg, Pa.

1 pkge from Isabella Ralph, Portersville.

1 box of sundries from Soldiers' Aid Society of Rimersburg.

1 piece of muslin from a friend

1 box of hospital stores from Soldiers' Aid Society of Clarkson.

1 box of hospital stores from Ladies' Aid Society of Webster, Westmoreland co.

8 boxes of hospital stores from unknown donors.

17 boxes from Christian Commission Philadelphia.

1 pkg of Muslin and Lint	from Mrs O P Rodgers.	
1 do	do	do Millers Run Society.
1 do	do	do 1st Ward School.
1 do	do	do Mrs Dalzell.
1 do	do	do Mrs J A Gallagher.
1 do	do	do N L A Wilkinsburg.
1 do	do	do Mrs McCormack.
1 do	do	do Mrs. McVay.
1 do	do	do Mrs McCormack
1 do	do	do M s McVay.
1 do	do	do Mrs E Graham
1 do	do	do 6th Ward School.
1 do	do	do Miss Stark.
1 do	do	do Mrs J Kennedy
1 do	do	do Mrs B Smith.
1 do	do	do Miss Sibbet.
1 do	do	do Mrs Marshall
1 do	do	do Mrs D Scott.
1 do	do	do Mrs Dilworth.
1 do	do	do O J Clark.
1 do	do	do Mrs J H Semple.
1 do	do	do Mrs Gordon.
1 do	do	do Mrs Wallace.
1 do	do	do Mrs Whittaker.
1 do	do	do Mrs Holmes.
1 do	do	do Squirrel Hill S C.
1 do	do	do J P Wilson.
1 do	do	do E M Wilson.
1 pkg fruit, wine and clothing	do	Mrs Townsend,
1 do	do	do Mrs Low,
1 do	do	do A Friend.
1 do	do	do Mrs B S Davis,
1 do	do	do Miss Hetick,
1 do	do	do Mrs H Jones,
1 do	do	do Miss Gregor,
1 do	do	do H L Bailman,
1 do	do	do Mrs J Scott,
1 do	do	do A Lady Friend,
1 do	do	do Mrs Murdrick,
1 do	do	do Mrs W Leonard,
1 do	do	do Mrs Young,
1 do	do	do Mrs Patterson.
1 do	do	do Mrs H Larimer,
1 do	do	do Miss H Moorhead,
1 do	do	do Miss M Craig,
1 do	do	do Mrs J B Sheriff,
1 do	do	do Rev J S Pershing,
1 do	do	do Mr J P Williams,
1 do	do	do Mr R B Smith,
1 do	do	do F Van Gorder,
1 do	do	do Mrs R McKnight,
1 do	do	do Miss Backofen.
1 pkg of books and papers,	Miss Collins	
1 do	do	do Wilkinsburg Academy,
1 do	do	do 6th Ward School.
1 do	do	do Mrs J Graham.
1 do	do	do Mrs Moore,
1 do	do	do A Friend.
1 do	do	do Rev Williams
1 do	do	do Mrs J Brubnell.
1 do	do	do Mrs Ira Williams.
1 do	do	do Mrs Bayard.
1 do	do	do Mrs Roberts.
1 do	do	do Mrs R B Shields.
1 do	do	do W H Small.
1 do	do	do Mrs M Jeffries.
4 do	do	do Mrs R Sweeney.
4 do	do	do Boys of Home of Refuge

31 Pkgs of sundries from unknown donors.

During the hurry of receiving and forwarding stores during the past month, we may have omitted to acknowledge some donations. Persons will please inform us of any omissions and we shall correct them in our next month's report.

Stores most needed now are shirts, drawers, arm slings, bandages, crutches, fruit in cans, wines and liquors.

The following articles have been sent to our armies during the past month:

1250 shirts,	1130 cans of fruit,
1020 drawers,	2750 pounds dried fruit,
760 towels,	410 bottles wine,
660 pairs socks,	376 do brandy,
131 dressing gowns,	1440 do whiskey,
2740 rolls bandages,	176 do bay rum,
200 rolls lint,	284 do cologne,
820 pillows,	675 pounds sugar,
435 pillow cases,	1020 do crackers,
72 comf rts,	74 bushels potatoes,
250 sheets,	35 boxes lemons,
1076 handkerchiefs,	200 pounds butter,
1123 rolls of muslin,	1747 pt kies,
850 housewives,	210 dozen eggs,
265 arm slings,	49 pounds farina,
33 macaroni,	110 do corn starch,
120 licorice,	978 large library books,
176,950 papers, pages,	11,740 small soldiers books,
110,760 tracts,	1246 magazines,
1,378 testaments,	41 gross pen holders,
110 reams writing paper,	1744 hymn books,
74 dozen lead pencils,	1721 psalm books.

Also large quantities of kitchen ware for extra diet kitchens in Tennessee.

Send all stores to Wm. P. Weyman, No. 76 Smithfield street; money to Joseph Albree, No. 71 Wood street, Pittsburgh.

Pittsburgh Sanitary Fair.

We are very much gratified to publish letters from the most distinguished persons in Europe and the United States, containing money and other contributions to the glorious cause. With proper efforts of all our patriotic citizens, we feel confident the fund of our Grand Fair will reach if not exceed

A QUARTER OF A MILLION DOLLARS.

We publish the letters of Hon. Rufus King, U. S. Minister at Rome; also that of Gen. Negley, and will continue these publications as rapidly as the crowded state of our columns will permit:

ROME, May 7th, 1864.

Messrs. M. Dominec, Jas. Veech, H. W. Williams, Edwin H. Stowe, W. A. Passavant, M. W. Jacobus, Jas. O'Conner, Esq., Foreign Correspondence Committee, Pittsburgh Sanitary Fair:

Gentlemen: Your favor of the 7th of April was duly received and I availed myself of the earliest possible opportunity to present, in person, to Cardinal Antonelli the letter addressed to my care. I am happy to inform you that the Cardinal, in response to the request which I conveyed to him, frankly promised to send something to the Fair, and expressed the belief that the Pope would also gladly contribute his mite towards the same good object. I hope to receive and forward both their contributions within a day or two.

I am, gentlemen, very respectfully,
your ob't serv't,
RUFUS KING.

PITTSBURGH, May 20th, 1864.

Gentlemen:—I am greatly ully sensible of the honor you have conferred on me in inscribing my name in the list of honorary members of the Pittsburgh Sanitary Fair—the notice of wh h I received to-day.

Permit me to assure you, that I deeply sympathize with, and fully appreciate the grandeur of your benevolent purpose, and I enjoy a proud pleasure in contributing—however humbly—to your efforts in behalf of our gallant soldiers.

While I deplore the carnage and devastation of civil war, I am likewise convinced after three years active service in the midst of sanguinary results of Rebellion, that the most disastrous event which could now happen to our country, would be the rise of the war by faction, without destroying the cause and the real element of discord—*Slavery.* Owing to this fatal influence, the temper and character which now prevails in the dominion of treason is calculated to produce a contempt for a free government—to create despotic principles and to hasten a decay of all constitutional laws established for the protection of life and property.

There cannot and never will be an honorable and enduring peace until the orb of general emancipation arises from the blaze of war and Constitutional liberty as a rainbow of hope and promise arches itself over the storm of combat.

We are contending for a patriotic and true christian civilization, guided by a firm reliance on the wisdom and justice of Him who controls the destiny of nations. The contest has, and will still, cost us treasures of blood and millions of money. What if that The perpetuity of our national unity, with all its priceless blessings, is well worth the sacrifice, and the perilous stability of the cause demands the richest jewels of our hearts and the best purposes of our lives.

The dark clouds are drifting southward. The day is fast approaching when the stars on the glorious old flag of the Union, newly consecrated in the blood of its heroic defenders, shall shine forth with renewed lustre, and its emblazoned folds, proclaim to living characters over every land and sea, the sentiment dear to every loyal heart: *One Republic—One Form of Government and Universal Freedom.*

With considerations of high esteem, please find fifty dollars enclosed for the good cause.

Yours truly,
JAMES S. NEGLEY,
Major General U. S. A.

To Messrs. Dominec, Veech, Passavant, Jacobus, Williams, Barker, O'Connor and Kramer, Committee of Correspondence, P. S. Fair.

The Volunteer Aid Corps of Surgeons of Pennsylvania.

Messrs. Editors:—With a number of other persons from this State, I had the great pleasure of assisting our wounded soldiers at Belle Plain, Fredericksburg, and the steam transports from Fredericksburg to Washington. The following surgeons were notified on Sabbath, by Surgeon General James King, to report for duty, and were promptly on the ground on Tuesday following, viz: R. B. Mowry, M. D., Geo. L. McCook, M. D., H. T. Coffey, M. D., of Pittsburgh; H. Lemox Hodge, M. D., Henry T. Childs, M. D., Philadelphia; H. R. Martin, M. D., of Allentown; F. C. Harrison, M. D., of Bloomsburg; Thomas McKennan, M. D., of Washington; John C. Van Rick, M. D., and John E. Shaffer, M. D., of Elizabeth. Each of the above named gentlemen served over the period of ten days allotted to them by the Surgeon General of the United States. There were others of the corps who were present and did good work for shorter periods.

The services of these men were well appreciated by the wounded patients under their charge. Their labors were arduous and were performed with a hearty good will. Surgeon General James King was constantly with his volunteer corps in the great emergency about which you and your readers are already sufficiently acquainted. But he was not with them merely for the purpose of ordering, but for the solid work of the occasion. He was busy day and night operating, dressing, nursing and arranging for the comfort of the wounded under our care. His ear was open to the call of every one, and his hand was ever ready to the willing dictates of his own noble heart. No soldier ever appealed to him in vain, and no angry look ever darkened his brow, or cruel word ever emenated from his lips. His work was both Herculean and Protean, and was performed with the greatest good will and kindness. Dr. King has all through the scenes of this infamous rebellion done good work. The hearts of numerous soldiers will bless him for the manner in which he has discharged his arduous duties towards them.

Mr. and Mrs. Kieber's Concert.

Among the many Concerts on the tapis for and during the Sanitary Fair, the one to be given by Mr. and Mrs. H. Kieber deserves particular mention. Mrs. Kieber is considered one of the finest pianists in the country, and, on this occasion, will perform some of the choicest compositions of Chaplin, Liszt and other renowned masters—pieces which are but rarely presented to our western musical publics. Besides, we are to have that charming finale from Opera Martha, introducing the "Last Rose of Summer," and also the popular "minnesera," with the "Tower Song," the whole accompanied by an efficient Orchestra.

In the course of the evening, also, songs, duetts, quartetter, etc. The programme is a very attractive one, and the Concert will doubtless be one of the very best ever gotten up in this city.

By the advertisement in another column, it will be seen that the sale of reserved seats will commence on Saturday morning next, June 4th, at H. Kieber & Bro's Music Store, 122 Wood street.

"THE RELIEF POLKA."—This is the title of a new piece of music composed by Mr. Henry Kieber, and dedicated to the Committee of Ladies of the Pittsburgh Sanitary Fair. The title page is embellished with a beautiful lithographic view of the Fair buildings. The music is spirited and lively, without being difficult. Copies can be procured during the continuance of the fair from Mrs. Cust, at the American Booth, in the Bazaar, the receipts of which will be devoted to the Fair fund.

Our Book Table.

SEVEN STORIES, WITH BASEMENT AND ATTIC. By the Author of "My Farm of Edgewood." New York: Charles Scribner. Pittsburgh: for sale by Davis, Clarke & Co., 93 Wood street, and by Henry Ettner, 71 and 73 Fifth street. 31½p. 12mo.

This exceeding pleasant book of stories—(of which we should have said there are nine, had not the author himself authoritatively settled for us the question of number by counting them under the influence of a fit of humor, and an architectural metaphor, as "*seven*," with "basement" and "attic,")—is made up from reminiscences of foreign travel—such "special reminiscences," he says, as, "after the lapse of ten years, hang strongest in my mind." We, and probably our readers all, have read enough of "Ik Marvel's" writings, to have learned that he knows how to tell a good story charmingly;—but if any lingering doubt as to this fact has yet found place, it will only take a few minutes to set all to rights, by opening this volume at random, and getting fairly into any one of its seven or nine stories, from the 'Basement' to the 'Attic,' inclusive or exclusive. What he reckons first story, however, entitled "Wet day at an Irish Inn," will be very favorably, even delightfully, decisive—and the second, "Account of a Consulate," and the third, "The Petit Soulier," and all the rest, whose titles are written in the contents, will follow like the courses of a banquet.

JENNY WADE, OF GETTYSBURG.—Philadelphia: J. B. Lippincott & Co. Pittsburgh: for sale by Davis, Clarke, & Co, 93 Wood street. 32 pp. 12mo. Gilt edges.

This is a dainty little volume, beautifully printed, whose theme is one of the heroines of this war. "The country has already heard of John Burns, the hero of Gettysburg..... But there was a heroine as well as a hero of Gettysburg..... Before the battle, and while the national hosts were awaiting the assault of the traitor foe, Jenny Wade was busily engaged in baking bread for the national troops. She occupied a house in range of the guns of both armies, and the rebels had sternly ordered her to leave the premises, but this she as sternly refused to do. While she was busily engaged in her patriotic work, a minie ball pierced her pure heart, and she fell, a holy sacrifice in her country' cause." The volume before us is designed as a memorial to perpetuate her fame—and, doubtless, if good intentions alone could woo the muses, our author would have built in her honor "*monumentum aere perennius.*"

THE HOME FOR THE NATION AND THE TIMES. By a Citizen U. S. N. A. Philadelphia: W. S. A. Martien. Pittsburgh: for sale by Davis, Clarke & Co., 93 Wood street. 64pp. 12mo.

Under this somewhat high-sounding and ambitious title, we have here not a ponderous volume in folio, quarto, or even octavo, but a very moderate-sized pamphlet,—which will have this at least in its favor—this advantage over the bulkier tome it might have been,—that it will stand a better chance of being read in there excited times, when most of our good fellow C. U. S. N. A. wish to read a book, or to do whatever else they will do at all, within the fixed and ample space of *twenty minutes!* Well, the author of this pamphlet has just made a claim of twenty minutes on your time, impatient mortal, to tell you that we need only one thing to be great and happy as a nation, and that that one thing is GOOD NESS. We think it might be very profitable to some of us—indeed to any and all of us—to hear him upon this subject, to the extent of sixty-four duodecimo pages; as in and by these pressents, to wit, "The Book of the Nation and the Times," he hath set forth and limited his claim upon us.

Arrival of the State Military Cadets.

The Cadets at the State Military Academy, at West Chester, arrived in this city yesterday, and in the afternoon they marched to the West Common, Allegheny, where they pitched their tents preparatory to a week's stay in our midst. The Cadets are one hundred and fifty in number, and are organized into two companies. Company A is under command of Capt. Leslie, First Lieut. A. Reed, Second Lieut. H. C. Balmar, and Third Lieut. W. J. Howard. Company B is offered as follows: Capt. A. L. Kern, Cadet Adjutant, First Lieut. C. J. Buck, Second Lieut. Jewett, and Third Lieut. C. Roberts. The whole is under command of Col. T. Hyatt and Captain Williams, Drill Master.

The Cadets embrace a large number of the youth of this community, representing many of our best families. The names of those from this vicinity, so far as we have been able to collect them, are as follows: J. Marshall, E. Park, W. Park, A. Rahm, J. A. Herron, F. Sellars, J. Scott, W. Scott, C. Clarkson, O. H. Grosby, F. Paxton, L. Hirsbaugh, J. H. Phillips, J. Phillips, J. B. Phillips, E. Yeager, A. Jones and A. Woodwall.

The camp is very prettily located on the common green, opposite Ridge street, and is composed of forty-eight tents, beside the officers' quarters.

The Cadets are fully armed and equipped, and are well drilled in all the duties of the soldier. The guard at the depot on the noon train, and will escort His Excellency to the Monongahela House, headed by Beck's Band, of Philadelphia. They will also parade in the procession previous to the inauguration ceremonies this afternoon.

Grace Greenwood.

This lady lectured last evening at Lafayette Hall, on Washington, London and Rome; but which she gave in inverted order—Rome, London and Washington—all from the stand point of personal observation—not the cities, but the men and women who figured there in 1850, and for several succeeding years—that sad and humiliating period when even Webster stooped from his lofty state, to propitiate the dark and cruel spirit of slavery, and when the fugitive slave law found a place upon the nation's statute book.—Grace Greenwood is not a Roman, nor a Briton, but a genuine American Republican.

Allegheny Councils.

A special meeting of Allegheny Councils was held last evening—a quorum being present in both branches.

Councils then met in joint session, with Mr. Marshall as President, who read a communication from the Secretary of the Committee of the Sanitary Fair, inviting Councils to meet at the Monongahela House, at four o'clock p. m. June 1st, for the purpose of taking part in the opening ceremonies of the Sanitary Fair.

Mr. Wright moved that the invitation be accepted, and that Councils meet to morrow (June 1st) at three o'clock p. m., in the City Hall, and proceed from thence in a body to the Monongahela House in Pittsburgh.

The motion was agreed to, and on motion Councils adjourned.

Meeting of Military Men in and out of the Service.

At an adjourned meeting, held yesterday at Wilkins Hall, numerously attended by those in and out of the service, it was unanimously agreed that all officers and men, either in or out of the service, join in the procession in *full uniform*, in the order of their rank. Enlisted men will report without delay to Lieutenants Kaufelt and Santers at the Gleard House in order to make arrangements to join in the procession in uniform, any branch of the service, *either with or without arms.* The officers will meet at Wilkins' Hall at 8 p. m., Wednesday June 1st, 1864.

By order of Col. L. W. SMITH, Ch'n.
Maj. J. T. PEALE, Sec'y.

AN INCIDENT.—A soldier who was going to stop the operations of the Sanitary and Christian Commissions as soon as he got home, was complaining to a surgeon of their inefficiency, and, also, of the appetites of the surgeons for the good things of the land, and of their general and utter disregard for the comforts of the wounded, was stopped by the surgeon with whom he was conversing, by having his attention directed to Surgeon General King, of Pennsylvania. "Why, then, is the Surgeon General of Pennsylvania, with his hat off, and his coat too, working with a will?" "Is that the Surgeon General of Pennsylvania?" asked the soldier in astonishment; "why, I saw that fellow washing a soldier's shirt yesterday."

THEATRE.—An unusally large audience visited this establishment last evening to witness the new sensation play of "Life in Tennessee." The scenery in the piece is new and beautiful, and the various parts are well sustained by the company. It will be repeated to-night.

MAN DROWNED.—Yesterday afternoon, a young man named Evans Hankle, was drowned in the Monongahela river, near the Four mile run. The deceased was a resident of Greensburg, Westmoreland county. The body has not yet been recovered.

SALE OF STOCKS, Tuesday evening, May 31st, by A. McIlwaine, auctioneer, at Commercial Sales Room, 54 Fifth street.

Pittsburgh & Steubenville Railroad	$15 25
Merchants & Manufacturers Bank	58 00
Eureka Insurance Company	49.00

Also, a lot on Duncan street, Seventh ward, 26 feet front by 140 feet deep; whereon is a two story brick dwelling, for $3,800.

CAPTAIN KIRKBRIDE.—The remains of this officer arrived from Philadelphia yesterday morning. His body will be conveyed from his late residence in Mansfield to Chartiers Cemetery, at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Carriages will leave Jackson's livery stable, Fourth street, at 1 o'clock p. m., and Hershberger's, Temperanceville, at the same hour. His friends are respectfully invited to attend.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY.—Thomas J. Monroe was committed to jail yesterday by Justice Salisbury, of Birmingham, to answer a charge of assault and battery, preferred by Margaret Lowry. A commitment was also lodged against him by officer M. B. Hartsell for a similar offence.

THE FAIR.—The cash receipts of the Sanitary Fair, up to Tuesday evening, was *one hundred and one thousand and twenty-nine dollars and seventy-seven cents,* ($101,029 77)

SERMON FOR DEAF MUTES.—On Thursday evening a service for deaf mutes will be held at St. Paul's Cathedral, by the Rev. Mr. Gallaudet, of New York.

SPECIAL LOCAL NOTICES

ALPACCAS—Black, also colored of all shades, at Barker's, 59 Market street.

NEW GOODS, NEW GOODS.—At McClellan's Auction House, No. 55 Fifth street, they are now opening a large and elegant assortment of Boots, Shoes and Gaiters for ladies and children. The new stock embraces every thing that is new and desirable in the way of Boots, Balmoral Shoes, Gaiters, all kinds; Buskins, Slippers, &c., and are offered at private sale during the day or evening, at prices to defy competition.

SILKS.—The largest stock of black and colored silks, at Barker's, 59 Market street.

MEMBERS of the Vigilant Steam Fire Engine and Hose Company No. 3, will meet at their hall, Third street, Wednesday, June 1st, at 2 o'clock p m., fully equipped, to join the procession.

PRINTS and Chintzes at old prices, at Barker's, 59 Market street.

SANITARY FAIR UNIFORMS.—White Vestings, Diamond Ties and red, white and blue Sashes, just received at Macrum & Glyde's.

CIRCULARS AND SACQUES.—The largest assortment in this city in cloth and silks, at less than Eastern prices, at Barker's 59 Market street.

SHIRTINGS and Sheetings, at less than manufacturers prices, at Barkers, 59 Market street.

FRENCH Mosambiques and Mohair Lusters, cheap at J. Finch's, corner of Grant and Fifth streets.

BARGAINS in Carpets, Oil Cloths, Rugs, Door Mats, &c. at J. Finch's, corner of Grant and Fifth streets.

GOOD shirting Muslins at 20 to 25c per yard, at J. Finch's, corner of Grant and Fifth sts.

BALMORAL SKIRTS at $2 a piece, at J. Finch's, corner of Grant and Fifth sts.

SHAWLS.—A large assortment of desirable styles cheap, at Barker's, 59 Market street.

ALBUMS of all sizes and styles, at low prices and in great variety, at Pittocks, opposite the Postoffice.

ALL the late Books at Pittock's, opposite the Postoffice.

PORTFOLIO BOOKS, Pocket Albums, &c, at Pittock's, opposite the Postoffice.

PLAGS of all sizes, at Pittock's, opposite the Postoffice.

MAPS at Pittock's, opposite the Postoffice.

DRESS GOODS of every desirable style, from 25 cents per yard up, at Barker's, 59 Market street.

CALL at No. 48 Fifth street and examine the Knabe Pianos, for sale only by Charlotte Blume.

MUSICIANS' OMNIBUS, Nos. 1 and 2 each, contains 850 pieces of music for the violin, &c; price $1. For sale by Charlotte Blume, 48 Fifth street.

A. McCurdy's superior Melodeons, for sale by Charlotte Blume, 48 Fifth street.

UMBRELLAS and parasols of all colors and sizes, at Barker's, 59 Market street.

Fire in California—Affairs in Mexico—Currency in Nevada.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 30.—The town of Forest Hill, California, was destroyed by fire today. Loss $50,000.

Dates to May 4th say that affairs in Northwestern Mexico are quiet. Negrete and Ortega have withdrawn their troops to Saltillo. Juarez cannot place much reliance in his generals, who act very independently.

The movement for a change of currency in Nevada Territory is not sustained by capitalists.

Fire at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, May 31.—The ware house of C. H. Bell, corner of Third and Elm streets, with its contents, were completely destroyed by fire this afternoon. It contained 1800 bales of hay, several thousand sacks of salt, a large quantity of oats stored on government account, and 100 bales of cotton. The fire caught in the hay, and is supposed to be the work of an incendiary. Several adjoining buildings were injured by the fire. Loss not ascertained.

TREASURER'S LIST, SANITARY FAIR.—R. H. SOLOMON, Treasurer Sanitary Fair, acknowledges receipt of the following additional contributions:

From the Committee on Stoves, Heaters, &c.

Employees of A J Bradley	104 20	A Bradley	400 00
J Marshal & Co	200 00	Employees of Mitchell, Stevenson & Co.	51 00
Employees of Bissel & Co	65 50	Employees of Young & Bro.	25 50
Bollman & Graves Employees	155 40		$1,011 72

From Coal Committee:

J Walton, East Birmingham	220 00	Capt W Smith Tow Boat Bengal Tiger	100 00
T Farrell, East Birmingham	200 00	Tow Boat "O H Crumby"	100 00
Caldwell & Bro	100 00	Capt J S M Intyr Tow Boat "Allegheny"	75 00
G A L Lundy	25 00		
Cap McCormack Tow Boat Eagle	100 00		$600 00

From the Grocer's Committee:

J Bryan, Grocer, 1st Ward	25 00	P Blum, grocer, 5th Ward	2 00
A Kaunmiz, grocer, 5th Ward	10 00	Cash, 6th Ward	2 00
J S Patterson & Bro, 6th Ward	10 00		$49 00

From the Iron Committee:

Lyon, Shorb & Co	1,000 00	Chess, Smyth & Co	500 00
Jones & Laughlin	1,000 00	McKnight & Co	500 00
Graff, Bennett & Co	1,000 00	Rice & Phips	500 00
Spang, Chalfant & Co	1,000 00	Brown & Co	500 00
Eagle Painter	1,000 00	Shoenberger & Co	500 00
Moorhead & Co	1,000 00	Martin, Oliver & Bridell	400 00
Lloyd & Black	1,000 00	Lindsay & Whipple	200 00
Evans, Pearson & Co	1,000 00	Wharton, Bros & Co	250 00
Hallman, Bahm & Co	1,000 00	Severance	100 00
James Word & Co	1,000 00	Lewis, Culver & Phillips	100 00
Leech, Bailey, Dalzell & Co	1,000 00	Hale & Aver, Chicago, Ill.	100 00
Reese, Graff & Dull	1,000 00		$15,750 00

From Hardware Committee:

Blair & Davidson	100 00	Victor Keller, Ally City	25 00
Oliphanum Craw Soft & Co	100 00	Loutner & Son Ally City	25 00
John England	25 00		275 00

Iron City Commercial College	500 00	Mrs Joshua Hanna	50 00
Jno Dunlap, sen	150 00	Employees of A & Co	25 00
D Shaw, Versailles Township	50 00	A Friend per sanitary Com	5 00
Chas G Miller, Wood St	100 00	Boot & Shoe Committee on Account	225 00
H Jones, esq., Allegheny Savings Bank	500 00	Philanthropic Ladies (Colored)	75 00
Cook, Pettit & Co Provision Dealers	100 00	R L McGrew, Truss steamboat Fund on Account	3,000 00
Jno McCrea, Kittanning	10 00	John Heinzman Gardner	5 00
R McAboy, Butler	10 00	Mrs Chas Knap	200 00
H McElhenny, Ally City	5 00	St. Paul German United Evangelical Church, Allegheny	240 00
D H White, Sewickley	50 00		
Employees McClintock Paw Mill, 9th w'd.	20 00		

From Plus Glass Manufacturers:

Bakewell, Pears & Co	500 00	T A Evans & Co	100 00
James B Lyon & Co	400 00	Shepard & Co	50 00
McKee & Bros	250 00	H S Hamilton & Co	50 00
Philips & Best	250 00		
Bryce Richards & Co	200 00		
J Dillinger	200 00		
Adams & Co	200 00		
King & Co	100 00		