LOCAL MATTERS.

General Assembly.

The Twenty-First Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church met yesterday in the Rev. Mr. Bryan's Church, Sixth street. The introductory sermon was preached by the Rev. Reuben Burrow, Moderator of the last General Assembly. The Assembly was then constituted by prayer. The roll being called, it appeared that the following members were present:

SYNODS.

Green River—Revs. G. D. McClain, W. G. L. Quail, A. G. Baird, and Elders C. M. Pennell and Wm. Ewing.

Kentucky—Rev. M. Bird, T. J. Malone, J. F. Johnson, and Elder J. L. Stratton.

McAdow—Revs. J. B. Michell, A. G. White, and Elder Wm. H. Holliday.

Missouri—Revs. Robert Rennick, Hugh R. Smith, A. W. Guthrie, F. A. Witherspoon, and Elder R. A. Rennick.

Arkansas—Not represented.

Union—Rev. J. C. Wear.

Pennsylvania—Revs. S. Hendson, John Carey, J. H. Coulter, and Elders Joseph Miller, E. Simpkins and Merryman Downey.

Sagamore—Revs. J. B. Lawrence, Peter Downey, Cyrus Haynes, W. F. Baird, and Elder John McKinney.

East Tennessee—Revs. J. P. Holtsinger, Thomas H. Small.

Illinois—Revs. W. M. Hamilton, T. Hedges, T. Hill, W. Macking.

Columbia—Revs. W. P. Gilliham, D. C. Chapman, Wm. M. Reid, and Elders John Robinson and P. W. Hardin.

West Tennessee—J. Pope, L. N. Calvert, John E. Bonds, B. W. McDonald, W. A. Cothram, R. Burrow, and Elders James Barrott and M. M. Huston.

Middle Tennessee—Revs. Thos. Calhoun, W. D. Chaddick, W. M. Sellars. Elders—Jno. R. Davis, F. B. Wood.

Brazos—Not represented.

Texas—Revs. Samuel Corley and W. W. C. Kelly.

Indiana—Revs. W. B. Lambert, Elam McCord, L. R. Woods. Elders—J. C. Henson, Wm. B. Hornish.

Mississippi—Not represented.

Hernando—Revs. J. J. Meek, R. S. Thomas. Elder—Saml. Bell.

Cumberland—Revs. J. P. Campbell, S. M. Aston, A. G. Goodlett, Wm. H. Guthrie.

After the calling of the roll they went into an election for officers, which resulted as follows:

Moderator—Rev. Milton Bird, of Louisville, Ky.

Clerk—Rev. John Carey, of Washington county, Pa.

Assist't Clerk—Rev. Thos. Small, of East Tennessee.

The meeting being organized and prepared for business, on motion, the rules of the manual were adopted to govern the proceedings of this Assembly.

After a little unimportant business, on motion, the Assembly adjourned.

COMMON PLEAS.—*Tuesday*, May 20. Before the Hon. Judge M'Clure.

Prentice *vs.* Good Intent Stage Co., for the loss of a trunk. The jury could not agree and were discharged.

James Benney, jr., *vs.* the Administrators of Wm Booth, deceased, who was impleaded with James J. Binning. Action of debt. Verdict for plaintiff.

Steubenville Turnpike Co. *vs.* James Wood & Co., for toll on a bridge across Saw Mill Run.

This case was not concluded when the Court adjourned.

☞ ELIGIBLE BUILDING LOTS are daily becoming more scarce and valuable in our City, and the rapid progress of the new Railroads admonishes those who wish to procure property near them to be on the look-out when opportunities offer. Along the lower end of Liberty and Water streets, in the immediate vicinity of the Great Central Railroad Depot, will lots be most valuable. Lot No. 145, the property of the late Ross Black, Esq., will be sold to-morrow forenoon, by order of Orphans' Court. It comprises nine lots of twenty to fifty feet front in the triangle at the junction of those streets, only thirty yards from the grounds chosen for the Depot, and for which the Railroad Company have the deeds signed and delivered, and offers a fine chance for business men. The cars on the Central Railroad will be running out to Wilkinsburg on the first of October, at the farthest, and the work pushed on to Johnstown as rapidly as possible. The rails are now down on part of the road between the Canal Bridge and the City Line.

As the property will be bought to use and not to sell, those who need a lot should see to it at once. Read the advertisement in another column of this paper.

☞ W. W. Irwin, Esq., made a motion, yesterday, in the District Court, for the discharge of Martin Dunn from his recognizances. It appears that Dunn is a watchman, and had arrested a man named Nolan, who was subsequently fined two dollars, by the Mayor, for disorderly conduct. Nolan then brought an action against Dunn for false imprisonment, on which charge he was held to bail.

The learned counsel contended that as the Mayor had decided the case and fined Nolan, his decision was final, and an action would not lie against the person who made the arrest.

THEATRE—CELESTINE FRANK AND LEON ESPINOSA.—The engagement of these celebrated dancers has been brilliantly successful, and we trust that to-night, at their last appearance, they will be honored with a crowded house. The entertainment provided for the occasion is rich, varied and novel.—Celestine will charm all eyes by her graceful dancing and pantomime, while Espinosa will appear in a new comic pantomime. It would be well for gentlemen contemplating taking ladies, to procure reserved seats during the early part of the day.

SEDUCTION.—There was a case of seduction tried in the District Court on Monday, in which John Warner was plaintiff and Peter Ivory defendant.

About six years ago defendant seduced plaintiff's daughter, and although in an action of Fornication and Bastardy in the Quarter Sessions, she recovered damages, her father thought proper to bring this action in the District Court for the loss of his daughter's service during her illness. After a hearing of the case, in which most eminent counsel were employed on both sides, the jury returned a verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $600.

MODEL OF BEAUTY.—There is now on exhibition, at No. 65 Market street, a painting of a Circassian female's beauty. It is of full size, and most perfect in every particular, and by the arrangement of the light, is made to appear life like. It is an object of admiration and eulogy to all who have beheld it, and is spoken of as a masterly production of a master artist.

LUNATIC.—Col. McCandless appeared yesterday on behalf of a boy named Bodefick, residing in Collins township, who has been insane for some two or three years, for the purpose of having him sent to the Lunatic Asylum. The evidence was clear and conclusive, and the jury empannelled returned a verdict accordingly, and the Court made the necessary order.

☞ Mrs. John W. Pope and her brother, Mr. Smith, while riding out the Steubenville road in a buggy, on Saturday, were thrown from it, and she had her arm broken. The buggy was precipitated over a precipice and smashed to pieces. They were very fortunate, under the circumstances, to escape with their lives.

FOUND.—The body of Thomas McFadden, of this city, who was drowned off the steamer Hibernia some three or four weeks since, between Wheeling and Marietta, was found, last week, about 40 miles below the latter place.

ACCIDENT.—Yesterday morning the front axle tree of a carriage, just after it passed over the Allegheny bridge, broke down and started the horses to running and kicking; but very fortunately they were caught by the passers by, or the most serious consequences might have resulted from it, as the carriage contained four ladies. As it was, however, they escaped without injury.

LARCENY.—A young man was arrested yesterday and brought before His Honor, Mayor Guthrie, charged with having stolen some $15 or $20 from the trunk of Joseph Hall, in Pipetown. He was committed for further hearing.

☞ Two boys were arrested last evening on suspicion of their having stolen a purse from Mrs. Lyschelle, of Moon township, while in the market. One of them was discharged, and the other will have a further hearing.

☞ The remains of Fathers McGuire, Kenney, Hoy and McCaffery were removed yesterday from the vault under the Cathedral, where they had been placed some 20 years ago, to St. Mary's Cemetery. The cortege was large and imposing.

POLICE.—There were thirteen customers before his Honor yesterday morning. Six paid their fines, five were committed, and two discharged.

☞ The Jenny Lind Minstrels appear to-night at Quincy Hall, Allegheny city.

For Sale and To Let.

Second Street Property.

FOR SALE—A valuable unimproved property, of 24 feet front, on Second street, by 152 deep to the Monongahela river. The above property is pleasantly located for a dwelling house in the rear, and a business stand in front, or would do well for a small Manufactory. It can be had at a bargain.

S CUTHBERT,
General Agent, 50 Smithfield st.
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Orphans' Court Sale.

BY virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Allegheny county, the undersigned, Guardian of Charles Frederick, Charlotte Matilda, Virginia, and Charles Blume, minor children of Frederick Blume, late of Allegheny county, deceased, will expose to Public Sale, on the premises, on *Saturday*, May 17th, at 10 o'clock, A. M., of that day, all that certain lot or parcel of ground, situate, lying and being in the borough of Birmingham, being Lot No. 6, in Watson's plan of subdivision of Lots in said borough, beginning at Lot No. 5, in said plan and Centre street, thence along said street South 119 deg. West 24 ft. to the corner of Lot No. 7, thence along the line of the same 127 feet to Liberty street, thence along the same 24 feet to Lot No. 5, thence along said Lot No. 5 127 feet to the place of beginning.

ALSO,

On Saturday, May, 24, on the premises, near the borough of Lawrenceville, at 10 o'clock, A. M., all those eligible town lots or pieces of ground, situated, lying and being in the village of Hatfield, Peebles township, Allegheny county, marked and numbered in a plan of lots laid out by George A. Bayard, as lots No. 18 and 19, being each 50 feet in front and extending in depth 100 feet, and bounded on the West by Lot No 17, and on the East by Lot No. 20, on the South by a 50 feet street, and on the North by a 25 feet alley.

Title indisputable. Terms at sale. For further particulars apply to

GEORGE REITER,
Guardian, &c., corner of St. Clair and Liberty sts.
Or to JOHN BARTON,
my8:2d Attorney at Law, 65 Fifth st.

LAWRENCEVILLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.—A valuable property, pleasantly situated on Butler street, having a front of 234 feet by 107 deep, on Prospect street, with a new two story brick house, arranged with a store room, in which a good business can be done; and the rooms are well furnished; a good cellar and a well of good water, with a pump; also a fine garden. Price $2,000.

S. CUTHBERT, General Agent,
my15 50 Smithfield street.

A SPLENDID FARM FOR SALE—Situate in a healthy location, adjoining the thriving village of Millersville, Penn township, 10 miles from the city, it contains 65½ acres of land, of a good quality, and in a high state of cultivation; 17 acres are fine meadow well watered; 2 orchards of choice fruit trees; a large garden; a new brick house—well arranged for comfort and convenience; a pump of fine water at the door; a large frame barn and stable, and other out houses; about eight acres of choice timber. The whole is in first-rate order, and a desirable location of those wanting a profitable farm. Price $2900.

S. CUTHBERT, Gen'l Agent.
my10 50 Smithfield street.

FOR RENT—A new two story BRICK HOUSE, situate on third street, near Grant; arranged with halls, fine large parlor, pizza, dining room, kitchen and cellar. Both rooms arranged for Hot or Cold Baths, and four bed rooms. All finished in the best manner, and painted with the best and most modern style of paper; gas hangers, chandeliers and fixtures. The house is new and complete, and has not yet been occupied.—Immediate possession. Rent $250 a year.

S. CUTHBERT, Gen'l Agent,
my10 50 Smithfield street.

State Mutual Fire Insurance Company

BRANCH OFFICE, 54 Saint Clair Street, Pittsburg,
Pittsburgh, May 1st, 1851.

THE best evidence of the success of the Directors in establishing the "STATE MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY" meet the wants of the community, is the unparalleled amount of business which has been done—having issued over 9000 Policies during the past year, thereby adding over $1300,000 to the funds of the company. Nearly all the property insured at the date of last report, 7,600 Policies, and a large proportion insured for only one year.

Whole No. Policies issued	7,600	
do expired, terminated & cancelled	92	
do in force	7,508	
Amount of Property insured		$7,886,419
do Cancelled, terminated and expired	201,729	
do do in force		$7,654,691
do Premium Notes	79,676,87	
do Cancelled, terminated, expir'd,	637,10	
do in force		$79,037,77
do Premiums received	$51,655,14	
do do cancelled	321,24	
		$51,235,90

Whole amount of losses and expenses paid 23,411,45

Balance in favor of the Co., in cash, $27,824,45

The Directors, as scholars, and owners of fire offices, and isolated or country property, it is believed this company affords advantages in point of cheapness, safety and reliability, inferior to no Insurance Company in this country.

Contented with the equitable and greatly improved system of Classification of Risks, excluding all special hazards, insuring only a limited amount in any one locality, thus combining the safety and economy of small risks, and also, on both the Stock and Mutual plan, if not only possesses the cheapness and accommodation of both methods, but entitles the insured to a participation in the profits.

It is under the control of the following Directors: J. F. Dahlstedt, Jos. Woods and J. Gillett, John B. Parker, Samuel Jones, Alonzo A. Carrier, Philo C. Sedgwick, Robert Klotz.

A. A. CARRIER, Agent.
A. A. CARRIER, Actuary.

N. B.—Scrip Dividends of fifteen per cent. on expiring policies has been declared by the Directors, and is now receivable at this Office for renewals, or redeemable in cash at the end of ninety days.

my17:2d&w A. A. CARRIER, Agent.

Ice! Ice!! Ice!!!

PURE ALLEGHENY ICE.—J. R. Hartley begs leave to inform his customers that he has commenced delivering Ice, and will furnish the citizens with Pure Ice at as low a price as any other person engaged in the business. He has built the commodious Ice Houses fail, and will be able to furnish all the customers that he takes, during the whole year.

J. R. H. HARTLEY,
City Ice House.

Office on Virgin Alley, immediately in the rear of the Second Presbyterian Church.

N. B. My Wagons have my name on the side in black letters. my17:2d&w

TO the Honorable the Judges of the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace in and for the County of Allegheny:

The petition of Robert Musgrave, Fourth Ward, Pittsburgh, in the County aforesaid, humbly sheweth, That your petitioner hath provided himself with house room and conveniences for the accommodation of travelers and others, at his dwelling house in the 4th Ward aforesaid, and prays that your Honors will be pleased to grant him a license to keep a public house of entertainment. And your petitioner, as in duty bound, will pray.

ROBERT MUSGRAVE.

We, the subscribers, citizens of the Ward aforesaid, do certify that the above petitioner is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation and lodging of strangers and travelers, and that said tavern is necessary.

John Hanna, R J Thomas, J T Moore, John Brave, W Blendell, S Hare, W W Splane, T Patterson, A Buckman, R B S apleford, J M'Shane, J Andrews.

(Daily Dispatch copy and ch Post.)

TO the Honorable the Judges of the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace in and for the County of Allegheny:

The petition of Dominick Maguire, of Lower St. Clair Township, in the county aforesaid, humbly sheweth, That your petitioner hath provided himself with materials for the accommodation of travelers and others, at his dwelling house in the Township aforesaid, and prays that your Honors will be pleased to grant him a license to keep a public house of entertainment. And your petitioner, as in duty bound, will pray.

DOMINICK MAGUIRE.

We, the subscribers, citizens of the aforesaid Tp., do certify that the above petitioner is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the accommodation and lodging of strangers and travelers and that said tavern is necessary.

Thomas Taylor, Michael Maguire, J M'Clurg, Michael Connor, W A Maguire, Wm Grierson, Jonathan Neely, Francis Stephens, Wm Stone, John Grierson, Hugh M'Clusky, Thomas Hopkins. [my16:3t*

WATTS' NERVOUS ANTIDOTE—*The Medical Wonder of the Age.*—The extraordinary power of this Nervine is so wonderful in its operation upon the nervous fluids, that it at once and immediately acts upon the system, producing appetite, digestion, strength, happiness and nervous power—consequently, health is soon predominant. It is purely an *Herbaceous Nervine*, acting powerfully upon all Nervous Complaints; and as the Nerves are the main spring of the whole system, few diseases can remain long when the Nerves are sound. $1 a bottle; $9 a dozen.

Sold by S. L. CUTHBERT,
my16 50 Smithfield street.

LOVERING'S SUGARS—Double Refined Loaf sugar; Crushed, Pulverized and Powdered Loaf Sugars, constantly on hand and for sale by the bbl. or retail, at the lowest cash rates, by

WM A. M'CLURG & CO.,
a.my19 256 Liberty street.

Commercial and Financial.

Daily Review of the Wholesale Market.

OFFICE OF THE MORNING POST,
WEDNESDAY MORNING, May 21, 1851.

The weather yesterday in the forenoon was warm and pleasant; in the afternoon we were visited by several heavy and refreshing showers. The river is rising rapidly. Business dull.

ASHES—Sales of 16 tons Soda at 3½c. No sales of Pots reported.

BUTTER—Demand quite limited; the weather becoming too warm, prices are declining. We quote good Roll at 10 to 12c; Print, in market, 18 to 20.

BACON—The market continues firm, with light stocks. Sales of 15 casks Hams at 8½; 14 casks Shoulders at 7c; 10 do 6½c, cash, par money; 400 pcs Hams, Sides and Shoulders at 7, 8½ and 9c.

FISH—Sales of 25 bbls No. 3 large at $3,25; 25 bbls No. 3 small $2,50; 15 do Herring at $6,50.

FLOUR—The receipts yesterday were light; sales on the wharf of 56 bbls at $3,12; 60 do at $3,12; 160 do, mostly extra, $3,25. Sales from wagons at $3,15 to $3,20. 40 bbls extra from store at $3,50.

RICE—Sales 5 tierces at 4½; 7 do, 4¾.

GLASS—Sales of 100 box 8x10 at $2,00.

POTATOES—The demand is on the increase: stock getting light, with a prospect of an advance. We note sales of 35 bbls Pink Eyes at $1,87½; 40 bush do at 65; 60 bush Rede at 55.

GRAIN—We note sales of Wheat at 62 to 70c. Oats: sales of 175 bush from store at 30c. Corn: sales reported at 34@35c. Rye in demand at 50@62c.

New York Dry Goods Trade.

The New York *Evening Post*, a paper that is always reliable in commercial matters, in its issue of May 17th, thus notices the Dry Goods Trade of that great emporium.

DRY GOODS.—The trade is not active, though there is a fair business doing for the now advanced period for the season. Domestic goods are dull and heavy, especially cotton fabrics. Bleached sheeting and sheeting, are in moderate request, partly for shipping, but in proportion to the stock held or the desire of the holders to sell. Bleached goods are offering at low prices, but without eliciting much demand. Drills have been shipping freely, but the home demand is limited; prices are rather steady.—Osnaburgs are dull and prices are not steady. Stripes and Ticks are in fair demand, and at the late Auction prices. There is nothing doing in cotton flannels. Printing cloths are in very limited demand and prices keep drooping. Prints are now dull, the demand of the season being closed. Ginghams are dull but steady in price. Delaines are inactive. Lawns are active and firm with sales making to arrive.

Cotton Pantaloonery is dull, a few shipping orders alone being in the market. The clothing is now very active for ready made garments. Clothshow over, are very dull and prices heavy.

Satinets are inactive and without firmness in price. Cassimeres have been reduced in stock, and are more firm. Sheeps greys are quiet but steady. Linseys are dull at 17 cts.

British goods continue steady without any disposition to make sacrifices. Lawns are active as well as cloths, firm prices. French and other continental goods are only active at auction where they sell at low prices. A large quantity of goods—silks —have been thus sacrificed this week. Some qualities of cloth are also pressing the market.

Review of the St. Louis Market.

UNION DEPOT, May 9.

TOBACCO—There was none received yesterday, and no sales were made at the Planters'. We may remark that the enquiry is very brisk, and that all that can be forwarded meets with quick sales at full prices. We quote Leaf—$4,25@5,25. Shipping and Manufacturing Seconds at $5,50@6,25, and Leaf at $6,50 to 11,10 @ 100 lbs.

HEMP—The Rennes was the only boat that arrived from the Missouri with any of this staple, and the business was necessarily confined to a few transactions; 318 bales were sold in lots as follows: 20 inferior at $70; 21 good at $80; 21, 61, 81 and 100 bales prime at $90 @ ton.

LEAD—The only information reported was the sale of 873 pigs Galena at $4,12½ @ 100 lbs.

FLOUR—Nothing of importance transpired; 60 bbls Quincy sold at $3,50, and 50 Jones & Barker at $3,62½. We quote country inspected at $3,70, and second brand city at $3,75@3,80.

WHEAT—The bulk of the arrivals yesterday went immediately forward, and left the levee nearly bare of it. Prices, however, were unchanged. Sales of 220 sacks on private terms, and in lots at 78 to 85c; 93, 100 and 216 at 85c, sacks returned.

CORN—Receipts quite light, and market quiet; 214 sacks were sold at 32c, in new gunnies.

OATS—Light sales at 28c, sacks included.

BARLEY—No large lots sold; good to prime Iowa is quoted at 62@68c, exclusive of sks; and prime to choice Illinois is held at 55@57½c.

DRIED FRUIT—A small lot of prime apples sold at 90c; we quote round lots at 75 to 80c. Peaches are held at 95@100.

WHISKEY continued to advance. Sales of 100 bbls raw country at 18½ to 18½c, and 100 city at 20c; which is an improvement.

FLAXSEED—Sales of prime at $1,60, exclusive of package.

BEESWAX—In our last we noted sales of 1604 lbs prime in shipping order at 22½@22½c.

HIDES—Dry flint were brisk at 9½c.

CHEESE—Sales of good to prime Western Reserve at 7@7½c.

GREEN APPLES are retailing at $2,50@3,00 @ bbl.

POTATOES—Light sales of good to choice at 50 to 60c @ bushel, from the levee.

HEMP SEED—Prime sells at 90c to $1.

TIMOTHY SEED is dull at $2,10.

CLOVER SEED—Prime Ohio is retailing at $7,50@7,75.

PIG METAL—Sellers ask $24 per ton for Tennessee cold blast. Light sales of hot blast at $28, cash.

BOAT SIDING, DECK PLANK, FALINGS, (2 new articles) together with all other kinds of Lumber and Timber, sawed to order promptly and at low rates. Henry's Island Saw Mills, by

my5 JAMES CARMAN & CO.

CRIMPTED RIBBONS—Assorted widths and colors just received by Express, this day. Also—Black and Colored Silk Dress Buttons to match.

P. H. SCOTT,
my10 62 Fourth st.

D. Stewart,

Wholesale and Retail Brush Manufacturer,

FIFTH ST., BETWEEN WOOD AND MARKET,
Sign of the Big White-wash Brush.

BRUSHES of every description constantly on hand, and a full assortment of SHOE FINDINGS, FISHING TACKLE and LOOKING GLASSES.

N. B.—MACHINE BRUSHES of every description made to order in the best manner. [my6:6m

FREIGHTS TO NEW ORLEANS—Flour 30c, pork 40, bacon and lard 18, bran and oats 20, corn 9, wheat 10, lead 10, tobacco $2,50, hemp $4,50, cattle $5.

PORT OF PITTSBURGH.

5 FEET 9 INCHES WATER IN THE CHANNEL

ARRIVED:

Steamer Michigan No. 2, Boies, Beaver.
" Atlantic, Parkinson, Brownsville.
" Redstone, Woodward, Brownsville.
" J. M'Kee, Hendrickson, McKeesport.
" Beaver, Gordon, Beaver.
" Fashion No. 2, Peebles, Elizabeth.
" Thomas Shriver, Bailey, West Newton.
" Cincinnati, Birmingham, Cincinnati.
" Lucella, Kountz, Cincinnati.
" Tuscarora, Cox, Wellsville.
" Arena, Kinney, Wellsville.
" Pilot No. 2, Crane, Sunfish.
" Empress, Cox, Zanesville.
" Diurnal, Conwell, Wheeling.
" Mayflower, Williams, Wabash River
" Thomas Scott, Vandergrift, Beaver.

DEPARTED:

Steamer Redstone, Woodward, Brownsville.
" Atlantic, Parkinson, do
" J. M'Kee, Hendrickson, McKeesport.
" Michigan No. 2, Boies, Beaver.
" Beaver, Gordon, Beaver.
" Thomas Shriver, Bailey, West Newton.
" Fashion, Peebles, Elizabeth.
" Hibernia No. 5, Batchelor, Cincinnati.
" J. Nelson, Moore, Wheeling.
" Gov. Meigs, Shunk, Hockingport.
" Tuscarora, Murdoch, Wellsville.
" Arena, Kinney, Wellsville.
" Pilot No. 2, Crane, Sunfish.
" J. J. Crittenden, Elliott, St. Louis.
" Magnet, —— Gallipolis.

Notice.

IN pursuance of a Supplement to the Act, incorporating the SUNBURY AND ERIE RAILROAD COMPANY, approved the 14th day of *March*, 1846—

Notice is hereby given, that a meeting of the Stockholders in the said Sunbury and Erie Railroad Company, and an election for President and Managers of said Company will be held on THURSDAY, the 22d day of *May* next, in Room No. 2, on the second floor of the Reading Railroad Company's building, in the city of Philadelphia, No. 72 South Fourth street.

J. E. KANE,
JNO. G. WATMOUGH,
W. M. WATTS,
ROBERT MORRIS,
WILLIAM B. REED,
J. VANDERKEMP,
WILLIAM BUEHLER,
Stockholders.

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Auction Sales.

SCOTT & OTIS,
AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
61 MAIN STREET, ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI.

HAVING been engaged in the above business for the last six years, in this city, would respectfully solicit consignments of Goods, to be sold in this market, either for Auction or private sale—particularly Glassware, Hardware and Dry Goods; and will make liberal advances on all kinds of Goods consigned us for sale here.

Will refer to Messrs. Hewett, Roe & Co., E. R. Violet, Wm. D. Wood & Co., John J. Anderson & Co., R. H. Stone, Squire & Reed, Brownlee, Homer & Co., Larkin Deaver, Saint Louis; Butler & Brothers, Cincinnati; George M'Lain, Pittsburgh. [mar26y

JAMES M'KENNA, Auctioneer.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.—On Thursday, May 29th, at 3 o'clock, P. M., will be sold on the premises, Three Acres and Twelve Perches of Land, situated in Reserve township, on Saw Mill Run, near the Burn Starch Factory, upper end of Allegheny City, within fifteen minutes' walk of the Allegheny market.

This lot is marked No. 2, in Joseph Patterson's plan of certain land in said township, being part of the same piece of land which was conveyed by deceased, bearing date 18th day of September, 1848, by the heirs of the said Joseph Patterson to John M'Clung and Alexander Teese. The lot is enclosed; upon it there is a stable; a quantity of locust and other trees, and a never failing spring of water. Title indisputable.

Terms—Four hundred dollars on bond, payable in eight years, with interest from day of sale—the balance in cash.

JAMES M'KENNA,
my20 Auctioneer.

W. G. M'CARTNEY, Auctioneer.

QUEENSWARE, CHINA STORE AND STORE FIXTURES, AT AUCTION.—Will be sold on Wednesday next May 21st, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the store of J. Rodgers, No. 10 Diamond alley, his entire stock of Queensware, China and Glassware—all of which has been purchased for cash within a few months, and will be closed out without reserve, as he is quitting the business. Among the assortment may be mentioned in part the following;

Iron, stone, china, dinner and tea sets; China and Bohemian vases, assorted sizes; a large lot of dishes; plates, cups and saucers, coffee and tea pots, pitchers, bowls, mugs, vegetable dishes, &c., &c.

And at the same time, one large show case, with drawers suitable for a Milliner; one counter; a lot of shelving; 18 fancy tea cannisters; about one dozen Tea; one china figure. Dealers would do well to attend the sale, as they will be sure to get bargains to purchasers.

my19 W. G. M'CARTNEY, Auctioneer.

ASSIGNEES' SALE OF A LARGE LOT OF DRY GOODS AND FANCY ARTICLES AT AUCTION.—Will be sold on Friday next, May 23d, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at M'Cartney's Auction House, by order of Assignees, a large lot of Dry Goods and Fancy articles.

The Goods are all of the latest styles and patterns, having been purchased in the eastern cities this spring, and will be sold to the highest and best bidder, without reserve. Among the assortment may be mentioned in part:—French and English broad cloths; cassimeres and cassinetts; ginghams; delicoes; Turkey red calico chintzes; 4-4 plain do; muskeens; linen poplins; silk tissues; 4-4 French chintzes; black lace veils; lace capes; worked collars; chemisettes; cuffs; hosiery; sik gloves and mitts; fancy silk buttons; linen bobbin edging, thread do; black lace; assorted white and slate colored cotton stockings; table cloths; silk and linen handkerchiefs; linen cambric do; flag do; irish linen, —together with a large lot of Dry Goods, of almost every description. Those in the trade, particularly, are invited to attend the sale. The Goods are now ready for examination. W. G. M'CARTNEY,
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P. M. DAVIS, Auctioneer.

THIRD WARD SCHOOL LOTS AT AUCTION.—On Saturday evening, May 24, at 8 o'clock, at the Commercial Sales Rooms, corner of Wood and Fifth streets, will positively be sold, pursuant to adjournment, valuable building lots, having each a front of 20 feet on Diamond alley, near the corner of Wood, and extending back 100 feet, with 10 feet given to widen Diamond alley.

Terms—One-half cash, remainder in one year, with interest secured by bond and mortgage on the premises. By order of School Directors. P. M. DAVIS,
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LAND WARRANT, WATCH, &c., AT AUCTION.—On Tuesday evening, May 20th, at 8 o'clock, at the Commercial Sales Room, corner of Wood and Fifth streets, will be sold—

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1 silver Lepine Watch;
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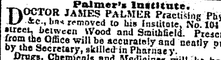
DOCTOR JAMES PALMER Practising Physician, &c., has removed to his Institute, No. 101 Fourth street, between Wood and Smithfield streets, from the Office will be accurately and neatly prepared by the Secretary, skilled in Pharmacy.

Drugs, Chemicals and Medicines will be kept constantly on hand for sale.

Persons leaving address will please note No. of residence. [my5:6m



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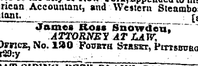

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FROM ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, May 16.

The steamer Dr. Franklin No. 2 has arrived from St. Paul's, and reports that when she left it was current there that a large party of Sioux Indians had gone out against the Chippewas, and probably ere this they have had a battle.

The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of the United States met yesterday, and was opened by a sermon by the Rev. A. W. Silan, of South Carolina. The Clerk then read the Reports of the Committee in relation to the appointment of Commissioners to the Annual Assembly.

The following Synods were represented: New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Virginia, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, Kentucky, N. Carolina, Tennessee, S. Carolina, Georgia and Mississippi.

Several new Presbyteries were enrolled.

The Rev. P. Humphries, of Kentucky, was elected Moderator, and Rev. W. D. Howard, of Pennsylvania, Clerk, pro tem.

On motion, the hour of adjournment was fixed at 9, A. M. to 1, P. M., and from 4, P. M. to 6, P. M. They then adjourned.

FROM CUBA.

BRISTOL, R. I., May 20.

Capt. Aldrich, of the brig Patriot, from Cardenas, states that while in that port and when he left great excitement prevailed among the inhabitants, in consequence of the expected landing of another party of invaders. Strong guards were kept on the wharf each night, and no person is permitted to land or go on board any vessel after dark. The conversation of every American is strictly watched by the authorities, and every thing was in readiness to repel an attack should one be made upon the town.

ARRIVAL OF THE PRESIDENT.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 20.

The President and suite arrived here to-day from Buffalo, and were received with firing of guns, ringing of bells, &c. A long procession escorted them to Washington Square, where addresses were made. The procession then proceeded to the Eagle Hotel, where a grand dinner was prepared.

The streets have been thronged with visitors from all parts of the country. Flags are flying from all the principal buildings in the city. Mr. Webster remained in Buffalo, where he will spend to-morrow.

FROM CUBA.

CHARLESTON, May 19.

Private letters received here, dated Havana, May 8th, say that Lopez would be received with enthusiasm in the Island of Cuba. Many of the officers and soldiers, and a number of wealthy and influential parties, were ready to join in a revolution that would shake her Majesty's throne.

The Savannah Republican publishes extracts from private letters received by the leaders of the recent Cuban movements, from Havana, asserting that many of the Spanish officers and soldiers, independent of the Creoles, are ready to join the patriots, and that the writer could furnish a list of names that would make her Majesty's throne tremble.

NEW HAMPSHIRE ELECTION.

BOSTON, May 20.

The Governor and Council having opened and counted the votes for Senators, have declared officially that 7 Opposition and 2 Whigs were chosen, and that there are 3 vacancies to be filled by the Legislature.

FROM CINCINNATI.

CINCINNATI, May 20.

There was a severe thunder storm here on Saturday evening. Several houses were struck by lightening, but no lives were lost.

A Steamboat ran into the first train on the Louisville and Franklin Railroad, was passing over the new bridge, west of Frankfort, it gave way, and the boarding train to which were attached two passenger cars, containing the Engineers, Superintendent and others connected with the road, fell with a crash into the stream, a distance of 20 feet. The loss of life is terrible—six ladies having been recovered mutilated in the most shocking manner.

PARDONED.

BALTIMORE, May 20.

Wm. Edmbo, who was sentenced, about twenty months since, to an imprisonment of 5 years and to pay a fine of $500, has been pardoned by Governor Sowe. The prisoned immediately started for his home in Pennsylvania.

BOSTON, May 20.

In the Supreme Court, the case against Knight & Hughes has been discontinued, the plaintiff failing to give security for costs.

Frederick Robinson, of member of the Senate, has been appointed Sheriff of Essex county, and he has resigned his seat in the Senate.

At the Convention of National Democrats, yesterday, in the 2d District, resolutions were adopted condemnatory of the course of Hon. Robert Rantoul.

In Lynn, Connecticut, a man named Maynard shot another, named Beatty, dead on Saturday. The murderer is at large.

Franklin Havon has written a letter, in which he implicitly denies Judge Allen's charges of corruption against Hon. D. Webster, in the matter of the $30,000 subscription. Mr. Webster never wrote him any letter on the subject of remuneration, nor were any Banks, or others interested in the Bunker Hill Monument, concerned in the subscription. The subscribers were principally retired business men, and Mr. Haven believes that Mr. Webster does not know, even at this day, who they were.

[NEW YORK MARKET—May 20.

Cotton...Heavy at yesterday's prices.

Flour...Active at 4,12 to 4,37.

Grain...Wheat is heavy; prices down 60@61; Oats have declined.

Lrd...Steady at 9½.

Whiskey...23½...23¾.

PHILADELPHIA MARKET—May 20.

Flour...4,25.

Wheat...red and white, 95, 100 and 101; Rye, 70; Corn, 61@62; Oats, 44@45.

Whiskey...22@22½@23.

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