THE CITY POST.

THURSDAY MORNING.....DECEMBER 16.

WHIG CITY CONVENTION.—The convention for nominating a candidate to be sustained by the Whig and Anti-Masonic party, for Mayor, met yesterday morning, in the Supreme Court-room.

On motion of Thomas M. Marshall, Esq., JAMES I. KUHN, of the Second ward, took the chair, as presiding officer. Mr. K. made the usual remarks which such distinctions generally elicit. Thomas A. Rowley, Ferdinand H. Volts, Robert McCutcheon, and William G. McCartney, were elected as Vice Presidents; and Thomas Steel, Esq., appointed Secretary, assisted by Thomas M. Little and Philip Drum.

The credentials of delegates were then called for, and handed in; when the Eighth ward was called, objection was made to receiving the delegates from that ward, on account of frauds having been committed, at the primary meeting held in the ward, on Saturday last. The objections were overruled, however, and the delegates received.

A motion was made next, to go into a nomination for Mayor. This motion was interrupted by the presentation of a paper from the Sawyer delegates of the Eighth ward, who claimed their seats in the Convention; and if that right was not allowed them, they demanded that the nomination should be postponed, in order that a new election might be held in the ward.

The gentleman who made the motion to go into a nomination, insisted on his proposition. An amendment was offered by Mr. Mercer, postponing the nomination, in order that another election might be held in the Eighth ward—an amendment to the amendment was offered, laying the amendment on the table. The Convention at this stage of the proceedings, was rather "mixed up," the Riddle delegates acted with more zeal than discretion—if they had not the right of the question, they had a majority of the delegates, and would admit no outsiders, to oust their own honorable bodies. We do not know what might have ensued in the Convention—the members were beginning to get warm—Volts and Marshall, the leaders of the Sawyer and Riddle clans, were speaking rather sharp to each other, in regard to frauds, &c.—had not Squire STEEL, with most commendable presence of mind, quieted the troubled waters of whiggery, and dispelled the clouds which were hanging over the hopes of the successful candidate, by moving that the matter be referred to a Committee of five, to be appointed by the Chair. That motion suited the Riddle delegates exactly, and the followers of Sawyer made the most of a bad bargain, and acquiesced. The following Committee was appointed: T. M. Marshall, F. H. Volts, J. D. Bailey, James Mercer and J. L. Brindle.

After neither a protracted absence, the committee returned, and reported in favor of admitting the Riddle delegates. Mr. Marshall, the chairman of the committee, made a verbal report. Mr. Volts made a minority report. He hoped the delegates would not act hastily in this matter. The gentleman referred in an indignant manner to the frauds which had been committed in the Eighth ward. The Committee had before them five affidavits from whig voters who had attended the primary meeting, cast their votes for Sawyer, and yet they did not appear on the list of votes. If those votes had been counted for Sawyer, and not thrown into a water bucket, he would have carried the ward, as the Riddle men claimed but three majority; a man was also allowed to vote, who resided in Pitt township, on condition of his casting his vote for Sawyer—the person in question was willing to make an affidavit of the fact. Not among the least of the corruptions mentioned by Mr. Volts, was that in the ward contested, Saw yer men, who were well known whigs, were required to take an oath of their whiggery before being allowed to mark.

Mr. Marshall replied in rather a jocular manner—the Sawyer men should not complain, if they had been beaten at the game of fraud, which had been played off by both the rival clans; the Riddle men were the most expert; that was the secret of their success. The gentleman did not use these words, but the inference and meaning of his short address, is that given above. Mr. M. was also pleased to refer to his friend, Mr. Thomas Scott, in one of his pleasant and jocular remarks in regard to frauds.

The Convention then proceeded to ballot, with the following success:—Robert M. Riddle, nominated by James L. Brindle, had 22 votes; R. D. Coe, nominated by Thomas M. Rowley, had 18; Mr. Riddle's majority, 4 votes. The delegates from the first, second, two from the third, two from fourth, fifth and eighth wards voted for Riddle; three delegates from the third ward, and the sixth seventh and ninth wards went for Sawyer.

Mr. Riddle was declared nominated by the President, without the least perceptible joyous effect on the visages of any present. A committee of one from each ward was appointed to wait on the nominee, and the Convention adjourned *sine die.*

CORONER'S INQUEST.—Coroner Lowrie was summoned yesterday morning to hold an inquest upon the body of Robert Pratt, who was struck by the steps of one of the passenger cars of the Fast Express passenger train, as it was passing Phillipsville, on its way eastward, on Tuesday at half past twelve o'clock. Various witnesses were examined before the Coroner, and the following testimony, being a portion of that taken by the Coroner, explains the manner the occurrence took place:

JAMES B. Samples sworn—Am engineer on the fast express train, which leaves the Federal street station at half-past twelve o'clock. Saw the deceased about three hundred yards off, just as we came round the curve at Phillipsburgh; the train was running on its fifty feet rate. His head towards the rail, about three feet from the rails; the engine passed him without touching him; he must have been struck by the steps of one of the cars; didn't know the train was to be reached town at two o'clock on Wednesday morning.

John Field sworn—I was with the deceased, Robert Pratt, previous to the accident. I was coming down to the slaughter-house; he said that as he had nothing to do he would go hunting; he was sober; didn't see him drinking after we started; we came on the railway at the bridge at Phillipsville he said he would have to stop awhile; I left him about twenty minutes to twelve o'clock; didn't see him sit down; never saw the man before; didn't see him again until I saw him in the factory at two o'clock; he was still alive; Dr. Myers was then with him; he asked if the engineer stopped the train or not; a person answered that he did not; deceased could not speak and appeared to be insensible.

Geo. Frail sworn—Am a brother of deceased; he has been subject to fits for about two years; in one of his fits he cut himself in his tongue; I saw him yesterday evening after the accident; he didn't seem to be laboring under a fit then; when he was in one of those fits he would fold his arms and stick his tongue out of his mouth; he was powerless until his arms would be unfolded; then he would recover.

Three other witnesses were examined, but their testimony proved nothing new.

The verdict of the jury was, that deceased came to his death from injuries received from one of the passenger cars of the Fast Express train on the Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad, as he was sitting beside the track, while laboring under the effects of a fit, at Phillipsville, on the 14th of December.

Pratt leaves a wife and family in Allegheny city.

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS.—Before Wm. B. M'Clure, President Judge; and Gabriel Adams and William Boggs, Associates.

The case of the Commonwealth vs. Isaac Ewan and James Richardson, occupied the Court all day yesterday. The indictment charged the defendants, who are overseers of roads in Baldwin township, with misdemeanor in office. The specific offence with which Ewan and Richardson is charged, is not opening a road in the above township. A verdict of not guilty was returned by the jury. C. O. Loomis for defence, and C. Eyster for Commonwealth.

A verdict of not guilty was returned in the case of Henry Hangle, committed to prison some time since, by processes from Court, for burglary and other offences. The prosecuting witnesses did not appear, and the jury returned a verdict of as above.

THE LIQUOR LAW, drafted by one of our lawyer's at the solicitation of the Maine Law friends in Allegheny county, was read to a Temperance meeting, on Tuesday night, in Rev. Mr. Bryan's church. The Law met with the approval of the meeting.

Resolutions were introduced recommending the holding of a temperance festival on the 24th inst., the proceeds of which are to be applied towards purchasing tracts and spreading them through the county. On motion, the fifth of January was substituted for the 24th inst., with which alteration the resolutions passed unanimously.

FIVE CANDIDATES.—There will be five candidates in the field, anxious to secure for themselves the occupancy of a certain cushioned chair in the Mayor's office. Joe Barker—that everlasting Joe,—Col. Foster, the free soil candidate; Capt. Samuel B. Cooper, the American candidate, and Mr. Riddle, the whig candidate. The Democratic Convention meets next Wednesday, when the fifth candidate will be placed in nomination.

COUNTERFEIT MONEY.—Two persons were yesterday brought before Ald. Parkinson, for passing counterfeit money. It not appearing, however, that they were aware of the notes being counterfeit, when they were passed, the two persons were released, on refunding the money, and paying the costs.

LARCENY.—A man named Collins was robbed of one hundred and fifty dollars, on Tuesday night, in a house of ill-fame in Pennsylvania Avenue. A woman named Downs, and two men, named Bell and Woods, were arrested; Bell was re-lodged in custody, and the two others discharged.

ASSAULT.—A certain George Long made an information, yesterday, before Alderman Parkinson, charging George Harris with assault and battery, committed on Long, at Harris' house, in the Fifth ward. The assailant was arrested and held to bail.

PARDONED.—Young Reany, convicted of assault at the last term of Court and sentenced to three months imprisonment, has been pardoned by the Governor. The pardon was received on Tuesday, and the lad discharged.

TO BE CLOSED.—Owing to indisposition, Rev. Mr. Quick rector of St. Andrew's Church) will be absent from the city for a short time, and the church will be closed until Sunday, the 26th instant.

A LARGE QUANTITY of superior Household Furniture will be sold this morning, at 10 o'clock, at No. 65 Smithfield st. between Fourth st. and Diamond alley, by P. M. Davis, Auctioneer.

BARTLEMOS had a substantial benefit on Tuesday night—as appreciation of Mr. B.'s endeavors to please our citizens is really honorable.

THE MILLS TOURNEY created quite an excitement on Tuesday night, at the Concert. Their musical ability is highly spoken of.

FINED.—Ryan Kent was fined, by the Mayor, yesterday, 5 dollars, for disorderly conduct. In default of the sum, Kent was committed.

COMMITTED.—Henry Reed, noticed in yesterday's paper as receiver of stolen goods, was committed to prison by the Mayor, yesterday, on that charge.

NEW TRIAL.—The motion for a new trial, in Jewell's case, to be argued on Saturday next.

DEPARTURE GRAYS.—This fine military company, at a recent meeting, passed a series of resolutions in regard to their visit to Cincinnati, returning thanks to their hospitable friends of that Queen City. The resolutions are as follows:

Resolved, That we cherish the recollection of our recent visit to Cincinnati as an epoch in our lives, around which will cluster our fondest and proudest associations.

Resolved, That our warmest thanks are due the officers and private members of the "Cincinnati Rover Guards," for the cordial and brilliant reception given us, and for the unceasing attention and politeness extended to us during our entire visit—their soldierly and gentlemanly deportment have won for them alike our respect, esteem and admiration, and the recollection of their kindness will live while memory lasts.

Resolved, That we hope our pleasurable anticipations of greeting this gallant corps in our own city will not be disappointed. We can assure them a warm and hearty welcome.

Resolved, That in no special degree are our thanks due Captain Sargent, Lieut. Carter, Quarter-Master Jones, Sergeant Hooker, Sergeant Carter, Corporal Barlow, Corporal Kinnan, of the Rover Guards, and Capt. P. N. Guilaris, (late of the U. S. 8th Infantry,) for their unremitted attention to all our wants.

Resolved, That we tender our acknowledgments to Capt. Col. Martin and Lieut. McLean, of the Red Artillerists, for their many attentions, and for the interest lent to our visit, by the roar of their "Red Artillery."

Resolved, That we deeply regret our inability to accept the hospitalities extended to us by the Kentucky Rifles, of Louisville, and the City Greys, of Steubenville, and hope to have the honor of cultivating an acquaintance with them at some future day.

Resolved, That we are deeply indebted to the "corps Editorial," of the city of Cincinnati, for their generous and flattering notices—to Jas. Bates, Esq., of the National Theatre, and the New Orleans Opera Troupe, for their several polite invitations—and to the Messrs. Pettits, of the Woodruff House, for their unceasing exertions to make comfortable the entertainment during our sojourn with them.

Resolved, That we desire to add our testimonial to the superiority of the Cincinnati Packets, Messenger No. 2 and Alleghany, and to express our acknowledgments to Captains Kilmaister and Batchelor, for their many attentions during the trip to and fro, also to Robert S. Hays, Esq., President of the Packet Company, for the liberality evinced in passing us over the route.

Published by order of the Company.

DAVID CAMPBELL, Captain.

JOHN YOUNG, Jr., Secretary.

BEEF CATTLE.—The citizens of the two cities, and those contiguously situated, are again called upon to feast their eyes, preparatory to a more real one than they will have the pleasure of enjoying. When youth and beauty, combined with goodness, is seen, remarks of the right kind are sure to follow. Those fine (yes, the best) cattle are young and beautiful, and will any, think that better ones have preceded them? If in an honor, not only to the owner to own them, but the best of all is that they are to be put up in our cities. We know that Mr. Evans was offered a profit on the *butter* loft, for the purpose of taking them to the Eastern markets; he, in a true spirit, appreciated the taste of his patrons and declined selling. We learn that his intention is not to put a corresponding tariff to that laid upon the stalls in the new market, upon the beef, but a reasonable price. His former course as a butcher, and his spirit that has recently characterized him in trying to have and present to our citizens the best beef, in preference to accepting a few paltry dollars profit, bespeak, we think, for him, as much custom as he will be able to find good cuts for. The cost in the aggregate is about $850. If the beef can't, or has not been beat, and the price O. K., it is our duty, as tavern of good things, to contend for a cut, if it should be a sirloin. There is in Pittsburgh a liberal spirit; show it on this occasion, and render us to those worthy of your patronage that encouragement they merit—give Evans the credit, and let us take his roasts and steaks and enjoy the feast. We hope he will do the thing up nice; so look out about Christmas—the time and the price admonish us to be on hand; but George will surely save his *fair* customers a choice piece.

TELEGRAPHIC.

By the O'Reilly Lines for the Morning Post.

CONGRESSIONAL.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 15.

SENATE.—A bill providing for the completion of the survey of the Des Moines Rapids below Ft Pain, was passed.

Mr. Broadhead introduced a bill, chartering the Bounty Land Law so as to give all engaged in the last war 160 acres of land.

The Kentucky Election case was taken up. Mr. Underwood resumed his speech, commenced on Monday last, in support of Mr. Dixon's claim to a seat.

Mr. Toucey followed in favor of Mr. Merriweather,—contending that under the Constitution his appointment extended to the next meeting of the Legislature of Kentucky.

The subject was postponed for an Executive session, when the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE.—The Resolutions passed by the Senate yesterday in regard to the death of Mr. Webster were received, and resolutions expressing in expression of grief passed. Eulogies were pronounced by Messrs. Bayly, Hunter, Johnson, Preston, of Kentucky; Seymour, of New York; Chandler, of Pennsylvania, and others, when the House adjourned.

FURTHER NEWS BY THE ARCTIC.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.

ENGLAND.—The news is unimportant. Advices from Burmah announce the capture of Prome with little loss on either side.

Letters from Paris state that the negotiations between England and France for a modification of the tariff between the two countries is nearly completed.

A Committee has been appointed by the House of Commons to investigate the charge of robbery at the Derby election in which the secretary of war, Beresford is implicated.

There are accounts of frost in the Cotton districts.

Shares in the Shipley's circular states that there is a better tone in the cotton market. The sales of the week past and qualities have rallied from ½@⅝c from the extreme declines—the sales reported are 16,000 bales, of which speculators took 6000; middling *Orleans* 5¾; fair do 5¾; sales for three days were 25,000 bales. Wheat has again advanced 1d, and Flour 6d, with a good demand. Corn is unchanged.

Provisions and Gaudy quote wheat as having advanced 2d, and Flour 6d.

Richardson & Brothers quote Baltimore and Philadelphia Flour at 5s@5s 6d for western canal 20s3. Provisions unvaried.

LONDON MARKETS—Sugar quiet. Tea steady. Rice steady. Tallow active.

Trade in Manchester is irregular, but rather firmer; business is extremely limited.

Consols at London on Tuesday were 100⅛@100¼, money and account.

The commercial reports from France are less favorable; 4½ per cents 106—83c.

The ship Peacock from Liverpool for Apalachicola was abandoned in a sinking state on the 26th ult. Seventeen of the crew were brought into Queenstown.

The Charles Canning, Liverpool for New Orleans, was struck by a sea on the 17th of November. The captain and five hands were lost, and the carpenter afterwards died of his injuries. She was brought into Queenstown.

Karl Derby has announced formally to Parliament the declination of Government to adhere to the principles of Free Trade.

Parliament is to be adjourned on the 10th for a recess of nine weeks.

A meeting of ladies of England, convened at the mansion of the Duchess of Sutherland on the 26th to adopt a memorial to the ladies of United States, on the subject of the Abolition of Slavery. It was attended by many of the first ladies in England.

In consequence of the extraordinary activity in the French Navy Yard the government has resolved to call for an additional force of 3000 men to the British Navy.

Disastrous floods have again occurred in various parts of England, doing great damage. There has also been a great gale among the Channel Islands on the coast of Scotland in consequence of violent gales.

The friends of the proposed London, Liverpool and North American screw ship company have applied to Government in its favor.

The municipal council of Strasbourg have voted the present Emperor a castle in the city as an honorary residence.

The customs and receipts of France for the ten months ending on the 31st of November exceed by over 17,000,000 francs the receipts of the corresponding period of the previous year.

The latest dates states that the U. S. brig Dolphin is in Tagus.

The Pope is about to send an Apostolic delegate to the Hayties government.

The Pope has received a letter from the King of Siam, intimating that there will be no further prosecutions of the Christians.

Preparations are making at Hamburg for the emigration of several thousand persons to Salt Lake City.

Two very violent shocks of earthquake were experienced in North Hungary on the 15th of October; considerable damage was done.

Intelligence from Damascus to the 4th November states that the Turkish campaign against the insurgents of Central Syria had been finally defeated.

The India mail arrived from Trieste on the 20th, announcing the capture of Prome by the British, with slight resistance by the Burmese. A formal annexation of Pegu to British India is about to take place.

Admiral Austin died of cholera,

The troops are healthy.

Measures have been taken by Government to put the naval depots at Jamaica and Antigua, in a state of defence.

The Andromeda has arrived in the Thames from Sydney with 4,200 ounces of gold.

The Bank of England is now selling American Eagles at 76s, 7½d.

FRANCE.—The Empire was to be formally proclaimed on the 2d of December. On the next day the Senate will be convoked to consider the civil list of the Emperor, and the salaries of the members of the Imperial Family.

Some legitimists have resigned in the Department, in compliance with the manifesto of Henry 5th.

The report is confirmed that Henry 5th is about to issue a manifesto to all the Princes of Europe, protesting against the usurpation of Bonaparte.

THORNTON F. WRIGHT.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 14.

Hooper Checks, Collector of the Customs at Vienna, Dorchester co., Md., whilst passing along Leonard street at half past five o'clock this evening, had a rope thrown around his neck, was dragged into an alley, by three men, who robbed him of $3,000, of which $500 was in gold and $1200 in Baltimore notes; also, a draft on New York for $1400, and a watch. At the instant the attack was made, a handful of lime was thrown into his mouth and eyes, staggering and blinding him. The robbers escaped before he could recover and give the alarm. His pockets were all cut, and his flesh grazed with the knife

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.

John L. Goodrich, whig, is certainly elected in the 11th District of Massachusetts.

The brig Hercules arrived at New Orleans to-day. She reports that the City of Tampico pronounced in favor of the Revolutionists on the 24 December.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 14.

John L. Carey, formerly editor of the Baltimore American, and recently of the Baltimore Republican, City, died this evening at the St. Louis Hotel. He was sick of cholera, but a few hours. His death is much regretted.

TELEGRAPH MARKETS.

Stocks—Erie 85½. Flour...sales 11,500 bbls State 5,12@ $5,18; Ohio 5,31@$5,37; southern 5,43@$5,62. Sales 50 bbls Rye Flour at 4,37@$4,50. Grain...sales 30,000 bushels Wheat southern at $1,22; Genesee 1,20@$1,22; sales; sales of 700 bushels Barley at 70@73. Corn...Coffee...sales 400 bags of Rio at 9½@9¾; Java 11½. Sugar...quiet, small sales. Molasses...sales 100 bbls at 29. Cotton...sales 1000 bales at an advance of ⅛. Whisky...sales 700 bbls Ohio 24½@24¾; heavy. Provisions...sales 400 bbls mess pork at 15,25@$15,37; prime 15,37@$15,50, firm; sales 300 bbls beef mess at 13@ $13,50; prime $12,50; prime mess $19; Ohio $22. Chicago better, in good demand; sales 150 tcs of lams at 14,50@$14,75. Hogs...better at 5@5¾. Sales 400 bbls Lard at 12@12½; steady; Butter...in fair demand, western 21@22.

CINCINNATI, Dec 15.

The river has fallen two inches. The weather is moderating.

The foreign news had no effect on the Flour market, which has an upward tendency. Freights are checking the export demand. Sales 1,700 bbls at $3,85@3,90. Whisky, very dull; small sales at 19½c, but a large amount remains unsold. Hogs, firm, and in good demand; sales 2,500 head at $5,05@$5 70; good lots at the close of the market were not to be had for less than $5 75, and some were holding for $7. There is not much doing in Provisions, sales 1,000 lbs Mess Pork at $11, deliverable at Louisville on the 31st. Butter and Cheese, heavy. Cloversead, in good demand at $5 80@ $5 87. Nothing of importance done in Groceries.

PHILADELPHIA, December 15.

Cotton...Firmer. Cloverseed...In good demand. Flour and Grain. Meal...Unchanged. Wheat...In good demand; sales 5000 bus. at $1,15 for prime southern red, and $1,17 for Penna. white. Corn...Sales 2000 bus. new yellow at 64, afloat. Oats...Dull at 42½. Whisky...Dull; sales at 26.

COMMERCIAL POST.

DAILY REVIEW OF PITTSBURGH MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY MORNING POST,
Thursday, December 16, 1852.

The weather yesterday was cold, but pleasant for out door transactions. In the markets we have no change to notice. Prices, in all the leading articles of trade, are well maintained.

FLOUR.—The cold weather for a few days past, has caused our rivers to recede rapidly; consequently receipts of Flour, by steamboats, are falling off. We found more inquiry in the market yesterday for good brands, although prices paid show no material change. Sales on the wharf of 250 bbls at $4,00@4,12, for Superfine and Extra; 39 do choice Extra at $4,19; 57 do at $4,18; 900 do from store at $4,12½.

BARLEY.—Receipts yesterday were large; about 2,500 bushels; the greater portion on former contract. We note sales of 1000 bush at 50.

HOGS AND BULK MEAT.—The Hog product appears to be the leading and most exciting article of trade, not only here but throughout the west; and there really appears to be no end in getting up to top figures. We have sales of 64 dressed Hogs at $5,50@5,62; 105 do to be delivered, at $5,75; 10,000 lbs Bulk Meat at $5,06; 60,000 do 5¾.

POTATOES.—We note sales of 100 sacks Rods at 33; 150 bush do at 38; 280 do Neshannocks at 50.

DRIED APPLES—Sales of 127 bush at $1,25; mostly held higher.

OIL—Sales of 15 bbls Linseed at 68, cash.

SEED—Sales of 5 sacks Rods at 5¼; 25 do Pearls at 5¾.

LIME—Sales of 100 bbls Louisville at $1,10.

SALT—Further sales of 400 bbls at canal, at $1,10; 100 do Extra at $1,25.

BUTTER—Sales of 3 bbls Roll at 19.

CLOVER SEED—Sales of 350 bush at $5,50.

BOLIVAR BRICK—Further sales of 20,000 at $25.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Sales of 86 sacks at 95; 50 do at $1,00.

CHEESE—Sales of 50 boxes at 10.

WHISKY—Sales of 40 bbls at 21@22.

POST OF PITTSBURGH.

4 FEET 9 INCHES WATER IN THE CHANNEL.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Atlantic, Parkinson, Brownsville.
" Baltic, Bennet, Brownsville.
" Thomas Shriver, Bailey, West Newton.
" Michigan, No. 2, Boles, Beaver.
" Genesee, Sinclair, M'Keesport.
" Winchester, G. D. Moore, Wheeling.
" Brilliant, Grace, Cincinnati.
" John Quincy Adams, Lucas, St. Louis.
" Manchester, do do do

DEPARTED.

Steamer Atlantic, Parkinson, Brownsville.
" Baltic, Bennet, Brownsville.
" Thomas Shriver, Bailey, West Newton.
" Michigan, No. 2, Boles, Beaver.
" Genesee, Sinclair, M'Keesport.
" Diarmal, Conwell, Wheeling.
" Cincinnati, Kounts, Cincinnati.
" Forest Rose, Marrats, St. Louis.
" Tuscarora, Bennett, Cincinnati.

Wednesday Packet for Cincinnati.

THE new and fast running steamer CINCINNATI, BOBB Master, will leave regularly every WEDNESDAY.

For freight or passage, apply on board; or to
dec20 G. B. MILTENBERGER.

For Long Reach, Hamilton, Parkersburg, and Gallipolis.

The fine steamer GOV. MEIGS, SHUNK, Master, will leave for the above and intermediate points every Tuesday, at 3 o'clock P. M.

For freight or passage, apply on board, or to
mar10 P. WOODS & SON,
No. 61 Water street, and 61 Front st.

Harietta, Parkersburg and Hockingport Packet.

The steamer HAIL COLUMBIA, A. S. CRANE, Master, will leave Pittsburgh every Monday, at 3 o'clock P. M.; returning, will leave Hockingport every Tuesday, at 6 o'clock A. M.

Passengers and shippers may rely on the utmost accommodation and promptness.

W. B. WHEELER.
mar9 24 Market street.

RHUBARB ROOT—200lbs. selected, for sale by
dec15 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

JAMAICA GINGER ROOT—50 lbs., for sale by
dec15 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.
corner of First and Wood streets.

WHITING—125 bbls. for sale by
dec15 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.,
corner Wood and First streets.

OLD WHISKY, IN BOTTLES.—The best article of Old Whisky, warranted pure and old. For sale by
dec15daw KEYSER'S, 140 Liberty street.

CLOAKS! CLOAKS!—A. A. MASON & CO. will open this morning a beautiful assortment of Cloth and Paramatta Cloaks, of the newest and most fashionable style. dec15

CASH PAID FOR CITY WARRANTS, at the Real Estate Office of
dec10 S. CUTHBERT & SON,
140 3d street.

BEST KID GLOVES—Just received, per express, 44 A. A. MASON & CO.'s, 50 doz. Alexander's best Kid Gloves.
dec10

OLIVE OIL—10 baskets, pints and quarts, for sale, wholesale and retail, by J. LAVELY & CO.,
nov30 Grocers and Tea Dealers.

NO. 1 CRAB CIDER—10 bbls. received and for sale by the gallon or barrel, at 25 cents per gallon.
dec8 J. LAVELY & CO., No. 255 Liberty st.

FRESH BUTTER AND LARD—Always on hand and for sale. Lard at 12½ cents.
dec8 J. LAVELY & CO.,
No. 255 Liberty st.

CHOICE BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—In sacks of all sizes, in store and for sale by
dec7 J. LAVELY & CO.,
No. 255 Liberty street.

CREAM OF LILIES—A splendid preparation for chapped hands, and irritations of the skin, caused by cold. For sale at
dec15daw KEYSER'S Drug Store,
140 Wood street.

EMBROIDERIES.—Now opening at A. A. MASON & CO'S, a large and varied assortment of Embroideries, comprising Chemisettes, Habits, Collars, Undersleeves, Cuffs, Flouncings, Insertings, Edgings, &c., of the newest and most fashionable styles.
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Pittsburgh and Erie Railroad.

THE Stockholders of the Pittsburgh and Erie Railroad will meet on the 4th day of January next, for the purpose of electing Thirteen Directors, for the ensuing year.

THOMAS J. POWER, Pres't.

New Castle, December 6, 1852.
dec16

THERE are those who, when they have a pain, are peevish, irritable, and make themselves miserable. Such being the result of their folly, they send for a doctor as soon as possible. We know of nothing better than to go to DR. HAYS', No. 107 Market street, and get a pair of his easy fitting Boots, Shoes or Gaiters. They are comfortable, durable and cheap.
dec15

Agents Wanted.

TO procure subscribers to the CONGRESSIONAL GLOBE and APPENDIX, which are printed by order of Congress, and is pass free through the mails." See Joint Resolution No. 7, passed at the last session of Congress.

ADDRESS, JOHN C. RIVES,
dec13&14 Washington City.

FOR RENT—A desirable three story Dwelling House, well arranged and in good condition, with gas fixtures, bath room, &c., situate on the corner of Fourth street and Cherry alley. Also, a Frame Dwelling on the low rate of $250 a year, till the 1st of April next. At present occupied by W. W. Irwin.

S. CUTHBERT & SON, General Agents.
dec3 140 Third street.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION having this day been granted by the Register of Allegheny county to the undersigned, on the Estate of Margaret Stewart, late of Pine Township, deceased, all persons owing said estate, and those having claims against said Estate, will settle the same with

WILLIAM STEWART, Administrator.
dec15 Ross Township.

$1000; AND ON EASY TERMS. FOR SALE—A well built and convenient house, situate on Townsend street. The house contains six rooms, a hall and double cellar, back porch, &c., all in good order. The lot is 16 feet front by 100 deep, and is well supplied with shrubbery, &c. Price $1,000.

S. CUTHBERT & SON,
dec15 Real Estate Agents, 140 3d st.

FOR SALE—A Desirable Property on Fifth street, fronting on Second street, about 100 feet on Short street, 60 on Liberty, and 70 on Third street, now occupied with a Foundry, &c. It is well adapted for the purpose, having been used for extensive a front on four streets, and near to the rivers, and proposed Railroad depot.

S. CUTHBERT & SON, Real Estate Agents,
dec15 140 Third street.

Strayed or Stolen,

FROM the premises of R. D. Lightcap, of Allegheny City, a GRAY HORSE; about nine years old. The horse had on a Spanish saddle.

Any information leading to the recovery of the horse, will be thankfully received and liberally rewarded, by applying to Samuel Hare, Liberty street, or the subscriber, at Pindleyville, Washington county, Pa.

dec15-3tw THORNTON F. WRIGHT.

LIBRARY LECTURES.

THE Hon. HORACE MANN, of Massachusetts, will deliver THREE LECTURES, at LAFAYETTE HALL, before the Young Men's Library Association, as follows:

On Thursday evening next, the 16th instant, (by especial request,) the Young Men's Friday and Saturday evenings, the 17th and 18th, To Young Women.

☞ Admission, 25 cents, payable at the door only. Doors open at 6½ o'clock; Lectures to commence at 7½ o'clock, precisely.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

WHEREAS, Letters of Administration (cum testamento annexo) have been granted to the subscriber, of the goods and chattels, rights and credits, which were of the Hon. Walter Forward, late President Judge of the District Court of Allegheny county, deceased; all persons indebted to the estate of said decedent, are requested to make payment, and all persons having claims or demands against the said estate, are requested to make known the same to me without delay, at my residence on the corner of Front and Ross streets, in the city of Pittsburgh, or at my office, in Tilghman Hall, on Grant street, opposite the Court House.

dec 15 6tw A. S. NICHOLSON.

New Oil Cloths.

FOR Private Residences, Hotels, Steamers, Public Institutes, &c.

W. MCLINTOCK, CARPET WAREHOUSE, 85 *Fourth street*, invites attention to his superior assortment of rich and elegant [Oil Cloths, of the newest and best designs, adapted to every style of Furnishing.

Rosewood Oil Cloth;
Figured Table Oil Cloth;
Green Oil Cloth;
Stair Oil Cloth, &c.,

Of every description, furnished at the lowest market prices; together with all other articles connected with the Carpet trade.

Attention is particularly invited to our superfine assortment of rich and elegant Carpets.
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Pennsylvania Railroad.

PERSONS having business with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company west of the Allegheny Mountains, are informed, that the repairs of the Road, and construction of the necessary Depots, have been committed to the Engineer department, Edward Miller, Esq., Chief Engineer, office in Philadelphia, assisted by Oliver W. Barnes, Esq., Engineer, office in Pittsburgh, and G. W. Leuffer, Esq., P. A. Engineer, office in New Florence, Westmoreland county, Pa.

H. J. Rahbert, Esq., has been appointed Superintendent, office in Altona, Blair county, and T. A. Scott, Assistant Superintendent, in immediate charge of all matters in relation to the transportation of freight and passengers.

H. H. Houston, of Philadelphia, is the general Freight Agent of the Company, charged with the receiving and forwarding of Freight, office at Philadelphia.

Samuel Sneeder, local Agent at Philadelphia, and Coyrets & Graham, at Pittsburgh, until January 1st, 1853.

J. Meeklimen is the Passenger Agent at Pittsburgh.

J. Ross Snowden, Esq., Solicitor of the Company at Pittsburgh.

Office of Pennsylvania Railroad Company,
December 10th, 1852.
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AUCTION SALES.

Auction Card.

THE undersigned, after an interval of four years, has again resumed business. Having complied with the requirements of the law regulating Sales at Auction, and having procured a first class License as Auctioneer for the City of Pittsburgh, he offers his services as such to his friends and the public generally. With an experience of nearly thirty years in this line of business, he thinks it nothing to say, that he will be enabled to give entire satisfaction to all those who may feel disposed to patronize him.

Refers to the principal City Merchants.

JOHN D. SCULLY,
1y2 Auctioneer.

Auction—Daily Sales.

AT the Commercial Sale Rooms, corner of Wood and Fifth streets, at 10 o'clock, A. M., a general assortment of Seasonable, Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hats, Caps, &c.

AT 2 O'CLOCK, P. M.,

Groceries, Queensware, Glassware, Table Cutlery, Looking Glasses, New and Second Hand Household and Kitchen Furniture, &c.,

AT 7 O'CLOCK, P. M.,

Books, Stationery, Fancy Articles, Musical Instruments, Hardware and Cutlery, Clothing, Variety Goods, Gold and Silver watches, &c. P. M'KENNA, Auctioneer.
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P. McKENNA, Auctioneer.

EXTENSIVE SALE OF GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES AND GOLD JEWELRY, AT AUCTION.—On Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings, December 16th, 17th and 18th, and every evening the following week, until all are sold, at McKenna's Auction House, 84 Fourth street, (next in the above line, to close a concern.) Among the stock may be found—gold chronometer watches, gold double finado, with independent seconds and 23 levels; gold patent levers, gold detached levers, gold lepines and silver watches, of almost every description. Also, a fine gold guard, vest and fob chains, gold pencils, gold pens, gold and silver pen holders; gold bracelets, a great variety of rich gold ear ornaments, gold keys, 1000 gold breast pins, of various styles, about 1500 fine gold finger rings, gold lockets and miniature settings, gold and silver thimbles, gold studs and snaps, many articles not here particularized. The goods will be open during each day, when ladies and gentlemen are invited to call and examine, and purchase, at a low average price, if they please. This will be a good opportunity for those who are in want of goods in this line, to supply themselves at low prices, as the stock must be sold as soon as possible. If goods shall prove as represented, or the money will be refunded. Sale will commence each evening at 7 o'clock.

GRAY & CO.,
dec10 P. MCKENNA, Auctr.

EXTRA SALE OF LADIES' FANCY DRESS GOODS AT AUCTION.—On Friday morning, December 17th, at 10 o'clock, will be sold at M'Kenna's Auction House, the following splendid lot of Ladies' Dress Goods, viz: Silk Mantillas, ornamented with the finest thread lace; the finest and richest quality of Black Cow Veils; silk and linen laces and insertings, ladies and gents' fine hosiery, the finest quality of real French berage, and berage de ladies; all wool; fine French poplins and Persians; fine black cambric handkerchiefs, ribbons, sewing silk, swiss muslin, tarlatan, corsets.

The ladies are particularly invited to attend this sale, as this is the most splendid lot of Dress Goods offered at auction for several years, being the balance of a stock included for the south, and warranted all genuine imported articles.

dec16 P. MCKENNA, Auctr.

EXECUTRIXS' SALE—Of a Fancy Millinery and Dry Goods Store, Household Furniture, Kitchen utensils, &c., at AUCTION.—At the Store, No. 28 Market street, between Second and Third, commencing on Wednesday, December 22d, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold, by order of William Young and Robert N. Rogers, Executors of the Estate of the late Elizabeth Spence, deceased, the entire stock of dry goods, millinery, ladies' wearing apparel, in said store, consisting in part of an assortment of fashionable millinery goods and trimmings, fine dress silks and satins, velvets, a large assortment of fine shawls, a great variety of ribbons, laces, edgings and insertings, gloves and hosiery, sewing silk, patent thread, parasols, cambric and mull muslins, bishop lawns, jaconets, swiss muslins, jackonet and cambric muslins, crapes, pocket handkerchiefs, linen cambric handkerchiefs, umbrellas and parasols, large and small blankets, Witney land and circular cloaks, woolen and velvet sacks, mantillas, vesetts, a large assortment of gents' and boys' cassimere and satin bonnets, French flowers and feathers, merino, check, linen and muslin shirts, &c.

Also—One Show Case, Household Furniture and Kitchen utensils.

WILLIAM YOUNG,
ROBERT N. ROGERS,
Executors of Elizabeth Spence, deceased.
dec15 P. MCKENNA, Auctioneer.

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC DRY GOODS AT AUCTION.—On Thursday next, December 16th, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold at M'Kenna's Auction House, an extensive assortment of foreign and domestic Dry Goods, comprising bleached and brown sheetings, shirtings, diapers, mouse de laines, cashmere cocoas, Persian and Coburg cloths, wool delaines, cashmeres, merinos, plaids, flannels, tweeds, cordurays, chintzes, calicos, ginghams, flannels, Kentucky jeans, Irish linens, velvets, laces, edgings, patent thread, sewing silk, fine cambric handkerchiefs, gloves, hosiery, corsets, towelling and napkins, cambric and mull muslins, bishop lawns, jaconet and hollands, a large assortment of shawls, under shirts and drawers, pocket handkerchiefs, cassimeres, coatings, doeskins, &c.

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