THE CITY POST.

SATURDAY MORNING.....JANUARY 22.

MURDER.—Our readers will recollect the occurrence of a brutal assault and battery on the 4th of September at Law renceville, in the tavern of a man named Nase. A quarrel sprung up between Nase and a man named Freeman, when he made the assault upon him, inflicting a mortal blow in the vertebræ of the neck. From the effects of the blow Freeman has been languishing ever since, until yesterday, when he died. A coroner's inquest was held upon his body yesterday, but, excepting the evidence of the examining physicians, nothing was elicited, as witnesses could not be obtained.—The jury accordingly adjourned until to-day at two o'clock. Nase was arrested and brought to town by Coroner Herrin. We give the evidence of the physicians:

Freeman leaves a wife and six children.

Dr. Geo. L. McCook, sworn.—On the examination of the body of the deceased, we noticed, two or three vertibræ, or bones of the spinal column, commencing at the lower bone of the neck. At this part, we found the membranes containing the spinal marrow, inflamed or shrivelled to some extent, the nervous matter itself somewhat softened, and darkish in color than natural. Between the membrane containing the nervous matter and the body of the bone or vertibræ we discovered a great deal of disorganization in the nerves, as they are distributed from the spinal marrow; all, as we think, the produce or result of a slow, progressive inflammatory action. The changes in the organic structure of the parts, as presented on the examination, were sufficient to account for the death, and for all symptoms preceding his death. The extensive sores on the back and legs of his person, were produced by continued pressure operating upon the latter, deprived of the supply of nervous influence. Mechanical violence of any character operating upon the parts, would produce such a result as we have described. I should doubt whether a stroke of the hand would produce such a condition.

Dr. James Robinson, sworn.—Assisted in this post mortem examination, have attended the man ever since he was injured; was called on Sabbath morning, about the 4th of September to see Mr. Freeman found him suffering exceedingly from pain and soreness in the cervical vertebræ and superior spinal vertebræ. On examination, I discovered a compressor spinal vertebræ. On examination, I discovered a compressor spinal vertebræ. On examination, I discovered a compression or bruise, a discoloration of the skin; on that point there was considerable swelling and complete paralysis; his secretions were entirely checked; could not cause him to attend to any of his functions, continued to attend him only by the use of instruments, continued to attend him until the time of the present. As regards the post mortem examination which has just been concluded, I concur with Dr. McCook, that those injuries were sufficient to cause his death.

CORONER'S INQUEST.—Coroner Lowry, held an inquest on Thursday evening, on the body of the German who choked to death on a crust of bread, at a house near the six mile Ferry. The jury after hearing the facts of the case, return a verdict in accordance with the statements made to them.

The name of the unfortunate man is Charles Meyar, a native of Germany, and he leaves a wife and two children in Birmingham, Meyer was employed in Birmingham, by a butcher, and on Wednesday was dispatched to M'Keesport on business; on his way back, he stopped at the six mile Ferry to get something to eat; he was furnished with bread and cheese, at the house where he stopped, and the crust of bread, a fragment of which choked him to death. Meyer was afflicted with an incurable disease in the throat, and had often choaked before.

FOURTH FROM JUSTICE.—A German named Henry Verhiller made an information before Squire M'Masters, charging a German named Christian Pack with fraud. It appears that Pack formerly resided in this city, and done business with Verhiller; taking advantage of the confidence of his partner, he collected a large sum of money and disposed of it. Upon the return of Pack, was charged by Verhiller, also with having removed portions of the property of the firm to Ohio, where he fled, after his detection. The object of the information was to obtain from Gov. Bigler a requisition on the constituted authorities of Ohio for his arrest and removal to this city.

SPLENDID ENGRAVINGS.—We see that M'Carney sells another fine lot of Engravings this evening, at 6½ o'clock.—'Tis scarcely necessary to say, go to the sale, for all lovers of the arts will do so. The collections are superior, and deserve attention; among them, we noticed choice Catholic, and many other good prints.

A BEATING.—Mr. M'Vicker takes a Benefit at the Theatre this evening, when he will appear in several favorite Yankee characters. We trust Mr. will have a good house. He deserves a mark of encouragement from our citizens, and the present is the occasion for such a manifestation. Let him have a real benefit.

TONY DOWN.—The remaining circular market house is now being torn down, to make way for a building similar to the one on the opposite side of the street. What about a town hall, in the second or third story of the new building.

EXTRACT OF COFFEE.—This article, which is manufactured by Keating, on Fulton street, is one of the best articles we ever made trial of. We recommend our readers to give it a trial.

STATE AGENT.—Mr. Joseph Oliver, a worthy young Democrat of this city, has been appointed by the Board of Canal Commissioners, State Agent on the Portage Railroad.

BISHOP SIMPSON, the well known Methodist divine, lectures on the "Protestantism," at Masonic Hall, on Tuesday night.

GERMAN THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE.—A company of German amateurs give a theatrical performance at the Athenæum, on Tuesday night.

LOCAL NEWS.—There was nothing doing yesterday in the way of local news.

DELLEN'S HEAVE CURE.—2 grosse for sale by
jan14 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.,

OLD MONONGAHELA WHISKY, in bottles or by the quart, warranted old and pure, at KEYSER'S.
jan14 140 Wood street.

FANCY SOAPS AND PERFUMERY, for sale in every variety, by KEYSER,
jan14. 140 Wood street.

FRENCH, LONDON AND PHILADELPHIA HAIR BRUSHES, of a superior quality, for sale by KEYSER'S Drug Store, 140 Wood st.
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EWEL PEN KNIVES, for sale low, at retail, by KEYSER,
jan14 140 Wood street.

CARD.

TO Druggists, Liquor Merchants and Manufacturers of Gunpowder.—As we intend hereafter to confine ourselves entirely to the Distillation of Alcohol, Rectorized or Neutral Spirits, from fourth proof up to 99 per cent. strength—and Spirits, from fourth proof up to 99 per cent. strength—and as we are now prepared to fill orders to any amount at the shortest notice, we respectfully solicit the wholesale trade on the shortest notice, we respectfully solicit the wholesale trade on the shortest notice, we respectfully solicit the wholesale trade on