THE CITY POST.

FRIDAY MORNING.....OCTOBER 28.

THE JEWELL CASE.

The argument of the case of the Commonwealth vs. David Jewell, in the Supreme Court, took place yesterday morning. The Court room was densely crowded during the delivery of the arguments by counsel, and the strict order observed, and the attention paid to the speeches, showed clearly the great interest felt in the result of the case by those present.

The prisoner was in Court, hearty and robust as usual. His long confinement, however, seems to have impressed a sadder and more thoughtful appearance on his countenance, than it formerly bore. It will be recollected that Jewell was indicted at the October term, 1852, with three others, for the murder of Samuel Mitchell, on the wharf, on the fifth of July. He was convicted, and on the 24th day of December sentenced to be hung. After sentence, an application was made to the Supreme Court, for the allowance of a writ of error; the application was founded on the fact that one of the Jurors was misnamed on the venire. It was refused; as also was a motion for a new trial and arrest of judgment, argued before Judge M'Clure. On the 20th of July, Sheriff Magill received from Gov. Bigler, a warrant for the execution of Jewell, which fixed the 24 of September for his execution. On the 20th of August, Judge Lowrie, of the Supreme Bench, granted a special allocatur, and the Executive thereupon postponed the execution. The allocatur was granted by Judge Lowrie, on the following reasons submitted by prisoner's counsel:

1st. The record does not show that any witnesses were sworn and examined during the trial on part of the Commonwealth, or on part of the prisoner.

2d. The record does not show that the prisoner was present in Court during the whole of the trial.

3d. Because the record shows that two persons, to wit: Thomas A. Bowley and James Murdock were empanneled and sworn as Jurors on Jurors, when the record of the rolls and venire for October Term, 1852, show that no such persons were on the rolls of that Term.

In the printed argument submitted by Jewell's counsel, to the Justices, in support of the above reasons, reference is made to a number of cases, particularly that of Dunn vs. Commonwealth, which is fresh in the memory of many of our readers. In that case, the Supreme Court dwells upon the importance and necessity of adhering to the *forms of trial*, in criminal cases.

The following alleged errors, including those on which the allocatur was granted, were also presented:—

I. That there is error in this. That whereas, by the Act relating to the empanelling and summoning Jurors, it is required that an alphabetical list of persons summoned to serve as Jurors, must be set up in the office of the Sheriff and Prothonotary, for the inspection of all persons concerned—which list are required to contain the name, surname and place of abode of the persons summoned and returned as Jurors, and which it is further required by the same Act, should correspond with his panel annexed to the venire. And whereas, the name of said Wilson Woodburn, appears in the panel annexed to the venire, and the name of the said Wilson Woodburn, does not appear on the list set up in the office of the Sheriff, and the Clerk of the Court of Oyer and Terminer, and General Jail delivery, so that no list containing the names, surnames and place of abode of Jurors summoned upon the venire to stand between him, the said David Jewell, and his country, was set up in the offices aforesaid, for the inspection of the said David Jewell, at by law was required. Wherefore, he alleges that in this there is manifest error.

II. Also, there is error in this.—That although the name of Wilson Woodburn appears on the panel returned upon the venire, yet that in the jury list, made out by the Clerk of Oyer and Terminer, no entry is made of the name of Wilson Woodburn, but in the stead thereof, the name of Wilson Woodford, was originally entered on the Jury roll. And that, afterwards, the name of Wilson Woodford was changed by the Clerk, to that of Wilson Woodford, and that on the trial of the said cause, the name of William Woodford was called as a Juror, to be empanelled in said cause, and that the said Wilson Woodford, then being present, did not answer to the name of William Woodford, wherefore the said defendant was deprived of the benefit which he would otherwise have had of having the said Wilson Woodford on the panel for the trial of his cause. And in this he alleges manifest error.

III. And also, there is error in this: That on the list put up in the offices aforesaid, the name of said Bredin Warren appears as one of the panel, which name likewise appears by the venire, to have been the name inserted in the panel of Jurors, which by the said writ the Sheriff was directed to summon.

And, it further appears, that an alteration of the said name has been made in the venire, by prefixing the name Clement before the name Bredin. So that the name reads Clement Bredin Warren, by which name the said Warren appears on the list of Jurors in the said Court, and by which name he was called and sworn; which the defendant alleges is manifest error.

IV. And also, there is error in this: That the Attorney for the Commonwealth, having challenged said William Wilson, Stephen Harris, Stephen F. Mercer, William McCune and William Tilbrook, the same were set aside by the Court without the assent of the said David Jewell, whereby he was deprived of the benefit of having the said William Wilson, Stephen Harris, Stephen F. Mercer, William McCune and William Tilbrook empanelled as Jurors for his trial, which is manifest error.

V. And also, that there is error in this: That William Tilbrook, who, upon the showing of the Prosecuting Attorney and without the assent of the said David Jewell, was stood aside by the Court, was afterwards challenged for cause by the Prosecuting Attorney, and not permitted to be empanelled on said Jury, was not sworn upon the voir dire and examined thereupon as the cause of challenge, nor is there any cause alleged why the said William Tilbrook should not have been forthwith empanelled on said, Jury, in which there is manifest error.

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VIII. And also, that there is error in this: That there is no order of Court, as by law it is required, to summon and return from the by-standers, or from the county at large, so many competent and qualified persons as were necessary to fill up the Jury for the trial of the cause in which the said David Jewell was impleaded; and in this there is manifest error.

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XI. And that there is error in this: That the said David Jewell does not appear to have been present during the time occupied by the said Court in trying the said cause. And in that, there is manifest error.

Mr. Darragh made an able argument for the prisoner. He was followed by District Attorney Flanegin for the Commonwealth. Judge Shaler closed for Jewell. Rarely has a case been so eloquently argued, as was this one; and it may be said with truth, if Jewell does not go free, it will not be from lack of effort on the part of his counsel.

The Chief Justice remanded Jewell to jail, and directed that he should be brought before him on Saturday, to receive the final judgment of the Court.

The members of Typographical Union No. 7, held their regular monthly meeting last evening. The following gentlemen were chosen as officers, to serve during the ensuing term:

President—James Mills.
Vice President—George P. Moore.
Recording Secretary—John G. Harper.
Financial Secretary—Wm. F. Rissell.
Corresponding Secretary—Richard Stanton.
Treasurer—James F. Campbell.
Trustees of Funds—Jas. S. McEwen, Jos. M. Kinkead, and Arthur McGill.

Among other business transacted, a resolution was adopted disapproving of a "rat" circular lately issued in this city, without the authority, and directly in opposition to the views, of the Union.

RAIN.—It has come at last, and in such a way as to leave no doubt of its continuance, until our rivers are bank full. Yesterday morning, from an early hour, we had a steady rain; there is a great deal of snow on the mountains, we understand; and this fact adds to the joyful feeling which now animates our steamboat men.

PACKET LINE.—Hon. Thomas Sweeny, of Wheeling, has been elected President of the Packet Line, between this city and St. Louis, and Wm. Thaw, Esq., Secretary. The Joint Board of Directors of this line was in session in this city, on Wednesday, and transacted considerable business.

MRS. FARREN takes a benefit this evening. She appears in Shiels' beautiful play of the Apostate, in the drama of Cousin Cherry, and in the comedy of a Lesson to Husbands. An attractive bill, and one that should draw a crowded house.

THE OMNIBUS CASES were argued yesterday, with great ability, in the Supreme Court. Messrs. Williams and Brady appeared for the prosecution, and Messrs. Stokes and Stanton for the defence.

THE extensive collection of valuable Books at Davis' Auction Rooms will be closed this and to-morrow evenings, by Mr. Pratt.

COURT NEWS.

SUPREME COURT.—On the Bench Hon. J. S. Black, L. J. D. Chief Justice, and Hon. Ellis Lewis, Hon. W. B. Lewis, Hon. George W. Woodward, and Hon. John C. Knox, Justices.

TUESDAY, October 27.

After a short session of this Court was unusually interesting yesterday. But two cases (reported elsewhere) were argued, and no decisions had been rendered, the Omnibus cases were taken up and continued, after which the Court adjourned.

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS.—Before the Hon. William M'Clure, President Judge.—Before the Hon. William B. Adams, Esq'rs., Associate Judges.—Briggs and Gabriel Sims.

Commonwealth vs. William Pack: Indictment—2 counts—Goods. The defendant was charged with purchasing stolen old iron from a little boy, about seven years old, which the latter had stolen from his father; (the prosecutor) Lawrence Donoldson. The defendant is a wrought nail manufacturer, and keeps a shop at the Point. Mr. Barton appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. Rodgers for defence. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty. Imprisonment was remitted.

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Railroad Company stock, market values, viz: Hartford and New Haven,	$62,500	
Hartford, Providence, and Fishkill	20,475	
Boston and Worcester,	11,123	
New Albany	1,000	
Commercial River,	14,500	$103,603
Miscellaneous—		
Connecticut River Co. Stock,		1,000
Real Estate in Hartford,		18,705,46
Office Furniture and Library,		670 75
Cash in Bank,		13,341,01
Amounts, balances, bills receivable for premiums,		
real estate, &c.,	$61,380,02	
Less, balances due to Agents and others,	28,414,46	$32,965,56
		$416,178,30

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock,	$300,000
Profit and Loss,	116,178 30
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A dividend of 10 ⅌ cent., declared and paid 15th of June 1853.

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For Rent,

THE large and commodious TAVERN STAND, lately occupied by Wm. P. Applegate, situated on the Pittsburgh and Steubenville Turnpike, about one mile from Jones' Ferry, situated in Chartiers township, Allegheny county. The House is a large Brick, containing some twenty rooms, together with a good Store Room, and three good Cellars. There is on the premises a large Stable, Carriage House, out-buildings, three good pumps, one large cistern, two good Orchards, and several out Lots—all of which is for rent, and possession will be given immediately. For further particulars, enquire of LYDIA ANN CHESS, on the premises, or the subscriber.

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WEEKLY REVIEW OF PITTSBURGH MARKET.

CIRCULAR SERVICE—AS CORRECTED FOR THE SATURDAY POST

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Broadway	13,920	
Pacific	4,400	
Republic	10,500	
Hanover	9,300	
New York Life and Trust	15,000	
		$82,070
Railroad 7 ⅌ cent. Mortgage bonds, market value,		$41,017 50
Railroad Company stock, market values, viz: Hartford and New Haven,	$62,500	
Hartford, Providence, and Fishkill	20,475	
Boston and Worcester,	11,123	
New Albany	1,000	
Commercial River,	14,500	$103,603
Miscellaneous—		
Connecticut River Co. Stock,		1,000
Real Estate in Hartford,		18,705,46
Office Furniture and Library,		670 75
Cash in Bank,		13,341,01
Amounts, balances, bills receivable for premiums,		
real estate, &c.,	$61,380,02	
Less, balances due to Agents and others,	28,414,46	$32,965,56
		$416,178,30

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock,	$300,000
Profit and Loss,	116,178 30
	$416,178 30

A dividend of 10 ⅌ cent., declared and paid 15th of June 1853.

Having received the appointment as Agent in Pittsburgh, and vicinity, of the Ætna Insurance Company, lately held by R. H. Beeson, I take pleasure in calling the attention of the former patrons, and friends of the agency, to the fact I am prepared to issue Policies, or renewals of them, at fair rates of premium, on risks of the various descriptions of buildings, manufactories, mills, machinery, and all kinds of insuring the security of insurance from loss or damage by fire. The Ætna Company is the first incorporated fire risk in the community from its proverbial fairness and promptitude, not only in taking of risks, but in the adjustment and payment of its losses. No effort will be spared to give cheap insurance, as it does promise valuable indemnity.

Applications attended to at the Banking House of Geo. E. Arnold & Co., 74 Fourth st.

GEORGE E. ARNOLD, Agent.

PIMENTO.—3 boxes for sale by
sep27 KING & MOORHEAD.

BRITISH LUSTRE—10 casks for sale by
oct18 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

For Rent,

THE large and commodious TAVERN STAND, lately occupied by Wm. P. Applegate, situated on the Pittsburgh and Steubenville Turnpike, about one mile from Jones' Ferry, situated in Chartiers township, Allegheny county. The House is a large Brick, containing some twenty rooms, together with a good Store Room, and three good Cellars. There is on the premises a large Stable, Carriage House, out-buildings, three good pumps, one large cistern, two good Orchards, and several out Lots—all of which is for rent, and possession will be given immediately. For further particulars, enquire of LYDIA ANN CHESS, on the premises, or the subscriber.

JAMES O. RICHEY.
Chartiers Tp., Oct. 24, 1853. [oct27:d1wawtf]

TWENTY-FIVE barrels Alum, in Crystal, in store and for sale by
oct15 FLEMING BROTHERS.

TWENTY-FIVE kegs Bicarbonate Soda, in store and for sale by
oct15 FLEMING BROTHERS.

PRICES OF STOCKS.

CORRECTED DAILY FOR THE MORNING POST BY
Patricks, C. Friend; Exchange Brokers,
Corner of Fifth and Wood streets, Pittsburgh.

LOANS.	Bid.	Asked.	Par Val.
United States 6s 1868	$ 110,00	$ 120,00	$ 100,00
United States 6s 1853	100,00	101,00	100,00
Pennsylvania 6s 1878	105,00	106,00	100,00
Pennsylvania 6s 1868	96,00	97,00	100,00
Allegheny county 6s		100,00	100,00
Allegheny county coupons	96,00	100,00	100,00
Pittsburgh city 6s	98,00	100,00	100,00
Pittsburgh city coupons, payable in Philadelphia	92,00	94,00	100,00
BANK STOCKS.			
Bank of Pittsburgh	65,50	66,75	50,00
Merchants & Manufacturers' Bank	57,00	57,50	50,00
Exchange Bank	55,25	55,50	50,00
Farmers' Deposit Bank			50,00
Allegheny Savings Bank	00,00	00,00	2,14
BRIDGE STOCKS.			
Monongahela Bridge	23,75	24,00	25,00
St. Clair street Bridge		35,00	25,00
Hand street Bridge	00,00	00,00	47,00
Wayne Chartiers Bridge	00,00	00,00	50,00
Liberty Bridge			
Pittsburgh Bridge			
Allegheny City Bridge			
Pittsburgh City	par.		
Allegheny City	par.		
NEW YORK.			
New York City	¼		par.
Country Bank	¼		par.
NEW JERSEY.			
All solvent Banks	¼		par.
DELAWARE.			
All solvent Banks	¼		par.
MARYLAND.			
Baltimore Banks	¼		par.
Country Banks	¼		par.
VIRGINIA.			
Bank of Virginia & branches	¼		par.
Farmers' Bk. & branches	¼		par.
Valley Bk. & branches	¼		par.
Northwestern Bank & branches	¼		par.
Wheeling Banks	¼		par.
NEW ENGLAND.			
All solvent Banks	¼		par.

State Bk. and branches	¾		
Mechanics' and Farmers'	¾		
Bank of Sandusky			par.
Granville		60	
Urbana		80	
Worcester		25	
INDIANA.			
State Stock Banks			25
State Bk. and branches	¾		
ILLINOIS.			
State Stock Banks			25
State Bk. and branches	¾		
Bank of Illinois			25
KENTUCKY.			
All solvent Banks	¾		
MISSOURI.			
State Bk. and branches	¾		
IOWA.			
All solvent Banks	1		
WISCONSIN.			
Marine & Fire Insurance Co. at Milwaukie	2		
Bank of Wisconsin			
Gettysburgh			
Harrisburg			
Hagerstown			1
Middletown			
Philadelphia			
York Banks			
Relief Notes			1½
Bank of United States			
Allegheny City Scrip			5
Pittsburgh City	par.		
Allegheny City	par.		
LOUISIANA.			
All solvent Banks	¾		1½

EXCHANGES.

New York	¼	par.
Philadelphia	¼	par.
Baltimore	¼	par.
Cincinnati	¾	½ dis'd.
Louisville	½	½ dis'd.
St. Louis	1	1 dis'd.

VALUE OF COIN.

American Gold (new)	par.	
American Gold (old)	par.	
Sovereigns	4 83	4 84
Guineas	6 60	
Napoleons	3 80	
Ten Thalers	7 80	
Ten Guilders	3 90	
Louis d'or	3 80	
Napoleons	3 83	
Doubloons, Patriot	15 70	
Doubloons, Spanish	15 70	
Ducats	2 10	

PORT OF PITTSBURGH.

7 FEET 0 INCHES WATER IN THE CHANNEL.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Jefferson, Parkinson, Brownsville.
" Telegraph, Reed, Brownsville.
" Thomas Shriver, Bailey, West Newton.
" Gen. Bayard, Peebles, Elizabeth.

DEPARTED.

" Jefferson, Parkinson, Brownsville.
" Interme, Bennett, Brownsville.
" Thomas Shriver, Bailey, West Newton.
" Gen. Bayard, Peebles, Elizabeth.

Steamboats, Ahoy!

THE subscribers tender their acknowledgements for the favors bestowed upon them by their friends, and the public, and would respectfully remind them and others interested in building boats, that they are at all times prepared to furnish, on the shortest notice, the best quality of Ash, Cabin Furniture and Chains of the best material and workmanship.

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WINDOW GLASS—
200 boxes 8x10 and 10x12, McKennan & Co.'s brand.
100 do 8x10, 9x12, 10x15, 10x18, 11x14, J. Markle's brand.
In store and for sale by
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ELEGANT FEDAL ENVELOPE PAPER—SCHOOLFIELD'S (107 Market street) assortment of Gent's Boots and Gaiters stands unrivalled for elegance and durability. Fine French Calf Boots always on hand at short notice. Ladies' and Toilet Shoes in great variety.
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Each 60 feet front by 200 deep.
PRICE—$200 each.
TERMS—$10 in hand; balance at $5 per month.
SITUATE—Hoverd's Run, on the south