THE CITY POST.

SATURDAY MORNING.....FEBRUARY 4.

RECEIPTS.—We give below the receipts of the Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad, for the month of January:

Receipts in January, 1854	$93,314 25
" " 1853	28,159 24
Increase	$65,155 01

This is a very gratifying exhibit. December and January are the least traveled months in the year. We may look for a steady increase from this time onward to the 1st of November.

VALUE PRETENCES.—A charge of fraud was preferred on Thursday evening by Henry Langkamp, against a man named Isaiah Crozier, residing in Allegheny City. Langkamp was induced by the persuasion of Crozier to purchase from him a piece of property, for which he paid $305. In selling the property Crozier concealed from the purchaser the fact that the sheriff had levied on it for a debt. Crozier was arrested, and in default of bail, committed.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY CASES.—Joseph R. Mann was held to bail yesterday morning, by his Honor, Mayor Volz, for an assault and battery committed on George Ewing, on the wharf, on Thursday night.

Mayor Volz also held Henry Kise to bail on a like charge which was preferred by Frederick Lind. The prosecutor's wife was assaulted by Kise, hence the prosecution.

George Dult was also held to bail by Ald. Steel, for an assault and battery on Mary Adams.

ILL-TREATING AN INSANE GIRL.—Justie Daphorne, of Tarentum, yesterday committed to the county jail, a young man named George Benny, on a charge of ill-treating and misusing an insane girl, residing in Tarentum, named Catharine Stewart. The information accused Thomas Benny and Crawford Wilson of the same offence, but they have not yet been arrested. The outrage complained of was committed on the 22d of January.

SUDDEN DEATH.—A man named Casper Shaub dropped dead whilst at his work at his residence in Ross township, on Wednesday. Coroner Lowry held an inquest on the body, and the jury found a verdict that the deceased died from apoplexy. Shaub was about sixty-five years of age and a carpenter by trade. We believe he leaves a wife and family to deplore his loss.

A VALUABLE collection of theological, miscellaneous, classical, German, and school books, Stationery, &c., will be sold at McKenna's Auction House, this evening, at early gas light, by catalogue. At the same time, one double-barreled fowling piece. A lot of fine shirts will be sold at 7o'clock in the afternoon.

HABEAS CORPUS CASE.—A writ of habeas corpus was sued out yesterday, in the case of Mark M'Cullin, now in the county jail on a charge of murder. The object was to procure the release of M'Cullin on bail. M'Cullin was brought before Judge M'Clure, but the hearing of the case was postponed until Monday next.

ALD. MAJOR yesterday held a woman, named Madelaine Lint, to bail, for an assault and battery committed on Elizabeth Bills.

Dietrich Folnhall made an information before the same magistrate, accusing Madelaine of the same offence. On this charge she was also held to bail.

MEETING OF THE BAR.—A meeting of the Bar will be held this afternoon, we understand, to express disapprobation and remonstrance against the proposed change of the place of holding the sessions of the Supreme Court of this State.

On one of the steamers that landed yesterday at on wharf, they have a nigger, as they term it, that caught cold last night, on account of a crack in his head, occasioned by the neglect of the Doctor's doctor, or one of his students.

THE MAIL TRAIN of the Pennsylvania Railroad, due in this city yesterday morning, did not arrive until 10 A.M., owing to a detention, caused by the train being thrown off the track at the Half-Way House, on the Portage road.

REMOVED.—Harry Campbell Esq., the Treasurer of Allegheny City, has removed his office from the basement of Dr. Freeyle's church, to the building occupied by the American Bank, in the Diamond.

A NEW POST OFFICE has been established at Irwin's station, on the Pennsylvania Railroad, twenty-one miles from this city. Richard McQuistion has been appointed Postmaster.

NEW HALL.—The new hall on Federal street, Allegheny City, has been christened Excelsior Hall. Religious service will be held in the hall, on Sunday.

BOOKWORM.—This truly magnificent drama will be represented this evening, at the theatre, for the third and last time.

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.—The Horticultural Society met at the Board of Brokers' Rooms, on Wednesday last. Members present: R. McKnight, W. H. Williams, A. Bryan, John Murdock, Jr., John Chislett, R. R. Shankland, James McKain, Wm. Snyder, A. B. M'Queenan, J. McIlvaine, T. B. Updyke, James Warden.

R. McKnight in the chair; minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

The Library Committee reported in favor of subscribing to the following magazines, for the use of the members:

The Horticulturalist, Western Review, Cultivator, Tenna Farm Journal and the London Gardeners' Gazette; concurred in.

The Premium Committee reported a list of Premiums for the Annual Exhibition, to be held in September, which was adopted, and will be ready for distribution in a few days.

The Hon. D. Ritchie, M. C., sent a package of flower seed, for distribution among the members.

A committee of five was appointed by the Chair to devise a list of premiums for the various monthly contributions. Committee—James M'Kain, W. H. Williams, A. B. M'Queenan; G. L. Goehring, and James Warden.

Mr. M'Kain was awarded the first premium on plants; having some fine Asalia, Acacias, Hyacinths, Primulas, Cineracias, &c., in bloom; and the first premium for a bouquet, James Warden, *Secretary pro tem.*

DISTRICT COURT.—Before Hon. Moses Hampton, President Judge.

In the case of Ewalt vs. McPherson, a verdict of $1,305 41 was returned for plaintiff.

The cases of Hinton's administrators vs. Curtis was compromised, and a verdict of $1,238 93 returned.

A. S. Brown vs. Joshua Robinson; No. 10, July term, 1849. G. P. Hamilton for plaintiff. Wm. Stowe for defendant, a verdict of $470 was rendered for plaintiff, subject to opinion of the Court, on points reserved.

Before Hon. H. W. Williams, Assistant Judge.

In the case of Negley vs. Heimbrieght, the jury returned a verdict of $100 for plaintiff.

Peter Sickert and Jacob Eckert vs. the Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad Company, No. 291, July term, 1853. Shaler for plaintiff, Courtney for defendant. This was an action of trespass for damage. Plaintiffs charge that defendant's locomotive with cutting away the hill near Woods run, thereby causing a slide of said hill and impeding the ready egress of water.

Gormley & Nixon vs. Beatrice Nixon, Darragh and Woods for plaintiff, and J. H. Hampton for defendant. The plaintiff claimed that property, the subject of this action, had been purchased from the committee on city property of the city councils. An action of ejectment was brought to recover possession of the ground, on which a church is now erected. No verdict.

Charles Austin vs. A. J. M'Cord; No. 457, July term, 1853. Woods for plaintiff, and J. H. Hampton for defendant. This action was brought to recover for building a house. Claim resisted, on the ground that the provisions of the contract had not been complied with. No verdict.

☞ **New Discoveries.**—VEGETABLE CATTLE POWDER—These powders are put up in one pound packs, and are really a good article, not only for the diseases incident to Horses, Cows, Swine and other animals, but they are likewise an excellent article to improve the condition of the animal.

For Milch Cows, they not only improve the condition of Milch Cows, but they increase the quantity as well as improve the quality of milk and butter. The proprietors say that it increases the quantity of butter from half a pound to a pound a week to each cow, while those persons who have tried it, say a pound and a half to two pounds per week, with the same kind of feeding as before. Of one thing we are certain, all who use the article will use it all the time and save money by the operation, as well as improve the appearance of their stock. Price 25 cents a paper, 5 papers for $1. GEO. H. KEYSER, No. 140, corner Wood st. and Virgin alley.

Wholesale and Retail Agent.

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☞ *We invite the careful attention of all persons afflicted with Coughs or Colds, to the following certificate, given below, by* Mr. JOHN G. LEVIS, *of Peebles township, in this county.*

Mr. Levis is one of our most respectable citizens, and voluntarily called on Dr. Keyser and offered his certificate to the facts stated below. THE PECTORAL SYRUP is for sale at 140 Wood street, and by druggists generally.

Great Cure by Dr. Keyser's Pectoral SYRUP.—I live in Peebles township, Allegheny county. I had a coughing and spitting, which commenced about the 4th of February last, and continued for eight whole months. I employed the best physicians in the country, and my cough continued unabated, until early in October. At that time I was advised to try your PECTORAL COUGH SYRUP, which I did; and after I had taken one bottle, I was entirely free from coughing and spitting. I had despaired of ever getting well, and I think it should be known that this valuable remedy will do for others what it has done in my case. JOHN O. LITTLE, Peebles tp.

Witness B. M. Kerr.

Pittsburgh, December 31. feb1

☞ **Medicine Chests**—Dr. KEYSER, wholesale Druggist, of 140 Wood street, has on hand a splendid assortment of MEDICINE CHESTS, for families and steamboats, at various prices. Those in want of articles of this kind would do well to give him a call. feb1

☞ **Medicines which never fail to give SATISFACTION,** *and are used by many Physicians in their Practice.*—Dr. J. S. ROSE is an Honorary member of the Philadelphia Medical Society, and graduated, in 1820, from the University of Pennsylvania, under the guidance of the truly eminent Professors Physick, Chapman, Gibson, Coxe, James and Hare,—names celebrated for medical science,—and having had daily intercourse and consultation with those distinguished physicians, respecting diseases of all kinds, and the proper remedies therefor; and being solicited by thousands of his patients to put up his Preparations, he offers to the public, as the results of his experience for the past 30 years, the following valuable Family Medicines, each one to a specific disease:

DR. J. S. ROSE'S NERVOUS AND INVIGORATING CORDIAL.—The Greatest Discovery in Medical Science, for all Nervous Conditions of the System!—Heart Diseases and Nervous Complaints. The astonishing and happy effect of Dr. Rose's Nervous Cordial, for Diseases of the Heart, Palpitation, Numbness, Neuralgia, Nervous Tremor of the Muscles, Heartburn, Flatulence, Pain in the Face, Wakefulness, Restlessness, or for the Mind or Body, worn down by care, labor, or study, has induced many physicians to use it in their practice. For a weak constitution, it is a grand restorer: it completely removes from the system all nervous irritations, and is almost miraculous in its rapid and happy effect. The weak and the nervous are frequently restored to perfect health before using one bottle. Price 50 cents. Sold, wholesale and retail, at Dr. KEYSER'S Drug store, $40, corner of Wood st. and Virgin alley. feb1

TELEGRAPHIC.

By the O'Reilly Lines for the Morning Post

THIRTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON CITY, February 3.—*House.*—The House went into Committee of the Whole on private calendar. Twenty-six bills were passed after the Committee rose.

The President transmitted a communication in answer to a resolution requesting him to communicate to the House, if compatible with the public interest, any correspondence that may have occurred between the State Department and the American Chargé at Austria, with reference to persons claiming the protection of this government.

Among the documents transmitted, is a despatch from Henry K. Jackson, American Minister at Vienna, in which he says to Mr. Marcy that the recent difficulties between the government of the United States and Austria have evidently affected, for the time being, the intercourse between American citizens and the Austrian authorities, and that the former have become more than ever jealous of their rights.

He then speaks of another case of complaint made to the legation, which, he says, may demand a more serious consideration; it is made by Simon Tonsig, representing himself as an American citizen, as having been furnished with a passport from the State Department at Washington, and yet, Mr. Jackson says, unless he has erred with reference to the date of his going to America, that he had not remained a sufficient time in this country to become a citizen in accordance with the law.

Mr. Jackson encloses a copy of a letter to the Austrian Minister of Foreign Affairs, stating the circumstances of the case, and adds that he hopes the individual may be permitted to leave the Austrian dominions, but it is more than probable, he continues, that at the present time the Austrian government will be particularly sensitive upon a matter touching the citizenship of one who was formerly an Austrian subject, squinted under our naturalization laws, and that it will insist upon retaining possession of his person. Should, however, the facts of the case as they may hereafter be developed confirm the statement of Tonsig, a serious quarrel may arise for settlement.

Tonsig in his letter dated at Prague, states that in 1849 he came to the United States with a passport from Austria, and settled himself in New York, and became a citizen of the United States. In 1853, he obtained a passport from the State Department, at Washington, and went back to Austria to conduct a helpless family, a widow and five young children, to their relatives in Prague. The police, he says, obtained his passport and refused to return it to him that he might come here; and they said to him, "you are an unlawful emigrant, and ought to be punished, and you cannot become a citizen of any country before you get leave of your sovereign." He relates his vain efforts to get back his passport, and appeals to the American Minister, for an interpo[illegible] of his authority. The letter of Mr. Jackson to the Austrian authorities, concludes with expressing an expectation that no further obstacles will be offered to Tonsig, but that his speedy departure for the United States will be permitted. A second letter from Mr. Jackson states that the Austrian government claim Tonsig as a subject and as a fugitive; that he had been away from the country but a few months, not long enough to have become an American citizen.

Mr. Marcy writes a letter to Mr. Jackson, dated on the 10th ult, in which he says that he was exceedingly pained and regrets to find it is one which will not authorize a more effective interference than that which our charge has already made in his behalf. It is true, he says, that Tonsig left this country with a passport, but as he was not a naturalized citizen, nor native born, he was not entitled to it, and he finds that it was obtained by perjury.

The documents were laid on the table, after which the House adjourned.

THE ERIE RAILROAD DIFFICULTY.

BUFFALO, February 3.—The railroad men re-laid the track which it was torn up, yesterday, but two hours afterwards, in consequence of the excitement among the people, Mayor Fitzgerald felt it to be necessary to order the track to be displeased with the act. The Mayor has signified that it shall be relaid to-day. The excitement runs high and the people seem disposed to act independently of the Mayor or Governor.

Yesterday, a mob headed by Mr. Loomis, Collector of the Port, endeavored to prevent the departure of the freight train on the Erie Railroad.

Gov. Bigler has appointed Col. Parker to take charge of the Western road, the charter of which has been revoked.

Gov. Bigler went down last evening with the intention of forming a connection, but was deterred by fear of the assembled mob.

The passenger trains will run regularly from to-day, changing at Erie.

TELEGRAPH MARKETS.

NEW YORK, February 3.—Noon—Flour...sales 6000 bbls State at $5.50@$8.75; good ohio $8.87½@9.12; the market opened buoyant, but closed heavy; 300 bbls Southern $5.87 @$6.50; Genesee, 13,000 bbs West, Genesee and Ohio at $8 @8.40, quiet; 10,000 bus southern corn at $1.20. Whisky...sales 225 bbls at 22. Provisions unchanged.

NEW YORK, February 3—Cotton...Sales 3,000 bales, firm. Coffee...Sales 1,000 bags Rio at 12; advanced ½ cent; Java 13. Flour...Sales 11,500 bbls. The market opened heavy, but improved at the close. State, $8.50@8.62½; Ohio, $8.75@ 9.12; sales 2,250 bbls Southern and Baltimore at $8.87½@9.12. Grain...Sales 3,500 bushels Wheat Genesee at $2.41; buyers holding back for lower prices; sales 35,000 bushels Corn, Western mixed, at 99½; Southern, $1. Sugar...Sales 550 hds Orleans at 4¾@5; Muscovado, 4¾. Molasses...Sales 300 bbls Orleans at 29. Whisky...Sales 400 bbls proper at 22. Provisions...Sales 900 bbls Pork, prices easier; Mess $16; Prime $13.50. Sales 275 tcs Prime Cut Hams, for cash, 8½. Prime Beef...Sales 400 bbls at $20@23.50; sales 100 Beef Hams at 15, firm; whole kegs 16c; sales 200 bbls extra Beef at 01@$17. Sales 175 bbls at 10½, firm. Iron firm at $37 @37, 6 months.

CINCINNATI, February 3.—The river has fallen four feet since last evening; weather clear and cool. Flour quiet and easier, with sale at $5.50@5.55. Whisky 22. Provisions quiet; no change in prices, but buyers are backward with their offers.

Steel Pens.

JOSEPH GILLOTT'S PENS, Nos. 303, 808, 170c, 170, 351, 178, 728, 739, 758, 760, 762, 748, 762, 729, Barrel Pen, and Joseph Rogers' Pen.

RIVER PHINEAS' PENS—"Original," "Double Action," "Treble Spring," "Fountain," "Jenny Lind," "Double Elastic."

PRATT'S "Commercial," "Extra Fine," Republican, Albion," "505," "Slip Pens," "Eagle."

H. OGDEN'S PENS—"Double Elastic," "Backspring," "Flat-spring," "Eagle," "India Rubber," "Commercial," "Gutta Percha."

JOSEPH J. LEVY's celebrated Commercial PENS.

W. S. HAYEN'S Commercial PENS, white and brazed.

THE MAGNETIC PEN.—A double Action Spring Pen.

BLECKWITH'S "RUBY PEN"—"The Accountants."

And many other celebrated Pens; for sale by

W. S. HAYEN, 84 Wood st. Sole Agent and Printer,

ja21mao Market street, corner of Second.

GOLD AND SILVER PENS, of superior quality, for sale by Stationer and Printer,

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WRITING INKS—Hubbert, Carter, Adams, Cavanagh, Harrison's, Maynord & Heyes', Walsh's, Hogan & Thompson's, and Warren's Black, Red and Blue Writing Inks, in quart, pint, half pint and 4 oz. and 2 oz. bottles. For sale at

W. S. HAYEN'S Stationery Warehouse,

ja21mao Market st., corner of Second.

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned in the Liquor and Grocery business, under the name and style of LEWIS & STERN, was dissolved this day by mutual consent. Lewis Stern is fully authorized to settle the business of the late firm. LEWIS STERN will continue the business at the old stand, No. 543 Liberty street. B. STERN.

LEWIS STERN.

Pittsburgh, January 24, 1854.—[ja23mwSlawlt]

Acknowledgment.

THE Managers of the Western Pennsylvania Hospital return thanks to the contributors to the "Scotch Relief Fund," for the Donation of Four Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars, through the Treasurer of the Institution, through the hands of the Rev. A. D. Campbell, D. D.

JOHN HARPER, Treasurer.

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108 WOOD STREET.

THE subscriber has now his OYSTER SALOON AND EATING HOUSE in full operation, and flattens himself that he will be able to satisfy the most fastidious taste, and cannot be excelled by any similar establishment in the city.

MEALS WILL BE SERVED UP AT ALL HOURS OF THE DAY OR NIGHT.

Choicest Meats, Fowls, Fish, &c., &c.

His Bill of Fare cannot be surpassed, and he would respectfully invite the attention of the public to it.

CHARLES STILL,

ja20mwf 108 Wood street.

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No. 40, Fifth Street, between Wood and Market.

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Domestic and Foreign Exchange, Bank Notes, Gold and Silver Bought, Sold and Exchanged, at the

EXCHANGE AND BANKING HOUSE OF WILLIAM A. HILL & CO.,

64 WOOD STREET, PITTSBURGH.

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FORWARDERS, COMMISSION MERCHANTS, Steamboat Agents,

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EMERSON'S AMERICAN HAIR RESTORATIVE, for restoring the Hair on Bald Heads, preventing the Hair from falling, is winning golden opinions of persons who are using it. This is a new article, recently introduced, and is a sure cure for Baldness, and will satisfy the public of a discerning public, as thousands who have used will testify. See circular to be had of the Agents, giving full particulars. Price $2.00 in large bottles.

C. E. FISHER & CO., Proprietors, 57 Superior street, Cleveland, Ohio.

For sale in Pittsburgh in the following houses:—

Fleming Bros.,	L. Wilcox & Co.,
R. R. Sellers,	G. H. Keyser,
Joel Mohler,	Benj. Page, Jr.,
	J. H. Bassett.

Allegheny city—L. A. Beckham, Pressly & Means, J. P. Fleming.

Birmingham.—A. Patterson, John G. Smith. [ja27

Depot of Longworth & Zimmerman's Catawba Wines and Brandy.

THE undersigned has received and offers for sale, of *Cincinnati prices*, a large quantity of Longworth & Zimmerman's choice and world-renowned Sparkling, Dry and Ladies' Sweet Catawba Wines. Such a gem of a table wine, an excellent article of Native Wine, (the pure juice of the grape,) will find my establishment the place for the gratification of their desires. The Catawba Brandy, distilled from the genuine Grape, is declared by many excellent judges, equal in flavor to the best imported Cognac.

A. PICKERSEN,

ja20 No. 137 Liberty street.

Chemical and Philosophical Apparatus.

A VERY great want has been felt in our community, because our institutions of learning, or public libraries and reading rooms, have no Chemical and Philosophical Apparatus to enable the teacher or public lecturer on scientific subjects to illustrate his lecture upon. The Young Men's Library Association, at their last annual meeting, resolved to take the necessary steps for obtaining such an apparatus, so as to fill the void so long felt. The following persons have been appointed a committee to carry out the object proposed, and it is earnestly hoped that the citizens, when called upon, will respond to the call by subscribing liberally.

DR. WM. M. WRIGHT,
DR. JAMES R. SPEER,
EDWARD RAHM,
F. R. BRUNOT,
D. P. BAKEWELL,
A. W. LOOMIS, Committee.

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THESE PLASTERS are confidently recommended as a speedy and effectual remedy in all cases of Rheumatism, Sprains, Lumbago, Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Difficulty of Breathing, Pains in the Back, Chest, Sides, &c., and Consumption: and are particularly useful to those who labor under attacks of cold, which result with pain in the breast, often the forerunner of consumption; and in a climate like ours, where coughs and colds are almost an unfailing consequence of the sudden changes to which we are all subject, such as are thus attacked will find them invaluable. All genuine have my signature embossed in the leather. J. A. McMAKEN.

Sold only in Pittsburgh by S. K. NORGRAVE, corner of Penn and Locust streets. A liberal discount made to dealers.

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OSAGE ORANGE SEED—5 bbls, fresh seed just received from Red River, for sale at the Seed and Horticultural Store, 57 Fifth street. feb11 JAMES WARDROP

HOUSES SCARCE AND RENTS HIGH.—Then buy a House, and save your rent. A good Brick House for sale at $1600; one at $1400; one at $1200; besides many others on easy terms. For particulars, examine our "Real Estate Journal," just published, and to be had gratis by calling on S. CUTHBERT & SON.

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STORE WINDOW—A large and handsome Store Window will be sold low by applying at No. 107 MARKET street. ja30

NEWS FOR RIVER MEN.

PITTSBURGH, February 3.

5 *feet* 3 inches water in the Monongahela, by pier mark. Ice running in the Allegheny.

There were several arrivals of steamers from ports below with full loads; and the wharf at the present time is full of freight, on account of their being some detention on the railroad; but the railroad is now preparing to take all away. From the facility it has, we expect to see the wharf soon cleared, to give plenty room for the great amount of freight that is coming up from below, for shipment East by the Central Railroad.

River News and other Matters about the Landing.—Business matters seem tolerably brisk about the landing, and there appeared to be no difficulty on the part of the different boats loading to get an abundance of freight. The *Herald* got in a full load, and got away for New Orleans early last evening.

In regard to the Western waters at other ports, the St. Louis *Republican*, of the 27th, states that the water there was rising slowly, caused probably by the melting of the snow and ice in that vicinity. The ice remains as firm as ever. There were a number of heavily loaded wagons crossing all day previous, loaded with hogs, marketing, &c.

We learn that the line of daily packets between St. Louis, Davenport and Galena, is now completed, by the purchase, by Capt. L. Morehouse, from the Louisville and Cincinnati Mail Company, of the excellent steamer *Lady Franklin*, and will be put in operation with the opening of navigation. The *War Eagle*, Capt. Smith Harris, and *Gray Cloud*, Capt. D. Morehouse, are two of the new packets. Capt. Orrin Smith is building two new boats for the continuance of this line from Galena to St. Paul. These boats will cost from $30,000 to $35,000 each, and are to be finished in June.

Nomitos and *Dr. Franklin.*—*Cin. Enq. Feb. 2.*

The River was rising very slowly last evening. It will probably commence falling to-day. Business about the wharf continues quite brisk.

Drowned.—A deck hand on the steamer *Telegraph No. 3*, jumped overboard a short distance above this city last night, and was drowned. We did not learn his name.

The Steamer, Molly Garth, was considerably injured on Friday last, by coming in contact with the railroad bridge over the Tennessee river, at Chatanooga.

The Belle Key sunk a coal boat at the Paducah wharf a few days ago.

We learn from the St. Louis papers of the 28th, that for the first time in a great many years the Mississippi is frozen over opposite Alton.

The Missouri is closed hard and tight at St. Charles, and teams have crossed during the past few days in safety.

So far as we can learn there has been very little snow on the Upper Mississippi. The Galena Advertiser, of the 21st, says, "barely enough has fallen at that point for a sleigh ride."

The Fort Smith Herald of the 18th says the Arkansas river is low, and is forded every day.

Scarcity of Boat Hands at Cairo.—The *Charles Belcher*, bound up the Cumberland, had a vast deal of difficulty in procuring hands. Forty and fifty dollars per month has to be paid to those who were prevailed on to ship, and but few could be obtained at these exhorbitant rates.—*Louisville Dem., January 31.*

The committee on securing steamboats from injury on the breaking up of the ice, have not made any visible movement as yet. Some relief ought, however, on consideration, and will, no doubt, do all that can be done when the proper time arrives. For a few days past the sun has shone out warm, and caused the snow and ice in the streets to depart therefrom. The river, however, is but little affected, as it freezes at night all that it thaws through the day. A slight rain and a strong wind would do much towards opening the river. Business on the levee is stagnant, and hundreds are out of employment who cannot afford to be idle. We think, and have so expressed ourselves more than once that a channel might be opened to the lower end of the gorge at a moderate expense—*St. Louis Dem., Jan. 31.*

PORT OF PITTSBURGH.

5 FEET 3 INCHES WATER IN THE CHANNEL, AND RISING.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Jefferson, Parkinson, Brownsville.
" Lucy Bennett, Brownsville.
" Thomas Shriver, Bailey, West Newton.
" Gen. Bayard, Peebles, Elizabeth.
" Peoples, Reeves, St. Louis.
" Diurnal, Shepard, Wheeling.
" Exchange, McCallum, Bridgeport.
" Messenger, Parks, Cincinnati.
" Beaver, Gordon, Beaver.
" William Kunz, Cook, Cincinnati.

DEPARTED.

" Jefferson, Parkinson, Brownsville.
" Lucerne, Sewell, Brownsville.
" Thomas Shriver, Bailey, West Newton.
" Gen. Bayard, Peebles, Elizabeth.
" New York Packet, Leonard, St. Louis.
" Pittsburgh, Campbell, Cincinnati.
" Michigan, No. 2, Wolf, Wellsville.
" Exchange, McCallum, Wheeling.

STEAMBOATS.

"1854."

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI, LOUISVILLE, AND SAINT LOUIS.

Pittsburgh and Cincinnati Steam Packet Line,

FOR THE CONVEYANCE OF PASSENGERS AND FREIGHT BETWEEN PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI, LOUISVILLE, AND St. Louis.

THIS LINE is composed of seven first class powerful Steamers, unexcelled for speed, and comfort, and is the only THROUGH FREIGHT LINE OF STEAMERS running on the Ohio river. It connects with the U. S. Mail Line of Steamers from Cincinnati to Louisville and Saint Louis, by which passengers and freight are *ticketed and re-checked through daily.* The new Steamers have been added to the Line, which now consists of the following boats:

Boats.	*Captains.*	*Days of Departure from Pittsburgh.*
BUCKEYE STATE	W. M. BEATHOUGH	Sunday.
NEW ORLEANS, No. 2	J. B. DAVIS	Monday.
ALLEGHENY	GEO. M'LAIN	Tuesday.
CRYSTAL PALACE	WM. J. KOUNTZ	Wednesday.
CONSTITUTION	J. J. GRAHAM	Thursday.
PITTSBURGH	H. CAMPBELL	Friday.
PENNSYLVANIA	JNO. KUNSTLER	Saturday.

Leave daily at 10 o'clock, A. M., from the wharf-boat foot of Market street.

No freight received after nine o'clock on the morning of departure.

For particulars, apply on board, or to

JOHN B. LIVINGSTON,
JOHN FLACK, } Agents,
Monongahela House Buildings.

Pittsburgh, 1853. [dec19]

For Cincinnati and Louisville.

The steamer SAM SNOWDEN, Capt. A. D. PILKO, will leave for the above and intermediate points this DAY, February 4, at 4 o'clock, P. M.

For freight or passage apply on board or to

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For St. Louis.

The steamer CALEDONIA, R. CALHOUN, Master, will leave for the above and intermediate points this DAY, February 4, at 4 o'clock, P. M.

For freight or passage apply on board or to

feb4 FLACK & WILKINS, Agents.

BUILDING LOT FOR SALE.

A LOT 24 feet front on SYLVIA Street, and extending back 100 feet to a 20 feet alley. On the back part of the Lot is a Cellar Wall, built for two small Houses. This Lot is in a healthy part of the city, within a few minutes walk of the Ferry, and on favorable terms. Title good, and clear from incumbrance. Enquire of GEO. F. GILLMORE,

mw16 At office of Morning Post.

To Let,

A BASEMENT ROOM, corner Fourth street and Cherry alley, Pittsburgh. The Room is 18 feet wide by 24 deep; one half above ground; dry and well finished. It has a coal vault in front. Will be rented from 1st April next. Enquire at office of "Morning Post."

AN ADJOURNED MEETING of the SHIELDS GUARDS will be held THIS (Wednesday) EVENING, Feb. 1st, at CARGO'S HALL, Fourth street, near Wood, for the purpose of transacting business of importance. The members and those disposed to join will please attend.

By order of

feb1:it CHARLES STILL, Capt.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.—Proposals will be received by the undersigned for repairing the Good Intent House, corner of Liberty and Grant streets, lately damaged by fire.

GEO. E. ARNOLD,

feb1:2t Agt. Ætna Ins. Co. of Hartford, 74 Fourth st.

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!—Can be had by calling at W. E. SCHMERTZ', No. 107 MARKET street, as he is closing out his winter stock of Boots, Shoes and Rubbers, preparatory to opening. Call and see. ja30

☞ **153 Weeks.** ☜

ONE DOLLAR AND A QUARTER A WEEK will procure a large LOT OF GROUND, in Eleven Building Lots, within twenty minutes' walk of the city, in a pleasant and healthy location, which is to be sold at $200 each—$10 to hand, balance at $1.25 per month. Each Lot is 50 feet front by 184 deep, fronting on two streets. Several families have already availed themselves of this favorable opportunity of procuring a home, and we are induced to offer eleven more, which will probably be the last, at the above terms.

J. H. CUTHBERT & SON, 140 Third st.

ja27

JUST RECEIVED—20 bbls J. S. Lovering's Co.' Crushed and Pulverized Sugars for sale by

DALSEY & RENSHAW.

dec28 Wholesale and Retail Grocers, 253 Liberty st.

LEAD—800 pigs soft Galena Lead, received by Keystone, and for sale on favorable terms by

LEECH, McALPIN & CO.,

ja18 142 and 244 Liberty st.

CHESTNUTS—Twenty-five bushels, of the best quality received and for sale by

LEECH, McALPIN & CO.,

dec20 242 and 244 Liberty st.

HUSBAND'S CALCINED MAGNESIA.—The superior qualities of this Magnesia are that it is entirely deprived of carbonic acid, free from unpleasant taste, as well as other disagreeable properties, and without roughness and grittiness to the touch or palate. One teaspoonful of it is equal in strength to four of the Calcined Magnesia—thus combining smallness of dose with the most agreeable form in which Magnesia can be administered. A fresh supply received by JOS. FLEMING,

ja26 Successor to L. Wilcox & Co.

TRUNKS of all kinds, and very prices; please call and examine. L. E. HAYWARD,

ja7 Corner of Market and Liberty sts.

STATIONERY, of all kinds and qualities, for sale low by

J. S. DAVISON,

dec7 65 Market street, near Fourth.

SUGAR CURED HAMS—Three tierces just received by Swift's Sugar Hams, of superior quality for family use, for sale by F. SELLERS & CO.,

ja26:1w Mon. Wav. 500 Liberty street.

THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICE paid for LAND WARRANTS by AUSTIN LOOMIS,

ja25 92 Fourth street.

STOCKS FOR SALE BY AUSTIN LOOMIS—

Bluff Copper Stock;	
Astec "	"
Adventure "	"
Norwich "	"
Iron City "	" ja25

FOR RENT—TWO STORES, on Hand street, between Liberty and Penn. Enquire of

A. W. LOOMIS, 124 Fourth st.,

ja23 Or of AUSTIN LOOMIS, No. 92 Fourth st.

FOR SALE—LOT adjoining the Penna. R. R. Depot, fronting on Plum alley 21 feet, and extending back 63 feet. Will be sold low. Enquire of AUSTIN LOOMIS,

ja25 92 Fourth street.

STOCKS, NOTES, DRAFTS, BONDS, MORTGAGES, &c., bought and sold by AUSTIN LOOMIS,

ja25 Office No. 92 Fourth street.

LADIES' GUM OVER-SHOES, of the best quality, all warranted, at 65 cents per pair—and all other goods in proportion. L. E. HAYWARD,

ja27 Corner Market and Liberty streets.

LOOK AT THIS—40 ft. front by 140 deep, with a Two Story FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, situate near the Arsenal wall, on the Eastern road. Price $900—one-fourth in hand; balance at 1, 2 and 3 years.

J. A. McMAKEN.

S. CUTHBERT & SON, 140 Third st

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BONDS—

$2,000 Monongahela Navigation coupon 6's, '63;	
$5,000 City of Pittsburgh N. Y. coupon 6's, '83;	
$5,000 County of Allegheny N. Y. coupon 6's, '85.	

For sale by WILLIAM A. HILL & CO.,

Jan16:3w Bankers, 64 Wood street.

RECEIVED—some more of those beautiful premium Combination RUBBERS. Prices low. ☞107 Market street. W. E. SCHMERTZ.

(dec9)

FOR RENT—The Three Story Brick Dwelling House on Third street, at present occupied by Hon. Chas. Naylor. Apply to JAS. BLAKELY,

ja25 Corner of Seventh and Smithfield sts.

COMMERCIAL POST.

DAILY REVIEW OF PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY MORNING POST,
Saturday, February 4, 1854.

We could see no new features in business yesterday. Shipping very active, both by River and Railroad. The wharf is literally covered with freight, waiting its turn to go East by Railroad. We were informed that forty sixty-to eighty cars are ladened and sent forward daily from the lower depot.

FLOUR.—The market yesterday opened out heavy, and remained so throughout the day, both buyers and sellers holding off for the morrow's news. The sales to-day where were trifling; not over 150 bbls changed hands at $7, being the highest offer that could be obtained, but holders were not willing to sell at this figure, to any extent.

APPLES.—There is a brisk demand for green Apples, and prices are high; we note sales of 80 bbls at $2.25, on the wharf.

BACON.—The demand is increasing for new Bacon, with sales reported of 2,500 lbs Shoulders at 6c; 2000 do old Sides at 6½c; new Hams are selling at 9@9½c.

ASHES.—Sales of 10 casks imported Soda Ash at $3.45, cash; 10 do do $3½.

POTATOES.—Sales of 100 bus Pink-eyes at 50c.

SEEDS.—We notice a continued good demand for Clover, with sales, to arrive, of 200 bus at $5.31; 40 do at the depot, at $5.37; 25 do Flaxseed at $1.25, first hands, and re-sold at $1.30.

BLOOMS.—We have reported sales of 15 tons No. 1 at $85; 20 do No. 2 at $82.50, 6 months.

PULL MILK.—We note a further sale of 70,000 lbs at 5, 6¾ and 7c.

SUGAR.—Sales of 83 hhds in lots, at 5½@6¾c; 7 do at 6¾c.

LARD.—Sales of 7 bbls at 8½c.

WHISKY.—Sales of 63 bbls at 23@22c.

BARLEY—Sales of 200 bus at 62c.

CORN.—Sales of 300 bus ears, and 300 do shelled, at 55c; on the depot.

SALTPETRE.—Sales of 20 bags at 7¾c.

HAY.—Sales of 22 loads at $16@18.

COMMERCIAL SUMMARY.

LOUISVILLE, January 31.

IRON, METAL NAILS, AND TIN PLATE.—Stone coal Bar Iron we quote at 3¾c ℔ lb; other sizes 4¼@6c; charcoal Iron from best blooms 1c. advance on these quotations. Sales of 25 tons Tennessee hot blast No. 2 pig Iron at $16, and 10 tons cold blast at the same; also, 5 tons Tennessee hot blast pig Iron at $47.50—four months. Sheet Iron 6¾@7c. C. Tin Plate we quote at $12, I. X. at $13.75; Roofing Tin (I. C.) $12, I. X. do. $13.75; Banca Tin, 27c. Sales of 700 Nails at $4.50@4.62½ according to quality, and other sizes in proportion.

TOBACCO.—In the early part of the week there was a material advance in Tobacco. On Tuesday 28 hhds were sold at $5.50, 6.50, 6.80, 5.10, 6.20, 7.00, 5.65, 5.55, 5.40, 4.90, 6.15, 7.00, 5.40, 6.85, 5.40, 6.85, 5.40, 6.85, 7.25, 7.25, 4.40, 6.20, 7.15, 6.00, 6.60. Wednesday, 27 hhds at $7.10, 3.70, 5.40, 8.00, 5.60, 5.90, 6.15, 4.85, 5.60, 5.40, 7.45, 5.05, 6.05, 4.90, 4.50, 4.70,