THE CITY POST.

SATURDAY MORNING:::::::::::::AUGUST 4.

BOARD OF TRADE MEETING.—There was a meeting of the Board of Trade, at 4 P. M., yesterday, in the Merchants' Exchange, but nothing of particular interest transpired. Mr. W. H. Smith, President *pro tem.*, in the chair.

After reading and adopting the minutes, the next thing in order was the letter of the late President, resigning his office, and declining to be a candidate at the next election for Directors. This was accepted.

Mr. Frank Sellers offered a resolution complimentary of Mr John Shipton, the late President, who is now on a visit to Europe, which was passed unanimously.

The question of Consolidation coming up in order, a motion was made and adopted postponing its further discussion until the next meeting.

The next election for Directors takes place on the first Wednesday of September. The Chair announced as tellers on that occasion: Josiah Dickey, H. H. Collins and Wm. S. Lavely.

The Telegraph Committee, appointed to enter into arrangements for procuring telegraphic reports of the markets from different points, did not make any report. As a full telegraphic report of the markets is looked upon as a chief feature of the Exchange, it is somewhat strange the Committee have not displayed a little more enterprise.

This was about all the matters transacted, when the meeting adjourned.

ACCIDENT AT ALLIANCE.—From a gentleman who came up on the train last evening, we learn that when the Pittsburgh train coming West that afternoon on the Ohio and Pennsylvania Road, arrived at Alliance, the through baggage car for Cleveland was switched off upon a side track as usual. A man in the employ of the Pittsburgh company named Patrick ——, who was standing on the side track, was struck down and run over by the car and killed instantly He was a very honest and industrious man and leaves a wife and two children to suffer the bereavement.

Another.—A man at work on the repairs of the bridge of the Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad, twenty five miles east of Alliance, was killed by the falling of a piece of timber yesterday morning. We were unable to learn his name. —*Cleveland Plaindealer, 2d.*

FIRE ALARM.—The alarm of fire this morning, about five o'clock, came very nigh proving a very destructive affair. The fire originated in the third story of a brick house in the Diamond, owned by Mrs. Hugh D. King, and occupied by Mr. Horn as a tin shop and dwelling house. A box of charcoal, for the use of the workmen, was kept in the third story, and it is supposed that a spark from one of the furnaces had fallen into it last evening, which ignited the coal and set fire to the box containing it. The damage done to the machinery is considerable, which is covered by insurance. In the second story the only damage done to the furniture was from the water. Little or no harm was done to the tin store on the first floor. Through the prompt action of the firemen, the building was saved from the devouring element.—*Yesterday's Times*

SIX CHILDREN POISONED—THREE OF THEM DEAD.—We learn from Mr. S. B. Shilito, at Condor, Washington county, Pa., that the six children of Alex. Plots, residing near Burgettstown, were so badly poisoned on Thursday, the 26th ult., that three of them died. They had gone out into the fields and gathered what they supposed were mushrooms, which were dressed and cooked by their little sister, when all six partook of them freely. They soon after became deathly sick, when a Doctor was sent for, but he could only save three of the sufferers. It appears that instead of mushrooms they had gathered a poisonous fungi which grows around old logs and stumps, and which are known as toadstools. This is the statement we have received.

THE PLACE TO GET YOUR MONEY BACK.—There are several places in Pittsburgh where you get your money back. For instance, at the office of the *Morning Post*, where, if one invests a V for a year's subscription, he is never heard to repent the outlay; or, if he puts the same amount into a hat at Morgan & Co.'s, Wood street, near the new Presbyterian Church. However, Morgan & Co., unlike ourselves, will suit the size of any man's purse, if he don't want to buy a fire dollar hat. They have them for $2.50, and very good ones they are. Go and see for yourselves

CHARGED WITH RIOT.—George Blumenshine made information before Mayor Volz on Friday evening, against James Mullen and others, for acting in a riotous and disorderly manner, in the displaying of knives, throwing stones, assaulting and deponent, and placing his family and the neighborhood in great fear. Mullen was arrested by officer Frost and committed in default of $1000 bail. Subsequently Mullen was taken out and brought before his Honor, who admitted him to bail in $600.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.—A German, name unknown, deliberately committed suicide yesterday, by walking into the Allegheny river, immediately below the Aqueduct. He was found above half an hour afterwards, and taken from the water. He had on a gray sack coat and black cloth cap. The body can be seen any time before 2 o'clock this day, at Garber's, on Fifth st. The Coroner held an inquest, but no further facts were elicited.

AMERICAN MASS MEETING.—The American party held a mass meeting to-night in front of the American Hotel. This is the first open meeting, and consequently a good deal of curiosity will be felt to know who are Know Nothings and who are not; although for the very reason named it will be hardly fair to claim all as belonging to the party who are present to-night. The meeting will commence at early lantern light.

RECOVERING.—The friends of Charley Childs, Baggage Master on the Pittsburgh Railroad, who was nearly killed by the accident about ten days ago at Enon Valley, will be glad to learn that he is improving rapidly and will probably recover. He was so badly injured in the head and bones of his arms so fractured that it was at one time supposed that he could not survive.

THE RECEIPTS for the month of July at the office of the Pennsylvania Central Railroad, in this city, amounted to within a fraction of $22,000 for passengers alone. During the corresponding month of last year the receipts amounted to $19,482 28—showing an increase of $2,667 77.

THE place to get an elegant outfit is at Arnold & Son's, on Market street, near Fourth. We have seen several handsome young men recently dressed out from this establishment, and are of the opinion they felt all the better for their clothes.

JOE PENTLAND'S CIRCUS will exhibit to-day, afternoon and evening, in Allegheny City. On Monday night the exhibitions will commence on the American Hotel lot, and continue for one week. This company is a good one, and Joe is "some punkins" as a clown.

WE would invite attention to the sale of valuable building lots, in South Pittsburgh, at 3 o'clock this afternoon, on the premises, by P. M. Davis, auctioneer.

SWEET SCENTED SHRUB.—Keyser has just received a lot of this exquisite perfumery, which is bound to receive attention at the hands of the ladies.

AT A MEETING OF THE NEPTUNE FIRE COMPANY held in their Hall, July 26th, 1855, the following preamble and resolutions were passed:

Whereas—In the course of common events the members of this Company are called upon to take note of the death of one of our oldest and most active members, JOHNSTON ELLIOTT, who departed from the stage of earthly existence on the 12th day of July; and, Whereas, it is fitting that we should give some expression of the feelings which occupy our minds in the contemplation of this mournful event, therefore be it

Resolved—That in the demise of our fellow member, JOHNSTON ELLIOTT, we lament the loss of an excellent and worthy Fireman and citizen, whose gallant conduct as a soldier in the war with Mexico, endeared him to the hearts of all who knew him.

Resolved—That our sincerest sympathies are with his relations, and that we truly feel they have to bewail the loss of an affectionate friend.

Resolved—That a copy of the above resolutions be presented to the friends of the deceased.

B. P. KANE, Pres't.

GEO. FUNSTON, Sec'y *pro. tem.*

Irving's Great Work.

THE LIFE OF GEORGE WASHINGTON.—The first volume of the above work is now ready for delivery—the second volume will be ready shortly. It is neatly gotten up—printed on fine paper, with three or more portraits and plans.

This edition is published exclusively by subscription, and payable on the delivery of each volume

T. J. KISNER & CO. are sole Agents for the above work. Office, No. 28 Fifth street, opposite Mason's, in Dr. O. E. Shaw's Optician Store.

☞ All orders addressed to T. J. K. & Co. will be strictly attended to. aug2 dawlm

Dissolution.

THE firm of J. GALLAGHER & CO., of Birmingham, was dissolved by mutual consent on the fourth day of July, 1855.

The business of the firm will be carried on by JOHN A. WOLF, who has purchased the interest of J. Gallagher. Either party will settle the affairs of the late Company. aug2:3t*

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

Reported Expressly for the Daily Morning Post.

Explosion of a Powder Mill.

WILMINGTON, August 3.—The drying house at Mr. Garesche's powder works, Eden Park, in the vicinity of this city, was blown up shortly before 8 o'clock this morning. It contained about one and a half tons of powder. The explosion was tremendous, and broke a large quantity of glass in dwellings in the lower part of the city. It had been in operation for forty years without accident, and was considered to be the safest house embraced in the works. All the workmen connected with its operations were killed at once. They were blown to atoms, and the fragments of their bodies were found at various distances from 50 to 200 yards. There were three Frenchmen engaged in the drying house, named Eugene Perene, Joseph Duplano and Francis Fisher, a dead boy named John Pugh. The house was literally blown away; not a vestige remaining

The explosion of the drying house caused a mill to explode, which contained about 1,400 lbs.—less than it usually contains. The engineer says there were three separate explosions in this mill. To those at a distance it seemed like a single prolonged explosion

The trees around the drying house were blown up by the roots, and the fields were literally covered with fragments of wood, cinders, and the remains of the victims. One or two horses were killed. Another man is said to have been killed, but this seems doubtful.

Mr. Garesche says the explosion must have been caused by one of the Frenchmen who worked in the packing room being addicted to smoking. Mr. G. had cautioned him two weeks previous, and told him to quit the premises or give up his pipe. Mr. G. supposed he had abandoned the practice.

The steamboat Miantonomi was run into last night below the Navy Yard, by the tow-boat Spy, when returning from an excursion with 150 passengers. She was run ashore and the passengers were saved. The boat has since been taken on the sectional dock for repairs.

Murder of Three Persons.

MILWAUKIE, August 3.—On Wednesday night, at the Bend in Washington county, a man named George Bebar called at the house of a German named John Mucher, and murdered him, together with his wife and a hired boy, under circumstances of the most revolting cruelty. Then, after robbing the house, he fired it and fled, but was arrested and barely escaped lynching at the hands of the citizens.

Tennessee Election.

LOUISVILLE, August 3.—The nett gain of Gentry in 25 counties is 1,500; only two counties of East and three of West Tennessee heard from, all of which give Gentry a gain.

Attempted Suicide.

BUFFALO, August 2.—Yesterday an unknown woman jumped into the Rapids, near Tonawanda Rock, but was rescued uninjured. A domestic difficulty was the cause.

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BLACKBERRY BRANDY—10 doz Blackberry Brandy, of home manufacture; warranted pure. For sale by JNO. LITTLE, Jr., Agent, No. 201 Liberty street.

THE GREAT LITERARY DEPOT of Pittsburgh is at H. MINER'S NO. 8, No. 22 Diamond Alley, where all the New Books are for sale.

Clove Hall; by Mrs. Sewell, author of "Amy Herbert," "The Experience of Life," &c. Two vols., paper, $1; one vol., cloth, $1.25.

A Visit to the Camp before Sebastopol; 1 vol., cloth, $1.

Tried and Triumph; or, Firmness in the Household. A new book by T. S. Arthur. Price 25 cents. One that parents ought to place in the hands of their children.

The Heiress of Haughton; or, The Mother's Secret. By the author of "Ravensclifte," "Castle Avon," &c. Paper, 37 cents.

Walkna; or, Adventures on the Mosquito Shore. 50 engravings; 1 vol., cloth, $1.25.

Female Life Among the Mormons; by the wife of a Mormon Elder—giving a full description of their manners and customs. 1 vol., cloth, $1.

Charles Dickens' Works, complete; 12 vols., at 50 cents per volume

MAGAZINES, BOOKS, &c—

Ladies' Gazette of Fashion, for August		
Harper's Magazine,	do	
Putnam's	do	
Graham's	do	
Godey's Lady's Book,	do	
Peterson's Ladies' Magazine,	do	

BOOKS—A Visit to the Camp before Sebastopol;
The Star Paper, by Henry Ward Beecher.
Just received and for sale by
W. A. GILDENFENNEY & CO.,
Fifth st., opposite the Theatre.
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Removal.

T. J. KISNER & CO. have removed their office to No 28 Fifth street, opposite Mason's, in Dr. O. E. Shaw's Optician Store.

THE CHURCH PORCH—The last new Song by F. Nicolas Crouch.

Over the Summer Sea—Barcelle. Sung by Signor Marlo, in Opera Rigoletta.

America—a Cavatina, by Thos. Baker.

And other new Music, just received by
CHARLOTTE BLUME, 113 Wood st.

SUNDRIES—100 boxes Rosin Soap;
50 do do Sperm and Dip Candles;
20 do Star Candles;
25 doz Brackets
50 do Tubs;
20 do Bed Cords;
50 do Cove Brooms;
20 boxes Starch;
100 reams Wrapping Paper;
[aug3. JOHN MOORHEAD.

For sale by

PIG METAL—100 tons Rock Hill, (Juniata;)
60 do Monroe, do
200 do Nos 1 and 2 Anthracite;
100 do Blacklick, (Charcoal;)
[aug3] JOHN MOORHEAD.

For sale by

BLOOMS—50 iron Juniata.
50 do Lake Champlain, (to arrive;)
For sale by [aug3] JOHN MOORHEAD.

COFFEE—100 bags Rio and Java Coffee for sale by
aug3 JOHN MOORHEAD.

YEAR—75 half chests Green and Black Teas for sale by
aug3 JOHN MOORHEAD.

TOBACCO—75 boxes favorite brands Tobacco for sale by
JOHN MOORHEAD.

SUGAR—30 hhds fair to prime for sale by
aug3 JOHN MOORHEAD.

ALE—200 kegs for sale by
aug3 JOHN MOORHEAD.

EGGS, by the barrel, in store and for sale by
aug3 SMITH, MAIR & HUNTER.

MOLASSES—40 bbls Steam Refined for sale by
aug3 SMITH, MAIR & HUNTER.

SUGAR—20 hhds Sugar for sale by
aug3 SMITH, MAIR & HUNTER.

MOLASSES—50 bbls S. H Molasses for sale by
aug3 SMITH, MAIR & HUNTER.

COFFEE—100 bags Rio Coffee for sale by
aug3 SMITH, MAIR & HUNTER.

COAL—200 boxes Soap for sale by
aug3 SMITH, MAIR & HUNTER.

CRUSHED SUGAR—25 bbls Crushed Sugar for sale by
aug3 SMITH, MAIR & HUNTER.

FLAX—3 sacks Flax for sale by
aug3 SM TH, MAIR & HUNTER.

CHROME YELLOW—5 cases on hand and for sale by
aug3 FLEMING BROS.

SCOTCH SNUFF—Garrett's best; 3 casks just rec'd and
For sale by [aug3] FLEMING BROS.

MASON'S BLACKING—400 doz on hand and for sale by
aug3 FLEMING BROS.

NITRIC ACID—50 lbs just received and for sale by
aug3 FLEMING BROS.

BLUE MASS—30 lbs just received and for sale by
aug3 FLEMING BROS.

SULPHURIC ACID TUM.—(Wordhansen Oil Vitriol,) just received and for sale by
aug3 FLEMING BROS.

FOR PRESERVING—Lovering's Pulverized Sugar; coarse, pulverized, crushed and clarified, at
F. R. DRAVO'S, No. 1, Diamond.

CHEESE—200 boxes prime W. R. Cream Cheese just received by [aug3] F. R. DRAVO.

TEAS—50 chests assorted Young Hyson and Black Teas of the finest brands, now selling at moderate prices, at the [aug3] CHINA TEA STORE, No 1, Diamond.

RASPBERRY BRANDY—6 doz pure Raspberry Brandy, a very superior home made article. For sale by
JNO. LITTLE, Jr., Agent,
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THIS LINE is composed of seven first-class powerful Steamers, unequalled for speed, splendor, safety, and comfort, and is the ONLY THROUGH DAILY LINE OF STEAMPACKETS 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 reexpedited through daily.* Two new Steamers have been added to the Line, which now consists of the following boats:

Boats.	Captains.	Days of Departure from Pittsburgh.
BUCKEYE STATE	M. W. BRIDGHOUSE	Sunday.
KEYSTONE STATE	JOHN HARLEY	Monday.
ALLEGHENY	GEO. MCLAIN	Tuesday.
CINCINNATI	R. HUNTER	Wednesday.
PHILADELPHIA	R. J. GRAY	Thursday.
PITTSBURGH	I. N. COOK	Friday.
PENNSYLVANIA	JNO. KLUTTERTY	Saturday.

Leave daily at 10 o'clock, A. M., precisely.

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

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

Pittsburgh, 1855. [nov28]

Orphans' Court Sale.

IN pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Allegheny county, made the 24 day of June, A. D. 1855, will be exposed to Public Sale, on the premises, on SATURDAY, the 30th day of June, 1855, at 10 o'clock, A. M., all the following described Real Estate, situate in Ross township, and being part of the real estate of the late Nicholas Good, deceased, to wit:

All that certain tract, piece or parcel of Land situate in Ross township aforesaid, bounded by the Perrysville Plank Road (on the east side of said road), by lands of F. Fauscatch, by lands taken at valuation by John Keown and wife, and others, containing Fifty-three Acres and Eighty-five Perches.

Said piece or parcel of Land will be sold according to the plan of subdivision thereof filed in, and approved by, the Orphans' Court.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-half of the purchase money to remain in the hands of the purchaser during the natural life of Mrs M ry Good, widow of the decedent—the interest thereof to be paid to her annually; and the balance of said purchase money to be paid, one-third in ha d, and the remainder in two equal annual payments from sale, with interest from day of sale. HENRY GOOD,
JAMES A GIBSON,
Administrators of Nicholas Good, dec'd.
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HOUSEKEEPING GOODS.—A. A. MASON & CO. are offering their large assortment of Sheetings, Diapers, Damasks, Table Cloths, Napkins, Towelings, and other Housekeeping Goods, at a reduction of 25 and 30 per cent. jy20

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the next Legislature for a Charter incorporating a Bank, to be called the COMMERCIAL BANK, to be located in the City of Pittsburgh, with a capital of 500,000 dollars. je6:dw

COMMERCIAL POST.

PITTSBURGH BOARD OF TRADE AND MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE.

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President—JOHN SHIPTON.
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Superintendent—S. T. NORTHAM, Jr.
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DAILY REVIEW OF PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY MORNING POST, }
Saturday, August 3, 1855. }

FLOUR—Sales 40 bbls fine, from store, at $6; 500 do extra, in lots, at $9.25; 63 do superfine at $8.50; and 10 do fine, from Pearl Mill, at $7.50.

SUGAR—Sales 5 hhds prime at 8c, cash.

WHISKY—Sales 22 bbls rectified at 26@30c.

BACON—Sales 3,000 and 2,000 lbs shoulders at 9c, cash; 1,000 do canvassed hams at 11½c, cash; 2 tierces sugar cured do at 13½c, cash.

PORK—Sales 10 bbls at $18.50, cash.

TOBACCO—Mr. Bridges, proprietor of the "Todd" Tobacco Warehouse, sold yesterday, at private sale, 20 hogsheads chk manufacturing leaf tobacco, suitable for fine cutting, at $10.00, and 16 hogsheads lugs for smoking cut at $6.75 ⅌ hundred. The purchasers were Mr. Henry Wirgman and Mr. E Holbrook. Mr. Wirgman, jointly, with Mr. Holbrook, has established a new house in this city for the purpose of transacting a large tobacco business. The experience and reputation of Mr. Holbrook, together with this new association, will afford increased facilities for developing and extending a valuable Northern trade.—*Louisville Dem. 2d.*

TELEGRAPH MARKETS.

NEW YORK, August 3.—Stocks lower; Cumberland 28¾; Erie 91¾; Penna Coal Co 105; Cleveland and Toledo 91¾; Cleveland and Pittsburgh 66; Galena and Chicago 105¾. Cotton firm, with upward tendency; sales 3 000 bales. Flour advanced 25c; sales 9,500 bbls at $8 75@9; closing firm; Southern steady; sales 2,000 bbls at $10. Wheat firm; sales 55,000 bus. Corn a trifle lower; sales 65,000 bus. Beef firm; sales 250 bbls. Lard lower; sales 1,200 bbls at 11c. Whisky steady; sales 450 bbls. Groceries firm; sales 2 600 bags Rio Coffee at 11¾c; sales 1,500 hhds Sugar at 7c for Orleans; sales 500 bbls Orleans Molasses at 30 cents. Linseed Oil firm; sales 6,000 gallons at 93½c. Iron firm; sales 300 tons at $31,00@32,00. Tobacco firm; sales 50 hhds at 9½@11c.

AUCTION SALES.

Auction—Sales Daily.

AT the Commercial Sales 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 7 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. DAVIS, Auctioneer. [jy31:tf

P. M. DAVIS, Auctioneer.

COUNTING HOUSE SAFE AT AUCTION—On Saturday morning, August 4th, at 11 o'clock, at the Commercial Sales Room, corner of Wood and Fifth streets, will be sold —One large Iron Safe, in good order.
aug2 P. M. DAVIS, Auctioneer.

BUILDING LOTS IN SOUTH PITTSBURGH AT AUCTION.—On Saturday afternoon, Aug. 4th, at 3 o'clock, on the premises, will be sold, by order of L. C Hepburn, Esq., Trustee, the following valuable Building Lots in the Borough of South Pittsburgh, viz:

Nos. 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41 and 90 on Carson street.

Nos. 8, 23, 26, 39, 42 and 47 on the Brownsville Turnpike, near Carson street.

Nos. 56 and 58 on Manor street.

Title indisputable. Terms—One-fourth cash, balance in two years, with interest semi-annually.
jy31 P. M. DAVIS, Auctioneer.

FINE FURNITURE AT AUCTION—This, Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the Commercial Sales Rooms, corner of Wood and Fifth streets, will be sold—A superior lot of Furniture, consisting in part of

1 superior Mahogany Tete-a-tete;		
2 do do do	Hair-cut Sofas;	
2 do do do	do	Divans;
12 do do do	do	Chairs;
2 do do do	Arm	Rocking Chair.

4 Walnut Bed Sacks;
1 Marble-top Wash Stand;
1 do Pier Table.
Superior Walnut Secretary and Book Case;
2 pairs superior Silk and Worsted Damask Window Curtains, with Gilt Cornice and Trimmings complete.
Mahogany Side Board, common Bureaus, Chairs, Ingrain Carpet, Bedsteads, &c. &c.
aug2 P. M. DAVIS, Auctioneer.

BOOKS AT AUCTION.—On Saturday evening, Aug ust 4, at 7 o'clock, will be sold, at the Commercial Sales Room, corner of Wood and Fifth streets, a number of valuable works from a Private Library; in addition to a very large stock of popular publications, being the balance of a Periodical Store closing out.

Also, 2 fine Engravings, framed; and 1 Oil Paintings, with magnificent gilt frame.

Gold Pens, Stationery, &c.
aug2 P. M. DAVIS, Auctioneer.

NOTICE.

THE FOLLOWING GOODS HAVE BEEN STORED with us by the Pennsylvania Rail Road Company:

Pat. Ford	Pittsburgh, Penn	1 stove and 1 box.
W. T. McClurg & Co.	"	1 plough casting
W. R. Cresson	"	1 stove
Jas W. Elliott	E Birmingham	1 chest.
Jno. A. Miller	Pittsburgh,	" 1 box.
Dr. J. E. Barbat	Allegheny	" 1 box.
M. Lemoyne	Pittsburgh,	" 10 boxes
J. Dick	"	" 1 chest.
Wm. D. McGee	"	" 1 chest.
A. Thomas	"	" 1 chest.
T. E. Swan	"	" 1 barrel.
S. Sutherland	"	" 1 barrel.
C. Sill	"	" 2 barrels.
T. Neff	"	" 1 table, 1 bench, and 1 bedstead.
Kennedy & Negley	"	3 boxes plants.
R. S. Cochran	"	1 corn planter.
J. M. Barrett & Co.	"	1 plough.
H. K. Colvin	"	1 corn planter.
H. A. Negley	"	1 clover huller.
No mark	"	1 clover huller.
Isaac P. Kerr	"	12 bundles rake handles
J. Reppert	"	2 bundles pick handles
Ludwig Sauer	Armstrong Co.,	1 new grist machines a 1 box.
Lippencott & Barr	Pittsburgh,	5 bundles rags.
Wm. Dungan	"	1 chest.
No mark	"	1 bbl. varnish.
Richard Morris	"	1 bbl. and 1 keg.
B. Wilkins	"	1 pkg. screws.
Gentle & Ingle	"	1 block mortle.
James Moore	"	5 bags clay.
M. Martin	"	1 piece casting.
C. Lightcap	"	1 hand saws.
S. Swain	"	1 box.
No mark	"	1 chain pump.
Granger, Jasper & Co.	"	1 box.
No mark	"	1 barrel.
A. Reed	"	1 chest.
Jas McMillan	"	2 pcs. bedsteads.
J. E. Ayer	"	1 basket sundries
Chas. Conwell	"	1 bale.
Henry Bemer	"	1 chest.
M. Elder, Jr	"	2 bale. dye stffs.
Chas. Cox	"	1 box.
B. Swan	"	1 chest.
No mark	"	1 harness, collar a rope.
Jno. Burns	"	1 trunk.
Thos. Moore	"	4 trunks.
No mark	"	1 bag beans.
A. Bigelow	"	1 bale hops.
B. H. Irwin	"	1 locking glass box.
Henry Wood	"	1 cane machinery
A. S. Roberts	"	1 box books.
D. M. Ma tin	Allegheny,	1 pkg. books.
D. Thomas	Pittsburgh,	2 boxes.
J. Lichtenberger	"	1 chest.
Geo. Aurenta	"	1 bbl. liquor.
J. J. I. Elliott	"	6 boxes cudery.

All persons interested are hereby notified that such of such articles as are not removed before the second day of August, 1855, WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC SALE, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on that day, at our Warehouse, No. 61 Water street, to pay the charges thereon. JONES & DENNY.
Pittsburgh, July 6th, 1855.—[jy6:1m]

C. H. WILKINS, JOSEPH LUDWIG. [TWIT. LEE & CO.

WILKINS & CO.

(SUCCESSORS TO A. WILKINS & CO.)

HAVE REMOVED THEIR OFFICE to No. 75 FOURTH street, two doors east of their old stand, where they will continue the BANKING, EXCHANGE, and COMMISSION STOCK BROKER BUSINESS in all its branches, as heretofore.

WANTED—Twenty-five Shares Mechanics' Bank Stock.
jy12 WILKINS & CO.

C. H. WILKINS, JOS. LUDWIG.

Wilkins & Co.,

(Successors to A. Wilkins & Co.)

BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS,

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IN THE numerous suspensions of Banks and Bankers throughout the country during the last six months, we are satisfied that in almost every instance their troubles have grown out of a departure from their legitimate business; and we, therefore, take occasion to assure the public in advance, that no speculations in "fancy stocks," or enter "outside operations," shall tempt us from the strict and legitimate line of our business—believing that in avoiding all such investments we shall not only be better able to serve our customers and ensure their safety, but that in adopting such a course we shall promote our own ultimate benefit. [feb5] W. & CO.

A WEATHER TABLE FOR 1855 accompanies every cake of HERPETIC SOAP. Price 12½ cents. This Soap is used for rendering the skin smooth, soft and white, removing sallowness, tan, and redness of the skin. All chaps, chafes, &c. on the hands, are healed by it. Sold at the REAL ESTATE OFFICE, 140 Third st. jy26

FISH—20 bbls New No. 1 Herring rec'd and for sale by
my11 ATWELL, LEE & CO.

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WANTED—

40,
80,
160 ACRE WARRANTS, by
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Proposals.

SEALED PROPOSALS for furnishing—
3,600 feet of 4 inch Water Pipe;
950 feet of 8 inch do;
Will be received at the office of the Water Works, until Tuesday evening, the 7th inst.
JAMES NELSON, Superintendent.
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MAGAZINES, &c.—Putnam for August;
Harper for August;
Knickerbocker for August;
Ranking's Half-yearly Abstract.
Just received and for sale at
W. A. GILDENFENNEY & CO'S Bookstore,
Fifth st., opposite the Theatre.

FISH—50 bbls Lake Superior Salmon;
60 half bbls do do
70 do White Fish;
61 do Trout;
40 do Pickerel;
30 bbls No. 3 large Mackerel, new;
50 half do do do
15 bbls Baltimore Herring, do do
For sale by [jy19] HENRY H. COLLINS.

WANTED—Ohio and Penna. Railroad Scrip;
Monongahela Navigation do by
jy30 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO

CORN MEAL—50 bushels Corn Meal, ground this day, by [aug2] F. R. DRAVO.

NEWS FOR RIVER MEN.

THE RIVER.—The stage of water at dusk last evening was 7 feet 3 inches, by the pier marks, and falling. Weather decidedly hot, without any rain during the day. Business on the Levee quite brisk for this season of the year.

THE steamer "Eclipse" is the regular Wheeling packet to-day. She leaves at 10 o'clock, A. M.

THE Arkansas river is reported lower than ever,—the last steamer in that trade is doing a ferrying business.

JUDGE PIRTLE, we learn, has set aside a decision made some time since, against the steamer "Guinare," for $1,000 damages for a runaway boy.

THE fine light draught steamer "Lucy May" was taking in freight yesterday, with the intention of leaving for Cincinnati to-day. Give her a call.

CAPT. AYER's new hull arrived at the wharf on Thursday. She is intended to run as a regular packet between this city and Zanesville. She only draws 8 inches water.

THE new, light draught steamer "Sam Young," Capt. R. C. Gray, was unavoidably detained yesterday, by press of business; she will positively leave to-day for Cincinnati.

THE steamer "Rochester," Capt. G. W. Neare, will positively leave to-day for Cincinnati. To those who may wish to travel that way, we would recommend them to call on board. Mr. Dravo, the gentlemanly clerk, will pay particular attention to those who travel on the "Rochester."

FOR ZANESVILLE.—The fine new steamer "Freighter," Capt. Davis, will leave this afternoon, at 4 o'clock, for the above and intermediate ports. The "Freighter" was built by Capt. D. expressly for this trade, and is intended for the low water season.

THE steamer "Quaker City," Capt. Cook, will leave to-day for St. Louis. Since her last trip she has undergone a thorough repair, and now looks better than ever with her new dress. Her accommodations for passengers cannot be surpassed; and we would advise those who may wish to make a pleasant and comfortable trip to the Mound City to give a call.

CAPT. GARVEY, of the steamer "Star of the West," informed us he would be obliged to leave to day, for St. Louis, so that he would be able to get over the falls at Louisville.

In our notice of the "Star," the other day, we omitted to mention that Mr John A. Warden selected the designs for Mr. Raphael Strauss, the painter. Also the Prairie Scene, in the forward cabin, representing Kit Carson fighting with the Indians, is a beautiful painting, and gives great credit to the designer and to Messrs. Murphy & Spears, who employed the service of Mr. Strauss.

THE Louisville *Courier*, of the 2nd, says:

The river continues to rise rather fast, with seven feet six inches water in the canal last evening by the mark On the falls there were five and a half feet of water in the pass. During the previous 24 hours the river had risen six inches. The weather yesterday was very pleasant.

THE St. Louis *Democrat*, of the 1st inst., says:

The river rose at this point four inches yesterday. It is rising from Chippewa river down, with, according to latest intelligence, three feet on the lower rapids.

PORT OF PITTSBURGH.

(FEET 3 INCHES WATER IN THE CHANNEL.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Jefferson, Woodward, Brownsville.
" Luzerne, Bennett, Brownsville.
" Gen. Bayard, Peebles, Elizabeth.
" Clara Fisher, Hendrickson, West Newton.
" Michigan No. 2, Horst, Wellsville.
" Venture, Gordon, Steubenville.
" Eclipse, Moore, Wheeling.

DEPARTED.

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" Gen. Bayard, Peebles, Elizabeth.
" Clara Fisher, Hendrickson, West Newton.
" Michigan No. 2, Horst, Wellsville.
" Venture, Gordon, Steubenville.
" Rosalie, Shepherd, Wheeling.

STEAMBOATS.

Pittsburgh, Steubenville and Wheeling Packets.

The DIURNAL, Captain A. S. SHEPHERD, and the FOREST CITY, Captain GEORGE D. MOORE, will run as regular DAILY PACKETS, between Pittsburgh, Steubenville and Wheeling, stopping at all intermediate ports.

The DIURNAL will leave Pittsburgh on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 o'clock, A. M.—*Returning* she will leave wheeling on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 7½ o'clock, A. M.

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For freight or passage apply on board or to
J. D. COLLINSWOOD, Agent,
No. 155 Front street.

For St. Louis Direct.

The splendid packet ship ALBION, Captain DAVID Z. BACKUS, will leave for the above and intermediate ports on MONDAY, August 6th, at 10 A. M.

For freight or passage apply on board, or to
aug4 JOHN FLACK or C. BARNES, Agents.

For Zanesville.

The steamer FREE GRITER, Captain WM. DAVIS, will leave for the above and intermediate ports on SATURDAY, August 4th, at 4 o'clock P. M.

For freight or passage apply on board.
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For St. Louis.

The steamer QUAKER CITY, Captain L. N. COOK, will leave for the above and intermediate ports on SATURDAY, Aug 4th, at 10 A. M.

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For Cincinnati.

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For Cincinnati.

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For Cincinnati.

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