THE CITY POST.

FRIDAY MORNING:.....AUGUST 17.

OUTRAGEOUS ASSAULT.—Two men, one named Daniel Sarber, of this city, and the other named Baker, were committed to jail on Sabbath last, by Justice McCormick, of North Huntingdon township, for an outrageous assault and battery on Mr. John Cavett. The defendants had a quarrel with Mr. Cavett, and beat him cruelly. After they left him, he went to 'Squire McCormick's to make complaint, where he was followed by the prisoners, who again commenced a brutal assault upon him in the magistrate's office. The Squire and his family interfered, when they were also assaulted, and a daughter of the Squire's was pretty roughly handled. After, perpetrating the second assault, they made their escape, and were followed to this county, where, after a stout resistance, they were captured by a posse of sixteen men. They were committed to the jail of Westmoreland county, but the jail not being suitable to be used, they were about to be removed to the jail in Pittsburgh, on Monday, which they very much disliked, and were finally permitted to remain until next Court in an unfinished cell, on their paying all expenses for boarding and guard. Mr. Cavett is a very peaceable and unoffending citizen.

AGRICULTURAL FAIR.—The Chairman of the Executive Committee, of the Allegheny County Agricultural Society, has appointed the following persons as Superintendents of the different classes:

Class No. 1	J. McK. Snodgrass.
" 2 and 3	John M'Kelvy.
" 4 and 5	David Boyd.
" 6 and 26	R. M'Knight.
" 7, 8 and 9	J. E. M'Cabe.
" 10 and 11	C. L. Goehring.
" 12 and 14	John Murdock, Jr.
" 13	Joseph Miller.
" 15 and 16	C. Snively.
" 17, 18 and 19	Matthew Hall.
" 20	E. R. Shankland.
" 21, 22 and 23	M. Whitmore.
" 24 and 25	Jas. Thompson.
" 27 and 30	Samuel McCaslin.
" 28	James Reed.
" 29	Dr. J. Shafer.

A VAGRANT ATTEMPTING TO GET OUT OF JAIL ON A HABEAS CORPUS.—Michael Mansfield, an old fellow committed to Jail some time since, by Mayor Adams, as a vagrant, was yesterday taken before Judge Williams on a *Habeas Corpus*, with the design of having him released from custody. When arrested, he was engaged soliciting alms, but it appears he has plenty of money, and is not impelled by necessity to beg. Judge Williams, however, decided that he had no right to be set at liberty until the expiration of his sentence, and he was accordingly remanded to jail again.

A FIGHT occurred on Wednesday evening, in Hardscrabble, between a number of Irishmen, during which Philip Waters had his head laid open with a poker in the hands of John Ferguson. Waters called at Ald. M'Kenna's, to have a warrant issued for the arrest of his assailant, but as he hadn't money to pay the necessary expenses, the magistrate declined making out the document.

ST. CHARLES HOTEL.—We are glad to observe this first class hotel doing a first class business. The table at this house is now pronounced one of the best and most substantial in the country; and how could it be otherwise with such caterer as Shiels and Mullen, or who could want for attention where Johnson presides?

EASTERN PAPERS.—The New York Herald, Times and Tribune can be had in Pittsburgh the morning after publication by applying to Master Richard Shannon, at Gallagher's periodical depot, below the Postoffice. He will deliver them faithfully to all who desire them, at 15 cents per week.

UNITED STATES RECRUITS.—Lieutenant Murray, of the 10th Regiment Infantry, passed through this city, yesterday, on his way to Carlisle Barracks, with a number of new recruits, collected in Indiana and Illinois. The Lieutenant has now raised enough men to complete his company.

ANOTHER WIFE BEATEN.—Mrs. Catharine Murphy yesterday made information before Alderman Parkinson, against her husband Jas. Murphy, for assault and battery. James was arrested, but on paying costs, and promising not to transgress in the same manner again, was allowed to depart.

LARCENY.—A woman named Elizabeth Heffman *alias Mary* Jane M'Lanan, was committed to jail, yesterday, by Alderman McKenna, charged with stealing a silk bonnet valued at $25, from Mrs. Adeline Muller, of Second street.

PAINTING THE COURT HOUSE RED.—We have heard it intimated that the County Commissioners intend to have the outside of the Court House painted red, to harmonize with the color of the iron railings.

SURETY OF THE PEACE.—Mary Morgan was held to bail, yesterday, by Alderman Parkinson, for making violent threats against Harrison Taylor.

A NEW LOCOMOTIVE, intended for the Chicago and Fort Wayne Railroad, was brought to the city yesterday, from Philadelphia, via Pennsylvania Railroad.

A FAIR BUSINESS FOR ONE DAY.—Eighteen persons were committed to jail, yesterday, for drunkenness and vagrancy. Nearly one half came from Allegheny.

REV. GEORGE D. ARCHIBALD, Pastor of the second Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church in Manchester, has accepted a call to take charge of a congregation in Cincinnati.

☞ Fraud!—We call attention to the fact of numerous unprincipled efforts that are daily making in our city by venders of a bitter mixture, using the persuasive argument (in order to effect sales) to dealers in Hostetter's Bitters, to purchase from them and sell it in Hostetter's bottles. We hope that such impostors will be held up to public contempt by all respectable persons who sell or use the genuine article.

Not only here we the individual evidence of the country, but almost every paper in the Union is commending upon the superior excellence of, and the great benefits derived from the use of this celebrated tonic; besides various diplomas awarded, among which is one from the Ohio Mechanics' Institute, at Cincinnati, where the committee—composed chiefly of physicians of the city—awarded Hostetter, Smith & Co. a diploma for the superior virtue of their Bitters as a tonic and strengthener of the human system. We therefore caution all against impositions, and to purchase of none but respectable dealers, whom they know would not deceive them; or of the proprietors, *No. 205 Penn st., Pittsburgh.*

☞ Clark's Stomach Bitters are acknowledged by all who have tried them to be the best family medicine of the age, for the cure of Dyspepsia, Costiveness, and a disordered state of the liver and Stomach. They have no rival. The proprietors do not pretend to caution people from using other preparations that are palmed upon the public under the name of Stomach Bitters, for they have found that only one trial was needed to render such caution unnecessary.

For sale, wholesale, by COUTHS & CARE, No. 22 Market street; Geo. H. HAYES, 140 Wood street; and by Druggists generally.

Proclamation.

BY VIRTU[illegible] of a precept under the hands of Wm. B. [illegible]sident of the Court of Common Pleas in [illegible]ntal District of Pennsylvania, and [illegible]ney and Terminer and General [illegible] District, and William Regis[illegible] Justice of the Court of [illegible]mon Pleas of Allegheny county, [illegible] Judge of the same [illegible] and Jail Delivery, in and for sa[illegible]heny, dated the [illegible] day of July, in the year of our Lord o[illegible] thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, and to me directed, [illegible] for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer, and General Jail [illegible]livery, at the Court House in the City of Pittsburgh, on [illegible] Monday of October next, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Public notice is hereby given to all Justices of the Peace, Coroner and Constables of the county of Allegheny, that they be then and there, in their proper persons, with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations and other remembrances, to do those things which to their respective offices, in their behalf, appears to be done—and also those that will prosecute the prisoners that now are or may be in the jail of said county of Allegheny, to be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Given under my hand in Pittsburgh, this fifteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, and of the Commonwealth, the 79th.

aug16td WM. MAGILL, Sheriff.

IRON CITY COMMERCIAL COLLEGE.
CHARTERED, APRIL, 1855.

TWO HUNDRED STUDENTS and upwards have matriculated. Chartered with a full Board of Trustees. Principal—F. W. JENKINS.

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I. I. HITCHCOCK, Professor of the Science of Accounts, and of the Art of Book-Keeping.
JOHN FLEMING, Associate Professor in the same department.
GEORGE F. HITCHCOCK, A. M., Professor of Mathematics and Teacher of Penmanship.
F. W. JENKINS, Associate Professor in the several departments.
JAMES H. HOPKINS, Esq., of the Pittsburgh Bar, Lecturer on Commercial Law.

Lectures every day, morning and evening, by author of Book-Keeping, and by Professors that are now practical Book-Keepers. Every teacher in this College has had years of experience in teaching in first class schools in the East. Students in this institution are not taught by young men that are not experienced teachers, or have not been practical book-keepers. Ladies and Gentlemen are taught Writing and Book-Keeping during the day and evening.

For terms, &c., call at College Rooms, corner of Wood and Fourth streets. aug16

CHARLOTTE BLUME.

No. 118 WOOD STREET, PITTSBURGH, is just receiving a large stock of FANCY GOODS, of the latest styles, from the Factories of

BAUMGARDTEN & HER[illegible]NS, Hamburgh;
HALLET, DAVIS & CO [illegible] Boston;
A. B. REICHENBACH [illegible]AMINGS, New York;
HAINES, BROS. & CU[illegible], Philadelphia:

Together with those of other makers, at prices from $225 to $1,000; including every variety and style, from the plain but substantial iron frame Piano, to the most elegantly carved Louis XIV. style, Square and Grand Pianos.

Arrangements have been made with the manufacturers, by which their instruments will be sold at the same prices as their agents here are in the East, and without the additional cost and risk of transportation.

Every Piano sold by the subscriber is warranted perfect in every respect, and a written guarantee will be given if required. CHARLOTTE BLUME,

aug10 No. 118 Wood street.

A BRICK HOUSE FOR $300!—For particulars call at 63 Market street. Also, one of four rooms and large lot, $150, cash. aug11

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

Reported Expressly for the Daily Morning Post

Relief for Norfolk and Portsmouth.

BALTIMORE, August 16—A meeting of merchants was held at the Exchange at noon to-day, to devise means to alleviate the distress of the inhabitants of Norfolk and Portsmouth, who are now suffering from the ravages of the yellow fever.

At the Republican meeting to-day, $3000 were contributed for the sufferers at Norfolk and Portsmouth; a quantity of provisions have been purchased, and a boat is to be dispatched to the above places to-night.

NEW YORK, August 16—Parodi and other eminent talent out of the Italian Opera, propose to give a Grand Concert in this city, for the relief of the suffering at Norfolk, growing out of the ravages of fever.

PHILADELPHIA, August 16—A meeting of merchants was held at the Exchange this morning, at which a committee was appointed to solicit subscriptions for the benefit of the sufferers by fever at Norfolk and Portsmouth.

The Yellow Fever at Portsmouth.

NORFOLK, August 15.—Nath Talem, Chief Inspector at the Navy Yard, is dead. Hunter Woodis, Mayor of the city is down with the fever. Capt. Barron is supposed to be dying. Dr. Sylvester is also supposed to be in a dying condition. The fever has extended from the infected district to the upper part of the city. G. Brougham, jr, son of the editor of the Herald, is thought to be dying. Great difficulty is experienced in obtaining nurses. Patients have been charged as high as ten dollars per night for their services. Not more than twenty persons are remaining in Portsmouth. Col. John Harper, John B. Davis, Nathaniel Manning and Emily Wilson are dead, and many other prominent citizens are ill of the fever.

Arrest of a Mail Robber.

HARRISBURG, August 16.—Henry Glant, a hand on board the packet boat Dauphin, running from the junction of the Juniata and Susquehanna Canal to Milton, Pa., was arrested to-day by Mr. A. Hughes, the special agent of the Post Office Department, for robbing the mail on said boat. Glant was fully committed in default of bail in the sum of $2000 to answer the charge. Mr. Hughes discovered some thirty letters that had been rifled by Glant.

The Case of Passmore Williamson.

BALTIMORE, PA., August 16—The application of Passmore Williamson for a writ of habeas corpus came up to day before the Supreme Court, and was argued by the Hon. Chas. Gilpin and Wm. M. Meredith. Their speeches occupied the Court three hours, and were most able arguments. All the Judges are present, and are now engaged in consultation. The result of the application is not yet known.

Know Nothingism in Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, August 16—The State Council of Know Nothings were in session yesterday.

The election in the Fourth Ward for Councilmen resulted in the total defeat of Know Nothingism; the vote was small, and there was but little opposition.

Maryland Democratic State Convention.

BALTIMORE, August 16.—The Democratic State Convention to-day nominated W. W. Bowie, of Prince George's county, as a candidate for State Comptroller, and George Gale, of Kent county, as a candidate for Lottery Commissioner.

Official Returns of Kentucky.

CINCINNATI, August 16.—The official returns from 74 counties in Kentucky, and reports from the remaining counties, reduce the majority of Morehead (K. N.) to 4200.

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PITTSBURGH BOARD OF TRADE AND MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE.

OFFICERS.

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WEEKLY MONEY ARTICLE.

PITTSBURGH, August 17, 1855.

The receipts of the Pennsylvania Railroad for the month of July, this year, were over $90,000, more than for the same month last year, being the year for that month $357,555 24. There are less down by the canal, but more easterly freight is coming the ugh by the Pennsylvania road than usual, and it makes business more active now than is usual in the summer months. More Pittsburgh coal and manufactured goods have been sold and shipped to the Western market than in former seasons. With all our Railroads completed, and the other improvements, business would be lively in our city all the year round.

While the earnings of the Pennsylvania Railroad for July increased more than $90,000 over the same month last year, the earnings of the New York and Erie road for July were $72,000 less than they were last. This looks as though the Pennsylvania route to the West and South west was gaining ground over its rivals in public estimation.

The July earnings of the following additional main lines have been received since our last published statement:

	1855	1854	Increase
Michigan Central	$176,382	$157,292	$19,090
Michigan S and N. Indiana	144,542	142,364	2,178
Illinois Central and Mississippi	39,565	27,275	11,290
Reading	290,174	268,275	18,161
Penna Pennsylvania Central	309,600	407,510	99,216
Michigan Central	17,382	15,272	2,110
Baltimore and Ohio	300,345	291,000	1,500
Illinois and Chicago	91,837	76,152	15,685
Cleveland and Pittsburgh	59,645	57,101	2,544
Hudson River	195,111	179,491	15,620
Philadelphia and Burlington	41,000	32,417	8,583
Chicago and Rock Island	82,256	66,000	16,244

Money is easy at present in this city, and the rates somewhat lower.

It is estimated that over $18,000,000 worth of the public lands, will be sold during the present year. This money is drawn from the eastern and middle States and carried westward. It is all paid out at the west and finds its way into the channel of business. This, in addition to the large sales of wheat and other products to the east, should make money abundant and keep the business throughout the western States. The numerous Railroads now in operation in those States afford a ready access to the markets, and enable farmers to get good prices for their products. The prospects for the west are good.

But the trade in western lands is likely to be overdone, for years to come, unless the price is will reduce the present demand for western lands.

The stock markets in New York and Philadelphia present an active appearance. The Philadelphia *Ledger* of the 14th instant, says:

For our market, we think the future looks well in every respect. Some particular stocks and securities may be made to their true value, but we see nothing likely to affect unfavorably the great trade of the country. The money market will probably be more active at higher rates as the season advances but we shall have ebbing tread and flowing tide as the seasons roll with the interest of money and of want of all sorts of merchandise. Most of our usual channels of trade are flowing well, and the interest of trade of the coming year will benefit the Railroad interest everywhere. We owe little abroad, at a time when, with war in Europe, foreign capital must lend to our securities. We have and will have specie enough to sustain credit here, and to export in exchange for European commodities. The prospects of adaptation, we think, are in the right direction that as the year goes on, more and more American ships will be employed abroad, and that a heavy exportof the crop of cotton of all kinds will be sent to Europe during the autumn and winter.

WEEKLY REVIEW OF PITTSBURGH MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY MORNING POST,
Friday, August 17, 1855.

ASHES—We have no change to notice in Pots, which remain with ready sale at 5¾ cents for common. Sales of Pearls at 6½ cents and 6¾ cents for common.

BACON—As we reported last week, stock light and demand limited, for most qualities. City smoked shoulders, 9; sides, 10; sides and plain hams lightly, cured and packed, 10½@11; Sugar cured Hams are worth 14c.

BEANS—Nothing doing and scarce. From store held at $2.00@2.25.

BEESWAX—Sales on arrival at 24@25c, and from store at 26@27c.

BROOMS—Common Ohio, on arrival, sells at $2.50, and from store at $2.75@3. From store, Eastern at $2.50@3.25.

BUCKETS AND TUBS—Buckets at Factory $2, and from store $2.12½@2.25. Large Tubs, from store, $7@7.50 ⅌ doz.; small do $6.00.

BUTTER AND EGGS—The amount of packed Butter in hand is light, and sales are made at 12½@13. Eggs are dull at 15c.

CHEESE—Receipts small, and demand light. Quotations are 8½@9c by the quantity and retail.

CANDLES—Sales of Star during the week at 24c ⅌ lb. Dipped worth 13½, and Mould 14½. Soap brings 5c.

COPPER—We quote at 30@34 cents per lb.

CORDAGE—The following are the rates now established

Manilla Rope, coil	16 ⅌ lb	Cut	17 ⅌ lb
White "	14 "	"	15 "
Tarred "	13 "	"	14 "
Packing Yarn, fine	12 "	"	13 "

Bale Cordage—Manilla, $2.13, 8.19@4.25 ⅌ doz.
do ⅌ 100 coil cts ⅌ lb.
Hemp, $1.87, 2.50@3.75 ⅌ doz.
do ⅌ coil 11 cts ⅌ lb.
Tarred Lines—Manilla, $7½c ⅌ doz. Hemp, 75c ⅌ doz.

COTTON YARNS, &c—The following are now the ruling prices:

Cotton Yarns		Pound Yarn.	
	Retail		Retail
No. 5 to 10, inc.	20 ⅌ lb	No. 16	24 ⅌ lb
" 11 & 12	21 "	" 17	25 "
" 13	22 "	" 18	26 "
" 14	23 "	" 19	27 "
" 15	24 "	" 20	28 "

Dozens		Yarn.	
No. 500	9½c ⅌ lb	No. 800	9 ⅌ lb
" 600	8½ "	" 900	7 "
" 700	7½ "	" 100	Coverlet Yarn,

Carpet Chain—No. 10@20, colored 22 ⅌ lb; No. 1, 13; 23@25. Candlewick, 18. Twine, 20. Batting, 15. Cauliking, 15.

CRACKERS—The following are manufacturers' prices:

Water Crackers, ⅌ bbl		4.50
Butter do	do	6.00
Pilot Bread	do	5.75
Sugar Crackers, ⅌ lb		9½ cts.
Soda do	do	9½ "
Boston do	do	9 "
Pic-Nic do	do	9 "

DRIED BEEF—Little doing. By retail, sales are made at 13c for sugar cured canvassed.

FISH—Detroit river and Lake Superior White Fish are held at $12@13 and scarce; poorer qualities White Fish are worth $9@10.50, and half bbls do $5.25@5.50. Trout $5.50 @6.00; half bbls do $4.00@4.75—outside figures in the small way. Mackerel: supply fair; new No. 3 are selling to the country trade at $5.75@6.00; old a fraction lower. Baltimore Herring $6.00@6.75; Shad do $11.50. Halifax Herring $6.00@6.25.

FLOUR—This article has further declined, in consequence of large receipts and the large harvest just gathered. Sales on Thursday of superfine at $7.25@7.50, and extra at $7.62 @8. The receipts thus far this week have been heavy.

GRAIN—At the writing of our last report Oats were hardly to be had at all, and commanded 62 to 75 cents ⅌ bushel, but a large supply coming in a day or two after, they fell to 30 cents, and are now selling at 25 to 28 cents. Corn is nominal at 80@85c. Wheat sells at $1.20@1.30. New Rye brings 62½c.

GLASS—We quote city brands Window at $2 ⅌ box for 6x8; $2.25 for 7x9; $3 for 8x10; $3.50 for 8x12, 9x12, and 10x12; $4.50 for 9x13, 9x14, and 10x14; $5 for 9x16, 10x15, 10x12; $5.25 for 10x17; $5.50 for 10x18; and so on lengthening in the ratio according to size—10 ⅌ ct. off for cash. Country brands are sold at an average of about 50c less ⅌ box than city brands.

GROCERIES—Considerable quantities were received during the week. Holders are firm at 7¾@8¼ by the hhd and 8@8¼ by the bbl, for the retail and country trade: Molasses is held at 40c; Coffee at 12@12½, and Rice at 7½ to 8 ⅌ lb.

HAY—The supply is fair and figures lower. Sales at scales on Thursday at $15@14 ⅌ ton.

HIDES—Green Slaughtered are worth 5½@6—a slight advance; and Dry Flint, 14@15c.

HOPS—Sales from store at 38@40.

IRON AND NAILS—Sales of common puddled bar at 2¼ @2½c, and in nails 10d. and upwards at 3⅝@4c. Juniata Iron 4½. The mills are all in active operation and the demand is good.

LARD—We note sales on Thursday of 11 tierces No. 1 at 11 cents.

LEATHER—The store rates are: Red Spanish Sole, per lb, 19@23; slaughter Sole, 24@27; Upper Leather, per dozen, $27@33; Bridle do, do. $36@40; Country Bridle do. $28@32; Skirting Leather, per lb, 28 cents.

MESS PORK—The only transaction we notice was one on Wednesday at $18.60, cash.

HAY—Sales are made daily at Scales at $12 to $14 per ton.

NAVAL STORES.—Spirits Turpentine is now held at 60c ⅌ gallon. Rosin at $2.25@3.50 for No. 2, and $4 for No. 1. A small sale of Tar at $4.50@5.

OILS—Steady sales of Lard Oil No. 1 at 75c by the lot and 78 in the small way. Linseed firmer, and sales in the retail way are made at 80@90c.

PIG METAL—Nothing doing. We hear of no change asked.

POWDER—The demand moderate, at $3.50 for Blasting and $5 for Rifle.

SALT—Sales on Thursday of 225 bbls No. 1 and extra at $1.62@$1.75.

STEEL—Spring Steel, Pittsburgh manufacture, 6¼@6½; Plow do, 7@7½; steel plough wings, 8; do, cut to pattern, 8@10½; A B steel, from rolled Iron, 6½; from hammered do, 6½; Hoe steel, 7½; Fork do, 7; Shovel do, 8; steel dandy tire, 7; Elliptic Springs, 10½; seat do, 13@14; Cultivator teeth, 14X5, 32@35; do, 18X⅝, 30@35 ⅌ tooth.

TALLOW—Sales of several small lots were reported at 10½@11c.

TIN—I C, $11.25, and I X, $13.25, cash; Pig $34; Bar $37½, cash.

TOBACCO—Virginia 5's range from 16@26, according to brand, and lumps at 20@40. Virginia Twist, 8.

WHISKY—We note sales of Rectified, at 34@35c.

WHITE LEAD—Is firm, with a very active demand, and steady sales at $2.50 ⅌ keg, for pure in oil, and dry 9c ⅌ lb.

TELEGRAPH MARKETS.

NEW YORK, August 16—Stocks firm. Cotton dull; sales 500 bales. Flour in moderate demand at previous rates; sales 9500 bbls. Wheat active at previous rates; sales 28,000 bushels. Corn: sales 65,000 bushels, unchanged. Pork firm with upward tendency; sales 700 bbls at $19.81 @19.87½ for new Mess, and $19.50 for old. Beef firm at $15.50@16 for repacked Western and $17 for extra. Lard: an active business at previous rates; sales 750 bbls at 11@11¼. Bacon wanted at 10¾; sales 75 hhds for sides, and 9 for shoulders. Butter steady at 14@18 for Ohio. Whisky unchanged. Groceries firm: sales 1500 bags Rio Coffee at 10¾; sales 1000 hhds N. O. Sugar at 7¾ and 250 hhds N. O. Molasses at 36. Iron firm; sales Scotch pig at $36@37. Tallow firm: sales 19,000 lbs at 12¾. Gunny Cloth $13. Tobacco firm at 9@11.

PHILADELPHIA, August 16—The America's advices received last evening are rather unfavorable for Cotton and Breadstuffs, but had no effect on the market. Flour in no ther more inquiry for shipment, and prices are firm, the receipts continue light, and hardly adequate to the wants of the trade; sales at $9 for standard and fair brands—Wheat in good demand, but prices unchanged. Corn, sales of yellow at 85, mixed Western 84. Oats rather firmer at 40@42. Coffee in active request with upward tendency, sales 5000 bags Rio at 11¼@11¾ on time. Whiskey unchanged; in bbls. 41 and in hhds. 40.

CINCINNATI, August 16—Flour dull; sales could not be made to any extent. There is nothing doing in Grain. Provisions are in good demand; market buoyant; sales 100 hhds clear ribbs at 10c; ribbed sides at 9¾. Whisky steady; sales 200 bbls at 32@33.

The river has fallen 12 in. here since yesterday. Weather showery.

BALTIMORE, August 16—Wheat better, sales Red at $1.85 @$1.90; white $1.90@$2. Flour, sales 2000 bbls. Howard Street at $9@$9.12½; Ohio $9.75. Corn, sales at 87@88 for White, and yellow 90@92.

Cattle Markets.

NEW YORK, August 16—The prices of Beeves average rather lower than the last week, ranging from $6 to $8½ ⅌ 100 lbs. Lambs $4.50@6. Swine—Ohio Corn fed 9@9½.

BALTIMORE, August 16—500 Beef Cattle were offered; nearly all sold at prices from $7 to $9.75 ⅌ 100 lbs. Hogs in good demand; sales at $7.75@8.10 ⅌ 100 lbs.

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 Dry Goods; Ready Made 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. [jy31tf

F. M. DAVIS, Auctioneer.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF PARTNERSHIP INTEREST IN A MANUFACTURING ESTABLISHMENT.—The undersigned, Assignee of Hugh D. King, will expose to sale at Public Auction, at the Merchants' Exchange, in the city of Pittsburgh, on THURSDAY, the 6th day of September, 1855, at 7 o'clock, P. M., all the right, title, interest and interest of said Hugh D. King, as an equal partner, of, in, to and in the following real and personal estate, property, effects and assets of the firm and partnership of H. D. King & Co.:

The manufacturing establishment of this firm is one of the greatest and most important of its kind in the Western Pennsylvania, comprehending the Rolling Mill, Machinery, with steam power to drive the same, and all appurtenances, appendages, &c.

The name of this firm cannot be applied to any article of merchandise of the Company, but it is well known and favorably distinguished.

ALSO,

22 Shares North American Coal Co.
[illegible] Shares Wheeling R. R. Co. Stock, $25 paid in.
[illegible] Shares Allegheny Valley R. R. Co. Stock, $50 paid in.
[illegible] Shares Great Quarrel Mining Co.
[illegible] Shares Pittsburgh and Pacific Railroad Co.

Accounts and Bills Receivable, Patterns, Patent Rights, Machinery, Tools, Implements, Stock in Trade, Furniture, &c., &c., which will be shown to purchasers, and particulars given at the time of sale.

Terms—Cash.

A. W. FLYNN,
Assignee of H. D. King.

Pittsburgh, August 16, 1855.

The above sale is adjourned to Saturday, August 18, at 7 o'clock, P. M., at the same place.

A. W. FLYNN,
Assignee of H. D. King.

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KIER'S TRANSPORTATION LINE.

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NEWS FOR RIVER MEN.

THE RIVER receded 8 inches the past 24 hours, leaving 5 feet water by the marks, with a heavy shower of rain at dusk. A large amount of goods were shipped yesterday for Cincinnati, Louisville and St. Louis. The steamers "Grapeshot" and "Chicago" left with full loads.

THE steamer "Rosalie," Capt. A. Sheppard, is the regular Wheeling packet this morning; she leaves at 10 o'clock.

THE steamer "Fairy Queen," Capt. J. O. Reno, will leave early this morning for Cincinnati.

THE steamer "Rochester," Capt. G. W. Neare, will leave to-day for Cincinnati. Give her a call.

THE steamers "Wenona" and "Endeavor" were to leave Cincinnati for this city on the 16th inst.

THE steamer "Ella," Capt. A. Poe, was detained yesterday by press of business; she will positively leave to-day for St. Louis and all intermediate ports.

STEAMER SOLD.—The "Minerva" was sold here yesterday for $16,500, to Capt. Reed, of St. Louis. Also, the steamer "Dan Convers" was sold lately for $6,500, to a Rock Island Company.

THE steamer "North Star" arrived from St. Louis yesterday, with a fine load—making the trip from Cincinnati to this city in less than three days, losing part of two nights by fog.

STEAMER BEN WEST SUNK.—This old steamer, bound up the Missouri with a cargo of lumber, shingles, &c., struck a log below Augusta on Friday afternoon, and sunk to her main deck. The boat was owned, we believe, by Mr. J. Harkleroder, and will probably be a loss, but her cargo will be saved.—*St. Louis Dem., 14th.*

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5 FEET 0 INCHES WATER IN THE CHANNEL.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Jefferson, Woodward, Brownsville.
" Lucerne, Bennett, Brownsville.
" Gen. Bayard, Peebles, Elizabeth.
" Clara Fisher, Henderickson, West Newton.
" Venture, Gordon, Steubenville.
" Michigan No. 2, Horst, Wellsville.
" Rosalie, Shepherd, Wheeling.
" Lucy May, Robinson, Cincinnati.
" North Star, Haslett, St. Louis.

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" Gen. Bayard, Peebles, Elizabeth.
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" Venture, Gordon, Steubenville.
" Michigan No. 2, Horst, Wellsville.
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For St. Louis.

The steamer NORTH STAR, Captain WM. HAMILTON, will leave for the above and intermediate ports on SATURDAY, August 18th, at 10 A. M.

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The steamer ARGONAUT, Captain Geo. C. BLAKELY, will leave for the above and intermediate ports on SATURDAY, August 18th, at 10 A. M.

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The steamer SAM YOUNG, Captain R. C. GRAY, Clerk, POSTER, will leave for the above and intermediate ports on FRIDAY, August 17, at 10 A. M.

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The steamer ROCHESTER, Captain G. W. NEARE, Clerk, DEATS, will leave for the above and intermediate ports on FRIDAY, August 17, at 10 A. M.

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The steamer ELLA, Captain A Poe; John T. MEANS, Clerk; will leave for the above and intermediate ports on FRIDAY, August 17, at 10 A. M.

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For Cincinnati.

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