HOME MATTERS.

TEMPERANCE MEETING.—A cheering Temperance Meeting was held by the ladies of Allegheny, in the Rev. Doctor West's Church, on Tuesday night.

TOAST.—We republish the following toast read in a letter from the Hon. Judge Irwin of this City, at the celebration at New Brighton on Monday night, inasmuch as there was an error in our report relative to it.

"The policy and advice of Washington in our relations, foreign and domestic; upon them rests the stability of the Union, and upon the Union the dissemination of republican institutions."

EXTENSIVE BUSINESS.—Forty-one hundred packages of goods arrived yesterday in this City via the Brownsville and West Newton routes.

FIRE.—A fine brick stable, belonging to Mr. M'Clintock of Reserve Township, was destroyed by fire yesterday morning at an early hour. The horses were saved, but a valuable carriage was burned, together with the contents of the stable. The flames are supposed to have been communicated from an adjacent wash-house. The loss will be about one thousand dollars.

We understand that Mr. M'Clintock was fully insured in the Harrisburgh Mutual Insurance Company.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY.—Alderman Major committed William Healy on Tuesday, charged, on oath of Catharine Jones with assault and battery.

BADLY BEATEN.—The Clerk on one of the steamboats now at the wharf, was severely injured yesterday by some draymen. One of the party assaulted him, and he was vanquishing his opponent, when all fell upon and beat him.

BURGLARY.—The dwelling of Mr. Sholes, North Alley, Allegheny, was entered on Monday night, and a small amount of money stolen.

ADMIRABLE LIKENESS.—We are indebted to Messrs. Wegner, Buechner, & Mueller, the well known and excellent Lithographic firm of this city, for an admirable likeness of Col. Diehl, late clerk of the market, and former editor of that celebrated periodical the "Grunter." The Colonel is depicted in the graceful attitude which he assumes when he is about to deliver one of those withering and scathing phillipics which were wont to carry dismay into the ranks of the hucksters, and foil their attempts at filling the baskets of our citizens with rancid butter and antique eggs.

BURGLARY.—Some burglars entered the dwelling house of Mr. M'Donald, on the corner of North and Middle Alleys, on Monday night, but did not succeed in obtaining anything to reward them for their trouble.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT.—Thomas M'Coy on Monday made information before Alderman Major, against Catharine Doughy with disorderly conduct. She was committed in default of paying a fine of ten dollars.

BURGLARY.—The dwelling of Mr. Shaffer, Second ward Allegheny, was entered at an early hour on Tuesday morning by burglars, who broke through a shed in the rear of the building. They made off without having obtained any booty.

An ineffectual attempt was made on Monday night, to enter the residence of Mr. Welby, Beaver street, and on Tuesday night they endeavored to break into Mr. Abraham Rife's residence on Webster street, but did not succeed.

FIRE.—The alarm of fire last night was caused by the burning of a shed containing straw and a few barrels of soda ash, on Ross street, between First and Second. The loss was trifling.

LARCENY.—Joseph Klinefelter was yesterday committed to prison by Mayor Guthrie, on a charge of larceny, alleged to have been committed in stealing a wrench of the value of four dollars.

ATTEMPT TO PASS COUNTERFEIT COIN.—John Connelly was yesterday arrested on a charge of attempting to pass counterfeit gold coin on Cooley & Laird, in payment for some clothing. He was told that it was counterfeit, yet afterwards attempted to pass it in another store, upon which Mr. Cooley had him arrested, and he was committed.

ALLEGED LARCENY.—Police officer Duffey on Tuesday night arrested a man named John Johnson, in Reinhart's hotel, on a charge of stealing a gold chain from the proprietor of that establishment.

SURETY OF THE PEACE.—Alderman Major on Tuesday, committed John Smith to prison, charged, on oath of William Healy with Surety of the Peace.

TIPPLING HOUSE.—John White was on Tuesday committed to prison by Alderman Major, charged, on oath of Francis Lafferty with assault and battery. He was also committed by process from Court, on a charge of keeping a tippling house.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY.—Alderman Major on Tuesday committed Thomas M'Clain, charged, on oath of Mary Bostwick, with assault and battery.

DISTRICT COURT.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 25.

Before the Honorable Walter Forward.

Adam Floyd vs. William Noble, No. 519, April 1851; List No. 186. Gillmore for plaintiff, Shinn for defendant.

Action to recover the value of services as carpenter. Verdict for plaintiff $110.

Before the Honorable Henry W. Williams.

The testimony, and addresses to the jury in the case of Moses Lozell vs. James Wood & Co., before reported, were concluded to-day.—His honor, Judge Williams, will deliver his charge to the jury this morning.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 25.

Before the Hon. Wm. B. McClure President Judge, and T. L. McMillan and Wm. Boggs Associate Judges.

In the case of A. W. Alton vs Andrew Beeb and John Buhop, the jury were discharged being unable to agree.

G. W. McClelland vs John Adams. No. 367. October, List No. 150. Robb for plaintiff, Darragh for defendant.

This was an action brought against defendant as guarantor for the payment of rent. The guaranty was admitted, but it was contended that it not having been proved that the principal was insolvent before action brought, the plaintiff could not recover. Verdict for defendant.

R. Brown vs. Overseers of the Poor of Mifflin township. Penny and Sterrit for Plaintiff, G. P. Hamilton for defendants. Action brought to recover the expences incurred by plaintiff in supporting a woman who was chargeable upon the township. Mrs. Mary Cocker, since dead, was suffering from the effects of an incurable cancer, when she was turned out of her husband's house by him. The guardians refused to pay for her support unless she would go back, which she, almost in a dying state at the time, and fearing her husband since she asserted that he had abused her, refused to do, and remained at the house of Mr. Brown, who was notified by the overseers that they would not be responsible for her board.—Verdict for plaintiff for $10,50. This is, we believe, the value of the board of deceased, prior to the notification by the overseers, and this is the second suit tried against them within the past few days.

The *National Intelligencer*, publishes the following extract from a letter from an American officer in Paris:

"The re-election of Napoleon by near seven million votes, is *un fait accompli*,' a sufficient testimony that most Frenchmen appreciate *the deliverance he has effected for them*, and that by none of his acts he *forfeited the confidence* of those who in 1848, committed to him the destinies of the nation."

This is probably all right. An "American officer" certainly ought to understand the character of a proceeding which he so highly commends. In this country we have, it is true, been brought up to entertain some old notions about liberty and human rights,—the supremacy of Constitutions and sacredness of an oath, which do not seem to have governed Louis Napoleon in his act of "deliverance." But these notions are probably all moon shine. American "officers," representing their country abroad, give the sanction of their praise to an act, which annihilated at a blow the civil and political liberties of a whole nation. People who think differently and venture to speak accordingly, are denounced as radicals. Republicanism is sadly out of fashion; it is very well to sail under that flag; we get along very well under a Republican form of government; but anybody who believes it, is set down as a fanatic at once. It is probably all right, but we don't exactly understand it.—*N. Y. Times.*

PROCEEDINGS IN SELECT COUNCIL.

[OFFICIAL.]

FEBRUARY, 24, 1852.

Councils met upon special call.

Present—Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Bailey, Bruce, Cordell, Edwards, Kier, Kincaid, Lorenz, Morrow, M'Cutcheon, M'Clowry and Jones, President.

The president announced that councils had been convened at the request of the Finance Committee, for the purpose of final action upon the Ordinance making Appropriations for the year 1852.

The clerk communicated to C. C. the non-currence of the S.C. in the action of C. C. committing said ordinance for amendment.

By consent, the Council proceeded to the consideration, *ad interim*, of other business

The report of the special committee on the petition for prohibiting the manufacturer of friction matches, was taken up, and the action of C. C. non-concurred in.

Also, the ordinance creating a market constable. Action concurred in.

Mr. Bruce called up the resolution directing the Mayor to draw his warrant of J. I. Kuhn, for $100, and moved its third reading and final passage.

Mr. Kincaid called the yeas and day thereon, which were ordered, and were as follows:

Yeas—Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Bruce, Bailey and M'Cutcheon—6.

Nays—Messrs. Cordell, Edwards, Kier, Kincaid, Lorenz, Morrow, M'Clowry and Jones, President—8.

So the motion to lay on the table was negatived.

Mr. Bruce, seconded by Mr. M'Cutcheon, moved the 3d reading of the resolution.

But there being a vote in the negative (Mr. Armstrong,) the motion according to the rules, did not prevail, and the resolution laid over on third reading.

The Committee of Conference on the Appropriation Ordinances, reported verbally that they had agreed to amend said ordinance by increasing the rate of assessment of improvment tax for the present year, from 2½ to 2¾ mills, as a compromise and final adjustment of the claim for restoration of the amount alleged to have been heretofore erroneously paid out of said tax.

The report of the Committee was adopted, and the ordinance amended accordingly, and as amended, read a third time and passed. Action concurred in by C. C.

The Clerk of C. C., communicated that that body had adhered to their former action as to the report of the Special Committee on the petition relative to manufacturing friction matches.

Also, asked a conference thereon, and had appointed Messrs. Funston and Bissel, on such Committee on their part.

On motion, the President was authorized to appoint a like committee on part of the S. C., and Messrs. Allen and Cordell were appointed on part of S. C.

Mr. McClowry offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Com. on Fire Engines and Hose, be directed to inquire into the propriety of furnishing 700 feet of hose, for the use of the 7th ward, and report to the next regular meeting.

Read three times and adopted, and action concurred in by C. C

The Committee of Conference last above named, reported that they had agreed to recommend a reference to the Committee on Ordinances with instructions to act.

The report was adopted and the reference agreed to.

And the Council adjourned.

PROCEEDINGS OF COMMON COUNCIL.

TUESDAY, Feb. 24.

Council met pursuant to a call from Finance Com

Present—Messrs. Bailes, Bissel, Black, Curling, Day, Dithridge, Funston, Getty, Gribben, Howard, Kennedy, Long, Lowry, M'Auley, Mortooth, Rea, Reis, Riddle, Scott, Shore, Smith, Spaulding, Taylor, Young and, President Marshall.

Mr. Kennedy presented a petition relative to the condition of Forbes and Chesnut streets, in the 5th Ward. Read and referred to Com. on streets.

"An Ordinance supplementary to an Ordinance for the establishment of a permanent watch, passed 6th March, 1836," was taken up.

On motion of Mr. Howard, the Ordinance was referred to a special committee of five, three from C. C and two from S. C., and Messrs. Howard, Lowry and Smith, appointed on part of C. C.

On motion of Mr. Reis action was reconsidered, and the Ordinance laid over.

Mr. Shore offered the following resolution, viz:

Resolved, That a committee of five, two from the Select, and three from the Common Council, be appointed to investigate the recent difficulties between the Police Committee and the Mayor, and report to Councils; and that the Presidents of Councils be ex-officio members of said Committee.

Read three times and adopted, and Messrs. Lowry, Kennedy and Howard appointed on part of Comm on Council.

The Clerk of Select Council communicated the "Ordinance making appropriations for the year 1852," with the non-concurrence of the body, to its reference by Common Council to Finance Committee, with instructions to increase the Contingent Fund from $4,000 to $12,000 for improvement purposes.

On motion, action adhered to, and a Committee of Conference appointed, consisting of Messrs. Gribben and Lowry, on the part of Common Council. Action concurred in, and Messrs. Lorenz and Kier appointed on part of Select Council.

The Committee reported that they had agreed to increase the assessment of improvement tax to 2¾ mills. Report adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—Messrs. Bailes, Day, Dithridge, Gribben, Kennedy, Lowry, M'Auley, Meyer, Montooth, Reis, Scott, Shore, Smith, and President—13.

Nays—Messrs. Bissell, Black, Curling, Funston, Getty, Howard, Long, Rea, Riddle, Spaulding, Taylor, and Young—12.

Reports of majority and minority of Special Committee, to whom had been referred petitions relative to the manufacture of matches in the city. In Select Council action of C. C. not concurred in, as to reference to Com. on Ordinances. Action adhered to, and a Committee of Conference appointed, consisting of Messrs Funston and Bissell on part of S. C.

Also, a resolution authorizing the Mayor to draw his warrant in favor of J. I. Kuhn for $100. In S. C. adopted. Read and referred to Com. on Claims and Accounts, and action concurred in by S. C.

On motion, the Ordinance supplementary to an ordinance for the establishment of a permanent watch, passed 26th of March, 1836," was taken up and read a third time, and passed by the following vote, viz:

Yeas—Messrs. Black, Curling, Day, Dithridge, Getty, Kennedy, Lowry, Montooth, Reis, Scott, Shore, Smith, Young, and President—14.

Nays—Messrs. Bailes, Bissel, Funston, Gribben, Howard, McAuley, Meyer, Riddle, Spaulding, and Taylor—11.

The reference of several petitions from S. C., was concurred in, and, on motion, Council adjourned.

An Ordinance making Appropriations for the Year 1852:

SECTION 1.—Be it ordained and enacted by the citizens of Pittsburgh in Select and Common Councils assembled, That the revenue for the year 1852, arising from taxes, loans, and other lawful sources, together with all moneys now in the Treasury and not otherwise appropriated be, and the same are hereby appropriated for the purposes following:

No. 1—Interest on City Loans,	$68,000
" 2—Salaries of City Officers:	
Mayor,	$ 700
Clerk to Mayor,	200
Treasurer,	700
Solicitor,	250
Monongahela Wharf Master,	650
Allegheny,	500
Street Com'r. 1st District,	500
" " 2d "	500
Clerk of Markets,	200
High Constable,	450
City Constable,	2,000
Clerks of Councils,	500
Messengers of Councils,	200
Clerk to Committees,	200
Messengers to Committees,	150
Recording Regulator,	400
Superin't of Water Works,	1,000
Assessor of Water Rents,	700
Assessor of Taxes,	195
	$10,095
" 3—Public Printing,	1,000
" 4—Engine and Hose Companies,	7,675
" 5—City Watchmen,	11,000
" 6—City Water Works,	14,000
" 7—Cleaning Streets—1st District,	2,000
" 8— " " 2d "	1,800
" 9—Public Lamps and Lighting Sts,	9,500
" 10—Clean'g and other exp's of m'ks,	600
" 11—Monongahela Wharf,	2,200
" 12—Allegheny "	800
" 13—Contingent Fund.	4,000
	$132,670

Ordained and enacted into a law, in Councils, this 24th day of February, A. D., 1852.

THOS. M. MARSHALL,
President of Common Council.

Attest: M. W. LEWIS,
Clerk of Common Council.

ISAAC JONES,
President of Select Council.

Attest: R. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.

An Ordinance relative to the Engineer of the Lower Water Works.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the citizens of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, that so much of the second section of an ordinance, passed the 27th day of December, 1847, as requires that the Engineer shall reside in one of the dwellings at the Water Works, be and the same is hereby altered, so that the Water Committee may provide for the immediate and permanent vacation and removal of the dwelling houses in said works,—and also procure, if deemed necessary, another residence for the Engineer.

Ordained and enacted into a law, in Councils, this 23d day of February, A. D. 1852.

THOS. M. MARSHALL,
President of Common Council.

Attest: M. W. LEWIS,
Clerk of Common Council.

ISAAC JONES,
President of Select Council.

Attest: R. MORROW, Clerk of Select Council.

STEAM BOATS,

FOR CINCINNATI & LOUISVILLE.—The regular packet steamer JANE FRANKLIN, Capt. Geo. Bunsell, will leave for the above and all intermediate ports on Thursday next, the 26th inst., at 10 A. M.

For freight or passage apply on board. 5625

FOR LOUISVILLE.—The swift and new steamer JEFFERSON, Johnson, commander, will leave for above and intermediate landings on this day, at 10 o'clock.

For freight or passage, apply on board. 5625

FOR WABASH RIVER.—The fine steamer HURON J. S. McMillin, Master, will leave for above and intermediate ports on this day, at 4 P. M.

For freight or passage apply on board.

5625 J. FLACK and D. WILKINS, Agts.

FOR NASHVILLE.—The splendid, new, and light draught steamer HARTFORD, Capt. Hazlett, will leave for the above and intermediate ports on this day, at 4 o'clock, A. M.

For freight or passage, apply on board, or to

5624 JOHN FLACK, Agent.

FOR ST. LOUIS.—The fast running splendid passenger steamer ADAM, Cochran, Master, will leave for the above and intermediate ports, on this day, at 4 P. M.

For freight or passage apply on board, or to

5624 J.N. JONES, Ag't.

FOR HOCKING PORT.—The fine light draught steamer PILOT No. 5, Capt. Clark, will run as a regular packet in the Hockingport trade, leaving Pittsburgh every Tuesday evening, at 4 o'clock.

For freight or passage apply on board.

FOR LONG REACH, MARIETTA, PARKERSBURGH and GALLIPOLIS.—The splendid packet steamer GOLDEN EAGLE, Capt. Shunk, will run regularly in the above trade, leaving Pittsburgh every Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

REGULAR WEDNESDAY PACKET, CINCINNATI, Captain John Cunningham. This splendid boat was built by the owners of the Telegraph No. 3, and others, for the Cincinnati and Pittsburgh Packet trade, and will leave every Wednesday for Cincinnati.

For freight or passage, apply on board, or to

de30 G. B. MILTENBERGER, Agent.

Wheeling and Pittsburgh Packet.

THE swift running passenger packet CHRISTIANA, will leave for the above and all intermediate ports every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 10 o'clock precisely.

The WINCHESTER, Capt. Geo. D. Mccay, will leave Wheeling every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday, at 10 A. M.; returning, leaves Wheeling every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, at 4 A. M.

For freight or passage, having superior accommodations, apply on board, or to

ARMSTRONG, CROZER & CO., Acts.
Merchants' Row.

The Winchester is one of the fastest boats ever constructed for the trade. Passengers and shippers can depend on her being on the trip punctually. jan

REGULAR PITTSBURGH AND WHEELING PACKET.—The splendid new packet steamer DIURNAL, Capt. Wm. Nordrich, master, leaves Pittsburgh every Monday, (excepting Sunday,) at 10 o'clock, A. M., and returning, leaves Wheeling every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 4 o'clock, A. M. For freight or passage apply on board, or to

ARMSTRONG & CROZER, Agents.

The Diurnal is a side wheel boat, and one of the finest and fastest boats ever constructed for the trade. Passengers and shippers can depend on her continuing to do so. de30

REGULAR PITTSBURGH and WELLSVILLE PACKET.—The splendid new packet steamer FOREST CITY, Capt. A. H. Sturdevant, master, leaves Pittsburgh for Wellsville every Monday, (excepting Sunday,) at 10 o'clock, A. M., and returning, leaves Wellsville every Tuesday at 10 o'clock, A. M. The Forest City runs in connection with the Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad.

Ticket Agent, G. M. HARTON, Monongahela House.
Freight Agent, C. BARNES, No. 62 Water and 51 First street. jan

Steam Communication between New York and Glasgow.

THE Glasgow and New York Steamship Company's new and splendid steamer GLASGOW, 1,362 tons and 400 horse power, N. Stewart, Commander, is appointed to sail from New York direct for Glasgow, on Tuesday, the 9th of March next, at 12 o'clock, noon.

PASSAGE MONEY.

First Cabin (steward's fee included).....$90.
Second Cabin.....55.

No steerage passengers taken.

These rates include everything, but not wines or liquors, which will be supplied on board, at moderate prices. Carries a Surgeon.

For freight or passage apply to

J. MESYMON, 33 Broadway street, NEW YORK.

Executor's Notice.

LETTERS testamentary having been granted to the undersigned as Executors of the estate of Michael Allen, late of the city of Pittsburgh, deceased, all persons indebted to the said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment to Francis G. Ruhl, and those having claims, will present them duly authenticated for settlement, to the said Francis G. Ruhl, who is duly authorized to receive and settle the same.

FRANCIS G. RUHL,
JOSEPH ALLEN,
SAMUEL BAILEY, Executors.

Seventh Semi-Annual Trade Sale of CARRIAGES.

THIS Sale will take place on TUESDAY, March 2d, 1852, at 10½ o'clock, at the

CHINESE MUSEUM, PHILADELPHIA,

and will comprise both of the extensive saloons of that capacious building.

The large Light No-Top WAGONS will be arranged in the large Ball Room, 24 story.

The Stock of CARRIAGES to be sold on this occasion, will be the largest ever offered at Auction in the United States, embracing over One Hundred and Fifty Vehicles of the manufactory of Dunlap & Co., Hagler & Co., John Harrick, Howell Sparks, J. D. Doughty, and others of acknowledged reputation.

☞ No New Carriages will be admitted in Catalogue unless warranted by the makers that purchasers may rely upon securing a good article.

Open for exhibition the day previous.

Purchasers from a distance are informed that there will be no postponement on account of a rainy day.

ALFRED H. HERRNESS,
Auctioneer.

☞ Auction sales of Horses, Carriages and Harness are held at the Bazaar opposite to the Museum, every SATURDAY throughout the year.

The Establishment is open at all times for Private Sales of Carriages, and the stock kept on hand is believed to be the largest in the United States. fe21

To Contractors, Builders, and Others.

THE SUBSCRIBER is now prepared to take orders for SLATES delivered from his yard at Pittsburgh, or contracts for laying, finding materials, &c. All work done warranted water tight.

These Slates are of the best quality, 1 oms or imported, being from the celebrated quarries of H. Parry, Peach Bottom, York Co., Pa. For which I am agent. Having the best workmen employed, reference is given by specimens of the various buildings roofed in our city and vicinity in the past year. All work, whether new jobs or repairing, done on the most reasonable terms.

ALEXANDER LEIGHLIN, Agent,
Corner of Canal and Etna sts.
fe26:1m

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FOR A GENTLEMAN living out of the city. A horse that will be suitable for riding, safe to harness, and go fast. Enquire of

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Fantaisie.

Count Monte-Leone, the Spy in Society.

Knickerbocker Magazine, for February—price 25c.

Lafayette's great work on Modern Theories at Ninevah, abridged by him from his larger work.

Women of Christianity, exemplary for acts of Piety and Charity; by Julia Matthews.

Eclectic Magazine, for February.

Model Architect, for February.—No. 8.

Harper's Magazine, for February.

Amy Lawrence, a Romance, by the author of "Stanfield Hall."

Florence Fairville, or Self Devotion.

Ballou for Husband; by Lady Bulwer.

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Home is Home, a domestic tale.

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BY TELEGRAPH.

RECEIVED BY THE O'REILLY TELEGRAPH LINE, AND REPORTED FOR THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE.

We received, yesterday, the following dispatch from D. H. Craig, one of the gentlemen employed to report for the Pittsburgh press.

Mr. Fulton and myself appear to have been laboring under a strange misunderstanding. A letter from A. Smith, to-day, gives me the first intelligence about the difficulty. You are quite right to find fault, but surely there was no occasion for the manner of your complaint. A simple, intelligible request by letter, would have put all right immediately. After to-morrow, all your causes of complaint, so far as I under stand them, will be at an end.

CONGRESSIONAL.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.

HOUSE—The House resumed the consideration of the bill granting land and right of way to Missouri, the question being on the amendment offered by Mr. Welch to the union of the extremes of the St. Louis and Baltimore and Ohio Railroads.

The bill and amendment were debated until the morning hour had expired, when the House took up the Kossuth letter, but shortly thereafter went into Committee of the Whole on the bill explanatory of the bounty land law. After being discussed, the Committee rose and reported a bill, when the House adjourned.

SENATE.—A petition for the establishment of a navy yard and depot, with a dry dock, at Erie City, was presented by Mr. Cooper.

On motion of Mr. Downs, the memorials asking an investigation and examination of the late Board of Commissioners on claims against Mexico, were referred to a select committee of five, with power to send for persons and papers.

FROM THE CAPE OF GOOD HOPE.

BOSTON, Feb. 25.

Cape of Good Hope dates to the 31st of December have been received.

The English force has made no progress against the Caffirs, who were acting with increased audacity on the frontier.

The whole country has been flooded with heavy rains, and much property destroyed. The troops were without shelter.

A rumor of peace treaties is current, although the colonists protest against them, until the Kaffirs are humbled.

The English steamer Vulcan had arrived, with 600 additional troops. Accounts from the expedition sent into the interior of Southern Africa, represent the discovery of large rivers, fertile valleys, and powerful black tribes.

Breadstuffs at the Cape were tending downwards 6000 bbls of Flour had been received from America. Tobacco was firm, with small receipts.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 25th

The Indianapolis convention, last evening, adopted a resolution endorsing the compromise measures and intervention doctrines, but deem it contrary to sound policy for government to pledge our people to intefere or not interfere in the affairs of Austria and Hungary.

TEMPERANCE CONVENTION.

COLUMBUS, Feb. 25

The Convention met in the State House yard, the City Hall being too small. A series of 8 resolutions were adopted with great unanimity, setting forth the evils of intemperance, and substantially in favor of the Maine Liquor Law.

Able speakers addressed the convention, which at 5 o'clock adjourned.

Addresses will be delivered to-night in the City Hall and Baptist Church.

SAILING OF THE CANADA.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.

The Canada sailed to-day with 62 passengers, and $650,000 in specie.

The screw steamer Glasgow, which left Glasgow on the 7th inst, for New York, put into Halifax this morning.

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 25th.

The Whig State Convention met at Frankfort yesterday. Hon. Chilton Allen was elected by numerous vice-presidents and secretaries. Gen. Combs reported a series of resolutions endorsing the Compromise measures, and recommending Mr. Fillmore as the Whig candidate for President. Electors and assistant electors, and delegates to the Whig National Convention were appointed.

A resolution was adopted recommending the 17th of June next as the day, and Louisville as the place for holding the Whig National Convention.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25th.

The Collins' steamer Pacific sailed for Washington, D. C., to day at noon, with a large excursion party on board.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 25.

The Indiana Democratic State Convention met to-day, and nominated as tickets—Joseph H. Wright, for Governor, and Mr Willard for Lieut. Governor.

The Hon. Ethan Allen Brown died last night, at nine o'clock. He acted as one of the Vice Presidents of the Convention during the day, and died a few moments after reaching his hotel, without a struggle.

PHILADELPHIA MARKET.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 25.

Flour—The market is dull, and prices have declined 12½c. Sales 1000 bbls standard and fair brands at $4,87½.

Rye Flour—Sales of rye flour at $4,50 ₱ barrel.

Corn Meal—Is scarce. Sales 200 bbls at $3,18¾,18¾.

Grain—Wheat is in fair demand, but none coming. Sales 3000 bbls prime Penna. Red at 96c ₱ bu—a slight decline; white wheat 103a-107c; rye is in demand. Sales of 6000 bushels southern yellow corn at 65c afloat; white afloat at the same price.

Whiskey—Is firm at 24c in barrels, and 22½a-23c in hhds.

BALTIMORE MARKET.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25.

Flour—Sales of 700 bbls Howard Street at $4,25.—a further decline.

Grain—Sales at 90@91c; 102c for white wheat. White corn 56c; and yellow 57@58; rye 74; oats 37@38c.

Whiskey—Sales at 24½@25 ₱ gal.

NEW YORK MARKET.

NOON REPORT.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.

Flour—Sales of 900 bbls at $4 87@5 00 for state, and $4 93@5 12 for Indiana.

Grain—Sales of southern white wheat at 116 ₱ bu. Sales 1000 bushels of Erie at 75@76c ₱ bu.

Provisions—Sales 100 tres extra shoulders and hams at 7@8 ₱ lb. Sales of prime beef at $5@6 ₱ bbl; mess $9@12.

Whiskey—Sales 80 bbls Ohio at 23c.

Linseed Oil—Sales 1000 bbls at 62½c.

Stocks—Ohio sixes 101½; U. S. sixes 116.

EVENING REPORT.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.

Cotton—Sales of strictly mid dling Upland at 8½, Gruzes 8¾.

Flour—Sales of 5,000 bbls State at $4,87@ $5,00.

Wheat—Southern 94@95; Northern White 116c.

Pork—Sales of 200 bbls; prices unchanged; 300 tierces Mess Beef at $9@12 for good to extra Chicago Hams and Shoulders; 150 pkgs at 7@9c.

Lard—250 bbls sold at 9@9½c.

Linseed Oil—Sales of 1800 gallons at 63½c per gal.

Coffee—Sales 400 bags Rio at 10½; 500 do. Java at 11c.

Rice—Sales of 200 tes at $3,25.

Sugar—Sales 50 hhds Orleans at 4½@4½c per pound.

Molasses—200 bbls Orleans at 30c.

Tobacco—50 hhds at 4@8½c.

Whiskey—100 bbls Ohio at 23c.

CINCINNATI MARKET.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 25.

The river has risen twenty inches since last evening.

Flour is in fair demand. Sales 2,000 bbls at $3,40@3,44.

Whiskey—Sales at 14¢@15c per gallon.

Clover Seed—In good demand. Sales 200 bbls at $5,50@6,50.

Provisions are firm. Sales of 10,000 lbs Bulk Meat at 5½@6¢ for Shoulders and Sides.

Groceries—Not much done—no change.

Barley has declined to 40@45c, and very dull.

No change in freights.

CHARLESTON MARKET.

CHARLESTON, Feb. 24.

Cotton—Sales 2149 bales at 7¼@8½c. The market is ½ easier, for fair and middling fair, other descriptions firm and unchanged.

NEW BOOKS! NEW BOOKS!

W. A. GILDENFENNEY & CO. have just received a fresh supply of the following new and interesting Books, viz:

The Longcoats, or Studies of the Town; by Ike Marvel.

Dream of Life, a tale of the Seasons.

Reveries of a Bachelor, or Book of the Heart.

The Wide Wide World; by Elizabeth Wetherell.

Kossuth and the Hungarian War.

No. 1 and 2 of Putnam's Semi-Monthly Library.

The White Almanac.

Braithwaite's Retrospect of Practical Medicine and Surgery—part 24.

Power of London; by W. Harrison Ainsworth.

Subscriptions received for all the Periodicals, at W. A. Gildenfenney & Co.'s, 70 Fourth st. fe18

OX TAILS.—6 sacks landing from steamer Windsor, for sale by

fe24 ISAIAH DICKEY & CO.
Water and Front sts.

HOUSES, FARMS, &c.

Cottages to Rent.

A NEW BRICK COTTAGE, on the Allegheny side, a short distance from the Toll Gate, on the Plank Road, 3 ½ the head of Federal st. The situation commands a fine prospect, and the house is conveniently arranged—a fine sitting room, kitchen, parlor, and three good cham bers, besides two in the attic. A fine Spring House, just at the kitchen door. Also—a Stable and Carriage House, together with three acres of ground. Enquire of A. WILKINS & CO.

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UNNERY HOUSE TO RENT, with Orchard and Shrubbery, and from 10 to 20 acres of ground. Enquire of

fe24tf A. WILKINS & CO.

Coal Land for Sale.

SIXTY ACRES Coal Privilege, just above the Second Dam, on the Youghiogheny.

fe24tf A. WILKINS & CO.

PHILO HALL FOR RENT.

INDIVIDUALS, Societies and Associations can hereafter obtain the use of this convenient and well known Hall, from the subscriber.

Also for rent—several rooms in the Post Office Buildings, which are well situated and suitable for offices.

fe23 H. D. GAZZAM, 75, Liberty st

Houses To Let.

TWO comfortable Brick DWELLING HOUSES To let in the Sixth Ward, corner of Clark and Locust streets. Enquire of the subscriber, at the Methodist Book Store, 78 fourth street, or at his dwelling, 10 Clark street.

fe24tf J. L. READ.

For Lease.

THE very comfortable three story brick Dwelling, at the corner of Hand and Fayette streets, recently repaired and improved for his own occupation, by the owner

Two lots on Duquesne Way, now occupied as a board yard, situate below Hay street, near Judge Jones' lot—for lease, or for sale.

And sundry Building Lots in the City District, on perpetual lease.

Apply at his office, (141 Fourth street,) to

fe13:2w JAMES S. CRAFT.

For Sale or Rent.

THAT large Lot adjoining the Gas Works; it is 121 front on Monongahela River, and runs back 200 feet to Irwin street, and has a front on the low water mark. It would make a desirable situation for either Iron Works, Foundry or Board Yard. For further particulars enquire of

fe11 C. H. FOGGO,
No. 47 Market st.

For Rent,

FROM the 1st of April next—a three story brick Dwelling, No. 193 Second st., containing 11 rooms, with bath fixtures.

Also—the two story brick dwelling, corner of Robinson and Grant sts., Allegheny city. Enquire of

fe20:tf A. HILLIARD, Office, Fifth st., below Court House.

To Let.

THE fine three story building, No. 21 Market street, between First and Second streets. Also, the four story building on Liberty street, third door from St. Clair street, adjoining the Post Office store. Apply to

fe5:3m* J. H. SHOENBERGER & CO.

To Let,

FOR THE TERM OF TWO YEARS, from the 1st of April next, the Store Room now occupied by the subscriber, fixtures complete.

Also, a Store Room in the same square, No. 67, their fixtures complete. Possession given immediately.

fe21 R. GILMORE.
Between Diamond alley and Fourth st.

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Between Diamond alley and Fourth st.

Three desirable Dwelling Houses and Office FOR SALE.

THE three 3 story Brick Dwellings, on Second street, between Market and Ferry streets, are now for sale at private sale. They are a desirable investment, and are quite desirable residences.

Also—the Lot and four story House, occupied as a Printing Office, on Third street, between Market and Ferry sts.

And also the adjoining building and vacant ground.

The above is most desirable property, and will be sold on terms to suit purchasers. Apply to

fe26 A. W. MELLON, or
R. C. STOCKTON.

For Sale,

A VALUABLE FARM, containing about 110 Acres, situated in Baldwin township, Allegheny county, 10 miles from the Court House, on the Washington and new plank road from Sayre to Pitts ville. This property is part of the estate of the late Thomas Jamison, deceased. Possession given on the 1st of April next. Title indisputable. For further information apply to

fe24:tf A. & F. FLOYD, Pittsburgh.

To Freighters.

TO LET—One of those commodious Canal Warehouses, situated at the corner of Liberty and Water streets, owned by the subscriber, Esq. Possession given on March 1st. Apply to

ja31:tf H. BRADY WILKINS.

Dwelling To Let.

A THREE storied brick House, No. 312 Penn street, (from 1st April next,) supplied with gas and bath fixtures, situate and convenient to the business of CHARLES ROSS, formerly head of the firm of Rowan & Dawson. Sixth street, corner of Cherry alley.

For Rent,

THE three story brick Warehouse, No. 123 Liberty street, at present occupied by P. & R. King. Apply to

J. & E. FLOYD.

For Rent,

A COMFORTABLE two story Dwelling House, containing eight rooms, with Stabling, Carriage House, &c., and two acres of land in good order, planted with fruit trees and shrubbery. The house is within a few minutes' walk of the 20 mile Grove, fronting to the best order, and will be rented low to a good tenant.

Also—Two Brick Houses, on Center Avenue, in the Seventh Ward, containing four rooms each. Enquire of

fe16 JOHN WATT & CO., Liberty st.

To Let.

THE subscriber offers for rent the Store Room now occupied by Messrs. Wilbert & Davis, No. 87 Market street, Pittsburgh, as soon as the Lot of Ground in the rear of said Store Room can be vacated.

de24:tf JAMES M. SCHOONMAKER.
No. 57 Wood st.

For Sale.

A VALUABLE Real Estate, in the city of Allegheny, situated on the corner of Bank street and Cross alley, fronting 24 feet on Cross alley, and 100 feet on Bank street, with back buildings, two houses, stable, &c., all in complete repair. Terms liberal. Enquire of

fe24:tf J. SHINKLE, 84 Wood st.

To Let,

A THREE STORY BRICK DWELLING, situate on Water street, above Grant Possession given immediately. Enquire of

fe20:tf H. BEAKE, BURNS & CO.

To Let,

FOR RENT—The large four story BRICK WAREHOUSE, No. 8 Smith st., lately occupied by H. Coulter & Co. Possession given on the 1st of April next. Apply to

de23 A. & J. LLOYD,
Round Church

"Elk Horn" Saw Mill for Sale.

THIS establishment, lately finished and now in complete running order, is situated on the Monongahela river, 20 miles above Pittsburgh, in the vicinity of extensive coal works, it commands a ready sale for coal for their fleets of steamboats, &c., and as all that is not sold on the premises, the steamboats of passing and repassing, will call at the mill to receive it. It is also most favorably situated as regards the facility of shipping to all points down the river by the Monongahela. Furnished with machinery and saws of the best and most approved kinds, this Mill stands unrivalled in finish, economy of fuel, and