HOME MATTERS.

MEETING OF THE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF THE AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL SOCIETY.—The Board of Managers of the Allegheny County Agricultural Society met on last Saturday, in the Court House. Present—Messrs. Kelly, Murdoch, McKelvey, Young, Payne, Speer, Robinson, Speer (city), McFadden, McKnight, and McCabe, President.

The Secretary, Mr. Kennedy, being unavoidably absent, Robert McKnight, Esq., was elected Secretary *pro tem.*

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted; after which the Committee appointed to revise the list of premiums, and make suggestions relative to holding the next fair, &c., reported as follows:

The Committee appointed to revise the lists of articles handed in by the various committees; to affix the premiums, and make suggestions relative to the approaching county fair, beg leave to report:

That, in consequence of the greatly increased catalogue of articles to be competed for, they have, in most instances, stricken out premiums offered for second best articles.

That, as in the opinion of this Committee, most of the competitors do not desire to reap pecuniary gain from the treasury, but rather to have the distinction of exhibiting the best articles, they have in many cases offered diplomas, believing they would prove more beneficial to those obtaining the same, than money premiums; and in this connection, they would recommend, in order to promote the sale and circulation of publications of practical utility on agriculture and the fine arts, that any person to whom a money premium is awarded, may at pleasure commute the same for any horticultural or mechanical periodical, the cost of which does not exceed the prize drawn.

They further recommend that a site be at once procured for the next Exhibition, to be announced in the circulars, with the prizes, &c.

That, on the first day of the Fair, the stock and other articles be sent in before 12 o'clock, M.; that the afternoon of said day be devoted exclusively to the Committees and Judges, who shall make their decision the same evening, and announce the same on the third day, at 3, P. M.

That on the second day the fair be thrown open to visitors (at a dime each, and one dollar for a badge to admit a family) both days, from 9 o'clock A. M., to 5 o'clock, P. M., and that no articles or stock shall be received before the last named hour; and that the different Committees of this Board shall have exclusive superintendance and control over the departments severally all sited to them.

They finally recommend that if the necessary arrangements could be made, a night exhibition of the vegetable and mechanical products should be given on the evening of the second day—and that provender should be provided for the stock for two days and nights. Hay and straw at the cost of the Board. Oats &c., to be furnished at cost prices. Lists of articles and premiums are appended—numbered in their order. All of which is respectfully submitted.

HORSES.

Best blooded stallion,	$8 00
2d " "	5 00
Best stallion for heavy draught,	6 00
2d " " "	3 00
Best span work horses, carriage horses,	6 00
" brood mare for heavy draught,	5 00
2d " " "	3 00
Best " " light "	5 00
2d " " "	3 00
Best three year old colt,	4 00
2d " " "	2 00
Best two " " "	3 00
2d " " "	2 00
Best yearling colt,	2 00
2d " "	1 00
Best suckling "	3 00
" 3 year old mare colt,	4 00
2 " " "	3 00
" yearling "	2 00
" jack,	5 00
" span mules,	4 00
" mule colt,	2 00

CATTLE.

Best short horn bull, 3 yr old and upward,	$5 00
" " " bet'n 2 and 3 years,	4 00
" " " 1 year old,	3 00
" " " calf,	1 00
" cow,	5 00
" heifer, over a year old,	4 00
" " " 1 year old,	3 00
" " " calf,	1 00
" Alderney 3 year old bull,	5 00
" " " 2 " "	4 00
" " " 1 " "	3 00
" " bull calf,	1 00
" " 3 year old cow,	5 00
" " heifer,	3 00
" " calf,	1 00
" milk cow,	5 00
" yoke of oxen,	6 00
" beef cx,	5 00

SHEEP.

Best Leicester buck, diploma and	$2 00
" " ewes,	3 00
" buck lamb,	1 00
" ewe lambs,	3 00
" Southdown buck, diploma and	2 00
" " ewes,	3 00
" buck lamb,	1 00
" ewe lambs,	3 00
" Merino buck, diploma and	2 00
" " ewes,	3 00
" buck lamb,	1 00
" ewe lambs,	3 00
" Bakewell buck, diploma and	2 00
" " ewes,	3 00
" buck lamb,	1 00
" ewe lambs,	3 00
" pair fat wethers,	4 00

SWINE.

Best hog,	3 00
" sow and pigs, not less than four,	3 00
" fat hog,	2 00

POULTRY.

Best 6 fowls, thorough bred,	5 00
" 6 " "	3 00
Best 6 chicks, this year,	3 00
" 6 " "	2 00
Best 2 Cochin China Fowls,	3 00
" 2 white Shanghae "	3 00
" 2 calf'd "	3 00
" 2 white Dorking "	3 00
" 2 black Spanish "	3 00
" 2 Malay or Chitagong Fowls,	3 00
" 2 Poland "	2 00
" 2 Jersey Blue "	2 00
" fancy pair of "	2 00
" pair of wild turkeys,	3 00
" " domestic "	3 00
" " geese, foreign breed,	3 00
" " domestic "	2 00
" " ducks, foreign	2 00
" " Muscovy "	2 00
" " common "	1 00
" pair white guineas,	1 00
" " speckled "	1 00
" lot of pigeons, not less than ten,	2 00
" pair of capons,	3 00

DAIRY.

Best butter, not less than six pounds, in pints—set of six silver tea spoons.
Second best butter, not less than six pounds, prints—a butter knife.
Best cream cheese, not less than ten pounds, made not less than three months previous to exhibition—set of silver spoons.
Competitors to state in writing the treatment the milk before churning, mode of churning, and freezing the butter from the milk, &c.

CHEESE.

Best cheese, not less than 20 lbs. $2 00
Second best, do. do. 1 00
Competitors will state the process of making

HONEY.

Best box, not less than 10 lbs., $2 00
Second best, do. do. 1 00
The Honey to be taken up without destroying the bees. Kind of hive to be specified.

FRUITS.

Best 12 apples of one variety	2 00
Second best do	1 00
Best half bushel apples	2 00
Second best do	1 00
Best new seedling apples	1 00
Second best do	50
Best 12 pears of one variety	2 00
Second best do	1 00
Best half bushel pears	2 00
Second best do	1 00
Best new seedling pear	2 00
Second best	1 00
Best three kind of peaches, not less than 6 of each kind	2 00
Second best do	1 00
Best half bushel peaches	2 00
Second best do	1 00
Best half peck plums	2 00
Second best do	1 00
Best half bushel grapes	4 00
Second best do	2 00
Best dozen quinces	1 00
Second best do	50
Best half bushel dried peaches	2 00
Second best do	1 00
Best half bushel dried apples	1 00
Second best do	50
Best cultivated farm $10 and a diploma.	
Best and best variety of apples, 3 of each named and labelled by exhibitor—Diploma and Western Horticultural Review.	
Second best do do West Hort Review.	
Best cut and best variety pears "	
Second best do "	

FIELD CROPS.

Best 5 acres of wheat	5 00
Second best	3 00
Best 3 acres of oats	4 00
Second best	2 00
Best 3 acres of barley	4 00
Second best	2 00
Best 3 acres of corn	5 00
Second best	3 00
Best three acres of buckwheat	2 00
Best 3 acres of timothy	4 00
Best 3 acres of cloverseed	5 00
Best half acre of flax	3 00
Best 2 bushels seed wheat (as to weight and quality)	2 00
Best 2 bushels barley	1 00
Best 2 bushels oats	2 00
Best bushel cloverseed	2 00
Best 1 bushel timothy seed	1 00
Best lot of corn in ear, not less than 20 bu	3 00
Best bbl of flour, accompanied with statement of variety and quantity of wheat	3 00

FARM IMPLEMENTS.

For best plow with newly invented principles, and not exhibited for premiums heretofore, which on trial proves beneficial to the farmer, a premium of $5,00 and diploma will be awarded.

Best two horse plow	$5 00
" one " "	3 00
Best hill side "	3 00
" sub soil "	3 00
" grain drill "	5 00
" reaping machine	10 00
" mowing "	10 00
" corn drill	3 00
" harrow	3 00
" cultivator	2 00
" roller	2 00
" grain cradle	1 00
" " thrasher	3 00
" wind mill	3 00
" corn and cob grinder	2 00
" clover huller	2 00
" two horse wagon	6 00
" horse hay rake	2 00
" cutting box	2 00
" corn hoe	50
" manure fork	1 00
" 6 hay forks	2 00
" road scraper	2 00
" set 2 horse wagon harness, dip. and	3 00
" man's saddle	3 00
" woman's do	3 00
" two horse carriage, diploma and	5 00
" barouche, diploma and	5 00
" buggy, diploma and	3 00
" rockaway, diploma and	3 00
" set carriage harness	3 00
" buggy harness	3 00
" collection of edge tools, exhibited by manufacturer, diploma and	10 00
Best collection of farm implements, owned, used and exhibited by the farmer exhibiting them, diploma and	10 00

HOUSEHOLD MANUFACTURES.

Best four loaves of bread, diploma and	2 00
2d " do " "	1 00
Best double coverlet	3 00
2d " "	2 00
" single "	1 00
Best pair blankets	2 00
Best woolen carpet, 20 yds.	3 00
Best rag " " "	2 00
Best quilt	4 00
Best straw bonnet	1 00
Best straw hat	1 00
Best pair woolen knit stockings	1 00
Best pair woolen knit socks	1 00
Best pair thread knit stockings	1 00
Best 4 yards thread knit lace	1 00
Best 4 yards cotton knit lace	1 00
Best hearthrug	1 00
Best specimen chair cover	1 00
Best churn	2 00

For the best specimens of the following articles, diplomas will be awarded:

Brass and plated saddlery and harness mounting, surgical instruments, silver and steel table and pocket cutlery.

Electrotyping, electro plating, electro gilding, and fire do., cut glass, pressed do., stained do., window do.

Book binding, philosophical instruments, daguerrotypes, architectural carving, carving and gilding, looking-glass and picture frames.

Leather, paper hangings, perfumery, confectionary, guns, fine machinery, engineering instruments, finished brass work for air steam engines, plumber's and gas fitter's ure, steam engines, fire proof safes, lightning rods, japanished tin work, Britania ware.

Best collection of musical instruments $10
" specimen Historical painting, diploma.
" " Landscape, "
" " Portrait, "
" " Iron railing, "
" " Iron settee, "
" " Iron chair, "
" " Iron garden vase, "

STOVES, HOLLOW WARE, &C.

Best Cooking range,	$5
" Coal Cooking Stove,	3 diploma.
" Wood "	3 "
" Parlor "	5 "
" Common Heating Stove,	2
" Enamelled grates & fenders,	4 "
" Iron Mantel,	3 "
" Enamelled Hollow ware, not less than 10 pieces,	3
" Common do , 45 pcs.	2
" Best Hot Air Furnace,	5 "
" Hot Air Register,	"
" Airtight, self regulating stove	3 "

The report as above was accepted and adopted.

MESSRS. Martin, McCabe, Kelly and Moorehead were appointed a committee to procure a site for the fair, and to make all necessary arrangements for it, to report at the next meeting.

A letter was read from E S Durban, Corresponding Secretary of the Franklin Agricultural Society, asking to be informed on the best mode of holding an agricultural fair, &c.

It was resolved "that the Corresponding Secretary send to him, one of the Circulars of premiums of this Society, and give him all the necessary information."

The Honorable Moses Hampton was selected to deliver the agricultural address at the next fair.

The election of judges was, on motion, postponed for the present.

After the transaction of some other business of no general importance, the Board adjourned to meet on the second Saturday of June at ten o'clock.

J. E. McCABE, Chairman.
ROBERT McKNIGHT, Sec. pro tem.

IN PRISON.—Hugh Kirkland, the street preacher, is now in prison, charged with drawing crowds in the streets around him on the Sabbath, contrary to a City ordinance.

SELLING LIQUOR ON THE SABBATH.—Mayor Fleming on Monday, fined the proprietors of seven taverns and beer houses in the Third and Fourth Wards, Allegheny, who were convicted of selling liquor on the Sabbath.

TRAVEL.—The number of passengers, carried over the Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad, during the week ending, May 22nd, was 3,916 ;

INJURED HIMSELF.—An old man, while in a state of intoxication, fell on the cellar door of Mr. Robert King on Liberty Street, yesterday, and cut his head severely.

EARLY CLOSING.—The hardware stores in the city, will hereafter close at seven o'clock, on and after Monday next, until the month of September.

ADAM AND EVE.—These fine paintings continue to attract crowds of visitors at Philo Hall.

FALSE PRETENCES.—Complaints were yesterday lodged before Alderman Lewis, charging two persons with this offence Mrs. Mary McCurly charged a boarder with defrauding her by false representations, and John Cavagaugh, accused a horse jockey of palming off a worthless animal on him, swindling him, as he alleges, of sixty dollars.

TEMPERANCE MEETING.—The Allegheny temperance association held a meeting on Monday night in the Rev. Dr. Swift's Church, and were very eloquently addressed by Col. Wilson Mc Candless and the Rev. Mr. Pressley, of Cincinnati, Ohio.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That in view of the importance of the approaching County Convention, it is the duty of the members of this association to use their influence to elect delegates to those conventions who are reliable temperance men; and who will, if elected, pledge themselves to vote for no candidate for nomination unless he be known to be favorable to the enactment of a law similar to the "Maine Liquor Law.

A Committee, consisting of John Irwin, Jr., Alex. Cameron, and John Alexander, was appointed to prepare a memorial, and present it to the Whig County Convention, which meets on next Tuesday at the Court House, praying them to nominate none but *reliable* Temperance Men for the various offices within their jurisdiction.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY.—Adam Amson was yesterday held to bail by Alderman Parkinson, charged with striking Pallilip Weaver, a fellow workman, at Graff, Lindsay & Co's. mill, with a piece of coal.

FIGHT.—Two draymen, who quarrelled about some work, commenced fighting on Monday evening near Bingham's ware house, and both were pretty badly beaten before the bystanders interfered. One of them sued the other before Alderman Parkinson.

FIGHT.—James Houston yesterday lodged a complaint before Alderman Major against Hugh Stewart, whom he accuses of assaulting him near the terminus of the Pennsylvania Railroad, in Liberty street. A warrant was issued for his antagonist's arrest.

ALDERMAN THOMPSON had two very trifling cases of assault and battery before him yesterday.

GENERAL SYNOD OF THE ASSOCIATE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF NORTH AMERICA.

FIFTH DAY.

MORNING SESSION.

TUESDAY, May 25

The meeting was opened with prayer by the Moderator.

Minutes read and approved, and the roll corrected.

Original papers were then called for.

Dr. Rodgers presented the report of the Treasurer of the Oregon mission. Referred to committee on missions.

An appeal from Muskingum Presbytery was referred to committee on appeals.

The committee on missions reported adversely to the petition of the Associate Congregation of Newark for a supply. The report was adopted.

Synod then proceeded to the order of the day.

An appeal from the Presbytery of Chartiers, relative to a call of the Rev. D. H. A. McLean to the congregation of Chartiers. It appears that a large minority of the congregation opposed the settlement of Mr. McLean: and that the Presbytery of Chartiers condemned the course pursued by Mr. McL., and the majority of the congregation in persisting to press him upon a divided congregation, and refused to sanction a second call given by the majority to Mr. McLean.

A protest of the majority of the congregation against the action of Presbytery was read, together with an elaborate reply of Presbytery to said protest.

Rev. Mr. McLean asked to be allowed to be heard on the question. The Moderator decided that that privilege should be given him after the commissioners of the congregation had been heard.

Gen. Callahan, one of the commissioners, made a lengthy statement of the difficulties which had existed in the congregation, and argued that Presbytery had done the congregation injustice. He contended that it would be more conducive to peace that the remonstrants should separate from the majority who adhere to Mr. McLean.

Mr. MacNary, another commissioner, complained that the report of the Presbytery represented the minority as very nearly equal to the majority in numbers, and that the Presbytery, by the course it had taken, gave encouragement to the minority to hold out in their opposition to the wishes of the majority.

In answer to a question by a member, Mr. M. stated that many objected to Mr. McLean, because he was an abolitionist, and others because he was in favor of the proposed union.

At this point a question of order was raised as to the propriety of such statements.

Dr. Beveridge made a few remarks disclaiming, as a member of the Presbytery, that he had used any influence upon the matter in questions.

After some further conversation, Mr. MacNary took his seat.

Mr. Thomas Miller, another commissioner, made some remarks of like import

Rev. Mr. Wolff asked Gen. Callahan to state what were the grounds of opposition urged by the minority against Mr. McLean, but the Synod decided that the remonstrance of the minority was the best reply to that inquiry. That paper was read, but so far as we could make out it set forth no specific charge against Mr. McLean other than that he was not acceptable.

Mr. Huston, one of the remonstrants, on leave, made some statements respecting the difficulties in the congregation, and the efforts that had been made to effect a reconciliation. To the question, did any of the remonstrants leave after the vote was taken? He replied, Part of them went away, and part of them did not "

Rev. Dr. Donnan, on the part of the Presbytery, rose, but as he had opposed the action of Presbytery in the case in question, the moderator decided that he could not be heard on behalf of the Presbytery. An appeal was taken, and after a short debate, it was decided that Dr. Donnan had not the right to speak.

Rev. Alex. Murray, on the part of the Presbytery, responded to the remonstrance. He defended his own course on the ground that to settle a minister over a people in opposition to the wishes of a large minority, was not agreeable to the constitution or usages of the church.

Adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The afternoon session was opened with prayer by the Moderator.

The minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

Mr. JOHN MCDONALD, ruling elder, from the Presbytery of Richland appeared and took his seat.

Mr. WILLIAM LYTLE, ruling elder, attended in room of Mr. R. Patterson.

The regular order of business was, on motion, suspended, and the Synod proceeded to the order of the day, viz, the consideration of the basis of Union. The committee on this subject, offered the following report:

The Committee on the proposed basis of union report that in their view a prominent object for which the church has been erected in the world, is that she may exhibit divine truth and apply it to opposing error and wickedness. On this principle the Secession Church was formed when our fathers, for openly confessing the pure doctrines of the Gospel, were driven from the established church of Scotland. In adhering to, and acting on this principle, God has counselled and upheld us hitherto. On this account therefore, as well as because it has said "if any draw back, my soul shall have no pleasure in him," and because we are a covenanted Church, having come under the obligation of solemn vows that we will continue in the service of God, it will be at our peril if we forsake the way in which we have gone.

In order that we may with greater efficiency exhibit divine truth and oppose sin, we should do all in our power to have others co-operate with us. Our language to brethren should be, "Oh, house of Israel come ye, and let us walk in the light of the Lord." "Come and let us go up to the mountain of the Lord, and he will teach us of his ways, and will walk in his paths."

Though this basis of union may not be in every respect what we would desire, yet, as it is in some good measure, a faithful testimony for the truth of the scriptures as proposed by us, we judge it a sufficient basis on which to unite with all who will accept it. There appears a good degree of harmony among the Presbyteries in approving the overtured draft with some amendments, and of those whose reports have come before us, eight recommended it for adoption, two are opposed, and one is for adoption only on condition that a narrative be prefixed. In view, therefore, of the character of the basis itself, and of the mind of the church as thus expressed concerning it, we recommend the following resolutions for adoption by synod.

FIRST—That the following amendments be made: Instead of the first error condemned, in chap. 3, insert, "that God's determination from eternity to save any, was because he foresaw they would believe and persevere unto the end."

Chapter 4th, section 2nd—

6th. Erase qualities and insert "disposition and ability."

Chap. 20, section 2.—Let the condemnation of Instrumental music in the praise of God, be left out. Same section.—Instead of "not entrusted," to insert "not merely by."

Chapter 15.—Instead of the last error condemned, insert the following: "That civil governments are not to be recognised as the ordinance of God, unless owning obedience to Jesus Christ, as mediatorial King.

SECOND. Resolved, That the overtured draft as thus amended, be adopted by Synod, and presented to the Associate Reformed Church as a basis on which we are ready to unite with them and all others in full fellowship.

Remarks were made upon the report by the Reverend Messrs. Donnan, Blair, Beveridge, Anderson, Easton, Ingles, Banks, Hindman, Rodgers, McIlwee, and Wilson. The Synod adjourned at the conclusion of the latter gentleman's address, and the same subject was made the special order of the day for this evening. The session was closed with prayer by the Rev. Wm. Easton.

DISTRICT COURT.—M. Hampton, Esq., made a motion for a new trial in the case of Winslow, Lanier & Co., vs. Samuel Leonard. Reasons filed.

Before the Hon. Walter Forward.

Robert Hampton for use of Francis M. Hampton, vs. John Smithley. Verdict of $333,07 for plaintiff, defendant not appearing.

The case of Wm. Edwards vs. C. Carroll, an action of ejectment before reported, went to the jury yesterday. A verdict will probably be rendered this morning. Roberts, Eyster, and Dunlop, for plaintiff; C. O. Loomis for defendant.

Before the Hon. Judge Williams.

The case of D. Magogny vs. Monongahela Navigation Company, before reported, occupied the attention of the Court all day. The testimony was closed on both sides at the end of the session, and the several counsel will address the jury to-day.

BODY FOUND.—Some little boys playing in a pasture field of the Denny estate, near Lawrenceville, on Monday evening, found a rough box, loosely covered with dirt, which, on being opened, was discovered to contain the body of, a female infant, apparently only a few days old and which had been recently buried. The corpse was well dressed, and no marks of violence were found upon it, nor could any evidence concerning the manner of its death be elicited by the Coroner, who was called in to hold an inquest upon it. The jury returned a verdict to the effect, "that the deceased had died from causes to them unknown."

BY TELEGRAPH.

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

CONGRESSIONAL.

WASHINGTON, May 25.

HOUSE.—Mr. Hall, from the Committee of Public Lands, reported a bill giving the assent of Congress to Missouri, to impose a tax on all lands hereafter sold in said state, from and after the day of sale which was passed.

Mr. Dimery asked permission to introduce a resolution to the effect that if at the time of the liberation of Irish exiles, a national ship be in the neighborhood of Australia, the President be requested to cause a conveyance to be proffered them to this country. Objection was made, and leave refused.

Mr. Hall, from the Committee on Public Lands, to which was referred the Senate bill, granting to certain settlers on the Minneapolis purchase in the Wisconsin pre-emption rights, reported a substitute, making the pre-emption generally in all the unsurveyed lands. After a brief debate pending a motion to refer, the House went into Committee on the Invalid Pension Bill.

Mr. Bayley made a political speech; Mr. Carter, also. The Committee rose when the House passed the bills which were in Committee, viz:—Making appropriations for invalid and and other pensions. Not one word was said in debate relative to these bills. After the speeches the House adjourned.

SENATE.—Various memorials and private bills were reported. The House bill to relinquish to low creditors reserved salt springs, was passed.

The Bill authorizing the construction of railroads through the public lands in certain cases, was engrossed for the third reading.

The Deficiency bill was taken up, and an appropriation of $110,000 to pay the balance due Forsyth, Crees & Indians for services during the war of 1812, was passed. Other amendments were acted on, when the Senate adjourned.

NEW SCHOOL PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY.

WASHINGTON, May, 24.

The General Presbyterian Assembly met today, it being the fourth day of the session. After some preliminary exercises a resolution of thanks was moved by the Rev. Mr. Haskell, to the Rt. Rev. Albert Barnes, for his sermon before the Assembly, and requesting a copy for publication. This led to a spirited debate, Dr. Wisner and Duncan, and the Rev. Mr. Pollock objecting to its printing, as being unprecedented, and the sermon containing views and expressions to which the Assembly did not desire to be committed. The Rev. Dr. Smith, Rev. Dr. Hawley, Rev. Mr. Woodruff, and others, advocated the publication as due to the learned author, and as a remarkably clear and satisfactory expression of true Presbyterian dotrine.

The resolution was finally indefinitely post poned, with the understanding that the sermon is to be printed unofficially.

The addresses of the corresponding bodies were received, viz:—Rev. Mr. Ames representing Connecticut; the Rev. Mr. Carpenter, Moderators; Rev. Mr. Wallace, New Hampshire; Rev. A. H. Clapp, Vermont, Rev. Mr. Blake, Maine; Rev. Mr. Wyles, Wis.; and Rev. Mr. Dogget, New York. These addresses were very fraternal, and were handsomely responded to by the moderator, who alluded, with great force, to the ancient relations of these several ecclesiastical bodies, and reciprocated all the kind expressions received.

The Rev. Dr. Beman introduced a resolution that the Assembly procure a block of marble for the Washington Monument, to bear this inscription:—"The General Assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States, met at Washington, May, 1852;" and that each member of the Assembly give one dollar for the purpose The resolution elicited some remarks and was passed, the Rev. Mr. Eckard, Jacob Gideon and Carter Branton, Esqs., being appointed a committee to carry it into effect.

The election of delegates to foreign bodies, took place in the afternoon, the Rev. Dr. Hatfield being chosen for the General Association of Connecticut; Rev. Dr. Campbell, to Maesachusetts; Rev. A. A. Smith, New Hampshire; Rev. Silas Hawley, Maine.

The report of the Church extension was then taken up, and the Rev. Mr. Stillman, of Buffalo, moved the adoption of the first section relating to the education of the ministers. It requires each Presbytery to present the subject to all their churches, and obtain an annual contribution to find out and sustain suitable young men for education, each Presbytery to have a Standing Committee to be responsible to a standing committee of the General Assembly. This Committee shall employ a salaried Secretary, to attend to the work; each Presbytery to apply its contributions to its own candidates, and pay over the surplus to the Secretary of the Assembly Committee; the different Theological Seminaries to be requested to send up annual reports to the Assembly. The Rev. Mr. Miller defended the Report, at great length against the objections arising from fear that it would produce collisions with other bodies, or that it is sectarian.

The Rev. Mr. Hotchkin desired to know how the proposed plan differed from an Ecclesiastical board

The Rev. Mr. Noyes wished to know whether it was the design to reinvigorate the existing system, or to substitute a new one.

Dr. Duffield and other remarked the report; pending the discussion, the Assembly adjourned.

WHEELING BRIDGE CASE.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 25.

Reverdy Johnson concluded his argument in the Supreme Court to-day against Mr. Meigh-pin's Report on the Wheeling Bridge Case, and in behalf of the Company. The Court adjourned until Thursday when a decision of the question will probably be announced.

MOVEMENTS IN FAVOR OF BUCHANAN.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 25.

Movements are going on here which bid fair eventually to give Buchanan the nomination for the Presidency by the Democratic National Convention. Private caucuses are being held by his friends in sundry rooms on the Capitol with reference to this point.

NORFOLK, VA., May 25.

Commodores Skinner and Stoner, and Capts. Forrest and Boardman of the U. S. Navy, arrived here on Saturday as members of the Naval Court Martial; now holding on board the ship Pennsylvania.

MARKETS.—Cotton has farther advanced; sales at 8¼. Corn has improved; sales yellow at 56; white mixed 54.

BALTIMORE, May 25.

In the House of Delegates to day, the bill to allow the Baltimore and Philadelphia Railroad Company to bridge the Susquehanna River was referred to the Legislature at its next session.

The bill to incorporate the Baltimore and Philadelphia Railroad Company, via Westchester, and the bill to take the sense of the people of the State in reference to prohibiting the sale of Liquor, were both passed by the House of Delegates.

The First Branch of City Councils have passed a bill to loan $1,000,000 of City bonds to the Virginia and North Western Railroad Company.

BOSTON, May 25.

Advices from St. Michaels, confirm the account of an earthquake on the 16th April. In one village in the interior forty houses were demolished People aboard of vessels in the harbor felt the shock. The churches at St. Michaels shook and were considerably damaged. All parts of the island felt the shock.

The officers and crew of the John Adams and Germantown were all well.

NEW YORK, May 25.

Yesterday the Newfoundland Telegraph Company was organised under charter from the government of Newfoundland. Mr. Lopez, of Philadelphia, is President, Mr. Gisbourne, agent for the Company, proceeds to England on Wednesday to purchase sub-marine and other materials, to construct the line, which will be completed in 18 months.

CHICAGO, ILL., May 24.

The first train is through from Toledo, thus completing the Michigan Southern Railroad.

BOSTON, May 24.

This evening, on Fitchburg Railroad, at Waverly, William Sawyer, an eminent lawyer of Charlestown, with his wife and three daughters, were run over by the down train, which was running at the rate of forty miles an hour.—They were in a carriage, the driver of which attempted to cross the track as the train was coming down. The carriage was demolished, and Mr. Sawyer was instantly killed; his eldest daughter and the driver are probably fatally injured. Mrs. Sawyer's skull was so badly fractured that her brains protruded from the wound.

PHILADELPHIA MARKET.

PHILADELPHIA May 29.

Cotton—Sales 200 bales at 10@10¾ for uplands and middling fair to fair, and 11¼@11½ for Orleans.

Flour is inactive. Sales 400 bbls at $4,12. Corn Meal is quiet, but firm at $3,12 for Penna.

Rye Flour $2,25

Grain—Sales 5,000 bu prime Wheat at 102c for White Penna, and an inferior article at 96c. Sales 4,000 bu Southern Yellow Corn, in a damaged condition, at 61c.

Rye is scarce at 76c.

Oats 42@43c.

Provisions inactive. Sales chiefly to home trade. No change in prices.

Whiskey is dull.

Groceries are firm.

BALTIMORE MARKET.

BALTIMORE, May 25

Flour—Sales 1200 bbls Howard at $4,12½, at which price holders were firm; sales 400 bbls City Mills $4,12½.

Rye Flour $3,66@3,75.

Corn Meal, $3,12½.

Grain—Sales red Wheat at 96@98; white do 98@102c, and very prime, for family flour, at 103@104c. Sales white Corn at 58@59c; yellow do 60@62c.

Oats—Sales at 38@42c.

Rye 74@76c.

Whiskey in bbls 21@21½c.

NEW YORK MARKET.

NOON REPORT.

NEW YORK, May 25

Cotton—Unchanged.

Flour—Active; sales 5000 bbls State and Western at 4 06@4 25; round hoop Ohio $4 12@4 31, Southern $4 37@4 62

Grain—Wheat inasmuate; Rye buoyant, sales 25,000 bus at 75: Corn lower, sales 18,000 mixed western, chiefly at 62@63

Provisions—Pork inactive, prime $16 50, mess 18 25; pickled meats and barrelled Lard quiet. Beef active; prime $7 50; mess $10 12@10 75.

Whiskey—Scarce; 21½@21¾.

Oil—Depressed; sales 12,000 gallons at 62½ @ gal.

Stocks—Ohio Sixes, 1861, 103. Ohio Trust, 107¼

EVENING REPORT.

NEW YORK, May 25.

Cotton—The market is unchanged, a moderate business has been done at previous rates.

Flour—Sales 12,600 bbls at 4 12@4 25 for State, and 4 37@4 50 for southern.

Grain—Sales 10,000 bus Western wheat at 95; sales 50,000 mixed corn at 60@63; sales 4,000 bus rye at 75.

Provisions—Sales 360 bbls mess pork at $18@18 25, prime do $16 25@16 50. Sales 200 bbls beef at former prices. Sales 600 kegs of Lard at 9¾@10.

Coffee—Sales 900 bags Rio at 9¼.

Oil—Sales 3000 bbls Linseed at 62½@63.

Rice—Sales 300 tierces at $4 12@4 25.

Whiskey—Sales 400 bbls Ohio at 21¼.

CINCINNATI MARKET.

NOON REPORT.

CINCINNATI, May 25.

The river has fallen 12 inches since last evening, and the weather is fine.

Flour—Dull and heavy; small sales at $3,25@3,30.

Whiskey—Sales 800 bbls at 16½.

Provisions—Nothing done

Groceries—Firm with fair prices.

EVENING REPORT.

CINCINNATI, May 25

The river has fallen 15 inches since last evening. Weather fine

Flour dull and heavy; small sales at $3,20@3,23.

Whiskey is selling at 16½c.

Provisions—Sales 20,000 lbs Bacon Sides at 9½c, sales 250 bbls Shoulders and Sides at 7¼@9c, packed, and 150,000 lbs Sides at 9¾, packed.

Groceries—No new features

Cheese 6¼@6½c

Butter selling at from 10 to 12c.

Job Printing of all kinds executed at the office with neatness, and at reasonable rates.

Special attention will be given to Posters and Programmes for Exhibitions and Concerts.

Cards, Bill Heads, Bills of Lading, Circulars, Labels, Checks, Blanks &c. &c. &c. promptly printed and

WASHINGTON, Pa., Jan. 20, 1852.

MR. SAML. M. KIRK—Sir: Please let me know what you can put the PITCHER at, for me to wholesale it to some of the merchants in town. There is a quantity of Petroleum to be sold, and more wanted. Send me 12 dozen, from present appearances, it will sell rapidly.

Truly Yours, EASTMAN, TELTON & CO.

For sale by Druggists generally throughout the city. may25dtf

CANDIDATES FOR NOMINATION.

ASSEMBLY.—C. S. Eyster, of Pitt Township, will be a candidate for the Assembly—subject to the decision of the Whig and Anti-Masonic Conventions. my24tf

AUDITOR.—James McGilhenny, of Baldwin Tp., will be a candidate for the office of County Auditor—subject to the decision of the Antimasonic and Whig Conventions. my24tf

SHERIFF.—H. Large, of Mifflin township is a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Anti-Masonic and Whig Conventions, to be held on the first Wednesday in June.

my24dawtc

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.—James B. Glenn, of Upper St. Clair Township, will be a candidate for the office of Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Whig and Anti-Masonic County Conventions. my24dawtc

SHERIFF.—William Caran offers himself a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Whig and Anti-Masonic County Convention. my24dawtc

COUNTY COMMISSIONER—James Mitchell, of Peebles Township, will be a candidate for County Commissioner—subject to the decision of the Whig and Anti-Masonic Conventions. my24dawtc

CONGRESS.—Please announce the name of Joseph Knox, Esq., as a candidate for Congress, subject to the decision of the Whig and Anti-Masonic Conventions for the City and County of ALLEGHENY. A CITIZEN. my24dawtc

ASSEMBLY.—James Vincent, of North Fayette, is a candidate for nomination to the Assembly—subject to the decision of the Whig and Antimasonic County Conventions. my24dawtc

CORONER.—MR. WHITE: Please announce the name of Wm. M. White, as a suitable candidate for the office of Coroner—subject to the decision of the Whig and Antimasonic County Convention. my24dawtc A WHIG.

COUNTY AUDITOR.—John Patterson, of Lower St. Clair Township, offers himself as a candidate for the office of County Auditor—subject to the decision of the Whig and Antimasonic County Convention. my24dawtc

MR. WHITE.—Please announce the name of James S. Biddle, of Versailles, as a candidate (before the Convention) for the office of Coroner, subject to our Whig and Temperance principles. my24dawtc

MIFFLIN.

CONGRESS.—GEN. WM. LARIMER, JR., is a candidate for nomination to Congress in the 21st District, subject to the decision of the Antimasonic and Whig Convention. my24dawtc

SENATE.—Marshall Swartzwelder is a candidate for nomination for Senator, before the Antimasonic and Whig Conventions to meet in June next my14-dawtc

ASSEMBLY.—The undersigned offers himself a candidate for nomination to the Assembly—subject to the decision of the Whig and Antimasonic Conventions. my14dawtc RICHARD COWAN.

JOHN WHITE, of Sharpsburgh, will be a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Anti-Masonic and Whig County Convention. my14dawtc

CORONER.—Thomas Chadwick, of the Third Ward, Allegheny City, will be a candidate for the office of Coroner—subject to the decision of the Whig and Antimasonic Conventions. my14dawtc

COMMISSIONER.—Adam Reed, of the Borough of Tarentum, will be a candidate for County Commissioner—subject to the decision of the Whig and Antimasonic County Conventions. my14dawtc

SHERIFFALTY.—David Irwin of Peebles Tp., offers himself a candidate for the office of sheriff,