HOME MATTERS.

FIRE.—About three o'clock on Sunday morning a fire broke out in the Monongahela Livery Stable, occupied by Messrs. Albert & Gardner, and situate between First and Second sts., near Smithfield. The flames spread with unusual rapidity, and in less than an hour the building was a heap of ruins.

Messrs. Albert & Gardner lost five fine horses, four hundred bushels of oats, three tons of hay, a lot of harness, three wagons and three saddles.

John Little, of Second street, lost a horse, which he had at livery, worth $125.

John Musgrove lost a horse and a set of harness. He was also compelled, from his proximity to the fire, to remove his household furniture, which is very much damaged. Insured in the Citizen's Co. for $500—loss not known.

The second story of the building was rented by Mr. J. McDonald Crossan, proprietor of the Monongahela House, as a sleeping apartment for the servants engaged in that establishment.—His loss will reach $500. The servants were all asleep when the fire broke out, and had barely time to escape with their lives. They lost a great part of their clothing in the confusion attending their escape.

Robert Schmertz had his household furniture considerably damaged by removing it. Insured in the Pennsylvania Company for $600—loss $100.

The building was owned by Messrs. Lyon, Shorb & Co. Insured in the Western for $3,000, which will probably cover the loss.

EXTENSIVE ROBBERY.—Saturday afternoon, between the hours of twelve and five o'clock, some person entered the office of William Bingham & Co., during the absence of the clerk, and took from a drawer in the desk a book containing some twenty promissory notes for sums amounting to several thousand dollars, together with six dollars in counterfeit money, and two checks for some thirty dollars. The payment of the checks has been stopped, and a reward of $50 is offered for the recovery of the papers, which can be of no use to any one save those to to whom they rightly belong.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY.—John Fitzsimmons appeared before Alderman Parkinson, yesterday, and made information charging John Miller with assault and battery. The defendant is baggage agent for the Excelsior Omnibus Company, and having a difficulty with Fitzsimmons about the "Know Nothings," whose cause he advocated, he struck him under the eye, inflicting a serious wound. A warrant for Miller's arrest was issued.

ARRESTED AND DISCHARGED.—Ralph Hutchinson, the individual whom we noticed some days as having deserted his wife and eloped with her mother, was arrested on Saturday by officer Ros, of the Mayor's police, and locked up in the toombs till yesterday, when he had an examination before the Mayor. His wife refusing to prosecute, the Mayor was reluctantly obliged to discharge the prisoner.

COMMITTED.—John M'Henry was committed to jail yesterday by Alderman Major on a charge of committing an assault and battery on J. Zimmerman.

SEE HOME.—The Westmoreland county prisoners, who have been confined in our jail for some weeks, were sent to Greensburg, yesterday, to attend the Court of Quarter Sessions, which opened there on Monday.

ACCIDENT.—A boy named Thomas Hendrick fell from a window in the second story of his father's house yesterday, and fractured his thigh bone. He is about twelve years of age and resides in the 5th Ward.

THREATENING LANGUAGE.—Anne Baker appeared before Alderman Parkinson, yesterday, and made oath stating that Jeremiah Cooper had threatened her life. A warrant for Jeremiah's arrest was issued.

THE BAPTIST CHURCH.—The Rev. Mr. Williams spoke in this church on Sunday to a moderate congregation. There was no distinct and the gentleman's sermon was listened to with great attention.

WARRANT ISSUED.—Alderman Parkinson, yesterday, issued a warrant for the arrest of Elizabeth Schlier, charged with committing an assault and battery on Christian Peters. The parties live in the 5th Ward.

The Camp Meeting at Hill Side was largely attended on Sunday.

SIX LOTS FOR SALE, situate on Centre Avenue, 40 feet front by 150 deep to a 21 ft. alley; also, 4 lots, each 22 ft. front by 76 deep. For price and terms, apply at the Real Estate office of
C. H. MELLON, 84 CHERRY ALLEY.

ELLIOT'S HISTORY OF LIBERTY.—History of Liberty, past and present. Part II. The Early Christians, by Samuel Elliot, a new edition, in 4 vols. 8vo. 'cloth and for sale at the Wholesale and Retail Book and Paper Warehouse of
J. M. KAY & CO., 51 Wood st.

PEARL ASH.—10 casks Pearl Ash, in store for sale by
jy20 R. DALZELL & CO.

PROPERTY IN THE VILLAGE OF FAIRVIEW FOR SALE—¼ acre of ground, with a dwelling 32 feet square, containing eight rooms, well suited for a public or private residence; fruit trees in abundance, and every thing in excellent order. The property is situated two miles and a half from the Point, immediately opposite Farmer's Station of the Allegheny Valley Railroad. Price low and terms very easy. Apply to
jy26 W. H. BUTTON.

MINERAL WATER—Congress, Bedford and Blue Lick ree'd direct from the spring, by
jul1 JOS. FLEMING.

30 BBLS. LINSEED OIL in store and for sale by
aul1 J. R. CANFIELD.

MOLASSES—200 bbls. for sale by
aul1 R. DALZELL.

MESS PORK—30 bbls. for sale by
aul1 J. R. CANFIELD.

BACON—2000 lbs. Hams, Sides and Shoulders, for sale by
aul1 J. R. CANFIELD.

BEANS—50 bbls. small white for sale by
aul1 J. R. CANFIELD.

FISH—25 bbls. White Fish;
25 half bbls. White Fish; 20 bbls. Trout;
20 do Trout; 20 do No. 3 large Mackerel;
40 bbls. No. 3 medium Mackerel;
25 do do small do;
30 ¼ do medium do, for sale by
aul1 J. R. CANFIELD.

CHEESE—400 boxes for sale by
aul1 J. R. CANFIELD.

BLIND TRIMMINGS and Fastenings at
aul4 W. McCLINTOCK & BROS., 112 Market st.

GOODFARM FOR SALE, of 43 acres, with a good frame house of 4 rooms and cellar, and front porch, a good spring house, with double barn and stable, wagon shed, corn crib, and pigeon cote, orchard with abundance of apples, pears, peaches, &c; 30 acres in cultivation, 10 acres timber, balance in pasture; situate 3 miles from M'Keesport, near the Youghiogeny river. Price $1,200. Terms, $600 in cash, balance in 2 and 3 years.
A. CUTHBERT & SON,
aug2 Real Estate Arts., 140, 34 st.

EGGS—6 bbls. this day rec'd and for sale by
aug2 HENRY H. COLLINS.

SOAP—25 bxs. Palm Soap just rec'd and for sale by
aug2 HENRY H. COLLINS.

TO CAPITALISTS—On hands some first class Bond and Mortgages; City and County Compm Bonds; Business and Accommodation paper, all of which offered at reduced rates. Apply to
B. McALLY, 84 Fourth st.

FOR SALE—16 shares U. S. R. R. Stock; 20 shares North American do;
15 do Pitts'g, Cin. and Louisville Tel. do, by
aug1 J. H. KING, Stock and Ex. Broker.

HIGHEST market price paid, in par funds, for old American Half Dollars, Mexican and Spanish Dollars, Crowns and Five Franc pieces, by
aug1 H. D. KING, Stock and Ex. Broker.

TWO HOUSES FOR SALE—$2,800 for 26 ft. front, on Washington st. by 155 deep, near Penna. Avenue, with a brick house, well finished, 8 rooms, cellar, &c; also, a frame house of 4 rooms, front east.
aug1 A. CUTHBERT & SON, 140, 34 st.

FOR SALE OR RENT—A Frame House and Lot, situated on Margaret Alley, Allegheny City; house contains 8 rooms and has finished cellar, pump, &c; lake oven and hydrant. Rent $7 per month. Price $500.
aug1 E. M'LAIN & SON, 21, 5th st.

MACKEREL—In bbls. and half bbls; No. 1 and 2 Mass. inspection, for sale by
aug1 W. H. BUTTON, No. 12 Wood st.

COFFEE—50 bags Rio Coffee in store and for sale by
aug1 S. HARBAUGH & CO.

CURLED HAIR—10 bales in store for sale by
aug1 S. HARBAUGH & CO.

BACON—8 bbls. Bacon Sides in store and for sale by
aug1 S. HARBAUGH & CO.

FISHING BOOTS, of various sizes, for sale at the India Rubber Depot, No. 116 Market st.
jy12 J. & H. PHILLIPS.

COLLECTING RENTS, superintending the letting of buildings, procuring best tenants, and all other business, directly or indirectly connected with tenants, buildings and land attended to also, loans negotiated, buildings insured, business partners procured, houses bought and sold, at the Real Estate Office of
A. CUTHBERT & SON, 140, 34 st.

CIGARS—Cuba, Cuba and Seed, Florida and Seed, Half Spanish and Common, for sale by
jy22 W. H. BUTTON, No. 12 Wood st.

SWISS MUSLIN—Plain and figured, for dresses and mantillas, &c; an assortment received at store 3, jy22 MURPHY & BURCHFIELD.

MULLS & NANSOOKS.—Striped and plain; Jackonets, plain, plaid and striped; White Brilliantes, a new and beautiful article; a supply of these goods received at store of MURPHY & BURCHFIELD.

INDIA WASH SILKS, at Low Prices.—We have rec'd a lot of India Wash Silks, at the low price of 50 cts. per yard. Also, an assortment on hand of the best imported, at prices low for quality.
MURPHY & BURCHFIELD.
jy6

WELSH FLANNELS—Murphy & Burchfield continue to keep an assortment of the genuine Welsh Flannels, or Dentrabs on account of their unshrinkable quality; also, a full assortment of American Flannels. They have also rec'd a supply of Economy White Flannels and Plaid Domestic do. aug1

PURE COD LIVER OIL—Baker's genuine Cod Liver Oil, by far the best article now in use. Those using Cod Liver Oil would do well to give this a trial and be convinced of its superiority over all others. Just rec'd this day by
jy8 JOS. FLEMING.

BACON—Hams, Shoulders and Sides for sale by
jy24 BELL ALLIGOTTI.

300 PCS. more of those fine Lawns and Muslins, selling at one half the usual price.
jy24 A. A. MASON & CO., 55, 4th st.

FINE BERAGES, Tissues, DeLaines, &c., at a great reduction from usual prices.
jy26 A. A. MASON & CO., 55, 4th st.

LEMONS AND ORANGES just rec'd per Adams & Co.'s Express, for sale by
jy24 H. KING, Stock Broker, 84 Fourth st.

WALL PAPER—Just rec'd the first invoice of the Fall Season, an assortment of the Fashionables, Philadelphia Manufacture. The pattern are new colors, brilliant, and elegant. Every and at reduced prices, for sale by THOS. PALMER, 55 Market st.

BY TELEGRAPH.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 21.—New Orleans papers of Monday are received. There were 57 deaths at the Charity Hospital for the week ending on Saturday; 27 were of yellow fever.

Three deaths occurred at Savannah last week from yellow fever.

A card appears in the Washington papers announcing an amicable settlement of the difficulty between Mr. Riggs of Washington and Mr. Bottle of North Carolina.

The yellow fever was prevailing to a limited extent at Charleston and Savannah.

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 19.—Cotton firm, unchanged; sales moderate. Wool without material change; sales 100,600 lbs. Printing cloths unchanged; sales 45,800 pieces.

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—A block of storehouses, stores, &c., on Main street, Chatham, Canada West, was burnt on Wednesday. Also the bridge across the Thames. The loss is estimated at $50,000.

BOSTON, Aug. 21.—Orr, the Angel Gabriel, was arrested, at Charlestown, yesterday, on an old charge of disturbing the peace and lodged in jail. A rescue was talked of but not attempted.

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—The Tribune's Paris correspondent states that soon after the revolution in Spain broke out, Mr. Soule left Madrid on a journey of pleasure to the Pyrennes; his son was dispatched to Paris and London with some dispatches for the legation in those cities and also for Washington. Mr. Soule, since Espartero has come into power, has no hopes of a favorable settlement of the Cuban question, unless aided by decisive measures on the part of the Government at Washington. He does not believe the Queen can hold the power long and has strong faith in the ultimate success of the Republicans. Of course no proposition has been made by the Spanish government to sell Cuba, and it is not anticipated that under present circumstances any will be made.

BOSTON, Aug. 20.—An encounter took place yesterday between Mr. Barry, one of the publishers of Life in Boston, and a Mr. Simmons; pistols and other weapons were used freely. Mr. Barry received some dangerous wounds, but made his escape.

The police visited most of the places where liquor was sold, to-day, and notified them that they will be prosecuted.

EASTON, Pa., Aug. 21.—The Democratic county meeting held here to-day, was largely attended, and very harmonious. Strong resolutions passed in favor of the State and National administrations, and the Nebraska and Kansas Bill. The meeting was addressed by Senator Brodhead and others.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Aug. 21.—A dispatch from Savannah, says there were only three deaths from yellow fever to Thursday last, since the disease increased. It is not epidemic, and there is no alarm. The weather is cool.

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—A row of dwelling houses at Williamsburg, N. Y., was burnt on Sunday. It was inhabited by poor families. In one, where the fire originated, Mrs. Ann Fagan, Patrick Pinkman and Edward M'Manils perished in the flames. A man named Joseph O'Harn was arrested for setting fire to the house. A rumor has been circulated that he had had a quarrel with the family and threatened to set them on fire.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 18.—The receipts of cotton for the week were 2500 bales; the stock exclusive of shipboard, was 29,000 bales. Flour dull at $7,50@$7,65. Corn firm at 55@63. Pork firm with upward tendency; Mess $18. Lard firm with upward tendency; in kegs 12¼. Rice firm at 5¼@6¾.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug 21.—Flour firm; the only sales reported were small lots for home consumption at $8,50@8,75 for common and good brands and $9@9,50 for choice lots and extra fancy lots higher prices. Rye Flour scare. Corn meal unchanged. sales 400 bbls old Penn's at $3,37½. Wheat in good demand, prices advanced 2@3c per bushel; sales 5000 bush good and prime new Southern and Penn'a red at $1,65@1,67, infrior at $1,60; white $1,67@1,80, as in quality. Rye in demand at $1,06. Corn scarce and wanted; sales 2000 bush yellow at 81@82c, sclosing at the latter rate, which is an advance. Whiskey scarce, small sales at 36@37.

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—Cattle—A large supply of a fair average quality; prices a shade lower; inferior $6,50@7; fair $7,00@7; extra $10; some Ohio corn fed at $4,75@4,93; still fed $4,50@4,75. Flour advanced 12@25c for low and medium; sales 6500 bbls, half to arrive, state interior to good at $8,12@8,75; good Ohio $9,25@9,87; southern advanced 12@25, sales 2500 bbls at $8,75@9,25. Wheat, prices a trifle higher; sales 16,000 bush red Missouri at $1,87, white Missouri $2,05. Corn, an active speculative demand, sales 7500 bush Western mixed at 82@84. Whiskey firm, prices a trifle higher, sales 150 bbls. Pork, sales 600 bbls mess at $13,50; prime $11,12@11,25. Beef unchanged a limited business at previous rates. Cut meats firm, good demand. Lard firm with upward tendency; sales 500 bbls lin. Ohio butter 14@18. Iron firm at $39 to $41. Stocks heavy, money unchanged; Ohio sixes 106¾; Erie 89¾; Reading 64¾; Michigan, Southern, 93; Cleveland and Toledo 74¾.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 21.—Grain active, Wheat advanced from 5 to 10 cents. Corn 3 to 4. Purchasers are buying Wheat for the Penna. mills, but the farmers will not sell at the present prices. Flour firm, no sales; sales for delivery on the 1st September City Mills, $7,50.

COMMERCIAL.

COMMITTEE OF ARBITRATION of the Board of Trade for August.—Wm. R. Brown, V. P.—David E. Park, Wm. Bell, Wm. Bingham, W. B. Copland.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE,
Tuesday Morning, August 22, 1854.

FLOUR—sales on the wharf of 50 bbls. superfine at $5,75, 50 do. at deliv. at $5,62; and 24 do at $5,62; from store, 50 bbls. superfine at $5,75, and 25 do. extra at $6,50. The feeling in the market was one of caution and general disinclination to operate, in expectation of further advance.

GRAIN—sales on the wharf of 500 bus. Ear Corn at 74, to arrive; 50 bus. Oats at 40; 200 bus. Oats at depot at 45 and 100 do. at 44. Barley, a sale of 100 bus. foom store at 80.

SUGAR—a sale of 25 hhds. fair at 5—half cash, other half four mos.

WHISKEY—an active demand; sales of 116 bbls. rectified in lots of 10 bbls. at 30.

BACON—sales of 15,000 lbs. city smoked Shoulders at 6¾, sixty days; 2,500 lbs. Hams at 9¾, and 5,500 lbs. do. at 9¾@10; 3,000 lbs. Shoulders and Hams at 6¾ and 10¾, cash; 1,000 lbs. and 5 tcs. Sugar-cured Hams at 11¾.

CHEESE—sales of 50 bxs. Western Reserve at 9, cash.

LARD—sales of 15 kegs at $18@$24 ⅌ ton.

RICE—a sale of 5 tcs. at 5, cash.

POWDER—sales of 300 kgs. F at $3, cash, par freights.

NAVAL STORES—a sale of 240 bbls. Rosin at $2,75, cash.

GERMAN CLAY—sales of 10 tons at $40, four mos.

ASHES—a sale of 15 bbls. Caustic Soda Lye at 2¾ ⅌ ⅌.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

The market is flooded with Indiana Free Bank paper, and other currency is rarely seen. This paper is flowing in from the country in perfect torrents, and we presume it is going home just about as fast. The customers of these banks that refuse the notes of the Indiana Free Banks experience a good deal of inconvenience in transacting their business, and there is consequently a good deal of complaint. Upon the whole, matters are very much unsettled, and money borrowers feel the effect of this. The outside offerings have increased, and rates of interest in the street are now ranging from 15 to 24 ⅌ cent. Eastern Exchanges advanced again to-day, and we now quote Bankers' checks at 1¼ premium for mixed currency, Ohio or Kentucky currency, which is worth a premium of ¼@⅜; would purchase it for less. New Orleans Exchange is nominally ¼ discount buying, and per ⅌% premium selling.

In the general markets, we have not much that is new to notice. Flour was higher again to-day. The supplies do not increase, and the presence of buyers from the northern part of the State stimulates prices. In the neighborhood of Urbana and Mansfield, the Wheat crop was almost an entire failure, and Flour was purchased in this market to-day to go to the latter place. Wheat has advanced to $1,60@$1,65. Corn is now selling at 55c. Early Potatoes are retailing briskly at $1 ⅌ bushel. There will be a great scarcity of late stocks, not only in this vicinity, but throughout the West. The Provision market is about at a standstill. We quote Bacon at a trifle lower than last week. The accounts continue to come in more favorably for Corn. A gentleman from Ashtabula informs us that they have been comparatively well favored with rain in that vicinity, and that two-thirds of a crop will be made.

A letter from Rushville, Ill., dated August 11th, says the Corn crop will not yield to exceed half a crop, and the quality will be inferior in which case it will be unpopular. The potato crop will be almost a total failure.—Chi. Gaz.

The Louisville Journal says: "The Indiana ⅌ cent. stock is now at or near par: hence we conclude that the issues of all free banks in Indiana that are secured by pledge of Indiana Bank stock, are now as good as gold. Our citizens will not be willing to receive the notes of these institutions."

Nearly all the Indiana stocks in market have been taken up and deposited as security. The nominal value is therefore nearly gone; but it is very doubtful if there are considerable portion of the stocks now held by the Auditor of State were forced upon the market, their value would not be "at or near par." This is a point upon which the public should not be deceived.—Chi. Gaz.

CINCINNATI MARKET, August 19.—FLOUR AND GRAIN.—Flour was again higher to day, but the sales were limited, family remaining nominally at $7,50@$7,75. Wheat has further advanced and we now quote it at $1,60@$1,65. Corn is firmer, 50 and 60 cents per bbl. for the three classes of freight. Freight is shipped through as low rates to Philadelphia in the West. Apply to
W. R. COURTNEY, Master of Transportation.
Pittsburgh, July 22, 1854.

RIVER INTELLIGENCE.

STEAMBOAT ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

ARRIVED.
Jesse Lazear, Anawalt, Brownsville.
Exchange, Clark, Brownsville.
Aquilla, Hendrickson, West Newton.

DEPARTED.
Jesse Lazear, Anawalt, Brownsville.
Exchange, Clark, Brownsville.
Aquilla, Hendrickson, West Newton.

RIVER.—On yesterday evening there was one foot six inches water in the channel and falling.

MACKEREL—Large No. 3 Mackerel, 1854, Massachusetts inspection, in bbls. and half do in store and for sale by
jy22 W. H. BUTTON, No. 12, corner Wood and Front sts.

FINE OLD MAGLORY COGNAC BRANDY.—A small quantity of this superior brand of Cognac Brandy, vintage of 1822, for sale by the bottle, by
W. H. BUTTON, No. 12 Wood street.

OLD MONONGAHELA RYE WHISKY, for sale by the bbl., gallon or bottle, by
jy22 W. H. BUTTON No. 12 Wood st.

SABBATH SCHOOL BOOKS—A supply of all the New Books of the Month, for sale by the American S. S. Union, just rec'd at DAVISON'S Book Store, 65 Market st., near 4th.
jy24

CHEESE—100 bxs. rec'd per C. & P. R. R. and for sale by A. & A. McBANE, 114, 24 st.

BACON—Hams, Shoulders and Sides in store and for sale by
A. & A. McBANE.

BURLINGTON HERRING—An extra article, for sale by
LAVELY & PAXTON.

BACON—300 Bacon Sides for sale by
jy10 HENRY H. COLLINS.

FISH—128 half bbls. White Fish;
10 bbls. White Fish; 53 ½ bbls. White Fish;
11 do Trout; 10 do do Pickerel, for sale
by HENRY H. COLLINS.

SUNDRIES—2 bbls. Lard;
11 bbls. Grease; 14 sacks Feathers;
1 cask Ginseng, to arrive and for sale by
jy14 ISAIAH DICKEY & Co.

400 BBLS. LOUISVILLE LIME for sale low by
jel5-lm J. & W. REA, 74 Water st.

SUPER FINE OLIVE OIL—6 doz. of the pure Tuscan Olive Oil, for table use, rec'd this day.—Those in want of an excellent article can procure it at
jy10 JOS. FLEMING'S, cor. Diam'd Market st.

HAGAN & AHL invite the attention of the Ladies to a new arrival of choice Embroideries, viz: Swiss Worked Sponcets;
" " Sleeves;
" " Collars;
Jackonet Collars, all grades. No. 91 Market st. F3

WAVERLY NOVELS, complete in 27 vols; also, 12 vol. and 5 vols. bound in various styles, for sale by
KAY & CO., 55 Wood st.

MAPLE SUGAR & MOLASSES—7 kegs Maple Molasses of 5 gallons each;
200 lbs. Maple Sugar, in cakes just rec'd on consignment and for sale by
je6 W. A. McCLURG.

BACON—15,000 lbs. ass'd in store and for sale low to close consignment.
jy18 ISAIAH DICKEY & CO.

LARD OIL—40 bbls. No. 1 Summer Strained on consignment for sale by
jy13 J. SCHOONMAKER & CO.

PIG IRON—150 tons Springfield Furnace;
100 do Laurel do do, for
jy13 sale by McGILLS & ROE.

BACON—10 casks Sides;
5 casks Hams; 5 casks Shoulders, for sale by
jy13 McGILLS & ROE.

EXTRA OLD GOV. JAVA COFFEE—A few bags very superior rec'd by W. A. McCLURG.

NEW MACKEREL—20 bbls. No. 3 Mass. inspection; 20 half bbls. No. 3 large Mass. inspection, to arrive and for sale by
jy22 W. HUTTON, No. 12, corner Wood and Front sts.

SUGAR—6 hhds. N. O. in store and for sale by
jy4 J. R. CANFIELD.

STRIPED & PRINTED LINENS, for boys and children's wear, rec'd by
jy20 MURPHY & BURCHFIELD.

WANTED—A Young Man who can come well recommended, and who understands the Grocery Business.
L. O. GRAFF, cor. 2d and Ross sts.

PRODUCE—50 bbls. small white Beans;
200 bus. Dried Peaches; 30 bus. Dried Apples, for
jel2 sale by R. ROBISON & CO.

STEWART & KILGORE,
MANUFACTURERS OF
COOKING, HEATING,
AND
FANCY STOVES,
GRATES, FENDERS,
Pipes, Boxes, and Foundry Castings of all kinds.
OFFICE AND WAREHOUSE,
No. 257 Liberty St., corner of Hand,
PITTSBURGH, PA.

NOTICE—The subscribers will receive proposals for furnishing their Rolling Mill, known as the "Lorenz Iron Works," at Girty's Run, on the Allegheny river, with Coal for one year, from the first of August next: the quantity required will be from 1,500 to 2,000 bus. per day. Address
LORENZ, STEWART & CO.,
jy24-2w No. 69 Water st.

Great Semi-Annual Sale of Carpets.
CARPET WAREHOUSE,
NO. 112 MARKET STREET, PITTSBURGH.
W. M'CLINTOCK & BROS.
HAVING commenced our sale of Carpeting, Oil Cloths, &c., we have the pleasure to announce to our friends and the public that we are now selling off our present stock at reduced prices, to make room for the Fall Importations. We invite those wishing to furnish Hotels, Houses, or Steamboats, to call and examine the largest and best stock West of the mountains, as we are determined to sell cheaper than can be purchased for cash in the Eastern cities. Our stock comprises in part the following, viz:
Royal Velvet Pile Carpets; Damask Venitian Carpets;
Brussels do do; Plain do do;
Imperial Ingrain do do; Stair do do;
Extra Imperial 3 Ply do do; Hemp, List and Rag do do;
Superfine do do; Chamble and Tufted Rugs;
Fine do do; Canton and Coco Matting;
Patent Tapestry Ing'n do do; Sheepskin, Adelaid & Coco do do;
Superfine do do; 4 Stair do do;
Fine do do; Stair Rods;
Common do do; Piano and Table Covers.
Also, Oil Cloths, 3-4, 4-4, 5-4, 6-4 and 8-4, and 12, 18 and 24 ft. sheets of every style and colors; Gold Bordered Window Shades, Trimmings, &c. Having the largest and best stock in the Western Market, we feel confident that we can please the most fastidious. Remember the place to get great bargains, 112 Market st., near Liberty.
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SEMI-ANNUAL SALE.
A. A. Mason & Co.,
NO. 55 FIFTH STREET.
Will open their next great
SEMI-ANNUAL SALE
OF DRY GOODS,
On Thursday, June 15th, 1854.
This Sale will be found to be the largest and most attractive they have ever held.
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STRAW GOODS—1854.
THOS. WHITE & CO. No. 41 South 2d street, Philadelphia—Splendid new establishment—New Goods—Large and unequalled assortment. Inability

Valuable Property for Sale.

THE HOUSE situated on the North-East side of the Diamond, and known as Lindsay's Exchange. The lot is one hundred and twenty feet in depth by twenty wide, and has a two story brick tenement for terms and other particulars, apply to
jy20-tf GEO. F. SMITH & CO., 54 Wood st.

CONTINUATION OF THE
GREAT SEMI ANNUAL SALE OF
A. A. MASON & CO.,
And still further continued, commencing on THURSDAY, July 20th, and continuing through the month of July.
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Notice to Shippers.

THE Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad Company are prepared to receive Freight with promptness and dispatch. Through freight is carried from Pittsburgh to Philadelphia in seven hours, and there are two competing lines from Crestline to Cincinnati, so that shippers may rely upon the prompt forwarding of their goods. Rates are as low as any other route. Freight taken at any hours, 100 bbls Flour.
Passenger.—The market is firm, but we hear of no sales, buyers not being disposed to accede to the views of holders.
WHISKEY.—Sales of 90 bbls from Miami Canal, and 400 do from Hiram at 34c and 100 do from Wacousta at 33½. The market is very firm, and prices buoyant.
CHEESE.—A sale of 90 bxs at 8¾. There is very little now in market, and prices are further tending upward.
BUTTER.—Sales of 4000 lbs common to good, in bbls. at 11 to 12½. The supply is very light.
St. Louis Market, August 16.—We notice a further advance in Wheat; prime red selling to day at $1 25, exclusive of sacks. Whiskey sold at 31c, and at the close still inclined higher.
TOBACCO—Bulletins doing in this article. Prices tending upward.
HEMP.—Sale to day of 36 bales undressed at $122 50, 4 months, in private terms. Small lots selling on orders, chiefly for Kentucky, at $120 to $125, cash.
COTTON.—Sale of 100 bbls superfine country at 8½ 25 cts at $6 25; 200 extra country private. Demand light at $6 for country superfine; $6 50@7 for extra.
WHEAT.—Receipts for the week, 16,000 bushels.
PROVISIONS.—Sale of 25 bbls clear pork at $12; more held at $13 ⅌ barrel. Lard in bbls and tcs at 9¼@9½c. No sales of any note reported.
BACON.—Sale to day of 15 bbls clear pork at $12; more held at $13 ⅌ barrel. Lard in bbls and tcs at 9¼@9½c. No sales of any note reported.
BACON.—Sale to day of 250 bbls country Hams at 10c. Prime shoulders quoted at 7c; sides 9c. Sales of 10 tcs packed and canvassed from 9½ to 10½, as in quality.
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Rumors are afloat in regard to cashiers in Banks in the City. One establishment is said to be winding up its business as rapidly as possible, for the purpose of withdrawing the notes from circulation, and previous to a failure. Let the stockholders. Another is not in a flourishing condition, and it is believed to be leaning through the aid of some parties. We refrain from particularizing names at present, but may be expected of day or two since, affecting the credit of a leading Bill broker, extensively engaged in the trade. The difficulty, as we understand it, originated in the drawing of a check in favor of a party, who, it is said, should not present it at the Bank for payment until the following day; but the transaction was so far completed in the hands of a notary, with instructions to protest in case it was not honored. A temporary withdrawal of the funds of the house was the immediate cause of the difficulty, and apparent bankruptcy; but the condition of affairs is not known to be desperate. Nothing could be more unfortunate which precipitated events and occasioned the recent rumors.

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The demand for Money is increasing, while capitalists are more disinclined to invest in commercial Bills or Stocks. The Southern and Western trade is exceedingly backward, and payments from those quarters not so prompt as in previous years. It will be found that purchases made in the beautiful Ides of March last Spring, and they are somewhat embarrassed in consequence. Our own jobbers and importers are thereby subjected to some inconvenience through the want of prompt payments from the interior.

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