PITTSBURGH:

FRIDAY MORNING, MAY 25, 1855.

REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN SYNOD.—SECOND DAY.—Synod met on Thursday morning at 9 o'clock in Allegheny and was opened with prayer.

A paper was received from members of the Muskingum and Irvil congregations. Referred to the Committee on Discipline.

Rev. J. Chrystie reported the following minute respecting the death of Dr. Willson.

"We have to record with unfeigned sorrow the decease of our distinguished father and brother in the ministry, the Rev. Jas. R. Willson, D. D., who departed this life, Sept. 29, 1853, at Coldenham, State of N. Y., to which place he had removed shortly before his death. It was endeared to him as the scene of many years of his life in the ministry, where several members of his family and many souls of his ministry slept in Christ, and there he died. His name among us as an able minister of the Gospel of Christ, and as Professor of Theology for many years, and as an earnest advocate of Messiah's throne and dominion over the church and nations, will long remain intimately and honorably connected with the history of the Reformed Presbyterian Church; and that he loved the house of God—that Jerusalem was his chief joy; that he has won for himself a good and great name in preserving and perpetuating the testimony of Jesus in a period of great conflict and defection; that his greatest happiness and his greatest troubles were in the service of our Lord,—are things evident and conspicuous in his long and laborious life and his peaceful and hopeful death. Gratefully remembering the grace that was eminent in him, and often bright and shining, we confidently and cheerfully record our persuasion that he is gone to a crown of life, the ever and certain recompense of the faithful unto death."

Rev. T. Sproul reported the following respecting the decease of Rev. Moses Roney:

"Our highly esteemed brother was removed from the church below on the morning of July 3d, 1854. His death though for some time apprehended on account of the presence and progress of pulmonary disease, sent off sorrow throughout the church, as the mournful intelligence was spread. Now, for the first time since he entered the ministry, is his place in the supreme judicatory vacant. His long and severe affliction was born with patience and resignation. His master prepared him for a happy change and then gave him an honorable dismission, while it seemed to be more needful for us that he should abide in the flesh. For him, we have no reason to doubt, 'to die was gain.'"

The order of the day—reading of Presbyterial reports—was taken up.

The Philadelphia Presbytery reports six ministers, all pastors, and two ordained since last meeting; opposed to the formation of sub-synods and a General Assembly; urges the establishment of a foreign miss on.

The New York Presbytery reports two new congregations organized; ten ministers, all pastors; four vacant congregations; one licentiate; two divinity and one literary student; opposed to the formation of sub-synods and a General Assembly, and in favor of a foreign mission.

The Pittsburgh Presbytery reports organization of nine congregations and ordinations; asks for the revival of the seminary, and that it be located in this Presbytery.

The Rochester Presbytery reports eleven congregations and six missionary stations; opposes the formation of a sub-synod and a General Assembly, and urges the revival of the seminary.

The Illinois Presbytery reports organization of two congregations, and arrangements made for the formation of two others; presents to synod the immense missionary field which they occupy, viz: Iowa, Minnesota, Kansas and Nebraska; urges the revival of the seminary, and becomes responsible for six thousand dollars for its endowment. Adjourned till afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.—The Synod convened at three o'clock.

The Moderator appointed Rev. James Wallace and Elder Boyd a committee on the distribution of ministerial supplies.

The report of the Presbytery of the Lakes was read. The report opposes the formation of sub-synods and a General Assembly but recommends an alteration of the present bounds of the Presbyteries in view of the ultimate formation of sub-synods. The Presbytery also reports four students licensed since last report; four pastors ordained; two congregations organized; it has, in all, thirteen ministers and four vacant congregation. Also six students of divinity.

The report of the treasurer of Home Missions was read. Whole amount received since last meeting, $1,224,02; whole amount disbursed, $1,001,29. Report adopted.

The Committee on Finance and the Home Missions Fund reported. The Committee expressed regret and astonishment that so little had been done for home missions and that so few presbyteries had acted on the plan advised by Synod. Report adopted.

—William Brown was appointed treasurer of Synod vice W. Bradford, resigned.

A petition from the session of the Allegheny and Pittsburgh congregation, asking Synod to take such action as will modify the present rule respecting the publication of marriages. Referred.

Rev. James Chrystie reported a draft of a covenant which was accepted as a report in part and was made the order of the day for Monday, at 10, A. M. Synod adjourned.

REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN SYNOD—NEW SCHOOL.—The Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church of North America, met on Thursday morning and was opened with prayer. The synod is a delegated body from the presbyteries, and about fifty delegates are in attendence. This is the XXXIVth annual session.

Rev. T. W. J. Wylie, of Philadelphia, was chosen Moderator, Rev. John R. M'Leod, D. D., of New York, Clerk, and the Rev. John Mcmillan, of Illinois, Assistant Clerk.

The minutes of the last Synod were read and approved.

An interlocutory session (with closed doors) was appointed for Thursday afternoon at three o'clock.

The next session were fixed at 9½, A. M. to 12, M.; and 2½ P. M., to adjourn at Synod's pleasure. The board of Home and Foreign Missions was appointed to meet on Thursday afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.—Synod met half past two o'clock, when

Dr. Black moved that the interlocutory session be postponed until nine o'clock Friday morning. Carried.

Dr. McLeod read a lengthy letter received from the Reformed Presbyterian Synod of Scotland. The death of Rev. Dr. Symington, Professor of Theology and author of a popular work on "the Atonement," was announced, and an eloquent tribute paid to the memory of a bright luminary in the firmament of learning and piety. The letter also referred with regret to the division in the American church, and expressed the hope that a friendly correspondence may be commenced between them. The subjects of Slavery, Popery and Intemperance were referred to, and some account of the foreign missionary operations of the Scotch church given.

The Moderator then appointed the following standing committee:

On Finance—Rev. George Scott and Messrs. George H. Stuart, Wm. Cunningham and J. C. McMillan, Elders.

On Discipline.—Revs. S. Wylie, G. McMillan, A. W. Black, D. D., J. W. Morrison, and Messrs. R. Guy and W. Hogg, Sr., Elders.

On Foreign Correspondence.—Revs. Dr. McLeod, J. McMillan, W. T. Wylie, and Messrs. George H. Stuart and Wm. Cunningham, Elders.

On the Signs of the Times.—Revs. Dr. Wilson, A. G. Wylie, R. J. Black, W. S. Darragh, and J. Siddell and James Stewart Elders.

On Theological Seminaries.—Revs. R. Patterson, Jas. Pearson, W. Calderwood, D. Herron, and Messrs. W. Scott and R. Reid, Elders.

On Presbyterial Reports.—Revs. H. McMillan, A. Walker, S. Nevin, and Messrs. T. S. Mackey and A. Barr, Elders.

On Devotional Exercises.—Revs. John Douglass and M. Harshaw; Messrs. A. Rome and Jno. Reid, Elders.

On Supplies.—Revs. Dr. Heron, A. G. McAuley, S. D. Finney, John Alford, H. A. McKeey, and Messrs. A. Harshaw and Jas. Blair, Elders.

On Auditing.—Rev. J. McMasters and Messrs. J. P. Smith, John Euer and R. Reid.

CORRECTION.—In our report, yesterday, of the proceedings of the Whig Committee, it was very evident that

"Some-one had blundered,"

—and that somebody was the compositor. Mr. Darlington's remarks should have read as follows:

Mr. Darlington, (in reply) stated he conceived that every member of the committee named in the call, had a perfect right to his seat, nor should that right be called in question. He further opposed the resolution.

DUQUESNE BOROUGH.—The old officers of this borough, who have held possession of the books during the recent legal proceedings, handed them over, yesterday, to James E. Brady, Esq., counsel for the respondents. The new officers will, we suppose, now assume their positions and go ahead, unless prevented by some further legal steps. They are all said to be Know Nothings. Prosecutions are still pending against two of the old officers for misdemeanor.

PIC NICS.—Yesterday was a glorious day.—Though the sun shone with unwonted fervor, there was a fine breeze stirring. Pic-nic-ing was the order of the day. We noticed as many as twenty parties leaving the city by omnibus in different directions for the country. There were extensive parties at Enon Valley, and Minersville.

MRS. BARBARA SNYDER, the old lady who was killed on the Penna. R. R. on Wednesday, will be buried this morning. She was the widow of the late Jacob Snyder, and was eighty-one years of age.

SIXTEEN HUNDRED DOLLARS RECOVERED.—We chronicled a day or two ago the loss of $1610 by Mr. John Robinson, at Lawrenceville. The money was taken from his pocket.

Early on Thursday morning, most of the money was recovered in the following manner: Subsequent to the robbery, measures were taken for the arrest of the robber. H. Donaldson, of Tarentum, was arrested, but it became evident that he was innocent and he was therefore discharged. Suspicion then fell upon a young man named Charles Rankin, who resides at Lawrenceville. It was discovered that he had passed several bills of a denomination and description similar to those stolen. On Wednesday night, he was in the city and indulged in liquor to such an excess that he went to bed at a very late hour at one of our hotels in a state of intoxication. He was accompanied by a friend of Mr. Robinson's, who was secretly on the look-out. They occupied the same room. As soon as Rankin had fallen asleep, his companion quietly got up and hastened for a police officer. Officer Hagus and Constable Smith, of Lawrenceville, were informed of the facts and they immediately repaired to the room, where they found Rankin asleep.—He was awakened and being informed of their business with him, confessed that he had taken the money, and agreed to return it. He appeared much alarmed, and seemed thunderstruck when the matter was broached to him. The officers proceeded to Lawrenceville with him, where he produced all the money except about $90. We are informed that Rankin has heretofore borne a good character. Mr. Robinson, we understand, refused to prosecute him.

DISTRICT COURT.—Before Judge Hampton.

Thomas Rourke vs. Alexander M'Clurg. The jury found for plaintiff six cents damages and six cents costs, to be released on payment by defendant of $425, and plaintiff filling or delivering a release of his title to the premises.

Jacob Shaner vs. Charles M'Gill. Verdict of $40 for plaintiff.

Noble M. Sanford vs. The Saw Mill Valley Plank Road Company. The plaintiff in this case was a contractor on the Plank Road, but not finishing the Road at the time specified in the contract, the job was taken out of his hands and given to another. He now brings suit to recover the amount due under the contract. Verdict for defendants.

Sarah McKeown vs. Andrew Hopper et al.—Action to recover plaintiff's dower in two tracts of land in Upper St. Clair Township—one consisting of 190 acres and the other of 31 acres. On trial.

Kellenberger & Co. vs. Wm. B. Newell. Verdict for plaintiff for $124 44.

A. M. Chadwick vs. O. Ormsby Gregg. Verdict of $282 13 for plaintiff.

THOMPSON DISCHARGED.—William S. Thompson, the ex-Tax Collector, filed an Insolvent Bond in the Prothonotary's Office, on Wednesday evening, and was discharged from jail. The Bond is for $6,840 and enjoins upon him to apply at the Common Pleas for the benefits of the law relative to insolvent debtors. James McGuffey, of Brownsville, is Mr. Thompson's surety on the bond.

CRICKET MATCH.—The members of the Olympic club had a match between themselves yesterday, some 34 members playing. The "blue" party made 52 on its first innings and 48 on its second. The "red" made 69 on the first and had made 32 on the second when game was called and three wickets yet to go down. The game was close and well contested, the playing being good all round, considering the inexperience of many of the players. The day was fine and the sport excellent.

LARCENY.—A commitment was yesterday lodged by Ald. Parkinson against Mary Miller, for larceny, on oath of Christof Freed. She is now in jail on a similar charge.

GUILTY.—William Greenlee, who was arrested in this city some five or six weeks since on a charge of rape and incest, and subsequently taken to Greensburgh, was tried and found guilty at the last Westmoreland Criminal Court. He was prosecuted by Sarah Ann Greenlee and Nancy Greenlee, his wife and daughter. He was sentenced to ten years imprisonment in the Penitentiary, where he is by this time incarcerated.

COLLISION ON THE PENNA. R. R.—A collision occurred between two freight trains at Irwin's Station, on the Pennsylvania Railroad, on Wednesday night. One train was standing at the depot with its proper signal lights, when a second train came up on the same track. The Engineer whistled down brakes, but not in time to stop his train which dashed into the hind car of the other train. The car was smashed up and the locomotive injured.

Mr. John Brown, the fireman, had his right leg broken in two places, and a brakesman on the other train was quite severely injured.—Neither were, however, dangerously injured. Mr. Brown lives in the Fifth Ward.

MUSIC FOR THE MILLION.—We notice a number of itinerant organ-grinders about the streets. They are a queer set, and though the majestic law sometimes interferes with their very cheap harmonies, we doubt whether they do any harm. Certainly, they are a means of enjoyment on a small scale to the little urchins—barefooted and bareheaded—who usually form the gaping audiences of these wandering artists. But the music is certainly horrible—like Poe's alarum-bells, they are always "out of tune," and Holmes, the witty poet, is not far wrong when he says:

"You think they are crusders, sent
From some infernal clime,
To pluck the spring of sentiment,
And dock the tail of Rhyme;
To crack the voice of Melody,
And break the legs of Time."

BURGLARY IN BROWNSTOWN.—The store of Mr. Robinson, attached to the Glass House, in Brownstown, above Birmingham, was broken into by a number of burglars a night or two ago, and a quantity of Dry Goods worth between $200 and $300 stolen. It is supposed they carried the goods off in a wagon. This is certainly a very bold operation and we hope the police will use their utmost endeavors to discover the perpetrators.

HEMPFIELD RAILROAD.—The *Union* understands that the officers of the Hempfield Railroad Company have contracted with the Crescent Mills, at Wheeling, for all the iron necessary to finish the road from Wheeling to Washington, Pa. The amount of iron required will be about three thousand five hundred tons.

ANOTHER BURGLARY.—The house of Mrs. Robinson, widow of the late W. O'H. Robinson, situated on Federal street, Allegheny, was entered by robbers a night or two since, and numerous articles of clothing carried off. The entrance was effected by prying open the kitchen window, by means of a chisel or other similar instrument.

PICKPOCKETS ABOUT.—C. O. Loomis, Esq., had his pocket picked of a $20 gold piece, while he was walking through a crowd on Wood street on Tuesday evening.

Go and see the Greek Slave—she remains but a few days longer.

WOMAN SERIOUSLY CUT.—Late on Wednesday night, an affray occurred at the house of Ellen Dougherty, near the corner of Fountain and Prospect streets, which resulted in her receiving five or six severe stabs with a dirk-knife in the hands of a man named James Jones. The whole neighborhood were alarmed by her cries of "murder." She is now lying in a very low condition. Jones escaped.

DIVIDEND.—The American Express Company declared a quarterly dividend on the 15th inst., of 4 per cent on the whole capital stock of $750,000.

THE libel suit brought by Wm. M. Duncan against Bausman, of the Washington *Reporter* has been compromised.

THE City Council of Columbus, O., have contracted with Mr. Latta, of Cincinnati, for a Steam Fire Engine, to cost not over $0,000, and to be ready for use in four months.

POCKETS PICKED.—Yesterday, at an auction in Bailey's Store, Federal street, Allegheny, two ladies had their pockets picked—one of $5 in gold and the other of a like amount in silver change. No one arrested.

SUDDEN DEATH.—A German named Frederic Kensio, twenty-five years of age, who resided on Ohio street, while drawing boards on Wednesday from the Allegheny river, was seized with cramps, from being so long in the water, and died in less than half an hour after he was attacked.

THE Exhibition of the Greek Slave will close on Saturday evening.

WESTERN INSURANCE CO
May 7th, 1855

THE President and Directors of this Company have this day declared a dividend of three dollars per share on the Capital Stock, payable to Stockholders, on or after the 10th inst.

F. M. GORDON, *Secy.*

Boy's Clothing.

TAKE YOUR BOYS TO CHESTER'S, for there is the place to fit them out handsomely at small cost.
We study to please. *14 Wood street.* my12

Pekin Tea Store,

No. 58 Fifth street, one door east of the Exchange Bank.

NOW RECEIVING, a full assortment of GREEN and BLACK TEAS, comprising all grades now in use, purchased direct from the Importers for cash. Warranted of superior flavor, and will be sold Wholesale and Retail, at the lowest prices

E. JAYNES.

Spring Dry Goods.

HAGAN & AHL, No. 91 Market st., are receiving daily additions to their large and well selected stock of

Mantillas,	Dress Goods.
Embroideries,	Hosiery,
Shawls and Scarfs,	Housekeeping Goods.

Alexander's Kid Gloves, &c., to which we would respectfully call the attention of the ladies. mh30

INDIA RUBBER WHIPS of all sizes, wholesale and retail, at the Rubber Depot, 119 Market street.

J. & J. PHILIPS.

BY TELEGRAPH

ONE WEEK LATER FROM EUROPE.

Arrival of the America.

NEW YORK, May 24.

The steamer America arrived to-day at Halifax. She brings Liverpool dates to the 12th

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.—Cotton—Brown & Co. say that late advices from the U. S. have had a favorable effect and prices have advanced ⅛.—During the last two days the market has been quieter, but closed steady: Mobile fair 6¼; Mobile middling 5 9-16@⅝; ordinary 5⅛@5⅜; inferior 4@4¾; the stock in port is 585,000 bales, of which 374,000 are American.

Accounts from Manchester represent trade as dull.

Breadstuffs.—Brown, Shipley & Co. quote Wheat and Flour as steady and prices unchanged. Corn closed with an active demand at 1s advance; Phil. and Balt. Flour 44s@44½.

Provisions.—Richardson, Spence & Co. quote Beef steady at previous rates and market firm; the sales of the week reaching 1000 bbls. Pork firm and holders demand an advance. Bacon advanced 6d. Lard in moderate demand and steady at 50s.

Baring, Brothers & Co. quote Breadstuffs as generally unchanged and market dull. White Wheat 78@84; red 74@78. Lard in kegs 50s @52s. Money market easier: discount 3¾; dollars 4s, 11¾, eagles 76s 2½d; Freights stiffer but not quotably higher: American Stocks dull, but the market closed steady: U. S. sixes, bonds, 1868, nominal at 106@108; Maryland fives, bonds, 91@02½; Penna. fives, bonds, 82@84¾.

The America arrived at eight o'clock in the morning.

The Union sailed from Southampton on the 9th for New York, with 90 passengers.

Drouyn De L. Huys has resigned on account of an unwillingness to protract the war; Count Walewski, the French Ambassador at London has been appointed his successor.

All the documents in regard to the Vienna Conference have been laid before Parliament.

Redshid Pacha has been superseded as Vizier by Mahomet Pacha.

Pianori, who attempted to assassinate Napoleon, has been condemned to death.

The emigrant ship John, from Plymouth, for Quebec, was wrecked and a number of lives were lost.

The English press admits that hopes of peace had fled, and no assistance can be expected from Austria and but little from the rest of Europe. Consequently France and England must fight it out.

The London Times publishes an article expressing these views. The Times has also an editorial in behalf of the government, stating that it is impossible to peruse the official documents of the Vienna Conference without seeing that Russia was never in earnest in her pretended desire for peace.

Earl Grey in the House of Lords has given notice that an address will be sent to the Queen deploring the failure of negotiations, and stating it as the opinion of Parliament that the proposals of Russia were never such as afford a fair prospect of concluding a peace. Milner Gibson made a similar motion in the Commons.

The correspondent from the camp dated April 27th, explains the difficulty of the siege. It states confidently that the allies' advances are acquisitions of ground, bit by bit, while the works are so advanced that there can be no doubt of the ultimate success of the allies, provided the Russians in the field are unable to force the allies to raise the siege.

Canrobert has announced that when reinforcements arrive he will enlarge the circle of operations.

The latest official advices from Sebastopol are to the 10th. That morning the Russians made a sortie; a large body of troops being on the Allies' right advance. The Russians were driven back immediately and on a second attempt shared the same fate. The Russian loss is severe.

Gen. Mannora had arrived with 4000 Sardinian troops.

The Baltic English fleet is working up towards Gothland as the ice permits.

It is said that France asks permission to establish a French camp on Swedish territory. If refused Bomarsund will be occupied and fortified by the Allies.

Three ships left England on the 10th to blockade the White Sea.

The following is from the London Standard:—"Very extraordinary circumstances are reported from a quarter which precludes any doubt as to truth of the statement which has reached us by letters from St. Petersburg. It appears a fine American frigate built ship recently arrived at a port in the Baltic; it was stated that the vessel had on board 800 bales of Cotton; but the correspondent, our informant, visited the ship and found in addition 50,000 rifles and 5000 revolvers. Messrs. C. Merchants of Boston, were passengers. The Standard asks what are our Consuls in the United States about that they have permitted such a cargo to leave without apprising the government here of the fact.

The symptoms increase that the Austrian and Prussian cabinets are attempting to effect general accord among the German States.

The documents of the Vienna Conference extending over 90 pages, have been partially republished in the English newspapers and have excited much interest.

Lord Palmerston has evaded answering the question whether the conference are not finally broken off, but it is still that we accredited Representatives of all the Powers, Russia included, they will reside at Vienna, and that the elements of the conference permanently exist

LATEST FROM CALIFORNIA.

Arrival of the George Law.

NEW YORK, May 24

The George Law arrived to-day. She brings 817 passengers.

The principal consignees of the gold are:—Wells & Fargo $227,000; Metropolitan Bank $200,000; Drexel & Co. $200,000; William Hoge & Co. $60,000; Bank of America $34,000; E. Kelly & Co. $20,000; Rose Falconer $23,000; Thomas Watson & Sons $15,000; E. E. Dodge —$18,000, and others smaller amounts.

The Golden Gate reports seeing the steamer Sonora going into San Francisco.

The California news is generally unimportant.

The adjournment of the Legislature had been postponed a week. Nothing had been done in regard to the Senatorial question. The act to levy a capitation tax of $50 on Chinamen arriving in the State passed the Legislature. The bill for the State Prison from the hands of lessees had been adopted, and the bill to reincorporate the city of Sacramento passed both Houses, but they do not actually tally in their provisions.

The Walker expedition to Central America had not sailed, but preparations were making for its early departure;

The U. S. Land Commissioner has rejected five claims held by Jose' Y. Limantour under alleged Mexican titles for more than 1000 square miles of land in the State, and it was supposed that under this decision in these cases the similar claim of Limantour to 5000 acres in the city limits of San Francisco, will be rejected.

Gold has been discovered at Santa Sabel, San Diego county.

The full average of murders, lynchings and other crimes, are reported.

Sandwich Island dates to the 16th April are received.

L. Swan, of the firm of Swan & Clifford has been detected circulating $44,000 worth of forged bankers' bill, and it was supposed that his total operations would reach $100,000. Both partners absconded before the developments.

The Hawaiin Legislature is in session. The steamer Golden Age, whose wreck was reported, has been got off; she was towed to Tahoga, where she was beached.

An important bill reducing port duties passed the California Legislature.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.—Trade has considerably improved in the amount of goods sold, but prices continued very low. Large exports of flour and grain are being made for Australia, and the clipper ship Charmer is loading in a cargo of California wheat, purchased at 87½ cents per bushel for New York. The closing prices are as follows: Hazal jobbing sales at $13,50. Lard in kegs 13¾; Chicago Beef $18. Butter, new from 30 to 40. Hams 18. Clear Pork 17.—Spirits Turpentine 65.

The mines are turning out well. Corn is very scarce.

One of the local assay offices has issued new $50 ingots, resembling $20 U. S. pieces.

ST. LOUIS, May 24.—The Santa Fe mail arrived at Independence on Monday. Col. St. Vrain with three companies in pursuit of Utahs, fell in with a party of Apaches at Rateon mountains and killed six men and took six women prisoners. Troops were dispatched to the junction of Red River to intercept the meeting of Indians at that point.—Col. Millar is at White mountains after a band of Moscarrilles tribe.—Maj. Dusenbury died at Santa Fe in April.—The mail party saw but few Indians. The grass is poor and water scarce on the plains. There is a great drought south of Independence.

NEW YORK, May 24.—Flour advanced 12½; sales 10 500 bbls. good Ohio $10,37@$10,62; southern buoyant; sales 1000 bbls.. at $11,50@$11,81. Wheat firm; Gennessee $2,60. Corn a trifle lower; sales 41,000 bush. mixed at $1,12@$1,18. Pork irregular; sales new mess at $17,75: Beef a trifle higher; sales country mess $10@$12,87. Lard unchanged.

PHILADELPHIA, May 24.—Flour quiet, prices firm, moderate inquiry; sales 1000 bbls at $10,-75@11 for common and good brands; superfine $11@11,87½ for extra and extra family. Wheat scarce and wanted; sales 400 bush. Penna. white at $2,70 afloat, and small lots red at $2. Rye scarce and in demand; sales 1000 bush at $1,58. Corn, active inquiry for shipment; sales 10,000 bush. yellow at $1,12 afloat.

WHEELING, VA., May 24.—Ohio county gives 650 majority for Flourney: Marshall county about 600 majority. Richmond 1080 maj. for Flourney at 4 o'clock. Flourney is doubtless elected.

PHILADELPHIA, May 24.—There is no mail beyond Havana; two New Orleans mails are now due.

The rain on Saturday extended as far South as Georgia. At Savannah there was a heavy wind and some damage was done.

CHICAGO, May 24.—A terrible tornado passed over Jefferson, Cook Co., and other places north and west of this, doing much damage.—A house and mill at the Illinois and Wisconsin Railroad, containing nine persons were completely taken up into a cloud and scattered in different directions; four persons were instantly killed and the others are not likely to recover. The injury to property is immense.

CINCINNATI, May, 24.—Flour dull at $9,25. Whiskey declined to 32. Sales 5000 bushels Corn at 75@77. Provisions dull; sales 300 bbls. clear Pork at $16,50@$17. Sales prime Lard at 11. Linseed Oil $1,05@$1,10. Groceries quiet and unchanged.

The river rose six inches. Weather very warm.

COMMERCIAL.

COMMITTEE OF ARBITRATION, FOR MAY.—W. R. BROWN, V. P.—WM. REA, S. S. BRYAN, W. K. NIMICK, I. M. PENNOCK.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE,
Friday Morning, May 25, 1855.

FLOUR—no change apparent in prices; sales from store of 50 and 80 bbls. superfine at $9,87@$9,90; and 240 do. in lots of extra at $10,12.

GRAIN—sales on the wharf of 150 bus. Oats at 50; Corn, 300 bus. Shelled at depot at 95 and 450 do. from store at $1,00.

GROCERIES—sales of 12 hhds. Sugar, strictly fair, at 7, time; and 10 bags Rio Coffee at 11¾, sixty days.

WHISKEY—sales of 145 bbls. Rectified, in four lots, at 35@36.

BACON—figures seek a shade lower, but are not so really, the sales being to the trade: sales of 13,000 lbs. Hams at 9⅞, thirty days; 8,000 lbs. Shoulders at 8, same credit, and 1,000 lbs. do. at 8, cash; 2,000 lbs. country, assorted at 7¾, 8¾ and 9¾, sixty days.

MESS PORK—sales to the trade of 75 bbls. Mess Pork at $16,75, thirty days.

HAY—sales from first hands of 120 bales at $22 ⅌ ton, and 25 do. in lots from store at $24@$25.

GERMAN CLAY—a sale of 20 tons at $28, four mos.

METAL—a sale of 101 tons Pike (Allegheny) at $29, six mos.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL

The following letter from Harrisburg, received by Hon. Geo. Dawis, yesterday, explains itself. The announcement in the Philadelphia Ledger that the Bill to prohibit Banks and Brokers from paying interest on deposits, had passed, was unfounded.

HARRISBURG, May 23d, 1855.

HON. GEORGE DAVIS: Mr dear Sir, the bill prohibiting Exchange Brokers and Bankers from allowing interest on deposits, passed neither House. No action was taken upon it beyond its report from the Committee of Ways and Means in the House of Representatives. It was placed upon the Public Calendar for the 27th of April, but that Calandar was not touched by the House; other business having precedence. No such Bill appears on the files of the Senate. Very truly yours,

JOHN M. SULLIVAN.

NEW YORK FLOUR INSPECTION.—The Journal of Commerce complains that the standard of inspection of Flour in that city has so far receded that the brand is not decisive in regard to its quality, and that the value of the inspection is now confined chiefly to the *relative* quality of the particular lot inspected. We quote:

We hazard nothing in saying that much of the State Flour now branded as superfine No 1, would not have been called good fine middlings, five years ago. Once, standard "superfine" State or Western Flour was an article of "extra" quality, and "fine" was a term unuspeaked. Rated Sailors, $200, First Cabin, $150, Second Cabin, $125. The Nimrod will be found a fine, fast, coppered Clipper Ship Windward. Apply on board at pier 9, East river, or to

R. W. CAMERON, 116 Wall street New York.

Removal.

D. W. HERSTINE & CO., have removed to No. 74 Water street, corner of Chancery Lane. apl

Removal.

C. IHMSEN, Manufacturer of every variety of *VIALS, BOTTLES, &c.*, Black Porter, Wine and Claret Bottles, Demijohns and Carboys, Flint Glass in every variety. Warehouse, Nos. 104 Second, and 103 and 105 First st., Pittsburgh, Penna. mh30

Removal.

DR. SPEER & SON have removed to 334 Penn st., near the corner of Penn and Wayne. Office hours 8½ A. M., and 2 P. M. ap23md

For Sale.

THE KEEL-BOAT J. B. RUSSELL, of largest size, nearly two years old, and in good order, also one opened-decked Canal Boat, enquire size, for sale by

BENNETT, OLYDE & CO.

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Hats and Caps.

WE would call the attention of our friends and the public generally to our beautiful stock of SILK HATS, at $3 and $4, which for elegance and finish cannot be surpassed. Also, a fine assortment of Boys' Fancy and Other Caps, of the most splendid of the season. Flush Caps at cost.

J. WILSON & SON, 91 Wood st.

Variety and Fancy Goods—A full assortment just received.

WE are opening our Spring purchases of above goods, and offer them at lower prices to all who would invite dealers to examine our stock before purchasing. Our stock of Locking Glasses and Fancy Goods of all kinds is complete.

WM. H. TALCOTT & CO.,
No. 62 Wood street.

TEA.

WE ARE NOW RECEIVING FROM New York and Philadelphia, a full stock of GREEN AND BLACK TEAS, Comprising Young Hyson, Imperial, Gunpowder, Oolong, Souchong, and English Breakfast, all of which have been carefully selected and will be sold as usual, either wholesale or retail.

SUPERIOR RIO AND JAVA COFFEE.
DIVERING'S and ST. LOUIS CRUSHED SUGARS.
PERIN TEA STORE,
No. 38 Fifth street.

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A Valuable Property for Sale.

THE subscriber having a desire to move to the West, offers for sale his property, which is located a quarter of a mile from Philipsburgh, Beaver county, on the Pennsylvania Railroad depot, near the Ohio River. It will suit most excellently as a private residence for those who are engaged in business in the city, on Railroads, Steamboats, or for Gardening. It contains about 12 acres, one two story House 24 by 23 feet, a one story Frame 16 by 24 feet, a Frame Barn, 30 by 32 feet, good Well in the yard, out buildings, and also 65 grafted Apple trees, a lot of Peach and Cherry Trees. The whole or any part of the above mentioned property will be sold to the highest bidder. For further particulars, enquire of H. W. CIMIOTTI, Watch-Maker, Smithfield st., near 5th.

ap26-2md GEORGE V. GT.

Dissolution.

THE firm of Pennock, Mitchel & Co. has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, and the Books of the late firm are in the hands of Joseph Pennock and Nathan F. Hart, they only are authorized to settle and collect the debts due said late firm. Persons knowing themselves indebted will please call at premises of Hart's, No. 141 Wood st., and pay the same. Those having claims against said firm will present them for payment.

JOSEPH PENNOCK,
THOS. MITCHELL,
JOHN R. HERON,
NATHAN F. HART.

Pittsburgh, May 1st, 1855.

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Hollow Ware,	Iron and Nails.

☞ Water and Gas Pipe, and Miscellaneous Castings made to order. my2-1md

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

THE firm of LIVINGSTON, ROGGEN & CO. proprietors of the Pittsburgh Novelty Work, was dissolved by the death of Mr. John J. Roggen on the 14th of March last. The business of the

Novelty Works

will be continued in all its branches by the surviving partners, under the same and style of

LIVINGSTON, COPELAND & CO.,

who will also settle up the affairs of the late firm.

I. R. LIVINGSTON,
CALVIN ADAMS,
J. C. MORGEREAD,
W. B. COPELAND.

Pittsburgh, May 1, '55

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LADIES' DRESS GOODS,

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WHITE GOODS, Plain and figured, for Ladies' Dresses, Shawls, Scarfs, Gloves, Hosiery, Mittens, &c.

EMBROIDERIES—Super new style of Swiss work, Collars, Sleeves, Spencers, Bands, Flouncings, Edgings, super sets of Collars and Sleeves.

MOURNING GOODS—For Dresses, including Tissues, Cloths, Bombazines, Silks of Laines, Berages, Tissues, etc. etc.

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Persons from the country will find it to their advantage to call and examine our new stock of corrugated Hats, which we are selling low for CASH, since Our Cloth and Cash which is acknowledged to be the greatest and BEST cap of the season.

J. WILSON & SON, 91 Wood st.

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Do do Stock, do do Dividend Scrip,
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National do do
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GREAT BARGAINS at No. 221 North Second street, above Vine, Philadelphia. The subscribers offer to the trade and public in general, of their own manufacture, in all its various branches of latest style and finish Gas Chandeliers, Pendants, Side Brackets, Drop Lights, Pillar Lights, &c. Also, new and desirable patterns of Lamps Chandeliers, Side Brackets, Pendants, Improved Plod'gil Lamps, Field, Lard, Oil, Suspending Stand and Night Lamps, both fancy and plain, suitable for all purposes where light may be required. Ultramarines, Bloquet Holders, Vases, large variety of Ship Lamps, Binnac, Side and Stand Lamps. All work warranted and prices reduced, in consequence of having extensive Machinery and being practical Mechanics, giving strict attention to the manufacturing part, also, to the accommodation of customers.

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