PITTSBURGH:

FRIDAY MORNING, AUGUST 3, 1855.

GIVING BAIL, OR THE "FORCE OF CIRCUMSTANCES"—A LEGEND OF THE COURT HOUSE.—There are many funny stories floating about the Court House. Our public officers are mostly jokers; they love to tell a good thing and then laugh at it. They sit ensconced in their quiet, cool rooms, perched upon high-legged chairs and there "make perpetual grin," always ready to give and receive in the utmost good nature (particularly after dinner) the "retort courteous" and the "quip modest." They are true philosophers and smile life away, beneath the clear sky of a fat office and the accompanying good fortune of not too much work to perform and all for very good pay.

In our daily visitations to these cages of Charivaris, we overhear many a tradition of the olden time, many a quaint joke which has been handed down from generation to generation of office-holders, until it has assumed a legendary form and comes to us robed in the hues of romance and polished up by the respective additions of a dozen jokers, each one of whom has considered it his duty to interline and add to the original a witticism of his own. We have a "good 'un" to tell, as it was told to us the other day, and we only wish we could impress upon the types the gracious smile and the final hearty "guffaw" which accompanied the telling.

A gentleman connected with the Bar had a client in the jail, for whose enlargement he was exceedingly anxious. The jail-bird was not a man of the most exalted character, nor did he command a sufficiency of friendship amongst his fellow citizens to enable him to get bail with the utmost facility. On the contrary, very few of his acquaintances would have been inclined to risk any amount in his behalf, in the way of security for his appearance for trial.

In these straits, our legal friend bethought him of a method which, however ingenious, was, we are sorry to say, not successful.

He appeared before the Court one morning with a bundle of papers and a sufficiency of red tape in his hand, and informed the Court that he was prepared to give bail in the case of the Commonwealth vs. John Snooks, (so we will call him,) who was then lying in jail under a felonious charge. He had the bond in his hand, he said, ready made out, and signed by his client and his surety, and asked that the bail be approved.

"But, Mr. ——," said the Court, "who is your surety? What's his name?"

"Peter Jones, your Honor; he is perfectly good, your Honor; I know him to be good; there can be no doubt about it, your Honor!" was the lawyer's reply.

"Peter Jones," said the Court, musingly, "I don't know him. Where is Peter Jones, Mr. ——?"

"Ah! your Honor, he is unavoidably absent. It was impossible for him to be present this morning. But he's perfectly good, your Honor, he's perfectly good. There can be no doubt about that."

"But the Court must see him, Mr. —— He ought to be here. Where is he?"

"Owing to the *force of circumstances*, your Honor, it is entirely out of his power to be present. If the Court please, but I feel satisfied that he is perfectly good, and I have his signature here to the bond. He is a good man, beyond doubt."

"Well, well! that may all be true, Mr. —— but the Court must require him to be present. We wish to see the bail. The Court can judge a good deal from a man's appearance."

"I am very sorry, your Honor. This is a hard case. The defendant's friend is lying in jail to the detriment of his business, and I am very sorry his bail cannot be here——"

"Well, Mr. ——, do let us know where your bail is!"

"Your Honor, he's perfectly good, I assure you. But at the present time, your Honor, *he's in Allegheny!!!*"

This announcement elicited one of those immense laughs which a host of tipstaves could not suppress, and, indeed, why should they? for judges, lawyers, tipstaves, spectators, and even Mr. ——— himself, united, as one man, in a grand cachination.

Of course, Mr. ——'s client remained in jail, and so did his surety.

THE PARADE OF THE DUQUESNE GREYS.—Yesterday, at three o'clock, this fine company made their appearance on our streets. They numbered forty-five men, and their appearance was highly creditable. They passed through our principal streets, and at five o'clock crossed the St. Clair street bridge to Allegheny; thence to the lower end of the First Ward of that city; thence to the Diamond, and up to the upper end of the Third Ward, and over the Mechanics' street bridge to Bayardstown; thence down and into their Armory. Their route was one of unusually long distance, but throughout the whole parade the Company elicited the unqualified approbation of the best judges for their military precision and the symmetry and excellence of their evolutions. Capt. Campbell commanded with his usual ability, and was well seconded and supported by Lieutenants Roberts and Trovillo.

The Company, by invitation, stopped in the course of their march, at the Monongahela House, St. Clair Hotel, and City Hotel, and partook of lunches and refreshments, which were no doubt acceptable considering the extreme and almost suffocating heat of the day. After retiring to their Armory, the Company passed a resolution of thanks to Mr. Crosson, of the Monongahela, Mr. Connelly of the St. Clair, and Mr. Glass, of the City, for their gentlemanly attentions.

On the whole, the Greys have cause to be proud of their yesterday's parade. Their next public parade comes off on the tenth of September, the anniversary of Perry's Victory on Lake Erie.

CHARGE AGAINST MARKET OFFICERS.—We learn from the *Times* that Martin W. Freely made information before Mayor Volz yesterday, charging John Taggart, Clerk of the Market, and Martin McCombe, Market Constable, with maliciously taking away from him a stall in the Market House, a lot of glass jars filled with cakes, candies and confectionaries, a lot of baskets containing dried fruit, green apples, &c., and wilfully and did maliciously remove the same from his stall in the market house, and did other malicious mischief to his injury. The parties were arrested this morning and brought before the Mayor, who after a hearing held the parties to bail in the sum of $300 to answer the charge. The Mayor pursued this course in order that the court might decide the matter and reconcile the evident clashing of ordinances, resolutions &c., which have from time to time been adopted and passed. It is to be hoped that the court in its decision of the matter, will clearly define the relative duties of the Clerk and Superintendent of the Market.

A FATHER STABBED BY HIS SON.—The Allegheny *Bulletin* says that on Wednesday night a man named Wm. Williams went to his house on Ohio street, in the Fourth Ward, in a state of intoxication. When he entered, he saw his son, a youth aged about seventeen years, and started towards him for the purpose of striking him. The young man threw up his hand to keep his father away from him, when the drunken wretch caught one of his fingers between his teeth, and bit it nearly off. The son put his other hand in his pocket, drew a knife, and cut his father in the face, laying open his cheek from the forehead to the chin. The wound, which is severe, was dressed by Dr. H. Benson. The young man is represented to us to be an industrious and steady lad, and it was only necessity that made him use his knife. The father is a common drunkard.

ARREST IN ALLEGHENY.—High Constable Scott, of Allegheny, furnishes us the following interesting statistical information:

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
Allegheny, August 1, 1855.

Number of arrests during the last three weeks in July, by the Allegheny Police:

Americans,	11
English,	8
Scotch,	2
Germans,	12
Irish,	18
Colored,	8
Total,	49
Foreigners,	35
Americans, including Colored,	14

J. H. SCOTT, High Constable.

THE LATE ACCIDENT ON THE PORTAGE ROAD.—In referring to the recent accident on the Portage Road, the Hollidaysburgh *Register* says:

In connection with this accident we have heard some painful rumors, but refrain from mentioning them, for we should regret exceedingly to cast blame in so serious a matter where no blame has incurred. We will only say that there is *injury* in the rumor, and that if further inquiry gives foundation for it a strict and rigid investigation should be made and the culpability if any there be, exposed and punished.

PRESENTATION.—The Conductors, Engineers and Brakesmen on the freight trains of the Penn'a. R.R. on the evening of the 23d ultimo presented to Mr. Geo. B. Cramer, Train Master for the Eastern Division of the road, a splendid Gold Watch and chain valued at $160, as a token of the gratitude and good feeling they entertained towards him as their gentlemanly and efficient Principal.

PAVING STREETS IN ALLEGHENY.—That extensive job of paving in Allegheny has begun. Mayor Adams, who is one of the contractors, has delegated Alderman Hays, of the Fourth Ward, to officiate at the Mayor's office this week, while he is overseeing the grading of Middle Street. Four of the streets are to be completed before fall, at a cost of about $50,000. The other four will be reserved until next year.

A HUGE RATTLESNAKE.—Mr. Ults, of Texas in Armstrong county killed on Sunday, the 22d ult., a rattlesnake five feet in length and eleven inches in circumference. Appended to the monster were thirteen rattles, making him fourteen yearsold. When killed he was en route for Clarion. Mr. Ults exhibited to Sheriff Clark, of Kittanning the skin of the reptile, to whom he made a present of the rattles.

At a place called Rattlesnake, in Pike county, Pa., a man has caught and "barreled" thirty-six rattlesnakes. It is said they are designed for a foreign market, and that a German has taken four to Germany with him to supply that trade.

We fear the German "Know Nothings" (if such there may be) will oppose the immigration of such a scaly set of foreigners.

DEATH FROM CHOLERA.—Joseph Reese, residing on Pike street, Fifth Ward, was seized with cholera on Wednesday night at ten o'clock, and died at ten o'clock on the following morning. He was a furnace builder, and had recently been working at Ironton, Ohio. He was an aged man, and leaves a wife and family.

HABEAS CORPUS.—Joseph Holstead, who was imprisoned some weeks ago on a charge of bigamy, was brought before Judge McClure yesterday morning on a writ of habeas corpus, asked that he might be discharged on his own recognizance. The Judge declined complying with his request, and he was remanded to prison.

ACCIDENT.—A child named Elisabeth Walter, on Market street, was severely cut on the face yesterday by a piece of tin in the hands of a playmate. The wound was not dangerous. The bridge of the nose was nearly cut through and an artery was severed.

THE "Spirits" held forth last night at Lafayette Hall. Quite a number went to look into the matter, and were no doubt convinced there was something in it. The Spirits are a queer set of fellows, and very naughty to make the tables so *tip-sy*.

THE military spirit is rising fast for such hot weather. A new company is talked of in Allegheny, to rise from the ashes of the old "Allegheny Fencibles" of glorious memory. Success attend it.

WESTMORELAND.—A man from old Westmoreland named Henry Cutwales, charged with larceny, was committed to our county jail yesterday for safe keeping.

TELEGRAPHIC—

ARRIVAL OF THE WASHINGTON.

NEW YORK, August 2.—The steamship Washington arrived this morning with 225 passengers. She left Bremen on the 18th, stopping at Cowes. She brings Liverpool papers of the date. Her news has been anticipated by the Asia's arrival at Halifax.

Admiral Machinoff, in command of the Russian fleet in the harbor at Sebastopol, was killed during the attack of July 11th.

The correspondent of the *London Times* writes under date of July 15: "We are still far from the works of the enemy, and as the river present no is swept in every direction by the Russian's projectiles, our approach progresses very slowly."

In the attack on Byestadt, made by the English frigate Warrior on the 24th of June, 47 Russian merchantships were destroyed, amounting, in the aggregate, to about 20,000 tons.

The steamship Pacific, from Australia, arrived at Plymouth on the 16th ult. with £150,000 in gold dust. Affairs in Australia were quiet. The receipts of gold were about the usual average. Goods are selling low, and the importation continued to be large.

The steamship Great Britain had cleared with 400,000 ounces in gold dust.

The U. S. corvette Jamestown was at Jamestown on the 11th of July.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—A large meeting of working men was held in the Park last evening to consult upon matters connected with the contract system of cleaning the streets. Some 4000 persons were present.

The anniversary of emancipation in the West Indies was duly observed by a large number of our colored citizens, by a pic-nic at Jamaica, Long Island. Two military companies composed of colored men formed an escort to the procession.

Several cases of cholera malignant in type have been reported in Brooklyn.

The report of the business at the U. S. Assay office in this city, for the month of July shows the following aggregates. Total deposits payable in bars $1,722,000, do. do. in coins $16,100; aggregate $1,740,100; gold bars stamped $1,786,572.72.

On Tuesday evening a young lady named McGowan was drowned in the East River. She was one of a party of five in a pleasure boat that was upset by coming in contact with a vessel on the stream.

NEW ORLEANS, July 30.—By the arrival of the steamship Nautilus, from Brazos Santiago, we have later advices from that quarter. The revolution was progressing. General Woll has fallen back upon Matamoras, designing to make a stand there. The Revolutionists are following, and a force of 2,000 men, under Gen. Vedales, was marching from Monterey towards the same point. The fall of Matamoras is therefore deemed inevitable.

The mortality of the week, ending to-day, is 275, including 173 from yellow fever.

NEW YORK, August 2.—The steamship Black Warrior from Mobile via. Havana, arrived this morning, with Havana dates to the 28th. The papers contain nothing of importance. The markets are unchanged.

The Empire City arrived on the 27th and sailed the same day for Aspinwall.

Another arrival of troops from Spain occurred at Havana on the 25th.

BALTIMORE, August 2.—Three new cases of yellow fever and three deaths are reported at Gosport. Six new cases have occurred at Norfolk.

A fire occurred in this city this morning by which the establishment of Poplen and Thompson, wholesale druggists, on Bateman street, was totally destroyed. The loss is $80,000; insured for $75,000.

NEW ORLEANS, August 1.—Doctor Macfarland, a distinguished physician of this city, publishes a letter in the *True Delta* declaring the yellow fever to be epidemic.

PHILADELPHIA, August 2.—We have no returns from North Carolina to-day. Up to the hour of closing our report the telegraph line was not working beyond Petersburg, Va.

BALTIMORE, August 2.—The carriage factory of M. E. Hunter was destroyed by fire this evening. It was fully insured.

NEW YORK, August 1.—Stocks dull; Penna. Coal Co. 100 exdivided; Reading 91½; Erie 52½. Cotton firm, prices advanced ¼ sales 3000 bales; N. O. middling 11¾. Flour was changed; sales 8500 bbls. State and Western at $8.50@$8.75 and 1100 bbls. Southern at $10. Wheat is not quotably higher, sales 17,000 Southern white at $2.05. Corn a trifle lower, sales 3000 bush. at 85½; Pork unchanged. Beef firm. Lard unchanged with a limited business at previous rates. Whiskey firm, sales 500 bbls. Coffee firm, sales 1200 bags Rio at 11¼. Sugars buoyant; sales 1200 hhd. Molasses advanced, sales 500 hhds at 35 for Orleans and Portorico and 31 for Muscavado. Tobacco firm.

BALTIMORE, August 2.—Flour—sales 2000 bbls. City Mills and 6000 bbls. Howard street at $8.50; also 1000 bbls. of the latter, deliverable Sept. 15, at $8. Wheat firm at quotations of yesterday. The receipts to-day were 15,000 bushels. Corn unchanged; and receipts light.

BALTIMORE, August 2.—Cattle market.—About 800 best cattle were offered, all sold at prices ranging from $8 to $9.60 per 100 lbs. net. Hogs; the supply is light and sales were made at $8@8.50.

Removal.

JOSEPH LEWICKS.
A. P. WILKINS.

WILKINS & CO.,
(*Successors to A. Wilkins & Co.*)

HAVE removed their office to No. 75 Fourth street, two doors east of their old stand, where they will continue the Banking, Exchange and Commission, Stock broker business in all its branches.

Wanted, Pittsburgh City shares, Mechanic's Bank stock. Uncurrent and broken bank notes bought at low rates.
WILKINS & CO.
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Dividend Notice.

THE Stockholders of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Bridge Company, (Hand street,) are hereby notified that a dividend of Two Dollars per share on the Capital Stock of said Company has been declared out of the earnings of the last six months, payable at the office of the Treasurer forthwith. By order of the Board of Managers.
jyd-1md GEO. R. ARNOLD, Treasurer.

WANTED TO FILL AN ORDER—
Stock of the Bank of Pittsburgh;
Stock of Mechanics' Bank;
Stock of Merchants' and Manufacturers' Bank.
Every kind of Stock bought and sold on commission.
WILKINS & CO., Com. Stock Brokers.
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DIVIDEND SCRIP of the Ohio and Penna. R. R. Co. bought and sold.
In lieu of our Bank and the notes of other broken banks bought at highest rates.
WILKINS & CO., 75, 4th st.

SUGAR & MOLASSES—50 hhds. N. O. sugar; 250 bbls. N. O. Molasses; 80 bbls S. H. Molasses, in store for sale by
jul8 R. ROBISON & CO.

MAPLE SUGAR—3 bbls. for sale by
jul19 HENRY H. COLLINS.

SHELLED CORN—300 bus. in store and for sale by D. W. HERSTINE & CO., 75 Water st.

TALLOW OIL—24 bbls. to arrive on S. B. Bellpine for sale by
IRAIAH DICKEY & CO.

EGGS—3 bbls. fresh Eggs rec'd by Express and for sale by
jul17 HENRY H. COLLINS.

RYE FLOUR—30 bbls. Rye Flour rec'd and for sale by
S. HARBAUGH & CO.

CRUSHED SUGAR—50 bbls. for sale by
jul18 SMITH, MAIR & HUNTER.

COMMERCIAL.

COMMITTEE OF ARBITRATION, FOR JUL 1. W. R. BROWN, R.—FRANCIS PERRY, ALEX. GORDON, JOHN SCOTT, JOHN M'DEVITT.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE,
Friday Morning, August 3, 1855.

FLOUR—prices were not quite so firm yesterday, the receipts being 784 bbls. Sales on wharf of 50 bbls grahamdd, without inspection, superfine, at $9.00; from store 75 do. at $9.00 and 60 do in lots at $9.95@$9.00; 50 do. super and extra at $9.00@$9.25; and 65 bbls super at mill at $8.50

WHISKEY—sales in lots of 100 bbls rectified at 24c gal.

BACON—sales of 9000 lbs Shoulders at 9, cash; 5000 lbs Shoulders and Sides at 9¾@10, sixty days; 3000 lbs Sides at 9¾ and 6000 lbs canvassed Hams at 11¼@11½, cash; and 2000 lbs sugar cured Hams at 14, sixty days.

OILS—sales of 15 bbls No. 1 Lard Oil at 76, cash; and 11 do, No. 2 at 68, sixty days.

COFFEE—a sale of 50 bgs Rio at 11¾, four mos.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

We have just been furnished a statement of the operations of the Mint for the month of July, from which we learn that the deposits of gold were $221,250, and of silver bullion $435,600, making the entire deposits of the month $657,250. The gold coinage, wholly in double eagles, was 22,000 dollars, amounted to only $220,350. The silver coinage, wholly in quarter dollars, was only $156,000. The total number of pieces coined during the month was 676,785, of the value of $656,350. This is an unusually light business. It is proper to remark, however, that the coining operations were suspended on the 21st inst., preparatory to the commencement of the alterations necessary to make the Mint building fireproof.—[Phila. Ledger.

The money market has continued to present a quiet appearance, and for the most part it has been devoid of interest. The chief complaint is now on the side of capitalists who experience a scarcity of prime paper, and are compelled to hold a very large proportion of their means without employments. There is perhaps sufficient paper of grades below No. 1 offering, to absorb the surplus capital on hand, but it is difficult to negotiate offerings of this class. Although the standard for good paper, has been considerably modified, yet offerings are closely scrutinized, and parties, about whose standing there is any doubt, or who should say, perhaps, who are not known to be good, are not favored. Strictly prime paper has been "done" to some extent during the week at six per cent, and 6@10 per cent are the leading rates for such securities outside of the regular banks.

Eastern Exchange which has maintained unusual steadiness for several weeks, declined ⅛ on Monday, and closed at ¼@⅜ prem. The supply is ample, but some of the principal drawers, owing to the limited demand for money here, are not free drawers, they preferring to keep their balances in New York where capital is more readily employed. Prime bills go freely at interest off, for 30 and 60 days—and interest and one half for 90 days. The offerings are very light.—[Cin. Price Current.

TOBACCO.—The market continues without animation, the stock being reduced to a small figure. There will not likely be much done for the next two months, when we may expect the new crop, the prospect for which are very promising. We quote unmanchantable logs at $5 to $5.40, merchantable logs $5.50 to $5.75, common to good shipping, cutting and manufacturing leaf 6.25 to $8.50, and fine manufacturing leaf $9 to $12. The sales of the week are 108 hhds. Yesterday 36 hhds were sold at private sale at full prices.—[Louisville Journal.

TOLEDO, July 31.—Weather continues very unfavorable for harvesting. The wheat crop will be quite a range of one hundred miles or more is nearly or quite three-fourths destroyed by the rains. Corn never looked better and was not damaged. Oats and Rye rank and promise to yield a heavy crop.

NEW ORLEANS.—The New Orleans Delta of the 25th ult., says:—A friend sends us a boll of cotton picked from his plantations on Black River, on the 16th instant. The crop in this section is promising his crop on the 1st of August, and has a prospect of making at least one thousand bales. The crop here we wish then to be sure, may double the amount and get first rate prices in the bargain.

BALTIMORE COFFEE CIRCULAR.

Our statement for the past month presents the evidence of a busy business in coffee, with an active market throughout. Up to the 16th inst.; transaction was limited for want of stock, which at that period amounted to 6,000 bags only. But the arrival of the Hansadee, followed in a few days by six full averaged cargoes, tended to attract the attention of buyers and to quicken the tone of the market. Notwithstanding these large supplies, the market has been urged every day by a class of operators and has subsided sellers to dispose of their importations from shipboard, at full and improving rates.

At the close of this report, almost the entire receipts have changed hands—3,000 bags per Hansadee, and 6,000 more, have been reshipped to a Southern market.

Late advices from Rio represent the prospect for the present crop as very short one, and necessarily requiring all the excess of the preceding crop to complete the average monthly shipment.

Our statistical reviewers for the past year, indicate a very large increase of shipments to the United States, coupled with the estimated increase of consumption. The average stocks at our ports, during the last five or six months past have been very light, and at the present time would barely suffice for one month's supply. This, together with an increasing demand, and a corresponding advance, at the Rio, anticipations now indulged in for a prosperous fall trade, may be safely considered as those which affect the calculations of our coffee holders and tend to confirm their views in regard to future prices.

The receipts of every firm. We quote prime Rio at 11½ to 11¾c; good liic, fair 10½ to 10¾c; low grades 9¾ to 10½c. Java 12 to 13c. Laguayra 14½ to 15c.

Imports of Coffee since
January 1st, 1855—of Rio, 144,208 bags.
other descriptions 11,800 " 156,008 bags.

Do. same period 1854—Rio, 172,901 "
other descriptions 21,810 " 194,718 "

Increase this year, 38,510 "
Stock on hand—of Rio, 19,600 "
other descriptions, 1,500 " 21,088 "

Do. same period 1854—Rio, 43,000 "
other descriptions 8,000 " 51,500 "

Decrease of stock this year 30,412 bags.
Importations this month
From Rio, 32,250 bags.
WETTS & FISHER, Brokers.

Baltimore, July 31, 1855.

COPPER SUPPLIES—Copper continues to arrive daily from the mines, and the amount now in the smelting furnaces, below is quite large. We are glad to notice among the number of shippers some new parties, who have not been reported for some time past. The present prospects are very encouraging, as far as we can learn. We have also a statement that has been published, that the effects of monetary pressure are keeping up the work. Assessments are being collected, which have been published in the papers, by husbanded and used only to meet necessary expenses. The shipments for the week ending Saturday, July 28th, are:

PROPELLER MANHATTAN.

Shipped at Ontonagon,		64	tons.
" " Cliff mine,		90	"
" " Copper Falls mine,		40	"
PER SCHOONER PRESIDENT.			
Minnesota mine,	80 masses.	40,252	lbs.
	60 pobs.	24,199	
Norwich, "	105 masses.	108,712	
	19 pobs.	12,239	
Windsor "	3 bbls.	3,131	
Forest, "	7 masses.	8,962	
	6 bbls.	6,200	
PER STEAMER NORTH STAR.			
Adventure mine,		6,340	
Toltec, "		1,341	
Ridge, "		1,371	
Total shipments for the week,		279,608	lbs

—[Lake Superior Journal.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH R.R.—120 bbls copper, C G Hussey, 10 bbls ale, J H Rea; 9 pkgs butter, J S Cambell; 17 rolls leather, J A Caughey; 12 bbls eggs, 34 bdls broom handles, sundry consignees.

IMPORTS BY RIVER.

WHEELING, by Rainey—26 sks wool, sent; 17 kgs butter, 6 bbls eggs, 4 sks wool, Nimick & co; 15 bbls smoke, Livingston & co; 3 bbls eggs, 4 do apples, sundry consignees.

BROWNSVILLE BOATS—25 bbls cement, 77 pkgs sundry consignees.

CINCINNATI, by Rochester—50 bbls flour, D W Hewitte & co; 50 do do, A W Rea; 50 do do, Graham & W Hunter; 50 do, Wallace & Gardner; 50 do, Graham & Thomas; 50 do do, M'Culley; 50 do do, Ward and Co; 50 bbls bacon, 2 do tobacco, 50 pkgs liquor, sundry consignees; 20 bbls whisky, 10 bbls lard oil, Nevin & co; 10 do, Jones & Coley; 25 do whiskey, R Moore; 56 hhds meat, sent

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

ARRIVED—Jefferson, Brownsville; Lusena, do; Col. Bayard, Elizabeth; Michigan No. 2, Harbaugh & co 100 do, W Hunter; 50 do, Wallace & Gardner; 50 do, Graham & Thomas; 50 do, M'Culley; 50 do do, Ward and Co; 50 bbls bacon, 2 do tobacco, 50 pkgs liquor, sundry consignees; 20 bbls whisky, 10 bbls lard oil, Nevin & co; 10 do, Jones & Coley; 25 do whiskey, R Moore; 56 hhds meat, sent

DEPARTED—Jefferson, Brownsville; Lusena, do; Col. Bayard, Elizabeth; Vintage, Beaver; Clara Fisher, Wheeling; Michigan No. 2, Wellsville; Eclipse, Wheeling; U. S. Mail, St. Louis; Reliance, do.

RIVER—On yesterday evening there were 8 feet 6 inches in the channel and on a stand.

Pittsburgh Dollar Savings Institution.
No. 68 Fourth Street,
NEXT DOOR TO THE PITTSBURGH BANK.

IS now open daily from 9 to 2 o'clock; also, on Wednesday and Saturday evenings, from 7 to 8 o'clock.

Deposits received of all sums not less than One Dollar, and a dividend of the profits made on the first days of June and December. The Trustees, for the purpose of furthering the benefit of the Institution, have entered into a guarantee bond, thereby giving additional security to depositors.

A Book containing the Charter, By-Laws, Rules and Regulations furnished gratis, on application at the office.

President—GEORGE ALBERSE.

VICE PRESIDENTS:
Hopewell Hepburn, John H. Shoenberger,
George R. White, Charles Kunz,
William B. Johnston, N. Grattan Murphy,
James W. Hallman, Theobald Umbstetter,
Alexander Fergus, Jacob Painter,
William Phillips, William J. Anderson.

TRUSTEES:
John G. Backofen, James Herdman,
Hill Burgwin, John M. Kirkpatrick,
Robert Cathcart, John D. Wick,
Robert Chester, Robert Morrow,
J. Gardiner Coffin, Walter P. Marshall,
Alexander Craighead, A. M. Pollock,
John S. Cosgrave, Henry Rinaman,
Charles A. Clinton, Robert Robb,
E. G. Edington, George R. Riddle,
Francis Felix, Francis Shunk,
George F. Gilmore, James Stevenson,
James S. Horn, George S. Selders,
William R. Haven, Alexander Tindle.

Secretary and Treasurer—CHARLES A. COLTON.
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A CARD.

THE undersigned would respectfully inform his friends and customers and the public generally, that from and after this date, he intends devoting strictly *Cash Business*, from which there will be no deviation; and in undertaking this new and novel, but as the same time beneficial enterprise, he kindly looks to his former friends and patrons, who have heretofore so liberally patronized him to sustain him in this.

Being well assured that he can make it decidedly to their interest to patronize the *Cash System*, which is emphatically the first principles of a healthy business, he shall on issues at all seasons to have a choice assortment of the *Best Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings* suitable for this market and are to be found in the *Eastern Markets*, which will be made to order in the latest style and best manner, at a small advance; former effects shall be a guarantee for future success. Our motto shall be

Small profits and quick sales.

We study to please.
July 12, 1855—jy20 R. CHESTER, 74 Wood st.

FISH—200 bbls. No. 3, large new Mackerel,
100 half do do do
100 bbls. medium do do
50 half do do do
50 bbls. White fish,
50 half do do
50 bbls. Trout,
50 half do do
25 bbls. Baltimore Shad,
20 half do do
25 bbls. Lake Herring,
20 half do do
for sale by
jul18 J. R. CANFIELD.

SUNDRIES—2 boxes country soap,
1 bag Feathers,
2 bbl. Dry Fish,
2 bbl. Dry Peaches,
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