PITTSBURGH:

MONDAY MORNING, AUGUST 6, 1855.

SCOTT LEGION.—The soldiers of the Mexican war, residing in this vicinity, have taken the military steps towards the formation of a Scott Legion, similar in organization to the association of the same name in Philadelphia. The proceedings of their preliminary meeting are as follows:

SCOTT LEGION.—At a meeting of Soldiers who served in the Mexican war, convened in the Armory of the Duquesne Greys, on motion, Capt. John Herron was called to the Chair, and Capt. Alexander Hay and Sergt. M. Wallace appointed Secretaries. Capt. Robert Porter stated to the meeting the necessity of the formation of a Scott Legion, for the benefit of those who had served in the Mexican war; also, the fact that one had been formed in the City of Philadelphia, which had proved of great service to the soldiers of the Quaker City. It was then moved, and seconded, that a committee of seven be appointed to draft a Constitution and Bye-Laws for the benefit of said legion, when the Chair appointed the following committee.

Captain Robert Porter.
" J. O'H. Denny.
" Wm. A. Charlton.
Lieut. Robert Anderson.
" Wm. Blakely.
" Patrick Kane.
" O. H. Rippey.

On motion of Sergeant Hambright, the committee on Constitution and Bye-Laws were instructed to report to an adjourned meeting to be held at the same place on the first Monday of September, 1855.

On motion, adjourned.

JOHN HERRON, *Chairman.*

ALEX. HAY, M. WALLACE, } *Secretaries.*

MORE ABOUT THE MILITARY OF OTHER DAYS.—Col. Elijah Trovillo informs us that the "Light Infantry Company" was not the first volunteer company formed in Pittsburgh.

As far back as 1799, a Cavalry Company was organized, of which Dr. George Stevenson was Captain, and Robert Simpson, First Lieutenant. In the same year, an Artillery Company was started, with one gun, under the command of Capt Girwan.

After this came an Infantry Company, of which John Park was Captain. Capt. Park was father of Dr. John E. Park, of Manchester. Samuel Magee, father of Chris. Magee, of Smithfield street, was the first lieutenant of this company.

In the course of a few years, all these bands of citizen-soldiery gradually declined, and were mostly extinct, when, in 1806, the "Light Infantry," which we mentioned yesterday, appeared.

We are indebted to the politeness of Col. Trovillo, one of our oldest citizen-soldiers, for the above facts, and hope to receive other matters of interest from the store-house of his memory, with regard to the times that are dead and gone.

MEETING OF THE STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.—The semi-annual meeting of the State Teachers' Association of Pennsylvania begins its sessions to-morrow in the Third Ward School House. The Executive Committee meets at eight o'clock, to-morrow morning. Our city will no doubt strong with educators this week.

Reports are expected to be read before the Association on the following topics:

1. Working of the Public Schools of Philadelphia.
2. The power and influence of the study of mathematics in disciplining the mind.
3. High Schools, their influence and object.
4. School Discipline.
5. Examination of Teachers.
6. Union graded schools in towns.
7. Development of the muscles.
8. Development of the intellect.
9. Development of the moral faculties.
10. Development of the religious faculties.

The reports will be followed by discussions of the subjects, by the members of the Association.

TROUBLE AMONGST THE BRIDGES.—Bridget Murphy, who lives on Water street, near the Point, appeared before Ald. McMaster, on Saturday, in a terrible state of trepidation, and made oath that one Bridget McTiernan, a Celtic feminine residing in the "old St. Charles", had threatened to "tear her puddings out." What particular part of the human form divine, the "puddings" are, physiology does not point out. But Bridget Murphy seemed to think it was a vital part, for she swore, likewise, that her life was in danger. A warrant was issued for the arrest of the other Bridget.

The Mooneys, too, are in hot water. Before the same magistrate, on Saturday, appeared Margaret Mooney, who did depose and say that one Mary Mooney did, in a most unwomanly manner, threaten to "split her head open with a bucket which she, the said Mary, held in her hand at the time." A warrant was issued. As Mrs. Partington would say, there appears to be a "pugnacious epilepsy amongst the women of the feminine gander."

THE OLDEN TIME.—The Connellsville *Enterprise* gives some interesting facts with regard to the early history of that place.

There it was that the English army under command of General Braddock, crossed the Youghiogheny on their way to battle with the French and Indians, who held their forces at Fort Duquesne, (now Pittsburgh,) at the junction of the Allegheny and Monongahela. At the mouth of Harper's, or Possum run, where Braddock's road struck the river, on the flat of land just below Connellsville, (on the New Haven side,) have been found many relics of the trail of the English army. Bullets, cannon balls and fire arms, have been found from time to time, by ploughmen while tilling the soil. One entire six pounder was exhumed a number of years ago, which was kept a long time as a relic, and was, in fact, "*the gun of the town*," and was charged so frequently and so heavily on days demanding patriotic demonstrations, that it received its final quietus by bursting, a few years since.

AMERICAN PROTESTANT ASSOCIATION.—The following is a correct and authorised list of the Officers elected by the U. S. Grand Lodge of the American Protestant Association, at its Annual Session, held in New York, week before last, commencing on Monday:

Joshua Robinson, Allegheny City, Pa., R. W. G. Master, D. H. Bailey, Cincinnati, O., R. W. Vice Grand Master; Dr. W. O'Reilly, 323 Second avenue, New York, R. W. G. Secretary; John McIlroy, New York, R. W. G. Assist. Secretary; David L. Smith, Allegheny City, Pa., R. W. G. Treasurer; Rev. Geo. A. Dorborrow, Philadelphia, R. W. G. Chaplain; John Armstrong, Philadelphia, R. W. G. Conductor; Thos. Coburn, Baltimore, Md., R. W. G. Assist. Conductor; John Relston, Philadelphia, R. W. G. Tyler.

The R. W. Grand Lodge, in closing its session on Saturday, adjourned to meet in Cincinnati, Ohio, on the second Tuesday in June, 1856.

DISTRICT COURT.—The District Court was in session on Saturday; Judge Williams on the bench.

The only case of interest disposed of, was that of Blackford vs. Stoops. This case was tried at the last term, and a verdict for $2,255 rendered for plaintiff, subject to the decision of the Court on the following point, viz: whether a married woman can assign her own mortgage as collateral security for the payment of notes drawn by her husband. The Court read an opinion on Saturday, and ruled the question, as above stated, in the negative, and ordered judgment to be entered for the plaintiff on the verdict.

PERJURY.—Lutitia Hutchinson was committed to jail on Saturday by Ald. Dobbs, of the Ninth Ward, to await trial on a charge of wilful and malicious perjury, preferred by Mrs. Mary Ann Arnold. The perjury is alleged to have consisted in the defendant's making oath that Mrs. Arnold committed an assault and battery on her person. Mrs. Hutchinson was committed in default of $500 bail.

TREASURE TROVE.—In making some repairs to the floor of the old U. S. Bank building, now in the occupancy of the Mechanics' Bank, a lot of half-dollars, amounting to about $60, was discovered. How the money got there is as impossible to decide as it would be to say what had become of a large portion of the assets of the "defunct monster."—*Dispatch.*

BAD BUSINESS.—We learn that a personal rencontre took place on Tuesday last, at Monongahela City, between Solomon Alter, formerly editor of a temperance paper in this city, and John Clemens, Esq., of Monongahela City. We did not learn the cause of the row. The friends of the combatants interfered and separated them.

THE MARKET DIFFICULTIES.—John Fitzsimmons and John Tiernan were each fined $2 and costs on Saturday last, by Ald. Boyd, for violating a Market Ordinance. They were informed on by Mr. Taggart, Clerk of the Market.

Timothy Barron was fined a like amount for the same offence.

FLOUR.—The Monongahela *Republican* says there has been but little grain secured in that neighborhood, on account of the constant rains. There is not a barrel of flour in the town for sale, and nearly every family is out. There never was such a scarcity in the history of the place.

THE WEATHER.—The clouds showered plentifully upon the earth again on Saturday afternoon. There is something strange in the fact that our storms during the past month have nearly all appeared in the afternoon, and nearly all at the same hour each successive day.

ALD. DOBBS of the Ninth Ward, on Friday, sent a girl fifteen years of age to the House of Refuge. She was taken over by Capt. Roberts.

FIRES ON SATURDAY.—About eleven o'clock, on Saturday last, a fire broke out in a shop or stable on Pennsylvania Avenue, between Diamond and High streets, owned by Mr. Jackson Duncan. The fire was caused by the overflowing of a kettle of boiling coal-tar used for the purpose of painting the cross-pieces of telegraph posts. The building was burned together with two telegraph wagons and a buggy. Loss, several hundred dollars, on which there was no insurance.

At one o'clock, on Saturday afternoon, a fire broke out in the iron foundry and machine shop of J. B. Warden, on First street, near Short. The building was a frame one, and was soon in flames, and the fire was communicated to an adjoining building, also owned and occupied by Mr. Warden, but by the exertions of the firemen and the veering of the wind just in season it was saved from destruction, though it was considerably damaged. Many of Mr. W.'s valuable patterns were destroyed.

Had the wind been blowing as strongly as it did half an hour later, a row of two-story bricks, on Second street, owned by Mr. Haigh, the First Ward School House, and the engine shop of Haigh, Hartupee & Co., would have been involved in a conflagration. It is supposed that the fire originated from a spark from Haigh, Hartupee & Co.'s shop, which fell on the roof of Mr. Warden's building.

Mr. Warden's loss is probably between $3,000 and $4,000. He was fully insured, and had $600 in the Farmers' Mutual, of New Lisbon, of which T. J. Hunter is agent.

DEATH FROM CHOLERA IN SOUTH PITTSBURGH.—We regret to learn of a fatal and very sudden case of cholera, which occurred in South Pittsburgh on Saturday morning last. The victim was Mr. Richard Shore, a brother of William Shore, of the Sixth Ward. Mr. Shore was in this city on Friday, and apparently in the enjoyment of perfect health. On Friday night about twelve o'clock, he was seized with violent cramps, and the physician who was called in pronounced it a genuine case of Asiatic cholera. The sufferer sank very fast and died on Saturday morning about nine o'clock. Mr. Shore was about thirty years of age and was employed as a glass-blower in South Pittsburgh, and resided near Jones' Ferry landing. He leaves a wife and child.

The funeral took place on Saturday afternoon, and was largely attended. The Odd Fellows conducted the burial services.

THE LATEST STYLE OF PANTS.—A new fashion for pantaloons is about to introduced. They are to be made so small and tight, that the wearer's legs must be melted and run in, that being the only way to get 'em on.

AN OLD German lady, while passing up Wylie street from Market, on Saturday, fell to the pavement overcome with the excessive heat. She was properly cared for, and was well again before evening.

OPENING OF THE P. & C. R. R.—The citizens of Connellsville are making preparations for a grand festival at the opening of the Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad.

PENTLAND'S Circus arrived in Allegheny on Saturday and exhibited to a large crowd. They come to this city to-day, and continued here all the week.

We regret to learn that William F. Coplan, Esq., of, Brownsville, Fayette county, died in Iowa a short time ago.

THE Seventh Ward Public School-House is being repaired and enlarged.

TELEGRAPHIC.

NORTH CAROLINA ELECTIONS.

RICHMOND, August 3.—In the first Congressional District, Halifax county gives H. M. Shaw, Democrat, a majority of six over R. J. Paine, K. N. for Congress. In the second Congressional District, Edgecomb and Wayne counties give Thomas Ruffin, Democrat, 2000 majority over J. T. Lathan, K. N. Whig. Third District, so far as heard from Given Winslow, Democrat, has a large majority over David Reid, K. N. Fourth District Granville county gives 650, Franklin 350, Warren 700 and Wake 450 majority for L. L. B. Branch, Democrat. The impression is that the democrats have elected a majority of Congressmen. The returns show democratic gains everywhere.

RALEIGH, August 4.—In the first district Northampton county gives Shaw, Democrat, a majority of 213; Hartford gives Paine, K. N., an increased majority. Elizabeth City and one precinct in Pasquotank gives Paine a majority of 197. Two other precincts to be heard from will probably increase the majority to over 300. One precinct in Camden gives Paine an increased majority. The county will not fall much short of the usual majority. The Americans are sanguine of Paine's election.

SECOND DISPATCH.

In the first Congressional District Robert J. Paine, K. N., is reported to be elected by 300 majority.

BALTIMORE, August 4.—In the fourth district, Branch, Democrat, has 2600 majority. In the second, T. Ruffin's election is claimed by a heavy majority. In the third district reports are in favor of Winston, anti-K. N. Democrat, over his opponent Reid, K. N. Guilford county gives a majority of 1500 for Reade, K. N., over Kerr, anti-K. N. Whig.

TENNESSEE ELECTIONS.

LOUISVILLE, August 4.—Thirty-two counties give Gentry a net gain of 1,370. The election is close. Rivers, the American candidate for Congress in the 1st district, is elected by 700 majority. Zollikoffer, the American candidate in the Hermitage district, is elected by an overwhelming majority.

NEW YORK, August 4.—The Rev. John N. McLeod, D. D., of this city, the Rev. T. W. J. Wylie and George H. Stuart, Esq., of Philadelphia, are delegates of the Reformed Presbyterian Church in the United States, to the World's Protestant Convention, to be held in Paris, on the 23d inst. They sailed per the steamship Canada from Boston.

Col Freemont and family, from Washington, Signor Tomas and family, from Cuba and Dion Bouncicault and lady are at the Clarendon.

It is reported that an affray took place last night among several emigrant runners, and that an attack was made on the Emigrant depot at Castle Garden. Several runners, it is said, were severely wounded by stabs from knives.

At a trial of a case in Brooklyn, under the liquor law, it was stated that larger beer contains from one to three per cent. of alchohol. The case was decided against the defendant who appealed to the Supreme Court.

NORFOLK, VA. August 4.—There has been no abatement of yellow fever at Gosport or Portsmouth. The Sanitory committee report for the last 24 hours ending yesterday, ten new cases and eight deaths. The panic at Portsmouth is truly fearful, several grocery and dry goods stores are closed, one-third of the town have fled to distant parts. Many have gone to Baltimore. The disease in Norfolk has much subsided, there being but one case to-day and all are confined to Barn's row. The boarders at Mason House have all left. The rains and the hot sun continue.

BALTIMORE, August 4.—Wheat opened at yesterday's quotations, but fell off 5 cents at the close, with the market dull. Flour steady, sales Howard street and City Mills $8,50, sales 2000 bbls. Howard street, delivered all in September, have been made at $8@$8,85. Rye, sales New Maryland at $1@$102.

NEW YORK, August 4.—The Danish brig Jeannette drifted ashore on the 14th July with all her crew on board dead. It is supposed they were murdered by pirates, as a schooner was seen alongside of her a day or two previously.

NEW YORK August 4.—Charles Wheeler, agent of the Commercial Express Co., a bogus concern, was arrested this morning on a charge of embezzling the sum of $8000, from the Lansinburg Bank.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—The Ariel sailed for Havre at noon with 68 passengers; among them was William C. Barney, Bearer of Dispatches to the American Consul at Bordeaux.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—Cotton firm with sales 1500 bales; the sales for the last three days were 7500 bales. Flour firm; sales 6500 bbls. Ohio and State and Southern, all at full rates. Wheat easier but not quotably lower, sales 14,500 bush. Corn a trifle lower; sales 70,000 bushels at 84½ for mixed. Pork, sales 500 bbls.; unchanged. Beef, sales 200 bbls.; firm. Lard dull; sales 2,60 bbls. at 11c. Bacon quiet; sales Hams 10c. Shoulders 7½. Butter firm at 18c for Western. Cheese heavy. Groceries quiet. Linseed Oil firm at 94c. Iron firm, sales 100 tons. Tobacco quiet with sales at 10. Stocks steady. Money in fair demand, unchanged; Canton 27½, Cumberland 28½, Penna. Coal Co. 106½; Erie 52½; Reading 92; Cleveland and Toledo 91½.

PHILADELPHIA, August. 4.—Evening.—Flour quiet; sales at $9, and for common and extra within the range of $8,75@$10. Corn Meal in good demand; Pennsylvania sold at $4,25. Rye, sales 94c. Corn quiet; yellow 96, afloat sales steady. Whiskey unch anged; in bbls. 41@42, and in hhds. 40.

REFINED SUGARS—35 bbls. Crushed & Sugar.
25 bbls. Refined White Sugar & bbls. Loaf Sugar, in store and for sale by A. WRIGHT, Left Bank.

COMMERCIAL.

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PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE,
Monday Morning, August 6, 1855.

FLOUR—the receipts on Saturday were light and stocks are low; a sale of 200 bbls superfine and extra, to arrive, at $8,75@$9,00, and 68 do superfine from mill at $8,50; from store 53 bbls superfine and extra at $9,00@$9,25.

WHISKEY—regular sales of rectified at 35@36, in limited quantities.

BACON—sales of 5000 lbs Shoulders at 9; 1000 lbs Hams at 11 and 2500 canvassed to at 11¼, cash.

LARD—a sale of 5 tcs No. 1 Lard, leaf, at 11. cash.

BUTTER—sales of 8 bbls packed at 11¼ and 1000 lbs do. at 11¼, cash.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

COTTON CIRCULAR—MONTHLY STATEMENT—Philadelphia, July 31, 1855.

Imports since Jan. 1st, 1855, of Rio, direct,	64,234	bags.
Other descriptions	31,454	"
	95,720	"
Same period 1854, of Rio.	53,294	bags.
Other descriptions,	38,346	" 91,640 "
Increase of direct import, this year,	4,080	"
Increase of Rio. this year, direct,	10,962	"
Decrease of other descriptions this year, direct,	6,882	"
Stock in second hands, this day, of Rio,	14,000	"
Of other descriptions,	4,000	"
	18,000	
Same time last year, of Rio,	18,173	bags.
Same time last year, of other, descriptions,	5,876	" 24,049 "
Arrivals from Maracaibo, barque Irma, to Francis Tate,	3,225	"
Total imports this month, all descriptions,	3,226	bags.

Sales of the month, 350 bags. 9¾; 10,114 do. 9¾ to 10¾; 10,710 do. 10¾ to 10¾; 2030 do. 11. 2000 do. 11¼; 1600 do. 11¼. Total, 27,710 bags Rio. 1200 bags Laguayra, 11 to 11¾; 1000 do. St. Domingo, 10 to 10¾; 4700 do. Maracaibo, private terms. Total, 34,679 bags, including resales and con twips.

Market firm—Rio. Inferior, 9¾ to 9¾; Fair to Good Fair 10¾ to 11; Prime, 11¼ to 11½.

ADTHEW & MORRIS, Brokers,
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IMPORTS BY RIVER.

BROWNSVILLE BOATS—37 bbls cement, W W Wallace; 19 kgs nails, Nevin & co 5 sks; scraps, Fahnestock & co; 14 bales wool, east.

STEUBENVILLE, by Venture—47 sks wool, M'Candless, Means & co; 92 do, 44 bbls highwines, 11 pkgs butter, 2 do eggs, east.

WHEELING, by Eclipse—52 pkgs butter, 7 do eggs, 30 bbls pork, 8 sks wool, east; 14 tcs hams, 25 sks bacon, D C Barker; 4 hhds tobacco, 50 bbls flour, 24 do fruit, sundry consignees.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH R R—27 bbls fish, 45 brs cheese, J B Canfield; 3 bbls eggs, J & W Rea.

OHIO & PENNSYLVANIA R. R—34 sks wool, 3 bbls eggs, 3 do butter, east; 100 bbls staves, Parker; 10 bbls flour, P Harbaugh & co; 7 do apples, 13 hides, 215 bus oats, 106 bbls paper, sundry consignees.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

ARRIVED—Jefferson, Brownsville; Venture, do; Col. Bayard, Elizabeth; Michigan No. 2, Wellsville; Clara Fisher, West Newton; Eclipse, Wheeling.

DEPARTED—Jefferson, Brownsville; Lusanne, do; Col. Bayard, Elizabeth; Venture, Brownsville; Clara Fisher, West Newton; Michigan No. 2, Wellsville; Eclipse, Wheeling; Fairy Queen, Cincinnati.

RIVER—On Saturday evening there were 6 feet 3 inches in the channel and falling.

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Pittsburgh, Aug. 1st, 1855—au3-3td-eW

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