GAZETTE—CITY DEPARTMENT.

PITTSBURGH:

MONDAY MORNING, NOV. 19, 1855.

THE HABEAS CORPUS CASE.—THE DEFENDANTS DISCHARGED.—The cases of the Commonwealth *ex rel.* George W. Boyd and Carroline Mounts (under indictment in this county for adultry) vs. The keeper of the Common Jail of Allegheny county, were argued on Friday, as we have stated.

On Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, the Supreme Court gave its decision, by Lewis, Chief Justice, as follows:

The points which we decide are—

First, That a person cannot be lawfully arrested in one county for a misdemeanor alleged to have been committed in another and taken to the county where the misdemeanor is alleged to have been committed, and delivered to the common jail of said county under a warrant issued by a Judge of the county where the arrest is made, directed to the Sheriff thereof.

Second, That a warrant issued by a Justice of the Peace of one county and endorsed by an Alderman or Justice of the Peace of another city or county, charging a misdemeanor to have been committed in the county where the warrant issued, will not justify the detention of the alleged offender in the common jail of the city or county where the warrant was endorsed.

Third, That where one is in actual custody charged with the commission of a misdemeanor, and it is ascertained that the misdemeanor if committed at all was in another county, the Court of Quarter Sessions of the county where the prisoner is in custody cannot legally require the prisoner to give bail for his or her appearance at the Court of Quarter Sessions of the County where the offence is alleged to have been committed and in default thereof commit him or her to the common jail of the county where the inquiry is had.

As there was no legal course of detention, the defendants, Caroline Mounts and George W. Boyd, were therefore discharged.

Immediately upon their discharge, the parties were again brought before Chief Justice Lewis, on a case stated, by the mayor and alderman. The defendants were considered as on a writ of Habeas Corpus, being under arrest on warrants issued in Washington county and endorsed by Aldarman Steel, a magistrate in this county.

The Chief Justice held that it appeared from the case that George W. Boyd was now in the custody of James Monk on a warrant issued by a Justice of the Peace of Washington County which was endorsed by an alderman of this city. The warrant was issued on the information of Jane Boyd, the wife of the defendant, who could not be a legal witness against her husband except in a case of assault and battery upon her person. The constitution provided that no man could be arrested without a legal oath which this was not. George W. Boyd was therefore discharged from custody.

In the case of Caroline Mounts, who was held by a similar warrant similarly endorsed, it was necessary that it should appear on oath upon the warrant that it had been issued by a competent justice in Washington county this oath was made by James Mounts, the husband of the said Caroline who as in the last case could not be a legal witness against his wife.

The defendants were therefore both discharged with the admonition from his Honor, Judge Lewis, to "go and sin no more."

Subsequent to this discharge Mr. Mounts took his wayward lady in charge, and then entered suit in the District Court against George W. Boyd for adultery with his (Mounts') wife, laying his damages at $5,000. A capias was issued, Boyd was arrested and being unable to give bail was again committed to the jail, from which he had just been twice discharged.

THAT SUPPRESSED PRESENTMENT OF THE GRAND JURY.—The *Dispatch* of Saturday published the presentment of the last Grand Jury, about which there has been so much talk, and as neither the Court nor the Commissioners have ordered its publication, we presume individual members of the Grand Jury obtained its insertion at their own expense. Why the document was not ordered to be published by the usual authorities does not appear, though it is generally suggested that the presentment may have been obnoxious to both Court and Commissioners. On looking it over, we find the following suggestions contained in the presentment, from which there seems to emanate to our olfactories the odor of a rat:

"We also recommend, for the sake of convenience and facilitation of business in the courts, the propriety of removing the Prothonotary's office to the large room now occupied by the Commissioners, and that they take the room now occupied by the Prothonotary.

"We also very respectfully submit for the decision of the Court, whether a less number of tipstaves would not answer the purposes of the Courts. To this class of officers (nineteen in number) one thousand two hundred and thirty-seven dollars were paid last year by the county."

The Court explains the matter of the tipstaves by saying:—"The Grand Jury has committed an accidental error, by looking at the whole number of different names appearing in the Auditor's report for the last year."

There is nothing of a very startling nature in the Presentment. The Court very truly remarks that "it contains some wholesome recommendations, and is entitled to that respect and consideration which any document must be which is signed by twelve or more disinterested and respectable citizens."

In other words, Grand Jury Presentments are a mere formality, in no wise efficacious, and doing nobody any particular good or ill.

We may state, however, (and we charge nothing for the publication,) that the Grand Jury places much stress on the matter of a workhouse at the jail, which would certainly be a salutary adjunct to that very costly institution. It will, however, require a louder voice than any Grand Jury possesses to bring about such a desirable consummation.

Then the Grand Jury talks very plainly about another matter of which the public has said long ago as Hamlet said to the players—"reform it altogether." Herein below is an important suggestion and we hope to hear more of it:

"We do also present the case of the mayor, burgesses, aldermen and justices of the peace, throughout the county, as worthy of serious consideration. Whether the legal jurisdiction of these very respectable and highly honorable officers of the law is so restricted as to give them no power or authority to act otherwise than to return to the court all those trifling and vexatious cases of assault and battery, petty larceny and such like, jury is not prepared to say, but that a reform may be made, we would recommend to the Court and the people of Allegheny County, the propriety, if not the necessity, of petitioning and requiring our legislators to pass a law for the establishment of an Alderman's or Justice's court, in which all such cases as above mentioned shall be tried and finally disposed of, subject only to appeal upon condition that the party appealing shall in all cases pay the costs of said appeal, so that the county shall in no case be liable for costs. Some such law as this would be a great saving of expense to the county, and a great relief to the Court. The amount paid by the county last year (as shown by the auditor's report) to those worthies for sending drunken vagabonds and idle loafers to the hill, was five thousand two hundred and six dollars and ninety-two cents. What stronger argument than this can be used to convince the taxpayers of Allegheny County that it is their duty as well as their interest to attend to this matter immediately.

We close our extracts from the presentment with the following, the substance of which we were the first to announce after the Grand Jury was discharged:

We would also submit, without remark, whether all such public indelicacies as women horse racing, as practiced at our agricultural fairs, and public baby shows, and such like impropriettes, are not indictable offences?"

—Of most conservative Grand Jurors!

THANKSGIVING DAY.—By referring to the advertisement in this paper it will be seen that the Bullards' work of art exhibits in this city at Masonic Hall *tiresomes*, Thursday at 10, 3 and 7½ o'clock. Many of our readers living within five or six miles of the city we doubt not will see the Panorama of New York during this week, twenty thousand persons have visited it here, it exhibits every evening this week, and Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons at 3 o'clock. The artistic merit of the painting, is of a most superior order. No one but a great genius could have produced it. Its perfect correctness, the nice taste which is displayed both in regard to proportion, and light and shade, the life-like appearance of the personals in the streets, all show a master mind. No one can look upon it without being at once struck with the vastness of the design, and the perfection of the finish. It almost transports us back to the days when the great painters of the world flourished, and induces us to believe that a Michael Angelo had touched it with his pencil. But we are grander if in that is a Michael Angelo had touched it. It is the work of the American and that renders it doubly valuable to us.

In the District Court on Saturday, no business of public interest was transacted. The Court directed the Jurors summoned to be in attendance on Monday, Nov. 26, to be notified not to attend until Monday, December 3d. The Court will not take up any Jury Trials until that time, but meets to-day to hear argument and entertain motions.

THE argument on the petition for discharge of William S. Thompson, insolvent debtor, was postponed, on Saturday, until Monday morning at ten o'clock. The matter was deferred as the Court Room was uncomfortably cold.

The recent liquor cases will not probably be taken to the Supreme Court.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT DECISION.

The Sunday Liquor Law.

A very important decision was rendered in the Supreme Court on Saturday.

The case was that of Nasser, plaintiff in error vs. The Commonwealth, and was argued by Carnahan for the former and by Shannon for the latter. The decision will be interesting to magistrates and the public generally.

John Nusser was arrested on a capias, or warrant, issued by John McKee, Esq., of Birmingham, to answer a charge of selling liquor on the Sabbath day. He was summarily convicted, on proof, under the Act of 14th April, 1851, and adjudged to pay the sum of $50 fine,—one half to the Commonwealth, the other to the informer.

The case was removed, by *certiorari*, to the Common Pleas, and judgment affirmed by Judge McClure. It was then taken to the Supreme Court.

The Supreme Court decided that the Act of 1851 is repealed by the Act of the 26th February, 1855. And that the penalty can be recovered only by action of debt, according to the last named law—suit to be brought as therein directed. Summary conviction will not do, and an appeal lies in all such cases.

The Supreme Court has decided, therefore, that the act of 1851, being a *local* one, is altogether repealed by the act of 1855, which is a *general* one. Also, that there can be, since the first of April last, no *summary conviction* to recover the penalty of the fifty-dollars. To recover that, there must be an *action of debt*. But the offence may, also, be prosecuted as a misdemeanor, by information, indictment, &c.

Judge McClure was totally reversed, and his decision held null and void.

AMOUNT OF STATE, COUNTY AND POOR TAX paid into the Treasury of Allegheny county for the year 1855, by collectors, to Nov. 10 1855:

Collectors' Names.	County.	Poor.	State.
C. Russell, 1st ward Pittsburg, paid,	600	000	1500
John Glenn 2d do	do	do	2000
R. Patterson 3d do	do	do	1000
R. Hope 4th do	do	do	2267
Wm. Irwin 5th do	do	do	1900
J Chambers 6th do	do	do	2201
H Lytle 7th do	do	do	834
Wm Neely 8th do	do	do	800
H Hammond 9th do	do	do	467
John Orr 10th ward Alleg'y	do	do	1203
Jno Rainey 2d do	do	do	900
A O Alexander 3d do	do	do	1000
Jas Graham 4th do	do	do	1738
			3060
Collectors' Names.	County.	Poor.	State.
J G Comstock, Sharpsburg,	100	000	00
James Rowland, Peters tp.	62	000	18
W W Decker, Lawrenceville	160	000	61
Eli M'Laughlin St'Newport,	175	000	226
J Ralph, East Birmingham,	221	000	221
Jno Wetbrech, Birmingham,	1500	000	300
Thomas Garver, South Pittsburg,	1300	000	400
A F Larimer, Snowden,	258	000	442
William Odlan, Pitts	353	000	316
William Cu ry, Moon	289	000	316
Moses O Peebles, Ross,	300	000	600
Joseph Pierce, Jefferson,	313	000	100
Samuel Wilson, Upper St. Clair,	200	000	433
Neely Turner Sr. Chir.	300	000	600
Harvey M'Decough, Baldwin,	985	000	789
Thomas Morgan, South Pa ste,	448	000	540
F O M'Clure, Mifflin,	648	000	480
Robt Porter, N Fayette,	100	000	60
Wm Neely, Franklin,	250	000	204
M P Scott, Sewickley,	91	000	81
Wm Peoples, M'Donald,	1139	000	45
W N Burchfield, Peebles,	930	000	837
D S Mills, East Deer,	400	000	396
J O Byrne, Shaler,	145	000	180
Geo Hassett, West Deer,	187	000	250
Robert Orr, Ohio,	1	000	00
J S Gardner, Sibsabeth,	1700	000	1277
Wm Lawson, Hampton,	1	000	00
Wm Harper, Findler,	440	000	262
D Negley, Collins,	600	000	578
D S'Cully, Versailles,	207	000	153
A Chalfant, Penn,	387	000	353
Jno Hamilton, Marsh,	200	000	120
John Thompson, Patton,	240	000	120
Jas Dickson, Reville,	Settled	out	in full
	23,115	000	20,254

The following districts have not yet paid anything into the Treasury:

W M Parks' Manchester; John Lytle, Elizabeth boro; J Rankin, Duquesne boro; Jas W Williams, West Pittsburg; Dav'd Rodgers, West Elizabeth; W Gorman, Lower St. Clair; Wm Wiley, Pitt township; John H Phillips, Robinson township; J Patterson, Indiana township; Mary Hoobach; Wilkins township.

Amount of County Tax assessed $106,105
" " State " 24,478
" " Poor " 13,548
Amount paid $192,926
Leaving a balance of $142,318 of the $192,926 taxes of 1855 outstanding.

COL. ALDEN is receiving letters from those who have purchased county rights, and are now in their territory, calling the shelter of the farmers, stating that they are meeting with the most unexpected success. This they attribute in part to the liberal patronage they have given the press in the county in which they operate.—The excellency of the machine is acknowledged by nearly all who see it in operation; but the attention of all can only be called to it by giving wide publicity to the facts in the case. A few dollars expended in advertisements and notices will do more to bring this implement into notice than anything else that can possibly be done. When it is once seen, it rises at once in the estean of every judge of machinery far above everything that has been constructed for the purpose. Those purchasers have gone in all directions, and are in high spirits in regard to the rapid sales and handsome profits they expect to make as soon as they can get a supply of the machines equal to the great demand all over the country.

PANORAMA OF THE RUSSIAN WAR.—By our advertising columns it will be seen that this celebrated exhibition will open on Thursday at the City Hall. Report speaks highly of its merits. Mr. Hanington the proprietor has been with several exhibitions among others with his well remembered beautiful Dioramas. Judging from what we have seen under his management we anticipate a treat. We copy the following from the "Buffalo Express."

SPLENDID.—To those who seek information concerning the Russian war, we should strongly recommend a visit to the American Hall, where they will see a beautiful pictorial illustration of the entire campaign, explained by its instructive remarks of Mons. L. Louyer, the Lecturer. The entire exhibition abounds with points of interest. The painting is admirable, and the accompanying chemical and mechanical effects are so extremely truthful, as to cause the bewildered spectators to imagine they are gazing on reality. To all who desire an evening's entertainment, we would say, go and be gratified, but to secure a seat, be sure and go early.

BENCH WARRANT.—Upon a bench warrant issued on an affidavit sworn to by Wm. F Smith, a member of the wholesale dry goods firm of Reigsel & Co., Philadelphia, Anthony & Co., (N. Anthony and Henry D. Olney) dry goods merchants, Market street, Pittsburgh, were brought before the District Court. Judge Thompson, on the bench, on Saturday last. The affiant deposed that Anthony & Co. were indebted to Reigsel & Co. the amount of $3095.21 for goods which they had refused to pay and for which a suit is now pending in the District Court; and further that it is affiants' belief that Anthony & Co. have disposed and are disposing of their property for the purpose of defrauding their creditors.

N. Anthony was examined by A. W. Loomis, Esq., for the defendants and cross-examined by C. P. Hamilton, Esq., for plaintiffs.

The Court adjourned at four o'clock to resume the case to-day at two o'clock.

MAN KILLED.—We learn that a man named Gus. BLAKE, was killed on the track of the Ohio and Pennsylvania Road, near Rochester, on Saturday night, by the Accomodation train passing over him. It is supposed that he was lying on the track, at the time. He was cut completely in two. His parents reside in Bridgewater, Beaver County.

IN the Supreme Court on Saturday, the case of the Cleveland Painesville & Ashtabula R. R. Co., vs. The City of Erie, was continued until the session of the Court in Philadelphia on the first Monday of January, 1856.

THE O. & P. R. R. EXTENSION.—A petition was presented to the District Court on Saturday for the appointment of viewers to assess damages on the line of the extension of the Ohio and Pennsylvania R. R. to this city.

JUDGE MCCLURE postponed the hearing of the case of the three candidates for the House of Refuge who were arrested for breaking into the house of Capt. Heslap.

JACOB SMITH, formaly of Brownsville, was recently killed by accidental discharge of a gun, in Kansas.

WE understand the Duquesne Greys intend parading on the afternoon of Thanksgiving Day.

PROPERTY NEAR EASTLIBERTY FOR SALE.—A lot of ground fronting on the Pennsylvania Railroad 75 feet and extending back 200 feet, there is erected a double two story Brick Dwelling, containing 8 rooms and good cellar to each house. The yard and ground are planted with fruit and shade trees of every kind. Situated within 8 minutes walk of the depot and is offered at the low price of $4,000. Apply to
nov20 R. McLAIN & SON, 21 6th st.

500 BBLS. extra and superfine Flour; 500 bbls. Rye Flour; 500 bbls. Rye Whiskey and for sale by WALLACE & H. GARDNER, nov12 35 Liberty st.

EGGS—4 bbls. fresh Eggs just rec'd and for sale by SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

SYRUP—20 bbls. Golden Syrup; 20 do. Refined do. for sale by SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

BROOMS—60 dozen Corn Brooms for sale by HENRY H. COLLINS.

GREEN APPLES—115 largest size bbls. Nonsuch Apples, sound and in good order, for sale by SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

TABLE COVERS—200 doz. of different sizes and qualities, beautiful styles, also, Stand and Sofa Covers, received and retailing by No. 151 Market st. J. & H. PRIESLEY.

LOUISVILLE LIME—105 bbls. new now landing from steamer Rosalie for sale by nov13 ISAIAH DICKEY & CO.

WHITE OAK PLANK—15,000 feet 2 to 4 inches thick will measure, for sale by nov13 ISAIAH DICKEY & CO.

LINSEED OIL this day rec'd and for sale by nov13 HENRY H. COLLINS.

ROLL BUTTER—30 bbls. this day rec'd by nov13 HENRY H. COLLINS.

BIG IRON—17 tons Marion Furnace Pig Iron for sale by nov13 JOHN FLOYD & CO.

MANILLA PAPER, assorted sizes; Fine Tea paper, in store and for sale by nov13 S. RADLEY, Allegheny.

SUNDRIES—2 bales Hops, 2 bbls. Chestnuts, 5 pkgs Rag Carpets. McMILLS & KOE.

TELEGRAPHIC.

WASHINGTON CITY, Nov. 17.—The Union of this morning says that dispatches received by the State Department by the Pacific, confirm the assurances that there is nothing whatever in the diplomatic relations between Great Britain and the United States, which need awaken a moment's solicitude on this side of the water. The Central American question has been the subject of earnest discussion and very serious difference of opinion upon some points, but that difference is a matter still belonging to pending negotiations. The Union also confirms my dispatch of last night and says that a British fleet will probably be sent out in consequence of the alarm produced by the British Consul's mistake in relation to the barque Maury. The Union likewise gives a positive denial to the statement of the London Times that Mr. Buchanan had expressed sympathy with the English Government.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—The Herald announces the formation of a Mammoth Telegraph Co., which proposes to lease the old lines or build new ones so as to bring under the control of one concern a net work of wires leading from New York to every prominent business place in the Union. The company is composed of well-known capitalists and business men and will use the Hughes electro-magnetic printing telegraph for the patent of which they have paid between one and two hundred thousand dollars. The company has also leased all the direct lines between New York and Nova Scotia and will assume the management of them on the 1st of January. The new lines West and South will be commenced in spring.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 17.—Flour, a better feeling prevails, but there is little doing; sales 75 bbls at $7,90. Grain; barley, sales 160 bush malt at $1,80. Whiskey firm, sales 600 bbls at 33½.—Sugar unsettled, holders ask an advance of 1/4 and purchases cannot be made below this advance; sales 10 hhds fair at 7¼, and sales of this grade last day, and very firm; supply light; small sale at 37@38. Coffee steady with a moderate demand at previous rates.

River ten feet; it has rained hard all morning but is now clearing off.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Nicholas Sucillon was to-day delivered up to the French Government by the United States authorities, and will be sent out in the steamship Arago in charge of Marshal De Augele.

WASHINGTON CITY.—A fire occurred at Alexandria, and the walls of the burning building are said to have fallen in, burying a number of persons beneath the ruins.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 17.—The total number of death in this city for the week is 151.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Stocks firm; Cleveland and Toledo R. R. 73½; Michigan Southern R. R. 69½; Sterling exchange heavy. Cotton firm, sales 2000 bales. Flour firmer, sales 25,000 bbls at $9.68 for good Ohio. Wheat improving, sales 22,000 bush. Corn drooping, sales 5000 bushels Western. Pork firm; sales 400 bbls. Beef firm, sales 300 bbls Chicago. Lard active, sales 1500 bbls. Whiskey firmer, sales 400 bbls at 33½. Coffee firmer, sales 2500 bags Rio. Sugar active, sales 1500 hhds. Molasses quiet. Linseed oil unchanged. Lard, oil firm, sales 2000 galls. at full prices. Iron and tobacco steady. Butter buoyant at 16@22. Cheese firm at 9½@11½.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 17.—Stocks quiet, with very little change in prices. Flour exceedingly quiet; there is but little export demand and shipping brands are offered at $9,25 without finding buyers; small sales for home consumption at $9,25@9,75 for common and extra brands. Wheat in rather more inquiry, but prices unchanged; sales 9500 bushels Southern and Pennsylvania at $2,02 for prime red, and $1,90 for do. at 1,95; 1500 bushels grown and $2,16 for prime white. Rye continues in good demand; further sales of 3000 bushels Pennsylvania at $1,17@1,18 in store, and some South-ern at $1,15. Corn comes forward slowly; sales 2000 bushels old yellow at 97c in store, and some new at 70c. Whiskey dull, in bbls 39 and in hhds at 40.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 16—Cotton advanced ¼@¼, and may now be quoted for middling fair 8½@8¾. The sales of the week were 43,000 bales against 37,000 for the corresponding week of last year. The receipts compared with last year are 145,000 more, and the stock on hand is 81,000. Prime Coffee is quoted at 11¼.

CHARLESTON, S. C. Nov. 16.—Cotton has advanced from ¼ to ½ since the Pacific's intelligence. Middlings fair 9½@9¾.

GREAT MASONIC HALL.

THE LARGEST PIANO FORTE, MELODEON AND MUSIC STORE IN THE UNITED STATES.

Will be opened October 15th, 1855, in the Masonic Building,

Chatham Street, above Second, Philadelphia, by

JOHN MARSH, the Sole Agent for Boardman, Gray & Co.'s Celebrated Iron Campass Attachment Piano Fortes, and C. W. Fox & Co.'s Premium Melodeons. Also, Piano Fortes and Melodeons of other distinguished makers. J. M. has obtained a lease for several years in the new Masonic Building, and has fitted up the building, expressly for the purpose of keeping the largest stock and assortment of Piano Fortes, Melodeons, Reed and Musical Instruments of every description, all of which are carefully selected by himself, and warranted to give perfect satisfaction in every instance. oct13-6m

NOVEMBER 1ST.

Second Arrival of Winter Goods.

JOSEPH HORNE & Co. have just received from the East a second supply of NEW GOODS for the winter season, consisting in part of Rich Silk and Velvet Dress and Cloak Trimmings, French and Swiss Embroideries, Embroidered Cloaks, Goods and accompanying chemical and mechanical effects Under Garments; and a vast array of fancy articles, either wholesale or retail, 51 Fifth st.

N. G. MURPHY & BRO.,

No. 57 Wood Street, near Third,

HAVE now in store a beautiful assortment of DRY GOODS and Small Wares, bought within the last two weeks, at the very lowest cash prices for the same, which they will sell at a small advance on cost for cash, or to good prompt six month purchasers. Also, all packages purchased and sold, and sales made on examination of their stock. oct8

Fall Trade, 1855.

TO COUNTRY AND CITY MERCHANTS

—We have now in store and are daily receiving supplies of the following kinds of Dry Goods, imported through the Pittsburgh Custom House, direct from Europe, which we will sell low for cash or to punctual pay of the eastern cities.

Call and examine our stock.

oct9 O. FEAGER & CO., 110 Market street.

Stoves, Fenders and Fire Irons.

IRON CITY STOVE WAREHOUSE, No. 134 Wood street. As the season has arrived which brings into use the above named articles, we would invite the attention of those needing anything in our line to an examination of our stock, which is now full and complete. We are determined not to be undersold by any in the cities. Remember the place, No. 134 Wood street.

oct9 SAMUEL A. ROBB, Successor to J. Bernheimer.

Western Lands.

BLAKELY & RICHEY offer for sale in tracts to suit purchasers 30,000 acres of land in the following counties, viz: Jefferson, Clarion, Clearfield, Davenport embracing Woodland and Prairie Mill Seats, Surveys, &c. &c. Apply at the corner of 7th and Smithfield sts. oct9

Book Agents and Canvassers

ARE WANTED to engage in the sale of several NEW AND IMPORTANT NATIONAL WORKS.

Men of experience and respectability are here directly assigned them. Terms are liberal, and the works offered are only for sale by subscription. Apply personally or address G. T. EVANS, 16 Olney Building, New York, or G. M. EVANS, 19 Bas. Fourth Street, Cincinnati. nov12-lmdawly

Bags! Bags!!

BUCKWHEAT BAGS—25 and 50 lbs. sacks On hand and for sale by MERCER & MORRISON, nov12 No. 1 Exchange Alley, between Wood and Market.

WINDOW SHADES, Maple Rivers, on Fifth st., for terms and particulars. nov13

Western Lands.

BLAKELY & RICHEY have for sale the following well selected Western Lands:

No.	R.	T.	Sec.	Acres.	Situation.
1	3	80	3	334	Stillwater, M. T.
2	4	80	3	40	Stillwater, M. T.
3	4	40	3	40	Stillwater, M. T.
4	4	40	3	40	Stillwater, M. T.
5	4	40	3	40	Stillwater, M. T.
6	4	30	3	30	Stillwater, M. T.
7	4	30	3	30	Stillwater, M. T.
8	10	120	—	120	Stillwater, M. T.
9	10	120	—	120	Stillwater, M. T.

Also, 160 acres in Cedar county, 9 miles from Tipton, and 320 acres in Jackson county, 10 miles from Cedar Falls.

Also, 160 acres in Dallas county, 9 miles from Tipton; 160 acres in Decatur county, 10 miles East of Davenport.

No. 10, 160 acres in Cedar county, 9 miles from Tipton; No. 11, 320 acres in Jackson county, 10 miles East of Cedar Falls. nov8

Needlework.

"Hark, the rustle of a dress, stuff with lavish costliness" Light Poetry is truth now, but as soon as the accomplishment of playing on the Sewing Machine becomes as universal as that of playing on the Piano, then will Poetry be truth indeed. Any one who can learn to stitch on the machines will never again have to pay more than 25 cents for that purpose. Call at the Machine for sale at CHESTERS, 74 Wood street. Agent for Allegheny County.

NEW EMBROIDERIES—

Collars, Bands, Sleeves, Linen Setts, Worked Edgings, Worked Muslins, Cambric Handkerchiefs, Lace Veils, &c.

For sale by JOS. HORNE & CO., 51 Market st.

NEBRASKA UNION SETTLEMENT CO.—The subscribers have been appointed Agents of the above Company for Pittsburgh, with large certificates of membership entitling the holder to 160 or 100 feet square in a One City, which is beautifully situated in Nebraska, at the mouth of the Platte river. The country in the vicinity is of unsurpassed fertility and health. Pulcers of its climate, and for the extensive beds of coal, iron, lime, &c., with which the locality abounds. The location and the surrounding country affords great facilities for the most profitable investment of capital, and for the speedy realization of princely and enormous fortunes. Certificates, with full explanations, to be had of JAMES M. McLAIN & SON, 21 6th st. nov13

News for the Young.

—That favorite with an unusually large stock of (Holiday goods to the wants of Children and Youths of all classes. The style and quality cannot be excelled, and the prices are graduated at the lowest figure in consistency with the reasonable remuneration of the establishment. The young people and parents are invited to call together with the juvenile public generally, as we intend to sell all we have on hand this season as early as possible.

One price; no deviation. We stand by it.

Pekin Tea Store,

No. 53 FIFTH ST.

FRESH TEAS.—A choice lot, fresh Green and Black Teas received direct from the importers, which will be sold wholesale or retail, at prices lower than usual. oct8 E. JAYNES.

WILLIAM TATE, Plumber and Gas Fitter, No. 39 Fourth street, near Liberty, and 472 Penn street, near Canal, has removed to Parkinson's Office, and Fourth st., opposite Federal st., Allegheny, where he will attend to any description of Plumbing, Gas Fitting and Brass Work. oct8

COMMERCIAL.

COMMITTEE OF ARBITRATION, FOR NOVEMBER. GEO. W. CASS, V. P.—WM. PHILLIPS, D. M. CLENDENIN, JNO. A. WILSON, REESE J. THOMAS.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH GAZETTE OFFICE, Monday Morning, November 19, 1855.

The weather on Saturday was so unpleasant that all out-door transactions were checked. We are therefore without leading sales to report.

The river was rising rapidly, at the rate of three inches per hour, and will give a coal-boat rise beyond all doubt. By this morning, the coal-boats will be getting out as fast as possible, and some have probably gone already. 62

FLOUR—no operations from first hands; small sales of extra from store at $8,50. The last previous quotations ranged from $7,75@$8,25, on arrival.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—a sale at depot of 2500 lbs at $3,90 ₩ 100 lbs.

SUGAR—a dispatch received by a commercial house in this city on Saturday, dated New Orleans, Nov. 14, says "Prime Sugar has advanced to 7¾. Molasses 33¼." This advance in Sugar will stiffen the views of dealers throughout the country; and as there is but little in this market, holders will doubtless govern themselves accordingly.

WHISKEY—small sales of rectified at 35.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

PENNSYLVANIA ROAD—NEW TARIFF.—The new card of Winter Rates on this road has just been issued. It goes into effect on Monday, November 26th, instead of December 1st, as anticipated, and shippers will have to hurry up, if they expect to profit by present rates.

WINTER RATES.

1st class,	Dry Goods, Merchandize, &c.,	90 cts. ₩ 100 lbs
2d "	Groceries, Oil, seeds, Drugs, &c.,	75 " "
3d "	Wool, &c.,	65 " "
	Apples, Hides, Bacon, loose, Butter, &c.,	
4th "	Bacon, packed, Beef, Pork, Cotton, Grain, Metal, Tobacco, Whiskey, &c.,	50 " "

Flour, $1,00 ₩ bbl. Grain must be in bags, and loaded and unloaded at Shipper's expense.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 2.—We have to report on the whole a very quiet week in the grain trade, with the exception of Indian Corn, little business has been doing in any article. On Tuesday last the 30th ult. there was a fair demand for wheat, but in retail consumptive demand; but holders, being anxious to sell from the quay, submitted to a reduction of 1d per 70 lbs. Last week, and of 2d ₩ 70 lbs on White. Flour was dull, and 6d ₩ bbl and such cheaper. Indian Corn was at the commencement of the week in request, and sold at 43s ₩ qr for Mixed, but, subsequently, a speculative demand having sprung up, and a large supply light, it stepped to the wants of city and country trade, all of which will be discovered at low prices. oct30

The sheriff was moderately attended. Wheat was held firmly on Tuesday's rates, and a fair consumptive trade was transacted. Flour was in rather better request, and 2s was obtained over last week's rates. Barley was more firmer, without change in price. Indian Corn was in fair demand, and 1s and 2s higher.

To-day's quotations are—Wheat, Red, 11s to 11s 6d; White, 11s to 12s 6d; Flour, Philadelphia and Ohio 45s to 46s; Indian Corn, mixed, 44s to 44s 6d.

Beef is in slightly improved demand, although sales for the moment are somewhat limited.

Pork is in fair inquiry, and higher prices are paid—considerable sales are making this week to the agents of the Government Contract to be taken on the 18th inst.

Bacon—Supplies of Irish and hams cured increased, and prices have ruled lower.

Lard—In fair inquiry, at late prices.

Cheese—Steady at our quotations.

Butter—Rather better demand, at firm prices.

Bark—Steady at our quotations.

BOSTON, Nov. 17.—The money market to-day exhibits symptoms of returned ease and confidence. The supply on call is increasing, and stocks are carried with much more ease. Since the removal of suspension of specie payments, the bank circulation is much stronger. Paper outside the bank is rather more plenty, and is offered at lower rates.

All the gold received at the assay office from the Empire City—about $1,000,000—has been ordered in coin, and with other parcels previously deposited, bring the amount up to $1,500,000. Some few shipments which had been paid out have been returned, and others are on their way.

The government is about to transfer a million of silver from New Orleans to Philadelphia.

The letters by the Pacific are cheerful, and the writers generally express confidence in the future. Money, it is stated, is comparatively easy in London and Paris. Outside the Bank of England first-class bills may be had at 3 per cent. Bullion is in good supply, and the Bank of France is in a very easy condition. The security in the vicinity is said to be satisfactory and health. Fulcers of its climate, and for the extensive beds of coal, iron, lime, &c., with which the locality abounds. The location and the surrounding country affords great facilities for the most profitable investment of capital, and for the speedy realization of princely and enormous fortunes. Certificates, with full explanations, to be had of JAMES M. McLAIN & SON, 21 6th st. nov13

IMPORTS BY RIVER.

ST. LOUIS—2 P & Mail—28 bbls Beans, A. Culbertson; 24 do oil, 20 bbls Beans, sent; 12 do Feathers, Hensley & Co; 4 bbls whiskey, 2 kegs do, 482 bbls flour, Wallace & Gilmore; 50 sacks Bran, 50 do Middlings, D. W. Haselton & Co; 2 bbls cider, A. Culbertson; 66 bbls flour, D W Haselton & co; 12 bbls apples, Wallace & Gilmore.

WHEELING, by Forest City—755 sks wheat, Byram & co; 113 bbls do, Wilmarth & co; 27 hides, M'Cune & Jones; 7 sks scraps, 34 bbls tallow, 3 do grease, 32 sks rye, 16 do potatoes, 12 bbls paper, sundry consignees.

NEW ORLEANS, by W H Brown—30 shs wool, W Barker; 1 bale hard oil, Leech, Wallis & co; 50 do do, Wallace & Adger; 170 tcs beef, 17 bxs stone, 44 bales cotton, Wallace & Adger; 50 do do, W Wallace; 50 do do, Byram & co; 7 pkgs lead, J W Barker; 44 bbls whiskey, 50 do do, Culbertson, Miller & Richardson.

CINCINNATI, by Rinaker's Stack—277 sks wheat, Byram & co; 111 bbls flour, Bell & Leggett; 100 do, G Hingham; 1846 do, 72 bbls pork, 84 bxs bacon, 25 chs bristles, sent; 8 bbls whiskey, 2 do alcohol, 3 do lard, 1 do tallow, Hensley & co; 14 bxs tobacco, R Dalzell & co; 5 bales do, Mullin & Son; 30 do do, Mair & Hunter; 20 sks wool, W Barker; 24 bxs tobacco, W Cooper.

UNION LINE—160 bbls flour, J & W Rea; 6 do cider, 2 do butter, 7 tubs do, 2 sks do, 50 sks barley, 10 bbls flour, 10 do apples, 30 sks potatoes, sundry consignees.

PENNA. CANAL—1000 bus rye, owners.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH R R—4 bbls butter, 3 kgs do, Bagaley & co; 3 bbls do, 42 pkgs fruit, J B Canfield; 81 bbls flour, R Rea & Agnew; 8 pkgs butter, 45 bbls flour, Wallace & Gilmore.

OHIO & PENNSYLVANIA R R—146 sks wool, 12 bbls soap, 9 do butter, 11 bbls lard, 1 do tallow, 20 bbls flour, 1 do whiskey, 1 do alcohol, 1 do oil, 1 do paints, 1 do varnish, Marcus & Rosenbaum; 118 bags rye, 437 do oats, 12 do wheat, 1 do flour, 50 sks S W Watson; 100 bags oats, 50 do corn, 9 do cotton, Grant, Smith & Co.

RAILROAD ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

ARRIVED—Jefferson, Brownsville; Lancaster, &c Col. Bayard, Elizabeth; Reliance, West Newton Gen. Lafayette, Pittsburgh; Cincinnati, Rochester, Mercury, &c., Cleveland; Pittsburgh, Cincinnati; Buckeye State, do Irene, do; Clara Fisher, Steubenville; Rochester, Louisville.

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RIVER.—On Saturday evening there was 8 feet 0 inches in the channel and rising.

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