GAZETTE—CITY DEPARTMENT.

PITTSBURGH:

SATURDAY MORNING, APRIL 26, 1856.

Kansas Aid Association.

President—GEORGE W. JACKSON.
Rec. Secretary—R. H. ISAMS.
Cor. Secretary—EDWARD J. ALLEN.

Those having business with the Society, or desiring information concerning it, apply, in either of the above named persons, either personally or by mail. Office of the Recording Secretary, Fourth street, near Smithfield.

THE STATE EXHIBITION.—We understand that the committee of the Pennsylvania State Agricultural Society, having in charge the location of a place for holding its next exhibition have chosen the grounds of the Allegheny County Agricultural Society for that purpose, and it may be stated here, that the time designed for the commencement of the Fair, is Tuesday the 30th of September next. If our artizans and agriculturists exert themselves our city may make such a display as will add to her already well established character for superiority in the improvements useful to the developments of agriculture and the triumphs of practical science.

PITTSBURGH, April 25, 1856.

Hon. Charles Shaler,—Dear Sir: In pursuance of a note from you of this date enclosing the report of the committee appointed relative to the next State Fair, consisting of N. Gratton Murphy, Wm. M. Hersh, N. Holmes, John S. Cosgrave and Jacob Glosser; we have on behalf of the Pennsylvania State Agricultural Society, concluded an arrangement in accordance with the wishes of the meeting over which you presided, and respectfully refer you to the following official communication in reference thereto.

(Signed by the Committee).

To James Gowen, Esq., President of the Pennsylvania State Agricultural Society.

DEAR SIR:—The undersigned appointed at the last meeting of the Executive Committee of the Pennsylvania Agricultural Society to select the location for its next annual exhibition, met here on the 23d inst., and after conference with Committee of Citizens and of the Allegheny county Agricultural Society, have decided to fix upon Pittsburgh as the place for the next State Fair commencing on the 30th of September next. The grounds of the Allegheny county Agricultural Society so liberally tendered by that Society, have been chosen as the place for the exhibition. The fund necessary to secure the grounds have been promptly and cheerfully contributed by the citizens of this city. We therefore report that the place for our next annual display has been definitely fixed for Pittsburgh.

With great respect

ROBT. C. WALKER,
JOHN S. ISITT,
GEO. P. RUTHERFORD,
A. BOYD. HAMILTON,
GEO. H. BUCHANAN,
Committee.

Pittsburgh, April 25, 1856.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.—An adjourned meeting was held yesterday morning.

The Committee on Library reported the purchase of a number of books. The appropriation is not exhausted. Report accepted and committee continued.

The committee to Patent office interrogatories reported having prepared answers, which were transmitted by the corresponding Secretary to the Patent office. Report accepted, and committee discharged.

The Secretary reported the list of books purchased by the Library committee.

Two of the State society committee, Messrs. Rutherford and Isitt, were present and a general conversation ensued as to the coming Fair.

Mr. Rutherford thought an additional large building should be erected for the purpose of having motive power exhibited.

Mr. Isitt said he understood $1800 had been subscribed by the citizens; he wished to know whether the remainder of the $2000 and the whole of the amount of subscription would be guaranteed by the county society.

The members individually replied in the negative. The matter of the subscription was the business of the State Society only they must collect the subscription; the State Society routed the country Society's grounds for $2000, and the latter would look to the former for that amount.

Mr. Bissell moved the following:

Resolved, That a committee of five be appointed by the Chair to conclude an arrangement with the committee appointed by the State Society under such instructions as may be given by this society.

Adopted, and the following gentlemen appointed by the Chair to serve as the committee.—Messrs. Bissell, Shiras, Kelly, Snodgrass and Payne.

Mr. Reed moved that the Resolution be so amended as to give the committee discretionary power to act finally. Adopted.

Mr. Walker, Chairman of the State Committee, having arrived, stated that $1868 had been subscribed, and that several of the committee had guarantied the remainder. He thought the citizens were entitled to much credit, as the money had been raised in two hours.

The Board adjourned to meet at the call of the Secretary.

NOT QUITE A FAILURE.—The *Dispatch* with its wonted eagerness to get a little ahead of public opinion published a statement in yesterday's issue in regard to warming the Post Office building not at all in accordance with the facts, and we have taken the pains to investigate the matter thoroughly. We find that up to the time of the freezing of the water pipe on the outside of the building (for which the contractors were in no wise responsible) the building was perfectly and thoroughly warmed, even in the extreme cold weather prevailing last winter. It is true that when the wind was blowing from the front of the Post Office and the delivery boxes were open, the warm air would hardly come up in sufficient quantities in the distributing office, but with the exception of this one room the effects in the different rooms were well satisfied.

This deliberate attempt on the part of the *Dispatch* to injure the reputation of Pittsburgh Mechanics abroad, by careless or wilful misrepresentation, should be carefully noted by our business men.

DUFF'S MERCANTILE COLLEGE, PITTSBURGH.—No Commercial College in the country presents equal facilities for obtaining a thorough knowledge of all branches of the art of penmanship, Plain Business Penmanship, German Text, Old English, Ornamental Lettering, Pen Drawing, Off Hand Flourishing, Plain and Ornamental Card Marking, &c., it is not even pretended that Mr. J. D. Williams has an equal. His penmanship has for many years taken the first premiums at every Fair in this part of the country, and also at Cincinnati when exhibited there.

His people are known as the best business penmen in the West, and many of them are distinguished as skilful and successful teachers in our Western Schools and Colleges.

POST OFFICE AFFAIRS.—Postmaster-General Campbell recently ordered the following

Appointments—Samuel M. Sloan, postmaster Brattonville, Armstrong county, Pa., vice James A. Lowry, resigned; James Glover, postmaster Bolivir, Westmoreland county, Pa., vice T. J. Jones, resigned. Discontinue Fuehls, Westmoreland county, Pa.

A post office has been established at New Texas, two miles from Antrim, in Plum township, Allegheny county, and John A. Conpor appointed postmaster. It is on the road between Logan's Ferry and Greensburg—four or five miles from the former, and will receive a weekly mail till the first of July, after which it will be semi-weekly.

A BEAUTIFUL STOCK OF FINE WATCHES AND JEWELRY.—We have rarely, if ever, in this city seen so profused and elegant a display of fine watches, clocks and jewelry as we examined yesterday at the store of John M. Roberts, 16 Fifth street. He has just opened an entire new stock, which truly comprises every thing that is new and beautiful in his line, and is of the best material and most exquisite workmanship. We say to all our readers they should call and examine his stock, and would also remind them that Mr. R. is a practical workman; that he pays particular attention to the repairing of fine watches; makes jewelry and silver ware to order, and executes gilding and engraving in the best manner.

CENTRAL BOARD OF EDUCATION.—At the meeting of the Central Board of Education on Thursday night, John S. Normine was appointed collector of the unreceived school tax of the Ninth Ward, vice the late collector deceased.

The Board also appointed the 20th of May next as the time when the collectors of school tax for the various Wards of the city will be elected. No collector will be re-elected that has not settled up his duplicate of last year.

COMMON PLEAS.—Motions and arguments will be heard in this Court to-day. Judge McClure will probably give his decision in the Will Case reported yesterday.

The argument on the motion to appoint viewers to assess damages on the property on which the outer depot and machine shops of the Pennsylvania Road are situated, will also be made this morning.

MELANCHOLY ACCIDENT.—Mr. George McGee, a worthy citizen of Waterford township, Erie County, was killed on Tuesday of last week, by the falling of a tree. He had his son were on the falling of a tree. He had his son were engaged chopping in the woods, and a tree they had chopped down fell down upon and injured him so much that he died in a few hours. He leaves a wife and a large family to lament his loss.

EXCITEMENT.—Yesterday evening a barge loadened with limber, broke loose from its moorings somewhere up the river, and floated down the stream; there being five or six men on board. An immense crowd soon gathered. A party ran down the Allegheny shore with ropes, and succeeded in getting the barge to shore near the point.

KANSAS.—Its present Religious and Moral condition and its wants will be set forth in an address by Rev. G. Seymour, just returned from the territory after a year's residence there, at the Union Baptist Church on Grant street, tomorrow (Sunday) evening, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

DAGUERREOTYPE Apparatus, Magic Lantern, Superior Oil Paintings, and large Marble Vase with Pedestal, are to be sold this morning at Davis' Auction Rooms, at 11 o'clock. They are arranged for examination before commencement of sale.

COUNCILS.—The regular meeting of Councils will be held on Monday evening. The eternal right of way for the A. V. R. R. Co. into the city question will be up of course. It rests now with the Common Council.

DISTRICT COURT.—In the case of Chadwick's Administrators vs. Samuel Baird, the Jury returned a verdict for plaintiff for $5051 46.

The Court will meet to-day for arguments, motions, &c.

THE Allegheny County Educational Association will meet this morning in College Hall.

The lecture will be delivered by D. L. Eaton, Esq. There will be also the other usual exercises.

PATENT.—J. J. Johnston, of Allegheny, has obtained a patent for improvement in flasks for moulding.

[From the Boston Saturday Evening Gazette.]

A Perfumed Breath.—What lady or gentleman would remain under the curse of a disagreeable breath when by using the "*Balm of a thousand Flowers*" as a dentrifrice would not only render it sweet, but leave the teeth white as alabaster! Many persons do not know their breath is bad, and the subject is so delicate their friends will never mention it. Pour a single drop of the "Balm" on your tooth brush and wash the teeth night and morning. A fifty cent bottle will last a year.

A BEAUTIFUL COMPLEXION may easily be acquired by using Dr. Felton's "*Balm of a Thousand Flowers.*" It removes tan, *pimples, and freckles* from the skin, leaving it of a soft and romantic hue. Wet a towel, pour on two or three drops, and wash the face night and morning.

SHAVING MADE EASY.—Wet your shaving brush in either warm or cold water, pour on two or three drops of "Balm of a thousand Flowers," run the beard well and it will make a beautiful soft lather much facilitating the operation of shaving. Price only fifty Cents.

Prepared only by JEFFERSON & CO., Proprietors, New York.

For sale in Pittsburgh by A. & D. SANDS, A. KLEBER & CO., GEO. KETNER, R. E. SELLERS & CO., and FLEMING BROS. Agents for Pittsburgh. dn81,tyeod

A Card to the Ladies.

DR. J. DUPONCO'S GOLDEN, PERIODICAL PILLS FOR FEMALES, Infallible in correcting irregularities, and removing obstructions of the Monthly Terms, from whatever cause.

All Medical Men Know

As well as MANY others, that no *female* can *enjoy good health under the influence of Irregularity* and wherever an obstruction of the system, whether from exposure, cold, or any other cause, the general health begins immediately to fail, and the train and variety of ills which have been the cause of so many consumptions among young females. Headache, pain in the side, palpitation of the heart, nervousness, and disturbed sleep most always arises from the interruption of nature; and whenever this is the case, the Pills will invariably remedy all these evils.

Full and explicit Directions accompany each box, which must be strictly followed in all diseases peculiar to females may be speedily cured.

Price $1.00 a box, and sold by all the Druggists and by SAMPLE & REED, Agents for Allegheny; FULTON'S Drug Store, Birmingham; JOHN PROUT, 294 Liberty street, and by W. A. GILDENPENNEY & CO., 45 Fifth st., Pittsburgh. They will supply the trade at proprietors' rates, and send the Pills by mail on receipt of $1.00 through Pittsburgh P. O. ap21-tydw&eod

MONETARY.

RATES OF DISCOUNT.

CORRECTED DAILY FOR THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, BY
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No. 67 Market st., between Third and Fourth sts. Pittsburgh

PENNSYLVANIA.			
Bank of Pittsburgh	par	Branch at Xenia	½
Exchange Bank of do	par	Branch at Youngstown	½
Mer. and Manuf'rs of do	par	Commercial Bk. Cincinnati	do
Bank of Commerce	par	Franklin Bank	do
Bank of North America	par	Lafayette Bank	do
Bank of North Liberties	par	Ohio Life Ins. and Trust	do
Bank of Pennsylvania	par	Western Reserve Bank	do
Bank of Pennsylvania	par	Small Notes	½
Bank of Gettysburg	par	**NEW ENGLAND.**	
Farmers' & Mechanics' Bk	par	All solvent Banks	½
Erie Bank	par	**NEW YORK.**	
Kensington Bank	par	New York City	par
Manufac. & Mech. Bank	par	Buffalo	par
Bank of Chester	par	**MARYLAND.**	
Moyamensing Bank	par	Baltimore	par
Philadelphia Bank	par	**DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.**	
Southwark Bank	par	N. JERSEY & DELAWARE	
Northern Liberties Bank	par	All solvent Banks	½
Western Bank	par	**VIRGINIA.**	
Bank of Chambersburgh	par	Bank of Va. Richmond	par
Bank of Chester County	par	Bank of Va. Richmond	½
Bank of Danville	par	Ex. Drawers Bk of Virginia	½
Bank of Del. Co., Chester	par	Merchants' & Mech. Bank of Richmond	½
Bank of Germantown	par	Branches	½
Bank of Gettysburgh	par	**NORTH CAROLINA.**	
Bank of Lewistown	½	Bank of Cape Fear	½
Bank of Middletown	½	Com. Bank, Wilmington	½
Montgomery Co. Bank	½	Merchants' Bk. Newbern	½
Bank of Northumberland	½	**SOUTH CAROLINA.**	
Wyoming Bk. & Bridge Co	par	Bk of the State of S. Carolina	½
Harrisburg Bank	par	Bk of the State of S. Carolina	½
Boston Bank	par	Bank of Charleston	½
Erie Bank	½	Planters' & Mech. Bk	½
Farmers' Bk of Bucks Co	par	**GEORGIA.**	
Farmers' Bk of Lancaster	par	All solvent Banks	½
Farmers' Bank of Reading	par	**KENTUCKY.**	
Bank of Schuylkill Co	par	Bk of Kentucky, Louis'e	½
Far. & Drov. Wayneburg	½	Bank of Louisville	½
Farmers' & Mech. Bk Washington	½	Northern Bk of Kentucky	½
Harrisburg Bank	par	Southern Bk of Kentucky	½
Bank of Washington	½	**INDIANA.**	
Bank of Wooster	do	State Bank and Branches	½
Relief Notes	½	**MISSOURI.**	
OHIO.		Bk of State	Missouri. ½
Ohio State Bank	½	"	khin.
Branch at Akron	do	Marine &	ML. ch. Co.	do
Branch at Athens	do	"	ML. Bk	do
Branch at Bridgeport	do	Farmers' Mechanics' Bank	2
Branch at Cadiz	do	Pemberton Bank	2
Branch at Cleveland	do	Insurance Company	2
Branch at Toledo	do	State Bank	2
Branch at Piqua	do	**CANADA.**	
Branch at Delaware	do	Bk of U. America, Toronto	2
Branch at Chillicothe	do	Com. Bank, Toronto	2
Branch at Ashtabula	do	Bank of Montreal	2
Branch at Salem	do	Bk of Upper Canada	3
Branch at Mansfield	do	**EASTERN EXCHANGE.**	
Branch at Steubenville	do	Boston	½
Branch at Cincinnati	do	Philadelphia	do
Branch at Washington	do	Baltimore	do
Branch at Zanesville	do	**WESTERN EXCHANGE.**	
Branch at Lancaster	do	St. Louis	½
Branch at Portsmouth	do	Louisville	½
Branch at St. Marys	do	**BROKEN BANDS PER CENT DISC.**	
Branch at Springfield	do	Doubloons, Spanish	15.50
Branch at Marietta	do	do do Patriot	15.50
Branch at Norwalk	do	Eagle, old	10.00
Branch at Mt. Pleasant	do	Eagle, new	7.50
Branch at Massillon	do	Sovereigns	4.83
Branch at Ravenna	do	Ten Thalers	5.00
Branch at Canton	do	Napoleons	3.85
Branch at Cuyahoga	do	Ducats	2.15
Branch at Massillon	do		
Branch at Wooster	do		

REMOVAL.

MASON BROTHERS, Publishers,
NEW YORK,
Have Removed from No. 23 Park Row, to their
New Store,
Nos. 108 & 110 Duane Street,
A few doors West of No. 303 Broadway. ap1

Commercial Hotel,

Corner of Girod and New Levee, New Orleans.

E. K. STEEL would most respectfully inform the traveling public that he has taken the above named Hotel.

The Hotel has recently undergone a thorough repair and renovation, and has been fitted up with new and elegant furniture, &c. &c. The undersigned will spare every care and attention to the comfort and wants of those who may favor him with a call, and he is enabled to say that the markets afford.

This Hotel being situated in the immediate vicinity of the business part of the city, as well as being convenient to the *Steamboat Landing*, the proprietor hopes that by strict attention to the wants of his patrons he merits that liberal patronage that has ever been bestowed upon this house.

Price of Board per Day, $1,00.

The Bar will be stocked with Wines and Liquors inferior to no other house in the city. Omnibus to and from the R. to 12 A. M. Also obliging and accommodating attendants.

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EVERY KIND OF DRAWING EN-GRAVING and PRINTING executed in the best style, at moderate prices. ap26-dly

Union Coal Works For Sale.

THE Coal Works lately owned by A. Leech Jr. & Co. situate on the Monongahela river, about 18 miles from Pittsburgh are now for sale.

The property consists of 116 acres and 110 perches, more or less, and all the necessary buildings, all the coal to about 100 more, together with buildings, railways, &c. For further particulars apply to

A. BELL, Atty's. at law,
ap21-tf No. 103 Fourth street, Pittsburgh.

ROBT. HUTCHISON,

COMMISSION MERCHANT,
FOR the sale of Western Reserve Cheese, Butter, Lard, Seeds, Fish, Pot and Pearl Ashes, Coleseeds, Oils, Grain, Seeds, Dried Fruits, and PRODUCE GENERALLY,
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SUNDRIES—150 casks Soda Ash:

250 bags Nitrate Soda;
200 boxes German Glass;
25 casks Barytes;
20 kegs Powdered Arsic;
50 casks Epsom Salts;
on hand and for sale by ap9 ALEXANDER KING.

JWILSON & SON, Wholesale and Re-

tail Fashionable Hatters, No 91 Wood st., have on hand a large and fresh stock of STRAW GOODS, less styles of SOFT HATS and CAPS, which they will sell at LOW PRICES FOR CASH. ap15

VARIETY GOODS—We have a fine stock

of Fancy and Variety Goods well assorted, which are offered at lowest rates. We invite all buyers to look at our stock before purchasing.
WM. H. TALCOTT & CO., 62 Wood st.

LOOKING GLASSES—Of all sizes and

styles, with silk and Mahogany frames. Also, Portraits and Pictures frames. Looking glass plates either single or by the box.
WM. H. TALCOTT & CO.
ap15 62 Wood and 6th sts.

CARD—The subscriber will have an office

for a present month at his former stand, cor. Wood and Sixth sts. when those indebted to him will please call and make payment, and those having claims against him will present them for settlement.
W. A. McCLUNG.
ap10

SUGAR AND MOLASSES—12 hhds. N.

O. Sugar, 20 bbls N. O. Molasses now on per steamer Mansfield and for sale by
A. CUBBERTSON,
ap7 128 Liberty st.

ROSIN—100 bbls. No. 2 Rosin on hand

and for sale by ap9 ALEXANDER KING.

DRIED APPLES—100 bushels just rec'd

and for sale by McCANDLESS, MEANS & CO.

SUMMER TRIMMINGS—Joseph Horne

& Co. will open a large Stock of new Summer Trimmings of the latest style, the latter part of this week at 77 Market street.

50 HALF CHESTS Young Hyson Tea,

rec'd and for sale by
ap18 WM. McCUTCHEON & CO.

130 BAGGS good Rio Coffee rec'd and

for sale by ap18 WM McCUTCHEON & CO.

100 BBLS. N. O. Molasses rec'd and for

sale by ap18 WM. McCUTCHEON & CO.

DRIED FRUIT—200 bus Applesand Peaches

for sale by HENRY H. COLLINS.

Glass Works for Sale.

NAUVOO or DRY RUN GLASS WORKS will be offered at public sale on THURSDAY, the 22d day of May, by the undersigned Executors of Marcus Black. This property is situate on the mouth of Dry Run, in Washington county, adjacent to Monongahela City. A corner of the buildings necessary for the manufacture of glass, together with a dwelling house for the accommodation of the hands. There are 42 acres in the tract, of which 8 acres is a garden spot in high bottom land, suitable for town lots or gardens the balance is covered with timber. The location of this property is considered one of the best in the valley, and it won't be necessary to specify to those who wish to engage in the manufacture of glass. For further information, enquire of J. S. & A. P. MORRISON, Attorney Law, No 135 Fourth st.
JOSEPH S. MORRISON,
JOHN KERR,
CYRUS BLACK,
Executors of Marcus Black.
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LEATHER BELTING,
From the Manufactory of Hoit & Brothers,
NEW YORK.

TO the Belting of this manufacture has been awarded the Only Medal and Diplomas from almost every Fair and Institute throughout the United States, and from the Crystal Palace, the American Institute, New York, at their last meeting in the Fall of 1855. It is of superior quality, every branch of the business being conducted under the personal care of the principals; their hides are selected by themselves at their own receiving depot, insuring freedom from cuts and scores, tanned at their own tannery, after the belts and shoulders have been trimmed off, returned to New York, thoroughly tanned, fresh from the vats, curried immediately, wet and dry stretched on machines with every modern improvement, cemented and rivited with their patent copper rivets, and the seams which make a perfectly even surface on both sides of the belt, causing them, to run truly on the pulleys, and giving a power of more than 20 per cent. over those made in the old manner. No mechanics of all kinds, to cotton and woolen manufacturers, rolling mills, paper makers, sawing and planing establishments, owners of grist mills, cotton gins, bleach works, die houses, in short to every concern where belting is required, is respectfully solicited to examine the testimonials given to the quality of this Belting. For sale by M. DE LANOR, No. 233 Liberty st., Agent for the head of ward.
ap18 JAMES H. WARNER & CO.

PEACH BLOSSOM POTATOES—This

fine variety for sale by M. R. SHANKLAND & CO.

PARLOR PAPERS, in wood colors and

new designs at ap3 W. P. HARNDALL & CO.

300 HALF CHESTS Y. H. Imperial and

Y. P. Teas, for sale by
SNOWDEN, COSGRAVE & CO.
ap10 18 and 20 Wood st.

TABLE SALT—100 sacks just rec'd and

for sale by ap15 SPRINGER HARBAUGH.

COMMERCIAL.

COMMITTEE OF ARBITRATION, FOR MARCH.—GEO W. CASS, V. P.—ISAIAH DICKEY, SAMUEL DILWORTH, T. D. UPDEN J. B. CAMPBELL.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH GAZETTE OFFICE.
Saturday Morning, April 26, 1856.

FLOUR—the market was dull, and buyers took hold sparingly, as usual, when the tendency is to a decline. The supply was large and helped to depress the feeling.—The sales were mostly in small lots, for a lot of 100 bbls extra the highest offer that was made was $5.75. Sales extra the highest offer that was made was $5.75. Sales extra at $5,40; 130 do super and extra at $5,50 and $5,87; 25 bbls family extra at $6,12½ and 38 bbls extra at $5,87.—From store, 65 bbls super in lots, at $5,75, 50 extra at $6,25 and 15 do family extra at $6,50. RYE FLOUR, a sale on the wharf of 19 bbls at $5,25.

GRAIN—Oats are in Steady request; sales at canal of 100 bus at 36, Rye, a sale on the wharf of 200 bus at 62, and 160 at canal at 45½. Corn, 500 bus Ear, at canal at 30.

GROCERIES—sales of 24 hhds Sugar, in lots, at 8¾@8¾ for fair to good fair; Molasses, 20 bbls Oak at 40, 15 do at 45, 45 do at 45@46, and 30 half bbls at 47. Coffee, a sale of 10 bgs Rio at 12¼.

BACON—sales in small lots, comprising 14,000 lbs at 7¾ @7¾ for Shoulders, 8¾@9 for Sides, and 10@10½ for plain Hams, and 12,000 lbs at 7¾, 9 and 10¾, thirty days. Market firmer in the afternoon, and holders generally asking 7¾, 9 and 10¾ for City Cured.

BULK MEAT—a sale of 2500 lbs hog round, at 6, 7 and 8, cash, and 2000 lbs do at 6¼, 7¾ and 8, four mos.

BUTTER & EGGS—Butter steady but demand light; sales of 11 bbls good roll at 18, 7 do choice do at 19, and 6 kgs packed at 15; Eggs in good request, and sales of 1500 doz and 10 bbls at 10.

WHISKEY—sales of 65 bbls rectified, at 24, and 60 bbls do in lots, at 25@26.

SEEDS—sales from first hands of 15 and 10 bus clover at $5,00, and in the retail way selling from store at $6,00.

HAY—sales at scales of 8 loads at $12@$13 ₱ ton.

DRIED FRUIT—sales of 50 bus Dried Peaches at $1,70 and 25 do Jersey do at $1,90.

LARD—a sale of 20 kgs white at 5.

FIRE BRICK—sales of 60,000 Bolivar fire brick at $28@$40.

ASHES—sales of 7 tns imported Pots, Ash in 3¾.

FEATHERS—sales of 100 lbs prime western at 40, cash.

APPLES—a sale of 10 bbls on the wharf at $3,00.

GERMAN CLAY—a sale of 8 tons at $50, four mos.

PIG METAL—the market is bare, and the few lots in the hands of sellers are reported at figures beyond all previous calculations we give them as a test—sales 60tons Hanging Rock, last week, at $28; 100 tons Springfield furnace, Juniata metal, at $30; and 20 do same furnace, at $40—all at six mos. A lot of 300 tons Alleghany, Shippen's furnace, was sold, but on terms not ascertained.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

STATISTICS OF BLAST FURNACES ON THE CUMBERLAND AND TENNESSEE RIVERS, FOR 1854 AND 1855.

Number of Furnaces ready for Blasting January 1854	31
Finished and put in blast during 1854	9
Ready for Blast at the end of the year	4
	44
Number of Furnaces in blast full time, in 1854	27
Only part of the year	14
	33
Amount of pig metal produced in 1854, was	49,704 tons
On hand at landing January 1st, 1855	11,026 "
Number of Furnaces ready for blast January 1st, 1855	41
Finished and put in blast in 1855	1
	42
Number of Furnaces in blast full time, in 1855	31
Only part of the year	4
Out of blast for the year	7
	42
Amount of pig metal produced in 1855	45,133 tons
On hand at landing January 1st, 1856	9,003 "

Number of Furnaces that will make full blast in 1856, 33
That will be in blast only part of 1856 4
That will be out of blast in 1856 7

This does not include the furnaces in Maryland, in the Valley of Virginia, or those on the James river.

The rolling mills and forges and will not be for sale—the probable sales this year will probably run to a hundred tons short of last. The consumption of Pig on these rivers last year was upwards of 60,000 tons, and the mills alone, including the rolling mill at Paducah, will be near twenty thousand tons.—Cumberville Chron.

The receipts of cotton and exports and shipments at Melbourne, Australia for 1854 and 1855 respectively have been:

	Received in 12 mos		Exported	
	1854	1855	1854	1855
Bales	1,744,415	2,317,557	2,122,596	2,650,578

The quarterly statement of the amount of gold brought to Melbourne and Geelong by escort in 1855, compared with the corresponding quarter of 1854, exhibits the following results:

	1854—Ounces	1855—Ounces
October	176,211	191,614
November	134,911	210,841
December	140,218	184,787
	440,799	640,243
Last quarter of 1854		440,799
Increase on the last quarter of 1855		203,426

The gold brought down by escort from the vari us gold fields in the month of October and the 1st half of November amounted to 1454,879; and for the corresponding week of 1854 to 2290,630.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD—Monthly Statement—Receipts of the Road for the month ending March 31, $350,168 76
Same month last year, 277,433 97
Increase, $72,734 79
Receipts from January 1, 1856, to April 1, '56 $1,116,240 25
Same period last year, 967,324 47
Increase, $148,915 7

There was more decided ease in the supply of Money to-day than for two days past, and, in some instances, desirable names were let with the Drexels at 6 per cent., these are exceptions only to the general rule of 1 @ 1½ per cent. discount per day at Bank or 6 per cent. per annum, extent of the short prime paper offered by regular customers. With the Discount Season, the rates are 7 to 8 @ cent. Under 90 days, 8 to 9 @ cent. for longer dates.

IMPORTS BY RIVER.

CINCINNATI, by Pittsburgh—10 tce hams, A Gordon; 21 hhds sugar, 25 bbls starch, Shriver & Dilworth; 15 bbls whiskey, Hamilton & Co; 50 do do, Wm. Bigelow & Co; 50 do do, M. Alpin & co; 40 do whiskey, J. McLaughlin; 15 do, Sour, Lippincott & Co; 100 do whiskey, Wm. Bigelow & Co; 50 do do, Sour; 12 bbls sugar, D. T. Morgan & co; 230 bbls flour, 43 bbls stone, 35 bbls pork, 31 bbls lard, 10 tcs beef, 40 bbls Whiskey, 3 do oil, sundry consignees.

MONONGAHELA RIVER BOATS—25 tns glass, J Floyd & co; 40 do do, Watt & Wilson; 40 do do, Shriver & Dilworth; 25 do do, Scrgan & co; 14 do do, Hamilton & co; 45 do do, Scrgan & co; 14 do do, Hamilton & co; 8 blooms, A Hostler; 150 bbls paper, A Culbertson; 60 bbls flour, Wilmerth; 100 do do, Shriver & Dilworth; sundry consignees.

WHEELING, by Diarest—3 bbls acids, 93 do flour, Mc-Candless, Means & co; 150 do flour, Bell & Marriott; 10 bbls whiskey, 2 do tobacco, 34 do flour, 12 kegs nails, 38 do bacon, 34 do lard, 10 tcs beef, 40 bbls whiskey, 3 do oil, sundry consignees.

WARREN, by Germantaster—93 bbls ref'd, Floyd & co; 40 do, Hostler & Watt; 6 bbls whiskey, 10 do flour, 20 do Black & co; 17 do, Pyle, ewd, 2 bales sacks, Shriver & Dilworth; 2 do, Watt & Wilson, 2 do, Hostler, 2 tcs butter, 1 do sugar, W M'Cutcheon & co; 100 pigs saundries.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH R R—41 bbls flour, McMurr & Aspey; 2 do, Hostler; 1 bbl apples, Hamilton; 80 bbls lard-oil, Lippincott & co; 13 bbls sugar, 65 bbls oatmeal, 15 bbls flour, 13 bbls apples, 10 bbls pork, 1 do do mackrel, 100 do do whiskey, 2 do do, Pyle, ewd, 2 bales sacks, Shriver & Dilworth; 2 do, Watt & Wilson, 2 do, Hostler, 2 tcs butter, 1 do sugar, W M'Cutcheon & co; 100 pigs saundries.

EXPORTS BY RAILROAD.

Cleveland & Pittsburgh R R—4127 per Iron, 889 bbls do, 3723 lbs nails, 1416 pegs glassware, 640 bbls glass, 441 do do crockery, 107 pcs machinery, 108 pkgs hardware, 1 do do goods, 107 pcs machinery, 50 bbls fish, 810 pkgs sundries.

Steubenville & Indiana R R—193 pkgs dry goods, 193 bbls flour, 72 bbls do, 82 kegs nails, 198 pcs castings, 146 pkgs sundries.

STEAMBOAT REGISTER.

ARRIVED—Jefferson, Brownsville; Lazarus, do; Col Bayard, Elizabeth; Zollan West Newton; Tarrus, Wellsville Packet, Steubenville; Diamond, Wheeling; Pittsburgh, Cincinnati; Cornplanter, Warren.

DEPARTED—Jefferson, Brownsville; Lazarus, do; Col. Bayard, Elizabeth; Tarrus, Wellsville; Diamond, Wheeling; Pittsburgh, Cincinnati; Cornplanter, Warren.

RIVER.—On yesterday evening there were 15 feet 6 inches in the channel and on a stand.

Proposals for a Loan of $4,000 Dollars for the City of Pittsburgh.

AN ORDINANCE authorising the Mayor to borrow Eighty-four Thousand Dollars:

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, That for the purpose of meeting the bonds of the city falling due in May, 1856, the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to borrow, upon the faith of the city, the sum of Eighty-four Thousand Dollars, and to issue therefor with the seal of the corporation thereto, which shall have interest coupons attached thereto, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first day of July and January of each year, at the Bank of the Republic, in the city of New York, without deduction for any claim of State taxes thereon, which bonds are issued this year, shall be for one thousand dollars each, made payable to bearer, and shall be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the City Treasurer, and shall be redeemable in thirty years from the date thereof.

SEC. II. That the faith, funds, revenue and corporate property of the City be and they are hereby solemnly pledged for the redemption of the bonds hereby authorized to be issued, and for the payment of the interest accruing thereon.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils, this, the 17th day of April, A. D. 1856.

THOS. M. MARSHALL, Pres't C. C.

Attest: D. McMASTER, Clk C. C.

JOSEPH, Pres't *pro tem.* S. C.

Attest: W. H. WHITNEY, Clk pro tem S. C. ap22,3td

In pursuance of the foregoing Ordinance, I will receive proposals until the FIRST DAY OF JUNE, for the whole or any part of said Loan.
WM. BINGHAM, Mayor.
Pittsburgh, April 22, 1856.—ap22d3t

Glass Works for Sale.

NAUVOO or DRY RUN GLASS WORKS will be offered at public sale on THURSDAY, the 22d day of May, by the undersigned Executors of Marcus Black. This property is situate on the mouth of Dry Run, in Washington county, adjacent to Monongahela City. A corner of the buildings necessary for the manufacture of glass, together with a dwelling house for the accommodation of the hands. There are 42 acres in the tract, of which 8 acres is a garden spot in high bottom land, suitable for town lots or gardens the balance is covered with timber. The location of this property is considered one of the best in the valley, and it won't be necessary to specify to those who wish to engage in the manufacture of glass. For further information, enquire of J. S. & A. P. MORRISON, Attorney Law, No 135 Fourth st.
JOSEPH S. MORRISON,
JOHN KERR,
CYRUS BLACK,
Executors of Marcus Black.
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Patent Riveted and Stretched
LEATHER BELTING,
From the Manufactory of Hoit & Brothers,
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TO the Belting of this manufacture has been awarded the Only Medal and Diplomas from almost every Fair and Institute throughout the United States, and from the Crystal Palace, the American Institute, New York, at their last meeting in the Fall of 1855. It is of superior quality, every branch of the business being conducted under the personal care of the principals; their hides are selected by themselves at their own receiving depot, insuring freedom from cuts and scores, tanned at their own tannery, after the belts and shoulders have been trimmed off, returned to New York, thoroughly tanned, fresh from the vats, curried immediately, wet and dry stretched on machines with every modern improvement, cemented and rivited with their patent copper rivets, and the seams which make a perfectly even surface on both sides of the belt, causing them, to run truly on the pulleys, and giving a power of more than 20 per cent. over those made in the old manner. No mechanics of all kinds, to cotton and woolen manufacturers, rolling mills, paper makers, sawing and planing establishments, owners of grist mills, cotton gins, bleach works, die houses, in short to every concern where belting is required, is respectfully solicited to examine the testimonials given to the quality of this Belting. For sale by M. DE LANOR, No. 233 Liberty st., Agent for the head of ward.
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PEACH BLOSSOM POTATOES—This

fine variety for sale by M. R. SHANKLAND & CO.

PARLOR PAPERS, in wood colors and

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300 HALF CHESTS Y. H. Imperial and

Y. P. Teas, for sale by
SNOWDEN, COSGRAVE & CO.
ap10 18 and 20 Wood st.

TABLE SALT—100 sacks just rec'd and

for sale by ap15 SPRING