PITTSBURGH:

TUESDAY MORNING, DEC. 2, 1856.

GO AND SEE THE FAKIR OF AVA THIS EVENING, At the CITY HALL.

SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCILS, Monday, Dec. 1st, 1856.—On motion of Mr. Layton, Mr. McKelvy was called to the Chair.

Members present—Bennett, Duncan, Dickson, Dalzell, Errett, Evans, Fitzsimmons, Hill, Hodkinson, Irwin, Kim, Kelly, Lare, Layton, Little, M'Adams, M'Clintock, M'Kelvy, Quinn, Riddle.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

The Chairman stated that the meeting had been called by the Finance Committee to hear their report on the resolution referred to them, relative to memorial to the legislature for power to increase the city taxes.

The Committee not being ready to report, the resolution presented by Mr. Bennett from the Finance Committee, adding $15,000 to appropriation No. 1, with the amendment offered by Mr. Hodkinson. The ayes and nays were called on the amendment with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Evans, Hill, Hodkinson, Irwin, Kelly, M'Adams—6.

Nays—Messrs. Bennett, Duncan, Dickson, Dalzell, Errett, Fitzsimmons, Kim, Lare, Layton, Little, M'Clintock, M'Kelvy, Quinn, Riddle—14.

The ayes and nays were then called on the resolution as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Bennett, Dickson, Dalzell, Errett, Fitzsimmons, Hill, Kim, Lare, Little, M'Clintock, M'Kelvy, Quinn, Riddle—13.

Nays—Duncan, Evans, Hodkinson, Irwin, Kelly, Layton, M'Adams—7.

Mr. Bennett offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That after this year one person only shall act as messenger to the Select and Common Councils, whose salary shall be five hundred dollars per annum.

Read and referred to the Ordinance Committee with instructions to report an ordinance to carry out the resolution. In S. C. laid on the table.

Mr. M'Kelvy presented a petition from the President of the Connellsville Railroad, relative to right of way into their depot grounds. Referred to the committee on railroads in conjunction with the City Regulator.

On motion of Mr. Riddle the ordinance for grading Ann street and paving Locust street in S. C. Nov. 24 1856, read three times and passed, in C. C. postponed, was called up.

Mr. M'Adams moved to strike off all relative to Locust street. Carried.

Mr. Lare moved that the ordinance, as amended, be read a third time and passed.

The yeas and nays were called, and resulted as follows:

Ayes—Bennett, Duncan, Dickson, Dalzell, Errett, Fitzsimmons, Hodkinson, Kim, Kelley, Lare, M'Adams, M'Clintock, M'Kelvy, Riddle, —14.

Nays—Evans, Hill, Irwin, Layton, Little, Quinn—6.

Mr. Bennett moved that the Ordinance Committee be instructed to prepare an ordinance fixing a tariff of rates upon all ordinances for private purposes. Carried.

On motion adjourned.

SELECT COUNCIL.—Council met, President McAuley in the chair.

Present, Messrs. Alexander, Clarke, Drum, Galway, Kincaid, Lambert, Murdoch, Pollock, Smyth, Taylor, Varnum, Wade, Weaver and President McAuley.

Absent, Messrs. Allen, Jones, McCutcheon and Reed.

Minutes read and approved.

Mr. Pollock offered the following:

Resolved, That the Treasurer be requested to call on Messrs. Park, McCurdy & Co., for payment for advertising and recording ordinance granting them the privilege of erecting a frame building in the 9th Ward.

On the passage of which Mr. Murdoch called the yeas and nays, and resulted as follows:

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Drum, Galway, Lambert, Pollock, Smyth, Taylor, Wade, Weaver and President—10.

Nays—Messrs. Kincaid, Murdoch and Varnum—3.

There being votes in the negative, Mr. Alexander moved the suspension of the rules, on which Mr. Murdoch called the yeas and nays.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Drum, Galway, Lambert, Pollock, Smyth, Taylor, Wade, Weaver and President—10.

Nays—Messrs. Kincaid, Murdoch and Varnum—3.

Resolution then read three times and passed. In C. C. action non-concurred in.

Mr. Pollock tendered his resignation as Auditor of City Accounts. Accepted.

Mr. Murdoch moved to go into an election for Auditor. Adopted—and Messrs. Pollock and Weaver appointed tellers, which resulted in the election of Mr. Wade.

Mr. Clark from the Finance Committee presented the following:

The Finance Committee, in compliance with the resolution of Councils, report the following draft of a Petition to the Legislature, together with an Act of Assembly in accordance with it. They also submit the following resolution:

Resolved, That the petition to the Legislature, asking for power to levy a railroad tax, be adopted; together with the proposed Act of Assembly accompanying it; and that the officers of Councils be directed to sign the said petition, on behalf of the Councils, and forward it, with the proposed Act of Assembly, to our Senators and Members of the House at Harrisburg, with a request to lay the same before the two branches of the legislature, and urge the passage of the Act at as early a day as possible.

THOS. S. CLARKE,
RUSSELL ERRETT,
JOHN QUINN,
JAMES L. BENNETT,
R. GALWAY,
HENRY LAMBERT.

To the Honorable the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

The Select and Common Councils of the City of Pittsburgh respectfully represent:

That by the Act of Assembly, passed March 18, 1816, by which the borough of Pittsburgh was erected into a city, the said city was restrained from laying a higher tax for city purposes than five mills on the dollar. No subsequent legislation has enlarged or removed this restriction. By an act passed April 6, 1850, limiting the city indebtedness, a tax of two mills on the dollar was authorized for the specific purposes of city improvement, and also a business tax, the proceeds of which are paid into a Sinking Fund for retiring the city debt; but the revenue from taxation for general city purposes, has been limited since the city was first chartered to five mills.

The Act of April 6, 1850, limited the city indebtedness to $1,150,000; but by an act passed April 21, 1852, the city was authorised to subscribe for five thousand shares in the Pittsburgh and Steubenville Railroad Co., and by a subsequent act passed May 8, 1854, she was authorised to subscribe six thousand additional shares in said Company, in all 11,000 shares, amounting to $550,000, for which the city was authorized to issue her bonds in payment, bearing 6 per cent. interest, and to pledge the faith, property and revenues of the city for the payment of the principal and the interest on the same.

Also, by an Act passed April 14, 1852, the city was authorised to subscribe for eight thousand shares in the Allegheny Valley Railroad Company—in all $400,000, and to issue her bonds in payment thereof.

In accordance with the authority contained in these various Acts of Assembly, the subscriptions were made and the bonds of the city duly issued, the said railroad companies agreeing to pay the interest regularly on the same.

On the — day of December, 1855, the Directors of the Pittsburgh & Steubenville Railroad Co. informed the Councils that they were unable to pay the interest any longer on the city bonds; and on the — day of October, 1856, the Directors of the Allegheny Valley Railroad Co. informed us of a like inability on their part.

The interest on their bonds amounting to $45,000 in 1856, $57,000 in 1847, and $57,000 in subsequent years, has therefore to be met by the City Treasury; but owing to the fact that the city cannot, under existing laws, levy a tax of more than five mills on the dollar, her revenue is entirely inadequate to meet these new demands. It has been barely sufficient, under the most favorable circumstances, to meet the interest on the regular municipal debt and the current expenses of the city; and unless the Legislature should authorize the levy of an additional tax to meet the interest on these railroad bonds, the city will be unable to pay it.

We therefore pray your honorable bodies to confer upon the City Councils power to levy so much additional tax as will be needed to fully meet the liabilities thus imposed.

We also beg leave to represent that there is in this city a large amount of church property which is now by law exempt from taxation. If this property, among the most valuable in the city, could be made subject to taxation for city purposes, it would much lighten the burden upon the tax payers. We therefore pray that the said property may be declared subject to taxation for city purposes.

AN ACT.

To enable the Councils of the City of Pittsburgh to levy an additional tax.

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same, That the Councils of the City of Pittsburgh shall be and they are hereby authorised, in addition to the power now enjoyed by them, to levy, assess and collect, for the use of the said city in paying interest on its bonds issued to the Pittsburgh and Steubenville Railroad Company and the Allegheny Valley Railroad Company, on all persons or property within said city now made taxable for city purposes, a tax not exceeding nine mills on the dollar for the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Seven, and not exceeding six mills on the dollar for any subsequent year, but the Councils shall in no case levy any more taxes under this act than shall be necessary to meet the interest outstanding and accruing upon said bonds during the year for which such tax shall be levied, after deducting all payments or dividends towards said interest that may be made by the railroad companies aforesaid or their assigns.

Sec. 2. That all churches, or church property, or property held by church corporations within said city shall be and is hereby made subject to taxation for city purposes, the same as other property in said city, under the various acts of Assembly authorising the Councils of said city to levy taxes.

Sec. 3. That all acts of Assembly or parts of acts inconsistent herewith, be and the same are hereby repealed.

The resolution was read twice when Mr. Murdoch moved the whole matter be laid on the table, and called the yeas and nays on the same.

Yeas—Messrs. Alexander, Drum, Kincaid, Murdoch and Smyth—5.

Nays—Messrs. Clarke, Galway, Lambert, Pollock, Taylor, Varnum, Wade, Weaver and President—9.

Mr. Lambert moved that the whole be postponed until the next regular meeting of Councils.

Mr. Murdoch offered as an amendment, and that the same be published in the papers authorized to do the City Printing, which was accepted.

Mr. Wade offered an amendment to the amendment, that the subject be postponed until next Monday evening.

On which, Mr. Murdoch called the yeas and nays and resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Taylor and Wade, 2.

Nays—Messrs. Alexander, Clarke, Drum, Galway, Kincaid, Lambert, Murdoch, Pollock, Smyth, Varnum, Weaver, President, 12.

The question recurring on Mr. Lambert's motion, Mr. Murdoch called the yeas and nays, and resulted as follows:

Ayes—Alexander, Clarke, Drum, Galway, Kincaid, Lambert, Murdoch, Pollock, Smyth, Taylor, Varnum, Weaver, President—13.

Nays—1. Adopted.

Mr. Taylor, from the Fifth Ward, presented a petition from the Niagara Fire Company for $200 for repairs to their house. Referred to committee on Fire Engines and Hose.

The resolution authorizing Finance Committee to pay bills for Point Hay Scales, passed in C. C. Nov. 27th, was concurred in.

Same date; ordinance for changing place of elections in 1st Ward; resolution relative to steps at the head of Marion street; resolution to extend Gas mains on Penn street from Mechanic to Harrison street all passed in C. C. Action concurred in by S. C.

The ordinance to grade Ann street and Locust street come back amended. In S. C. read twice. A motion to read a third time and pass was objected to, and Mr. Murdoch called for the yeas and nays, on a motion to suspend the rule, resulting as follows:

Ayes—Allen, Clarke, Galway, Lambert, Murdoch, Pollock, Smyth, Varnum, Weaver, President—10.

Nays—Drum, Kincaid, Taylor, Wade—4.

The ordinance was then passed finally.

Mr. Taylor presented the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Committee on streets, grading and paving be, and they are hereby authorized to grade and pave the gutters on Locust street from the present pavement to Butler street.

Read and referred to Street Committee.

All the business of Common Council not noted otherwise was concurred in.

On motion adjourned.

FIRST WARD REPUBLICAN MEETING.—Pursuant to notice, the Republicans of the First ward met at their Head Quarters, (the long room over Messrs. Murphy & Burchfield's store, corner of Market and Fourth sts.,) and organized the First Ward Republican Club, by electing officers and adopting the following preamble and resolutions as their platform:

Whereas, The result of the late election discloses the fact that a large majority of the people of the Northern States are opposed to the principles of the so-called Democratic party, as laid down in the Cincinnati platform, and

Whereas, We are convinced that a thorough organization of the friends of freedom, together with a judicious system for the dissemination of Republican documents is all that is wanting to ensure a permanent triumph of their principles, therefore

Resolved, That we this day form ourselves into a club, to be known as the First Ward Republican Club, and in so doing, we pledge ourselves to use all diligent and reasonable exertions to promote the great principles of Republicanism as promulgated in the Declaration of Independence and embodied in the Federal Constitution.

Resolved, That with our Republican fathers we hold it to be a self-evident truth that all men are endowed with the inalienable right of life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness, and that the primary object and ulterior design of our Federal Government is to grant these rights to all persons under its exclusive jurisdiction. That as our Republican fathers, when they had abolished slavery in all our national territory, ordained that no person shall be deprived of life, liberty, or property, without due process of law it becomes our duty to maintain this provision of the constitution (against all attempts to violate it for the purpose of establishing slavery in the Territories of the United States,) by positive legislation, prohibiting its existence or extension therein. That we deny the authority of Congress, or a Territorial Legislature, to give legal existence to slavery in any Territory of the United States while the present constitution shall be maintained.

Resolved, That while we declare ourselves unalterably opposed and hostile to the extension of slavery, we are equally opposed to any interference with it within the States where it now exists.

Resolved, That the ordinance known as the ordinance of 1787, prohibiting slavery in all the territory then belonging to the United States, is the precedent upon which is founded the Republican doctrine of the present day, that Congress has the right to prevent its introduction into any of the territories.

Resolved, That henceforth we are desirous of standing upon a platform of principles broad enough to embrace all citizens, whether native or adopted, who are willing to fight under the banner of freedom from whose unsullied folds shall gleam the beautiful and truly American sentiment, free men, free speech, free soil and free schools.

Resolved, That the spirit of the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution, gives to every man the right and privilege to worship God as he sees fit, and in the enjoyment of that right should go unmolested, unless, at variance with established laws for the well being of society. That we earnestly protest, against any ecclesiastical body, so identifying itself with a political party, as to claim thereby, an individuality, and element in the politics that must have its price in the political market.

Resolved, That in Jno. C. Fremont we recognize the firm and consistent friend of freedom, who, by his manly and dignified deportment during the late Presidential contest, has won for himself a personal popularity that will mark out for him future honors, and should the events of the next four years point to him as the standard bearer of the Republican party in 1860, the First Ward Republican Club will be among the first to support him.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Head Quarters be opened every Saturday night and that the Secretary be authorized to procure a book to enroll the names of all who approve of the principles as laid down in the foregoing resolutions.

Resolved, That the proceedings of the meeting be published in all the papers of this county friendly to the cause of Republicanism.

CAPT. ANDREW MILLER, Pres't.
JAMES T. KINCAID, } Vice Pres'ts.
GEORGE WILSON, }
WM. M. HERSH, Treas.
JOSEPH BROWN, Sec'y.
D. L. EATON, Cor. Sec'y.

THE COUNTY IN FOR COSTS.—Out of one hundred and forty-one bills passed upon by the Grand Jury of the last Court, eighty were ignored, the County to pay the costs—of the balance the Traverse Jurors found verdicts of not guilty, the County to pay the costs. These cases will probably average ten dollars apiece—so the expense to the County for the last term for costs alone will reach $1070. Three hundred or four hundred bills, in addition, were ignored by the Grand Jury at the cost of parties.

TAKEN TO THE INSANE ASYLUM.—Pierce Kelly, the lunatic, whose violent outbursts have frequently furnished the city department with paragraphs, was taken yesterday to the Insane Asylum at the Western Pennsylvania Hospital, to which he was sentenced by the Court at the last term. He accompanied the officers peaceably, as was not anticipated. He said he supposed it was necessary to go, but he expected he would stay only a day or two.

THE DAUGHENBAUGH ROBBERY.—Camp, Boyle and Bayley, three of the persons charged with the robbery of Daughenbaugh a week or two ago, had a hearing yesterday, before the Mayor. Bayley was discharged, as there was no evidence against him, and Camp was released on bail. Boyle made a statement, the substance of which was that he had nothing to do with the matter. He was recommitted.

JUDGE PARKE.—John E. Parke, Esq., Associate Judge of the county, elect, took the seat vacated by Judge Boggs yesterday. His commission was read by the clerk of the Court, and he sworn to the proper observance of the duties of his office.

NOBILITY IN PITTSBURGH—LORD ARTHUR JOHN HUDSON AND SIR CHARLES MILLER—DISTINGUISHED ATTENTIONS—BECOMING LANDHOLDERS, &c., &c.

Our readers may not have been aware—indeed we did not know it ourselves until yesterday evening—that the dull smoky city of Pittsburgh has been honored for two weeks past with the presence of distinguished nobility from England, blooded gentlemen, and of course exceeding wealthy. Notwithstanding the general ignorance of the community on this point, a few of the fast young men of the city, and some of the staid English residents became posted and have paid the distinguished guests due honor; we are sorry to see however, a desire manifested now to deny having paid these honors, which arises probably from excessive modesty.

Lord Arthur John Hudson and Sir Charles Miller! Their position did not carry them away, and instead of sporting it at the Monongahela, they contented themselves with the more humble accommodations to be procured at the Fulton House, Diamond. This moderation was charming. They were communicative too; and their admirers were confidentially informed that they had £40,000 sterling deposited with S. Jones & Co., bankers. Drinking, eating and riding were the order of the day. Money flowed like water; everybody was urged to participate with them in the good things of this life, and, everybody accepted the invitation.

Sir Charles owned a sand-bank in Missouri; and such sand for glass making! "Damme, sir," said Sir Charles, exhibiting a goblet, "did you ever see such glass; my sand-bank will make the fortune of any man!" His admirers never did see such glass, of course, and the glass merchants of the city gave extensive orders for this magnificent sand, determined to excel the world in the matter of glass. Then Sir Charles dealt in patents, and disposed of a right for setting saws to a druggist in this city, and got the money for it.

Lord Arthur John was not engaged in sand or patent rights; his views were more in the agricultural line. He doubtless saw in the distance a large advance in real estate in this vicinity, and determined shrewdly to be in a condition to realize the anticipated profit. So he visited the well known farm of Mr. Peter Perchment, Wilkins township, and was posted as to terms; examined the grounds, the horses, the wagons, implements, &c., &c., and concluded to purchase at $15,000 for the farm and $2000 for the stock. My Lord would give Mr. Perchment a check for the amount on his bankers, S. Jones & Co., who had £18,000 sterling on deposit, when the deed was made out. In the meantime, Mr. P. must give up his coal contracts, for the horses could not be used, and Mr. P. did so at a loss of about $4000.

His Lordship and Sir Charles frequently visited the farm. A pig would please their fancy, and to town porker would go; now a fat turkey excited his lordship's desire, and to town it went; a pair of elegant blankets followed suit; and any number of bottles of real old Irish whiskey were also sent to the city. Things went on swimmingly.

My lord and Sir Charles also cultivated the acquaintance of Mr. McLaughlin, shoemaker, Fourth street. Mr. McL. has the honor now of being their creditor for goods and cash lent to the amount of $46. We believe the transaction originated in this wise. Lord Arthur John and Sir Charles dropped in to buy a pair of shoes; his lordship pulled off a pair of tolerable boots, when his aristocratic eyes beheld in the toe of his stocking—a hole. A half reproachful sigh escaped his Lordship, and he said "it is a d—d shame for a Hudson to wear a stocking like that!" This attracted the attention of Mr. McL. A pair of shoes soon fitted the feet of his Lordship and hid from his mortified vision, the rent hose. "What is the brass?" said his Lordship, running his hand into his pocket. Sir Charles said "My lord, my lord, this will not do; charge this to my account, Mr. McLaughlin." And it was charged.

His lordship told his friend that Judge McClure advised him to remove his deposits from Messrs. Jones & Co., as they were not safe; he recommended in their place, the old Bank of Pittsburgh. But his lordship was fearful the old Bank could not receive it at all, so he bought on account at Burke & Barnes, an iron safe, which is now in his room at the Fulton House, to hold at least his daily spending money. The safe is worth $150.

On the whole these representatives of England's nobility met with an exceedingly warm reception. Their acquaintances were only too proud to accommodate them with small sums of money,—fives and tens, and they were not too proud to accept such small accommodations.

They had no pride to talk of. For instance Lord Arthur John, instead of allying himself to some noble daughter of a noble and ancient house in his own land, plighted himself to an interesting young lady, the daughter of his lordship's landlord of the Fulton House. And the marriage ceremony was to have taken place last night.

If we were disposed to moralize at this point we might choose two subjects—the importance of "blood" in free America, and the marvelous facility with which free Americans can distinguish that same "blood" in noble visitors. Alas for them, however—but the sequel will explain.

Yesterday Mr. Perchment's Lawyer finished the deeds, and Mr. P., documents in hand, waited upon his lordship, for the check upon Messrs. Jones & Co., for $17,000. But his lordship was out of funds, and could not pay him. So Mr. Perchment waited upon Messrs Jones & Co., and found they had never had a cent of his noble lordship's money. In the space of a short half hour, what a change; the farm was not sold, but he was! Mr. Perchment accordingly brought suit before the Mayor, against Lord Arthur John for swindling, and the warrants for his arrest were placed in the hands of the officers.

Unfortunately, his lordship had hired a buggy from Mr. Jacob Gardner, to go to Brownstown, to return in time for the wedding. He did not return, and it is supposed he seized the opportunity to reach some country railway depot, and leave the vicinity.

We sincerely sympathise with the bride and her parents. The guests were invited, the minister was in the parlor, the supper was laid—Mr. Loughrey, jeweller, who had advanced his lordship $180 in jewelry, was to act as his groomsman, and he was there. The police officers were there also, to watch the arrival of his lordship. But his lordship disappointed all.

We presume we have not named half the persons who have been victimised by this precious scamp. A man named Broadhead, a brakesman on the Central Road, and an Englishman, was induced to loan him $100 and go to Philadelphia to lift £11,000 sterling, which he alleged was lying there for him. Mr. B. was to be home at two o'clock this morning. His lordship also induced a simple Englishman to act as his servant and take care of his hound—he had one. Notwithstanding the seriousness of one or two phases of this occurrence, it is as a whole the most laughable affair we have ever heard of transpiring in this city. The money losers have not the least sympathy, and they will be targets for "roasting" for six months. His Lordship's attorney was also deceived, but rather had his eyes opened toward the last.

—We have the pleasure of recording the arrest of the "titled gentlemen by officers Hamilton and Wray, about half-past ten o'clock last night. They reached the stable at that hour, and as soon as they saw the police they ran, but they were gloriously drunk—drunk as lords—that they were soon overtaken. When taken to the Mayor's Office $50 and a gold watch were found on Lord Arthur John. Both were committed for a hearing to-day. In the police office they still retained their hauteur. My Lord said dictatorily—"hand me a chair." The officer replied "you are old enough to help yourself." So he did help himself.

PARK BENJAMIN.—Do not forget that this distinguished gentleman will deliver the third lecture in the course before the Young Men's Library Association, this (Tuesday) evening, at Lafayette Hall. His subject will be MODERN SOCIETY, in which, we apprehend, some of the best things he has yet said, will be said. It is a humorous and satirical poem, and pronounced one of the most scathing pieces of satire, as well of humor and exquisite beauty, which his finished pen and mind have produced. We need scarcely say, go and hear him, for of course everybody who can will be there. The crowded state of the hall upon both previous occasions when he has lectured for us, is the best assurance of what will be. We heartily congratulate the Lecture Committee on the excellence of their selections. Hon. Josiah Quincy, Jr., of Boston, will follow Mr. B. For particulars of this evening's performance see advertisement.

THE PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD TAXES.—The taxes upon the property of this Company for City and County purposes for 1856, will reach $10,000. John H. Hampton, esq., Solicitor for the road presented a paper to the County Commissioners yesterday, setting forth all the appraisements, &c., and asking to be released from the taxes. One reason alleged is that it pays $100,000 to the State. It seems to be the opinion that the Supreme Court will release the Company from State and County taxes; but a special act binds them as far as City taxes are concerned.

FALL OF A STONE WALL.—About two o'clock on Sunday morning the stone wall on the south end of the Monongahela Bridge, thirty feet long and fifteen feet high, fell, carrying with it a stable which was built upon it. The fall was caused by the rain undermining the foundation. The stable belonged to John M'Kinney, tavern-keeper, South Pittsburgh, and he had in it three horses and a cow. Singular to say, after the ruins were removed they were found to be uninjured.

DISTRICT COURT.—Before Hon. H. W. Williams, A. J.

Scoin's Administrator's vs Philip Miller; Collier and Barton for plaintiff; Marshall and Stewart for defendant. *Sire facias* to recover a balance alleged to be due on a mortgage. On trial.

AMONGST THE IMPROVEMENTS going on in our city we may notice that of our enterprising and clever friend, Don Carlos Garcia, corner Penn and St. Clair streets. The Don has resolved to offer to our citizens not only a very choice assortment of fine cigars and tobacco,—which he imports direct from a brother in Havanna, *monthly*—but is fitting up his "Smoking Saloon" in the most luxurious manner.

We notice now, in process of erection, one of those celebrated Turkish apparatus, the NARGUILLAH; this is the first attempt, we believe, save one in New York, to introduce this celebrated smoking apparatus into this country.—The *Narguillah* stands in the centre of the room, an elegant and highly ornamented structure; in this are the various bowls which contain the fine Turkish Tobacco, perfumed by an infusion of a fragrant herb. A series of elastic tubes, having their individual amber mouth-pieces, are screwed to these bowls, and the smoker reclines at ease upon the divan at the outside, inhaling the odoriferous smoke which passes through six different Rosewater tubes before reaching the mouth-piece.

A MAN KILLED.—Yesterday morning about half-past seven o'clock an accident occurred at Brown's coal pit at the other side of the Monongahela river, which resulted in the immediate death of a man named C. Hepline. The deceased, it appears, went to work in the pit, as usual, when, unfortunately, a large quantity of slate fell upon him crushing him to such an extent that his death was almost instantaneous.

LARCENY OF A BOX OF FIGS.—Mayor Adams had before him on Sunday three boys named Martin L. Wagner, Michael Fauner and William Lynch, charged with stealing a box of figs from a freight car on the Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad. The complainant is a man named A. A. Bean. The boys were committed fully for trial.

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A Card to the Ladies.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

CONGRESSIONAL.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 1.—SENATE—All the members were present excepting Messrs. Bell, of New Hampshire, Bell, of Tenn., Briggs, Butler, Douglas, Houston, Johnston, Jones, of Tenn., Mallory, Reid, Sebastian, Sumner, Toombs, Weller and Wright.

The usual Committee was appointed to wait on the President and inform him that there was a quorum, and that each House had assembled and were ready to receive any communication he might be pleased to make.

A similar Committee of the House acted in conjunction with that of the Senate, and in each branch a report was made that the President would communicate his annual message to Congress to-morrow, meridian.

The Senate then adjourned.

HOUSE.—About 300 members were present. Messrs. Hodges, of Vermont, Garnett, of Va., Allen and Morrison, of Illinois, to fill vacancies, were qualified by taking an oath to support the Constitution.

Mr. Phelps presented the credentials of Mr. Whitfield, and moved that he be sworn. Other papers were read, and a paper from Gov. Geary, certifying to the fact that Whitfield had been elected a delegate from Kansas on the first Monday of October. Mr. Phelps asked that the usual course be pursued.

Mr. Grow objected and was about to state his reasons when Mr. Phelps said it was known that a vacancy had existed in the representation from Kansas. His Credentials had been presented and read, and this entitled Mr. Whitfield to have the oath administered to him. At the last session the seats of all the delegates from New Mexico, Nebraska and Kansas were contested and their credentials were received and the oath of office administered to them severally without objection being interposed.

Mr. Grow—I objected.

Mr. Phelps—I mean without serious objection. The course proposed to be persued by the gentleman from Pennsylvania was contrary to precedent with one exception, and that was an exception to the rule; I refer to the New Jersey contested election.

The Speaker observed that objection being made it would be the duty of the Chair to submit the question to the House whether the gentleman be sworn in as a delegate.

Mr. Campbell, of Ohio, suggested to Mr. Grow whether, as this is the short session, and there was much unfinished business, it would not be better to allow the matter to pass over as it did last session on a similar occasion. He did not see that anything could thus be lost.

Mr. Grow.—I cannot accede to the request.

Mr. Campbell.—I have done my duty.

Mr. Grow in reply to Mr. Phelps said that the course he proposed was not unprecedented, and there were strong cases in the books to justify it in that of the New Jersey contested election neither set of delegates were admitted until the committee on elections, after two or three months reported. The House at the last session, had sent a commission to Kansas to investigate the affairs of that Territory and, after full deliberation, the House had decided that no valid election had been held, and hence Whitfield was ejected from his seat. What change had taken place in the organic act of the Territory since the last session? Its legislature stands as it did six months ago when the Delegate was rejected. The Legislature was an usurpation; its acts were characterized by unprecedented tyranny and unconstitutional wrongs; its laws were the blackest and most odious to be found among those of despotism. The House was now asked to overturn its decision and give validity to tyrannical acts forced on an unwilling people by the arm of government being used to shield the invaders of their rights from neighboring states.

Mr. Phelps said he would at the proper time be ready to defend the validity of the legislature and laws of Kansas. Last session Mr. Whitfield was sworn in and his credentials referred to the Committee on Elections, who reported adversely to his seat, and in favor of Reeder. A vacancy was created and Mr. Whitfield was elected to fill that vacancy and is now here for that purpose. Yet the gentleman from Pennsylvania has proclaimed that this question was adjudicated and decided at the last session. The gentleman while acting against Mr. Whitfield, assigned a reason for doing so that he was elected under an unconstitutional enactment, but he voted for Mr. Reeder to take a seat in the absence of all law.

Mr. Grow explained; he had stated that the people of Kansas were entitled to representation and he desired to bestow it in that way as proper under the peculiar circumstances.

Mr. Phelps resuming, said that Mr. Grow's position was that the people of Kansas are entitled to a delegate; but who was here to contest the right of Mr. Whitfield. If the gentleman of Pennsylvania was desirous to see them represented, with what sense of justice could he oppose Mr. Whitfield, there being no contestant of his seat. Where was his love for the people of Kansas? The gentleman's course would prevent such a representation; votes were cast for no other person than Mr. Whitfield in October. Let the delegate be sworn in; his credentials can then be referred to the Committee on Elections, and when their report be made, they can act as they believe justice requires.

The question was then taken whether Mr. Whitfield be sworn, which was decided in the negative by 97 against 104.

Mr. Grow moved a reconsideration of the vote and to lay that motion on the table.

Unsuccessful motions were made to adjourn, per call of the House, etc., by the friends of Mr. Whitfield in order, as was said, to postpone the action on Mr. Grow's motion until the arrival of absentees.

Four o'clock P. M.—Various gentlemen paired off, hunger and fatigue serving as excuses.

Mr. Campbell remarked that as a number of gentlemen on his side had gone to dinner, he thought it right that the House should adjourn, but his motion was rejected.

Mr. Millson said he was not willing to be punished by being kept here because others chose to pair off. His motion for a call of the House prevailed and 138 members answered to their names.

The doors were closed and excuses were heard for the absentees, some of a humorous character exciting excessive laughter.

During these proceedings Mr. Millson spoke of the exposure of the reputation of Congress to the ridicule of the people and the derision of the public press. He had always attempted to prevent struggles similar to that in which the House was now engaged.

Various propositions were made; one by Mr. Sneed that the pending business be postponed and that the members proceed as heretofore to select seats by lot.

Cries of "agreed" and laughter.

Mr. Quitman thought that it would be right. We are endeavoring, he said, to inflict some penalty on members for not being in their seats and I don't know a better mode than to select our seats in their absence. (Laughter.)

Mr. Houston—I'll go in for that if you continue to keep the doors closed.

There was no action on the proposition.

The Sergeant-at-Arms was by order directed to bring the absentees to the bar of the House.

Mr. Jones, of Tennessee, inquired whether while the Sergeant at Arms was executing that order those who had been here all the time could get their dinners. (Laughter.)

The Speaker responded negatively.

While the Clerk was calling the roll on a motion to adjourn, he was frequently interrupted by the Sergeant at Arms announcing the arrest and production of certain absentees. Several gentlemen humorously moved to take up the criminal docket. The absentees brought before the House were ordered to be discharged from custody on the payment of the Sergeant-at-Arms' fees, which is $2 each. (Cries of "fork over" and laughter.

Mr. Mace being among them, he said he was willing to be discharged without payment of fees and accept, as a substitute, solitary confinement. (Laughter.) He went home at half past three, as every orderly man should, leaving the members here going out and taking a horn and placing themselves in such a condition that they did not know what they were driving at. (Laughter.)

Mr. Trafton did not think that the House should take advantage of his honesty. He had just returned from dinner when the Sergeant-at-Arms opened the door and let him in. He had not been arrested.

Mr. Lindley thought the fee was cheap and he would cheerfully pay it.

Mr. Houston, to those standing—sit down; I want to see the prisoners.

Mr. Cobb of Georgia would discharge them on their giving a pledge that they would hereafter vote for an adjournment.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 1.—The Supreme Court met this morning, all the members being present except Justices Wayne and Nelson.

The galleries and lobbies of the two Houses of Congress were crowded with spectators. The weather is beautiful and good humor is every-where prevalent. There is a large attendance of members in each branch, and the usual messages preliminary to business have been exchanged, including the appointment of the Joint Committee to wait on the President.

In the House, Mr. Phelps presented the credentials of Mr. Whitfield as a delegate from Kansas, asking that he be sworn in. Mr. Grow objected, contending that the Kansas election was illegal, having been held in violation of the organic law, and also of the constitution.

The President will not send in his message till noon, to-morrow.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 1.—On Saturday night an accident occurred on the Manassas Gap Railroad, near the River Station, in Warren co., Virginia. The bridge over the Shenandoah river at that point gave way as an engine and five cars were passing over, precipitating the whole into the river from a height of 45 feet. The engineer, fireman and conductor were killed, and John G. Buck, a passenger, of Warren co., fatally injured.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 29.—Advices from Mexico confirm the successes of Vidauri, and relate more revolutionary movements.

Cotton; sales 13,000 bales at ⅛ higher; 11⅛@11½. Lard in kegs at 18. Sterling Exchange 7¾. Freights upwards.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, Dec. 1.—The Supreme Court did not commence their term in this city to-day as was expected, on account of the non-arrival of the Judges. Judge Ranney has resigned and the Governor has tendered Judge Scott the appointment.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—Kansas dates to the 21st are received. Judge Cato refused to issue a habeas corpus in the case of Hays, the murderer of Buffum. The pro-slavery men are considerably excited.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—The Bank statement shows an increase of $1,037,000 in loans; a decrease of $31,000 in specie, $208,000 in circulation, and $28,000 in deposits.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—The Iowa official returns are Fremont, 44,127, Buchanan, 36,241, Fillmore, 9444.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 1.—*Noon.*—Flour market steady with a limited demand; sales 3000 bbls at $6,60@6,62, including a lot of W. B. Thomas at $6,87½ and some extra at $7; 500 bbls extra family on private terms. There is a steady demand for the home trade at $6,75@8,25 as in quality. Rye Flour steady; sales 50 bbls at $4,50. Corn Meal very dull, and Pennsylvania freely offered at $3,12½ without buyers. The supply of Wheat is limited and the market dull; sales 500 bush at $1,50@1,56 for good to prime red and $1,60@1,68 for white. Rye scarce and wanted at 80c. Corn in demand; sales 3000 bush. Southern yellow afloat, at 68c, and 2000 in store at 66c. Barley steady; sales 2000 bush at $1,35 and 1500 bush Barley Malt at $1,40. Oats steady; sales 300 bush prime Delaware at 48c. Whisky in limited request; small sales of bbls at 32@33 in hhds and 29½@30c.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 1.—Flour firm and prices tending upward; sales 700 bbls at $5,50; sales 300 bbls on Saturday evening at $5,35. Whisky has advanced; sales 1200 bbls at 25@25½.—Hogs buoyant, but transactions are kept private; sales have been made at $6@6,18 according to quality. Green meat; sales 850 Hams at 7½, a further advance. Groceries: a limited business done with no new feature. Wheat unchanged since Saturday, red moderate at $1,08. Corn; the receipts have been large during the past week, but prices are unchanged; old 48@50; new 45. Oats; sales 250 bushels at 40c; market firm. The river is still rising slowly; weather moderating with the appearance of rain.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Cotton firm; sales 1000 bales. Flour steady; 13,000 bbls sold. Wheat steady; sales 90,000 bush at former figures.—Corn has a declining tendency; sales 40,000 bus; mixed 78c. Pork dull and unsettled at $19 for new. Beef firm. Lard buoyant. Whiskey has a downward tendency. Coffee dull at 9@11½. Sugar dull. Linseed Oil steady. Pig Iron steady at $29 50-100@$30. Tobacco firm. Rice quiet. Freights heavy for Cotton 3-16. Stocks dull; Chicago and Rock Island 98½; Mich. Southern 80; N. Y. Central 84; Reading 82½; Cleveland and Toledo 74½.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 1.—Flour brisk at $6,50. Wheat 1@2c better. Corn unchanged. Whisky 30@31c.

PUBLIC NOTICE TO TEA DEALERS—Two years ago when Mr. Morris quit business in the Diamond no man in the city had a higher reputation for selling "*Real Good Tea*" than he had. Well then Tea drinkers rejoice, for the same Mr. Morris and the same kind of "*First rate Teas*" can now be found at the Old Country Tea Mart, No. 1 in the Diamond, late Dravo's. no27 MORRIS & PATTON, Proprietors.

CRANBERRIES—50 bbls for sale by no28 J. B. CANFIELD.

PEARL ASH—30 bbls in store and for sale by no28 J. B. CANFIELD.

NITRATE OF SODA—100 bags, a pure article, for sale by no28 J. B. CANFIELD

20 TIERCES RICE just rec'd and for sale by no29 SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

RICE—15 tierces (primo North Carolina) for sale by no28 J. B. CANFIELD

50 BBLS BALTIMORE SYRUP rec'd and for sale by SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

25 BBLS PHIL'A SYRUP rec'd and for sale by no29 SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

50 BBLS CRUSHED SUGAR rec'd and for sale by no29 SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

30 BBLS COFFEE SUGAR rec'd and for sale by no29 SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

40 KEGS VA. TWIST TOBACCO rec'd and for sale by SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

WOOLEN SHAWLS—Just received at A. A. Mason & Co's, some very handsome Woolen Shawls, long and square no28

DEBEGES—We have just rec'd 50 pieces cheap De Beges. A. A. MASON & CO.

FRENCH MERINOS—We have just rec'd a lot of French Merinos, comprising some very handsome shades of colors. A. A. MASON & CO.

LAKE FISH—100 hlf bbls white fish;
36 hlf bb's Lake Herring;
50 bbls Eastern do;
50 " No. 3 Mackerel;
100 hlf bbls " do;
15 bbls No. 1 do;
30 hlf bbls Trout;
25 bbls do;
no28 For sale by J. B. CANFIELD.

COMMERCIAL.

COMMITTEE OF ARBITRATION, FOR NOV. J. M. COOPER, V. P.—S. HYRBAUGH, R. E. SELLERS, ALEX BRADLEY, C. H. PAULSON.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH GAZETTE OFFICE, Tuesday Morning, Dec. 2, 1856.

There was a little more activity, yesterday, in business circles, and preparations for shipping were going forward actively.

FLOUR—the market was firmer, but there was very little offered from first hands, the only lots being a few wagon loads of extra at $6,06@$6,10. From store, 42 bbls extra and extra family at $5,50@$5,75; 50 do at $6,27@$6,66; 75 do at $5,37@$5,75; 60 do family extra at $6,66; 35 do extra at $6,25 and 30 do at $6,37.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—a rather better demand; sales of 6000 lbs from store, in 50 lb sacks, at $2,75 per 100, and 1000 lbs do at $3,00.

GRAIN—very little offering; sales of 200 and 150 bus Oats on arrival at 30.

HAY—sales at scales of 12 loads at $10@$12 per ton.

COOPERAGE—a sale of 20,000 Ash hoops at $5 per M, and 100 flour bbls at 40.

OIL—sales of 10 bbls No 1 Lard Oil at 95, and 15 do at 97, four mos.

BACON—dull; small, sales of Shoulders at 7½@8, and Hams at 11.

LARD—sales of a few small lots of new No 1 at 11½@12, city rendered.

HOGS—packers are paying 5 cts gross, for heavy corn fed, and for dressed Hogs, 6½@6¾.

CHEESE—a sale of 200 bxs common in one lot at 10, and 40 do choice, in lots, at 10¾.

SODA—a sale of 100 bgs Nitrate of Soda at 5, four mos.

BUTTER—packed rules at 12@14, as in quality, and roll at 14@18; sales of 10 kgs packed at 13½, and 2 bbls roll at 14 and 3 do at 17.

The river, according to the metal mark, rose yesterday to 5 feet 4 inches, and by the Allegheny mark to 5 feet 11 inches; but the Monongahela pier mark indicated only 5 feet scant. The rise was from the Allegheny, and stopped in the afternoon. The morning boat from Brownsville reported the Monongahela rising there at the rate of 1½ inches an hour, and we may expect a little swell from that river to-day.

Business on the wharf was quite brisk, in the way of loading, but there were no arrivals, and no departures except for Steubenville and Wheeling. The Sir Wm Wallace was loading for Louisville; La Crosse for Nashville; Rosalie and Prairie Rose for Cincinnati; James Wood, Silver Wave and Denmark for St Louis; South America and Grampus for New Orleans.

RIVER FREIGHTS.—The Pittsburgh Marine Association held their first meeting yesterday morning to establish the price of freights.

To CINCINNATI—Heavy freights, 25@30c; Dry Goods, 30@35c.

To LOUISVILLE—Pittsburgh Manufactures, 1st class, 40c; 2d do, 35c, and 3d class 30c. Eastern Goods 35@40c.

To ST. LOUIS—Dry Goods, $1 per 100 lbs; Heavy Freight 75c.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

There was a good deal of excitement in the hog market to-day, and good ones were in active demand at $6, and in most cases were, at the close, asking a further advance. Lard sold to a considerable extent at 10¼.—Dealers, haunted by the idea of a "short crop" and other appliances, feel restless, and we should not be surprised to see a further advance, but may look with a good degree of certainty for a "panic" in case hogs come in more freely.—Cin. Com.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 1.—FLOUR.—The market was better to-day and prices ruled about 5c per bbl higher. The sales comprise 450 bbls at $5,25; 83 do at $5,30; 350 do at $5,20; 100 do at $5,30, and 60 do at $4,85. The receipts during the last 24 hours comprised 1,624 bbls.

WHEAT—There is a little better feeling in the market, and some of the millers are offering $1,08 for red; for white there is but little demand, and prices are nominal.

CORN—Sales of 1000 bus old at 49c. The market is steady at 78@80. The receipts during the week amount to 54,000 bush.

RYE—There is a fair demand for prime Rye at 78@80, sales of 300 bush at the former price.

BARLEY—Sales of 1400 bus prime fall at $1,50.

WHISKEY—The demand is active and prices advanced ¼. The sales comprise 900 bbls at 25¼c, and 440 from wagons at 24¾.

CHEESE—Sales 400 bxs at 10c; market firm.

HOGS—The market continues active and buoyant. The sales were 300, averaging 190 and 200 lbs at $5,90, and 153 averaging 195 lbs at $5,85. Several lots were sold at $6, but the particulars were not allowed to transpire.

GREEN MEAT—Sales of 600 Hams at 7¼ and 854 long and short Middles at 5¾@6¾.

LARD—The demand was again good to-day, with sales of 900 bbls in lots at 10¾.

PORK—New Mess is held at $15, but we heard of no sales there are buyers at $14,50@14,75.

OIL—Small sales of Linseed at 97. Market dull and unsettled, and it would be difficult to say what round lots could be sold for.

SEED—A sale of 8 bbls Clover at $6,50.—Cin. Com.

IMPORTS BY RIVER.

BROWNSVILLE, by Telegraph—270 bdls straw boards, A Culbertson; 240 bus oats, Mann; 6000 feet lumber, Capt. Smith.

BROWNSVILLE, by Luzerne—161 bus oats, Wm Bogne; 356 bxs glass, Berry & co; 18 bbls cement, English & Richardson; 8 do butter, owner.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

Pittsburgh Ft. W. & C. R. R.—38 bdls frames, Pratt & co; 25 carboys, J Irwin; 20 bxs soap, Bailey & Renshaw; 50 do candles, F Sellers & co; 56 bbls copper ore, Hussey; 21 bbls chairs, Hammer & Dauler; 3 bbls dried peaches, 1 do beans, 1 do eggs, 20,000 ash hoops, 41 Hutchinson; 4 rolls leather, R Bard; 30 tons ore, Dalzell & co; 54 bdls paper, J A Caughey; 35 tons ore, Black & Lloyd; 253 bus corn, 230 do wheat, Hoffman, McCreary & co; 3 sks wool, S Harbaugh; 25 bdls paper, J L Ebes; 34 hides, Wilkinson & Hoffstot; 3 bbls butter, Beggley, Cosgrave & co; 11 do, 1 do eggs, D Root; 37 bbls whiskey, Schmidt; 31 bbls oil, J Dalzell; 100 bbls flour, J Lindsey; 11 bbls scrap iron, Coleman & co; 124 doz handles, 6 grind stones, Lippencott & co; 6 bxs books, 154 pcs castings, 7 bdls skins, 23 rolls leather, 4 cks soda ash, 4 bbls pork, 17 kgs lard, 1 bbl eggs, 31 kgs butter, 4 bbls do, 2 bgs cloverseed, 576 bbls flour, 83 do whisky, 21 bgs wool, 5 sks flax, 64 bxs cheese, cart; bgs b w flour, Brown & Kirkpatrick; 35 bgs feed, Simpson & Ralston; 20 bdls paper, A A Mason & co; 250 bus barley, Smith; 7 sks rags, Smith, Mair & Hunter; 50 bgs b w flour, English & Richardson; 1 bbl butter, R Dalzell & co; 1 car shingles, Newmyer & Graff; 11 hogs, 11 cars do, W Peterson; 20 bdls paper, Spratt; 9 tons metal, Nimick & co; 2 cks potash, Shriver & Dilworth; 41 sks cloverseed, McClurkan & co; 6 bbls whiskey, McCrickart; 28 bbls whisky, Wallace & Gardner; 16 cars hogs, 27 bus potatoes, 30 dz brooms, 82 bgs feed, 23 do b w flour, 15 bbls flour, 4 bxs cheese, 15 cars cattle, owners; 11 bbls whiskey, Allen; 5 bgs flaxseed, 4 kgs lard, J C Myers.

STEAMBOAT REGISTER.

ARRIVED—Telegraph, Brownsville. Luzerne, do; Col Bayard, do.

DEPARTED—Telegraph, Brownsville; Luzerne, do; Col Bayard, do; Venture, Steubenville; Diurnal, Wheeling.

RIVER.—On yesterday evening there were 4 feet 9 inches in the channel and on a stand.

AMUSEMENTS.

All Advertisements of Concerts or Public Amusements must be paid for invariably in advance.

PITTSBURGH MUSEUM, AND GALLERY OF ART, On 5th Street, late Masonic Hall.
Manager......J. BIDDLES. | Treasurer......V. J. BORRETS
Scenic Artist....H. ROGERS | Promptor....T. BLACKBURN

ALTERATION OF PRICES.
PARQUETTE—Ladies...25 cts. | Lady and Gent.........50 cts.
Gents without Ladies.............12½ cts extra.
FAMILY CIRCLE.......................................15 cts.

Mr. and Mrs. PLUNKETT in the new beautiful play of RETRIBUTION.
First night of a Romantic Drama called SARAH THE JEWESS.
TUESDAY EVENING, Dec. 2d, to commence with the new play, in four acts, called
RETRIBUTION.
Clarence, Mrs. H. Plunkett; Rododolph, Mr. H Plunkett
Other characters by the Company.
A Comic Song...............................Mr. Biddles.
To conclude with a Romantic Drama, in two acts, called
SARAH, THE JEWESS.
Sarah, the Jewess, Mrs C Cunningham; Rebeca, Mrs Biddles; David Stolberg, Mr P Cunningham; Stephen Corham, Mr McBride.
To-morrow night Mr. and Mrs Plunkett in a new play. Blighted Hopes, or The Poor Scholar will shortly be produced.

PITTSBURGH THEATRE.
Lessee and Manager.................JOSEPH C. FOSTER.
Stage Manager...J. Biddles. | Acting Manager, C. J. Foster
PRICES OF ADMISSION:
Boxes and Parquette......50c | Private Boxes, large...$6 00
Second Tier..................25c | Private Boxes, small...5 00
Boxes for colored persons..........................25 cts.

Immense Sensation has been aroused by the brilliant impersonations of the celebrated Irish Commedian and Vocalist, Mr COLLINS, who will appear this evening in two of his favorite characters, and sing four of his popular songs.
THIS EVENING, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 2d, 1856.
Will be presented
BORN TO GOOD LUCK, or AN IRISHMAN'S FORTUNE.
Paudeen O'Rafferty, Mr. Collins, in which he will sing "Paddy Magre" and "Cruishkeen Lawn," and dance the Fox Hunter's Jig with Mrs Young; Count Malt, Weaver; Countess, Mrs Foster.
Favorite Dance.......................................Miss H. Lang.
After which the screaming Farce of
HOW TO PAY THE RENT.
Morgan Rattler, Mr Collins, with the songs "Drink deep, my boys," and "What night too long."
To conclude with the Farce of the
LOAN OF A LOVER.
Peter Spyk, Young, Gertrude, with songs, Julia M Cooke.
Doors open at 6¾; curtain rises 7 o'clock.

FUN, WONDER AND DELIGHT!!! Immense Attraction AT THE CITY HALL. Positively for a few Nights Only. MONDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 1ST
The Original FAKIR OF AVA.
THE WORLD RENOWNED MAGICIAN having just concluded a most successful engagement of 50 nights in New York City, announces to the citizens of Pittsburgh that he will give a series of his MIRACULOUS ENTERTAINMENTS at the above spacious Hall, on the evenings announced. The Hall has been handsomely and tastefully fitted up expressly for the occasion, and the stage has been greatly enlarged in order to display his magnificent TEMPLE OF ENCHANTMENT, Which is the LARGEST IN THE WORLD, and gotten up at an expense of over 15,000 Dollars!!
The performance will include many new and original MAGICAL AND MYSTERIARICHIAL ILLUSIONS, TRANSFORMATIONS, DECEPTIONS, &c., Which will appear incredible to the senses, impossible to the eyes, and improbable to the imagination, and yet so beautifully executed as to defy the whole, and many of which will be of the most *laughable character*, surpassing in extent and variety the most sanguine expectation of every visitor.
Admission Twenty-Five Cents.
Doors open at half-past 6; Performance to commence at 7 o'clock.
For particulars see Small Bills.
G. CLARKE HENDERSON, Agent.
JOHN H. HARRIS, Stage Manager.
ROBERT SMITH, Treasurer.
no28 tf HARRY M. SOMERVILLE, Sec'y.

SIX SMALL FARMS AND 230 ACRES TIMBER AT PUBLIC SALE.—The subscriber will sell upon the premises on TUESDAY, 16th of December, 1856, 231 acres of land situated on the Greensburg Turnpike, nine miles east of Pittsburgh and two east of Wilkinsburg, adjoining Henry Chalfant and others, in lots of about fifty acres each. Also the timber on the same, with the privilege of occupying a site on the land for the purpose of working it. The above is prime farm land, very desirable for country residences or market gardening, and the timber is heavy white oak with some locust, beech, &c. Fifty acres are now under cultivation. Persons wishing to view the property can call upon the subscriber in Wilkinsburg who will show it and give all further information that may be wanted. A plan of the land can be seen on posted bills. I. G. M'FARLAND, Wilkinsburg, no27:2awd&wtsT Allegheny County, Pa.

SELF SHARPNER FEED CUTTERS for sale by no28 HOLMES & COLLINS.

CHEESE—500 boxes prime cutting for sale by no28 J. B. CANFIELD.

100 BBLS. PRIME RAMBO & VAUDEER APPLES for sale by no24 HOLMES & COLLINS.

OSBORNE'S SUPERIOR AMERICAN WATER COLORS for sale at WM. S. HAVEN'S Paper and Stationery Warehouse, no23 corner Market and 2nd sts.

AUCTION SALES.

P. M. DAVIS, Auctioneer. *Commercial Sales Rooms, corner of Wood and Fifth Sts.*

INSURANCE STOCKS At Auction—On Thursday evening, December 4th, at 7 o'clock at the Merchants' Exchange, 4th street, will be sold 20 shares Western Insurance Company Stock; 15 do Eureka do do; 12 do Pennsylvania do do do. de2 P. M. DAVIS Auct.

HARDWARE, DYE STUFFS, &c. At Auction—On Wednesday afternoon, December 3 commencing at two o'clock, will be sold at the commercial sales rooms, cor. of Wood and Fifth streets, a small and desirable stock of hardware from a country store, consisting in part of rim, horizontal and upright locks, door knobs, thumb latches, augurs, wood screws, nail hammers, hand saws, lined French sauce pans, tea kettles, waffle irons, bridle bitts, buckles, portable chafing dishes, carriage lamps, lamp wicks, gas chandelier, 2 oil do. 3 bbls logwood, 1 bbl alum, 1 bbl madder, 2 kegs blue vitriol, 1 keg copperas, &c., &c. de2 P. M. DAVIS Auct.

GROUND RENT AT AUCTION—On Thursday Evening, Dec. 4th, at 7 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange, 4th st, will be sold, an Annual Ground Rent of Eight Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars, payable quarterly, free and clear of taxes, issuing out of Lots Nos. two and three in the subdivision of Lots on Liberty st., at its intersection with Sixth and Liberty sts., 55 feet 8½ inches, and being the same rented to E. Frowenfield & Brother, and occupied by them. The ground rent is paid up to 1st April 1858. P. M. DAVIS, Auct.

COUNTRY STORE At Auction—On Wednesday morning, December 3d, commencing at 10 o'clock, will be sold at the commercial sales rooms, corner of Wood and Fifth streets, a stock of goods from a country store, consisting of almost every description of goods usually kept in a well conducted retail store. We name in part Prints, Delaines, Ginghams, Alpacas, white Cambrics, Paired Muslins, assorted Flannels, Ribbons, Laces, Trimmings. Also a quantity of Men and Boys clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, &c., &c. de1 P. M. DAVIS, Auct.

BANK STOCKS AT AUCTION At Auction—On Thursday evening, December 4th, at 7 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange, 4th st., will be sold, 57 shares Jefferson Branch, State Bank of Ohio at Steubenville, being one of the safest and most profitable stocks of the kind in the United States. 20 shares Citizens Deposit Bank of Pittsburgh. P. M. DAVIS Auct.

AYERS' CHERRY PECTORAL, FOR THE RAPID CURE OF COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, BRONCHITIS, WHOOPING COUGH, CROUP, ASTHMA AND CONSUMPTION.

THIS REMEDY is offered to the community with the confidence we feel in an article which seldom fails to realize the happiest effects that can be desired. So wide is the field of its usefulness and so numerous the cases of its cures, that almost every section of the country abounds in persons, publicly known, who have been restored from alarming and even desperate diseases of the lungs, by its use. When once tried its superiority over every other medicine of its kind is too apparent to escape observation, and where its virtues are known, the public no longer hesitate what antidote to employ for the distressing and dangerous affections of the pulmonary organs, which are incident to our climate.

Nothing has called louder for the earnest enquiry of medical men, than the alarming prevalence and fatality of consumptive complaints, nor has any one class of diseases had more of their investigation and care. But as yet no adequate remedy has been provided, on which the public could depend for protection from attacks upon the respiratory organs, until the introduction of the Cherry Pectoral. This article is the product of a long, laborious, and I believe successful endeavor, to furnish the community with such a remedy. Of this last statement the American people are now themselves prepared to judge, and I appeal with confidence to their decision. If there is any dependence to be placed in what men of every class and station certify it has done for them, if we can trust our own senses, when we see dangerous affections of the throat and lungs yield to it, if we can depend on the assurance of intelligent Physicians, who make it their business to know,—in short, if there is any reliance upon anything, then is it irrefutably proven that this medicine does relieve and does cure the class of diseases it is designed for, beyond any and all others that are known to mankind. If this be true, it cannot be too freely published, nor be too widely known. The afflicted should know it. A remedy that cures is priceless to them. Parents should know it, their children are priceless to them. All should know it, for health can be priced to no one. Not only should it be circulated here, but everywhere, not only in this country but all countries. How faithfully we have acted on this conviction, is shown in the fact that already this article has made the circle of the globe. The sun never sets on its limits. No continent is without it, and but few people. Although not in so general use in other nations as in this, it is employed by the more intelligent in almost all civilized countries. It is extensively employed in both Americas—in Europe, Asia, Africa, Australia and the far off islands of the sea. Life is as dear to its possessors there as here, and they grasp at a valuable remedy with even more avidity than ourselves. Unlike most preparations of its kind, it is an expensive composition of costly material. Still it is afforded to the public at a reasonably low price, and what is of vastly more importance to them, its quality is never suffered to decline from its original standard of excellence. Every bottle of this medicine, now manufactured, is as good as ever has been made heretofore, or as we are capable of making.—No toil or cost is spared, in maintaining it in the best perfection which it is possible to produce. Hence the patient who procures the genuine CHERRY PECTORAL, can rely on having as good an article as has ever been had by those who testify to its cures.

By pursuing this course I have the hope of doing some good in the world, as well as the satisfaction of believing that much has been done already.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. AYER, Practical and Anatylical Chemist, Lowell, Mass.

Sold by B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO., Wholesale Agents, Pittsburgh, and by all Druggists and Medicine Dealers. no29:lyd&wF—4m

TO FARMERS—The Patent Cornstalk, Hay and Straw Cutter and Grinder.—This Machine is capable of preparing One Hundred bushels of Cornstalk, or one ton of Hay or Straw per hour, thus reducing the largest cornstalk to the consistency of cut straw. Also, avoiding the necessity of steaming or soaking and saving 50 per cent. over the common way of feeding fodder.—Horses and cattle will do as well on fodder prepared this way as on the best of hay. It is easily operated by hand or power without any attention, and will save *time, meal and money*. For sale by HOLMES & COLLINS, no24 No. 129 Wood street.

BAG DEALERS AND CONSUMERS are respectfully notified that the undersigned is again in receipt of a full assortment of grain and salt bags of the "Stark Mills" and "Manchester" brands, which will be sold at the former low rates. Orders for the above bags can hereafter be filled promptly, owing to the increased facilities at the Mills to keep up a supply. Also, fancy printed Buckwheat bags. no26 DAVID C. HERBST, cor. Liberty & Hand sts.

SITUATIONS wanted for a civil engineer, and land surveyor, a clerk, a carriage driver, a porter, a boy to learn a trade, a boy to do errands, a boy to learn store keeping, a man and his wife to go to a farmer and get the keeping of a cow by the year, a colored male cook. Wanted cooks and girls to do housework, young girls for nurses any number, a young man to act as an agent in a good business [no capital required.] Apply at BARR'S Intelligence, 410 Liberty st. no24

SAILING UNDER FALSE COLORS—I suppose in consequence of the very high repute I always had for selling *Good Tea*, Messrs. Haslage & Ortman at my old stand in the Diamond continue the sign "*Morris' Tea Mart*" over their door, although I am in no way connected with their establishment, but associated in partnership with Wm. Patton in the store lately occupied by Mr. Dravo. Under these circumstances I fancy Messrs. Haslage & Ortman should quit sailing under false colors and haul down my name. ROB'T MORRIS.

FOR TIP TOP TEAS GO TO MORRIS & PATTON'S Old Country Tea Mart, No. 1 in the Diamond, Dravo's old stand, or to their Allegheny Store, on Federal st., near the Market Place. no27

LONDON ALE AND PORTER can be had for 15c per bottle, at Morris & Patton's Old Country Tea Mart, Diamond, Pittsburgh, late Dravo's, or at their Allegheny Store on Federal st., near the Market Place.

DRIED FRUITS—Good Cooking Raisins 10 and 12½c per pound; New Bunch Raisins 20 and 25c; Prime Currants 20 and 25c; excellent Figs 12½ and 18¾c; French Plums 10 and 25c; French and Turkey do 12½c; Dried Apples 6¼c per quart; Dried Peaches 10c; Pared Peaches 16c; Preserved Citron, Orange and Lemon Peel 37½c per pound, at MORRIS & PATTON'S, Old Country Tea Mart, in the Diamond, late Dravo's. no27

THE FISH MARKET—Prime Irish Salmon, 10 cents per pound; Excellent Fat Mackerel 6¼ cents do; Lake Fish 3 kinds 6¼ do; Pickled cod fish 6¼ do; Grand bank cod fish 6¼ cents do; Large Labrador Herring 20 dozen. For sale at MORRIS & PATTON'S, late Dravo No. 1 in the Diamond, and Federal street, Allegheny City. no27

FARM TO EXCHANGE FOR CITY PROPERTY—A splendid farm containing 240 acres, 200 cleared, 40 natural meadow; the whole level and in a high state of cultivation; well watered; two orchards of fine grafted fruit trees of selected qualities. The improvements consist of a large brick dwelling, built in modern style, with wide hall, double parlors, dining room and kitchen, together with extensive sleeping apartments; a large overshot barn, 80 by 40, with stone basement for stabling; four small tenant houses, each of which rent for $4 per month. This farm is situated on a Railroad in an adjoining county, and will be exchanged for city property. Apply to R. M'LAIN & SON, 13½ Fourth st.

50 HHDS FAIR AND GOOD FAIR SUGAR rec'd and for sale no29 SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

CLOVER SEED—50 bushels for sale by no28 J. B. CANFIELD.

WHITE'S HAIR REGENERATOR—An invoice of this valuable preparation for the hair, just opened for retail, at JOS. FLEMING'S, no27 corner Market st. and Diamond.

3 GRO. FRENCH BLACKING just rec'd and for sale at JOS. FLEMING'S.

1 GRO. BANDOLINE, an excellent article for smoothing and curling the hair, just rec'd and for sale at no27 JOS. FLEMING.

FEATHERS—48 sacks now landing from Railroad for sale by ISAIAH DICKEY.

WOOL—14 sacks wool now landing from Railroad and for sale no27 ISAIAH DICKEY.

GRANGER'S Magic Corn Cob and Meal Mill for sale by HOLMES & COLLINS.

BUTTER—22 boxes roll, just rec'd and for sale by no28 J. B. CANFIELD.

30 BBLS TANNERS AND WHALE OIL rec'd and for sale by SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

300 BAGS RIO COFFEE rec'd and for sale by no29. SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

BEANS—3 sks. Small White Beans rec'd and for sale by SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

SMITH'S CORN SHELLER—This Sheller can be worked by hand or other power, and is capable of shelling one bushel of shelled corn per minute; is portable and not likely to get out of order. For sale by no25 HOLMES & COLLINS, 129 Wood st.

STOVES, Fenders, Fire Irons, Stove Pipe, Coal Scuttles, Tin and Copper Ware, At the Iron City Stove Warehouse of no15 T. J. CRAIG & CO., 134 Wood street.

MORGAN'S COUGH SYRUP will cure colds, coughs, bronchial affections, tickling sensations of the throat, croup, hooping cough, &c., &c. Compounded and for sale by JOHN HART & CO. no24 corner Wood and 6th sts.

RICE—10 tierces new Rice for sale by no25 REIS & BERGER.

BAKER'S COD LIVER OIL—10 gross just rec'd and for sale by FLEMING BROS.

VENITIAN RED—26 bbls. Cookson's rec'd and for sale by R. E. SELLERS & CO.

SWEET OIL—5 casks for sale by no24 R. E. SELLERS & CO.

CAPE ALOES—1 case for sale by no24 R. E. SELLERS & CO.

OXALIC ACID—1 bbl. for sale by no24 R. E. SELLERS & CO.

GERMAN CAMOMILE FLOWERS—1 cask for sale by R. E. SELLERS & CO.

ALEXANDRIA SENNIA—450 lbs for sale by R. E. SELLERS & CO.

BI CHROMATE POTASH—700 lbs for sale by R. E. SELLERS & CO.

UMBER—3000 lbs. for sale by no25 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

FLOUR SULPHUR—20 bbls for sale by no26 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—200 fifty pound sacks on hand and for sale by no26 REIS & BERGER, cor. 2d and Smithfield sts.

POTATOES—200 bush Mackinaw potatoes for sale by REIS & BERGER.

SUGARS—60 bbls refined, crushed, powdered, granulated, and coffee sugars, for sale by no25 REIS & BERGER.

COFFEE—100 bags Rio Coffee for sale by no25 REIS & BERGER.

PRIME GREEN APPLES by the bbl. for sale by no26 HOLMES & COLLINS.