PITTSBURGH:
THURSDAY MORNING, FEB. 5, 1857.

INTERMENTS IN THE CITY OF PITTSBURGH.

FROM JAN. 27, TO FEB. 3, 1857.

	Adults.	Children.
Pneumonia	0	2
Dysentery	0	1
Convulsions	0	1
Scarlet Fever	0	3
Consumption	4	0
Inflammation Heart	0	1
Inflammation Lungs	0	2
Accident	1	0
Still Born	0	1
Measles	0	1
Dropsy	1	0
Apoplexy	0	0
OF THE ABOVE THERE WERE		
Under 1 year	6	1
From 1 to 2	1	4
2 to 5	0	3
5 to 10	0	2
15 to 20	1	0
20 to 30	2	1
30 to 40	2	2
50 to 60	1	0

Males, 9; Females, 11; White, 19; Colored, 1; Total, 20

By order of the Board of Health

A. C. MURDOCH,
Physician of Board of Health.

MEETING OF COMMON COUNCIL.—*Tuesday Evening* Feb. 3d, 1857.—Council met in accordance with the act of assembly for the purpose of electing two persons to serve as Guardians of the Poor for the term of three years.

Present—Messrs. Barnhill, Bennett, Berger, Black, Brown, Edgar, Fitzsimons, Hodkinson, Henderson, Herdman, Holmes, Kim, Layton, M'Candless, M'Cargo, M'Clintock, M'Collister, M'Farland, Moore, Meyer, Quinn, Reese, Robb, Ross, Shaffer, Smyser, Taylor, Wilkinson, President.

Minutes of last evening read and approved.

The Chair stated that he had in his hands the tally papers of an election held in the Fifth ward on Friday the 30th of January, showing that Jacob Ahl was duly elected a Councilman from said ward.

The oath of office was then administered to Mr. Ahl by Alderman Johns.

The President announced that the object of the meeting was to elect two persons to serve as Guardians of the Poor, the term of office of Messrs. Pennock and Douglass expiring on the 3d, when the following gentlemen were nominated and received votes as follows:

Joseph Pennock received	26
Wm. Douglass	20
Jeremiah Frow	6

Messrs. Pennock and Douglass were duly elected.

Mr. Barnhill presented a petition for grading Washington st.

Also a petition for grading and paving Clark street.

Mr. Black a petition for grading Sweeney's alley, 7th ward.

Mr. Quinn a petition for paving Water street, Eighth ward. Also a petition for paving Magee street, Eighth ward.

Mr. M'Candless a petition for grading and paving of Townsend street from Clark to Decatur.

Mr. Berger a petition, and resolution authorising the same, for a sewer on Pennsylvania Avenue, from Washington to Stevenson st.

A resolution by Mr. Black instructing the Street Committee to examine Dinwiddie street, Seventh ward, and have the same put in a passable condition.

All the above were referred to Street Committee.

Mr. Kim presented the following:

Resolved, That D. Hutchison be authorized to remove the clay from Bluff street between Pride and Stevenson streets, provided said work be done without expense to the city.

Referred to Street Committee, with power to act.

Mr. Kim presented a resolution instructing the Committee on gas lighting to have a lamp post extended on the south side of Wylie street, between High and Center.

Mr. Smyser presented the following:

Resolved, That the Committee on Gas Lighting be requested to have gas mains laid on the south side of Fourth street, between Market and Ferry.

Both referred to Com. on Gas Lighting. S. C. concurred.

Mr. Edgar, from the Special Committee appointed to examine Wilkins' Hall, reported that the Committee have examined said Hall, and find the same can be divided into chambers and committee rooms at a cost not exceeding $260, with a resolution authorizing the Police Committee to have such improvements made.

Report accepted, and resolution laid on the table.

Mr. Herdman presented a report from the Committee on Fire Engines and Hose, in regard to the steam fire engine Citizen, with a resolution requesting the Finance Committee to appropriate $5000 for the purpose of continuing the engine in service for the present year. Also a resolution recommending the appropriation of $2000 for the purpose of rebuilding the Duquesne Engine House.

Report accepted, and resolution laid on the table.

Mr. Bennett presented a copy of an act, to be presented to the legislature to authorize the city of Pittsburgh to contract an additional loan to an extent not exceeding $30,000, for the purpose of paying out-standing warrants, with a resolution to request our representatives to procure the passage of the act. Laid over by the following vote:

Ayes—Barnhill, Bennett, Berger, Black, M'Clintock, President.

Nays—Brown, Edgar, Fitzsimons, Hodkinson, Henderson, Herdman, Kim, M'Candless, M'Cargo, M'Farland, Moore, Meyer, Quinn, Reese, Robb, Ross, Shaffer, Smyser, Taylor, Wilkinson.

Mr. Herdman presented a petition from the Allegheny Fire Company asking an appropriation for building a house for their engine.

Mr. Taylor a petition from the Fairmount Fire Company for an appropriation for the purpose of purchasing a hose carriage.

Both of the above were referred to Committee on Fire Engines and Hose. S. C. concurred.

Mr. Fitzsimons presented the following:

Resolved, That the sum of $200 be appropriated to the use of the Eagle Fire Company for the purpose of re-roofing their engine house, Fourth street, provided the company pay the balance and release the city of all expenses.

Referred to committee on city property. S. C. concurred.

Mr. Black presented an ordinance for the suppression of the practise of sledding on our streets. Referred to Ordinance Committee. S. C. concurred.

Mr. Taylor presented the following:

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrants in favor of the Judges of the two election districts of the Fifth ward for $15 each, in full of the expenses of holding a special election on Friday, January 30, 1857, to fill a vacancy in Common Council. Read three times and passed, S. C. concurred.

Mr. Fitzsimons presented the following:

Resolved, That the Wharf committee of the Monongahela wharf be and are hereby authorized to grant a contract for the grading and paving that part of said wharf lying between Ferry and Liberty streets, the expense thereof to be paid out of moneys arising from the contract with Wood, Morrell & Co. Referred to Committee on Monongahela wharf. S. C. concurred.

Mr. Bennett offered the following:

Resolved, That the subject of publishing the city accounts, with accompanying reports, be referred to the Committee on City Printing, with instructions to have the same published one time in the papers authorized to do the city printing, on the best terms they can make for the interests of the city. Read three times and passed. To S. C. action non-concurred in, and amended by a proviso, "that the cost do not exceed $75 in each paper authorized to do the city printing." C. C. adhere, and appoint Messrs. Quinn and Berger a committee of conference. In S. C. Messrs. Philips and McCutcheon were appointed. Committee reported they could not agree.

On motion Mr. Reese was excused from further service on the Aqueduct Committee, and Mr. Ahl was appointed to fill the vacancy.

Mr. Herdman presented an ordinance to regulate the levying of Water rents. Referred to Ordinance Committee. S. C. non-concur and refer it to the Ordinance Committee in conjunction with the Water Committee. C. C. concur in action of S. C.

Adjourned.

A GOOD MOVE.—The Mayor's police seem determined to do their duty. Yesterday afternoon they paid a visit to a dreadful den of iniquity, which has been kept by a colored man named Sharp, and his wife, on King's alley, between Wood and Market street. They were both arrested and brought before the Mayor, who, upon information of Mrs. Mary Ann Waters, committed Benjamin Sharp for trial for selling liquor on Sunday, and Elizabeth, his wife, for assault and battery. The Mayor informs us he is determined to rid the city of such places, if such a thing is at all possible. This house we understand, has been a regular barrack for thieves, &c., for some time, and we are glad to hear of the steps that have been taken.

DISTRICT COURT.—Before Judge Hampton. Adams, Mackin & Co. vs. Schoonmaker. Verdict for defendants.

Merriman vs. Dawson; action for defamatory words. Verdict for defendant.

Hammer vs. Pattersons and Kaercher; action for damages received by falling into a vault on Pennsylvania avenue. Verdict for defendants.

Henry vs. M'Cabe; action for $250 rent. Defendant alleges he holds a receipt for the amount. On trial.

RICHARD DIXON, arrested for striking John Reis with a single-tree and inflicting injuries which nearly caused his death, has been fully committed for trial by Alderman Major.

THERE were two huckster and three common cases before the Mayor yesterday morning.

PITTSBURGH HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.—This Society held its usual monthly meeting at its Rooms on Fifth street, yesterday, President McKnight in the chair.

Mr. McKnight informed the Society that he had written to the Patent Office with a view of obtaining a supply of the seed of the Chinese Sugar Cane for distribution among the members. He had received two small packages of the seed, but they were addressed to the Agricultural Society, which led him to believe that the article was becoming scarce at the office.

It was decided to hold the next exhibition of the Society in June.

The usual monthly exhibition of fruit and flowers came off. The Committee on the latter awarded to Mr. Lamont, gardener to Mr. Shoenberger, a Certificate of Merit for a splendid display of Camelia flowers.

A collection of apples, embracing some eight new varieties, attracted much attention, and were highly spoken of by all who had an opportunity of examining them.

Mr. Lockhart exhibited two specimens of apples from St. Louis to be named, which were declared to be of the "Wells" and "Holland Pippin" varieties.

Several branches of peach buds were submitted for examination. After a careful inspection they were all declared sound, so that a beautiful crop next season may be anticipated.

Dr. John Wilson and Nicholas Dahlem, who were proposed at a previous meeting, were elected members of the Society. J. Woolsleyer, Sr., and I. Wissell were proposed for membership.

The Society next instructed the committee of arrangements to take measures for securing a place of meeting, as the lease of the Hall they then occupied would shortly expire, and then adjourned.

MANCHESTER COUNCIL.—A regular meeting of the Manchester Council was held on Tuesday evening, Feb. 3d, 1857; present Messrs. Hague, Hollar, Caughey, McGilvery and Burgess.

The Committee appointed at the previous meeting for the purpose of drafting a bill to be presented to the Legislature, reported an act empowering the Burgess and Council to levy an additional tax, not to exceed five mills on the dollar; the act to remain in force for five years, and the revenue arising therefrom to be applied to the redemption of the public debt of the Borough.

Capt. A. Hay was appointed Borough Regulator for 1857.

IT STILL CONTINUES.—The ground-hog has most undoubtedly been cheated, by some one, on Monday last holding an umbrella before it, preventing it from seeing old Sol, and thus there commenced on Monday of last week continues to do execution. It commenced raining yesterday evening, about seven o'clock, with a very good indication of continuing, and if it does so, it is very probable that the ice on our rivers may commence a downward movement in a day or two. It is beginning to decompose considerably already, and we shall watch anxiously for its departure.

APPREHENSION OF A PITTSBURGH THIEF.—Officer Richardson, an efficient member of the Mayor's police, is now on a trip to Cincinnati with a requisition for a notorious thief named David Hall, who flourished in our city for some time, and committed several thefts, for which he was allowed to go unpunished until a few days ago, when, at the instance of High Constable Hague, who dispatched to the police of Cincinnati a description of him and his operations, he was arrested in that city and lodged in jail, to await the arrival of an officer from Pittsburgh. He will probably be here in a day or two.

FIRE IN THE FIFTH WARD.—Wednesday morning, about 4 o'clock, a two-story brick house on Liberty street, Fifth ward, occupied by a man named Eberle, was destroyed by fire. The fire, when first discovered, had made considerable headway, and, but for the timely notice given the inmates by watchman Gross, it is probable they would have perished in the flames. As it was, they escaped with difficulty, their clothing and a great part of the furniture falling a prey to the devouring element.

THE RAIN.—It has been months since the generous skies poured down gifts so rich and copious as those of last night. If the rain shall continue for twenty hours as now, we shall have a clear river in the next two days unless we have a return of the Arctic rigors of last week. Our citizens are waiting and watching intensely, longing for a re-opening of the navigation which would restore us at once our wonted activity. Let the happy day return.

DONATION.—The employees of the Allegheny Valley Railroad, yesterday, sent off two car loads of coal, to be distributed to the sufferers of Cincinnati. The subscription was filled some time ago; but in consequence of an inability to obtain cars, it was found impossible to ship it at an earlier period.

THEATRE.—The bill for this evening is a splendid one—"The Carpenter of Rouen," which has been in preparation for some time, and "A Glance at Philadelphia." A great actress will shortly make her appearance from India.

PAUL JONES.—This fine steamer will be positively sold by order of Trustees this evening at the Merchants' Exchange, Fourth street, by Mr. Davis.

A LIST of valuable Stocks and Ground Rent will be sold this evening at the Merchants' Exchange.

ALLEGHENY COUNCILS hold a meeting this evening.

MERCURY, when taken to excess, debilitate the system, destroys the margin, weakens the blood, and brings about disease which renders life burthensome. When such is the case, the sufferer may readily find relief in the use of *Carter's Spanish Mixture*, a never-failing antidote for this destructive poison. In Virginia alone there are hundreds of persons who have been permanently cured of mercurial affections by the use of Carter's Spanish Mixture.

EXTRACT from a letter by the Rev. Mr. Churchill of Boston, who is now travelling for his health in the East.

"It gives one an ever present idea of the expansive enterprise of his countrymen, to find their commodities of commerce continually in his path wherever he goes. I have not visited any considerable city of Turkey, where I did not find the Medicines of my country represented by Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. In Smyrna, Aleppo, Jaffa, Jerusalem and Constantinople, we see in each, on the door post of some bazaar, the peculiarly American looking Iron card, of Dr. Ayer, saying in a language which not one in a thousand of the passers by can read, *Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for Coughs, Colds and Consumption, Sold Here!* On a shelf behind the crosslegged mussulman are seen the bottles with their English, Spanish, French and German faces turned towards the crowd, and on enquiring we are told that foreigners are not the only purchasers, but the true believers have faith in their trust in Allah, to try this product of American skill, when they find there is no other cure for them.

I was told yesterday that the Cherry Pectoral had been presented to the Sultan, and is now in constant use in his harem, and in the hospitals of the Empire."

A BIG LUMP OF LAKE SUPERIOR SILVER.—Mr. Whitney, clerk of the propeller Gen. Taylor, who left Ontonagon on the 5th inst., says that a mass of pure solid silver, weighing *sixty five* pounds, had just been taken from the Minnesota Mine. At the current market value, $7 per ounce, this mass would be worth $1,040.—*Chicago Press, 25th ult.*

"BETTER LATE THAN NEVER."—The Metairie Jockey Club, of New Orleans, La., has abolished racing on Sunday on that course.

(From the Boston Saturday Evening Gazette.)

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TELEGRAPHIC.

CONGRESSIONAL.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4th.—SENATE.—Mr. Allen presented the credentials of Jas. F. Simons, recently elected a U. S. Senator by the Legislature of Rhode Island.

Mr. Weller was satisfied that justice to both parties required that the entire correspondence be printed, although a portion of it is of an exceedingly angry character.

Messrs. Bell, Crittenden, Seward and Pearce thought that such parts ought to be suppressed, although it would furnish a bad example. The exposure of the whole correspondence was not required; besides it would be painful to the friends of both the gentlemen involved.

Messrs. Jones, of Tenn., Clay, Stuart, Benjamin and Bigler advocated the printing of it entire, several of them saying that a full exposure was necessary to a full understanding of the entire subject. Though such language in the correspondence was to be regretted. Let them stand or fall on their own merits.

Mr. Toombs was opposed to making the Senate the conduit for such private quarrels. Let the exposure be through the newspapers.

The printing of the whole of the documents was ordered and the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE.—Mr. Florence introduced a bill equalizing the Army, Navy and Marine pensions.

Mr. Bingham, from the Committee on Elections, reported a resolution which was adopted, declaring Mr. Hall legally elected a member of the House, from the first Congressional District of Iowa.

A resolution allowing Mr. Clark, the contestant, mileage and per diem, was submitted, but lies over.

The House then resumed the consideration of the joint resolution proposing to give each branch of Congress the entire control of its contingent fund without the supervision of the Treasury officers.

Mr. Bocock while opposing the bill said that when he saw corruption like a gangrene striking throughout the country he would not break down the barriers by which the public treasure is now guarded.

The bill was passed by 77 majority.

Mr. Campbell, of Ohio, from the Committee of Ways and Means reported favorably to the Senate the Submarine Telegraph Bill.

Mr. Jones, of Tenn., moved to lay the bill on the table, which was negatived; 57 against 123.

Mr. Campbell, of Ohio, said he would endeavor to dispose of the subject to-morrow.

The House concurred in the amendments of the Senate to the Diplomatic and Consular Appropriation Bill, and went into Committee on the Tariff, when Messrs. Wright, of Tenn., Evans and A. K. Marshall made party speeches and the House then adjourned.

WASHINGTON CITY, Feb. 4.—The Scott and Davis correspondence is voluminous. From a hasty examination of the documents it appears that Scott declined to give open and specific information to Davis regarding the expenditure of secret service money in Mexico, believing that no obligations of public or private honor according to the wages of nations or armies required him to disclose names and correspondences; he, however, expressed a willingness to give such information for his private ear alone, which the Secretary said he was willing to receive in confidence. In November, 1855, the President of the United States writes: To Davis saying in substance that Gen. Scott states two grounds on which he has learned that "I hesitated to allow the five per cent commission." It is proper to remark that he has been misinformed or misapprehended my position. He himself fixes three and a half per cent which he might properly have received for his disbursements in Mexico, and a balance struck upon that basis was the subject of conversation between us." Secretary Davis in response to the President informs him that Gen. Scott had charged himself with the sum of $261,691, all excepting $30,000 were levied and captured in Mexico, and he took credit for disbursing $255,511, leaving $6150 withheld by Gen. Scott in his account.

This balance the President requested Gen. Scott, through the Secretary of War, to retain. Scott, in a letter dated Dec., 1855, writes that there are two items making $11,855 against him as not admitted or disallowed by the President on account of five per cent. charged by him on all moneys disbursed. He says it is entirely within the competency of the President to allow that charge, and asks that soit be bro't against him by the Government to recover the amount claimed to be due by him, amounting to nearly $60,000, but the President declined to enter suit. There are many explanations relative to those figures, but the essential part of the transaction cannot be fairly understood by this mere reference to the subject.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 4.—The Democrats of the Legislature held a joint convention for the election of an U. S. Senator to day, and without the concurrence and in opposition to the Senate, Graham N. Fitch was elected U. S. Senator to fill the present vacancy, Jesse D. Bright for six years after the 4th of March next. The vote stood; Bright and Fitch each 83; R. W. Thompson and Geo. G. Dunn, (Americans,) 2 votes each. The joint convention was composed of 62 members of the House and 26 Senators, one member not voting, and lacked 15 of a quorum. The democrats are rejoicing by firing cannon, and other demonstrations of satisfaction.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 3.—About 5½ o'clock this evening the ice started and moved a couple of hundred yards in a solid body, stripping the Grace Darling and Oceana from their moorings, which were broken and forced some 90 feet into the river. They now occupy a dangerous position in case the ice starts again. No serious damage has yet been sustained.

The weather is extremely mild with a very warm south wind, and there is appearance of rain. The ice is rotting rapidly, and a general breaking up is momentarily expected.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb 4.—The New York papers are filled with the proceedings before the Coroner in the murder case of Dr. Burdell, in Bond street. The greatest excitement prevails throughout the community. No certain clue has yet been obtained of the assassin.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Fifty thousand dollars, embezzled by Stringer from the New Orleans bank were found in the state room of the Cohawha.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—The steamer Persia sailed at noon for Liverpool, with $675,000 in specie.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 3.—Sales of cotton, 12000 bales; advance ¼; middling 12⅞@12¾. Corn, $1,10. White Wheat, $1,70.

CHARLESTON, Feb. 3.—The cotton market has had to-day a partial advance of ⅛; with sales of 2200 bales.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Cotton firm; sales 21,00 bales. Flour firm; sales 9000 bbls. Wheat declining; sales 6500 bush. Corn firm, sales 23,000 bush. Provisions steady. Bacon firm at 10¼@11½; Hams 10½; Shoulders 8¼. Dressed Hogs 9½@10¼. Ohio Butter 16@20c. Coffee quiet at 10½ for Rio. Sugar buoyant at 10½ for N. O. Molasses quiet. Linseed Oil firm at 85@87. Lard Oil firm at $1. Tallow firmer at 11¾. Freights heavy.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—*Cattle Market.*—The sales of beef cattle to day were 3,800 head at 6¾@7½ per pound prices being slightly in favor of buyers. Sheep depressed, sales 9,000 swine; all qualities slightly advanced; sales 1500 head at 7¼@8¾. Stocks dull; Michigan Southern 79¼; Galena and Chicago 102¾; Erie 60¼; Cleveland and Toledo 76¼. Milwaukie and Mississippi 77; Canton Co. 23.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 4.—Flour; the market presents no new feature, nor is it likely to manifest any degree of activity until the Delaware becomes clear of ice, sales 500 bbls. standard brands at $6,37½ at which there are few sellers; small sales to the trade at from $6,37 up to $8.25 for common and fancy brands. There is nothing doing in Rye flour or Corn meal, and prices are nominal. Rather more inquiry for wheat but without change in prices, sales 2800 bush. at $1,48@1,60 for fair and prime Penna. red, and $1,60 for white. Rye wanted at 82c. but none coming forward. Corn dull; sales 3000 bush. Old Yellow at 66, and New at 65c.; sales 1100 bush. Penna. Oats at 47c.—Whiskey unchanged, sales in bbls. at 26@27c. and in hhds. 25c.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 4.—Flour is steady, and wheat unchanged. Corn, sales at 62@64.—Whiskey ⅛@26c.

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JOHN B. DAVISON, Adm'r.
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The Hotel has recently undergone a thorough repair and renovation, and has been fitted up with new and elegant furniture, carpeting, &c., &c. The proprietor will pay every care and attention to the comfort and wants of the boarders. The table will be supplied with the best 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 to receive 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. A good Lunch from 10 to 12 A. M. Also obliging and accommodating attendants.
jan22 1tw C. SUSOH, Supt.

TWO HUNDRED and fifteen acres of prime farm land, two miles east of Wilkinsburg and nine miles east of Pittsburgh, on the Greensburg Turnpike, for sale in lots of forty acres each at thirty dollars per acre. Call on the subscriber who will show it and give further information.
J. K. M'FARLAND,
jan26 1tw Wilkinsburg, Pa.

Valuable Property at Private Sale.

THE undersigned offers at private sale, a valuable property situated on forty acres, well watered; about thirty of which is cleared and in a good state of cultivation, on which is erected a large Frame House, with a fountain of water at the door, a frame stable, corn crib, wagon shed, and other small buildings; also, a young orchard. This property is situated in the village of Venice, Cecil Tp., Washington Co., on the road leading from Langeln, on the road leading to West Middletown. The house property is now occupied as a Tavern, but will make a very pleasant private dwelling. For further particulars enquire of the subscriber, residing on the premises.
HUGH MCGOWAN.
jan26 1tw*

AUCTION SALES.

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

ILLUSTRATED AND MISCELLANEOUS BOOKS By Catalogue.—On Saturday evening, Feb. 7, at 7 o'clock, will be sold, by catalogue, at the commercial sale rooms, corner of Wood and Fifth streets, a collection of valuable Illustrated and Miscellaneous Books, all of which are new and perfect. Among them are—Book of the Boudoir, 40 fine plates; Pictorial Half hours, 2 vols; Shakspeare Tableaux, Illuminated; Knight's Cyclopedia of Arts, &c.; Dupin's Mathematical World of Art and Industry, 500 engravings; Gallery of Illustrious Engravings, 100 steel plates; Knapp's Chemical Technology, 2 vols; Bickersteth's Harmony of Gospels; The Family Gallery; Barnes's French Revolution, 2 vols; Sculpture Gallery of Engravings, 40 colored plates; Smith's Modern History; Illustrated Bible; Rollin's Ancient History, 4 vols; Illustrated Plays of Shakspeare; Indian Recess of North and South America; Percy's Reliques of Ancient Romance, Poetry, &c. &c. Catalogues can be had and the books examined at the auction room.
P M DAVIS Auct.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, GOLD & SILVER WATCHES & SUPERIOR RIFLE At Auction—On Thursday evening, Feb. 5th, at 8 o'clock, will be sold at the commercial sales rooms, corner Wood and 5th sts., a superior pearl inlaid flued Violins and Bows, 3 patent head Guitars, 1 superior Harp, 3 Flutes, ivory rings, 1 superior Mounted Rifle. Also, several second hand Gold and Silver Watches.
P. M. DAVIS, Auct.
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WRAPPING PAPER At Auction—On Thursday afternoon, February 5th, at 3 o'clock, at the commercial sales rooms, corner of Wood and 5th streets, will be sold—
1½ Bundles Brown Wrapping Paper;
10 do Medium do;
50 do Double Crown do.
fe5 P. M. DAVIS, Auct.

COAL WAGON & COOKING STOVE At Auction—On Wednesday morning, Feb. 4th, at 11 o'clock, at the commercial sales rooms, will be sold, one small Coal Wagon, suitable for one or two horses, substantially made, nearly new; one Cooking Stove, "Beauty of the West."
P M DAVIS, Auct.
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VALUABLE STOCKS At Auction—On Thursday evening, February 5th 1857, at 7 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange, will be sold—
50 shares Citizens' Deposite Bank;
30 " Western Insurance Co;
5 " North-ern Liberty Bridge Co. Stock.
100 " Pittsburgh Ft. Wayne & Chicago R. R.
fe2 P. M. DAVIS, Auct.

VALUABLE GROUND RENT At Auction—On Thursday evening, February 5th, at seven o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange 4th street, will be sold a ground rent of one hundred dollars, payable on first days of April and October, in each and every year, issuing out of a lot of ground, fronting 20 feet on Diamond alley, extending back 80 feet toward Fourth street, on which are erected brick stores and dwellings.
P M DAVIS, Auct.
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TRUSTEES' SALE OF STEAMER PAUL JONES—On Thursday evening, Feb. 5th, at 8 o'clock at the Merchants' Exchange, 4th st., will be sold, without reserve, by order of Trustees, the superior double engine, side wheel steamer Paul Jones, with her apparel, furniture, &c., as she now lies at the Monongahela wharf, Pittsburgh. The above is not two years old; cost thirty nine thousand dollars, and will carry six to seven hundred tons.
Terms, one-fifth cash, balance in 4, 8, 12 and 16 months with interest and approved security. Sale positive.
P. M. DAVIS, Auct'r.
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AUCTION SALES—Daily at the Commercial sale Rooms, corner of Wood and Fifth streets, at 10 o'clock, A. M., fancy and staple dry goods, boots, shoes, hats, caps, &c. At 2 o'clock, P. M., furniture, stoves, queensware, &c. Commencing at 6½ o'clock, evening, clothing, watches, guns, pistols, jewelry, notions, &c. &c.
P. M. DAVIS,
de19 Auctioneer.

Administrator's sale of Real Estate.

TAKE NOTICE, that by virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Allegheny county, made January 17th, 1857, I will expose to public auction or vendue, on the premises, in and near McKeesport, on the FIFTH DAY OF MARCH, 1857, at 11 o'clock, A. M., of said day the following described Real Estate, late the property of Geo. G. Hoey, dec'd, viz: All that tract of land situate near the borough of McKeesport, in Versailles township, and bounded and described as follows—Beginning at a post, thence by land of Jacob Lence by land of Hamilton Stewart S. 88½° E. 200 perches to a post thence north 5¼° west 40 4-10 perches to land of Grant Stewart; thence by the same and land of Pollock's heirs S. 87½° W. 200 perches to a post; thence S. 5¼° E. 40 perches to land of G. Evans aforesaid, and thence by the same S. 87½° E. 5 4-10 perches to the place of beginning, containing 55 acres and 140 perches, strict measure, on which are erected a two story Frame Dwelling House and log Barn, and a small Plantation of Apple Orchard, and of which about 50 acres are cleared and cultivated; being the same tract of land which Geo. G. Hoey and his wife, by deed dated November 10th, 1854, conveyed to the said Geo. G. Hoey in his lifetime. The said farm is in 1½ miles of McKeesport and is well situated for farming or gardening purposes.

Also, those four certain lots of Ground situate in the borough of McKeesport and being Lots No. 33, 34, 35 and 36 in a plan of the subdivision of Dr. Geo. Hoey's estate, made by Alex. Miller, his administrator, recorded in the Recorder's Office of Allegheny county, in plan book vol. 2, page 75, and bounded in other as follows: Beginning on the south side of Fifth street, at the line of Sinclair's lot; thence by Fifth street N. 88 degrees, 23 minutes, E. 50 feet to H. Sinclair's lot; thence by the same S. 2 degrees 15 minutes, E. 200 feet to H. Sinclair's lot; thence by the same S. 88 degrees, 23 minutes, W. 50 feet to H. Sinclair's lot and thence by H. Sinclair's land N. 1½ degrees, W. 200 feet to the place of beginning. Contained in all about one acre and 10 perches and having thereon erected a two story brick dwelling house and other improvements, and being the same lot which Alex. Miller, administrator of Dr. Geo. Hoey, by deed dated July 15th, 1856, conveyed to the said George G. Hoey in his lifetime. Said lots will be sold separately or together to the highest bidder of the station of the Pittsburgh and Connellsville Rail Road in McKeesport.

TERMS OF SALE:—One half cash, to be paid on delivery of the deed or deeds, the other half in one year from the day of sale to be secured by bonds and mortgage. Purchasers to pay for drawing title papers, bonds and mortgage.
JOHN A. MILLER,
Adm'r of Geo. G. Hoey, dec'd
ALEX. MILLER,
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