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THE OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY.

News of the City and Neighborhood.

TABERNACLE CAMP MEETING.—The annual gathering of our Methodist friends, at this place, near the town of Tarentum, commenced on Wednesday, the 26th inst. The whole of daylight was spent in erecting the tents, and arranging them in proper trim for comfortable occupancy. The first public service was held in the evening of that day, under the direction of Rev. David Hess, of Braddock's Field circuit.—The meeting consisted in singing, prayer and exhortations from Rev. Dr. Clark, Pres. Elder, of Pittsburgh district, (who has charge of the public religious services of the meeting) and the ministers above named.

In consequence of the fall of frequent showers of rain on Thursday, there was no public services conducted from the pulpit, but prayer meetings were held in private tents.

As more than ordinary care was exercised in erecting the tents, the occupants did not suffer so much from the rain, as is usually the case.

The first preaching service took place on Friday morning at 10½ A. M.—sermon by Rev. J. Mantell, of Wesley Chapel, Fifth Ward, Pittsburgh, from the 8th chap. 14th and 18th verses of Nehemiah. The Rev. W. H. Lock, of Lawrenceville, preached at 3 P. M. from the text found in Exodus 28: 14; and the night sermon at 6 P. M. was conducted by Rev. B. F. Sawhill, of Sharpsburgh, Pa., who discoursed from Col. 1: 18.

Saturday, the Rev. Wm. Cox, of Smithfield Street Church, at the 10½ A. M. services addressed the people from the 1st chap., 8th verse of the 3d Epistle of St. John. At 3 P. M., a sermon was delivered by Rev. Mr. Harper (colored) from 1st Cor. 1st chap. and 21st verse. Preaching at night, provided the weather continues fair. A friend writes to us as follows:

Although the weather has been disagreeable on account of heavy falls of rain on the third day of the encampment, there were over ninety tents erected since then several more have been erected. If the weather should settle and become warm and pleasant, a large number of persons will attend the meeting. There are already some indications of good being accomplished, notwithstanding the wet weather.—The arrangements by Allegheny Valley Railroad, ferry and conveyance from Tarentum to encampment are all in fine working order.

GRAND RECEPTION.—On Saturday, we received the following invitation:

SEWICKLEYVILLE, Aug. 29.

The friends of the gallant Col. Jno. Phillips Kramer design giving him a Public Reception on his return from this place; therefore, your presence at the Depot is earnestly requested on the evening, on the arrival of the Accommodation Train, to escort the Hero home, and to take part in the presentation of Uniform, etc., etc. Addresses will be delivered, and an extempore effusion may be expected from the Colonel.

By order of the

COMMITTEE.

As may be perceived, the invitation was somewhat indefinite as to the place where the ceremony was to come off, whether at Sewickley or at some other "depot," so we were so unhappy as not to be present. We have, however, received a full report of the proceedings, which are intensely interesting. Col. Kramer has but recently received the high honor of a commission as one of the aides of the Governor, with the above title of Colonel, and hence the reason of the mark of respect from his fellow-townsmen, which was shown at Sewickley.

On his arrival from Newport, R. I. his fellow-citizens, with a band of music in attendance, were at the depot. Col. J. W. F. White made a highly ornate and eloquent address of welcome. Gen. Robert P. Nevin presented his military cap and sword which, we are informed, like that of the hero of Sir Hudibras,

"——for want of business had grown rusty,
And cat into itself for lack
Of something else to hew and hack."

This presentation was accompanied by a speech which was eloquent in the highest degree and would have been more so but for the bad grammar which characterized some portions of it, and which the General is accustomed to indulge in when he is excited.

Colonel Kramer responded in a very appropriate speech, and his feelings overcame his utterance in several instances.

These preliminaries complete, Col. Kramer's friends formed in procession, and, headed by the music, escorted him home. The whole thing reflects the greatest credit on the patriotic citizens of Sewickley, and evinces a high appreciation of the honors bestowed upon their gallant fellow-citizen.

AUTUMN.—Behold to-day ushers in sober autumn. The short, quick-footed summer has gone away almost before we knew it to be here; the earth has yielded up her unwasted burden of fruits, the barns and store-houses of the farmer are full, the harvest home and the joy of great plenty are around and in the midst of us, and lower autumn-bearing the ripe fruits which are his dower, now comes in space.—Already the sun hangs his lamp lower in the heavens, and burns it around, rather than upon us. A deeper blue is in the heavens; the clouds take wilder and more fanciful shapes; the night air comes cooler across the hills; the breeze is more fitful; sudden changes of sky and air more frequent. Nature is wailing and preparing for a great change. Each season of the year embodies the lessons of it does also with its analogies to human life in its various stages. Each, demand of its new duties appropriate to the times, and new thanks for rich and rarer falling gifts.

Calm is the morn without a sound,
Calm as to suit a calmer grief,
And only through the faded leaf
The chestnut pattering to the ground.

Calm and deep peace on this high wold,
And on these dews that drench the furze,
And all the silvery gossamers
That twinkle into green and gold.

Calm and still light on yon great plain,
That sweeps with all its autumn bowers,
And crowded farms and lessening towers,
To mingle with the bounding main.

We are indebted to our enterprising neighbor, the McKeesport *Steadeard*, for the following items:

On last Wednesday evening a German coal digger, named Peter Stier, was found crushed under a heap of slate in the coal pit of Mr. Miller.....The Republicans of Westmoreland and Fayette counties have nominated Dr. Benj. Rush Marchand, as their candidate for the State Senate.....On last Wednesday evening, while some men were engaged at Jeffring's Mill, near Salem, Westmoreland county, to raise a steam boiler, a young man of the name of John Willison crept under it to adjust some of the bedding in the sag place, the boiler fell on him and killed him.....Mr. J. F. Ryan, of McKeesport, has been called to Madison, the capitol of Wisconsin, to cover a roof of splendid private mansion, with galvanized iron, manufactured by the works of Messrs. Woods, Moorhead & Co.....The large bridge at Harrisburg, spanning the Susquehanna, will likewise be covered, with galvanized iron from the McKeesport works of the above firm.

MESSRS. FLEMING BROS., proprietors of Dr. McLane's celebrated medicines, have established themselves at their new location, 24 Wood street, where they are now prepared to devote their time and energies to the manufacture and sale of those articles. We are informed that the demand is steadily increasing; and no wonder, as this speciality of theirs becomes as to render their late change necessary, in order to do justice to those ordering these celebrated medicines. Messrs. F. & Bros. have their rooms neatly fitted up, and a large force employed in the preparation for market of McLane's Vermifuge and Liver Pills.

TRADE.—We regret to learn that the fine residence of Rev. Daniel Nevin, situated near the Female Seminary at Sewickley, was burned to the ground on Sunday. The family had been at church, and when they returned they found the roof of the dwelling all aflame. The efforts to save the house were unavailing. By the most active exertions of the neighbors the barn with its contents was saved. The house was insured for $8000.

THE Republican nominations for Susquehanna county are as follows: For Representative, Simeon B. Chase; for Sheriff, John Young; for Prothonotary, George B. R. Wade; for Register and Recorder, Charles Neale; for Commissioner, Grange Mott, jr.; for Treasurer, Chauncey W. Mott; for Auditor, George T. Frazier; for Coroner, Josiah Blackman.

THE Christian Advocate says: Rev. Mr. Bakewell, formerly a clergyman of the Protestant Episcopal Church, and afterwards a member of the Church of Rome, has, by the blessing of God, been permitted to see the error of his ways, and has now returned to the Protestant Episcopal Church.

MR. JAMES G. BLAINE, a native of Washington county, Pa. has assumed the editorial charge of the Portland (Me.) *Advertiser*, the leading Republican paper of that State. He has been for some time connected with the Kennebec (Me.) *Journal* as editor and did yeoman service in the cause of Freedom last fall, both in the sanctum and on the stump.

We would refer our readers to the card of Messrs. Vandever & Friend, in another column. Mr. W. C. Friend has hosts of acquaintances in our city, and is a gentleman highly esteemed by those who know him best. We are not acquainted with Mr. V., but have no doubt that business entrusted to the firm will be carefully attended to.

A YOUNG LADY, as we learn from the *Chronicle*, was attacked by a company of three or four ruffians in the Ninth Ward, on Saturday night, who attempted to outrage her but who were defeated in their diabolical attempts, by her cries calling to her assistance some gentlemen who were near, and on whose approach the scoundrels fled for dear life.

JUDGE WILMOT passed through town yesterday on his way to Bedford where he will speak to-night. He addressed the people at Uniontown on Saturday. A large audience listened to his speech and went away satisfied that he is the man they want for Governor. Fayette county is good for Wilmot.

THE EDINBURGH REVIEW for July is on our table, it being the reprint edition of Leonard Scott & Co.'s issue. It presents its usual amount of varied, solid and useful articles touching on most of the leading questions of the day, literary and political.

A LOT of valuable Bank Stocks and Building Lots on Pennsylvania Avenue, will be sold this evening by Mr. Davis, No. 64 Fifth street.

CITIZENS' BANK.—Subscribers to the new stock in this Bank will see by advertisement that their last installment is due to-day.

MEETING OF COUNCILS.—A regular meeting of Pittsburgh City Councils was held in their chambers on last evening. In Select Council the following members were present:

Messrs. Galway, Kincaid, Lambert, Little, Mackin, Martin, Miller, Moorhead, Morrow, McCutcheon, Pollock, Phillips, Smyth, Varnum, Wade, Ward and President McAuley.

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

Pres't. McAuley laid before the Council a communication to the effect that the term of Daniel McCurdy, as Trustee of the Gas Company, expired on the last day of August. The Council then proceeded to nominate candidates for a member for the vacant place. Messrs. Galway, Lambert and McCurdy were nominated. On the first ballot Mr. Galway received 8, McCurdy 3, and Lambert 5 votes. Mr. Morrow withdrew the name of Mr. McCurdy. On the second ballot Mr. Galway was elected by a vote of 9 to Mr. Lambert 8.

Mr. Galway called up the revised rules of Councils, laid over after action of Common Council some time ago. The particular rule which Mr. Galway wished revised was No. 33, requiring the reference to ordinance committee of all proposed ordinances. This rule had been stricken out in Common Council. Mr. Varnum moved to concur with C. C. Passed unanimously.

The various revisions which had received the sanction of C. C. were then taken up *seriatim* and concurred in, except rule 17, which was amended so as to prevent amendments to a bill after third reading. C. C. recede and concur.

Mr. Martin offered the following:

Resolved, That the Trustees of the Gas Works be requested to lay gas mains from the present terminus on Second street to the line of paving on said street. Referred to Com. on Gas Lighting. C. C. concurred.

Mr. Morrow offered an ordinance supplementary to an ordinance granting the Allegheny Valley Railroad certain privileges.

The ayes and nays were called on the final passage, and are as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Galway, Lambert, Little, Mackin, Miller, Moorhead, Morrow, McCutcheon, Pollock, Phillips, Varnum, Wade and Ward—13.

Nays—Kincaid, Martin, Smyth and President McAuley—4.

The ordinance was therefore passed. No action in C. C.

The ordinance to enable the P., Ft. W. & C. R. R. Company to extend their tracks across Penn and intermediate streets, and to connect with the Pennsylvania Railroad, in S. C. July 27 referred to Ordinance Committee, and in C. C. Aug. 31 reference non-concurred in, came up for consideration. S. C. receded from their action of July 27 and the ordinance was taken up on second reading, amended and passed. No action in C. C.

Adjourned.

COMMON COUNCIL.—Members present—Messrs. Ahl, Barnhill, Berger, Black, Brown, Edgar, Fitzsimmons, Herdman, Kim, McCargo, McClintock, McCollister, McFarland, Moore, Meyer, Quinn, Ross, Shaffer, Taylor, Wilkinson, President Errett —20.

Mr. Herdman—*Resolved*, That the Mayor be, and he is hereby authorized to draw a duplicate warrant in favor of Joseph French for $10, in lieu of warrant No. 1306, which has been lost by John Reitz, to whom it was transferred; on the said John Reitz indemnifying the city against loss.

Read three times and passed.

Mr. Hedrington—*Resolved*, That the Committee on Gas Lighting be instructed to have two Gas Mains laid on the north side of Centre avenue from Green to Kirkpatrick, Seventh Ward.

Referred to Com. on Gas Lighting.

Mr. Smyser—*Resolved*, That Messrs. Hodkinson and Wade, members of the Auditing Committee of last year, be instructed to confer with the Board of Guardians of the Poor as to the publication of the accounts of the Guardians for last year. Read three times and passed.

Mr. McCandless—*Resolved*, That three hundred copies of the amended rules be ordered to be printed for the use of members. Read three times and passed.

Mr. Berger—*Resolved*, That the Trustees of the Pittsburgh Gas Company be requested to have the necessary gas lamps erected on Colwell street, from Fulton to Vine street, where the gas mains are now laid. Read and referred to the Committee on Gas Lighting.

It was announced that the term of Jas. McAuley, as Trustee of the Pittsburgh Gas Company had expired, and on motion, Council proceeded to elect a person to fill the vacancy.

When the following were nominated, viz: Messrs. Herdman, Berger, Bennett and McCandless. Mr. Berger having received a majority of the votes polled, was declared duly elected.

The resolution passed in S. C. July 27th, authorizing the Mayor to draw his warrant in favor of the Independence Engine Co. for $200 was taken up section of S. C. concurred in.

All action of S. C. not otherwise noted was concurred in. Adjourned.

SPALDING & ROGERS' CIRCUSES.—This leviathan combination is at Freeport to-day, and will be here next Thursday. It would be interesting to know how many halves and quarters the boys have generated up against its arrival. We do not recollect ever to have observed such a general desire to witness a circus exhibition as now appears to be pervading all ages and classes. One circus usually puts a community in a ferment, and three together are not likely to cause the excitement to subside. The wire sensation in mid air by the wonderful lady with the wheelbarrow; the unprecedented luxury of a Band sporting a forty horse team; the unusual number and celebrity of the performers constituting the troupe, and the reputation the proprietors have won for good management, will render the visit of the monster concern as profitable to the owners as it will doubtless be interesting to its patrons.

Workmen are already engaged in rendering the grounds pleasant and tidy. The location (corner Penn and St. Clair sts., nearly;) is more accessible than any used for years, and the conveniences being prepared for ingress and egress, and for procuring tickets, and the assurance that the substantial exclusive, and efficient police under the charge of High Constable Hague, will secure perfect quiet, will call out many visitors who are not often seen at any circus.

M'CREARY.—We learn from a letter received from Washington, that M'Creary would in all probability be found guilty of burglary, and convicted. We presume there was no more 'reasonable doubt' that he is guilty of the offence than there was that Tom Hamilton who was caught in Sprigg's store at midnight was guilty of the same offence. Yet Tom was cleared because there was a 'reasonable doubt' whether or not he turned the key which opened the door. Dr. Ackelson was also found guilty of forgery in inserting the words—'waiving all exemptions' in a note of hand. To an onlooker, the Doctor was about the only man on trial there who hasn't anything like a valid defence.

AT a meeting of the Mahoning Valley Association for the Improvement of Horses, held on Saturday evening last, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, October 8th, 9th and 10th, were fixed upon as the days for holding the Fall Exhibition at Mahoning. Among the names of the Committee of Arrangements we notice those of Hody Patterson and John Bissell, Jr., Pittsburgh.

A HARVEST HOME.—We acknowledge the receipt of a very polite invitation from the Committee of Arrangements to attend a Harvest Home pic-nic, which is to come off at Beach Grove, near Mansfield, on Thursday next. An address is expected from Rev. Kirkpatrick. There will doubtless be a large number in attendance from this city.

WM. REDDICK preferred a charge of assault and battery with intent to kill, yesterday, before Mayor Behaven, against an individual named Hood, employed in Reed's saw mill. He alleges that on Saturday evening, while standing upon Robinson st, Allegheny city, Hood threw a paving stone at him, striking him upon the head.

FREDERICK RESOLD, a German, of South Pittsburgh, was fined $3 by Alderman Donaldson, yesterday, charged with breaking the Sabbath by playing upon a melodeon and dancing, on oath of an Irishman named Patrick Gross.

ONE HARRY MILLER was committed to jail yesterday, in default of bail, by Mayor Weaver, on charges of false pretences and larceny, preferred against him by a Mrs. Triplet.

As inmate of the city Poor House, a German, died suddenly on Sabbath afternoon. He had been suffering from the effects of *mania pora*. We could not ascertain his name.

WORMS! WORMS!!—A great many learned treatises have been written, explaining the origin of, and classifying the worms generated in the human system—scarcely any topic of medical science has elicited more acute observation and profound research, and yet physicians are very much divided in opinion on the subject. It must be admitted, however, that after all, a mode of expelling those worms, and purifying the body from their presence, is of more value than the wisest disquisitions as to the origin.—The best selling agent heard lately has been Kemp—*Dr. M'Lane's Vermifuge*, prepared by Fleming Bros. is the much sought after specific, and has already superseded all other worm medicines, its efficacy being universally acknowledged by medical practitioners.

We Purchasers will be careful to ask for DR. M'LANE'S CELEBRATED VERMIFUGE, manufactured by FLEMING BROS. of Pittsburgh, Pa. All other Vermifuges in comparison are worthless. Dr. M'Lane's Vermifuge, also his celebrated Liver bills, can now be had at all respectable drug stores. *None genuine without the signature of*

FLEMING BROS.

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Telegraphic.

Arrival of the Steamer Atlantic.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—The steamship Atlantic arrived this morning with Liverpool advices to the 19th inst., being four days later than by the America.

The vessels composing the submarine telegraph fleet had arrived at Plymouth, and the Directors of the company were to assemble on the 19th at London to determine upon further proceedings. It is believed that the company will take immediate steps to rescue the lost portion of the cable, fully one half of which it is thought can be saved, and that the loss to the company will not exceed £250,000 sterling.

The recent storms and floods have occasioned much damage to the crops in England, but the weather has since improved.

On Monday, money was in full supply for loans on 5 per cent., and in the discount market at a fraction below the bank minimum.

The *Times* has some remarks showing that there is no fear that our trade will suffer by events in India.

LONDON, Wednesday morning, 19th.—ALLEGED FORGERIES AT LIVERPOOL.—[From the *Times'* city article.]—A rumor has been circulated that the Directors of Liverpool, lately deceased, has left liabilities estimated at 900,000 pounds sterling, of which 100,000 pounds are upon forged acceptances. The precise facts have not yet transpired, but the statement is believed to be true. The death of the defaulter is stated to have been by suicide, and his losses are supposed to have been increased by heavy speculations both in cotton and shares.

Although the Bank of France has exerted its artificial purchases of bullion on a scale which shows that the reduction in the rate of discount in June last was altogether premature, there seems no reason to apprehend that on this side the supply for the present will so far fall short as to cause withdrawals from the Bank of England.

EXPORT OF SILVER TO THE EAST.—The amount of silver prepared for transmission by the steamer to-morrow is £1,250,000 sterling, the largest shipment ever yet made. There is room to suppose that this very large quantity of silver exported this year may have produced an effect in the east, which, before the lapse of many months, will tend considerably to check the magnitude of these operations, meanwhile the demand for silver for the east has become less active in consequence of the quotations received by last mail.

It is rumored that France intends to demand the extradition of Ledru Rollin, and that he is about to leave for America.

PARIS, Aug. 29.—Rentes are unchanged. It is rumored that Lord Stratford De Redcliff is to be recalled by the British government, and his post filled by Lord Howden.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 19.—Cotton is in better demand, and has advanced under the influence of the above news. Prices of current qualities of American are reported fully at 1 1-16d ₰ lb higher. The market closed buoyant at the advance. The business of three days amounted to about 28,000 bales, including 8,000 equally divided between speculators and exporters.

Breadstuffs, under the influence of the recent severe storms and floods, had an ascending tendency. Notwithstanding that the weather had become fine and dry, and favorable for the harvest, Flour was in good demand at an advance of 1@2d. ₰ bushel, which was not generally acceded to. Indian Corn very dull. Richardson, Spence & Co. quote Western red at 31s@31s. 6d.; red Wheat 8s. 10d@9s. 2d.; white 9s 9d@10s. mixed and yellow Corn 30s@31s.

Provisions—Messrs. Bigland, Athyns & Co. say that the report of heavy shipments from America of Beef had paralyzed the market, and prices were for the moment quite nominal. Pork quiet and steady. Bacon dull, and being sold at 73s. Tallow declined to 64s 6d@68s.

WASHINGTON CITY, Aug. 31.—Capt. Hudson, commanding the Niagara in communicating to the Navy Department the particulars in regard to the accident to the telegraph cable, says that every reason to believe from what has thus far been experienced in wire-laying, that under ordinary circumstances of weather and with machinery adapted to the purpose, for such as they had on board and others altering and improving, the cable may be laid in safety on the track marked out for it in the Atlantic ocean. He says that at the time the cable parted the Company's chief engineer, Charles T. Bright, and his coadjutors were attaching their brakes to lessen the expenditure of the cable until it was finally carried away, which made all hands throughout the day like a household or family which had lost their dearest friend, for the officers and men had become deeply interested in the success of the enterprise.

Wilhelm Dogsel has been recognized by the President as consul for the grand dukedom of Hesse Darmstadt for Maryland and North and South Carolina to reside in Baltimore.

Gov. Walker was, at the last accounts, preparing for the defence of his official conduct to place himself right before the people of Mississippi especially, and the South generally.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 31.—The Empire City arrived last night. She left Havana on the 27th. The Illinois went ashore at Colorado Reef, but got off without much difficulty. Assistance was sent to her; she received but little damage. The Illinois would leave Havana probably on the 29th. The Empire City brings over $1,500,000.

The California news is unimportant.

The Cuba news is unimportant. Havana Sugar is quiet. The stock amounts to 240,000 boxes. Exchange has improved.

Politics in California constitutes the principal topic there. The weather and the crops are good. The towns of St. Louis and Michigan Cliff have been destroyed.

The Central American news is unimportant.

RICHMOND, Aug. 30.—The U. S. Presbyterian Convention during its sessions yesterday perfected and passed three resolutions of series presented by the committee declaring in substance that Presbyterians sympathizing with the objects of the convention be invited to withdraw from the present ecclesiastical elections, and nothing can be made the basis for discipline in the Presbyterian Church which is not specially set forth in convention as a crime or heresy. The other resolutions were also adopted.

A proposition to organize a general Synod ee to an excited debate but the proceedings thus far have been very harmonious. Adjourned till Monday.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31.—The Treasury Department has just paid out between two and three hundred thousand dollars to the State of Maryland, with interest on half a million of dollars, to which the United States became indebted to that State during the war of 1812. The principal part of which was paid between the years 1818 and 1822.

The Secretary of the Interior has instructed W. S. Marshall, of Minnesota, to take the census of that Territory whenever he is informed that it is the wish of the people to form a Constitution and State Government, preparatory to admission into the Union.

LOUISVILLE, Aug. 31.—The U. S. Agricultural Society's exhibition opened this morning. The Butchers' Association escorted Col. Wilder to the amphitheatre where he delivered an eloquent address. 15,000 persons were present, including many distinguished strangers; half the audience were ladies. The day was devoted to trials of speed on the track and voluntary exhibitions of horses in the amphitheatre. There have been 500 or 700 superior stock entered and entries are still making. The weather is delightful.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 31.—A revolution has broken out in Yucatan. Nearly the whole State is in arms. The revolutionists are composed of the radical party; they are everywhere successful. When the Nieconer left, 1,600 of the government troops were marching against Campeachey.

PORT AU BASQUE, Aug. 31.—The steamer City of Toronto from Liverpool for Montreal went ashore on the night of the 17th in the Strait of Belle Isle. No lives were lost. She had seven feet water in her hold; 200 packages of dry goods were saved which with the vessel will be taken to Forteau.

BUFFALO, Aug. 31.—The Hollister Bank has failed.

There is a heavy run on Wadle, Oliver, Lee & Co., and the Buffalo City Bank.

The excitement this morning was intense but is now subsiding.

The Reciprocity Bank did not resume this morning.

ST. PAUL, Aug. 28.—The Conference committee appointed by the conventions to unite on a constitution for Minnesota made report yesterday in their respective branches which was adopted. But one constitution will be submitted to the people. The conventions will probably adjourn to-day.

ST. JOHNS, Aug. 31.—The steamer General Williams, connected with the Northern Atlantic line in the place of the Circassian has arrived at this port *en route* for Halifax and Portland. She left Liverpool on the 17th inst.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—The bank statement shows a decrease in loans of $3,640,000, and in specie $855,000; circulation $28,000; deposits $4,051,000.

OSWEGO, Aug. 31.—The schooner Iceberg is supposed to be lost on the lake with all on board. She belonged to Dr. Rea who was to go next spring in search of Sir John Franklin.

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 31.—The Farmer's Bank was temporarily enjoined to-day on application of the Bank Commissioners.

HALIFAX, Aug. 31.—Orders have been received here for equipping four regiments, with immediate dispatch, for India.

Commercial.

Weekly Review of the Pittsburgh Market

(Reported specially for the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

PITTSBURGH, MONDAY, AUGUST 31, 1857.

There is moderate activity in business, for the season, and the receipts of produce during the past week were quite large. The receipts by river and railroad were 12,600 sacks of Wheat, 11,400 bus do, 1,7 2 sks Oats, 2226 bus do, 685 bbls flour, and 3067 bus barley. The river continues in fine order, and receipts will no doubt increase during the present week.

Prices, of course, have declined, but not very rapidly. In fact the decline has been so gradual as, fortunately, to obviate any serious losses. The tendency is, however, unmistakably downward, whatever temporary checks the decline may receive.

The meeting of the iron manufacturers has not yet resulted in any material revision of card rates; but there will probably be some sort of agreement to charge a fraction higher rates than has been obtained for some time past.

The money market is easy, there being no pressure, just now, from borrowers. The No. 1 paper which cannot be had in Pittsburgh is taken by private operators at 8@9, and other qualities range on the street from 12@24. The failure of the Ohio Life and Trust Company, caught several of our banks who kept their accounts there; but the amount, in each case, was so small as not to require much time, and the parties have since made themselves thoroughly secure from loss. We mention the matter only to guard against reports to the contrary.

The monetary excitement of the week, caused by the failure above noted, was extreme, both here and throughout the country. It was an old institution, which had gone safely through several severe trials, and had obtained very general confidence. Its New York agency was the depository of many western banks, a number of which have been caught with large balances in its hands. The cause of the failure is not yet known, but it is presumed to have been loaning too freely on stocks and unavailable collaterals; and the western banks having been compelled during the last month to draw very closely upon their eastern deposits, the company found itself unable to meet their drafts and suspended. The surprised called the failure of a large number of stock operators in New York and several private bankers also suspended; but taking all the circumstances into effect, the failure have been few and of no importance.

Business has reasonably have been anticipated, and the excitement is now almost entirely allayed, and the atmosphere is clear. The tendency for the future, is decidedly up