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PITTSBURGH:

SATURDAY MORNING, DEC. 12, 1857.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY.

News of the City and Neighborhood.

SIXTH WARD REPUBLICAN MEETING.—The Republicans of the Sixth Ward will hold a preliminary meeting at the School House on Saturday evening, the 12th inst., at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of preparing a list of candidates to be voted for at the primary meeting on the 19th.

By order of the Ward. Exec. Com.

OUR WEEKLY, a mammoth sheet full of news from all parts of the world, and containing editorials upon various subjects of interest to the people is issued this day. It can be had at our counter in strong wrappers for five cents a copy, or for $1 per annum in clubs of ten.

Relief for the Poor.

"Blessed is he that considereth the Poor."

The shadows of a dark winter are gathering round the homes and hearts of the less favored classes of our community. Want of employment is casting off the slender dependence of the industrious Poor, and destitution and suffering are staring them in the face.

Impressed with the necessity of prompt and vigorous measures for their relief, the Young Mens Christian Association have entered upon the work and adopted such a plan of operations as, with the assistance of a benevolent public, may do much to alleviate or prevent the distress and suffering that might ensue from the unexampled severity of the times. The Guardians of the Poor hope to be able to supply all demands for food during the winter if the Association can furnish the needy with fuel.

Our main object, therefore, is to provide *Fuel for the Poor*, especially for the *Widows and Children*. We expect to furnish occasionally other necessaries as we have the ability.

A Central Committee of twelve has been organized which has control of the whole matter. Nathaniel Holmes, Jr., has been elected Treasurer of the fund to be collected.

Ward Committees of benevolent persons (members and other citizens) will be established to seek out the deserving poor in their own districts and examine their claims.

No relief will be granted without thorough examination by a member of these Committees.

No money will be given except in extraordinary cases.

Applications for relief will be made at the rooms of the Young Mens Christian Association, Fifth street, as soon as arrangements are completed, of which notice will be given in the daily papers.

The Central Committee has resolved itself into the following Collecting Committees, of which the public will please take notice:

1st Ward—R. P. Bakewell, W. H. Everson.
2nd & 8th Wards—E. S. Ward, W. Yankirk.
3rd Ward—R. C. Totten, D. Cooper.
4th Ward—Wm. Frew, W. H. Kincaid.
5th & 9th Wards—N. K. Wade, W. W. Mair.
6th & 7th Wards—W. G. Johnston, Rev. G. B. Russell.

These Committees will wait on the public in a few days, to receive donations of money and coal or other necessaries.

The Association guarantees the faithful and economical disbursement of every dollar collected, and at the close of the season will publish a correct statement of its receipts and expenditures.

With this appeal we lay the claims of the poor before a christian public, earnestly hoping that it will promptly and liberally respond to the cries of the destitute, remembering that "He that hath pity on the poor lendeth to the Lord, and that which he hath given will He pay again."

COOP AND POTTER.—We do not remember any matter which has excited a deeper or more general interest than these developments of Porter. It becomes a question how much the people are called upon to believe of these allegations of Porter. There can be no question but that if Porter's affidavit is correct, several gentlemen of high standing in the community are placed in a position where suspicion may point its finger at them. It will, however, be well to weigh with care all the facts. Is this Coop the sort of man we hear? Has he been the noted scoundrel in England and America, which it is openly asserted? Is Porter justly charged by Coop with having committed burglary? It is certain that he permitted himself to be approached by Coop, and did conspire with him to defeat the ends of justice, if we may believe his own story. It is certain that he is mixed up with the scoundrel Nelson, who swore, according to Porter, to such a string of lies as would have sunk a county, had speedy justice followed the crime as when Ananias fell dead for a lie. How much better is Porter than Coop? How much reliance is to be placed in his affidavit as against the men whom it leaves? We are willing to wait a little before we decide that this Porter's love of justice has so suddenly developed itself upon him that he must needs make a clear breast and relieve his conscience by casting indirectly, imputations upon men who hitherto have been considered as above reproach, for, accepting all he says as true, where will you look for the real suborners? The blow can't fall on Coop alone!

THE Crawford *Journal* takes us up for saying that "A Central Agricultural Society has been formed for Crawford and Venango counties." The *Journal* adds:

"Crawford owns at the present time *two* Agricultural Societies in her own right; one of which holds its fair at Conneaville, the other in this place, and they are *both* in most flourishing condition."

We can assure our contemporary that he can say nothing in favor of that sterling Republican county which will now cause us great joy. The term to which he objects we collied from an exchange in Venango or Crawford. We think it would be very good of the latter county if she would join with Venango in agricultural enterprises and help her on in improvement.

ATTEMPT AT MURDER.—The New Castle *Courant* says: A most cowardly attack was made upon the person of Mr. Henry Edwards, of North Beaver township, on Monday morning last, about one o'clock. He was aroused from his bed by some one knocking at the door of his house, and telling him that one of his horses was "cast" in the stable. When he got to the stable, the person who had aroused him into the house, met him. The ball passed through the fired upon, and lodged in the breast of Mr. Edwards, but did not penetrate the skin. James Baker, of Shenango township, was arrested, charged on the oath of Mr. Edwards with being the person who fired the pistol. Upon a hearing before Esquire Dickson, of New Castle, Baker was held to bail in the sum of $1,000 to answer the charge.

POISONED.—Mr. Robert H. Welsh of Clearfield, on Tuesday evening last, drank, by mistake, a potion of Cyanide of Potassium, causing his death in a few minutes. He was a silversmith by trade, and used the article in his business. Inadvertently he left a small quantity of the acid in a tumbler. In the evening he went into his shop to get a drink, and happening to pour the water into this tumbler, drank the fatal acid before he was aware of it. He ran for his house close alongside the shop, but fell when he reached the porch. He hurriedly told his wife that he had drunk poison, and that she should get him an emetic. It was too late, however.

INJUNCTION REFUSED.—From the Meadville *Age* of the 1st inst., we learn that the Commissioners of Crawford county, a short time since, made application to the Court of Common Pleas for an injunction against Geo. W. Howard, to restrain him from disposing of any of the bonds of the county issued to the P. & E. R. R. Co. This case was argued on Saturday last by Pettis for the Commissioners and J. W. Farrelly and H. L. Richmond for Howard, whereupon the Court refused the injunction.

RIOT.—The Board of Directors of the Union School in the good borough of Washington, have lately adopted the plan of a regular monthly visitation. The Directors spend a day, and sometimes longer, in going through the different schools, hearing as many recitations in each as possible. This is an excellent plan. The Union School at Washington is a model one, having the best order and the most methodical and thorough system of instruction of any similar school which we ever visited in Pennsylvania.

AWFUL DEATH.—John McKenna, a young man whose parents live in the Diamond, died on Thursday night from the effects of excessive drinking of ardent spirits. He had been in a debauch until his father and brother, with a view of breaking the spell that bound him, sent for the Mayor's police and had him taken to the watch house where, during the night, he died. An inquest was held and a verdict rendered in accordance with the facts.

EVER FAITHFUL.—The Raftsman's *Journal* says that in Benzinger tp., Elk county, Packer received the entire vote for Governor, and that there is not a single bible-except the Douay or Romish translation, and not a school unless in the hands of the Papists, in the whole township.

LECTURE.—The Hon. Walter J. Lowrie, Ch. Justice of the Supreme Court of the State, will lecture before the Y. M. C. A. in the Presbyterian Church of Washington borough on the 17th instant.

FOSTER'S GAIETIES.—Mr. Foster has reduced the prices to the place of amusement now under his control, at Masonic Hall, as may be seen by a card in *The Gazette* this morning. He offers a first rate bill for to-night.

SUPREME COURT.—The following decisions were made in the Supreme Court at Philadelphia, during the last week:

Garrard vs. The Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad Company, error to the District Court of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed; opinion by Lewis, C. J.

Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad Company vs. Barker; error to the Court of Common Pleas of Beaver county. Judgment reversed, and *venire de novo* awarded; opinion by Lewis, C. J.

Born et al., garnishees, &c., vs. Shaw, error to the Court of Common Pleas of Green county. Judgment reversed, and *venire de novo* awarded; opinion by Lewis, C. J.

Owners of steamboat Latrobe vs. Watson, error to the District Court of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed; opinion by Lewis, C. J.

Graff vs. Barrett; error to the District Court of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed; opinion by Armstrong, J.

Thompson vs. McClelland; error to the District Court of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed; opinion by Armstrong, J.

Breading, garnishee, &c., vs. Seigworth error to the District Court of Allegheny county.—Judgment affirmed; opinion by Armstrong, J.

The above are the only cases decided at Philadelphia. No other opinions will be read until the first Monday of January, 1858. The Court will again meet at Philadelphia.

THE Pennsylvania Railroad is doing better than any road in the country. The receipts for November, 1857, are $7,321 larger than those for November, 1856, and that on only the same length of road as they had last year—the receipts of the canal and the railroad acquired from the State not being included. The aggregate increase for the year, as compared with last year, is $203,299, and for the year the revenue bids fair to reach five millions. The monthly statement is as follows:

Receipts of the road for the month ending November 30	$360,443 89
Same month last year	353,122 83
Increase	$7,321 06
Receipts from January 1, 1857, to December 1, 1857	$4,616,490 03
Same period last year	4,413,199 76
Increase	$203,299 27

THE THEATRE.—Opposition the Life of Trade. The Theatre, under the management of Miss Kimberly, will re-open to-night. It has been cleaned up and put in order, and the play to-night, with a large company, is the ever welcome drama, in five acts, of the Lady of Lyons. There will doubtless be a first rate house, for besides the Lady of Lyons and the Omnibus, Miss Kimberly will deliver an opening address.

Special Notice.—The Lessee requests us to state that M'lle Henrietta will not appear at the Theatre this evening, nor at any time under her management.

BETHANY COLLEGE.—The setting on fire of the College Buildings is attributed to two or three of the students, recently under discipline. An Irishman is also suspected. The loss including buildings, libraries and apparatus is estimated at $125,000 to $150,000. Insurance $50,000. The college exercises will go on in temporary buildings.

LECTURE.—The Rev. J. McKendree Reiley will lecture in City Hall, on Thursday evening, the 17th inst. Subject—"The Universal Yankee Nation." The proceeds to be appropriated to the liquidation of a debt on the new "Bradley Mission" Church, recently dedicated in West Pittsburgh.

THAT PIG.—A young man named Smith, a clerk at Hunt & Miller's, won the prime pig last night at Young's Benefit. We do not know what the conundrum was. He took his prize, that sang very melodiously, out through the audience and penned him up down cellar

SUDDEN DEATH.—A man named Wm. McCall, residing on Veto Street, died suddenly at his own house yesterday morning. Apoplexy was the cause. The deceased was an honest and industrious man.

IT IS SAID that Mr. Foster gave one of the actors in his Theatre a cowhiding on Thursday night, behind the scenes.

LADIES FANCY FURS AND CLOAKS.—A large assortment of these goods are now offered for sale at A. M'Tighe's, corner of Grant and Fifth streets, and those who wish to buy will find the prices just to suit the times. A very handsome cloth Cloak and a good set of Furs for ten dollars. Persons in want of fine furs will find at M'Tighe's real Mink, Sable, Stonemartin, Siberian Squirrel, and fine Fitch, in Victorines, Muffs, Capes, Cuffs, Children's sets, &c. Also, a new lot of Fancy Dress Silks at 62½c. a yard.

CARNAGHAN'S CATALOGUE, which appears to-day, will be found interesting to many, especially those who are about mailing purchases in either Men's or Boy's Clothing. It is certainly a matter of some importance to get a good article at a low price, and, as the business operations of Mr. C., are based strictly on the Cash system, he is no doubt able to offer inducements to cash buyers.

THE LITTLE GIANT DOWN ON THE ADMINISTRATION.—Senator Douglas created a sensation in the Senate, yesterday, by hauling the President over the coals on the Kansas question. The Senator was in high feather, and looked remarkably well, having recently obtained for himself a new suit at the Brown Stone Clothing Hall of Rockhill & Wilson, Nos. 603 and 605 Chestnut street, above Sixth, Philadelphia.

A BRITISH OFFICER writing from Teheran, Persia, to the London Times, remarks:—"A Cathartic Pill, manufactured by an American chemist," (Dr. J. C. Ayer, of Lowell, Mass.) has cured the Shah of a Liver Complaint that threatened his life. This simple fact, as might be expected, renders the American immensely popular here, while we English are overlooked. Doubtless our own scholars make discoveries which he employs, and thus it is in everything: we do the labor, then the mousing Americans put their mark on it and take the reward. Dr. Ayer is idolized by the Court and its retainers here, which will doubtless be reflected to him on a gold snuff box or diamond hilted sword, while not the name even of Davy, Christeson or Brodie—people little to whom he shines, is known."—*New York Sunday Paper.*

RAGLANS, Sack and Frock Overcoats, for Men, Youth and Boys. Dress and Business Coats neatly cut and made. Fine Plush and Silk Vests and a large variety of fine and common Pants now on hand and selling at close rates by Carnaghan, Allegheny City. Special attention is invited to the full stock of fine Clothing. Pant stuffs and Vestings, kept exclusively for custom work, which, with a choice variety of Glover, Hosiery, Shawls, Muffins, Ties, &c., will be dispensed of at favorable prices. Terms strictly cash, hence the low rates.

EYE AND EAR.—Dr. O. L. Smith, of Baltimore, Oculist and Aurist, has again returned to Pittsburgh and may be consulted at the St. Charles Hotel on diseases peculiar to the eye and ear.

Medical Testimony Cannot be Controverted.—One of the most startling cases is narrated of Dr. M'Lane's Vermifuge by Dr. John Butler, of Lovell, Trumbull Co., Ohio. The case was that of a young lady who had been very sick for some years, and had consulted a number of physicians, who had treated it as one of Prolapsus Uteri. Mr. Butler was then called in, and for a time believed with his predecessors that it was a case of Prolapsus Uteri, but upon further examination he discovered that it was a case of Tapeworm, and after much persuasion prevailed on her to take two doses of Dr. M'Lane's Vermifuge, prepared by Fleming Bros., Pittsburgh. This medicine had the effect of removing from her system a number of the largest size. After she passed the medicine she rapidly recovered her health and health immediately returned. She is since married, and continues to enjoy excellent health.

☞ 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 Pills, can now be had at all respectable drug stores. *None genuine without the signature of* FLEMING BROS.

Amusements.

PITTSBURGH THEATRE.

MISS KIMBERLY.....LESSEE AND MANAGERESS.

PRICE OF ADMISSION.

Boxes	50c	Private Box, large	$8.00
Second Tier	38c	Private Box, small	5.00
Colored Gallery	25c	Colored Box	50c

Single Seats in Private Box, $1.00.

☞ The Lessee will not be responsible for any debts contracted for this establishment, or by members thereof, unless by written order of herself, or authorized Agent.

GRAND RE-OPENING NIGHT!

MISS KIMBERLY is merely pleased in being able to announce that most of the EXCELLENT STOCK COMPANY and ORCHESTRA, attached to the Theatre, having applied for their former situations, without any solicitations on her part, she has most cheerfully made engagements with them, thus avoiding the necessity of bringing an entire new company here the present season.

MISS KIMBERLY, for this evening only,

SATURDAY EVENING, December 12th, 1857, will be presented the always attractive play, in five acts, of THE LADY OF LYONS; or LOVE AND PRIDE! Pauline, Miss Kimberly; Claude Melnotte, Mr. Dubois; Beauseant, Mr. Noman; Col. Damas, Mr. Weaver; Glavis, Mr. Stevens; Deschapel, Mr. Bower; Landlord, Mr. Sheets, Gasper, Mr. W. H. Stephens; Jerois, Mr. Williams; Deviller, Mr. Mortimer, Mad. Deschappelles, Mrs. Bower; Widow Melnotte, Mrs. Stevens.

Immediately after the play, MISS KIMBERLY will address the audience relative to her entering upon the management of the theatre.

The performance to conclude with the highly amusing farce, called THE OMNIBUS! Mr. Bender, Mr. Stevens; Mr. Ledger, Mr. Weaver; Mr. Dobbs, Mr. Bower; Master Tom Dobbs, Mr. Sheets; Farmer Boy, Mr. Williams; Julia Ledger, Mrs. Bower; Mrs. Dobbs, Mrs. Stephens

The management has the honor of announcing that, at an early day, in which they trust, by a

GENEROUS PUBLIC TO BE SUSTAINED,

they have effected a brief engagement with the prominent Tragedian,

MR. COULDOCK!

and the Beautiful and Renowned CECILIA RUSH.

FOSTER'S GAIETIES!—MASONIC HALL.—Lessee and Manager JOSEPH C. FOSTER; Acting and Stage Manager, A. W. YOUNG.

Ammunition—Fireworks, 60c: Upper Tier, 25c.

☞ REDUCTION IN PRICES.☜

The Manager begs respectfully to inform the public, that in future, the prices of admission will be:

PARQUETTE.....50 cents. | UPPER TIERS.....15 cents.

THREE GREAT PIECES TO-NIGHT.

SATURDAY EVENING, December 12th, 1857, will be presented the celebrated Comedy, entitled THE MERRY MONARCH; or, A NIGHT'S ADVENTURE—Charles II, Mr. Harry Langdon; Capt. Copp, Mr. A. W. Young; Edward, Mrs. A. W. Young; Mary Copp, Julia M. Cooke.

After which the popular Farce of THE ETON BOY—Mr. Dabster, Mr. A. W. Young; Fanny Curry, Julia M Cooke.

To conclude with the Comic Ballet, PANTOMIME OF VOLAUVENT—Harlequin, Clown, Mr. A. W. Young; Zelda, Mrs. A. W. Young; Estelle, Miss. Emily Waldegrave.

☞ The celebrated Tragedienne, MRS. FARREN, is engaged and will appear on Monday evening.

Telegraphic.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—It is stated quite positively that the President denied admission to Col. Forney when he called on him. This is a commentary on the frailty of political friendships. Only the other day the President recommended for the United States Senatorship a man on whom he now shuts the door.

Senator Douglas is denounced in very broad terms by the faithful among the Democracy, for his course on the Kansas question. Still he is gaining ground fast.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 11.—Senator Bigler, in order to correct a misrepresentation, states in conversations which have been had on the subject, that the meeting to which he alluded in his speech on Wednesday as having taken place in Mr. Douglas' room last year to consult on the Toombs Kansas Bill, was an official rather than a private meeting of the Committee on Territories, and one to which the other Senators had been invited.

The death of the Hon. Andrew P. Butler, of South Carolina, will be announced in the Senate on Monday, according to the present understanding among the Senators, and the death of the Hon James Bell of New Hampshire, on Tuesday.

At a caucus of the Democratic members of the Senate, which was held to-day, the Standing Committees were agreed upon. Mr. Mason will continue as Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations; Mr. Douglas of the Committee on Territories; Mr. Hunter of the Committee on Finance; Mr. Sturgeon of the Committee on Public Lands; Mr. Brown of the Committee on the District of Columbia; Mr. Clay is to be Chairman of the Committee on Commerce, vice Dodge; Mr. Bayard of the Committee on the Judiciary, vice Butler, and Mr. Yulee of the Committee on Post Office and Post Roads, vice Rusk. An effort was made at the caucus to elect new officers of the Senate, but the proposition was postponed.

The nomination of a public printer will come up in caucus to be held on Monday next. Much interest is manifested concerning their action on the subject.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 11.—Dispatches from Col. Johnson have been received at the War Department to-day, dated South Pass, Oct. 15th. They include several letters from Col. Alexander, at present commanding the main body of the army for Utah. He, it appears, questions, by the hesitation with which he assumes them, his right to exercise fully all the duties of Commander; but Col. Johnson thinks his authority to exercise them without restriction is clearly granted. Col. Johnson says that Col. Alexander, in pursuance of the latter's design, had advanced up to Haim's Fork of Green River, 35 miles above the crossing, and there directed the movements to be made by his own immediate command, and the troops in his rear to form a junction, which from erroneous suppositions, would be wholly impracticable. Col. Johnson continues: Col. Smith is at this camp with 20 men of his regiment; I overtook him on the 16th, about 20 miles east of this, and have added my escort of 15 dismantled dragoons to his force. Lieut. Smith is in command of a squadron of dragoons and 50 of the 10th infantry; a force of about 200 men may be expected here in three or four days. He is aware of the necessity of promptness, and I am sure he will lose no time.

Col. Johnson says in conclusion; I will, however, mention that unless a large force is sent here, from the nature of the country a protracted war on the part of the Mormons is inevitable. The great distance from our source of supply makes it impossible to operate with a small force. It in fact, requires the employment of such a force to guard the numerous trains of the supplies, leaving but small portions, if any, for offensive operations

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 11.—The Tennessee has arrived with Vera Cruz dates to the 7th and City of Mexico to the 4th. The position of the government is decidedly better, the revolutionary forces having been vanquished at Puebla and other points. Comfort and the Supreme Court were formally installed on the 1st of December. Part of Tavidied is declared under the control of government. The government has issued a proclamation regulating the transportation across the Isthmus by the Louisiana and Tehuantepec Company. Campeachy still continues besieged and is suffering severely for want of provisions.

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 11.—The Kentucky Senate by a strict party vote tabled the resolution to elect a U. S. Senator in place of Mr. Thompson on Wednesday next. This constitutionally postpones the election to the next Legislature.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 11.—The river is about stationary with 6 feet in Cairo. The Missouri is falling. The Illinois is falling slowly. The Upper Mississippi is rising steadily, and there is considerable ice running at Dubuque. The weather is clear and cool.

NORFOLK, Dec. 11.—The market is overstocked with Corn and there is a considerable decline: sales of yellow at 56@56; white 60c

Coasting vessels are in urgent demand. The Powhattan sailed yesterday afternoon.

BATH, ME., Dec. 11.—Jarvis Slade, of the firm of Lawrence, Stone & Co., of Boston, attempted to commit suicide to-day.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 11.—Flour dull. Wheat firm and unchanged. Corn—old White 62@65c; new White 60@56c; old Yellow 65@70c; new yellow 62@65c. Whisky 22@23c.

PHILADELPHIA, Dc. 11.—There is a steady demand for Cotton, and further sales have been made at 11 3/16@11 1/4 per lb for Middling. Flour is in better demand for shipment, and 5000 bbls were disposed of at $5 per bbl for standard brands, and $5.25 for extra. Rye Flour is very dull at $4.25. 200 bbls Penna. Corn Meal sold at $3. Wheat comes forward slowly and is more sought after; sales of 1600 bushels at $1.12@1.18 for red and $1.15@1.25 for white. Rye is wanted at 75c. Corn has matured decided advance; sales of 2000 bush of old yellow at 70@71c, and 5000 bush new at 62@65c. Oats are dull at 32@34c. Coffee is firm and 300 bags of Rio sold at 9 1/2@10½c. Small sales of Cuba Sugar at 6@7 cts per lb. Whisky quiet slowly at 22½c.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 11.—The receipts of Hogs during the last 24 hours do not exceed 1900, which has made the market decidedly firmer for them and their products, and sales were made at $5.25 for 200 average cwt. Mess Pork sold at $22, 100@13½, and is now held at 14c. Green Meats are held higher. Lard is firm. Whisky is unchanged at 16c. Sugar is lower and is in good demand. 250 hhds sold at 6½c. Sight Exchange on New York is 1½ per cent. premium and is steady with a moderate demand. Flour is selling at $4, and is dull. The weather is clear. The river has risen 18 inches since noon, and is still rising.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—The Cotton market has been very dull to-day. Flour closed heavy; 8000 bbls sold. Wheat firm; sales of 52,000 bush at 90c for Chicago Spring. Corn firm 25,000 bush sold. Provisions are generally dull. Bacon is dull. Hams $@9½c. Shoulders 7@7½c. Whisky heavy, at 22½@23c. Turpentine Spirits heavy at 50@46c. Rosin dull. Cloth Hay $15@17½. Stocks closed dull; Illinois Central bonds 90¾; Michigan Southern 90¼; Virginia 72; Reading 65¾; Galena & Chicago 78; Erie 19¾; Cleveland & Toledo 24½.

$10,000 worth of well-made Clothing for men and boys, at prices to suit the times. Having now on hands about the above amount of fine first-class clothing, a choice assortment of fine piece goods for customers, and a full stock of gents' and boys' Furnishing Goods, I will commence to-day a general clearing out sale of the whole. The stock will be found the very best of its kind, carefully selected, well made, and much of it bought at CITY Cash prices favorable. It will be understood that this is not the oft-repeated "selling off below cost," or its kindred trick, "selling out to quit business," but a seasonable sale of fashionable goods and at prices much below the regular rates. Terms, as usual, strictly cash.

J. L. CARNAGHAN.

SPITTING BLOOD, from the debilitating effects of which other diseases are engendered, may be permanently cured in a few days by the proper use of *Carter's Spanish Mixture*, which is now acknowledged to be the only true remedy for such afflictions.

GLYCERINE.

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Highly perfumed. Sure cure and preventative of Chapped Hands, Face and Lips, for sale at

SUPER'S DRUG STORE,

corner Penn and St. Clair Streets.

Gratitude.—If gratitude was ever evidenced among any class, it certainly has been with those who have used and tested the extraordinary virtues contained in Dr. J. Hostetter's celebrated Stomach Bitters. Scarcely a day passes, we are informed, that the Doctor does not receive from some recent beneficiary, or friend of some parent, brother, sister, or friend, some testimonials of deep and earnest gratitude, for his agency in restoring to health and wonted vigor, some kindred. For the cure of Dyspepsia, Debilitancy, Constipation, lack of appetite, and all bilious maladies, we specially commend, by the use of the Bitters, our directions on bottle.

☞ Druggists everywhere, and by HOSTETTER & SMITH, Proprietors, 207 Penn st. del2dawf

Auction Sales.

P. M. DAVIS, Auctioneer.

Commercial Sales Rooms, No. 54 Fifth Street.

ORNAMENTAL MARBLE SALE.—Sig. Vito Vitt & Sons' sale of elegant Ornamental articles for the parlor, inlet slabs &c., will be continued at 7½ o'clock this evening, Saturday the 12th inst., on the second floor of Davis' new Auction Building, where they can be examined through the day. Comfortable arm chairs are provided for the ladies.

These articles are of the pure Carrara and Alabaster Marble, carved from classical designs, with most elaborate and exquisite finish, in the studios of Italy, also beautiful carved figures, and furniture. Statuary from the originals of the great masters rich paintings in marble frames and glass. Parian Marble figures, and Bellevue, Bohemian glass useful and ornamental articles, &c., &c.

This collection will be found of a highly meritorious character and its classical taste, free from the caprice of fashion. del12 P. M. DAVIS, Auct.

PEREMPTORY SALE OF WATCHES, CHAINS, &c.—On Tuesday evening, Dec. 15th, at 7½ o'clock, at the Commercial Sales Rooms No. 54 Fifth street, will be sold, to pay advances, 25 Gold and Silver Watches, consisting of

Hunting and open faced Gold Levers;	
Do do do do Detached Levers	
Do do do do Silver Levers and Detached Lever Watches;	
Combination and Plated Hunting and open faced Watches;	
4 Gold Vest Chains;	3 Gold Neck Chains;
3 assorted Breast Pins;	1 set Silver Plated Tea Ware;
1 Silver Plated Castor;	1 Elk's Revolver Pistols.

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VALUABLE STOCKS AT AUCTION.—On Tuesday evening, Dec. 15th, at 7 o'clock at the Commercial Sales Rooms, No. 54 Fifth st. will be sold

25	shares	Bank of Pittsburgh Stock.	
5	"	Allegheny Bank	
5	"	Iron City do	
25	"	Eureka Insurance Company,	
20	"	Allegheny Gas do	
25	"	National Mining do	
5	"	Marine Railway do	
20	"	Monongahela Ins do	

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CHOICE NO. 1 MACKEREL AT AUCTION.—On Tuesday afternoon, December 15th, at 2 o'clock, at the Commercial Sales Rooms, No. 54 Fifth street, will be sold, without reserve for cash:

27 half bbls. No. 1 Mackerel;	27 qr. bbls. No. 1 Mackerel;
47 kits do do	19 kits Shad

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DAILY SALES AT NO. 54 FIFTH ST.—At the new Commercial Sales Rooms, No. 54 Fifth street, every week day, are held public sales of goods in all variety, suited for the trade and consumers, from a large stock which is constantly replenished with fresh consignments, that must be closed forthwith.

At 10 o'clock, A. M., Dry Goods and fancy articles, comprising nearly everything needed in the line for personal and family use; table cutlery, hardware, clothing, boots and shoes, ladies wear, &c.

At 2 o'clock, P. M., household and kitchen furniture, new and second hand beds and bedding, carpets, elegant iron stone China ware, stoves, cooking utensils, groceries, &c.

At 7 o'clock, P. M., fancy articles, watches, clocks, jewelry, musical instruments, guns, clothing, dry goods, boots and shoes, books, stationery, &c. P. M. DAVIS, Auct'r.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR.—50 sacks in store and for sale by (del5) HENRY H. COLLINS.

Commercial.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

[Reported Specially for the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

PITTSBURGH, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1857.

FLOUR—dull and inactive; the only sale from first hands was 20 bbls extra from wagon at $4.25. From store, 125 bbls extra at $4.75; 50 do extra family at $5@5.12½; 50 do at $5, and 50 and 55 do extra and family do at $4.75 and $5.50.

HAY—in better supply; sales of 18 loads at scales at $20 and $18 ⅌ ton.

GRAIN—sales on arrival of 50 bush Rye at 60. Oats, 50 and 100 bush on wharf at 28, and 100 do at 30

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—sales of 600 and 4000 lbs in sacks at $2.38 ⅌ 100; and small lots in bulk at $2.12@2.25.

POTATOES—sales of 40 bush Reds at 37½c.

CHEESE—sales of 200 lbs, to go out of market, at 9½.

HOGS—sales to packers of 225 lbs at 3¾@4¼; gross, the middle figures for hogs of 100 and under 200.

HOMINY—sales of 5 bbls at $5.50

BEANS—sales of 20 bush at $1.

VENISON—a sale of 3 saddles at 12½ ⅌ lb.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

In consequence of having only about two-thirds the average number of beeves at Bull's Head upon several of the last market days, and a still less number yesterday than upon the previous market day, there was an effort made to advance the price, which, owing to the warm, rainy day, and indifference of butchers to buy largely, was only successful to a limited extent, affecting only the best of the cattle, which generally sold at prices equivalent to 16 cts a pound for the meat, while a few premium steers, or those of extra good quality, sold at 10@11 cts.

The swine market is glutted beyond all precedent, and buying and selling almost discontinued. The last sales were at an extreme low weight, or 4½@5 cents gross—a deduction of one-fourth from late prices. —(N. Y. Trib.

The steamer to-day took $1,000,262 79 in specie. There was a large number of shippers. The movements of specie from the port of New York since January 1, 1857, to December 5, has been nearly as follows:

Imported		$12,316,910
California		26,387,709
Total		$38,704,619
Export from New York	$26,825,122	
Export from Boston	7,115,400—	33,940,522
Excess exports		$4,763,909

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Imports by River.

WHEELING (for Tigress—27 sacks barley, smith; 2 do bran, Dalzell; 105 sks oats, 100 do corn, 9 bbls flour, Hagan; 100 bxs soap, 111 do candles, Graham & Thomas; 11 bdls paper, Hamas; 7 kgs potatoes, Little; 10 bdls paper, owner; 6 barrels, Rhodes & Verner; 10 sks potatoes, owner; 11 bbls flour, McIlhaw & Anjier; 9 bags, 2 bbls eggs, 1 bbl butter, 125 cabbages, Collins; 2 kgs butter, 3 sks apples, 3 do rye, Biddle; 61 bbls flour, McCully; 600 bush oats, 100 sks potatoes, 50 bags, owner.

CINCINNATI (per Glenwood—1491 sks wheat, Kennedy; 376 do do, 50 kgs bacon, 12 tcs hams, 62 bbls lard, 50 do alcohol, 1 grinding press, 5 cases peaches, Clark & co; 55 bbls whisky, McIlvenny; 20 do do, Schmitt; 60 do lard, F Sellers & co; 1 bbl plants, J Murdoch, jr; 28 bbls whisky, owner; 25 kgs candles, 2 bbls lard, Sawyer; 4 kgs scales, 2 do axes, Lippincott; 35 bbls pearl ash, 15 bbls alcohol, Bakewell, Pears & co; 5 hhds sugar, 31 bbls molasses, Bell; 4 bbls cullet, owner; 3 hhds sugar, 6 bbls molasses, 50 bbls flour, Little & co; 9 bbls molasses, Loyd & co; 50 bbls flour, Davis; 5 bxs candles, 4 do soap, 15 doz brooms, Bell; 185 bbls flour, Graham & Thomas; 1 bbl oil, owner; 50 do whisky, Wallace; 20 do do, Carr & co; 34 hhds sugar, Hazleton; 2 kgs meal, Wallingford

Imports by Railroad.

P., C. & C. R. R.—81 baskets produce, 25 bush corn, 30 do potatoes, owners; 25 sks w flour 5 kgs butter, Brown & Kirkpatrick; 11 bdls paper, Shea & Perkins; 85 sks ⅌ w flour, Fetter; 4 cars coal, Tanney; 650 bush corn, Boyd; 9 bbls apples, R Robinson & co; 20 bbls do, R Dalzell & co; 50 sks feed, owners; 114 bush flaxseed, Ritter & co; 52 bbls apples, J Craig; 104 sks flaxseed, Walters; 20 bbls flour, P Peterson; 10 do, Lloyd & Black; 17 bbls apples, 10 do butter, 2 do eggs, 12 do cider, 1 car cattle, 2 do hogs, owners; 67 bbls apples, Herbst; 25 sks d apples, 10 bbls butter, Rea; 41 bbls butter, 2 do apples, 1 do lard, 55 do pork, 50 do whisky, 10 hhds bacon, Clark & co.

RIVER NEWS.

The weather was the only arrival from below yesterday. She brought up a large load as may be seen. There was nothing doing at the river, the water which we supposed would have touched 20 feet before noon, has only reached about 15 feet large. The boats are all tugging at their moorings. During Thursday night all their plankways were swept away with the rising flood, and floats of rubbish crowded in between the long lines of boats and the shore. Their sterns all swinging; strongly down stream as the weight of the freshet appears to be out of the Monongahela. The boats chafed and cracked against each other, and it would have been a matter of some difficulty to have moved in between them with another steamer. In fact, the Glenwood landed her freight away below Liberty street, for the reason of the difficult landing elsewhere.

The Iowa, Capt Moore, for New Orleans, the Metropolis, Capt Calhoun, for St Louis, and the Lehigh, Captain Shunk, for Cincinnati, will all leave to-day. The Iowa has been a long time, more than four weeks getting a load. As she noted would probably be the case, the Jacob Poe and Arizona both left on Thursday night. The smoke pipes of the Great West broke all to places when they fell down, as we noted yesterday. They must have been pretty badly corroded.

The little steamer Fortune, Capt Bend, still keeps up her course for Arkansas River, but advertise in our columns for Marietta and Zanesville. The Rocket is the Wheeling packet for this day. There's no better man than Captain Wolfe.

We clip the following from Thursday's Commercial:

The Alex. Wilson is in from Pittsburgh with a tow of 50,000 bushels of coal, consigned to Mr. Rogers. The Red taining 32,000 bushels, continued to Capt Jas Blackburn, of this city. Henry Isaac is the name of the German deck hand who fell from the Hickman on Tuesday evening. He was only 16 or 17 years old, and hailed from Buffalo.

ARRIVAL—Capt P S Mulford, new and capacious steamer St. Wayne, arrived from Pittsburgh at 3 a. m., detained for New Orleans with 300 tons—150 being from itself; 100 for Portsmouth, Marrville and Ripley, on "change for agents easily secured all the freight she wanted, over 500 tons additional. The Wayne performs beautifully, and is a credit to Pittsburgh mechanics.

"The Economy, Capt Beltzhoover, Delegate, Capt Masterson, Marmora, Capt Brennan, and Empire City, Capt Landgrith, leave for Pittsburgh and Wheeling today.

"We find the following in the St. Louis News of Tuesday night:

"Frank French, cook on the Jennie Whipple, fell overboard in the inlet above Carondelet yesterday, and, after withstanding the greatest exertions we made to save him, he sank to the downward trip.

"The Bay City and Emma left for Pittsburgh with 200 tons each and a few passengers—not over 40 on both boats. The N. J. Bailey was expected to leave for St Louis at dusk with a fine trip.

"We did not see the usual number of steamboats on change last night

Steamboat Register.

ARRIVED—Jefferson, Brownsville; Luzerne, do; Colonel Hard, Elizabeth; Tigress, Wheeling; Glenwood, Cincinnati.

DEPARTED—Jefferson, Brownsville; Luzerne, do; Colonel Hard, Elizabeth; Tigress, Wheeling.

River is free, rising.

Special Notices.

ELECTION.