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WEDNESDAY MORNING, JUNE 16, 1858.

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City and News Items.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET.

FOR CONGRESS—1ST DISTRICT,
GEN. JAMES K. MOORHEAD, Pittsburgh.
CONGRESS—2ND DISTRICT,
ROBERT McKNIGHT, Allegheny City.
SENATOR,
JOHN P. PENNEY, Pittsburgh.
ASSEMBLY,
J. HERON FOSTER, Pittsburgh.
ELIAS H. IRISH, do
DAVID B. BAYARD, Peebles.
JULIUS F. ZOLLER, McKeesport.
ROBERT P. McDOWELL, Allegheny.
SHERIFF,
JAMES L. GRAHAM, Allegheny.
PROTHONOTARY,
DANIEL ARMSTRONG, Pittsburgh.
COMMISSIONER,
ZACHEUS PATTERSON, Indiana.
AUDITOR,
JOHN M. LARIMER, Charlties.
CORONER,
CHAUNCEY B. BOSWICK, Lawrenceville.
DIRECTOR OF POOR,
ROBERT H. DAVIS, Ohio.

Court of Quarter Sessions.

Com. vs. John Berry, alias John Barry. Defendant was charged with assault and battery with intent to kill Leopold Sahl, Jr. On the 13th of May, Mr. Sahl took his wife and mother to Troy Hill, where a picnic was being held, on the occasion of the presentation of a flag to the Allegheny Rifle Company. When on the way home, in company with his wife, he was struck by a stone on the side of the face. Some persons were pointed out as having thrown stones, when Mr. Sahl was struck with a stone or brick and knocked down in the road.

John Scott testified that as he was returning from Troy Hill, on this occasion, he saw Barry and some others gathering stones and stoning Sahl's buggy. Scott saw Barry throw one stone at Sahl, and miss him, and then saw him throw another and hit him (Sahl) in the face and knock him down. There were several in the company who were throwing the stones, but he noticed Barry particularly, because he was about twelve inches taller than those who were with him.

Robert Parkinson testified in a very clear manner to the same state of facts which Mr. Scott saw. Parkinson saw Barry throw the stone which struck Mr. Sahl.

Dr. Hartmeyer testified that he was called to dress the wound of Mr. Sahl; the cheek was cut through and two of his teeth were knocked out. The Doctor tended Mr. S. fourteen days; there was great bleeding of the wound; the Doctor feared that inflammation of the brain would set in when he was first hurt. Mr. S. was confined to his house fourteen days, from the effect of this wound.

Messrs. Hampton and Mueller appeared for Mr. Sahl, and C. M'C. Hays, Esq., for the defendant. The case was submitted without argument. Judge M'Clure charged the jury at some length, reviewing the whole case and giving the law as it applied to the case. The jury retired and after a short time returned with a verdict of guilty, and recommend Barry to the mercy of the Court.

Com. vs. W. F. Barclay, indicted for assault and battery, on oath of Samuel Leuhm: Com. vs. the same defendant, indicted for the same offence, on oath of Marshall M'Combs: and Com. vs. Marshall M'Combs, W. J. Wilson, Geo. Cochran, Samuel Leuhm, Charles Bay and James Patchell.

Barclay, the first defendant, testified that on the 23d of May he was brought before the Mayor and was fined $3. The Mayor said that if he (Barclay) had not kicked the watchmen when they attempted to take him up, he would let him off. The witness then went on to relate the whole story, after he had been fined and as he was on his way to jail, showing a series of insults and brutal treatment inflicted upon him of the most shameful kind, by the watchmen above named. They put nippers on his right arm and squeezed his arm till the nippers broke.

Richard Doran was at Patterson's stable as the watchmen brought Barclay along, and heard him beseeching them not to hurt him. Saw the watchmen make Barclay hop along the street on one foot; saw one watchman striking Barclay over the back with a stick. Witness said to them, "Don't hurt the man," when one of them said to witness, "Don't put in your gab, or I'll strike you in the mouth."

Wm. Logi, clerk at Patterson's stable, saw the transaction in question; saw the watchmen hopping the man up Diamond alley; heard Barclay praying the men "for God's sake not to cut his arm off." Saw a man distinctly twisting the nipper on Barclay's arm.

Samuel Barton, police officer, and Mr. Barclay, father of defendant, were examined.

For the defence quite a number of witnesses (watchmen) were called, who testified to facts going to show that no more force than was necessary was used in conveying Barclay to jail. Barclay was also shown to be a bad character, Mayor Weaver testifying that he had been before him on five different occasions—three times for disorderly conduct and twice for assault and battery with intent to kill. Jury out.

A. W. Foster, Esq., City Solicitor, appeared for the police and J. T. Cochran and E. P. Jones for defendant. Mr. Foster has appeared in four similar cases within a week. If prosecutions against the police continue to come as thick as they have done during the present session of the Court, the city will get its money's worth out of Mr. Foster.

Com. vs. James E. Saint and Moses Hawthorne, indicted first for conspiracy to defraud James Blair, and also with secreting their property in order to defraud their creditors.

The counts in the indictment were numerous and as drawn out covered a large quantity of paper. The principal points, as we caught them, were that:

1. The said defendants did secrete from their creditors 6-10ths of the steamer Minnetonka.

2. That they did secrete, for the purpose of fraud, certain shares of said boat.

3. With secreting certain parts or shares of said boat by means of certain false writings.

4. With fraudulently assigning and conveying to Johnson Gourley and Henry A. Burker 6-10ths of said boat, causing the same to be entered, enrolled, &c., for purposes of fraud.

Mr. Barton, who appeared for the prosecution, called to the stand Mr. Blair, the plaintiff. A long argument was held upon the admissibility of a certain question which was put to him. The question was finally waived, and Mr. B. testified that the defendants owed him about $200. The original claim was about $1800, for which he held the notes of steamer Virginia Belle and owners. He had no claim against the Minnetonka.

Capt. Williamson, of steamer Minnetonka, was called as a witness, but the defence objected to his testimony, as it was alleged that it appeared in the indictment that Capt. W. was an interested party. The point was argued for a long time, and at last his testimony was ruled out, though not absolutely.

James I. Kuhn was called as one of the editors who distributed the proceeds of the sale of the Minnetonka. Mr. Roberts, for defendants, objected to the testimony of Mr. K., on the ground that Mr. Blair was not a party to the matter of the distribution of proceeds. The hour of adjournment having arrived Mr. Roberts stated to the Court that he desired to speak to the objection he had made to the admission of Mr. K.'s testimony this morning, and the Court adjourned.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN DREW.—These versatile and talented performers opened to a good house last night at Foster's New National, and the entire programme gave great satisfaction. Mrs. John Drew, who was formerly a great favorite here, when she was Mrs. Hunt, has lost none of that vivacity and sprightliness which was always so great a card at the old Theatre. John Drew is certainly the most natural Irish comedian now on the stage. To-night they both appear in the fair comedy of the "Irish Ambassador," and "Handy Andy."

THE CONCERT NOT TO COME OFF.—We were pained to hear last evening from M. Strakosch, that he had received during the day from New York a telegraphic dispatch informing him that Herr Formes is dangerously ill, and instructing him to postpone the Concert indefinitely. All persons who have purchased tickets can have their money refunded to them at the place where they purchased them. Mr. Strakosch was requested to hurry on to New York as soon as he could, and thus ends the Grand Concert for the present.

SOLD.—The four-oared rowboat "Twilight" has been sold to Rev. J. L. Taylor, Principal of the Academy at New Brighton. The boat was purchased for the use of the pupils attending Rev. Taylor's school, and was delivered over last week. This will be an additional attraction to this excellent school, and shows that the physical as well as mental and moral education of boys is looked to by Mr. Taylor.

THE PARADE.—The Duquesne Grays never looked better than in their parade last evening. The white pants is an improvement always, at this season of the year. We think there were 60 muskets out; they marched well to excellent music by Young's Band, and a more substantial or more military looking set of men it would be difficult to find in any city.

THE annual June meeting of the Disciples Church, for Lawrence county, commenced on Monday, at Edinburg. A number of prominent speakers are said to be present, and a very hopeful state of religion is reported among this as among all other bodies of Evangelical Christians.

THE body which we referred to last week as having been found in the river near Baden, turns out to be that of Samuel Hineman, drowned in Manchester on last Monday week. It was interred in the latter place, on Sunday last.

WARM HAVEL.—On Monday night, one of the most fashionable of balls occurred on Fountain street, among the colored population. The mirth and fun waxed fast and furious, until, somewhere about the small hours, belligerent demonstrations broke out between some two gentlemen of honor, who, for anything we know to the contrary, had been reading Congressional debates during the day. A general free fight followed. The night watch interfered, and, as the result of their labor, produced at the Mayor's levee, yesterday morning, no less than thirty full grown men and women of color, who had been participating in the hilarities of the evening before. One man,

"Guilty of a skin not colored,"

hearing the onset of the guardians of the night, as the safest mode of egress, rushed up stairs and out of an upper window. He was also before the Mayor yesterday morning. His name is Gallagher. He was not offensively connected with the disturbance, and the Mayor let him off without a fine. Some of the colored persons were fined, some reprimanded, and some told to go and sin no more. Thus for the time rests the war in Hayti, and it will compare favorably with the recent war in Utah, whether we consider the amount of blood spilt or the fierce onslaught of the foe from without.

SUMMER EXCURSIONS.—In conversation with a friend recently, in regard to the various attractions for visitors from the cities during the approaching dog-days, he spoke of the propriety of some of our comfortable and swift river steamers being put up for a trip to the Falls of St. Anthony and back—the boat to carry passengers only, and to stop at all places of note so long as the excursionists might desire. In speaking of the matter to an experienced commander of one of our steamers, he was of the opinion that if a good company could be formed for the round trip—say one hundred to one hundred and fifty persons—the expense would not exceed from one dollar to one dollar and a half per passenger per day, which is less than the cost of mere *living* in most of our hotels.

Will not some of our steamboat men agitate the subject, and let us know how many passengers they would require, and how much per day it would cost, and also estimate the number of days necessary for the round trip, allowing reasonable time for stopping at the points of interest. We think the trip can be made at a reasonable cost, and that it would afford a very pleasant and profitable change in the usual season's routine of recreation. The present state of all our rivers gives promise that there will be no lack of water for several weeks to come.

THE PENNSYLVANIA.—Telegraphic dispatches relative to the explosion of the Pennsylvania were received in this city yesterday. One from Capt. Klinetelter stated that all the officers of the steamer were saved, and that the loss of life was mostly persons about the lower deck. It is indeed a source of great pleasure to all to learn that Mr. I. W. Black, of this city, first clerk, is safe.

The second engineer, Francis Dorris, reported lost, is also, it is said from this city, and leaves a wife to mourn his loss. His brother James, who was first engineer, escaped uninjured.

The second Clerk, J. A. Woods, son of Wm. Woods, of this city, escaped with slight injury. We live in hopes that when the whole facts of this matter are disclosed, the loss of life will be much less than was at first supposed. We shall not learn all, till the boats which sided in the race shall have reached some port, and reported who they have from the wreck, or heard

SALES OF STOCKS.—The following stocks were sold last evening, by P. M. Davis, Auctioneer, at the Commercial Sales Rooms, No. 54 Fifth st:

30	shares Bank of Pittsburgh,	$58 00
6	do Exchange Bank,	57 00
20	do Allegheny do	25 00
6	do M & M. do	55 00
42	do Citizens' do	51 50

HOUSEHOLD WORDS for July, has been received from the publishers, Jamisen & Co., 118 Nassau St. It presents a rich table of contents, and we know of no publication that is more deserving. Its articles are all readable, pleasant, instructive and entertaining, and it possesses all the elements of popularity. It is furnished by mail at $3 a year.

THE SHAW CASE.—This case which has excited a great deal of interest in this community already, and which will excite much more, will come up in Court in two weeks from to-morrow. It will be remembered that Shaw is indicted for kidnapping, carrying away and selling into slavery a man named Ferris formerly a resident of this city.

RE-NOMINATION OF MR. MONTGOMERY.—At the Democratic primary elections in Washington county, on Saturday last, Mr. Montgomery is reported to have received a majority of 2400 votes, thus easily overcoming the majority against him in Greene and Fayette counties, and insuring his re-nomination.

SAD.—Monday morning, a boy named John Cline, about eight years of age, while collecting chips from a board raft, in the Allegheny river, above the upper bridge, fell off, and was drawn under the raft and drowned. His father is employed in Pennock's foundry, on Main street, and resides in that vicinity.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.—The Washington Infantry, on Monday evening, elected the following officers: Orderly Sergeant, Z. Fish; Second, Wm. Mayo; Third, Philip R. Hill; Fourth, J. H. Coleman; Quarter Master Sergeant, T. M. Fehl. Corporals—John D. M'Farland, Andrew Wayt, Wm. Whitfield, Geo. Thompson.

HELD TO BAIL.—Walter Williams, a poor decrepid old fellow, one of the lottery dealers, against whom a bill was found, was before the Court yesterday, and gave bail in the sum of $2500, for his appearance to answer to charges of lottery dealing. Reese J. Thomas is bail for him.

MR. DREW, as Handy Andy, is beyond comparison, the best Irishman we ever saw on the stage. The song of Nora Crelina was sung in a manner that took the house last night by storm. He appears in the same piece again to-night. Go and see him.

THE bodies of both the children whom we mentioned yesterday morning as having been drowned in the Monongahela, have been found. The verdict of the Coroner's jury was in accordance with the facts—accidental drowning.

IS GOOD ORDER.—The slips on the Cleveland, Pittsburgh and Wheeling Railroad have all been removed, and that road is now in first-rate condition, trains coming through on time from Wheeling and Bellair.

THE LOVE OF PRAISE.—

"The love of praise, howe'er concealed by art,
Reigns, more or less, and glows in every heart;
The proud, to gain it, toils on toils endure,
The modest shun it but to make it sure."

It is our province to praise the garments made at the Brown Stone Clothing Hall of Rockhill & Wilson, No. 603 and 605 Chestnut street, above Sixth, Philadelphia.

BUYERS of fashionable clothing for either men's or boys' wear are directed to the establishment of J. L. Carnaghan, Federal street, Allegheny city.—His work will be found neatly cut and well trimmed and made. Fine piece goods of the newest styles kept on hand for custom work.

DR. M'LANE'S VERMIFUGE always resorted to when every other remedy fails.

NEW YORK, September 15th, 1852.

This is to certify that my child, three years old, was troubled with worms some six months. I had tried several kinds of medicine, but none of them done any good; and it was not until I tried Dr. McLane's celebrated Vermifuge, prepared by Fleming Bros, that she found any relief. I gave her the contents of one bottle, which brought from her a very large quantity of worms, but they were so completely cut to pieces it was impossible to count them. My daughter is now doing well; indeed, she is completely restored to health. I therefore take pleasure in recommending it to parents. I would say, by all means keep a supply of this valuable medicine constantly in your house. I have known many children to die suddenly from the effects of worms—It does not unfrequently happen that children are treated for croup, when the choking and coughing is caused altogether, by the irritation of worms. Therefore, I say again, keep it always in the house; it costs but little, and may be the means of saving life; and at any rate it will save physicians bills. MRS. LANE, No. 203 Eighth street.

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

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Amusements.

FOSTER'S NEW NATIONAL THEATRE.

Sole Lessee and Manager.....J. C. FOSTER.
Acting and Stage Manager.....A. W. YOUNG.
Treasurer.....GEO. MEGRUE.

SCALE OF PRICES.

Private Boxes, to hold six persons.....$5 00
Dress Circle and Parquette.....50
Upper Tier.....25
☞ Doors open at 7½ o'clock. Commence at ½ o'clock.

A GREAT TRIUMPH.

Second night of the engagement of the celebrated artists, Mr. and Mrs. JOHN DREW, received last night with unbounded applause by a full and fashionable audience.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, June 16th, 1858, will be presented the elegant comedy, in two acts, entitled

THE IRISH AMBASSADOR.

Sir Patrick O'Plenipo.....Mr. JOHN DREW.
Donna Isabella.....Mrs. JOHN DREW.
Modlin.....Mr. H. L. Bascom.
Lady Emily.....Mrs. A. W. Young.
Dance.....Mr. Barrett.

To conclude with the comic drama, in two acts, received last night with roars of laughter and applause, entitled

HANDY ANDY.

Handy Andy.....Mr. JOHN DREW.
With the song of "Norah Creina."
Mad Nancy.....Mrs. Foster.

1858. CARPETS. 1858.

THE MARKET STREET CARPET STORE
IS STILL PREPARED TO SUPPLY
all demands for Velvet, Brussels, Three-ply and Ingrain Carpets, of every description, style and quality. Floor Oil Cloths, from 3 to 24 feet wide, at lower prices than we have ever before offered. Coco Matting for offices or churches; Painted Window Shades, and everything connected with the Carpet department of House Furnishing.

As we anticipate an advance in prices after the Spring Trade opens, we would suggest to purchasers to make their selections now from our large Stock and at our present very low prices. W. M'CANDLESS,
jel2 Market st., near Third.

Telegraphic.

CONGRESSIONAL.

WASHINGTON CITY, June 15.

The Senate re-assembled, at noon, on the call of the President.

Mr. Mason, of Va., called up his resolutions relative to the British aggressions, which occasioned an interesting discussion, in which Messrs. Mason, Benjamin, Clingman, Doolittle, Mallory, and others, participated.

Mr. Mason called up the resolutions heretofore reported from the Committee on Foreign Relations in regard to British aggression. It seemed to him a matter of moment that the judgment of the Senate should be passed upon them, because of the probable bearing they may have in any negotiation now pending.

Mr. Wade wished to inquire of Mr. Mason whether these aggressions had not been committed in an effort to put down the slave trade and whether our flag had not been used to cover this trade, and particularly whether there is really any difficulty between the two governments which may not be settled by treaty in a way honorable to all parties concerned, preventing the slave trade and our flag being used as a screen. There seemed to him no difficulty. While he in no manner justified the British proceedings yet he believed that trade was abhorred by both parties, who wish to prevent it. The English could have no motive in insulting our flag, but that she has presumed more on us than on any other power is no inherent difficulty.

Mr. Mason replied that it was an undoubted fact that the British government has been trying for many years to obtain from all the maritime nations as against the slave trade, the mutual right of search and visitation, and has obtained it from the principal powers of Europe, but the United States always denied it. He would say that there may be no practical mode of the final disposition of the question if Great Britain claims the right to visit, for any purpose, yet he did not see how it could be done.

Mr. Douglas did not propose to go into this question of British outrages. He should vote for the resolution. His object in rising was to notice a telegraphic dispatch giving an account of the proceedings of what is termed an Administration State Convention, in Springfield, in which his public course was condemned. He proceeded to show that this was not a convention of the Democracy of Illinois. Two persons nominated for State officers are not and have not been recognized as consistent Democrats by the true Democratic Convention that was held in April last. Instead of being abused, he was endorsed by it. What was this Administration Convention? There was a man in Illinois, who holds an office, traveling over the State, claiming that he is authorized by the Administration to denounce every man as a traitor to the party who does not approve of the Lecompton Constitution.

This man, with a few betters from the genuine Convention, where they were voted down by 20 to 1, got up the recent squad of federal office-holders who were threatened with removal by the Postmaster at Chicago if they failed to attend. Their object is to divide the Democracy of Illinois and to denounce Mr. Douglas, who had never yet been denounced by a regular convention. The bogus gathering was got up by Dr. Charles Leib, agent of the Post Office Department in Illinois. All know his history, which is this: When Jim Lane and his gang were driven from Kansas in 1856, Leib fled to Illinois, pretending to be a confidential friend of Mr. Buchanan. This Leib was the chief officer of a society of Danites and took the horrid oath required to break up the Democratic party under the penalty of being reviled by men and frowned on by devils, scorned by angels and forsaken by God.

Dr. Bigler denied this on the authority of Dr. Leib himself.

Mr. Douglas reiterated his assertion, declaring that Leib had confessed the fact to him, and also that he had admitted it to a hundred others.

The matter was further debated, when Mr Mason asked that the vote be taken on the resolutions.

Mr. Toombs said he was opposed, and desired to be heard.

The Senate then went into executive session and afterwards adjourned.

Three Days Later from Europe.

HALIFAX, June 15.—The steamer Europa has arrived with Liverpool dates to the 5th.

The telegraph fleet had returned to Plymouth, the experiments having been successful. The fleet was to sail again on the 9th inst.

In the House of Commons the government announced that if the alleged outrages on American vessels were well founded, immediate explanations will be made.

Messrs. Rawson & Son, India merchants in London, have suspended for $700,000. Their effects are abundant.

There is nothing later from India. The Continental news is unimportant.

LIVERPOOL, June 4th. Cotton the sales of the week were 49,000 bales, of which 4000 were on speculation and 3,500 for export. The market opened at a decline of ⅛, but the American advices by the Vanderbilt caused a partial recovery, the market closing with a decline in fair and middling qualities of 1-16@⅛d on the week. Lower qualities have declined ⅛. The stock in port is 661,000 bales, including 570,000 American. The sales on Friday were 10,000 bales. The quotations are as follows: Orleans fair 7⅞; Middling 7 17-16; Mobile fair 7⅞; Middlings 6 15-16; Upland fair 7 5-16, Middling 6⅞. The Manchester advices are favorable and the prices of goods were firmer, holders demand an advance.

Liverpool Breadstuffs Market.—The market closed very dull. Flour was dull. Bigland, Athaya & Co. quote a decline of 6d@1s. Wheat exhibits a declining tendency, and quotations are 2d. lower.

Provisions Market.—The market closed steady. Pork is heavy at a decline of 2s.; sales at 55s.@56s.

Mr. Fitzgerald in reply to a question, said that orders had been sent to the squadron in Cuban waters, to use the greatest caution and forbearance towards vessels bearing the American flag.

The government has chartered 26 ships additional to convey troops to India; 24,000 troops are to be sent immediately.

Terrible riots occurred in Belfast. The churches and houses were attacked, and much property was destroyed. The military were called out.

The London Times gives a copy of the Convention concluded between Costa Rica, Nicaragua and Felix Belly, acting in behalf of the Midland Company of Paris conceding an interoceanic canal by the river San Juan and Lake Nicaragua to be completed in six years, sufficiently wide to admit two of the largest ships abreast. The duration of the concession is 99 years; the capital is estimated at £15,000,000.

BRUSSELS.—A collision occurred on the railroad between Mons and Manage: 21 were killed and 32 severely wounded.

The Circassians have beaten the Russians and taken a gun shop.

NEW YORK, June 15.—Her British Majesty's yacht Scout, just arrived here, brought as passenger Lieut. Richardson, of the Royal Navy, bearer of dispatches from the British Admiral at Bermuda, Sir Hunter Stewart, to Lord Napier. The Herald says the exact purport of the dispatches could not be ascertained, but from what information her officers had obtained at Bermuda, it was pretty certain that they would prove to be of a satisfactory character to our Government. Sir Hunter Stewart had expressed his disapprobation of the extent to which the boarding of American vessels had been carried by the officers attached to his squadron in the Gulf. No special orders for the searching of all vessels found in the latitudes indicated had been issued, the instructions extending no further than the overhauling of vessels of no suspicious character as to warrant it. The Admiral, it appears, had also expressed the news of the offensive visitations, and at once took peremptory and efficient measures to have them checked. We learn further, from a source entitled to implicit credit, that the dispatches contain the assurance that every step has been taken by Admiral Stewart to prevent any recurrence of the visits and searches which have been so offensive to the American public. That the particular acts in question are condemned, or that they are ascribed to excessive zeal and energy in the prosecution of the search of slaves, we are not well assured; but it is regarded as probable that the Admiral will publish the conduct of his subordinates in the latter ground. From the thorough measures taken by the Admiral, reported in detail to Lord Napier by the dispatches in charge of Lieut. Richardson, there will be no reason to fear a renewal of the obnoxious practices on the part of the British gunboat commanders.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The Herald's Washington correspondent says: General Scott has received important official dispatches from Utah, five days later than those published in the Herald from Governor Cumming, which have been published.

The dispatches state that the Mormons have received Gov. Cumming that there was a disposition to make peace; and that after the Lecompton had removed their women and children from Salt Lake City, the men had returned, strengthened their posts and assumed a threatening attitude.

This intelligence is considered by the Department as perfectly reliable.

Messrs. Powell and McCullough, the Commission ers, were delayed on their way by floods in the rivers.

Capt. Marcy was six days from Camp Scott.

The forces under Gen. Johnson were on very short allowance, and were eating sparingly of their candles and every oily substance they had, being unwilling to kill mules till the last point of necessity.

CENTRALIA, Ill., June 15.—About 60 sufferers by the Pennsylvania steamer disaster came from Cairo to-day, principally bound for St. Louis, many being in destitute condition. They were passed free over the Illinois Central road. A passenger estimates the number aboard at 450, and thinks that 250 were lost.

The reports from Cairo are of the most alarming character. The water was still rising. It is now over the Ohio levee in several places. Mr. Ashley, the chief engineer of the Illinois Central Road, gives the opinion that one foot more rise will sweep Cairo entirely away. The city is under water. The depot grounds, which are the highest part of the town are covered to the depth of five inches. The passengers are conveyed a quarter of a mile from Mound City in flat boats to the cars.

ST. LOUIS, June 15.—Col. Thomas L. Kane, from Camp Scott, May 16th, passed Booneville this evening. He reports Gov. Cumming as having returned, after making an ineffectual attempt to arrest the Mormon hegira to the South. Salt Lake City and the Northern settlements are nearly deserted, a few persons only remaining to guard the buildings. 40,000 persons are said to be in motion, their trains extending for miles down the valley. The advanced trains are already 300 miles distant. It is supposed that their destination is Cedar City or some part of Sonora. There were 95 mules at Camp Scott. Col. Hoffman's train was met 20 miles from Platte Bridge. Col. Johnson would wait the arrival of the Peace Commissioners. The Indians are annoying the Mormons; they call them squaws and say that they won't fight. Young has delivered the great seal, record, &c., which were supposed to be destroyed, to Cumming. The heavy rains have extended far West; all the streams are full.

LOUISVILLE, June 15.—The levee on the Mississippi side of Cairo has broken in. The whole town is overflowed and buildings are floating off.

LOUISVILLE, June 15.—*Evening.*—River falling slowly, with about 14 feet water on the falls. Weather cloudy; mercury 76°.

Latest from Europe.

NEW YORK, June 15.—The steamship Arago has arrived, with Southampton dates to the 2d instant. The steamship Europa arrived out on the 30th ult., and the Vanderbilt on the 2d inst.

The Atlantic Telegraph fleet was expected to return to Plymouth on the 4th of June, prior to the final departure to lay the cable.

Provisions steady: Beef declined, chiefly for lower qualities: Pork quiet: Bacon firm: Lard dull and lower.

The unexpected return of the British Minister from Florence causes much excitement in the diplomatic circles of Paris.

The London Times has been stopped from circulating in France, in consequence of its recent article on the fatal duel.

Reinforcements are to be sent to Canton.

Schamyl was collecting troops in Circassia, a violent collision having occurred between the Circassians and Russians, and 500 of the latter had been killed.

In addition to the proceedings in Parliament on the searching of American vessels, telegraphed from Cape Race, Mr. Fitzgerald said that the Government had signified to the Government of the United States that they were ready to adopt such measures as the latter may suggest to meet the difficulty, which arises from the fact that slavers almost invariably hoisted the American flag.

LIVERPOOL, June 1st. The sales of cotton for the past three days amounted to 11,000 bales, including 1,000 bales for export and 1,000 on speculation. The market closed very dull, and Richardson, Spence & Co. say it is difficult to effect sales at ⅛ to ¼ decline.

Richardson, Spence & Co. report the harvest prospects favorable. Flour very dull and nominally unchanged. Wheat very dull and prices easier, but quotations unchanged. Yellow Corn firm at 31s. 6d. white dull at 31s. to 32s.

MEMPHIS, June 14.—The Imperial was the first boat that arrived at the wreck of the Pennsylvania. She took a large number of passengers to New Orleans. The Diana arrived here at 11 o'clock on Sunday night, with a large number for Louisville.

At a meeting of the citizens, $1,000 were subscribed for the sufferers, and committees were appointed to collect further aid.

Xavier Ranch, of the Opera troupe, died to-day. Several others are not expected to live.

PHILADELPHIA, June 14.—A very large mass meeting for the securing of encouragement to home products and home labor, was held at the National Hall this evening. Henry C. Carey was elected Chairman. Appropriate resolutions were adopted. The following speakers addressed the meeting: Messrs. Collamer, Simmons and Cameron, of the Senate; Messrs. Humphrey Marshall, Cutler, F. Jay Morris, of the House and the Hon. Richard W. Thompson.

VICKSBURG, June 1.—The Walbash is on a stand, at about a foot higher than last great flood, and higher than has been known since the great flood of 1828.

NEW ORLEANS, June 13.—An explosion occurred yesterday on board the steamboat Eclipse, near Nichez. Two men were killed and three wounded.

[Beat by our Special Reporter.]

It will well repay any person who contemplates the purchase of a Sewing Machine or wishes to inspect a piece of perfect mechanism to call at No. 65 Fifth street, the head-quarters of Wm. H. Ross, the agent for Wheeler & Wilson, of New York. At this elegant and well known establishment may be seen samples of the various machines introduced by the firm named above—neat, ornamental and useful apparatus which has received the highest testimonials of merits ever rendered an improvement of this kind, from the ablest journals and the ablest pens of the day, from scientific, mechanical and agricultural societies, and from the great public itself. The points of excellence which characterize this machine above all others we may enumerate as follows: Beauty and completeness of stitch—the only perfect lock stitch—economy of thread—simplicity and durability—portability—speed—quietness of operation—strength of seam—applicability to all kinds of sewing, elegance. Any lady family which can afford the purchase, and its cheapness brings it within the reach of all, every shirt maker and tailor, every general manufacturer should possess one of these invaluable improvements. It would seem by policy and wisdom for people in the country and villages to club together and procure a machine, as work if labor may be alleged a Thousand fold and the slavery of domestic life relieved to an incalculable degree. Remember they are to be had in the city only at Mr. Ross' 65 Fifth street.

☞ A genuine, talented, and gentlemanly house is being supply of upholsterers and paper hangers, to receive best from manufacturers in Philadelphia, namely, *Messrs. Robert Lee & Co.*, No. 38 Fifth street. Both members of this firm have had considerable experience in the business and are in every way qualified for the profession they represent.

SOME FINE DAY, when the climate and equanimity of the sky reflection in your countenance pay a visit to *Schaupp*, where Ambrotypes and Photographs are taken in perfection, the front in the "Apollo Building," on the Fourth Street. You will come away as much delighted as a lover returns for.

Mr. WATSON, corner of Wood street, personally supervises the manufacture of the fine assortment of ladies and Misses boots, shoes and gaiters, which he offers to the public. No dealer in this branch of business ever more popular than this gentleman. He is always up to time, has the patience, and his prices are not undersold anywhere.

We will be happier present a few compliments of the season voluntarily tendered, of the virtues of *Ramsdell's Expectorant* on long, short and sore throat complaints. We are convinced that among modern *remedies* for diseases of the chest and throat lead compares. We are unanimously recommended.

The Fish and oyster emporium which is well known as the "Old Dominion," at the corner of Liberty and Third streets, continues to hold the high reputation which has been earned for it by its courteous and gentlemanly proprietor, Mr. *Harry Hood*. Fish and oysters are desired apply at the "Old Dominion" with a moral certainty that you will not forget the step.

Slatter, of [illegible] Liberty street, has received his spring supply of hats, and states that he intends to supply the people with good hats at a reasonable price. The Gallant Knight of the Beaver is a good hat, and he is about receiving a fine assortment of other goods, and stands ready to supply them cheap. Call and see his pictures at his cheap gallery.

Messrs. Spear & Co., No. 75 Market street, present rare inducements to those who purchase Dry Goods, etc. Their establishment is a large and well supplied emporium of all the articles comprised in the trade, and their assortment are invariably of the best description, purchased for cash by the partners themself, at the widest experience. No customer of this house has ever been heard to complain of want of attention or impoliteness of any of its *attaches*. They are all *gentlemen*.

It is not now a question with the individual who deals with a Merchant Tailor, whether he will I bestow my patronage? as it is, who can best supply my wants? Without invidious intention we will venture to assert that *Mr. Watson*, of No. 65 Market street, ranks as one of the first clothiers and furnishers in Pittsburgh. His assistant, *Mr. A. L. Fraser*, who superintends the cutting and fitting department, is a young man of the highest ability and qualifications.

Patronize young merit and enterprise. The hires of the best men the world has ever known were employed to embellish the Temples of Science. The worthy artizans of this city we take pleasure in commending to public patronage. *Messrs. Dunn & Hurdle*, Sign and House and Ship Painters. Their shop will be found on Fifth, near Liberty street.

Steinrock, of the Excelsior Restaurant, No. 111 Wood street, still continues to improve his splendid Dining Saloon. We may safely say that it will be as neat and elegant in appearance as it is delicious in fact. Pittsburgh requires a first class saloon of this kind, where meals are served up per order at any hour, in the best style. That requisition is well met by the Excelsior, from the supplies of which there is nothing solid or epicurean in the line of fish, fowl, game or vegetables, but may be had on the word.

A responsible, reliable and honorable firm, engaged in the Liquor trade—an old and well established house—is that of *John Hogan & Co.*, No. 155 Liberty street. From them pure Liquor can be had invariably—a consideration of the importance—and the purchaser will always enjoy the advantage of a well assorted stock from which to make a selection.

The Gents' Furnishing Establishment and Clothing Hall of *Mr. Wm. Coulter*, No. 58 Wood street, affords very superior advantages for the purchase of Gents' Youths' and Boys' garments. While in style and general appearance this house is invariably *in fact*, its character for durability is second, to none turned out in the city. A very large and elegant assortment on hand gives the customer a fine opportunity of selecting to his taste.

Singer's Sewing Machine, one of the earliest inventions of the kind, and by many competent judges now considered the best, improved and perfected in every stage of its history, is well worth examination at the hands of those who contemplate purchasing an apparatus of the kind. *Mr. H. Stover*, corner of Market and Second streets, agent for this city, will take pleasure in showing the different varieties to any who may desire to inspect their operation.

Commercial.

COMMITTEE OF ARBITRATION FOR MAY.

Isaac Beaver, J. P. Ewart, Robert Lee, C. H. Fitzsimons, W. B. Shaw, Peter Cooper.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

Reported Specially for the Pittsburgh Gazette.

PITTSBURGH, TUESDAY, June 15, 1858.

FLOUR—In market [illegible] Sales of Superfine at $4 [illegible] Extra at $5 [illegible] and the extra family at $6 [illegible]. From store we hear of sales of [illegible] barrels family at $5 [illegible] GRAIN—Sales of [illegible] ears of Ohio River at 45 and [illegible] in store. Wheat [illegible] HAY [illegible] BACON [illegible] LARD [illegible] FISH [illegible] SALT [illegible] OIL [illegible]

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

The following [illegible] was a speculative market on the [illegible] Flour [illegible] Wheat [illegible] Corn [illegible] Pork [illegible] Bacon [illegible] Whiskey [illegible] Sugar [illegible] Molasses [illegible] Rice [illegible] Tobacco [illegible] Freights [illegible] Cotton [illegible] Liverpool [illegible] Stocks [illegible] New York Central [illegible] Canton Co. [illegible] Erie Railroad [illegible] Cleveland and Toledo [illegible] Pittsburgh [illegible]

PHILADELPHIA, June 14—Breadstuffs are firm, sales 500 bbls Flour at $4.25 for superfine and $4.62½ for extra; the home trade is moderately active at $4.75 up to $5.75. Rye Flour and Corn Meal are dull at previous rates. Wheat is scarce at 80c@$1.00 for fair to good red and $1.05@$1.10 for white. Rye is wanted, and if here would command 65c. Corn comes in slowly and 2000 bush sold at 70@71c for Pennsylvania yellow in store, and 72c afloat; 1200 bushels white brought 70c afloat. Oats are wanted at 36c for southern and 40c for Pennsylvania. Whisky is scarce and is on the advance; in bbls it is held at 21½c for Pennsylvania and drudges at 20c, which is no improvement.

CINCINNATI, June 15.—Flour firm; sales 20,000 bbls at $4.25 Whisky has advanced to 22c, with sales of 900 bbls. There goes arriving. The weather is fine.

Imports by Railroad.

[illegible]

Imports by River.

[illegible]

RIVER NEWS.

[illegible]

Regular Steamers.

Monongahela River U. S. Mail Packets

STEAMER TELEGRAPH. CAPT. J. H. WOODWARD. STEAMER JEFFERSON. CAPT. GEORGE CLARK.

THE ABOVE NEW STEAMERS ARE now running regularly. Morning Boats leave Pittsburgh at 8 o'clock A. M. and Evening Boats at 4 o'clock P. M. for McKeesport, Elizabethtown, Monongahela City, Brownsville, Greenfield, California and Brownsville, there connecting with Hacks and Coaches for Uniontown, Fayette Springs, Morgantown, Waynesburg, Carlisle, Mt. Pleasant, &c.

Passengers booked through from Pittsburgh to Uniontown, Fayette Springs and points adjacent. The boats Jefferson and Telegraph are the best and safest boats on the Monongahela River, referring from Brownsville leave at 6 o'clock in the morning for the Pittsburgh market. For further information inquire at the office, Water Street, next boat at the foot of Grant street.

G. W. SWINDLER, AGENT.

REGULAR TUESDAY PACKET FOR PARKERSVILLE.—The fine passenger steamer EMMA GRAHAM, Capt. MENDOR ATTEN, will leave for the above and all intermediate ports EVERY