Pittsburgh Gazette.

PITTSBURGH:

TUESDAY MORNING, NOV. 30, 1858.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY.

City and News Items.

MEAN TEMPERATURE.—Observations taken at Shaw's Optician Store, No. 56 Fifth st., Nov. 29th.

	IN SUN.	IN SHADE.
9 o'clock, A. M.	cloudy	31
12 " M.	"	35
6 " P. M.	"	35
Barometer		29 2-10

DAILY UNION PRAYER MEETING, at Masonic Hall, Fifth street, commencing at 11½ o'clock, A. M. All are cordially invited to attend.

The exercises TO-DAY will be conducted by Rev. A. J. Endsley.

TRIAL OF JAMES M. KELLY.—This case of trial for murder came on again in the Court of Oyer and Terminer yesterday, (Monday.) Kelly was brought into Court in the morning and his counsel then and there put in a plea of "once in peril." This plea was of course very long and contained a great many repetitions, for the law demands that. He, through his counsel, plead that he should not be put on trial twice for the same crime. The circumstances of the case were such, however, that this plea was not held good. The District Attorney, Mr. Collier, (who we are glad to see again so well as to be at his post,) demurred to the plea. The Court overruled the plea, entering a judgment of *Quod respondeat.* On being called upon to plead, the prisoner remained mute, and a plea of not guilty was entered for him by direction of the Court. These matters occupied the attention of the Court until time of adjournment at noon.

At two o'clock the job of empanelling a jury was commenced and continued until nearly 6. The panel was entirely exhausted before success crowned these efforts. At last, however, they got the following—

JURY—Alex. McClure, John Gillespie, Wm. Carter, Francis Cluley, James Ewing, Thomas Dixon, Henry Burns, Jos. Crawford, Bernard Boisel, Jos. Armstrong, John Gormley, James Gilden.

Challenged Peremptorily—C. Hershey, Wm. M. Arthurs, Andrew Weible, Wm. Brown, Thomas Hall, Wm. Early, Jno. M'Neely, Jas. Benney, Saml. Andrew, Frederic Fry, Jno. Lytle, Henry Haley, Jas. M'Kee, Jno. Herron, M. B. Hartzell, W. H. Edie, Jno. M'Gowan, Sen.

Challenged for Cause—Mathew Hodkinson, C. R. Johnson, David Anderson, Jno. Andrews, (by Commonwealth,) John Hazlett, Jos. Dorrington, (deaf.)

Absent—Saml. M'Clure, Jr., Robt. Lee, Jr., Jno. Fitzsimmons, Jno. M'C. Ludwig, Robert Jamison, Thos. Founds, Jas. Brady, Simpson Horner, Wm. Beatty.

Excused on Account of Sickness—Wm. M'Kee, Jr., Moses Borland, Ebenezer Curry.

Stood Aside—B. F. Agnew.

The first witness placed upon the stand was—

Dr. A. H. Gross—I was called in the morning after the old man Weisman was killed and found him dead; there was blood on the pillow, floor, entry way, bannisters, etc., made a post mortem examination with Dr. Tindle; found two cuts on the head—one on the top and one on the back of head. Found a fracture from the temporal to the parietal and thence to the occipital bone; sutures of the skull were generally loosened; piece of skull between occipital and parietal bone knocked in and lay upon the brain, there was much extravasated blood between the bone and brain.

We have given Dr. Gross' testimony as a key to this case. It is charged that Jas. M. Kelly, with two others, (one of whom, found guilty of murder in the second degree, is in the penitentiary, and the other having been tried was acquitted,) was present at the house of this old man Weissman, at midnight, and inflicted a blow or blows on his head "of which he languished and languishing did die," on or about the 8th of October, 1857.

Kelly has been once tried and convicted. His trial we reported at the time, as well as the two others who stood charged with him. That is three times this case of blood has figured in the newspapers, and that, we think, is often enough. We shall, therefore, hereafter during the progress of this trial, simply keep our readers advised of its progress, and there let the matter rest. James M. Kelly has put himself on God and his country, and if he is innocent he will doubtless be acquitted; if not, not.

THE "MURDER" ON THE MARENGO.—It will be remembered that Mr. Hart, mate of the Marengo, who was before the Mayor on Saturday, charged by Edw. Reese with having pushed overboard and thus murdered a negro man, gave bail for his appearance on Monday (yesterday) at [illegible] W. Eckles, Esq., managed his case with care and judgement. It always appeared to us that Mr. Hart never did that with which he stood charged, but of course it was not our place to say so. Capt. McCallum, the captain of the Marengo, was re-called and gave testimony as follows:

"The water-closet is in the stern part of the Marengo, on the larboard side; the gangways of the boat were covered with ice; the door of the privy opens towards the after part so that a person in it would be unable to see what was going on forward; couldn't see from there what took place on the larboard side at all, even in daylight; I went to bed between ten and eleven o'clock on the night of the occurrence; I sleep in the texas; the mates sleep there too; the watch is changed at one o'clock in the morning; we had a barge in tow on the larboard side coming up; I first heard a man was missing next morning."

This testimony will show that Reese must have been laboring under some hallucination at the time in which he alleges the act was performed; as he could not have seen from where he says he was, any thing occuring where he swears the guilty circumstance transpired.

Mr. A. A. Russell was sworn, and testified that Reese came to his office last week, saying that he had been to Kansas and had bought 160 acres of land for $500 he took with him, but being out of money, he wished Mr. Russell to loan him enough to get home to Bedford, which he did. Reese said he knew Russell in Bedford in 1838; came back to my office the next day the worse for liquor; told the story about the murder, which I put no confidence in.

Mr. Rannig, mate of the Marengo, Minas Tindle, Dr. D. W. Shaw and others, were sworn, and testified to the good character of Mr. Hart for peace and quietness. In conclusion, the Mayor discharged Mr. Hart, and he left the office with his friends, doubtless very much gratified at the result.

SUPREME COURT.—Court met at 9 A. M. Present, all the Judges.

Wills vs. Woods; D. C. Allegheny. Affirmed for $700 and costs, and reversed for all beyond that amount. Opinion by Lowrie, C. J.

Page's appeal; Indiana. Dismissed at the cost of appellants.

Rupp vs. Orr; Armstrong. Affirmed. Opinion by Lowrie, C. J.

Road in Moon and Robinson townships; Q. S. Allegheny. Resumed.

Burford vs. Wible; Armstrong. Reversed. Opinion by Church, J.

Road in West Deer township; Allegheny; Q. S. Reversed. Opinion by Church, J.

Cherpenning's appeal; Somerset. Affirmed. Opinion by Thompson, J.

Bingham's appeal; D. C.; Allegheny. Quashed.

Conley et al. vs. School Directors of West Deer township; C. P. Allegheny. Argued for plaintiff in error by Hampton, and by Woods contra.

Mary O'Hara vs. Penna. Railroad, and James O'Hara vs. Same. Continued.

Garrett vs. Martin's appeal; D. C. Submitted by Brady for appellant, and by Cochran and Rippey for appellees.

Mercer et al. vs. P., Ft. W. & C. R. R., and Commonwealth vs. Same. Equity continued.

Johnstown Iron Co. vs. Cambria Iron Co. et al. Argued by Williams for complainant and Lowrie contra.

Same vs. Same. Motion for a re-argument filed.

Commonwealth ex. rel. Thomas vs. Commissioners of Allegheny county. Motion by Mr. Williams to set aside judgment in favor of relator, and enter judgment in favor of respondent.

COL. S. W. BLACK SHOT.—We learn that Col. Samuel W. Black, formerly of this city, but at present one of the Supreme Judges of Nebraska Territory, was dangerously wounded with a gun in the hands of a friend, a few days since. It appears that, accompanied by another gentleman, he was out hunting on the prairie, and passing into a clump of bushes with a view of driving some prairie hens from their cover, his comrade, who did not observe his presence, discharged his gun twice in succession, the first load taking effect in the head, and the second in the arm, inflicting two severe, though not dangerous, wounds. His numerous friends here will be rejoiced to learn that it is not likely to be attended with any serious results, and his speedy convalescence was confidently looked for.

THE man John Kohrson, of Mulberry alley, who figured in the newspapers considerably, some time since, in regard to some difficulties with a man who had robbed him of the affections of his wife, has been arrested, lately, on oath of his wife, for surety of the peace. He is separated from her, but, on visiting the house she occupied, on Friday night last, he found her paramour there and made a savage attack upon him. Hence the suit.

STOLEN PROPERTY RECOVERED.—Officer Hague, on Saturday afternoon, recovered at a tavern in the Diamond, a carpet sack owned by one of the young men recently arrested for robbing the store of Mr. Skinner in Brownsville. It was filled with clothing and other articles taken from the store and worth in all some fifty or sixty dollars.

RELIGIOUS.—The following interesting items we clip from the Methodist Christian *Advocate* of yesterday:

"The new M. E. Church in the Brawley settlement, on the Oil Creek road, will be dedicated to the worship of God on Wednesday, the first of December, 1858. Services conducted by Rev. H. Kinsley.

The examination at Pittsburgh Female College at the close of the Fall term, takes place on the 3d of December. The parents and friends of the College are invited to be present. The next term commences on the 8th prox.

On the 14th of December a festival will be held at some convenient place in the city, the proceeds of which will be devoted to the payment of the debt yet resting on the Trinity M. E. Church.

DEDICATION.—The dedication of the Bingham street Methodist E. Church, in the borough of Birmingham, took place on Sunday, the 21st inst. The following brief history of Methodism in this place may be allowed:

In the year 1834, when Birmingham was a small appointment attached to Pittsburgh, with a shabby frame building for holding services, Rev. P. M. M'Gowan purchased a lot, and a small, one-storied brick building was erected thereon—at present occupied by our German Methodist brethren. Something over a dozen years ago this building, becoming too small, was exchanged for a more capacious edifice on Center street, belonging to the Presbyterians, who occupied it until it came into the possession of the Germans. During the latter part of last year, the congregation took steps towards securing the present location, which is conceded to be the best in the borough. The Rev. H. D. Fisher, then preacher in charge, undertook the work, assisted by a noble set of laymen, and secured a subscription of $5,000. While the work was progressing he was sent to Kansas, and Rev. Gustavus A. Lowman appointed in his room. Notwithstanding the hard times and other discouraging circumstances, the church was finished sufficiently to be opened for regular service at the time named above.

The building is brick, sixty by eighty feet, two stories high, built with pilasters, and has a steeple one hundred and ten feet above the ground.

In the conferences patronizing the *Pittsburgh Christian Advocate* there were added to the church last year about 11,000 souls."

LARGE quantities of Beef, Pork, and miscellaneous freight are being carried on the C. & P. Railroad for New York and Philadelphia. Yesterday there were 2329 barrels of Potatoes, 238 barrels of Beans and 57 barrels of Apples received here from Buffalo by the propeller Euphrates and shipped to J. B. Canfield, of Pittsburgh. This is a heavy consignment of potatoes. A large lot of Beef also went over the road.—*Cleveland Plaindealer, Saturday.*

The receipts of Pork over the Cleveland & Pittsburgh railroad for the week ending on Saturday were 1300 bbls. and of Beef 2100 bbls. The Cleveland packers find it cheaper to ship through here to New York than over the Lake Shore and New York roads, notwithstanding the tonnage tax, although Cleveland is directly on the New York route. The receipts of Hogs last week, for shipment east, by the three western roads, were 128 cars—a large increase over any previous year, and showing that the tendency of *this* traffic, also, is to this point. The Pennsylvania road furnishes to western shippers, beyond doubt, the best and cheapest route to the East.

THE following letter from Gen. SCOTT was not received until yesterday:

HEAD QUARTERS OF THE ARMY, }
New York, Nov. 8, 1858. }

Gentlemen: I am gratified in the receipt of your request that I will share in the interesting exercises proposed for the 25th inst., at Fort Duquesne—the spot where, a hundred years ago, our then infant Western empire may be said to have been baptized in blood.

It would be my pleasure to aid—could my presence contribute anything—in keeping alive among our people the suggestive historical associations to which your letter alludes. But my habitual occupations of duty, and other reasons, forbid the time and travel requisite for me to participate in your celebration.

Wishing it every success, I am, gentlemen, with sentiments of high regard and respect, your obedient servant,

WINFIELD SCOTT.

To Messrs. R. Errett, J. H. Foster, and others, Committee of Invitation, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Nov. 26.

P. S.—I am deeply mortified to find that the foregoing reply was not (by some accident) despatched on the day of its date. W. S.

THE Market Constable, Simpson Moore, was held to bail on Saturday, on complaint of Mrs. Ann Kelly, for an assault and battery on two of her children—a newsboy of six years, and a match girl of eleven—who were selling their wares in front of the market entrance; the little girl was flung into the street, under the feet of a horse, and her skirt torn off. Moore threatened to retaliate, so it is stated, by a prosecution against the children for selling without license.

SUMNER LITERARY SOCIETY.—The Sumner Literary Society will celebrate their second anniversary at Lafayette Hall, on Tuesday (this) evening, Nov. 30. The programme which we have received shows a great variety of selections,—orations, dialogues, etc. Young's Brass Band is engaged for the occasion. Some of the most promising young men in Allegheny city take part. Tickets of admission 15 cents. The Sumner Society deserves success, and the liberal patronage of the community.

THE LOST CHILDREN is the title of a most attractive little volume just issued by W. S. Haven, corner of Market and Second streets.—Nothing is over-wrought yet all is sprightliness and animation. The writer deserves the thanks of the community for this contribution to literature and to the cause of humanity. It is a "Plea for the Poor" that must do good. There is not a line which any one need wish expunged nor a sentiment approved by the author that is not refined, benevolent and consistent with piety. *Buy that book.* It is for sale at J. S. Davison's, at W. S. Rentoul's and at J. L. Read's.

HOW TO GAIN SITUATIONS.—There is one desirable feature of the Iron City College, and one we believe peculiar to it, which we must not pass unnoticed—it makes itself an express and a very efficient agent in procuring situations and occupations for such as it qualifies to hold them.—*Hunt's Merchants' Magazine.*

A GRAY MARE was stolen from Wm. Simpson, on Saturday evening last, from his farm near Mahoningtown, Lawrence county, Pa.

FROM GALIGNANI'S MESSENGER, (PARIS,) JULY, 1858.—An interesting paper on the successful treatment of this dreadful affection, and the allied diseases of scrofula, tabes mesenterica, etc., by the hypophosphites of lime and soda, has just been presented to the Academy of Sciences by Dr. J. F. Churchill. It has been known that, among the inorganic or mineral substances which enter into the composition of the body, phosphorus is to be met with in considerable quantities, but chemists and physiologists are, as yet, unable to decide whether it is found only as phosphoric acid; that is, in a state of complete oxydation, and, as such, no longer liable to be burnt by the oxygen of the atmosphere, (as, for instance, in the mineral matter of bones) or whether it also exists in a lower state of oxydation, and, as such, capable of keeping up the slow combustion which constitutes one of the principal phenomena of life. Opinions on this point are very nearly balanced, the celebrated Liebig, for instance, stating that it is impossible to decide the question in the present state of chemical analysis, while his chief disciple in England, the late Dr. Gregory, Professor of Chemistry at Edinburgh, declares that it is absurd to suppose that phosphorus can exist in the animal frame in any other condition than as phosphoric acid.

Dr. Churchill, by a series of scientific deductions, which it would be foreign to our purpose to examine, came, in 1855, to the conclusion that not only was it necessary to admit that phosphorus existed in the body, in an oxydizable or combustible condition, but likewise that the proximate cause, or at least an indispensable condition, to the existence of consumption or tuberculosis, was the undue waste or the deficient supply of the principle. Hence, he drew the obvious inference, that the means of curing the disease consisted in the restoring of the deficient elements.

For this purpose it was necessary to select some compound of phosphorus, which would be at the same time oxydizable and assimilable, that is, capable of entering into and forming a part of the system. These conditions were found to exist in the hypophosphites above mentioned. Dr. Churchill's views were first made known last July, in a paper presented to the Academy of Medicine, and subsequently embodied in a work on Consumption, which appeared in October. Since then, the author has continued and extended his researches, and his recent communication to the Academy of Sciences is founded on the observation of forty-one cases.

The cure of Consumption, in the second and third stages (at a period, consequently, when there can be no uncertainty as to the nature of the disease,) can be obtained in all cases, by this treatment, except when the existing lesion of the lungs is of itself sufficient to produce death. Contrary to the opinion generally received, the third stage of Consumption is, all other circumstances being equal, more amenable to treatment than the second. Hereditary predisposition seems in no way to counteract the effect of the hypophosphites; patients in whom it was strongly marked recovering as rapidly as others.

The paper has been referred by the Academy to a committee consisting of Drs. Serres, Andral, and Claude Bernard, and it is highly desirable that these gentlemen should lose as little time as possible in verifying whether and how far Dr. Churchill's views are founded in truth: more particularly as the author states that the remedy discovered by him has not only a curative effect, but will, if used wherever there exists a suspicion of the disease, prevent its development, and thus act as a preservative with regard to consumption, just as vaccination does with regard to small pox. It is already extensively used throughout the whole of the Continent, and favorable results have been already obtained in France, Germany, Italy and Spain, as well as at St. Petersburg and Constantinople.

We may state also, that, in consequence of Dr. Churchill's discovery, the manufacture of the hypophosphites in Paris, has already attained a considerable degree of importance, whereas, before they were only to be found as chemical specimens in the laboratory. These facts alone, Dr. Churchill contends, are at least a presumption that the remedy is found to be of benefit.

REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCILS.—In Select Council, present: Messrs. Bennett, Berger, Brown, Herdman, Kammerer, Kincaid, Little, Miller, Morrow, McCargo, Pollock, Phillips, Ward and Prest. McAuley.

Minutes of last regular and special meeting read and approved.

Mr. Herdman, from the Third Ward, presented a memorial from the Allegheny Fire Company praying assistance in liquidation of their debts. Referred to Committee on Fire Engines and Hose.

The petition of Andrew Schaub was presented by Mr. Ward, of the Sixth Ward, asking exemption from the tax levied upon him for grading and paving between Fulton and Caldwell street, along a lot which he has recently purchased from Michael Klinefelter. Referred to the Finance Committee.

The President read a communication from the Controller, together with bills of sundry amounts, in all reaching the sum of $828 27, chargable to the Contingent Fund. These bills had to be liquidated before action could be had by Councils, and their action is called for. The nature of these bills were—exchange and discounts to Kramer & Rahm; postage stamps for Treasurer's office; serving notices of assessment, etc.

On motion of Mr. Bennett the Mayor was authorized to certify his warrants in favor of the various individuals named in the report of bills in the Controller's paper above referred to.

In all of which action C. C. concur.

The President read a communication from the Diamond Market Association, with the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Building Committee be authorized to contract for making doors in the front and rear of said building and make the interior arrangements to correspond as far as practicable with the first story of the Market House on the South-east side, and also erect a stairway in the West end of said building in accordance with the resolution of City Councils: *Provided* that the consent of Councils to such alteration and improvements be first obtained.

The policy of adopting the suggestion of the Market House association and agreeing with them in regard to the proposed improvement, elicited quite a spirited discussion, in which Messrs. Ward, Kincaid, Brown, Bennett, Miller, Morrow and Herdman joined. Mr. Bennett moved that the Councils adopt the proposed resolution.

Yeas—Messrs. Bennett, Brown, Herdman, Pollock, Phillips, and President M'Auley.

Nays—Messrs. Berger, Kincaid, Little, Morrow, M'Cargo, Ward.

The vote was thus tied, and Mr. Miller, who was out at the moment the vote was taken, but came in and voting in the affirmative the question was decided in the affirmative.

Council then proceeded to elect the member for Auditing Committee from the Select Council.

On motion of Mr. Kincaid, Mr. Moorhead was elected by an unanimous vote.

An ordinance, relative to the collection of taxes was read three times and passed.

An ordinance supplementary to an ordinance to allow draw backs for prompt payment of taxes for grading and paving, was read three times and passed.

Mr. Miller submitted a resolution to repair Second street between Cross street and a point opposite Chestnut street, the same being in an impassible condition, and that $100 from appropriation No. 6 be devoted to said repairs. Referred to Street Committee C. C, non-concur and amend by making the appropriation $50, $50. S. C. recede and concur.

An ordinance, authorizing the grading and paving, etc., of Smallman street between Carroll and Morris streets. Read three times and passed.

Mr. Pollock submitted the bill of Daniel Little for grading Mulberry Alley between Allegheny and Lumberman street, $55,75. Referred to Street Committee. In all of which action not otherwise noted, C. C. concur.

Mr. Kammerer offered an ordinance supplementary to an ordinance granting certain privileges to the Allegheny Valley R. R. Co. Referred to Street Committee. Not acted on in C. C.

Resolution from C. C., at former meeting, taking $400 from Appropriation No. 2 and adding to No. 7, the amount to be equally divided in repairing streets in the two districts was concurred in.

COMMON COUNCIL.—Present: Messrs. Bailey, Caldwell, Campbell, Darlington, Dickson, Dignam, Errett, Floyd, Hamilton, Hunter, Hutchison, Little, M'Candless, M'Geary, Norris, Reed, Ross, Robb, Sergeant, Sterling, Thompson, Ward, M'Kelvy, Pres't.

The minutes of the two preceding meetings were read and approved.

Mr. Thompson presented a petition from citizens residing on Liberty street, relative to the damage arising from the alteration of the grade of said street, between Wayne and O'Hara sts.

On motion of Mr. Thompson, referred to a special committee of three from the Common and three from the Select Council, and Messrs. Thompson, Robb and Campbell appointed. S. C. concur and Kincaid and Ward appointed.

From the same a petition relative to the tax levied for paving on Mulberry Alley, between Factory and O'Hara streets. Read and referred to Finance Committee.

From the same, a petition of like import from citizens on Pike street. Read and referred to Finance Committee.

Mr. Bailey, a communication from James Mackerell, relative to grading on Centre Avenue. Read and referred to Finance Committee.

Mr. M'Candless—A bill presented to the heirs of C. Gibson, for grading and paving on Centre avenue, with the following resolution:

Resolved, That the assessment for grading and paving, charged to heirs of C. Gibson, be referred to Finance Committee. Read three times and passed. S. C. non-concur in these four cases, and refer to Street Committee. No further action was had thereon in C. C.

The Ordinance abolishing the office of Clerk to Committees, laid over Oct. 25th, came up. A motion to concur in the action of S. C. was lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Campbell, Darlington, Floyd, Hamilton, Hutchison, Sergeant, Sterling—7.

Nays—Bailey, Caldwell, Dickson, Dignam, Errett, Hunter, Little, M'Candless, M'Geary, Norris, Reed, Ross, Robb, Thompson, Ward and McKelvy, Pres't—16.

Mr. Robb presented the following:

Whereas, The members of this Council, before entering upon their respective duties, have bound themselves to endeavor their faithful discharge under the solemnity of an oath—thereby recognizing their accountability to God—and wishing ever to cherish a proper sense of that accountability so as to act under its influence, and believing that an appeal by prayer to God for wisdom to direct us in the discharge of our difficult and varied duties would have a happy influence in securing this result—

Therefore, Resolved, That our President be requested either to lead us in prayer or call at his pleasure on some member of Council to do so, that we may thus be wisely directed in the management of all interests committed to our care. Read three times and passed.

Mr. Dickson presented the following:

Resolved, That the Finance Committee be authorized to contract for a pair of scales suitable for weighing hay, stock, coal, &c., and have the same placed on Rush street, at the most suitable location, to be paid for out of the revenue derived from the same. Read and referred to the Finance Committee, with power to act. S. C. concur.

Dr. McCandless presented the following:

Resolved, That a committee of three from the Common and two from the Select Council be appointed to confer with a similar committee from the Councils of Allegheny city, relative to vehicle license.

Read three times and passed, and Messrs. McCandless, Darlington and Campbell appointed on part of C. C. In S. C. resolution indefinitely postponed.

Council then proceeded to elect two persons to serve on a committee to audit the city accounts, and Messrs. Errett and Campbell were duly elected.

Mr. Sergeant, an ordinance to reduce the salary of the clerk of the Standing Committee.

The ordinance fixed the salary at one hundred dollars per annum.

Mr. Reed moved to amend, by striking out "one hundred" and insert two hundred. The amendment was adopted, the rules suspended and the ordinance, as amended, read three times and passed. S. C. non-concur and amend by fixing the salary at $25. C. C. non-concur in the amendment of S. C. In S. C., action adhered to, and Messrs. Brown and Bennett appointed a Conference Committee.

Mr. Campbell presented an ordinance providing that after this year there shall be but one Street Commissioner. Laid over on second reading, Councils refusing to suspend the rules.

Mr. Sergeant offered the following:

Resolved, That the Trustees of the Gas Works be requested to erect a lamp post on the corner of Second and Brewery street. Read and referred to Committee on Gas Lighting. S. C. concur.

"THE LITTLE EWE LAMB."—We regret that we have to sacrifice that little ewe lamb of ours, neighbor Bigham. We stated that the first suggestion of the celebration came from Rev. Geo. Duffield. Yesterday morning we acknowledged that the honor belonged to you, and so it does, if one considers the *public* suggestion. We, however, took occasion yesterday to look for the date of Rev. Duffield's letter, and find it July 22d. Subsequently he wrote again, on the same subject, under date of August 4th, and that was the letter we thought bore date of the last of September, but find we were mistaken.

MR. MACKEOWN will continue to carry on at his old stand, 167 Liberty street, the Drug business in all its branches, as heretofore carried on by Mackeown & Finley. Mr. M. is a first rate man of business, and deserves a liberal patronage.

A LIST of Valuable Stocks will be sold this evening, at the Commercial Sales Rooms, No. 54 Fifth street, by Mr. Davis, Auct., Nov. 30.

BANK STATEMENT for the week preceding Nov. 29th:

BANKS.	Circulat'on	Specie.	Loans.	Deposits.
B'k Pittsb'gh	279,256	540,449	1,611,823	765,815
Exchange B'k	543,340	248,771	1,417,285	479,783
M. & M. "	211,087	171,570	834,604	223,356
Citizens' "	168,040	96,692	600,186	99,314
Mechanics' "	219,000	82,640	720,310	85,084
Iron City "	214,725	101,416	585,537	146,109
Allegheny "	208,255	97,400	574,435	66,673
	1,843703	1,338,938	6,344,180	1,866,134
Last week	1,749,773	1,325,975	6,213,928	1,895,792
Increase	94,930	12,963	130,252	
Decrease				29,658

BANKS.	Treasury Notes and Notes of other Banks.	Due to Banks.	Due by Banks.
Pittsburgh	$ 80,435	$108,849	$168,684
Exchange	172,295	20,172	145,765
M. & M.	9,105	12,986	140,176
Citizens'	11,576	8,594	21,977
Mechanics'	23,780	27,509	40,782
Iron City	6,410	340	69,108
Allegheny	13,980	11,005	20,003
	$ 317,599	$189,455	$ 606,295
Last week	355,993	171,190	633,527
Increase		18,265	
Decrease	38,394		27,232

FIRE.—There was an alarm of fire at half-past ten o'clock last evening, and the heavens were red away in the direction of Butcher's Run, beyond Allegheny. We started for the place, but on Seventh street met the Neptune Boys coming back, who said that the fire, wherever it was, had been extinguished before they reached the place. We returned on this information.

P. S.—Since writing the above we learn that the fire was in the village of Woodville, Reserve tp., and that it destroyed a soap manufactory, a dwelling house and a small outbuilding. We did not learn the owners name.

JONES—one certain Jones—alias Benny, who exhibited the Panorama of a "Journey to California," in this city, has left for parts unknown, (supposed to be Cleveland,) without settling his printing and other bills. Pass him around.

UNDERWRITERS Sale of Wet Goods this morning at 10 o'clock, and of Cabin Furniture, &c., from the wreck of steamboat Fulton City, this afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the Commercial Sales Rooms, No. 54 Fifth street, by Mr. Davis.

BUYERS of fashionable clothing, either ready made or ordered, will find it to their advantage to examine the stock of J. L. Carnaghan, Federal street, Allegheny city. His facilities for making fine work are among the best, and his prices low for cash.

WHAT, OR WHICH IS THE BEST, VERMIFUGE OR WORM DESTROYER? is a question daily and hourly asked by parents, anxious for the health of their children. All who are at all acquainted with the article, will immediately answer, Dr. McLane's Celebrated Vermifuge, prepared by Fleming Bros., Pittsburgh, Pa. It has never been known to fail, and is one of the safest remedies that can be used. A friend of ours lately handed us the following statement in reference to this Vermifuge:

NEW YORK, September 25th, 1852.

Gentlemen:—A young lady of my acquaintance had been for a long time very much troubled with worms. I advised her to try Dr. McLane's Celebrated Vermifuge, prepared by Fleming Bros., of Pittsburgh, Pa. She accordingly purchased and took one vial, which caused her to discharge an unusual large quantity of worms. She was immediately relieved of all the dreadful symptoms accompanying this disease, and rapidly recovered her usual health. The young lady does not wish her name mentioned; her residence, however, is 320 Fifth street, and she refers to Mrs. Hardie, No. 3 Manhattan place.

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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Telegraphic.

Latest from Europe.

HALIFAX, Nov. 29.—The steamer Europa has arrived with advices to the 20th inst.

Liverpool Cotton Market.—The sales of the week amount to 58,200 bales, including 4500 to speculators and 7000 to exporters; all qualities have advanced ¼ on the week. Holders offer freely, but show no disposition to press sales. The improvement has been chiefly on the middling qualities, and the market closed steady. The sales on Friday, the 19th, are estimated at 8000 bales, including 1000 to speculators and exporters. The authorized quotations are: Orleans fair 7¾; middling 7 1-16; Mobile fair 7¼; middling 7; Uplands fair 7⅛; middling 6¾. The stock in port amounts to 332,000 bales, including 247,000 bales American.

Liverpool Provisions Market.—The circulars report Beef as heavy and slightly declined. Pork dull at 71s. Bacon heavy. There is but little inquiry, and prices are weak. Lard dull, but the market closed firmer.

Liverpool Breadstuffs Market.—Breadstuffs continued dull. Flour very dull but steady. Wheat quiet but steady. Corn very dull at the last quotations.

Frederic Bruce, brother of Lord Elgin, had been appointed Minister to Pekin.

France was sending reinforcements to Cochin China.

Persigny had been appointed President of the French Commission to consider the question of negro slavery.

Robert Owen, late Minister to Naples, is dead.

The steamer Saxonia arrived out on the 19th inst.

The new Great Eastern ship Company is duly organized; £140,000 more are required to finish her.

Lords Palmerston and Clarendon are paying a visit to Napoleon at Compeigne.

A letter from Rome states that all the Catholic powers had addressed remonstrances to the Pope and requested the release of the Jewish boy, Mortara. The pope replied that the boy's return to his parents was impossible.

The Indian mails have reached England. The ex-King of Delhi, was sent under escort to Calcutta.

An explosion occurred at Kurrachee Arsenal, blowing up part of the building and destroying one million of pounds of ammunition.

PORTLAND, Nov. 28.—The steamship North Briton, from Liverpool, with dates to Wednesday, the 17th inst., arrived this morning.

The steamer Indian Empire, which left Halifax on the 28th ult., for Galway, Ireland, had not been heard from, and the fears for her safety had been heightened, by recent heavy gales on the English coast.

The gales on the English coast had not caused any disasters to American vessels as far as heard from.

The British Parliament had been further prorogued to the 13th of January.

Fears are entertained for the safety of the ship Agincourt, long overdue from Australia, with a large amount of treasure.

The London Times published rather a hopeful article on the Atlantic Cable, and urges upon the Directors the propriety of accepting the offer of Professor Hughes, to work with his Printing Telegraph instrument.

WASHINGTON CITY, Nov. 29.—It is said by gentlemen who are particularly interested, that while a recommendation will be made to Congress for a modification of the tariff with the view to an increase of the revenue, the means by which this should be effected will not be designated by the Secretary of the Treasury. The subject is already agitated in the political circles as to whether there shall be a specific instead of an advalorem duty on Iron.

A letter, brought by the steamer Quaker City, says that a number of Nicaraguan adventurers have landed about 40 miles from San Juan del Sur, and recent private advices from the South, state that those who were prevented from going out in the Alice Painter have made arrangements to reach Nicaragua by some other conveyance.

Congress will be officially informed that the late disturbances in Washington and Oregon territories have resulted from neglect to ratify the various treaties concluded with the Indians of those territories.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The New Orleans papers of Monday last, received by mail, furnish additional particulars of Mexican intelligence.

The Vera Cruz, of the 11th inst., contains an account of an engagement between the forces under Gen. La-Lave, at Tengonapan, and a body of Echeegaris troops, who were endeavoring to effect an advance towards Vera Cruz, by way of San Salvador. The Zuluquistas were met first by Gen. Camancho and next by Gen. La-Lave, who very rapidly defeated them.

Gen. Vidauri was energetically preparing for a new movement against Miramon and was full of confidence. He states in his address that his loss was not so great as has been supposed, and especially the loss of life was but small.

AUGUSTA, Nov. 29.—The Columbus Times of Saturday says that Osten & Alden's Circus Company had all been arrested while playing at Auburn, Ala., in consequence of a member of the company having killed a man at Lochapoka the day previous. A crowd of sixty followed the company to Auburn, and fired some twenty shots, fortunately without injuring anybody. The company submitted to the arrest, and returned to Columbia for trial.

STROUDSBURG, Nov. 29.—The engine California, on the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad, attached to a train of empty coal cars, exploded about noon to-day, when near Spragueville. Thos. Lonergan, fireman, was instantly killed, and Edward Hawley, engineer, is supposed to be fatally injured. Two other persons were badly injured, but will probably recover. The accident is supposed to have occurred from an overpressure of steam.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—The Bank Statement shows the following results:—Decrease in loans $87,000; increase in specie $367,000; decrease in circulation $203,000; decrease in net deposits $1,212,000.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—The steamer Illinois arrived from Aspinwall with dates from San Francisco to the 5th instant. Her news is mostly anticipated by the arrival of the Quaker City at New Orleans.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 29.—The Overland mail, with dates to the 1st, arrived last night.

The Circuit Court appointed a Commissioner to proceed to Almaden Quicksilver Mine, to examine into the condition of the property, and report upon the expediency of appointing a reviewer. The non-arrivals from eastern ports causes considerable embarrassment both to importers and jobbers.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Nov. 27.—Two ballots were taken for United States Senator to-day, the last of which resulted as follows: Ex-Gov. McAdams, 25; Mr. Memminger, 30; R. Barnwell Rhett, 24; Gen. McQueen, 21; Ex-Gov. Manning, 21; Mr. Chestnut, 21.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 29.—It rained all Saturday night, most of last night, and is now dark and gloomy. The river has risen ten inches within the last 48 hours. Mercury 56°.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 29.—Hiram Cole, charged with murdering his wife at Chagrin Falls, Ohio, was acquitted on Saturday morning.

MATTOON, Ill., Nov. 29.—Last night Hugh Harkness, in a fit of delirium tremens, set fire to his house, and himself, wife and child were burned to death.

Commercial.

COMMITTEE OF ARBITRATION FOR NOVEMBER.
EDWARD GREGG, V. P.; C. HARTWELL, P. M. DAVIS, J. I. BENNETT, J. J. GILLESPIE.

Weekly Review of the Pittsburgh Market.

[*Reported specially for the Pittsburgh Gazette.*]

PITTSBURGH, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1858.

Business is without change—just enough to keep stagnation at bay, and not enough to brag of. We are, however, within sight of relief. On Saturday night we had a heavy fall of snow, succeeded by a heavy rain which continued twenty-four hours without intermission. This will give us, we feel almost certain, a coal-boat rise, and impart vigor to all branches of trade. There is, it is estimated, about 6,000,000 bus. coal awaiting shipment, which the people below are as anxious to buy as we are anxious to sell. Large numbers of men, too, are waiting the chance of labor which the transportation of coal affords.

The New York Canals have closed, the cold having been much more intense in the north than here. If the rain should open the Ohio to steamboat navigation, the tide of western freight will set in this direction, and impart an animation to the freighting business that will be as welcome as the smiles of May after a long winter.

There has been no improvement in Breadstuffs during the week, but there has been a visible stiffening up in Corn and Oats. The latter is growing scarce while the demand continues active. The Southern market has taken away such large amounts that we are likely to find little enough for our own wants. Corn has advanced generally throughout the West. At Louisville it is quoted at 45@50, but at Chicago prices range from 48@60, and at St. Louis from 60@70. In this market sales are making at 70@75 on arrival and to arrive. Potatoes have also advanced, and the Hog speculators are keeping up the prices of Hogs with a success creditable to their skill.

Money is plenty at bank, where the scarcity of first class paper is a matter of surprise as well as complaint. Scarcely any really prime paper finds its way to the street. The dullness of trade, however, makes money outside of bank really scarce, and we therefore dread a cold, severe winter as one of the worst things that could befall us. If the rivers keep open and afford an opportunity for business we shall experience a relief that will be as beneficial as the contrary would be injurious.

The Philadelphia Bulletin says:

"There is little or no alteration noticeable in the money market since the close of last week, and the steady rates for the best paper range at 5@6 ℔ cent. ℔ annum; very little of that class finding its way outside the banks, who want first class names to absorb their balances."

The N. Y. Com. Advertiser says:

"Prime paper is still scarce, and the best endorsed goes freely among the commission houses at 4 ℔ cent, for sixty days, and 4½@5 for ninety days to six months. Single names may be quoted at 6@7 ℔ cent for strictly first class. In the bank the rates are a little more firmly held, and there is probably less anxiety to increase their lines, upon as low terms as were accepted."

The Cincinnati Commercial of Saturday says:

"Intelligence prejudicial to the reputation of the Charleston Bank at Kanawha, based on the rejection of its notes by the Bank of Wheeling, has placed its notes at a discount, and will probably result in their being thrown out altogether."

A correspondent telegraphs us from Parkersburg that the Cumberland City (Maryland) Bank failed yesterday.

In the produce market there is a very general quiet. Flour has nothing more than local demand, and is likely to remain lifeless, as late European news seems to be unfavorable as to Breadstuffs.

HOGS.—The Bulls are still in the ascendant, and manage to keep the market in a feverish and excited condition. Their success is without a parallel, and the climax is capped to-day by two sales of 3,000 head each, weights 200 lbs, deliverable 1st to 15th of January, at $6,75@7 respectively. This is simply betting against the market, and was effected by a person who has not, we are informed, a hog, and probably wont have, and most likely wont be able to get 4000 head in contract time. Who will be a gainer by the operation is a matter of indifference, but the effect of such transactions is pernicious to the regular packing trade, especially with those who don't see through so transparent an act of gambling. The market is fair, probably buoyant, for heavy Hogs, at prices which three weeks since would have seemed beyond all justification; but as things remain so disquieted, those who have regular orders to fill, or need a certain amount of stock for established custom, may reasonably expect to supply their wants by taking cured meats later in the season, and leaving speculators to enjoy the fruits of their ventures."

The Chicago Press of Saturday says:

"Corn is irregular—sales of No. 1 being made at 53@56c f. o. b., and 48c on track. Ear Corn is 1c lower. Oats are 52@54c for old crop in bags on track. Barley dull and nominal at 40@42c for No 2, and 65c for No 1 in store. A cargo of 10,000 bus Barley was received yesterday from Racine, and there are 10,000 bus on the way up between Buffalo and this port, on the propellers Tonawanda and Mayflower.

The city is fairly flooded with all kinds of Poultry, and commission dealers are at a loss what to do with the immense piles which they have on hand. The request from all is, "tell the country folks to send no more poultry till Christmas."

The receipts of hogs live and dressed, for the last forty-eight hours, foot up 10,258. The market for live hogs is quiet, with scarcely any demand for light hogs, which seem to preponderate. Heavy hogs, however hold their own, and the yards are pretty well cleaned out. Sales of heavy, range from $4,55@4.75 gross, and light at $4@4.20 gross.

The accounts we receive from all parts of Illinois and Iowa are to the effect that owing to the shortness of the corn crop, farmers are sending their hogs to market not half fattened. We saw a gentleman to-day who has been through Peoria and Lasalle counties in this State within the past week, and he assures us that the corn crop is much shorter than commercial men generally have calculated. These reports seem to be well verified by the condition of the hogs which are arriving here—for never before were there such an array of thin-looking animals sent to this market to be killed."

We quote the following from the N. O. Picayune of the 24th:

"Sugar—The receipts have been liberal, and have met with a fair demand during the past week, but generally at easier prices for buyers, though the market closes firm at our last quotations. The sales have amounted to about 7500 hhds, including 1800 to day, mostly at the range of our quotations, which are reduced about ⅛c ℔ lb:

Inferior	3 @4¼
Common to Good Common	4½@5¼
Fair to Fully Fair	5½@5¾
Prime and Choice	6¼@6
Centrifugal, Clarified and Refined	6¼@7¼
Low Clarified	5¾@6

Week's receipts 7581 hhds against 5217 for the corresponding week last year. Total receipts since the 1st of September 18,295 hhds, against 9728 to the same time last year.

Molasses—With a liberal supply and a good demand for shipment, the sales of the week have amounted to fully 10,000 bbls, including 1000 which were taken to-day. Prices generally have been very full and close at 28@29c for prime and choice, and 25@27c ℔ gal. for inferior and ordinary. Half bbls have advanced to 31½@32c ℔ gal.

Week's receipts 10,114 bbls, against 8,872 for the corresponding week last year. Total receipts since the 1st of September 33,883 bbls, against 17,885 to the same date last year."

ASHES—the market continues unchanged and dull; we quote Pots nominal at 5, Pearls at 5½@6c, and Soda Ash steady at 3½@4c.

APPLES—there is a manifest falling off in the supply, and the market is bare of good lots; we quote good common at $3,50, and prime to choice at $4,00@4,75.

BUTTER AND EGGS—the supply of butter is light, and prime Roll sells readily at 17@18, and strictly choice at 19@20; inferior roll is scarcely saleable at any price above that given for packed, which is quoted nominally at 11. Eggs are scarce, and in the absence of sales, we quote at 18@19.

BEANS—some lots of white, partially mixed, have been taken for the South at $1,25@1,30; in the small way sales of prime small white are making at $1,40@1,50 from store.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—the market is dull, the demand being restricted; Sales from first hands at $2,00@2,25 ℔ 100 lbs, and from store at $2,40@2,50—the latter for lots in the small way.

BACON—A very light demand, and prices steady; Sales of Shoulders at 6¼@7; Sides at 8½@8¾; plain Hams 9½@10; plain canvassed do 10½@11; Sugar-cured do, 12@12½.

BUCKETS AND TUBS—The factory prices (cash, par funds) at Fallston and New Brighton are for Buckets $1,50@1,75, and Tubs, $4,75@6,75 ℔ doz. From store, buckets sell in the retail way at $1,75@2,00.

BROOMS—there is a fair supply, and prices range from $1 25 per dozen for common to $3 for choice extra. Intermediate grades ranging accordingly.

CORDAGE—

Manilla Rope, coil, 13 c ℔ lb		Manilla Rope, cut, 14 c ℔ lb	
Hemp Rope, coil, 11 c ℔ lb		Hemp Rope, cut, 12 c ℔ lb	
Tarred Rope, coil, 11 c ℔ lb		Tarred Rope, cut, 12 c ℔ lb	
Packing Yarn, fine, 11 c ℔ lb		Packing Yarn, com 10 c ℔ lb	

BED CORDS—Manilla, $1,50, $2,25@$3,00 ℔ doz
Hemp, $1,37, $2,00@$2,75 ℔ doz.
Hemp coil, 11 cts ℔ lb.

PLOUGH LINES—Manilla, 87 cts ℔ doz. Hemp, 70c.

COTTON YARNS—The market is steady at the following quotations:

POUND YARN.

Nos 5 to 10 inclusive 20 c ℔ lb		No. 16	25 c ℔ lb
Nos. 11 & 12	21 c ℔ lb	No. 17	26 c ℔ lb
No. 13	22 c ℔ lb	No. 18	27 c ℔ lb
No. 14	23 c ℔ lb	No. 19	28 c ℔ lb
No. 15	24 c ℔ lb	No. 20	29 c ℔ lb

DOZEN YARN.

No. 400	11 c ℔ doz	No. 800	8 c ℔ doz
No. 500	10 c ℔ doz	No. 900	8 c ℔ doz
No. 600	9 c ℔ doz	No. 1000	8 c ℔ doz
No. 700	8 c ℔ doz		
Carpet chain, ass col. 20c ℔ lb		Twine	25c ℔ lb
Do. do white, 28		Caulking	16c "
to 35 cuts, 21c "		Family Batting	17c "
Do do 36 to 44c 22c "		Batting, No. 1	16c "
Coverlet Yarn	27c "	Do No. 2	15c "
Candlewick	20c "		

SHEETINGS.

No. 1	8½ c ℔ yd
No. 2	8¼ c ℔ yd

CANDLES AND SOAP—Candles are steady at our quotations:—dipped 12½, mould 13 and adamantine 20@21. Soap remains as before, steady at 5 for common, 5½ for Palm, and 10 for Sawyer's Toilet and Castile, 6¼ for Chemical Olive; and 7 for German.

CRANBERRIES—dull and only an occasional inquiry; sales in the small way at $12 ℔ bbl.

CHEESE—the supply is fair, and not much inquiry beyond the wants of the retail trade. The ruling figure continues to be 7½ although in the retail way, some sales are making at 8.

DRIED FRUIT—there are some lots of Apples on the market, which are selling at $2,25@2,50, but Peaches are scarce, and prime lots bring $4,50@4,75. Some mixed quarters and halves have sold as low as $3,90@4,00.

DRIED BEEF—Small sales by the tierce at 12@12½.

FEATHERS—we note sales of prime western, on arrival, at 45 but only in small lots; from store they are held in the small way at 50.

FEED—we quote Bran from first hands at 70, Shorts 80, and Middlings at $1,20.

FISH—Mackerel No. 3 are firm at $10,50; and hf do at $5,50. Halifax Herring $5,50@$6,00, and Baltimore do, o $6,00. Lake Superior White $9,00@10,00 ℔ bbl; hf do, $4,50@$5,00; Trout, $8,50 ℔ bbl; do hf do, $4,50.

FLOUR—there is, for the present, a better supply from first hands, and sales were made yesterday from wharf at $4,75 for super, $5,00 for extra, and $5,25 for family do. From store, the ruling rates are $5,00 for super, $5,25 for extra, and $5,40@5,50 for family do. Rye Flour, sales from first hands at $4,00, and from store, at $4,25.

GRAIN—there is a scarcity of OATS, which stiffens the market, and sales were making yesterday at 46, on arrival, the feed stores taking about all that can be had. CORN also is scarce; sales were made yesterday both on arrival and to arrive at 70@75, and the demand quite exceeded the supply. RYE is in regular demand, and the receipts are promptly taken at 73. BARLEY is in moderate demand at 60 for choice Spring, and 65 for choice Fall, inferior lots bringing 50@55. WHEAT, sales at 90 for Mediterranean, 95 for Red, and $1 for White, and not much offering.

GROCERIES—the maket is nearly bare of Sugar and Molasses; Sales of Sugar to retail and country trade at 8½@9, and Molasses at 45@48. Coffee remains firm at 12@12½, and Rice at 5@5½.

GAS PIPE—the following are the quotations for wrought iron tubing:

	Per Foot.		Per Foot.
⅛ Inch Gas Pipe	7 cts.	1½ Inch Gas Pipe	32 cts
¼ " "	8 "	2 " "	50 "
⅜ " "	9½ "	2½ " "	90 "
½ " "	10½ "	3 " "	1,30 "
¾ " "	13 "	3½ " "	1,60 "
1 " "	17½ "	4 " "	1,90 "
1¼ " "	26 "		

Subject to the customary discount.

HAY—A fair supply at scales, and sales of new at $9@$12 ℔ ton.

HOMINY—a regular inquiry from the retail trade, and sales of common at $6,00, and choice Pearl at $7,00.

HIDES—Green Beef Hides are firm at 6 and Calf at 10; green salted Hides have advanced to 8½@8¾; Dry Flint Hides are scarce, and we advance our figures to 17½@18.

HOGS—are coming in freely, and the packing houses are busily at work; we note sales outside of the cattle market of 2,000 head at 4½@5, gross, and regular sales of dressed at 5 for small and 5¾ for large.

IRON & NAILS—there is a very light demand, but said rates are unchanged, and we repeat our quotations:

IRON, &C.		BOILER IRON.	
Common Bar Iron per lb	2¾	Per pound	6½
Juniata "	4¼	HOOP IRON.	
Iron Plow Wings "	4½	1½ inch ℔ lb	4½
" " Slabs "	4	1¼ "	4½
NAILS.		1 "	4½
10d to 15d Nails ℔ keg	3,50	¾ "	5½
8d to 9d " Brads		NAIL RODS.	
& Fence Nails ℔ keg	3,75	Best quality	6¼
6d & 7d "	4,25	ROUND AND SQUARE.	
5d "	4,50	¾ Inch ℔ lb	3¾
4d "	4,75	⅝ "	3¾
3d "	5,75	½ "	4
2d "	7,00	⅜ "	4¼
Cut Spikes 3 to 4½ inch	4,25	FLAT BAR.	
" 5 to 6	4,75	Horse Shoe 1 by ⅜ 7-16 and ½ inch	3½
Wro't Spikes ½ inch all lengths	6¼	Dandy Tire, 1¼ by ⅜, 7-16 and ½ inch	3¼
" 5-16 "	5¾	Saddle Tree 1¼ and 1⅜ by 3-16 and ¼ in	
" "	5½	do " ¾, 1 and 1¼ by 3-16 & ¼ in	4½
Boiler Rivets ℔ lb	6¼		
SHEET IRON.			
Nos. 13, 14, 15, 16 & 17 ℔ lb	4¼		
" 18, 20, 22 & 24	5		
" 26	5½		

LEATHER—the tendency is to an advance, and we correct our figures to suit: [illegible]
Red Spanish Sole ℔ lb [illegible]
Slaughter " " [illegible]

Upper Leather ℔ doz	$30@39
Bridle " "	$38@42
Skirting Leather ℔ lb	$38@42
Harness	29@32

LARD—some small sales of country have been made at 9½; city No. 1 is held firmly at 11.

OIL—there is a regular inquiry for Lard No. 1 at 82½@85; in Linseed we can hear of no sales, and quote nominal at 83@85.

POTATOES—the supply is limited, and the demand steady, in consequence of which prices have advanced; choice New York Neshannocks are selling at 90, and Reds and mixed at 80.

SEEDS—no Clover offering to any extent, but a few small lots have been picked up at $5,00. It is plain that these figures are too low, as they do not bring in receipts. Timothy is bought steadily at $1,50@1,60 ℔ bus, as in quality, and Flaxseed at $1,55@1,60.

SALT—we note a fair demand, and sales of No. 1 in the regular way at $1,60.

WINDOW GLASS—prices are firm, and we repeat our quotations for the small sizes, city make:—5x8 and 7x9, $3,00; 8x10, $3,75; 8x11 to 9x11 and 9x12 to 10x12, $4,25; 8x13 to 9x13 and 9x14 to 10x15, $4,50. These are net cash prices; country brands range 50 cents ℔ box less. For the succeeding medium sizes, 10 ℔ cent discount off.

WHITE LEAD—firm and in steady demand at $2,50 ℔ keg for pure in oil, and dry 9c ℔ lb, subject to the usual discount. Red Lead 8½@9, net, and Litharge 8½.

WHISKEY—Small sales of Raw at 23, and Rectified at 24@25.

RIVER NEWS.

As we supposed would be the case, the river was rising rapidly yesterday, and at dusk there were 4 feet by pier and rising. We believe Providence intends to favor us, and that the river will not freeze up, to some part at least of the millions of bushels of coal now waiting a rise, shall have got out from the locks and reached the market. There is no trouble now about steamers making their trips.

The Emma Graham, Capt. Monroe Ayres, the ever punctual Zanesville packet, was at the levee yesterday, and will be there until precisely 4 o'clock this evening, when she will leave on a safe trip. She is the only regular packet to the Muskingum River........The Marmora, Capt. Brennan, arrived from Cincinnati yesterday, with a fine load, and the Rochester, Capt. Neare.

The Emma Graham, as we have stated above, will leave to-day........The Dr. Kane left for St. Louis on Sunday. She had not, however proceeded far, when she broke her shaft, and was obliged to put back. The new shaft is already made, and she will be able to leave this afternoon for St. Louis. She is in good hands with Capt. Shuman.

The Economy, Boltzhoover, will leave this day for Cincinnati.

The Commerce will also leave, without fail, for St. Louis. She is an excellent boat, and no better commander than hers can be found.

This, we believe, completes the movement at our wharf yesterday. It rained all day Sunday, and yet the ground is covered with snow. The rain was falling with the temperature so near the freezing point that the snow melted but little.

The mails having changed, we shall not receive the Cincinnati papers hereafter, until the next day after their publication.

It rained last night at midnight.

The Wheeling Times of Saturday says:

"The Woodside, in endeavoring to back out from the levee yesterday, got foul of the Emma Dean. The Dean's jackstaff and gallows frame were carried away, while the Woodside's cook house stairs were smashed into an indefinite number of infinitesimal pieces."

There is about 5½ feet water from this to Keokuk, and probably a clear river to Dubuque. The principal arrivals on Thursday and yesterday, were as follows: Monongahela, on one wheel; will be repaired forthwith; Gladiator, with a fair trip from New Orleans; W. I. Maclay, Empire City and Sir Wm. Wallace, from Ohio river. The latter had a very troublesome trip, and being damaged in her hull, will be repaired. She located above the upper ferry landing; Philadelphia, from Memphis; Victoria, from St. Joseph; Belfast, Orion, Brunette, &c. The Progress, from Lasalle, will go to New Orleans, and from thence, perhaps, up Red river.—[Mo. Democrat.]

HAND DROWNED.—We learn that John Hayer, a hand engaged on the R. M. Patton No. 2, was accidentally drowned, just below Hamburg, on the Tennessee river. He fell between the steamer and the wood flat, and disappeared forever. He shipped in this city and was an Irishman.

The Mary Cook, on going out of the canal, yesterday, floated down on the Eolian, at Portland, and smashed in her guards somewhat. This detained her until to-day, to repair.—[Lou. Cour.

Steamboat Register.

ARRIVED.	DEPARTED.
Luzerne, Brownsville.	Luzerne, Brownsville
Telegraph, do.	Telegraph, do.
Colonel Bayard, Elizabeth.	Col. Bayard, Elizabeth
Emma Graham, Zanesville.	Dr. Kane, St. Louis.
Marmora, Cincinnati.	
Rochester, Cincinnati.	RIVER—4 feet and rising.

Telegraphic Markets.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Cotton firm; sales 2000 bales; upland middlings 12¼. Flour heavy; sales 9500 bbls. Wheat heavy; 30,000 bus sold; Southern red $1 20; Michigan red 1 22@1 23. Corn heavy; 33,000 bus sold. Mess Pork advanced 10c; sales at $17 40@17 50 for old, and $17,62 for new. Beef heavy. Whisky steady at 24c. Stocks: Chicago R. R. 61½; Reading 51; Milwaukie & Miss. 12; Canton Co. 20¾.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—Flour dull, steady and accumulating; 5,000 bbls superfine sold at $5 to 5 12½, and extras at $5 50 to $5 75. Rye Flour dull at $4, and Corn Meal at $3,37½. Wheat continues to come forward slowly, but very little demand for it; 3000 bus good red sold at $1 25@1 26. Rye wanted at 79@80. Old yellow Corn scarce and in demand at 90; 2000 bus new sold at 70@77. Oats steady at 45@46. Provisions held firmly; sales of Mess Pork at $17 75; dead hogs arriving freely and sell at 6@6¼. Lard selling at 10½c in bbls and 11½ for keg. Whisky looking up; 500 bbls Ohio sold at 25, and now held at 26.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 29.—Flour unchanged, with a fair local demand. Whisky firm; 1100 bbls sold at 23. Hogs rather dull and, for light, the prices at the close were nominal; sales 2000 head at $6 25@6 50 for light and $6 75@7 for heavy; receipts 7000 head within the last 48 hours. A large business was done in Mess Pork for January and February delivery at $17, with sales of 7000 bbls. Lard is held at 11c for future delivery, and it is understood some sales were made at this rate. Bulk and Green Meats are dull; the former is quotable at 6¼@8¼, the latter for packing. Money in active demand; Exchange dull but not quotably lower. The weather continues cloudy and cool.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 29.—Flour steady; sales trifling. Wheat steady; red $1 10@1 23; white $1 35 to $1 45. Corn is unchanged, with large receipts. Provisions firm. Whisky firm at 25@25½c.

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