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PITTSBURGH:
WEDNESDAY MORNING, DEC. 8, 1858.

☞We have been at a loss to discover why the President so assiduously withheld his Message from the press. After reading it over we are not at all surprised that he should be ashamed of it enough to hold it back as long as possible

☞We are indebted to our neighbors of the Post for advance copies of the Message. The accommodating young man, PITTOCK, furnished us with an early paper, also, though not containing the message.

☞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. Dr. Krauth.

ARGUMENT FOR A NEW TRIAL IN THE CASE OF CHRISTIAN JACOBY.—Mr. Howard, for the prisoner, who was in Court, stated that as to the constitutional objection, he was there to urge that, in arrest of judgment. The other points upon which he would touch would be addressed to the discretion of the Court.
On the first, he quoted 1st Ash. 284. Com. vs. Gross. This seemed to bear against Mr. Howard, because, as he said, ever since 1792 the construction given by the courts to the clause on which he relied in the constitution had been in favor of holding the local court of Oyer & Terminer, even though the Supreme Court might be in session at the same time and in the same county. In the case above quoted, Judge Tighlman had, in a private note to Judge Hallowell given his opinion that the clause in the constitution meant to restrict the trial in the local court, when at the same time and place the Supreme Court was sitting as a Court of Oyer & Terminer.
Mr. Howard remarked that it was singular how such a construction could be given in view of the express words of the constitution that "the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas shall not hold a court of Oyer & Terminer or general jail delivery while the Judges of the Supreme Court or any of them are sitting in the same county." At the time of the trial of Jacoby, the Judges of the Supreme Court were in session in this county and were trying the civil list for this county. With these remarks he left the point with the court.
Mr. Howard then passed to the exceptions taken at the time of the trial. He had objected on the trial to the clothing found on the dead body previous to a description from the witness. It is a rule of law that a party calling a witness, shall not ask him a leading question. The exhibition of the article of clothing before it has been described, is itself a leading question. After the articles on the identification of which this case turned had been placed in the hands of witnesses, the chance of the defence in cross-examination was gone.
Mr. Howard then referred to the questions put by the Commonwealth to the matron of the Orphans' Home. The question was—Are the children of Christian Jacoby at the Orphans' Home, etc.? And in this it is assumed that they were children of Jacoby! To this point he quoted 1st W. & S. 248; 5th W. & S. 336.
The next objection was the handing of the ear-ring to a witness and asking if such an ornament was worn by Mrs. Jacoby. This was a leading question. The case is similar to that of handing a letter to a witness when it is not allowed to read the letter until it is proved where it came from, and whether the witness knows the signature.
Respecting the identity of the body, Mr. Howard dwelt for some time on the facts and reviewed all the points he had submitted at the time of the trial, after he had concluded—
Mr. Collier said that most of the argument which Mr. Howard had just made had all been made before to the jury, and they had decided on it. He would not answer those arguments. He said as to the question of jurisdiction the Supreme Court had just given a decision, touching this point. The case of Kelly, last week, went into the Supreme Court and asked them to try Kelly. They refused to do it. They gave no written answer to the petition, but simply sitting in bank refused it. Mr. Collier and Mr. Townsend, had left the Court to try Kelly, which he has done.
He answered the parity of reasoning between the showing of an ear-ring and of a letter to a witness; the argument bears against the defence, for in the case of the letter, you say—Do you know such or such a man's signature? Yes: Is that his signature? The answer is yes or no, as the case may be, and if yes, the letter is placed in the hands of the witness and the question put—Is that it?
Mr. Siebenick then made a few remarks. Mr. Howard answering a question of the Court, said he had noted no particular objection to the charge of the Judge, but objected generally to the whole. Mr. Collier said he wished his objection to such a course to be made a matter of record for the consideration of the Supreme Court, if the case should go there, and here the case ended for the present.

OFFICE OF THE ALBAI WORKS,
EAST TARENTUM, Dec. 6, 1858.
To the Editors of the Pittsburgh Gazette, Gentlemen:
A notice appeared in your paper of the 29th ult. stating that Mr. C. W. Bodey had been appointed chemist of this company. This notice was unauthorized, and entirely erroneous—Mr. Henry Pemberton of Philadelphia, has had for some time the direction and responsibility of the chemical department of these works. Mr. Bodey was selected by him to assist in the details and routine of the laboratory. My absence from the works prevented my noticing this earlier, which I am now forced to do, to prevent our customers inferring (from the notice in your paper,) that Mr. Pemberton has no longer the superintendence of the chemical department here. Yours truly,
GEORGE THOMPSON,
Treasurer and Secretary Penna. S. M. Co.
We regret that we were led into the mistake here indicated. Our information was perhaps explain his agency in the matter.—EDS. GAZETTE.

THE LECTURE AND READING.—At the possible risk of seeming officious to some of our readers, we are determined that no one, through fault of ours, shall be deprived of the pleasure of hearing Mr. Geo. Vandenhoff. We therefore remind our readers that he is to give his first lecture under the auspicies of the Mercantile Library Association, at Lafayette Hall, to-morrow evening. The hall will no doubt be crowded with the beauty and fashion of the city, and we hope such a reception will cause the committee to engage Mr. V. for a few evenings of Shakespearian readings.

MATRIMONY—AN EXTRA LECTURE.—To-night, Prof. Fowler will repeat his lecture on the very interesting subject of "our social relations"—Who should and who should not marry—the right age—courtship, its causes and cures—beauty and fashion, together with many other remarks which are of interest to both sexes. After which, there will be an examination of such citizens as shall be selected by the audience.

RAILROAD ELECTION.—At a meeting of the stockholders of the Pittsburgh & Connellsville Railroad Company, on Monday, the following Directors were elected for the ensuing year: B. H. Latrobe, President; Thos. Bakewell, Joseph Pennock, C. H. Paulson, Wm. Phillips, Alex. Miller, Daniel R. Davidson, Cyrus Elder, Markle, Benjamin Bedford, Wm. F. Murdoch, Jno. Watt, Jos. W. Woodwell. Secretary and Treasuaer, A. L. Russell.

MONONGAHELA INSURANCE CO.—This excellent company elected Directors yesterday for the coming year. The following is the new board: James A. Hutchison, Wm. B. Holmes, Robert Dalzell, Wm. Rea, Joseph Kirkpatrick, Wm. A. Caldwell, Wilson Miller, Jno. M'Devitt and Geo. A. Berry. The board are the same as last year with the exception of Mr. Kirkpatrick, who fills the place of Mr. T. S. Clark, resigned. Henry M. Atwood, the well known and amiable Secretary, still continues at his post.

NOTICE.—Much news and local matter, together with editorial and selected articles, lie over to-night necessarily. The reason is obvious to any of our readers who will glance at the ponderous message of our President, which we solemnly advise every body to read to-day, and, having little else in the usual newspaper line, to ponder with becoming care. We present