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PITTSBURGH:

WEDNESDAY MORNING, DEC. 28, 1859.

Republican County Convention.

The Republicans of Allegheny County are requested to meet in their respective election districts on SATURDAY, 31st December, and elect two delegates from each to a County Convention, which will meet at the Court House on WEDNESDAY, January 4th, to elect seven delegates to represent this county in the State Convention which meets at Harrisburg, on the 22d of February, 1860. The meeting in the townships will be held between 2 and 4 o'clock P. M.; in the cities and boroughs between 7 and 9 o'clock P. M. JOHN M. KIRKPATRICK, Chairman.

H. HOLZ, Secretary.

Republican County Mass Meeting.

A Mass Meeting of the Republicans of the county will be held at Lafayette Hall, on WEDNESDAY NIGHT, the 4th of January, at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of organizing a Republican County club for 1860. The Republicans of the county generally are invited to attend. [d]

CITY POLITICS.—The Democratic Convention met yesterday and nominated ALEX. MCILWAINE for Mayor, ALEX. HUNTER for Controller, and J. D. MORELAND for Treasurer.

There was no contest for any office but that of Mayor. No one seemed to desire the nominations for Controller and Treasurer, except those upon whom they were conferred—an evidence that the contest for those offices was considered hopeless.

Mr. MCILWAINE has been for years engaged as auctioneer in the house of P. M. (now J. O.) Davis. He is a clever, well-informed man, but a bitter partisan; and he makes such a model auctioneer that it seems a pity to take him from an employment for which he is so well fitted. He is an administration, pro-slavery democrat, and as such has the hearty sympathy of all the government officials.

Mr. HUNTER, the nominee for Controller, we have known for several years. He was for a long time in business in this city, but is not now, we believe, engaged in mercantile pursuits. He is a genial, good-natured democrat, but not good looking enough to come in, just now.

Of Mr. MORELAND, the candidate for Treasurer, we know nothing whatever. His running, however, is a merely nominal thing, as no one expects him to defeat Mr. Eichbaum.

There was one phrase in Mr. M'Elwaine's speech, *accepting* the nomination for Mayor which ought to give pause to every one engaged in the internecine war now raging in our ranks in this city. After chuckling over the prospect of success afforded him by our divisions he said that if elected, he would not be "cribbed, cabined and confined" to the mere duties of the office, but would use it for the benefit of his party, and exercise its power and patronage, to the extent of his ability, for the purpose of building it up.

The Republicans of the city have thus fair notice, in advance, what they may expect if they suffer Mr. M'Elwaine to be elected through their feuds. An important Presidential election is coming on—the most important ever yet held; and in that election shall we have a Democratic Mayor in this Republican city, wielding the power and influence of the office against us?

That such *will* be the case, if this feud is not healed, we do not say; but such is the calculation of our enemies; and if they succeed according to their expectations, there is not a Republican in the city who will not go mourning through the streets through all the coming year, regretting that such a result was not prevented in time.

We commend this view of the subject to every sincere Republican in the city. The great object of all such, under present circumstances, should be to place the interests of the party above all merely personal considerations, and make every thing bend to the one great and ever-desirable object—the defeat of the common enemy. Every thing for principles, nothing for men. It may be very pleasant for Mr. M'Elwaine to lick his lips at thought of the savory repast before him; but there is many a slip between the cup and the lip; and the Republicans of Pittsburgh can, if they will, dash the expectant cup from his lips, and the more readily since he has so openly taunted them with what he means to do against them—if he gets the chance.

KANSAS.—Full returns of the late election in Kansas have not been received; but enough counties have been heard from to insure the election of the whole Republican State ticket by from 2,500 to 3,000 majority. The Republicans will be almost wholly Republican. Leavenworth and Doniphan are the only counties which elect Democratic members. The victory is the most complete and signal one of the series through which that State has lately passed. It evinces the deep hold which the principles of the Republican party have taken in the hearts of the people, and reiterates in the strongest possible manner, the utter loathing and contempt which the people of Kansas feel for the corrupt and bogus democracy.

The democratic majority in the Senate, it is said, are determined not to admit Kansas at this session. Very good. We are content to go to the people on that issue. Let the democrats of that body use their temporary power to keep her out, solely because she comes as a Free State, and we can desire nothing better to go to the people of the North upon. Let them do it at their peril.

The original copy of the Constitution adopted by the people of Kansas has been put into the hands of the President, with a request that he would communicate it to Congress. He did this in the case of Oregon; but in this case he declined promising to do so. He, too, is in the conspiracy against Kansas because she is free. So let it be.

SLAVERY IN NEBRASKA.—The Omaha *Nebraskian*, the locofoco mouthpiece of the Administration in that territory, thus bemoans itself over the passage of a bill to prohibit Slavery therein:

"The bill to prohibit and abolish slavery in this Territory, passed the House on Saturday last, with the word "abolish" stricken out. Eight Democrats voted for the bill, and seventeen against it. We indulge in no strictures, much as we deplore the result. The bill has passed one House, *and it is regarded by at least nine-tenths of the community as a Republican victory*—the Republicans themselves so regard it.

It is said that the bill cannot pass the Council; we certainly hope that it will not, but since its passage in a Democratic House, a similar movement in the Council would not occasion surprise."

THE call for a National Convention issued by the Republican National Committee, appears to give very general satisfaction. We have seen no complaint against it in any quarter. In its terms it is broad, comprehensive and liberal, including all who are disposed to unite on common grounds against the Administration; and as it is expressly names the existing organizations in Pennsylvania and New Jersey, there can be nothing to prevent the maintenance of those organizations and a triumph, under them, in the Presidential election.

THE Democratic State Convention has been called to meet at Reading, on the 29th of February—one week after the Opposition Convention.

MINNESOTA REPUBLICAN SENATOR.—The Legislature of Minnesota on the 15th elected the Hon. Morton S. Wilkinson to the Senate of the United States for the term of six years from March 4th, 1860, in the place of Senator Shields, whose term expired at that time. The vote stood: Wilkinson, 70; Shields, 33; Gov. Gorman 1, Four Democrats absent.

The election of Mr. Wilkinson gives great satisfaction to the triumphant Republican party throughout the State. The contest for the nomination in caucus was animated, but in the best feeling. Senator Wilkinson has been a citizen of Minnesota for ten years, and resides at Mankato, in the South western part of the State, a section strongly Republican. He took an active part in organizing the party, served several terms in the Territorial Legislature, and was nominated by the Republican State Convention two years ago for Congress. The new Senator is described by the St. Paul Democrat "as a Republican of the extreme Seward School," and is therefore just such a representative of young Minnesota as the crisis demands.

THE NEW SENATOR FROM TEXAS.—L. T. Wigfall, just elected U. S. Senator from TEXAS, is said to be a man of considerable ability, and a fine orator. After his election he made a very conservative speech. He announced his opposition to the re-opening of the slave trade, and against a slave code for the territories. He would vote against both. He would support James Buchanan's administration as long as Mr. Buchanan stood on the democratic platform.

MR. FILLMORE'S UNION SAVING LETTER.—The letter of Mr. Fillmore to the New York Union Meeting, in concise language and a frank, manly spirit, places the whole question before the country in its true light. Such a letter, at such a crisis, will do much towards stripping the veil away from eyes which it is intended, by false issues and false pretenses, to blind.

The following extracts from Mr. Fillmore's letter rebuke, justly and severely, the cunning, hypocritical dough-face mouthings of O'Conor, Hunt and Dix:

"After a severe struggle, which threatened the integrity of the Union, Congress finally passed laws settling these questions; and the Government and the people for a time seemed to acquiesce in that compromise as a final settlement of this exciting question; and it is exceedingly to be regretted that mistaken ambition or the hope of promoting a party triumph should have tempted any one to raise this question again.

But an evil hour this Pandora's box of Slavery was again opened by what I conceive to be an unjustifiable attempt to force slavery into Kansas by a repeal of the Missouri Compromise and the floods of evil now swelling and threatening to overthrow the Constitution, and sweep away the foundation of the Government itself, and deluge this land with fraternal blood, may all be traced to this unfortunate act. Whatever might have been the motive, few note have ever been so barren of good, and so fruitful of evil.

The contest has exasperated the public mind, North and South, and engendered feelings of distrust, and, I may say, hate, that I fear it will take years to wear away. The lamentable tragedy at Harper's Ferry is clearly traceable to this unfortunate controversy about slavery in Kansas, and while the chief actor in this criminal invasion has exhibited some traits of character that challenge our admiration, yet his fanatical zeal seems to have blinded his moral perceptions, and hurried him into an unlawful attack upon the lives of a peaceful and unoffending community in a sister State, with the evident intention of raising a servile insurrection; which no one can contemplate without horror; and few, I believe very few, can be found so indifferent to the consequences of his acts, or so blinded by fanatical zeal, as not to believe that he justly suffered the penalty of the law which he had violated.

I can not, but hope that the fate of John Brown and his associates, will deter all others from any unlawful attempt to interfere in the domestic affairs of a sister State. But this tragedy has now closed, and Virginia has vindicated the supremacy of her laws, and shown that she is quite competent to manage her own affairs, and protect her own rights. And thanks to an Overruling Providence, this question about slavery in Kansas is now also settled, and settled in favor of freedom. The North has triumphed, and having triumphed, let her, by her magnanimity and generosity to her Southern brethren, show that the contest on her part was one of principle, and not of personal hatred, or the low ambition of a sectional triumph.

Finally, if I had the power to speak, and there were any disposed to listen to my counsel, I would say to my brethren of the South: Be not alarmed, for there are few, very few, at the North who would justify in any manner an attack upon the institutions of the South which are guaranteed by the Constitution. We are all anti-Slavery in sentiment, but we know that we have nothing to do with it in the several States, and we do not intend to interfere with it.

And I would say to my brethren of the North, respect the rights of the South; assure them by your acts that you regard them as friends and brethren. And I will conjure all in the name of all that is sacred, to let this agitation cease with the cause which have produced it. Let harmony be restored between the North and the South, and let every patriot rally around our national flag and swear upon the altar of his country to sustain and defend it.

I am, with great respect,
Your obedient servant,
MILLARD FILLMORE

MORE OF THE "IRREPRESSIBLE CONFLICT."—The Southern madcaps are doings their best to keep it up. The Memphis *Argus* of the 14th relates with great glee that a Northern passenger was pitched headlong from the cars while in motion on the Tennessee Central Railroad a few days before, for venturing to converse in condemnation of slavery with the passengers, who seized him by the collar, then kicked him to the floor and off the platform. The *Argus* says—"We did not learn that the rascal broke his neck by the fall, but if such was the case, the country hasn't experienced any very great loss.

Another brutal outrage is recorded in South Carolina. Mr. James Powers, a workman on the new State House at Columbia, was arrested for using seditious language, and lodged in jail. Mr. Powers, a white mechanic, was taken out of jail by the slave aristocracy, whipped thirty-nine lashes by a negro at their instance, and after that, was covered by a thick coat of tar and feathers, said sent to Charleston and lodged in the guard house, for safety and examination. The Charleston *Courier* says:

In the name of Charleston we protest against such deputations, from Columbia, and in the name of law and order, and the fame of South Carolina, we protest against such acts and such modes of punishment, for offenses which are nuisance covered by our statutes.

Virginia also keeps pushing on the "conflict." A Mr. Mills, a gentleman who takes orders for fruit trees in the summer and who has transacted business in the State for several years, was driven out a few days since *sans ceremonie*, while engaged in his vocation near Charleston, on the Kanawha, river. The beauty of the thing is that Mr. M. is a Democrat of the pro-slavery type.

We are told by a gentleman just from Kanawha valley, that there are three Northerners in jail there on suspicion of holding opinions not in unison with the sentiments prevailing in that region, though they had expressed no such feelings, "This is a great country!"

THE LATE RUN OF COAL.—We are told that a more fortunate run of coal (with regard to accident) was never before made upon these waters, than that upon the late rise. We have only been able to learn the following losses. Mr. Samuel Clark lost one boat near the Falls, at Louisville; M. Rupert & Co. lost one boat, by being run into while lying at Louisville; and one gale, owner unknown, was lost by striking one of the piers of the Birmingham bridge, while leaving Lock No. 1. This unparalleled success in getting 198 out of 200 pairs of boats to market, is so much greater than was ever before knew that it is a common subject of remark.

Should another rise occur this winter, nearly as great an amount will be sent down; as much coal yet remains here, awaiting the necessary rise, pilots and hands to run the boats. But it appears that markets below are over stocked already, and that sales are made with difficulty and at very low figures.

This is good news for the consumers of coal in the lower country, but proves the justness of our remarks of last week—that a portion of the coal mined in this region must be consumed at home, in manufactories, or such a depreciation of prices will take place, in the town river markets as will seriously effect the prosperity of, not only the mining business, but all other business of our locality.

It seems to us that this is one of those plain questions that needs but to be propounded to be acquiesced in. Let us convert our coal into motive power for machinery, and a steady permanent demand for it will arise.—*M'Keesport Weekly.*

We took occasion yesterday to visit the oil well at Mr. Hilands' and were informed by him that they had struck three veins of oil, the first one at the depth of 25 feet from the surface, the depth of the other two we do not remember. They are still boring, not having obtained, as they think, sufficient oil to pay for working. We have no doubt this will yield an abundance of oil, even now, but especially if they sink it to the depth of 75 or 80 feet.

A gentleman of Youngstown, Ohio, has bought the claim of Mr. Welsh, near the "old Walnut tree," in this place, and will soon be boring in earnest.

The company that is working near the Graveyard, have got their engine up and will soon be boring.

The company that are boring near the mill have sunk their well to the depth of about 133 feet, they will soon have their engine in operation.

We were informed, a few days since, that there were 22 engines in operation, or soon would be, in the oil regions in this county. This is no humbug—14 of these were landed at the wharf, in this place—the rest were brought in by land, from different localities.—*Franklin (Venango Co.) Citizen.*

THINKS BETTER OF IT.—The Richmond *Enquirer* has "thought better of it," and will now wait for non-intercourse with the North till the rest of the South gets ready. It says that "if any State casts itself off from commercial intercourse with the North, it *subjects its people to inconvenience and want*, which may be quietly submitted to during such an excitement as that which at present exists; but *when that excitement has worn off, the people will no longer submit to an inconvenience* from which the Southern States are exempt.

Another Richmond paper, the *Morning News*, pithily says: "*We understand the demagogues very well—with them disunion means Democratic success.*"

MR. BRECKINRIDGE AND MR. DOUGLAS.—The Vice President has been making a speech to the Legislature which has just honored him with Mr. Crittenden's seat in the Senate. Mr. Breckenridge is usually a florid orator and a non-committal statesman, but this time he seems to have come down to facts sufficiently to scout the Douglas heresies regarding slavery in the Territories, in decided terms. He regarded the doctrine of "unfriendly legislation" as a swindle, and said that if the people of the Territories should neglect to afford the protection due to slave property it would be the duty of Congress to correct their errors at once.

ADVANTAGES OF ADVERTISING.—The denunciations of Harper's Impending Crisis in the Democratic papers have helped that book to an increase circulation. It was hardly heard of before. Now, however, it is in requisition everywhere. The Philadelphia correspondent of the N. Y Tribune writes: "The demand here was totally different from that which ordinarily prevails for new books. Instead of a single copy, purchasers call for them by dozens and hundreds for country circulation. Clubs were formed in the interior, taking copies enough to supply a whole town. A single individual took 700 for gratuitous distribution. Multitudes of them have gone down to Delaware, and still larger quantities have gone and are still going into Maryland, enough, before the current that way ceases, to inoculate the whole State

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DIED—On Sabbath morning, Dec. 19, at the house of her brother-in-law, Thomas H. Elliott, M. D., in Allegheny city, after a lingering illness, POLLY DELAMERE, youngest daughter of the late Col. James Kinnear and Jane Hale Kinnear, of Franklin, Pa.

New Advertisements.

DOLLAR SAVINGS BANK,

NO. 65 FOURTH STREET

Deposits made with this Bank before the

FIRST DAY OF DECEMBER,

Will draw Interest from that date.

de28:2td CHAS. A. COLTON, Treasurer.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

WAS READ ON TUESDAY,

And will be published entire in this day's

Morning Post,

Which has received an

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de28:1td TELEGRAPH.

AMANDINE.—It is a positive preventive and cure for chapped hands and roughness of the skin. The rapidity of its effect is wonderful, the majority of cases yielding to two or three applications. For sale by S. JOHNSTON, corner Smithfield and Fourth sts.
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FOR RENT—The Store Room, No. 53 Market street, with Dwelling house and present occupied by Mrs. N Barker. Possession given on April 1st.
de28 S. CUTHBERT & SON, 51 Market st.

ROCK CANDY—25 boxes White;
25 do do White;
25 do do Yellow;
Just received and for sale by
de28 HEYNER & ANDERSON, 29 Wood st., opposite the St. Charles Hotel.

ALCOHOL—50 bbls. for sale by
de28 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO., corner of First and Wood sts.

CARB. AMMONIA—5 casks for sale by
de28 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO., corner of First and Wood sts.

COLGATE'S PALM SOAP—30 boxes for sale by
de28 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO., corner of First and Wood sts.

WANTED—A Scholarship in Duff's College, of Pittsburgh. Inquire this week at 85 Fifth street.
de28:1td R. S. FIELD.

SUNDRIES—450 bbls choice brands Extra Family Flour; 20 tons Shorts. Also, Extra and Superfine Flour, Oats, Cornmeal, Baled Hay, Onions, White Beans, in store and for sale by
de28 GULP & SHEPARD, 315 Liberty street.

50 BBLS PRIME CUBA MOLASSES—
de28 on consignment—in store and for sale by GRAFF & VAN GORDER, 114 Second st.

LARD—20 bbls. No. 1 Lard, consigned in and for sale by GRAFF & VAN GORDER,
de28 No. 114 second street.

HICKORY NUTS—50 bush. this day rec'd and for sale by HENRY H. COLLINS.

CHEESE—200 boxes prime Cutting, for sale by HENRY H. COLLINS.
de28

LIME—200 bbls. fresh, for sale by
de28 HENRY H. COLLINS.

FLOUR! FLOUR!—1200 bbls arriving and for sale by HITCHCOCK, McGREERY & CO.

WHEAT! WHEAT!—1200 bush. Spring Wheat, at depot and for sale by
de28 HITCHCOCK, McGREERY & CO.

CORN—2500 bush Shelled and Ear Corn for sale by HITCHCOCK, McGREERY & CO.
de28

POTATOES—250 bush. for sale by
de28 HITCHCOCK, McGREERY & CO.

LARD OIL—10 bbls. Winter Strained, for sale by GRAFF & VAN GORDER.
de28

DRY APPLES—175 bush prime Dry Apples, for sale by GRAFF & VAN GORDER.

EGGS—5 bbls fresh Eggs, in store and for sale by GRAFF & VAN GORDER.

ROLL BUTTER—A choice article daily arriving and for sale by J. D. CANFIELD & CO.

PEACHES AND APPLES—
25 sacks Dried Peaches—halves;
25 do do Apples.
In store and for sale by de26 J. D. CANFIELD & CO.

FLOUR—Extra, Extra Family and Fancy all choice brands, in store and for sale by
de26 J. D. CANFIELD & CO.

POTASH—6 cases prime Potash just rec'd and for sale by W. MACKOWN, 167 Liberty st.
de26

MACE—2 cases for sale by
de26 W. MACKOWN, 167 Liberty st.

PETROLEUM GREASE—The most economical and efficient lubricator now in use, for sale by
de26 W. MACKOWN, 167 Liberty st.

WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP for sale by B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO., Corner First and Wood streets.
de26

SALTPETRE—60 kegs refined for sale by
de26 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO., corner of First and Wood streets.

HULL'S PALM SOAP—20 grs. for sale by
de26 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO., corner of Wood and First streets.

EGGS—5 bbls, fresh Eggs just rec'd and for sale by JAMES A. FETZER,
de26 corner Market and First sts.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—100 sacks, 50 lbs. each, choice Buckwheat Flour, just rec'd and for sale by J. A. FETZER, cor Market and First sts.

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de23:1md BEN. F. CAWTHON.

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Bank Statements.

Statement of the Bank of Pittsburgh,
PITTSBURGH, Dec 26th, 1859

MEANS.

Loans, Bills and Discounts	$1,720,551 97
Real Estate and Ground Rents	34,765 75
Stocks and Miscellaneous	4,949 04
Due by other Banks	16,008 66
Bank Notes & Checks	43,755 00
Specie (gold and silver)	226,912 28
	$2,187,951 80

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$1,142,700 00
Profits and Earnings	17,729 61
Unpaid Dividends and Suspense Acc't.	5,067 62
Due to other Banks	64,684 69
Circulation	787,551 00
Deposits	141,021 93
	$2,187,951 85

The above statement is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. JOHN HARPER, Cashier.
Sworn to and subscribed this 26th Dec., 1859, before me
de28 S. SMITH, Notary Public.

Statement of the Iron City Bank,
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 26th, 1859

Capital	$ 400,000 00
Loans and Discounts	681,871 48
Due by other Banks	18,807 75
Notes and Checks of other Banks	43,774 46
Specie	249,243 59
Circulation	296,545 00
Due to other Banks	8,245 00
Due to Depositors	179,931 01

The above statement is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief. JOHN MAGOFFIN, Cash'r.
Affirmed before me, this 26th day of Dec., A. D., 1859
de28 ROBT. FINNEY, Notary Public.

Statement of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Bank of Pittsburgh,
PITTSBURGH, Monday, Dec 26th, 1859.

Circulation	265,647 00
Due Depositors	194,854 27
Due other Banks	103,282 78
Due Commonwealth	1,000 00
Loans and Discounts	530,559 56
Gold	120,255 87
Notes and Checks of other Banks	95,296 61
Due by other Banks	10,684 07

The above statement is correct and true to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. H. DENNY, Cashier.
Sworn and subscribed before me, this 27th day of Dec., A. D., 1859. de29 J. F. MACKENZIE, Notary Public.

Statement of the Mechanics' Bank of Pittsburgh.
MONDAY, Dec. 26th 1859

LIABILITIES.

Circulation	355,925 00
Due to other Banks	29,750 27
Due to Depositors	95,315 29
	$480,990 56

ASSETS.

Bills and Notes Discounted	$454,182 49
Due by other Banks	10,911 92
Notes and Checks of other Banks	22,812 00
Specie in Vault	121,634 80
	7,012,002 20

The above statement is correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief. A. B. HOLMES, President.
Sworn before me this 26th day of Dec., 1859.
de28 LEONARD S. JOHNS, Alderman.

Statement of the Citizens' Bank.
Pittsburgh, Dec. 27th, 1859

ASSETS.

Loans and Discounts	$393,954 94
Coin in Vault	57,234 10
Notes and Checks of other Banks	19,991 01
Due from Banks and Bankers	10,256 90
	$481,436 95

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$140,000 00
Circulation	296,540 00
Individual Deposites	125,850 93
Due to other Banks	16,625 99
	$481,436 95

The above statement is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. E. D. JONES, Cashier.
Affirmed before me this 27th day of Dec., 1859.
de28 J. F. MACKENZIE, Notary Public.

Statement of the Allegheny Bank.
PITTSBURGH, Dec 24th, 1859

ASSETS.

Notes and Bills Discounted	$18,324 03
Due by other Banks	18,320 15
Notes and Checks of other Banks	47,268 56
Coin	106,329 06
	190,241 80

LIABILITIES.

Circulation	281,140 00
Due to other Banks	17,940 13
Individual Deposits	215,705 92
	514,786 05

The above statement is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. W. COOK, Cashier.
Sworn and subscribed before me, this 19th day of Dec., 1859. de23 JOHN F. FINNEY, Notary Public.

PROCLAMATION.—CITY OF PITTSBURGH, ss.—In accordance with the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, providing for the incorporation of the city of Pittsburgh, and of the various supplements to said Act. I, HENRY A. WEAVER, Mayor of said city, do issue this, my proclamation, that on the FIRST TUESDAY IN JANUARY, A. D., 1860, being the 3d day of the month, the "freemen of each ward of said city," qualified to vote for members of the House of Representatives of this Commonwealth, will meet at the several places of holding elections in their respective wards and precincts and elect by ballot, under the provisions of an Act of Assembly, passed the fifteenth day of May, A. D., 1857,

One person to serve as Mayor of said city.
One person to serve as Controller of said city, and
One person to serve as Treasurer of said city.

Each of whom shall hold their office for two years.

On the same day, in conformity to the laws recited and authorities, and also to the ordinances of Councils dividing said city, the citizens of the

First Ward will meet by ballot one person to be a member of the Select Council of said city and three persons to be members of the Common Council.

Second Ward, one person to be a member of the Select and two persons to be members of the Common Council.

Third Ward, one person to be a member of the Select and four persons to be members of the Common Council.

Fourth Ward, one person to be a member of the Select and three persons to be members of the Common Council.

Fifth Ward, one person to be a member of the Select and five persons to be members of the Common Council.

Sixth Ward, one person to be a member of the Select and five persons to be members of the Common Council.

Seventh Ward, one person to be a member of the Select and two persons to be members of the Common Council.

Eighth Ward, one person to be a member of the Select and three persons to be members of the Common Council.

Ninth Ward, one person to be a member of the Select and three persons to be members of the Common Council.

Each of whom shall be qualified to serve as a member of the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth.

At the elections to be holden on TUESDAY, the 3d day of January, A. D., 1860.

The electors of the First Ward will vote at the Public School House in said ward.

The electors of the Second Ward will vote at the Public School House in said ward.

The electors of so much of the Third Ward as lies North of said Ward street, being precinct No. 1 of said ward, will vote at the house of Francis Jamison, on the corner of Sixth and smithfield streets.

The electors of the Third Ward as lies South and East of Grant street, being precinct No 2 of said ward, will vote at the house of James W. Colville, at the corner of Wylie and Tunnel streets.

The electors of the Fourth Ward will vote at the Public School House in said ward.

The electors of so much of the Fifth Ward as lies North and East of Adams street, being precinct No. 1 of said ward, will vote at the Public School House, on Lib rty street, in said precinct.

The electors of so much of the Fifth Ward as lies South and West of Adams street, being precinct No. 2 of said ward, will vote at the Public School House, on the corner of Pike and Walnut street, in said precinct.

The electors of the Sixth Ward will vote at the Public School House in the said ward.

The electors of the Seventh Ward will vote at the Public School House in said ward.

The electors of the Eighth Ward will vote at the Public School House in said ward.

The electors of the Ninth Ward will vote at the Public School House in said ward.

Given under my hand and the seal of the said city of Pittsburgh, the 23d day of December, A. D., 1859.

HENRY A. WEAVER, Mayor.

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