Pittsburgh Gazette.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY.

MONDAY MORNING, APRIL 2, 1860.

CITY AFFAIRS.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations for the *Gazette*, by S. E. Shaw, Optician, 58 Fifth St.—corrected daily:

	IN SUN.	IN SHADE.
9 o'clock A.M.	50	55
12 " M.	59	72
6 " P.M.		62
Barometer		29 1-10

Republican Headquarters for 1860, CORNER WOOD AND FOURTH STS.

☞ *Entrance on Wood street.* ☜

FREE READING ROOMS open every day, (Sundays excepted,) from 9 A.M. to 10 P.M. English, German and Welsh Newspapers from all parts of the Union on file, and Republican Campaign Documents for distribution. The public generally and strangers visiting Pittsburgh are cordially invited to call.

☞ The Executive Committee of the Club meet EVERY WEDNESDAY at the Rooms at 1½ o'clock, P.M.

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THE trial of the Kaye steam fire engine took place on Saturday, on the wharf, before a committee appointed to witness it, consisting of Messrs. O. G. Hussey, John Shoenberger, Jacob Painter and Frank Rahm. This model apparatus excited a great deal of admiration, and we therefore give the result of the trial, as nearly as we could obtain it: Steam was raised and the engine commenced throwing in the space of nine minutes. The water was thrown through a ⅞ths inch nozzle. The weight of the engine (4000 lbs.) is 1600 lbs. less than that of the Niagara hand engine. She was drawn to the wharf by twenty-two men, with ease. At a pressure of 25 lbs. to the inch, she threw a stream horizontally a distance of 255 feet. She raised steam inside of five minutes to 60 lbs., and is capable of raising it to 85 lbs. The wind was adverse, but Mr. Kaye states that throwing with the wind is a disadvantage, as it scatters the stream and retards it rather than assisting it to a greater distance than it would go by the force of the engine. Two streams through ⅞th inch nozzles were thrown with as good success as the single stream. The engine was also taken to the river margin and her suctional capacity tested, the water being drawn through about 20 feet of hose. Similar success attended this trial as the previous ones.

THE "change" would only be effected by *keeping up the heat*, as the iron was evidently of that quality known as *cold-short*. Some iron is quite *red-short*, although, perhaps, tough and strong when cold. No one familiar with iron should be surprised at a result so common. R.

INTERSECTING TO RAILROAD MEN.—It will be remembered that some time during the winter quite a number of the rails of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad, were broken by a passing locomotive. For experiment, Mr. M'Gowan, who has charge of the repair shop at New Brighton, took one of these broken rails, cut it around about one-eighth of an inch deep, one foot from the end, after which it was subjected to the sledge, and at the first stroke snapped off, showing a perfectly sound body of iron. He then had the balance of the rail heated to a cherry red, and cut around in the same way, and at a like distance from the end as in the former case. This was also subjected to a like test as before, and after one hundred strokes it showed no sign of giving way. Here is food for reflection. If such a change as this may be effected by simply heating the rails, we think it would prove a piece of economy in the end to have them all subjected to the process before putting them down.—*Chronicle.*

EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION.—The monthly meeting of the Allegheny County Educational Association was held on Saturday morning, at Iron City College's Hall.

The exercises were opened with prayer by Mr. David Dennison, of the Second ward, Allegheny.

Mr. A. D. Simpson was appointed critic by President L. H. Eaton.

Miss Ellie Allen, Miss Kate M'Grew, and Mr. J. B. Lason, read selections, which were well received.

Messrs. M'Cartney and Cassell, of Upper St. Clair, were proposed for membership.

Dr. Gallaher then delivered a lecture on Physiology, making some very sensible remarks relative to the physical exercises of children, and the time that should be devoted by them to study. In his opinion, five hours a day were a sufficient length of time to keep them confined to a school room.

After the transaction of some business not of public interest, the Association adjourned.

THANKS.—The Ladies of the First Industrial School, of Pittsburgh, would express their sincere thanks to the Trustees of the Western University for the use of one of the rooms in their building for the School during the past three seasons. It was a liberal and generous act on the part of the Trustees. On giving up the room, which is now needed for the University, the ladies in charge of the School are left without a place to meet, or to store their furniture and effects; and they are encouraged to hope that a generous public will feel a continued interest in the institution, and assist in procuring a suitable room or building for future use. During the four years it has been in operation, some seven or eight hundred little girls have attended portions of the time, and received instruction and considerable pecuniary assistance. It is hoped that good has been done, and that means will be found to continue and increase its usefulness.

SNOW BIRD.—Four immense steers were passed through the city on Saturday, two of which, for size and fine proportions, probably excel any that have ever been exhibited on our streets. These two were the black ones, both the same color and similarly marked. They weighed no less than *fifty three hundred and fifty pounds*, and were the property of Messrs. Beitzein & Zehnder, who propose to accommodate those who are fond of a delicious steak or roast during the ensuing week. The other two steers were white, and belonged to Mr. Evens. Their weight was thirty-nine hundred and fifty-five pounds, and they had a look of grandeur about them very readily appreciable by those of an epicurean cast. The black steers were raised by our enterprising neighbors of Beaver county, the Committee, whose fine specimens of Durham Cattle challenge the admiration of all who see them. The others came from Indiana.

DROWNED.—A little boy about three or four years of age, son of a man named M'Cammon, residing near the Pearl Mill, Allegheny, was missed by his parents about seven o'clock, Friday evening. On Saturday morning his body was found in the canal basin adjacent to the Pearl Mill. The circumstances of the child's death are not known, as no one had any knowledge of it until the body was found. It is conjectured that while playing on the tow-path it fell into the water, and no one observing it, perished. The child's mother, when informed that the body had been found, ran to the canal, and requested a man standing by to take the corpse out; he looked at her a moment and then walked off without complying with her request.

DISTRICT COURT.—Before Judge Hampton. *Saturday, March 31st.*—Rule vs. Harvey; and now, to wit, rule to show cause why judgment should not be entered on the plea of nul ted record, etc., and for want of a sufficient affidavit of defence.

Samuel Clark vs. David Clark; and now, to wit, death of plaintiff suggested and on motion of counsel for plaintiff John Clark and Robert Clark, devisees of plaintiff and, minors are substituted as plaintiffs.

P. & O. R. R. Co. vs. A. M. Hill; and now, to wit, rule to set aside the writ in this case discharged and leave given to amend the date of the writ in accordance with the precipe.

IRISH.—A novel feat, says the Zanesville *Courier*, is to come off on next Monday, election day, at Zanesville. A young man named Frederick Jones has engaged to perform the extraordinary feat of running and picking up from the ground, one hundred stones placed one yard apart, each stone to be taken up separately and deposited in a basket at the place of commencement, and the time occupied to be an hour. If the undertaking is successful, Mr. Jones will have to stoop two hundred times while running without losing his centre of gravity and run several miles in the course of an hour.

AMBULANCE.—This is a late invention made by an Eastern livery manager, attached to the running gear of street vehicles. It measures the distance driven at any one time and is intended to prevent parties from hiring a horse and buggy to go five miles and drive twenty. The Wheeling *Union* thinks some of their city livery stables would find the adoption of the improvement profitable, particularly for Sunday driving out the pike.

FALSE ALARMS.—Mayor Wilson has long regarded the false alarms that are of daily occurrence as an unmitigated nuisance. He has therefore determined to suppress them at once, and for this purpose has requested the captains of the respective fire companies to meet at the Mayor's office, this evening. We shall give the particulars of the meeting in to-morrow's issue.

THE Republican Club Room at Lafayette Hall was opened to the public on Saturday evening, and quite a large concourse of citizens paid a visit to the Headquarters, which was such a pleasant and profitable resort during the campaign of 1856. The hall is fitted up very tastefully, and newspapers and other literature from all parts of the country are to be found on the table.

THE Allegheny City College, corner of Lacock & Sandusky streets, will resume its regular exercises on Tuesday, April 3d, 1860. Pupils can enter either of the departments (male or female) advantageously at that time, as additional classes will be formed.

ORGANIZATION.—The Birmingham Republican Executive Committee met at the Market Hall for organization, on Saturday evening, at 7½ o'clock. The following gentlemen compose the committee: Messrs. Barr, Sr., Fears, Ulrich, Canard, Burit, Knowles, Patterson, Fogle, Duff, Powell, McDonald and Manly. Mr. Knowles was elected Chairman, Mr. Burit, Secretary, and Mr. Pears Treasurer.

The following gentlemen were appointed by the Chairman a Committee on Finance: Messrs. Patterson, Canard, Powell, Manly, Ulrich and McDonald.

We have no doubt that the interests of Republicanism in the above enterprising borough will flourish under the management of the above gentlemen.

MISS ETTIE HENDERSON, a young and beautiful actress, of whom fame in our sister cities speaks loudly, makes her first appearance this evening at the old Pittsburgh Theatre as Jannie Deane in Sir Walter Scott's beautiful production, The Heart of Mid-Lothian. As the play is gotten up with more than usual care by our worthy manager, we anticipate a greater run for it than the "Octoroon" of the last two weeks. None need fear attending the Theatre, as they will find there some of our worthiest citizens with their families, enjoying an evening's good entertainment. The new faces of "Stratagem of an Actress" will be given, with Ellie Henderson in four characters, with songs and dances.

EXTORTION.—Information was made before Alderman Lewis, on Saturday, charging Chief of Police Robert Hague with extortion in obtaining the sum of $67 from Mr. Henry M'Aleer, through the false representation that he was entitled to it by virtue of his office, and by intimations that unless it was paid the plaintiff would be in danger of imprisonment for an offence for which he had been arrested by the officer. The case has not had a hearing as yet, and we know nothing of its merits.

THE Mayor's police, on Saturday, arrested a young man charged with creating a false alarm the other evening, by ringing one of the fire bells. On the hearing of the case, however, the defendant proved that the bells had rang previously in another part of the city, and he was therefore discharged.

GOING BACK.—Mr. John Brickell, of the Sixth ward, who has been for some time on a visit to his friends in this city, after a long absence in California, intends starting this evening on his return trip to the modern Ophir.

THE Pittsburgh Gymnastic Association holds its regular monthly meeting this evening, when reports of officers will be read, and other business of importance transacted.

RE-INSTATED.—Judge M'Clure gave his decision, on Saturday, restoring the name of David H. Hazen, Esq., to the roll of attorneys.

(For the Daily Pittsburgh Gazette.)

RESOLVED, That we will vote for no man for office who is in favor of levying a tax by way of interest on these Railroad bonds, or who will execute or assist in executing any decree or demand in the county to that effect.

The above resolution was passed by the Republican County Convention of March 30, 1859, and may be found in the published proceedings of the Convention of March 31, 1859.

I ask the republication of the above resolution in order that all may see the ground occupied by the Republican party in this county on the tax question. UPPER ST. CLAIR.

WE refer our readers to the advertisement of Messrs. Church & Dupont, No. 409 Broadway, New York. The "Blood Food" is one of the greatest medicines of the age, and is rapidly driving out of the market all the quack nostrums of modern times. Its efficacy is so great, and its superiority so justly acknowledged, that it is found difficult to supply the immense and increasing demand for the article. Dr. Eaton's celebrated "Infantile Cordial" is a medicine prepared by a regular physician of eminence in his profession, and one who has devoted his life to the peculiar phases of Infantile diseases. It is no humbug, but a medicine which commends itself to those only who can appreciate it.—*Apalachicola (Fla.) Times.*

See advertisement in another column.

"LAUGH AND GROW FAT."—Physiologists and physicians tell us that laughter and good humor are conducive to health, and we believe it. If it can do us see a good natured, jolly individual, be he a lean youth or "fat and forty," who does not enjoy good health. Therefore, we recommend all who wish to enjoy a long life, to "drink full cups of joy," and as a means of so doing we suggest a call upon Messrs. Hunt & Miner, who will sell them all the humorous books of note in the country, the price of which is 38 and 25 cts. per volume, at 10 cts., and 75 and 50 cent books at 25 cts., as they are disposing of their stock in this manner preparatory to moving to their new building, Fifth street, next door to the Postoffice.

☞ PITTSBURGH GYMNASTIC ASSOCIATION.—The regular Quarterly Meeting of the G. A. will be held THIS EVENING, April 2d, at 7½ o'clock. Reports of the past quarter will be read, and other business transacted. By order

A. STATE of High Health, dec'd, late of the borough of West Manchester, have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to make them known, without delay, to

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NOTICE.—Letters testamentary on the estate of Lewis Hutchison, late of the city of Pittsburgh, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against said estate to make known the same, without delay, to

JAMES A. HUTCHISON, Executor.

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10 BBLS. PRIME ROLL BUTTER, just received per O. & P. R. R.:
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STRAY COW.—Strayed from the premises of the subscriber, on Thursday, the 8th instant, a large WHITE COW—had on a new bell. Any person returning said cow to me, on Mount Washington, will be liberally rewarded. [mr12] JAS. A. FETZER.

MOREHEAD'S MAGNETIC PLASTER sold by SIMON JOHNSTON, Druggist, corner Smithfield and Fourth streets.

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ASSETS OF THE COMPANY, NOVEMBER 1, 1859.

Philadelphia City 6 per cent. Loan	$132,060 00
Pennsylvania State Loans	114,464 00
United States Treasury Notes and Interest due	131,698 88
Temporary Loan to City of Philadelphia	55,278 14
Railroad 6 per cent. Mortgage Bonds	25,000 00
Stocks in Bank, R. R. Gas and Insurance Cos.	55,800 00
West Philadelphia Passenger Railroad Cos. 7 per cent. coupon bonds	25,065 00
Bonds, Mortgages and Real Estate	12,000 00
Balance due at Agencies, Premiums on Marine Policies, Interest and other debts due the Co.	78,853 25
Cash on Deposits in Banks	65,564 68
	67,002 31
	$901,825 57

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Statement of Assets, January 1st, 1859, published agreeably to an act of Assembly, being

First Mortgages, amply secured	$1,731,689 29
Real Estate (present value $108,213 61) cost	77,764 71
Temporary Loans, on ample Collateral Securities	88,855 29
Stocks (present value $28,607 75) cost	71,847 97
Notes and Bills receivable	4,808 40
Cash	42,007 86
	$2,016,973 52

☞ The only Profits from Premiums which this Company can divide by law are from Risks which have been expired.

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Since their incorporation, a period of thirty years, they have paid Losses by fire, to an amount exceeding *Four Millions of Dollars*, thereby affording evidence of the advantage of Insurance, as well as their ability and disposition to meet with promptness all liabilities.

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CAPITAL $117,631.....ASSETS $276,473 43.—Invested as follows: First Mortgages on improved City Property, worth double the amount $141,600 00
Penna. Railroad Co's 6 per cent. Mortgage Loan, $20,000, cost 17,900 00
Allegheny county 5 per cent. Penna. R. R. Loan 10,000 00
City of Philadelphia, do do do 6,000 00
Pennsylvania Railroad Co's Stock 1,000 00
Stock of the Reliance Mutual Insurance Co. 19,150 00
Stock of County Fire Insurance Co. 1,050 00
Stock of Delaware Mutual Insurance Co. 100 00
Union Mutual Insurance Co's Scrip 250 00
Bills Receivable, business paper 20,578 48
Book Accounts, accrued interest, etc. 7,311 01
Cash on hand and in Bank 15,853 96
$276,473 43

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ASSETS, APRIL 20, 1859.

Stock Accounts	$ 90,000 00
Mortgages	2,100 00
Office Furniture	250 00
Open Accounts	17,255 80
Cash	15,237 25
Premium Notes	50,676 12
Notes and Bills Discounted	152,149 29
	$328,149 05

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ASSETS, MAY 24, 1859.

Cash in Pittsburgh Trust Company	$20,820 85
Stock Due Bills—payable on demand	21,940 00
Premium Notes	44,023 60
Discounted Notes	33,187 42
Bonds and Mortgages	10,648 32
500 shares Iron City Bank Stock—cost	15,000 00
200 do Exchange Bank Stock—cost	11,968 03
203 do Allegheny Bank Stock—cost	10,000 00
199 do Mechanics' Bank Stock—cost	8,846 63
Book Accounts	12,622 27
Bills Receivable	819 31
	$246,190 63

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ASSETS, NOVEMBER 19TH, 1859.

Stock Due Bills, payable on demand, secured by two approved names	$126,500 00
Bills Discounted	56,523 00
Bills Receivable	1,450 00
Mortgage	14,000 00
115 shares Mechanics' Bank Stock—cost	4,160 00
100 do Citizens' do do do	4,175 00
50 do Bank of Pittsburgh do do	2,750 00
40 do Exchange Bank do do	2,080 00
Balance of Book Accounts	45,00 23
Office Furniture	400 00
Cash	51,855 60
	$231,443 83

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Assurance Company,
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ESTABLISHED IN 1836.

CAPITAL	$6,325,500 00
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