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CITY AFFAIRS.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations for the *Gazette*, by O. E. Shaw, Optician, 55 Fifth St.—corrected daily:

	IN SUN.	IN SHADE.
9 o'clock A. M	60	64
12 " M	120	80
5 " P. M		68
Barometer	28 9 10	

Republican Headquarters for 1860, CORNER WOOD AND FOURTH STS.
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BANK STATEMENT for the week preceding June 4th:

BANKS.	Circulation.	Specie.	Loans.	Deposits.
B'k Pittsb'gh	221,600	433,021	1,655,078	592,193
Exchange B'k	479,525	174,669	1,344,131	332,926
M. & M. "	247,465	104,998	1,074,520	849,770
Citizens' "	220,905	89,163	712,865	102,120
Mechanics' "	237,165	77,473	757,801	98,671
Iron City "	261,505	108,707	739,805	241,665
Allegheny "	238,985	100,820	793,760	202,518
	1,907,248	1,089,751	7,282,963	1,919,903
Last week	1,952,683	1,122,057	7,199,192	1,918,321
Increase			92,771	1,582
Decrease	45,435	32,306		

BANKS.	Treasury Notes and Notes of other Banks.	Due to Banks.	Due by Banks.
Pittsburgh	$ 66,715	$ 93,960	$24,479
Exchange	127,207	31,004	17,788
M. & M.	80,600	52,810	19,558
Citizens'	17,589	16,646	12,427
Mechanics'	44,301	34,840	23,069
Iron City	34,988	17	26,469
Allegheny	45,843	45,991	12,753
	$417,522	$277,978	$136,553
Last week	385,702	266,316	160,547
Increase	31,820	71,662	25,994
Decrease			23,994

BANK STATEMENTS.—Our banks began to publish weekly statements on the 1st of January, 1858. We subjoin an abstract of their condition in the first week of every month since that date:

1858.	Circulation.	Specie.	Discounts.	Deposits.
Jan. 4	1,355,906	1,186,914	5,153,218	1,161,995
Feb. 1	1,344,931	1,308,008	4,955,977	1,164,217
Mar. 1	1,195,526	1,300,103	5,274,872	1,363,965
April 5	1,290,568	1,194,102	5,445,341	1,324,154
May 3	1,360,551	1,192,216	5,784,495	1,422,457
June 7	1,426,586	1,207,537	5,895,461	1,540,926
July 5	1,436,651	1,236,588	6,014,676	1,699,196
Aug. 2	1,423,669	1,198,767	6,009,453	1,730,650
Sept. 6	1,470,741	1,203,761	5,935,760	1,850,279
Oct. 4	1,540,098	1,445,525	6,096,979	1,905,019
Nov. 1	1,525,733	1,479,219	6,039,272	1,924,699
Dec. 6	2,066,953	1,525,601	6,572,331	1,843,817
1859				
Jan. 3	2,038,113	1,292,047	6,337,261	1,811,780
Feb. 7	1,994,978	1,260,532	6,088,923	1,748,144
Mar. 7	1,867,683	1,133,754	6,945,722	1,657,796
April 4	2,060,353	1,113,760	7,021,664	1,704,199
May 3	2,000,344	1,182,273	7,327,114	1,830,843
June 6	1,939,463	1,063,567	7,090,569	1,666,775
July 4	1,874,693	1,018,685	7,006,116	1,694,895
Aug. 1	1,853,833	1,001,402	6,929,136	1,741,588
Sept. 3	1,752,748	1,055,123	6,745,391	1,850,176
Oct. 3	1,838,393	1,073,083	6,749,855	1,601,173
Nov. 7	1,731,738	1,115,226	6,795,201	1,704,208
Dec. 5	2,058,328	1,105,126	6,975,611	1,566,818
1860				
Jan. 2	2,238,308	1,092,569	7,319,815	1,689,544
Feb. 6	1,907,333	997,589	9,984,209	1,609,692
Mar. 5	1,871,873	1,018,245	7,161,459	1,768,879
April 2	2,033,733	1,095,415	7,105,377	1,601,167
May 7	1,995,053	1,141,373	7,281,761	1,913,837
June 4	1,907,243	1,059,751	7,282,963	1,919,903

UNFORTUNATE.—Mr. R. W. Davis, of Sewickley, erected a very handsome dwelling at his country seat, last season, built in rare style and with all the modern improvements in taste and architecture suitable to the character of the house. It was constructed of wood, but was ornamented in imitation of brown stone and was quite large, having a double front and making quite an imposing appearance from the road.—On Saturday evening a portion of the hill back of the house slipped and lodged against the kitchen addition, crushing in its sides and threatening the balance of the building. On Sunday it was found the whole house was giving way, one of the walls having been driven in by the pressure of the hills against it. The people of Sewickley hurried rallied manfully to assist their neighbor, and fifty men were at work during Sunday, taking out the furniture, sash, doors, shutters, mantles and whatever else could be saved from the general wreck. On Sunday evening it was found that the house had moved five inches off its foundation and it was thought it would go farther. Whether it will or not is not known, but it makes little difference, as the plastering and ornamental work is all destroyed, and very little remains of the house worth preserving but the materials in it. It was expensively finished in the interior as well as on the outside, and will be a great loss to its owner.

LARCENY.—Michael Panno and two others who have not been arrested were charged, yesterday, on oath of Joshua Last night, with larceny. It appears that the parties entered the variety store of Casey & Mitchell, in the basement on the corner of Wood and Third streets, and abstracted a large lot of half hose; a large lot of silk pocket handkerchiefs; a lot of coat loops; an overcoat valued at $12; a lot of jewelry and a number of cents. Part of the goods has been recovered. It is supposed the rest has been peddled off and will not be retaken. The articles were taken by night, and if any one had been living in the house it would have been burglary. It is thought that some if not all the young men have been in the House of Refuge.

DROWNED.—A lad named Martin Forrister was drowned in the Allegheny river on Saturday afternoon. He was fishing in the vicinity of Armstrong's coke ovens, and falling into the water, perished before assistance could be rendered. Search was made for the body, but without success.

A coal-boat man named John Dickson was drowned off the steamer Telegraph, below Lawrenceburg, Indiana, last night. The boat was stopped, but all efforts to get him proved unsuccessful. He was unmarried.

About the same time, the Telegraph ran into a skid and cut it in two, sinking a man and wife who were crossing from the Indiana shore.

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS.—Before Judges McClure, Mellon, Adams and Parke.

Monday, May 4th.—The June term of this Court commenced yesterday (Monday) at 10 o'clock. The Grand Jury was empanneled and Mr. Thomas Penney appointed foreman. The jury was then sworn and charged. When the list of Traverse Jurors was called, only twenty-seven answered to their names. Judge McClure remarked that unless the absentees came very soon attachments would be issued for their persons.

MISDEMEANOR.—Bernard Atkins yesterday lodged an information against John Jones, one of the newly elected Aldermen of the Fifth ward, for neglecting to return a fine levied upon the informant. Bernard had violated some of the city ordinances, for which he was arrested and fined $5 by Alderman Jones. This money had not been accounted for to the city by the magistrate, and the City Solicitor having got wind of it, the prosecution was begun at his instance. He deems it a grave charge against Mr. Jones, and intends, if he is found to have been wilfully corrupt, to give him the full length of the law.

ACADEMY OF SCIENCE AND ART.—We would call the attention of our readers to the meeting (noticed in our advertising columns) of the section on manufactures for this Tuesday evening, at which the subject of the contraction of iron in cooling will be discussed. An illustration, some facts will be stated in regard to the casting of the "Floyd gun," with drawings in section of the same. The public are invited to attend.

CORONER'S INQUEST.—The Coroner held an inquest yesterday on the remains of Thomas Burdy, the colored man who was drowned near Six Mile Ferry on Sunday, while bathing in the Monongahela river. The jury returned a verdict of accidental death by drowning.

MAYOR WILSON yesterday fined a man named John Baldwin, $25 for carrying concealed weapons. He was arrested for drunkenness, and when searched he tried to conceal a handy billy which was found on him.

GOOD MOVE.—We understand that the shoe stores of this city will close each evening at 7 o'clock, (Saturday excepted,) commencing this evening and continuing until the 1st of Sept.

THE Political Debates between Abraham Lincoln and Stephen A. Douglas, in the celebrated campaign of 1858, in Illinois, is sold by Hunt & Miner; stitched at 37 cents, cloth 50 cents.

The Lives and Speeches of Lincoln and Hamlin will shortly be published; the best edition, price in cloth, $1; paper, without the speeches, 25 cents. Send your orders to Hunt & Miner, 71 and 73 Fifth street. This will be the best edition published.

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REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

At eleven o'clock the Convention assembled, in the Supreme Court Room, and was called to order by John M. Kirkpatrick, Esq., chairman of the Republican Executive Committee.—Colonel Eakin was chosen permanent chairman, and on taking his seat made the following remarks: "Permit me to express my acknowledgments for the position assigned me today. I feel honored by your choice and shall endeavor to discharge the duties of the chair faithfully, in which I shall expect your co-operation to preserve order and harmony." Col. E. then read the call by virtue of which the Convention was assembled, and in conclusion expressed the wish that the same sagacity in the selection of candidates which prevailed in Chicago might govern this Convention, and such men might be chosen as would meet with a similarly enthusiastic endorsement from the people.

The other officers of the Convention were the following:—Vice Presidents: Wm. B Negley, Capt. McAlasters, Henry Lewis, Dr. Donaldson, Samuel Hazlett and Capt. Andrew Miller.

Secretaries: Sol. Schoyer, Jr., R. W. Mackey, Frank Patterson, Jared M. Brush.

On motion of Thomas Marshall, Esq., those who were not delegates were requested to retire outside the bar. Though the chairman repeatedly urged this request, it was not heeded, on account of the large amount of outside pressure

Delegates were now requested to present their credentials and the list of precincts was called out by the secretaries. After the credentials were all handed in and a few substitutions made, the Secretary read the following list:

FIFTH WARD—*First Ward*—Capt A Mills, John Gracey. *Second Ward*—W Mackey, T M Marshall.
Third—First Prec't—David Simms, W Simpson.
Second do—Jos W Lewis, John Wallaker
Fourth—John Hare, J McClung
Fifth—First Prec't—Alex McClintock, Geo Caughey
Second do—H A Colville, Thos Harris.
Sixth—Jared M Brush, John Phillips.
Seventh—Robt Thompson, Lewis Reil.
Eighth—F Fredericks, D Hutchison.
Ninth—P H Hill, Wm Williams

ALLEGHENY—*First Ward*—P F Johnson, Sol Schoyer, Jr.
Second—Jos Kirkpatrick, John Blair.
Third—D L Smith, G Gorman.
Fourth—First Prec't—A B Burchfield, John Marshall.
Second do—W Coleman, L Monte.

BOROUGHS—*South Pittsburgh*—T Cassady, A Chambers
West Pittsburgh—E Spring, John V Auth.
Elizabeth—J A Kile, Thos Wylie
Monongahila—H T O'Kain, Isaac Weitzel.
Manchester—H Burchfield, D F Adams.
Peterville—J W F White, Andrew Brown.
Birmingham—First Prec't—Geo A Powel, P Friel.
Second do—J Packard, F Miller
East Birmingham—S Slocum, W Williamson.
Duquesne—Ira Cameron, Isaac Stögle.
Lawrenceville—G B Roswick, J Whitup.
Sharpsburg—Henry H Lewis, J G Comstock
M'Keesport—S Frost, J W Blackburn.
West Elizabeth—Lynch, J H McIntyre.
Turtetown—J M Porter, J Dickey.
Temperance-ville—D Robinson, Geo S Gamble.

TOWNSHIPS—*Ross*—Alex M'Candless, Wm Gray
Cumru—S Crawford, R W Thomas.
Plum—Chas Turner, Jas Junkin.
Penn—Thomas Mather, W Mitchell
Elizabeth—Frank Patterson, Saml Carr.
Wilkins—John G Hunter, J M'K Snodgrass
Monroeville—Hiram Shaw, W Moss.
Moon—John Curry, Hugh M Frost.
Franklin—David Beely, Robt Wright.
Baldwin—S P Moore, Abel Robinson.
Avon—Thos M Hayne, Wm Ray.
M'Candless—No delegate, from Temp's.
East Deer—Capt J Robinson, Geo Pitzer
West Deer—Saml Hazlett, Allen Alter
Upper St Clair—Thos Ross Dunn, Jr, W J Gilmore.
Lower St Clair—Jonathan Neely, Wm Lyndsay.
South Fayette—O M'Kee, Vincent Miller
South Hayfield—Thos Griffith, Griffith Jr
Neville—Jos Watson, Jas Cook.
Shaler—W Semple, R Stewart
Penn—Xavil Miller, Saml Stevenson.
M'Clure—Jas Simpson, Nicholas Miller
Peters—First Prec't—W Wormcastle, W E Negley
Second do—Peter Brown, Judson M'Cauley.
Wilkins—John M'Kelvy, John I Hunter.
Marion—Thos M'Clurg, Wm A Haymaker
Versailles—W A Shaw, J Semple.
Jefferson—Saml J Heath, Jas S Chamberlin
Clairsville—H Lewis, Jas Gibson.
Findley—Wm Harper, Saml J Byers.
Ohio—Semple, H Bell, J W Robinson.
Reserve—J Sapps, H Richardson.
Snowden—Hugh M'Elheony, Harvey Wedderburn
Scott—Robt A Wood, W W Rodgers.
Indiana—Adam Wallace, Jas Wilson.
Sewickley—Silas Reed Dr W F Poindexter
Pine-creek—John Bissell, Saml M'Millen
Richland—Lewis H Carlile, Jas A Nelson

On motion, a Committee of five, consisting of Dr. W. J. Gilmore, Wm. Williams, Thos. Wylie, Hugh Richardson and Wm Coleman, were appointed to examine the credentials of candidates whose seats was contested. The Chair announced that the Committee would meet in the rotunda.

Capt. Carr, of Elizabeth, then moved that the Convention proceed to nominate an assembly ticket. The vote was twice taken viva voce, but the Chair being unable to decide, a decision was called for and the roll called: Ayes, 52; noes, 52. The motion was negatived.

On motion, the Committee determined to nominate all the following by marking nominations

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Pittsburgh, Birmingham, Allegheny, Temperanceville, Sharpsburg, Duquesne, Lawrenceville, Manchester, Elizabeth, Monongahela, Peterville, Turtle Creek, Versailles, Jefferson, Clairsville, Findley, Ohio, Reserve, Snowden, Scott, Indiana, Sewickley, Pine Creek, Richland, Ross, Cumru, Plum, Penn, Elizabeth, Wilkins, Monroeville, Moon, Franklin, Baldwin, Avon, M'Candless, East Deer, West Deer, Upper St Clair, Lower St Clair, South Fayette, South Hayfield, Neville, Shaler, M'Clure, Peters, Marion