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FRIDAY MORNING, JULY 13, 1860.

CITY AFFAIRS.

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

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9 o'clock,	A. M.	93	60
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Barometer,			29 7-10

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 Welch 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.

MR. J. W. HAILMAN'S WILL.—This instrument contains four bequests of a public character. To the Mayor, Aldermen and citizens of Pittsburgh, the sum of $10,000 is bequeathed; to be invested from time to time, forever, under the direction of City Councils, in bonds of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or Government stocks or loans, and the interest annually paid into the Treasury, for the special purpose of being appropriated to the purchase of bread and potatoes for the worthy poor of Pittsburgh, during the Winter season. The distribution of this bounty is to be made under the direction of the Mayor and Presidents of the Select and Common Councils.

The sum of $3000 is bequeathed to the Pittsburgh Infirmary, now under the direction of the Rev. W. A. Passavant, to be invested and the income annually applied to the wants of the institution.

To the Young Men's Bible Society of Pittsburgh the sum of $2000 is donated to purchase bibles for distribution among the indigent poor of Allegheny county, with the restriction that no portion of this money is to be applied in paying the salaries of officers or agents.

To the First Cumberland Presbyterian Church, as long as it retains its present organization or corporate character, the sum of $2000 is bequeathed, to be safely invested, and the interest appropriated as an addition to the stated salary of the pastor. In case of the dissolution or disorganization of the church, this legacy is to be added to the bequest made in behalf of the city poor.

These sums are not payable until the termination of the present partnership of Hailman, Rahm & Co., which is to continue, we understand, for five years hence.

HORSE THIEF.—A man giving his name as Abraham Andrews, was arrested by Alderman Donaldson's police, yesterday, on suspicion of being a horse thief. Andrews came to Hare's Hotel, Liberty street, yesterday morning, riding on a fine dark bay horse, which after dismounting he had put in the stable. He told Mr. Hare, who was standing on the steps at the time, that he was a drover and would have 19 more horses to stable there last night. He then went over to Allegheny city and sold the horse to a drover named Burns, for $60, receiving $10 down, with the understanding that he was to receive the balance when the drover came after the horse. The horse, or several of the knowing ones say, is worth at least $150. When Mr. Hare learned from the drover, when he came to get his purchase, and the price he had given, he suspected something was wrong, and stated Andrews where he got the horse; the answer was, "none of your business." At the instance of Mr. Burns, Andrews was arrested by the above named magistrate's police. He declined giving any information to the Alderman, as to where he was from, saying he did not wish to answer as he might commit himself, and that he would see a lawyer. He will have a further hearing on Saturday.

BRUTAL ASSAULT AND BATTERY.—Felix Crowley, who was so badly beaten in the riot on the steamboat "Economy," some time since, that he came near dying, was walking on Liberty street the morning of the 11th, and (still sick and weak from the effect of the blows he received on that occasion) was met by an Irishman named Michael McMahon, who invited him to take a drink, which was accepted, after which they commenced conversing, and finally got angry at each other. The affair was terminated by McMahon knocking Crowley down and giving him a severe beating. On being arrested and taken before Alderman Jones, he gave bail for his appearance to answer at the next term of Court. So far so good: but meeting Crowley again yesterday, on Penn street, he pitched in and gave him a second drubbing. McMahon was again taken before Alderman Jones and required to give bail for the second offence, which he did. While in the Magistrate's office he approached the prosecutor and again knocked him down, and before the officers could hold him began kicking Crowley in the face. Both of the parties are rolling mill hands, and are probably in the neighborhood of 30 years of age.

DEAD.—The remains of Alexander B. Bonnett, a gentleman who was well known in this city several years since, and who died in Louisville lately, arrived yesterday by express. Mr. Bonnett was a honest, grocer, on Liberty street, for a number of years, and left the business at the commencement of the administration of President Pierce, by whom he was appointed consul at Bordeaux. He continued to reside in France until about three years ago, when he returned to this country, and bought a plantation near Shlanning, where he continued to reside until a short time since, when he took a notion to go to Texas with a large drove of sheep, at the same time having some idea of settling. Soon after his arrival there, he was taken down with the swamp fever, which so shattered him that he immediately started to return home. When he got so far as Louisville, he was unable to proceed any further, and in two days afterwards died. Mr. Bonnett was a young man, being only 35 years of age, and his early demise will be a sad blow to his many friends.

RAILROAD TRACKS.—M. R. Cromelien, of New York, patentee and genius, is bringing to light an entire new principle for constructing the superficial work of a railroad track, has arrived in this city en route for Washington, D. C. His model, patterns, drawings and explanations cannot fail to satisfy the most skeptical, over the old method, and for air line roads it has no equal, and in its advantages are perpetual safety, profits, economy and speed. It is termed a timber-constructed track. A permanent improvement has long since been needed. It will be publicly exhibited on Monday, at the Merchants' Exchange.

FIRE.—The alarm yesterday afternoon, between 2 and 3 o'clock, was occasioned by the burning of a small coal oil factory at the upper end of Butchers' run, some distance beyond the Allegheny city line. The establishment consisted principally of a rough shed and some barrels of coal tar, from which the oil is manufactured. It belonged to a German residing in that locality, named Burkhardt. A number of engines and reels, including the Eagle steam apparatus, got as far as the upper end of Allegheny, when they learned that the fire had been extinguished. The shed and coal tar, from their ignitable character, made quite a blaze.

—Since writing the above we learn that the establishment belonged to Mr. John Nelson, of this city, who was engaged in manufacturing varnish for Wilson's balloon, which is to ascend from Iron City Park on Saturday week. Mr. Nelson's loss is estimated at about $400.

COUNTRY SEATS.—We would advise all of our readers wishing to invest in desirable property for country seats to visit the lots laid out by *Wm. Martin, Sr.*, in Manchester, just adjoining Allegheny city, and to be sold on Monday afternoon, at 5 o'clock, by Mr. Davis. The lots are most already improved with choice fruit trees, bushes and shrubbery, so that parties purchasing have nothing to do but build and have for themselves as highly cultivated a country seat as'if they had occupied it for years. Take our advice and visit it before the sale, and you will be highly delighted with the trip.

TEASING other people's children don't pay, as Sarah Hegarty and Sarah McDermond can probably testify. A Mrs. Cahill, who lives in Pearson's Court, off the "Diamond," came before Alderman Lewis, of the Third Ward, yesterday, and charged the above girls, who live next door to her, with beating a sick child of hers who is only about twelve years old and unable to defend herself. The defendants were promptly arrested, and, after a hearing, released on bail to answer the charge at the next term of court.

ASSAULTING A NEWSPAPER CARRIER.—A German named Christian Myer, the carrier of the *Volksblatt* in Allegheny, had another German, named Jacob Miller, up before Mayor Morrison, last night, on a charge of assaulting him and causing his tongue to bleed when they met in the street. The matter was finally compromised.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—We learn from the Cincinnati *Commercial* of yesterday, that a man named Wm. Lambert, who, it is said resided in this city, fell from the window of the third story of the American House, on Front street, in that city, on Wednesday morning, injuring himself so severely that he died in the fore part of the night. He was a native of England, and leaves a wife and family to mourn his untimely end.

HAIL STORM.—Quite a storm of hail visited the village of West Alexander and vicinity on last Thursday. A good deal of damage was done to the corn crop—the hail stones being so large as to beat down and cut the young stocks to a very damaging extent. The storm did not extend much more than a mile in any direction from West Alexander.—*Wash Exam.*

CAMPAIGN DOCUMENTS.—The Republican Campaign Songster; price 10 cents.

Lives of Lincoln and Douglas, various editions.

Debates of Lincoln and Douglas.

Tribune Campaign Documents.

Portraits of Lincoln and Hamlin.

The Republican Pocket Pistol, can be had of Hunt & Miner.

Letter from Ireland.

The following is a letter written by Mr. Murdock, of the Pittsburgh & Oakland Nurseries, who is now traveling in Ireland, to his son:

BALLYBALESHAN, June —, 1860.

Yours of the —— reached this on the 5th, and we were glad to learn that all were well. You wish me to keep you posted as to our whereabouts, what we have seen and our opinion of things generally. I went to Newtownard this morning, from Dundonald expecting Irish papers, and hoping to find a letter, but only found a *Gazette*.

The Queen's Island, where I attended a *fete*, is a beautiful spot, reclaimed from the sea. We pass over to it by ferry boats, and to the right of the landing we saw a ship yard, in which there were three iron vessels on the stocks. You then pass along the gravel promenade until you reach an opening into a grove that surrounds the town, upon which there were to be performances upon ropes and some platform tumbling. The only thing new that we saw was a young boy placing himself between two ropes that were parallel with each other, some eighteen inches apart, with his feet up and drawn close to his body, and holding a rope with each hand, in which position he went up some ten feet by sudden jerks, making about ten inches each spring, and coming down again in the same way. At the end of the lawn is a crystal palace, and beyond it some pretty fine rock work. The grove here is the centre of the island, and around it is a beautiful promenade, from which the eye rests pleasantly on the handsome villas along the Down shore as far as the eye can see, to the left is the bolder shore of Antrim, with its hill of caves. The steamers for the different ports in England and Scotland are taking advantage of the evening tide and leaving in rapid succession, each with as many cattle as they can carry. The wharves are covered with cattle in such numbers that you wonder where they all come from.

The forenoon we spent agreeably at the Botanic Gardens, to which we were specially invited by Mr. Ferguson, Curator, and where we had the pleasure of noting all the most rare and beautiful of the thorn hardy Azalia's, which were in full bloom.—Mr. Ferguson (to whom I was introduced by my friend Capt. White) was so kind as to offer me letters of introduction to Mr. Knabb, of the Botanic Garden, Edinburgh, and to Mr. Brown, of Dublin.

But you will say that I am beginning at the wrong end of Ireland, and that I should start at Cork. As I don't know what E—— may have written you, I will be brief. Some forty of us left the good steamer City of Baltimore at Queenstown, in a little vessel that was to deliver us at Cork amidst a succession of cheers, that continued until we were out of hearing of them. The scenery up to Cork takes you by surprise. You come upon the ships of war at anchor, vessels of almost every nation; you pass islands, castles, old and new, villas and romantic scenery, which skirt the view until you arrive at Cork, situated on both sides of the River Lee, and connected by bridges. Although it was 10 P. M., we had still twilight. One of our party went up to the *Imperial* for a 'box to take our baggage, etc. But the house must have been at a premium, as it took half an hour to bring it on the ground. In the meantime I had promised two men a shilling to shift our trunks from the steamer to the omnibus. I handed one of them the money, who asked for it, when the trunks had been moved. It appeared, however, that I had paid the wrong man, as he was for keeping all the money to himself. A shindy about the six pence was immediately started, which set E—— in convulsions and the "gintlemen" was nearly hauled out of the 'bus to break the shilling "and give each of the boys half." But the "gintlemen" kept his seat and let them get it made up between them. It would be the making of a fortune to any theatre to have such a farce acted in it.

In hotels here there are no regular meals. You get what you ask for, and that when ordered. On leaving, one shilling each for two servants is put in the bill, and you have 6d each to give to 4 others, whose perquisites are not included in the bill. Next morning as soon as the room came to that stand I had one engaged, the driver of which was said to be the *brightest* in giving information of the curiosities of the neighborhood, to strangers. We started for Blarney, the ancient castle of the Macarthy princes of Desmond, which dates from 1446. We took the Blackpool road, passing the equestrian statue of George II., which our driver informed us was "Charles II." Before reaching the entrance gate we passed the village of Blarney, and here it was afraid, in consequence of the cutting of the walks, that the car would not be permitted to enter the grounds. The old lady, however, who kept the gate, after coolly surveying us, allowed us to pass, saying, 'I'll take the risk; I see they are from America, where my fire dear brothers are." Blarney Castle stands on a limestone rock, and is 30 or 40 feet higher on the face side than on the other. On the side of entrance is a old dungeon of the castle, beside which still stands the kennel in which blood-hounds were kept, to trail prisoners, should they escape. A little further along is a cave, in the limestone rock said to be two miles in length. I only explored it as far as I had day-light. On getting around to the other side of the castle, you have before you an old castle, some 80 feet high, in the centre of which and some four feet from the top is the celebrated Blarney Stone. The old lady who keeps the key of the castle, with a daughter and boy, attended us. The daughter instructed me, when I got up to the top, to reach down the umbrella I carried, touch the stone with the head of it and then kiss the head of the umbrella. I proposed to her to go through the operation of the umbrella and then I would kiss her. She, however, declined my polite offer and I did as she instructed me.

All the old castles I have visited here are of the same style. The first floor has an arched fire proof covering, and is the corner of a spiral stair of dark limestone. One end of each step is built in the wall and the other end, tapering to a point, rests upon its immediate predecessor. At each turn you have an entrance into a succeeding story, till you reach the top, one or two floors of which has been timber, the upper one always, like the first, being arched with stone. Observing a stone broken and bound with iron clamps above the kitchen fire, I enquired of our driver how it had been broken. He said it was the Danes shooting at the castle, and as we drove around by the lake road he would show us the hill where Cromwell had his cannon planted. The road we rode around by Blarney Lake, Blarney Lane and Sunday Well, until we had just time to get into the 5 o'clock Limerick train, whither we started at that hour.

We shall endeavor to give the balance of this highly interesting letter to-morrow. Mr. Murdock is taking observations on the character of the nurseries in the Emerald Isle, and noting the most considerable improvements on the mode of managing them here. He will no doubt return to this country with a large amount of practical information relating to these matters, and be more capable than ever of judging the best and healthiest shrubbery and fruit trees for this market. We hope his opportunities for carrying out this purpose may be abundant, as they undoubtedly will be through the hospitality of the Irish people, and that he may enjoy the social gratification of a transatlantic tour.

OUR BOOK TABLE.

"The Wood Rangers, or the Trappers of Sonora. By Capt. Wayne Reid. Author of "The Scalp Hunters," "Rifle Rangers," "White Chief," "Quadroon," "Quadroon," "The War-Trail," "Osceola the Seminole," &c. Beautifully illustrated with designs. New York: R. M. Dewitt, 13 Frankfort st."

The "Wood Rangers" will be found fully equal to the writer's best productions, and it also possesses a new feature of attraction, the scene being laid in a different locality, and the characters introduced being of a class distinct from that which has hitherto engrossed the attention of a writer who seems to understand the difficult art of producing the right book at the right time.

As a brief synopsis of the work, we extract the following from the Preface:

"The popularity of Mayne Reid's works, both in this country and abroad, is sufficiently indicated by the avidity with which each new publication is sought by the numerous readers of those already published. This eagerness we have spared no expense to gratify, having invariably secured the advance sheets, at the earliest possible moment; and we are happy to be able to present to the American public a new volume which is said to surpass all the previous ones in stirring incident and graphic adventure.

The "Wood-Rangers" cannot fail to enlist the warm sympathies of the reader, who will here find that the talented author has entered a new field, rich in all the romantic incident which his pen is capable of working up into those thrilling climaxes, which, while they startle the imagination, enchain the mind, as with a magician's wand, each new wonder is revealed to the absorbed and attentive reader."

"Out-and-Treaty." By the author of "Wildfire." New York: R. M. Dewitt, 13 Frankfort st."

The author of "Wildfire" achieved a high reputation with that work, the popularity of which, both in this country and in England, was of a most marked character; and we venture to say that the friends of the writer's earlier work will fully confirm the reputation she thereby acquired in a cordial endorsement of the book just issued. We append a brief review from the pen of a leading American author:

"The talented author of "Wildfire" has thrown off her fetters into the ancient region, which is by far the best of the many excellent ones that have issued from her pen: and we think will take rank as the most brilliant novel of the day. The characters are drawn with a most masterly hand, evincing a thorough knowledge of the mainsprings of human action, and a deep insight into the controlling passions which prompt us to good or to evil. The designing and wicked spendthrift, who proved so false to his manhood, and who, like the loathsome spider, wove his web with such subtle skill around the innocent object of his passion, finds himself foiled at last, and reaps a terrible harvest. So true is it that

"He who sows the storm
Will reap the whirlwind."

The English papers endorse this work in strong language, and it is certain to be as popular here as there.

"Jessie Cameron. A Domestic Story of Scottish Life By Lady Rachael Butler. New York: R. M. Dewitt, publisher, 13 Frankfort street."

The reader will here find a story of life as it is realized in the pure and healthery hills of Scotland—a life devoid of *sensations*, jealousies and startling incidents, but such a life as every right-minded mother would wish to see realized by her darling daughter. It is the story of a love which, while prompting the fair Jessie to many an act of self-denial, is never powerful enough to cause her to merge her faith in the divine in that of her love's divinity. The struggle of years, the cold neglect, the marriage even of her betrothed, cannot steel her heart against the calls of humanity; and when the mighty waters rise and overwhelm at once her faithless lover and her rival, then does our heroine, by an act of high daring, prove to them, to herself and to the world, that "the heart that loves truly can never forget." We are indebted to the publishers for early copies of the above works. For sale by Hunt & Miner.

FLAX SEED—1 cask, 1 bbl, 8 bags, now landing from steamer Hazel Dell, for sale by ISAIAH DICKEY & CO.

THE LATEST NEWS.

BY TELEGRAPH.

RECEIVED AT THE DAILY GAZETTE OFFICE.

NEW YORK, July 12.—Wakefield, Nash & Co.'s circular per the Arabia reports the demand for cotton good, the quantity offering large and the pressure to sell great, and prices fully 1/4 lower. Imports of the week 31,000 bales.

Richardson, Spence & Co. say prices are very unsteady and 1/4 lower. All classes of buyers are coming forward more freely; at sea, from America, 117,000 bales against 91,000 bales last year.

Advices from Central America state that Thomas F. Meagher and his associates had concluded a contract with Costa Rica for building a railroad from Boca del Toro to Punta Mala.

Advices from Ecquador represent the country in a very disturbed state.

An engagement was daily expected at Guayaquil between the troops under Franco and those of Flores. Those of the former were committing terrible outrages, sacking towns, &c.

From Bogota, we learn that Mosquina is marching upon the city with a considerable force.

Gen. Herran had withdrawn his name as a candidate for the Presidency, and was about to return to Washington, as Minister Plenipotentiary.

Rev. Padre Walair was arrested at Panama, July 1st, and thrown into prison. He had just arrived in the steamer Anne, and was supposed to be on a diplomatic mission to Europe, from Gen. Mosquera, to represent the State of Cauca.

The frigate Lancaster was at Macatlan on the 3d of June.

The frigate Powhattan arrived at Valparaiso on May 31st.

NEW YORK, July 12.—The North Star brings only one day's later news from California. She brings upwards of $1,500,000 in treasure.

Oregon advices indicate the election of a Democratic Congressman by 75 majority. The Legislature is conceded to coalition by from 8 to 16 majority on joint ballot.

The heavy failure of Brewster & Co., produced a sensation in San Francisco. It is believed that their assets will pay all indebtedness, amounting to $350,000. Much anxiety exists in anticipation of other failures, but well informed merchants believe all the principal houses sound. Brewster & Co., have already confessed judgment for $100,000.

Raymond & Co., engaged in the grain business have also failed. Their liabilities are $250,000. Business dull, and money abundant at unchanged rates.

The North Star brought no Panama papers.

NEW YORK, July 12.—The Democratic State Central Committee have this day called a State Convention, to be held at Syracuse on the 15th of August next, to nominate an electoral ticket and candidates for State officers.

NEW YORK, July 12.—Four schoolboys were drowned at Washington Point to-day, by the capsizing of a sail-boat.

The steamer Golden Fleece, from Galway, via St. Johns, N. F., arrived to-day.

WASHINGTON, July 12.—The following is the correspondence between the President and Queen Victoria, relative to the visit of the Prince of Wales:

"To Her Majesty, Queen Victoria.—I have learned from the public journals that the Prince of Wales is about to visit your Majesty's North American dominions. Should it be the intention of his Royal Highness to extend his visit to the United States, I need not say how happy I should be to give him a cordial welcome to Washington. You may be assured that everywhere in this country he will be greeted by the American people in such a manner as cannot fail to prove gratifying to your Majesty. In this they will manifest their deep sense of your domestic virtues, as well as their conviction of your merits as a wise, patriotic and constitutional sovereign.

"Your Majesty's obedient servant,

JAMES BUCHANAN.

Washington, May 4th, 1860.

BUCKINGHAM PALACE, June 22, 1860.—*My Dear Friend:* I have been much gratified at the feeling which prompted you to write to me, inviting the Prince of Wales to visit Washington. He intends to return from Canada through the United States, and it will give him great pleasure to have an opportunity of testifying to you, in person, that these feelings are fully reciprocated by him. He will thus be able, at the same time, to mark the respect that he entertains for the Chief Magistrate of a great and friendly State and kindred nation. The Prince of Wales will drop all royal state on leaving my dominions, and travel under the name of Lord Renfrew, as he has done when traveling on the continent of Europe. The Prince Consort wishes to be kindly remembered to you. I remain ever your good friend,

VICTORIA.

FAYETTEVILLE, ARK., July 12.—The overland mail from San Francisco dates to the 23d ult., passed here this morning.

The contents escaped from the State prison on the 20th.

The Republican State Convention, on the 21st, nominated Charles A. Washburn, William H Hooke, Charles A. Tuttle and William Pico, as Presidential electors.

The Jacksonville (Oregon) Sentinel extra, of the 16th ult., says that the official vote of every county in the State, except Wasco, gives Shiel, Democrat, a majority over Logan, Republican, of 73 votes; the vote of the county will increase the Democratic majority. The Legislature stands from eight to ten Opposition majority in joint ballot.

Nothing had been heard from the party which left Carson City on the 9th ult., to reestablish the Pony Express.

The accounts from the Washoe mines are not very favorable.

WASHINGTON CITY, July 12.—No proposition of any kind has been submitted to the Government by Capt. Dodge, or any other person, for the purpose of any Mormon interests in Utah.

The U. S. Agricultural Exhibition will be held in Cincinnati, from September 12th to the 20th. The premiums amounts to $20,000. No cattle will be admitted on account of pleuro-pneumonia, but large premiums will be offered for horses, machinery, steam fire engines, &c.

Edward Dicey, late clerk in the House of Representatives, charged with embezzlement while in office, was tried by the Criminal Court to-day and acquitted.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., July 12.—A ship rigged screw steamship, doubtless the City of Baltimore, from Liverpool on the 30th, via Queenstown on the 5th instant, for New York, passed Cape Race at eleven o'clock this morning. She was first seen some fifteen miles east of the Cape, at nine o'clock, but a thick fog setting in she passed off to the southward, so that the near-boat was unable to board her. It is barely probable that the can containing the news was thrown overboard, and that it may be picked up after the fog lifts.

NEWARK, N. J., July 12.—The shawl, table cover, &c., mill of John Duncan, at Franklin, near Newark, was burned at 3 o'clock this morning. Two hundred hands are thrown out of employment, and a large amount of stock of ready made and materials were burned. Loss $100,000; partially insured. The fire is supposed to have been caused by spontaneous combustion in the wool. The fire was so hot and fierce that nothing was saved. The building was of wood and three stories high. The heavy machinery in the third tier was burned.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., July 12.—The steamer Michigan, lying at the dock, was totally destroyed by fire this morning. The crew barely escaped in their berths, escaped with great difficulty. Loss over $5000; no insurance.

Francis W. Kellog was nominated for re-election to Congress by the Republicans of the third district.

ST. JOSEPH, July 12.—The Denver City express, with dates to the 5th inst., arrived here to-day.

The Fourth of July was appropriately celebrated at Denver City.

Business was still dull but improving slowly. An average of forty teams per day were returning to the States. The arrivals were decreasing rapidly. The weather was hot.

UTICA, July 12.—The Union Constitutional Convention of the friends of Bell and Everett, met at 12 o'clock to-day. The attendance was moderate in point of numbers, but of a highly respectable character. After the temporary organization and the appointment of the usual committees, the Convention took a recess till 3 o'clock.

MILWAUKEE, July 12.—The Republicans of the First Congressional district yesterday nominated John F. Potter by acclamation for re-election to Congress. A large and enthusiastic meeting was held in the afternoon, which was addressed by Senator Doolittle and others.

SYRACUSE, July 12.—The Central City Courier, the organ of the Democratic party in central New York, has taken down the Douglas and Johnson ticket, and run up that for Breckinridge and Lane. It is said that other papers in the State will follow the example.

CHICAGO, July 12.—The Democratic Convention of the ninth district of Indiana yesterday nominated C. W. Chapman, to Congress by acclamation.

NEW ORLEANS, July 11.—The thermometer marked ninety-nine degrees in the shade at ten o'clock to-day.

WHEELING, July 12.—The warehouse of Busby, Little & Co., was destroyed by fire yesterday morning. Loss $11,000.

LOUISVILLE, July 12.—River stationary—5 feet 5 inches in the canal. Weather clear; mercury 72°.

Telegraphic Markets.

NEW YORK, July 12.—Ashes steady; sales 76 bbls at $8 12 for pots, and $7 75 for pearls. Cotton quiet and unchanged; sales 840 bales at 10½ for middling uplands. Flour continues dull, and prices of middle and common grades still 5 to 10c lower, especially for the choicest brands; receipts of freights, while the home trade will not purchase more than sufficient to supply the pressing wants; sales of 14,000 bbls at $5 10@5 20 for super western; $5 25@5 50 for common to medium extra western, and $5 60@5 75 for shipping brands of extra do. H. 2d $5 30@5 50 for super state, $5 60@5 80 for extra state—closing dull and drooping. Canadian flour dull and unchanged. Rye Flour is steady at $3 50@4 20. Corn Meal quiet and unchanged. Whisky in limited demand. Wheat quite firm, with a fair export demand, and moderate speculative inquiry; sales 40,000 bushels at 127@130 for Milwaukee club; $1 30@1 32 for Chicago spring; $1 32@1 34 for Illinois, and $1 35@1 37 for amber Iowa. Rye steady at 75c. Barley and Barley Malt dull and unchanged. Oats dull and heavy; sales 20,000 bushels at 34@35c for Canada and State. Corn 1c lower; sales 40,000 bushels at 62@63c for mixed western, and 64@65c for yellow. Pork dull and heavy; sales 300 bbls at $15 50@15 62½ for mess, and $12 50@13 for prime. Beef dull and unchanged. Lard dull and heavy at 10½@11c. Butter and Cheese unchanged. Whisky dull at 23c. Freights to Liverpool dull and unchanged.

CHICAGO, July 12.—Flour dull and declined 10@15c; sales at $3 25 for superfine. Wheat dull and heavy; sales 30,000 bushels spring at 93@95c, and 97c for winter red. Corn dull. Provisions generally dull and unchanged. Receipts of lake freights light. Shipments of flour, 5,000 bbls; wheat, 10,000 bushels; corn, 5,000 bushels.

ST. LOUIS, July 12.—Flour dull and declined 12½c; sales at $3 25 for superfine. Wheat dull and declined 2@3c; sales at 90@95c for red winter. Corn dull and declined 2@3c; sales at 50@52c for white and yellow. Oats dull and declined 2@3c; sales at 30@32c. Whisky dull at 22c. Provisions dull and unchanged. Receipts of flour, 3,000 bbls; wheat, 5,000 bushels; corn, 15,000 bushels; oats, 2,000 bushels. Shipments of flour, 1,000 bbls; wheat, 2,000 bushels; corn, 2,000 bushels; oats, 1,000 bushels.

CINCINNATI, July 12.—Flour is dull and more difficult to sell; fresh grades are offered at 5@10c lower; sales of new prices very irregular; sales of 3d $4 90@4 95, and new at $5 05@5 75. Whisky is dull and declined; the most prominent Providence barely so firm; Mess Pork, first class brands, sold at $18 75; nothing done in Bulk Meats or Bacon. Lard quiet at 11c. Butter and Cheese unchanged. Corn firm; prime new red sold at $1@1 05, to arrive; holders not willing to accept these rates, but they represent the entire views of sellers. Oats dull at 45@46. Rye dull and lower at 75@85 cts. Money matters unchanged.

TOLEDO, July 12.—Flour dull and declined 12½c; sales at $3 25 for superfine. Wheat firm, quiet and unchanged. Corn dull. Provisions generally dull and unchanged. Receipts of lake freights light. Shipments of flour, 3,000 bbls; wheat, 10,000 bushels; corn, 5,000 bushels.

DETROIT, July 12.—Flour dull and declined 12½c; sales at $3 25 for superfine. Wheat dull and declined 2@3c; sales at 90@95c for red winter. Corn dull. Provisions generally dull and unchanged. Receipts of flour, 1,000 bbls; wheat, 5,000 bushels; corn, 2,000 bushels; oats, 1,000 bushels. Shipments of flour, 1,000 bbls; wheat, 2,000 bushels; corn, 2,000 bushels; oats, 1,000 bushels.

MILWAUKEE, July 12.—Flour dull and declined 12½c; sales at $3 25 for superfine. Wheat dull and declined 2@3c; sales at 90@95c for red winter. Corn dull. Provisions generally dull and unchanged. Receipts of flour, 1,000 bbls; wheat, 5,000 bushels; corn, 2,000 bushels; oats, 1,000 bushels. Shipments of flour, 1,000 bbls; wheat, 2,000 bushels; corn, 2,000 bushels; oats, 1,000 bushels.

GRAND REPUBLICAN MASS MEETING.

NINE THOUSAND PEOPLE IN ATTENDANCE.

200 Wide Awakes, &c.

The mass meeting held in the Allegheny "Diamond Square" last evening was a splendid success, there being probably no less than between nine and ten thousand people in attendance. The meeting was organized by the election of the following gentlemen as officers:

President—Hon. John Morrison.

Vice Presidents—W. W. Ball, Jno. Atwell, Jno. K. Bown and John N Barr.

Secretaries—Sol. Schoyer, Jr., and Col. W. Neelis.

After one of the brass bands in attendance had ceased playing, the President brought the Hon. R. McKnight forward, who spoke about half an hour, but the crowd being so dense our reporter could not catch all he said, and was in consequence unable to report any of it. Mr. McKnight was followed by John M. Kirkpatrick, Esq., who was interrupted in the middle of his speech by the entrance of the different Wide Awake Clubs, who took their position fronting the speakers' stand, about forty yards distant, and in their unique uniform attracted a great deal of the attention of the audience.—Mr. Kirkpatrick resumed, after the clubs had taken their places, and spoke some 20 minutes longer, being frequently interrupted by loud and tumultuous applause from the thousands of people who were gathered around him, D. L. Eaton, Esq., followed him, after which the meeting adjourned.

The intervals succeeding each speaker were occupied with songs from the glee clubs and music from the brass bands, of which there were some four, beside other bands.

The Allegheny "Wide Awakes" formed in the Diamond about 8 o'clock, and marched over to Fourth street, in front of the Pittsburgh Wide-Awake Club rooms, where they were received by the club and escorted down Smithfield street to Second, where they were joined by the "Allegheny Lincoln Minute Men," and a procession formed in the following order:

"Music," "Pittsburgh Wide Awake Club," 75 men; "Transparencies, with the name of the Club on it;" "Music," "Allegheny Wide Awake Club," 50 men; "Music," "Lincoln Minute Men," 50 men; Transparencies, with the words, "Lincoln, Hamlin and Curtin," "Protective Tariff," and a picture of Lincoln splitting rails.

After traversing the principal streets, they proceeded to the Allegheny Diamond, via the St Clair street Suspension Bridge, where they halted until the meeting was over, after which they came back to this side of the river, where the Allegheny Clubs left the Pittsburgh Club. The appearance of the different clubs astonished and pleased every one, their movements being so generally accurate that one would not know but what they had been drilling several months instead of a few days. Their appearance was the signal for cheers all along their route, and no doubt, but what a desire to see them served to bring out a large number of the several hundred ladies who were present.

The meeting was a grand success, and now that out-door meetings are fairly inaugurated, we have no doubt but that there will be many more of the same description as this last one.

COUNT DE SYRACUSE, it appears, causes his private band to perform the national hymn of Savoy. It is said that, having, at the express request of Count Trapani, been summoned to depart to give satisfaction, he answered: "The deed requires only a gravedigger, and I am not one!" It is said, too, that he has declared: "It is I who will proclaim the annexation of the Two Sicilies to the provinces of the Kingdom of Italy!" This language has excited great anger at Court, but the Count's party dare do nothing against the prince.

COMMERCIAL RECORD.

COMMITTEE OF ARBITRATION FOR JULY & AUGUST.

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Weekly Review of the Pittsburgh Market.

[Reported specially for the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

PITTSBURGH, FRIDAY July 13, 1860.

We regret that we are unable to record any material improvement in business. The results generally during the week just closed, has exhibited continued dullness and inactivity, and it is altogether probable that this state of affairs will continue until after harvest. The operations in the leading articles, with the exception of groceries, have been very limited, being principally confined to small lots to meet the wants of the local trade, and there is an entire absence of anything like a speculative inquiry. The rates set in sugar, coffee and molasses have been liberal, while prices are firm with an advancing tendency.

The river, under the influence of the recent dry weather, is again down so low that it is nearly navigable. There is still water enough, however, to enable light draught boats to take all the freight that is offering.

ASHES—The week's sales were small at former prices for Pearls, at 5½@5¾. Pots remain as before at 6@6¼. Firsts at 6¾.

BEANS—Sales of common to prime white at 90c@$1 10 ₱ bu.

BUTTER—The receipts of fresh supplies during the last few days have been large, and as a natural consequence prices have declined. They can be now had at $1 80, $1 75@$2 ₱ bbl, according to quality.

ALE—Pittsburgh manufactured continues in fair demand, at the steady shipments to all parts of the country. We quote:

Bass' Ale,	₱ bbl	Mantle Rope, coil,	14 c ₱ lb
Hemp Rope, coil,	11 c ₱ lb	Manilla Rope, coil,	12 c ₱ lb
Tarred Rope, coil,	11 c ₱ lb	Tarred Rope, coil,	12 c ₱ lb
Packing Yarn,	11 c ₱ lb	Packing Yarn,	10 c ₱ lb

BED CORDS—Manilla, $1.50, $2.00@$2.50 ₱ doz.
Hemp, $1.25, $1.00@$2.75 ₱ doz.
Hemp, sail, 11 c ₱ lb.

PLOUGH LINES—Manilla, 21 cts ₱ doz. Hemp, 75c.

COTTON YARNS—No material change to notice. Stocks in both hands are reported to be fair.

POUND YARN.

Nos. 6 to 10 inclusive	20 c ₱ lb	No. 14	25 c ₱ lb
Nos. 11 & 12	21 c ₱ lb	No. 17	26 c ₱ lb
No. 13	23 c ₱ lb	No. 18	27 c ₱ lb
No. 14	24 c ₱ lb	No. 19	28 c ₱ lb
No. 15	24 c ₱ lb	No. 20	29 c ₱ lb

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, assorted, 22c ₱ lb. Twine, 21c ₱ lb.
Carpet yarn, 20c " Candlewick, 18c "
Do do 10 to 16, 21c " Family Batting, 15c "
Do do 8 to 4/4, 20c " Cotton Batting, 12c "
Coverlet Yarn, 23c " Do No. 2, 10c "
Candlewick, 20c

SEEDS—Sales of clover at $4 25@4 37 ½ bush in lots from store. Timothy is nominal at $2 62½@3 12 and flax is scarce at $1 35@1 40.

SALT—moderate demand and sales of No. 1 at $1@1 05.

STEARINE—steady at 10½.

TALLOW—rough is bought by the chandlers at 7, and country rendered at 9½@10c.

WINDOW GLASS—prices are firm, and we repeat our quotations for the small sizes, they make—6x8 and 7x9, $2 00; 8x10, $2 25; 9x12 and 10x12, $2 50; 8x13, 9x14 and 10x14, $2 75; 9x15 and 10x16, $3 ₱ box of 100 feet—10 ₱ cent discount off.

WHITE LEAD—firm and in steady demand at $5 25@$6 ₱ keg for pure, and $4 50@$5 ₱ keg for No. 2 in oil, and 6@8c ₱ lb extra for the usual discount. Red Lead $5@$6 ₱ cwt., and Litharge 8½.

WHISKEY—continues in good supply, while the demand is limited. City rectified is selling at wholesale prices, from 20@23. Old Rye is steady at 22@$1 25 ₱ gal.

CHICAGO PRODUCE TRADE—The receipts and shipments of produce during the past week, compared with the week previous, were as follows:

	Receipts.		Shipments	
	Past week.	Previous week.	Past week.	Previous week.
Flour, bbls	4,853	6,178	6,139	8,303
Wheat, bu	37,039	52,674	62,433	90,818
Corn, bu	510,191	746,832	484,753	407,906
Oats, bu	20,400	19,017	15,575	62,000
Rye, bu	40	333	1,074	433
Barley, bu	305	3,468	....	160

This shows a falling off from the week previous of 200,000 bu in corn, 49,000