Pittsburgh Gazette.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY.

MONDAY MORNING, AUG. 27, 1860.

CITY AFFAIRS.

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OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,

Executed at THIS OFFICE, on the most favorable terms and at the shortest notice.

INDISCRETION.—One of the most lamentable instances of indiscretion occurred on Saturday. After the busy labors of harvest are over, the relaxation which follows is very apt to produce what may be called exuberance of spirits among the tillers of the soil, and those who are not extremely well balanced sometimes look for social enjoyment in the company of Sir Richard Rum. Under these circumstances, we suppose, a young man, whose name we suppress, came to the city on Friday and because, like Tam O'Shanter, "glorious" from the enjoyment of frequent potations. About midnight he was picked up by the night watch, having been found in Cherry Alley, exposed to all the inclemencies of the weather. He was taken to the Mayor's Office and there presented one of the most ludicrous spectacles that ever was witnessed by those present. The loss of $50 had given his countenance rather a dejected expression, while his nose was disfigured and swollen by a blow on that member. To heighten the picture, the thief who had stolen his money had also abstracted *a set of false teeth* which he had had in his mouth, making him as guiltless of fore teeth as he was the day of his birth! All efforts to regain the teeth were unsuccessful, though Mayor Wilson detached a police force in search of them. After paying the costs of his arrest, he was discharged. It is hoped that having thus signalized himself in the school of experience, its wisdom, though dearly bought, may be worth the money paid for it. It is hoped the thief will be secured and held to answer for his crime. Whether, in such a case, the indictment would be for Mayhem is a problem we leave the young limbs of the law to solve. Any who may be puzzled by the question are at liberty to consult Blackstone.

ATTEMPT AT A RIOT.—A colored man named Harris was observed standing on the other side of the Monongahela, above the bridge, leading a crowd of boys and awaiting the arrival of the Wide Awake procession as it passed up to Birmingham, Friday night. As soon as the procession reached his position, he began skirmishing by sleighing out boys, following on the sidewalk, and telling his minions to attack them. Shortly after, he continued running up and down the street crying out "There goes a white son of a b—h! I'll catch him!" A number of men in the procession observed the outrage, and if they had been permitted to leave the ranks, would have given the sable gentleman—most exemplary—drubbing. He was, however, not molested. When the Wide Awakes returned to the city he was again observed stationed at the bridge with his force of boys mustered and drawn up for an attack, with a view to which they had provided themselves with stones. The Marshal went up and ordered him to desist. He refused to do so, and told him that if he threw a single stone he would be severely punished. The rascal made an impudent reply, when Mr. Boyce's kill, the Mayor's clerk, stepped up and arrested him. He was brought over and put in the tombs. A colored man came to the Mayor's office on Saturday morning and applied for Harris' discharge, on the ground that he was not the right man. He was told, in effective terms, never before in the presence of a magistrate in his life, never drunk, and so on. His panegyric was stopped short by the Mayor's assurance that Harris could not be set at large, and was committed for 30 days. He was afterwards released on bail.

VIOLATION OF CITY ORDINANCE.—A man named P. L. Hull was arrested on Saturday, by Mayor Wilson's police, charged with violating the city ordinance, which puts the market and all those occupying stands, under the control of the clerk, and subjects those who may become refractory to a fine of not less than $5 nor more than $25. The market is fantioned out into divisions, one of which is allowed to the sellers of each of the different kinds of vegetables. This promotes the convenience of purchasers, and is no infringement on the rights of the venders. Hull had stationed himself up stairs, when his place was down, and when advised of his mistake and ordered to leave, refused to comply. An informal— was lodged before the Mayor, and Hull was fined $5 and costs, the mildest penalty which the law authorized.

Another violation of a city ordinance occurred in the shape of two carters, whose names are unknown. They drove their carts, laden with brick, over the sidewalks, thus destroying the latter and endangering the safety of persons walking on them. They were merely fined the costs, promising to avoid driving over the sidewalks in future.

MASS MEETING AT FREEPORT.—A Republican Mass Meeting will be held at Freeport, Penna., on Thursday, Aug. 30th, at 2 o'clock p. m. Hon. John Covode, Hons. S. A. Purviance and Hon. Robt. McKnight will be present to address the meeting. The Pittsburgh Wide Awakes, Lincoln Minute Men and Rail Splitters are cordially invited to attend. There will be a grand Torchlight Procession at night.

D. ALLEN, Pres't.

We hope the invitation thus cordially extended by our Freeport friends will be generally responded to. Excursion tickets will no doubt be issued by the Allegheny Valley Railroad, so as to make the fair light. It will be a beautiful ride up the Allegheny, and the hospitalities tendered by the Freeport people will, we are convinced, be such as to meet the expectations of all who go. Turn out! Wide Awakes and Lincoln Minute Men! Let there be such a rally on this occasion as will convince the people of Armstrong county that the prestige of "Old Abe's" name, as well as the principles he represents, will secure a glorious victory in the November campaign. Any of our citizens who have leisure to be away for a day or so will find the trip a diverting one, and to all such an invitation is given.

OIL NEWS.—The Franklin *Citizen* gives an account of the wells in and adjoining the borough of Franklin. Above the town there are 21 wells. One of these, belonging to McKissick, McCormick & Co. is yielding 10 barrels per day. The other twenty are in various stages of progress, some just begun, others down a considerable distance with no indications of oil, and a few giving flattering prospects. In the borough there are 31 wells as far down French creek as the Court House. Thirty of these are like the foregoing twenty, a few, however, being tolerable, very few prove good wells. One is pumping 15 bbls. of brakish, Blood & Co., with a yield of 18 bbls per day. It will probably be a 15 bbl. well. An account of the balance of the wells in Franklin borough will appear in the next issue of the *Citizen*.

PICK POCKETS.—A very genteel looking lady, a school teacher in Jefferson township, had her pocket relieved of $20 in the market on Saturday morning. She has no knowledge of the thief, having not missed the money until sometime after it was taken. The numerous cases of a similar kind which have occurred within a short time previous to this one, ought to admonish people not to take any more money to market than is needed to buy marketing. Thieves have an excellent opportunity to abstract money in the press of a crowd, where their depredations cannot be detected.

We have received the prospectus and specimen pages of Dean Milman's History of Latin Christianity. It is to be published from the London Edition by Sheldon & Co.; of New York, at $1,50 per vol., in cloth, or $11 for the set.

We have also received from Deane Rollison, Philadelphia, a copy of his National Political Chart and Map of the United States. It contains a map showing the free and slave territories, distinct, with the platforms of all the parties. An excellent thing to hang up for constant reference.

DANGEROUS NOTES.—We have been assured that one dollar notes of the "Bank of the State of Indiana," altered by the passing process to "five," have been offered about this city, and some few probably passed. It would be well to examine all $1s closely. We also learn that counterfeit "fives" on the Farmers' and Drovers' Bank of Waynesburg, Pa., are afloat. Merchants and others should keep an "eye out" for these and similar dangerous bills.—*Steubenville Herald of Bearing.*

ASSAULT AND BATTERY.—Alderman Rogers had a man named John Harton before him, on Saturday morning, on a charge of wife beating, preferred against him by Officer Flanegan.—Harton was, after a hearing, committed to jail to await his trial at the next term of the Court of Quarter Sessions.

ILLEGAL LIQUOR SELLING.—Alderman Miller, of the 5th ward, committed, on Saturday, in default of $300 bail, Jacob Kohler, a German, who keeps a lager beer hall on Liberty street, on a charge of selling liquor on Sunday, preferred against him by a man named H. Thompson.

OBITUARY.—Mrs. Cecelia May, of the Sixth Ward, died on Saturday last. Mrs. May was in her 74th year, and has enjoyed most remarkable health until the present summer. As a parent, she was kind and devoted; as a neighbor, gentle and obliging; and as a christian, very ardent in her faith.

FIRE COMPANY GLEE.—Hon. Jasper E. Brady, President of the Second Ward meeting on Saturday evening, announced that a wreath is being prepared by the ladies of that Ward, to be presented to the best Republican Glee Club in this county, to be awarded by competent judges at some suitable occasion at an early day.

MASS MEETING ON OREGON LOT.—Saturday evening a large assemblage of citizens gathered at the stand on Oregon Lot, Second Ward, to hear an exposition of the principles of the Republican party. It was the largest meeting held in the city since the opening of the campaign, and, as remarked by one of the speakers, reminded one of the days of Log Cabins and Hard Cider.

The following officers were chosen:

President—Hon. J. E. Brady.

Vice Presidents—George F. Gillmore, William Phillips, Aaron Floyd, Maurice F. Kunz, James Lemmon, John B. Dunlevy, Geo. S. Gallope.

Secretaries—Tobias M. Fehl, William Owens, W. John Daniels.

The first speaker was Marshall Swartzwelder, Esq., who drew a vivid and eloquent contrast between the principle of Freedom—as advocated by the Republicans—and Slavery—as advocated by the Democratic party. His remarks, which were general in their character, were well calculated to bring before the minds of the people the relative positions of the parties named.

Mr. S. was followed by Hon. Jasper E. Brady, who drew the attention of the audience to the striking attitudes presented by all the parties claiming the suffrages of the people for the highest offices in their gift—on the one hand clamoring for the pretended rights of an oligarchy which has ruled the country 100 long and grasped too much already; clamoring for more secrecy to bilge and more privileges to abuse—and on the other, battling fairly and truthfully by the side of Washington, Jefferson and the patriots of the Revolution, for the free principles promulgated in the Declaration of Independence and that old charter of popular rights, the Constitution; battling for the very principles on which our Republican form of government is based—free speech, free press, free homes, free labor and free men.

Hon. John M. Kirkpatrick followed, and was as brilliant and interesting as usual, and as much applauded. He showed that the threats of dismission, in case of Lincoln's election, were absurd, and defined the position of the political affairs of the country in a most lucid manner, concluding with a beautiful and eloquent apostrophe to the genius of liberty.

The meeting was adjourned with nine cheers for Lincoln, Hamlin, Curtin and Victory.

GREAT REPUBLICAN MEETING AT MCKEESPORT.—1200 *People in Attendance—Great Enthusiasm*—*The Pittsburgh Wide Awakes.*—One of the largest and most enthusiastic meetings that ever took place in Allegheny county, outside of this city, came off Saturday evening at McKeesport.

Although the weather that day was very disagreeable, raining as it did all the afternoon, about 65 of the Central Wide Awake Club of this city, marched down to the Monongahela Levee at 3 o'clock, in the midst of a pouring rain, and left for McKeesport in the steamer "Col. Bayard." They arrived at their destination a little after six o'clock, and were dismissed until 7½ for supper, after which they again formed in line and marched through the principal streets of the town.

About 8 o'clock they marched down to the market Square, where the speaking was to take place, and were posted all around it to preserve order.

After the list of officers had been read, John H. Hampton, Esq., President of the Central Wide Awakes, then took the stand, and in a masterly speech, of about an hour and a half duration, reviewed the position of the three great political parties and their candidates for the Presidency. The speech was one of his happiest efforts, and he was frequently interrupted by loud bursts of applause.

R. B. Carnahan, Esq., then followed, and like his predecessor, occupied the attention of the audience for about an hour and a quarter. He spoke as he always does, well, and we only regret that want of space precludes our giving the speech.

Mr. Pope was called on, and enlivened the occasion with some of his latest and most stirring campaign songs.

The meeting broke up about 11½ o'clock, and after marching once more through the town, the Wide Awakes left for the city on the steamer Franklin, not, however, before giving "three times three," and a "tiger," for the Republican nominees, in which they were joined by the people of McKeesport. This meeting was undoubtedly a success. There were at least 1200 people present, though a gentleman residing there, estimated it at a much larger figure, and informed our reporter that it was the largest meeting that had ever taken place there. To those executionists who left the city in the Col. Bayard the time passed very pleasantly. Taking a band belong on board, they had singing, dancing, etc., the dancing, especially, exciting the mirth of all. Those who *figured* as ladies had their caps reversed, and made up in activity what they lacked in grace. On the return trip the time was passed pretty much in the same manner; though towards the last a company of ZOUAVES were detailed, whose duty it was to keep those of the club who manifested a somnolent disposition, *wide awake*. This was the first exhibition of the club in the city, and it may be regarded as a very successful one, for they took such a hold on the affections of the people of McKeesport that a meeting has been called for this evening to organize a similar club there.

SIXTH WARD WIDE AWAKE CLUB.—There was a very large and enthusiastic meeting of the Republicans of the Sixth ward, on Saturday night last. The meeting was called to order by the election of Theodore Robbins as President, and J. E Flanegin, Secretary.

After a friendly interchange of sentiment, the following gentlemen were elected permanent officers of the Club: President, Theo. Robbins; Secretary, J. E. Flanegin; Marshal, Jas. Lowry, Jr.; Captain, D. E. Morris; Assistant Marshals, J. D. McFarland, J. G. Lamborn, Wm. Shore, T. J. Craig, J. E. Flanegin.

On motion, adjourned to meet on Tuesday evening, 28th inst., at 7 o'clock, at the School House.

THE U. S ZOUAVE CADETS.—The new Zouave battalion held a meeting this evening, at their new armory in Lyon's Building, Fifth street. All the members are requested to be in attendance, as there is a large number of applicants for admission to be balloted for, and other business of importance will come up.

THE regular monthly meeting of the Pittsburgh Young Men's Christian Association will be held on this (Monday) evening at 7½ o'clock, at the rooms of the Association, Fifth street.—The public, especially young men, are cordially invited to attend. AND. LONG, Rec. Sec'y.

LARCENY.—Alderman Dyer, of the —— ward, sent a woman named Nancy Magee to jail, on Saturday, to await her trial at the next term of the Criminal Court on a charge of the larceny of $2 worth of goods from the store of a man named A. W. Thompson.

COW KILLED.—On last Monday evening, a cow belonging to Capt. John Peters, fell over the precipice, at the Alum Bank, a distance of one hundred feet or more, in its descent coming in contact with the scaffolding at the Ore Bank on which Mr. Bain was working—upset it, and threw him some distance, breaking one of his legs and otherwise injuring him. The cow was injured so much in the fall that it was necessary that she should be killed.—*Blairsville Jour.*

REPUBLICAN MEETINGS!

RALLY, REPUBLICANS! RALLY!!

The Committee on Speakers of the Republican Executive Committee announce the following meetings, at which all persons of every party are respectfully invited to listen to the discussion of Republican principles:

MONDAY NIGHT, Aug. 27th, at 7½ o'clock, at Fawn tp., (Soda Works) Hon. R. McKnight and R. C. Fleeson will speak.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON at 3 o'clock, Sept. 1st, at the Stone School House in Penn tp. Hon. J. K. Moorhead and D. L. Eaton will speak.

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

	INSUR.	IN SHADE.
9 o'clock, A. M.	98	74
12 " M.	100	79
6 " P. M.	100	76
Barometer	29 5.10	

SHINGLES.—The shingle market is very dull just now, and prices have a declining tendency. This decline is attributed by a great many to the supply being more than equal to the demand, but the real causes may be found in the fact that the demand is not so great as in former years, shingle roofs not being thought of when "Greggon's celebrated Asphalt Roofing Felt" can be obtained. The agent for this excellent material can be found at his office, Laughlin's building, Canal bank, near the city Water Works.

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DIED:

On Saturday, 25th instant, Mrs. CECELIA MAY, aged 73 years.

Her funeral will leave her late residence, on Commerce st, THIS MORNING, to arrive at the Cathedral at 9 o'clock, and thence to St. Mary's Cemetery.——————

——May she rest in Peace——

APPLES—20 bbls. choice Apples.
Just rec'd and for sale by JAS. A. PETERS,
aug27 Corner Market and First sts.

THE LATEST NEWS.

BY TELEGRAPH.

RECEIVED AT THE DAILY GAZETTE OFFICE.

LATEST FROM EUROPE.

Arrival of the Steamer Vanderbilt.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—The steamship Vanderbilt, from Havre and Southampton, arrived this afternoon with Liverpool and London advices to the 15th inst. She brings 350 passengers.

The resolution for raising a loan of £3,000,000 for Italy has been agreed to by the House of Commons.

The Neapolitan Parliamentary elections commenced on the 19th inst. Refugees are preferred by the electors who openly declare in favor of the annexation of Naples to Piedmont.

Austria is said to have abandoned the idea of possessing Venetia as granted by Germany.

Garibaldi is expected to attack Venice, and Austria will maintain the conflict alone against all Italy.

Prussia will remain neutral, while the other powers do not interfere.

The war material at the Austrian arsenal at Venice, is being transferred North.

The steamship Veloce, entered Castellamare at midnight on the 4th, and fired several cannon shots at Monsres, and retired without producing any results.—?—!

Advices from China say that Soochow has been sacked and burned.

THE LATEST.—GENOA, Aug. 15.—The papers publish a dispatch announcing the unopposed disembarkation of Garibaldi, with 8,000 men, near Reggio, on the night of the 10th inst. The same dispatches report the evacuation of the frontier of Scylla by the Neapolitans. Both these reports are considered doubtful.

TRIESTE, Aug. 15.—It is believed that Garibaldi intends to attack Austria not on the Venetian but on the Croatian Coast, by attempting a disembarkation at Fiemn. The Austrian authorities believe that he will first endeavor to provoke a revolution in Croatia and Hungary before proceeding to Venetia.

All the coasts are rigorously watched by the Imperial cruisers.

EVANSVILLE, Aug. 25.—A Republican meeting was held at Newburg, (Ind.) last night and was addressed by H. W. Ellsworth and J. G. Jynes. The Evansville Wide Awakes were in attendance and joined in a torch light procession. The meeting and speakers were insulted by a band led on by a man named Joe Kooker, the Marshal of the town, and Democratic candidate for Coroner of the county.—While Mr. Jones was speaking, Kooker and his band finding the Republicans would not retaliate drew revolvers and fired several shots indiscriminately into the ranks of the Wide Awakes. One member, Mr. Suiter, received a ball in the shoulder, inflicting a painful but not a dangerous wound.

Several other persons were slightly injured by stones and bricks. The Wide Awakes were unharmed; but a small party rallied and drove their assailants to the ground. The respectable citizens of Warrick county condemn this murderous assault and the attempt to suppress "free speech."

MONTREAL, Aug. 25.—The Prince of Wales and suite landed at nine o'clock this morning, in the presence of forty thousand spectators. The streets through which the procession passed swarmed with people. The buildings, both public and private, were gally decorated in honor of the Prince, and he passed beneath a great number of arches thrown across the streets. The procession embraced all the civic authorities. The clergy, a large number of societies, the fire brigades, and the riflemen and volunteers were out in great numbers. It is conceded on all hands that the display was the greatest ever witnessed in this province. The Prince will inaugurate the Victoria bridge at half-past 12 o'clock.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—A letter from paymaster Cunningham, of the Navy Yard, reports that the transport ship Plymouth, with the Naval Cadets, arrived at Cadiz on the 2d of August. All were well. The Plymouth had a boisterous passage of 31 days from Norfolk. She touched at Fayal on the way, and left the Gulf Coast on the 3d for Malta and Tenerife, homeward bound. The officers complain of having been courageously quarantined at Cadiz.

TORONTO, Aug. 25.—The Masonic body of this city are making arrangements to meet the Prince of Wales at Oshawa, and assist in the ceremony attending the laying of the corner stone of the new House of Parliament.

Fearful thunder storms have occurred in this vicinity during the last two days, with hail. Several buildings were destroyed.

BOSTON, Aug. 25.—The withdrawal of Gov. Banks has been confirmed. The announcement was unexpected to the Republicans, and an animated contest for his successor has already commenced. Among those members mentioned are the names of A. H. Rice, John A. Andrew, Geo. S. Boutwell, and others.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 25.—There is a large Douglas Democratic torchlight procession here to-night, including the clubs from all the wards, and the Young Hickory's Knightstown, with red caps, bands of music, &c., making a grand display.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 25.—Honduras advices say that Walker and Cabanas would probably meet at Comayagua, when a general government will be established.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—The steamship Adriatic sailed to-day with 185 passengers and $876,000 in specie.

The Edinburgh sailed with 230 passengers and $858,000 in specie.

LOUISVILLE, Aug. 25.—River falling slowly with scant 4 feet water in the canal. Weather clear; mercury 75°.

☞ We call the attention of our readers to an article advertised in another column, called BLOOD FOOD. It is an entirely new discovery, and must not be confounded with any of the innumerable patent medicines of the day. It is *Food for the Blood* as the name implies, and in consequence pleasant to the taste and natural in action, and the excellent material can be found at his office, Laughlin's building, Canal bank, near the city Water Works.

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COMMERCIAL RECORD.

COMMITTEE OF ARBITRATION FOR JULY & AUGUST:
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PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

[Reported especially for the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

PITTSBURGH, SATURDAY, August 25, 1860.

FLOUR—remains dull without any change in rates. The transactions on Saturday were a little more numerous, but generally were confined to small lots. We note the following sales:

	Super.	Extra.	Ex. Fam.	Fancy
240 bbls from store	$ 4 80	$ 5 00	$ 5 50	$ 6 00
156 do do	4 80	5 00	5 10	6 00
176 do do	——	5 00	5 50	6 25
76 do do	——	5 12½	5 50	6 25
210 do do	4 60	5 12½	5 50	6 10
84 do do	——	5 12½	5 50	6 10
127 do do	4 60	5 25	5 50	6 10
100 do do	4 45	5 25	5 45	6 00
86 do do	4 60	5 25	5 45	——
48 do do	——	5 25	5 55	5 75

BACON—unchanged but in good demand at previous quotations. Sales of 5000 lbs shoulders at 10; 3000 do sides at 12; 4000 do plain hams at 12, 1000 do shoulders at 9½@10, 4000 do sugar cured hams at 13; 16 tcs do do at 14½.

GRAIN—Oats are in moderate demand; but prices are unchanged. Sales from store of 850 bus in lots at 35@37, and 425 do do at 36. Corn dull and inactive; sales in lots at 650 bush ear from store at 51@53. Rye—but little doing; sales from canal of 80 bush at 56. Wheat in fair demand but unchanged; sales at depot of 7 carsred at $1.10, 2000 bush do strictly prime on private terms.

SUGAR—In fair demand at the old quotations. Sales 8 hhds prime N. O at 9c; 3 do do fair at 8½c.

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WHISKY—Sales of 45 bbls common at 20@22; and 25 do do at 24; rye at $1@$1.25 per gallon, as per quality.

OIL—Sales 10 bbls No 1 Lard at 95@98.

APPLES—Sales 10 bbls at $1.50@$1.75, as per quality.

FEATHERS—are commencing to arrive pretty freely, and prices are drooping. Sales of 40 bush at $1.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

NEW ORLEANS, August 24, P. M.—Flour—quiet and dull at $5.25@$5.35 for superfine. The demand still continues.

Mess Pork—is dull and prices are nominal.

Lard—is very firm, and holders asking higher prices; 14½ is offered, and 15 asked.

Bacon—very dull; there is no demand, and prices are nominal at 10½@10½c for shoulders, and 12½@13½c for sides.

Whisky—Unchanged for rectified, with sales at 18c, but raw, being scarce, is in demand at 17c.

No change in other articles.

AUG. 25—P. M.—Cotton—firm; sales today 700 bales, including 350 bales new crop at 10½@10¾c for Middlings.

Groceries—more buoyant at 9¼c for fair to fully fair.

Molasses dull at 26@28c for prime to choice.

Flour—dull at $5.37½@5.45 for superfine.

Corn—dull; mixed 59@60c; white 70c.

Provisions—quiet but firm.

Whisky—rectified 19c.

Exchange—on New York, par to ¼ prem.

THE HOP TRADE.—Already quite a number of contracts have been made by St. Louis packers for delivery of hops in the packing season. A preference is made for early delivery. Low rates, &c., are generally kept private, but are generally something above $8 net—certainly a fair price.

A number of bay merchants were on 'Change yesterday, from various parts of the country, trying to make contracts to enable them to buy at home and latten. Large amounts of Missouri money have gone out to agents, with which to make hop purchases.

A lot of stop-ped hops, averaging 230 lbs each, was sold at 6½c net yesterday.—[Democrat of 23d inst.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET, Thursday, August 23.—The money market remains without change in rates. The supply of capital to loan on call to first class borrowers, is in excess of the demand while business are supplied with all they want at 5 per cent. On all others, the rate is from 6 to 7 per cent, according to the standing or necessities of the party. There was a number of loans called in to-day by the banks, and payable to morrow. This state of the call loans' market has checked stock operations. Loans, with the speculators stocks as collateral, are daily becoming more difficult to obtain, and 7 per cent. is freely paid for such accommodations. There has been more business paper offering to-day than for some time past; the rates range from 6 to 7 per cent. for good indorsed paper, with the market in favor of the borrower. The London money market is beginning to show a tendency to advance. There is a steady call for bills on London, and the Bank of England. The inflow of specie continues. The government loans which are expected to follow—by appropriations of a similar drain from the Bank of England, to pay for the purchase of grain, to supply the deficiencies of the harvest—the cotton speculation in Liverpool, and large stock of cotton still held there, the languid condition of the British home trade, owing to the unseasonable weather—the consequent dullness in the manufacturing districts, and dreadful prices of goods—the continued commercial failures, which develop over-trading retail trade—the unpleasant politics tend to augment the "uneasiness" which exists in the public mind from political distrust in the future.

The following is a comparative statement of the imports of Foreign Dry Goods at New York for the week and since Jan 1:

For the week.	1858.	1859.	1860.
Entered at the port	$2,213,431	$2,911,247	$2,149,279
Thrown on market	2,411,313	2,916,527	2,217,569
Since Jan. 1.			
Entered at the port	$30 567,955	$42,918,025	$26,076,476
Thrown on market	46,351,751	51,880,597	28,113,543

Imports by Railroad.

PITTSBURGH—15 bbls flour, Graham 2; Thomas 10 bbls flour, S Lindsay; 6 bdls, 5 kgs nails, 6 bdls wire, R Townsend & co; 15 pcs axles, J G Hardy; 1 box buttrells, Pooley and Nelson; 29 bdls paper, 1 letter press, J M Pearson; 3 bag bags, R Nicholson & co; 10 hhds old iron, 1 do old fruit, Jos Jones; 1 trunk, 1 bx sundries, Miss M Rose; 64 do do Thomas, J W Moore; 1 car of iron, Wm Metcalf & co; 25 bbls oil, O Thumm; 1 kg hardware, 1 bdl gas pipe, Davis & Phillips, 2 cars, 1 bbl agricultural implements, Jas Grant; 1 bdl tags, Barnes & McVicker; 5 bdls spokes, W G Thompson; 3 sacks potatoes, R Dalzell & co; 2 bbls fruit, J A Feltzer; 10 empty bbls, Wm Bell; 1 bx, 1 bag, 1 bdl household furniture, Richardson; 1 bdl forks, Whitmore, Wolff & Bell; 6 bbls soap stone, 3 kgs, 1 anvil, 1 pencil, Zug & Painter; 1 empty bbl, R Mackrell; 1 bdl country soap, Shriver & Haverty; 1 tr bdl tobacco, Graff & Vansoeder; 30 empt ale kgs, John Harrison; 1 cut spring, Hallman, Sahm & co; 27 tons pig iron, John Meacham; 20 bbls flaxseed, 40 bbls fish, Brown & Kirkpatrick; 20 bbls fish, Means & Coffin; 20 half bbls fish, Jos H McCandless; 1 bbl do, Martin; 1 bbl do, Sweet; 2 ale bbls, Rhodes & Verner, 15 ale casks, 7 coil & co 1 bbl ale, Rhodes & Verner, 1 W ale; 1 bx wheat to bulk, J B Caldwell & Co; 10 tr cases dried beef, Peters & co; 1 bbl blacking, 6 kegs do, 50 bbls flour, 5 bbls soap.

PROVIDENCE—10 liner hogs, Lyle & Waltz; 1 car cattle, Jas Turner; 2 cars pig iron, John Moorhead, 2 cars sheep, Jas Barleach; 4 bbls apples; John Herbert; 13 bbls cutlery, Gardner, Robertson & co; 1 bbl and 1 hf bbl tinsel, J Balcon; 84 bbls copper, T M Howe; 145 cases copper, Park, McCurdy & co; 8 cases iron ore, J Rowe; 20 bales paper, Livingston, Copeland & co; 1 bx chairs, J Wade; 1 car cattle, Jas Means; 5 bbls, 5 F bbls pork, 20 bgs flax seed, R Todd; 21 ale casks, mark, 1 bdl ale, J Wade; 1 bag apples, 1 do copper, 4 do tobacco, H Hanlin; 1 wheel iron, Bell, Bell & Co; 1 empty cask, J Suiter; 1 car salt, A O Hoore; 12 pcs machinery, Marshal & Snow; 1 car cattle, J D Dunbar; 1 do do, M Hartkwood; 1 do do, E H Davis.

RIVER NEWS.

The river on Saturday evening was still rising with upwards of 3 feet, hence having rained about 12 or 15 inches during the past 24 hours. The rediculous low stage is over, we will have water enough for double the largest boats now at this port to make a trip without any difficulty whatever. Freights, we regret to say, continue remarkably scarce, and steamers are compelled to wait six and eight days in order to get out at the same time regulate the bowls. A call members and owners, who have endured anxious days and sleepless nights, procure a supply, and be at once relieved.

☞ See Advertisement. For sale by GEO. H. KEYSER, Agent, 140 Wood st., Pittsburgh, Pa. aug7-1dw2m

Notice to Builders and Contractors.

THE UNDERSIGNED (formerly Foreman for ROWLAND PARRY,) would respectfully inform those for whom he has done work, and the public generally, that he is now prepared to furnish SLATE of different colors, and workmanship, at the Slate Roofing Shop, on Grant street. All the members are requested to be in attendance, as there is a large number of applicants for admission to be balloted for, and other business of importance will come up.

THE regular monthly meeting of the Pittsburgh Young Men's Christian Association will be held on this (Monday) evening at 7½ o'clock, at the rooms of the Association, Fifth street.—The public, especially young men, are cordially invited to attend. AND. LONG, Rec. Sec'y.

LARCENY.—Alderman Dyer, of the —— ward, sent a woman named Nancy Magee to jail, on Saturday, to await her trial at the next term of the Criminal Court on a charge of the larceny of $2 worth of goods from the store of a man named A. W. Thompson.

COW KILLED.—On last Monday evening, a cow belonging to Capt. John Peters, fell over the precipice, at the Alum Bank, a distance of one hundred feet or more, in its descent coming in contact with the scaffolding at the Ore Bank on which Mr. Bain was working—upset it, and threw him some distance, breaking one of his legs and otherwise injuring him. The cow was injured so much in the fall that it was necessary that she should be killed.—*Blairsville Jour.*

REPUBLICAN MEETINGS!

RALLY, REPUBLICANS! RALLY!!

The Committee on Speakers of the Republican Executive Committee announce the following meetings, at which all persons of every party are respectfully invited to listen to the discussion of Republican principles:

MONDAY NIGHT, Aug. 27th, at 7½ o'clock, at Fawn tp., (Soda Works) Hon. R. McKnight and R. C. Fleeson will speak.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON at 3 o'clock, Sept. 1st, at the Stone School House in Penn tp. Hon. J. K. Moorhead and D. L. Eaton will speak.

NINTH ANNUAL FAIR

OF THE

ALLEGHENY COUNTY

Agricultural Society,

FOR WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA AND OHIO,

TO BE HELD ON THE

4th, 5th, 6th and 7th of

SEPTEMBER, 1860.

Premiums amounting to nearly $6000.

FAIR GROUNDS, NINTH WARD, PITTSB'GH.

THE BOARD OF MANAGERS would announce that LIBERAL PREMIUMS have been offered in all the Departments.

Abundance of STEAM POWER will be provided for the running of Machinery, &c.

In addition to the large PREMIUMS FOR MACHINERY in the Printed List, the following Premiums are offered: For best Boiler for general use, (in operation,).... $10 00

Silver Medal and	$20 00
Second premium	20 00
For best Farm Traction Engine, (in motion,)	20 00
do screw Cutting Machine, do	10 00
do Drill Press, do	10 00
do Iron Planer, (in motion,) Silver Medal and	10 00
do Centering Lathe, for Shafting, (in motion,)	5 00
do New variety of Engine, (in motion,) other than those enumerated in Class 45.....	5 00
Silver Medal and	10 00
do Iron Front, one story high, set up on the ground,..... Silver Medal and	5 00
do Steam Fire Engine..... Silver Medal and	20 00

ARTICLES SENT FOR EXHIBITION should be addressed to CAPT. JOHN SOUDO, Jr., carefully labeled, with the owner's name and residence.

Entries received at Reed's Jewelry Store, No. 68 Fifth street, after AUGUST 20.

Tickets for sale and Premium Lists for distribution, at Reed's Jewelry Store, No. 68 Fifth st., and H.P. Schwartz' Drug Store, Federal street, Allegheny.

HAY AND STRAW GRATIS, for all animals entered for exhibition, and Grain at lowest cash prices.

All entries must be made on the Judge's book on or before Tuesday evening, the 4th of September, and all articles and all animals must be brought within the enclosure by Tuesday noon.

An attractive Programme for each day.

Vigilant Night and Day Police.

ADMISSION—Exhibition Tickets, 25 cts; Five Tickets for $1 00; Single Tickets, 25c. Two Horse Vehicles, 25c.; Single Horse Vehicles, 15c.; Single Horse, 10c; Occupants and riders will pay the regular rates in addition.

RAILWAY ACCOMMODATIONS to and from the Grounds.

For information, address: S. SCHOYER, Jr., Esq., Pittsburgh.

jy26 d&w 51st or, J. KNOX, Corresponding Secretary.

CHOICE APPLES—100 bbls., the best in the market, for sale by
HITCHCOCK, MCKENRY & CO.,
aug25 122 Second and 151 First street.

NEW GOODS—SILKS, MERINOS, DELAINES, HOOP SKIRTS, and new styles BURNOUS, &c.
aug25 O. HANSON LOVE, 74 Market st.

EMBROIDERED COLLARS,
Lace Collars, Valenciene Edgings, just rec'd at
aug25 BURCHFIELD & COS.

BEEF BLADDERS WANTED
E. A. PAINESTOCK & CO'S,
for which the highest price will be paid. aug25

FISH! FISH!—150 pkgs. Herring, White Fish, Trout, &c., just rec'd for sale by
aug25 HENRY H. COLLINS.

CHIMNEY TOPS.—100 Gothic Chimney Tops, various patterns, for sale by
aug25 HENRY H. COLLINS

PEARL STARCH.—15 boxes Julius J. Woods' 6 cases Breeder & Butts's—for sale low to close by
aug25 F. SELLERS & CO.

POST OFFICE, Manilla, Hardware, Straw, Rag and Fibre Papers, for sale at the Stationery Store of
aug24 W. & H. HAVEN, corner Wood and Third sts.

FLOUR—150 bbls. choice Old Extra Flour, suitable for Bakers, for sale by
J. J. LIGGETT & CO.
aug21 76 Water and 75 Front st.

MESS AND RUMP PORK—for sale by
JACKSON & TOWNSEND,
aug21 No. 12 Fourth street, near Liberty.

APPLE PARERS—The Automaton Parer, simple and perfect. For sale wholesale and retail by
aug21 SAMUEL RIDDLE, 21 Diamond.