CITY AND SUBURBAN.

Daily Prayer Meeting.—From 12 M. to 12:30 o'clock at the Methodist Church, Fifth street, next door to GAZETTE office.

The weather yesterday was the hottest of the season, the thermometer standing ninety-three degrees in the shade.

The second concert last evening at the Rink was largely attended, and the vast audience was perfectly delighted.

Enclosed.—The new North Avenue M. E. Church, on the North Common, Allegheny, is being enclosed with a handsome paling fence.

Abundant.—Strawberries are in great abundance this season and of a very fine quality. They are selling in market at sixteen cents a quart.

Tent Service.—Religious services will be held in the Tent, corner of Seventh and Grant streets, to-morrow (Sabbath) afternoon, at 4 o'clock. All are invited.

False Pretence.—Alderman Miller had two cases of false pretence before him yesterday, which were compromised, the defendants in each case paying the costs.

Preaching To-morrow.—The Rev. James Y. Boice will preach in the First Reformed Presbyterian church (Dr. Douglas') to-morrow morning at half-past ten o'clock.

The Surf House at Atlantic City will be kept this season by R. R. Thompson, Esq., formerly so popular at Congress Hall, Cape May, and Metropolitan Hotel, Washington, D. C.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.—It requires eleven miles of wire to complete the circuit necessary for the working of the ten additional fire alarm boxes, which are now being put up.

Man Killed.—J. R. Hill, employed at the Osceola Coal Works, on the Monongahela river, above McKeesport, was killed yesterday morning, while at work in the pit, by a piece of slate falling upon him.

Not Proven.—Louis Bernard made information yesterday before Alderman Mullin against Jonnie Williams for assault and battery, but failing to make out a case, she was discharged, the costs being paid by the prosecutor.

The Allegheny Park.—The Commissioners having in charge this matter seem to be the right men in the right place. They are pushing the work forward vigorously and the improvement is beginning to assume a definite shape under their management.

Horse Stealing.—Dr. John Burch made information yesterday before Alderman McMasters, against William Hodges, William Miller and others, for stealing a bay horse valued at $150. They were arrested and will have a hearing this morning at ten o'clock.

Larceny by Bailee.—A warrant was issued by Alderman Thomas yesterday, for the arrest of H. Burkhardt, charged with larceny by bailee, on oath of Jane Danks, who says she gave him five dollars to pay a store bill, which he neglected to do, retaining the money himself.

Fell in a Fit.—About six o'clock yesterday evening a man, whose name we failed to learn, fell in a fit on the southwest corner of Federal street and the Diamond, Allegheny. He was taken into the Mayor's office and after a short time was able to walk to his home in Manchester.

Selling Liquor on Sunday.—Conrad Schaff made information before Justice Ammon charging Charles Bauerlian with selling liquor on Sunday. The acused was arrested and after a hearing was held to bail in the sum of $300, for his appearance at court, in default of which he was committed to jail.

Hard on Strawberries.—Our energetic Sealer of Weights and Measures, H. B. Lyon, Esq., has condemned over four thousand boxes of strawberries this season. In one lot of one thousand boxes, not a single box held the required measure, each lacking one-half pint of a full quart.

Assault and Battery.—Lebbius Huff states that Jeremiah Kinley and Patrick Calohen without provocation attacked and beat him in a very brutal manner. The parties were arrested on a warrant issued by Alderman Taylor and after a hearing were held to bail in the sum of three hundred dollars each for their appearance at Court.

Business Difficulty.—Martin Gibson, of West Deer township, made information yesterday, before Alderman Neillie against Thomas Renoff. The parties it appears had a dispute in regard to some business transaction, in which Gibson says Renoff struck him several blows and pushed him out of his office. A hearing will be had in the case this morning.

Correction.—In noticing the accident which occurred at the corner of Fifth and Grant streets on Thursday evening, we stated that the Allegheny hose carriage ran over the girl, which was a mistake. We intended to say an Allegheny hose carriage. It was the carriage of the General Grant Fire Company, we are informed, but at the time of writing our account we did not know to what one of the Allegheny companies it belonged.

Strawberry Festival.—Our readers should remember the strawberry festival at Excelsior Hall, Allegheny, for the benefit of the Board of Home Missions, Methodist Church, closes to-night. The festival will commence at three o'clock this afternoon and will be continued to-night. A splendid band of music will be in attendance, and everything that is necessary to spend a pleasant evening will be found there. We hope our readers will join in to-night and make it a grand success, as the object is a good one.

The Aquatic Contest.—Yesterday the second race between Hamill and Coulter was to have taken place in Philadelphia, but owing to the fact that Coulter broke his right oar on the third stroke, he dropped out, and Hamill proceeded over the course. During the afternoon a great crowd assembled on Fifth street to hear the result, but there was not so much excitement as prevailed on the day previous. It is quite probable that Hamill will receive the purse and continue to enjoy the championship.

Death of an Estimable Lady.—Yesterday morning, at four o'clock, Mrs. Eliza, the beloved wife of Mr. Joseph Fleming, departed this life for eternity. She was highly esteemed by all who enjoyed her acquaintance, being a Christian lady of many fine traits of character, warm, charitable heart and generous nature. Her early death will be sincerely regretted and mourned by a large circle of friends, and her husband has our sincerest sympathy in this the dark hour of sorrow and tribulation.

Yesterday our reporter made mention of the fact that Mr. William Semple, the well known Allegheny dry goods merchant, had been fined by Mayor Drum for a violation of a city ordinance by throwing rubbish on the Commons. Mr. Semple has ever been regarded as one of the foremost citizens of our sister city, and he would be the last man to violate any ordinance knowingly. Had the Mayor given the subject closer attention he would not have singled Mr. Semple out from among those who daily violate the ordinance, for an example, unless, indeed, he wanted one amply able to pay the fine. This is the first time Mr. Semple's name has ever appeared in such connection and we feel it was an act of injustice to him that it should have thus figured in the case referred to.

The Grand Concert Matinee This Afternoon.

At half-past two o'clock this afternoon will be held the grand concert matinee of over one thousand singers, children of the Public Schools of Allegheny City, under the auspices of Prof. W. H. Slack, at the Keystone Skating Rink. The House of Refuge inmates, the children of the various Orphan Asylums of the two cities and soldiers' orphans will be in attendance by invitation. The occasion will be one of the grandest and most impressive musical treats ever afforded any audience in this neighborhood, and we trust there will be a large attendance.

An Odd Case.

About a year ago, a youth of some seventeen summers, named Robert Sample, became enamored of a blushing maiden on the shady side of forty, and after a short courtship she consented to become Mrs. Sample. For a time all went merry as a marriage bell, but for several months past Robert has absented himself from the domestic hearth, leaving his wife to "paddle her own canoe." Not liking her husband's course in the matter, Mrs. Sample appeared before Alderman McMasters yesterday, and made information against the truant for abandonment. He was arrested and held in the sum of $500 for his appearance at Court.

Death of Mrs. Gen. Robinson.

Mrs. Mary Robinson, widow of General William Robinson, Jr., died in Allegheny at her residence, yesterday morning, at the ripe age of eighty years. She has, for more than half a century, been prominently connected with the charitable and philanthropic movements in both cities, and her name has ever been associated with kind deeds well performed. Thousands of warm friends will follow her to her grave mourning for the life that has passed away. Highly educated, of refined and polished manners, generous heart and the possessor of all the virtues which combine to make women loveable, she has passed through a long life, leaving behind her none but friends to stand at her grave.

Felonious Assault and Battery.

A difficulty occurred yesterday between a bar-keeper at a saloon on Market street, near Water, named Shultz, and Edward Smith, a colored man. It appears that the negro, in company with several others of his race, all river men, were taken into the saloon by a white man to get something to drink, and when the fellow came to pay for the drinks he had not money enough to do so, which raised a row, and by some means Smith and the bar-keeper got hold of each other, when Smith, it is alleged, cut him with a pocket knife, inflicting a severe wound in the nose. Information was made before the Mayor charging Smith with felonious assault and battery, and he was arrested and locked up for a hearing this morning at 10 o'clock.

The Glorious Fourth.

Our great legal holiday, the Fourth of July, will be observed in good style in every village, town and city in the country. With their usual enterprise the Messrs. Reymer & Brothers, the well-known wholesale confectioners, Nos. 126 and 128 Wood street, have laid in an immense stock of fire works of all descriptions, flags, Chinese lanterns, balloons, fire crackers, torpedoes, &c., the whole comprising the largest stock ever received by any house west of the mountains. This house has generally been regarded as headquarters for fire works, and nowhere else can a better stock at more reasonable prices be found. Orders by mail are promptly attended to, and dealers in the city securing their customary stock for the great holiday will consult their own interest by calling.

Conspiracy to Defraud.

Thomas Morgan and Margaret Edwards were before Alderman McMasters yesterday on a charge of conspiracy to defraud, preferred by Thomas A. Mellon, of East Liberty. It is alleged the defendants, who reside in Pitt Township, came to the lumber yard of the prosecutor and obtained 320 dollars worth of lumber on credit, stating that one of them, Mrs. Edwards, owned the 5th Ward Brewery, with several other houses, located in Pitt township, and in the 5th Ward, Pittsburgh, and that the lumber was for the purpose of erecting a new brewery on her property in Pitt Township. Instead of building however, the parties retailed it out, pocketing the cash. In the meantime the brewery, which appeared to have been only an old shed, was burned down, and when called upon to settle up for the lumber, the defendants represented that it had been destroyed in the fire. The accused were arrested, and after a hearing were each held for court in $1,000 bail.

The Bishop Bowman Institute.

The general examination of Bishop Bowman Institute commenced yesterday and will be continued till Thursday, when the commencement will take place in St. Peter's Church. The address on Thursday evening is to be delivered by Rev. Wm. P. Ten Broeck.

The second annual celebration of the Belle Letters Society was held at the institute last evening.

The young ladies presented a fine appearance, and the literary efforts of those who participated in the exercises reflected great credit upon the institution.

The meeting was called to order by Prof. Costor, who made a few remarks, stating the objects of the Society, which were to enable the students to better qualify themselves as writers and readers.

The exercises were commenced by a beautiful chant in which the entire school joined.

The patrons and friends of the school who were present, expressed themselves as much pleased with the propriety of the institute.

Youthful Travelers.

Two youthful travelers, giving their names as William Woods and Robert McDonough, aged respectively twelve and eight years, were arrested about one o'clock by Lieut. David Campbell, of the Mayor's police, in the office of the Excelsior Omnibus line, under the supposition that they were attempting to rob the money drawer. The boys, it appear, reside in Zanesville, Ohio, and, according to their statement came from that place to this city about nine o'clock on Thursday evening on a visit to Mr. George Clark, No. 227 Market street, Allegheny, who is an uncle of Woods'. They were looking for Mr. Clark's residence until late in the night, when they enquired of a lady on Lacock street, who took pity upon them and kept them over night. The next morning she gave them something to eat and they started out again to look for Mr. Clark's residence. After an unsuccessful search of an hour or two the boys became disheartened and concluded to return home to Zanesville. They went to the Union Depot and ascertaining that a train did not start for several hours, were loafing about the vicinity in order to pass the time away, and finally went into Mr. Pitcairn's office. As boys of their age usually are, they were perhaps a little too inquisitive, and finding no one in the office were making a reconnoissance of the premises when Mr. P. stepped in upon them and caught them looking over some papers in the cash drawer. The boys say they were not looking for money, but that they wanted a sheet of paper to write a letter. Lieut. Campbell, who happened to be in the vicinity, was called in and took the boys in charge, taking them to the lock-up. No information has as yet been made against them, and if their statement is found to be correct they will be sent home. They were both very poorly clad, being barefooted and having no coats on. The parents, if they have any, should take better care of them, as they are too young to travel alone.

Dr. Schenck's Familiar Talk to His Patients.

[As these plain, informal talks of Dr. Schenck to his patients contain much which may be of interest to all similarly afflicted, it has been thought best to report them occasionally, in order to place the Doctor's views before our readers. They take place at his rooms, at 32 Bond street, New York. He comes on every Tuesday from Philadelphia, and gives advice gratis, and also at his rooms in Philadelphia, every Saturday. He can be addressed by letter at any time.]

In what I shall say to you to-day I intend to use the plainest words I can find, so that you can all understand my meaning. I shall not use the technical terms of medicine, nor indulge in any theories or speculations.

By my remedies I claim, under God, to be able to cure Consumption. A stranger might naturally and properly ask: "How does it happen that you can truly pretend to know more about this terrible disease than all the acute and educated minds which have carefully made it a study for several hundred years?"

This would be a fair question, and shall have a fair answer. I do *not* claim to know more than the faculty do about the causes, *nature*, and *history* of Consumption. I suppose that my views on these points would be found to agree with those of most educated and intelligent physicians. We should agree that while the *final cause* is obscure; in other words, while it is impossible to say *why* Consumption selects this or that person as a victim, yet the *predisposing causes*, are:

1*st. Inheritance.* Consumption is hereditary in a wonderful agree. *One* parent very often entails it upon the offspring, and *both* still more frequently, so that whole families are often swept away, and hand the predisposition down to their children.

2*d. Cold.* By this we do not mean that those changes of weather which often produce inflammation, but long continued and steady cold, so that a condition of debility is produced. Indeed, whatever tends to produce long-continued debility will in some persons, generate Pulmonary Consumption. Prominent among these influences are insufficient diet, living in an unwholesome air, sedentary habits, grief, anxiety, disappointment, whether of the affections or in business, and all other depressing emotions, the abuses of mercury and the influences of weakening diseases. I also agree with the best doctors as to the *manner* in which the lungs become affected. Pulmonary Consumption is also called *Tuberculous* Consumption, by which we mean a disease of the lungs caused by tubercles. A tubercle is a small, roundish body, which is deposited in the substance of the lungs by the blood. This is the beginning and first act of the disease. Many of these are often deposited at once. Each one undergoes several changes, which I will not now explain to you, and after producing inflammation of the parts of the lungs next to it, ends in ulceration, opens a passage into the bronchial tubes, and passes out at the mouth by spitting. The place where the tubercle grew and ripened now becomes a cavity; and where there are a great many tubercles, of course they make a great many of these little cavities, which gradually unite and make great holes in the lungs. Unless a stop can be put to this process, it will go on until the substance of the lungs is consumed and death ensues.

Of course, I agree with the faculty upon the symptoms and course of the disease; the short, dry, hacking cough, so slight at first, but gradually increasing; then shortness of breath, a quickening pulse, then feverish sensations, flushing of the cheeks and heat in the palms of the hands, and soles of the feet, the slight, but growing emaciation, with feeble appetite, hemorrhages, increasing cough, disturbed sleep, fevered tongue, then loss of appetite, taking to the bed, then expectoration of softened tubercle in the shape of small lumps of yellowish, cheesy, or curdy matter; hectic fever, brilliant eye, chills, night sweats, sharp pains in the sides, increasing emaciation and debility, disordered stomach and bowels, diarrhœa, nausea, swollen extremities, hollow cheeks, sunken eyes, weakness so great that expectoration is impossible; then death, bringing welcome relief from the tortures of this horrid monster.

Now, as I have said, I mainly agree with the medical faculty on these points. But when we come to the *treatment* of the disease I differ from it totally. The doctors believe Pulmonary Consumption *cannot be cured*. Therefore they do not try to do anything more than to smooth the patient's path to the grave, and seem quite reckless of the medicines they give, so that the patient is kept *comfortable* and *easy*, even if his life is shortened. As soon as tubercles begin to appear in the lungs of a patient, it is a common practice with many leading physicians to begin dosing with whisky in increasing quantities until the ravages of excessive dram drinking are added to the ravages of the disease. Or they send patients away from home on distant voyages, or to Minnesota or Florida—anything or anywhere, so that they may die easy. For they do not pretend to *cure*, and they have no remedies which will do so. Now I say not only the diseases of the lungs can be cured, but that my medicines do cure them. *The proof is, that by their use thousands of Consumptives have been and are now being cured by them.* The whole science of medicine is based on experiments. We cannot by any process of reasoning decide that any particular medicine will help or cure any particular disease. How was it found that Quinine will cure Chills and Fevers? Why, by trying one thing after another until experience demonstrated that it was a specific for that disease. In just that way I came to a knowledge of remedies that are specifics for diseases of the lungs.

Pulmonary Consumption is hereditary in my family. My father, mother, brothers and sisters all died of it. I had reached almost the last stage of the same downward road, when I was providentially led to experiment with my now famous remedies—the Mandrake Pills, Seaweed Tonic, and Pulmonic Syrup. As the result you see me before you to day in perfect health and weighing over two hundred pounds.

What cured mescured thousands all over the country. Now these results are not accidental. There is no such thing as an accident in nature. My remedies cure because my theory of Consumption is the correct one, and because these remedies accomplish what I desire to have accomplished by my treatment. I will try and make this plain to you. *Whatever may be the cause*, the *origin* of Pulmonary Consumption is in the blood. Whenever, from any of the predisposing causes which I have just now mentioned, the blood becomes degenerated, it begins to make tuberculous deposits in the substance of the lungs. This must be stopped, or death will surely follow. It will not be enough to get rid of the tubercles already deposited and heal up the sores already made, but something must be done to stop further deposits. What shall that be? The regular faculty say, Nothing can be done. I say purify, enrich and tone up the blood until it becomes so healthy as no longer to make tubercles. Can this be done? Yes. How? By the easiest and most natural way in the world. Take a man such as I see many before me to-day. He shows to the experienced eye, by many infallible signs, that Consumption has set in. He is feeble and without appetite. Now see what I intend to do.

First. I propose to cleanse his stomach and bowels of their dead, slimy, clogging matter. This I shall do with my Mandrake Pills, which are the best catharic Pills in the world. They contain no calomel or other minerals, only vegetable matter. They evacuate the stomach and bowels gently, but thoroughly, and do not weaken or gripe. They act like magic on the liver, rousing it out of its dull, torpid state, and promoting a full, free flow of healthy bile, without which there can be no perfect digestion. Now that the stomach and bowels are cleansed and ready—what next? *Create an appetite.* This I do by my Seaweed Tonic. The effect of this medicine is wonderful. Unlike a temporary stimulant, which by reaction lets the organs affected sink lower than before, this not only tones up the stomach, but keeps it toned up. The natural craving for food returns in all its force, so that we have now a stomach hungry for food and a digestive apparatus ready to make way with it. What next? You can, any one of you, answer that question. *Put into that hungry stomach an abundant supply of various and nutritious food to be converted by the strange chemistry of digestion into rich red blood.* This will stimulate the heart into stronger action, and it will pump a fuller current out through the arteries; healthy blood will take the place of the thin, blue, flattened fluid in the veins, and soon a circulation will be established which will flow through the lungs without making any unhealthy deposits; strength and flesh will increase, and the bad symptoms steadily diminish. At the same time use my Pulmonic Syrup, as you know I lay great stress on this in curing consumption. People die of consumption because they become so feeble that they cannot throw off the dead matter which accumulates in the lungs, until they are so stuffed and suffocated that breathing can no longer go on.

My Pulmonic Syrup is the best expectorant known. It blends with the food, and through the blood goes directly to the lungs, attacks and loosens up the yellow, foul, rotten stuff left there by the ripened tubercles, and strengthens and stimulates the bronchial tubes and coatings of the air passages, until they get strong enough to lift it out and expel it by spitting. Then the lungs get over their soreness and have a chance to rest and heal.

So you see that I have not only shown that my medicines do actually cure consumption by experiment, but it also seems plain that they, or something like them, *would*, from the nature of the case, do so.

I wish I had the time to explain to you more fully how they operate through all the different stages of the disease, and I wish you could follow me while I explained to you the wonderful mechanism of the human body. But I must stop. I sum it all up in this: Good food makes good blood, good blood makes good health, and my medicines, Mandrake Pills, Seaweed Tonic and Pulmonary Syrup, used according to directions, enable this to be done.

I see you here looking at me anxiously; I pity you from the bottom of my heart, and wish to help you. Perhaps many of you have only some slight disorder which resembles Consumption in some of its symptoms, but is not so. That I can determine with my Respirometer, which enables me to learn just in what condition the lungs are. For this examination I make a charge of $5. I am glad to see that you follow my advice about the necessity of avoiding exposure to cold and damp. You know I am opposed to any patient of mine going out into raw air with tender, sore lungs. Air that may seem only fresh to sound lungs, is raw and harsh to the lungs of a consumptive. Keep your rooms and breathe a dry, warm air, and only venture out in the very pleasantest weather. I hope to find you have improved when I see you again. d&w

Pure Mineral Water.

The marvelous properties of the waters which gush out of the more celebrated springs of the world have for many years attracted the attention of the learned and scientific, and in this day of deep research and mental advancement there are few so ignorant as to doubt the high medicinal character of these great curative contributions of nature. Up till recently none but the excessively rich could afford to avail themselves of their benefits, as to do so would involve a tour to Europe, or a trip to some point on our own continent, which they could not well make. Science, the best friend of the poor man, has robbed these springs of the closely kept secret of their charms, and to-day is known by all, the formula of the famous Vichy, the Kissengen, Congress, Empire, High Rock, and Gettysburg waters, and in the carefully regulated chemical laboratory is produced waters not in imitation, but as genuine as though poured out of the original springs by nature. Here in our city we have, at Clark's elegant new drug store, No. 103 Fifth St., on draught, constantly, all of the famous mineral waters we have enumerated, and they are as fresh, bubbling and pure as any could desire. Recognizing the want long felt in this community for a full supply of medicinal waters, Mr. Clark has made that branch a leading specialty of his business, and will devote much care and attention to it, so that the utmost satisfaction will be guaranteed to all who bestow on him their patronage. He supplies the water in quart siphon bottles, which draw it to the bottom and keeps it for any length of time pure, fresh and sparkling, and it can be used just as wanted, no part losing its gas till taken out of the vessel. When the bottle is empty it can be refilled, as Mr. Clark has an apparatus for so doing in constant operation. The waters are also sold in ordinary bottles. We were shown last evening a quart of soda or carbonic acid water which had been placed several days ago, with syrup, in a siphon bottle. When the lever was lifted the water came out with force, and was as strong with gas as if it had but left a fountain. The soda water fountain in Mr. Clark's store is of elegant workmanship and of novel design. Its cooling capacities are great, an advantage also obtained with the syrups, which are kept in clean, porcelain cups, coming in contact with no metal. We hope that generous patronage will flow in upon Mr. Clark since he has taken so much pains to supply a long-felt want in the community in giving prominence to the mineral water branch of his business.

New Improvement.

Among the many new improvements which we noticed in our wanderings through Allegheny a few days ago, was a row of neat two story brick buildings in course of erection on Buena Vista street, at the corner of Jackson, Second ward. This is a handsome new street, sixty feet wide, lately opened and running from the Commons to the foot of Observatory Hill. The houses in question are six in number, fronting on the new street and containing four very pleasant and comfortable rooms, with attic and substantial stone cellar underneath. Upon enquiry we learned that they were the property of one of Allegheny's most energetic and enterprising citizens, W. S. Taylor, Esq., who it appears is doing quite an extensive business in the building line just now. Mr. Taylor must be a very pushing man to properly attend to all these building operations, and at the same time superintend his painting trade, which is of itself sufficient for one man. We congratulate him on his possession of this property, as it cannot fail to be a very profitable investment.

The Best Family Sewing Machine,

In the world is Singer's New Noiseless Machine. Those of our readers who have not examined this marvel of perfection should call at the salesroom and do so at once, and be convinced that it is the best. It is very remarkable for its quietness, speed, lightness in running, ease of management, simplicity and perfection of parts. It is entirely different from Singer's old machine. The tension is really self-adjusting, running from various thicknesses of goods without change, and the feed motion is so perfect that the operator does not have to hold the goods stretched to prevent puckering even when sewing the finest Swiss or Nainsook. The hemmer is so perfect that it will make any width of hem, and fell in the most beautiful manner with less skill than is required to sew a straight seam on any other machine. The machine works equally well on the finest or coarsest materials, using all sizes of thread from the finest numbers of cotton to heavy patent or linen thread. Do not be influenced by agents of rival machines, who, by misrepresentations, try to prevent customers from examining this machine, knowing that their own will not stand comparison. Prices and terms to suit all. Straw & Morton, corner of St. Clair and Penn streets. TS

Ghost Stories.

One or more ghosts are frightening the people in our eastern counties. Many think it to be the shade of some departed redskin chief revisiting his former possessions, but as the apparition is seen in different places at the same time its being a shade in the singular number is open for debate. The most remarkable feature in the case is the fact that no two persons see the apparition in the same shape. For instance, three people may be together, one will see a great dog, another an immense bird, while the third will see a nondescript, with the legs of a man, the body of a bird, the wings of a bat, and the head of a horse. This interesting visitor from the other world is said to be moving westward. We shall anxiously await his advent in our neighborhood, and in the meanwhile advise our readers to call at the premium trunk factory of Joseph Liebler, No. 104 Wood street, and examine the very fine assortment of trunks, valises, hand sacks and everything in that way. They may be assured that there is not the ghost of a chance for purchasing anywhere else to better advantage, or of obtaining better selection.

Testimonial from Hon. John Covode, Member of Congress.

For more than a year I suffered inconvenience from a constant sounding in my left ear. On the 21st of May I applied to Dr. E. S. Aborn, at 134 Smithfield street, Pittsburgh. He relieved me at once, and from that day to this I have had no difficulty of any kind. Truly,

JOHN COVODE.

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The excitement attending the "Great Semi-Annual Closing Sale" of J. W. Barker & Co., 59 Market street, which commenced on Monday, is increasing amongst the ladies, if we may judge from the crowds which daily throng their store, and why should it not be so when we take into consideration the low prices at which they are offering all kinds of goods? There you will find a 4-4 Bleached Muslin at 12½c., worth 20c.; 4-4 Brown Muslin at 12½c., worth 18¾c., and a stock of dress goods so large and varied in style that it would be an endless undertaking to name prices for all, together with a heavy stock of all kinds of dry goods, but we recommend all our readers to call and examine for themselves.

The Most Elegant silk mantles were exhibited by Messrs. Bates & Bell, the well known dry goods dealers, No. 21 Fifth street, will now be found on hand at that house. The assortment is the most superb selection from among those expressly imported for the New York City trade, and is well worthy the inspection of all. The firm will take much pleasure in showing the stock to visitors whether they are desirous of purchasing or not.

The Luxuries of cold sparkling soda water, delicious ice creams, tempting strawberries and general confectionary and sweetmeats, can no where else better be obtained, than at P. H. McGuires first class dining rooms, No. 105 Fifth street. Prices very reasonable.

Ladies can visit the ice cream saloon and restaurant of P. H. McGuire, No. 105 Fifth street, unaccompanied, as the house is visited by a first class portion of the people, and as no liquors of any kind are sold on the premises the best of order is preserved.

A No. 1 Sugar.—The original Diamond Front Grocery Store, 164 Federal street, Allegheny, offers rare inducements to parties wanting Sugar for table use or canning fruit. They sell Sugar cheaper than any other house in the two cities.

The Ladies are respectfully informed that a fresh invoice of pure unadulterated Java, Laguira, and Rio coffees, new importations, has just been received at the old established tea mart of Joseph A. Robinson No. 20 Fifth street.

At Robinson's old established tea mart, No. 20 Fifth street, will be found a very fine assortment of choice family groceries, which will commend itself to every housekeeper. The prices are very reasonable.

If you want it, get it at the Original Diamond Front Grocery Store, Federal street, Allegheny. You can buy everything in the eatable line, from a pickle to a barrel of flour. Go get it, buy it and try it.

Oolong, Japan, Young Hyson and all the favorite brands of choice green and black teas, at popular prices and in large variety, at Robinson's old established tea mart, No. 20 Fifth street.

The rarest books, the most enticing stationery, the largest collection of periodicals and magazines will be found at the store of Col. J. D. Egan, Sixth street, near Smithfield. Prices very reasonable.

New and second-handed books of all descriptions and of best standard authors, in Latin, English, German and French, at the popular literary depot of Col. J. D. Eagan, Sixth street, near Smithfield.

Meals are served to ladies and gentlemen at all hours during the day and up to eleven o'clock in the evening at the first class dining and ice cream rooms of P. H. McGuire, 105 Fifth street.

All the latest novelties in light summer dress trimmings, buttons, hosiery, gloves and embroideries, at W. W. Moorhead's fashionable retail trimming store, No. 81 Market street.

Good Butter.—At the Original Diamond Front Grocery store, No. 164 Federal street, Allegheny, you can get splendid butter, fresh from the country, and much less than in market.

Original Diamond Front.—Go to the original Diamond front, No. 164 Federal street, Allegheny, for anything in the grocery line. All good and pure. No adulteration.

Choice Teas.—At the original Diamond Front, 164 Federal street, Allegheny, you will find the very best Tea brought to this market. Call and examine it.

Party Kid Gloves in all styles and colors at W. W. Moorhead's fashionable retail trimming store, No. 81 Market street.

Parasols of latest Parisian styles and designs at W. W. Moorhead's, No. 81 Market street.

Beautiful new style Sun Shades at W. W. Moorhead's, No. 81 Market street.

Pie Nic Gloves and Fans at W. W. Moorhead's, No. 81 Market street.

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