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CITY AND SUBURBAN.

CHURCH IMPROVEMENTS.

Welsh Calvinist Church.

The spirit of improvement, which has been so marked in this city during the past year, has evinced itself more fully in church property than in any other class. New church edifices of the most approved modern styles are being erected throughout this city and Allegheny, and the old ones, wherein our parents have worshipped for the last half century, without even thinking any change necessary, are being remodeled and refurnished in order to keep pace with the rapid progress of the times. Among the many buildings which have undergone a change in this respect we notice the Welsh Calvinist Church, on Second street, between Smithfield and Grant. The structure was originally a dark, dingy, uninviting place, built and arranged after the old English style, without regard to neatness in appearance or comfort. The desk or altar was situated at one side of the room, and the seats ascending from the center to each corner of the building, each seat occupying a level of its own and rising one step higher than the one in front of it. The inside of the building has been completely remodeled and is now fitted up in style, having the appearance of both neatness and comfort. The altar has been changed to the back end of the building, and the seats are arranged in the usual style, with two aisles extending from front to rear. The floor descends from the entrance to the altar several inches, raising each seat a trifle higher than the one in front of it. New seats of a comfortable pattern, neatly painted and grained in oak, take the place of the uncomfortable high backed benches. The windows have been enlarged, adding greatly to the outside appearance of the building as well as to the comfort and convenience of the interior. The walls and ceiling have been neatly covered with tinted paper of a light blue color, dark columns enclosing each window. Many other changes have been made, among which is a heavy ornamental cornice on the front of the building, and the consequences is that a complete transformation has been effected, so complete that if some of those who worshipped there ten years gone by were permitted to return, they would certainly think they were not in the right place.

Manchester Presbyterian Church.

The renovation and refitting of the Manchester Presbyterian Church, Rev. J. E. Wright, corner of Franklin and Market streets, which has been under way for some time past, has at length been completed. The congregation seem to have done their work on the principle that whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing well, and as a result they have now, both externally and internally, one of the neatest and most cheerful places of worship in this vicinity. Commencing with the outside of the building, the old and rather dingy looking walls have been freshened up with a coat of light green colored paint, producing a complete change in their appearance; the bell tower has been repainted and surmounted with two small gilded globes, while Lockhart's copper lightning rods protect the structure from all danger by the electric fluid.

Inside the improvements are of a more extensive character. All the walls and ceilings have been tastefully tuscoed, the pulpit painted and grained in dark oak imitation, carpeted with the finest Brussels, and furnished with a sofa and two gothic backed sofa chairs, while on either side a handsome bronze gas stand furnishes the necessary light. The old railing around the gallery at the west end has given place to paneling of a very pretty design, which is in itself quite an improvement. The seats have all been painted a light stone color tapped with red, and grained in light oak imitation on the side. All the aisles, the vestibuls and lecture room have been covered with beautiful figured tapestry carpet. In the center of the ceiling is a large gasolier, said to be the invention of a trustee of the church, John B. Chambers, Esq., comprising sixteen reflectors, which throw a very brilliant light over the whole auditorium. To make the work of refitting complete, one of the largest sized and sweetest toned Mason & Hamlin cabinet organs has been purchased, which will hereafter fill the house with melody and add to the fervor of praise. Taken altogether, the congregation have made a complete transformation in their temple of worship, and they certainly deserve the highest credit for their energy and perseverance.

First German Lutheran Church.

The congregation of the First German Lutheran Church, one of the largest in the denomination, Rev. Frederic Schiedt pastor, design building a new and commodious church on the corner of Madison avenue and Liberty street, Fourth ward, Allegheny. The work of excavating for the foundations, which will be laid this season and allowed to settle through the winter, was commenced a few days ago.

The edifice, of which Mr. Ralph, of Allegheny, is the architect, will be built of brick, Gothic in style, one story high, fronting sixty-two feet on Madison avenue and running back one hundred and eighteen feet on Liberty street. The tower, rising one hundred and fifty feet from the ground, will contain a bell and be ornamented with a handsome index. The auditorium, to which access will be had from Madison avenue, through three large arched doorways of stone, will be tastefully frescoed, have cushioned pews, windows of stained glass, a gallery on three sides, and a sacristy in the rear. The whole cost of the structure will not fall far short of $50,000, and when completed it will compare very favorably with any of the best church buildings in our vicinity.

The congregation also contemplate the erection of a large school house and parsonage in connection with the church, but these will not be commenced until after the finishing of the building now under way.

EDUCATIONAL.

Commencement Exercises at Mount Union College—Action of the Trustees and Faculty—Revision of the College Studies—Value of the Sciences and Modern Classics Duly Acknowledged—The Founding of a Museum of Science and Art—Annual Address by the Chief Justice of Ohio—Graduations—Conferring Degrees, &c.

The recent Commencement exercises of Mount Union College have been of unusual public importance. The large and appreciative audiences, not only at the public addresses, anniversaries of the Literary Societies, at the Senior orations, but also during the successive days of examining the classes, attest how well each performed his part.

At the annual meetings of the Faculty and Trustees, conclusions were reached and plans adopted which had taken years to prepare. The courses of study after careful examinations both in America and Europe, of the actual claims of the respective branches of a liberal education, were revised so as to adapt them to the legitimate demands of the age, and the increasing importance of the sciences and modern classics. Though the full ancient classical course is retained for those who prefer it, yet the fundamental classical course omits after the preparatory and freshman year the more unimportant portions of the dead languages, and adds the French and German classics and a more extended course in Mathematics, English Literature, and the Modern Sciences. Two Professorships were established—one in the French and German languages, the other in Commercial Science—for the business education of persons of both sexes. A museum of Science and Art was founded by the trustees, containing collections illustrative of the several branches of Natural Science, Fine Arts, Agriculture and Ethnology. Besides valuable additions to the Chemical, Philosophical and Astronomical apparatus, valuable collections for this museum, especially in Mineralogy, Geology, Botany, Zoology and the Fine Arts, were selected in Europe by the President of the College.

Lewis Miller, of Akron, Ohio, was elected President of the Board of Trustees, and C. Aultman, of Mansfield, Treasurer. The College year was so changed as to make a Fall term of twelve weeks, a Winter term of sixteen weeks, and a Spring term of fourteen weeks, to commence respectively on the third Tuesday of August, November and March of each year. No additional charges were made for the French and German languages, and the tuition for Instrumental Music and the Sciences was reduced.

The annual address before the Board of Trustees was delivered by Luther Day, Chief Justice of Ohio. The Baccalaureate Sermon was delivered before the body of students by Rev. W. Cox, D. D., of Mount Union, Ohio. The Baccalaureate Address to the Senior Class was delivered by Rev. O. N. Hartshorn, LL. D., President of the Faculty. The Alliance band and the choirs of the Linnaean and Republican Literary Societies furnished music for the various public occasions.

By vote of the Faculty and Trustees the Bachelor's Degree was conferred upon the following Senior Class: S. H. Cravens, East Springfield, O.; M. Fording, Alliance, O.; M. B. Gant, Greensburg, Pa.; W. B. Grace, New Philadelphia, O.; C. Grumbling, Brush Valley, Pa.; G. D. Hill, Post Washington, O.; H. Hilles, Mt. Union, O.; L. H. Hole, East Rochester, O.; E. P. Murdock, Newark, Mo.; E. Nichols, Columbiana, O.; J. T. Raudabaugh, Celina, O.; Lizzie Ruxroth, Bucyrus, O.; Sallie L. Smith, Rockville, Ct.; J. Woolridge, Hudson, O. The Masters Degree, *in cursu*, upon Mary E. Adams, Nelson, O.; C. D. Chalfant, Upper Middletown, Pa.; W. B. Chapman, Boston, Mass.; J. H. Conkle, Pittsburgh, Pa.; A. N. Craft, West Farmington, O.; A. C. Couch, Brockville, Ind.; J. B. Eberly, Smithville, O.; J. W. Hamilton, Boston, Mass.; Julia Higley Rich, Virden, Iowa; J. E. Phillips, Alliance, O.; the Degree of Master of Arts, *in honora*, upon J. O. Chapman, Johnstown, Pa.; the Degree of Doctor of Divinity upon Rev. S. M. Merrill, editor Western *Christian Advocate*, Cincinnati, O.; and the Degree of Doctor of Laws upon Hon. Luther Day, Ravenna, O.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed of record before H. Snively, Esq., Recorder, June 23d, 1868:

Samuel B. Cluley, sheriff, to John Staub, June 13, 1868; the interest of Lawrence Schneider in a piece of ground in Lower St. Clair township, being lot No. 80 in Rev. Michael O'Connor's plan, with buildings.....$50

Thomas McClure to Wm. M. Ferguson, June 22, 1868; lot in Lower St. Clair township, No. 14, in Thomas McClure's plan, at corner of Larkins alley and Pike street, 24 by 109 feet.....$700

John Miller to Robert Miller, March 11, 1867; lot in Shaler township, containing 230 acres and 49 perches.....$5,000

James Elliott to Margaret Powers, June 10, 1868; interest in a tract of land in Indiana township, containing 50 acres, being part of the Jessup tract.$100

Daniel Scanlon to Honora Mangan, October 21, 1867; lot in Braddocks Field, Wilkins township, in the Maple sub-division, being lot No. 13 in said plan, on Main street, 20 by 125 feet.....$155

Butler C. Christy, trustee, to Robt. M. McCowan and Robert Thornburg, May 13, 1867; lot in McClure township, containing 3 acre and 18 perches, with buildings, &c.....$3,550

Quit Claim Deed of Robt. M. McCowan to Robert Thornburg, June 20, 1868; the above described lot.

Quit Claim Deed of Robt. Thornburg to Robt. M. McCowan, June 20, 1868; the above mentioned property.....Nominal

C. Beringer to T. M. Sholes, March 14, 1868; three lots in Ohio township.....Nominal

Joseph Orr to A. Redford, June 22, 1868; lot fronting on Fox alley, East Birmingham, 30 by 60 feet.....$300

A. B. McKwan to Joseph W. Spencer, June 9, 1868; lot in the Liberty District, fronting on Anderson avenue, containing 2 acres and 50 perches.....$650

Wm. Magill to R. Alter, October 3, 1864; lot in Fawn township, with buildings, being lot No. 233.....$600

Sheriff Cluley to Michael Velocht, June 13, 1868; interest of Hugh McHugh in a lot in the Fifth ward, Allegheny, on Chartiers street, 21 by 48 feet.....$600

Robt. Woods to Mary Jane Wright, October 4, 1867; lot in Pitt township, No. 44 in Woods' plan, 40 by 100 feet.....$500

Stephen Jarvis to John Kaplen, June 20, 1868; lot in the Borough of Temperanceville, being lot No. 235 in Robb's plan.....$250

Daniel Negley's Executors to Robt. McAdams, June 10, 1868; lot in Wilkins township, on Coon street, 24 by 200 feet.....$155

Geo. K. Fiever to John Kaplen, June 20, 1868; lot in the Borough of Temperanceville, No 136 in Robb's plan.....$550

Thomas P. Austin to James McKelvy, February 15, 1868; lot in Richland township, containing 20 acres and 40¼ perches.....$1,720

C. Ackerman to H. O. S. Ocamier, June 4.....$1,700

Louis Gielsenkauf to John Reilly, October 8, 1866; lot on Smallman street, in Ninth ward, 24 by 120 feet.....$960

MORTGAGES.

Same day fourteen mortgages were filed.

—At Troy, N. Y., Monday, Thomas C. Brinsmade, a prominent physician, died suddenly of heart disease, while presiding at a public meeting called to aid the Rensalaer Institute. He was Vice President of the American Medical Society, President of the State Medical Society in 1837, and was one of the delegates to the Paris Scientific Congress in 1867. He was sixty-five years of age.

—Ex-Mayor Monroe, of New Orleans, who arrived at Havana lately with a number of men to carry on the business of loading and unloading vessels in the harbor, has been prevented from engaging in such occupation on account of the severity of the Spanish law, which permits only discharged seamen from the navy to act as stevedores.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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MEDICAL.

A GREAT CURE OF ASTHMA.

I feel myself under obligations to you, as well as a duty I owe to others who have been like sufferers with myself, in order that they may know where they can get cured. I had been subject to violent, continued attacks of ASTHMA for more than six years, and had been to great expense and to various medical men of experience without obtaining any permanent relief, or relieved at all. I was so bad that I never knew what it was to be free from the disease. I had to sit up in bed every night for weeks and weeks, without any prospect or hope of cure. My condition was such that I felt life a burthen, and when I got an attack I felt in danger of suffocating every moment. So terrible had been my suffering, that my mother says that she has seen me so near suffocation that I was nearly black in the face from the desperate efforts made to get breath. In the cold winter nights, many a night, with the doors and windows of the house thrown wide open, in order to hinder the apparent danger of strangulation. In this condition, on the 13th of October, 1866, having heard of DR. KEYSER'S skill in curing this disease, I called on him, in company with my husband, Joseph Meyers, but I must confess with a great deal of doubt as to effecting a permanent cure. DR. KEYSER examined me carefully, and my lungs all over, with his LUNG SOUND, and told me that with care I would get well. I persevered with his medicines for over a year, and am to-day in vigorous health, and totally FREE FROM THE ASTHMA, and its terribly disagreeable attendants. I have had, once in a while, a slight attack of the disease, but I regard my health as entirely re-established, and if I do have any attack, a few doses of the Doctor's medicine immediately relieves it. I cannot feel too thankful for the exemption from a disease which used to cost me whole weeks and months of loss of sleep, besides suffering which none but those who are subject to this disease can fully appreciate or describe.

NANCY MEYERS,
MARY MOUNT JOY, (her mother,)
GEORGIANA FISHER.

Birmingham, Dec. 9, 1867.

The case of Mrs. Meyers, recited above, is one of more than ordinary importance, because of the violence of the attacks, their continued length, and the great prostration of all the vital powers attending the disease. Any one who knew her during the time she was a sufferer from the disease of which she was cured, and will look at her now, the very picture of robust health, cannot but admit that the cure is one of more than ordinary character. Inasmuch as we hear of Asthma every day of our lives, being a disease of an incurable nature. Let those who doubt investigate for themselves.

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SIGHT RESTORED.

The case to which we allluded some weeks ago, of Christiana Fisher, of Beaver county, is now entirely cured by the appearance of Miss Fisher herself, who to-day called at DR. KEYSER'S in person, to thank him for his kindness and skill in restoring her to PERFECT AND PERFECT SIGHT. Miss Fisher has been nearly blind for four months. She was so blind that she could not distinguish any object so as to make out what it was. The case is remarkable, as hundreds of cases like her's are doomed to never-ending darkness, on the flimsy pretext that there is no cure, and nothing can be done. She was under DR. KEYSER'S treatment for two months, and before she applied to him, through her brother, Simon F. Fisher, slight hopes were entertained of her ever getting her sight. Her case is well known in the neighborhood where she resides, and has been regarded as one of extraordinary recovery. We, the undersigned, know of the cure of Miss Fisher, and bear willing testimony to the fact above stated.

CHRISTIAN FISHER,
SIMON P. FISHER, (brother,)
ANNIE BRADLEY,
Taylor Avenue, Allegheny;
EUGENE MCCASKEY,
LOUISA FISHER, (her niece.)

September 18th, 1867.

The case above referred to was entirely cured by medicines to purify the blood, and it is witnessed by scores of persons who to-day know Miss Fisher, and have a knowledge of her total restoration to health and the recovery of her sight, as the accompanying letter of her brother sets forth:

DR. KEYSER—This is the list of names that I have to your advertisement of the cure of my sister, Christiana Fisher. They were all willing to put their names down, and were very much astonished to see that you brought her sight so soon. My mother sends her thanks to you; she says "you are the greatest men in the world." She says if we had not come across you she believes her child would be living at this time. We all join in sending our love and respects to you.

S. P. FISHER, North Sewickley.

S. H. Brown,
Philip Friday,
Rachel Friday,
H. N. Teckle,
H. Caroll,
E. W. Lievendorfer,
Wm. Jenkins,
Michael Harris,
A. McClure Fleming,
C. S. Swinesburg,
Susan Lemmer,
Eliza Hyde,
Wm. Allrson,
Eliza Lievendorfer,
T. L. Young,
J. Lievendorfer,
J. F. Mitchel,
A. M. Lievendorfer,
A. Gardner,
G. Lievendorfer,
J. F. Morrison,
A. M. Morrison,
Robert Mahesd,
Christians Mahead,
Isabella Hoobs,
N. Funkhouser,
D. Fisher,
G. Fisher,
(her brother,)
Lizzie Mahead,
Tillie Mahead,
T. M. Mahead,
Thos. Mahead,
Lean Allison,
Mary J. Brown,
Jane A. Morton,
J. C. Weiler,
Mary J. Weiler,
N. H. Hazen,
Nancy M. Hazen,
Mary H. Morton,
Wm. H. Morton,
Ezra Hazen,
Jennie Wilson,
Chris. M. Wilson,
Mary E. Wilson,
Mary Patten,
Jennie Patten,
Martha Patten,
James Patten,
Sadie E. Dobbs,
Jennie E. Dobbs,
J. W. Dobbs,
L. Dobbs,
Wm. R. Pence,
J. C. Fisher,
Willamina Fisher,
(her mother.)

DR. KEYSER'S CONSULTATION ROOMS, No. 120 PENN STREET, corner of EVANS ALLEY. OFFICE HOURS FROM 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.

PULMONARY CONSUMPTION, RESULTING FROM PLEURISY, CURED.

Statement of GEORGE FORD, carpenter, of No. 16 Sampson street, Allegheny City:

I took a violent attack of pleurisy in May, 1866, which left me with a cough lasting all summer, wearing away my strength and gradually undermining my health. During this attack of pleurisy I had several physicians of the highest reputation in the city. After I had partially recovered from the pleurisy, I was advised to go into the country, which I did, and when there I called in a doctor, who told me my left lung was affected, and that if CONSUMPTION. I lingered on from this time until about the middle of June, my cough and lung pain gradually growing worse, and I weaker every day, and almost despairing of ever getting well. In this state of despondency, and knowing the general belief of the incurability of Consumption, and having heard of cures made by DR. KEYSER, and seeing his advertisement in the newspapers, I was induced in October last to call on the Doctor at his office, 120 Penn street, and had him examine my lungs with his "LUNG SOUND." He told me the upper lobe of my left lung was very much diseased, but he thought with great care and the perseverance in the use of his medicine, I would get well. At the time I called on Dr. Keyser my pulse was over one hundred and thirty beats in a minute, and I was generally prostrated, and had a cough night and day. I commenced the Doctor's treatment in October, a feeble, broken constitution, and continued it faithfully until the present time. The Doctor's medicines helped me from this very start, and I could gradually feel myself getting stronger, and my cough and expectoration lessening. I have gained greatly in flesh, and consider myself well; all the rattling of my lung has ceased, and my general health is in every way good. All my relatives and friends know of the advanced stage of my disease and my extraordinary recovery. One of the medicines given me by DR. KEYSER was a medicine called LUNG CURE, which I took in connection with the other treatment.

GEORGE FORD.

PITTSBURGH, March 30, 1868.

ANOTHER CURE OF CONSUMPTION.

Statement of John G. Wigham, of Turtle Creek, Allegheny county:

I was discharged from the United States army in January, 1866, on account of a wound in the head, from a shell, and a disease which the army physicians pronounced CONSUMPTION. I had a terrible cough, and fell away in strength and flesh, and was unable to do anything. Shortly after my return from the army, I made application to a physician of Pittsburgh of high reputation, whose remedies I used faithfully for five months, without any benefit whatever, but rather grew worse, and wasted in flesh and strength every day, in August, 1866, my mother took me to DR. KEYSER, of 120 Penn street, whose skill in such cases like mine had been highly spoken of, and put myself under his treatment. The doctor examined my lungs very carefully with his LUNG SOUND, and told me that my left lung was badly diseased at the upper part, but if I was careful he thought he could cure me by following his directions closely, which I did from that day to this. I gradually improved under DR. KEYSER'S medicines from the first week I commenced to take them, and my general health has improved, and my chest, where it was sunken away, and where it pained me, has become full and strong and free from pain. I can now do a full day's work, and take great pleasure in giving my testimony in favor of DR. KEYSER'S treatment and medicines.

JOHN G. WIGHAM, Turtle Creek.

PITTSBURGH, April 11th, 1867.

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ORDINANCES.

ALLEGHENY.

RESOLUTION to widen Jackson STREET.

RESOLVED, *By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny*, That Jackson street be and the same is hereby widened to fifty feet (the ground to be taken off the northern side,) from Pasture Lane to Shields alley. Second ward, and that JAMES GRAHAM, W. S. EVANS and JOHN B. EVANS, freeholders, be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view and assess the damages and benefits in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly, approved May 1st, A. D. 1867, and that the Clerks of Councils notify them of their appointment.

Ordained and enacted into a law this the 11th day of June, A. D. 1868.

JAMES McBRIER,
President of the Select Council.
J. S. SLAGLE,
President of the Common Council.

Attest:
D. MACFERRON, Clerk of Select Council.
R. DILWORTH, Clerk of Common Council. je22

RESOLUTION to widen McFadden STREET.

RESOLVED, *By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny*, That McFadden street, in the Eighth ward, be and the same is hereby widened to twenty-five (25) feet, from Western Pennsylvania Railroad to Bank Lane, and that JOAN KIRKPATRICK, MATTHEW VOEGTLY and SIMEON BULFORD, freeholders, be and they are hereby appointed to view and assess the damages and benefits in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly, approved May 1st, A. D. 1861, and that the Clerks of Councils notify them of their appointment.

Ordained and enacted into a law this the 11th day of June, A. D. 1868.

JAMES McBRIER,
President of Select Council.
J. S. SLAGLE,
President of Common Council.

Attest:
D. MACFERRON, Clerk of Select Council.
D. DILWORTH, Clerk of Common Council. je22

AN ORDINANCE amending an Ordinance relating to Board Measurers.

SEC. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same*, That Section 6, Chapter 11, Page 82, of City Code, is hereby amended to read as follows: They shall measure all round and square timber sold or landed in the City of Allegheny, charging therefor the owners of said timber the sum of fifty cents per thousand cubic feet measured.

SEC. 2. That Section 8 of the same chapter and page is hereby amended to read: They shall report quarterly to the City Controller all moneys received by virtue of their office, and they shall pay quarterly the City Treasurer forty per cent. of all fees received by them.

SEC. 3. That Sections 6 and 8 of Chapter 11, page 82, of City Code, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law this the 16th day of June, A. D. 1868.

JAMES McBRIER,
President of the Select Council.
J. S. SLAGLE,
President of Common Council.

Attest:
D. MACFERRON, Clerk of Select Council.
R. DILWORTH, Clerk of Common Council. Je22

AN ORDINANCE creating the Office of WHARFMASTER, for the Eastern Section of the City.

SEC. 1 *Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same*, That for the present year, as soon as may be convenient after the passage of this ordinance, and thereafter at the annual meeting for the election of City Officers, the Select and Common Councils shall, by their joint vote, elect one suitable person, a citizen of said city, to serve as Wharfmaster for one year, and until his successor shall be duly elected and qualified, for that portion of the Wharf extending from Chestnut street, in the Fourth ward, to the head of Herr's Island, in the Eighth ward, taking in all the landings on each side of said Island.

SEC. 2. Before entering upon the duties of his office, he shall give bond to the city, with sufficient in the sum of one thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties.

SEC. 3. His duties and powers shall be the same over the portion of the wharf on which he shall have charge as are devolved and conferred upon the other Wharfmasters of the city, and he shall receive of the wharfage collected by him, as compensation for his services, the same commission or per centage as is now allowed to the other Wharfmasters of the city.

SEC. 4. That so much of any ordinance as may be inconsistent herewith be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law this the 16th day of June, A. D. 1868.

JAMES McBRIER,
President of Select Council.
J. S. SLAGLE,
President of Common Council.

Attest:
D. MACFERRON, Clerk of Select Council.
D. DILWORTH, Clerk of Common Council. Je22

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the Grading and Paving of Peach alley, Shields street, and for the grading of Buena Vista street.

SEC. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same*, That the Committee on Streets be and they are hereby authorized and directed to invite and receive proposals for the Grading and Paving of PEACH ALLEY, from Virgin alley to Liberty street; SHIELDS STREET, from Allegheny avenue to Walker street, and for the grading of BUENA VISTA STREET, from Carroll street to Taylor avenue, and to contract therefor with the lowest and best bidder or bidders, at their discretion.

SEC. 2. That for the purpose of defraying the cost and expenses of the said improvements, there be and is hereby levied a special tax, to be equally assessed upon the several lots bounding and abutting upon said alley and said streets respectively, in proportion to the feet front in them respectively comprised, and bounding and abutting as aforesaid.

SEC. 3. That as soon as the cost and expenses of said improvements shall be fully ascertained, it shall be the duty of the Street Commissioner to assess and apportion the same among the several lots bounding and abutting upon said alley and said streets respectively, according to the rule above indicated, and thereupon proceed to make demand and collect the same, according to the provisions of the act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act defining the manner of collecting the expenses of grading and paving of the streets and alleys of the City of Allegheny, and for other purposes," passed the 30th of March, 1852.

SEC. 4. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law this the 11th day of June, A. D. 1868.

JAMES McBRIER,
President of Select Council.
J. S. SLAGLE,
President of Common Council.

Attest:
D. MACFERRON, Clerk of Select Council.
R. DILWORTH, Clerk of Common Council. Je22

AN ORDINANCE.

WHEREAS, Before the annexation of Dubuesne Borough, contracts had been entered into by said Borough with Smith & Orr for grading and paving McFadden street, at the following rates, viz: 45 cents per cubic yard for grading, $1.19 per superficial yard for stone paving, 60 cents per lineal foot for curbing, 98 cents per yard for brick paving; also for grading and paving Main, Pine and Bridge streets and Union alley at the following rates, viz: 45 cents per cubic yard for grading, $1.19 per superficial yard for stone paving, 60 cents per lineal foot for curbing, and 99 cents per yard for paving brick sidewalks. Also, that a contract was entered into by said Borough with P. F. Howley & Co. for grading and paving Bank Lane, from Union alley to Herr's Island Bridge at the following rates, viz: 45 cents per cubic yard for grading, $1.19 per superficial yard for stone paving, 97 cents for brick paving per superficial yard, 87½ cents per lineal foot for curbing; therefore,

SEC. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same*, That the Committee on Streets be and they are hereby authorized to enter into new contracts with the aforesaid contractors for grading and paving the said streets, lane and alley, their present contracts notwithstanding, at the same rates, with a deduction of five per cent.

SEC. 2. That for the purpose of defraying the cost and expenses of the said improvements, there be, and is hereby levied, a special tax, to be equally assessed upon the several lots bounding and abutting upon the said streets, lane and alley respectively, according to the rule above indicated, and thereupon proceed to make demand and collect the same, according to the provisions of the Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act defining the manner of collecting the expenses of grading and paving of the streets and alleys of the City of Allegheny, and for other purposes," passed the thirtieth day of March, 1852.

SEC. 4. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law this the 11th day of June, A. D. 1868.

JAMES McBRIER,
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BANKRUPT NOTICES.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

In the District Court of the United States, for the Western District of Pennsylvania. In the matter of SIMEON RUMBAUGH, of Perry township, Armstrong county, Pa., Bankrupt. No. 705, in Bankruptcy.

Western District of Pennsylvania, ss.—At Pittsburgh, Pa., the 16th of May, A. D. 1868.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:—The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment of SIMEON RUMBAUGH, of Perry township, in the county of Armstrong, and State of Pennsylvania, within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition, by the District Court of said District.

WM. BLAKELY, Attorney-at-Law,
91 Grant street, Assignee.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA. In the matter of JOHN M. THORP, of Allegheny county, Pa., Bankrupt. No. 585, in Bankruptcy.

Western District of Pennsylvania, ss.

At Pittsburgh, Pa., June 8th, A. D. 1868.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of JOHN M. THORP, of Allegheny City, in the county of Allegheny, and State of Pennsylvania, within said District, who has been adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition, by the District Court of said district.

JAMES W. MURRAY, Assignee,
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