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.

Alleged Larceny.—Henry Householder, charged with the larceny of a caddy of tobacco, was arrested and after a hearing yesterday, was committed for trial.

Assault and Battery.—Carolina Hetzel made information yesterday before Alderman McMasters against George Hetzel for assault and battery. The parties reside at Saw Mill Run. A warrant was issued.

Surety of the Peace.—Elizabeth West made information yesterday before Justice Ammon against Catharine Gilchrist for surety of the peace. She alleges that Catharine threatened to cut her with a carving knife. A warrant was issued.

Alleged Larceny.—A. Lytle charges Ella Morrow, of the Third ward, with the larceny of a couple of shawls, a quilt, dress and other things, amounting in value to forty dollars. A warrant was issued by Alderman McMasters yesterday.

Committed.—Mayor Blackmore yesterday morning committed six persons to jail for twenty-four hours each, for disorderly conduct. Four of the victims were "nymphs," three of whom were arrested in the Fifth ward and the other in the First ward.

Disorderly House.—Peter Harrington made information before the Mayor, yesterday, charging Ann Markles with keeking a disorderly house. The accused occupies a house on Fourth street in the First ward. A warrant was issued for her arrest.

Slight Fire.—The alarm of fire struck from box 23, Allegheny Fire Alarm, yesterday morning about 11 o'clock, was caused by the burning out of a chimney in the Seventh ward. No damage was done, beyond the burning of a small hole in the roof.

Hit with a Poker.—Alexander Neele alleges before Alderman Mullen that on Wednesday last Isabella McCullough struck him a severe blow on the arm with a poker. She was arrested and gave bail in the sum of five hundred dollars for her appearance at Court.

Wife Beater.—Elizabeth West made information before Justice Ammon, yesterday, charging her husband, David West, with assault and battery. She alleges that he struck her with his fist and knocked her down. A warrant was issued for the arrest of David.

Broke Down.—Yesterday, as the truck of the Columbia Hook and Ladder Company, of Allegheny, was going along Ohio street in response to the alarm struck from box 23, it came in contact with a water pave with such force as to break the forward axle and tear off one of the wheels.

Alleged Gambling House.—James Meely, proprietor of the Union Hotel, Second ward, Allegheny, was before Alderman Mullen yesterday, charged with keeping a gambling house, on oath of Alexander Meely. He was held to bail in the sum of one thousand dollars for his appearance at Court.

Noisy.—Mayor Drum yesterday arrested an individual named Osborne, residing in the Second ward, and fined him five dollars for disorderly conduct. It seems that Osborne took a few too many drinks the evening before, in consequence of which he became very noisy and annoyed his neighbors considerably.

Tapped a Till.—Officer Green, of Mayor Drum's police, arrested a boy named O'Donnell, yesterday morning, charged with stealing seven or eight dollars from the till of Hallinger's eating saloon in the Market House. The lad had three dollars in his possession when arrested, and he was held for a further hearing.

Forestalling the Market.—Joseph Ryan, a huckster in the Pittsburgh market, was fined twenty dollars and costs, yesterday, by Alderman Humbert, for forestalling the market. It seems he bought some cherries and afterwards offered them for sale in the market during market hours, a direct violation of a city ordinance.

A Family Quarrel.—Peter McMaughty and his brother-in-law, David Cozzens, had a a quarrel about the possession of a child which was somewhat summarily closed by Cozzens knocking his relative down. A warrant was issued by Alderman Mullen for the arrest of the pugnacious party on an information for assault and battery.

Serious Accident.—A lady named Rankins, aged about fifty years, residing on Craig street, Allegheny, was very seriously injured yesterday morning by falling down a flight of stairs. Medical aid was immediately summoned, but at last account she was lying in an insensible condition, and but little hopes were entertained of her recovery.

False Pretense.—Jacob Mogle made information before Justice Ammon, of East Birmingham, against Jacob Miller, charging him with obtaining goods under false pretense. The prosecutor is proprietor of a grocery in East Birmingham, and he alleges that the accused, by false and fraudulent representations, obtained a quantity of groceries. A warrant was issued.

Robbing a Till.—Joseph Ellis, a negro, was arrested yesterday at the Tremont House, in the Diamond, by officer Demler, while in the act of robbing the money drawer, Louis Lidderer, the proprietor of the house, made information before the Mayor, charging Ellis with larceny, and after a hearing he was committed to jail in default of bail for his appearance at Court.

Insane Man Arrested.—A telegram was received at the Mayor's office yesterday from Solomon Beffer, Canton, Ohio, announcing that his father George Beffer, who is partially deranged, had taken the cars for this city, and would arrive at half past three o'clock, and requesting his apprehension. Officer Irwin visited the depot at the time stated and arrested him. He is now in the lockup awaiting the arrival of his son.

Brick vs. Head.—Peter Hammill must have thought Patrick Eagan's skull a thick one, or else he was very reckless of consequences, when he threw the brick which Patrick alleges came in contact with his head, causing a rather unpleasant feeling around that important part of his person. Notwithstanding this, Patrick was enabled to make an information for aggravated assault and battery against Peter, who will have a hearing before Alderman McMasters on Tuesday evening next.

Serious Accident.—A little boy about twelve years of age, whose name we could not ascertain, was kicked by a horse and seriously injured yesterday evening. The horse was hitched to a post in front of Thomas Hare & Co.'s store, Wood street, and the boy, it appears, struck him with a whip, causing him to kick, striking the little fellow on the head, knocking him down. He was picked up and removed to the residence of his parents, where he received proper medical attention.

Improvement.—Justice Ammon, of East Birmingham, has, like many other enterprising men, become imbued with a spirit of improvement, which has manifested itself to a great degree in the repairs he has made in his office. Both rooms have been nicely papered with oak paper and varnished, and alterations have been made in the front door, over which is a fine ground glass transom with the Justice's sign neatly engraved upon it, and the whole establishment presents a new and lusty appearance.

Fierce Threatening.—James McWilliams was brought before Alderman Mullen yesterday on an information for surety of the peace, preferred against him by Anthony Kenast. It is alleged that the defendant endeavored to break in the door of the prosecutor's house and threatened to burn the house down. Arrested and held in $300 bail for his appearance at Court.

Probable Homicide.—On Friday evening June 26th, a Mr. Hull put a man named Weinberger out of a saloon at New Florence, Westmoreland county, when the latter picked up a stone and knocked Hull down, and then raising another large stone he dashed it on Hull's head, crushing his scull and causing death on Wednesday last. Hull was the father of the man who is at present serving a term in the Penitentiary for the murder of Mr. Parker, a conductor on the Pennsylvania railroad.

Alleged Perjury.—Leopold Veterle made information against Wentzell Lerach, yesterday, before Alderman McMasters, charging him with perjury. The prosecutor alleges that in a case of surety of the peace, pending before the Court of Quarter Sessions, on the 13th of June last, that the neighbors of Veterle "threw stones and bricks at him because he was such a mean man and made such a noise and disturbance in the neighborhood." A hearing has been appointed for Thursday next at ten o'clock.

Coroner's Inquest.—Coroner Clawson held an inquest on the body of Mr. M. J. Hall, who died yesterday morning from the effect of injuries received by being thrown from a buggy at the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and Gist street Thursday evening, an account of which we published in yesterday's GAZETTE. A verdict of accidental death was rendered. Mr. Hall resided on Sandusky street, Allegheny. He was about forty-five years of age, and a member of the firm of Thompson & Hall, proprietors of a planing mill in Allegheny.

About Hogs.—Alderman Mullen had a hoggish case before him yesterday. It seems according to the information that Henry Gimber sold a couple of porkers to John Gills for thirty-five dollars on credit, Daniel Ellwanger going security for the payment of the money. Gill it is alleged afterwards sold them for forty dollars, and paid twenty dollars to Gimber, leaving fifteen dollars still due, which he has refused and still refuses to pay. Gill and his security were arrested on a charge of fraud and held for court in the sum of five hundred dollars.

Atlantics of New York.—This celebrated club, which has for so many years carried the championship of the United States, will be in our city on Wednesday next, and play the Allegheny Club at Union Park. Their scores against Western clubs have been marvelous, and as they and the Athletics are rivals, and the Alleghenies having made made the best average score against the latter club in their trip, we expect to see a magnificent display of our national game between the two clubs. Seats will be exclusively reserved for ladies and those accompanying them.

Cut his Board Bill.—Philip O'Donnell, a coal miner, at Six Mile Ferry, boarded with Dora Robinson, a widow, who is striving to make an honest living for herself and family of small children by keeping a boarding house. O'Donnell, she alleges, through false representations, was allowed to run a board bill of over $40, which instead of paying as an honest man would have done, he refused to pay and left the premises. Mrs. Robinson made information before Justice Ammon, of East Birmingham, charging O'Donnell with obtaining board under false pretense. A warrant was issued for his arrest.

Educational.

The examination of the pupils of St. Paul's Select Day School, in Ashland Hall, William O'Dougherty, teacher, and Rev. Father Kerr, Superintendent, took place yesterday. From the creditable manner in which the youths acquitted themselves, we infer that both gentlemen in charge of the school are fully equal to the task imposed upon them. Interspersed with the exercises were a couple of comic songs, "Larry Doolin" and the "Quack Doctor," the former by Jno. Maloney and the latter L. J. McCaffrey, both of which were well rendered and highly applauded. The school was dismissed until the first of September next, by Father Kerr.

Odd Fellows' Picnic.

Of the many picnics to be held in the vicinity of the city to-day, we know of none which promises a more agreeable and pleasant day's enjoyment than that of Mechanics' Lodge, No. 9, I. O. O. F., at Moyce's Grove, near Sharpsburg. The managers have been untiring in their efforts to make the affair a success, and we have no hesitancy in recommending our readers to attend it. An excellent band of music has been engaged for the occasion, and the grove is one of the most delightful around the city. Trains will leave the West Penna. Railroad Depot, Federal street, Allegheny, every hour. The services of Lieut. Seth Wilmot and officer McKelvy, of the Mayor's police, have been engaged to preserve order. With such men as Alderman Humbert, James Purnell, Will. A. M'Roberts, Samuel England, and Alex. Hunter, as managers, the affair cannot fail to succeed.

Man Drowned—Coroner's Inquest.

Coroner Clawson was called upon yesterday to hold an inquest on the body of James Hetherington, who was drowned in Turtle Creek, near the Monongahela river, about ten o'clock Thursday night. It appears that Hetherington and his brother William, both of whom resided on the opposite side of the river from Braddock's Fields, crossed the river and went up Turtle Creek in a skiff to Myers' tavern, where they took several drinks. Between ten and eleven o'clock they started home, and had proceeded but a short distance after getting in the skiff, when James, who was very much intoxicated, fell into the water and was drowned. His brother endeavored to rescue him but failed. He returned to the tavern and informed Myers and others what had happened, when they went with him and recovered the body. The water was about ten feet deep, where he was drowned. The deceased was forty-three years of age and leaves a widow with four small children.

Runaway.

The entire Third ward was thrown into a state of excitement yesterday by a runaway which occurred on Tunnel street about ten o'clock. A horse attached to a light wagon took fright near the corner of Tunnell and Webster streets and dashed along Tunnell to Wylie street at a break neck pace, and in turning the corner at Wylie the wagon collided with a milk cart, turning it over and spilling the milk in the street and breaking an axle. The collision appeared to alarm the frightened horse to a still greater extent, and he continued in his wild career at an increased rate of speed up Wylie street some distance, when the vehicle to which he was attached came in contact with a soap wagon, turning it over and spilling the soap man and his stock in the street. By this time the excitement was raging at its heighth, and the street and sidewalks were crowded with men, women and children, (about a thousand of the latter,) and the horse becoming slightly entangled in the wreck of the soap wagon was caught, after which the excited crowd dispersed and retired to their respective places of abode, and the "Bull Run" district once more subsided into its usual quiet and peacefulness.

Sad Death of a Father and Son While Bathing.

Yesterday this community had gloom cast over it by the painful announcement that Mr. John S. Davison, of the firm of Mair & Davison, this city, and his son, an interesting lad of twelve summers, had been drowned in the Beaver river, a tributary of the Ohio, at Rochester, Penna. It appears that the deceased, who had temporarily taken up a summer residence with his family at Rochester, had taken his son to bathe in the river and to give him instructions in the art of swimming, in which Mr. Davison was an adept. The boy got beyond his depth, and, it is supposed, took cramps, sinking beneath the surface under a raft. The father dived after him, and on coming up under the raft sustained such injury on the head as must have rendered him insensible, and he was drowned. The body of the son was recovered about eleven o'clock on Thursday night, and that of the father about nine o'clock Friday morning, a short distance below the rafts. The forehead of Mr. Davison bore a deep scar, supposed to have been received in striking the raft. The bodies were brought to this city, and will be buried from their residence, Bellfield, near Oakland, Sunday afternoon, at one o'clock. Carriages will leave Fairman & Samson's, corner of Seventh and Smithfield streets, for the house, at twelve o'clock, noon.

Mr. Davison was one of our most worthy and esteemed business men. He had long been connected with the Bellfield Union Church and Sabbath School, and much of the credit of the elegant new church erected at Bellfield and about to be dedicated to the worship of God, is due him, as he contributed largely and aided materially in its erection. On the very night of his painful death he was reelected Superintendent for the Bellfield Sabbath School, a position which he had long held with credit and honor. Kind, genial and friendly, surrounded by a whole host of friends and acquaintanances, he has been called to eternity and will be sincerely mourned as a pious and good christian departed.

Amusements.

THE MINSTRELS.—Carncross & Dixey's Minstrel troupe, which has for the past week been playing to large and fashionable audiences at the Opera House, will give a grand Fourth of July Matinee this afternoon, and an entertainment this evening. The troupe is a most excellent one, and we are gratified to see it so liberally patronized. The manager, owing to the excellent business, has concluded to remain for one week longer.

THE MUSEUM.—Major Burnell will have his museum open as usual to-day, and we would advise all in search of a pleasant entertainment for an hour or two to visit Franklin Hall.

MCFARLAND'S GROVE.—The pic-nic of the St. Vincent de Paul Society, at McFarland's Grove, will be a splendid affair. The Committee of Arrangements is composed of some of the leading men of our city, and they have been energetic in the performance of the duty assigned them. The arrangements have been completed, and the Committee have been exceedingly liberal, so that it cannot fail to be a success.

BEAVER FALLS.—The grand Social Picnic at Patterson's Grove, Beaver Falls, given to-day, under the auspices of the ladies of St. Joseph's congregation, New Brighton, will be one of the most pleasant and enjoyable entertainments of the day. The grove is one of the most delightful in the country, and is beautifully located. The company will be select, and everything has been arranged with a view to the comfort and enjoyment of those who attend it. A special train will leave Beaver Falls for Allegheny City at 6:15 P. M.

EAGLE PICNIC.—The picnic of the Eagle Fire Company, to be held at McKee's Rocks to-day, will be one of the most delightful affairs of the season. The Committee have been unusually liberal in their arrangements, and have left nothing undone calculated to add to the enjoyment of the occasion. The steamer "Ellena May" will make hourly trips from the Monongahela wharf, stopping at Manchester going and returning, and the accommodation trains on the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad will stop at Wood's Run, opposite the picnic grounds.

LAFAYETTE HALL.—The ladies fair and festival for the benefit of the Ross street M. E. Church at this Hall will be an attractive place to-night. Great preparations have been made for the occasion, and the arrangements for the entertainment and enjoyment of visitors are all that could be desired. The object is a worthy one and deserves a liberal patronage.

GLENWOOD GROVE.—A grand celebration will be held at this delightful grove to-day in aid of the Frankstown School. Liberal arrangements have been made and visitors cannot fail to enjoy themselves. Trains will leave the Pittsburgh and Connellsville Depot every hour.

G. A. R.—Officers Elected.

At a meeting of Post 35, of the Grand Army of the Republic, held in their Hall, on Lacock street, Allegheny, Thursday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

Post Commandant—John C. Semple.
Senior Vice—Josiah Copley.
Junior Vice—Wm. F. Harvey.
Adjutant—Hiram P. Callow.
Quartermaster—Chas. Strauss.
Surgeon—Wm. B. Hezlep.
Chaplain—Frank E. Tyler.
Officer of the Day—Jesse D. Johnston.
Officer of the Guard—W. M. Sayers.

Delegates to the Semi-Annual Convention, to be held at Pottsville, Wednesday, 8th inst.—John G. Brown, Augustus Beckert, C. A. Miller, Joseph F. Neely, Wm. J. McGratty and J. R. Oxley.

Alleged Defaulter.

John Laughrain, a road contractor, yesterday made information at the Mayor's office, charging John Young, Road Commissioner of the Peebles district with larceny by bailee. It appears that Mr. Young had in his possession about $300 of the city funds which was to be appropriated to the improvement of roads in his district. A contract was let to the prosecutor, and a few days since he called at Mr. Young's residence to draw some money, but failed to find that gentleman at home. He alleges that Young has decamped with the funds of the city with intent to cheat and defraud. A warrant was issued.

Special Announcement.—Owing to the great rush of patrons at the Masonic Hall Auction Rooms last night for the purchase of bargains in the dry and straw goods lines, at the great sacrifice sale, many of whom were turned away without being waited upon, Messrs. Smithson, Vanhook and McClelland have resolved to keep their rooms open for the accommodation of all up till noon to-day. Those desiring to procure great bargains should not fail to call.

Innocence.—Only Seffens, an infant of nine months, was found playing with a snake, a few days ago. His mother was engaged in the garden, and left the child sitting on a border near by. Her excitement at beholding the sight was such that she could give no satisfactory account as to the size or nature of the reptile, even after having shaken it out of the hands of the child.—*Parkersburg Times.*

Fatal Accident.—The Waynesburg *Messenger* has the following: Some days ago, Mrs. A. B. Miller, of this place, in coming down stairs with a child in her arms, tripped and fell headlong, by which the child, aged about fifteen months, was so badly injured that it died on Sunday morning last. Mrs. Miller was also pretty severely, though it is hoped not dangerously injured.

Galvanized Lightning Rod.

A new device to deceive the ignorant has lately been introduced, consisting of an iron rod galvanized with zinc. This has been pushed into all parts of the country, and as it has a neat and substantial appearance, many persons look no further. Scientific investigation proves zinc to be little superior to iron as a conductor, and experience proves this rod to be absolutely dangerous. In Rochester, Pa., in Wheeling, W. Va., and other places, houses which had this galvanized rod put up on them this summer were struck and badly damaged. The building at Wheeling was almost ruined. We urge the public to buy only the Munson Copper Rod, which has stood the test of a dozen years, and is constantly growing in favor.

The Original "Diamond Front" Grocery of McBride & George, No. 164 Federal street, Allegheny, continues to receive a full share of the public patronage. The proprietors have ever made it a rule to keep constantly on hand a large and judiciously selected stock of groceries and provisions, and their patrons can at all times depend on procuring the very best the market affords at most reasonable prices. No where else in the two cities can be found a larger or fresher stock of pure and unadulterated teas, coffees, spices, general groceries and provisions. Dealers who buy to sell again, as well as retail patrons, will consult their own interests by favoring the original Diamond Front Grocery with a purchasing visit.

Sale of Real Estate.—A very attractive sale of real estate took place on the Perrysville road on Tuesday afternoon last. A five acre plot near the Observatory had been divided into fifty-six building lots by Mr. Dihm, of No. 107 Wood street. The prices realized were $400 to $450 for lots twenty-five by one hundred and fifty to twenty-five by one hundred and seventy feet. Fifteen lots remain, which may be purchased at private sale of the owner, or at the office of the auctioneer, Mr. A. Leggate, No. 159 Federal street, Allegheny.

Articles for the Toilet.—Joseph Burnett & Co., the distinguished Chemists of Boston, are the manufacturers of several highly celebrated and excellent articles for the toilet, viz: Cocoaine for the hair, Kalliston for the skin, Florimel, an exquisite handkerchief perfume and Oriental Tooth Wash. Burnett & Co. are also the manufacturers of Extracts of fruits and flowers for flavoring jellies, preserves, &c., which have great celebrity for their purity and strength. They are very popular in this city.—*Montreal Herald.* TTST

At Col. J. D. Egans' well known literary and book depot, Sixth street, near Smithfield street, scholars and others will find a very fine assortment of rare volumes as well as the current publications of the day. Full lines of legal, business and ladies' stationery are kept constantly on hand, while all the leading magazines, periodicals and literary newspapers will be found on the counter. Readers desiring anything in this line are recommended to favor Col. Egan with a purchasing visit.

The Strawberry season is rapidly drawing to a close and our readers who have not yet visited the first class rooms of P. H. McGuire, No. 105 Fifth street, to partake of the delicious luxury served with tempting ice cream, should at once do so. No where else in the city will parties receive more attention and courteous treatment. Ladies can visit this saloon for ice cream, strawberries, luncheon or meals unacompanied by gentlemen.

Pumps and Gas Fittures.—Mr. T. T. Ewens, plumbler, gas and steam fitter, at No. 165 Wood street, has on hand at his establishment an extensive assortment of pumps of the most improved patterns, suitable for the country trade, and the largest and best assorted stock of gas fixtures to be found in the city. We cheerfully commend both him and his establishment to our readers.

Gas and Steam Fitting.—We take pleasure in calling the attention of our readers to the establishment of Mr. Thos. T. Ewens, 165 Wood street, near Sixth. Mr. Ewens is engaged in the plumbing, gas and steam fitting business, and being a practical mechanic superintends all work entrusted to the establishment. Special attention given to work in the country.

The word Continental is a very familiar one, and always reminds one of knee breeches and surtouts, unless it is coupled with saloon, in which case the smiling face of Holtzheimer and his well-laden tables loom up in the imagination of all who have an appreciation of the good things to be found at the Continental saloon, Fifth street, next door to the Postoffice.

Holtzheimer's Continental Saloon, for ladies and gentlemen, is the resort of epicures. His tables are always filled with the luxuries of the season, and a competent corps of cooks and attendants are always on hand who take pride and pleasure in waiting on customers. The Continental is one door below the Postoffice on Fifth street.

Holtzheimer is proprietor of the Continental Dining Saloon, Fifth street, next door to the Postoffice. It is one of the most popular establishments of its character in the city, and receives a full share of public patronage. The rooms are always clean, cool and comfortable, and the tables supplied with the best the market affords.

Mr. P. H. M'Guire's elegantly furnished and handsomely situated private dining rooms should be generally known by those of our citizens who take meals during business hours in the city. Clean tables, good attendance and all the substantials and delicacies of the market can at all times be depended upon.

Actual Trial Tells Which is Best!—*Mr. J. F. Keeler:* I can recommend your scales above any others I have ever seen, for accuracy and quickness in weighing coal. O. C. House, Manager, Dry Run Coal Works, Monongahela City, June 10, 1868.

Tent Preaching.—To-morrow (Sunday) afternoon at a quarter past four o'clock there will be services held in the "Tent," under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association, on the vacant lot opposite the Atlas Works, Ninth ward.

Pure Teas, Pure Coffees, unadulterated Spices, Table Sauces and Condiments, Canned and Dried Fruits, Toilet Soaps, Syrups, Molasses and general Groceries, in splendid variety at Robinson's old established Tea Mart, No. 20 Fifth street.

Houses and Lots in Allegheny at Public Sale.—The properties, 15 Linden street and 17 James street, Third ward Allegheny, will be sold on Monday next at two o'clock. See advertisement in another column by A. Leggate, Auctioneer.

"What though the spicy breezes blow soft o'er Ceylon's Isle?" softer and more delicious is the odor of Woodworth's new Spanish perfume, *Flor del Santo.* Sold by all dealers in fancy goods. wsF

Hosiery.—A very fine assortment of choice hosiery, suitable for the season has just been opened at W. W. Moorhead's fashionable retail trimming house, No. 81 Market street.

Sweetmeats and general confectionery in admirable selection and assortment can no where else better be obtained than at P. H. McGuire's, No. 105 Fifth street.

Over 42,000 now in use, of Prince & Co.'s Automatic Organs and Melodeons. For sale only by Charlotte Blume, 43 Fifth street.

Campaign Medals, Pins, &c., at Pittock's *Leader* Building, OPP. P. O.

Perhaps there is not so much adulteration in the brandies, gins, rums and whiskies dealt in this progressive day as in what is foisted upon the market by irresponsible dealers as pure China and Japan teas. Housekeepers cannot be too careful as to where they purchase. The old reliable tea mart, No. 20 Fifth street, has long sustained a high reputation for the purity and flavor of the teas sold there, and everybody can defend on receiving just what they desire, pure, unadulterated, fine flavored fresh teas at very reasonable prices. One trial is all that is asked to secure your patronage, as satisfaction is guaranteed and must follow.

A Grand Social Pic-nic will be held at McFarland's Grove, for the benefit of the poor, under the auspices of the Society of St. Vincent De Paul, St. Pauls Conference, on July 4th. Dinner and admission tickets, 50 cents; admission to the grove without tickets, 25 cents. Trains on the Pennsylvania Railroad will leave the Union Depot as follows: at 7:50 and 11:51 a. m., and in the afternoon at 3:05, 4:00 and 5:10 o'clock. Returning trains arrive at 2:15, 5:50, 7:15 and 9:30 p. m. The Oakland Passenger Railway cars run to the grove every half hour. 3t.

The Continental.—Holtzheimer's Continental Saloon, Fifth street, one door west of the Postoffice, is one of the best dining saloons in the city. Mr. H. has an extensive experience as a caterer, and gives the matter his entire attention, and the result is that his extensive and comfortable rooms are filled with customers at all times.

The best qualities of teas, coffees, spices, dried fruit and groceries will be found at Robinson's Tea Mart, No. 20 Fifth street, at reasonable prices. "Quick sales and small profits" is the motto at this establishment, which, perhaps, accounts for the large share of patronage its receives.

Prince & Co., have sent forth a greater number of Organs and Melodeons than the whole of the other manufacturers in the United States combined. Forty-six different styles now on exhibition at Blume's Music store, 43 Fifth street. Each instrument warranted for five years.

New York Convention.—For full particulars of the Democratic Convention of to-day, by special telegrams and Associated Press, see the *Leader* of to-morrow morning.

The Library of a deceased Roman Catholic clergyman in Ireland, embracing French and Latin sermon books and rare English publications. Call and see them at Col. J. D. Egan's well-known and popular news and library depot, Sixth street, near Smithfield.

At W. W. Moorhead's fashionable retail trimming and notion house, No. 81 Market street, the ladies will find a superb stock of new novelties in the way of laces, insertings, edgings, embroideries and lace goods. Prices very reasonable.

Robinson, at No. 20 Fifth street, keeps a very fine assortment of green and black teas, coffee and spices, which he warrants fresh and pure, and unadulterated. His prices are reasonable.

Gentlemen will be delighted with the very elegant and seasonable stock of furnishing goods just received at W. W. Moorhead's trimming and notion house, No. 81 Market street.

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Delicious soda water, drawn from freezing marble fountains, constantly on draught at P. H. McGuire's, No. 105 Fifth street.

The place to get White Lime, Calcined Plaster, Hydraulic Cement, is at D. R. Ecker's, 167 First street.

Gothic and Plain Chimney Tops, Drain Pipe and Tile, at D. R. Ecker's, 167 First street.

Builders, Plasterers and Bricklayers supplied at D. R. Ecker's, 167 First street.

Fourth of July—Flags, Lanterns, &c., at Pittock's, OPP. P. O.

Base Ball Goods, at Pittock's, OPP. P. O.

Difficulty between the Mexican Authorities and a British Steamer.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

SAN FRANCISCO, July 2.—Mazatlan advices of June 22d say a serious difficulty is reported between the commander of the British war steamer Chanticleer and the Mexican authorities. The Chanticleer, while off Alta, got into a dangerous position, and fired signal guns for assistance. A pilot went out and released the ship from danger, when the Captain refused to pay him for the services rendered, and went to Mazatlan. The Collector of the port of Mazatlan found one of the officers of the Chanticleer conveying specie aboard to avoid port duty, had him arrested, searched, and found gold on his person. The Captain came ashore in great excitement and declared the vessel and himself insulted by being searched by his subordinates. Some words followed, which ended by the Collector ordering the Captain to be searched under the impression that he also was implicated in smuggling. The Captain then went aboard the Chanticleer and notified the inhabitants by a proclamation that he was about to bombard Mazatlan for the insult to the English. Numerous notes passed between Commander Bridge, General Corona and the civil authorities, the American Consul Session acting as mediator. Ultimately Bridge modified his proclamation so as to place the port of Mazatlan under the blockade so far as Mexican vessels are concerned not interfering with American or other foreign vessels until he had received orders from the Admiral commanding his station. The action of Gen. Corona and the Mexican authorities is generally approved by the foreign residents.

The United States war steamer Swanee left Acapulco for Mazatlan, to protect the American interests. The United States steamer Resaca arrived at the port of La Paz, June 21st.

Bridge first demanded that the officer who searched his subordinate and seized his money should be sent aboard the Chanticleer, to be dealt with as he saw fit. Corona replied that sooner than submit to such an outrage he would allow the city to be bombarded, telling him in indignant language that if he had retaliation to make he would make it in a manner customary to civilized nations, through the proper channel.

Explosion of a Powder Mill.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

HARTFORD, Conn., July 3.—A powder mill in Scitico, Connecticut, belonging to the Hazardville Powder Company, exploded on Thursday morning, burning the only two persons in the mill in a shocking manner, so bad that their lives are despaired of. Michael Bailey, a workman for many years about the mill, and Francis Richardson, Superintendent of the Scitico Department, are the sufferers. It is but three weeks since a mill on the same site was blown up in the night, but no person was near to be injured.

—Henry Schroeder shot Wm. Jericho, a constable, in a saloon in Memphis, Friday afternoon, killing him almost instantly. Schroeder was arrested by Jericho in the morning on a civil process, and meeting him in the afternoon invited him to take a glass of beer, and while he was drinking it Schroeder shot him. Schroeder is now in jail.

New Orleans Market.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

NEW ORLEANS, July 3.—Cotton firmer; middlings, 30½c; sales, 545 bales; receipts, 341 bales; exports, 3,098 bales; sales for the week, 2,033 bales; exports to Liverpool, 1,611 bales; coastwise, 2,598 bales; receipts for the week, 3,101 bales; stock by actual count, 6,055 bales. Sterling, 153a155. New York Sight Exchange ¼ premium. Gold, 139¾a140. Sugar dull and declined slightly; Nos. 12 and 13 Cuba, 12a13c. Molasses nominal at 46a52c. Flour steady, at $9,25 for superfine and $10 for treble extra. Corn 90a95c. Hay firm and unchanged. Oats quiet at 70c. Pork quiet at $29. Bacon; shoulders, 13c; clear sides, 17c. Lard nominal, at 18c for tierce and 20c for keg.

Buffalo Market.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

BUFFALO, July 3.—The receipts for the past twenty-four hours amounted to 600 bushels wheat, 179,000 bushels corn, 100 bushels oats, and 1,800 barrels flour. The shipments for the same time were 220,000 bushels wheat, and 32,000 bushels corn. Freights are unchanged. Flour is dull and unchanged. Wheat is unchanged and nominal. Corn is unsettled, and sales were made early in the day at 90c, and towards the close of the market sales were made at 93c for No. 2 sound. Oats firmer, with sales at 73a74c. Rye; there is none in the market. Barley is nominal. Mess Pork is unchanged. Lard is unchanged.

MARRIED:

STEWART—McMASTERS.—On Thursday, July 2d, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Leonora McMasters, by Rev. D. H. Hollock, R. E. STEWART, Esq., of Stewart's Station, and Miss CARRIE McMASTERS, of Turtle Creek, Pa.

DIED:

HERRIOTT.—On Thursday evening, July 2d, at 10½ o'clock, Capt. JAMES HERRIOTT, in the 77th year of his age.

The funeral will take place from his late residence, No. 137 Grant street, on SUNDAY AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, to proceed to the Allegheny Cemetery. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

FARLEY.—On Thursday, July 2d, 1868, MATTIE A. FARLEY, eldest daughter of Thomas Farley.

Funeral from the residence of Wm. P. Shinn, corner of Ross and Negley streets, East Liberty on Sunday, July 5th, at 3 o'clock P. M. Carriages will leave the Post Office, Allegheny City, at 1:30 P. M., and the corner of Penn and St. Clair streets, Pittsburgh, at 1:45 P. M.

HALL.—On Friday morning, July 3d, at 1 o'clock, MATTHEW HALL, in the 43d year of his age.

The funeral will take place from the residence of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Palmer, on Second street road, on SUNDAY, July 5th, at 1 o'clock P. M. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Carriages will leave the establishment of Alex. Aiken, No. 166 Fourth street, at half-past 12 o'clock.

SCOTT.—On Friday morning, July 31, Mr. ROBT. SCOTT, at his late residence, No. 42 Franklin street, aged 67 years.

Funeral services at the Sixth Presbyterian Church on SUNDAY, July 5th, at 10 A. M.

LEVIS.—On Thursday, July 2d, in Parnassus, Westmoreland county, Pa., Mrs. ELIZA J. LEVIS, wife of H. M. Levis, of Allegheny City, in the 21st year of her age.

The funeral will take place on SATURDAY, July 4th, at 4 o'clock P. M., in Parnassus. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

DAVISON.—JOHN S. DAVISON, aged 43 years, and JOHN R. DAVISON, son of the above, aged 12 years.

The funeral services of both father and son will be held in the Bellefield Presbyterian Church, near Oakland, on SUNDAY AFTERNOON next, July 5th, commencing at 1 o'clock. The friends of the family are invited to be present. Carriages will leave the office of Fairman & Samson, corner of Seventh and Smithfield streets, at 12 o'clock M.

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