8.

# PITTSBURGH GAZETTE: FRIDAY, DECFMBER 18, 1868.

# CITY AND SUBURBAN.

The holidays are fast approaching now and ladies wishing to know where to buy cheap goods, had better call at Macrum, Glyde & Co., 78 and 80 Market street.

Malicious Mischief .- A warrant was is sued yesterday by Alderman Strain for the arrest of Jacob Keefer, charged with ma-licious mischief, on oath of Henry Lefs-

New Holiday Goods at Macrum, Glyde & Co., 78 and 80 Market street. Watch Stands, Cigar Stands and Cases, Writing cessaires, fancy Glove Boxes, full Desks. Ne assortment of Lace Goods, etc.

President Tomlinson. The President stated that the meeting was called as a joint session, at the request of the City Solicitor, for the purpose of taking into consideration the codification Lost.-Between Beaver and Lacock streets on Federal street or Stockton Avstreets on rederal street or Stockion Av-enue, a brown morocco pocket book, con-taining a sum of money. One dollar reward will be paid for its return to this ofof City ordinances, as prepared by him, ac-cording to the instructions of Councils.

lilegal Liquor Selling. - H. Gantzer information before Justice Hissel, yesterday, charging George Bernard with illegal liquor selling. The parties reside in Mt. Washington. The accused was arrested and held for a hearing.

Coroner's Inquest.-Coroner Clawson held an inquest on the body of Michael Hoffman, the man who was killed at Jones & Laughlin's coal works, an account of which we published yesterday. The jury re turned a verdict of "accidental death."

Gave Ball.—The accused parties in the Bohemian "unpleasantness," the circum-stances of which appeared in yesterday's paper, were subsequently arrested by efficer Blondin, and gave bail in the sum of \$3,500 for a hearing before Alderman McMasteri this afternoon at four o'clock.

Desirable Chance.—Persons wishing to enter a prosperous wholesale business, al-ready well established and controlling a handsome patronage, are directed to the advertisement under the head of "business stand for sale" in another column. The chance is a splendid one, as but little capital is required.

Proposed New Church Edifice .- The condecided at a recent meeting to erect a new church edifice. The work, however, will be deferred until the present building, at the corner of Church avenue and Andrew the corner of Church avenue and Anderson street, is disposed of. As the edifice has never been consecrated, it can be sold.

Hit Him.—Benjamin Stansburgh seems to have found a new use for a dinner bucket. Wm. Livingston made oath before Alderman Taylor yesterday that Benjamin struck him over the head with that article, which caused several unphrenolog-ical bumps to appear on his cranium. A warrant was issued for the arrest of Benja-

Cleaning Off .-- We noticed quite an ac tivity among housekeepers and others throughout the city yesterday in cleaning off the pavements in front of their proper-ties. In Allegheny the same activity was manifest, and pedestrians rejoiced thereat. The Mayor's proclamations relative to this matter seem to be productive of some good.

Collision .- Tuesday evening about half-Collision.—Tuesday evening about half-past five o'clock a coal train collided with a stock train on the Panhandle Railroad, near the Sligo Mills. A car containing one hundred and fifty sheep was precipitated over the embankment at that point and a number of the sheep killed. Several of the coal cars were wrecked. No person was injured. We did not learn how the accident occurred.

Also, an ordinance locating the extension of Webster avenue. Adopted. Dastardly Meanness.—A correspondent calls attention to the indignity offered la-dies on coming out of the Academy of Music on Wednesday night, by some gross fellows laughing and looking at their feet and ankles, which are necessarily exposed to view while coming down the stars. Also, an ordinance locating Duncan street from Kirkpatrick to its intersection with from Kirkpatrick to its intersection with the township road in front of the Presbyte-rian Church. Adopted. Common Council then proceeded to the consideration of business from Select.

District Court-Judge Hampton was held yesterday (Thursday) at two The case of George Weisenberger vs. Ex-Common Council. Council came to order at half-past two to the jury yesterday morning, but no ver- gaged about a large circular saw, four and o'clock, President Tomlinson occupying dict had been returned at the time of ad- a half feet in diameter, driven at the rate the chair. At the call of the roll by the Clerk, H. McMaster, Esq., the following members answered to their names:

CITY COUNCILS.

The members of Select Council, upon be-

ing informed that Common Council was

JOINT SESSION.

o'clock, P. M.

adoption

ness in one day.

Robb, was adopted :

print one thousand copies.

thereof into a law.

ind passed.

Adopted.

it to the different Committees.

A special meeting of the City Councils

The next case called up was that of Hill, Patterson & Co. vs. George Johnson, action on book account for lumber. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of \$796,84. Messrs. Ahlborn, Barnhill, Berger, Brush, Carroll, Daub, Davis, Fitzimmons, Hare, Herron, Jeremy, Meyer, Moorhead, Reed, Reynolds, Robb, Rosewell, Scott, A., Sims, Torley, Verner, Vick, Welsh, Zern and President Tomlinson. Wm. D. Williams vs. Reuben Bartley. On trial.

THE COUETS.

Following is the trial list for to day: 111. Healy vs. Burke. 112. Frecke vs. Hartzell et al.

114. Smithson, Vanhook & McClellan vs. Whiting. 115. Gotleib Meyer vs. John Price.

116. Gilson vs Ardesco Oil Company. 117. Angell vs. Knight & Co. 118. O'Leary vs. Green.

Quarter Sessions--Judge Mellon,

ready to meet them in joint session, made their appearance. Court convened at ten o'clock yesterday Council met in joint session. Presi-dent McAuley, of Select, stated the object of the meeting and announced that the City Solicitor, who was present, would explain norning, when the case of the Commonwealth vs. Geo. W. Dithridge, previously reported on trial, was resumed.

A large number of witnesses were called Solicitor, who was present, would explain the business and present his report. Mr. J. F. Slagle, City Solicitor, then stated that in accordance with instruc-tions of Councils he had codified the city ordinances, and asked for permission to and the same to Councils with a view to by the defense, and their testimony put an entirely different coloring on the case from that given by the prosecution. Moreover, all of the witnesses testified as to the excel-lent character borne by the defendant. At read the same to Councils, with a view to the conclusion of the testimony Mr. Bell, for the defense, addressed the jury, mak-Mr. McAuley (Mr. Tomlinson in the

chair), stated that considerable time would be required for the reading and considera-tion of the new codification and suggested that Councils arrange for another session. Solicitor Slagle stated that it would be impossible to get through with the heit ing a strong argument. Mr. Marshall followe ll followed, in behalf of the Mr. Marshall 10110wed, in Denail of the defendant, and reviewed the testimony in an able manner. In conclusion Mr. Mar-shail asked the Court to charge the jury that evidence of good character was a fact which might create a reasonable doubt in their minds. mpossible to get through with the busi-The reading of the codification was moved by Mr. Barnhill.

which high the set of the set of the set of the set of the common weath, in a lengthy ar-gument, at the conclusion of which Judge Mr. Herron moved to amend by referring Mellon charged the jury. He charged that in order to find a verdict of guilty the jury must believe from the evidence that the This was suggested as unnecessary, as a Committee had already had charge of the matter and were prepared to report, through the City Solicitor. defendant was guilty of wilful and corrupt perjury, which he defined to be "a wilful corrupt and false statement under cath in The original motion and amendment were withdrawn, and after considerable discussion the following. offered by Mr. Rohh. was adonted. a judicial proceeding in regard to a matter material to the question at issue."

Robb, was adopted: WHEREAS, The Solicitor having reported to Councils that he had codified the ordi-nances of the city of Pittsburgh, including the year 1868, it is hereby Resolved, That he be instructed to have the some pleased in the hands of the City Such statement must not only be false, but it must be wilfully and corruptly false and ustrue, and known to be so by the de-fendant at the time it most most most of the solution. fendart at the time it was made but made notwithstanding its known falsity for some the same placed in the hands of the City Printer, provided the Committee on the purpose in the cause which the truth would not have promoted. It requires these ele-The jury retired, and after a brief ab-sence they came into Court with a verdict of not guilty, and directed that the prose-cutor, James Gillespie, pay the costs. Digest approve of the same, and that they COMMISSIONERS OF WATER WORKS.

The members of the Select Council hav-ing withdrawn to their chamber, Mr. Herron offered the following, which

The next case taken up was that of the Commonwealth vs. Hugh Ward; indict-ment, aggravated assault and battery; Dan. H. Montgomery prosecutor. The prose-cutor testified that he was a police officer in Alleshan air and that on the print of was adopted : Resolved, That the Committee on Water Extension be instructed to prepare, in con-nection with the City Solicitor, an act to constitute a Board of Trustees, or Cemmisin Allegheny city, and that on the night of October 5th, during the passage of a Demo-cratic procession along Federal street, while attempting to quell a disturbance, he was sohers for the City Water Works, and to define the powers and duties of said Board, said act to be submitted to Councils, and if struck on the head with a sabre in the approved, to be sent to the Legislature, with request for immediate enactment hands of defendant, who was an officer of the procession.

case was on trial when Court ad-The journed.

TRIAL LIST FOR FRIDAY. Com. vs. Wm. Devine. Com. vs. Eliza Hamphries.

opening of Forty-second, late Chestnut street, Lawrenceville. Read three times Com. vs. Margaret Stooker alias Sephia Mr. Herron called up the ordinance lolimmerman. cating Ridge, Roup and Craig streets. Com. vs. Ebenezer Williams.

Com. vs. Eliza Soles. Com. vs. Thomas Campbell and John Russell.

Common Pleas-Judge Sterrett. The case of Sawyer vs. McGinnis is still progressing, with a fair prospect of occupy-ing the attention of the Court during the remainder of the week.

Terrible Death-A Man Sawn Asunder. About ten o'clock yesterday morning Mr. Isaac Robb, employed at the saw mill of Mr. John Redman, located at the south ecutors of Catharine Kenny, deceased, ac- end of the Birmingham bridge, met with a tion to recover for service rendered, went shocking and instant death. He was en-

> of six hundred revolutions per minute, and only used for cutting logs of the largest size. While carrying one end of a board and walking with his back toward the saw, the board suddenly broke causing him to lose his balance, and he was thrown back-ward upon it. In an instant, before his assistant could look round, the sharp teeth of the instrument had severed his body in body in twain, one-half falling on either side. Part of the brains of the victim were thrown upward with such force as to reach the ceiling of the mill, bespattering it with

The machinery was stopped by his The machinery was stopped by his horror stricken companions as soon as possible, and the mangled remains collected together. Coroner Clawson was notified of the occurrence and held an inquest during the afternoon, at which the facts, as stated, were made known, and a verdict of accidental death rendered. The deceased was about

death rendered. The deceased was about fity years of age, and resided in Temper-anceville. He leaves a wife and family, who are by the sudden and awfal calamity thrown helpless upon the world. Mr. Redman, proprietor of the mill, at the con-

clusion of the inquest, procured the service of an undertaker, and had the body dressed and neatly coffined and made as presenta-ble as possible before it was borne home to the sorrow stricken survivors.

A Public Need.

Some kind of an institution is needed in Pittsburgh where bodies awaiting an inquest may be placed. Often it appears that while the Coroner is out of the city, or away on some official business, an accident or suicide occurs, which requires an investigation and inquest on the victims. In such a case the body is either taken to some undertaker's or to the Mayor's office, or to any place where it is allowed to remain until the Coroner can attend to it. Sometimes in the multiplicity of business that official is prevented from holding the inquest immediately, and considerable in-convenience is thereby occasioned to par-ties having the body in charge, and then

ties having the body in charge, and then again, jurors are often put to a great deal of unnecessary trouble in the adjourned inquest by having no regular central place to convene, all these difficul-ties might be easily avoided by the establishment of an institution, such as we have suggested, one good sized room in a central location and properly fitted up, would be sufficient for the purpose. Here, after a jury had been empannelled, the bodies might be taken and the inquest held, or in the case of drowned persons, the bodies might be placed in the room for identification by the friends. The office of the Coroner might also be located the at the room, where messages could be left for him, and any information in his line of business be obtained. Were the present office of the Coroner somewhat larger it

would answer the purpose. Another ro however, just as centrally located, and at very little extra expense, might be se-cured, and we have not the least doubt cured, and we have not the least doubt that the plan would be found to work well, and prove so advantageous that after a short trial it would not willingly be given

of soldiers' widows and orphans living in destitution in our midst, and of disabled, helpless soldiers temporarily in our city, for needing assistance in reaching their homes. For the past six weeks, prepara-tions for this play have been going on in our midet, and nothing that money or art could do to make it a success has been neglected. The various leading characters are in the hands of the ladies and gentlemen possess-ing the best amateur talent in the city, and in the same line of trade in this city. The elegant salesrooms are always thronged we look for some uncommonly good act-ing. In short, everything that could be devised to make the "Drummer Boy" a with customers, who are attracted by the huge piles of fashionable and stylish furs manufactured from all kinds and grades of manufactured from all kinds and grades of materials, such as the famous Hudson Bay Sable, the pretty Mink Sable, the rich Siberian Squirrel, the true German Fitch, the elegant Water Mink and the most beau-tiful of black and brown Sables. Children's and misses' sets, gents' fine Beaver collars, for cass and cloves will also be found in success has been employed, and we predict for it a great run. Let it not be said of the city, whose sons were the heroes of so many battle fields, and whose Sanitary Commissions were blessed by so many dying lips, that she has forgotten her most

Real Estate Transfers. The following deeds were filed of record before H. Snively, Esq., Recorder, December 15th, 1868.

Same day eight motigages were filed of record. BREAMD \* R 18, 1888. BREAMD \* R 18, 1889. BREAMD \* R 18, 1899. BREAMD \* R 18, 1899. Charles E, Ppear to Simon M. Becker, December 16, 1883; lot at the corner of Fulton and Hamiton streets, Alleghan, 54 by 124 feet. Nicholas Frain to Edward Schultz, Norember 24, 1808; lot on Bingham street, South Filtsburgh, 23 by 100 feet. 16, 1863; lot in Lower St. Clair township, 20 by 100 eet. St. Clair to St. Clair township, 20 by Mary Humphrey's keirs to John Lindsay, Decem-

George Bender to Jacob C. Braum, Dec. 4, 1883; 100 on Sarah street, Kast Birmingham, 30 by 20 feet. Isaac Millis to Joseph Pri. e. Aug. 1, 1863; 101 in the Boro gh of Braddock, 16i by 459 feet. 41 976, 55 Edward Ameaton to Westley and Joseph Hano ck, June 27, 1852; 101 of ground in Indiana township, containing 31 rola. Rt. R v. M. Domence to Western Pennsylvania Hailroad Company, strip of ground in Fourith ward Allegheny. Calvin Sprinkle to John Gleun, December 10. lot on Perrysville Plank Boad, Allegheny

and prove so advantageous that after a short trial it would not willingly be given is bort trial it would not willingly be given up by the citizens or authorities. The Drummer Boy of Shiloh. The beautiful allegory of the Drummer Boy of the Battle of Shiloh will be pro-duced in this city, commencing on Monday, December 21st, at the Academy of Music, under the management of the Grand Army of the Republic. The performance is given for a very worthy object, namely, the relief of soldiers' widows and orphanas living in the state of the grand Army of soldiers' widows and orphanas living the state of so filed for record. Immense Stock of Ladies' Furs.

#### Notice.

The Allegheny readers of the GAZETTE living on the cast side of Federal street, who may want to change their residence,

or to see me on any business, can do so by calling at 150 Jackson street, or a note left at the Columbia Engine House or GAZETTE Counting Room will reach me. Any per son wishing the GAZETTE or who may have any complaints to make, will please leave a note as above and it will be promptly at-WILLIAM ERB, Carrier. tended to.

#### Selling for \$6,00-

Ladies Sacques worth \$10,00, at the Clearance Sale. J. W. BABKER & Co., 59 Market street.

# Medical Library, Instruments, Furniture

and Lease of Building.-This Friday morn-ing, December 18th, at ten o'clock, on the ng, December 10th, atten 6 form, on the premises, the Lease of a three story Brick Dwelling, No. 14; also, Nos. 16 and 18 (one story building) Smithfield street, together with Medical Library, Instruments and Office Furniture of Dr. Jas. Herron, deceased. For particulars call on H. B. Smithson & Co., Auctioneers.

Selling for 60 cents .---Plain French Merinos, worth 87%,

at the Clearance Sale. J. W. BARKER & Co., 59 Market street.

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

Selling for 50 cents,-Figured French Merinos, worth \$1 00 at the Clearance Sale J. W. BARKER & Co.,

59 Market street

DIED:

PERBY-On Monday, December 14th, 1868, at its residence, Germaniown, Philadelphia, JOHN F. PERBY, brother of H. Perry. Notice of the funeral will be given

istenbenville papers please copy.]

SWINT-On Wednesday morning at 7% o'clock, . AGUSTUS SWINT, in the 27th year of his age. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of his pa-rents, No. 362 Fifth avenve, cn FRIDAY MORNING at 9 o'clock.

WATT-On Thursday, December 17. Mrs. MABY JANE WATT, relict of the late James C. Watt, aged 40 years and 6 months.

The funeral will take place from her late residence, No. 30 Chestnut street, Pittsburgh, on SATURDAY AFTERNOON, Dec. 19, at 1% o'clock. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. 2

### UNDERTAKERS.

A LEX. AIKEN, UNDERTAKER, No. 166 FOURTH STREET, Pittsburgh, Pa. COPFINS of all kinds, CRAPES, GLOVES, and er-ery description of Funcral Furnishing Goods fur-nished. Booms open day and night. Hearse and Charisges furnished. Chariages furnished. Barranges furnished. W. Jacobus, D. D., Thomas Ewing, Esq., Jacob H. Miller, Esq.

CHARLES & PEEBLES, UNDER-

TAKERS AND LIVERS, UN DELKS TAKERS AND LIVERS, STALES, CORRET OF BANDUSKY STIRET AND CHURCH AVENUE Alleyheny City, where their CUFFIN BOOMS are constantly supplied with real and imitation Bose-wood, Mahogany and Waiunt Collins, at prices va-rying from \$2 to \$100. Bodies prepared for inter-ment. Rearses and Carriages furnished; also, all inds of Mourning Goods, if required. Office open at all hours, day and night.

REAL HOURS, CAY ADD RIGHT. ROBERT T. RODNEY, UNDER-TAKER AND EMBALMER, No. 45 OHIO STREET, Allegheny, seeps constantly on hand a large assortment of ready-made Cofins of the foi-lowing finds: First, the celebrated American Ba-rial Cases, Metallic Self-scaling Air-tight Cases and Caskets, and Rosewood, Wainut and Rosewood Imitation Cofins. Wainut and Rosewood Imitation Cofins. Wainut and Rosewood Imitation Coffins. Wainut and Rosewood initiation Coffins. Wainut and Rosewood match, Rosewood Imitation Coffins from 55 up-wards, and no pains will be spared to give eatire satisfaction. Crape and Gloves furnished free of charge. Best Hearses and Carriages furnished on short notice. Carriages furnished to funerais 45.

GENUINE

SCOTCH PEBBLE

to view while coming down the stairs. The police authorities should take the felcaught so offending.

Obituary.—Mr. E. Augustus Swint, a member of the firm of Swint, Bratt & Co., the well known wood carvers, passed into eternity on Wednesday morning, after a comparatively brief illness. The deceased was a young man of decided character and was much belowed and respected the all all was much beloved and respected by all who enjoyed his acquaintance. He was fair dealing, just and honorable, of kind and generous nature, charitable and forgiving, and we trust has met the reward of a well spent life of temperance and industry in the happiness of eternity.

Desired an Interview.-Wednesday af-ternoon an intoxized individual named Smith called at the residence of Rev. Mr. Stoepel, Fourth ward, Allegheny, and de-sired an interview with the Reverend, which, under the circumstances, added to the fact that Mr. Stoepel was ill, was re-fused. He was importunate, however, and the fact that Mr. Stoepel was ill, was re-fused. He was importunate, however, and became so troublesome that officer Shaffer interfered and took him to the lock up. When he became sober Mayor Drum im-posed a fine of five dollars upon him, which he paid and was released. posed a fine of nye domains he paid and was released.

Won't Serve.

We are not at all pleased with the cast assigned us in the grand Allegorical drama of the Drummer boy of Shiloh. Our envlable war record, brilliant equestrian feats, conduct in divers political processions, well known histrionic abilities, fine sions, well known histrionic abilities, fine stage appearance, commanding presence, and "all that sort of thing you know, you know," entitles us to higher consideration then simply an'A. D. C. on the programme, whose duties require him to look up the dead men, carry orders and chairs and tables and stuffed clubs on and off the stage. We won't accept service and will take nothing but General Cheatern. asking modestly to but General Cheatern, asking modestly to be assigned to duty in charge of the ticket office department.

Mr. Nicholls' Reading.

Mr. Henry Nicholls, the eminent English elocutionist and scholar, was greeted last night at the Academy of Music by one of the largest and most brilliant audiences of the season, and we were glad of it, as the manner in which our intellectual and refined people appreciated the endeavors of | the Mercantile Library Association in catering to their enjoyment and instruction was very encouraging. Mr. Nicholls came before a Pittsburgh audience comparative-ly a stranger, but his brilliant reputation had preceded him, and full of expectation had preceded him, and full of expectation the vast assemblage of lecture going peo-ple impatiently awaited his appearance, His reading of Shakespeare's "Fall of Wol-sey" immediately stamped his power and ability as a reader, and throughout the en-tire programme he developed favor and elleited the most enthusiastic applause from the audience. The gems of the evening, if gems could have been selected from the spleudid interpretations of wit, humor and pathos which followed each other in such rapid succession, were, perhaps, Tenny-son's "Charge of the Light Brigade," Hood's "Desert Born," Shakespere's "Sev-en Ages of Man," and Poe's immortal song of "The Raven." Mr. Nicholls made a deep impression on all present and handled their passions at pleasure, starting tears with tender bursts of pathos, or roldeep impression on all present and handled their passions at pleasure, starting tears with tender bursts of pathos, or rol-licksome laughter drawn forth by his hum-oreus renderings. The reading was a suc-cess, and all who were not present last night deprived themselves of an entertainment of rare worth which can only be compen-sated by a visit to the Academy to-night on

the occasion of the second reading. There yet remain many desirable seats unsold, which can be obtained at the Library

Rooms, corner of Penn and St. Clair streets.

ference was appoint ed in relation to the bill of Robert Boyd & lows to the tombs for punishment if again | Co. for lowering the stop cocks on the side walks. On motion adjourned.

Select Council.

ORDINANCES PASSED.

Mr. Scott offered an ordinance for the

Members present-Messrs. Brown, W. R., Brown A. M., Cochrane, Coffin, Dickson, Gallaher, Gross, Jones, Laufman, Morrow, M'Clelland, M'Clintock, M'Ewen, M'Kibben, Rafferty, Rees, Shipton, Wainwright, White and President McAuley. The President stated that the meeting had been called at the instance of the City

had been called at the instance of the City Solicitor, who being present was called upon to state the object of the meeting. Mr Slagle, City Solicitor, stated that in accordance with instructions he had pre-pared a codification of city ordinances and desired to submit the same to Councils in joint session.

desired w successful joint session. Before adjourning to meet in joint ses-sion, Mr. W. R. Brown, from the Water Extension Committee, asked and obtained

mittiee, accompanying the report of W. Milnor Roberts, relative to a new water reservoir. The report recommended that the report of Mr. Roberts be referred to the Water Committee with instructions to have it printed.

On motion of Mr. Shipton, the report was accepted and the Committee recommended to have one thousand copies of Mr. Roberts report printed. At the conclusion of the joint session Se-

At the conclusion of the joint session Se-lect Council re-convened and the following business was transacted: Mr. Shipton, from the Committee on Gas, submitted the following: *Gentleman*: The Committee on Gas Light-ing recommend the erection of lamps at the following points, viz: One on the cor-ner of Pride and Forbes.street; one at Dun-can and Kirknatrick street; one at Pusey's can and Kirkpatrick street; one at Pusey's Court and Eleventh street; one at the foot of Denny's road, on Smailman street; one on the corner of Bedford avenue and Logan street; one on Webster avenue and Logan street; one at Bluff and Stevenson streets;

The report was adopted. The Chair, in place, read a bill of Sheriff Chuley for costs amounting to \$87,50. A resolution authorizing the Controller to is. sue his certificate for the payment of the same was adopted. Mr. Gallaher called up a resolution, which had been laid on the table at a previous meeting, relative/to the payment of a bill of Mr. McGlaughlin, of the Fifth ward, for

of Mr. McGlaughlin, of the Fifth ward, for damages done to his house on the night of the political riot. After considerable discussion the matter was again laid on the table. Mr. White presented a petition asking for the vacation of Stevenson alley, in the Sixth ward. Referred to the Street Com-mittee.

Mr. White called up an ordinance for the construction of a sewer on Pennsylvania avenue, adopted in Common Council at a pre-vious meeting, and laid over in Select under the where the under the rules. The ordinance Wa adopted.

Council adjourned.

Selling for 25 Cents-

Fiannels worth 30 and 35 cents, at

the Olearance Sale. J. W. BARKER & Co., 59 Market street.

"Winning His Way," James Smithereen must have a winning

or fascinating way with him. On Monday of last week he called at a boarding house in the lower part of the First ward, Allegheny, and although the landlady had about as many boarders as she wanted just then, he succeeded by his exceedingly winning manner in not only securing boarding, but actually getting one of the best rooms in the house for his accommodation. A day or two after he had been snugly en-sconced in his new quarters he won the confidence of a fellow boarder to the amount of one dollar. He couldn't do it again, though. At the expiration of a week Smithereen dis-appeared, forgetting, in his absent minded, ness, to settle with his hospitable hostess. He next appeared to view santering med-itatively backward and forward on the sidewalk fronting his lately deserted boarding house. This was Wednesday evening. Yesterday morning the absence of a valuable broadcloth coat, a silver watch, a pearl handled pocket knife, a couple of razors and several other articles of like couple of razors and several other articles of like character were missing from the room of one of his quondam fel-low-boarders. What he wanted with the last named articles is somewhat of a mys-tery, as he seems to have been sharp enough without any artificial aid. James left no clue behind as to his whereabonts, much to the disappointment of his anxious acquain-tances. He has a very winning and

tances. He has a very winning and taking way with him, but he would do well to take warning and cease to exercise his peculiar faculty. Many a man similarly constituted has been taken himself, and now reposes behind stone walls and iron bars

#### Recent Publications.

Harper & Brothers, New York, have sent us "The Gordian Knot," a novel written years ago by Shirley Brooks. It has been re-cast and re-written, and is regarded as the author's best work. Also, from the Stevenson's alley and Liberty street. in five acts, by Lord Lytton, as first per-

In the acts, by Lora Lytton, as first per-formed at the Lyceum Theatre, October, 1868. We have received from J. Appleton & Co., New York, "Picciola," Precede de Quelques Recherches Sur L'Emploi du Temps Daus Les prisons D'Etat, par Paul L. Jacob, Bibliofiule, Novelle Edition. Re-vue et Corrigee. French readers will en-joy this excellent publication. Also, fifth and sixth volumes of the "King's Own," and "Japhet in Search of a Father." of and sixth volumes of the "King's Own," and "Japhet in Search of a Father," of Maryatt's popular novels, at the low price of fifty cents per volume. The same house have sent us two volumes of the cheap and neat edition of the Waverly Novels, 17 and 18, "St. Roman's Well" and "Red 'Jannt-let," at the remarkably low price of twen-ty-five cents each. All these publications can be obtained at Henry Miner's store, Fifth avenue. The Old Franklin Almanac for 1869 is just out, and is brimful of useful and entertaining matter. For sale by Gl. and entertaining matter. For sale by Gil-denfenny, Fifth avenue.

# Amusements.

OPERA HOUSE,-Miss Maggie Mitchell drew a large and fashionable audience at the Opera House last night. "The Pearl of Savoy" was repeated. The entertainment was highly satisfactory to the audience, notwithstanding the fact that Miss Mitchell, in consequence of a severe cold, was com-pelled to omit the songs in the piece. To-night she will appear in "Lorle," a new piece written expressly for her.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.-Parepa Rosa will ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—Parepa Rosa will give her second and last grand concert in this city on Saturday evening. The im-mense success of her concert Wednesday night, and the very general satisfaction rendered, is a sufficient guarantee of the excellence of the entertainment. The sale of tickets will commence at nine o'clock A. M. to-day at C. O. Mellor's music store, No. 81 Wood street.

sacred duty. The Standard Scales-Removal of Fair-

banks, Morse & Co. We believe that the Fairbanks Scales

are very generally acknowledged in these parts, as well as throughout the country, as the very best in use and the standard of perfection. The manufactures of the great firm of Fairbanks, Morse & Co. are truly immense, consuming annually thousands usands of tons of iron and steel, affording employment to a whole regiment of skilled aborers, and producing scales of all sizes, from the tiny little silver thread all sizes, from the tiny little sliver thread balance, which weighs a pin's head, up to the gigantic platform, to record to a quarter of a pound nicety a mountain weight of one hundred and twenty-five tons. But the reader is aware of the superiority of these scales and of the enormous traffic carried on in them, and our purpose is here but to announce the removal of the Pittsburgh house to the commodious building No. 152 Second avenue, below Wood street. This

ochange was necessary, as the former house occupied was by no means large enough to accommodate the rapid increase in their accommodate the rapid increase in their trade. At the new ware-rooms will be found a very large assortment of all the different scales manufactured by the firm, and those desiring anything in the line will consult their own interests by calling. Cross Suits-Two Charges.

Charles Kline made information before Alderman Strain yesterday against Nicholas Keefer for surety of the peace, another against Keefer and Wilhel mina Schehart for felonious assault. The parties had a difficulty in a saloon in the Twelfth ward, during which Kline alleges Keefer attacked him with a knife and threatened his life, and when he had de-fended himself in this assault, Kline, ac cording to his statement, attacked him again, aided this time by Wilhelmins, who handed the attacking party a revolver, and encouraged him to demolish his opponent, which he endeavored to do but failed. The which he endeavored to do but lalled. The accused were arrested and held for a hear-ing. The difficulty grew out of a former one between Kline and Keefer, the partic-ulars of which we published yesterday.

### Election of Officers,

Wednesday evening a meeting of the Allegheny County Soldiers' League was held at the League Rooms, Quincy Hall, Incock street, Allegheny, at which the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing term: President, Abram Pat-terson; Vice President, T. McC. Benner; terson; vice Fresident, T. McC. Benner; Treasurer, A. O. Patterson; Secretary, W. J. McGratty; Corresponding: Secretary, J. R. Okley; Financial Secretary, R. McIl-wain; Trustees, J. S. Edgar, A. P. Callow, Charles A. Miller. The installation of the officers elect will take place on Wednesday evening next, 23d inst., at the League Hall

Selling for \$4,00--

lankets worth \$6,00, at the Clearance Sale. J. W. BABEER & Co., 59 Market street.

SPECTACLES The popular and extensive house of Mr. William Fleming, No. 139 Wood street, WARBANTED TO IMPROVE THE SIGHT presents daily a scene of bustle and activity which is not observable at similar houses

FOR SALE BY

DUNSEATH & HASLETT,

56 FIFTH STREET.

HENRY G. HALE,

MERCHANT TAILOR.

Corner of Penn and St. Clair Streets.

and misses' sets, gents' fine Beaver collars, fur caps and gloves will also be found in profusion, together with a magnificent and stylish stock of men's hats and caps, man-ufactured in the best manner and most fashionable styles, which have long made this great hat and fur emporium popular with the people. Customers favoring Mr. Fleming with their patronage have many decided advantages in their favor, among which is wide range for selection. The goods are all warranted and from fifteen to twenty-five per cent. is economized in each is now in stock one of the largest and most varied

Fall and Winter Goods

twenty-five per cent. is economized in each purchase, as the articles sold are that much cheaper than at cotemporary establishever brought to this city. His stock embraces al CLOTHS, CASSIMERES AND OVERCOATINGS

Also, a full line of Gent's Furnishing Goods.

NEW GOODS. NEW GOODS.

FOR A STYLISH OVERCOAT, FOR A STYLISH DERSS COAT, FOR A STYLISH DERSS COAT, BOR A STYLISH USINESS COAT, BOR A STYLISH WALKING COAT, FOR A STYLISH VALKING COAT, FOR A STYLISH VEST OF ALL KINDS,

For all the latest styles cut clothes, made of the best material, and by first-class workmen, and at prices surprisingly low, go to the well known Merchant Tailor,

W. HESPENHEID.

NO. 50 ST. CLAIR STREET, now Sixth. nois

Guava, Plum, Raspberry, Peach, Straw-berry, Orange, Quince, Blackberry, Pine-apple, Apple, Black and Red Currant, Lem-on and Vanilla Jellies; Tomato, Walnut and Mushroom Catsups; Worcestershire, London Club and Bengal Sauces. Ancho-vies, Shrimps and Bengal Sauces. Ancho-vies, Shrimps and Bengal Sauces, Ancho-sauces, Shrimps and Bengal Sauces, Shrimps and Sauces, Ancho-sauces, Shrimps and Bengal Sauces, Ancho-sauces, Shrimps and Bengal Sauces, Sauces, Ancho-sauces, Shrimps and Sauces, Sauces, Sauces, Ancho-sauces, Shrimps and Sauces, Sauces, S THOS. F. DALL, M. D ..... M. S. SUTTON. H. D. THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE AS-

PRACTICE OF MEDICINE.

Office, No. 19 STOCKTON AVENUE, Alleghany city. THUS. F. DALE, M. D., noi3'al2 . R. S. RUTT(IN. M. D.

000.01 - TEN THOUSAND

CHOICE NEW VALENCIA (Cooking) HAISINS,

At the Original RED FRONT TEA WAREHOUSE, 114 Smithfield street, opposite Custom Hosse. C. A. BOUCHER.

000,5-FIVE THOUSAND

CHOICE NEW ZANTE CURRANTS, AT 7 Pounds for \$1.00. At C. A. BOUCHER'S RED FRONT 7EA WARKHOUSE, 114 Smitnfield street.

000-11-0NE: THOUSAND LES. 005-Five Hundred poinds hew Candied Lemon Peel at 45c, per 1b. 005-Five Hundred pounds new Candied Lemon 76er lat 45c, per 1b. At C. A. BOUCHER'S RED FRONT TEA. WAREHOUSES 114 Smithfield street.

DERFECTLY PURE SPICES, QF All Kinds, ground in the store, and sold by weight. No package trash labelled Spices sold at the Original Red Front 7:a Warehouse. C. A. BUUCHER. 114 Smalthfeld street.

RED HOT! RED HOT !!-EIGHT K varieties of COFFEE reasted daily, and sold MED HOT, at 95c., 3rd., 30c., 33c., 33s., 49o., and 45c. per lb., at the ORIGINAL RED FRONT TEA WAREHOUSE, 114 smithdeld st., opposite Cuscom Honse, C. A. ROUCHER

6 1-2 POUNDS WHITE SUGAR for \$1.00, at ORIGINAL RED FRONT TEA WAREHOUSE, 114 bmithded Street,

Opposite Custom House.

OVER FIFTY VARIETIES OF All tastes can be suited at ORIGINAL BES Sulted at ORIGINAL RED FRANT TEA WAREHOUFE, del5 114 Smithfield .tract

offeld street. Opposite Cus fom Houses

Ladies Sacques worth \$8 00, at the Clearance Sale. J. W. BABKER & Co., 59 Market street. Pthisic or Asthma .-- Those who suffer from this distressing complaint, are re-minded of Whitcomb's Remedy. M.W.F.

shave, or have your hair out or dressed at the elegant establishment of H. B. William-son, No. 190 Federal street, Allegheny.

Selling for IO cents .---

Selling for \$5 00,-

Selling for 90 Cents-

Clearance Sale.

Sins, Turkey Francs, Crown Layer Rai-sins, Turkey Francs, Citron, Fine Olive Oil, Spanish and Queen Olives, all kinds of Candies and Fruits, &c., &c., at 112 Federal

Silk Velvet worth 12,00, at the

Clearance Sale. J. W. BARKER & Co.,

treet, Allegheny.

Selling for \$9,00-

Balmoral Skirts, wort \$1,25 at the

J. W. BARKER & Co., 59 Market street.

59 Market street

Shirting Muslin, worth 15 cents, at the Clearance Sale, J. W. BABKER & Co.,

Open Till 9 O'clock P. M.—To accomo-date our customers and others who may wish to spend the evening selecting articles for Holiday Gifts, we have concluded to keep our store open every evening till nine o'clock, commencing on Saturday, Decem-ber 12th, and continuing till Christmas Eve. MACRUM & CARLISLE, 19 Fifth avenue.

GEO. BEAVEN.

59 Market street.

Selling for 35. Cents-

Dress Goods worth 50 to 65 cents, at the Clearance Sale. J. W. BARKER & Co., 59 Market street. It is a luxury and a comfort to bathe,

