CITY AND SUBURBAN.

Fifty Dollars Reward.

The above reward will be paid for the arrest and conviction of the parties stealing packages of this paper from the baggage cars on the railroads. Last week our New Castle package was stolen twice, and our readers in that town were deprived of their papers. We have an experienced detective on the trail, and if we succeed in ferreting the thief, we shall prosecute him to the bitter end of the law.

Allegheny Councils.—A regular semi-monthly meeting of the Allegheny Councils will be held this evening at seven o'clock.

Judging from the number of contracts already made, building improvements will be remarkably extensive in Allegheny the coming season.

Preparations are being made by the Allegheny Park Commission for rapidly pushing forward the work under their charge during the coming season.

Arm Broken.—Mrs. Winnower, a resident of Minersville, had her right arm broken yesterday morning by a fall on Grant street opposite the Court House.

If the cold weather continues a day or two longer, skatists will have an opportunity of indulging in their favorite amusement again before winter is over.

The new Fifth Ward, Allegheny, School House is rapidly approaching completion. When finished it will be one of the finest buildings of the kind in the country.

Dr. M. S. Hulings, of Birmingham, fell in an apoplectic fit yesterday morning, while standing on the steps of his office. Dr. Dickson was called to attend him, and it is thought he will recover.

The war on the retail coal dealers relative to weighing coal, still continues. Alderman Humbert had several before him yesterday. They were discharged upon agreeing to comply with the ordinance.

Surety of the Peace.—Gotfried Zang made information before Justice Ammon of East Birmingham, yesterday, against Jacob Beeler, for surety of the peace. He alleges that Beeler threatened to shoot him. A warrant was issued.

The idea of a new market house, in Allegheny, has not been abandoned yet, and will likely receive the attention of Councils, and assume definite shape during the present year. The need of such a building is daily becoming more apparent.

Abandonment.—Margaret Morgan alleges that her husband, Thomas Morgan, has deserted her and refuses to do anything toward her support or that of their children. Alderman Taylor issued a warrant for the arrest of the delinquent Benedict.

"Snibbs" Arnold was arrested last night for surety of the peace, on information of Elizabeth Sinnella, proprietress of a fruit stand on Liberty street. She alleges he drew a revolver and threatened to shoot her. He was locked up for a hearing.

Primary Meeting.—The Republicans of Birmingham will hold a meeting, on Saturday evening, at Market Hall, to place in nomination candidates for council, two from each presinct, two School Directors from each precinct, Burgess Constable, Assessor and Assistant Assessor.

Blown Down.—The frame of a proposed new dwelling, on Beaver avenue, Allegheny, was blown down during the wind storm on Tuesday morning. A carpenter, who was working about the structure at the time, received severe injuries by the accident. We could not learn his name.

Painful Accident.—On Tuesday evening James Hanson, a lad residing in the Fourth ward, Allegheny, while coasting on the platform of the West. Pennsylvania Railroad, near Anderson street, slipped and fell, breaking his left leg below the knee and otherwise severely bruising himself. Dr. Hazlett attended his injuries at his residence.

An Amazon.—Patrick Lammon, a resident of the Nineteenth ward, alleges that his wife, Alice Lammon, made a fierce assault on him the other day, and threatened to make herself a widow by putting an end to his existence. Alderman Cartwright, upon the information of Patrick, arrested Alice and committed her to jail, to answer a charge of felonious assault and battery.

Persevering.—The perseverance of the present city officials in endeavoring to enforce all city ordinances, is highly commendable. A number of cases were disposed of yesterday before His Honor, the Mayor, for various offences, such as blockading the sidewalks, driving fast over crossings, blockading street crossings with teams, &c. The usual sentence of $2 and costs was imposed in each case.

The Sabbath Question.—Rev. Philip Schaff, D. D., one of the most distinguished scholars and authors of our country, is to deliver an address on the above topic in the Second Presbyterian Church, (Rev. Dr. Howard's,) on Friday evening of this week, to commence at 7½ o'clock. All who desire that the Sabbath should be maintained in its sacredness and held in honor in this community are cordially invited to be present.

Malicious Mischief.—Elizabeth Hosmer made information before Justice Salisbury, of Birmingham, yesterday, charging Fred. Poohl with malicious mischief. She alleges that the accused came to her residence drunk and acted in a disorderly manner, and that he cut a feather bed to pieces. She also made information against him for surety of the peace. He was arrested and confined in the Birmingham lock-up to await a hearing.

Alleged Larceny.—Frank Gallaher made information before Justice Snyder, of Ormsby, yesterday, charging J. R. Larimer with larceny. It appears that the Sheriff had an execution against Gallaher and sent Larimer to close up his drinking saloon. The execution was subsequently satisfied, and Gallaher alleges that Larimer took two dollars from his cash drawer and drank a quantity of his whisky. Larimer waived a hearing and gave bail for his appearance at Court.

Two Charges.—Patrick Fitzpatrick made two informations before Alderman Taylor, yesterday, against Margaret Edwards, for selling liquor to minors. The prosecutor alleges that the defendant sold liquor to his son, aged fifteen years, whereby the youth was made intoxicated. The same prosecutor also made information against the same defendant for keeping a gambling house. All of the parties are residents of the Twelfth ward. The accused was arrested and held for a hearing.

Tired of Life.

Mr. Walter Davis, a boarder at the Greenwood Hotel, attempted suicide by cutting his throat with a razor yesterday morning. Mr. Davis has for four or five years past been employed by the Allegheny Valley Railroad Company, in the capacity of night watchman at the depot, on Pike street, and was always a sober, steady man, and attentive to his business. Some two weeks since, he was discharged and thrown out of employment, in consequence of which he became despondent and resorted to strong drink. For several days past it appears he has shown symptoms of *mania potu*, and evinced a desire to destroy his life, but no one thought him in earnest in the matter, and consequently gave it no attention. Yesterday morning he wanted whiskey, and the proprietor of the hotel, Mr. Abraham Greenwood, refused to give him any, and remonstrated with him for drinking so much. Davis made no reply, but left the house, and, it appears, succeeded in getting liquor somewhere else. He came back to the hotel shortly before eight o'clock, intoxicated. He went to his room, and shortly after Mr. Greenwood, having some business with him, went to his room, and found him sitting on the bed with a razor in his hand, and the blood flowing from his neck. He took the razor from him, and calling assistance, succeeded in stopping the flow of blood. Davis requested him to give him the razor again to allow him to finish the job, but Mr. G. declined and compelled him to go to bed, intending to keep him in the house until he recovered. The door was fastened, but Davis managed to open it and get out. He was discovered and taken back, where he was kept until after dinner, when he again managed to escape and succeeded in getting liquor enough to make him drunk.

Mr. G. finding it impossible to keep him in the house brought him to the lock-up and requested that he be detained until such time as he should recover. Dr. Murdoch was sent for and dressed the wound on his neck, which was an ugly gash, on the left side, about two inches in length and fully half an inch deep.

The cut was sufficiently deep to have severed the artery, had it not been too far back. He will probably be sent to jail this morning, or to some of the hospitals, as he is not a fit subject to run at large.

The Allegheny Police Force.

The final arrangements in the reorganization of the Allegheny police force were made last evening by Mayor Drum, in conjunction with the Police Committee of the City Councils, and the new system adopted will go into effect on Monday next. There are at present thirty-nine policemen on the force, exclusive of the Chief. Four of these, viz. Alf. Gebby, Martin Shaffer, William Green and Jackson Scott, have been detailed as the office force. Two of the office force will be on duty at the office during the day, the other two doing such special outside work as may be assigned them, and the men alternating each week in the office.

Of the remaining members of the force, ten have been selected as the day force, of which officer John McRoberts is Lieutenant. These men go on duty at one o'clock in the afternoon and remain until midnight. Each of them will have a regular beat, and be paid twenty-five cents per day more than those of the office force. Twenty-three men have been detailed as a night watch, with Samuel Crow as Captain. The night watch will go on duty at nine o'clock in the evening and remain until six o'clock next morning. They also will be paid twenty-five cents extra. The remaining officer, Wm. Nixon, has been detailed as "ordinance officer," having for his prescribed duties attention to the enforcement of all ordinances relative to street obstructions, nuisances, &c.

The whole force is under the supervision of the Chief of Police, Mr. Wm. Bowden, one of the ablest and most experienced officers in the police service.

It was originally intended to divide the force into three equal sections or reliefs, but after due consideration the system as given above was adopted. It is thought it will answer the purpose and be more effective, than the plan of three reliefs, besides being somewhat less expensive.

With the new uniforms and the new system in operation after Monday next, our sister city may be indulged a little in the boast of the appearance and efficiency of her police force.

Determined Effort to Escape.

We mentioned yesterday that officer Bell, of Alderman Taylor's police, had arrested C. O. Hess upon a dispatch received from the authorities at Latrobe stating that the man was wanted there. The chap, it seems, when arrested went along quietly enough as long as officer Bell stayed by him, but when that officer left him on the cars at East Liberty, in charge of a Constable from Latrobe, he begun to be obstreperous. After the train had left the East Liberty station and had proceeded a short distance, he left his seat and, while the train was in full motion, made a desperate leap and alighted on the ground beside the track unhurt. Not to be outwitted in this manner, the Constable leaped after him, and commenced a pursuit, the prisoner making good use of his legs, ran in the direction of Braddock's Fields, closely followed by the constable, who with the aid of a resident of the place, succeeded in rearresting him there. He was brouget back to the city, and the services of officer Bell again procured to aid in getting him to his destination. At last accounts he was securely locked up in the Greensburg jail, there being no institution of that kind in Latrobe. The prisoner is charged with obtaining money from several parties in Latrobe by false pretence by representing that he was the owner of a large lot of hay in the vicinity, and would return the money as soon as he could make a sale, which, it is alleged, is altogether an imaginary case.

In Favor.—We observe by the Mercer *Dispatch* that the Bethel Coal Company of Middlesex have in use one of the beautiful and unique locomotives manufactured by Messrs. Smith & Porter, machinists and engineers of this city. This enterprising firm, whose extensive works are located in South Pittsburgh, and office at the corner of Water street and Cherry alley, make a specialty of little engines or locomotives, which are perfect specimens of mechanical skill and perfection, and are being very generally adopted throughout the country in mines, pits and other places, where their great convenience is appreciated.

Gray's Printing Ink.—We have tried most of the first-class printing inks manufactured in this country, and know whereof we speak in recommending that manufactured at Gray's Ferry Printing Ink Works, Philadelphia, as superior to any in use. It is easily worked in all sorts of weather, is clear, clean and pretty, and in many ways far ahead of inks sold at much higher prices. We are seconded in this recommendation by our pressman, in the correctness of whose judgment in matters pertaining to the press-room we have unlimited confidence.

Narrow Escape From Death.

David Burke, a resident of the Second ward, Allegheny, narrowly escaped a horrible death yesterday afternoon about five o'clock, and was only saved by the prompt exertions of officer Shaffer, of the Allegheny police force. He got aboard of a freight train at the outer depot of the Fort Wayne Railroad, intending to ride to the Federal street station. As the train neared that station, he attempted to get back to the rear from the front car by walking over the tops of those intervening, but as he was slightly intoxicated this proved to be a rather difficult undertaking, and the train passed over Federal street before he had got half way back. Officer Shaffer, who happened to be coming by Federal street, just then noticed Burke's movement, and fearing that some accident would occur, followed the train as fast as he could. When it had reached the curve in the track, near Lacock street, Burke had succeeded in getting on the last car, but in attempting to climb down the ladder at the side, he missed his hold and fell to the ground, rolling over to the other track. Another train was coming from an opposite direction along this track, and officer Shaffer had but just sufficient time to get to the place and jerk the man to one side when this train went speeding by. In the fall Burke had sprained his left ankle badly, and could not stand upright without assistance. He was taken by the officer to the Mayor's office, where the injured ankle received proper attention, and where he remained for the night to sleep off his intoxication. His escape from an instant and horrible death was an exceedingly narrow one, for had the officer arrived but a moment later, his mangled remains would have furnished a subject for a Coroner's investigation.

An Omission.

In our report of Council proceeding of Monday, we were compelled to omit the remarks of Dr. Gallagher upon the proposed act for a Paid Fire Department, in consequence of the crowded state of our columns. The Doctor opposed the measure strongly, and its defeat may be largely attributed to his exertions. His remarks were in substance as follows:

The Commission appointed to prepare the bill had estimated the cost of operating the Department at $60,000. They had made a mistake in this respect. They had made no provisions for the wear and tear, breakage and damages of the apparatus, &c, and this included would swell the amount to $75,000. The fire companies were in debt to the amount of $20,000, and $25,000 would be required to purchase the apparatus, &c. The paid fire department would call for an outlay of $125,000 the first year, and $75,000 every year thereafter. This would require a taxation of five and a half per cent. of the entire valuation of the city —$15,000,000. The city was making great improvements, far ahead of the progress of time; but this improvement was unnecessary and uncalled for, had not been petitioned for by the citizens, and was a stupendous undertaking to involve a great tax on the citizens. The city had one of the most effectively organized and praiseworthy fire departments in the Union, and the act should therefore be squelched.

The Lecture To-Night.

To-night our lecture-going community will be treated to the most delightful entertainment offered this season under the auspices of the Young Men's Mercantile Library Committee, in a lecture by Miss Olive Logan. It has not been our pleasure to hear Miss Logan at the desk, but we know her as a sprightly writer, a keen observer, and a woman of elegant finish and manners. We depend much on our exchanges in forming judgment of the lady in her capacity as a lecturer, and unless the press of the country have conspired to give her eminent standing, she better deserves a larger audience than any of the lecturers who have appeared thus far this season. There will be no reserved seats nor extra charge on season tickets. In speaking of her lecture on "Paris, the City of Luxury," the Philadelphia *Bulletin* said:

Her cultivated elocution and manner, her sense of the fitnesses of speech and action, and her trained knowledge of the art of entertainment, give her wonderful advantage over the ordinary race of lecturers. Her lecture sparkles with wit and humor, and abounds with ludicrous pictures, but never falls for an instant from the high level of purity—moral, intellectual and artistic purity. It differs from ordinary lectures in that it will bear hearing, again and again—just as some of Thackeray's and Dickens' novels will bear reading again and again—with an additional relish.

Should be Stopped.

There is a practice prevalent among conductors on our street railways of stopping their cars on street-crossings, while passengers get on or off, thereby obstructing the crossings and occasioning pedestrians no little inconvenience. It often happens, especially on some of the most frequently traveled thoroughfares, that a dozen persons are thus made to yield to the accommodation of one, or turn out in the mud and make a circuit of the car. This is a bad practice, and should be done away with. We noticed that some attention has been called to the matter in Allegheny, the chief of police having his officers to see that the nuisance is abated, and the ordinance in relation to street obstructions enforced in this case as well as in any other. This is a good idea and we would, like to see it carried out in our own city.

Won the Prize.

John Grafton, engineer of Engine No. 17, on the Cleaveland and Pittsburg Railroad, won the annual prize of $100 for running his engine the greatest number of miles with the least expense during the past year. This is the third time Mr. Grafton has been successful. On the Wheeling Division of the road, Mr. Edward Smith, of Engine No. 10, was the successful competitor for the reward. This competition for the prize was first inaugurated about five years since, and has occasioned a spirited but perfectly good humored rivalry among the engineers on the passenger trains, to whom it is restricted, which has not been without its beneficial results in many respects.

Arbuckle & Co., Jobbing Grocers, we understand, are about to establish a house in New York; that Mr. John Arbuckle, the junior brother, will have charge of the New York, while Mr. Charles A. Arbuckle, the senior brother, will remain in charge of the present house in this city, whose business has so increased that it is found expedient to have a partner resident at the great metropolis, always ready to reciprocate facilities with the house here. We have known these young merchants from their childhood, and rejoice in their enterprise and well earned prosperity.

Linen Pillow Casing, Sheeting and Shirting, at Bates & Bell's.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed of record before H. Snively, Esq., Recorder, February 23, 1869:

John C. Parson and Louis Bahm to John Cunningham. January 4 1867; lot on Boundary street, Bloomfield, 22 by 97 feet..............$260

Samuel P. Wilson to William McCracken, February 4, 1869; lot in Elizabeth township, containing 29 acres and 69 perches..............$900

Mary A. Sinclair to William H. Hoffman, January 21, 1869; lot in Versailles township, on the State road, 30 by 173 feet..............$500

C. H. Love to David M. Park, June 1, 1868; lot No. 72 in C. Hanson Love's plan in South Fayette township..............$400

John Mills to Wm. Burns, August 18, 1866: lot on Main street, Sharpsburgh, 28¼ by 93 feet....$300

John Dodds to Mrs. Mary Moore, February 4, 1860; lots Nos. 64 and 65, in Hoovler's plan, Bloomfield..............$410

Andrew McCready to Jasper R. Speck, February 6, 1869; lot in North Fayette township. 50 by 286 feet..............$425

James D. Keller, Administrator of Robert Lafferty, deceased, to David Stern, February 10, 1859; lot corner Wylie street and Union alley, 24 by 90 feet, with buildings..............$2,450

John Glaskey to Edward Davidson, February 12, 1869; two lots on Harris street, Lawrenceville, 48 by 100 feet, with buildings..............$2,250

Alexander and Wm. J. Miller to George W. Coole, February 2, 1869; lot on Ninth street, McKeesport, 20 by 140 feet..............$400

James S. Craft to John W. Schmidt, October 15, 1866; lot on Murphy street, Pitt township, (now city) 24 by 60 feet..............$400

The following deeds were filed of record before H. Snively, Esq., Recorder, February 24th, 1869:

Thompson Bell to Matthew Siddell, Oct. 5, 1868; lot on Nunnery Hill, Allegheny City, Wills street, 60 by 110 feet..............$550

Jacob Hain, Sr. to Gotleib Dahlringer, Feb. 3, 1869; lot on Long Lane, Seventh ward, Allegheny, 54 by 120 feet..............$1,000

John Kratz to Jacob Hain, Feb. 2, 1869; lot above described..............$500

George Lang to L. Fiorleg, Aug. 31, 1868; lot in East Liberty, on Frankstown Road, 40 by 110 feet..............$1,300

Adam Reineman to F. Zeigler, Feb. 1, 1869; lot No. 3, in Reineman's plan, Third ward, Pittsburgh..............$1,050

Mary A. Bailey to William Bucomb, May 1, 1866; lot on corner of Bailey and Sarah Avenues, Mt. Washington..............$800

Wm. Robinson, Jr. Executers to Wm. Hough, Dec. 5, 1868; lot No 85, Robinson's plan, Fifth ward, Allegheny..............$1,104

John Cunnian to J. C. McCormick, Feb. 22, 1869; lot on Washington street, Fourth ward, Allegheny, 23 by 70 feet..............$1,50

MORTGAGES.

Same day 6 mortgages were filed of record.

Amusements.

OPERA HOUSE.—The Sanyeauhs were greeted with a large audience at the Opera House last night, and the entertainment was a highly interesting one. The feats performed by Madame and M. Sanyeauh are past all description and should be seen, as the most credulous would be lothe to believe us if we were to describe some of their daring performances. The "Orphan of Geneva" was presented at the opening and "True Love" as an afterpiece. To-night the entertainment will commence with "Faint Heart Ne'er Won Fair Lady" after which the Sanyeauhs will appear in their daring feats, and conclude with "True Love."

AMERICAN THEATRE.—The excitement at the American is unabated. The people assemble there in hundreds, and scores are turned away nightly in consequence of the house being filled to its utmost capacity. The French Can-Can, in all its original beauty, is presented at this establishment, every night.

A New Project.

The subject of a side-walk bridge across the mud lake on the side-walk, west side of Federal street, Allegheny, at the gateway of the Railroad Company, is much talked of by those who pass that way in wet weather. This, however, is opposed by the loafers who congregate in the neighborhood to laugh at the struggles and frequent discomfiture of ladies and children who attempt the passage through. If the joint or separate efforts of the Railroad Company and Street Commissioner shall fail for a year or two more to abate this grievous nuisance, a bridge or ferryboat will have to be supplied. If tolls are permitted, the stock will be quickly taken.

Vindicated.

We learn that the matter we referred to yesterday under the head of "An Investigation Demanded," relating to the escape of W. J. Robinson after shooting Manager Smythe, at the American Theatre, has been fully investigated, and it affords us pleasure to state that officers Ruch, Long and Rivers were fully exonerated from any blame or censure in the matter. We did not learn the particulars of the case, but as the Mayor investigated the matter himself we are satisfied. The result is as we anticipated, as we know the officers named to be efficient and reliable.

Thayer's Circus.—Friday evening next, at this fashionable resort will be a carnival of fun. It will afford our citizens an opportunity of practically showing their appreciation of faithful services rendered by one of our most popular entertainers. Dr. Thayer, upon that occasion, will take his first complimentary benefit. This fact alone should fill the house to overflowing. The programme, however, will be one of remarkable attraction. The entire strength of the establishment will appear in new and varied novelties. An old Pittsburgh favorite—Mr. Sam. Welser, has kindly consented to appear in his speciality as Trick Clown, aided by a host of volunteer talent. Dr, Thayer will appear in Motley throughout the evening, and should be greeted by an overflowing house. We understand the original Ku Kluxers are coming and will shortly appear under the command of Major General James C. Reynolds.

A Distinguished Methodist Minister and prominent Temperance Lecturer once remarked that go where he would, from one end of the country to the other, he hardly ever failed to find Plantation Bitters, and while he condemned the practice of using these Bitters too freely, he could not conscientiously say that he would discard them from the side-board, for he himself had experienced beneficial results from their use, and that, from a long and close observation, he was convinced that when used moderately, and as a medicine exclusively, they were all that was recommended. At the same time he warned his hearers not to pull the cork too often, for they were far too pleasant a tonic to trifle with.

MAGNOLIA WATER.—Superior to the best imported German Cologne, and sold at half the price. TH.S.T.F.

The Opinion of an Officer in the Army.—"At inspection I noticed that a large proportion of the men's knapsacks contained a box of Troches, being generally used by them for colds, etc." *"Brown's Bronchial Troches"* should be used upon the first appearance of a Cold or a Cough, which by neglect may terminate in some Lung Disease.

Cree Brothers are now selling their entire stock to quit business. A rare opportunity to secure bargains, as it is being sold regardless of cost. You save fifty per cent. by calling soon at 26 Fifth avenue.

Furniture at Auction.—The furniture of dwelling No. 9, Grant avenue, near Dr. Hodge's church, Allegheny, will be sold at ten o'clock to-morrow, Friday. A. Leggate, Auctioneer.

Weed Sewing Machine—At No. 116 Market street, near Liberty street. Terms to suit all.
3t. LONG & HARVISON, Agents.

The Asbury Life Insurance Company.

Among the first-class and thoroughly reliable Life Insurance Companies, permanently before the public, none is more worthy confidence and patronage than the Asbury of New York, for which our fellow-citizen, Francis Sellers, Esq., is the Resident Director for this city. Since its organization this Company has insured, in the short period of nine months, over two millions of dollars, an unexampled success and prosperity. The following features will commend the Asbury Company to the reader:

It issues policies in all the forms in present use, on single and joint lives, endowments and annuities. A special table for insuring lives of ministers by their congregations is calculated at much below the ordinary rates; a special table of half rates for the first ten years; few restrictions on travel and none after the first year; registered policies, countersigned by the Insurance Department of the State, certifying that such policies are secured by a special deposit of public stocks.

All policies absolutely are non-forfeitable, as the dividends to policy holders on a new and most popular plan introduced by this Company, after two payments, applicable, at the option of insurers, to an increase of the policy, to reduction of future premiums, or payable in cash. Insurers preferring to relinquish their interest in profits may have instead a bonus addition of one-third of amount of policy. Members are accommodated by a loan of one-third of premiums when divided, but no note required.

Mr. S. Y. Kennedy is the Solicitor for this city and has established an office at No. 129 Smithfield street, where full information may be obtained regarding policies. We earnestly commend the Asbury Company to the confidence of our readers, knowing whereof we speak in asserting its reliability.

Brick House and Lot on Knoll Street, Allegheny, at Auction.

On Friday, February 26th, at three o'clock, will be sold on the premises, the property No. 8 Knoll street, situated between James and Linden streets, one square north of the Third ward public school. The house is two stories, pressed brick front, contains six rooms, finished attic, bath, hall and vestibule. It has stone steps in front, projecting cornice all around, sliding doors in parlors, high ceilings, gas and water. It has been built but one year. The material and workmanship are first class. It is well finished, and is altogether a very neat and comfortable dwelling. The location is very pleasant, abounding in shade trees and cultivated lots. It is a corner lot, so that all the rooms are light and airy. Rooms are fourteen feet square. Visitors are invited to call and examine. Terms of sale, $1,500 cash; balance in one and two years. Full particulars by calling on A. LEGGATE, Auctioneer,
159 Federal street, Allegheny.

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A full and authentic history of Pittsburgh from 1753 to 1816 is contained in Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the above Magazine, and will be continued to the present time. A few full sets of back numbers are still on hand and can be had at the office.

The March number is now in press and will be out in a few days, containing another instalment of the history of our Smoky City, and a great variety of choice reading by first-class writers.
O'DWYER & Co.,
6 Publishers, 59 Fourth avenue.

Superfine, fine and plain mixed candies at 112 Federal street, Allegheny.

Cassimeres, for men and boys' wear, at Bates & Bell's.

12½c 4-4 Sheeting Muslins.
12½c 4-4 long cloth bleach muslin.
12½c dark domestic ginghams.
12½c linens, crashed and hucks.
12½c new style dark prints.
12½c gray twilled heavy flannels.
Blankets at a great reduction.
Bed spreads and quilts cheap.
26c 4-4 twilled feather tickings.
Pink prints, blue prints, oil chintz.
20c Scotch ginghams, all styles.
New dry goods and low prices, on west corner of Market and Fourth streets, No. 69, E. R. Gardner. 3

Allegheny Residence, 61 Union Avenue.—This handsome property, to be sold on the premises, next Saturday afternoon, will be found particularly desirable for those wishing to buy themselves an elegant and comfortable home. The situation is the most pleasant in the two cities, and the improvement entirely new and very best finish. The lot is large, with a wide alley in the rear. See McIlwaine's auction advertisement. Visitors are invited to examine the premises.

Household Furniture Seized.—Nelly Gillen made information before Alderman McMasters yesterday against Robert Smith and Mary his wife, for larceny as bailee. The prosecutrix states that she entrusted to the care of the accused a lot of household furniture, valued at two hundred dollars, and that when she made a demand to have it returned they refused to give it back. The parties reside in the Fifth ward. A warrant was issued.

The sacrifice of goods at 27 Fifth avenue, lately occupied by Messrs. Dennison & Hackett, still continues to draw hundreds to that establishment. The stock embraces everything kept in first-class trimming and notion houses and is offered at prices away down below original cost. Call and satisfy yourself of the character of bargains afforded.

French Corsets and Hoop Skirts, the choicest and best makes, at Bates & Bell's.

Superior Cream Candles, Cream Chocolates, Cream Almonds and Extra Fine Bon Bons, at 112 Federal street, Allegheny city. 6

Constitution Water is a certain cure for Diabetes and all diseases of the Kidneys. For sale by all Druggists. TTHS:T.

Lace Curtains, Gilt Cornices and Vestibule Lace, at Bates & Bell's.

The place to get White Lime, Calcined Plaster, Hydraulic Cement, is at Ecker & Caskey's, 13 Smithfield street

Good Pea Nuts, well roasted, at 112 Federal street, Allegheny city. 6

Plain and Colored Chintzes and Lawns at Bates & Bell's.

New Table Linens, Towels, Napkins and Prints just opened at J. M. Burchfield & Co.'s, No. 52 St. Clair street.

What They Will Do.

Dr. Ross' Remedies are purely vegetable preparations, and are doing more good to the people than any other medicines ever offered to the public. They are sold at one dollar per bottle, and generally one or two bottles have the desired effect. We make a specialty of the following diseases, and warrant a cure in every case: Acute or Chronic Rheumatism, Catarrh, we have cured hundreds of cases, some of long standing; Dyspepsia, we believe we have the best remedy for this disease ever compounded. For diseases of the Throat and Lungs our Tar Compound is doing wonders. Dr. Ross' Remedies are manufactured and for sale wholesale and retail, at Nos. 26 and 28 Sixth street, (late St. Clair.)

Unprincipled Men are engaged in vending inferior imitations of Burnett's Cocaine for the Hair, and are liable to prosecution. T:TH:SF

Ladies' Underclothing, at Bates & Bell's.

French Green Peas, Mushrooms, Celery Sauce, Preserved Canton, at 112 Federal street, Allegheny. 6

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Markets by Telegraph.

CHICAGO, February 24.—*Evening*—At the open Board this afternoon there was a fair inquiry for No. 2 Wheat, and towards the close prices ruled a shade higher, sales being made at $1.15¼@1,15½, cash. Corn and Oats dull but firmer, at closing figures on 'Change. The movement in Pork products was moderate, while prices are firmer and a shade higher; sales 300,000 pounds dry salted shoulders at 12c, cash; 160,000 do. do., buyer for March at 12¼c. Lard—sales 200 tierces, seller for March, at 18¼; 100 tierces, buyer for March at 19c; 200 tierces, cash, at 18¼c. In the evening the leading grain market was dull and prices nominal. Beef Cattle in large supply, market quiet and prices 20@25c lower; receipts 1,967 head; sales 1,564 head at $4.75@6 for stockers and butchers, $6,25@7 for medium to good, $7,10@7,80 for smooth to extra shipping steers. Live Hogs dull and heavy and 20@25c lower; closing with a downward tendency, with upwards of 5,000 head unsold; receipts 3,331 head; sales 1,564 head at $8@8,75 for common to medium, and $9@9,75 for good to choice.

NEW ORLEANS, February 24.—Cotton ¼c lower, with small demand; middings at 28¼c; sales of 2,100 bales; receipts, 3,750 bales; exports, 3,030 bales. Sugar firm; common 12¼@13c, prime 15¼c, and yellow clarified 16¾@17¼. Molasses firm at 79@82½c. Flour easier; superfine $6,25, double extra $7, and treble extra $7,37. Corn easier at 82@85c. Oats at 75c. Bran firm at $1.15. Hay; prime $28@30. Pork dull and declining; sales at $31,75. Bacon dull; shoulders 14¼c, clear rib sides 17c, and clear sides 17¼c. Lard dull and unchanged. Whisky and Coffee steady and unchanged. Gold, 132¾. Exchange Sterling, 144¼. Commercial, 142¼@143¼.

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