CITY AND SUBURBAN Gazette Supplement.

To-day we present our readers as a supplement to the GAZETTE an annual exhibit of the fiscal affairs of Allegheny county, as prepared and submitted to the Honorable Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, by Henry Lambert, Esq., Controller. The document is carefully compiled and arranged, and will prove highly interesting to all taxpayers, as well as others interested in the financial affairs of the county.

A pleasant place to spend an evening is at the Universalist Fair, now open at the corner of Third and Grant streets.

R. B. Francis, Esq., City Controller of Allegheny, has been absent from the the city for several days, on a pleasure

Lieutenant General Philip H. Sheridan passed though the city yesterday afternoon, on his way to Washington from

Personal.-Joseph Jefferson, the eminent commedian, arrived in the city yesterday. He will commence an engage-ment at the Opera House on Monday

Faise Alarm.-Wednesday evening, about ten o'clcok, an alarm of fire was struck from box 14. Allegheny Fire Alarm, corner of Ohio Avenue and Bid-well streets, Fifth ward. The depart-ment was out promptly, but the alarm proved to be false.

Alleged Larceny of Chains, John Boyd made information before Alderman Taylor yesterday, charging John and Amanda Reitz with the larceny of a lot of chains, valued at twenty dollars, from a wagon which had been left standing on Etna street. The accused were arrested and held for a hearing.

Obltuary.—We regret to announce the death of Major Wm. M. Steep, of Washington county, who died in the borough of Washington, on Monday last. He was or Washington, on Monday last. He was a gentleman of noble character, a true friend and generous, kind hearted man, whose death will be deplored by hundreds of warm friends in this city.

Dled,-A telegram announces the death in Washington borough, Pa., yes-terday of Mr. William Waugh, Sr., a lawyer who formerly resided in this city, and who served a term in the State Legislature from Washington county. His many friends hereabout will be pained to learn of his demise. He will be buried at Bedford, Pa.

Selling Liquor on Sunday.—George Rother, proprietor of the Workingmen's Exchange and a grog shop on Third ave-enue, was arrested and taken before the Mayor, on information of Michael non, charged with selling liquor on Sunday. After a hearing, the Mayor imposed a fine of fifty dollars, upon payment of which he was released.

Habeas Corpus Case .- A writ of habeas corpus was issued by Judge Kirkpatrick at the instance of Jane Charlesworth, requiring William Kent to produce her child in court, who, it was alleged, he abducted on Weinesday night, an account of which we published yesterday. The writ was made returnable yesterday morning, at which time the case was argued by counsel and an only on will be argued by counsel and an opinion will be delivered this morni

Octained Her Trunk .- Isabella Keon. appeared before Alderman McMaster, yesterday morning, and stated that she had engaged boarding at Mrs. Mahan's in Allegheny, paying the price agreed upon in advance. Before the week was out she found another more suitable stopping place in Pittsburgh, and wished to remove to it, but was according to her statement, prevented by Mrs. Mahan, who refused to give up possession of her trunk. A warrant was issued for the arrest of Mis. Mahan on an information for larceny as bailee.

Committed for Forgery. David Lore, a resident of Natrona, was yesterday committed to jail by Justice Miller of that place, for forgery. The information was made against him by his mother, who alleges that during her sickness David forged her name to a check on the Allegheny Savings Bank, Allegheny, by which he drew out of the institution one hundred and forty dol-lars and used it for his own benefit. The acaccused was arrested in Rochester, Pa. where he had been traced by the officer with the warrant. He attempted to escape while en route to the city by jumping from the cars, but was foiled in his efforts and at last lodged safely in jail. He is about thirty years of age.

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Destructive Fire-Valuable Lumber Destroyed -- Estimated Loss \$18,000. Last evening, about half-past five o'clock, a fire broke out in a one story building, used as a lumber drying house by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, located on the hillside at the head of Seventeenth (late Harrison) street, Twelith ward. The building was formerly known as the Eagle brewery, but had been occupied for the past two years until the Railroad Company, about three months ago, converted it into a house for drying lumber, to be used in repairing their cars, &c. It was built of brick and filled at the time of the fire with nearly 75,000 feet of pine, cherry and walnut lumber, the entire lot being valued at about \$18,000. The fire seems to have originated from a neglect to remove a portion of the lumber which had become thoroughly dry and was ig-nited by the strong heat from the fur-nace, necessary to be used in seasoning the portion which remained still but half dried. It broke out in a portion of the house or kiln in which about twentyusand feet of pine lumber we stored, and which was quickly destroy-ed. The cherry and walnut lumber was in separate arches, and it was thought could be saved, as the fire seemed to die out after the destruction of the pine stock. The flames burst forth anew about nine o'clock, after the firemen had left, and in a short time the remainder of the stock was completely destroyed. In a shed connected with the house there was a quantity of lumber, which had been removed a few days previous, and which, owing to the strennous exertions of the employes of the company, assisted by the firemen, was saved. The total loss is estimated at \$18,000. We could not ascertain any facts in regard to the insurance. The alarm was struck from Box 61, at

the corner of Penn and Seventeenth streets, and was quickly responded to by the department. The Independence streets, and was quickly responded to by the department. The Independence steamer, during the progress of the first alarm, bursted two sections of hose, but fortunately had a sufficient supply on hand and was not thrown out of service.

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ALLEGHENY CITY COUNCILS. egular Meeting_Petitions, Remonstrances and Communications—Re-ports of Committees—Controller's Re-

A regular semi-monthly meeting of Illegheny City Councils was held yesterday, (Thursday) March 11th, 1869, at seven o'clock P. M. Select Council.

Members present:-Messrs. Callery. English, Faulkner, Gwinner, Hall, Hartman, Morrison, Myler, Patterson, J. C., Patterson, A., Phillips, Riddle, Reiter, Wotter, and President M. P. Wettach and President McBrier. The minutes of the preceeding meeting were read and approved. PETITIONS.

Mr. English presented a petition for water pipe on Montgomery avenue, between Sandusky and Federal streets. Referred to Water Committee. Mr. Phillips, a petition from residents on Webster street, asking that the name of said street be changed to "Sherman avenue." Referred to the Street Com-

Mr. English, a petition from Samuel Kerr, asking compensation for property appropriated in opening Fountain street. Appropriated in opening Fountain street.
Referred to Street Committee.
Mr. Callery, a petition from residents
on River avenue, asking for water pipe
on said avenue. Referred to Water Com-

Also a petition from residents on Saw, Mill alley, asking for the grading and paying of the same. Referred to Committee on Streets.

Mr. Myler, a petition from the Eagle
Cotton Mills Company asking the privilege to construct coal scales on Sandusky
street, in front of their mills. Referred

to Finance Committee Mr. Myler presented a communication, Mr. Myler presented a communication, or the proceedings of a meeting in the Fourth ward at which resolutions were adopted protesting against the proposed sewerage law, and asking Councils to reconsider their action relative thereto.

The Chairman decided the resolution out of order.

REPORT OF THE STREET COMMITTEE. Mr. Myler, Chairman of the Street Committee, presented the following report:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Streets submit the following report: The petitions for grading and paving the following streets and alleys have been considered favorably, viz: That portion of Western Avenue lying east-wardly of Rebecca street, at present unpaved; also Patterson alley. Also, for grading only Manhattan street, from Hopkins to Rebecca streets, Killbuck street from School to Corry

In reference to abutting property holders on Morton alley, who ask for a lateral sewer, your Committee have directed the City Engineer to prepare plans

In the matter of Washington and Liberty street sewer, it is recommended to defer the letting of the contract until the proposed sewer law is enacted. The remonstrance to a sewer on Grant avenue is laid over together with a petition string for the construction of the same, for the reason indicated above. In the matter of placing stone crossings over various streets, cancerning In the matter of placing stone crossings over various streets, cencerning which several resolutions were referred to your Committee, it was deemed desirable to take no action at present, further than directing the Street Com than directing the Street Commissioner to examine and report what number of crossings are likely to be needed during the year, with the view of contracting for the material at cheaper rates by buying the same in bulk. ing the same in bulk.

tter of placing iron culverts each side of James street, at the inter-section with North avenue, it is the opinion of the Committee that the difficultyat that point will be obviated when the sewer is completed. In reference to the changing of the

names of Butler street to Ohio street, Ridge street to Ridge avenue, and Pitt alley from James street to Raspberry alley to Tate alley, ordinances accompany this report authorizing the same The profiles of grade of the following streets, prepared by the Engineer, are hereby submitted for approval: Adams and Iten streets, and Raspberry, Blossom Peach and Tate alleys.

The report was accepted The ordinance for grading and paving Patterson alley was laid over The ordinance for grading and paving Western avenue was adopted. The ordinance for grading Killbuck street was adopted. The ordinance for grading and paving Manhattan street passed to a

Mr. A. Patterson objected to its final passage, and the ordinance was laid over under the rules. The ordinance referred to in the report changing the names of certain streets and alleys was adopted. The rules were

uspended and the ordinance passed The ordinance providing for number-ing the houses in the Eighth ward was passed finally under a suspension of the

The profile of the grade of Adams street, as prepared by the City Engineer, and also of Iten street and the several alleys named in the report, were ad Mr. Myler called up the report of the viewers on the opening of Sedgwick street, and moved that the report be set aside. The motion was adopted.

Mr. Myler presented a profile of the

plan was approved. Also, the plan of the Spring Garden avenue sewer. Plan approved. INCREASE OF SALARY. Mr. Hall, from the Finance Committee,

plan of a sewer on Morton alley. The

presented an ordinance increasing the salary of Clerk to Committees to \$400. Passed finally. CONTROLLER'S REPORT. Mr. Hall presented the report of the Controller, containing the following

RECAPITULATION. Engines. 4. Printing... 7. Surveys

11. Water Works Total. \$8,608,20 The report was received and filed, and the Controller authorized to certify warrants for the payment of the tills set

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE. Mr. Hall, Chairman of the Finance Committee, presented the following re-Genilemen: Your Committee on Finance

submit the following report:

In the matter of the petition of Messrs. In the matter of the petition of Messrs. Finan and Howley, asking the city to pay the balance due them on contract, your Committee report adversely, for the reason that there are no funds in the Treasury, or likely to be, from which the indebtedness can be paid.

In the matter of the defaulting Weighmatter of the Second ward scales, the amount in default has been provided for by the accentance of two noise from W.

by the acceptance of two notes from W. Trimble, endorser, one to run six, roads having been instructed by resolu-tion to investigate and report to Councils the terms and conditions upon which the late borough of Manchester allowed the Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad Company to occupy public streets with their tracks in the Fifth and Sixth wards, and whether or not the said terms have been complied with, would respectfully report as follows: That they have given the

your Committee recommend no action until the bill curing the defect now be-

fore the Legislature is enacted into

Your Committee recommend the pas

Resolved, That the Controller be and is

Resolved. That the Street Committee be

riew of thoroughly understanding the transaction, and devising some mean:

ransaction, and devising some means or adjusting the same. In regard to the resolution instructing

The report was accepted and the reso

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BAILBOADS.

Mr. Faulkner, from the Committee on

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Rail-

Railroads, presented the following re-

sage of the following resolution, which explains itself:

ort the following:

lutions adopted.

subject matter of their appointment considerable attention and inquiry, and for siderable attention and inquiry, and for the information of Councils submit here-with certified copies of the ordi-nances bearing upon the point at issue. In addition thereto, your Committee ascertained that in the essential particu-lar of bridging Bayard street as per con-tract the Company had failed to comply with the terms exacted. as no bridge tract the Company had failed to comply with the terms exacted, as no bridge had been built. Switches have been placed at points conflicting and inimical to the interests of citizens residing and owning property in the neighborhood. As for the matter of inconveniencing traffic law reason of stopping the care traffic by reason of stopping the cars &c., infractions of the law have become so frequent as to excite little, if any, comment. The ordinance in that partic ular, however, can be enforced, and vio lators thereof punished.

Your Committee's power ended with the procurement of facts already sub-mitted, and consequently have nothing to recommend.

The report was accepted.

Mr. J. C. Patterson moved that the matter be referred back to the Committee and to the City Solicitor with instruc-tions to have the ordinances relative tions to have the ordinar thereto enforced. Adopted. thereto enforced. Adopted.

Mr. Wettach presented a resolution authorizing the Finance Committee to provide funds for the payment of conracts pending for laying water pipes. Mr. Myler offered the following reso-

Resolved, That our Representatives at Harrisburg be instructed to oppose the passage of the proposed sewer law now pending in the Legislature. After considerable discussion on the subject, Mr. Myler called for the yeas

and nays, which resulted as follows:

Yeas—Messrs. Callery, Hall, Myler,
A. Patterson and Roiter—5. A. Patterson and Reiter—5.

Nays—Messrs. English, Faulkner,
Hartman, Morrison, J. C. Patterson,

ferred to Gas Committee.

On motion of Mr. A. Patterson, the matter of the construction of a flood-gate on the Bellemont street sewer, presented in S. C., at the preceding meeting and adopted, C. C. nonconcurring, was called up. S. C. adhered to former action, and asked a Committee of Conference.

Mr. Myler offered the following: Mr. Myler offered the following: Resolved, That the present sewer law be so altered or amended that the cost of construction be assessed on the property

benefited by the sewers.

Mr. Riddle moved to postpone the resolution indefinitely. Adopted.

Council adjourned.

Common Council,

President Slack called the Common Council to order at seven o'clock. The following members were present: Messrs. Comley, Gilliland, Grenet, Hanna, Hastings, Kirkpatrick, Kopp, Long, Megraw, McNeill, Ober, Porter, Reineman, Tate, Thompson, Voegtly, Warner, and President Slack. The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Tate presented a remonstrance against the opening of O'Hara street. Referred to Committee on Streets.
Mr. Kirkpatrick, a petition for a water pipe on Jalappa street. Referred to Com-mittee on Water.

PETITIONS REMONSTRANCES, &C.

mittee on Water.

Mr. Warner, petition for water pipe on
Nixon street. Similarly referred.

Mr. Grenet, a petition for the grading
and paving of South alley. Referred to
Committee on Streets.

Mr. Comley, a petition from drivers of
the wayners are from from drivers of the various steam fire engines in the city, asking that their salaries be increased to sixty dollars per month each.
Referred to Committee on Fire Engines.
E.Mr. Long, a petition from residents in the First ward, for the vacation of Walker street. Referred to Commit-

tee on Streets.

Mr. Hastings, a petition from a citizen in the Third ward asking for the refund-

The resolution was amended so as to instruct the Street Committee to notify the owner to fill up the well, and to take measures to have the work properly lone. It was then adopted. Mr. Tate offered a resolution for the construction of a stone crossing on North allay, at its intersection with Federal street. Refered to Street Committee.

means to pay the balance of his claim, | inson and School streets. Referred to the Committee on Gas.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON GAS. Mr. Tate, from the Committee on Gas, resented the report of that Committee, mbodying the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Water be and he is hereby requested to have lamp posts placed at the following points: Corner of Pike street and Church hereby authorized to certify a warrant to the amount of \$6,640, being the assessments against this city for the construction of the Federal street and Montgomalley, provided there is a main; corner of Franklin and Preble streets; north-west corner of Robinson street and Race ery avenue sewers.

In reference to the petitions from the Contractor of the Tremont avenue wooden sewer, asking to be paid the balance due him, and from residents asking to be refunded what they have already paid on same sewer, your Committee report the following: alley, provided the owner of the house at that point allows the lamp to be attached to the same; corner of Bidwell and Cabinet streets. The report was accepted and the reso-

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON POOR PARM. Mr. McNeill, from the Committee on Poor-Farm, presented a report, accompanied by the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the Board of Poor Directors be empowered to sell at public sale, to the highest and best hidder, that instructed to report facts connected with the Fremont sewer to Councils, with the sale, to the highest and best bidder, that safe, to the nignest and best bluder, that strip of territory abutting on the Alle-gheny river, and lying below the West-ern Pennsylvania Railroad track, being the south-east line of the Poer Farm. our Committee to prepare a law providyour Committee to prepare a law provid-ing for an equitable and uniform assess-ment of property in our opinion; such a law as proposed is absolutely necessary, but owing to the late period at which the matter was referred to our attention, the short period for legislative action, and the importance of thoroughly digesting such a law prior to asking its passage, all con-spire to render postponement of the sub-ject necessary, and your Committee so recommend. Resolved. That public notice be given in the official papers of the time and The report was read, accepted and res-

ution adopted.

lutions adopted. REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MARKETS. Mr. Hanna, from the Committee on Markets, presented the following report: Gentlemen: Your Committee on Markets submit the following report of the From Clerk of Markets

Total Read, accepted and ordered to be filed. REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PIRE EN-GINES.

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Mr. Megraw, from the Committee on Fire Engines, presented a report embodying the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Committee on Fire Engines be and are hereby instructed to Engines be and are hereby instructed to have the locks changed on all fire alarm boxes, and an entire new set of keys furnished to the Chief Engineer, who is hereby empowered to distribute the same as suggested in the body of this report, viz: By requiring policemen and members of the Paid Fire Department to be qualified, and citizens not paid employes to receipt for the faithful custody of the keys and their return when demanded by proper authorities. proper authorities.

The report further stated that the Com

mittee were in correspondence with the authorities of McKeesport borough, relative to the sale of one of the steamers of e fire department, in reference to which the are department, in reference to which the following resolution was offered:

*Resolved, That the Committee on Fire Engines be and they are hereby empowered to sell the "Hope" engine, provided the same can be done advantageously.

The report was accented and the resolutions are the resolutions. The report was accepted and the reso

utions adopted.
In S. C. the resolution relative to the sale of the Hope engine was referred back to the Committee, with instructions to report to Councils the amount for which they could sell the engine, and the probable cost of a new one to replace it.
Mr. Long, a resolution instructing the Committee on Ordinances to prepare an ordinance relative to the sale of coal in the city. Referred to Committee on Ordinance

THE SEWERAGE QUESTION. Mr. Ober presented the action of a meetng of citizens held in the Fourth ward School House No. 5, Monday evening, March 8, 1869, protesting against the ac-tion of Councils in relation to the pro-posed sewerage law for the proposed sewerage law for the city. The paper was referred to Committee in Streets and Sewers. Mr. Hastings offered a resolution in-

works to have a four inch pipe extended on Esplanade street from Hemlock to the line of Fountain street. Referred to

Hartman. Morrison. J. C. Patterson. Phillips, Riddle, Wettach and President. McBrier—9.

So the resolution was lost.
Mr. Hall offered a resolution urging the Representatives at Harrisburg to use their influence to have the law relating to Ridge street passed. Adopted.
Mr. A. Patterson presented a resolution authorizing the Gas Committee to have a gas lamp placed at the cornor of Sheffield and Fulton streets, and also on Sheffield near Manhattan street. Referred to Gas Committee.

On motion of Mr. A. Patterson, the

thorizing the laying of water pipe on O'Hara street, between Chestnut street and Madison avenue. Referred to Committee on Water. CITY PRINTING.

Mr. Long, from the Conference Committee relative to the question of City Printing, presented the report of the Committee, recommending that C. C. recede from its former action and concur in the action of Select Council, which granted an increase of one hundred dolored

Warner and President Slack—8.

Nays—Messrs. Hanna, Hastings, Kopp,
Megraw, McNeil, Porter, Reineman,
Tate, Voegtly—9.

So the report was not adopted.

Mr. Hastings moved the adoption of
the original resolution fixing the price of
City Printing at \$200.

The President stated that according to
Parliamentary rules, the whole matter.

Parliamentary rules, the whole matter, as it had been presented to Councils, was now laid on the table by the refusal to

now laid on the table by the refusal to accept the report of the Committee of Conference, and it could not be acted upon again unless brought up in the shape of new business.

Mr. Warder offered the following:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby instructed to advertise for proposals for city printing, and in conjunction with the Committee on City Printing let the same to the lowest and best bidder. Adopted,

Councils then adjourned under the rules at ten e'clook.

President Grant and the Ladies. The public now possess the satisfactory knowledge that President Grant has given full satisfaction to the public, and in the Third ward asking for the refunding to him of an amount paid in excess of his assessed water taxes. Referred to Committee on Water.

Mr. Hastings, a petition from a claim of the public, and there is no one who can dispute it, both in the selection of his Cabinet and his past history. The public now possess the same satisfactory knowledge that the week sewing Machine has done the same, and it is the only machine that is perfect for all kinds of work. This man weed Sewing machine has done the same, and it is the only machine that is perfect for all kinds of work. This machine, can be paid for in monthly installments by those who cannot conveniently pay otherwise. Long & Harvison, Agents, No. 116 Market street.

An Interesting Fact.—Those of our readers seeking homes or investments in real estate, will save time, trouble and money by consulting the Pittaburgh Real Estate Register. It is given away gratis by the publishers, Croft & Phillips, Real Estate Agents, No. 139 Fourth avenue, or it will be sent by mail free to any adit will be sent by mail free to any ad-

White Goods-Bates & Bell's.

Be Careful. At no season of the year is the above

injunction of more weight than now. The changes of temperature have been so sudden from warm to excessive cold, that the human constitution, like every thing else in Nature, feels the shock, and gives way to its impressions. Thousands of people who lie down at night, unconof people who he down at high, uncon-scious as it were, of injury to the constitu-tion, wake up with hoarseness and coughs, which, unless the first symptoms are heeded, are apt to involve the lungs or some other of the vital organs in deep seated and incurable disease. If the fact seated and incurable disease. If the fact were as well known to all our readers as to ourselves, that an infallible cure for most of these incipient ailments may be procured in Dr. KEYSER'S LUNG CURE, the Doctor's new store would soon be too small to meet the exigencies required of it in the manufacture of this valuable medicine. Dr. Keyser's Lung Cure is without doubt a valuable desideratum in the cure of disease, a fact well known to thousands of people who have been re-lieved by its health giving power. If the proper estimate were placed on human life and health those who neglect coughs and colds would be fewer in number. Dr. Keyser would in no case of a serious character, advise the dispensing with a character, advise the dispensing with a doctor, but how many hundreds are there who in the beginning of a disease could be cured before a doctor could be reached. It is in those cases as well as others of a more serious nature that the lung cure comes to our aid and dispenses health and comfort, which otherwise would new. and comfort, which otherwise would never be obtained. It is thus a handful of roots and herbs are made into a healing syrup, which is often the precursor of health and usefulness. The suffering in-valid would often apply for relief if he valid would often apply for relief if he knew where to promptly obtain it; and that it can be promptly obtained in Dr. Keyser's Lung Cure is no longer a doubtful problem. Let not the March winds make dangerous inroads upon your health, when, with a few doses of this Syrup, you can fortify your system as well as drive out of it those noxious miasms which undermine its strongholds and render its exertions, nugatory.

SOLD AT THE DOCTOR'S NEW MEDICINE

STORE, 167 LIBERTY STREET, ONE DOOR FROM OLD ST. CLAIR, NOW SIXth street. Dr. Keyser, Soffice for the cure of obstinate chronic diseases and lung examina-tions, No. 120 Penn street, from 10 A. E. until 4 P. w

Grand Opening of Fine Spring Clothing. T. Tobias, the King Clothier, No. 13 Sixth street (late St. Clair street.) is the. most reliable Clothing House in the city. He keeps constantly on hand the largest assortment of Ready Made Clothing. The style and make up of his garments are such as to make them equal to custom make, being superior to the ordinary ready made ciothing. Having greater opportunities and advantages than many others in the selection and purchase of goods, he is prepared to offer the greatest inducements the greatest inducements. The low pri-ces at which he sells his goods has established for him a trade second to none in the country. He is now selling ness suit at \$10; a good suit for \$15; a fine suit for \$18, the very best of broadelot at \$25; a fine suit made to order for \$30. He has just received a new stock of short frock coats, the latest style out, and also a new style of spring overcoats, very cheap; all wool cassimere pants and vests at \$7,50; working pants from \$1,50 to \$2,50; boys' clothing very cheap. We recommend his clothing for its good quality, good make and undoubtable cheapness. price system, and all goods are sold at price system, and all goods are sold at five per cent, above cost, which is the closest known profit, and no one will be grudge it. Feeling confident that his system of business at the present unset. tled state of the times is the only reliable one, he desires to avail himself of the opportunity to give his customers the benefit of cheap and reliable clothing for cash or on short credit. Parties would do well to eall and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere. Don't fail to find the popular big No. 13.

P. S.—Just received a fine line of Cloth and Cassimeres of the latest styles for custom make.

custom make. 25 per cent, cheaper than The Weekly Mirror. We have received the current number

of that admirably conducted literary and family newspaper, the Mirror published in this city by Messrs. Wright & Telford. It is one of the very best journals of the character published in the country, and is so conducted as to educate, refine, and cultivate the reader instead of pandering to his worst tastes, or insiduously imparting a stain to his soul,—an effect which most of the so called literary Jourwhich most of the so called literary Journals of the present age produces on those who read them. Every department is high toned, and elegant, and yet there is no fixed stiffness or unnaturalness in either. Such a Journal, so well and ably conducted, should find a welcome place in capacity findly direct, and we cannot for in the action of Select Council, which granted an increase of one hundred dollars over the contract of last year. After a lengthy discussion, in which Messrs. Megraw, Hanna and Hastings opposed, and Messrs. Long and Warner favored the adoption of the report, a vote was taken, Mr. Megraw calling for the yeas and nays, which resulted as follows:

Yeas—Messrs. Comley, Gillilland, Grent, Kirkpatrick, Long, Thompson, Warner and President Slack—8.

Nays—Messrs. Hanna, Hastings, Kopp,

After Such a Journal, so well and ably conducted, should find a welcome place in every family circle, and we cannot too warmly commend it to our readers. Besides a large quantity of spicy original prose and poetry, fact and fiction, the present number contains the second installment of "Gideon Giles" a brilliant serial of absorbing interest. The Mirror is sold by all news dealers, and is furnished to subscribers at \$2,50per annum. Address Wright & Telford, proprietors, is sold by all news dealers, and is furnished to subscribers at \$2,50per annum.
Address Wright & Telford, proprietors, Pittsburgh.

> The Contest To-night. We trust that our readers will bear in mind that to-night the Essay contest for the President's prize will take place among the members of the senior class at the Pittsburgh Female College. The reading of the literary offerings of the reading of the literary offerings of the young lady contestants will be interspersed with instrumental music and vocalizations. The Judges appointed to decide on the relative merits of the essays read, are Rev. H. Miller, D. D., Rev. J. H. Stuckenberg and Hon. F. B. Penniman. A general invitation is extended to all the friends and patrons of the institution to be present on the occa-

the institution to be present on the occa-American Silks—Bates & Bell have the different makes. The Rev. J. Scudder, D.D., Secretary of the American and Foreign Christian Union, is in the city and desirous of meeting the entire body of the Evangelical ministry on a subject of equal interest to all.

The undersigned invite, in his behalf, a meeting in the Library Room of the First Presbyterian Church at two o'clock this (Friday) afternoon.

JNO. B. CLARK, W. D. HOWARD, S. F. SCOVIL, WM. H. LOCKE, I. W. JACOBUS, F. A. Noble, L. F. Mobgan,

Ladie's French made underclothing at Bates & Bell's. It is a luxury and a comfort to bathe shave, or have your hair out or dressed at the elegant establishment of H. R. Williamson, No. 190 Federal street, Al-legheny. Try it.

Chintzes and Piques Bates & Bell's for an extensive assortment. Black Thibet Shawls, long and square,

The Petroleum Burning Fluid, The late charges to the effect that gas meters, or those who measure them, perhaps, have told exorbitant figures on the consumer, has led to a sort of revolution amongst those who want light, and many are casting about for a good substitute for gas. Carbon oil is objected to from. the reason that it fails to give a bright, clear light, and is but a poor substitute, while other oils are much too expensive for use and very little better for the purpose. The Petroleum Burning Fluid pose. The Petroleum Burning Fluid, which was at first looked upon with grave which was at irretioned upon with grave suspicion as an unsafe and explosive ar-ticle, but which has withstood the most rigid experimental ordeals and been demonstrated beyond a doubt to be nonexplosive and safe, is coming into very general use, and wedo not know but it is destined to supercede gas altogether. It is cheap, affording a bright, full and dazzling light for nine hours, at a cost of cent to the consumer; it is as safe and free from explosion as the primest car-bon oil; it is clean, and free from grease bon oil; it is clean, and free from grease or fucating substances, giving no smoke, and can be spilled upon carpets or clothing without leaving any spot or stain. In another column we publish the names of responsible houses that have engaged in its introduction and sale. Mr. E. R. in its introduction and sale. Mr. E. R. Kernan, No. 45 Hand street, is the preprietor for Allegheny county, to whom all orders should be addressed. Mr. J. J. Palmer is the fortunate owner of the

Spring Shawls, Lace Mantles-The est from latest importation at Bates & Bell's.

Noteworthy.

One of the finest, largest and best appointed merchant tailor establishments in the whole country is that of Henry G. Hale's, corner of Sixth and Penn streets. Mr. Hale spares no time or expense to make his establishment complete and attractive in all respects. He is qualified by long experience to select the best qualities and styles. His monthly visits to New York enable him not only to keep his large and varied stock always replenished with the very latest styles of seasonable goods, but also to keep fully up with the fashions, and, although he may have to obtain them from London or Paris, he will employ none but the most accomplished cutters, and he makes it a point of honor to practice no imposition on his customers. imposition on his customers, regarding and treating them as his friends. No wonder he has prospered. No wonder his business has rapidly grown upon him, until it ranks with the best estab-

Lace Curtains—Bates & Bell have an

The sale of the large of trimmings, notions, embroideries and lace goods at the store recently occupied by Dennison & Heckert, No. 27 Fifth avenue, and which was purchased by Macrum & Carlisle at a great bargain, still continues to attract many purchasers. Ladies will find everything they may desire at prices much lower than original cost.

Bates & Bell's new stock is complete n ali departments.

The place to get White Lame, Calcined Plaster, Hydraulic Cement, is at Ecker & Caskey's, 13 Smithfield street. Bradley's latest styles of Hoop Skirts Linen Goods-Every make and discrip-

tion of Linen goods at Bates & Bell's. Fred. Cooper, travelling agent of the house of John Ames & Co., of New York, mysteriously disappeared on the third instant, and has not since been heard of.

HASLETT-On Tuesday, March 9th, 1869. JOHN HASLETT, SR., in the 86th year of his The funeral will take place on FRIDAY MORN-ING. at 10 o'clock, from the residence of his son, 140 River avenue. Allegheny City, and proceed o Allegheny Cemetery. The friends of the !amily are respectfully invited to attend.

McCLAREN—On Wednesday, March 10th,
HART T. McCLAREN. The funeral will take place from the residence f his uncle, Mr. Wm. Morrow, Manor Station, Pa., on FRIDAY, at 11 o'clock A.M. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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ALEX. AIREN, UNDER-TAKER, No. 186 FOURTH STREET, Plusburgh, Pa. COFFINS of all kinds, CRAPES, GLOYES, and every description of Funcral Fun-nishing Goods fir nished. Rooms open day and night. Hearse and Carriages furnished. Experences—key. David Kerr. D.D., Rev. M. W. Jacobus, D. D., Thomas Ewing, Esq., Jacot H Miller, Esq.

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MERCHANT TAILOR, Would respectfully inform his friends and public generally, that his

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