CITY AND SUBURBAN.

THE GAZETTE is furnished in the city the six days of the week for 15 cents per week; by mail, $8 per annum: 3 mos., $2.

The only business transacted at the Allegheny Mayor's office yesterday, was the committal to jail of two parties for drunkenness.

A Grand picnic, under the auspices of the puddlers of the vicinity has been arranged to come off to-day, should the weather prove favorable.

Hearing This Morning.—Geo. Stevens, the party arrested on suspicion of being implicated in the safe robbery at Messrs. Robinson & Co.'s store, will have a hearing before Mayor Drum this morning at ten o'clock.

Heavy Robbery.—At an early hour yesterday morning a dry goods store at Birkettstown, Washington county, on the Panhandle Railroad, was broken into and robbed of fifteen hundred dollars worth of goods. There is no clue to the thieves.

New Oil Well.—Capt. James Wilkins received a telegram last evening stating that Well No. 14, belonging to the Bartlett Oil Company, and located at Scrubgrass, on the property of the Boston and Philadelphia Company, was yielding at the rate of one hundred barrels per day.

Pennsylvania Reserve Association.—Resident members of the old Pennsylvania Reserve corps, will meet this (Saturday) evening, promptly at seven o'clock, at the office of Col. R. Biddle Roberts, corner of Grant and Diamond streets, to make arrangements for the approaching anniversary which is to be held in West Chester, Tuesday, June 1st.

"Wisdom and Folly."—Miss Julia Crouch, of Mystic, Conn., lectured before a large and intelligent audience in Findley township, on Thursday evening, on the subject of "Wisdom and Folly." The lecture was vastly entertaining and instructive, and the audience listened to every word with the closest attention. Miss Crouch will speak at the Court House in Washington borough, on Friday evening, 28th inst.

Memorial Sermon.—Rev. Col. J. B. Clark will deliver a memorial sermon, to-morrow afternoon, at three o'clock, before his old regiments, the 123d and 193d, Pennsylvania Volunteers, in the Second U. P. Church, corner of Stockton avenue and Sandusky street, Allegheny. The eloquent gentleman will be absent from the city on the 30th inst., Decoration Day, and hence, the early delivery of his memorial sermon.

Threatened to Fix Him.—Gilson L. Hainds had a hearing, before Alderman McMasters, yesterday, on an information for surety of the peace, preferred by J. P. Padden. The parties reside in the Sixth ward, Allegheny, and had a misunderstanding some weeks ago, when Hainds, according to Padden's statements, threatened to "fix him"—a rather indefinite but considered by Padden a terrible threat. Hainds was held for Court.

A Municipal Thief.—Mr. Benjamin W. Morgan, in Common Council, Chairman of the Committee on Retrenchment and Reform, yesterday announced that a person, whose name we withhold for the present, had receipted in full, in the name of the city, for a large amount due by an iron company for use of a street, pocketed the money and never returned a single cent of it to the City Treasury. Let the offender be brought to justice.

The Distinguished Visitors.

The foreign gentlemen whose arrival we noticed in the GAZETTE of Thursday morning, made a partial tour of the city yesterday, accompanied by his Honor, the Mayor, and several prominent citizens. A visit was first made to Cliff street for the purpose of taking a bird's eye view of the city. Park & Bros.' Steel Works were next visited, after which the party repaired to the Allegheny Cemetery, and, after viewing it, they returned to the Monongahela House. They will visit places of interest on the South-side to-day.

Grand Encampment I. O. O. F.

In the Grand Encampment of Pennsylvania, I. O. O. F., in session at Harrisburg, the Committee on Elections, P. G. P. John B. Springer, Judge, announced the following as the result of the election of officers for the ensuing year:

Most Worthy Grand Patriarch—Sam'l N. Foster, of No. 17.

Grand High Priest—Jas. A. Sholes, Allegheny City, of No. 110.

G. S. W.—Jas. Binkham, Jr., of No. 38.

G. J. W.—Augustus Pfall, of No. 55.

Grand Scribe—Jas. B. Nicholson, of No. 51.

Grand Treasurer—Jno. S. Heiss, of No. 28.

Grand Representative to Grand Lodge of the United States—Jno. W. Stokes, of No. 17.

G. I. S.—Chas. T. Jones, of No. 1.

G. O. S.—Geo. C. Hoster, of No. 47.

Sheep Shearing Festival—Premiums Awarded.

The following are the awards made by the Committee of the Sheep Shearing Festival, which took place on the 20th, on the farm of Capt. John Gilfillan.

The following were the awards of the Committee on Wool, (William Barker, Jr., Wm. McClelland and John C. Kelso, comprising the judges,) viz:

Class A.—Joseph Caldwell, 1st premium; Edward Wright, 2d premium, and Henry Murry, 3d premium.

Class C.—Ebenezer Thompson, 1st premium, Archibald McMurry, 2d do, and John Gilfillan, 3d do.

Class C.—Joseph Caldwell, 1st premium; A. B. Sickman, 2d do, and Henry McMurray, 3d do.

Class D.— Henry Murray, 1st premium; Joseph Caldwell, 2d do, and John Gilfillan, 3d do.

Best pen of ewes over one year old. Judges—John Hopper, Henry Savage and Israel Bebout. Weston first premium, $5; McMurray second premium, $3; William Thompson $2, and James Boyer $2.

Best pen of ewes one year old (same judges)—Joseph Caldwell first premium, $5; Archibald McMurray second premium, $2, and William Allison, $2;

On shearing the judges were W. A. Herriott, S. H. Crook and James Hults. The following were the awards, with the time: Thomas Trimmer clipped a buck in 23½ minutes, one ewe in 12½ minutes, and one lamb in 17½ minutes, and got the first premium. Second premium to Jas. H. Robb, whose time was: Clipping a buck 30 minutes, ewe 13½ minutes, and lamb 16½ minutes. Third premium to Archibald McMurray, whose time was: Clipping buck 19 minutes, ewe 14 minutes, and lamb 19½ minutes.

Discretionary premium to Thomas Roach, whose time was: Clipping a buck 33 minutes, ewe 15½ minutes, and lamb 23½ minutes.

SYNODICAL PROCEEDINGS.

General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church at Cedarville, Ohio.

CONCLUSION OF FIRST DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

After Synod was constituted by prayer, certificates of delegation of the different Presbyteries were read by the Stated Clerk, when it appeared that the following appointments had been made:

NORTHERN PRESBYTERY—*Ministers.*—Revs. John N. McLeod, D.D., A. G. Wylie, James S. Scott, W. H. Reid and N. Woodside, Principals; Revs. W. J. McDowell and W. P. Shaw, Alternates. *Elders*—Richard Hunter, S. R. W. McLeod, M.D., James Stewart, (Brooklyn,) James Stewart, (New York,) and James N. Gifford, Principals; J. Cullings, J. T. Craig, Thos. M. Stewart, William McElhinney and James Sample, Alternates.

PITTSBURGH PRESBYTERY—*Ministers.*—Revs. John Douglas, D.D., and John Alford, Principals; Rev. Robert Stevenson, Alternate. *Elders*—J. M. Imbrie and R. C. Miller, Principals; James Dickson and John Black, Alternates.

OHIO PRESBYTERY—*Ministers*—Revs. William Wilson, D.D., LL.D., J. Y. Boice and J. F. Morton, Principals; Rev. J. H. Cooper, Alternate. *Elders*—Peter Gibson, Esq., Messrs. James Cook and James Harbison, Principals; Messrs. Jamas Bryson, James Louden and Wm. S. Taylor, Alternates.

SECOND PRESBYTERY OF PHILADELPHIA—*Ministers*—Revs. S. W. Crawford, D.D., and David Steele, D.D., Principals; Rev. M. Galley, Alternate. *Elders*—A. S. McMurray, M.D., and James S. Martin, Esq., Principals; Robert Gray and John Holmes, Alternates.

WESTERN PRESBYTERY — *Ministers*—Revs. Jno. McMaster, D.D., M. Harshaw, J. K. Martin and W. S. Bratten, Principals; Revs. S. Wylie, D.D., and T. A. Wylie, D.D., L.L.D., Alternates. *Elders*—James Morton, David Munford, James Kell and W. R. Blair, Principals; Wm. Wyatt, R. W. Marshall, M. D., R. M. Munford and Taylor Nisbet, Alternates.

EASTERN PRESBYTERY—*Ministers*—Revs. Samuel Boyd, and Archibald Thompson, Principals; Rev. Dr. Clarke, Alternate.

CHICAGO PRESBYTERY—*Ministers*—Revs. A. R. Gailey, Samuel Young, and S. M. Ramsey, Principals; Rev. A. Walker, Alternate. *Elders*—Moses Shirra, John McEldowney and Isaac Kirkpatrick, Principals; Geo. H. Caskey, George Stewart and Alexander McCormick, Alternates.

There was a general expectation that the Philadelphia Presbytery, and those members of the Pittsburgh Presbytery, who suspended relations to the Synod in the month of June last, would come into court and claim seats. None, except one from the Pittsburgh Presbytery, was present on the floor of the Synod, and he made no claim to a seat. It has not been ascertained, as yet, whether any of them will ask for the privilege of sitting as members, or present memorials in relation to the subject which led to their suspension of relations.

When the Roll of Synod was complete, the Moderator announced that the first thing in order was the election of officers.

Rev. Dr. Douglas moved that Rev. M. Harshaw be elected Moderator for the ensuing year. Mr. Harshaw was elected unanimously.

On taking the Moderator's chair, Mr. Harshaw returned thanks for the honor conferred in a few brief remarks.

Rev. J. N. McLeod, D. D., of New York city, was elected Stated Clerk, and Rev. N. Woodside, of Brooklyn, Assistant Clerk.

On motion of Dr. John McMaster, Synod then adjourned to meet on Thursday morning, at nine o'clock, Rev. S. W. Crawford, D. D., concluding by prayer.

SECOND DAY—MORNING SESSION.

Synod met at 9 o'clock, and was opened with prayer by the Moderator, Rev. M. Harshaw.

The Stated Clerk then read the minutes of last year throughout.

The Moderator then announced the standing committees, as follows:

Foreign Correspondence.—Dr. McLeod, Dr. Steele and Mr. Jas. Stewart.

Discipline.—Dr. Douglas, Dr. Crawford, Rev. A. Thomson, and Messrs David Munford and John McEldowney.

Signs of the Times.—Revs. S. Young and J. S. Scott, and Mr. J. M. Imbrie.

Theological Seminary.—Revs. A. G. Wylie, Samuel Boyd, J. F. Morton and A. S. McMurray, M. D.

Presbyterial Reports.—Dr. McMasters, Revs. J. F. Morton, A. R. Gally, J. Alford, N. Woodside and A. Thompson, and Mr. R. Guy.

Nominations.—Dr. Steele, Revs. J. K. Morton and W. H. Reed, and Messrs. Jas. Kell and Jas. Cook.

Finance.—S. W. B. McLeod, M. D., and Mr. Moses Shirra.

Auditing Committee.—Peter Gibson and R. C. Miller, Esq.

Devotional Exercises.—Revs. J. Y. Boice and S. M. Ramsey, and Mr. W. R. Blair.

Presbyterial Records.—Northern Presbytery—Rev. S. Boyd and Mr. J. Kirkpatrick. *Philadelphia Presbytery*—Rev. J. S. Scott and Mr. Moses Shirra. *Pittsburgh Presbytery*—Rev. Dr. Steele and Mr. J. Cook. *Ohio Presbytery.*—Rev. J. Alford and Mr. R. C. Miller. *Western Presbytery*—Rev. A. R. Gailey and Mr. J. McKibbey. *Chicago Presbytery*—Rev. W. Downey. *Easton Presbytery*—Rev. J. Y. Boice and Mr. J. S. Bratton and Mr. D. Munford.

The Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Correspondence reported that no communication had been received during the year. Report approved.

The Commission appointed at last Synod to adjust certain difficulties in the First Reformed Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, presented their report. It set forth that the Presbytery of Philadelphia had suspended their relations to General Synod and put themselves beyond her jurisdiction before the Commission met, and, therefore, it proceeded no further in the case, but declared the persons of the First Church, Philadelphia, who recognized the authority of General Synod to be of right the First Reformed Presbyterian Congregation of Philadelphia.

Dr. Wilson moved that the report be accepted and the Commission discharged.

At this point James Smyth, Esq., presented a memorial from the Reformed Presbytery of Philadelphia. The memorial was not read and Synod took no action upon it.

Another paper was presented reciting at large the whole case and the deliberations of the Commission, and approving of its action.

Dr. McMaster thought all parties should be heard, and if Mr. Smyth comes duly accredited he should be heard.

Rev. A. G. Wylie thought no notice should be taken of the memorial. It was now too late. The petition should have been presented to the Commission.

Peter Gibson, Esq., concurred in what Mr. Wylie had said.

Mr. Smyth presented his credentials from the Reformed Presbytery of Philadelphia.

Mr. Wylie thought Mr. Smyth should state from what church he came.

Mr. Smyth said from the Reformed Presbyterian Church.

Dr. McLeod thought the proceedings should not be interrupted in this way. The work of the Commission should be approved or disapproved.

Rev. S. Young was desirous of votirg intelligently, and in order to do this the paper should be read.

The report of the Commission was adopted unanimously.

The unfinished business was suspended to take up the memorial from the Philadelphia Presbytery and consider the other papers.

Mr. Wylie thought the paper should not be received. The Moderator had so decided.

Dr. McMaster thought there was no difficulty, as the Presbytery of Philadelphia recognized Synod as the General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church.

Dr. Douglas thought the paper should be referred to a committee to examine it and ascertain whether it is such a paper as should be read in Synod. If it is, no member will object to its being presented.

Rev. J. Alford moved that a committee be appointed on Credentials, to whom certificates of Commissioners shall be referred, and all such documents as that now presented.

Revs. S. Young, J. K. Martin and others spoke in favor of the motion, and Dr. McLeod, Mr. James Stewart and others in opposition.

The Moderator decided that the motion was not in order.

On motion of Dr. Douglas, the papers from the Presbytery of Philadelphia were then read.

The papers set forth that the Synod which met in Pittsburgh last year, was illegally and unconstitutionally organized, and assigned several reasons.

The memorial praying General Synod to rescind its action at the meeting in Pittsburgh, May, 1868, in reference to George H. Stuart, was also read, after which the meeting adjourned till three o'clock.

Decoration Day—Further Arrangements by Executive Committee.

The Executive Committee of the G. A. R. assembled at City Hall, yesterday afternoon, at three o'clock, for the purpose of making further arrangements for the celebration of Decoration Day.

Major J. F. Denniston presided. Augustus Beckert, Esq., officiating as Secretary.

Captain W. B. Cook stated a number of orphan children from Uniontown and other places, were expected to participate in the day's celebration, and on his motion Mr. W. R. Johnston was appointed to make arrangements in regard to their transportation.

Major Denniston, from the Committee on Orators and Poets, stated that Hon. John M. Kirkpatrick had consented to deliver an address on the occasion. The Committee were further instructed to secure some person to prepare and recite a poem in commemoration of the day.

The Finance Committee reported having received $90.

Comrade Lee S. Smith was unanimously elected Treasurer and took charge of the funds.

A communication was received from Miss Annie Hunter, representing the Third Ward Schools, Allegheny, tendering the services of the teachers and scholars in aiding in the celebration in any manner the Committee might direct.

The Secretary was instructed to notify Miss Hunter of the acceptance of the offer with the thanks of the Committee.

On motion, the matter of engaging a band for the procession was postponed until a future meeting.

Captains Martin, Shaffer, W. C. Cooke and M. McLanihan were, on motion of W. B. Cook, appointed a Committee to procure vehicles for the accommodation of disabled soldiers and others who might desire to participate in the procession, and were unable to walk.

The Committee having the business in charge, reported that Prof. W. H. Slack had kindly consented to take charge of the musical exercises of the day.

Capt. W. B. Cook moved that all societies and other organizations wishing to take part in the procession be required to report to the Chief Marshal for orders. Considerable discussion ensued on this motion, when it was finally amended by requiring them to report to Division Commanders, and thus adopted, as it was thought less confusion would be experienced by this method.

On motion, all citizens complying with the request of the Committee to display flags at half mast on Saturday morning, were also requested to decorate the same with flowers, that the idea of the ceremony might be more fully carried out.

The Chief Marshal was instructed to request the Judges of the several Courts to close their respective tribunals on Decoration Day.

On motion, Capt. A. P. Callow was appointed to take charge of all business connected with advertising, route of procession, notices, &c., &c.

Adjourned, to meet Tuesday afternoon three o'clock at the same place.

Mortuary Report.

Dr. W. Snively, Physician of the Board of Health, reports the following interments in the city of Pittsburgh from May 9th to May 16th, 1869:

Diseases—Unknown, 4; drowned, 4; diptheria, 1; measles, 1; scarlet fever, 1; pneumonia, 6; bronchitis, 1; marasmus, 1; meningitis, 1; peritonites, 1; dysentery, 1; diarrhoea, 1; cholera infantum, 1; pulmonary congestion, 1; cerebrus congestion, 1; tuberculosis, 7; typhoid fever, 3; eclamsia, 3; puerperal fever, 1; cardiac disease, 1; still born, 4.

Of the above thre were: Under 1 year, 9; from 1 to 2, 6; from 2 to 5, 7; from 5 to 10, 2; from 10 to 15, 2; from 15 to 20, 3; from 20 to 30, 5; from 30 to 40, 6; from 40 to 50, 3; from 50 to 60, 1; from 60 to 70, 2; from 70 to 80, 1.

Males.....36	White.....44	Total.....47
Females....11	Colored..... 3	

[Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

Sharpsburg.

Our quiet town gives evident signs of prosperity. A number of new residences have been built during the winter, and a number more are now in course of erection. Messrs. Dunham, Saint & Co., have laid in a large stock of lumber for their numerous customers, and Mr. A. Kelly is erecting a large steam saw-mill, which will give employment to a number of hands, and will supply our builders with every kind of sawed frame timber

During this week we have lost two of our most respected ladies, Mrs. Elizabeth, wife of Mr. Francis Alaip, and Mrs. Sarah, wife of Rev. W. Collier, DD., and mother of General F. H. Collier, of the Pittsburgh bar. Both of the deceased were for a long time consistent members of the First Methodist Church of this place, and died in hope of a blissful immortality. More anon, X.

Artificial Teeth.—A good set of teeth, beautiful in appearance and useful in service—such as you need to enjoy a good dinner—you can always get from Dr. Gillespie. He is not much of a "blowhard," but his work is good and he does all he promises. In every department of his profession he has no superior. His prices are moderate and his work warranted. His improved laughing gas is really marvelous, so effectual and yet so harmless, no one need fear to take it. To be had only at 246 Penn street.

THE COURTS.

District Court—Judges Hampton and Kirkpatrick.

FRIDAY, May 21.—In the case of administrator of Edward O'Neill, deceased, vs. F. Wolf, tried Thursday, the jury found for plaintiff in the sum of $397.37.

The first case taken up, yesterday, was that of Hartman Guice vs. Samuel Stewart, et al, This was an action in ejectment for a piece of land in Varsailles township. Jury out.

Judge Kirkpatrick was engaged in disposing of cases on the argument list.

Common Pleas—Judge Mellon.

FRIDAY, May 21.—The jury in the case of Elizabeth Hoeveler, administratrix of A. Hoeveler, deceased, vs. C. P. Mugle et al., previously reported, rendered the following verdict: We find for the plaintiff the sum of $2,771 97, the lien and execution of any judgment entered upon this verdict to be restricted and confined to the proceeds of sale of shares and products of the land of the Pittsburgh and Lumber Oil and Mining Company, situate in Preston county, West Virginia, and in default of payment thereof out of such proceeds and products, then to the said lands of said company, subject to the opinion of the Court upon the questions of law reserved.

The case of Addler & Co., vs. the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, was next taken up. The jury found for plaintiffs in the sum of $88 60.

A. L. Jones vs. John Stacey. This was an action on a book account. On trial.

Amusements.

OPERA HOUSE.—This afternoon a matinee will be given at the Opera House, with Humpty Dumpty as the attraction. This evening the farewell benefit of Tony Denier, and the last performance of the Pantomime, will be given. The Chapman sisters will appear on Monday evening in a burlesque comic opera.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—The exhibition by Mrs. Slack Davis' pupils at the Academy of Music next Tuesday evening promises to be an exceedingly pleasant entertainment. On a former occasion it drew to the Academy a very large audience, who were so highly pleased that a repetition was asked for and decided upon. Aside from the fairy drama adapted from "Midsummer's Nights Dream," the other performances marked on the programme are all very interesting, and worth the price of admission.

PITTSBURGH THEATRE.—Two performances—a matinee in the afternoon and the regular entertainment in the evening—will be given at this place of amusement. The Forty Thieves will be presented on both occasions, which will finish its representation here. It has had a remarkably good run, and will doubtless attract immense audiences before its final withdrawal.

HAVERLY'S MINSTRELS.—This favorite troupe will open an engagement of three nights in our city next Tuesday evening. All the old favorities will be here, and the entertainment will be fully up to any which have heretofore given the troupe such a wide celebrity.

"Your Daughter Sings Finely,"

Were the words addressed the other day to a gentleman residing on the Allegheny Commons by a friend of his. "Which one is the sweet warbler, Sarah or Maria?" "Neither one of my daughters sing," replied the astonished patersfamilias. The friend insisted that he had heard a most thrilling and sympathetic voice in passing his house, when further expostulation ensued and which developed the fact that the gentleman possessed one of those lovely "Burdett" organs with the human voice (vox humana) stop, and which had been mistaken for the human voice divine. Indeed, similar mistakes have frequently occurred since the patented new "Carpenter's" human voice was bought and exclusively applied to the Burdett Organ. We have an agency in this city, (H. Kleber & Bro.,) where doubters can speedily be convinced of the truth of our assertion. In fact, any one who has ever listened to the beautiful tones of the Burdett would buy no other, even at half price. Messrs. Kleber & Bro., 122 Wood street, invite all to call and see them, whether purchasers or not.

An Unusual Announcement.

We have to-day an announcement of an unusual character to make, and one which will doubtless be appreciated and heeded by our readers. Mr. Charles C. Mellor, the well known music dealer, No. 81 Wood street, is about to remove to his new place of business on Fifth avenue, and desiring to open his new house with an entirely new line of goods, offers his pianos, organs and general musical goods at a grand closing out sale at cost. The high reputation of this house is a sufficient guarantee of the correctness of the advertisement which appears elsewhere, and we trust none of our readers will fail to embrace the opportunity presented for obtaining very decided bargains. The closing out sale commences at once, and will be continued till the middle of next month.

"What is It?"

To Purchasers.

Purchasers should always make it a point before making their purchases, no matter what their nature, to first ascertain an establishment of a reliable character, where the article they desire is kept for sale, and then it is their duty to learn where they can get the best article for the least money. Those in search of lace goods, trimmings, hosiery and gloves will find the establishment of W. W. Moorhead, No. 81 Market street, just the place to make their purchases. His stock is large and fresh, and he is daily receiving new goods from the Eastern markets. Prices at this establishment are put down to the lowest figure.

"What is It?"

Restauration.

Of the many first-class restaurants or dining saloons in the city there is not a single one which enjoys a higher reputation than the Continental, on Fifth avenue, next door to the Postoffice, of which our genial and accommodating friend, Mr. Holtzheimer, is the proprietor. The Continental is conducted upon the most approve plan, and its patrons may rely upon getting the best of everything they order prepared in a style which defys competition. Business men dining in the city will find the tables at the Continental provided with the best of everything in the market.

"What is It?"

Ladies should not forget the opening of Sumner Millinery to-day at Warner's, 55 Fourth avenue, corner of Market street, up stairs.

Tobacco, Cigars and Smoking Paraphernalia, and Where to Purchase to Best Advantage.

Few houses in this community enjoy a fuller share of public confidence or better class of patrons than the favorably known wholesale and retail tobacco and cigar house of Mr. John Megraw, No. 45 Ninth, late Hand street. The trade directed to this house has steadily and gradually increased from year to year, till it has assumed vast proportions and conspicuously figures in the mercantile statistics of the city. The popularity of the house was not achieved in one single day or by one single business stroke, but by a careful system of trade, a steady continuance in fair and honorable dealings to establish a reputation, and, finally, by constantly keeping a large and superior stock on hands at most reasonable prices. Mr. Megraw, in order to meet the requirements of the trade directed towards him, has the largest facilities for keeping his various lines of goods fully up to the standard of the best and most extensive tobacco dealers in the East or South. His commodious salesrooms are stocked now with an almost endless lot of cigars of the most popular foreign and domestic brands, which offer very superior inducements to the trade or retail consumers. His plug tobacco, fine cut, chewing tobacco, smoking tobacco, pipes, meerschaums, tubes, pouches, and all the pheranalia known to the user of the weed, are of first quality, and cannot elsewhere be obtained to as good advantage. We heartily commend Mr. Megraw to the patronage of our readers, and bespeak for him that large share of patronage which his complete, full and varied stock warrants, and his fair prices and honorable dealings should secure.

"What is It?"

New Publications for Sale at John W. Pittock's.

Oldtown Folks, by Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe.

Ethelyn's Mistake, by Mrs. Holmes.

Black Forest Tales, by Auerbach.

Men, Women and Ghosts, by Miss Phelps.

The Gates Wide Open, by Geo. Wood.

Adventures in the Adirondacks, by Murray.

Realities of Irish Life, by French.

Sea and Night, or The Man who Laughs, &c., by Victor Hugo.

Little Women, a story for girls, one and two series, by Miss Alcott.

Wonders of Heat, third volume of Library of Wonders.

Breaking a Butterfly, by author of Guy Livingstone.

Edeliviess, a tale, by Auerbach.

Changed Brides, a novel, by Mrs. Southworth.

Cloud on the Heart, by A. S. Roe.

The Sexes Here and Hereafter (Swedenborgian), by Holcomb.

Tommy Try and What he did for Science—a new book for boys.

Doctor Jacob, handy, volume series, by Edwards.

Wife's Messengers, a capital story, by Mrs. Norton.

Warwick, or the Lost Nationalities, by Walworth.

Hilt to Hilt, a new tale, by J. Eaten Cooke.

Happy Thoughts, by F. C. Burnard.

"What is It?"

"He Leaves a Wife and Several Children in Destitute Circumstances."

How often do we see this or a similar sad conclusion to the announcement of the death of some industrious mechanic who went forth to his daily toil in full health, and was brought home a corpse; or who lingered on a bed of suffering, made more horrible by the knowledge that death and utter poverty were approaching him and his little household together. And how often is it the terrible fact when no such announcement is made? Reader, are *you and yours exempt* from such a calamity? You cannot remain subject to it without shame, hardly without crime, when the remedy is within your easy reach, when two dollars a month, deposited with the Co-operative Life Insurance Company will secure your family the certainty of from $1,000 to $1,600 at your death. We understand that the office of the Company, 128 Smithfield street, will be open this evening for the convenience of those who are employed during ordinary business hours. Go at once and make provision for those who are dependent on you.

"What is It?"

Keystone Pottery.

Notwithstanding the recent advance in prices on Queensware in the East, Messrs. S. M. Kier & Company, proprietors of the Keystone Pottery, No. 363 Liberty street, continue to sell their excellent ware at the same low prices as heretofore. The ware manufactured by this firm is pronounced by competent judges to be equal, in point of strength, durability and finish to the best Liverpool ware, and is sold at less than one-half the cost of the latter. As an evidence of its superiority over earthen wares it is only necessary to refer to the rapidly increasing business of the firm. Dealers and purchasers should remember the place, No. 363 Liberty street.

"What is It?"

Books for the Million.

Col. J. D. Egan, at the popular and well stocked book and stationery store on Sixth avenue, near Smithfield street, is prepared to supply the wants of all who are in need of books of any and every description at prices which defy competition. His stock comprises all the late publications and old standard works, text books for schools, Sunday school books, and he has also a large assortment of second hand books, in which are many rare and valuable works from standard authors, which he is selling at remarkably low prices. On his counter will also be found all the late magazines and periodicals and a full stock of stationery.

"What is It?"

Brilliant Shades of "Rouillon" (Harris seamless) Kids. Greens, Purples, Blues, and a small lot of Blacks just in. A complete line expected in a few days. Try the "Princess," a new French glove, at $1.25. A new seamless glove at $1.50.

MACRUM & CARLISLE,
No. 27 Fifth avenue.

"What is It?"

Chintzes, Lawns and Marseilles at Bates & Bell's.

Housekeepers, Attention.—The misery of poor dishes is at an end. Beggs & McGraw have on hand a splendid article, which they offer to the public at very low prices, warranted to be genuine imported Inglest Iron Stone China. Please call and see if our statement is not true. Beggs & McGraw, No. 10 Diamond, Allegheny.

The New York Tribune says the reason why PLANTATION BITTERS are so generally used is owing to the fact that they are always made up to the original standard, and of pure material, let the price be what it will. The *Tribune* just hits the nail on the head, for PLANTATION BITTERS are not only made of pure material, but the people are told what they are made of, as the recipe is wrapped around each bottle. Don't go home without a bottle.

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M'CAIN—LINTON—At the residence of Robt. M'Cain, Esq., on Thursday evening, May 20th, by the Rev. Swift, Miss HATTIE S. M'CAIN, of Allegheny, to WILLIAM M. LINTON, of this city.

DIED.

EVANS—At Philadelphia, on Wednesday morning, May 19th, Mrs. JANE S. EVANS, wife of the late Cadwallader Evans, Esq.

Funeral from Union Depot, Pittsburgh, thence to Allegheny Cemetery, TO-DAY, (Saturday,) at 9 o'clock A. M.

YOUNG—On Thursday, May 20, inst., Capt. JOHN W. YOUNG, in the 73d year of his age.

Funeral from his late residence, corner Tenth and Fayette streets, SATURDAY MORNING, at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family are cordially invited to attend.

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