MIDNIGHT.

#### TIONESTA.

The Freshet in the Allegheny-The Waters Subsiding. [Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

TIONESTA, Sept. 9, 1869. The river is falling at the rate of three inches per hour. The tributaries have nearly all ran out, and no great rise need be feared. The damage has been quite extensive in some sections.

The railroads are again in good running order. Slight showers during to-day.

#### KEOKUK.

The Mississippi Valley Commercial Convention-Third Day's Proceedings-

Adjourned Sine Die. (By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.) KEOKUK, Iowa, September 9.—The Mississippi Valley Commercial Convention reassembled this morning at nine o'clock. The report of the Committee on the Mississippi river and its tributaries was called for, but the Committee not of

being ready other business was called for. An address prepared and put in print by Mr. Dalhonde, of New Orleans, having reference to Louisiana and its resources, was presented and ordered to be printed with the proceedings, without

reading.
A resolution was passed to petition Congress to make an appropriation for holding a World's Fair in the Valley of the Mississippi in 1871. A resolution was passed appointing a committee to superintend the printing

of the proceedings.

The Committee on the Mississippi
River then presented its report, or that
part of its report of yesterday, which
was recommitted to it in the shape of a bill to authorize the construction of a bridge across the Ohio river, &c.

Section first provides that any bridge hereafter built across the Ohio river shall be made with continuous and unbroken spans, and the span across the main-low water mark forty feet above high water mark for the elevation of the bottom chord of the bridge. All the other spans shall be at least three hundred feet spans shall be at least thin the span in length in the clear, and the span crossing the main low water channel shall be fully four hundred feet of unobstructed passage way in all stages of

Section two provides that bridges built under this Act shall be at right angles with the direction of the current in the main channel, and the piers be always parallel to the current, and the bridge shall be so located that the current of the main channel shall move in a straight line one thousand feet above the bridge and five hundred feet below, and no riprap shall be placed around the basis of

rap shall be placed around the basis of the piers to compensate for inadequate foundations.

Section three requires that before building a bridge across the Ohio river by a State or persons the plans for the bridge shall be submitted to the inspecbridge shall be submitted to the inspection and approval of the Secretary of War, and if approved, the building of the bridge may be commenced at once, but if the conditions of this act are not complied with, the Secretary ef War shall detail a Board of United States Engineers, who shall decide what changes shall be made to secure a compliance with the provisions of this act.

Section four provides that persons or corporations constructing bridges shall take measures to prevent any change octake measures to prevent any change oc

shall have been commenced that would injuriously affect the navigation of the river. Section five provides that any bridge built under the act shall be a careful structure and shall be known as a post route and no charge shall be made for the transmission of the mails over it. or troops and munitions of war of the United

curring in the river bed after the work

Section six provides that all bridges hereafter built on the Mississippi below the mouth of the Missouri shall be con-structed under the foregoing conditions, with the exception that the main span shall be five hundred feet in the clear.
Section—seven provides that the bridges hereafter built on the Missouri river and on the Mississippi below the month of the Missouri thall be built. mouth of the Missouri shall be built upon the same conditions, with the fol-lowing exceptions: If constructed with continuous spans, the span over the main channel to be not less than three hun-dred feet clear of the water-way and not less than fifty feet above high water mark. If constructed with a draw er pivot it must be not less than three hundred feet clear of water way, and that

Section eight reserves the right to alter and amend this act so as to prevent or remove all material obstructions to the navigation of said river by the con-

the draw shall be promptly opened for

struction of bridges.

The report closes with a resolution requesting the Secretary of War to constitute a board of army en-gineers to examine all other navi-gable streams tributary to the Mis-sissippi that may be crossed by railway lines, and fix the spans and report the conditions and general principles upon which railway bridges may hereafter be

constructed over them.

A minority report was presented by of the Committee and a substitute by Judge Miller, but after a lengthy de-bate, which was at times sharp and often personal, the minority report and the substitute of Judge Miller were laid on the table and the majority report given

above adopted.

The resolutions presented yesterday, in favor of the removal of the national Capital were taken up and passed.

The Committee on Foreign Commerce

The Committee on Foreign Commerce made a long and elaborate report through their Chairman, Judge Burwell, of Louisiana, concluding with resolutions, First looking to reciprocal trade with all nations; requesting the appointing power to give to the Mississippi Valley a full share of the diplomatic appointments; requesting the cities and towns on the Mississipi to extend the municipal facilities and commercial economies indicated in the report; to contract the rivalry of the cross routes and to regain the foreign and domestic and to regain the foreign and domestic commerce of this Valley; request-

ing aid from the cities and towns on the Mississippi, to establish an immi-grant depot in New Orleans; requesting the reduction of the revenue on some articles of permanent and popular consumption; and that the representatives of the Mississippi Valley introduce a bill for the increase and equalization of the postal steam system, by giving subsidies to steamers running between New Or-

leans and foreign ports.
The Committee to memorialize Congress in accordance with the resolution, was named as follows: Vandever, Iowa, Stannard, Missouri, Davis, Ohio, Turner. llinois, Kerr, Pennsylvania, Delahay,

Adjourned until two o'clock. AFTERNOON SESSION.

Convention met at two o'clock. The the report of the Committee on Foreign

the report of the Committee on Foreign Commerce. After a brief debate, the report and resolutions were adopted.

Colonel Grosvener, from the Immigration Committee, offered a resolution that an increased supply of skilled and intelligent labor is peculiarly necessary for the development of the resources of the Marticiani Valley and the Convention Valley, and the Convention heartly favors every effort to encourage free immigration from every quarter.

Mr. Shryock, of St. Louis, offered s mr. snryock, of St. Louis, chereo a resolution in favor of a reduction of the duty on salt from twenty-four per cent. to fifteen per cent. ad valorem. Laid on the table, as was also a substitute offered by Col. Grosvenor in favor of a revision our tariff system, the Convention regarding them as not germain to the objects for which it assembled. After resolutions of thanks to the citizens of Keokuk, the officers of the Convention, &c, the Convention adjourned

# THE COAL MINE HORROR.

sine die.

The Work of Recovering the Dead Bodles-Trouble with the Miners Apprenended.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] SCRANTON, September 9.—1:30 A. M.— Ninety bodies have been found; eightytwo have been brought to the surface. A doctor was called for to attend the men who explored the mine, but none present volunteered, and Dr. Richard, of Plymouth, came from Plymouth to perform the duty of resuscitating the miners if more foul air is encountered. Heaps of coal left in the chute have been light-

exertions possible, and the wishes of the miners in every respect are consulted, but they remain obdurate. The more reasonable are ready to listen to reason, but they are in the minority: many are refractory and vicious. Trouble is apprehended, and has been averted only be consummate test.

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Avondale: Pa., September 9, 2:20

P. M.—Thomas Carson and Geo. Morgan, very experienced miners, with twenty men, have just returned from the mine and report that they have explored every part of the works and are satisfied that hedical have been recovered. all the bodies have been recovered.
Outside parties say John Davis of Plymouth, and Jas. A. Kerr, of Avondale,

are still missing, but they met be mistaken. One hundred and eight is the number of bodies taken out. number of bodies taken out.

PHILADELPHIA, September 9.—The
Stock Board voted \$1,000 for the relief of the Avondale sufferers, and the Com-mercial Exchange will give as much

# LATEST FROM CUBA.

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette. 1 HAVANA, September 9.—Gen. Lesca left the city at noon to-day, for Sagua, with the new battalion of volunteers, four hundred strong. A detatchment of two hundred Spaniards met the insur-

ents in Sevilla Bay and put them to night. In a skirmish near Raman thirty rebels are reported to have been killed.

## NEWS BY CABLE.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MADRID, September 8.—Slight disturbances occurred in the city, owing to the removal of the volunteers from the posts they have held since the revolution. Several of the volunteers were wounded.

GREAT BRITAIN. LONDON, September 8.—The Bishop of

Boston Items.

By Telrgraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette. 1 Boston, September 9.—The State Central Committee of the Labor Reform party of Massachusetts voted to call a

party of massachusetts voted to call a political State Convention at Mechanics Hall, Worcester, September 28, to nominate a State Labor ticket. It is reported that the Government is negotiating for the purchase of Long Island, at the head of Boston harbor, for the purpose of erecting strong fortifica-

There was an extensive conflagration There was an extensive conflagration in East Cambridge this morning, destroying a block of wood working factories on Otis, First and Second streets. The following are the losses: F. Geldowski \$100,000, insured \$80,000; Woodbury & Co. \$40,000, insured \$20,000; Daniel Harrison & Co. \$5,000, insured \$4,000; Monroe & Gilman \$12,000, insured \$10,000; Beal & Hooper \$5,000, fully insured.

-The special train on the Grand Trunk Railway collided with the regular freight train, between Glicad and Shelbourn, on Tuesday night, smashing both engines and cars. Dyer, the engineer of the freight train was badly injured.

# FOUR O'CLOCK, A. M.

Funeral of Secretary Rawlins Impos ing Demonstration-Respect to the Late Senator Fessenden.

THE CAPITAL.

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette. 1 WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 9, 1869. FUNERAL OF SECRETARY RAWLINS. Early this morning a large number of persons were at the War Department anxious for a view of the remains of the late Secretary Rawlins, which still rested, covered profusely with flowers, upon the catafalque in the room of the General of the army. Many were admitted for that purpose, but shortly before nine o'clock the doors of the building were ordered to be closed to all, excepting those connected with, officially and personally, Gen. Rawlins, and for whom various rooms were appropriated. All

army and navy omcors in the District were present, with Messrs. Fish, Cresswell, Roar and Robeson, of the Cabinet, with Assistant Secretary Richard son and Otto, representing the Treasury and Interior Departments. The President arrived at half-past nine and went mmediately into the room where the immediately into the room where the remains were. General Porter, Lieutenant-Colonel Lee, Major Webster and General Parker were present. General Sherman, together with the army officers of she grades in Washington, officers of the navy, members of the diplomatic orps, justices of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, chiefs of the District of

bureaus, officers of Senate and House of Representatives, and the intimate friends Representatives, and the intimate friends of deceased, including Judge Gresham, Judge of the District Court of Indiana, and Governor Walker, of Virginia, composed the attendants of the solemn servi-

Mrs. Rawlins, accompanied by her father, Mr. Hurlburt, and two small children of the deceased, Mrs. Hurlburt, two brothers of the Secretary, Mrs. burt, two brothers of the Secretary, and Charles Hume, an aunt, and Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hume, Miss. Sarah Rawlins, cousin of Gen. Rawlins, formed a weeping group surrounding the cata-weeping group surrounding the cata-

when the coffin strewn with flowers was removed by the Guard of Honor, followed by the distinguished pall-bearers. President Great was reach offerred. dent Grant was much affected during he ceremonies. The funeral procession started about

the ceremon

eleven o'clock, headed by the full ma-rine band followed by a battalion of marines and artillery on foot, with a squadron of cavalry, and battery of the Eighth artillery forming the military escort. The hearse was trimmed with black plumes, drawn by six gray horses ers in carriages and public vehicles, two hundred or more in number, two abreast, extending from the Executive Mansion extending from the Executive Mansion to the Capitol, distance one mile. The carriages were the President's, Members of the Cabinet, relatives of deceased, Foreign Ministers, officers of the Army and Navy, distinguished visitors and all others present at the ceremonies at the War Department, together with corporation officers of Washington, Alexandria and Georgetown, and many private citizens. A large sized omnibus contained the most feeble inmates of the Soldiers' the most feeble inmates of the Soldiers' Home, while their companions walked

Home, while their companions walked in the rear.

Pennsylvania avenue, leading from the War Department, to the Congressional Cemetery, was thronged with persons from early this morning. Many houses along the route were draped with mourning and flags at half mast. Business was entirely suspended. It had been intended to place the remains in the vault, but yesterday it was determined to deposit them temporarily in a private vault which was tendered for the purpose. The services at the burying ground were very brief. Dr. Wilson read the burial service of the Episcopal Church, after which a requiem was sung by the Beethoven Club.

Mrs. Rawlins was much affected at the She was supported on the arm of

Grave. Sue was supported on the arm of General Parker. A salute of three volleys of musketry and a salvo of artillery concluded the burial ceremonies.

President Grant will leave Washing.

his journey to Massachusetts.

The Members of Congress present at the funeral were Charles O'Neill and Leonard Myers, of Pennaylvania, Joel F. Asper, of Missouri, Eben C. Ingersoil, of Illinois, Thomas A. Jenckes, of Rhode Island, Aaron A. Sargeant, of California, of the House of Representatives, and Senators Cole, of California, and Spencer of Alabama.

TOKEN OF RESPECT. Acting Secretary of the Treasury, Richardson, has ordered the custom house at Portland closed, and the flags in all the custom houses and public works under the control of the Department throughout the country at half mast on the lith inst., the day on which the obsequies of Senator Fessenden will be solemnized.

BALCONY ACCIDENT. About ten o'clock the floor of a bal- a million of dollars.

cony on Pennsylvania avenue gave way while a number of persons were on it, waiting to witness the passing of the funeral procession of Gen. Rawlins, and Mrs. Chick and her son, aged about six years, fell to the pavement. The former was injured internally and the latter ustained a compound fracture of the

## WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

Convention at Chicago...The Proceed. . ings.

tBy Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette." CHICAGO, September 9.—The Woman's Suffrage Convention assembled to-day. After some preliminary business the Committee on Organization announced that they nominated Mrs. Mary A. Livermore, of Chicago, as President For Vice Presidents, Mrs. Longley, of Ohio, Mrs. Welhite, Ind., Mrs. Hazzard,

of St. Louis, Mrs. Adams, of Iowa, Mrs. Bishop, of Minn., Prof. Stone, of Mich., Mrs. Amanda M. Way, of Indianapolis. Treasurer, Kate M. Doggett, of Chicago.
Miss Boynton put the question as to
whether the report be accepted, which was done. Mrs. Livermore expressed her thanks

for the honor conferred on her.

Mr. Blackwell, husband of Mrs. Lucy Stone Blackwell, came in at this time. Mrs. Kate Doggett took the floor and read the minutes of the Convention of read the minutes of the convention of February last and announced that Mrs. Livermore has established several Wo-man Suffrage Associations in the coun-ties of the State, through whose labors a petition for woman's suffrage, to be pre-sented to the Constitutional Convention

premises.
Mrs. Livermore said Mrs. Willard meant that the man and woman should stand on the same footing, that is, own all things equally, and not be obliged to ask for ten or fifty cents or five dollars, but have the same right to it as the man

Mrs. Williard said that she was glad that Iowa was so good, so willing to give the women their rights; but there was one right they would not give, that of maternity. They wanted a law that would make the mother as independent

At ten o'clock the funeral services every woman to be here, or to learn what

of coal left in the chute have been lighted and are blazing in a long line extending from the railroad up to the hill.

Great outbreaks of griefoccur among the women in the nearest miners' houses.

The air in the mines is so bad that parties and the women in the nearest miners' houses.

Later explorations of the mine have developed a sadder phase of the tragedy. Many chambers have been entered and miners found in them dead, the breasts of nine showing that they have been at work. Roadmen, roofmen, doormen and others were found dead in different at more than they have been at work. Roadmen, roofmen, doormen and others were found dead in different at ment, without warning, while they were at work. Roadmen, roofmen, doormen and others were found dead in different at ment and sympathy flowing in from every side. The Railroad Company make all exertions possible, and the wishes of the miners in every respect are consulted, but they remain obdurate. The more reasonable are ready to listen to reason, but they are in the minority many are refractory and vicious. Trouble is ap-

pointed chairman, and Mrs. Hazzard, of St. Louis, and Mrs. Lucy Stone, of New England, were appointed the others.

Mr. Booth said he could not act and resigned in favor of Judge Waite, who

was appointed.
Mrs. Ballou, of Minnesota, was appoint. ed to the Committee in place of Mrs. At the afternoon session addresses

were made by Mrs. Lucy Stone, Mrs. D. Hericourt and Mrs. Susan B. Anthony. D. Hericourt and Mrs. Susan B. Anthony.
Mrs. Willard, the author of Sexology,
was announced to lecture on Saturday
night, on the "Sphere of Woman and
the Orbit of Man."

A long letter from the Hon. Geo. W.
Julian, of Indiana, was read, in which
he comes out strongly in favor of woman

Mississippi State Convention. By Telegraph to the Pittaburgh Gazette.]

JACKSON, MISS., Septemder 9.—The National Union Convention adjourned sine die this evening. Great harmony prevailed. The State ticket was comprevailed. The State ticket was completed, as follows: Thos. Sinclair, colored, for Secretary of State; A. W. Wills, for Auditor; James McElroy, for Treasurer; R. H. Lowry, Attorney General; Thomas J. Garthright, Superintendent of Education, and L. A. Brown for Congress, in the Fifth district.

Speeches were made by Messrs. Dent, Jeffards and Harrison, colored, of Tennessee, eliciting enthusiastic applause.

The Mississippi Press Association held a session this week at Canton. They accepted the invitation to visit Memphis

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-A fearful storm of wind and rain prevailed at Boston Wednesday night, the heaviest being between seven and eight o'clock. G. M. Clark, in going te the rescue of a boy reported buried in the ruins of the Collseum, was struck by flying planks and was killed. Several other persons were injured but none fatally. Among prominent buildings tally. Among prominent buildings damaged was the old Methodist Church President Grant will leave Washington to-night to join his family at New
York. He will be accompanied by Attorney General Hoar, who will continue
his journey to Massachusetts.

The Members of Congress present at
the funeral were Charles O'Neill and
Leonard Myers, of Pennaylyania, Joel
Leonard Myers, of Missouri, Eben C. Ingersoil of Illinois. Thomas A. Jenckes, of was partly blown off, and the old Colony machine shop damaged. The Normal School was badly damaged, and portions of the skating rink carried away. A large number of buildings in process of erection, in all sections of the city, were more or less damaged. Hundreds of chimnies were blown dawn, stone and the grade on Sarah ettact, which were and chimples were blown down, signs and awnings carried away in all directions on the Common and all parts of the city. Strong trees were twisted, split or torn up by the roots. The old elm survived the gale with the loss of a few branches. Cambridge, Chelses, Charlestoh, and other places suffered in the same pro-Cambridge, Chelses, Charleston, and other places suffered in the same proportion with Boston. The damage in Also, an ordinance for the grading amillion of dollars.

Street, be suspended until the Committee barrels. The largest increase in the production during the month took place in the Committee barrels. The largest increase in the production during the month took place in the Committee barrels. The largest increase in the production during the month took place in the Committee barrels. The largest increase in the production during the month took place in the Committee barrels. The largest increase in the production during the month took place in the Committee barrels. The largest increase in the production during the month took place in the Committee barrels. The largest increase in the production during the month took place in the Committee barrels. The largest increase in the production during the month took place in the Committee barrels. The largest increase in the production during the month took place in the Committee barrels. The largest increase in the production during the month took place in the Committee barrels. The largest increase in the production during the month took place in the Committee barrels. The largest increase in the production during the month took place in the Committee barrels. The largest increase in the production during the month took place in the Committee barrels.

#### ALLEGHENY COUNCILS.

Regular Meeting—Monthly Reports— Petitions and Remonstrances—Th Poor Farm Again, &c., &c. A regular meeting of the Allegheny Councils was held last evening.

President McBrier in the Chair. Members Present-Messrs. English, Faulkner, Gwinner, Hall, Long, Gilmore, J. C. Patterson, A. Patterson, Riddle, Reiter, and Weltach.

Select Council.

The reading of the minutes was disensed with.

REMONSTRANCE. Mr. Riddle offered a remonstrance against the widening of Pasture lane. Referred to Committee on Streets. Mr. Patterson, a petition for the opening of Fulton street, between Western avenue and Ridge street. Referred to Committee on Streets.

INVITATION ACCEPTED. The President read a communication rom the Secretary of the Humboldt Centennial, inviting the Councils to par-ticipate in the celebration and laying of the corner stone of the monument. The

invitation was accepted. THE WATER SUPPLY. Mr. Wettach, from the Committee on Water, presented a report, accom-panied by the following resolutions: Resolved, That the Superintendent of Water Works be authorized to lay water oipes on Balkam street, from Robinson street to River avenue, First alley, be-tween East and Middle streets, and on

Tell street.

Resolved, That the superintendent of Mesotved, That the superintendent of Water Works be authorized to erect a fire plug at the corner of Manhattan street and Western avenue.

In relation to the shortsupply of water

pipes, the committee reported that with the exception of a short period the sup-ply was ample for all demands, and for the present also. The previous short supply was occasioned by the capacity of the water works being taken up in completing a previous contract.

The petitions for water on Lane alley, and Taggert Frazier and Cliff streets, were laid over.

were laid over. Report received and the resolutions

THE FINANCES. Mr. Hall, from the Finance Committee presented a report from that Committee, accompanied by the following resolution:

Resolved. That the Controller be and is hereby authorized to certify a warrant in favor of James Morgan for the sum of \$27.40, and in favor of Summerville of Blackstock for the sum of \$28.91, to re-fund excess of taxes assessed through error of the Ward Assessor. pted and resolution read Report add three times and passed.

ECONTROLLER'S REPORT. Mr. Hall also presented the monthly

report of the City Controller, of which the following is a recapitulation: No. 3. Engines...... 5. Streets...... Wharves and Lancings..... Total am't Paid..... Total Amount Paid for the Month.

Total Amount Paid for the Month....... 1532,94 52
The following accompanied the report:
Gentlemen: In relation to the bill of
Barr & Moser, architects, for plan and
specifications of the proposed Market
House in the First Ward Square,
amounting to 5500, I wish particularly to
call the attention of your honorable bodies to the fact that it was before the Market Committee at the last meeting and is now reported for payment.

The report was received and the Controller authorized to certify warrants for

the various sums. CITY HALL SQUARE. Mr. Riddle, from the Committee on City Property, presented a report with

the following:

Resolved, By the Select and Common Conneils of Allegheny, that we approve of the pattern for a fence for enclosing Second Ward Diamond Square, and that the Committee is hereby authorized to advertise for proposals for constructing advertise for proposals for constructing said fence, and award contract to lowest and best bidder, provided the cost does not exceed \$5 per foot.

Report received and resolution read

three times and passed.

THE STREET DEPARTMENT.

Mr. J. C. Patterson, from the Street
Committee, presented a report, accompanied by the following resolution:

Resolved, By the Select and Common
Councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same, that Thos. Bell and F. Altvater be same, that Thos. Beil and F. Altvater be and they are here by authorized to grade a roadway from a point on East Lane to their own property on Quarry street, at their own expense and under the direction of the City Engineer.

The committee recommend the approval of the original grades [lefterpor treet]

al of the original grade of Jefferson street, as suiting the best interests of the great balk of the property holders on said street. The Committee reported adversely to the placing of a sewer drop on the corner of West and Third streets, for the want

In relation to Market street, the Committee reported an ordinance rescinding that portion of the previous ordinance damaged was the old Methodist Church on Hanover street, the steeple of which was blown down. The Broadway Methodist Church, South Boston, is almost width of said street is ninety feet and street in destroyed involving a large of the street, which authorized the reservation of forty feet central space where the odist Church, South Boston, is almost

tions approved and resolutions prinally.

The ordinance relating to Market street was also passed finally.

Mr. Patterson presented the profile of the grade on Sarah street, which was approved, accompanied by a remonstrance against the proposed grade.

Referred to the Street Committee.

Reserved to the Street Committee. C. U, concurred provided work on the street be suspended until the Committee reviewed their action and reported a de-cision.

the Controller and City Engineer to provide for the numbering of houses in the city, and for placing sign boards with the names of the streets at the various

the names of the streets at the various corners. Adopted.

Mr. English offered a resolution for the appeintment of a Committee to prepare a report of the feeling of Councils relative to the death of James Marshall, Esq. The resolution was adopted and Messrs. English, Hall and J. C. Patterson appointed on the part of S. C. In C. C. Messrs. Megraw, Warzer and Hanna were appointed. After a short absence, Mr. English, from the Committee, presented the following: ented the following:

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT. WHEREAS, We learn with prefound sorrow of the sudden death of our essorrow of the sudden death of our esteemed fellow-citizen; James Marshall, who for a long period held the position of President of Select Council; and who for many years has been identified with the material prosperity of our city, freely giving much of his time to its advancement and prosperity, and avail times proving by his actions and arduous services in its behalf his unsellish wish for its heat interests; therefore be it

its best interests; therefore be it Resolved, That in the death of James Marshall this community has met with an irreparable loss in a public spirited citizen, a faithful and honest officer, and a Christian gentleman, and that we sympathize in the great bereavement of his

pathize in the great bereavement of his family and friends in this, their hour of sorrow and siffiction.

Resolved, That Councils direct their respective chambers to be draped in mourning for sixty days in memory of the deceased, and that these resolutions be entered on the minutes of Councils. Appropriate remarks were made by Messrs McBrier, Long and others, in eulogy of the character of the deceased,

when Mr. Hall moved to amend the last resolution by adding, "and that the members of this council attend the funeral."

The resolutions as amended were unanimously adopted in both branches.

Adjourned.

Common Council. President Slack in the chair.

Present-Mesars. Blair, Comley, Frader, Gilliand, Grenet, Hanna, Hastings, Krebbs, Kopp, Megraw, McNeill, Ober, Price, Porter, Reineman, Seidle. Tate; Price, Porter, Reineman, Seidle, Tate, Thompson, Voegtly, Warner and Presdent Slack.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved. PETITIONS &C.

Mr. Ober presented a petition for the removal of stagnant water from the foot of Troy Hill. Referred to the Street Com-

Mr. Price offered a resolution changing the name Carroll street, in Second Ward, to Ackley street. Referred to Committee on Streets. MARKET COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

Total.... The report was accompanied by the following resolutions:

Resolved, That that part of Sherman

avenue lying between Montgomery avenue and Ohio street be set apart for nue and only street by set apart for quartering market wagons and that the Street Commissioner be instructed to have said portion of the avenue cleared of the material at present deposited there. Report accepted and resolution adopt-

ed.

Mr. Voegtly presented a petition from residents in the Fourth ward remonstrating against certain assessments, for sew-

Referred to Committee on Streets and

NEW GAS POSTS. Mr. Grenet from the Committee on Gas presented a report accompanied by the following resolution.

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Water Works be and he is hereby inwater works be and he is hereby in-structed to have gas lamps placed at the corner of Lacock street and Arbuckle alley, corner of Race and Rose alleys, cor-ner of River avenue and Balkam street and on Western avenue at corners of

Manhattan and Chartiers street

The report was received and the resolution adopted. THE POOR FARM MATTER. Mr. McNeill, from the Committee on Poor Farm, presented a report, accompanied by the following resolution: Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the city of Allegheny, That the action of the Board of Poor Directors

in the purchase of the Boyd Farm be and is hereby approved.

A lengthy discussion ensued on the resolution, consisting mainly of a re-hash of the old statements on both sides in reference to this matter, which are already well known. Finally, by permission, Mr. McNeill withdraw the report, sion, Mr. Modelli withdraw the report, when Mr. Hastings presented a rosolution for a meeting of the Councils Wedday morning, 15th inst., at the Federal street Bepot of the Western Pennsylvania railroad for the purpose of visiting the Boyd and Ramaley farms. The resolution was adopted. S. C.

non-concurred. UNFINISHED BUSINESS. Business from Select Council not acted upon at the last meeting was then taken up, and concurrences had in all except the resolution for painting City Hall, which was tabled; and resolution for the employment of pages, also tabled.

THOSE SEWER BONDS. Mr. Warner called up the ordinance relative to the issue of sewer bonds. At lest meeting, the gentleman offered an amendment to the ordinance, but action was deferred by the adjournment of Councils, and in calling it up he withdrew his amendment. A discussion then ensued relative to a concurrence with the action of Select Council in adopting the ordinance, pending which the hour of ten arrived, and Councils adourned.

Petroleum Production for August,

The Titusville Herald's monthly petroleum report shows a large increase in the average daily production, which it places at 12,157 barrels per day for the thirty-one days of August. Total pro-duction since January 1st, 2,225,988 barrels; same time in 1868, it was 2,392,779