The Pittsburgh Gazette.

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

The Gazette in Sligo and Temperanceville.

Messrs. Weaver Bros., two enterprising and attentive young men, have now the exclusive agency for the GAZETTE in the boroughs of Temperanceville and Sligo, and they will promptly deliver it by carriers every morning in those places. They will continue their canvass for subscribers, and, in the meantime, if any persons who were served by the former carrier do not get their paper, they will be promptly served on leaving notice at Weaver Bro.'s news depot, near Dorrington's feed store, Temperanceville, or at the GAZETTE counting room, Fifth avenue.

Still Running.—Notwithstanding the floating ice in the Monongahela river the good and staunch steamboat Elizabeth is running regularly between Pittsburgh and Elizabeth.

John A. Irwin has removed his Book-Bindery from Smithfield street to the GAZETTE building, Fifth avenue, where he is prepared to do all kinds of book-binding and paper ruling.

Coming Out.—A correspondent elsewhere announces that George D. Riddle, Esq., of Allegheny, will be put forward as a candidate for the successorship to Jacob Walter, Esq., as Prothonotary. Major W. B. Cook and W. H. Glenn, Esq., are also candidates for the position.

Youth's Cabinet.—Such is the title of a very ably edited and carefully prepared little illustrated quarto journal for boys and girls, published in the city by Mr. S. L. Cuthbert, No. 39 Sixth avenue. Parents could not put better reading matter in the hands of their children.

Stock sales, Tuesday evening, January 11, at McIlwaine's Stock Room, 106 Smithfield street, by A. McIlwaine, Auctioneer:

M. and M. National Bank	67.75
" " "	67.50
Citizens " "	69.50

Chastised His Son.—Wm. Cunningham made information before Alderman Taylor yesterday against Wm. Jeremy for assault and battery. The charge is that Jeremy chastised one of the younger male members of the Cunningham family. The accused gave bail for a hearing.

Organization of the Duquesne School Board.—This Board, consisting of Josiah Cohen, George Wilson, John Cuthbert, Florence Kramer, Geo. A. Kirkpatrick and W. B. Hunter, was organized Monday evening by electing Josiah Cohen, President, W. B. Hunter, Secretary, and C. P. Caughey, Treasurer, for the ensuing year.

Aggravated Case.—Pauline Schmidt alleges her husband, John Smith, of historical fame, struck her in the face and attempted to deprive her of the power of respiration by catching her rudely by the throat. For this unpleasant action Alderman Koenig, at the instance of Pauline, issued a warrant for the arrest of John for assault and battery.

East End Gas Company.—At a meeting of the stockholders of the East End Gas Company the following officers were elected: President, James E. Kerr; Managers, Thomas Mellon, Joseph Dilworth, Charles W. Batchelor, James S. McCord, Wm. S. Negley; Treasurer, George A. Berry; Secretary, Wm. H. Denniston; Auditors, Richard E. Breed, Wm. J. Johnston.

Fire.—The alarm of fire at nine o'clock last evening, from box seventy-three, was occasioned by the burning of a stable and carpenter shop on Forty-fourth street, Seventeenth ward. The stable was owned by Mr. Feely. There was a horse and wagon in the stable and both were burned. The carpenter shop was owned by Mr. George Reynolds. Amount of loss not known.

A Knock Down.—Alderman Bolster had a case of assault and battery before him yesterday. It was caused by a little animated argument between Robert McAdams and John McConley, during which McAdams was knocked down and kicked in the face. The affair was brought to the attention of the Alderman in a legal information, when a warrant for McConley's arrest was issued.

The undersigned, Merchant Tailors, have agreed to close their stores at seven o'clock P. M., (Saturday excepted,) until March 1st, 1870:

Niemann & Aliers,	H. Cappel,
Samuel Williams,	George Watts,
H. H. DeArman,	Jacob Diederich,
Ahlers & Bayha,	P. Junghaus,
H. Tiegel,	William J. Fullerton
Henry Meyer,	Henry Cans.
H. Gerding,	

Insurance.—Our readers are referred to a statement elsewhere in these columns of the business and assets of the Enterprise Insurance Company, an infant institution which, under the able management of Mr. J. J. Albietz, the Secretary, and the Board of Directors, all of whom are known for their ability and prudence, is destined to become a favorite in the community, and to class with the most reliable underwriters in the city.

Missing Provisions.—Some hungry individual, a few nights ago, stole a quantity of provisions from the cellar attached to Mr. Thomas Kelly's residence, in the Third ward, Allegheny. Mr. Kelly suspected Mr. Morris Finesy to be the depredator. Acting on the suggestion he made information for larceny before Alderman Taylor. The case was heard but the charge not sustained. Mr. Finesy was discharged and the prosecutor paid the costs.

For the Workhouse.

There is an inmate of the Allegheny lockup, who will probably have an opportunity to-day to do something for the county. He is a young colored man. Last evening he was observed begging in a store on Ohio street. He had a pitiful story to relate. He had just arrived in the city from down the railroad with his brother, who had been severely injured and was then lying in a car at the Federal street depot, awaiting the results of his brothers efforts to procure him transportation to a home in Pittsburgh, for medical attention. The chap received much sympathy and temporal assistance and was about leaving, when the suspicions of the proprietor were aroused. The attention of the police was called to the case. The story was investigated and proved to be false throughout. The chap was then furnished with a cell at the lockup and to-day will go to the workhouse.

East Birmingham Council.

A regular meeting of the East Birmingham Council was held yesterday, Tuesday, January 11th, at two o'clock in the afternoon. Before any business was done the Burgess administered the oath of office to Mr. Haberman.

The members present were Messrs. Jones, Miller, Haberman, Larkins and Burgess Schultz.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Miller, from the Finance Committee, reported progress.

Mr. Jones, from the Street Committee, reported that it had put down a crossing on the corner of Page and Carson streets.

A number of bills were read and warrants ordered to be drawn for their amounts.

Mr. Brown, Solicitor of East Birmingham borough, delivered a number of written opinions as follows:

The first opinion was on the liabilities of owners of mines and quarries situated above East Birmingham, in regard to the washing of slack and stones into the borough.

The second opinion was on Edwards alley.

The third opinion was on the right of the borough to collect paving tax when a statement was not filed within six months after the paving.

The fourth opinion was on the authority of the borough to borrow money.

The fifth opinion was in relation to the authority of the borough to collect wharfage.

Mr. Jones moved that the Solicitor be instructed to draw up an act converting Water street into a wharf. Carried.

Mr. Jones called the attention of the Council to the pond in which the boy was drowned last week, when

Mr. Wilson moved that Mr. Ormsby, or his agent, be notified to drain the pond or fill it up. Carried.

Mr. Larkins moved that the Street Commissioner be notified to fill up a well on Carey alley, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets. Carried.

Mr. Jones moved that a warrant, amounting to $1,049 44, be drawn in favor of Mr. Keller, on account of paving done. Carried.

Mr. Miller moved that a warrant in favor of the clerk, Mr. Alex. McKee, for $18 89 be drawn. Carried.

Mr. Jones moved that a warrant be drawn in favor of Messrs. Stultzenberg, Reese & Co. for $1,000, on account for paving. Carried.

On motion adjourned.

THE CAMPBELL HOMICIDE.

Testimony Concluded—The Arguments of Counsel and Charge of the Court.

In the Court of Oyer and Terminer yesterday the case of the Commonwealth vs. Thomas J. Campbell, indicted for the murder of his wife, previously reported was resumed and the following testimony elicited:

Andrew Moon, sworn—I am an officer of the Mayor's police. I was at the house of the prisoner in November last. I went into the basement kitchen of the house first. There was a lounge in the kitchen, directly in front of the stove close by it. Mrs. Campbell was lying in the basement so close to the stove that I could not pass by without stepping over her body. I went up stairs. There was blood over the floor and near the fire place in one of the rooms was a small pool of blood. There were hand marks of blood on the door. In the right hand room there was a chair with only three legs and the wash bowl was covered with blood. The room was filled with old boxes and other articles. I remained in the house about half an hour. The prisoner was at that time in the lock-up.

Owen Murphy, sworn—Live at Soho bridge, about seventy-five yards from where Campbell lived. Am acquainted with the prisoner. Was in his house on Saturday night before the murder. Pete Wickline, Jim McMinnimin, Pat O'Donnell, Campbell and his wife were there. Campbell came there about the time I did, and he ordered his wife to go up stairs and get the key of the stable. When she started up he followed her, and after they got up to the second floor I heard a scream and heard Mrs. Campbell say "Don't Tom." I went up stairs and she complained that he had beaten her. He said, "Stop your talking or I will cut the belly out of you." I told him that it was a shame to abuse a woman that way. He turned to me and said, "Don't you put in your neb or I will cut your guts out." I told him not to pull a knife on me. His wife then went down stairs. There was a two gallon jug of whisky up stairs, and Campbell told Wickline to give the boys a drink. Wickline got a glass and gave us all a drink. I remained in the house until about eight o'clock and then went home.

Cross-examined—Went home at eight o'clock. I was there on Sunday also. Golden, Moreland, Fricker and others were there. They told me that Campbell was up stairs asleep. There was whisky there and we all had a drink. Mrs. Campbell was cooking some meat on the stove. I left after I had two drinks and went to my boarding house. Went back to the house after dinner, and found Campbell and Fricker there. Campbell told me that his wife was up at Golden's. I stopped but a short time and then left and went up to Golden's. I found Moreland, Mrs. Campbell and others drinking ale. I then went home, and returned to Campbell's house in the evening about half past eight o'clock. I found Mrs. and Mr. Campbell and a little boy there. Campbell gave me fifteen cents and asked me to go for some sticking plaster. I went to the drug store on Fifth avenue and got the plaster. Before I went for the plaster Campbell put Fricker out.

Coroner Clawson, sworn.—The testimony of the Coroner was all relative to the condition of the house the morning after the murder. He also testified that he had a photograph of the corpse taken.

Officer Strain was also examined as to the condition of the house on the morning following the murder.

Captain Graham and Chief of Police Hague, were sworn and examined as to how the prisoner was dressed. A shirt was shown them which they identified as the one worn by Campbell when he was brought to the lock-up. The shirt they said was covered with spots of blood.

James S. Patterson, Mayor's Clerk, was sworn as to the custody of the shirt. It was given to him by Chief Hague after it was taken off Campbell, and he kept it in his possession until it was brought to Court.

Officer Long, sworn—Am a police officer; assisted in arresting Campbell. The witness was then interrogated as to the size and condition of the rooms. He described the rooms and location of the furniture.

S. B. Alabee, sworn—Am a photographer. Made a stereotype portrait of the deceased. Portrait shown and identified.

Robt. Fowler, sworn—Was formerly a member of the police force. On the morning of the murder went to Campbell's house. Got in through a window. Found Mrs. Campbell lying on the floor between the stove and lounge. Her face was disfigured. Campbell formerly kept a doggery.

Alderman Thomas, sworn—I have known Mr. and Mrs. Campbell for a year or two. About a month before the murder Mrs. Campbell came to my office to make information against Campbell for assault and battery. Campbell came a few moments after. She said that Campbell had abused her that morning. Campbell locked the door and wanted me to swear him. He wanted to make a statement. She complained that she was bruised and beat up. She said she would not live with him, but would go to her friends in Philadelphia. He accused her of having criminal intimacy with another man. They then went away and in the afternoon she came back. In the morning Campbell said that if he caught her in the places he had found her before he would kill her. She contradicted his statement several times. His statement was that he caught her drinking in a low doggery, and that he had caught her in bed with Mr. ——, of the Fourteenth ward.

Cross-examined—Campbell in his statement swore that he had slipped into the house and caught his wife in bed with Alderman ——, of the Fourteenth ward. She denied the statement or contradicted it several times. Campbell said if he ever caught her again, he would be d——d if he did not hang for her.

The picture was here submitted in evidence, and examined by the jury.

W. N. Fleming sworn—I am a justice of the peace; live in the Sixth Ward; know Mr. and Mrs. Campbell; they kept a grocery on Pennsylvania avenue, on the left hand side, about two hundred yards from the court house. Campbell ran an express wagon. I did not hear that part of the testimony of Mr. Thomas referring to me. I never had any connection with Mrs. Campbell in any way.

Cross-examined.—I was trustee for Mrs. Campbell with her husband's consent. I remember being at Mr. McCarthy's office. I stated I knew a man who had been in bed with Mrs. Campbell, and requested McCarthy not to ask me his name. I was in Campbell's house three or four times, always on business. The witness here detailed a story that had no relevancy to the case. The man referred to when speaking with Mr. McCarthy was Mr. Harvey and not Mr. Fleming.

THE DEFENCE.

After a delay of some considerable time, Mr. McCarthy, one of the defendant's counsel, stated that owing to the fact that the Commonwealth had called all the parties who have any knowledge of the affair, the defence would not call any witnesses, but would comment on the testimony of the Commonwealth.

Mr. Marshal then stated the theory of the defence to the Court, and cited the counsel for the Commonwealth to his authorities which he intended to read to maintain his theory.

John Coyle, Esq., opened the argument on the part of the Commonwealth in a forcible and effective manner.

John C. McCarthy, Esq., followed in behalf of the prisoner, with an able, eloquent and forcible argument, in the course of which he carefully reviewed the evidence in the case, and held that under the testimony, if the jury believed the defendant committed the crime with which he was charged, they could not find him guilty of murder of the first degree.

Mr. Marshall followed for the defense, arguing the case in his usual forcible manner.

District Attorney Pearson, on behalf of the Commonwealth, closed the argument. His address to the jury was forcible and convincing. He held that under the evidence there could be no doubt of the prisoner's guilt, and that the facts fully warranted a verdict of murder in the first degree.

CHARGE OF THE COURT.

Judge Stowe delivered the charge of the Court to the jury. He read extracts from the charge of Judge Agnew, in the case of the Commonwealth vs. William Drum, tried at Greensburg, Westmoreland county, in November, 1868, for the murder of Daniel Monigan. He reminded the jury of the responsibility resting upon them, and warned them against being influenced by either pity for the prisoner, or the horror of the crime for which he was indicted. The consequences of a verdict of guilty where the result would be death, must have no weight with them, as it was the law and not the jury which inflicted the punishment. The jury did not pronounce the sentence of the law; that belongs to the Court: It is your province to say whether the prisoner has committed the crime which the indictment charges against him; you only find a true verdict.

The law of our State has made wilful, deliberate and premeditated murder a capital crime. Sworn, as we are, to obey that law, we must know no other guide, remembering that the powers that be are ordained of God, and that we needs must be subject to them, not only for the wrath they may invoke, but for our own conscience sake. Then hold the balance firmly, that justice may be done, both to the Commonwealth and to the prisoner; such words as rich and poor, high and low, should have no place in your thoughts. You would not willingly err, but you must endeavor not to err. Search your conscience for the source of every judgment. Let your convictions, carefully and deliberately formed, be such that you may follow them to their foundation, in the hidden depth of the heart, where the Unseen Eye alone can penetrate, and there, in that dread presence, challenge their true source.

His Honor then defined the crime of murder as laid down in both the common law and in the statutes, and held that in this case the intention of the prisoner at the time of the commission of the act constituted the offence.

Murder of the second degree and manslaughter was also clearly defined by His Honor, after which he reviewed at length the law of evidences.

The charge was one of the most elaborate and able that we have ever heard delivered in this court.

At the conclusion of the Judge's remarks the jury retired, and had not agree upon a verdict at a late hour last night.

CITY COUNCILS.

Meeting for the Election of City Officers—The City Printing—Retrenchment and Reform—Safe Custody of Public Funds.

A meeting of the Select and Common Councils was held yesterday (Tuesday) January 11th, 1870, for the purpose of electing city officers for the ensuing year, pursuant to the act of Assembly relating thereto.

Select Council.

Members present—Messrs. Ahl, Ahlborn, Aiken, Armstrong, Bissell, Brown Burgwin, Coffin, Devlin, Duncan, Edwards, Friday, Gallaher, Glenn, Gross, Hartman, Herron, House, E. P. Jones, Isaac Jones, Kenew, Kirk, Laufman, Liddell, Little, Lloyd, Morrow, Murdoch, McEwen, McMahon, McMeal, Rafferty, Rees, Rush, Scully, Sealey, Shipton, Thompson, S. J. Wainwright, Z. Wainwright, White, Wilson, President McAuley and E. S. Morrow, Clerk.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved.

The President stated that there was one member who had not yet been sworn in, whereupon Mr. Ahlborn, member elect from the Seventeenth ward, came forward and the oath of office was administered to him by the President.

The President then stated the object for which the meeting had been called and requested the clerk to notify Common Council that Select Council was ready to meet in joint session for the election of city officers.

Mr. Gross presented a resolution providing that the Presidents of Councils be added to the Finance Committee. Adopted.

TRANSFERS.

The President read a communication from the Controller setting forth that he desired to close the appropriations for the year, and to that end requested Councils to pass the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers of appropriations:

From No. 4 Fire Engines and Hose to No. 6 Water Works	$567 29
From No. 5 Police to No. 6 Water Works	454 25
From No. 12 Contingent Fund to No. 6 Water Works	207 87
From No. 10 Monongahela Wharf to No. 7 Streets	6 67
From No. 11 Allegheny Wharf to No. 7 Streets	28 71
From No. 11 City Property to No 7 Streets	1,429 00
From No. 15 Finance to No. 7 streets	1,409 70
From No. 17 Outstanding Warrants to No. 9 Diamond Markets	100 00
From No. 12 Contingent Fund to No. 9 Diamond Market	61 79
From No. 12 Contingent Fund to No. 21 Fire Alarm	267 83
From No. 13 Contingent Fund to No. 21 Roads	63 60
From No. 13 Contingent Fund to No. 23 Surveys	161 42
From No. 15 Finance to No. 23 Surveys	573 07
Total	$5,344 31

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

Accompanying the report was a bill for grading, paving and curbing in front of the Forty-third street Station House, and a resolution authorizing the Controller to issue his certificate to the Mayor for a warrant for the payment of said bill. Certificate not to issue until February 1, 1870.

The bill was read and the resolution adopted.

A communication from the Controller was read by the Chairman, relative to a reduction of business tax of thirty-one firms. Referred to the Finance Committee.

Mr. Gross presented a resolution authorizing the stove in the Select Council Chamber moved to the lobby. Adopted.

Mr. Brown presented an ordinance providing for the election of City Printers and the compensation thereof. The ordinance provides that annually on the second Tuesday of January Councils shall meet and elect two daily papers as city printers to do the city printing and that said papers shall receive the sum of $1,000 per year each for the same. The ordinance was read three times and passed under a suspension of the rules.

Mr. Brown submitted the following resolution:

IN THE SELECT COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PITTSBURGH:

Resolved, That it is the sense of this Council that economy in every branch of the public service, faithful and impartial execution of the laws and ordinances of the city and collection of its revenue, and the rigid accountability of every officer and department of the City Government, should be required and enforced; that the salaries and emoluments of city officers should not be increased beyond the compensation fixed by law at the time of their election or appointment; that no gift, allowance or voluntary appropriation of the public money should be made for or on account of alleged insufficiency of salaries, fees or compensation, or pretended extra services, of officers and employes of the city; that it is the prerogative and duty of the Councils to secure these results, and we the members of this Council, in advance of the election of city officers for the current year, do hereby pledge ourselves to maintain the principles herein declared, and by our votes and acts, as representatives of the city, to enforce the strictest economy, efficiency and vigilance in our municipal government.

The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Brown presented the bill of Allen & Dunn for repairing the Try street sewer and a resolution authorizing its payment. Read and action postponed.

Mr. Gallaher, a resolution providing that the Street Committee shall hereafter be constituted of members of Council from the old city wards, Lawrenceville and the Sixteenth ward, and that the Road Committee be composed of members from the new districts.

Mr. Herron moved that the Survey Committee also be composed of members from the new wards.

On motion of Mr. Jones, the matter was referred to the Presidents of Councils.

Council then adjourned to meet in joint session.

Common Council.

There were present: Messrs. Arthurs, Albeitz, Barker, Batchelor, Beckman, Beymer, Black, Booth, Bradley, Cameron, Carroll, Caskey, Chalmers, Creegan, Daum, Diamond, Dietrich, Duff, Edwards, Faxon, Fedder, Ferson, D. L. Fleming, John Fleming, Fulton, Gazzam, Hare, Jahn, Jamison, Jones, Kohne, Lang, Lyons, Mattern, Miller, Moore, Moorhead, Moseley, McCandless, McCoy, Negley, Oliver, H. W. sr., Preston, Schleiter, Schneider, Seiferth, Seitz, Shidle, Shoeb, Sims, Smith, Sneathen, Snodgrass, Verner and Tomlinson, President.

Preparatory to the transaction of any business the oath of office was administered by President Tomlinson to Messrs. David Sims and Chas. W. Batchelor, who were not present at the organization of Councils.

THE CITY MONEYS.

Mr. Barton, after reading from an act of Assembly the authority granted Councils for the action proposed, read in place the following ordinance, providing for the safe keeping of the public funds of the city:

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE SAFE KEEPING AND CUSTODY OF THE FUNDS OF THE CITY.

Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same.

SEC. 1. That the Select and Common Councils of the city of Pittsburgh shall, at the first regular meeting, after the passage of this ordinance, go into joint session and choose, elect and designate three of the Banks or Savings Institutions of said city to be depositories and custodians of the public money or funds of said city, until the first Monday of February, 1871.

SEC. 2. That at the annual joint session of said Councils hereafter for electing city officers, three of the Banks or Savings Institutions of said city shall be chosen, elected and designated to be depositories and custodians of the public money or funds of said city for the ensuing year.

SEC. 3. That it shall be the duty of the Controller of said city, immediately upon the passage of this ordinance, and annually thereafter, at least ten days before the meeting of said joint session of Councils, to advertise for and receive sealed proposals from the banks and savings institutions of said city, setting forth the rate of interest such banks or savings institutions will contract and agree to pay to the city for the use and advantage of said deposits of such public funds or money, the same to be adjusted, settled and paid monthly, and computed upon the average amount of the deposits of each month, said settlement and adjustment to be made by said Controller, subject to the approval of the Finance Committee of said Councils.

SEC. 4. It shall be the duty of said Controller to lay said bids before said City Councils at said joint annual session, when the same shall be opened by the President of said joint session, and the Councils shall choose and elect viva voce the three appearing to be the highest and best bidders.

SEC. 5. That the Banks or Savings Institutions, so designated, elected and chosen, shall make, execute and deliver to, and file with, the Controller of said City a Bond, in the penal sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars, with warrant of Attorney, with at least three sufficient sureties, conditioned for the true and faithful performance of their duties as such public depositories. And that all checks or warrants drawn upon the funds so on deposit in said Banks or Savings institutions, by authority of law, shall be approved by the Finance Committee aforesaid.

SEC. 6. That so soon as the Banks or Savings Institutions so designated as depositories of the funds of said city, shall have given bond as required by this ordinance, it shall be the duty of the City Treasurer to deposit all funds in his official custody, or that afterwards come in his official possession, in the Banks or Savings Institutions aforesaid, keeping the amount in each as nearly equal as can be done.

SEC. 7. That the public moneys or funds so on deposit may be drawn by the City Treasurer as required to meet the liabilities of said city, upon warrants or checks drawn by himself and countersigned by the Controller, under such regulations as the said Controller and Finance Committee may from time to time establish.

SEC. 8. Should any such bank or savings institution close its doors at any time during business hours, or fail to pay any warrant drawn upon it by the City Treasurer, countersigned by the Controller, upon the funds so on deposit with said bank or savings institution, when the same is presented at its counter, it shall be the duty of the City Treasurer forthwith to report the same to the City Controller, who shall at once cause the official bond of such bank or savings institution to be entered up in the proper Court of Record, by the City Solicitor, and an execution forthwith issued upon the same, and also that said City Controller shall call together and report the same to the Finance Committee, who shall report the same to Councils at their next meeting.

SEC. 9. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Read three times and passed under a suspension of rules. Not acted on in Select branch.

LAID OVER.

At this point the resolution on retrenchment from the Select branch was called up and discussed. Messrs. Batchelor and Hare objected, giving as a reason therefor that an effort would be made to equalize the salaries of the Road and Street Commissioners. The ordinance went over under the rules.

Mr. Hare presented a resolution for the erection of a gas lamp on Spring alley, Fourth ward. Referred to the Gas Committee.

Mr. Hare offered an ordinance regulating the salaries of Street and Road Commissioners, and fixing the salary of the Third District Street Commissioner, for 1870, at the same amount as that of the First and Second District Street Commissioners; fixing the salaries of the three Road Commissioners at $1,000 per annum each.

Objection was made to the passage of the ordinance.

Mr. Jones moved a suspension of the rules and its final passage. Lost by a vote of 31 to 24, a two-thirds majority being required.

The ordinance accordingly laid over under the rules.

On motion adjourned.

Joint Session.

The Select Council adjourned to meet in the chamber of the Common branch to go into joint session for the purpose of electing city officers to serve the ensuing year. President Tomlinson vacated the chair in favor of President McAuley. The roll was called and the election was ordered *viva voce*.

Mr. Barton called the attention of Councils to a provision in the act of Assembly requiring that each member voting and the person for whom he votes, shall be properly recorded on the minute book. Otherwise the election would be invalid.

President McAuley thought there was no good reason for going through that tedious process unless opposition to any one of the candidates nominated was made. A record of the members present would be kept, and if opposing votes were offered, such would be entered, with the names of persons so voting, on the minute book.

Councils waived the Act of Assembly and preceded to elect by unanimous vote, with one exception, (Meat Inspector) the following officers, who had previously received the Republican caucus nomination:

City Printer—(English) GAZETTE.
City Printer—(German) *Freiheits Freund*.
City Engineer—H. J. Moore
City Assessor—Thomas H. Phelps.
City Gauger—J. L. Forsaith.
Superintendent of Markets—Samuel Kilgore.
Clerk of Markets—James Moore.
Monongahela Wharfmaster—John Rippey.
Allegheny Wharfmaster—Robert A. Hill.
Salt Inspector—Ed. C. Matthews.
Inspector of Ashes—J. McMaster King.
Inspector of Tobacco—Wm. Rinehart.
Bark Measurer—John Pollock.
1st Dis't Street Commissioner—J. F. Hunter.
2d Dis't St. Commissioner—Geo. Linderman.
3d Dis't Street Commissioner—Wm. Wiley.
Assessor of Water Rents—Robert King.
Meat Inspector—Thomas W. Lindsey.
Superintendent of Water Works—Jos. French.
Building Inspector—H. N. Herd.
Council Messenger—Capt. Sam. Cooper.
BOARD MEASURERS—First ward, J. Owens; Second ward, James Black; Third ward, Louis Duff; Fourth ward, W. G. McClure; Fifth ward, Andrew Heyden; Sixth ward, I. A. Willis; Seventh ward, James McMasters; Eighth ward, Hugh Y. Boyce; Ninth ward, Jno. Pollock; Tenth ward, W. J. McGregor; Eleventh ward, H. M. Donaldson; Twelfth ward, Wm. Clark; Thirteenth ward, Frank Robinson; Fourteenth ward, S. Martin; Fifteenth ward, Louis Tattlebury; Sixteenth ward, Robert Black; Seventeenth ward, John McCune; Eighteenth ward, David Jones; Nineteenth ward, J. F. Beecher; Twentieth ward, Stewart McKee; Twenty first ward, Philip Kolphen; Twenty-second ward, Samuel Mitchel; Twenty-third ward, Samuel Thompson.

The following are the changes from last year: J. L. Forsaith instead of J. H. Nobbs as City Gauger; James Moore instead of David Dunseath, Sr., as Clerk of the Markets; Edward Mathews as Street Inspector instead of Kenny Goff; George Linderman as Second District Street Commissioner instead of John D. McFadden, and Thomas Lindsey instead of Adam Weaver as Meat Inspector. The offices of Building Inspector, and Third District Street Commissioner are new.

The office of City Job Printer, last year held by A. A. Anderson & Sons, was abolished, and the work will hereafter be awarded by contract.

THE ONLY OPPOSITION.

When Mr. Lindsey was nominated for Meat Inspector, Mr. Rafferty, (Democratic member from the Fifth ward,) nominated Adam Weaver for the position. He said he thought Councils should pause before electing Mr. Lindsey to the important position, inasmuch as he, Mr. L., had been in the business of dealing in putrid meat during the last year. He thought his election would be an improper one, and pushed the nomination of Mr. Weaver. A vote was taken, and Mr. Lindsey was elected by an almost unanimous vote, Mr. Rafferty alone voting in the negative.

On motion, joint session adjourned.

A Grand Musical Entertainment.

Prof. Rohbock gives the musical public a very attractive programme of a vocal and instrumental concert under his own direction, on Thursday evening next, in the chapel of the First Baptist Church, Fourth avenue, for the benefit of the church, and mainly to help in defraying the cost of the new and splendid organ.

Miss Foerster, Miss Annie Wells and Miss Cora Brown, with Messrs. Toerge, Roe and Everson make an array of musical talent not often presented to the Pittsburgh audience, while the selections have been made with reference not only to the highest professional standard but also to the very best popular effect. Inasmuch as entertainments of a high musical order are so frequently given under circumstances that prevent many conscientious lovers of good music from enjoying them, the present opportunity is likely to be embraced by a larger audience than this beautiful chapel can comfortably entertain.

For Prothonotary.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—Please announce through your very valuable Republican journal that the friends of George R. Riddle, Esq., of Allegheny, will present his name as a candidate for County Prothonotary, to succeed Mr. Walters, the present incumbent. Mr. Riddle although not old in years is an experienced business man, a thorough accountant, a clever, fair dealing and courteous gentleman, and withal an ardent, consistent and faithful Republican and party worker. His record in the Allegheny Council, as a member and as President of the common branch, is an enviable one and reflects to him a large degree of credit, especially as no single act or vote during his long term of office has ever been questioned by the most scrupulous. He will make a most excellent officer if selected for the position named.

ALLEGHENY.

The Continental.

The Continental, Fifth avenue, below the Postoffice, fresh and bright since its thorough refitting, is still the centre of attraction for lovers of a dainty, clean and palatable repast. We can see no marvel in the immense patronage which this establishment enjoys when the style in which everything is conducted is considered. Perfectly clean and tidy tables, polite and accommodating waiters and a rich and varied abundance of the best the market in season affords, should certainly attract patrons in large numbers. This is the secret of the great success of the "Continental," which deservedly is one of the most popular institutions of its character in our city. The proprietor, Mr. Holzheimer, understands the wants of the people, and by conducting his restaurant on a liberal scale, meets with that gratifying success which alone attends merit.

Fashionable Clothing.

Mr. W. Hespenheide, No. 50 Sixth street, continues to manufacture men and boys clothing of the latest style and best material, and at popular prices. His large list of patrons gives ample evidence of the satisfactory manner in which he conducts trade. For fine dress goods he has just received a new stock, which cannot be excelled in the city. Business suits are made from material which is warranted to look well and wear well. Of overcoating and heavy goods he has a large and choice assortment which all in need of clothing would do well to examine. It is no trouble to show the goods, and purchasers or others are perfectly welcome to inspect the stock. No. 50 Sixth street.

Youngson's popular confectionary establishment is located corner of Smithfield street and Diamond alley. Nothing but the best and purest candies and confectionery are prepared or offered for sale there. Ladies and gentlemen will find meals ready at all hours, for their accommodation.

THE LIGHTNING STRIKE.

Up to midnight last night the operators of the Western Union Telegraph Company continued out on their strike, and give no signs of "coming down." They are better situated than most classes for maintaining a strike, as each has saved enough money to see him through dark days. Altogether, they are sober, intelligent and industrious, and rank in public estimation as high as any other profession, and we do not marvel at their determination, decorum and decency. They say no harsh things of their former employers, but resolutely adhere to what they conceive to be principle, and swear to starve before they will go back on their brethren of the key and sound board elsewhere. We hope soon to chronicle an adjustment of difficulties. With the San Francisco office rests all the cause of complaint, and we would respectfully suggest that a committee of conference be appointed to adjust the difficulties on a fair and square basis all around.

The Telegraphers' Union received last night the following dispatches:

CHICAGO, Jan. 11.—Dug Burnett, of San Francisco, an old, well known and reliable telegrapher, in a letter dated January 3d, says: If this reaches you before our difficulty is settled, I wish to say that every means has been taken by those in the ring to misrepresent us. I repeat most emphatically, we only act against a reduction. We do not sanction a strike for higher wages, although it has been reported by officials out here. "Stand by us." Remember your oath. "Be firm and all will be well." Let every one know what platform we stand on, that of equal rights and justice to all. I had an interview with Gamble and Mumford this evening at the Cosmopolitan Hotel, and told them in the name of the operators of the United States that we had assumed a position and would not recede from it.

LOUISVILLE, January 11.—We are more determined and fully as confident as when we went out. You may depend upon us. One new member to day.

CHICAGO, January 11—Am posting San Francisco daily. Keep the boys together and success is certainly near. San Francisco papers and letters at hand completely substantiate previous claims and place Jacobs' statements in truth beyond a doubt.

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 11.—South all out and business for those points refused.

Col. J. D. Egan, whose book, news and literary depot, No. 41 Sixth avenue, has long been regarded as headquarters for selection and bargains, was never more attractive to purchasers than at the present time. His catalogues of standard literary works, large collection of rare foreign and home books, bound volumes of magazines, stationery, legal and epistolary writing papers, envelopes, pens, &c., are very inviting features to those desiring anything in his line.

N. B. Subscriptions are received by Col. Egan at publisher's rates, for all the leading magazines and periodicals and literary newspapers of the country.

A Young Man with weak eyes, stepped into a saloon a few days since and asked for a glass of ale which was immediately handed him. Like many others, he held it up to the sun to see it sparkle; but most unfortunately for him was it that he held it so, for the ale was so brilliant that the reflection was too much for his eyes, and he has been confined to a dark room ever since with inflamation in those invaluable organs. People say that the brilliancy of Pier, Dannals & Co.'s cream ale is its only fault, for it is dangerous to weak eyed people. They will drink it, though.

A lot of new and fancy patterns of Queensware have just been added to the stock at the Keystone Pottery Warehouse, No. 363 Liberty street. Messrs. Kier & Co. are continually improving their ware and are always on the lookout for new designs. They have now one of the finest assortments of Queensware and Bristolware ever seen in this city. Purchasers should call at 363 Liberty street.

Day boarding at Burn's restaurant, Smithfield street and Sixth avenue, has been reduced to the remarkable low figure of four dollars per week. Taken in connection with the accommodations at this establishment, the price can hardly fail to be satisfactory to the most exacting. In selecting boarding houses should be made at Burns.

Keeler's Petroleum Scale, with platform curved to prevent barrels from rolling off, is being patented by J. F. Keeler, 38 Wood street.

Traveling satchels, all varieties, styles and prices at Liebler's, 104 Wood street.

New goods arriving daily at Moorhead's, 81 Market street.

Shoulder shawls, wool knit hoods and capes, gloves of every description, at Moorhead's, 81 Market street.

Broche and silk scarfs, embroidered sashes, and ribbons, at Moorhead's, 81 Market street.

Ladies' fine linen handkerchiefs and collars at Moorhead's, No. 81 Market street.

The great trunk emporium of the city, Liebler's, 104 Wood street.

Trunks, large and small sizes, at Liebler's 104 Wood street.

Cabas and ladies' traveling cases, at Liebler's 104 Wood street.

DIED:

HOLLIDAY—On Tuesday morning, at one o'clock, Mrs. ELIZA HOLLIDAY, in the 48th year of her age.

Funeral from her late residence, Woods Run, THURSDAY MORNING, at 10 o'clock. Carriages leave Fairman's Livery Stable, Beaver avenue, Allegheny city, at 9 A. M.

CARROLL—In Baltimore, on Saturday, January 8th, at 10 o'clock P. M., DANIEL J. CARROLL, son of Hugh Carroll, of this city, in the 22d year of his age.

The funeral will take place from the residence of C. McCloskey, Esq., corner of Sandusky and Lacock streets, Allegheny, on WEDNESDAY MORNING, at 10 o'clock. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

UNDERTAKERS.

S. PATTERSON........JAMES L. WILLIAMS.
PATTERSON & WILLIAMS, Undertakers, corner of Fifth avenue and High street, Pittsburgh. Coffins of all kinds, Shrouds, Crapes and Gloves, and every description of funeral furnishing goods furnished on the most reasonable terms in the city. Hearse and carriages furnished. Office open day and night.

CHARLES & PEEBLES, UNDERTAKERS AND LIVERY STABLES, corner of SANDUSKY STREET AND CHURCH AVENUE, Allegheny City, where their COFFIN ROOMS are constantly supplied with real and imitation Rosewood, Mahogany and Walnut Coffins, at prices varying from $4 to $100. Bodies prepared for interment. Hearses and Carriages furnished; also, all kinds of Mourning Goods, if required. Office open at all hours, day and night.

JOSEPH MEYER & SON, UNDERTAKERS, No. 424 PENN STREET. Carriages for Funerals, $3.00 Each. COFFINS and all Funeral Furnishment at reduced rates.

HENRY G. HALE, MERCHANT TAILOR, Corner of Penn and Sixth Streets, FALL AND WINTER STOCK NOW COMPLETE. LADIES OR GENTLEMEN, Wishing to purchase a nice present for their friends for a HOLIDAY GIFT. Would do well to stop in and examine my stock of WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY and SILVER WARE of the most desirable patterns just received at W. G. DUNSEATH'S, JEWELER AND OPTICIAN. 56 FIFTH AVENUE.

WATCHES, GOLD CHAINS, Jewelry, Silver Ware, FANCY GOODS, &c., At greatly reduced prices, at WATTLES & SHEAFER'S, 101 FIFTH AVENUE, (above Smithfield St.) N. B.—We give our personal attention to the repairing of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry. All work warranted.

H. B. LYON, Sealer of Weights and Measures, Office—No. 3 FOURTH AVENUE, Pittsburgh. Capt. JOHN MESSNER, Deputy, Pittsburgh Market. Lieut. GEO. B. McNULTY, Deputy, Allegheny Market.

DIVIDENDS.

OFFICE OF THE NATIONAL INSURANCE CO., January 31, 1870.
DIVIDEND NOTICE.—The Board of Directors of this Company have this day declared a dividend of SIX PER CENT. out of the earnings of the last six months, free of Government and State taxes, payable instanter, at the office of the Company, No. 22 Diamond, Allegheny, on and after the 15th inst. JAMES E. STEVENSON, Secretary.

OFFICE OF BEN FRANKLIN INSURANCE CO., NO. 41 OHIO STREET, ALLEGHENY, PA., January 4, 1870.
THE DIRECTORS OF THIS Company have THIS DAY declared a dividend of TWO DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS ($2.50) PER SHARE, to be credited on the Stock Notes. GEO. D. RIDDLE, Secretary.

DIVIDEND—PENNSYLVANIA INSURANCE COMPANY.—The Directors of this Company have this day declared a dividend of FOUR (4) per cent. out of the profits of the last six months, payable on or after the 10th inst., free of U. S. tax. HUGH McELHENY, Secretary. PITTSBURGH, January 4, 1870.

DIVIDEND.—FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Pittsburgh, Pa., (late Pittsburgh Trust Company). The Directors of this Bank have this day declared a Dividend of three per cent. on the capital stock, out of the profits of the last three months, payable forthwith, free of State and Government Tax. J. D. SCULLY, Cashier. January 3, 1870.

MERCHANTS & MANUFACTURERS' NAT. BANK, PITTSBURGH, January 4, 1870.
DIVIDEND NOTICE.—The Directors of this Bank have this day declared a dividend of FIVE PER CENT. on the Capital Stock out of the profits of the last six months, payable forthwith, free of all taxes. JOHN SCOTT, JR., Cashier.

ALLEGHENY NATIONAL BANK, PITTSBURGH, January 3, 1870.
THE DIRECTORS OF THIS Bank have this day declared a dividend of FIVE PER CENT. on the capital stock out of the earnings of the last six months, payable to the stockholders forthwith, free of all tax. W. McCANDLESS, Assistant Cashier.

OFFICE ALLEGHENY BRIDGE COMPANY, PITTSBURGH, January 1st, 1870.
THE PRESIDENT, MANAGERS AND COMPANY for erecting a Bridge over the Allegheny River, opposite Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny have this day declared a Dividend of TWO DOLLARS on each share of the Capital Stock of the Company, payable to stockholders or their legal representatives by the Treasurer, forthwith. W. ROSEBURG, Treasurer.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—The Directors of the "Little Saw Mill Run Railroad Company" have THIS DAY declared a Dividend of FIVE PER CENT., clear of Government tax, out of the earnings of the last six months, payable to Stockholders or their legal representatives, at the office of the Company on and after JANUARY 1ST, 1870. WM. ESPY, President.

OFFICE OF THE CASH INSURANCE COMPANY, PITTSBURGH, January 3, 1870.
DIVIDEND.—The Board of Directors of this Company have this day declared a dividend of TEN PER CENT. out of the profits of the last six months, payable on demand, free of Government tax. JOSEPH T. JOHNSTON, Secretary.

PEOPLE'S SAVINGS BANK OF ALLEGHENY, December 15, 1869.
THE DIRECTORS OF THIS Bank have this day declared a dividend of FIVE PER CENT., free of Government tax, payable on and after January 3d, 1870. E. F. YOUNG, Cashier.

PITTSBURGH NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, CORNER OF WOOD STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE.—The Directors of this Bank have this day declared a Dividend of SIX PER CENT. on the Capital Stock out of the profits of the last six months, payable on demand free of Government tax. JOSEPH H. HILL, Cashier. PITTSBURGH, PA., January 3, 1870.

DIVIDEND.—The People's National Bank has this day declared a dividend of FOUR DOLLARS PER SHARE, out of the earnings of the past six months, free of taxes, payable on demand. F. M. GORDON, Cashier.

FARMERS DEPOSIT NATIONAL BANK, PITTSBURGH, January 3, 1870.
THE DIRECTORS OF THIS Bank have this day declared a dividend of SIX PER CENT. out of the profits of the last six months, payable forthwith, free of tax. F. L. STEPHENSON, Cashier.

CITY BANK OF PITTSBURGH, PITTSBURGH, PA., January 3d, 1870.
THIS BANK HAS THIS DAY declared a Dividend of FIVE (5) PER CENT., from the profits of the last six months, payable on and after the TENTH inst. W. N. MORGAN, Cashier.

OFFICE OF THE ENTERPRISE INSURANCE COMPANY, PITTSBURGH, January 1st, 1870.
DIVIDEND NO. 1.—The Directors of this Company have THIS DAY declared a Dividend of TWO DOLLARS PER SHARE, free of Government tax, and payable at the office of the Company, No. 423 Penn street 2nd story, to the stockholders on and after the TENTH inst. J. J. ALBIETZ, Secretary.

MECHANICS NATIONAL BANK, PITTSBURGH, January 3d, 1870.
A DIVIDEND OF EIGHT PER CENT., free of Taxes, will be paid to the Stockholders of this Bank, on and after JANUARY 11TH, INST. JOHN G. MARTIN, Cashier.

INSURANCE.

WHAT MORE ACCEPTABLE Christmas present to a loving wife, mother or sister than a Policy of Life Insurance in THE PENN MUTUAL Life Insurance Company OF PHILADELPHIA. The Only Truly Mutual Company in the City or State.
ACCUMULATED CAPITAL......$2,500,000
After paying losses to the am't of..$1,200,000
There is a special advantage in taking out a policy now, as those who get their policies before January 1st will have the benefit of the 50 per cent. dividend of January next.
JOSEPH S. TRAVELLI, Agent, OFFICE—37 FIFTH AVENUE, 2d Floor, Room No. 3.

CASH INSURANCE COMPANY. PHELAN'S BUILDING, No. 22 Fifth Avenue, Second Floor, PITTSBURGH, PA. Capital All Paid Up.
DIRECTORS:

N. J. Bigley,	H. W. Oliver, Jr.	Capt. M. Bailey,
Dan'l Wallace,	S. H. Hartman,	A. Chambers,
John Hill,	S. M'Clurkan,	Jas. M. Bailey,
Thomas Smith,	Jno. S. Willock,	

ROBERT H. KING, President. JNO. F. JENNINGS, Vice President. JOS. T. JOHNSTON, Secretary. Capt. R. J. GRACE, Gen'l Agent. Insures on Liberal Terms on all Fire and Marine Risks.

SPECIE PAYMENT RESUMED! NO HUMBUG! MRS. S. C. ROBB, No. 91 Federal Street, IS PAYING SILVER IN CHANGE! New Millinery, New Lace Goods, New Ribbon Bows, New Jewelry. And all kinds of FANCY LADIES' GOODS. Come and get papers full of Goods and pockets full of silver, at 91 Federal Street, Allegheny.

JOHN M. COOPER & CO.' Bell and Brass Founders, ENGINE, LOCOMOTIVE & ROLLING MILL BRASSES Made Promptly to Order. BABBIT'S METAL Made and Kept on Hand. Proprietors and Manufacturers of J. M. Cooper's Improved Balance Wheel STEAM PUMP. Office, 882 PENN STREET, Foundry, Cor. 17th and Railroad Streets, PITTSBURGH, PA.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION of THE PITTSBURGH BANK FOR SAVINGS, December 31, 1869:

LIABILITIES:	
Capital Stock	$75,000 00
Due Depositors	498,800 71
Contingent Fund	21,471 06
	$595,271 77
ASSETS:	
Bonds, Mortgages	$506,417 74
Bills Receivable	49,358 63
Office Fixtures	468 00
Cash	39,027 40
	$595,271 77

D. E. McKINLEY, Treasurer. The undersigned Auditing Committee respectfully, report that they have examined the books and assets of the bank, and find the above statement to be correct. S. H. HARTMAN, ROBT. C. SCHMERTZ, C. FOLLANSBEE. PITTSBURGH, January 3, 1870.

JOHN I. HOUSE....EDW. HOUSE....WM. E. HOUSE. JOHN I. HOUSE & BROS., Successors to JOHN I. HOUSE & CO., Wholesale Grocers and Commission Merchants, Corner of Smithfield and Water streets, Pittsburgh.

LEAD—275 Pigs Soft Galena LEAD. For sale by J. B. CANFIELD.

NOTICES—"To-Let," "For Sale," "Lost," "Wants," "Found," "Boarding," &c., not exceeding FOUR LINES, will be inserted in these columns once for TWENTY-FIVE CENTS; each additional line FIVE CENTS.

WANTS.

WANTED.—SITUATION by a Young girl as Nurse in a respectable family. Address No. 693, Ohio street, Allegheny City.

WANTED.—BOARDING.—A Pleasant Front Room, with good family board. 47 ANDERSON STREET, Allegheny.

WANTED—HELP.—AT EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, No. 1 St. Clair Street, BOYS GIRLS and MEN, for different kinds of employment. Persons wanting help of all kinds can be supplied on short notice.

WANTED—An AGENT for this city to sell the celebrated BARTRAM & FANTON SEWING MACHINE, on which we offer terms more liberal than any other company. Call and examine at 161 Wood street. H. C. WILCOX, Traveling Agent.

WANTED.—AGENTS everywhere to sell the AMERICAN KNITTING MACHINE, the only Practical Family Knitting Machine ever invented. Price $25. Will knit 20,000 stitches per minute. Address AMERICAN KNITTING MACHINE CO., Boston, Mass., or St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED.—Two Solicitors for an old established New York (all cash) Life Insurance Company, to operate in Western Pennsylvania. Will be paid salary. Address Box 756, Pittsburgh Postoffice.

WANTED.—A German Gentleman who speaks English to take the General Agency of a New York Life insurance Company, who have an English office at Pittsburgh. Liberal inducements to a proper person. Address, for interview, Box 756, Postoffice, Pittsburgh.

WANTED.—MORTGAGES.—$30,000 to Loan in large or small amounts, at a fair rate of interest. THOMAS K. PETTY, Bill, Bond and Real Estate Broker, No. 179 Smithfield street.

WANTED.—AGENTS.—$250 per month to sell the only GENUINE IMPROVED COMMON SENSE SEWING MACHINE. Price only $18. Great inducements to Agents. This is the most popular Sewing Machine of the day—makes the famous "Elastic Lock Stitch"—will do any kind of work that can be done on any machine—100,000 sold and the demand constantly increasing. Now is the time to take an Agency. Send for circulars. Beware of infringers. Address SECOMB & CO., Boston, Mass., Pittsburgh, Pa., or St. Louis, Mo.

TO-LET.

TO LET.—The Large Store Room No. 96 Wylie Avenue, corner of Federal street, Pittsburgh. A. M. BROWN, 114 Fifth avenue.

TO LET.—Two 2 story brick Houses, Nos. 58 and 116 Centre avenue, containing ten rooms each, with all modern improvements. Enquire at No. 54 Centre avenue. Mr. McCALLUM.

TO LET.—Five rooms—one very large—on the corner of Penn and Sixth (Hancock) streets. Also two dwellings adjoining, with eight and seven rooms. Enquire at 277 Penn street.

TO LET.—A Suit of Rooms comprising Two Large, well lighted front Rooms on 2nd floor. One large, well lighted front Room on 3rd floor. One large Hall with two ante-rooms on 4th floor, in English's new building, Fourth avenue. For terms inquire of A. H. ENGLISH & CO., No. 98 Fourth avenue.

TO LET.—A lot of ground 192 feet by 296 feet with a large, substantial brick building 50 feet by 140 feet, and an office building containing two rooms, formerly occupied by James Millinger as a planing mill, situated, Carson and First streets south Pittsburgh, suitable for manufacturing purposes or a distillery. Apply to ATTERBURY & CO., Carson and Tenth streets, Birmingham.

TO LET.—Desk Room in a handsomely fitted up office, in a central location for business. Apply at No. 60 Fourth avenue, second floor.

TO LET.—The New Store building, No. 68 Wood street. Enquire at No. 148 Penn street.

TO-LET.—Dwelling House No. 30 Ferry street. Enquire at No. 406 Penn street, between the hours of 10 and 12 A. M. and 2 and 4 P. M.

TO-LET.—Warehouse No. 323 Liberty street, from January 1st inst. to April 1st, 1871. Apply at rear office on the premises.

TO LET.—A Two Story Brick Dwelling House, No. 98 Monterey street, Allegheny City. It contains all the modern improvements and is close to a passenger railway. Immediate possession given. Apply to W. P. CARLILE, City Engineer's Office, Allegheny City, Pa.

TO LET.—STORES, DWELLINGS, ROOMS AND OFFICES. Inquire of GAZZAM & CO., 95 Fifth avenue.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.—Stock and Fixtures, LEASE AND GOOD WILL of a first-class Grocery, doing a good business. The undersigned being engaged in other business is the reason for selling. G. W. PUSEY, 49 Federal street, Allegheny.

FOR SALE. THREE SHODDY MACHINES, Two Pickers and One Lumper. Inquire at No. 21 DIAMOND, Allegheny City, Penna.

FOR SALE. House and Lots on Spring Hill, Seventh ward, price $3,500; 10¾ acres near Fleming Station, $5,000; House and Lot, 54 James street, $3,500; 3 houses on Fleming street, $1,800 each; 8 acres, and 3 lots in Pleasant Valley, $4,300; 6 acres in Reserve township, on Evergreen road, $6,000; 3 lots on Fremont street, $1,600 each; house and lot in Salem, Ohio, $2,000; 4 acre ground in Bellevue Boro, $1,600; house and lots, head of Beaver street, $2,850; house and lot in Allegheny, $1,500; house and 8 acres in Elizabeth Boro, $1,600; house and lot in Bridgewater, Beaver county—house contains 21 rooms, lot 65 by 210 feet—$5,000; farm at Fair Oaks Station, 34 acres, $60 per acre. Inquire of M. WHITMORE, Real Estate Agent, corner Ohio and Sandusky streets, Allegheny.

PERSONAL.—All persons seeking HOMES, or investments in Real Estate, will save time, trouble and money by procuring a copy of the "PITTSBURGH REAL ESTATE REGISTER." It is given away GRATIS or will be sent by mail free to any requesting it. Persons cannot fail to get suited out of the large list it contains. CROFT & PHILLIPS, Publishers and Real Estate Agents, No. 139 Fourth avenue.

FOR SALE.—Engines and Boilers, New and Second Hand, of all kinds constantly on hand. Orders from all parts of the Country promptly executed. JAMES HILL & CO., Corner Marion Avenue & P. F. W. & C. R. W., Allegheny, Pa.

IOWA LAND FOR SALE.—800 Acres of choice land in one of the best counties in Iowa, near the line of the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad, and in one of the most productive portions of the State. Will be sold low, the whole or a part. Apply at once to E. McLAIN & Co., 104 Fourth avenue.

FOR SALE.—ENGINES AND BOILERS, new and second-hand, constantly on hand and bought. KIESICK & BRO., Corner Seventeenth and Pike streets, Pittsburgh, Pa.

WINES, LIQUORS, &c.

SCHMIDT & FRIDAY, IMPORTERS OF WINES, BRANDIES, GIN, &C., WHOLESALE DEALERS IN PURE RYE WHISKIES, 409 PENN STREET, Have Removed to NOS. 384 AND 386 PENN, Cor. Eleventh St., (formerly Canal.)

JOSEPH S. FINCH & CO., Nos. 185, 187, 189, 191, 193 and 195, FIRST STREET, PITTSBURGH, MANUFACTURERS OF Copper Distilled Pure Rye Whiskey. Also, dealers in FOREIGN WINES and LIQUORS, HOPS, &c.

PUBLIC NOTICE. Having been appointed GAS and GAS METER INSPECTOR for Allegheny County, notice is hereby given that until the necessary office and Mechanical Testing Machinery can be provided, I will be found at the OFFICE OF THE NATIONAL FOUNDRY AND PIPE WORKS, Twenty-third street, near Penn, Pittsburgh. R. H. SMITH, Gas and Gas Meter Inspector.

ALPERT & KOHLER, Manufacturers and Dealers in BOOTS, SHOES AND GAITERS, No. 38 Market street, Pittsburgh, Pa. Particular attention given to Custom Work. We beg leave to direct the attention of the public to the fact that we are now prepared to manufacture Boots and Shoes for persons troubled with Corns, Bunions, or deformed feet, under the personal supervision of our Mr. ALPERT, formerly of Allegheny City, who will be pleased to see his old customers again. We have adopted Mr. Alpert's mode of measuring the foot, by which we can be safe in warranting easy and comfortable Boots and Shoes for the tenderest feet. Give us a trial and be convinced. ALPERT & KOHLER, 38 Market street Pittsburgh, Pa.

HENDERSON J. & BROTHERS, 366 Liberty street, Dealers in Drugs Paint and Patent Medicines.

VINEGAR.

THE PITTSBURGH VINEGAR WORKS. BALLOU & ADAMS, 167, 168, 169 and 170 SECOND AVENUE, Are now prepared to furnish VINEGAR at the LOWEST MARKET RATES. Attention is particularly called to our EXTRA WINE VINEGAR.

MERCHANT TAILORS.

M'PHERSON & MUHLANBRING, SUCCESSORS TO W. H. M'GEE & CO., MERCHANT TAILORS, No. 10 SIXTH ST., late St. Clair. We have just received a large supply of Fall and Winter Goods, which will be sold at reasonable prices. Mr. MUHLANBRING will still attend to the Cutting Department. McPHERSON & MUHLANBRING.

MEN AND BOYS' CLOTHING. A large and complete assortment of Medium and Fine Goods, at the lowest prices. GRAY & LOGAN, 47 Sixth St., 89 Fifth Avenue, (Late St. Clair.)

P. M'ARDLE, FASHIONABLE MERCHANT TAILOR, Keeps constantly on hand Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings, Also, GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS. No. 93 1-2 Smithfield Street, PITTSBURGH, PA. Gent's Clothing made to order in the latest styles.

NEW FALL GOODS. A splendid new stock of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, &C., Just received by HENRY MEYER, Merchant Tailor, 72 Smithfield street.

COAL AND COKE.

BRADDOCK'S FIELD Gas Coal Company, MINERS AND SHIPPERS OF GAS, BLACKSMITH AND FAMILY COAL, Nut Coal, Slack and Coke, ANTHRACITE COAL. Of all sizes, and of the best quality, can be furnished at reasonable rates. Leave orders at offices and yards, No. 73 ANDERSON STREET, Allegheny City, and Liberty street (opposite Sixteenth street) Pittsburgh. Address Post office Box 567, Pittsburgh, and they will receive prompt attention. Prompt attention given to western shipments.

CHARLES H. ARMSTRONG, DEALER IN Youghiogheny and Connellsville Coal, And Manufacturer of COAL, BLACK AND DESULPHURIZED COKE. OFFICE AND YARD, corner Butler and Morton streets, Liberty and Clymer streets, Ninth ward; also Second street, Eighth ward, and at foot of Ross street, P. & C. R. R. Depot, Second ward. Orders left at either of the above offices, or addressed to me through Pittsburgh P. O., will receive prompt attention. Refer to whom I am supplying: Hussey, Wells & Co., Wm. Smith, Union Iron Mills, J. S. Fowler & Co., Mitchell, Stephenson & Co., Bissell & Co., Graff & Hogue, Alex Bradley, Park, Bro. & Co., Park, McCurdy & Co., Reese, Graff & Dull, Wm. M. Faber & Co., J. B. Lyon & Co., James Marshall & Co., Allen, McKee & Co., Union Depot Hotel, Connellsville R. R., Pennsylvania R. R., Allegheny Valley R. R.

COAL! COAL!! COAL!!! DICKSON, STEWART & CO., Having removed their Office to NO. 567 LIBERTY STREET, (Lately City Flour Mill) SECOND FLOOR. Are now prepared to furnish good YOUGHIOGHENY LUMP, NUT COAL OR SLACK, at the lowest market price. All orders left at their office, or addressed to them through the mail, will be attended to promptly.

GLASS, CHINA, CUTLERY. 100 WOOD STREET. NEW GOODS. FINE VASES, BOHEMIAN AND CHINA. NEW STYLES, DINNER SETS, TEA SETS, GIFT CUPS, SMOKING SETS. A large stock of SILVER PLATED GOODS of all descriptions. Call and examine our goods, and we feel satisfied no one need fail to be suited. R. E. BREED & CO. 100 WOOD STREET. R. E. BREED & CO. R. E. BREED & CO.

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G. A. R. LECTURES. REV. E. P. ROE, (Late Chaplain of the celebrated Harris Light Cavalry, will Lecture at the ACADEMY OF MUSIC. Thursday Evening, Jan. 13. SUBJECT—"ROMANCE OF CAVALRY LIFE," being an account of Kilpatrick's Raid to Richmond. Tickets, 50 cents.

MASONIC HALL. Rev. S. P. LINN Will deliver a Lecture on MONOPOLIES on Friday Evening, Jan. 14, 1870, At the request of the Telegraphers' Protection League. Doors open at 7 P. M. Lecture commences at 8. Admission, 50 cents.

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PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PA., PITTSBURGH, January 4th, 1870.
PROPOSALS FOR WRITING.—Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until 13th inst., inclusive, for writing and copying from the Assessors' books. Ninety-four Office Duplicates for 1870. Ninety-four School Duplicates for 1870. Ninety-four Treasurer's Collection Duplicates for 1870. The work to be done in the office of the County Commissioners and completed on or before the 15th day of April next. Bids to be so much the running line complete, to include the calculations and extensions of all taxes and the comparing of each and all the books with the originals, proving the total of the different taxes by the valuation. The correctness of the duplicates will be proved before warrants are issued in payment. Bond, with sufficient security, will be required for the fulfilment of the contract. Samples can be seen on application. By direction of County Commissioners. HENRY LAMBERT, Controller.

CITY CONTROLLER'S OFFICE, CITY OF ALLEGHENY, Jan. 10, 1870.
NOTICE TO CARPENTERS. Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 2 o'clock P. M., SATURDAY, January 15th, 1870, for the construction of a PLANK FOOT-WALK on the south side of the Perrysville Plank Road, Second ward, from the head of Beaver street to city line, except such portions as are already supplied with the same. Specifications can be seen at the office of Chas. Davis, Esq., City Engineer. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. W. M. PORTER, City Controller.

ASSESSMENTS.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Pittsburgh, Jan. 6th, 1870.
NOTICE.—The assessment for Paving and Curbing WYLIE AVENUE, from Crawford street to Devilliers street, and Grading WEBSTER AVENUE, from Roberts street to Kirkpatrick street, is now ready for examination, and can be seen at this office until TUESDAY, January 18th, 1870, when it will be returned to the City Treasurer's office for collection. R. J. MOORE, City Engineer.