The Pittsburgh Gazette.

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

Officer Alf. Gabby, formerly of Allegheny police force, is now with Alderman Mullen.

Geo. W. Rahe caused the arrest of Jno. Hare yesterday for the larceny of $45. Hare was committed for trial by Alderman Taylor.

A Warrant was issued yesterday by Alderman Thomas for the arrest of Geo. Crookham for threatening to disembowel David Adams.

Officer Bowden has resigned his position on the Allegheny police force and will open an Alderman's office in the Diamond in a few days.

Solomon Matters, of Alderman Mullin's police, was arrested and held for a hearing, yesterday, on a charge of stealing a spring balance scale from Isaac Hipsley.

Messrs. Forrester & Megraw, of Allegheny, have been awarded the contract for the stone work for the basin to surround the Humboldt Monument in the Park.

Pennsylvania Reserves.—There will be an adjourned meeting of the Pennsylvania Reserve Association held this evening as per announcement elsewhere made.

Disorderly.—John Popp appeared before Justice Heisel yesterday, and stated that John Bonman had been conducting himself in a disorderly manner. A warrant was issued for the arrest of John.

A warrant was issued by Justice Barker yesterday for the arrest of Wm. R. Edwards, on a charge of assault and battery preferred by Hannah M. Plant, who alleges that he struck her in the face.

Abused his Wife.—Jane Cooper made information before Justice Heisel yesterday, charging her husband with assault and battery, and also with abandonment. A warrant was issued for his arrest.

Margaret Jones says her husband, David Jones, has deserted her. She thinks he has gone to Detroit. Alderman Mullen has taken action looking toward the apprehension of the delinquent.

Benjamin Taylor alleged before Alderman Mullen yesterday that Joseph Johnson had struck and abused him, a charge which, however, was not sustained at the hearing, which resulted in Joseph's discharge.

Good Appointment.—Officer John McGready has been assigned to duty at the corner of Grant street and Fifth avenue. Mr. McGready is an efficient officer, and a better selection for the position could not have well been made.

Sebastian Heid, according to his statement before Alderman Mullen yesterday, is in daily fear of death at the hands of his son, Charles Heid. The Alderman has issued a warrant for the youth of alleged parricidal tendencies.

Alderman Mullen yesterday received the information of Thomas Thicket against Thomas Harrison for assault and battery, Harrison having, it was alleged, caught the Thicket by the throat and choked him. Warrant issued.

Insurance.—The insurance on the property destroyed by fire at Beck's Run, an account of which we published yesterday, was $4,446, distributed equally between the Franklin, Boatman's and Cash Insurance Companies of this city.

Held for Court.—Daniel Morgan who was arrested on a charge of abandonment on oath of his wife, made before Mayor Brush, an account of which we published yesterday, waived a hearing and was held to bail in the sum of $1,000 for his appearance at court.

Enlarged.—Our enterprising and well conducted contemporary, the *Dispatch*, yesterday enlarged four columns, and now presents a very handsome appearance. We are glad to note this new evidence of the continued prosperity of our neighbor.

Personal.—A. E. Fay, Esq., of the Oil City *Times*, a new and enterprising daily paper devoted to the interests of the oil regions, and Mr. C. W. Staats, of Oil City, are in the city. Both are genial gentlemen and we hope their visit may be pleasant and profitable.

Margaret Martin alleges Frederick Bowers obtained boarding at her house to the amount of six dollars and then removed his baggage without paying the bill. Alderman Mullen yesterday arrested the youth and held him for a hearing on a charge of fraud.

Not Paid Up.—George Snyder yesterday made information before Alderman Mullen, setting forth that John Myers had obtained from him $12 24 worth of meat on credit, and was attempting to leave the city without paying the bill. The accused was arrested and held for a hearing on a charge of fraud.

Held for Trial.—Westley Hill and Jas. Scanlon, who were charged before the Mayor, on oath of John Padden, with the larceny of a watch, were yesterday held for trial. Hill gave bail, and Scanlon, who was in jail on a former charge of larceny, waived a hearing, and a commitment was lodged against him.

Committee Meeting.—The Committee of City Councils on Fire Alarm Telegraph met yesterday and organized by electing John H. Hare chairman, and appointing S. T. Paisely, clerk.

The pay roll of the Fire Alarm Telegraph employes was presented and approved, after which the committee adjourned.

Alleged Gamblers.—Two informations were made yesterday before Alderman Taylor by Edward Doggett, charging three young men with keeping a gambling house and being common gamblers. The accused were arrested and gave the names of James and John McCree and David Link, all fictitious. They were held for a hearing.

Trover.—Hannah M. Plant brought an action for trover and conversion before Justice Barker, yesterday, against Hannah Lippert. She alleges that she was some time ago employed in Mrs. Lippert's family, when she quit work she left her clothing there. She subsequently called to get it when Mrs. Lippert refused to let her have it.

Assault and Battery.—Harry Skinner, a colored man, residing at the corner of Grant street and Fourth avenue, was arrested yesterday and taken before the Mayor on a charge of assault and battery on oath of John Hopkins. It appears that the parties had a difficulty, when John threw a brick bat at Skinner's door, whereupon the latter struck him Skinner gave bail for a hearing.

To Capitalists.—In another column will be found an advertisment of the Dollar Savings Bank offering for sale the fee of a large body of coal land. The situation, on a railroad, only six miles from the city, rendering the surface as wel as the underlying coal easy and quick of access and therefore saleable, will commend this property to capitalists as presenting a rae chance for profitable investment.

Attempted Fraud.—Yesterday Louis Shamberg, of the firm of L. & J. Shamberg, cattle dealers, made information before Alderman Mullen against Louis Zoller and Henry Groebel for fraud. The accused are charged with purchasing cattle to the amount of $481 from the Shambergs, and after selling them pocketing the money and attempting to clear out without settling with the firm. Warrants have been issued.

Pittsburgh Female College has just closed the first half of the winter term, and the second half is about commencing. The present is therefore a very opportune time for new scholars to enter. The College is in a prosperous condition, and equals if not surpasses any similar place for the education of young ladies in this country, and the terms are quite reasonable. Send for a circular to Rev. I. C. Pershing, D. D., President of the Faculty.

The Youth's Cabinet.—The 7th or February No. of this eight-paged journal for youth is already out. The contents, original and select, are such as will interest and instruct youthful readers and even their fathers and mothers will not fail to be edified by an attentive perusal of this excellent periodical. It should have a very large circulation. Where else can so much reading at once harmless and useful, be purchased for the pittance of sixty cents?

Pugnacity.—Jacob Reigle is a vender of milk in Allegheny. Yesterday he was returning home after his day's labor, pretty full, it is said, not of milk, but something else which had a pugilistic influence. Its effects were exhibited in an attack on Jacob Blum, whose right eye was in consequence shrouded in gloom. Jacob Blum, however, had one eye left, and with this left eye he found his way to Alderman Egger's office yesterday and charged his assailant with assault and battery. The police are on the lookout for Jacob Reigle.

GUARDIANS OF THE POOR.

Monthly Meeting Yesterday—New Members Sworn In—Organized for the Year—Monthly Reports—Resolutions.

A meeting of the Board of Guardians of the Poor was held at their office on Fourth avenue, yesterday afternoon.

Present: Messrs Anderson, Douglass, Hutchison, Hartley, Hays, Torrence, members holding over, and Messrs. Shaw, McKee, Fitzsimmons and Moorhead, members elected by Councils at their meeting Tuesday afternoon. These gentlemen were sworn in by Alderman Nicholson. R. H. Hartley, Esq., was then called to the Chair, *pro. tem.*

An election for officers was then held, Mr. Hays acting as teller.

For President, Mr. Douglass received five votes and Mr. Kincaid three. The former gentleman was accordingly declared the choice for President.

Mr. George Fortune was unanimously elected Secretary.

Mr. Shaw offered a resolution providing for the appointment of an Assistant Secretary.

Postponed until the next regular meeting.

Mr. Shaw, from the Committee on Conference in relation to the Western Pennsylvania Hospital, reported progress.

Mr. Hartley offered a resolution instructing the President to correspond with Senator Howard in relation to the interest on the "unexpended balance" in favor of the Board. Carried.

On motion of Mr. Hartley, the poor tax was fixed at one mill on the dollar.

On motion of Mr. Shaw, the Secretary was instructed to inquire if F. Weir, an inmate of Dixmont Hospital, could not be removed to and kept at the City Farm.

Mr. W. D. Patterson, Superintendent of the City Farm, presented his monthly report, from which it appears there are 168 inmates in the Home at the present time. During the month 12 males and 9 females were admitted, and 16 males and 12 females discharged, showing a net decrease of seven inmates. There were three births and three deaths during the month.

Dr. T. A. Rex submitted a report showing 56 visits paid, and 24 patients receiving medical attention at the office during the past month.

Dr. Beuham submitted his annual report, showing 571 visits made, 232 patients treated, 5 deaths and 5 births during 1869, showing a large increase over 1868.

The reports were received and filed.

On motion adjourned.

BIRMINGHAM COUNCIL.

Meeting Tuesday Night—Business Transacted—Reports—Motions, &c., &c.

Birmingham Council Tuesday evening held its regular monthly meeting. The following members were present: Messrs. Atterbury, Doyle, Oliver, Schwarm, Redman, Ward, Vogely and Burgess Salisburry in the Chair.

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting were, on motion, dispensed with.

Mr. Atterbury, from the Ordinance Committee, reported that it had examined the accounts of the Treasurer and found them correct, and that there was a balance of about $1,300 on hand. The report was accepted.

The various borough fficers sent in their reports which were adopted.

Mr. Oliver, from the Street Committee, reported that the Committee had made considerable repairs in the streets, and that a break in the sewer on Washington street had been attended to. Accepted.

Bills were read as follows: From Gas Company, amounting to $311,64, which gas was used for borough purposes; from Charles Kolbecker for taking care of fire plugs, $28; from Walter Finch for street repairing, $9,50. Sundry bills from the borough officers, amounting to $174,00—from Mr. Patterson, the borough regulator, for forty dollars, for services rendered: from James Stenger, for medicine furnished to a man who died in the lockup, forty cents.

Mr. Oliver moved to refer the bill of Kollbecker to the Finance Committee, with power to act. Adopted.

On motion of Mr. Schwarm, warrants were ordered to be drawn for the amount of the other bills.

Mr. Doyle moved that a warrant of $600 be drawn in favor of Messrs. Hastings & O'Neill for paving done. Adopted.

On motion, adjourned.

Inquests for January.

From the Coroner's books we ascertain that inquests were held as follows during the month of January, 1870:

1st, William Murray, conductor on the Fort Wayne Railroad, killed at the outer depot in Allegheny; 5th, Christopher Hoebach, a lad, accidentally drowned in the pond formerly used as the National Skating Park, East Birmingham; 7th, Joseph Wetsinger, an old man, run over on Penn street by a passing wagon; 10th, Wm. C. Temple, aged fifty-five years, death from congestion of the lungs; 10th, infant son of Jane Bird, death from spasms; 10th, Thomas Blower, death from apoplexy, in Shaler township; 12th, Elizabeth Davis, child, death from convulsions; 17th, John D. McClelland, brakeman, killed by a freight train on the Connellsville Railroad; 18th, Wm. Rea, death from congestion of the lungs, in Allegheny; 20th, Jane Montear, death from natural causes, in Allegheny; 20th, Mrs. Manlin; death by suicide while laboring under a fit insanity, produced by fever; 21st, Mary Hoffman, death from natural causes, Allegheny; 29th, Joseph Grubbs, death from *mania a potu*, in the Allegheny lock-up; 31st, Mrs. Elizabeth Adams, burned to death at her home in Virgin alley, on the night of the 29th; 31st, Philip Banion, death from *acute gastritis*. Total, 15.

A Word to the Ladies.

We would cordially invite the attention of our lady readers to the very rich, elegant and beautiful display of artistic handiwork in vari-colored wax now on exhibition in the art show windows of Messrs. Gillespie & Co. and Boyd, Murray & Fawcett, on Wood street. These are specimens culled at random from the wax works department of our excellent home educational institute, the Pittsburgh Female College, and they attract universal attention and admiration. Specimens are exhibited of nature provoking fruits, exquisite flowers, artistically elaborated crosses, pretty virgin white harps, lyres, pond lilies, &c., and we marvel that the art has attained so much perfection. The department for tuition in this branch of fine arts is always open to receive pupils, and we are told that the pupils of the College attain, under such capable teachers, a proficiency in very little time. No accomplishment is prettier for a lady, and it is one from which when acquired an easy and large revenue may be drawn if the scholar studies from a desire to follow it for a livelihood, as fine wax ornaments have ready sale at highly remunerative prices.

"Fashionable Education."

This evening the third and last of the series of lectures by the Rev. George P. Hays, will be given in the Central Presbyterian Church, corner Lacock and Anderson streets, Allegheny. The former two were very largely attended, and developed the fact that our lecture-goers may be amused, instructed and entertained as well by home as foreign talent. The Rev. gentleman speaks with the greatest ease and fluency, has keen conceptions and a logical method of presenting his thoughts, and withal a rich fund of quaint humor which renders his discourses exceedingly attractive and enjoyable. His theme this evening "Fashionable Education," is one which will afford ample scope for his fancy, wit and logic, and if his other efforts be any criterion, cannot fail to be replete with interest and practical suggestions. We would advise all our readers who wish to enjoy a literary treat and to spend an hour in the most pleasant and profitable manner to be in attendance.

The Thompson Burglary.

Yesterday afternoon a hearing was had in the case of Jeff. Douglass, charged with breaking into the store of J. D. Thompson & Co., on Liberty street, a couple of weeks ago. The fellow Bain, who first "peached" on him, when brought before the Alderman, refused to testify. An elderly colored female identified Bain as one of the parties she saw coming out of the store on the night of the robbery, but could not recognize Douglass. He was accordingly discharged, and Bain remanded to prison for trial.

Allegheny Letter Carriers' Report.—Following is the report of the Allegheny letter carriers for the month of January, 1870:

	Delivered.	Collected.
Mail Letters	46,288	16,305
Drop "	5,441	1,235
Newspapers	24,719	665
Totals	76,448	18,205

Malicious Mischief.—John Hopkins, a negro boy was arrested yesterday on a charge of malicious mischief, made before the Mayor on oath of Harry Skinner, who alleges that John threw a brickbat through the door of his domicile, which is situated at the corner of Fourth avenue and Grant street. John was committed in default of bail for a hearing.

THE COURTS.

District Court—Judge Kirkpatrick.

Wednesday, February 2.—In the case of Calhoun & Edwards vs. Frank, previously reported, verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $600 in currency.

The first case taken up was that of Brock Grant vs. Philander Scott, owner of the steamer "Hero." Action to recover for services as an engineer. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $150.67.

William John Wier vs. James Young. Action to recover the price of a horse. The defendant, Mr. Young, is proprietor of a livery stable on Penn street, and some time since sold to the plaintiff a horse for $250, warranting him, as the plaintiff alleges, to be sound. It appears that the horse was not sound and was returned to the defendant, who refused to refund the money paid. Jury out.

TRIAL LIST FOR THURSDAY.

117 Pittsburgh & Little Beaver Creek Oil Co. vs. Stevenson.
127 Ewing vs. Thompson.
128 Morgan's adm'rs vs. Ewing et al.
141 Rinehart et al. vs. Trunick.
149 M. & M. National Bank of Pittsburgh vs. Haigh.
106 Smith vs. Yough. Iron & Coal Co.
150 Commonwealth for use vs. Bepler.
151 M. & M. Nat. Bank of Pittsburgh vs. Tillinghart.

Common Pleas — Judges Stowe and Collier.

Wednesday, February 2.—The case of Long vs. Brown, taken up Monday before Judge Stowe was resumed in the Quarter Sessions Court room, Judge Stowe presiding, and had not been concluded when court adjourned.

In the Common Pleas Court room, Judge Collier presiding, the case of Scott vs. Roseburg et. ux., previously reported, was resumed. The jury found for the plaintiff.

The first case taken up was that of W. D. McCallum vs. L. H. Carlisle, action on a promisory note. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $388.72.

Western Savings Bank vs. Elisha Fullerton et. al. Jurors withdrawn and case continued.

Wm. Hines' adm'r vs. Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railway Company, action on the case to recover damages. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of one thousand dollars.

Blakely vs. Moreland & Mitchell. Motion for a new trial and reasons filed.

TRIAL LIST FOR THURSDAY.

204 McMasters vs. Pa. R. R. Co.
207 Scott vs. DeKnight.
222 Lewis & Richoot vs. Donning.
239 Armstrong vs. Hall.
240 Hebler vs. Kichel.
244 Graham vs. Vandever et al.
248 Wagner vs. Barnes.
260 Swaney vs. Gordon et al.
263 House vs. J. V. McDonald & Co.
273 Peoples vs. McCully & Co.

Nos. 133 and 214 are fixed for Tuesday of next week.

Sixth Ward School Board.

At the meeting of the Sixth Ward School Board, held on Tuesday evening, it was decided to purchase the astronomical instrument called the Helliotellus.

Bills to the amount of some one hundred and fifty odd dollars, for articles purchased during 1869, were passed upon.

The occasional prolonged absence of teachers on account of sickness or other causes, and the need of substitutes in such cases, was discussed, but no definite action was taken further than to instruct the Principal to report to the Secretary of a continued absence over one day.

Mr. Case called attention to the requirement of the law in regard to the Treasurers giving bonds, which has heretofore been neglected.

Agreeably to the call at the previous meeting, the Treasurer reported that August 5th, 1869, he received from Jno. R. McCune $2,264.81, and subsequently $25 for an old safe; June 1st, 1869, the balance due him was $71.53, since which time $3,248.64 had been expended, leaving $330 56 due him.

On motion of Mr. Hamilton, a committee, consisting of himself and Mr. Grede, was appointed to audit the accounts of the Treasurer and report at the next meeting.

Mr. Case moved that the Board go into an election to fill the vacancy caused by the removal from the ward of Mr. Wagstaff. The President and Mr. Case spoke in favor, but Messrs. Hamilton, Neely and Grede, a majority, being opposed, the matter was dropped.

The Board adjourned after the transaction of some unimportant business.

Coroner's Inquest.

Coroner Clawson yesterday held an inquest on the body of the drowned man found in the Monongahela river, an account of which we published yesterday.

An examination of the person was made, and papers were found which showed the remains to be those of Jas. Iliffe, a roller, who resided in East Birmingham, and who had been missing from his home for about seven weeks. The strangest thing discovered about him was a large paving stone in one of his pockets, where it could have been placed only with considerable difficulty. From the testimony it appeared that deceased had been very unwell the night before his disappearance, and that for some time he had been at intervals unnaturally excited. He arose early in the morning and went out, leaving his wife in bed. She did not see him from that time until his dead body was found. So far as is known he had no quarrel with any person.

The jury returned a verdict to the effect that deceased came to his death by drowning himself.

The deceased was between thirty five and thirty-eight years of age, and has been about twelve years in this vicinity. He leaves a wife and two children.

Amusements.

Opera House.—Mr. John Collins, the truly celebrated Irish comedian, who commenced an engagement at the Opera House Monday evening, is drawing large and select audiences. Mr. Collins is a true artist in every sense of the word, and has a more accurate and clear perception of the line of character he assumes than any man on the stage. He is also a fine vocalist. "Colleen Bawn" was presented last evening in a highly satisfactory manner. "A Kiss in the Dark" was played as an afterpiece. This evening "The Nervous Man" and "Magic Shirt" will constitute the bill.

Academy of Music.—Miss Augusta L. Dargon will give select readings from popular authors, at the Academy of Music, Friday evening, February 4th, under the auspices of the Mercantile Library Association. Miss Dargon's reputation has been fully established, not only in this city, but wherever she has appeared. There will be no reserved seats.

Another Attraction.

Major Burnell, the enterprising proprietor of the Museum on Fifth avenue, is always up to the times, hence the great popularity of his establishment. Not satisfied, however, with the rare collection which he has already secured, his enterprise has extended still further, and in a few days another attraction is to be added to the list. By reference to our New York dispatches, it will be seen that he has secured the great Oriental Giant, who will appear next Monday, for the first time, in Pittsburgh.

The Giant has been engaged for four weeks, and as he is immense in his way, will undoubtedly prove a big thing among the other features of the Museum. Major Burnell evidently understands his business and should be rewarded for his energy and liberality in endeavoring to please his patrons.

Allegheny Paid Fire Department.

The Committee on Fire Engines and Hose of Allegheny Councils have completed the appointments by the selection of the following persons for the Columbia Hose and Hook and Ladder Company: Foreman, Samuel H. Maxwell; Driver, James McElroy; Hose and Truck men, Thomas Hamuill, Samuel Hazlitt, John Gracey and John Gray. These men were sworn in by Mayor Callow yesterday. All the companies are now fully manned. We understand that the Committee have decided to recommend the purchase of all property belonging to the old members now in the houses. The most of this is in the Columbia, the owners of which value it at $900. One of the horses, the only one they owned, was sold on Tuesday for $400. Their other property consists principally of the truck and hose carriage.

Careless Driving.

An accident of a serious nature occurred on Smithfield street yesterday morning, the result of careless driving. Mrs. Mary Jenkins, a resident of South Pittsburgh, was crossing Smithfield street at Diamond alley, when she was knocked down and run over by a barouche, the wheel passing over her ankle and injuring it severely. She was removed to the Mayor's office, and was from there taken to her home in a carriage. The driver was arrested, but there being no information against him, and the officer making the arrest not having seen the occurrence, he was discharged. He declined to give his name.

The Fair at the City Hall.

The Plymouth Church Fair was duly opened on Tuesday evening, and quite a number of our citizens availed themselves of the opportunity to pay it a visit. We were quite favorably impressed with the arrangements of the booths, and the decorations upon them. There are four upon each side of the hall for the display and sale of fancy goods, and one in the centre occupied as a floral and refreshment booth. The first to greet you at the right as you enter the hall is the shooting gallery, which is one of the best ever put up at any fair in the city, and we think it one of the leading features of the fair to judge by its patronage. Next to it is the fancy booth of Mrs. C. West and her daughter, in which we notice many fine articles, not least of which is a beautifully dressed doll. At this booth is a splendid gold watch to be contested for by the principals of the schools in the city. Votes are also taken at this table in behalf of City School Superintendent Luckey, as against the Allegheny County Superintendent at another table. The next booth is presided over by the younger portion of the Sabbath School children, and has many pretty toys in it suited to the taste of the "wee ones." Next is the fancy booth of Mrs. H. Smith, assisted by a corps of young ladies, and it has a very pretty display of fancy articles. We have no time now to make as full a report of their tables as we hope to have before the Fair closes, and pass on to the next, which is under the charge of Mrs. F. Woods. In addition to the many articles herein, the votes on the watch in favor of Allegheny City and County School Superintendent Douthett are received here. Last on this side of the Hall, though not least, comes the New England Kitchen, the latch string of which hangs out, but upon entering you see the furniture of "ye olden time" arranged only as an old lady of that day can do it, and Ines Eaton,—its master spirit—will be happy to welcome you within. Dinner was served yesterday, and it is only necessary to say that it was excellent. We judge by experience. Mrs. H. Boone has this branch in charge, and the table shows that she knows how to do it. She is assisted by the young ladies of the Society, who act as waitresses. They will be glad to serve you daily from 12 till 3 P. M. till the Fair closes, and in addition will serve oysters in the evening. We will endeavor at some other time to describe the booths and the contents upon the left side of the Hall.

A Sound Body and a Sound Mind.

In education it is essentially necessary that while the mental faculties are undergoing the process of enlargement and expansion in a course of intellectual training and study, the physical structure—the bones, muscles and nerves—should not be neglected. The power of the mind to comprehend what is brought upon it, to think, to understand, to learn, is just in proportion to the vitality, strength and healthfulness of the physical body. It is, hence, a matter of grave moment to parents and others charged with the education of sons and daughters, that a due amount of attention be paid to calisthenics in the school room. Always progressive, and keeping pace with the advance of science, the Pittsburgh Female College has just introduced into its curriculum the true science of light gymnastics for a two fold purpose—1st to make strong, active and healthy the young ladies in attendance; and 2ndly, to impart to them the art of graceful and easy manners and motion. Two full classes have already been organized under most promising auspices, and a competent and faithful interpreter of Dr. Dio Lewis' system of light gymnastics has been secured to head the department in the person of Miss Mary M. Heard. The President of the Faculty, Rev. Dr. Pershing, has kindly consented to admit into the gymnastic classes outside ladies who are not otherwise connected with the college, but who desire to embrace themselves of the advantages for physical culture and development afforded.

The Grand Charity Fair.

The grand Charity Fair for the joint benefit of the worthy poor of the city and the Public Catholic Library now in progress in the basement of St. Paul's Cathedral, is far more attractive in its appointments than the late Orphans' Fair. The booths have all been readorned, rearranged and refurnished and present a beautiful gala day appearance. Among the articles to be contested for are the following: A tailor's iron, shears and lapboard for the most fashionable merchant tailor at ten cents a vote. Among the entries are Messrs. P. McArdle, H. Smith, W. D. Duffey, E. G. Hale, An elegant gold headed cane to most charitable citizen; contestants, J. G. West, Hugh Fleming, Joseph Liebler, Joseph Butler and Alex. Cochran. A valuable crimping machine to the most fashionable boot maker; contestants, D. Allen, T. McCartan, F. Woer, Hicks & Co., J. Jahn, George King, Joe. Linder, T. Kennedy, J. Kanfeo and Wm. McLaughlin. A rare good time is expected to mark the Fair throughout, and all are cordially invited to attend to participate.

Petroleum Items.

We take the following from the Oil City *Daily Times*:

The Forest well, located on Cherry tree run, recently torpedoed, has increased its production to 30 barrels per day.

The Elliott well on the same farm has produced 500 barrels in fourteen hours.

The Brodhead well, next above the Hasson well, on Cottage Hill, is about ready to be tested, and already there is a show of oil, which encourages the owners, and it is confidently expected that it will be a paying well.

The Brown farm, upon which is located the Elliott, Burns and Forest wells, produces, in addition to those already mentioned, as follows; Oliver well, 8 barrels; Blakely well, 19 bbls; Gordon well, 7 bbls, making a total production of about 90 barrels daily.

The Black farm, adjoining the Brown farm, is now producing about 45 barrels daily. Cherry Tree Run is steadily improving in its daily production, and the Brown and Black farms are holding their own in that vicinity.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were admitted of record in the office of Thos. H. Hunter, Recorder for Allegheny county, Wednesday, February 2, 1870:

R. E. Sellers to Richard S. Waring, April 15, 1869; 5 acres in Collins township $11,100
James Clark to Patrick McCarta, Feb. 2, 1869; lot 20 by 120 feet in Eleventh ward, Pittsburgh $1,500
David Davis to James Orr, Dec. 22, 1869; lot 22 by 118 feet on Scheffel St., Allegheny city $1,500
F. Harding's heirs to R. B. Cuthbert, Jan. 7, 1870; lot No. 23 Harding's plan, Shaler township $250
Thomas S. Maple to George Kim and Herman Lamey, August 18, 1868; lot 105 by 128 feet on Boyd avenue, Maples' plan, Lower St. Clair township $800
S. W. Richards to Keziah Halstead, Jan. 21, 1870; 1 acre and 48 perches in McClure township $2,000
J. H. Vierheller to Adam Reinerman, Jan. 28, 1870; lot 26 by 110 feet in Diamond street, Pittsburgh $18,000
Thomas Ward to Daniel Melady, Jan. 21, 1870; lot on Davilliers street, Pittsburgh, 20 by 91 feet $350

Insanity or Drunkenness.

Yesterday afternoon a middle aged woman appeared at the Mayors office and made inquiries for her husband who had been committed to jail a few days before for disorderly conduct. She was directed to Warden Scandrett and proceeded on her way down Federal street. Just opposite the passenger station a sudden fancy, or something else caused her to become very noisy and pugilistic. She conducted the entertainment as a star actress for about fifteen minutes, alternate shreiks and attacks on pedestrians forming the programme. By this time a large crowd had collected, including a couple of policemen, who escorted her to the lock up. Here she was provided with a cell, opinions being divided as to her insanity or drunkenness. Her case will be attended to this morning.

Snowballing.

Tuesday afternoon a number of urchins on North avenue, Allegheny, engaged in the pastime of snowballing. One of the lads, named Carnahan, unfortunately selected the wrong mark and hit a young man named Joseph Birchell with one of the balls. Birchell was driving an express wagon along at the time, but he immediately descended therefrom, and catching young Carnahan horsewhipped him severely. For this he was brought before Mayor Callow yesterday afternoon, and compelled to give bail for court on a charge of assault and battery, preferred by the boy's mother.

Dangerous Blasting.

Yesterday Charles Koenig called the attention of Alderman Bolster to the fact that Geo. Smith maintained on his premises, in the Seventh ward, Allegheny, a nuisance in the shape of a quarry. Koenig alleges a blast went off at the quarry yesterday afternoon, when some portions of rock were blown through a window of his house to the serious danger of the inmates, one of whom, his little daughter, narrowly escaped injury. The Alderman issued a warrant for the arrest of the accused, on Koenig's information.

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

Where to Purchase Fine Wall Papers.

If is hardly necessary for us to direct the attention of our Allegheny readers to the very large and elegant stock of fine plain and fancy wall papers of the most recent styles and patterns which has just been opened at the first class and well conducted establishment of Mr. James Hoag, Jr, No. 174 Federal street. This house has so long and so successfully held a front rank among competitors in that line of business on the other side of the river, that it is universally and most favorably known to all classes. The present stock is one of the finest ever received by the house and will prove especially attractive to visitors, embracing an endless variety of new and beautiful designs, from the cheapest kitchen to the very finest stamped gold, decorations for halls, vestibules, studios, rich velvets for libraries and dining halls, etc., etc., all of which have been marked down to very low prices and great bargains. Mr. Hoag has also in store a large assortment of fashionable window shades, office, hall and stair oil cloths, etc., which he likewise offers at greatly reduced rates. Parties wishing anything in his line are respectfully invited to call and look through the stock, whether desirous of purchasing or not, as goods will be shown cheerfully to all visitors. We commend Mr. Hoag to the confidence of our readers, knowing him to be a fair dealing and honorable business gentleman, and one eminently deserving a large share of public patronage.

Administrater's Sale of Dry Goods.

We do not need to urge our readers to attend the great closing out sale of dry goods at J. W. Barker & Co.'s, 59 Market street, for the salesrooms are crowded every day, and the managers and proprietors inform us that they have as many customers all the time as they can well and conveniently attend to, and very often a great many more purchasers than all hands can wait upon satisfactorily. But we do desire to assure them that the uniform testimony of those who have attended the sale, so far as we know, is, that goods are sold at decidedly low prices. The determination is to close every thing out to wind up the business. In such circumstances, good bargains may be confidently expected, and if they were not to be had at Barker's, we believe it would be absolutely impossible to keep up the crowd and excitement so long. There is still a choice selection of silks, delaines, plaids, poplins, calicoes, ginghams, cloaks, shawls, &c., &c., on hand, all of which must be sold by order of the administrators of the late J. W. Barker, Esq., in order that the estate may be settled up. Purchasers should go early in the morning, as goods can be examined more satisfactorily before the salesrooms become crowded.

People are becoming aware that in order to secure a delightful and harmless drink they must use Pier, Dannals & Co.'s Cream Ale. When thirsty do not fail to ask for it at any first class saloon, and be sure that they do not give you any inferior brand. Pier, Dannals & Co.'s Ale can always be recognized by its bright, golden color.

To Lets are very numerous this winter. Parties wishing to engage spring wagons for moving would do well to attend to it in time. Leave your orders at No. 82 Darrah street, Allegheny, for almost any size wagons needed, and they will be attended to by John Dyer's Eureka Local Express. 4t

OHIO ITEMS.

Edwin Forrest is playing at Canton.

Prof. Mague is the new horse tamer of Ohio.

A weekly newspaper is to be started at Orrville.

Jefferson county jail lost three prisoners on Wednesday by escape.

Two cases of body snatching have occurred at Independence within the past month.

A large cheese factory is to be started at Springfield, Fulton county, by a stock company.

Bad liquor and cold weather killed Thomas Smith on a public road near Columbus.

Geo. W. McCook and wife and all the little McCooks were registered at Paris on the 30th of December.

The Second Presbyterian Church of Columbus has a new bell weighing 4,597 pounds and costing $1,260.

Last week Jonathan Watson, of Lebanon, died from wounds received at Chicamauga during the war.

A freed negro encountered his former master, mistress and family at Toledo begging to help them through Chicago.

The public schools of Salineville had to suspend last week owing to the fever epidemics prevailing among the scholars.

Both Houses of the Ohio Legislature have passed a bill repealing the law of last winter for the inspection of steam boilers.

The Ohio Game Law permits the killing of all kinds of game until February 1st, wild ducks, wild geese, teal, &c., until April 15th.

Prof. T. F. Kirk, formerly of Pittsburgh, leader of the G. A. R. band, of Canton, gave a grand vocal and instrumental concert at Massilon last Saturday night.

Martin Barrho slipped from a ladder from the top of a house he was roofing at Canton, fell to the ground fifty feet below and was killed. He resided at Cleveland.

The citizens of Hubbard and vicinity are sorely afflicted with sickness, some fifteen deaths having occurred within the past week. Scarlet fever and chicken-pox prevail to an alarming extent among the children.

Hamilton has discovered that the nice Christian young man who has been exhorting the people to repent, and collecting money for the Young Men's Christian Association is a fraud. He applied the funds to his own use.

The place of holding the Ohio State Fair is agitating the cities of the State. Cleveland wants to have it. Well, she ought to have it; but Mansfield, Springfield, Columbus, Dayton and Akron want it, too, and a few others likewise hanker for it.

A young matron of Bridgeport, aged 15 years, recently made an addition to the census, with the assistance of her mother, aged 32, her grandmother, aged 61, and her great grandmother, aged 78, thus compressing five generations into the smallest compass on record.

A man at Port Clinton, Ohio, imagined that he heard a burglar breaking into his house the other night, and, seizing his gun, ran to the door and fired at the intruder. On examination, he found his best breeches, which were hanging on a clothes line, all tattered and torn from the fearful shower of shot.

Mrs. D. C. Gills, of Chesterfield, Fulton county, made during the past season 1,950 pounds of butter from 11 cows, besides 138 pounds of cheese for family use. This would give as the product of each cow 117 pounds, round numbers. calling butter worth 30 cents per pound, would foot up to $53 10 product of each cow.

There are reported in Cincinnati, 105,624 school children; 27,524 in Cleveland; 11,198 in Dayton; 8,373 in Columbus; and 8,248 in Toledo. Taking the school population at 30 per cent. of the whole this would give the population of Cincinnati 293,400; Cleveland 76,456; Dayton 31,106; Columbus 26,086; Toledo 25, 689.

Dogs to the number of 2,839 were owned in Columbiana county, costing the owners of sheep 603 head, the value of which is stated at $1,001. The sheep injured from this source numbered 297, being stated at $472. This will aggregate the nice little sum of $2,241 loss to the farmers of that county for the sake of people keeping a few hundred worthless curs.

The names of 1,300 disabled veterans are on the roll of the Soldiers' Home, near Dayton, and the institution is filled to overflowing. Nearly one hundred men have been sent temporarily to the Asylum at Milwaukee. The new hospital will be finished in a few weeks, when room will be provided for several hundred more. This information is important to the invalid veterans.

Twenty-one years ago Miss Rebecca Jones, of Barnesville, betrothed herself to E. D. Pierce, an officer in the Mexican war, In addition to his love fever the engaged gentleman took the gold mania and led a party to California. He grew wealthy, came home the other day and married "the girl he left behind him." Who can match this story of faithful lovers through so many changing years?

The Jefferson Iron Works of Steubenville, Spaulding, Woodward & Co., and the La Belle Nail Works of Wheeling, Bailey, Woodward & Co., both owned and controlled by one company, made, during the year 1869, 300,000 kegs of nails and 12,000 tons of pig iron. The market value of said productions was over $1,750,000; of the nails, 162,000 kegs were made at the "La Belle," and 138,000, together with the 12,000 tons of pig iron, were made at the "Jefferson."

Mr. L. D. Sheldon of Vernon, Ohio, received from one of his cows the past year eleven thousand one hundred and eighty-eight pounds of milk. Ten pounds of milk will make one pound of cheese, and at that rate her milk would make one thousand one hundred and nineteen (1119) pounds of cheese, which at 18 cents. per pound—price it sold at the factory—would amount to two hundred and one dollars and forty-nine cts. If the milk had been sold at five cents. a quart it would have netted $280. The cow was herded with the other cattle and had no extra care or attention.

At Bridgeport, a young lady named Thornton was caught by a train of cars while walking a trestle work over a ravine. She was half way over when the locomotive came thundering along. She sat down on the extreme end of one of the cross timbers, clinging to it with her hands and leaning out as far as possible so that the train might not strike her. In a moment more the train passed along, and although she was beyond danger and was not struck, the nervous shock was so great that she let go her hold and fell backwards into the ravine, a distance of some ten or twelve feet. She was severely injured, though no bones were broken.

Additional Markets by Telegraph.

New Orleans, Feb. 2.—Cotton in fair demand and firmer; middlings 24¼@24½c; sales 7,400, receipts 7,462, exports 7,332 bales. Flour at $5,40@5,80@6,12. Corn easier at $1,07½. Oats firmer at 75c. Bran $1,30@1,35. Hay firm at $20. Pork easier; mess $29,25@29,50. Bacon 14@17½c. Lard dull; tierce 16¼@16½c, keg 18c. Sugar—prime 11¼@11½c. Molasses—prime 68@70c. Whisky $1@1,05. Coffee 15½@17½c.

Buffalo, Feb. 2.—Cattle—receipts of 2,140 head, market quiet and ⅛@¼c lower; sales of 580 head, mostly good to prime Illinois, averaging 1200 to 1260 lbs, at $7@7,75; one lot of extra sold at $8,15. Hogs—supply light and market firmer, with a fair demand; sales at 9½@9¾c for common to extra.

Milwaukee, February 2.—Flour unchanged. Wheat quiet at 86c for No. 1; 80¾c, for No. 2. Oats steady at 40c for No. 2. Corn unchanged. Rye and Barley nominal. Dressed Hogs firmer at $10@10,25.

DIED:

SMITH—On Tuesday, the 1st inst., ROBERT H. SMITH, in the 41st year of his age.

The funeral will take place from his late residence, No. 45 Adams street, Manchester, on Thursday, at 10 o'clock.

HEMINGRAY—On Tuesday, February 1st, at 2½ o'clock P. M., CARRIE MAY, infant daughter of R. P. and Jennie Hemingray, aged eight days and 12 months.

The funeral will take place from the residence of Wm. Hemingray, Esq., No. 73 Liberty street, this morning, at 10 o'clock.

OAKFORD—On Sunday, January 30, 1870, at 10½ o'clock A. M., of inflammation of the bowels, at the residence of Capt. George W. Ahl, in Newport, Kentucky, FRANK E., only son of Anna E. Oakford, of Allegheny, Pa., aged 10 years, 11 months and 16 days.

Funeral services at the residence of his mother, 35 Church avenue, Allegheny, this afternoon, at 1½ o'clock.

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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.

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JOHN Q. WORKMAN...H. RICHARD DAVIS. WORKMAN & DAVIS, SUCCESSORS TO Workman, Moore & Co., Manufacturers and Dealers in CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, Spring and Buck Wagons, Nos. 42, 44, 46 and 48 Beaver St., Allegheny. Repairing neatly and promptly executed. Orders for New Work gotten up in good style and warranted to give satisfaction in every particular. Newest styles of work constantly on hand. SOLE AGENTS for the New Haven Wheel Company's make of SARVEN'S PATENT WHEELS, and Sapp's Patent Quick Shifter and Anti Rattler for Shafts.

H. RICHARD DAVIS having purchased the interest of Alex. and Wm. D. Moore, in the late firm of WORKMAN, MOORE & CO., the business will hereafter be continued at the old stand, under the name and style of WORKMAN & DAVIS. Orders solicited. JOHN Q. WORKMAN, H. RICHARD DAVIS. Late with Citizens' National Bank, Pittsburgh.

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.

LARGE HOUSE AND LOT ON Washington St., Allegheny. The property No. 72 Washington Street, Fourth ward, Allegheny, is now offered at private sale. The lot fronts 62 feet on Washington street, and extends 270 feet to Railroad. The house is a two story double brick, with parlor on one side, sitting room and library with folding doors at the other side, kitchen, bath room and closet on ground floor, five bed-rooms on second story and three finished attics. There are range, wash tubs, stable, carriage house and servant's room. The beautiful lot surrounding this residence and the retired locality, render it very desirable. For inspection of premises, price, terms, &c., apply to A. LEGGATE, Auctioneer, 159 Federal street, Allegheny.

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.

KEYSTONE POTTERY. S. M. KIER & CO., Manufacturers of QUEENSWARE, BRISTOL WARE &c. office and Warehouse, 363 LIBERTY STREET. All orders promptly attended to.

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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.

TO-LET.

TO LET.—No. 77 Wood street, now occupied by James Cochran & Co. Enquire at 47 Wood street.

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

TO LET.—Desk Room in a handsomely fitted up office, in a central location for business. Apply at No. 80 Fourth avenue, second floor.

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

TO-LET—A large Front Room, furnished, on second floor, opening on a balcony, suitable for gentleman and lady, or two single gentlemen. Location, No. 18 Wylie street.

TO LET.—Two 2 story brick houses, Nos. 58 and 118 Centre avenue, containing ten rooms each, with all modern improvements. Enquire at No. 54 Centre avenue. MR. McCALLUM.

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

TO-LET.—ROOMS.—Several fine, large and well furnished rooms in a pleasant location, quiet and near to business, can be had by gentlemen as sleeping rooms. These rooms are very desirable. Enquire at 45 NINTH STREET, late Hand.

TO-LET—The Front Room of Second Story of No. 129 Smithfield street. Also, the entire THIRD FLOOR of same, divided into two rooms. Can be rented either singly or altogether. Inquire of J. HORNER, corner of Virgin alley and Smithfield street.

TO LET.—A Suit of Rooms comprising Two Large, well lighted front Rooms on 3rd floor. One large, well lighted front Room on 3rd floor. One large Hall with two ante-rooms on 4th floor. One Store Room, first floor, No. 98, 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 Millingar 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.—A very superior Brick Dwelling, containing Ten Rooms, Bath Room and Wash House; a fine dry cellar under the whole house, with large open lot adjoining, containing fruit and flowers; is within one square of the market and the same distance from the street cars. This is a rare chance to obtain a most desirable residence. Inquire of RAMSEY & HALL, 91 Beaver St., Allegheny City.

TO LET.—The Store and Dwelling recently fitted up at the corner of Ross street and Fourth avenue, comprising Cellar, Vault, Store Room, Kitchen, Dining Room and two chambers, with gas and water pipes complete. Annual rent $400. Apply next door on Fourth avenue, to A. FLOYD.

TO-LET.—That old, established and well-known DRUG STORE, on the corner of Washington and Wylie streets. Enquire of H. PERRY, 107 Wood street.

TO LET.—STORES, DWELLINGS, ROOMS AND OFFICES. Inquire of GAZZAM & CO., 96 Fifth avenue.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—FURNACE—There will be offered for sale to the highest and best bidder, at McArthur, Vinton county, Ohio, on the 16th day of February, 1870, the EAGLE FURNACE, with the lands belonging thereto. These lands contain inexhaustible mines of ore and coal, and the Furnace is now in full blast making 12 tons Hot Blast Charcoal Iron per day. SAMUEL BENNER, Bainbridge, Ross county, Ohio.

FOR SALE.—1 Steam Engine 10 by 30, in good running order, with shafting, Gearing, Walking Beam and connecting Rods, all as good as new. Also, TWO 12-INCH LIFT AND FORCE PUMPS, TWO 8-INCH LIFT AND FORCE PUMPS. Will be sold low. Can be seen at the Works of the Youghiogheny Gas Coal Company, West Newton, Pa.

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. SIX ACRES OF LAND Within the city limits. Will be sold cheap and on easy terms. Enquire of WM. BLAKELY, Attorney-at-Law, 91 Grant street.

FOR SALE.—Building materials—WILL BE SOLD AT A SACRIFICE the materials contained in a TWO STORY FRAME DWELLING HOUSE located near Oakland car station. The house is in good order and is now occupied by the subscriber, who wishes to have it removed off the lot before the first of May. Enquire of GEORGE W. SCOTT, Charlotte street, Oakland.

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FOR SALE.—AT A BARGAIN. —HOUSE AND LOT, No. 76 Leadlie street, Second ward, Allegheny. House; 2 story Brick of 8 rooms, well finished and complete. Lot 20 by 90 to an alley. Good frame stable on rear of lot. This property is worthy the attention of all desiring to purchase real estate. As a home on account of its location and convenience, or as an investment it would realize, by renting, large per cent. on the cost. Terms easy. Price low. For farther information, apply to W. P. PRICE, 21 Diamond, Allegheny.

FOR SALE. 16½ acres at Fleming Station, Ft. Wayne R. R.; 2 houses and 3 lots in Pleasant Valley; 1 acre ground in Bellevue Boro.; house and 2 acres in Elizabeth Boro; house and lot in Bridgewater, Beaver county; 17 acres at Glendale; House and 2 Lots on Lombard avenue, 3d ward; 2 lots on Fremont street, 2nd ward; 10 acres in Ross township; House and Lot, 54 James street, 2d ward; House and Lot White Oak street, 3d ward; house and lot Perrysville Plank Road, 2d ward; house and lot on Quarry street, 2d ward; house and lot, 27 Chestnut street; 2 lots in New Brighton; 2 lots and house in Beaver Falls; house and 4 lots Spring Hill, Seventh ward. Bank and Oil Stocks for sale. For further particulars inquire of R. WHITMORE, Real Estate Agent, corner Ohio and Sandusky streets, Allegheny.

FOR SALE. VALUABLE FARM AND COAL LAND. 337 ACRES 152 PERCHES OF LAND (including coal,) situate in Robinson township, Allegheny county, near the village of Mansfield, about 6 miles from the city, on the line of the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and St. Louis Railway. ALSO, 139 ACRES 20 PERCHES OF COAL, adjoining the above. This is the most desirable property in the Market and was formerly owned by Joseph and John Ross. For further particulars, inquire at the DOLLAR SAVINGS BANK, No. 150 Fourth avenue.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION of "The Citizen's Mutual Building and Loan Association of Sharpsburg and Etna for a Charter of Incorporation. And now, to wit, this 16th day of November, A. D. 1869, the within petition and instrument of writing having been presented to, perused and examined by the Court, and the objects, articles and conditions therein set forth and contained, appearing to be lawful and not injurious, it is ordered and directed that said instrument of writing be filed in the office of the Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas, and that notice of said application be inserted in the Pittsburgh Daily Morning GAZETTE for at least three weeks, setting forth that an application has been made to the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Allegheny to grant the said "Citizen's Mutual Building and Loan Association of Sharpsburg and Etna" a Charter of Incorporation," and that such Charter will be granted at the next term of said Court, unless exceptions be filed in proper time. BY THE COURT. S. A. McCLUNG, Corner Grant and Diamond streets, Solicitor.

U. S. PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 16, 1869. ON THE PETITION OF ALICE DODGE, of Pittsburgh, Penna., administratrix of Calvin Dodge, deceased, praying for the extension of a patent granted to the said Calvin Dodge on the 15th day of March, 1856, and reissued on the 23d day of July, 1867, for an improvement in Fire Place. It is ordered that the testimony in this case be closed on the 15th DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT, that the time for filing arguments and the Examiner's report be limited to the 25th day of February next, and that the said petition be heard on the 2d DAY OF MARCH NEXT. Any person may oppose this extension. SAMUEL S. FISHER, COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS. December 21, 1869.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION on the estate of ELIZABETH J. HILL, of Robinson township, Allegheny county, dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement to the undersigned. WILLIAM HILL, Mansfield Valley, Allegheny county, Pa.

ESTATE OF JOHN BARRETT, late of Allegheny City, dec'd. Letters testamentary upon the estate of said John Barrett having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted are required to make payment, and all persons having claims against said estate will please present them at No. 157 Beaver street, Allegheny City, to JAMES B. DALZELL, Executor of John Barrett, dec'd.

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