WEDNESDAY MORNING, JUNE 25.

LATE TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[FROM OUR EVENING EDITION.]

Important from Europe.

NEW YORK, June 24.—The steamer Ætna has arrived with Liverpool dates to the 12th inst.

The steamer Columbia had left Plymouth for Nassau with warlike stores, believed to be destined for the Confederacy.

Two other steamers, the Merrimac and Sylph, had also arrived at Plymouth, believed to be intended for the same destination.

The brig E. Fleming, from Charleston, reached Liverpool with a cargo of rosin and turpentine. She left Charleston in company with seven other small vessels.

The London *Times* regards the defeat of Banks as one of the most important successes of the Confederates, on account of the lesson it teaches to the North, showing that efforts and sacrifices greater than any that have gone before must be made if even a border State is to be drawn back to the Union. The hopes of an early solution must be dispelled, and in the meantime increasing debts and mutual hatred tend to make a new Union more and more impracticable.

The *Daily News* treats the defeat of Banks as quite unimportant, and not in the slightest degree calculated to disconcert the plans of Gen. McClellan. It was nothing more than a mere raid of the Confederates.

The Bishops, in their address to the Pope, deplore the oppression of the Church, and declare that the temporal power is necessary for the independence of the Pope. They approve of all the Pope has done, and entreat him to remain firm in resistance.

The Pope, in an allocution, deplored the spread of the revolutionary spirit, the oppression of the Church, and the efforts of the temporal power, and urged the Bishops to redouble their efforts in arresting the errors.

Garibaldi was at Belgrade.

PRUSSIA.—The Prussian Chambers amended, and finally adopted, the address to the king, by a vote of 219 to 101. The king, on receiving the address, expressed his pleasure to the deputation, and declared himself in full accord with the ministry.

RUSSIA.—The free export of silver from Russia is permitted.

The Emperor has signed a decree appointing the Grand Duke Constantine, Miesirne and not Viceroy of Poland.

TURKEY.—The Turks had assaulted and carried the intrenchments of Ostroy.

THE QUESTION OF MEDIATION REVIVED.

The Latest Via Queenstown.—The Paris *Patrie* gives a rumor of the approaching negotiations for a joint offer by France and England.

The *Times*, editorially, approves of the mediation, and says that Europe ought not to look calmly on, and if the offer of mediation is delayed, a more important question, that of the recognition of the Confederates, may have to be considered.

The London *Post's* advocacy of mediation had no effect on the Liverpool cotton market.

Liverpool, June 12.—Cotton firm and unchanged; sales to-day 8,000 bales, including 4,000 to speculators and exporters.

Flour is steady. Wheat firm and with an upward tendency. Corn quiet, steady and unchanged.

Provisions very dull.

London, June 12.—Consols 91.

The *Morning Post* denounces, in the bitterest terms, Gen. Butler's proclamation relative to the ladies of New Orleans, and thinks the Government is bound to recall and court martial him. It says that such an act as this, if not promptly disavowed, would soon turn the scale finally and decisively in favor of the Confederate cause.

Parliament was not in session.

The Japanese Embassadors had left England for Holland.

The visitors at the Great Exhibition during Whitsun week were numbering 60,000 per day.

FRANCE.—The Paris journals announce that it has been decided to send reinforcements to Mexico, but not till October.

The Emperor and Empress have gone to Fontambleau.

The Corps Legislatif had been prorogued till the 27th of June.

The bourse was flat; rentes 68f., 95 cents.

ITALY.—The Italian Ministry of Finance announces the deficit for 1862 at 225,000,000 lire. He recommends the sale of the public domain and church property, and an increase of Treasury bonds to meet it.

The fete at Rome, in celebration of the canonization of the Japanese martyrs, was magnificent and orderly.

Liverpool, June 11.—The steamer Anglo Saxon arrived on the 10th, and the Great Eastern and City of Baltimore, from New York, on the 18th. The sales of cotton for two days have been twenty-nine thousand bales, closing buoyant at an advance of ¼d since Friday. The steamer's news caused an advance.

Breadstuffs—The market closes steady. Flour quiet and steady. Wheat steady and firmer; red Western Wheat 9s 3d@10s 3d; red Southern 10s 3d@10s 6d; white Western 11s@11s 6d; white Southern 11s 6d@12s. Corn quiet and steady; mixed 27s 6d@27s 9d.

Provisions—Market closes very dull. Beef dull. Pork heavy, and prices nominal. Bacon still declining. Lard easier; sales at 40s@43s. Tallow quiet.

Breadstuffs—Ashes quiet and steady. Sugar inactive. Coffee has a downward tendency. Rice steady. Common Rosin quiet, at 12s 6d. Spirits of Turpentine no sales; quoted at 75s.

RUMORS OF MEDIATION—GEN. BUTLER'S PROCLAMATION, ETC.

HALIFAX, June 24.—The steamer Arabia has arrived with Liverpool dates to the 14th inst. The question was put in both houses of Parliament, relative to the rumors of mediation, and Gen. Butler's proclamation regarding the ladies of New Orleans.

Lords Russell and Palmerston said the mediation rumors were quite unfounded. No proposition on the subject had been made, and there was no present intention of making it.

Gen. Butler's proclamation was denounced, and it was hoped the Government would disavow it.

COTTON.—The sales for the week were 64,000 bales, closing buoyant, and ¼d@½d higher.

Breadstuffs were firmer, and a trifle higher.

LONDON, June 14.—Consols 91⅝@91¾. The bullion in the Bank of England had decreased £450,000.

The steamer Borussia arrived out on the 12th, and the Scotia on the 13th.

American Stocks.—Barings' Circular says the depression to American stocks continues, and tends to depress prices. Illinois Central shares, 44½@45½ per cent. discount; Erie Railroad, 32@33.

The Great Eastern was to sail on the 1st of July for New York.

The Arabia had sixty-three passengers. She has no specie list for Boston, for which port she sailed at 9 o'clock this morning.

At Liverpool's market, flour was unchanged; wheat, 2d@3d higher; corn, 6d@1s higher; beef, 2s 6d@3s lower.

From Fortress Monroe.

FORTRESS MONROE, June 23.—Surgeon A. Owen Stille, of the 23d Pennsylvania Volunteers, died suddenly in the General Hospital here last night. He arrived on the Nellie Baker only yesterday afternoon from White House.

The steamer Port Royal arrived at Norfolk this morning from Newborn, but brings no news.

The steamer Matanora will proceed to City Point to-morrow under a flag of truce, and convoy thither a score of female secessionists from Baltimore and Washington, besides several paroled rebel soldiers and line officers.

Boiler Explosion--Seven Men Killed --Building Destroyed.

BOSTON, June 24.—A boiler in the Bridgewater Iron Works exploded this morning, killing seven, and wounding six men. One wing of the building was completely destroyed.

DISSOLUTIONS, &C.

DISSOLUTION.—The firm of B. C. & J. H. SAWYER is this day dissolved by mutual consent. B. C. Sawyer having disposed of his interest in said firm to J. H. Sawyer and N. P. Sawyer. The business of the firm will be settled by J. H. & N. P. Sawyer.

B. C. SAWYER: Sr.,
J. H. SAWYER,
N. P. SAWYER.

Pittsburgh, June 12, 1862.

NOTICE.—The SOAP AND CANDLE BUSINESS will be carried on by the undersigned, under the name B. C. & J. H. SAWYER, at the old stand.

J. H. SAWYER,
N. P. SAWYER.

Pittsburgh, June 12, 1862. jel3

DISSOLUTION.—The Partnership heretofore existing under the style of Sawyer, Bell & Co., is dissolved by mutual consent, William H. Syrum withdrawing from the firm. The business will be conducted under the same style, by the undersigned, as usual.

EBENEZER BREWER,
LEVI WADE,
RICHARD BILL.

Pittsburgh, May 26, 1862 je21:3t

BACON.—100,000 lbs. prime Bacon Hams; 50,000 do. do. Shoulders, for sale by

J. B. CANFIELD.

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OFFICIAL.

LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES.

Passed at the Second Session of the Thirty-seventh Congress.

[PUBLIC—No. 84.]

AN ACT for the collection of direct taxes in insurrectionary districts within the United States, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress Assembled, That when in any State or Territory, or in any portion of any State or Territory, by reason of insurrection or rebellion, the civil authority of the Government of the United States is obstructed so that the provisions of the act entitled "An act to provide increased revenue from imports, to pay the interest on the public debt, and for other purposes," approved August fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, for assessing, levying, and collecting the direct taxes therein mentioned, cannot be peaceably executed, the said direct taxes, by said act apportioned among the several States and Territories, respectively, shall be apportioned and charged in each State and Territory, or part thereof, wherein the civil authority is thus obstructed, upon all the lands and lots of ground situate therein, respectively, except such as are exempt from taxation by the laws of said State or of the United States, as the said lands or lots of ground were enumerated and valued under the last assessment and valuation thereof made under the authority of said State or Territory previous to the first day of January, anno Domini eighteen hundred and sixty-one; and each and every parcel of the said lands, according to said valuation, is hereby declared to be, by virtue of this act, charged with the payment of so much of the whole tax laid and apportioned by said act upon the State or Territory wherein the same is respectively situate, as shall bear the same direct proportion to the whole amount of the direct tax apportioned to said State or Territory as the value of said parcels of land shall respectively bear to the whole valuation of the real estate in said State or Territory according to the said assessment and valuation made under the authority of the same; and in addition thereto a penalty of fifty per centum of said tax shall be charged thereon.

Sec. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That on or before the first day of July next, the President, by his proclamation, shall declare in what States and parts of States said insurrection exists, and thereupon the said several lots or parcels of land shall become charged respectively with their respective portions of said direct tax, and the same together with the penalty shall be a lien thereon, without any other or further proceeding whatever.

Sec. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That it shall be lawful for the owner or owners of said lots or parcels of land, within sixty days after the tax commissioners herein named shall have fixed the amount, to pay the tax thus charged upon the same, respectively, into the treasury of the United States, or to the commissioners herein appointed, and take a certificate thereof, by virtue whereof the said lands shall be discharged from said tax.

Sec. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That the title of, in, and to each and every parcel of land upon which said tax has not been paid as above provided, shall thereupon become forfeited to the United States, and, upon the sale hereinafter provided for, shall vest in the United States or in the purchasers at such sale, in fee simple, free and discharged from all prior liens, encumbrances, right, title, and claim whatsoever.

Sec. 5. *And be it further enacted*, That the President of the United States, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, may appoint a board of three tax commissioners for each of said States in which such insurrection exists, with a salary of three thousand dollars each per annum, to give security in the sum of fifty thousand dollars each, in such form as the Secretary of the Treasury shall direct, and to be approved by him, for the faithful performance of all their duties as such, and to account for and pay over all moneys and other property coming to their hands: *Provided*, That said commissioners shall not receive pay under the provisions of this act until they shall have entered upon the discharge of their duties.

Sec. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That the said board of tax commissioners shall enter upon the discharge of the duties of their office whenever the Commanding General of the forces of the United States, entering into any such insurrectionary State or district, shall have established the military authority of the United States throughout any parish or district or county of the same, and they shall open one or more offices for the transaction of business.

Sec. 7. *And be it further enacted*, That the said board of commissioners shall be required in case the taxes charged upon the said lots and parcels of land shall not be paid as provided for in the third section of this act, to cause the same to be advertised for sale in some newspaper published in the town, parish, district, or county where situate; and if there be no such newspaper published in said county, or if the publisher thereof refuse to publish the same, therein any other newspaper to be selected by said commissioners in said district, or in the city of Washington, for at least four weeks, and by posting notices of said sale in three public places in the town, parish, district, or county within which said lands are situate, at least four weeks previous to the day of sale; and at the time and place of sale to cause the same to be severally sold to the highest bidder for a sum not less than the taxes, penalty, and costs, and ten per centum per annum interest on said tax pursuant to said notice; and that said commissioners shall, at said sale, strike off the same severally to the United States at that sum, unless some person shall bid the same or a larger sum; who shall upon paying the purchase money in gold and silver coin, or in the Treasury notes of the United States, or in certificates of indebtedness against the United States, be entitled to receive from said commissioners their certificate of sale; which said certificate shall be received in all courts and places as prima facie evidence of the regularity and validity of said sale, and of the title of the said purchaser or purchasers under the same: *Provided*, That the owner of said lots of ground, or any loyal person of the United States, having any valid lien upon or interest in the same, may, at any time, within sixty days after said sale, appear before the said board of tax commissioners in his or her own proper person, and, if a citizen, upon taking an oath to support the Constitution of the United States, and paying the amount of said tax and penalty, with interest thereon from the date of the said proclamation of the President mentioned in the second section of this act, at the rate of fifteen per centum per annum, together with the expenses of the sale and subsequent proceedings to be determined by said commissioners, may redeem said lots of land from said sale; and any purchaser, under the same, having paid moneys, Treasury notes, or other certificates of indebtedness of the United States, shall, upon such redemption being made, be entitled to have the same, with the interest accruing after said sale, returned to him by the said commissioners, upon surrendering up the certificates of sale: *And provided, further*, That if the owner of said lots of ground shall be a minor, a non-resident alien, or loyal citizen beyond seas, a person of unsound mind, or under a legal disability, the gurdian, trustee, or other person having charge of the person or estate of such person may redeem the same at any time within two years after the sale thereof in the manner above provided and with like effect: *And provided, further*, That the certificate of said commissioners shall only be affected as evidence of the regularity and validity of sale by establishing the fact that said property was not subject to taxes, or that the taxes had been paid previous to sale, or that the property had been redeemed according to the provisions of this act.

Sec. 8. *And be it further enacted*, That at any time within one year after the said sale by said commissioners any person being the owner of any lot or parcel of ground at the passage of this act, who shall, by sufficient evidence, prove to the satisfaction of said board of commissioners that he or she, after the passage of this act, has not taken part in the present insurrection against the United States, or in any manner aided or abetted the same; and that, by reason of said insurrection, he or she has been unable to pay said tax, or to redeem said lands from sale within the time above provided for, the said board of commissioners may allow him or her further time to redeem the same, not exceeding two years from the day of sale; and for this purpose they may take the testimony of witnesses, and shall reduce the same to writing; and the United States, or any person claiming an interest in said lands, may appear and oppose the said application. From their decision the United States or any party in interest may appeal to the district court of the United States for said district, which is hereby authorized to take jurisdiction of the same, as in other cases involving the equity of redemption. And in case said board of commissioners should, for any cause, cease to act before the expiration of one year after said sales, the said district court shall have original jurisdiction of the proceeding for redemption, as herein provided, to take place before the said board of commissioners.

Sec. 9. *And be it further enacted*, That in cases where the owners of said lots and parcels of ground have abandoned the same, and have not paid the tax thereon as provided for in the third section of this act, and the said board of commissioners shall be satisfied that said owners have left the same to join the rebel forces or otherwise to engage in and abet this rebellion, and the same shall have been struck off to the United States at said sale, the said commissioners shall in the name of the United States, enter upon and take possession of the same, and may lease the same, together or in parcels, to any person or persons who are citizens of the United States, or may have declared on oath their intention to become such, until the said rebellion and insurrection in said State shall be put down and the civil authority of the United States established, and until the people of said State shall elect a Legislature and State officers, who shall take an oath to support the Constitution of the United States, to be announced by the proclamation of the President, and until the first day of March next thereafter, said leases to be in such form and with such security as shall, in the judgment of said commissioners, produce to the United States the greatest revenue.

Sec. 10. *And be it further enacted*, That the said commissioners shall from time to time make such temporary rules and regulations and insert such clauses in said leases as shall be just and proper to secure proper and reasonable employment and support, at wages or upon shares of the crop of such persons and families as may be residing upon the said parcels or lots of land, which said rules and regulations are declared to the approval of the President.

Sec. 11. *And be it further enacted*, That the said board of commissioners, under the direction of the President, may be authorized, instead of leasing the said lands vested in the United States, as above provided, to cause the same, or any portion thereof, to be subdivided and sold in parcels not to exceed three hundred and twenty acres to any one purchaser, at public sale, after giving due notice thereof, as upon the sale of other public lands of the United States, for sixty days, and to issue a certificate therefor; and that at any such sale, any loyal citizen of the United States, or any person who shall have declared on oath his intention to become such, or any person who shall have faithfully served as an officer, musician, or private soldier or sailor in the army or navy or marine service of the United States, as a regular or volunteer, for the term of three months, may become the purchaser; and if upon such sale any person serving in the army or navy or marine corps shall pay one-fourth part of the purchase money, a certificate shall be given him, and he shall have the term of three years in which to pay the remainder, either in money or in certificates of indebtedness from the United States; and any citizen of the United States, or any person who shall have declared on oath their intention to become such, being the head of a family, and residing in the State or district where said lands are situate, and not the owner of any other lands, may, under such rules as may be established by said board of commissioners, have the right to enter upon and acquire the rights of pre-emption in such lands as may be unimproved and vested in the United States, and as may be selected by said board of commissioners, under the direction of the President, from time to time, for such purpose.

Sec. 12. *And be it further enacted*, That the proceeds of said leases and sales shall be paid into the Treasury of the United States, one-fourth of which shall be paid over to the Governor of said State wherein said lands are situated, or his authorized agent, when such insurrection shall be put down, and the people shall elect a Legislature and State officers who shall take an oath to support the Constitution of the United States, and such fact shall be proclaimed by the President, for the purpose of reimbursing the loyal citizens of said State, or for such other purpose as said State may direct, and one-fourth shall also be paid over to said State as a fund to aid in the colonization or emigration from said State of any free person of African descent who may desire to remove therefrom to Hayti, Liberia, or any other tropical State or Colony.

Sec. 13. *And be it further enacted*, That in case the records of assessments and valuation of the lots of land mentioned in the first section of this act shall be destroyed, concealed, or lost, so as not to come within the possession of said boards of commissioners, they shall be authorized to take evidence of the same, or to value and assess the same in their own judgment upon such evidence as may appear before them; and no mistake in the valuation of the same, or in the amount of tax thereon, shall, in any manner whatever, affect the validity of the sale of the same or of any of the proceedings preliminary thereto.

Sec. 14. *And be it further enacted*, That the said tax commissioners shall keep a book or books, in which they shall enter or cause to be entered the amount or quota of said direct tax assessed on each tract or parcel of land; which said amounts shall be distinctly stated in the advertisement, or notice of sale, together with a description of the tract to be sold, and and an entry shall be made in said book or books, of each tract sold, together with the name of purchaser, and the sum for which the same may have been sold. A transcript or transcripts of said book or books, duly verified by said commissioners, and said books when said commission shall expire, shall be filed in the office of the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States, and said books and transcripts, and copies of books and transcripts duly certified by the Secretary of the Treasury, shall be evidence in any court in the United States. The said commissioners may employ a clerk whose compensation shall be twelve hundred dollars per annum.

Sec. 15. *And be it further enacted*, That the thirteenth section of the act of August fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, entitled "An act to provide increased revenue from imports, to pay interest on the public debt, and for other purposes," shall be so construed as not to exempt from taxation property above the value of five hundred dollars, but to exempt from taxation property of five hundred dollars, or less, owned by individuals, notwithstanding the provisions of said act.

Sec. 16. *And be it further enacted*, That this act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved, June 7, 1862.

COMMERCIAL RECORD.

COMMITTEE OF ARBITRATION OF BOARD OF TRADE FOR FEBRUARY AND MARCH.

WM. MCCREERY, V. P., J. L. BENNETT, J. J. GILLESPIE, JAMES PARKE, JR., B. PRESTON.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

[*Reported specially for the Pittsburgh Gazette.*]

TUESDAY, June 24, 1862.

FLOUR—There is a slight improvement in the demand for flour, but prices remain unchanged. Sale of 60 bbls family at $4,90@5,75; 35 do do, at $5@5,12; 250 do do at $4,90@5,10 and 100 do choice at $5,20.

GROCERIES—Sugar is more active; Sale of 10 hhds Cuba at 8¾c and 5 do Porto Rico, at 9¾. Coffee firm with sales of 15 bags Rio at 21@22. Molasses unchanged.

BACON—is more active without however, any change. Sale of 6 casks shoulders at 4; 6 casks sides at 6; 2000 lbs plain hams at 6@6¼; 10 tcs Cincinnati sugar cured at 8½, and 3,500 lbs country cured at 3½@3¾ for shoulders and 5 for sides and hams.

FISH—firm with a regular demand; sale of 20 bbls lake herring at $3,50; 20 half bbls white fish, at $3,75; 10 bbls Baltimore herring at $6,25 and 5 bbls No. 1 lake shad, at $13,25.

CRUDE OIL—There is an improvement in the receipts of this article, but prices as yet are not quotably lower. We note a sale of 5000 bbls to be delivered in Philadelphia on private terms, and 3000 bbls in bulk in lots at 4 per gallon.

SALT—is firm with sales of 250 bbls No. 1 Extra, at $1,45@1,50, and 50 do do, at $1,50.

WHISKY—remains very firm, and prices are rather unsettled. Sale of 10 bbls common Rectified, at 24c.

WHEAT—is dull, with small sales from first hands, at 95 for Red, and $1,00 for White. Sale of 320 bush White, on private terms.

CHEESE—Sale of 50 bxs W. R. at 7, and 10 do do prime, at 8.

BUTTER & EGGS—Sale of 150 lbs packed Butter, at 8, and 2 bbls eggs at 9c.

Imports by Railrond.

PITTSBURGH, FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILROAD, June 24.—3 bxs hardware, J F Day; lot sundries, J at Livingston & co; 1 car oats, J Cooper, 130 bgs wheat, L Wilmarth; 10 bbls petroleum, 10 do benzine, S & A Fahnestock & co; lot old metal, Hall & Speer; lot agricultural implements, Beckam & Long.

CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH RAILROAD, June 24.—9 bdls shafts, M Whitney, Harr & co; 21 bxs cheese, F Vangorder; 22 do do, Shoemaker & Lang; 17 do do, L H Voigt & co; 50 do do, J B Canfield; 7 wheat drills, White & Hoag; 1 car pig metal, Sinnick & co; 93 oil bbls, Jas Dalzell & co; 214 do do, Geo Carey; 15 bbls old steel, Jones; Boyd & co; 1 cask wine, A Bunkenhuimer & bros; 6 bxs cheese, H Hunter; 2 racks washboards, W J Kane; 12 hf bbls fish, W A Smeltzer; 12 skw pegs, S S Floyd; 300 bbls flour, Culp & Shephard; 4 cks pearls, J H Lyon & co; 9 do do, Jakowell, Pears & co; 48 pkgs fish, R McBreen.

River News.

The river was about at a stand last evening, with five feet ten inches by the marks. The weather continues warm, cloudy and unsettled, with every prospect of more rain and another rise in the river.

The weather was very dull at the levee yesterday, with light receipts and limited shipments. There was not a single arrival from below, and the Emma Graham, for Zanesville, and Exchange, for St. Louis, constituted the departures. The latter boat had a splendid freight list, and quite a number of passengers .....The Shenango, from Tennessee River and Hastings, from Cincinnati, are both due here to-day. .....The St. Louis and Capitola, have been taken down to the Marine Railway for repairs. It is the intention, we understand, to add about thirty feet to the length of the latter boat.....A dispatch was received here yesterday, stating that the steamer Science bound from Gallipolis for this city, had struck a snag and sunk—when or where, we were unable to learn. This is the second time this boat has been sunk within the past three months. She was sold a few weeks since to Capt. Booth and others, of Wheeling, who intended to place her in the Wheeling and Parkersburg trade, during low water.

THE BOAT BUSINESS.—The prospects for a brisk business on the river seems quite flattering. The new boat, launched a few days ago by Campbell Sweeney, was moved up to Messrs. Sweeney's Machine Shops, on Monday, to receive her machinery.

Another new boat is building at the same boat yard, intended for the Wheeling and Cincinnati trade. She is two hundred and twenty feet in length, thirty-six feet beam, and is to have a twenty-two inch cylinder with seven feet stroke. She is to have a tubular boiler, constructed on an entirely novel plan, and will be commanded by Capt. Jas. M. Booth.

There is another now in progress at Cincinnati, designed for the same trade and is somewhat larger. She will be commanded by Capt. Tom Sharp, who, with Capt. Booth, are gentlemen well known in this community.

We learn that another small boat, designed for the transfer of freight between Benwood and Bellair, has just been contracted for and will soon be completed. It is the increase of business on the river, which has added that stimulus to boat building. We further hear that the boats now in the Wheeling and Pittsburgh and Wheeling and Parkersburg trade are doing good business—Wheeling Press.

FOR CINCINNATI AND LOUISVILLE.—The popular steamer Kenton, Capt. Geo. W. Ebbert, leaves for Cincinnati, and Louisville to-day positively. The Glide, Capt. Anderson, is up for the same points to-morrow.

FOR ST. LOUIS—The commodious and popular Com Perry, Capt. Andrews, will get off for St. Louis to-morrow. The Shenango, Capt. French, is up for Friday.

FOR WHEELING—The Lizzie Martin, Captain D. T. Brown, is the Wheeling packet for to-day, leaving at noon.

STEAMBOATS.

FOR CINCINNATI, LOUISVILLE AND ST. LOUIS.—The fine steamer SHENANGO, Capt. French, will leave as above on FRIDAY, 27th instant, at 4 p. m. For freight or passage apply on board or to

J. B. LIVINGSTON & CO., Agents.

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FOR CINCINNATI, LOUISVILLE AND ST. LOUIS.—The fine steamer COMMODORE PERRY, Capt. Andrews, will leave as above on WEDNESDAY, 25th inst., at 4 p. m. For freight or passage apply on board or to

J. B. LIVINGSTON & CO., Agents.

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ALLEGHENY RIVER PACKETS.

The RETURN No. 2, Capt. Mathew Conner, will leave THIS DAY (Tuesday,) for Tionesta.

The NORTH BEND will receive freight for Oil City TO-MORROW (Wednesday.)

B. J. COYLE, Agent.

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FOR CINCINNATI & LOUISVILLE.—The steamer GLIDE, Capt Wm. B. Anderson, will leave as above on WEDNESDAY, 25th inst., at 4 p. m. For freight or passage apply on board or to

J. B. LIVINGSTON & CO., Agents.

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FOR CINCINNATI & LOUISVILLE.—The fine steamer KENTON, Capt. Geo. W. Ebbert, will leave for the above and all intermediate ports, on THIS DAY, 25th inst., at 4 p. m., positively. For freight or passage apply on board or to

J. B. LIVINGSTON & CO., Agents.

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EVENING LINE FOR WELLSVILLE, STEUBENVILLE AND WHEELING.—The fine light draught steamer COTTAGE, Capt J. G. Saint, will leave Pittsburgh every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, at 6 o'clock p. m., and returning will leave Wheeling every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, at 4 o'clock p. m. For freight or passage apply on board or to

J. PEACOCK, Agent.

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WHEELING PACKET.—The steamer LIZZIE MARTIN, Capt. D. T. Brown, leaves for WHEELING, and all intermediate points, every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, at 12 o'clock m., making close connections with the Parkersburg packets. Returning, leaves Wheeling EVERY MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, at 8 o'clock a. m. For freight or passage apply on board or to

JAMES COLLINS & CO., Agents,

ap27 No. 115 Water street.

REGULAR WEEKLY ZANESVILLE PACKET.—The fine new and beautiful passenger steamer EMMA GRAHAM, Capt. Monroe Ayres, leaves Pittsburgh for Zanesville EVERY TUESDAY, at 4 o'clock p. m.—Returning, leaves Zanesville EVERY FRIDAY, at 8 a. m. For freight or passage apply on board or to

J. B. LIVINGSTON & CO., Agents, Pittsburgh.

H. S. PIERCE & CO., Agents, Zanesville. sa16

REGULAR WHEELING PACKET.—The splendid passenger steamer MINNEHA, Capt. John Hudson, leaves for Wheeling and all intermediate ports EVERY TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, at 11 o'clock a. m., making close connections with the regular packets for Parkersburg and Cincinnati. Returning, leaves Wheeling EVERY MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, at 8 o'clock a. m. Passengers receipted through to Cincinnati. For freight or passage apply on board or to JAS. COLLINS & CO., 114 Water street.

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ISAAC CRAIG, OUTLET SAW MILLS, ALLEGHENY CITY, invites the attention of builders and riversmen to his large stock of thoroughly seasoned LUMBER, WINDOW FRAME STUFF, JOISTS, DECKING, BOTTOM PLANK LATHE, PALINGS, &c., &c.

He will fill orders for sawed stuff with promptness and at fair rates. Persons wanting long timber are particularly invited to examine his stock.

Office on CRAIG STREET, near Robinson.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY HOLDERS IN THE CITY OF PITTSBURGH.—All those who have neglected to pay the fourth installment of their Grading and Paving Assessment, are hereby notified that if they wish to avoid costs upon said assessment, they will call immediately and liquidate all arrears that may be standing unpaid at this date, April 24, 1862. WM. EICHBAUM,

ap24:tf Treasurer.

FLOUR AND FEED.—

20 bbls. white Wheat Family Flour;
60 sacks Middlings;

Just received and for sale by

JAMES A. FETZER;
je21 corner Market and First streets.

GLYCERINE—250 lbs. for sale by

my1 B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.—A good second-hand BUGGY, nearly new, in complete running order, for sale low. Inquire at 70 WATER STREET je24

RESIDENCE ON PENN STREET FOR SALE.—A three-story brick dwelling, with ten rooms, lot 22x110, in one of the best squares on Penn street, all in good order. Price only $4,500—$1,000 cash and balance in five equal annual payments. Possession at any time.

Inquire of B. McLAIN & CO.,
my31:tf 102 Fourth street.

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND BOILERS.—We have for sale three 40 inch BOILERS, 24 feet long, with two flues each; two 40 inch, 28 feet long, two flues each; one 42 inch, 22 feet long, with five flues; six cylinder Boilers, 32 inches diameter, 22 feet long—all of which will be warranted in good order, and sold at a great bargain.

WATSON & MUNROE,
West Point Boiler Works, Water st., below Penn.
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ENGINE FOR SALE,

ABOUT EIGHT HORSE POWER,

IN GOOD ORDER,

WILL BE SOLD CHEAP FOR CASH.

Enquire at the GAZETTE OFFICE.
je14:dtf Fifth street, above Smithfield.

DESIRABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.—Two two-story brick dwellings, supplied with water and gas; lots each 30 by 150 feet, situated on South avenue, Allegheny city.

A building partly finished, with large stone basement, an acre and a quarter of ground, situated on Woods' Run, a short distance from the Manchester and Ft. W. & C. Railroads, being suitable for manufacturing purposes.

Also, a farm of 100 acres, six and a half miles from the city, and one and a quarter miles from Courtney's Station, P. Ft. W. & C. R. R., with a young Orchard of 800 trees, a water power Saw Mill, two Houses, and other improvements; fifty acres cleared, balance timber.

For further particulars inquire of

SAM'L DYER, 61 Federal st., Allegheny,
or 225 Liberty street, Pittsburgh.

FOR SALE OR RENT—An Oil Refinery, in complete order. Apply to

ROBT. ARTHURS,
mh26:tf Att'y at Law, No. 135 Fourth st.

TO LET.

FOR RENT OR SALE.—A HOUSE containing nine rooms and cellar, together with THIRTY-THREE ACRES OF LAND, within one-fourth of a mile of Hayeville Station, for $160 per annum.

Also, A NEW HOUSE, containing five rooms, cellar and garret, on Chartiers street, First Ward, Allegheny, for $10 per month.

For further particulars enquire of

A. H. STERSON,
Or, of Capt. HAYS,
my25:tf at Hayeville Station.

TO LET.—A large, well finished and comfortably furnished Store on Market, between Third and Fourth streets.

A long Room, fitted up for a school, and heretofore occupied by Mr. Avery's Academy for young ladies.

Also, Rooms in Anderson's Building, corner of Third and Market streets.

Also, several Rooms suitable for offices.

Rent very low, to suit the times.

E. D. GAZZAM,
ap15:tf corner Third and Market streets.

SEWING MACHINES.

WHEELER & WILSON'S

Sewing Machines,

NO. 77 FIFTH STREET, PITTSBURGH, PA.,

Awarded the First Premium at the

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For the Years 1858, 1859 and 1860.

UPWARDS OF 80,000 MACHINES SOLD IN THE UNITED STATES.

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We offer to the public WHEELER & WILSON'S IMPROVED SEWING MACHINE, at REDUCED PRICES, with increased confidence of its merits as the best and most reliable Family Sewing Machine now in use. It does equally well on the thickest and thinnest fabrics, makes the lock-stitch impossible to unravel, alike on both sides; is simple in construction, more speedy in movement, and more durable than any other machine.

Circulars, giving prices and description of Machines, furnished gratis, on application in person or by letter.

Every Machine warranted for three years.

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SEWING MACHINES.

WILLIAMS & ORVIS' unequalled double thread

$25 FAMILY SEWING MACHINES.

Salesroom, No. 12 FIFTH STREET,

PITTSBURGH, PA.

Those Machines will do all kinds of work, and are warranted and kept in repair one year without any charge.

LILLEY, STRAIN & CO., Agents.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Let the public be perfectly assured that they may buy and use WILLIAMS & ORVIS' MACHINE with as much impunity as any in market, notwithstanding the gross misstatements purporting to emanate from the Grover & Baker Sewing Machine Co. and others. The idea of stopping persons from using those machines, when they cannot stop us from selling them, is preposterous. This Machine was patented Feb. 17, 1861. *We promise to reward any person with a sewing Machine* who can point out one single case where a person to whom we have sold a Machine have been legally stopped from using it, or have had to pay to any party. AGENTS WANTED.

my24 LILLEY, STRAIN & CO.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—

GEO. ALBREE, SON & CO., No. 71 Wood street, corner of Fourth, have just received a fresh assortment of

LADIES' GAITERS AND BALMORAL BOOTS;
MISSES do do do;
CHILDREN'S do AND FANCY SHOES;
GENT'S BROAD BUCKSKIN SEWED SHOES;
Do. CALF CONGRESS GAITERS;
BOYS' do do do;
Do. do OXFORD TIES;

All made to order, special order, and warranted to be the best that can be found ready made in any place.

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BOOTS AND SHOES AT 89 MARKET STREET.—LOOK AT THE PRICES.—

Ladies Reg. Lasting Heel Gaiters $1,00, worth $1,25
" " " Cong " " 1,25 " 1,75
" " " Slippers 1,00 " 1,50
" " Fine Fr. Morocco Heel Boots 1,37 " 1,62
" " Goat Congress " " 1,37 " 1,75
" " Morocco Slippers 50 " 75
" " Kid 75 " 1,12

ALL OTHER GOODS IN PROPORTION.

JAMES ROBB,
my27 NO. 89 MARKET STREET.

VULCAN FORGE.

W. P. PORTER & CO.,

Manufacturers of

STEAMBOAT SHAFTS, CRANKS, PISTON RODS, PITMAN JAWS, WRISTS, LOCOMOTIVE AND CAR AXLES, ANCHORS,

And all kinds of Heavy Forging.

TEMPERANCEVILLE, near Pittsburgh,

my8:1ym ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PA.

BACON, SHOULDERS, SIDES, HAMS, plain;
Do. canvassed;
Do. S. C. canvassed;

In store and for sale by WM. B. HAYS & CO.,
je10 295 Liberty street.

SUNDRIES.—

DRIED BEEF;
LEAF LARD, in barrels and kegs;
MESS PORK;
No. 3 MACKEREL, large;

On hand and for sale by

WM B. HAYS & CO., 295 Liberty st.
je10

TO COOPERS.—700 acres of timber land, situated in Westmoreland county, near the Blairsville Junction, fronting on the Pennsylvania Railroad, Conemaugh River and Pennsylvania Canal. Will exchange one acre of the land for the price of an Oil Barrel. Apply to

B. McLAIN & CO., 102 Fourth st.
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POTATOES! POTATOES!—100 bush. prime Pinkeye Potatoes just received and for sale by

FRANK VAN GORDER,
je11 114 Second street.

GREASE.—10 barrels now landing from steamer Lizzie Martin, for sale by

ISAIAH DICKEY & CO.
je12

CARBON OIL.—100 bbls. No. 1 refined Carbon Oil; 50 bbls. Lubricating Oil; for sale by

J. B. CANFIELD

NEW CONSIGNMENT.—

75 bush. choice halves Dried Peaches;
60 " " prime Dried Apples;

For sale by L. H. VOIGT & CO.
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COTTON.—25 bales now landing from steamer Liberty, for sale by

ISAIAH DICKEY & CO.
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CHEESE! CHEESE!—25 bxs. prime mammoth Cheese, just received and for sale by

FRANK VAN GORDER,
je22 114 Second street.

FISH.—100 bbls. extra No. 1 Shad;
50 do No. 1 Baltimore Herring
100 do and hf. bbls. Mackerel;

In store and for sale by SHRIVER & LAZEAR,
je7 Nos. 27 and 29 Smithfield street.

RYE FLOUR—20 bbls. fresh ground, in store and for sale by

L. H. VOIGT & CO.
my12

PEARLS.—7 bbls. Pearl Ash received on consignment and for sale by

ALEXANDER KING.
je11

BELT HOOKS, of all sizes, used in joining Belts, for sale at 26 and 28 St. Clair st.

J. & H. PHILLIPS.
je6

SALT.—700 bbls. extra No. 1 Salt in store and for sale by CULP & SHEPARD,
je12 543 Liberty street.

OILS, &c.

W. H.