Pittsburgh Gazette.

FRIDAY MORNING, JUNE 27.

CITY AFFAIRS.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS for the *Gazette*, by G. E. Shaw, Optician, No. 55 Fifth street—corrected daily:

	IN SUN.	IN SHADE.
9 o'clock, A. M.	85	66
12 " M.	87	69
6 " P. M.		74
Barometer		29 7-10

Whisky Rations.

It is one of the most astonishing things to a sober and well informed mind, that a mixture of Whisky and Quinine has been prescribed for all our soldiers in McClellan's army, regardless of constitutional states and present conditions.

While we admit as necessary, both the quinine and the stimulants in certain forms of disease, to be judged of by competent physicians, we do unhesitatingly denounce as uncalled for and highly prejudicial to health, the universal and indiscriminate use of those articles. Although horrified by the general order furnishing and recommending them, morning and evening, to our army about Richmond, we have hitherto refrained from writing upon the subject, unwilling to add one care to the burden of fathers and mothers who have sons there under the baneful influence of such regulations. But since the matter has been opened up by the *Evening Bulletin*, of Philadelphia, and other papers, we regard it the duty of every one to do what he can to procure a reversal of the destructive *whisky-quinine* order. If one half the money expended upon contractors for whisky was employed in—procure good water and other wholesome beverages, and to furnish suitable accommodation for the sick, our army would have fifty per cent. less men on the disabled list. The place of such necessaries, and the careful discriminations of the surgeons, giving to each case its appropriate remedies, can never be supplied by an indiscriminate dosing of all, both sick and well, with whisky and quinine.

In our opinion, the commander of our army before Richmond has been imposed upon by his Medical Staff, and they, in turn, have been the dupes, willing, or unwilling, of those contractors, who alone will be benefited by the order.

We would urge upon all who have sons and brothers in the army of Gen. McClellan, to send on their protests against this general dosing system, especially if they would have their sons and brothers sober in the hour of danger, sensible in their last moments, if called to die for their country; and, especially, if they would have them return at the close of the war with sound constitutions, clear heads and pure hearts—free from blotch, swollen ureters, deafness, aching limbs, careless habits, reckless feelings, and, what is worse than death itself, *the inextinguishable appetite of the drunkard.*

Send petitions to the Secretary of War and to the President.

The Philadelphia *Evening Bulletin* says:

"A Captain in the line writes in the following melancholy strain. He had taken great pride and pleasure in the steady deportment of his men; two of them had formerly been drunkards; but as no spirits were to be had in their camps, they had gradually become humanized and reformed, taken a respectable position in the Company, saved their pay, and sent it home to make their families comfortable. No taste was manifested for liquor in the company.

"'Now all is changed; the drunkards eagerly seize the spirit ration, and are maddened by the love of strong drink. Young men as respectable as any in Pennsylvania are getting to like the whisky and eagerly claim the ration.'"

"The Captain fears that instead of marching back a brave, steady stalwart, self-respecting body of Pennsylvanians, he will bring home drunkards.

"The Captain says: "He is one of the most amiable, self-respecting men I have met with in the army. If anything can make him a drunkard, it will be miserable drunkards."

Allegheny City Taxes for 1861.

S. Schoyer, Jr., Esq., 139 Fourth street, Solicitor of the city of Allegheny, desires us to state that he will be compelled to enter up all unpaid taxes due for city purposes, upon real estate in the city of Allegheny, for 1861, on Saturday, unless the same are paid to him before, in order that the property assessed may be sold therefor, at the July Sheriff's sales. The costs consequent thereon, will be very heavy—in many cases three or four times the amount of tax. He has also furnished us a list of names of those in default, which we print below.

First Ward.		
S N Wickersham,	J Schoonmaker,	J M'Keown and
Mrs E Wilson,	F Rudolph,	W Chise' heirs,
Stephen Hague,	Capt Wm Ward,	James Rogers,
Rev P J Simpson,	Plants, heirs and	M Elkenny, (H
St Clair Denny's	others,	Stewart, sq'e.)
heirs,	Geo Rudolph,	Orphan Asylum,
James Clark,	Isaac Craig,	West'n Seminary
Jno Brigg's heirs	J B Craig,	Wm Marshall's
J M'Brier's heirs	T and R Ray,	heirs,
J E Large & Co,	W C Stockton,	W Dunn's heirs,
Second Ward.		
Francis M'Eeo,	Henry Shriver,	Wm Harris,
Wm C Mahlon,	Wm A Johnston,	Jas Beedling,
Adam Geisler,	A S Calhoun,	anthony Rolay,
Chas Shoemaker,	Wm Hutchinson,	Wm Carson,
John Caldwell,	J C Anderson,	J H Stickel,
John Chess,	Crow,	Wm Carson,
William Irwin,	A P Martin,	Geo Schwartz,
Roger Atkinson,	W Blythes' heirs,	Alex Sample,
William Boston,	J H Lawman,	Jas Finnegan,
James Gut,	A Bowley,	Jane Carter,
Jas F M'Donald,	Wm P Eichtaum,	John Fields,
Jas Campbell,	Stephen Geyer,	Lewis Martin,
Jacob Hulf,	John H M'Clurg,	Mary Calhoun,
Robert Wilson,	Eliza Geysinger,	T H Reynolds
Blackstock and	W Hernsburg's	James Brown,
Richardson,	heirs,	Rev A Shotwell,
Third Ward.		
W G M'Cartney,	Sebastian Fleitz,	Episcopalian Ch
J B Gormly,	Stephen Geyer,	Robt M'Dowell,
W Blythes' heirs	I and J Scott,	Jas Rankin,
Wm Houtiko,	Mrs Hazelly,	Philip Wills,
Chas Woods,	Jas M'Collough,	Henry Emlong,
Chas M'Gill,	William Hill,	Christian Meurer
John Shaffer,	Mrs Dougherty,	Susannah Oil-
Jacob Illey,	Edward Henry,	phant,
John Haltrer.	Mary Boyer,	Frederick Lang.
Fourth Ward.		
John Lightner,	J B Gibson's	D Blackstock,
H Childs & Co,	heirs.	Thomas Henry
Capt. W. Ward,	Ann Brown,	Edward Webb,
David Waugle	S A Purviance,	Henry Baker,
heirs,	R Hunsucker,	Bernard Toner,
Samuel Patter-	Fred'k Eberman,	Isaac Augney,
son's heirs.	George Galway's	M C Rodgers,
Mary Tassey's	heirs,	Thomas Mellon,
heirs,	Samuel Lindsay,	Philip Helping,
David Henry,	Alex. Cupples,	Daniel Ahl, Sr,
John Connelly,	Wesley Cross,	Penna R R Co,
Matthias Low,	Wm. Anderson,	Wm Williams,
Jos Lakedecr,	J S Black,	Henry Horn,
J Wattdecal, Sr,	Wm Smith,	R Denhurst,
Peter Atkinson,	Bridge Company,	George Laylor,
Francis Fisher's	(Hand street.)	D F Aguew,
heirs.	Henry Blakeney,	Andrew Leech.
James Erechan,	J T Walker,	

GEN. T. W. SHERMAN, who commanded the land forces in the expedition to Port Royal, and who is at present in command of a division of Gen. Halleck's army, arrived in Washington, Pa., on Saturday last. He is on a brief visit to his wife, who is stopping with the family of Rev. Mr. Aiken of that place. The *Examiner* says: "He is an unassuming, soldierly looking man; and when he appears on the street has not half of the brass buttons about him that some of our fourth corporals sport. A number of our citizens have called and paid their respects to him. How long his stay is to be we are uninformed."

Col. M'CARTER.—Rev. Col. James M. M'Carter, arrived in Lancaster city on Thursday last, to recruit his health and strength from the severe injuries he received at the battle of Fair Oaks. His left arm, which had been completely paralized in that terrible conflict, is rapidly assuming its wonted strength. He preached in the Duke street M. E. church in that city on Sunday evening last, to a very large congregation.

DEAD BODY FOUND.—A few days ago some of Capt. Wes. Rowan's cavalry, (Co. K, First Virginia) discovered the dead body of a man in the Ohio river, opposite Ravenswood. From a paper found in the pocket of the drowned man, he is supposed to have been a teamster in the United States service by the name of Henry Wilson.

TWO CHILDREN DROWNED.—Two little girls, children of Alexander Henkson, deceased, of Amity township, Erie county, were drowned on Saturday last while attempting to cross French Creek. The bodies were recovered about an hour after the sad occurrence, and interred the next day.

THEATRE.—The "Gold Seekers" and "Black Eyed Susan," comprise the programme at the Theatre to-night. Mr. Charles Foster appears in both pieces.

Pittsburgh Female College--Commencement Exercises.

The closing exercises of the Pittsburgh Female College were held in the Smithfield M. E. Church, and have been an occasion of marked interest, not only to to the pupils, but to the many friends and patrons of this flourishing institution.

The Baccalaureate Sermon was delivered on Sunday morning, by Rev. A. G. Williams, D. D. Monday was occupied in the examination of classes, and in the evening an annual address was delivered by Rev. Franklin Moore, A. M., of Harrisburg. On Tuesday, the examination of classes was continued, and on Wednesday forenoon the reports were read.

On Wednesday evening the closing exercises of the Graduating Class began, but space will not permit us to make special mention of the performers, or note the peculiar excellence of each. The names of graduates appearing upon the programme for the first evening were—Miss Mary C. Marshall, Monongahela Borough; Maggie J. Stewart, Duquesne Borough; Mattie G. Doughty, Chicago, Ill.; Maggie Dick, Pittsburgh; Kate L. Wickersham, Allegheny; Ada O'Brien, Cherry Hill; Mary L. Little, Pittsburgh; Anna B. Beatty, East Liberty; Nellie Medill, Canton, Ohio; Angie A. Fisher, Freeport, Ill.

On Thursday evening the closing exercises were continued by the following graduates: Emoline Wilcox, South Pittsburgh; Amanda A. Pershing, Plymouth, Ind.; Hettie N. Hughes, West Newton; Anna F. Simpson, Evanston, Ill., Mary E. Kidd, Pittsburgh; Mattie E. Fisher, Freeport, Ill.; Estella O. Griswold, Elkader, Iowa; Fannie A. Fish, Chicago, Ill.; Valedictory—Mrs. Mattie McC. Brown, West Elizabeth.

The College Honors were awarded as follows:

First Honor—M. McC. Brown, Fannie A. Fish, Angie A. Fisher, E. O. Griswold, H. N. Hughes, M. C. Marshall, Nellie Medill, Ada O'Brien, Anna F. Simpson, Kate L. Wickersham.

Second Honor—Anna B. Beatty, Maggie Dick, Mattie E. Fisher, Mary Kidd, Mary L. Little, Kate S. Wickersham.

The exercises were conducted in the presence of overflowing audiences, and were creditable alike to the fair graduates and the excellent institution which they represent.

After the exercises were concluded, Rev. W. D. Howard, D. D., delivered a brief and appropriate address to the graduates, which was listened to with marked interest.

We must not omit to notice the exquisite music, both vocal and instrumental, which formed a most pleasing and delightful feature. The instrumental music (piano) was under the direction of Prof. Rohlock, while Prof Slack conducted the vocal performances. On the first evening, Miss M. Smyth, Miss Rohlock, Miss Marshall, Miss Clara Reese, and Miss Mary Shaffer presided at the piano. Vocal—Duet, "Hark! I hear the Organ's Peal," by Miss Sankey and Miss Arnold. "Gliding o'er the Tranquil Deep," by class, composed of Misses Sankey, Arnold, Dick, Kincaid, and Miss McMasters. On the second evening, Miss Marshall, Miss Robbins, Miss Roth and Miss Doughty performed some musical gems on the piano. The duet, by Misses Rohbock and Roth, was a most brilliant performance, and elicited high encomiums. The vocal performances were equally happy—"Music at Nightfall;" duet by Misses Dick and Hughes; and "Brightly Beaming;" solo, with vocal accompaniment, by Misses McMasters, Kincaid and Dick.

After Dr. Howard had concluded his address, the Diplomas were awarded to the graduates by Rev. I. C. Pershing, President of the College. He paid a high, and we may be permitted to say, a very just and well deserved compliment to this class, for the superior excellence which they exhibited in almost every department of their college course. The closing exercises were of a very high order, and evinced a thorough training and cultivation, such as can only be obtained in a first class institution.

The exercises closed with a "Parting Song," composed by Miss Fannie A. Fish, and sung by the entire graduating class, under the lead of Prof. Black.

The audience was dismissed with the Benediction by the Rev. Mr. Snively, of Christ's M. E. Church.

We might say a word or two in commendation of the Pittsburgh Female College: but its ability, its energy, and the untiring perseverance of the worthy President, ably seconded and sustained by the Faculty, are well known as to render commendation almost superfluous. The character of the institution is firmly established, and it is only necessary to remind the public that the next term begins on the 2d of September, at which time every student designing to enter should be in attendance.

Villainous Outrage.

On last Tuesday night a week, some malicious persons entered the Presbyterian church in the borough of Elizabeth, and took down the stoves and pipes, placed a portion of them on the Bible, which lay on the pulpit, another portion on the table in front of the pulpit, then took the collection boxes, and with them swept the stove pipes, strewing the ashes and soot over the entire carpet. The entrance was gained by the window leading to the vestibule, thence, ascending the stairs and prying open the door leading into the church. It is to be hoped that the perpetrators of this dastardly outrage may be apprehended and meet a speedy punishment.

PERSONAL.—W. R. Johns, Esq., editor of the Oil City *Register*, is now in this city, on a business visit. He will call upon our leading merchants and business men, and those who wish to increase their trade in the "oil region" should embrace the present opportunity.

SENTENCED.—At the late term of the Court of Quarter Sessions, of Butler county, Adam Rust was sentenced two years to the penitentiary for horse stealing; and George Wood, for burglary, was sentenced to the same institution for sixteen months.

DROWNED.—Coroner McClung yesterday held an inquest upon the body of Albert Johnston, who was accidentally drowned in Baldwin township.

FROM YESTERDAY'S EVENING GAZETTE.

A Tribute to the Memory of the Late Col. Rippey.

An army correspondent, writing from the Sixty-first regiment, in camp before Richmond, pays the following just and touching tribute to the memory of the late Col. O. H. Rippey:

"Our greatest loss, and one which we daily and hourly feel, is that of our beloved Colonel. Col. Rippey was more like a father to us than an officer—more like a companion than a superior. He was beloved by the entire regiment. Generous, frank, and open hearted to a fault, his sympathy was always with the weak; brave as a lion, he knew no danger. It is to be wondered at, then, that we all regarded him as our friend and protector? Never would he place his men where he would not go himself, and, in the many vicissitudes of a soldier's life, he shared alike with his command. His whole soul was in his country's cause; his one idea to serve it, and on the shrine of the patriot he has shed his blood for it. He died as he wished to die, a soldier's death, at the head of his men, with his face to the enemy. The last seen of him he was on foot, with pistol in hand and sword upraised, rushing into the fiercest of the fight. His body was found afterwards on the field. It has been sent to his family at Pittsburgh, of which he was a native. Though a lawyer by profession, at the first call for troops, he was in the field, with the 7th Pennsylvania, as Lieutenant Colonel. His death has left a void in our regiment not easily filled; society has lost one of its brightest ornaments; and his country a noble soldier and a true patriot."

Chloride of Lime as an Insecticide.

Dingler's Polytechnisches Journal says: "In scattering chloride of lime on a plank in a stable, all kinds of flies, but more especially biting flies, were quickly got rid of. Sprinkling beds of vegetables with even a weak solution of this salt, effectually preserves them from caterpillars, butterflies, mordello, slugs, etc. It has the same effect when sprinkled on the foliage of fruit trees. A paste of one part of powdered chloride of lime, and one half part of some fatty matter, placed in a narrow band round the trunk of the tree, prevents insects from creeping up it. It has even been noticed that rats and mice quit places in which a certain quantity of chloride of lime has been spread. This salt, dried and finely powdered, can no doubt be employed for the same purposes as flour of sulphur, and be spread by the same means."

KILLED.—Michael McCarty, employed in excavating on the line of the Erie and Pittsburgh Railroad, was killed last Friday, near West Greenville, Mercer county, by the falling of a mass of earth. He was a young man, and lately from Ireland.

Sick and Wounded Pennsylvanians in Hospitals Near Washington.

We are indebted to Dr. Colley, one of the Surgeons attached to the Sanitary Committee, for the following list of sick and wounded Pennsylvania soldiers in hospitals in and around Washington City. They nearly all belong to this section of the State:

Carver Hospital, Georgetown.—J. Black, 61st, Pittsburgh, improving; J. K. Dale, 63d, Pittsburgh, rheumatism, improving; James Brown, 55th, Greene Co., fever, improving; Clark Chew, 55th; Henton Chase, 55th; Joseph Chase, 55th; J. Lowery, 55th; Fayette Co., pain in back; Francis Ryan, 55th; J. Spicer, 55th, Greene Co; W. L. Grubbs, 101st, Beaver Co., rheumatism; Matterson Miller, 101st, Bedford Co., chronic diarrhea; Wm. R. Craig, 103d, Armstrong Co., rheumatism and fever; Sam'l Craig, 103d, Armstrong Co., piles; Joseph McGregor, 103d; Thos. Reel, 103d, Clarion Co., rheumatism; W. L. Reed, 103d, Clarion Co., dysentery; John B. Wallace, 103d, Clarion Co., dysentery; Manassas Shaw, 7th Clarion Co., fever, not mending; Manassas Shaw, 7th Virginia, Greene Co., burnt in the arm and back; Zaddock Mitchell, 7th Virginia, Greene Co., burnt in the arm and face, improving.

Seminary Hospital Georgetown.—Jacob Frank, 5th Pennsylvania Cavalry, Pittsburgh, fractured, improving; Daniel Steel, 11th Pennsylvania Cavalry, Westmoreland Co., fever and diarrhea.

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Douglas Hospital, Washington.—P. Clenin, 13th; J. Carbit, 61st; J. Denivan, 61st, shot in arm; J. Boulling, 63d; T. McBride, 63d; F. Orricks, 85th; D. Snyder, 85th; J. H. McCollister, 85th; J. Fisher, 101st; O. Morehouse, 101st, Tioga Co., typhoid fever, dangerous; G. McElderry, 101st; W. Bailey, 101st; W. B. Hoffman, 101st; H. Bencamp, 101st; J. L. Gibson, 101st; W. Stoops, 102d, Butler Co., severe wound in hip, improving; R. Barston, 103d; J. C. Applegate, 103d, Westmoreland Co., typhoid fever, improving; A. Crawford, 103d, Butler Co., rheumatism, improving; J. F. Brown, 103d, Kittanning, typhoid fever, improving; R. Cathcart, 103d; W. H. Stefler, 103d, Armstrong Co., wound in leg, fever; F. Keller, 103d, Kittanning improving; Kechernieyer, 103d; F. McCloskey, 63d.

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Mt. Pleasant Hospital, Georgetown.—John Ryder, 61st; W. R. Martin, 63d; Samuel Powell, 101st; J. W. Vaughn, 101st, Bedford Co.; James Oler, 101st, Bedford Co.; James F. Gue 103d, Clarion Co., chronic rheumatism; John Reister, 103d, Clarion Co., rheumatism; H. B. Wilhelm, 103d, Clarion Co.; Thomas Fry, 85th; William Marquis, 85th.

Brigade Hospital, below Sangar Station.—Lieut. Jas. F. McMillan, 63d, McKeesport; J. E. Kroes, 63d; J. J. McGonigle, 63d, Clarion Co.; Lieut. W. Smith, 63d; Isaac Edgar, 63d; Hugh Cunningham, 63d, West Deer Tp.—getting better; Samuel Porter, 63d, billious fever; Frank Reed, 63d, New Brighton, billious fever; Matthew Shaffer, 63d, New Brighton, remittent fever; John M. Iahre, 63d, Elon, 3 miles from Pittsburgh, billious attack; William Hammond, 63d, near Green Oak, fever; Henry Hess, 63d, Allegheny, fever; Henry E. Davis, 63d, Beaver, getting better; George McMillan, 57th, No. 312, Penn street, Reel, 103d, Clarion Co., rheumatism; W. L. Reed, 103d, Clarion Co., dysentery; John B. Wallace, 103d, 103d, Clarion Co., dysentery; Manassas Shaw, 7th Clarion Co., fever, not mending; Manassas Shaw, 7th Virginia, Greene Co., burnt in the arm and back; Zaddock Mitchell, 7th Virginia, Greene Co., burnt in the arm and face, improving.

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Hospital Sixty-Second Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers.—Michael Murphy, Pittsburgh, inflammation of the eyes; Thomas Nelson, Pittsburgh, remittant fever; Thomas Davis, Six Mile Ferry, remittant fever; Adolp. Bankerd, Pittsburgh, remittant fever; D. R. Lenbaugh, remittant fever; J. A. Collwell, Collensburg, Clarion Co.; B. B. Seibert, Butler Co.; Samuel Byers, Armstrong; William Jones, Pittsburgh, dysentery; Samuel Reed, Pittsburgh, remittant fever; Christopher Hare, Birmingham, dysentery; John Camp, Beaver Co., typhoid fever; C. C. Williams, Six Mile Ferry, remittant fever; Sergt. Wm. Thayerson, Armstrong Co., remittant fever; John A. Haines, Clarion Co., dysentery; Jacob Merkerson, Clarion Co., remittant fever; Jas. McMillan, Washington Co., measles; Charles Gibbs, Washington Co., measles; George Kellner, Lemon Co., measles; Stephen L. Vegan, Venango Co., dysentery; William McCoy, Clarion Co., dysentery; Jacob Heasley, Blair Co., measles.

Brigade Hospital, (On Simonton.)—Wm. T. Smith, 102d regiment, fever; Beaver Co.; John Farnes, 102d regiment, fever; Wm. Ward, 102d regiment, diarrhea; Jno. C. Harper, 102d regiment, injured in the back by a spinter from a tree (ought to be discharged.) Manchester.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

A writer in *Hall's Journal of Health*, combats in a very forcible manner the prevailing but erroneous opinion that sudden deaths are invariably the result of heart disease. Nothing could be farther from the truth, as it has been ably demonstrated by scientific investigations that 5½ per cent. only arose from disease of the heart, and that the mortality from costiveness alone was threefold greater than from the heart, apoplexy, or pulmonary affections. This universal and popular fallacy should be dissipated at once, and the real cause of sudden deaths, with the best preventive measures submitted to the people. This has been the doctrine of Dr. Holloway through a long and arduous career in all parts of the civilized world. In almost every disease, he prescribes his celebrated Pills, whose immediate action is on the stomach and bowels. Unlike ordinary cathartics, however, which create a necessity for repitition until the functions of the bowels have become paralized, Dr. Holloway's Pills penetrate to the seat of the disorder, and not only expel the acrid from the stomach and viscera, and so renovate and invigorate them that a future recurrence of the malady is actually impossible. The influence of these remedies is not confined to these organs alone. Their active principle combining with the blood is conveyed to every part of the system, so that the whole constitution is invigorated, and the general health of the patient established on a more firm and durable basis than ever.

During Dr. Holloway's brief sojourn in the United States, he visited our principal cities, and gave several popular lectures on the cause and origin of disease in general, clearly showing their effect upon the system. He also explained in an easy and familiar style the peculiarity and operation of his Pills and Ointment in all phases and types of disease.—*Eclectic Expositor.*

REMOVED.—Samuel Graham, Merchant Tailor, has removed to No. 54 Market street, one door from Third street, and has just received his second supply of Spring and Summer Goods, consisting of the latest styles of cloths, cassimeres and vestings, selected from the latest importations. Gentlemen desiring their clothing made up to fit them, and at 20 per cent. less than at any other Merchant Tailor store in the city, would do well to give him an early call, as his motto is "quick sales and small profits."

FASHIONABLE CLOTHING AND WHERE TO GET THEM.—We would say that Messrs. W. H. Meiser & Co., corner of Federal street and Diamond Square, have just received their summer goods, and their patterns are all of the latest styles. Any person desiring a well-made and neatly fitting suit of clothes, their establishment is the right place. All their clothing is made under their own supervision, and they are always ready to sell cheap to cash buyers.

VOLUNTEERS, ATTENTION!—For the derangements of the system incidental to the change of diet, wounds, eruptions and exposures, which every volunteer is liable to, there are no remedies so safe, convenient, and reliable as Holloway's Pills and Ointment. 25 cents per box.

WM. FORREST, Carpenter and Joiner, Jobbing Shop, Virgin alley, between Smithfield street and Cherry alley. All kinds of House Repairing done on short notice and in workmanlike manner. Charges moderate. Leave your orders. All orders promptly attended to.

DRESS SILKS, from New York Auctions at 37½, 50 and 62½ cents, and upwards to $1 50, at Barker & Co.'s, 59 Market street. These goods are desirable styles and good qualities. Also, at $1 00 per yard, the best Black Silk ever sold in this city for the money.

A GOOD chance is offered to go in a paying business. Any one wishing to engage in a well established and pleasant business, would do well to read the advertisement in another part of this paper.

OMNIBUS CALLS will be taken at Hunt's Book Store, Masonic Hall, Fifth street, and at the Omnibus office, No. 405, Liberty street. Day or night, all orders left in either the two places will be pomptly attended to.

DOCTOR C. BEALS, Water Cure and Homopathic Physician; also agent for Rainbow's celebrated Truss for Ruptures. Corner of Penn and Wayne streets.

DENTISTRY.—Dr. C. Sill, No. 246, Penn st., attends to all branches of the Dental profession.

DR. M. O. JONES has removed from No. 103 to 109 Wylie street. 2w

MARRIED:

McCAHON—LARGE—On Thursday, June 26th, by the Rev. Mathew McKinley, Mr. JAMES McCAHON, of Leavenworth, Kan., and Miss MARTHA J., daughter of Samuel Large, Esq., of Allegheny county, Pa.

DIED:

STEVENSON—At his residence, on Chatham street, on Thursday afternoon, FRANCIS STEVENSON, in the 85th year of his age.

Notice of funeral will appear in the afternoon papers.

THE LATEST NEWS

BY TELEGRAPH.

FROM WASHINGTON.

OUR SPECIAL DISPATCHES.

[Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, June 26, 1862.

THE NEW STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA.

Mr. Sumner opposed the feature of Mr. Wade's bill for the organization of the State of West Virginia providing for the freedom of all children of slaves born after the 4th of July, 1863. He said it amounted to consenting to the admission of a new slave State. He offered an amendment requiring the new Constitution to provide against slavery or involuntary servitude.

VOTE AGAINST THE TREATY WITH GREAT BRITAIN.

Messrs. Carlile, Kennedy, Powell, and Saulsbury voted against the bill for carrying into effect the treaty with Great Britain for the suppression of the African slave trade.

TRIAL OF JUDGE HUMPHREYS.

The Senate galleries were crowded to witness the trial of Judge Humphreys.

Parson Brownlow's evidence was given in regular Brownlow style, and elicited frequent bursts of applause.

NEXT SENATOR FROM TENNESSEE.

Parson Brownlow and Emerson Etheridge are talked of as the most prominent candidates for the vacant Senatorship as soon as Tennessee gets a loyal Legislature again.

CONDITION OF THE TROOPS IN GEN. SHIELDS' DIVISION.

Complaints continue to reach the War Department concerning the condition of the troops in Shields' Division. An effort is making to get some of the western regiments brought back to Arlington, if no better can be done, to rest and recruit, but little prospect of success even in that.

GENERAL POPE.

The assignment of General Pope to the command in the Virginia Valley is regarded as an admirable arrangement. No General ever entered upon important duties possessing more fully the confidence of the people, and never was a General more needed. General Pope's appointment is understood to be one main subject, but not the only one of the President's consultation with Gen. Scott.

A NEW MILITARY ORDER.

An order has been issued allowing the Indiana three-years regiments to recruit from the three-months troops raised to guard the prisoners at home.

PATENT OFFICE HOSPITAL SUSPENDED.

The Patent Office Hospital is being suspended, and the inmates, mostly from Indiana regiments, are being removed to the general hospitals.

ARRIVAL OF REBEL PRISONERS.

Affairs in New Orleans.

THE FUNERAL OF COL. ELLET.

[Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, June 26.—Five hundred rebel prisoners, from Banks' Division, arrived in this city last night, and were shipped to Fort Delaware. They were a miserable lot, many of them were covered with vermin. As they passed the stations on the Pennsylvania railroad they cheered for Jeff. Davis. They did not attract much attention here.

The latest advices from New Orleans represent the weather as delightful, from refreshing showers. The health of the troops is good. Officers and soldiers in the rebel service are allowed to return on taking the oath of allegiance. Sugar is quoted at 5½ cents for a fair quality.

The funeral of Col. Ellett, commander of the Ram fleet, who was killed at Memphis, will take place in this city to-morrow afternoon.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—Flag officer Davis, in his official report concerning the expedition up White river, mentions that after the accident to the Mound City, the wounded men were shot by the enemy while in the water, and adds that the Navy Department and the country will contrast these barbarities of a savage enemy with the humane efforts made by our own people to rescue the wounded and disabled rebels, under similar circumstances, in the engagement of the 6th instant. Several poor fellows who expired shortly after the engagement expressed their willingness to die when they were told that the victory was ours.

Flag officer Farragut communicates to the Navy Department the report of an encounter between our gunboats on the Mississippi and the rebel artillery, in the vicinity of Grand Gulf, between Natchez and Vicksburg. A boat was sent down to bring up coal to the vessels, and from near that point they discovered earthworks in process of erection by the rebels. The Wissahickon and Kineo were sent down to attack them. They found a battery of rifled guns actually there erected, and a force of 500 artillerists ready to receive them. A vigorous fight ensued. The Itasca was struck 25 times, and the Wissahickon 17 times. They, however, lost but one man killed and six wounded.

The fort being too serious an obstacle to have in the rear of the boats, Com. Palmer, serving at that point, decided to bring the remainder of the squadron down, before it became too formidable. On the afternoon of the 18th, he dropped down abreast, and shelled the town for an hour, but they deserted their batteries, and with the exception of a few rifle shots, manifested no resistance.

Com. Palmer says that the heights are filled with riflemen, and if they give him any more annoyance he shall burn the town.

The new gunboat Paul Jones, Capt. Studman, having taken on board her armament and complement of seamen, left the Navy Yard yesterday afternoon.

The Select Committee, appointed by the Speaker, to whom all the papers on the in relation to the construction of a ship canal around the Falls of Niagara, are referred, consists of Messrs. Van Horne, of New York, Blake, of Ohio, Menzies, of Kentucky, Trowbridge, of Michigan, Rice, of Maine, Davis, of Pennsylvania, and Craven, of Indiana.

Hon. Emerson Etheridge will deliver an oration from the steps of the Washington Monument, Baltimore, on the 4th of July. Extensive preparations for celebrating this national holiday have been made by the Union men of that city.

The Army of Virginia.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—The forces under Major Generals Fremont, Banks, and McDowell, have been consolidated into one army called the army of Virginia, and Maj. General Pope has been especially assigned, by the President, to the chief command. The forces under Gen. Fremont constitute the first army of the corps, and are to be commanded by Gen. Fremont; the forces under Gen. Banks constitute the second army of the corps, and are to be commanded by him; the forces under Gen. McDowell constitutes the third army of the corps, and are to be commanded by him. McCall's division, 10,000 strong, which formed a part of McDowell's corps, has reached Gen. McClellan by water, and another division is to follow immediately in the same way, while General Pope will also operate against the enemy at Richmond. Besides McCall's division, Gen. McClellan has received other reinforcements to the amount of several thousand since the battle of Fair Oaks.

The Fight on Wednesday.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—A dispatch was received at the War Department this afternoon, from Gen. McClellan, stating that the affair of yesterday was perfectly successful, that we hold the new picket line and disturbed, and that all is very quiet on the banks of the Chickahominy.

Run the Blockade.

CHARLESTON, June 24.—The steamer Memphis, from Liverpool to Charleston, via Nassau, ran the blockade yesterday.

She has on board Mr. Ward, the late minister to China, and a valuable cargo of British goods.

The Memphis is a new iron steamer.

XXXVIITH CONGRESS—FIRST SESSION.

WASHINGTON, June 26, 1862.

HOUSE.—The members of the House, shortly after assembling, proceeded to the Senate to attend the Court of Impeachment in the case of West H. Humphreys.

When the members returned to the hall, Mr. Bingham, on part of the managers, reported the proceedings and results of the high court of impeachment.

Mr. Walton, of Vt., rising to a question of privilege, caused to be read a communication in the New York *Tribune*, entitled "The *National Intelligencer* Book Job," sent thither by one of its Washington reporters. He thought it due to himself, having introduced the resolution to which reference is made by one who, by courtesy, occupies a seat in the reporters' gallery, that the charge made in that article should be investigated. He therefore offered the following:

Resolved, That the Committee on the Judiciary be instructed forthwith to inquire by whom and on what authority such a charge in the article referred to has been made, and to make a thorough investigation as to their truth or falsity, and report all evidence to the House with their opinion thereon, and such resolutions as to them seem meet, and that said Committee have power to send for persons and papers; and to report at any time. The resolution was adopted—yeas 102, Nays 8—namely, F. A