LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

From Yesterday's Evening Gazette.

Mysterious Disappearance of a Young Lady.

Mr. Isaac D. Gardner, of this city, but formerly a resident of Kent county, Maryland, has received a letter from the editor of the *Kent News*, informing him of the reported death of a young lady named Miss Agnes Leaverton, daughter of a worthy citizen of that county, under circumstances so strange and mysterious as to leave but little doubt that she has been wrongfully dealt with—either abducted and secreted by some villain who wishes to create the belief that she is dead, or outraged in such manner as to cause her death.

The letter addressed to Mr. Gardner sets forth all that is yet known of the affair, and we append a copy of it below:

OFFICE OF THE "KENT NEWS," }
Chestertown, Jan. 17th, 1863. }

Mr. Isaac D. Gardner—Dear Sir: You will notice in our paper of to-day, under the head of deaths, a note from J. Shaul, of your city, announcing the death of a Miss Leaverton, the daughter of Mr. G. H. Leaverton, an estimable citizen of our county. The young lady was finishing her education at the Wesleyan Female College, Wilmington, Delaware, and wrote a letter to her father on the 3d inst., the day before she is reported to have arrived at Pittsburgh. You may imagine the distress and astonishment of the family on receiving the sad tidings. I remarked to her father this morning that we had a subscriber in Pittsburgh, mentioning your name, and that I had no doubt you would interest yourself in finding out the facts connected with the case, which at present are shrouded in mystery. The letter which we received [the letter from J. Shaul] strange to say, was dated at Pittsburgh, but post marked "Harrisburg," though this may have possibly occurred by throwing the letter in the mail bag at Pittsburgh after the mail had been made up. If you can find the gentleman who wrote us the letter, you can no doubt ascertain important facts. My own fears are that there is something wrong and hidden in this mysterious affair.

If the remains are interred at Pittsburgh, her father will of course have them brought home for burial.

Very respectfully yours,
JAMES H. PLUMMER.

The note addressed by J. Shaul, to the editor above named, and which was published in his paper, reads as follows:

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 13, 1863.

Editors Kent News—Dear Sirs: Below you will find a notice of the death of a strange girl who came to this city on the 4th, in a state of insanity. She died of brain fever on the 11th, and was decently interred. A few hours before her death she was restored to her right mind, and requested that word should be sent to her father, and also gave me your address. Yours &c., J. SHAUL.

Then follows the death notice:

DIED, in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, on the 11th inst., of brain fever, M. AGNES LEAVERTON, aged sixteen years.

As soon as the letter and paper were received, Mr. Gardner at once undertook to find J. Shaul, but so far as he can learn there is no such person here. He also called upon Mr. George Fortune, Secretary of the Board of Guardians, whose business it is to look after the unfortunate or destitute strangers who may come to the city. Here he learned that no such case as that described had come to his knowledge; and furthermore, that if the girl had died here, under the circumstances alleged, he would have known it, as her burial expenses would have been paid by the city. He also learned that no such person had been interred in any of our cemeteries, as appears from the registry kept by the Physician to the Board of Health. In addition to all this testimony, we are safe in saying that if the girl had wandered here in a state of insanity, and died as alleged, the fact would have found its way into the newspapers. It is quite clear, then, that the girl did not die here.

The circumstance mentioned in the letter of Mr. Plummer, that the note addressed to him was post marked "Harrisburg," although dated here, may lead to some information concerning the fate of the girl. "J. Shaul" is no doubt a fictitious name, and the person assuming it has evidently been in Harrisburg. The papers there may help to unravel the mystery by publishing these facts.

It is very probable that the girl has been abducted, and that the object of the seducer, in writing the note, was to put the officers upon the wrong scent. The story of her being reached here on the 4th inst., in a state of insanity, is contradicted by the fact that she had written to her father from Wilmington, Delaware, on the day previously.

The family of the young lady has been plunged in the deepest distress in consequence of her absence, and they must suffer the most poignant anxiety until they learn something of her fate. Any information in reference to her, will be gladly received, and speedily communicated to her father, by Mr. Gardner, who can be addressed through Box 628, Pittsburgh Postoffice.

A Rebel Letter.

A member of the Anderson Troop, during the battle of Murfreesboro, picked up a letter on the field, written by W. T. Halpon, of Vicksburg, to his cousin in the army. It is dated "Vicksburg, Nov. 23d, 1862," and of course contains nothing in the way of news. We make a few extracts, however, as the feeling to correspond the statements made as to the general distress in the rebel States, not only among the troops, but among the people. We quote:

"I am sorry to hear of you having to live on corn and pumpkins. I suppose you could get along very well with the corn; but pumpkins did not do so well without sugar, and milk, and eggs, which I know you did not have."

The writer then promises to send his cousin some articles as soon as possible, and adds:

"I will send you the woolen socks now, and the blank books, such as they are—but they are the best I could get here. I send you a hat that I bought about six weeks ago; because I could not get any other to suit you. I bought a hat, and it is not worth a cent, but still it cost $20. I would send you that one, but mine is worth five like it. As for boots, there is no getting them at all. I have had my measure taken for about two months, and they are not made yet.

"There is great preparation being made in Vicksburg to receive the Yankees. They are making rifle pits all over the town, and they will get a warm reception. The last attack on Vicksburg won't be worth notice to the side of this attack that is going to be made shortly.

"Provisions are dreadful high at present. Flour is selling at $60 per barrel. Molasses, $3 per gallon. There are a few Irish potatoes selling at $9 per bushel.

"There is no news here official, but plenty of rumors. You can hear almost anything you want to hear. All you have got to do is to give some fellow two or three drinks of Louisiana rum, and he will tell you almost anything you ask him. It has killed several persons here from intemperance. It is made out of sour sugar cane, and it sells at ten dollars a gallon."

The Criminal Court.

The jury in the case of August Sanders, charged with the larceny of $400 from the safe of the Eagle Hotel, found a verdict of not guilty, and the defendant was discharged.

Frederick Winchey, George Nassenthaler and Frederick Lerch, charged with aiding and abetting the murder of John A. Obey, asked through their counsel to have their cases disposed of. The principal defendant, Thomas B. Keenan, having been convicted of the murder, and others having been tried and acquitted, the Prosecuting Attorney stated to the Court that these defendants, against whom the evidence was still weaker than in the case of those acquitted, were entitled to a verdict of not guilty. A merely formal verdict was rendered, and the defendants were discharged.

This closed the business of the present term, and the Court adjourned to meet on Saturday next.

Death of Pennsylvania Soldiers.

The following Pennsylvania soldiers have died in hospitals since last report:

AT WASHINGTON.

B. W. Hoch, G, 145th. | Geo. E. Delong, C, 141st.
Wm. G. Anderson, G, 114 | Jos. Pitcher, B, 150th.
Wm. Williams, F, 9th R. R. | Peter Kerney, K, 126th.
E. W. Blumer, G, 10th R. | L. R. Baily, E, 57th.
Peter Denver, B, 121st. | Serg. H. V. Duvall, A, 7th
L. Tackett, F, 11th Res.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

Alfred Hawkins, G, 111th | John Dreisinger, D, 6th
James Redwood, K, 6th | Eli Miller, E, 97th.

Pittsburgh Subsistence Committee.

Messrs. Wm. P. Weyman, Joseph Albree, and R. M. Atwood, Executive Committee, have prepared a brief report of the operations of the Pittsburgh Subsistence Committee, from its organization to the present time. The Committee have done a noble work, and they again appeal to the good people of Western Pennsylvania to put in their hands the means for continuing to labor in the good cause. We publish the report, as follows:

Since its organization, August 24, 1861, the Committee have furnished meals for over 89,000 troops passing through our city, east and west. Of this number, over 5,000 were sick and wounded. These were provided with medical attendance and care and many of them with clothing. Of these 55 have been left in charge of the Committee, being unable to proceed further; 45 of this number have joined their respective regiments; 4 have been discharged; 3 have died, and 3 are yet in charge of the Committee.

During the year ending January 15th, 1863, the Committee have received from the citizens of Allegheny, Lawrence, Mercer, Butler, Fayette, Greene, Washington and Armstrong counties, contributions of cash and hospital stores to the amount of $50,000, which have been forwarded to the hospitals in Western Virginia, Kentucky, Pennsylvania and also to Alexandria, Frederick, Hagerstown, Sharpsburg, York, Fortress Monroe, St. Louis, Louisville and Washington city. All articles entrusted to the Committee are distributed by members of the Committee or their agents at the different hospitals. Supplies will be forwarded to new hospitals that may be established, as soon as arrangements can be made to have agents to distribute them. On the 8th of January a delegation from our Committee left for Nashville, with supplies for the sick and wounded in the late battles in Tennessee. Contributions amounting to upwards of $12,000 in value were brought to the Committee Rooms in one day for this expedition.

As we depend on voluntary contributions for Hospital Supplies, we earnestly appeal to our friends of Western Pennsylvania for aid to enable us to carry on the work of forwarding hospital supplies, and in behalf of upwards of 100,000 sick and wounded soldiers, we ask you once more to assist us by your contributions.

The following articles are much needed: Cash, flannel shirts and drawers, muslin shirts, socks and slippers; fruit and jellies in cans, wines and liquors.

Contributions for the Subsistence Committee can be left at Messrs. Geo. Albree, Sen & Co., Wood street, or Weyman & Bog, Smithfield street.

The following is a list of articles forwarded to the hospitals of our armies, in 1862:

818 Comforts,	379 Dressing Gowns,
2,310 Pillows,	3,001 Pairs of Socks,
2,232 Pillow Cases,	222 Pairs of Mittens,
1,950 Sheets,	567 Pairs of Slippers,
5,434 Towels,	6,885 Hankkerchiefs,
2,542 Pads and Rings,	4,096 Cans of Fruit,
17,579 Rolls of Lint,	2,000 Pots of Jellies,
9,483 Rolls of Bandages,	1,395 Qts. of Wine,
2,940 Bdls. of Muslin,	1,145 Lbs. of Butter,
174 Blankets,	2,116 Doz. of Eggs,
2,536 Pairs Drawers,	13,307 Books,
6,290 Muslin Shirts,	213 Lbs. of Soap,
1,360 Flannel Shirts,	3,135 Lbs. Dried Fruit,
223 Bed Ticks,	7,878 Pkg's of corn starch
442 Neck Bands,	Farinda and Tapioca.

Bold Burglary in Manchester.

On Tuesday night, the residence of Mr. Abraham Patterson, in Manchester, was burglariously entered and robbed of silver ware, house furnishing goods, clothing, etc., to the value of $200. The thieves gained admittance to the kitchen by prying open one of the shutters and raising the window. After getting inside, they ranged through the house and made the most extensive selections, carrying off about a cart load of goods.

The articles stolen embraced kitchen and table furniture, an extensive assortment of clothing, and house keeping goods generally. They even stole bonnets belonging to the lady members of the family—an article that burglars seldom feel inclined to touch. They got away without detection, and have so far succeeded in hiding their plunder. The police give out the search for the rascals.

THE usual monotony of Panoramic exhibitions is happily avoided in the Polyorama of the War, now open at Masonic Hall. The proprietors have evinced a degree of enterprise and public spirit in the manner they have brought over the Cleveland Oak prize, which alone should fail to secure them that success and popularity they so amply merit. So intense is the desire among our citizens to witness this interesting entertainment, that an excursion train will be run from Wall's Station tonight, to accommodate the residents of that locality and give them an opportunity to visit the Polyorama.

AN ANCIENT BIBLE.—S. B. Boyer, Esq., of Harrisburg, came into possession of a German Bible last week, published at Frankfort-on-the-Main, by Christian Egenolff, on the first day of March, 1534. Mr. Boyer purchased this ancient and valuable relic of A. C. Monn, below Chambersburg, which he first saw when there on duty as one of the Pennsylvania militia, in September last. Mr. Monn had purchased it years ago for six cents at a public vendue.

A GENEROUS OFFER.—Messrs. Goodwin & Wilder, proprietors of the Polyorama, have tendered a benefit to the Pittsburgh Subsistence Committee, which has been accepted. The exhibition for the benefit of the Committee will be given on Tuesday afternoon next, at three o'clock. Tickets 25 cents—to be had at the music and drug stores.

THE ALLEGHENY STEAM FIRE ENGINE COMPANY hold a meeting this evening to consider whether they shall give the "satisfactory assurances" to Councils that they will remove to the city lot at Webster and Fulton streets, Sixth Ward, as required by the ordinance limiting and locating the steam fire engines, recently passed by the City Councils.

IN THE CITY.—Mrs. Jane G. Swisshelm has arrived in this city, her former home, and will go hence to Washington, for what purpose we are not advised, although it is intimated that she intends to give the President a "piece of her mind" in relation to the pardon of the Indian murderers in Minnesota.

BANK ELECTION.—The stockholders of the Allegheny Savings Bank have elected the following directors for the ensuing year: J. L. Graham, Andrew Ackley, D. Dehaven, John Dorsheimer, A. C. Alexander, Wm. J. Kounts, and Robert Ashworth.

IN TOWN.—Capt. Benj. F. Blood, of the 5th Pennsylvania Cavalry, is in the city on a short furlough.

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LATE TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[FROM OUR EVENING EDITION.]

Burnside's Army Across the Rappahannock!

A GREAT BATTLE IN PROGRESS!

Gen. Hooker Mortally Wounded!

THE REBEL POSITION FLANKED!

General Fitz-John Porter Dismissed from the Service.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—The New York *Times* has highly important rumors, brought by passengers from Washington last night.

It is said that General Burnside has crossed the Rappahannock, that a great battle is being fought, and that General Burnside has flanked the rebel position.

General Hooker is said to be mortally wounded.

As yet, however, these are only rumors.

It is also stated that General Fitz John Porter has been dismissed the service, the finding of the Court being against him.

The New York Legislature.

ALBANY, Jan. 22.—Mr. Dean, the Democratic nominee for Speaker of the Assembly, has withdrawn. Mr. Trimmer, of Rochester, has been nominated in his place. There is no prospect of a ballot to-day.

The Governor has sent a message to the Senate stating that he can only afford protection to either branch of the Legislature from disorderly scenes, &c., on its own application. He says that the Mayor of Albany has made adequate arrangements to prevent any outside interference with the Assembly.

Connecticut Republican Nominations.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—The Connecticut Republican Convention, yesterday, re-nominated Gov. Buckingham and all the present State officers.

COMMERCIAL RECORD.

ARBITRATIVE COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD OF TRADE—FOR NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER.

WM. M. SHINN, V. P., | JAMES I. BENNETT,
JOHN S. DILWORTH, | WM. MCCARDY,
DAVID MCCANDLESS.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH DAILY GAZETTE, }
THURSDAY, JAN. 22, 1863. }

There is no change in Coin. The buying rate for Gold is 42 per cent prem, and 30 for Silver. Demand Notes are very firm at 34. Eastern Exchange is nominal at par, buying, and ¼ per cent prem. selling.

GRAIN—Wheat is firm at $1,20 for Red from wagon, and $1,25@$1,30 for White. Barley is nominal at $1,10 for Spring, and $1,20 for Fall. Corn is unchanged at 70c for Shelled, and 75c for prime Ear; sale of 500 bushel Ear in lots from wharf at 75c. There is a fair demand for Oats at 50 from first hands and 55c from store.

FLOUR—The market continues very firm and with a fair demand, prices are firm and fully maintained. We note a sale of 92 bbls low grade Extra Family at $5,40 and 90 do do White Wheat at $5,75. Sale of 2 tons Buckwheat Flour from first hands at $2,75 per cwt, and 10 bbls Rye at $4,50 per bbl.

GROCERIES—The grocery market is firm with a fair local demand and prices are fully maintained, with small sales of Sugar at 11@12c; Coffee 33@34c and Molasses 55@58c.

OILS—Crude Oil is hardly so firm though there is really no change to rate. Holders are firm at 10c per gallon in bulk; and 15@15½c including bbls delivered in care. Refined is unchanged, at 22c in bond for best city brands, and 42c free, including packages.

SEEDS—There is an active demand for Cloverseed and prices have again advanced; sales in lots from first hands of 400 bush at $6,00. Flaxseed is wanted at $2,45@2,50. Timothy is worth from $1,75@2,00 on the first hands and store.

BUTTER & EGGS—Butter is firm at 14c for packed and 20c for prime Roll, with sales of 5 bbls of the latter at 20. Eggs are a shade lower, and we now quote at 16@17c per dozen.

ONIONS—Sale of 10 bbls at 65c per bushel, and 5 bbls at $2,00 per bbl.

COOPERAGE—Sale of 150 flour bbls at 60c per bundled, and 5 bbls at $2,00 per bbl.

LARD—Sale of 500 lbs country at 8½c; City Leaf is firm at 10c.

CHEESE—Sale of 10 boxes W. R. at 11c and 30 do at 12c.

Allegheny Live Stock Market.

THURSDAY, JAN. 22.—There has been a larger supply of cattle received at the yards this week than last, and with a good demand, prices have advanced still further. It was without doubt, the most exciting market we have had here for many years. Although the receipts amounted to over 1400 head, all were sold at an advance over last week's rates, and many of our butchers are still without a supply. How long the market will continue thus, we will not pretend to say—it may keep up another week and it may not. The best thing buyers in the country can do, is to buy for a hard market, and if it should prove hard, they are prepared for it—if not so much the better. High prices always bring in large supplies, and when the supply is in excess of the demand, a decline is inevitable. There may not be a large supply of cattle in the country, but as we have stated before, big prices are sure to bring in as many as are wanted. Government contractors bought a pretty large number of cattle at rather better prices than butchers, the ruling rates being from $4,60 to $5,00 per cwt, and good lots suitable for retailing sold much higher.

The following are the current quotations of the different grades of cattle:

Premium—none in market		
Extra	5¼@5½	c. lb.
First quality	4¾@5	"
Second quality	3¾@4	"
Third quality	3¼@3½	"
Inferior	2½@3¼	"

Below will be found the number of cattle sold at different yards, and the States they were from:

Illinois	702
Indiana	160
Ohio	141
Pennsylvania	141
Total number sold	1444

The number sold last week was 938, being 503 head less than this week, and the difference in weight and quality much more much more favorable. In fact, we think the mean grade of cattle would have held over ½ above last week's rates, although there was much more of a clearance than this in the retail prices, owing to their being a much better class of cattle received.

A thinned will be found a correct report of the different sales:

Rob Isaac & Co, 40 head of Pa corn and stock steers at $3,25@3,90.

H Snyder, 22 head of small Pa stock, sold at 4½@4¾.

H Snyder, 16 head of Pa cattle, not very good, sold at 3¾.

Webb & Co, 50 head of Illinois steers and oxen, rough lot, sold at $3,80.

J French, 15 head of Ohio oxen sold to a government buyer, at 5¾.

J Horner, 15 head of small Pa stock at 3¼@3½.

Marks & Co, 140 head of very good 1200 lb Illinois steers at 4¾@5¼.

A Allen, 95 head of rough Illinois steers, sold at $36 ⅌ head, or about $3,30 per cwt.

Green & Co, 68 head of Illinois, steers, not as fat as we have seen, sold at 3½.

Holmes & Phifer, 140 head of Indiana steers and oxen, not very fat, sold at 3¾.

HOGS.

There has been a good demand for Hogs at an advance of fully ½c ⅌ lb over last week's rates. Almost all the pens were emptied in the fore part of the week at extreme prices. We have not seen so many more anxious to take hold. We quote good heavy Hogs at $4,25@4,50 per cwt, and $3¾ to $4 for the rifler to fair.

SHEEP.

There has been a much better demand for this class of stock, than for many week's past, and the supply too is much larger than usual. The whole number on sale reached 1630 head, all of which were sold at prices ranging from 4½ to 5—and we give these as the extreme rates.

New York Cattle Market.

Jan. 20.—The current prices for the week at all the markets are as follows:

BEEF CATTLE		
First quality	⅌ cwt	$9,50@10,00
Ordinary quality		8,50@9,50
Common quality		7,50@8,50
Inf rior quality		6,50@7,50
SHEEP AND LAMBS.		
Extra		$7,00@10,00
Prime quality		5,50@6,00
Ordinary quality		5,00@5,50
Common quality		4,75@5,00
Inferior quality		3,50@4,75
SWINE.		
Corn-fed	⅌ lb	5¼@5¾
Poor	"	5 @5¼
Still-fed	"	4¾@5

REMARKS.

The market very generally remained buoyant and with an active demand, prices were even higher than last week—higher even than for a year or more. The buoyancy and improved prices were owing altogether to the fact that there was a short supply instead of a large one as was generally anticipated. This is no doubt owing to the large fall of snow in the West, which must have interfered greatly with the railroad business. There were but few prime cattle on sale, but few inferior and by no means a large number of ordinary—so that all kinds sold higher. The bulk of the offerings were placed at from 9 to 10c though some sold below 9 and above 10c. We adjust our quotations to correspond with the current rates. Of course the stock all sold early.

Milch Cows were steady at our quotations. The bulk of the sales were from $30 to $45 per head.

Veals were active and firm at 4½ to 5½c ⅌ lb.

Sheep and Lambs were very active, and considerably higher—5½ to 5¾c ⅌ lb. Hand the offerings had sold very freely at the rates quoted above chiefly at from $5 to $5,50 ⅌ head.

Swine continued to find ready purchasers, and the pork packers do not hesitate to pay the current rates whether they be higher or lower. This week they are about ⅛c ⅌ lb higher, owing to moderate arrivals.

RIVER INTELLIGENCE.

The river remains about stationary, at this point, with eight feet by the pier marks last evening. There will be another rise soon, however, as the Allegheny had risen four feet at Oil City yesterday, and was still rising rapidly. A swell in the Monongahela may also be looked for, as the late rains appear to have been general. The weather here continues disagreeable and unsettled, and very unfavorable for business.

There is but little doing at the wharf. There appears to be considerable freight offering, but there is a scarcity of tonnage. At the present time there are but two boats in port loading, and none on the way to fill their places, when they leave. Our Cincinnati exchange report an abundance of freight at that place for Pittsburgh, but no boats in port to receive it. The government has taken charge of about nine-tenths of the boats on the Western rivers.

There has not been a single arrival or departure aside from the regular packets, since our last. The Lizzie Martin, from Zanesville, is due this morning.

The America and New York, both arrived at Cincinnati on Tuesday. The same boat passed on the same day, for Saint Louis. The Argonaut, from Louisville, passed down the other day, with an excellent trip for Pittsburgh.

The Armada, Captain Johnston, is the Wheeling packet for to-day, leaving at 11 a. m.

The new and elegant Nevada, Captain Tuchall, is filling up rapidly for St. Louis, and will leave to-morrow without fail.

The Orient, Captain Harton, will in all probability get off for Cincinnati and Louisville this evening.

STEAMBOATS.

FOR CINCINNATI & LOUISVILLE.—The fine new steamer ORIENT, Capt. J. Harton, will leave for the above and intermediate ports on THIS DAY, 23d instant, at 4 o'clock p. m. For freight or passage apply on board or to
jan1 J. B. LIVINGSTON & CO., Agents.

FOR EVANSVILLE, CAIRO AND ST. LOUIS.—The fine new steamer NEBRADA, Capt. D. D. Stimson, will leave as above on THIS DAY, 23d inst., at 4 o'clock p. m. For freight or passage apply on board or to
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ZANESVILLE PACKET.—The new steamer LIZZIE MARTIN, Capt. D. T. Brown, will leave PITTSBURGH for ZANESVILLE every SATURDAY at 4 o'clock p. m. Returning, will leave ZANESVILLE every TUESDAY, at 8 o'clock a. m. For freight or passage apply on board or to
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1863.—NEW ARRANGEMENT.—WHEELING AND PITTSBURGH DAILY EXPRESS LINE.—The new and splendid side-wheel packet ARMADA, Capt. George W. Johnson, leaves Pittsburgh for Wheeling every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, at 11 o'clock a. m., precisely. The Grand Wheeling for Pittsburgh every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, at 3 o'clock p. m. For freight or passage apply on board or to
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50 bbls. Lovering's Crushed Sugar;
60 do A. and C. Coffee;
165 do Yellow Sugar, all grades;
20 do Lovering's Syrup;
130 do N. E. Syrup, various brands;
250 bags Coffee, fair to prime;
180 bbls Tobacco, 6s and 10s;
30 kegs Soda, 5 and 10 pins;
75,000 German Cigars;
25 kegs Pepper and Allspice;
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200 do Shot, assorted sizes;
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Bacon;
and a general stock of Groceries, in store and arriving and for sale by
McDONALD & ARBUCKLES,
Wholesale Grocers, Produce and Commission Merchants, Nos. 242 and 244 Liberty street, near head of Wood.

COMMISSION AND PRODUCE—
200 bush. prime Dry Apples;
100 do do do Peaches, halves;
70 bbls. Sweet Cider;
100 boxes W. R. Cheese;
10 tierces N. O. do;
150 bbls. prime Russett Apples;
2 do Army Beans;
75 bush. Onions;
25 bbls. Flint Hominy;
1 car load of Potatoes, (Peach Blows);
5 bbls. pure Cider Vinegar;
100 do. large No. 2 Mackerel;
Just received and for sale by
FRANK VAN GORDER,
jan10 114 Second street.

SHOT AND LEAD.—
180 bags Shot, assorted numbers;
75 pigs Lead;
Now landing and for sale by
ROBT. DALZELL & CO., Liberty st.
jan

WALL PAPER, CHEAP.—Will be sold during the remainder of the year, without advance in price, at the old stand, W. Wood street.
jan RADE WARNER.

WAGON GREASE, in kegs and casks received and for sale by
HENRY E. COLLINS.
deb20

BASKET WILLOWS.—100 bundles in store and for sale low by
MAHAN DICKEY & CO.
jan

FOR SALE.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE—I will expose to PUBLIC SALE, ON Tuesday, Feb. 10, 1863, at 11 o'clock a. m., ON THE PREMISES,

All that valuable lot or piece of ground situate in the Third Ward, City of Pittsburgh, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the eastern corner of Cherry alley and Liberty street; thence along Liberty street northwardly 31 feet 1½ inches to the line of property now or late of Jacob Vogel & Seibert; thence by the same 68 feet and 6¾ inches to an alley ten feet wide; thence along said alley 136 feet and 9 inches to Plum alley; thence along Plum alley westwardly 33 feet 1 inch to the line of property now or late of J. Parker; thence by the same, and by the line of property belonging to J. Vetter's heirs, northwardly 75 feet; thence by the line of the last mentioned property 63 feet 4 inches to Cherry alley; and thence by the same 79 feet 8¼ inches to the corner of Cherry alley and Liberty street—on which is erected the large brick tenement known as the "GERMAN NATIONAL MANSION HOUSE & CONTINENTAL HOTELS."

This property is immediately adjacent to the Great Eastern and Western Railroad Passenger Depot, and affords a rare chance for investment by capitalists.

TERMS AT SALE. JOHN W. RIDDLE,
Assignee of George Amrein.
G. DAVIS, Auctioneer.
Pittsburgh, Dec. 17, 1862. de17:3tawtd

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.—By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Allegheny county, I will expose to PUBLIC SALE, in the premises of the COURT HOUSE, Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, on (WEDNESDAY, 4th of February next, at 10 o'clock a. m., the following Real Estate, the property of George Rudolph, late of Allegheny City, deceased, to wit:

All those four certain contiguous lots or pieces of vacant ground, situate and being on the corner of Rebecca street Belmont street, in the First Ward of the city of Allegheny, and marked and numbered as lots Nos. 12, 13, 14 and 15 in the plan of lots laid out by the subscriber, by virtue of the order of the Orphans' Court, and bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Lot No. 12 beginning at the corner of Rebecca and Belmont streets, and running thence along Rebecca street 33 feet to the line of lot No. 13 in said plan; thence along the line of said lot No. 13 eighty feet to an alley ten feet wide; and thence 33 feet to the corner of Rebecca and Belmont streets at the place of beginning. The lots Nos. 13, 14 and 15 having each a front of 20 feet on Rebecca street, and extending back, preserving the same width, the distance of 80 feet, to an alley ten feet wide.

Also, those three other certain lots of ground situate in the First Ward, City of Allegheny aforesaid and numbered in the plan aforesaid as Nos. 30, 31 and 32, and each having a front on Ridge street of 18 feet and 6 inches, and extending back to the 10 feet alley above mentioned.

TERMS OF SALE—One-half of the purchase money in cash, on delivery of the deed, and the balance in two equal annual installments, with interest, secured by bond and mortgage.

SARAH W. RUDOLPH, Administratrix.
Vacant or a lease in the same locality, on advantageous terms. jan16:d10

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.—By virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court of Allegheny county, I will expose to PUBLIC SALE, in the premises, at the COURT HOUSE, Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, Pa., on WEDNESDAY, the 4th of February next, at 10 o'clock a. m., the following Real Estate, late of Jacob Kepple, deceased:

A lot of land situate in the First Ward of the City of Allegheny, bounding on Water Lane, at the northeast corner of Kepple's lot; thence westwardly along southeast side of Water lane about 37½ feet to the lot now or lately owned by Col. David Campbell; thence southwardly along said lot 275 feet to Shoemaker's alley, or Elm street, on the plan of lots laid out of said estate; thence eastwardly along said lot and the north side of Elm street about 165 feet to the east line of lot No. 273 in the Reserve tract; thence southwardly by the east line of lot No. 273 about 25 feet to Ridge street; thence westwardly along the north side of Ridge street about 247 feet to the corner of the lot of George Rudolph's heirs; thence along the east lot of said heirs, parallel with Belmont street about 326 feet to the southerly side of Beason's lot; thence eastwardly along the same about 1,[illegible] feet to the east line of lot of Benkey; thence northwardly along the same about 66 feet, to Water Lane, the beginning, excepting thereunto lots Nos. 1, 2, 11, as marked on the plan aforesaid, and also a lot occupied by Joseph Ackelman, No. 3. These last four lots front on Rebecca street, and are to be excepted out of the above boundaries.

The said property is divided into lots of convenient size for building purposes, fronting on Rebecca, Ridge, Water lane and other streets, and if no sufficient bid is obtained for it as a whole, smaller portions will be offered at said sale. There being also a valuable two story brick dwelling erected on one of the lots fronting Rebecca street.

Terms made known at sale.
jan14:d JOSEPH KNOX, Executor, &c.

VALUABLE COAL PROPERTY FOR SALE—150 ACRES OF COAL—Situate adjoining the town of Steubenville, Jefferson county, Ohio. The Steubenville Coal and Coke has been fully tested at the Belmont Furnace, at Martinsville, Ohio, nearly opposite Wheeling, where full information may be had of its qualities for smelting iron ore. This coal is equally valuable for all other smelting purposes of any west of the mountains, iron can be made for less money at Steubenville than at any point west of the mountains. The important fact is, the receiving and shipping of all materials without hauling. This property is finely located, lying on the bank of the Ohio River, and adjoining the Wheeling extension of the Cleveland & Pittsburgh Railroad running the whole length of said coal field. Also, the Fair Hands (so called) Railroad crosses the other railroad upon this property. Coal can be dropped from the pit cars upon the railroad, or upon boats in the Ohio river, or into the top of a furnace, without second handling. There is a large body of coal adjoining the above tract that can be secured if required. The following are prices that iron ore has been offered and sold for, furnished by persons conversant with the business, and may be relied upon: 15,000 tons of native ore could have been contracted for, delivered at the furnace, burned ready for use, 50 per cent. ore, at $3 per ton; Lake Superior iron ore has been bought at Cleveland for $6 per ton, freight from that point to Steubenville $1,57—cost, dropped at the furnace, $6 57; Lake Champlain and Missouri iron Mountain ore sold at $7 per ton. There is an abundance of fire clay, limestone, and sandstone upon it, and in the vicinity. The present sales for the materials are confined to the iron ore mines. Any person wishing to make an investment will please call upon WM. C. ABRAHAM, at Steubenville, who will be ready to show the property, or less to explain its advantages; or upon the owner, signed, at No. 118 Fourth street, Pittsburgh.
nov24:d3 P. C. SHANNON.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.—In the matter of the estate of Alex. Speer, deceased. By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Allegheny County, I will expose to Public Sale, at the COURT HOUSE, in the City of Pittsburgh, on SATURDAY, the 7th day of February, A. D. 1863, at 10 o'clock a. m., all that certain tract of land situate in Indiana township, Allegheny county, bounded as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stone; thence by land of Alexander Speer, deceased, and bounded and described as follows: Commencing at a pin on line dividing the hereinafter described and other land of Alexander Speer; thence N. 12° W. 56.4 perches to a pin; thence N. 56¾° W. 84 perches to a white oak; thence N. 19¾° W. 19.4 perches to a hickory; thence N. 19¾° W. 13.2 perches to a sugar tree; thence N. 37¼° W. 14 perches to a pin; thence along line of land of John Hutchison S. 56° W. 24 perches to a pin; thence along line of land of T. M'Clure S. 35¼° W. 54.4 perches to a pin; thence along other line of M'Clure's line S. 12° W. 38.4 perches to a pin; thence along line of M'Kee's land S. 12° E. 56.8 perches to a pin; thence along the line dividing the hereinbefore described land, and other land of Alexander Speer, deceased, to the pin, the place of beginning—containing 47 acres and 21 perches, more or less; being the same land which John Speer, deceased,