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CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3, 1849.

SENATE—After the opening and usual morning ceremonies business had been concluded.

The resolution offered yesterday by Mr. Baldwin relating the reciprocal trade with foreign nations, was taken up and passed.

A joint resolution was then submitted, which had for object, the allowance of extra pay to certain officers and soldiers who served in the Mexican war.

On motion, it was referred to the Military Committee.

Mr. Bess then moved to take up the bill, previously reported, for the settlement of the title and survey of the public lands in California and New Mexico, which was adopted.

The Senate then went into executive session, and so remained until adjournment.

HOUSE—Mr. Rockhill submitted a resolution limiting the debate in Committee of the Whole, on the bill for raising Commissioners for the purpose of settling private claims.

Strong objections were raised by several members, to the adoption of the resolution. The importance of the subject required investigation.

Mr. Yeasle moved to lay the resolution on the table; which was agreed to.

Mr. Smith, of Vt., reported a bill, in reference to the appointment of Governor, for New Mexico.

Said bill was ordered to lay on the table, and to be printed.

Mr. Greeley's resolution, previously offered, in reference to inquiring of the Secretary of the Treasury, respecting the tax on woolen blankets and other articles was taken up and after some opposition,

A motion to lay on the table was taken by yeas and nays, and decided in the negative, yeas 86—nays 87.

The Speaker said he could vote, but had no disposition to change the decision.

Adjourned.

FROM HARRISBURGH.

HARRISBURGH, JAN. 2, 1848.

Both Houses of the Legislature met to day—the House at two, and the Senate at three o'clock.

In the Senate, Hon. George Darsie, of Allegheny was elected Speaker, and the usual committees appointed.

In the House, all the members were present—For Speaker, Mr. Ivins was put in nomination by the Whigs—Mr. Packer, by the Democrats, and Mr. Hening by the Nalives. The House standsDemocrats, 50—Whigs, 45—Natives, 4. After three ineffectual ballotings, the House adjourned.

HARRISBURGH, JAN. 3.

No officers have yet been elected in the Senate.

In the House no organization has yet been effected. Eight ineffectual ballots have been had for Speaker. The Democrats have met in caucus, and have resolved not to agree to any compromise, as it was expected they would yesterday.

CHOLERA ON THE RIVER.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 3, 1849.

The steamer North River, Captain Dean, has landed at our wharf, and a report is rife in the streets, that during her passage up the Mississippi, nine persons aboard of her, died from Cholera.

It was also correctly reported, that 6 deaths from Cholera, had occurred in what is called 'Sausage Row.' The persons inhabiting this part of the city are generally of the low order of both colors and sexes.

BALTIMORE, JAN. 3, 1849.

Lorenzo B. Shepherd, Esq., has been appointed to fill the vacancy of the Attorney Generalship of the United States for the Southern District of New York.

The Transport Mary Adeline sailed from Old Point, Virginia, for California, with companies H and F aboard.

PHILADELPHIA MARKET.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 3, 1849.

The markets, generally, are without change, in any particular.

Flour is held at $5 12½. Corn Meal—Sales at $3 37½ per barrel.

Grain—Sales of prime red Wheat at 105 cents. Prime yellow Corn at 68, and Rye 69 cents per bushel.

Whiskey—Sales at 24 cts per gallon.

Cotton is held above the views of buyers.

NEW YORK, JAN. 3, 1849.

Flour—The market is firm with good home and eastern demand. Sales of western at $5 62½ @ $5 75 per case, and to extent of 2,500 barrels.

Grain—Holders of Wheat are very firm, and buyers do not meet them. Corn and other grain are in steady demand. Sales of 8,000 bushels prime white Corn at 60 @ 62 cents per bushel. Oats, sales at 38 @ 41 cents per bushel.

Whiskey sales at 24½ cents per gallon.

Provisions—The holders of Pork are asking higher prices, but no sales are reported.

Stocks—Large sales of Government Treasury Notes, at 108½ @ 108¾.

W. J. TROTT, T. T. SCOTT.
TROTT & SCOTT, Wholesale and Retail dealers in Boots, Shoes, Trunks, Carpet Bags, &c. S. W. corner of 4th and Smithfield-sts, Pittsburgh, Pa. ja2

JAMES P. HERR,
ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office removed to Fourth street, between Smithfield and Grant sts. ja3-3m

GEO. A. HARRINGTON,
Produce Broker,
OFFICE, No. 29 WATER STREET, PITTSBURGH, PA. dec22-tf

S. DILWORTH & Co., Wholesale Grocers, Produce and Commission Merchants, and Agents for the Hazard Powder Co. of N. Y., No. 27, Wood st, Pittsburgh. ja7

HAVANA SUGAR—10 bxs white Havana sugar; 3 do fair yellow do do; just received per B B Consigee, and for sale by CHORNEY, 44 water st.

CORN MEAL—30 pks for sale by
ja1 S F VON BONNHORST & Co.

RYE FLOUR—6 bbls for sale by
ja1 S F VON BONNHORST & Co.

SODA ASH—15 cases prime quality for sale by
ja1 S F VON BONNHORST & Co.

LINSEED OIL—10 bbls pure, just rec'd and for sale by dec19 R ROBISON & Co

SALERATUS—3 tons Saleratus, just rec'd and for sale by dec19 R ROBISON & Co

ROLL BUTTER—15 bbls prime Roll Butter, in store and for sale by JAS DALZELL
dec29 water st

SUNDRIES—17 bbls Lard; 45 sacks Feathers; 5 do Ginseng; 19 do Flaxseed, to arrive; for sale by dec21 ISAIAH DICKEY & Co, front st

PIMENTO—50 bags rec'd and for sale by
dec28 WICK & M'CANDLESS

SALERATUS—33 casks Cleveland Saleratus; 7 bbls do do; 10 bxs do do, pulverized in papers; 4 casks do do do; for sale by dec28 WICK & M'CANDLESS

BEER HAM—3 tubs Beer Ham, just rec'd and for sale by dec23 S & W HARBAUGH

LARD—23 bbls No 1 Leaf Lard, on consignment by dec18 ARMSTRONG & CROZER

BARLEY—200 bush just rec'd and for sale by
dec22 ARMSTRONG & CROZER

SUGAR CURED DRIED BEEF ROUNDS—48 tcs Cincinnati cured, a prime article for family use, just received and for sale by SELLERS & NICOLS
dec23

INDIA RUBBER CLOAKS—24 India Rubber Cloaks just rec'd and for sale at the India Rubber Depot, No 5 Wood st. dec23 J & H PHILLIPS

INDIA RUBBER BANDING, for Machinery—A large assortment just rec'd and for sale at the India Rubber Depot, No 5 Wood street. dec23

APPLES—54 bbls choice Apples, landing from stmr Wellsville, and for sale by JAS. DALZELL
dec29

WHISKS—5 doz supr maple handles; 10 doz corn handles for sale by
ja1 S F VON BONNHORST & Co.

MACKEREL—20 bbls large No. 3, for sale by
ja1 S F VON BONNHORST & Co.

TAR—10 bbls N C for sale by
ja1 S F VON BONNHORST & Co.

MOULD CANDLES—4 bxs Cincinnati mould candles; 24 do do strained do; for sale by
dec27 WICK & M'CANDLESS

SUGAR—23 hhds prime N O Sugar, new crop; 30 do do do do old Sugar, just rec'd and for sale by dec27 S & W HARBAUGH

MOLASSES—65 bbls Molasses, just landing and for sale by dec27 S & W HARBAUGH

COFFEE—450 bags Rio Coffee; 60 do Laguyra do; 50 do St Domingo, for sale low to close consignment, by dec27 S & W HARBAUGH

SOAP AND CANDLES—100 bxs C Incinnati Soap; 100 do do mould candle s; 20 do do star candles, just landing and for sale by dec27 S & W HARBAUGH

DRY APPLES—25 bags Dry Apples; 15 do do Peaches, just received and for sale by
dec27 S & W HARBAUGH

TOBACCO—15 bxs Cincinnati 1's; Tobacco, just received and for sale by S & W HARBAUGH
dec27

SUGAR—75 hhds prime old crop N O Sugar, rec'd on consignment, in store and for sale by
dec18 L S WATERMAN

SHEET IRON—10 tons; Nos 24 and 26, Tanists, for sale by dec14 S F VON BONNHORST & Co

CIDER—50 bbls sweet Cider, for sale by
dec14 S F VON BONNHORST & Co

RYE—13 bags rye just received and for sale by
dec9 S F VON BONNHORST & Co

EGG BUTTER—20 kegs butter in shipping order.
dec9 McGILL & ROE

MOLASSES—25 bbls new crop N O Molasses; just received and for sale by
dec14 L S WATERMAN

FLOUR—100 bbls Fix ur, in store and for sale by
dec18 L S WATERMAN

FLAXSEED—69 bus Flaxseed on consignment, for sale by ARMSTRONG & CROZER
dec18 23 cun'ket st

COMMERCIAL RECORD.

ALMANAC.

1849 JANUARY.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	Moon's Rises.	Moon's Sets.
30 Saturday,	7 28	4 30	9 15	[illegible]
31 Sunday,	7 28	4 31	10 8	7 23
1 Monday,	7 27	4 31	11 2	8 24
2 Tuesday	7 27	4 32	11 57	9 21
3 Wednesday,	7 27	4 33	Morn.	10 17
4 Thursday,	7 27	4 34	1 51	11 12
5 Friday,	7 27	4 35	2 46	Morn.

PITTSBURGH BOARD OF TRADE COMMITTEE FOR DECEMBER.

W. B. DENNY, J. HANNA, WM. R. MURPHY.

OFFICE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, Thursday Morning, January 4, 1849.

The weather yesterday was extremely cold and business generally throughout the city, was dull enough, and no sales to any large amount were transacted.

FLOUR—The receipts amounted to about 400 bbls brought in by the steamer Consul, of which 50 bbls were sold at the river at 3,90, and 50 at 3,95. Sales from store are only for the supply of the regular city demand in drayload lots at prices ranging according to quality from $4 to 4,12½—$4 to 4,06, may be set down as the ruling figures of the market.

RYE FLOUR—Receipts have been limited—Supplies are small, and we can note sales only in a small way at 3,20@3,25 ⅌ bbl.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Sales at $1,75@1,87½ ⅌ 100 lbs.

CORN MEAL—Supplies are light, and very little is doing in the market. We quote at 45@50c ⅌ bu.

GROCERIES—Supplies continue about sufficient to the demand, and sales are confined to limited lots as follows—N O sugar, old crop, at a range of 4½ to 5½c ⅌ lb for fair to prime, new crop 4½@4½c. N O molasses is reported firm at 28@29c ⅌ gl, with an upward tendency. Rio coffee 7, 7½@7½c, rice 5@5½c.

PROVISIONS—The market is dull and very little doing. We quote bacon hams at 6½@6½c, lard in bbls 6@6½, in kegs at 6½@7c. Good packing butter in kegs at 8½@9c, for roll, in bbls 10@11c are about the ruling figures.

CHEESE—The market remains firm, with moderate sales of W R at 6½@6¾c, cream at 6½@7c ⅌ pound.

FRUIT—The market is fully supplied, and dull. We may quote green apples from store at $1@1,25 ⅌ bbl, dried apples at 50@55c, dried peaches at 8@12½ ⅌ bu.

NEW COUNTERFEIT—Sibbetts' Review for January, just issued, gives the following description of a new counterfeit $2 bill, Pittsburgh scrip, old plate:—

"The Script lettering is of a bolder face than the genuine; the left hand 2 has light spots, the signature is written in black ink, in the genuine it is written in blue. The general execution of the counterfeit is good, and well calculated to deceive."

IMPORT OF SALT—Annexed is a statement of the quantity and value of Salt imported into the U. S. during the year ending 30th June, 1848:

	Bushels.	Value.
Imported during or ending 30th Sept. 1847,	1,719,473	$198,092
31st Dec. 1847,	3,215,223	390,213
31st March, 1848,	1,797,550	213,403
30th June, 1848,	1,977,315	249,794
Total for 1848,	8,969,560	$1,042,502
do for 1847,	1,993,112	210,213
do for 1846,	6,423,317	763,652

Philadelphia, Dec. 30, 1848.

The following are the exports to foreign ports, during the past week:

Flour, bbls	4,025	Corn, bu	20,647
Corn Meal,	3,659	Wheat,	12,036
Rye meal,	90	Rice, trcs	97
Ship bread,	139	Lard, lbs	16,389
Beef & Pork,	96	Lard,	24,202
Tobacco, hhds	21	Butter,	3,773
Bark, hhds	156	Cotton, bales	189

Wool—Stocks are light, and the market with a limited business doing, is very firm. We notice sales of 15@20,000 lbs domestic fleece at prices within the range of 27@30c for common to full blood, on time.—[North American.

New Bedford Oil Market, Dec. 25.—Sperm—Steady demand with a further advance of 1c ⅌ gall. Sales include 650 bbls in parcels, at 107, and 100 bbls at 108c. Sales of 1500 galls bleached Winter Sperm was made at 112c. Whale—More activity in the Whale Oil market, and sales have been made since our last of 5700 principally of the common to good qualities ranging from 32c to 33c. We notice 50 bbls inferior at 32c; 1600 good at 33c, and 1000 at 33½. The stock generally of the better qualities is much less, and parcels of strictly prime Oil are held above these rates—whalebone—There is more inquiry, and sales have been made of 48,000 lbs N W Coast, supposed at about 26c.

TO PORK FEEDERS—At a large and respectable meeting of the pork feeders of Buchanan county, held in St. Joseph, on Friday, Dec. 1st, 1848, it was resolved, unanimously, that they would make no sale of pork for a less price than $2 ⅌ 100 lbs, sales to be only by the average weight of 200 lbs or upwards, as agreed upon; and further, that no hog be offered to the packers weighing less than 175 lbs. The gentlemen present being the owners of between four and five thousand fat hogs, mutually pledged themselves to each other to abide by the above resolutions, and earnestly recommend to all holders of pork not present to adopt the same.

JAMES G. KARNS, Ch'n.

ROBT. MARTIN, Sec'y.

—[St. Louis Union.

Cattle Market.

Philadelphia, Dec. 28.—Offerings of the week are 1100 beef cattle, including 600 head from New York; 250 cows and calves, 600 hogs, and 1300 sheep and lambs. Prices—Beeves all taken at advanced rates, mostly within the range of $6@7,75 the 100 lbs. Cows and Calves sold at $30, $14 for dry, $15@$25 for springers, and $13@$33 for fresh cows. Hogs—Nearly all taken at $4@5,75 the 100 lbs. Sheep and Lambs brought $1,50@$5,50 each for the former, and $1,25@2,25 for the latter, as to quality. Hay has advanced, and good Timothy sold at 75@80c the cwt. Straw is stationary at $52@56 the 100 bundles.

CATTLE STATEMENT—The following is a table showing the monthly offerings at the Philadelphia Cattle Market, for the year 1848; also a comparison with the total receipts of the three previous years.—[North Amer.

	Beeves.	Cows.	Hogs.	Sheep.
January,	3,910	570	5,620	4,300
February,	4,050	550	2,750	4,100
March,	5,650	1,050	3,840	5,470
April,	4,260	820	5,050	5,150
May,	6,350	870	3,050	4,100
June,	6,270	1,250	3,690	7,250
July,	5,520	1,230	2,050	6,300
August,	6,320	1,440	2,250	7,400
September,	6,400	1,055	2,400	6,600
October,	6,170	1,210	4,420	10,500
November,	6,520	1,640	5,730	9,300
December,	4,940	1,200	4,900	5,350
Total for 1848,	66,370	13,365	46,780	75,270
do for 1847,	51,550	12,990	36,440	57,130
do for 1846,	53,940	11,280	29,160	77,900
do for 1845,	49,290	9,680	25,710	79,000

PORT OF PITTSBURGH.

ARRIVED,

Louis McLane, Bennett, Brownsville.
Atlantic, Parkinson, Brownsville.
Michigan No 2, Gibson, Beaver.
Lake Erie, Sholes, Beaver.
Beaver, Clark, Wellsville.
Clipper No 3, Crooks, Cincinnati.
Ariadne, Grabill, New Geneva.
Consul, Webber, Wheeling.

DEPARTED

Louis McLane, Bennett, Brownsville.
Atlantic, Parkinson, Brownsville.
Michigan No. 2, Gibson, Beaver.
Beaver, Clark, Wellsville.
Consul, Webber, Wheeling.
Cinquingue, J H Lockwood, Cin.

At dusk last evening, there were 6 feet 6 inches water in the channel, by pier mark, and falling.

BOATS LEAVING THIS DAY.

Cincinnati Packets, 10 A. M.
Brownsville Packets, 8 A. M., and 4 P. M.
Beaver Packets, 10 A. M., and 4 P. M.
McKeesport—Arrowline.
Ariadne.

IMPORTS BY RIVER.

Wheeling—Per Jas Nelson—17 sks scraps, B A Fahnestock & co; 12 bbls flour, Armstrong & Crozier; 120 bdls paper, S C Hill; 46 bbls flour, Cummins & Smith; 22 do do, Armstrong & Crozier; 152 do do; 29 bgs oats, 19 sks broom corn, 24 do oats, passengers.

Per Consul—100 bbls flour, sir Consul; 77 bbls apples, R Robison & co; 97 do do, owner aboard; 10 do do, J Herbert; 32 do flour, 9 sks shorts, J H Pugh.

Beaver—Per Beaver—28 sks peaches, 25 kgs lard, 1 bbl peaches, Brown & Culbertson; 40 bbls beef cattle, 52 sks peaches, 2 bbls butter, 2 bxs peaches, 1 cask do, Myers & Hunter; 11 bbls lard, 15 do do, 8 bbls butter, 1 do scrip, prom; 1 bbl mdse M Hodkinson.

Per New Geneva—124 bbls flour, Robertson & Reppert; 541 bxs glass, same; 5 sks flaxseed, 1 bx dry apples, 1 sack peaches, 1 do chesnuts, Wick & McCandless.

Cincinnati—Per Brilliant—29 sks wool, 114 bxs meat, 52 tcs do, 85 bbls 250 kgs lard, owners; 12 bxs starch, M Leech & son; 10 bbls oil, Sellers & Nicolls; 300 bbls molasses, 22 kgs tob, 27 bxs meat, D Leech & co.

RATES OF DISCOUNT.

RATES OF DISCOUNT—CORRECTED BY

N. HOLMES & SONS,

Exchange Brokers, No. 53 Market street, near 4th st

Pennsylvania.		Indiana.	
Bank of Pittsburgh	par	State Bk & Branches	5
Exchange Bank	par	State Bk Branches	6
Merch. & Man. Bank	par	Virginia.	
Bank of Philadelphia	par	Exchange Bk. of Va	5
Girard Bank	par	Farmers Bk of Va	5
Bank of Germantown	par	Bk. of the Valley	6
Chester County	par	Bk. of Virginia	6
Delaware Co.	par	Bk. of Ohio, Wheeling	5
Montgomery Co.	par	do Parkersburg	5
Northumberland	par	N. W. Bank Va	5
Huntingdon Co.	par	do Wellsburg	5
Doylestown Bank	par	Bank of Wheeling	5
Farmers' Bk. Reading	par	Tennessee.	
Farmers' Bk. Bucks Co	par	Bk. of Tennessee	5
Farmers' Bk Lancaster	par	Bk. of Nashville	5
Lancaster Co. Bk	par	Planters' Bk	6
Lancaster Bk	par	Union Bk	6
U States Bank	par	Missouri.	
Brownsville Bk	par	State Bk of Missouri	5
Washington Bk	par	North Carolina.	
Greensburgh Bk	5	Bk. of Cape Fear	5
Chambersburg	par	Bank of Newbern	5
Susquehanna Co. Bk	3	State Bank	5
Lehigh Co Bank		South Carolina.	
Lewistown	par	Charleston Bk	par
Middletown	5	Bk. of Charleston	2
Carlisle	5	Commercial Bk	2
Erie Bk	20@25	Bk. of Georgetown	5
Farmers' and Drovers' Bank, Waynesburg	5	Bk. of Hamburg	5
Harrisburg	5	Merchants Bk	2
Hollidaysburg	5	Planters & Mechs Bk	5
Lebanon	par	Bk. of State of South Carolina	2
Pottsville	5	Maryland.	
Wyoming	5	Baltimore Bks	par
York Bk	5	Balto & O R R Scrip	10
West Branch Bk	5	Cumberland Bk. of Md	5
Belief. Noga	5	Ghany	5
M & M Bk. Pitts do	5	Far. Bk. of Maryland	5
City & County Scrip	5	Farmers & Mechanics Bk	5
Ohio.		Br. Frederick	5
State Bk. and Branches	5	Frederick Co. Bk	5
Steubenville	5	Hagerstown Bk	5
Mount Pleasant	5	Mineral Bk	5
Zanesville	5	Patapsco Bk	5
Marietta	5	Washington Bk	5
New Lisbon	5	Bk. of Westminster	5
Cincinnati Bank	5	Michigan.	
Columbus do	5	Bk. of St. Clair	
Circleville do	5	Bk. of Michigan	5
Xenia do	5	Michigan Ins. Co	5
Tuscarawas do	5	Farm. & Mech's Bk	5
Wooster do	10	Wabash Bank Fort Wayne	5
Massillon do	5	Mar. & Fira In. Co. Milw	5
Sandusky do	5	Canadas.	
Tiffin do	5	All solvent Banks	5
Norwalk do	5	Bank of Montreal	par
Cleveland do	5	Gold & Specie Value.	
Xenia do	5	Napoleons	15 00
Dayton do	5	Doubloons	15 00 @ 15 50
Western Reserve do	5	Eagle, old	10 50
Franklin Bk Columbus	5	Eagle, new	10 00
Chillicothe do	5	Doubloons, Spanish	15 00
Lake Erie do	5	Do. Patriot	15 50
Scioto do	5	Sovereigns	4 83
Gallipolis do	5	Half do	2 50
Hamilton do	13	Frederick'dors	3 60
Granville do	50	Ten Thalers	7 50
Farm'rs Bk Canton	50	Ten Guilders	3 50
Steubenville	56	Louis d'ors	4 50
Kentucky.		Exchange.	
Bk of Kentucky	5	New York	1 pm
Bank of Louisville	5	Boston	1 pm
Norfolk Br. Kentucky	5	Baltimore	1 pm
New York—City Banks, par. Interior Bks—1			

Pittsburgh & Boston Copper Company.

THIS Company respectfully informs the public, and particularly all dealers and consumers of Copper in the form in which they prepare it, that their Smelting Works are now in successful operation, and they are now ready to make contracts for the delivery of ingots to those who want it in this form; and also tough cake for the purpose of rolling.

The Copper produced from the Metalic Mines of Lake Superior, is ascertained to be much superior to the ordinary copper in the markets, which is obtained from ores containing foreign mineral substances. This copper is perfectly pure, and is not injured by the process of smelting, and is therefore found to be preferred for bell metal, rolling, and many other purposes.

As it is not the intention or wish of this Company to erect works for the manufacture of copper in the various forms in which it is wanted, they will be happy to make contracts for the delivery of it in the form of ingots, tough cake for rolling, &c., to those who may wish to carry on the business.

Hereafter, all the copper obtained from their mines will be brought to Pittsburgh, and large supplies may be expected. Letters addressed to R. Phillips, or Thomas M. Howe, will meet with prompt attention.

CHARLES AVERY, President.
dec19-42m

CARD.

JAMES M. COOPER, having this day associated with him WILLIAM S. LAVELY, they will hereafter conduct the wholesale Hardware business under the name and style of COOPER & LAVELY.

The firm respectfully solicit a continuance of the favor and patronage enjoyed by the late concern; and as their supplies, Foreign and Domestic, will always be obtained from first hands and early, they pledge themselves to sell at rates which shall defy the most vigorous competion.

COOPER & LAVELY,
ja1-diw No 55 Wood street

WORCESTER'S PIANOS.

RECEIVED this day, and for sale at manufacturers prices, three elegant Rosewood Pianos, made by H. Worcester, N. Y. These instruments are considered fully equal, if not superior, to any now made in N. York, having as full, round, and melodious tone; warranted to wear well and give satisfaction.

The price of these Pianos is believed to be much lower than any other manufacturer's in N. Y.

Those who are in want of a good and elegant Piano at a moderate price, will please call and examine the above at the store of the subscriber, where a large assortment of Chickering's celebrated Pianos can always be found.

JOHN H. MELLOR,
dec27 81 Wood st

An Ordinance.

BE it ordained and enacted by the citizens of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, That the Mayor be, and he is hereby authorised to sign a deed conveying to the Trustees of the Pittsburgh Gas Company the Lot of ground now occupied by the Gas Works, in consideration of the sum of twenty-eight thousand (28,000) dollars, payable in the stock of said Company, the profits on which shall begin to accrue, on the first day of January, 1850.

Ordained and enacted into a law, in Councils, this 29th day of December, A. D., 1848.

[Attest] ROBT. M'KNIGHT, Pres. C. C., pro tem.
Fred. E. Volz, Clk C. C.

JOHN SHIPTON, Pres't S. C.
JOHN MAJOR, Clk S. C. ja2-d3t

T. H. CAVANAUGH,
Receiving, Forwarding and General Commission Merchant,

COMMERCIAL STORES, ST. LOUIS, MO.

N. B.—Strict attention paid to orders for purchasing in this market, and all business promptly transacted. Reference at Pittsburgh, John M'Fadon & Co.
dec29-3m

OILS—1000 galls natural cold Winter Sperm Oil; 500 do Bleached do do
1500 do do Whale do
500 do N W coast crude do do
8 bbls No 1 Lard
5 do Linseed, warranted pure, do
20 do Strait's Tanners, war'nut gen'e, do
In store and for sale by
dec22 MILLER & RICKETSON

WELSH FLANNELS—W R Murphy has on hand a full assortment of these desirable Goods; also, a full assortment of domestic unshrinkable do, and a full assortment of scarlet and yellow, and spotted, for Christmas wear.

Home made Flannels—white, brown and barred: a supply constantly on hand.

ANOTHER FRESH ARRIVAL—Of those unsurpassed Tapestry 3 ply Imperial Carpets; received this day and for sale at reduced prices, at the carpet warehouse of W M'CLINTOCK,
dec20 75 fourth st

PURSE LOST—Was dropped by a Lady on her way from Elliott & English's book store, Wood st, to Eaton's trimming store, a purple Silk Purse, worked with steel beads, containing a $10 note on the Bank of Pittsburgh. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at either of the above named stores.
dec27

ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS—Smith & Johnson, 46 Market st, would invite the attention of dealers and others to their extensive stock of French and American artificial Flowers, which will be offered at eastern prices. dec27

JUST RECEIVED—Two splendid new Piano fortes, from the celebrated factory of Nunns & Clark, N. Y., and 6½ octave Piano, rosewood, with elegant carving; one 6½ octave, with Coleman's Æolian Attachment.

These very superior Pianos will be sold at manufacturers prices.

H KLEBER,
dec27 Sole Agent for Western Pa.

MATTHEW EDWARDS, JOS. C. POCKS, THOS. STARONE, JR
JACOB POCKS, FELIX SON, JAMES M. LEAKS,
THOS. SIMPSON.

MECHANICS' GLASS WORKS.

SIMPSON & Co., manufacturers of Vials, Bottles, and Window Glass, keep constantly on hand a general assortment of the above articles. Also, make to order a superior article of Mineral or Soda-Water Bottles, of colored glass. No. 19 Wood st, Pittsburgh, Pa. aug21-6m

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE co-partnership between Dickson & Miller, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Wm. Miller will settle the business belonging to the firm.

WM. MILLER.
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I HAVE this day associated with me in the wholesale Grocery, Produce and Commission business, my brother Joseph, under the firm of J. S. DILWORTH & Co.

JOSEPH DILWORTH.
JANUARY 1, 1849.

J. S. DILWORTH.

LOCAL MATTERS.

REPORTED FOR THE PITTSBURGH DAILY GAZETTE.

In our paper of yesterday we published the result of the election in seven of the nine wards of our city. We give to day the result of the other two.

SEVENTH WARD.

Judge—Robert Arthurs.
Inspector—Robert Gallagher.
Assessor—Wm. M Arthers.
Assistant Assessors—Henry Lytle, Henry Wallace.
School Directors—Lyman T Childs, Robert Franklin.
Constable—John Graham.

The Whig ticket was carried in this ward by a very large majority.

EIGHTH WARD.

Judge—Thomas Daft.
Inspector—Christian King.
School Directors—R F Smith, Thomas Greenough.
Assessor—Fleming Morrow.
Assistant Assessors—John A Sergent, Christian King.
Constable—Hugh Davis.

THE COAT THIEF CAUGHT.—Yesterday afternoon, two men, one of whom gave his name James Clarke, and the other Connor, were arrested and brought to the Mayor's Office, charged with stealing clothes from the Mansion House, in Liberty Street. It appeared that early in the day, the men were seen in the house up stairs, by one of the chambermaids, and that a little after dinner they had gone up again, (having, no doubt, in the morning, made a survey of the premises,) and took a black cloth over coat, a black dress coat, and two silk vests, the property of Mr. J. A. M'Cullogh, a boarder at the hotel, and worth about $30. The thieves were arrested shortly after—one by Mr. John Hague, who had seen Clarke take away the clothes—supposing they belonged to him. The prisoners were both committed for trial. On Clarke were found about $5 mostly in silver. The other, (Connor,) has been in jail before. Clarke says he is from Harrisburg.

CHARGE OF RIOT.—Yesterday, a whole family, including father, mother, and all the children, together with several others, were charged before Alderman Steele, with riotous conduct and disturbing the peace, on the evening of the 1st inst, on Fourth Street Road. The names of the defendants are, George, Charles, James, and Ellen Mullen, and Matthew Burke, James M'Loughlin, and Enoch Hoblin. The prosecutor is Michael Faas. It appeared that, on the evening in question, one of the Mullens went into the store of Faas, to return a bad half dollar which he alleged had been put upon him by Faas. This was denied by Faas, when Mullen was impertinent, and Faas put him out of the store. This brought the vengeance of the whole family upon the prosecutor, who was severely beaten and bruised, and a great disturbance was created in the neighbourhood. The whole of the above named defendants were bound over to appear at the Sessions, to answer the complaint.

WINCHELL THE VENTRILOQUIST.—Mr. Winchell the humorist proposes to add to the amusement of the New Year festivities, by giving his peculiar entertainments in ventriloquism, comical stories, &c., &c., at the Philo Hall, on Monday evening, the 5th instant. To those who would enjoy the pleasure of a hearty laugh, we commend this entertainment as eminently calculated to gratify them.

THEATRE—The benefit of Mr. B. Williams, night before last, was such as to assure Barney that his talents were duly weighed by the lovers of fun and humor. Mr. W. has been re-engaged, and will appear to night as Ragged Pat, in the new Drama of 'Ireland as it is,' and as Larry O'Gig, in the 'Robber's Wife.' The 'Glance at New York' is well received—it was repeated last night to a crowded house.

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS, JAN. 3.—The case of Peter Baker went to the jury yesterday afternoon at four o'clock. Judge Patton delivered a very brief charge, leaving the case entirely with the jury. Nearly a hundred witnesses were examined in this case, which has engrossed the entire attention of the court since Wednesday last.

MAYOR'S OFFICE—The watch house was without a tenant on Tuesday night, and consequently his honor had no cases on Wednesday morning. This looks well.

We beg to refer our readers to the advertisement of Messrs. Fouh & Cook, corner of Fourth and Smithfield Streets. Every foot may here be fitted with a capital boot or shoe, from the baby of six months old to the giant of seven feet.

DISASTROUS FIRE—TWO STEAMBOATS BURNED.—A little before 4 o'clock yesterday morning, the steamer Mustang was discovered on fire, and the flames spread with such rapidity, that in less than ten minutes her whole cabin was in flames. The Mustang was lying immediately ahead of her and the Arkansas Mail behind her. The Tributary was cut loose and drifted alongside of the Arkansas Mail, setting her on fire also. The T. was burned and her hull sunk at the wharf. All the upper works of the Arkansas Mail were also burned, though her hull and machinery were saved by the the active exertions of the firemen. Neither of the boats had any freight on board. In consequence of the high stage of the river, the boats were lying close to the buildings, which would undoubtedly also have caught fire had it not been for the snow which covered the roofs.

The persons asleep on the boats had barely time to escape in their night clothes. The clerk of the Tributary burned his hands severely while trying to secure several hundred dollars in his office, which was also lost. It is not known how the fire originated, but it is generally supposed to have been the work of an incendiary.

The Tributary was owned by Capt. Denny and others, was valued at $5,000, and insured at Cincinnati for $3,000.

The Arkansas mail was owned by Capt. Differ and was not insured. She was worth about $2,000.—*Louisville Journal, Dec. 30.*

HEROIC CONDUCT OF A YOUNG FEMALE.—From Alexandria we learn by the last mail, that a vessel lately bound for Aden with coal, having lost her master by death, when about twelve days' sail from her destination, the crew conspired to take possession and dispose of her on the coast of Arabia. However, the captain's daughter, a young woman of the age of twenty, came on board, and she having received some intimation of the piratical intentions of the men, armed herself with a pair of pistols, secured all the fire arms, and getting the mate and another man to join her, bravely forced the mutineers to work the ship to Aden, where they are now in confinement.

A PEDAGOGUE IN A FIX.—A schoolmaster in California, writing to a Connecticut editor, says that on the discovery of the gold mines, all his scholars deserted him and resorted to the mines, so that his school is broken up, and he had to go to gold digging himself, or do nothing.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned having removed to Washington city, will attend to the prosecution of claims on the Government, and to any law business before the Courts of the District, with which he may be entrusted.

dec8-d3m ANDREW WYLIE, Jr.

FEATHERS—46 sacks now landing from str Genoa; for sale by ja2 ISAIAH DICKEY & Co

GINSENG—5 sacks now landing from str Genoa; for sale by ja2 ISAIAH DICKEY & Co

FLAXSEED—19 sks now landing from str Genoa; for sale by ja2 ISAIAH DICKEY & Co

TOBACCO—80 kegs No 1, six twist Tobacco, a prime article, just rec'd on consignment and for sale by dec21 SELLERS & NICOLS

MOLASSES—100 bbls new crop N O Molasses, just rec'd per stmr Roscoe and for sale by dec21 SELLERS & NICOLS

CHESTNUTS—200 bush just landing and for sale by dec21 J S DILWORTH

CARB OF AMMONIA—1 cask rec'd and for sale by dec9 BRAUN & REITER

FEATHERS—20 sacks now landing from steamer Fort Pitt; for sale by dec19 ISAIAH DICKEY & Co

SUNDRIES—48 sacks Feathers; 4 do Ginseng; 10 do Flax; for sale by dec19 ISAIAH DICKEY & Co

WANTED—2 Wool Spinners. Apply to dec19 I HERSEY, 29 Water st

PRIME W. R. CHEESE—200 bxs prime W R Cheese landing and for sale by BAGALEY & SMITH, dec19 18 and 20 wood st

FEATHERS—300 lbs prime live geese, for sale by dec23 S F VON BONNHORST & Co

LARD—4 bbls just rec'd and for sale by dec23 S F VON BONNHORST & Co

CHEESE—30 bxs large cream, for sale by dec23 S F VON BONNHORST & Co

LEMONS—5 bxs for sale by dec23 S F VON BONNHORST & Co

BLANKETS—1 case for sale by dec23 S F VON BONNHORST & Co

CARB MAGNESIA—200 lbs on hand and for sale by dec27 J KIDD & Co

GINSENG—2 sacks now landing, for sale by dec25 ISAIAH DICKEY & Co, front st

FEATHERS—89 sacks now landing; for sale by dec25 ISAIAH DICKEY & Co

MOLASSES—13 bbls Plantation; 5 do Sugarhouse, on consignment; for sale by dec23 ISAIAH DICKEY & Co

WRAPPING PAPER—225 rms rag and straw crown, double crown and medium wrapping paper, for sale by dec25 WICK & McCANDLESS.

GROUND NUTS—200 bushels Tennessee ground nuts for sale, by dec23 WICK & McCANDLESS.

FAMILY FLOUR—