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LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Departure and Arrival of Passenger Trains.

Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad.
(From corner of Liberty and Grant streets, Pittsburgh.)

Leave Pittsburgh.	Crestline.	Ft. Wayne.
Express Train.....12:15 A. M.	6:50 A. M.	1:00 P. M
Mail Train.....6:50 A. M.	.....	.....
Express Train.....12:50 P. M.	8:45 P. M.	2:50 A. M

Arrive at Chicago:
Express.....6:47 P. M. | Express.....8:17 A. M

Returning, Arrive at Pittsburgh:
Mail, 8:25 P. M. | Express, 3:20 P. M. | Express, 2:20 A. M

(From Federal Street Station, Allegheny.)
New Brighton Accommodation..9:20 A. M. 5:20 P. M
" " ..... 6:05 A. M. 12:10 P. M

Pennsylvania Railroad.
(From corner of Liberty and Grant streets.)

	Leaves.	Arrives.
Express Train.....	8:50 P. M.	12:45 P. M.
Mail "	2:50 A. M.	11:00 P. M.
Fast Line.....	4:20 P. M.	12:20 A. M.
The Johnstown Way Passenger Train.....	6:00 A. M.	1:10 P. M.
Johnstown Accommodation.....	2:50 P. M.	11:00 A. M
First Turtle Creek "	10:40 A. M.	6:50 A. M
Second " " "	4:50 P. M.	12:30 A. M
Third " " "	6:30 P. M.	6:15 P. M

Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad.
(From Liberty and Grant streets.)

	Leaves.	Arrives.
Mail Train.....	7:00 A. M.	6:15 P. M
Express Train.....	4:50 P. M.	8:15 A. M

Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad.
(From corner of Liberty and Grant streets.)

	Leaves.	Arrives.
Express Train.....	12:15 A. M.	2:40 A. M.
Mail Train.....	6:25 A. M.	4:00 P. M.
Fast Line.....	1:05 P. M.	8:20 P. M.
Wellsville Accommodation.....	5:00 P. M.	11:00 A. M.

Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and Cincinnati Railroad.
(From Liberty and Grant streets.)

	Leaves Pitts.	Columbus.	Arr. in Cin.
Fast Line.....	12:15 A. M.	5:00 A. M.	11:30 A. M
Express Train..	1:05 P. M.	1:20 A. M.	7:20 A. M

THE ALBATROSS EXCURSIONISTS.—The members of the Eclipse Barge Club, who went up the Allegheny on a pleasure excursion in the barge Albatross are in the full tide of enjoyment. They seem to be popular too. The Kittanning *Democrat* of Wednesday says:

On yesterday forenoon were seen in our town, the uniforms of a number of gentlemen of the "Eclipse Barge Club" of Pittsburgh. Going down to the wharf we observed moored at the landing their row-boat Albatross, a most magnificent specimen of naval architecture, commanded by Commodore W. G. M'Candless.

The boat with her crew arrived here at about ten o'clock A. M., having left Pittsburgh on Saturday evening, and lain by over Sunday near Tarentum.

The members of the Club along with the the Albatross, are on their way up the Allegheny, to enjoy the fine fishing and hunting now to be found in its waters and on its banks. A portion of the Club remained over the afternoon to participate with our Club in a game of Cricket at the fair grounds.

In their conduct and appearance we have not seen a finer or more gentlemanly set of young men than the members of the "Eclipse" above referred to. Long may they *wave*.

FOUND DEAD.—An old man, eighty years of age, a resident, we understand, of Ligonier, Westmoreland county, named Wendel Cust, was found dead in the woods somewhere near Statler's sawmill, on the Allegheny mountain, in Shade township, on Thursday last. He had been on his way to visit a son of his living in that township, and it is supposed that, darkness overtaking him, and being much wearied, he lay down to rest, and getting awake during the night he wandered off, leaving his luggage. He had been lost for eight days, and was found within five miles of his son's residence. The supposition is that, when found, he had been dead three days. Hundreds of people were searching for him for a week. An inquest was held upon the body, and the verdict of the jury was that he died a natural death.

PETERSON'S EDITION OF THE WAVERLEY NOVELS.—The Waverly Novel Series has now drawn to an end. "The Highland Widow," one of Sir Walter's best and most graphic pictures of old Scotch life in later times, was issued last week, and "Castle Dangerous" and the "Surgeon's Daughter" are issued this day. The whole series can now be obtained, in paper covers, in twenty-six volumes, for five dollars, or very well bound in black muslin, and in five handsome octavo volumes, for only six dollars—making it the cheapest standard English work ever given to the world. When it is remembered that the Edinburgh edition of the Waverley Novels is sold for seventy-five dollars, and that there is really no very striking difference in the merit—none in the slightest degree corresponding to the difference in price—it will be seen what a phenomenon in publishing this cheap edition presents. It can be had of Messrs. Hunt & Miner, Masonic Hall.

Let it be borne in mind by those who object to their children reading novels, that those by great classic writers are a striking exception to the ordinary ones. Young persons who read Scott with interest are the least likely to be fascinated with the maudlin fashionable novel trash. An eminent bibliographist once classed Scott's novels as works of history. They are most emphatically the works which, of all others next to the Bible and Shakspeare, should be found in every house. And as comparatively few can afford the expensive editions, we indulge in no extravagance when we wish most sincerely that a million copies of this edition could be sold over the country at once. We have more than once advocated the reading of English literature as a branch of education for children, as nothing is at present more neglected in teaching. Every school and household should have a library, and prominent in this library we would place this edition of the the works of Sir Walter Scott.

For the gratification of those who appreciate the value of this, the cheapest edition of Waverley in the world, we would add that it can be obtained in some forty different styles of binding, from plain muslin up to Turkey morocco.

CHARLES DICKENS' WORKS.—The well-known firm of T. B. Peterson & Brothers, 306 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, have just commenced publishing a remarkably cheap edition of these unapproachable works of fiction. It is entitled "Petersons' Cheap Edition for the Million, of the entire writings of Chas. Dickens, Boz," and will be issued complete in twenty-eight volumes. One volume will be published regularly on each and every Saturday, until the whole number of volumes—twenty-eight—is completed. The low price fixed by the publishers for them is only twenty-five cents a volume, or the whole twenty-eight volumes for five dollars. A complete set will be forwarded free of postage, by mail, to any part of the United States, to any one, by the publishers, on receiving a remittance of five dollars for the twenty-eight volumes; or a remittance of three dollars will pay for the first fourteen volumes; or a remittance of one dollar will pay for the first four volumes. The volumes will be neatly printed, and each volume will contain one hundred and sixty large octavo pages, printed on fine white paper, and neatly bound with paper cover. The revised uniform Edinburgh edition, from which this is reprinted, comprises twenty-eight volumes, the cost of which is seventy-five dollars; and this edition will contain every word of the Edinburgh edition. We commend the determination of this enterprising Philadelphia firm, to furnish the complete and entire works of Charles Dickens at a price so reasonable, that all persons whatever may possess a full set, and direct the especial attention of our readers to the fact, and would advise them all to make a remittance of five dollars at once, per first mail, to the publishers, or to Hunt & Miner, for the entire set, who will send them complete to any one, free of postage, on receipt of that sum.

DROWNED.—On Monday evening, of last week, Mr. James Webb, of Clark's coal works, while returning from Fayette City in a skiff, jumped overboard, and was drowned. His body was recovered on Wednesday morning. He left a wife and seven children, and expended the last cent that evening for whisky.

MRS. REBECCA MINEMILLER, who has been on trial at Greensburgh for infanticide was acquitted and discharged by proclamation.

REV. ALEXANDER CLARK, EDITOR OF THE "SCHOOL VISITOR," says:

We have had ample opportunities during the last few weeks, of witnessing the practical workings of the Iron City College. Having been in almost daily intercourse with the teachers and students, in the study room, and at the different recitations. We have only to say that thoroughness, and intense interest, characterize every performance. Students are arriving daily, from all parts of the country, and the number now in attendance is larger by far, than any similar Commercial College East or West. Mr. Jenkins, the Principal, is a gentleman of the strictest integrity, and the entire faculty is composed of competent and faithful instructors. Every inducement announced in the widely diffused advertisements of this institution is promptly carried out, in the course of study and discipline, which this college has won its present reputation.

HORSE STOLEN.—On Tuesday last, a man, calling himself James Richards, called at the livery stable of John Olwy, Jr., in the Fifth ward, and hired a horse and buggy, representing that he wished to visit his uncle named Cunningham, at East Liberty. He drove off and has not since been seen or heard of in this vicinity. Richards is a man of some twenty-five years of age, about five feet seven inches high, light complexion and hair, no beard, supposed to be a Pennsylvania Dutchman, had with him a wife and child in Pittsburgh, but it is not known whether he took them along. The horse is a grey, fifteen hands high, very flat footed; the buggy is a falling top, the top lined with blue cloth. Mr. Olwy offers a reward of fifty dollars for the recovery of the horse and buggy, and twenty-five dollars for the thief.

ELDERBERRY WINE.—As the season for making elderberry wine is close at hand, we give the following recipe for making it: The berries, when ripe, are first picked by the stems, then stripped with the hand, or trimmed close with shears. Next they are mashed fine, which can be done by a stick in the form of a pestle. Let them remain until the next day, when the juice is slowly pressed out in a cheese press, or any other convenient way. Next boil the juice twenty minutes, skim it, and add four pounds of white sugar to a gallon; when much warm add a small piece of white bread crust that has been dipped in yeast. Let it stand three days; remove the crust, and the wine is ready for bottling. Age improves it.

TERRA CULTURE, as disclosed by its founder last Saturday, in this city, is attracting a good deal of attention in the community at present. The interest in it is increasing daily. For longer articles on the subject, see the *Chronicle* of 18th, 22d and 23d instant, or to-day's *Weekly Chronicle*, which contains the three articles. They are of general interest.

The lecture will be repeated in this city on Saturday, September 3d, at ten o'clock, A. M., at the Iron City College; also at Beatty's, nine miles from Monongahela City, on Saturday, August 27th, at ten A. M. References: S. W. Stephens, Esq., who heard the disclosure at Monongahela City, and raised a class within three days at Beatty's; see "*Weekly Dispatch, Aug. 14th.*"

AN UNPLEASANT BED-FELLOW.—Mr John Tyson, residing in the southern part of our borough, a few mornings since, found that he had been having a very unpleasant bed fellow through the night. On rising from the bed on which he had slept, with his child by his side, he discovered a house snake, eighteen inches in length, in the bed between where he had lain and the child. He made short work with the reptile, by removing it from his comfortable quarters, and "training it head" preferring, if he must sleep "cuts thick as three in a bed," other company than the snakeship. This is the third snake that has been killed in the same house during this year.—*Freeman's Pa. Democrat.*

CHARGE OF PASSING COUNTERFEIT MONEY.—Michael Bright, a tavern-keeper of Tarentum, was before the Mayor on Friday, charged, on oath of James Brown, with passing upon him a counterfeit five dollar bill on the Bank of Hartford, Connecticut, knowing it to be worthless, and with intent to defraud him. Brown alleges that the note had once before been passed by Bright, and that it was returned to him, and that consequently he was aware of its character when he gave it to him. Bright demanded a hearing, and Tuesday next was fixed for an examination into the merits of the case—the accused giving bail for his appearance.

THE BUCKLEY & NEW-COME CAMPBELL MINSTRELS commence a series of their popular entertainments in Philadelphia on Monday evening next. After performing there for a time, they will visit this city. The public will remember their former visit, when they gave performances of a superior caste to large audiences. These minstrels are really fine artists, having studied the Ethiopian character for years in the South, which renders them far superior to the horses of rival nights now traveling through the country. We speak for them success in Philadelphia, and can guarantee it here.

COOPER OPERA TROUPE.—This popular company commences an engagement at the Apollo Theatre on Tuesday evening. All will remember their former engagement with pleasure, especially Miss Annie Wilmer, the prima donna, who is not only very handsome, but possesses an exquisite voice, and a highly cultivated musical voice and brilliant execution. We predict a profitable engagement during the brief period they will remain.

JEANETTE ST. CLAIR, a very handsome, but very bad girl, who, out of a twelve months' residence in this city, spent ten in the county jail, is now confined in the city prison in Cincinnati, of which she has been a frequent inmate of late. She, in company with another girl, for apparently no other reason than a desire to get under the prison walls, stole a lot of muslin, and was promptly arrested and committed for petty larceny.

TOOK THE VAIL.—One day last week at the Convent of the Sisters of Mercy, St. Xavier, Latrobe, Misses Sticker, M'Cue and M'Govern received the White Veil and the habit of the Order of Mercy, from the hands of the Rev. Peter Arnoudt, S. J., of Cincinnati, assisted by the Rev. Jerome Kearney. The Reverend Father delivered an appropriate discourse on the occasion.

THE PILGRIM ALMANAC.—We have received a copy of a very elegant publication, being this title from the publishing house of A. Williams & Co., Boston, Massachusetts. It has originated as an auxiliary in the construction of the National Monument to the fortifications at Plymouth. The pamphlet is beautifully illustrated, and contains a large amount of valuable matter.

FALL HATS, CAPS, &c.—Fleming, at the corner of Wood and Sixth streets, is determined to be early in the field with fall goods. He opens, to-day, a new stock of hats, caps and ready made clothing, which having just purchased for cash in the Eastern markets, he can sell low. See advertisement.

BOAT RACE.—In boating circles the contest to come off this evening, over the Monongahela course, between the "I. C. Woodward" and the "Bill Jackson," is creating some excitement. The boats and crews are well matched, and the contest, which takes place at five o'clock, will doubtless attract many spectators.

EYE DESTROYED.—A son of Mr. Jordan, about ten years old, of South Union township, Fayette county, met with a painful accident on Wednesday, by stepping upon a scythe snath, causing the scythe to fly up, the point of which struck him in the eye, completely destroying it.

FIRE.—The dwelling house of Mr. John A. Jones, between Ebensburg and Jefferson, was destroyed by fire one day last week. The fire was communicated to the roof by a stove pipe which passed through it. All the furniture in the house was saved. Loss about three hundred dollars.

THERE will be some lithographic views of Pittsburgh, sold at Davis & Co.'s, Book store, this evening.

WESTERN THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.—The new building for the accomodation of students attending this institution, capable of lodging eighty, and supplied with everything necessary to comfort, has been put in order for their reception, and the next session of the seminary will commence September 12th.

A PAIR of oxen attached to a stone wagon, and driven by a man named Maple, fell over a declivity some thirty feet in height, in Washington county, the other day, yet, strange to say, neither were injured.

THE jail is full of "drunks, vags and disorderlies." In these dull times constables must make fees, and there being no other business for them, they make them out of such cases. The commitments reach twenty daily.

INJURED.—Mr. J. K. Hamlin, of West Greenville, Mercer county, was dangerously, if not fatally, injured the other day from being thrown from a wagon in which he was riding.

NEATNESS of fit and care of manufacturing are the characteristics of the clothing for men and boys, made by J. L. Caraghan & Co., Federal street, Allegheny.

A LAD named John Fenis, nine or ten years old, residing in the Seventh Ward, fell from a tree, on Thursday afternoon, having climbed up after a birds nest, and broke his arm.

SENORITA MARIA, a petite Spanish dancuse, only eight years old, has arrived in the city, and will appear at the Pittsburgh Theatre on next Saturday night.

THE following letter indicates the reputation of Duff's Book-keeping, among eastern business men:

* * * I readily concur in all that is said of this work by other competent judges. No writer upon Book-keeping has had the advantage of such an extensive and varied experience in business. I have known him personally, for upwards of twenty years: a greater part of that time as an extensive American and European merchant, as an extensive ship owner, and as a bank director, &c., and in all these departments he has borne the reputation of the highest order of business talents. Everything said or written by such a person, on the subject of business, is of interest, not only to young men designed for business, but for those already engaged in it. It is also due to Mr. Duff, to state, that he is universally esteemed by all who have known him as a merchant, for his integrity, and his upright, honorable dealings."

JOHN W. BURNHAM,
Merchant, No. 8 South Street, N. Y.
To Messrs. Harper & Brothers, New York.

MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING of every variety of style and material, manufactured expressly for us, and decidedly the best stock ever offered in this market. Gentlemen and parents will find it to their interest to call at our establishment, corner of Federal street and the Diamond, Allegheny city, before purchasing elsewhere. A strict adherence to our system of large sales and small profits has given the name of W. H. M'Gee & Co., an enviable pre-eminence which no competion has hitherto disturbed.

GEORGE W. SMITH,
BREWER, MALTSTER, AND HOP DEALER.
Pitt Street, Pittsburgh.

HAVING COMMENCED BREWING for the season, I am now prepared to furnish customers with a

SUPERIOR ARTICLE OF FRESH ALE.

In addition to my regular brand, I am manufacturing a very FINE FLAVORED BITTER ALE, put up in small packages expressly for family use.

This article is not only a delightful beverage, but is highly recommended by the medical faculty for invalids, where a mild, nourishing tonic is required. I have also on hand a

WHEELING BOTTLED ALES,

Constantly on hand, consisting of KENNETT BITTER AND CHAMPAGNE, PORTER AND BROWN STOUT (Packages sent to any part of the city. aug18-m

METHUSALEH lived to be upwards of nine hundred years old, but seventy years is now the age of man, and in order to reach even this age, it is requisite to guard well the health. Slight ailments, if neglected, lead to serious diseases. Immediate relief is afforded in cases of Sick Headache, which is frequently the forerunner of severe illness, by the use of WILSON'S PILLS, which are prepared and sold by R. L. FAHNESTOCK & CO., Wholesale Druggists, and proprietors of R. L. FAHNESTOCK'S VERMIFUGE, No. 60 Wood street, Pittsburgh. Sold at retail by druggists everywhere.

HEATING BY STEAM.—As a testimonial of the workmanlike manner, perfect action of their self-regulating machine, safety, economy in fuel, and the little attention necessary to keep such room comfortable, we give this certificate to Messrs. Dare and Phillips, successors to Phillips & Co., for their plan of heating by steam the Second Ward Public School in the city of Pittsburgh, and which has now put out against, and would recommend them to the public to give entire satisfaction of heating by steam.

R. Mills, Jas. Marshall, Jr., M. Tindle, George Wilson, John Wilson, L. Wilcox, Directors.

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Steam Heating, Gas Fitting, Plumbing and Brass Founders, Dealers in every description of Gas Fixtures and Stoves.
No. 67 Wood and 148 First street, Pittsburgh.
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MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.—This Institution, the want of which has been so long felt by our citizens, is now open, under the superintendence of Messrs. Jackman & Johnson, in the Lafayette Building, Entrance 65 Wood street. It is designed for the perpetual exhibition of the products of Mechanics, Manufacturers, Inventors, and Artisans, and as a place of resort for those seeking information relative to those branches of industry, either by examination of samples or scientific publications. Those having articles to bring before the public will find it greatly to their advantage to have samples.

☞ The public are respectfully invited to visit the institute.

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THE ONLY EFFECTUAL REMEDY FOR EXPELLING MOSQUITOES FROM BED CHAMBERS, &c.

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CHARLES H. SUPER,
Corner Penn and St. Clair Streets.
aug20

☞ AMONG THE MANY REMEDIES BEFORE the public for the cure of Dyspepsia, Lyspepsia, Flatulence, Constipation, Liver Complaint, or any other disease arising from weakness in the head or stomach, Dr. J. HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS are far the most certain in its effects. You, who are suffering the most torturing pains, remember that a few bottles of this powerful, yet pleasant compound will afford great relief. Thousands of the most trying cases have been cured, and made known to the public by those who have experienced its power. A trial is all that is desired to bring as many more witnesses into the field as the public may desire.

Sold by druggists and dealers generally, everywhere
HOSTETTER & SMITH,
Manufacturers and Proprietors,
No. 58 Water, and 58 Front streets
aug22

☞ NO MORE BALDNESS OR GRAY HAIR.—Jules Hauel's Eau Athenienne, or Hair Invigorator is an unfailing restorer of the Hair and Sight. It tranforms gray or impaired hair into the most beautiful imaginable.

Sold by B. L. FAHNESTOCK & CO., No. 60, corner of Wood and Fourth streets, Druggists generally, and at the Laboratory of Jules Hauel & Co., No. 704 Chestnut street, Philadelphia. aug24:dAw

SOAP.—100 boxes Buffalo Soap for sale by
jes HENRY B. COLLINS.

THE LATEST NEWS
BY TELEGRAPH.

Arrival of the Steamship Etna.

ARMISTICE PROLONGED.

TROUBLE IN THE ITALIAN DUCHIES.

PARLIAMENT PROROGUED.

&c., &c., &c., &c.

BOSTON, August 26.—The steamship Etna arrived last night, with Liverpool dates to the night of the 12th instant, having sailed twelve hours after the America.

The Zurich Conference has resolved to prolong the armistice until the ratification of the treaty of peace.

It is reported that the foreign Ambassadors in France would refuse to attend the Paris *fêtes* if the colors taken from the enemy were allowed to be carried in the procession.

The Bank of France had gained 57,500,000 francs in specie during the month of July. Three per cent. rentes on the Paris Bourse had declined to 69f. 25c.

A vague rumor prevails that Prince Napoleon was to be made Sovereign of Tuscany.

The King of Prussia was not expected to live much longer.

The collision between the Austrian and Prussian soldiers, at Frankfort, was serious, but it is believed that no lives were lost.

Spain has resolved to increase the fortifications of Cuba.

The British Parliament was prorogued on the 12th inst., the day the Etna sailed.

C. Lennox Wyke has been appointed by her Majesty as Envoy Extraordinary to Central America.

The Atlantic Telegraph shares are quoted at £20.

The Paris correspondent of the London *Press* says that the Emperor is about to publish a political amnesty, including Changarnier, Louis Blanc and Ledru Rollin.

Advices from Italy indicate serious trouble in the Dukedoms. Secret emissaries of the fugitive Princes were fomenting discord. The people, generally, were bitterly opposed to the return of the Dukes, and Farini, the Dictator of Bologna, threatens to level the city to the ground sooner than see the Dukes restored by force.

GREAT BRITAIN.—The Parliament was prorogued on the 12th. The Lord Chancellor read the Queen's speech. She regrets that the interruptions during the session have prevented many important measures from being carried out, and hopes for their early consideration at the next session. The war in Italy having been concluded, England had been invited to take part in the conference of the Great Powers, should one be held, but the war not sufficient information on the subject to admit of a definite reply. She would rejoice at being able to contribute to arrangements to serve a lasting peace. She hopes that the direct communication with Pekin will prove beneficial. She hopes for a continuation of the existing amicable relations with all Powers, and rejoices at the complete suppression of the Indian rebellion. She promises her serious attention to the internal improvement of India. She chiefly assented to the bill providing for the naval and military reserve, and regard permanent national defence as of paramount importance. The remainder of the speech is congratulatory of the prosperity of the nation. The speech was delivered Duke Cambridge, as Queen's representative, Prince Napoleon being present. It was what is called led for their good, and was added to, that they have a right to expect from the Government to the speedy passage of the present diversity. With regard to the question as to who is to take the place of that dynasty, the Paris correspondent of the London *News* reports that the principal candidates are the Count de Chambord, the Duchess of Parma and the nephew of Victor Emanuel, the Prince of Carignan. To be followed by other marriages destined to cement the union between the houses of Savoy and Bourbon—of Parma, and at the same time prevent the union of Italian unity under Sardinian supremacy.

In the Duchy of Modena everything seems in favor of union with Piedmont. The people run in crowds to see the debonnaire Francis V. The Duke, it is added, is in the favorite of Beauty, who he wonders about in disguise and secret, to warm the cold of his partizans.

It is further stated that the Modenese and Parmesans have been invited to a monster banquet, to be held at Piacenza, if the proposed Congress can be induced to agree upon three points, viz: First, the dedemnification of the former dynasties, second, the annexation to Piedmont, third, confederation with Tuscany and Romagna, to secure common political and military safety.

The military roots at Mayenne have been followed by others of a more serious nature in the neighborhood of the city of Frankfort, the seat of the German Federal Diet, where fighting in the streets with side arms take place daily. The scandalous affair between members on one side, and the Austrian, Bavarian and Frankfort troops on the other.

The news from Italy, in the papers received by the arrival of the Etna, is contradictory. The Liverpool *Post* gives the following resume: The rumors published yesterday, that the Red Republicans had obtained an advantage over the friends of order in Parma, and that the Piedmontese had been driven from that city is confirmed, partially by news received from Austrian official sources. On the other hand, we learn that Count Reiset, the French Emperor's special envoy to Central Italy, had at Parma, had hand-bills thrown into the city, expressing the wish for annexation to the Sardinian Provisional Government.

The Daily *News* says that the strike among the men belonging to the Building Association was not likely to last long.

The *Herald* has reason to believe that the Grand Duke Constantine, on leaving Lyde, will pay a visit to the Emperor Napoleon at Biarritz.

The doings of Parliament on the 12th was of little interest.

LONDON, Friday evening.—The *Times* city article says securities have gradually become weaker during the last forty-eight hours. The knowledge that the Indian and Russian loans would be forthwith introduced, contributed to the heaviness, though not to so large an extent as was anticipated. The effect was nevertheless prejudicial and apparent in every one of the departments. A similar influence is at work on the other side of the channel, and while politics may have something to do with the current of business, capitalists at the same time cannot be unmindful of the result of a steady absorption, which is indicated by these operations. The decline in consols was nearly one fourth per cent, and although during the day a slight rally ensued, it was not maintained particularly when it was found that an additional fall had taken place in the French rentes. The positive range in quotations was from 95c to 95, 11g; the mint price was 95f to 95f with fresh symptoms of dullness in the more advanced hours.

There is discontent in Italy and disunion in Germany, and the opinion is gaining strength that there are serious obstacles to the establishment of the proposed Italian Confederation.

The St. Petersburg *Gazette*, on this last point, asks: How can absolute Austria, democratic Rome, constitutional Piedmont, and the two Sicilies, Parma, Tuscany and Modena, be amalgamated? What measures can be adopted for the uniform development of the moral and productive forces of the nation? How can unity be established, and discord prevented? Must Piedmont make a sacrifice of her liberal innovation to Rome or Vienna? or must the contrary take place? These grave question, it adds, can only be decided by a Congress.

FRANCE.—The news from Paris is pacific in its tone. The Emperor has resolved to inaugurate a real and solid peace policy, and with this view proposes to reduce the import duty on certain raw materials, including coal and iron and to promote railway works, and otherwise to give life and vigor to trade and commerce.

The Constantinople papers announce that he last earthquake completely demolished the town of Erzeroum, and even demolished the ramparts.

The Etna brought no regular files of the English journals, but a few miscellaneous papers were found on board and forwarded to the agent of the New York Associated Press.

LONDON, Saturday.—Last evening after the stock exchange, the prospectus of the Russian loan, of twelve millions sterling, at three per cent., was issued. The applications for this loan from the continent, are anticipated to be very numerous. The Indian loan of five millions, is to be raised to five per cent. stock.

The war department has decided upon giving the East India troops, now in England, the option of claiming their discharge, or transferring their service to Her Majesty's service.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, August 25.—Sixteen candidates have recently passed a satisfactory examination, and will be warranted as third assistant engineers. The unusually large number of steamers added to the navy during the past year renders the increase of such officers necessary.

No definite action has yet been taken in the case of Quartermaster Cross, as recently investigated by a court martial. The delay is owing to the absence from Washington of the Secretary of War.

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Mr. Greenwood, has received a despatch announcing the arrival at Leavenworth, of the children who were spared at Mountain Meadow massacre. They will be taken to Carrollton, Arkansas, near the point from which they were connected, and will there be restored to their friends.

The Assistant Secretary of the State is absent in Maine.

Preparations for the United States Agricultural Fair.

CHICAGO, August 26.—The preparations making for the fair of the United States Agricultural society, to be held in this city on September 12th, are rapidly approaching completion. The railroads centering here have made arrangements to carry stock articles to the exhibition free, and visitors for half price. The superintendent is in daily receipt of letters from all parts of the country, containing applications for rooms. The prospects for a successful fair, are very flattering.

Editor Assaulted.

BALTIMORE, August 26.—Henry M. Fitzhugh, one of the proprietors of the *Daily Exchange*, was assaulted this afternoon in an omnibus, by a notorious rowdy, named Paul Plaisted. Mr. Fitzhugh drew a revolver, and fired three balls, which took effect in the hand and arm of the assailant. The affair produced considerable excitement.

Another Balloon Ascension.

OSWEGO, N. Y., August 26.—Prof. Steiner ascended in the balloon Europa from Toronto, Canada, yesterday afternoon, and landed eight miles south of this city last evening, having come over Lake Ontario.

From the National Intelligencer.

THE LAST BULLET.

AN INCIDENT OF COMMODORE STEWART'S ALGERINE EXPERIENCE.

The United States ship-of-war Constellation was anchored in the harbor of Algiers, whither he had proceeded under command of Commodore Preble, having on board, among other officers, Charles Stewart, then an acting Lieutenant.

It was the watch of young Stewart, and he was pacing to and fro on the deck, about half an hour after sunset, when he saw a small boat containing a single person, coming off from the Old Port, as the western part of the town is called, and heading directly for the ship.

This person was rowing with an air might, and Stewart was not long in discovering the cause. Close behind the single boatman was a man-of-war filled with men, whose presence was announced by a continued firing at him at whom they were in such determined pursuit, holding on their way until they were under the very guns of the ship.

"Now, by my soul!" cried Stewart, "may I be shot if I don't teach those fellows a lesson." Stand by, Mr Fenwick," he added, addressing a favorite gunner, "to throw a little grape in to that fellow."

An instant later a wreath of smoke curled up from the side of the ship, and as the report went booming over the water the iron messenger sped on its way, crashing into the pursuing boat, severely wounding two or three of her crew. She instantly turned to put back, at the same time that the fugitive reached his destination and came up the side into the presence of the officer of the deck. He was an older, more seasoned man than Stewart, and with this he had brought her and her father as slaves.

"My agony at these circumstances culminated not two hours ago," finished the father, "when I struck the persecutor insensible to my feet and fled. By dint of exertion I managed to reach the water side, and embarked before the pursuers could prevent it. But though I have succeeded in reaching this place of safety, my poor Alice is still in the power of her tormentor, exposed to his vengeance; and I am almost crazy at thinking that she may even now be subjected to a fate worse than death. If I could only guide a boat's crew under your orders."

"One moment," interrupted Stewart. "Stay where you are until I have seen Commodore Preble."

One moment the young Lieutenant was engaged with his commander in the cabin, and then he came forth with a stern smile of satisfaction on his features. Ten minutes more had not passed before a cutter with twelve chosen men pushed off in the darkness, with the Lieutenant and the stranger in the stern, and rapidly struck out for the shore.

"Our owner," said Mr. Collins, "resides in the western part of the city. There is a coast guard established, but I do not apprehend that we shall have any special trouble from that source. I think we can land below, go up the streets to the house, and carry off my child, and all without losing a man."

The boat landed, after twenty minutes of rapid progress, at a small wharf near the Gelata, in the western part of the town. The arrival was certainly observed, but not a great deal of attention was bestowed upon it by the stupid Algerines. Leaving part of his men in the cutter with orders to lie down under the wharf, Lieut. Stewart and the remainder of his force followed the footsteps of Mr. Collins, who led the way rapidly up the intervening streets.

On arriving at his late prison, an old, dingy looking structure, extremely spacious, having all the loosenes of the Moorish style, the party discovered that silence and darkness were the principal features of the scene. Not a sound was heard nor a word uttered. The whole building seemed deserted. The agony of the father was extreme.

"O, my child, my child!" he cried, no longer able to control the terrible emotions which had been surging through his soul during the last hour, "shall I never see thee more?"

A Moorish slave came around from the rear of the building, and assured his fellow captive that the girl had been carried off by the master, and that no one was at home save himself. But even as the lying rascal uttered the concluding words a wild shriek was heard in the chamber, and the next moment a young and beautiful girl of seventeen summers appeared at one of the front windows, looking like a spectre in her garments of spotless white.

"My child, my Alice!" exclaimed Mr. Collins.

"Save me, father!" was the response; and while shouts and groans proceeded from the interior of the building the maiden threw herself from the low window, falling into the very arms of her father and Lieutenant Stewart.

The very moment of this reunion was destined to be that in which a company of Algerine troops came round the nearest corner, marching up the street in the direction of Lieut. Stewart and his men. It was also at the same moment that the old Moor, who had so long considered himself the proprietor of Mr. Collins and his daughter, came to the window and set up a startling yell.

"This way!" cried Mr. Collins, and he dashed open the front door of the building, and conducted the entire party within. "Look to your weapons, and take the rascals off their pins the instant they halt!" said Stewart.

A sharp and determined struggle soon commenced, in the course of which half the Moorish soldiers were killed, and the remainder finally gave way. But the rescuers had expended all their amunition, and only a single bullet was remaining: that was in a large horse pistol, in the hands of Lieutenant Stewart. He was just wondering what he should do with it, when the old Moore came down stairs with a huge sabre in his grasp, and made a furious dash at Mr. Collins and his daughter, with murder written on his features and flashing from his eyes.—This suddden arrival decided the destination of the last bullet.

"Take it, you black devil!" said Stewart, just as the blow was descending, and he fired his weapon, the ball passing through the miscreant's head, and bringing him dead to the floor.

"Now, boys," added Lieutenant Stewart, "we are going to finish with a hand to hand fight. The powder and ball are out; we must trust to the sword."

Closely followed by his men, as well as by Collins and Alice, the Lieutenant led the way towards the boat. It seemed as if Algiers had turned out to witness the triumphal retreat, the streets being filled with thousands of men and women, collected together by the brief contest at the Moor's house, but not an attempt was made to intercept the progress of the party, the Algerines contenting themselves with scowls and denunciations. Ten minutes later and the rescuers were at the cutter, twenty minutes more and the entire party were safely back to the Constellation, not having lost a man. The young Lieutenant received the hearty thanks of his superior, to say nothing of the gratitude of Mr. Collins and his daughter, whose family proved to be of consequence in New York; and we can add that Charley Stewart was never happier in his life than when Miss Alice was united to one of his "chums," a noble hearted Lieutenant, now a commodore who fell in love with the rescued maiden, during the Constellation's howeward passage.

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PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

Reported Expressly for the Daily Morning Post.

PITTSBURGH, August 26, 1859.

Flour...Sales 350 bbls, all from store, at $5.00 for superfine, $5.20@5.50 for extra do., and $5.50@5.62 for extra family, from brands $4.75@5.00.

Grain...Sales 100 bush. Kentucky White Wheat at $1.35; 200 bush. Corn, from store, at 92@95c.; 260 bush. oats at 45c. from store.

Hay...Sales from scales of 8 loads at $13@16 ⅌ ton.

Rags...Sales 3 tons mixed at 2½c. ⅌ lb.

Bacon...Sales 2000 lbs. Shoulders at 7¾c.; 1000 lbs. sides at 9½c.; 2000 lbs. hams at 10½c.; 2000 lbs. sugar cured hams at 12½c.

Dried Beef...Sales 2000 lbs. canvased at 13½c.

Corn Meal...Sales 12 bbls. at $4.25 ⅌ bbl.

Sugar...Sales 15 hdds. New Orleans, N. O. at 7¾@8c. ⅌ lb.

Molasses...Sales 32 bbls. N. O. at 40@41c. ⅌ gal.

Coffee...Sales 25 sacks Rio at 12½@12¾c.

Cheese...Sales 41 boxes W. R. at 8@8¼c.

Salt...Sales 65 bbls. No. 1 at $1.25.

Lime...Sales 15 bbls. Louisville at $1.25

Whisky...Sales 18 bbls Rectified at 28@29c. ⅌ gal

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, August 26.—The inspections of Flour during the past week amount to only 8595 bbls, against 9[illegible] bbls last week; sales 800 bbls at $5.12½@5.25 for superfine, and $5.50 for Brandywine. There is no change in the Flour or Corn Meal. Wheat is unchanged; good Red sold at $1.37@1.40, and white at $1.38. Rye is in demand; sales new Pennsylvania at 72c. Corn is in good request; sales new bush yellow at 82c for prime, and 80c for damaged, and a lot of white at 78½c. Oats are not so abundant, new Southern are worth 36@38c, and old Pennsylvania 32@33c. Whisky scarce; sales at 27@28c.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, August 26.—Cotton heavy; sales 1200 bales; middling uplands 11¾. Flour firm; sales 12