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For March and April.

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STABBING AFFRAY AND HIGHWAY ROBBERY IN WEST PITTSBURGH.—On Wednesday evening a man named Martin Kelly, employed at the Clinton rolling mill, and boarding with his brother, Michael Kelly, in West Pittsburgh, was seriously stabbed in two places by two men, who attacked him while he was walking along the road in the borough, about seven o'clock. He made his way to his brother's house, bleeding profusely, and stated the names of his assailants to be Dennis M'Quade and Thomas Joyce, the former stabbing him in the arm and the latter in the breast, and that after thus treating him they took fifteen dollars from his pocket. Dr. Smith, of Temperanceville, was summoned to attend him, and found a wound on his breast about four inches in length, the knife having glanced off on the bone, and another ab ut three inches in length on the left arm, extending to the bone. The brother of the injured man came to the city about eleven o'clock Wednesday night, and communicating the facts as above given to Capt. Spence of the Night Police, steps were immediately taken to secure the arrest of Joyce and M'Quade, which was effected about midnight. They were locked up for a hearing yesterday morning, when M'Quade stated that Kelly owed him money for ferriage, and meeting him on the road he asked him to pay up; that Kelly refused to pay, and a difficulty ensued, during which Kelly struck him in the face. He had blood on a shirt bosom, but he denied the cutting, and alleged that the blood ran from his nose after Kelly struck him. Joyce also denied having used a knife, and alleged that Kelly must have done the cutting. The injured man, however, swears that both defendants stabbed him. Another version of the affair is, that it had its origin in a family feud, Joyce and Kelly being brothers in law, and quarrels being frequent between them.

Mayor Wilson visited Kelly yesterday morning and took his deposition. He was confined to bed, but the prospects of his recovery were good.

Neither of the accused, who are both men of family, have followed any regular occupation. Joyce was once before him charged with biting a man's lip off in a fight. Kelly is a married man, but his family is not here.

The Mercy Hospital.

The annual Report of the Mercy Hospital has been published. We give the principal statement:

Receipts of Mercy Hospital, from January 14, 1860 to January 14, 1861.

RECEIVED	
From Pay patients	$1,621 76
" Fair, Lecture and Card Collections	2,761 75
" Donations	54 11
" Poor Box	4 41
Borrowed from Rev J. Tracy	105 00
" " St Xavier's Convent	50 00
	$4,578 03

EXPENDED	
For market, flour, groceries, milk, butter, dry goods, wages, furniture, repairs, lumber, medicines, burials, soap, candles, oil, gas, coal, and ice for season	$3,899 54
Paid on Debts	428 50
Water Tax	16 00
Paring	25 00
Insurance	60 00
Cleaning Sewers	40 00
Printing Report and Advertising	52 62
Cash on hand	56 24
	$4,578 03

DEBTS TO PAY.	
Amount for groceries, flour, medicine, dry goods, carpet, candles, wages, tax for grading street, plumbing dell, frames chaplain, and borrowed money	$953 84

The total number of patients during the year 1860 was 242.

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS.—Before Judges McClure, Adams and Parke.

THURSDAY, March 28th, 1861.

Christian Baker previously ordered to pay the costs in an action for surety of the peace, brought by his wife, was held in $100 to keep the peace for a year.

John Mooney plead guilty to assault and battery on Barbara Milbaugh and was fined $5 and costs.

Wm. Sanders was tried for larceny and acquitted.

Wm. Bluff plead guilty to assault and battery on D. H. Patterson and was fined $5 and costs. This was one of those trifling boy-cases which should never occupy the time of the Court, and we wonder that attorney's will bring suits in cases of so little importance.

James Duffy, indicted for stealing the pocket book of J. G. Price, of Washington county, was tried and acquitted.

The case of Commonwealth vs. K King, convicted and awarded a new trial at last term, for assault and battery, occupied the remainder of the day. The testimony did not materially differ from that in the first trial. The case will go to the jury this morning, after the address of C. McClure Hays, Esq., prosecuting counsel and the charge of the Court.

CASUALTIES ABROAD.—Mrs. Kelly, a widow lady, living between Youngstown and Brier Hill, got on a hand car on the Cleveland and Mahoning Railroad last Friday, to go to Girard. In getting off the car her shawl was thrown upon the track, the car running over her, inflicting injuries which caused her death in a few hours. A son of the deceased, a young man of about twenty one years, was run over and killed by the same car about two years ago.

On Monday afternoon, a daughter of John Bayer, of Youngstown, about five years of age, coming in too close contact with the stove, her clothes caught fire, and she was so severely burned that she died soon after.

Michael Roller, living near Washingtonville, Columbiana county, Ohio, died very suddenly last week. It appears that Mr. Roller had been to the barn to turn out the cows, and on returning to the house, fell, and was found dead about midway between the house and barn.

BURNING SPRING.—A burning spring bearing a strong resemblance to the well known one on the Rathbeth farm, on the banks of the Kanawha, in Virginia, has been discovered at the junction of the Blacklick and Two Lick creeks, about five miles north of this place. The discovery was the result of an accident: a party of gentlemen being engaged in felling, dropped a torch into the water, when the oil upon the surface took fire and spread in all directions. The ground in the vicinity is low and wet. We understand a company has leased the premises and will commence boring immediately.—*Blairsville Record.*

PROGRESSING.—The engineers of the Atlantic and Great Western Railroad commenced operations last week between Meadville and the Ohio line. The work from the junction with the Sunbury and Erie road and on the western end will be commenced at the same time. The survey for a branch road from Meadville to Franklin, about 30 miles, is to be commenced forthwith. It is also understood to be the purpose of the Pittsburg and Erie road to build a branch to Franklin.

A FACT.—All persons are good for advertising and particularly now. The dull times are as good as any for the advertiser, for what is going on they get, and while others are grumbling they pay their way, and, with a newspaper as a life preserver, swim on the top of the waters, while others around them are singing Advertising is the sunshine of business. A man makes but little out of this world unless he lets people know he is in it.

THE Geo. Thompson, a tow boat which leaves to-day, is laden with over eight hundred empty oil barrels, for the Economite wells at Tidioute.

THE PARTICULARS.—Yesterday we stated briefly that an employee of the Pittsburgh & Cleveland Railroad Company was killed, on Wednesday evening, in Manchester. His name, as we have since learned, was Michael Delaney, a young man of about twenty-five, single, and residing on Lacust street, Manchester. He was brakeman on a freight train, and being at the outer depot, below Manchester, about half-past seven o'clock in the evening, stepped out upon the track, just as a train was backing toward the city. Not seeing the train, owing to the absence of a light on the rear car, he was run over and crushed to death, the cars being thrown from the track. Delaney died before Dr Gronard, who was immediately called, arrived. One leg was broken and there were serious internal injuries. The body of deceased was conveyed to the residence of his aged father and mother, (whose only child and support he was,) where Coroner Bostwick, yesterday, held an inquest, the jury finding a verdict as follows: "We find that the deceased came to his death on Wednesday evening, March 27th, about seven o'clock, by being run over by a train of cars on the Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad, at the locomotive house below Manchester, and the jury find the said cause of death was accidental. The jury also recommend the immediate passage, by the authorities of the borough of Manchester, of an ordinance prohibiting the running of trains through the borough without suitable bell and lighted light on the rear car, or that forward in backing."

PRESENTATION.—A very agreeable incident transpired at the Motongahela House on Wednesday evening. A number of alice stopping there, from Valparaiso, Fort Wayne and Bucyrus, having procured a valuable gold headed cane, which they intended as a present for Judge Hanna, Vice-President of the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad, assembled in the parlor, and sent an invitation to the Judge that his presence was required there. Mr. H soon appeared, and was met on his entrance by two young ladies, delegated for the purpose, who presented him with the cane, and a note setting forth from whom it came, and the fact that it was intended by the doners as a mark of their respect for his virtues both in public and private life. The Judge made a neat reply, in which he thanked his fair friends for their beautiful present, remarking that it was the more deeply appreciated as he knew that it was the gift of affectionate hearts. He prized it highly, and would ever look upon the occasion of its presentation as one of the brightest spots in his chequered life.

A FOUNDERING.—On Wednesday evening, about nine o'clock, Mr J. J. Vanton was walking along Penn street, with his son, when he saw, on the steps of a house between Hand and Wayne st., a child, wrapped up in a blanket shawl. He rapped at the door and rank the bell, but, receiving no answer, took the child, with a bundle lying beside it, to the Mayor's office, where the young man's waif was ascertained to be a boy three or four days old. The bundle contained a supply of clothing, which as well as that upon the child, was made of fine materials. Of course all speculation as to the heartless mother who left her child to the care of strangers (though perhaps compelled to do so by circumstances) was fruitless and the child was given in charge to Mrs Brown, of Diamond alley, where it remained last evening. He is a fine, likely boy and some childless couple should adopt him.

THE PARKESBURG SHOPS.—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company is now engaged taking down the machinery in the shops at Parkesburg, preparatory to removal to Harrisburg. The ground on which the shops are erected was originally presented to the State by George Parke, to hold as long as it should be occupied for the repair of locomotives, &c., and when abandoned for such purpose, to revert to the original owner or his heirs. When the State sold the railroad to the Pennsylvania Company, the shops passed into their hands. Since the contemplated abandonment of the shops, the question as to the ownership of the machinery therein has arisen. The heirs maintain that the machinery reverts to the estate with the ground and buildings. The machinery is valued at some $15,000 or $20,000.

BENEFIT OF MISS SUSAN DENIN.—This lady, who has been playing at the Theatre to good houses during the week, takes a benefit this evening, when a good bill is presented. It includes a new version, by Charles M Barras, of the "Woman in White," in which Susan plays Laura Fairlie, the "Virginia Mummy," with Harry Hunegerford as Ginger Blue, and the farce of "One Touch that never saw a Women." Miss Denin taking the part of Colin. This is an attractive bill, and as the fair beneficiary is a great favorite here we expect to see the house full. Saturday night will be the last opportunity of seeing Miss Denin this season.

A TOUGH CUSTOMER.—Last evening four of the Mayor's Police were sent to take into custody John Gordon, residing with his mother, on Athens street. He is insane and is to be sent to the Western Pennsylvania Hospital on a permit from the Guardians of the poor. Two of the officers had a severe struggle before they mastered him, and they would scarcely have succeeded then but for the appearance of the other two, who entered the house another way. While Gordon was being handcuffed he gave one of the officers who first seized him a severe kick in the stomach. He was finally overpowered and sent to the hospital.

SECESSION.—Go where you will, promenade the streets in any direction, and you will find the people seceding from their domicils. Whether this is in consequence of the high rents and tyrannical landlords, or for fashion's sake, we know not. But one thing is certain, if some of the capitalists of this city would erect a number of small tenements, and rent them out at a reasonable price, they would reap the benefit.

TRUSTEE APPOINTED.—In the District Court, before Judge Williams, in the matter of the petition of the Pittsburg, New Castle and Cleveland Railroad Company, for the appointment of a Trustee, in place of J. Edgar Thompson, resigned, the documents were filed and John M. Tiernan appointed to the vacancy.

DISTRICT COURT.—Before Judge Williams. The case of Elizabeth Anderson vs. the Borough of Birmingham is not yet concluded.—It is an action to recover the value of a piece of ground on the river margin, purchased by the plaintiff, and appropriated by the Borough for the purposes of a street and landing.

THE Rev. Dr. Keogh will deliver a lecture in St. Patrick's Church, on Easter Sunday evening, at seven o'clock. The subject will be, Catholic Doctrines on Revolution. Tickets, 25 cents, the proceeds to be devoted to the benefit of the parochial schools attached to the church. Tickets for sale at George Quigly's.

RECOVERED.—The two rifles and a pair of canaries, stolen from the house of John Holmes, during the fire in Allegheny, Tuesday evening, were found yesterday by the police at a house in the Fourth Ward of that city. As the articles were given up at once, Mr. H. will not prosecute.

A COMPANY, called the Excelsior No. 2, organized about two weeks since, composed chiefly of farmers and others of the vicinity, have commenced boring for oil on Butcher's Run, two miles from Allegheny city. They bore by steam power furnished from an engine at Flacker's rope walk.

THE U. P. SEMINARY, ALLEGHENY.—The United Presbyterian Seminary, of Allegheny, at the close of its last session, certified over twenty young men to their Presbyteries, as ready for license. The two following classes are as large, and made up of young men of much promise.

SENTENCED.—Young Cross and Stephens, convicted of robbing the store of Lauffman & Brothers, on Wood street, have been sentenced to three years each in the penitentiary, and were lodged in that institution by jailor Small, yesterday afternoon.

A committee of the Trustees and Alumni of Jefferson College publish an appeal urging an increase of the endowment. They represent that the income ($8,000) arising from the present endowment fund ($60,000) is altogether inadequate to the support of such an institution.

A SALE of carpets will take place at the Auction House of W. G. McCartney, corner Wood street and Virgin alley, this afternoon at two o'clock.

THE Mechanic's Friend is the name of a first rate article of soap for shaving, the toilet, and removing grease, sold in the alley adjoining our office.

INFANTICIDE.—Catharine Allhouse was committed to the Beaver county jail on Friday last, by Justice Bimber, of New Swickley township, on a charge of infanticide.

FOR KANSAS.—Mayor Wilson, yesterday received a contribution of $10 from the Redstone Encampment I. O. O. F., Brownsville.

MANIA.—A German who was confined in the watch house last evening, under the influence of mania potu, raved terribly for a time.

MARKET STREET, between Fifth and Liberty, is in a sad condition and requires to be paved at once.

WE hear it named that Unsworth's Minstrels are to play at Concert Hall next week.

Samuel S. Snowden has been appointed Post master at Brownsville.

TRADE SALE OF Queensware at W. G. McCartney's Auction Room, 145 Wood street, this day at 10 o'clock.

DRS. STEBBINS & MUNSON, dentists, have formed a partnership and opened an office at 105 Fifth street, second door below the Cathedral. See card.

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THE LATEST NEWS.

BY TELEGRAPH.

Senate Proceedings.

Washington City Items.

Virginia Convention.

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

NEW YORK, March 28.—The steamship City of Baltimore arrived at half-past seven o'clock this morning, with Liverpool papers to the 13th inst., and telegraphic advices via Queenstown to the 14th.

The Parliamentary proceedings had been unimportant.

The new steamer Hibernia, of the Gatway line, had made a successful trial trip, and was advertised to sail for New York, on her first trip, on the 20th inst.

The French Corps Legislatif was engaged in debating the address to the Emperor. The main topic was the Italian policy, which several members strongly denounced, asserting that the English policy had proved victorious in Italy. One member warned the government against its suicidal policy, and predicted that internal dangers were ahead. The Ministers protested against his speech, and defended the Emperor's course.

Another conference was held on the Syrian question on the 11th inst., and an agreement was soon expected. The French papers publish despatches announcing that the Mussulmans had assumed a threatening attitude toward the Christians.

It was rumored that Francis the Second had ordered General Fergola to surrender Messina, and another report says that the garrison will be compelled to surrender.

Count Cavour had presented the project of a law proclaiming the kingdom of Italy to the lower branch of the Italian Parliament.

It is denied that Sardinia is negotiating at Rome.

Affairs continued quiet at Warsaw, but it is asserted that the excitement, though unruffled, was increasing. Russian troops continued to arrive.

Differences have occurred between Sir H. Bulwer and the American Minister in Turkey, Bulwer having declined to attend the reception on Washington's birth-day.

TURIN, March 14.—The citadel of Messina surrendered to the Sardinian troops to day.

BERLIN, March 14.—The Sardinian Government lodged a complaint with the Federal Council against Bishop Morrely, on account of his pastoral letter having contained remarks disrespectful to Victor Emanuel. The Government of the Canton of Fribourg, before whom the complaint was presented as the only competent tribunal rejected it.

LIVERPOOL, March 14—Advices from Shanghai have been received to the 14th of January. Pekin was quiet. The troops at Teinsin were healthy, and the treaty was working satisfactorily.

Affairs at Japan are peaceful. The Canton dates are to the 1st of February. Lord Elgin had left. The American ship Hesperus has been burned. Trade was depressed.

SINGAPORE, Feb. 12.—The Java cable has been laid.

The French troops have been victorious at Saigon. The French transport Weser has been wrecked.

New Zealand advices to the 14th of January, state that the war continues with the same advantage to the troops.

MELBOURNE, Jan. 26.—The ships Result, Alliance, Lightning and Southampton, have sailed, with over 11,000 ounces of gold.

CALCUTTA, February 5th.—The famine still continues in the Northwest provinces.

WARSAW, March 13th.—A separate Council of State has been granted by the Emperor to the Kingdom of Poland. Zymoisky has been appointed President.

PARIS, March 14.—The *Pays* denies that Prince Napoleon is about to visit Italy.

The debate on the address to the Emperor was continued today in the corps legislative. M. Keller criticised the policy of the Government, and demanded that it should state what policy it would pursue in the future.

WASHINGTON CITY, March 28.—The Senate confirmed the following nominations made by the President: Carl Schurz, of Wis., Minister to Spain, in place of Cassius M. Clay who resigned; James S. Pike, of Me., Minister resident at the Hague; Cassius M. Clay, Minister to Russia; Robt. M. Palmer, of Pa., Minister resident at the Argentine Republic; James E. Harvey, Minister resident at Portugal; Geo. G. Fogg, of N. H., Minister resident in Switzerland; James H. Trumbull, of Conn., Consul at Talcapanno; Andrew B. Dickinson, of N. Y., Minister resident at Nicaragua; Edward Jordon, of Ohio, Solicitor of U. S. Treasury; Benj. F. Isherwood, Engineer in chief of navy; Joseph W. Lane, Judge of the Northern and Southern districts of Alabama; Edwin C. Larney, Attorney for Dakota; Herman Cox, Attorney and Edward R. Carrock, Marshall for the middle district of Tennessee; Edward J. Chase, Marshall of the Northern district of New York; James L. Collins, of New Mexico, Superintendent of Indian affairs in that territory; Walter A. Burleigh, Indian agent for the Sioux at Fort Randall.

Collectors of Customs:—Cornelius W. Ingelhart, for Sackets Harbor. Stephen D. Poole, for Newberg, N. C.

Surveyors of Customs:—Clark Dunham, for Barlington, Ia; Jacob Anthony, for New Albany, Ind. Halsey Cooper, for Chattooga, Tenn; Zacharish Trollsen, Appraiser for Baton Thomas McErath, Appraiser for New York.

Postmasters:—The following nominations were also confirmed:—Albert Van Kleek, Poughkeepsie; Wm. Stewart, Binghampton, N. Y.; Geo. S. Bank, Aurora, Ill.; Lucius Fuller, Belvidera, Ill.; John L. Cupps, Chicago, Ill.; Charles Hall, Oshkosh, Wis.; Martin E. Everts, Rutland, Vt.; H. P. Miller, Chillicothe, O.; G. Sherman Pyle, Mount Vernon, O.; Geo. H. King, Mansfield, O.; Bernard Bateman, Zanesville, O.; Wm. F. Conly, Dayton, O.; B. Mason, Circleville, O.; H. L. McCoy, Tiffin, O.; Thomas C. McElwen, Sandusky, O.; Charles B. Griffin, Newark, O.; Hubbard M. Smith, Vincennes, Ind.; Moses Drake, Jr., Fort Wayne, Ind.; John M. Wilson, New Albany, Ind.; Joseph A. Jones, Terre Haute, Ind.; Charles Redfield, Adrian, Mich.; John S. Haines, Great Falls, N. H.; Israel V. Dewey, Hanover, N. H.; Nathaniel Lowe, Dover, N. H.; Alvin Beard, Washita, N. H.; Mm B. Merrill, Exeter, N. H.; Joseph P. Morse, Portsmouth, N. H.; Thos. E. Hatch, Keene, N. H.; Robert M. Coming, Concord, N. H.

LIVERPOOL, March 13.—The mails from the west coast of Africa have arrived. A cannibal festival had occurred at Bonny, and the heads of the victims were cut off and exhibited in front of the public places of worship.

The ship Roderick Dhu has been wrecked off Cape Palmas. The officers and crew were saved. The wreck was plundered by the natives.

A war has broken out between the British and the Mindingoes, on the Bathurst river. The town of Saba was attacked and the Mindingoes defeated with great loss. The British loss was slight.

LONDON, March 18.—The Court of the Bank of England made no alteration in the rate of discount. It is announced that the Great Trunk Railway, of Canada, will be unable to meet the interest on the 10th, on the stock of the Atlantic and St. Lawrence Company, leased by them.

A reconnoitre occurred a few days since, between a French regiment, and seven hundred papal Zouaves. The French Colonel was killed, and forty-three men were wounded.

Romano has tendered his resignation as Minister of the Interior at Naples. The Italian army will be divided into six corps d'armee. The fourth corps, under Cialdinis goes to Bologna.

MEMPHIS, March 27.—Five hundred Mississippi troops passed through here for Pensacola, they had a military reception and were enthusiastically welcomed.

WASHINGTON CITY, March 28.—SENATE.—Mr. Trumbull, of Illinois, offered the following resolution: *Resolved*, That in the opinion of the Senate, the true way to preserve the Union is to enforce the laws of the Union; that resistance to their enforcement, whether made under the name of anti-coercion or any name, is encouragement to disunion, and that it is the duty of the President to use all the means in his power to hold and protect the public property of the United States, enforce the laws thereof as well in the States of South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Mississippi, Alabama, Louisiana, and Texas, as with the other States of the Union.

Mr. Trumbull said he had offered the resolution as expressive of the views which he entertained. He desired to have it printed, and would be glad if he could have a vote on it.

Mr. Bright, of Indiana, said that all on his side of the Chamber would be glad to have a vote now.

Mr. Sumner, of Massachusetts, moved that the Senate proceed to the consideration of executive business.

Mr. Breckinridge, of Ky.—Did you hear the resolution read?

Mr. Sumner.—I did not.

Mr. Breckinridge.—Perhaps if you had you would not object to it.

Mr. Bright wished to vote on the resolution without debate. He presumed every gentleman on his side wished the same.

Calls were made on the Democratic side for the yeas and nays.

Mr. Hall, of New Hampshire, wished to say that while he was a member of the Senate, he was ready to give the President exactly that advice which belonged to the position which his constituents had assigned him in the form and mode prescribed by the constitution, and agreeably to the usages of the Senate. Therefore he was not prepared at this late day of the session to interpose his advice to the President on the great question which presents itself to the country.

Mr. Powell, of Kentucky, referred to the President's recent message, in which he had said that it would be incompatible with the public interest to communicate Maj. Anderson's dispatches to the war department. His object in calling for the information was to vindicate Maj. Anderson's reputation which had been assailed by an article in a prominent Republican newspaper, claiming him to be prejudiced in his dispatches. Major Anderson belonged to his State of Kentucky, and was a gallant, true and honest man. He regretted that he wanted the official dispatches published, in order to show that Major Anderson has not misrepresented the facts relative to his true condition as to supplies.

Mr. Grimes said he would vote to go into executive session, desiring to bring business to a close, but for no other purpose.

The Senate then went into executive session by a vote of 25 to 11.

When the doors were re-opened, a resolution was adopted appointing a committee to wait on the President and inform him that if he had no further communication to make, the Senate were ready to adjourn *sine die*. Messrs. Baker, of Oregon, and Bright were appointed the committee.

Several executive messages having been received, the Senate again went into executive session.

Subsequently a resolution involving an appropriation of six or seven thousand dollars for the purchase of the annals of Congress, and register of debates, was discussed and then postponed till December.

The President having no further communication to make the Senate at four o'clock adjourned *sine die*.

WASHINGTON, March 28th.—The question was taken by the Senate on the Convention proposed by Great Britain to submit the determination of the San Juan dispute to arbitration. Mr. Nesmith submitted his views against it, and was not willing to favor any mode of settlement which involved the possibility of the loss of the Island to the United States.

Mr. Sumner had intended to reply to the Oregon Senator. The subject goes over to the next session.

Contrary to expectations, no nomination was made by the President to fill the vacancy in the Supreme Court.

S. H. Hanscom was tendered the post of Secretary of Nevada, of which Gen. Nye is Governor, but preferring his position as journalist, he declined.

Mr. Archibald, late Engineer-in-chief of the Navy, received a dispatch yesterday from ex-Senator Mallory, offering him a similar position under the Confederated States, which he promptly declined.

RICHMOND, VA., March 27.—In the State Convention to day, Mr. Turner, of Jackson county, offered, in Committee of the Whole, a substitute for the majority report, making a non-equivocal demand relative to slavery. It was rejected—yeas 37—nays 89.

Mr. Montague moved to amend the first resolution of the report, which declares that the States, when the Federal Constitution was adopted, were independent sovereignties, by inserting the words: "And still are," after the word "were." Mr. Wise made a speech in favor, and Mr. McFarland against the amendment.

Mr. Sewell moved to amend the amendment by making the resolution declare that the States, when the Federal Constitution was formed, were independent sovereignties, and still were sovereign. Mr. Montague accepted the amendment. Pending the discussion the Committee rose.

Mr. Carlisle offered a resolution to terminate the debate in Committee of the Whole on next Monday. The resolution met with violent opposition from several members, and it was finally rejected by a majority. The Convention then adjourned till to-morrow.

NEW YORK, March 28.—The *Tribune's* Washington correspondent says orders were sent by a special messenger on the 14th inst., to land the 400 troops on board the Brooklyn at Fort Pickens. As the mail communication with that point is entirely cut off, no information has been received by the government concerning their execution. The telegraph is in the hands of the secessionists upon all matters of this sort, and therefore the return of the messenger must be awaited, or intelligence be received through the local papers. The government does not regard this movement as a reinforcement, and if treated as such by the secession leaders, they must take the consequences. No hostile demonstration is designed, and no attempt will be made to take the other forts and navy yards.

CINCINNATI, March 20.—Drafts drawn by the Cataract Bank at Lockport N. Y. on the Ocean Bank of N. Y. for $7000 were sold to bankers here. One party was arrested and $55,000 of the same kind were found in his trunk. Another party has gone west with $40,000. The first drafts were intended to be paid in order to get credit up, but it is believed that a grand fraud was contemplated.

Perry J. Moore, a well known citizen was shot by a burgler yesterday morning, who entered his house for the purpose of robbery. Mr. Moore lies in a critical condition.

GALVESTON, March 28.—The Convention elected Ford, Colonel, and Baylor, Lieut Colonel of the regiment of Rangers, to serve for 12 moeths on the frontier. An additional one was ordered by Secretary Walker.

Houston and Hamilton delivered speeches at Auston, violently denouncing the Convention, and the Confederacy and their Constitution.

The Convention in Committee of the Whole, debated and adopted the Constitution almost unanimously. On engrossing the ordinance the vote was nearly unanimous for it.

ST. LOUIS, March 28.—The Committee on Federal Relations reported the following joint resolution, which passed by 62 against 42:—*Resolved*, That it is inexpedient for the General Assembly to take any steps for calling a National Convention to propose amendments to the Constitution as recommended by the State Convention.

EGGS.—25 Barrels Fresh Eggs just received and for sale by JAS. A. FETZER, mar26 Corner Market and First streets.

CORN MEAL.—60 Bushels Fresh Ground Corn Meal just received, and for sale by JAS. A. FETZER, mar26 corner Market and First streets

ALLEGHENY CATTLE MARKET.

ALLEGHENY CITY, March 28, 1861.

The offerings the week were large and the quality of stock better than last week. A large proportion went East, and the remainder was sold at figures about the same as last week

UNION DROVE YARDS.

John Allender, Proprietor.

CATTLE.

No. Offered.	Offered by.	Sold.	Price.
17	Geo H Welsh		Sent East.
29	J A Colp		"
75	J B Runkle		"
16	S W Payne		"
31	J J Kentz		"
100	Thos Tipton		"
20	H McFadden		"
17	J S Johnston		"
17	Thos Wiggans		"
32	M Cornell		"
79	W B Felt		"
96	E Clarke		"
46	C W McClure		"
27	B Mertz		"
24	J J Sanberry		"
17	C O Brainard		"
20	J Vanfleet		"
30	Wm Smith		"
50	Isaac Vanatts		"
32	S W Lindsey		"
14	Wm Hoover		"
16	John Orey		Sent to Oh o.
18	F Keck	52	2¾@4½c ₩ lb
52	J B Huff	10	2¾@4½c "
16	A Campbell	18	1½@3½c "
18	C Moore	18	1½@4cc "
18	A Moore	16	3½ "
13	S Butler	18	3@3½c "
18	J Smith	11	3½c "
11	W M Freshaw	3	$14 50 per head
3	V McBride	6	$33 00 "
6	S Irwin	1	$31 00 "
1	J B McMullen	10	1½@2½c ₩ lb
10	J L Harsh	36	2¼@4½c "
36	W M Webb	33	3@3c "
33	Wm Bazlewood	15	2½@4c "
15	Davis	11	2½@3c "
11	Boyd	10	2½@3c "
10	J Dougherty	16	3½c "
16	J Seed	2	$4 10 ₩ 100 lbs
2	A M Quick	2	$4 80 " "
2	A G Sturgeon	57	2½@3½c ₩ lb
57	Marks & Trautman		

1000 offered
340 sold — 340

722 Sent East, and to Ohio.

SHEEP.

No. Offered.	Offered by.	Sold.	Price.
171	Peter Packer		Sent East
164	R Marietta		"
160	S I Benjamin		"
538	S Cowen		"
80	W T garden		"
175	J W M Vicker		"
161	H E Ault		"
125	Jas Bach		"
143	J M Watson		"
128	A Watson		"
211	Levi Trew		"
148	Wm Tway		"
160	R Robins		"
140	Isaac Vanatts		"
75	S Bell	75	5@5½c ₩ lb
80	Wm Tegarden	80	4½c "
170	H W Beb	170	4½c ₩ head
166	H E Ault	166	4½c ₩ lb

3506 offered
491 sold — 491

3015 Sent East.

HOGS.

No. Offered.	Offered by.	Sold.	Price.
138	A Watson		Sent East
95	C O Brainard		"
162	C Schwartz		"
318	S Rhodes		"
28	C L Turbey		"
84	Isaac Vanatts		"
100	E Carpenter		"
8	S M'Millen		"
15	E S Butler	15	"

922 offered
23 so'd — 23

899 Sent East.

BY PARTICULAR REQUEST.

STAY PROLONGED.

AT THE MOST URGENT REQUEST of numerous APPLICANTS from the CITY and VITINITY, who have with INTEREST watched the great SUCCESS of

DR. VON MOSCHZISKER,

in the treatment of the EYE and EAR, and who being convinced of his deserving PATRONAGE, have submitted their own cases to his care, he has consented to PROLONG HIS STAY IN PITTSBURGH.

DR. VON MOSCHZISKER begs therefore to say to all who suffer either from

DEAFNESS

OR ANY

MALADY OF THE EYE,

that they should at ONCE CONSULT HIM in order to receive the FULL BENEFIT of his Treatment.

☞ He also begs to give POSITIVE NOTICE that after MAY he will not accept cases that demand any OPERATION or TREATMENT in which his PERSONAL attendance on the patient would be absolutely required.

THE ETHEREAL EAR INHALATOR,

AN INSTRUMENT INVENTED BY

Dr. Von Moschzisker,

THROUGH WHICH HE HAS BEEN enabled to cure the MOST OBSTINATE CASES OF DEAFNESS—cases in which every other means have failed, and all hopes of relief given up—This is no idle statement. Its truth is attested by hundreds of gentlemen, whose names are familiar throughout the Union—STATESMEN, PHYSICIANS, LAWYERS, CLERGYMEN AND JUDGES, witnesses to the fact. The instrument is now brought into daily use at his Office, and invariably with great SUCCESS. Those who suffer from DEAFN