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TUESDAY MORNING, JAN. 6.

CITY AND NEIGHBORHOOD INTELLIGENCE

Sword to Capt. Timmony.

A very pleasant incident occurred in the camp of the 62d regiment, P. V., on Christmas Day, we are informed by a gentleman who was present on the occasion. Capt. Alex. McDonald, whose safe return to his family we have already noticed, while on his way home purchased a splendid sword, belt, &c., which he sent back from Washington by Mr. James Moore, of the Sixth Ward, to be presented formally to Capt. Timmoney. Capt. T. went out with company K, Capt. McDonald, as a sergeant, but the fortunes of war, with his own good conduct and soldierly bearing, have placed him in his present commanding position. The following speeches were indulged in on the occasion:

REMARKS OF CAPT. BURDETT.

CAPT. TIMMONEY—It has become my stern as well as pleasing duty, as the organ of Capt. McDonald, to make you a formal presentation of the sword and accompaniments I hold in my hand, highly wrought and elaborately ornamented, beautiful as well as terrible emblem of war. I am sure, captain, from your known and tried gallantry on the many sanguinary fields of the Army of the Potomac, that in thus presenting you with this sword, I will but put the right implement in the right place, that it will be unsheathed in support of the Union, the constitution and the enforcement of the laws That it will never be drawn in an unworthy cause, but in behalf of the stars and stripes; that the flag of our country may long wave over the land of the free and home of the brave; that in this hour of our country's peril, menaced with a stupendous and dastardly rebellion, its motto will be "Sic, Semper Tyrannus," and only return to its scabbard after a full and glorious reconstruction of our Government and Union. That the now partially obscured and eclipsed galaxy of States, with Western Virginia, germ and *babe* of the revolution, the thirty-fifth star, may each and all once more shine on in harmonious splendor, and thus be a beacon light to the trio of European interventionists, by which they may the better heed and observe the Monroe doctrine. "Let us alone."

Then, Captain, accept this sword as a memento and compliment of its munificent giver, and if you do the fighting, I'll pledge (as your commissary) to do the feeding.

REPLY OF CAPT. TIMMONY.

CAPT. BURDETT.—It has been most truly said that there are times in the life of every man when language fails to give utterance to the emotions of the heart. Believe me, Sir, that period in my life is now. I was aware that my friend and benefactor, Capt. McDonald, designed sending me a sword, but was wholly unprepared for this formal and highly complimentary presentation. Permit me, however, to thank you for the very kind manner in which you have performed the delicate task confided to you, and through you, the brave, generous and noble man for whom you have spoken. The elegant present is duly appreciated, and shall ever be highly cherished. It is no mean thing to enjoy the confidence and esteem of such an officer and gentleman as Capt. McDonald, and it will be my chief ambition to show that the gallant soldier and true hearted friend has not misplaced his confidence. In conclusion, Capt. Burdett and gentlemen, I can only promise to exert my very best efforts in assisting to crush out the present monstrous rebellion, and assure you that this beautiful sword shall never be drawn in any cause save that of the Union, the Constitution and the enforcement of the laws. It will be the pride of my future life to so conduct myself, in whatever position I may hereafter be placed, to so wear this sword that it can be handed to my boy, when my light shall be extinguished, bearing upon its glittering blade no stain of dark dishonor.

Allegheny City Affairs.

During the past year, one hundred and thirty-four new buildings have been erected in Allegheny city, at a cost of $172,665, apportioned as follows: First ward, 20; Second ward, 54; Third ward, 48; Fourth ward, 12. Of this number 105 were dwellings. About three-fourths of the new buildings have been completed and are tenanted: the remainder will be finished before April. The greater portion of the dwellings were of medium size and of that class in such general demand that twice the number might be rented. There has also been considerable enlarging, refitting and altering going on throughout the city. The whole number of separate and distinct families in the city is 5,978, being an increase of 36 families over last year. From this statement it will be seen that 1,228 families are compelled to rent and occupy parts of houses. The water assessments in Allegheny city, for 1862, amount to $47,459 97 over the year 1861. In 1861 there were sixty-seven dwellings, four saw mills, and one white lead factory, unsupplied with city water. There yet remain fifty-five dwellings, four saw mills, one lead factory, one turning shop and one steel works unsupplied with city water. The greater portion of these houses are located in the First and Second ward's, and on streets and alleys where no water pipe is laid.

Stabbing Affair.

On Sunday afternoon an affray at the Clinton Iron Works, Monongahela borough, during which two men named Dougherty and another named Abbott were stabbed—one of the former seriously but not dangerously. We did not learn the origin of the difficulty. No arrests were made.

The Allegheny.

We understand that a number of citizens of the Fourth Ward, abundantly able to perform all they promise, intend subscribing enough money to run the Allegheny steamer in the Fourth Ward. They desire some protection from fire and are determined to maintain the engine in its present locality. It is the intention, we believe if the ordinance now before Councils is passed, to keep the engine within the limits of the ward and not to run it to fires in any other part of the city.

Murder in Beaver County.

On New Year's Day a fatal affray occurred in Georgetown, Beaver county, in which a man named Spenser was struck with a stone and killed. The murderer was arrested on Friday and lodged in Beaver jail.

Drowned.

On New Year's Day a stranger, name unknown, hailing from this city, fell off the steamer Dick Fulton, at Red Bank, on the Allegheny river, and was drowned.—He was a foreigner; said he was a coal digger by occupation, and had a wife here, who can hear further on application at No. 4 Hand street.

Nearly Drowned.

On Sunday two boys who were out on the river near the Point, in the storm, were almost drowned by the capsizing of their skiff. Their lives were only saved by Mr. Joseph Bush, who, having witnessed the accident from the store, pushed out and rescued them.

House of Refuge—Contributors' Annual Meeting.

The contributors to this institution met at the office, No. 67 Fourth street, yesterday morning, to hear the annual report of the Board of Managers, and to elect officers for the ensuing year.

B. C. Sawyer, sr., was called to the chair, and C. S. Gill chosen Secretary. John Marshall and James B. D. Meeds were chosen Judges of Election.

John T. Logan, Esq., President of the Board of Managers, read the ninth annual report, which was accepted. From it we learn that the number of inmates of the Refuge, December 24th, 1861, was 206, 148 boys and 58 girls; during the year 100 boys and 53 girls were received, and 55 boys and 30 girls discharged—leaving Dec. 22d, 1862, a total of 274, 198 boys and 81 girls. Of those received during 1862, 111 were from Allegheny county, and 42 from other counties. 96 were committed for incorrigibility, 24 for larceny, 13 for vagrancy. The total commitments to the institution since its opening have been 1,097—901 from Allegheny county.

The amount of work during the year was as follows: In cane shop, $373 87; in scabboard and whip shop, $704 23, in whip shop $62 25. In the shoe shop, 491 pairs were made, 1,737 half soled, 1,039 mended, which, counting the materials at net cost, would amount to $1,279 91. For customer work $98 48. In the female department numerous articles of clothing were made, including all the clothing and house furnishing goods used in the institution. The girls also do the washing and general housework.

A building for separating from the younger girls such as had led abandoned lives is now nearly completed, at an expense of $8,000, with $1,200 for other improvements. It will be ready for occupying in the spring. The furniture has yet to be provided at a cost of $1,200.

The reports of the Treasurer, (Joshua Hanna, Esq.) Physician, Principal Teacher and Librarian were submitted and accepted.

The election for officers resulted in the choice of the following: President, John T. Logan. Vice President, Joseph Pennock. Secretary, Joseph Kirkpatrick. Treasurer, Joshua Hanna. Managers, John Sampson, L. R. Livingston, James Schoonmaker, G. L. B. Fetterman, B. L. Fahnestock, George Weyman, John Herron, John Phillips, C. Yeager, Wm. Dilworth, J. L. Graham.

For the Sick Soldiers at Nashville.

The Subsistence Committee have taken in hand to forward a lot of hospital supplies for the benefit of the sick and wounded at Nashville. The articles will be under the charge of a delegation from the Committee, who will accompany them and see to their distribution. The Committee will open City Hall, on Wednesday from 11 o'clock A. M. to 4 o'clock P. M., for receiving donations. The amount of good this expedition may do, will depend altogether on the contributions they may receive on Wednesday. There is no person but can contribute some article. The following articles are such as will be most needed: Undershirts, drawers, shirts, slippers, bed clothes, socks, dried fruits, corn starch, farina, boiled tongues, fruits and jellies in cans, wines and liquors, tapioca, barley, coffee and tea. Contributions of cash will also be needed, which can be left at the hall on Wednesday, or at the store of Messrs. Albree, Son & Co., on Wood street, or Weyman & Son, Smithfield street.

Mining News.

The Ontonagan *Miner*, speaking of the amount of copper raised in that district during the last year, says: Estimating the mineral in round numbers at 2700 tons, and its percentage at seventy and we shall realize one thousand eight hundred and ninety tons of ingots from the year's productions. The metal, at the last market quotations, was worth thirty-three cents per lb., or $660 per ton, and allowing the $60 to cover freight, insurance, and smelting charges, and we have the present nett value of the year's productions, 1390 tons of metal, @ $600 per ton, $1,134,000.

General Sill.

Brig. Gen. J. W. Sill, killed on Wednesday last at the battle of Murfreesboro, graduated in 1853 at West Point, was stationed at Allegheny Arsenal as Lieutenant of Ordnance in 1857, was made Colonel of an Ohio regiment in August, 1861 and was promoted for gallantry in several actions.

Coming Home.

It is stated that the Pennsylvania Reserves are to return to the State for consolidation and reorganization.

Mrs. Waller.

This lady commenced her engagement last evening as Meg Merrilies, in Guy Mannering, which she gave with much vigor and originality. The audience (a large one) were well pleased with the performance. To-night she takes the difficult role of Iago in Othello, in which she is celebrated. We expect to see a full house.

THE assignee's sale of the Mansion House and the Continental Hotel, at the corner of Liberty street and Cherry alley, has been postponed until Tuesday, February 10th.

Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods.

At J. L. Carnaghan's, Federal street, near the Diamond, Allegheny city, will be found a beautiful assortment of gentlemen's furnishing goods, embracing all desired varieties. In underclothing, silk, merino and cotton undershirts and drawers, white shirts, collars, neckties, cravats and handkerchiefs, as well as a very fine assortment of hosiery and gloves. These goods are kept by Carnaghan, who has one of the very best merchant tailoring and clothing establishments in this vicinity. In order that a gentleman may secure a complete outfit in our store, call and examine the stock.

Books at Auction.

McClelland, No. 55 Fifth street, has just received another valuable consignment of Books, Photographs, Albums, Family Bibles, Writing Paper, &c., &c., from Mr. Pratt, which he will sell at auction to-night and to-morrow night. Drop in and see the stock it is now open for examination and private sale.

Assignees' Sale of Groceries.

This morning, at 10 o'clock, at No. 270 Liberty street, will be sold at Auction a large stock of fresh groceries, wines, brandies and gins.

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Singing.

H. D. Brecht, teacher, No. 128 Smithfield street.

Price of Carbon Oil.

The following are the rates for carbon oil, at the Ardesco Oil Co., *for to-day only:*

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THE CASE of WEST VIRGINIA.

Opinion of Attorney General Bates.

The following is the opinion of the President's Attorney General upon the erection of a new State out of an old one:

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE, August 12, 1861.

Hon. A. F. Ritchie, Virginia Convention, Wheeling:

SIR—Your letter of the 9th instant was received within this hour, and as you ask an immediate answer, you, of course, will not expect me to go elaborately into the subject.

I have thought a great deal upon the question of dividing the State of Virginia into two States; and since I came here, as a member of the Government, I have conversed with a good many and corresponded with some of the good men of Western Virginia in regard to that matter. In all this intercourse, my constant and earnest efforts have been to impress upon the minds of these gentlemen the vast importance—not to say necessity—in this terrible crisis of our national affairs, to abstain from the introduction of any new elements of revolution; to avoid, as far as possible, all new and original theories of government, but, on the contrary, in all insurgent commonwealths, to adhere, as closely as circumstances will allow, to the old constitutional standard of principle, and to the traditional habits and thoughts of the people. And I still think that course is dictated by the plainest teachings of prudence.

The formation of a new State out of Western Virginia, is an original, independent act of revolution. I do not deny the *power* of revolution, (I do not call it *right*—for it is never prescribed; it exists in *force* only, and has and can have no law but the will of the revolutionists.) Any attempt to carry it out involves a plain breach of both Constitutions—of Virginia and the nation. And hence it is plain that you can not take that course without weakening, if not destroying, your claims upon the sympathy and support of the General Government; and without disconcerting the plan already adopted both by Virginia and the General Gouernment, for the reorganization of the revolted States, and the restoration of the integrity of the Union. That plan I understand to be this: When a State, by its perverted functionaries, has declared itself out of the Union, we avail ourselves of all the sound and loyal elements of the State—all who owe allegiance to and claim protection of the Constitution, to form a State Government, as near as may be, upon the former model, and claiming to be the very State which has been, in part, overthrown by the successful rebellion. In this way we establish a *constitutional nucleus*, around which all the shattered elements of the Commonwealth may meet and combine, and thus restore the old State to its original integrity.

This, I verily thought, was the plan adopted at Wheeling, and recognized and acted upon by the General Government here. Your Convention annulled the revolutionary proceedings at Richmond, both in the Convention and General Assembly, and your new Governor formally demanded of the President the fulfillment of the constitutional guarantee in favor of Virginia—Virginia as known to our fathers and to us. The President admitted the obligation and promised his best efforts to fulfil it; and the Senate admitted your Senators, not as representing a new and nameless State, now for the first time heard of in our history, but as representing "the good old Commonwealth."

Must all this be undone, and a new and hazardous experiment be ventured upon, at the moment when dangers and difficulties are thickening around us? I hope not; for the sake of the nation and the State, I hope not. I had rejoiced in the movement in Western Virginia as a legal, constitutional and safe refuge from revolution and anarchyas at once an example and fit instrument for the restoration of all the revolted States.

I have not now time to discuss the subject in its various bearings. What I have written is written with a running pen, and will need your charitable criticism.

If I had time I think I could give persuasive reasons for declining the attempt to create a new State at this perilous time.—At another time, I might be willing to go fully into the question, but now I can say no more.

Most respectfully, your obd't serv't,
EDWARD BATES.

(From the Vincennes Sun, of December 30.)

Horrible Murder.

On Friday night last, Mr. George Purcell, an old and estimable citizen, residing about five and a half miles from the city, was murdered in cold blood at his own fireside, and with his wife and children around him, under circumstances too revolting to contemplate.

It seems, from what facts we can gather, that about 7 o'clock Friday evening, two men entered the back door just as two others jumped through the window of the room where Mr. Purcell was sitting mending a basket, with a large knife in his hand, surrounded by his wife and four small children, (the eldest being about fourteen years old.) The murderers called upon the old man to "surrender!" while one drove the family into one corner of the room, and, with a drawn pistol, threatened to shoot them if they stirred.

Mr. Purcell arose quickly, holding his basket up to shield him, while the ruffians beat him over the head with clubs with which they were armed; and, after a severe struggle he fell near the feet of his wife and children but was pulled back again, and the blows continued. When found his own knife was run through the left side of his head, near the temple, and coming out on the right side, above the ear, with his skull badly fractured and an arm broken. He lingered several hours after the attack.

The family were too much horrified and paralyzed with fear to give an immediate alarm, and it was nearly 4 o'clock Saturday morning, before Deputy Marshal Donovan was notified of the affair, since which time he has been assiduous in his efforts to get a clue to the murderers.

The main object of the fiends was doubtless to rob their victim, and it is supposed that some $2,000 (principally in gold) were stolen. The house was also fired, by combustibles placed between the ceiling and the wardrobe, but they were not quite sufficiently ignited to burn any length of time.

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5,500 OF OUR WOUNDED IN MURFREESBORO.

GENS. CHEATHAM AND M'COWS KILLED.

VICKSBURG REPORTED TAKEN.

LATEST FOREIGN NEWS.

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

LOUISVILLE, January 5.—Murfreesboro advices represent the federal victory as complete. The entire rebel army is falling back towards Tallahoma in great disorder.

From the Associated Press Correspondent.

NASHVILLE, January 5.—The rebels attacked our forces on Saturday, at seven in the afternoon, who were posted strongly in rifle pits, and were repulsed with terrible slaughter. The fight continued for two hours.

At one o'clock on Sunday morning the rebels commenced to retreat, and at noon Stanley's cavalry entered Murfreesboro and captured prisoners, guns and stores.

The Federals, on Sunday morning, in force occupied Murfreesboro.

The enemy have gone to Tullahoma.

The mail from Louisville arrived tonight.

Fifty four hundred of our wounded are in Murfreesboro.

No Confederates or guerrillas are on the road.

Cheatham is reported killed by a shell in a house.

At Murfreesboro the enemy are whipped out.

Gen. McCown, rebel, certainly killed.

The Cumberland river has risen four and a half feet since last night.

Other sources say that the Federals are driving the rebels towards Tullahoma.

A letter from Barbourville, Ky., says that Col. Carter did not attempt to capture Knoxville, but going eastward, cut the Tennessee and Virginia Railroad, lessening the chances of the rebels augmenting their western forces from Richmond; which it is supposed they are attempting to do.

The southern line is now working, but was interrupted all forenoon.

Headquarters of the 4th Army Corps Department of Cumberland, in front of Murfreesboro, Jan. 3, via Nashville 4th.

To GEN. H. W. HALLECK, General-in-Chief:

On the 26th of December we marched from Nashville in three columns; McCook's corps by the Nashville pike, Thomas' from its encampment on the Franklin pike via Wilson's pike and Crittenden's on the main Murfreesboro pike. The left and centre met with strong resistance, such as of nature, country rolling hilly routes, skirted by cedar thickets and farms and intercepted by small streams with rocky bluff banks, forming serious obstacles.

McCook drove Hardee's corps a mile and a half from Nolensville and occupied the place. Crittenden reached within a mile and a half of Lavergne. Thomas reached the Wilson pike, meeting with no serious opposition.

On the 27th MaCook drove Hardee from Nolensville, and pushed a reconnoitering division six miles towards Shelbyville, and found Hardee had retreated towards Murfreesboro.

Crittenden fought and drove the enemy before him, occupying the line of Stennel's Creek, capturing some prisoners with slight loss.

Thomas occupied the vicinity of Nolensville, where he was partially surprised, thrown into confusion, and driven back.

Sheridan's division repulsed the enemy four times, protected the flanks of the center, which not only held its own, but advanced, until this untoward event which compelled me to retain the left wing to to support the right until it should be rallied and assume a new position.

On the 1st the rebels opened by an attack on us, and were again repulsed. On the 2d, skirmishing along the front, with threats of an attack, until about three in the afternoon, when the enemy advanced in a small division thrown across Stone River to occupy commanding ground.

While reconnoitering the ground occupied by this division, which had no artillery, I saw a heavy force emerging from the woods and advancing in line of battle three lines deep.

They drove our little force before them, after a sharp contest, in which We lost 70 or 80 killed and 375 wounded, but they were repulsed by Negley's division, and the remaining troops of the left wing, headed by Morton's pioneer brigade, and fled far over the field and beyond their intrenchments, the officers rallying them with great difficulty. They lost heavily. We occupied the ground with the left wing last night. The lines were completed at four o'clock in the morning. This occupied my time until four o'clock, and fatigued the troops. The commencement of the retreat was known to me at seven o'clock this morning. Our ammunition train arrived during the night. To-day was engaged in distributing the ammunition, burying the dead and collecting arms from the field of battle.

The pursuit was commenced by the centre, the two leading brigades arriving on the West side of Stone River this evening. The Railroad bridge was saved, but in what condition is not known. We shall occupy the town and push the pursuit tomorrow.

Our Medical Director estimates the wounded in hospitals at not short of 5,500, and our dead at 1,000.

We have to deplore the loss of Lieut. Col. Garesche, whose capacity and gentlemanly deportment had already endeared him to all the officers of this command, and whose gallantry in field of battle excited their admiration.

(Signed,) W. S. ROSECRANS,
Major General Commanding.

HOLLY SPRINGS, Mississippi, Jan. 4,

To Gen. Halleck, General-in-Chief:

Dispatches from Gen. Sherman and the Naval Commander were received on the 31st. The gunboats were engaging the enemy's battery, and Gen. Sherman was inland three miles from Vicksburg and holding it.

From rebel sources I learn that the Grenada Appeal of the 31st says, that the Yankees have got possession of Vicksburg.

Signed, U S. GRANT,
Major General Commanding.

CAMP NEAR MURFREESBORO, January 4.

To General Halleck, General-in-Chief:

Following my dispatch of last evening, I have to announce that the enemy are in full retreat. They left last night. The rain having raised the river and the bridge across it between the left and centre being incomplete, I deemed it prudent to withdraw that wing during the night.

Signed, W. S. ROSECRANS,
Major General Commanding.

CAPE RACE, January 5.—The steamer City of Washington, from Liverpool on the 24th, via Queenstown on the 25th, passed off this point at 7 o'clock on Sunday morning.

The Liverpool Journal of Commerce says that the government has issued orders that the Alabama shall be warned from all British ports; and notice has been given that if any more British property is destroyed, the government will at once take steps to destroy the Alabama.

The Shipping Gazette contradicts this statement, and says: We are sure that the government will not consider itself justified in stopping the cruise of the Alabama.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Nov. 5.—The following resolution was offered in the House to-day, and referred to the Committee on Federal Relations:

Resolved by the House, the Senate concurring, That the proclamation issued by President Lincoln on the twenty-second of September, and the supplementary proclamation of the first of January, will inaugurate the most important epoch in American history, and meets our full endorsement, We earnestly and respectfully urge its rapid enforcement, and will use our best endeavors to sustain it.

In the Senate a joint resolution to memorialize to carry out the original assessment ordered against the secessionists was adopted.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The President to-day nominated to the Senate Judge Usher, now Assistant Secretary of the Interior, to be Secretary of the Interior, to supply the existing vacancy.

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Toilet Jars, Foot Baths, Infant's Baths, Matress Brushes, Shaving Stands, Bronz Match Holders, Flower Stands, Nursery Refrigerators, Wax Tapers, Water Carriers, Chamber Buckets, Bowls and Pitchers, Gas Shades, Nursery Shades, do Lamps, Clothes Whiskes, do Hampers, Night Lights.
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Library Steps, Vienna Fish Globes, Bird Cages, Vinzettes, Card de Visite Frames, Camp Knives, Door Mats, Vestas, Meat Safes, Pocket Knives, Easels, Camp Portfolios.
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PORT OF PITTSBURGH.

ARRIVED.
Franklin, Bennett, Brownsville.
Gallatin, Clarke, do
Minerva, Gordon, Wheeling.
Navigator, Shoup, Louisville.
Eclipse, Moore, Louisville.
Lady Franklin, Dean, Memphis.

DEPARTED.
Franklin, Bennett, Brownsville.
Gallatin, Clarke, do
Igo, Jones, Cincinnati.
Armada, John ton, Wheeling.

☞ The river—Last evening at twilight there were 6 feet 6 inches water and Allegheny rising. Weather pleasant.

☞ The fine passenger Steamer Lady Franklin, Captain Dean leaves this day at 12 m. Freight or passage apply on board or to

☞ The Wheeling packet for to-day is the steamer Minerva, Captain John Gordon. Passengers and shippers will bear in mind that the hour of departure is 11 a. m. positively.

☞ The ever punctual steamer Emma Graham, Capt. Ayers, leaves at 4 p. m. for Zanesville and intermediate ports. Friend Wilson says he has a few choice rooms for those that call early. We take pleasure in recommending the boat and officers.

☞ Capt. Shuman's new steamer Silver Cloud, is loading for St. Louis. She has fine speed, excellent accommodations and attentive officers. Capt. Conway has charge of the office.

☞ The fast running packet Sallie List, Capt. Russell, leaves this day positively for Cincinnati and Louisville. This boat has fine accommodations and attentive officers. Our esteemed friend Mr. W. M. List, has charge of the office.

For Evansville, Cairo and St. Louis.
THURSDAY, JAN. 8—4 P. M.
THE NEW AND SPLENDID steamer ECLIPSE, Geo. D. Moore, commander will leave as announced above.
For freight or passage apply on board or to
J. FLACK, Agent.
jan6 or J. B. LIVINGSTON & CO.

For Cincinnati.
THIS DAY, JAN. 6—12 M.
THE NEW AND FINE PASSENGER steamer LADY FRANKLIN, S. Dean, commander, will leave as announced above.
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THE NEW AND SPLENDID side-wheel packet ARMADA, George W. Johnson, commander, leaves Pittsburgh for Wheeling, every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 10 o'clock a. m. punctually. Leaves Wheeling for Pittsburgh every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8 a. m.
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☞ The above steamers makes close connections at Wheeling with fine side wheel steamers for Marietta, Parkersburg and Cincinnati.
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THIS DAY, JAN. 6—4 P. M.
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Regular Weekly Packet.
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For Cincinnati, Cairo and St. Louis
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For Marietta and Zanesville.
Regular Muskingum River Packet
leaves Pittsburgh every Saturday at 4 p. m., Zanesville every Tuesday 8 a. m.
THE FINE PASSENGER steamer LIZZIE MARTIN, D. T. Brown, commander, will leave as noted above.
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For Marietta and Zanesville.
Regular Muskingum river Packet
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THE NEW AND SPLENDID Passenger steamer EMMA GRAHAM, Monroe Ayers commander, will leave as noted above. For freight or passage apply on board or to
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NO 90 WATER STREET,
Where he will transact a General Steamboat Agency business, and would solicit a share of patronage from steamboat men.
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D. S. DIFFENBACHER.
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