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CITY NEWS.

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DAILY AND WEEKLY POST.

THE DAILY AND WEEKLY POST can hereafter be procured at the News Depots of J. W. Pittock and Frank Case, Fifth street, with or without wrappers. Daily 3 cents; Weekly 5 cents.

Democratic Meetings.

There will be a meeting of the Democracy at McKeesport, on Saturday, Oct. 3d, Gen. Will A. Stokes, and other distinguished speakers, will address the meeting. A grand turn out is expected.

There will be a Democratic Meeting in the Old Market House, Allegheny, on Monday evening, Sept. 28th.

Able speakers will be present and address these meetings.

Democrats be Assessed.

It is the bounden duty of every Democrat, who desires the perpetuity of the Union, and the re-establishment of peace throughout the land, to see that he is properly assessed, in order that his right to vote may not be questioned. The friends of WOODWARD and LOWRIE, should bear in mind the fact that after Friday, October 2d, they cannot be assessed, and that being forewarned is forearmed. Call on your respective district Assessors, and see that your elective franchise is all right. The law requires that every application for assessment, should be made personally, so that it cannot be legally done by proxy. We call on all Democrats, to see to this fact, and have every thing relative to their right to vote legally and judicially enacted. And above all things let it be borne in mind, that your taxes *must be paid directly to the County Treasurer.* It will not do to wait until the day of the election, in the hope of paying them at the polls. *The Treasurer alone is authorized to receive money for taxes.* Be sure, then, that you go to his office, and secure your receipt from him. We append a list of the Assessors, of the county for the convenience of our friends:

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First Ward—James Gracey, 13 West st.
Second Ward—J. M'Kee, 133 Second st.
Third Ward—J. Kelly, 81 Fifth st.
Fourth Ward—A. P. Thompson, 84 Penn st.
Fifth Ward—Joseph Irwin; Penn st.,
Squire Taylor's office.
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Eighth Ward—C. W. King, Plum st.
Ninth Ward—Jas. McCune, 755 Penn st.

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Second Ward—John Sterrit;
Third Ward—S. W. McGinness;
Fourth Ward—James Graham.

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Manchester—Alexander McGilvery;
Sharpsburg—John Baird, Sr;
Birmingham—Geo. Kuhlman;
Elizabeth—G. W. Wright;
East Birmingham—A. L. McClure;
West Elizabeth—David H. Lynch;
Lawrenceville—Hebron Robinson;
McKeesport—James Evens;
Monongahela—John D. Holtzman;
South Pittsburgh—Thomas Cassaday;
West Pittsburgh—Wm. H. Brunt;
Sewickley—Wm. Miller;
Tarentum—Jas. E. Carns;
Temperanceville—John Patterson.

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Chartiers—J. L. Duff;
Collins—Samuel Chadwick;
Crescent—James Davis;
East Deer—A. Marion;
West Deer—A. Hazlett;
Fawn—George Hazlitt;
Findley—Thos. Brown;
Franklin—David Neely,
North Fayette—Matthew McGreggor,
South Fayette—Alex. Fitzpatrick;
Hampton—John Trimble;
Harrison—George Hazlett;
Indiana—Wm. Baum;
Jefferson—Frank Bean;
Mifflin—John Willeck;
Moon—James McMillen;
McCandless—John Sanders;
Neville—John H. Hamilton;
McClure—Theo. Hahn;
Ohio—H. V. Thompson;
Patton—Michael Erman;
Peebles—W. N. Burchfield;
Penn—Wm. Darning;
Pine—Thos. Graham;
Pitt—Yost Roch;
Plum—Henry Reiter;
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Richland—John S. Dickson;
Robinson—T. J. Phillips;
Ross—Jno. Crider;
Scott—Wm. B. Lee;
Sewickley—James McClelland;
Shaler—Henry Ochse;
Lower St. Clair—Jonathan Neely;
Upper St. Clair—D. C. Bower;
Snowden—Enoch Phillips;
Union—Bernard Young;
Versailles—Jas. Arthurs;
Wilkins—William Swisshelm;
Elizabeth—John Rankin.

OUR FIRE DEPARTMENT.—The city pays $9,000 a year for the support of six steamers, yet such is the condition of the department to-day, that we have but two fit for service. The "Vigilant," says the *Chronicle*, without the consent or even knowledge of Councils, was disposed of to a distant corporation. The "Niagara" is laid up undergoing repairs. The "Neptune" is receiving the finishing touches for a pleasure trip to Detroit, and is, just now, at least, not available. The "Duquesne" is having new pumps put in, so that of the six steamers, for the support of which the city pays, each annually, the sum of $1,500 there are but two, the "Allegheny" and "Eagle," now actually in service. Whilst this is a serious matter for property owners, it is a subject of gratulation that the two engines which are ready for duty—the "Allegheny" and "Eagle"—were built by our own mechanics, and the fact that they are fit for use in any emergency is but another evidence of the fallacy of going East to purchase steam fire engines, which can be constructed here in a far more substantial manner. But whether our steamers are built here or elsewhere, they should, if possible, be at all times ready to protect our property from the ravages of fire. This is due to the liberality of those who purchase them as well as to the city, which so liberally sustains them. "Pleasure trips" should be dispensed, and the sale of steamers prohibited unless by consent of their owners.

IMMENSE GATHERING.—The *Gazette* of yesterday, announced that Gov. Curtin would pass through this city Friday, on his way to Beaver to attend a Grand Mass Meeting. At an early hour a Brass Band paraded the streets to wake up the Republicans to attend the meeting. After leaving the Union League the procession numbered just fifty-two—headed by an immense banner, Allegheny County good for 8,000. This is a very fine joke for the county.

AMERICANS IN LONDON.—Among the list of Americans registered at Gan's American Agency, No. 17 Charlotte st., Bedford Square, London, Eng., for the week ending Sept. 12th, 1863, we find the name of Washington Jefferson, of Pittsburgh.

U. S. GRAND LODGE OF ODD FELLOWS.—We gave a day or two ago some account of the doings of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows which has just closed its session in Baltimore. We give a few further statistics to day, which will interest the order here. Hon. Jos Vansant, Grand Treasurer, made his report, showing the receipts and disbursements of the past year. The whole receipts, including $4,866 53 on account of the Wildey monument fund, were $29,179 33, and the disbursements $15,591 77—leaving in the treasury a balance of $13,587 55. The cash balance in the treasury, exclusive of the Wildey monument fund, is $8,701 02, applicable to the general purposes of the Grand Lodge. The Grand Corresponding and Recording Secretary, James L. Ridgeley, made a supplementary report, showing the receipts from Grand Lodges and Grand Encampments to have been $3,605 75 for supplies and for representation tax. The Grand Secretary gives a tabular statement of the statistics of the order as far as could be ascertained. There are no reports from the Grand Lodges of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas, Tennessee, New Mexico, and the British North American Provinces. The reports from the other States and Territories show that they contain 2,759 subordinate lodges, with 132,179 members. During the year ending on the 30th day of June last, the aggregate amount expended for the relief of brothers was $283,165 46, and for the relief of widowed families $60,949 63, and for the education of orphans $8,038 06. It also states that in the same States and Territories there are 518 subordinate encampments, with 17,687 members. Relief was afforded to the amount of $32,317 30 to patriarchs and $2,537 16 for the relief of widowed families, while $62,90 were expended for the education of orphans. The proposition to admit persons under the age of twenty one years was indefinitely postponed. The proposition to consolidate the Grand Lodge and Grand Encampment of the United States into a Grand Lodge was reported upon unfavorably and rejected.

REPUBLICAN MEETING.—The Republicans held a meeting in Allegheny on Thursday evening, which was attended by a small crowd. The principal speakers were H. C. Mackarel and Thos. M. Marshall. The first named gentleman, a youthful limb of the law, thought it could not be proved that Governor Curtin had ever stolen more than the law allowed, and dealt at some length in covert abuse of the Catholic religion, which the young gentleman had better omitted.

Mr. Marshall, who before the nomination of Curtin, had many hard things to say about him, and boldly asserted that no power on earth could induce him to vote for him. He pronounced Thos. Williams no lawyer; said his articles in the *Gazette* against Curtin were false, and that paper knew them to be so when it published them. What is Williams about that he will thus allow Mr. Marshall to underrate his abilities as a lawyer, and impugn his honesty as a man?

CONSCRIPT ROBBED.—A drafted man, named James Langdon, who hails from Cleveland, was robbed on Wednesday night in this city, of a pocket book containing some three hundred and twenty five dollars, chiefly in national currency, and a gold ring. Langdon had the money wherewith to pay his exemption fee in some of the Ohio counties, but came to Pittsburgh for a spree, and of course, lost his money.

PITTSBURGHERS ABROAD.—The following Pittsburghers were in Philadelphia on the 24th: J. M. Hatch, J. B. Nagley, East Liberty, E. A. Myers, W. Schoyer, W. S. Haven, Mrs. Haven and two children, Mrs. Shellaby, John McCargo, David Reed and daughter, James Reed, W. S. Bipple, H. L. Bollman, James O'Horra, Mr. and Mrs. Blair, W. L. Dike, Master G. D. Blair, R. E. McGower and son, R. R. Roberts, E. Zag, Z. S. Dufer, J. B. Waldin, T. S. Leisenring.

INTERESTING TO TAX PAYERS.—The following is a statement of the amounts of taxes paid into the Treasury up to Sept. 3d 1863: County, $163 388,67; State, $48,407.61; Poor, $7,190 29; Military, $1,149 73; Volunteer Bounty, $16,870.22; total, $236 566.42. The total amount paid into the Treasury up to one o'clock on September 24th, 1863, was $205 063.46. The whole amount charged to the Treasurer on the books of the Controller is $405 565,08.

DEMOCRATIC MEETING IN WEST NEWTON.—There will be a Democratic Meeting in West Newton, on Monday next. Our friends in that section are wide awake, and expect to have a grand demonstration on that occasion. We should be happy to meet the sterling Democracy of West Newton and vicinity on the occasion, but fear a press of duty will debar us the pleasure. Will some one send us a report of the meeting?

PITTOCK, opposite the Post Office, has received his accustomed supply of Pictorial and Weekly papers. They will be found unusually interesting. Among them are the New York Illustrated News, Frank Leslie and Harper's Weekly, Beecher's New York Independent, and a number of others too numerous to mention. Call in, John, and supply yourself.

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RE ENGAGED.—One of the most meritorious and deserving *artistes* on our boards is Miss Hyatt, lately re engaged at the theatre. She played here last season, and being an immense favorite, Mr. Henderson did well in re-engaging her.

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HARPER, Godey and Atlantic for October. Harper's Weekly, Leslie's Weekly, Clipper, and Independent for this week, at Pittock's, opposite the Post Office.

SALE OF LOTS.—We desire to call the attention of the reader to the sale of lots in McClure township, near the House of Refuge. See advertisement.

THE MINSTRELS.—The unrivalled Morris Minstrels appear to-night for the last time. Let them have a bumper at parting.

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THEATRE.—As we predicted, Miss Heron's benefit last night was a perfect ovation. She appears to-night as Edith, or the Earl's Daughter.

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SOUTHERN NEWS.

Fighting going on at Raleigh, N. C,

Rebel Cavalry on this Side of the Rapidan,

&c., &c., &c.

FORTRESS MONROE, Sept. 23.—The Richmond *Examiner* of the 21st contains the following: ATLANTA, Sept. 19—This morning heavy artillery firing opened at day break at Ringgold, and continued until the train left. The trains run within three miles of Ringgold. All the bridges between there and Chattanooga are destroyed. Quiet prevails in the Trans-Mississippi Department up to September 3d. General Magruder was at Houston very sick.

CHARLESTON, Sept. 20.—Nothing unusual has transpired. The enemies' works on Morris Island are rapidly increasing in extent and strength.

ATLANTA, GA., Sept. 18—(21st?) Reports from different sources concur that Rosecrans has been heavily reinforced by troops from Grant's army. Rosecrans' forces are retiring on Chattanooga, closely followed. The railroad is clear to Cleveland, Tennessee.

The Richmond *Dispatch* of the 22d has the following:—ZOLLICOFFER, Sept. 20—*To General S. Cooper*:—The enemy made a demonstration on us here yesterday, and were repulsed. My cavalry followed them to Blountsville, six miles from here. Their force enflaged to day is believed to have been not less than two thousand all mounted, with six pieces of artillery. Five other regiments are reported to be between Jonesboro and Wautauga bridge, but they had not engaged my force at the latter place this P. M.

(Signed,) SAMUEL JONES, Maj. Gen.

BRISTOL, Sept. 21.—After the enemy retired yesterday, our cavalry went in pursuit and came up with them this morning two miles below Blountsville, where they encamped last night. It is reported by a courier just arrived, that the enemy again advanced from Blountsville in this direction, with the intention of making a flank movement via this place. Forty Federal cavalry dashed into this place on Sunday night and burned a building occupied for commissary stores; also burned the railroad bridge on the Virginia and Tennessee railroad, and the trestle bridge on the Virginia and Tennessee railroad six miles from here. Trains will pass over both points to-morrow.

RICHMOND, Thursday morning, Sept. 22—*From Lee's Army.*—Notwithstanding a collision has been predicted between Meade and Lee for several days past, parties immediately from the army report this evening that all is quiet. There is an occasional cavalry skirmish.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—A *Herald* letter dated Newbern the 18th, says: Last night a contraband came in and reported the fighting going on in Raleigh between the Unionists and rebel troops, previously reported. Three thousand deserters, conscripts and Unionists, a few miles south of Raleigh, were ready to advance to the assistance of their friends.

The Richmond *Dispatch* of the 17th says: The capture of East Tennessee is the hardest blow that has been struck since the beginning of the war. Two-thirds of our nitre beds lay in that region, and a large proportion of the coal which supplies our foundries. We wait to see Chattanooga retaken before we give way to joy.

The *Whig* of the 23d, has the following: "The Mobile *Tribune*, of Tuesday, says that last Saturday the enemy in Grant Pass, made a movement which merely was a feeler, but it was unsuccessful. It is evident that they will soon make a movement against Mobile."

NEW YORK, September 25.—By special to the *Tribune*:—HEADQUARTERS ARMY OF POTOMAC, September 24—Up to the evening of the 22d, Gen. Kilpatrick had occupied Madison Court House, after having driven the advance picket of the enemy three miles, capturing nine and losing one. After having driven the enemy from every road leading from Madison Court House, in the direction of the Rapidan, for two miles, Kilpatrick posted his guards and rested his command. During the night Gen. Buford, who had commenced a reconnoissance, came on with his division, and also posted his command in and around the village.

From prisoners taken the day before it was ascertained that two brigades of rebel cavalry were on this side of the Rapidan along the main road leading from Madison Court House to Gordonsville. From Madison Court House three roads leave for the Rapidan. General Buford dispatched his force so as to surround the enemy and capture him without a severe engagement. To accomplish this object he sent Gen. Kilpatrick to the right of the Gordonsville road, Gen. Devin, commanding the second brigade of his own division, to the left, and the first brigade, Col. Chapman, down the Gordonsville road to make an attack in front and centre.

Kilpatrick reached the river, but without meeting the enemy, but in order to find him, sent one squadron across, but few of whom have returned, and they probably will not until exchanged as prisoners of war. With the main portion of his division he moved down the North bank of the Rapidan, until hearing rapid firing on the Gordonsville road, he galloped to the aid of Chapman, who seemed to be wholly engaged.

Col. Chapman, whose command consisted of the 8th Illinois, 3d and 8th New York, moved down the Gordonsville road, and when within four miles of the Rapidan he suddenly came in contact with the old brigades of Gens. Jones and Hampton. Col. Chapman determined to risk an engagement, trusting to Gen. Buford to come to his aid.

A series of brilliant charges were then made, which lasted from two o'clock until sunset. Chapman whipped these old rebel brigades, killed between forty and fifty, and captured seventy-five prisoners, among them several officers, one Lieutenant Colonel, one Major, and several Captains and Lieutenants, the rest flying at the highest speed to the south bank of the Rapidan.

Gen. Kilpatrick, who came up in the rear of this flying force, is said to have captured about fifty men before they reached the river. On the left, Gen. Devins was equally successful. The object for which the reconnoissance was made having been successfully accomplished, Gen. Buford returned. He met the old brigade of Gen. Lee, fought them for two hours, and killed and wounded between thirty and forty and brought away sixty prisoners. In all of these severe fights our loss was comparatively small.

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SECOND EDITION.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Gen. Patrick About to Take the Field.

Rebel Steamer Captured!

LATEST FROM CHATTANOOGA.

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

FORTRESS MONROE, Sept. 24.—The flag of truce boat New York arrived last evening from City Point with 800 prisoners. The Richmond *Whig*, of September 23d, has been received. Its editorial claims a victory in Northern Alabama for Bragg, but in conclusion says: "We suppress exultation at the thought of what yet remains to be done, and the possibility of losing all that has been gained by failure to complete the work. Situated as Rosecrans is, the victory that does not disperse or capture his whole army as a last opportunity, if he is permitted to hold Chattanooga, then our victory will be without profit, and we have only to mourn that so many brave men have died in vain, and chiefly that the gallant Hood has sealed his faith with his life. Rosecrans must not only be beaten in battle, but he must be destroyed, or driven from East Tennessee, otherwise the battle had as well not been fought, if this strong hold is not wrenched from him now, it will hardly be hereafter. If he holds it he holds a point from which he may at any moment strike at the very vitals of the Confederacy. He holds a region pestilent with disaffection that needs only the presence of the Yankee army to ripen into full blown treason. He holds the country that must supply wheat for our army, nitre for our powder mills, and coal and iron for many of our manufacturing establishments. The possession of that country is of indispensable necessity to us. It is the prize for which Bragg is contending until he has won it. We can but rejoice with fear and trembling over what he has done. Should he win it, it will be the best achievement of the war.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Harvey Birch who has been in prison in Richmond since March last, and just released, writes a letter to the *Herald*, containing the following items:

A clerk in the Navy Department, a relative of Secretary Mallory, assured me they have nine iron clads being constructed in Europe. Five of which would be ready for sea early in October. I was informed by the private Secretary of Mr. Benjamin, that dispatches had been received from Mr. Slidell containing the positive assurance that the Confederacy would be recognized by France on or before the 10th of January, 1864. I know that Jeff. Davis and all the leading rebels regard Richmond as the heart of the Confederacy, without which it would quickly die. The report that Jeff. Davis is about to call several hundred thousand negroes, is probably not without some foundation. The propriety and expediency of such a measure has been the subject and discussion in the rebel cabinet for several months past.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—The men of the rebel infantry are in Chattanooga Valley. A division of rebel cavalry advanced yesterday or day before from Stevens Gap, threw a shell into a Union regiment, burning one of our signal stations—whereupon the regiment in question retired from its very hard position on the extreme front before it could be attacked. Gen. Rosecrans expresses the earnest wish that Gen. Bragg will venture a prompt attack upon him, but is of opinion that it will not be made. All was quiet along his lines at two o'clock, p. m. yesterday.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—The prize steamer *Gem of* (British) arrived to-night. She was captured Sept. 22d, off Wilmington, N. C., by the gun boat Connecticut after 4 hours' chase, during which the Connecticut fired 40 rounds of shells and shot. The Juno have overhauled a part of her cargo of cotton. She is an iron vessel, side wheel, built at Birkenhead, England, ten years old; engines 400 horse power; her cargo consisted of 2000 bales of cotton, 3 tons of tobacco and a small quantity of turpentine, which, together with the vessel, is valued at $110,000.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—We have already recorded the sinking in Charleston harbor of the famous rebel steamer Sumter, alias Gibraltar, but have been unable to learn whether the sinking was from shots fired by friends or foes. The Bermuda *Gazette* clears up this mystery. The editor learns that she was fired into by Fort Moultrie, the rebels there probably mistaking her for a Federal man-of-war. Some authority says that there were 630 persons on board at the time. All but about 20 were saved.

LOUISVILLE, Sept. 25.—Scraps of information from passengers that arrived, lead us to believe that Sherman's corps, from Grant's army, joined Rosecrans on Tuesday or Wednesday, and that Burnside's corps has more recently effected a juncture. Reports are prevalent to-night in the streets which say that Burnside's force has been captured, but nothing has passed over the wires to day indicating such an event, and it is undoubtedly false.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—A telegram from Gen. Rosecrans, dated last night, says he made a reconnoissance in force along the enemy's lines yesterday p. m., and found him in force. The enemy did not resist the advance of our reconnoitering column, which returned to its quarters after having accomplished the object of the movement which proved of considerable importance.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Deaths in Chesapeake Hospital—Frank C. Martin, 26 h Michigan, Alex. Cline, 10th Wisconsin, Sept. 7th; Alex. Hunt, 8th Indiana, Sept. 16th. In the Cline Hospital, Solon Haland, 19th Wisconsin, Sept. 3d; Neal McCarthy, 4th Wisconsin Battery, Alex. Clark, 4th Wisconsin Battery, Sept. 13th; Michael Gary, 19th Wisconsin, Sept. 15th.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—The *Commercial's* Washington letter says: Gen. Patrick, Provost Marshal General of the army is about to take the field. Brigadier General Terry has been tendered the Provost Marshalship in Gen. Patrick's place. There is great confidence felt in the army if an advance is made, that it will be in every way successful.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 25.—Sales of 5-20's to-day amounted to $481,550. Deliveries of bonds are made to Sept. 17th.

MORGAN HOUSE DROVE YARDS.—The undersigned has opening the Morgan House for the accommodation of drovers and stock dealers, at the the corner of Pasture Lane and Taylor Avenue, near the stock depot of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway. He has extensive stock pens, well covered and commodious feed and sale yards, abutting upon the railroad platform, thus giving great convenience in loading and unloading. The pens have been enlarged so as to accommodate 3,000 to 4,000 head, and the yards as many more. Comfortable recommodations are provided in the house for owners of stock, and the subscriber respectfully solicits a share of their patronage.—Terms for boarding and rent of yard moderate.
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COMMERCIAL.

PITTSBURGH GENERAL MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY POST, SATURDAY, Sept. 26, 1863.

Business—Yesterday was more active, the sales were on a more liberal scale. The weather was cool but otherwise pleasant. The demand for the leading articles were active at the late advance. Among the sales we notice the following:

Hay—There was a good demand; all parcels on arriving found ready purchasers at full prices. Baled was sold from store at former rates

Flour—The market yesterday was active, the sales exhibit a moderate amount of transactions. The stock in the market is not large at this time. A rise in our river would soon bring an additional supply which would no doubt affect the rates. Among the sales we note the following: Extra, 150 bbls at $5.20@5.25; 100 do. at $5.25. Extra Family, sales 100 bbls at $5.25; 50 bbls at $5.50; this was very choice; 200 bbls at $5.35@5.40; 250 bbls to extra at 5.25. Extra Family at 6.25@6.50 ⅌ bbl. Wagon lots continue to arrive, and are disposed of at various prices, according to quality. Rye Flour ranges from 4.75@5.00.

Grain—The market was very firm yesterday. Prices during the week have materially increased. Wheat—Prices tending upward—the advance seems to be general throughout the West. Red—Sales of 500 bush. from first hands at $1.15; White—Sales of 1200 bush at $1.25@1.28. Corn was in active demand—sales 650 bush at 90@91; stocks are quite light. Oats are enquired for—sales of 800 bush. first hands at 70@71½; from store the usual advance was obtained. Rye was firm and commanding 90c readily. Barley—Sales of 2000 bush of spring at $1.18@1.20; fall at $1.20@1.30.

Apples—The supply exceeds the demand—prices tends downward. Sales of 130 bbls assorted—prices ranging from $1.50@2.25 ⅌ bbl; sales 100 bush at 50@75 ⅌ bush.

Eggs—Scarce and in good demand, they would command 15c readily; sales of 4 bbls at these figures.

Butter—The receipts continue to increase—prices tends downward—sales of 5 bbls fresh roll at 20@22c.

Shingles—Sales on wharf, of 21,000 at $5,75 ⅌ m.

Cheese—The market contains a moderate supply with a regular demand. Sales 160 boxes in lots at 20@21½c ⅌ lb.

Salt—Market firm, supply light. Sales of 100 bbls. No 1 at $2.50.

Groceries—The market was very firm with a good demand for the trade, and for local purposes. Among the transactions we quote as follows: **Sugars**—Sales of 44 bbls crushed, at 16½@16¾; 20 bbls pulverized at 16¼@16½; 25 bbls at 15½; 25 bbls ⅌ Cofee. Cuba—sales of 12 hhds at 12¾@12¾; 5 do at 12½. Orleans—Sales of 10 hhds at 13¼; 10 do on private terms. Molasses—Sales of 20 bbls Orleans, old, at 57; 12 bbls do new, at 62. Syrups—Sales of 20 bbls Diamond at 60. Coffee—Firm and in great request. Sales of 30 sacks Rio to trade at 31¼; 10 sacks do at 31@32c ⅌ lb.

Bacon—The stocks in first hands are becoming very light, holders are firm. We quote as follows: Shoulders 11,000 lbs at 6¾@6¾; Sides, 7,000 lbs at 8c; Ribbed 2,000 lbs at 7c; Plain Hams 5,000 lbs at 10@12½; S. C. Hams 4,000 lbs at 13@14c.

Lard—Demand increasing. Sales of 20 tierces at 10¼@11c.

Feed—The market was firm but prices have undergone no change. Sales of 11 tons of bran at 1,05@1,05 ⅌ cwt.

Meetings, Notices, &c.

☞ THE COMMITTEE OF ORGANIZATION meet at the Democratic Central Club Rooms, corner of Fifth and Smithfield sts., every forenoon at 10 o'clock.
WM. J. KOUNTZ, Ch'mn.
CHAS. B. STRAIN, Sec'y. se22-te

RALLY FOR THE CONSTITUTION

The friends of the Union and the Constitution residing in South Western Pennsylvania, will hold a Grand Mass Meeting at Uniontown, Fayette County, on Wednesday, Sept. 30th. Hon. Wm Bigler, Hon. Heister Clymer, Judge Black, Judge Shaler, Gen. Foster, Hon. Wm. Green, have signified their intention to be present, and address the meeting. The Pittsburg and Connellsville Railroad Company will issue excursion TICKETS for the occasion, and provide extra cars for the accommodation of the people along its line. Turn out Democrats and aid in making this the grandest political demonstration ever witnessed in Pennsylvania. se14.tw

HOUSEKEEPERS
FURNISHING STORE.
GOODS FOR THE KITCHEN.

Tin Ware,	Brushes
Wooden Ware	Baskets
Spice Boxes	Jelly Moulds
Cup Tubs	Wash Basins
Straw cutters	Cup Mops
Hair Sieves	Wire Sieves
Mince Knives	Coal Scuttle
Silver Soap	Stove Polish
Chamois Skins	Knife Washers
Skewers	Basting Spoons
Gridirons	Coffee Mills
Lemon Squeezers	Wash Boards
Stew Pans	Sauce Pans
Wade Irons	Bird Roasters
Fish Kettles	Fry Pans
Ham Boilers	Farina Boilers
Graters	Egg Beaters
Larding Needlers	Flour Pails
Pudding Pans	Water Filterers
Bread Pans	Pie Plates
Butter Ladles	Clothes Wringers
Iron Holders	Wooden Spoons
Step Ladders	Butter Prints
Keelers	Wash Tubs
Clothes Lines	Soap Cups
Scales	Toast Forks
Cook's Knives	Sad Irons
Bread Boxes	Meat Presses
Scoops	Cake Boxes, &c., &c.

FOR THE DINING ROOM.

Castors	SILVER PLATED. Call Bells
Syrup Jugs	Nut Picks
Cake Baskets	Fish Knives
Crumb Knives	Ice Cream Knives
Salt Stands	Napkin Rings
Fruit Stands	Cake Baskets
Butter Knives	Forks and Spoons
Soup Ladles	Oyster Ladles
Gravy Ladles	Sugar Spoons
Children's Cups	Mustard Spoons
Round & Oval Salvers	Ice Pitchers
Bouquet Stands	Goblets
	CUTLERY.
Ivory Handled Knives	Carvers
Cocoa do do	Forks
Stag do do	Square Waiters
English Tea Trays	Crumb Brushes
Fork & Spoon Trays	Crumb Trays
Dish Covers	Chafing Dishes
Hash Dishes	Coffee Urns
Wine Strainers	Coffee Catchers
Spirit Coffee Pots	Nut Crackers
Table Mats	Round Waiters
Bread Baskets	Cork Screws
Wine Coolers	Knife Sharpeners
Refrigerators	Water Coolers, &c.
	FOR THE CHAMBER.
Toilet Jars	Water Carriers
Foot Baths	Chamber Buckets
Infant's Baths	Bowls and Pitchers
Matress Brushes	Gas Shades
Shaving Stands	Nursery Shades
Brass Match Holders	do Lamps
Flower Stands	Clothes Whisks
Nursery Refrigerators	do Hampers
Wax Tapers	Night